

TEEKAY TANKERS LTD.



# Q4 2010 Earnings Presentation

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## **Recent Highlights**

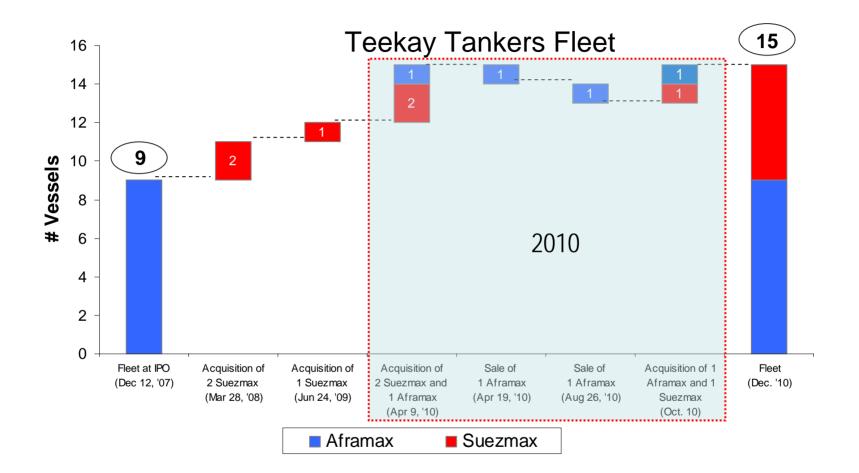
- Declared a dividend of \$0.22 per share for Q4
  - Payable on March 15<sup>th</sup> to all shareholders of record on March 8<sup>th</sup>
- \* +60% of Q4 revenues days earned avg. of \$24,390 per day on fixedrate time-charter, well above avg. spot TCE of \$14,779 per day
- » Earned adjusted net income of \$2.6 million, or \$0.05 per share<sup>(1)</sup>
- Completed acquisition of one Suezmax and one Aframax tanker in early November for a total cost of \$107.5 million
- Secured a 23 month extension of the fixed-rate time-charter on the Narmada Spirit at an average floor rate of \$21,500 per day, plus profit share
  - ~62% fixed coverage for Q1 2011; ~57% fixed coverage for 2011
- Completed 9.9 million share offering in Feb. 2011 raising net proceeds of \$107.6 million, increasing current liquidity to approximately \$295 million
  - Will look to acquire assets during coming months

## FY2010 Highlights

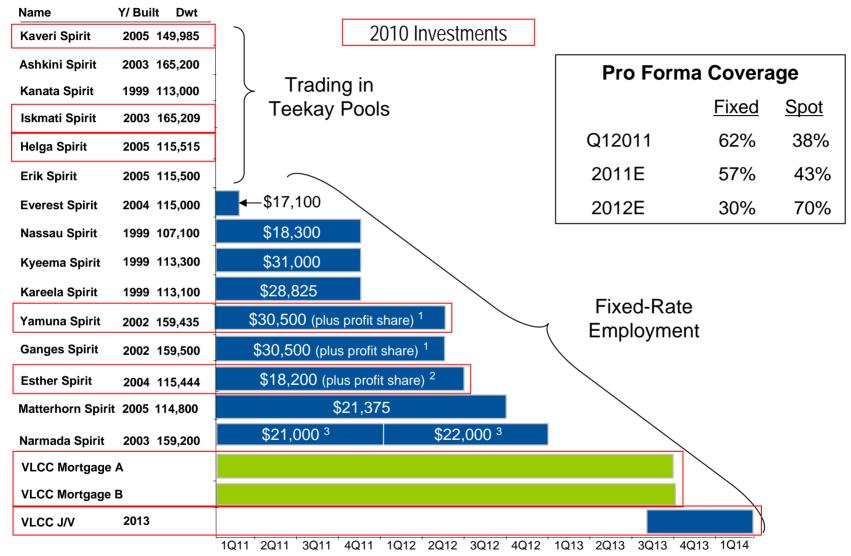
- » Declared total dividends of \$1.24 per share for FY2010
- » Earned adjusted net income of \$22.4 million, or \$0.53 per share
- In July 2010, invested \$115 million in two, first-priority ship mortgages earning interest of 9 percent, secured by two newbuilding VLCCs
- » Strategically grew fleet by (net) 4 vessels, average age of fleet improved from 9 to 8 years
  - Acquired five modern vessels from Teekay Corp.
    - Liquidity increased by net \$178 million due to inclusion of attractive financing
    - 2 ships trading on fixed-rate time-charters adding to dividend stability
  - Sold two older vessels for total proceeds of \$34 million
  - Entered into 50% J/V that owns a VLCC newbuilding, scheduled to deliver in 2013 onto a 5-year time-charter

(1) Excluding net loss of \$6.1 million, or \$0.14 per share related to change in fair value of interest rate swaps, loss on sale of vessels and Dropdown Predecessor as detailed in Appendix A of the Q4-10 earnings release.

#### 2010 – A Year of Fleet Growth and Renewal



### Profile of TNK's Tactical Fleet Management



1 Profit share above \$30,500 per day entitles Teekay Tankers to the first \$3,000 per day plus 50% thereafter of vessel's incremental Gemini Pool earnings, settled in the second quarter of each year.

2 Includes profit share paying 49% of earnings in excess of \$18,700 generated December 1 through March 20.

3 Profit share above the applicable minimum time-charter rate entitles Teekay Tankers to 50% of the difference between the average TD5 BITR rate and the minimum rate.

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## 2011 Priorities

- Maintaining fleet availability through focus on superior operations
- Acquire existing modern ships with proceeds from recent equity offering
  - Ship prices falling with weakness in spot tanker market
  - Newbuild prices remaining firm due to weakness in US dollar vs.
     Korean won and high steel prices
- » Tactically manage fleet to maintain dividend coverage
  - Time-charters rolling off at the end of 2011, may look to renew/extend some of existing charters
- » May look at in-chartering ships if spot market weakens further
  - Provide operating leverage when rates increase
  - Minimal investment required

## Q1 2011 Dividend Matrix

- » Tanker rates currently very volatile
  - Avg. Aframax rates week ended Feb. 11, 2011 \$9,002 per day
  - Avg. Aframax rates week ended Feb. 18, 2011 \$14,112 per day
- » TNK largely insulated with ~62% fixed coverage for Q1

Q1 2011 Dividend Estimate		Suezmax Spot Rate Assumption (TCE per day)							
<b>Dividend Per Share*</b>		\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$25,000	\$30,000	\$35,000	\$40,000	
Aframax Spot Rate Assumption (TCE per day)	\$10,000	0.15	0.17	0.19	0.22	0.25	0.28	0.32	
	\$15,000	0.17	0.20	0.22	0.25	0.27	0.31	0.35	
	\$20,000	0.20	▲ 0.22	0.25	0.27	0.30	0.34	0.37	
	\$25,000	0.23	0.25	0.27	0.30	0.33	0.36	0.40	
	\$30,000	0.25	0.28	0.30	0.33	0.35	0.39	0.43	
	\$35,000	0.28	0.30	0.33	0.35	0.38	0.42	0.45	

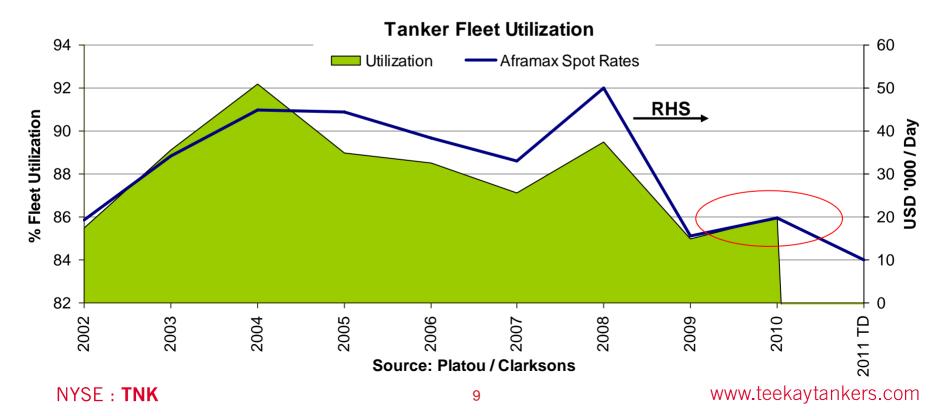
\* Estimated dividend per share is based on estimated Cash Available for Distribution, less \$0.45 million for scheduled principal payments related to one of the Company's debt facilities and less a \$1.2 million reserve for estimated drydocking costs and other vessel capital expenditures. Based on the estimated weighted average number of shares outstanding for the first quarter of 57.4 million shares.

- » Q1 2011 spot rates booked to-date
  - ~60% of Aframax days booked at \$15,000 per day
  - ~50% of Suezmax days booked at \$14,400 per day

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#### Excess Tanker Supply Driving Down Utilization and Rates

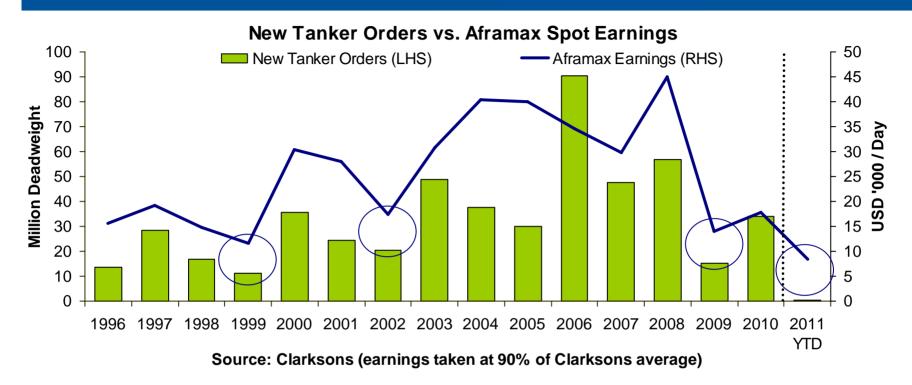
- » 2010 demand dynamics were positive:
  - Oil demand growth of 3.3% in 2010 was the second highest since the 1970s
  - Tanker ton-mile demand growth was the strongest since the 1980s
- » Growth in tanker supply outpaced demand growth:
  - » Net fleet growth of 4.5% compounded by the return of 3% of the fleet from floating storage
- » Vessel oversupply continues to weigh on spot tanker rates in Q1-11



### Tanker Market Outlook

2011	<ul> <li>Demand</li> <li>Record oil &amp; tanker demand expected</li> <li>1.5 – 2% oil demand growth translates to 5 – 6% tanker demand growth</li> <li>Pressure on OPEC to increase crude oil production which is ton-mile intensive</li> <li>Political unrest creates the possibility for increased ton-mile demand</li> </ul>		2011 – Challenging Year		
2012 & BEYOND	<ul> <li>Demand</li> <li>Steady global economic growth <ul> <li>Energy intensive non-OECD regions lead the way</li> </ul> </li> <li>"Call on OPEC" continues to grow</li> <li>Rising product exports from Asian refineries increase ton-mile leverage effect</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Supply</li> <li>Floor under newbuilding prices due to steel price, labor costs, exchange rates <ul> <li>Limited ability for yards to induce ordering through bargain prices</li> </ul> </li> <li>Rampant offshore and container market soaking up shipyard capacity</li> <li>Discipline in tanker ordering is a key factor for a "self correcting" orderbook</li> </ul>	2012 – Potential Turning Point		
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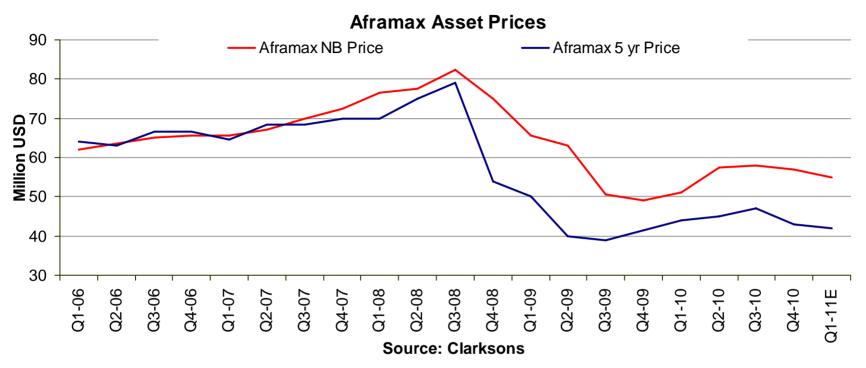
#### Factors For A Recovery – Self Correcting Behaviour



- » Tanker market has a tendency to self-correct itself in periods of weak earnings
  - 70% correlation between tanker earnings and vessel ordering
- » Factors that may lead to lower newbuilding orders in 2011 include:
  - Weakness in spot earnings and ramp up in tanker deliveries in 2011
  - Capital / debt constraints, particularly for independent owners
  - Shipyards being unable to slash newbuilding prices to levels last seen in early 2000's

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#### Secondhand Prices Expected To Decline in 2011



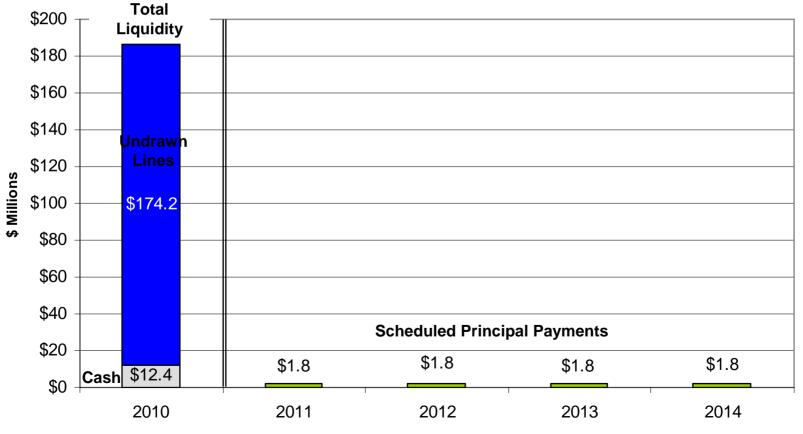
- » Secondhand tanker prices expected to decline in the coming months
  - Weak spot market earnings to weigh on secondhand vessel values.
  - Spread between secondhand values and newbuilding prices typically widens in a down cycle
- » Newbuilding prices expected to hold steady in the near term
  - High steel plate prices, weak US dollar mean yards are unlikely to drop prices much further
  - Demand for newbuildings from other sectors (e.g. Containers and Offshore)
  - Newbuildings becoming relatively less attractive compared to on-the-water assets

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## **TNK Financial Snapshot**

- » Low spot tanker cash flow breakeven below \$0 / day in 2011
- December 31, 2010 total liquidity: \$187 million; \$295 million including proceeds from recent offering

- » Net Debt/Cap: 38% (incl. proceeds from recent offering)
- » Minimal principal payments until 2015



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