

ICG Profile



IRISH CONTINENTAL GROUP

1. Irish Ferries

Leading ferry company operating between UK / Continent and Republic of Ireland.

Capital
Employed

67%

2. Ship Chartering Division

22%

3. Container Division

- Container stevedoring terminals in Dublin & Belfast
- Leading container operator between Ireland and the Continent

11%

ICG - Group Performance



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	H1 2007	H1 2006	2006
Turnover	€163.2m	€141.8m	€12.1m
EBITDA*	€32.6m	€15.6m	€59.7m
Trading Profit *	€16.4m	€2.6m	€32.2m
Non recurring items (net)	€(16.5)m	-	€0.7m
Adjusted EPS**	50.8c	(1.7)c	108.5c
Basic EPS	(6.8)c	10.2c	137.4c
Equity	€175.9m	141.1m	€178.3m
Net debt	€121.2m	132.4m	€113.8m

* Restated

** Before non recurring items and net expected return on defined benefit pension assets less liabilities

Container Division



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	H1 2007 €m	H1 2006 €m	2006 €m
Turnover	77.5	70.2	142.1
EBITDA	5.7	2.7	7.7
Depreciation/Amortisation	<u>(1.5)</u>	<u>(1.5)</u>	<u>(3.3)</u>
Operating Profit	<u>4.2</u>	<u>1.2</u>	<u>4.4</u>
Start up costs Belfast			<u>(0.8)</u>
			<u>3.6</u>



Operations & Highlights

■ Container Routes

- Ireland / Continent - Door to Door plus Quay to Quay
- UK / Continent - Quay to Quay container movement

■ Port Ownership

- Container Terminal in Dublin, €30m expansion, completion 2008
- Belfast Container Terminal commenced in October 2006, meeting expectations

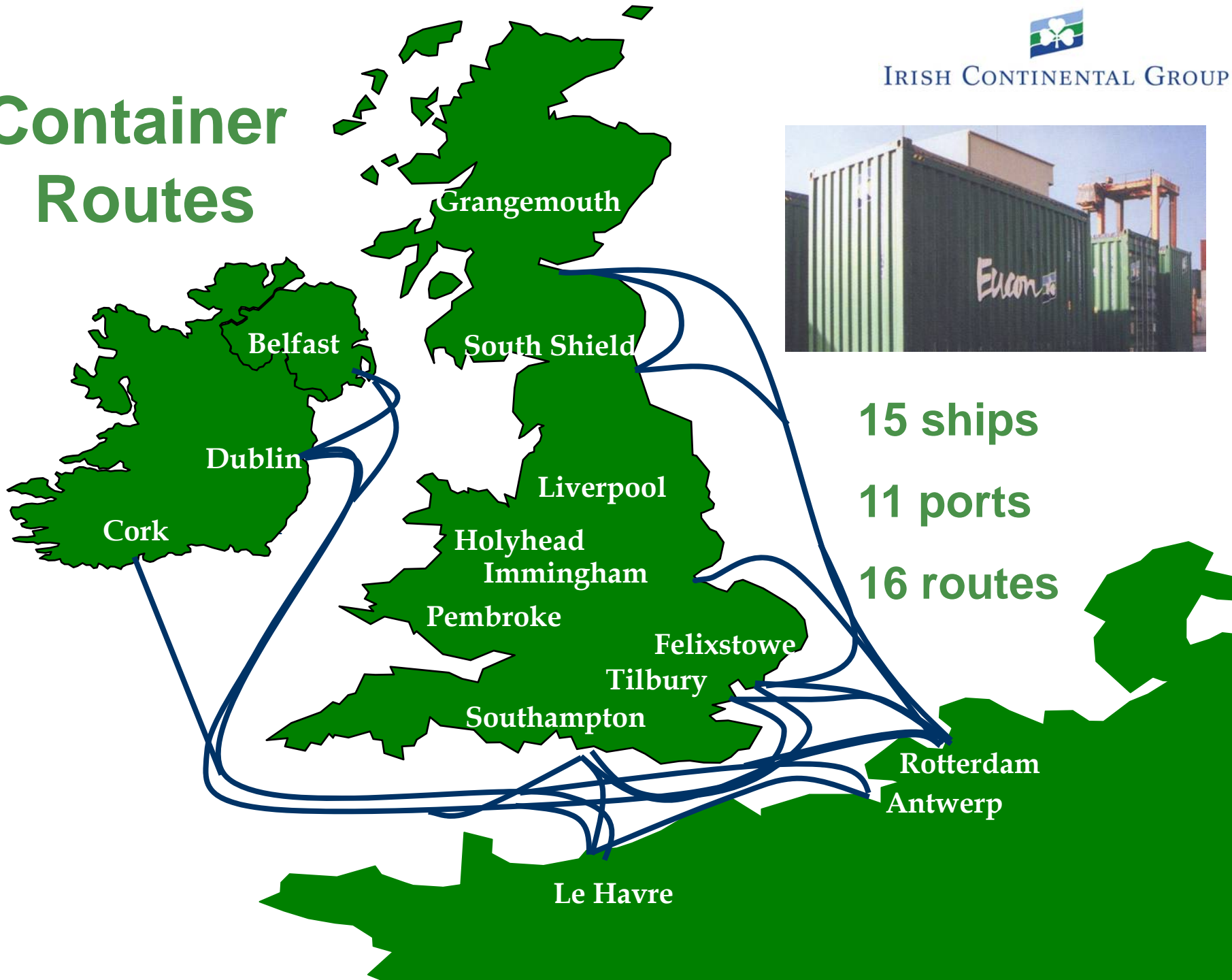
■ Highlights

- Dublin Terminal expansion – superstructure on target, infrastructure delays
- Belfast Terminal - meeting expectations
- Dublin Port Tunnel – Enhancing connectivity
- Entry to refrigerated container market



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Container Routes



15 ships

11 ports

16 routes

Rotterdam
Antwerp

Le Havre

Market Share – LoLo 2006



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	All Ireland (UK & Continent)
	%
Peel Holdings	30
ICG	22
Samskip	16
DFDS	9
C2C	8
Others	<u>15</u>
Total	100

Container Terminal Market

1.3 Million Teu in 2006

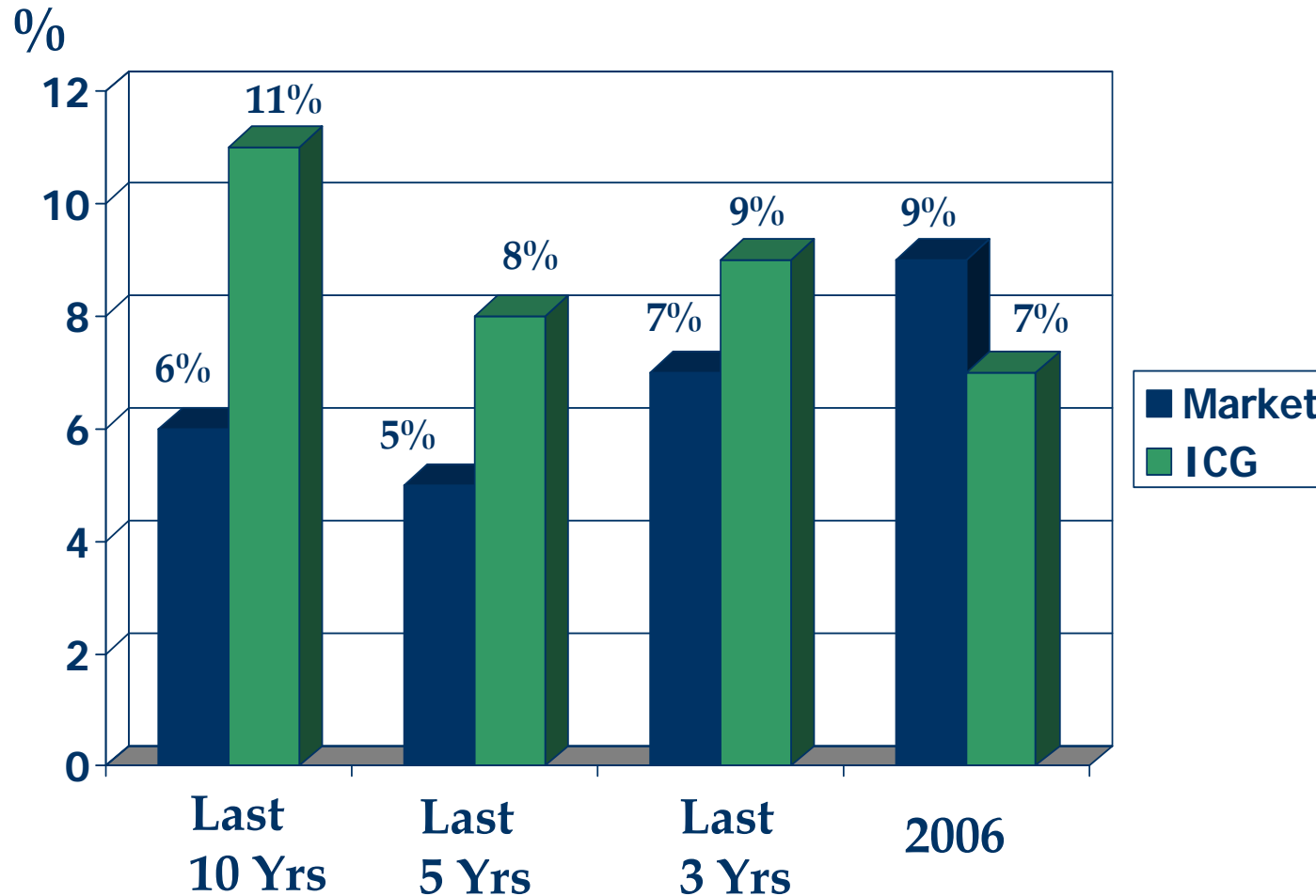


Container handling in Ireland Market Share 22% 2006



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CAGR Volume %





Ferries & Ship Chartering

	H1	H1	2007	2006
			€m	€m
2006 €m Turnover	85.9	72.2	170.0	
EBITDA	26.9	12.9	52.8	
Depreciation/Amortisation	<u>(14.7)</u>	<u>(11.5)</u>	<u>(24.2)</u>	
Operating Profit/Loss	<u>12.2</u>	<u>1.4</u>	<u>28.6</u>	

- **Ship Chartering**

- **2 ferries on charter to P&O firm to 2010**
- **1 ferry on charter to Color Line February – September 2007 prior to entering service with Irish Ferries**

- **Irish Ferries**

- **4000 departures to and from UK**
- **250 departures to and from France**



Replacement Vessel Ireland France “Oscar Wilde” – Commences 30 November 2007



- Replacement capex to upgrade product standard
- Cost €45 million
- Initial charter 8 months
- Additional annual depreciation and interest €5.5 million
- Normandy (existing vessel built in 1982) with shipbrokers for sale

Distribution



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Car Booking Report 2006 All Markets

	2006 %	2005 %
Call Centres	21	25
At our Ports	11	10
Internet	<u>50</u>	<u>43</u>
Direct	82	78
Travel Trade	<u>18</u>	<u>22</u>
Total	100	100

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Cash Flow



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	H1 2007 €M	H1 2006 €M	Year 2006 €m
Operating Profit before restructuring	16.4	2.6	32.2
Depreciation	16.2	13.0	27.5
EBITDA (before restructuring)	32.6	15.6	59.7
Working Capital Movement	14.7	8.9	(6.1)
Operating Cash Flow	47.3	24.5	53.6
Interest (net)	(3.8)	(2.6)	(5.7)
Tax	(0.2)	(1.0)	(1.7)
Capex	(51.3)	(8.4)	(11.8)
Restructuring Payments	-	(36.3)	(35.4)
Free Cash Flow	(8.0)	(23.8)	(1.0)
Dividends/Redemptions	(0.0)	(4.5)	(7.2)
Net Flow	(8.0)	(28.3)	(8.2)
Operating Debt	(113.8)	(105.9)	(105.9)
Translation/Other	0.6	1.8	0.3
Closing Debt	(121.2)	(132.4)	(113.8)



Passenger Car Market UK ↔ Ireland Market

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Volumes (Cars)	Market	Irish Ferries	Irish Ferries Share
H1: Jan - June 2007	+4%	+19%	47%

- Weak car market due to Stena reducing their HSS Fast Craft capacity 2007 V 2006
- Average yield slightly up on last year



Market Share – Cars

2007 v 2006

Republic of Ireland – UK

2007 2006

% %

Irish Ferries	47	41
Stena Line	49	50
P&O Irish Sea	1	2
Swansea Cork	0	4
Norfolkline	3	3
Total	100	100



RoRo Freight Market UK-Ireland 2007

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Volumes (Freight Units)	Market	Irish Ferries	Market Share
Jan - June 2007	7%	18%	30%

- Irish Ferries benefited from earlier drydock so increased capacity in Jan & Feb.
- Stena's operational problems – HSS & Stena Adventurer
- P&O - an additional ship



Market Share – RoRo 2007 V 2006

	Rep. of Ireland - UK	
	2007	2006
	%	%
Irish Ferries	30	27
Stena Line	25	28
*Norfolkline	23	26
P&O Irish Sea	20	18
*Celtic Link	2	1
Swansea Cork	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total	100	100

***Market figures for Norfolkline & Celtic Link are estimates**

Ship Chartering Division



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Pride of Bilbao



Night Ferry; 2400
beds, 580 cars,
built 1986

Day Ferry; 600 cars
or 108 trucks built
1995



Challenger

Ship Chartering Division



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- Both vessels on charter to 2010.

- Charter Income

2006	€10.8m
2007	€10.1m*
2008	€ 8.6m
2009	€ 8.6m

***Excludes short term charter to Color Line**

Irish Ferries - Ships



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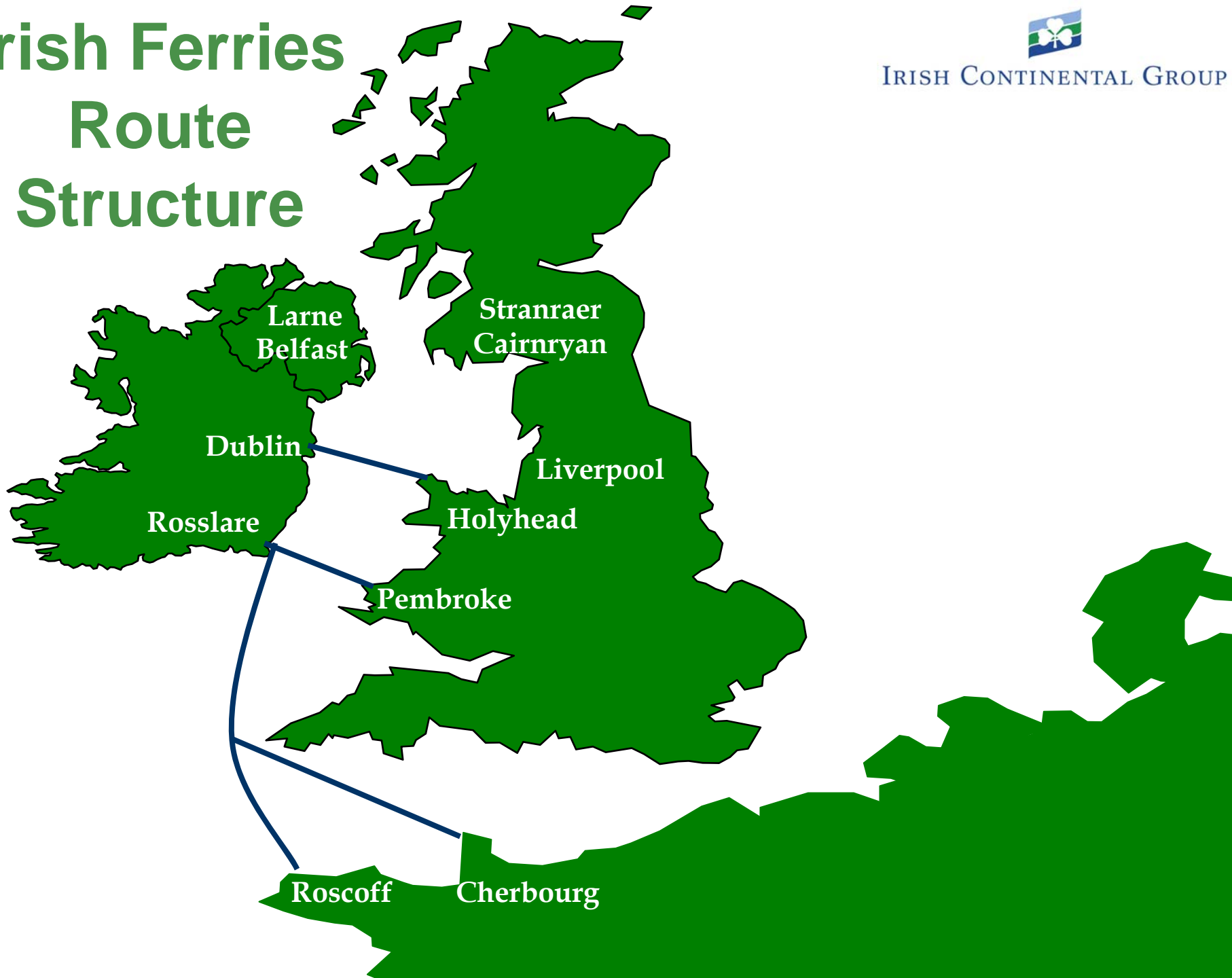
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Irish Ferries Route Structure



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Total Passenger Market 2003 - 2006

	Cumulative			
	Last 3 Years	2006	2005	2004
Irish Ferries	-19%	-6%	-7%	-7%
Republic of Ireland	-15%	-4%	-6%	-5%
All Ireland	-15%	-3%	-6%	-5%

Car Market 2003 - 2006



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	Cumulative			
	Last 3 Years	2006	2005	2004
Irish Ferries	-13%	-3%	-4%	-4%
Republic of Ireland	-13%	-3%	-5%	-5%
All Ireland	-12%	-2%	-5%	-4%

RoRo Market 2003 - 2006



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	Cumulative			
	Last 3 Years	2006	2005	2004
Irish Ferries	18%	13%*	8%	6%
Republic of Ireland	20%	8%	6%	6%
All Ireland	18%	7%	5%	5%

*** Strike in 2005 flatters 2006 figures**

RoRo Freight Traffic Key Slots



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Dublin - Holyhead		Holyhead - Dublin	
Dep	Arr	Dep	Arr
08.05	11.20	14.10	17.25
20.55	00.10	02.40	05.55

Rosslare - Pembroke		Pembroke - Rosslare	
Dep	Arr	Dep	Arr
08.45	12.30	14.30	18.15
21.00	00.45	02.45	06.30

RoRo Market Analysis

Greater integration between Ireland & UK/Continent



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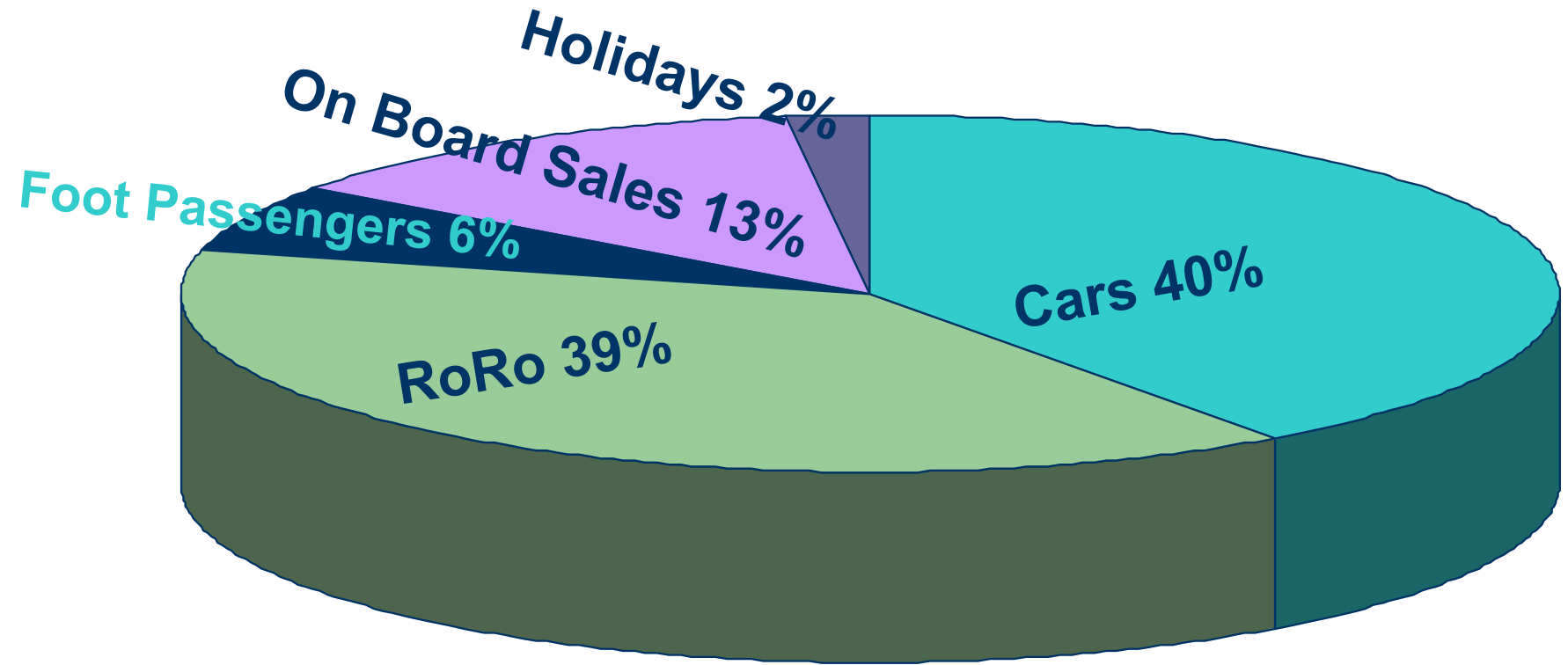
	1992 %	2006*(e) %	CAGR
Value of Imports & Exports	€45.1bn	€264.2bn	13.5%
GDP	€40.0bn	€177.9bn	11.2%
Imports & Exports as % of GDP	113%	150%	

*ESRI Estimate 2006

Irish Ferries Revenue Mix 2006



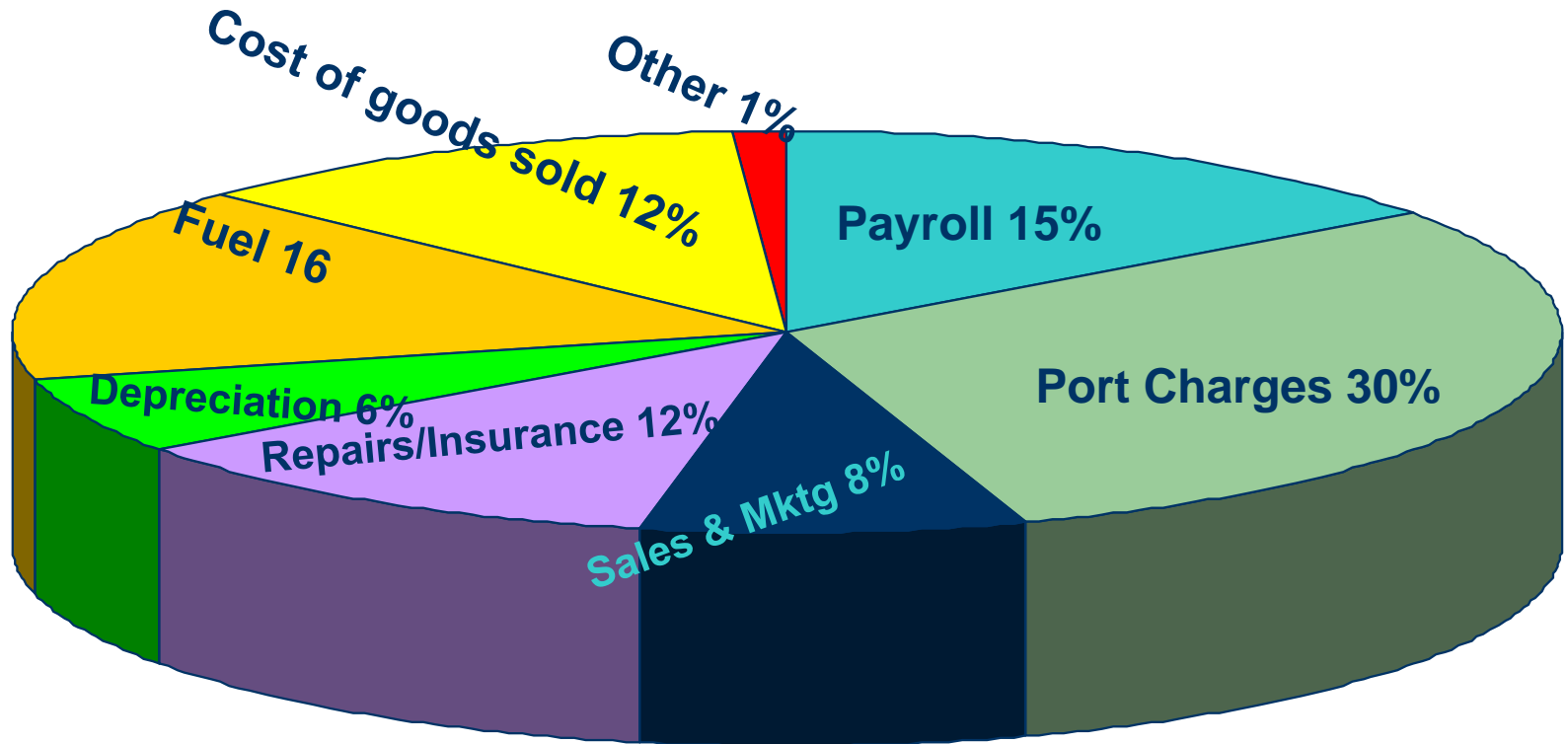
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Irish Ferries Cost Analysis 2006



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Fuel Costs



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	2006 (f)	2005	2004
Consumption (000 tons)			
Heavy Fuel Oil	96.7	96.6	96.2
Marine Diesel	<u>15.1</u>	<u>20.9</u>	<u>19.4</u>
	111.8	117.5	115.6
Price (€per ton)			
Heavy Fuel Oil	€258	€216	€144
Marine Diesel	€454	€384	€298
Cost (2006 V's 2005) +14%	€33m	€29m	€20m
(2006 V's 2004) +65%			

Employment



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	Dec 2006	Dec 2005	Dec 2004
Irish Ferries			
Seagoing (incl. agency)	298	770	684
Shore (incl. ports)	277	304	330
Total	575	1074	1014
Container & Terminal & Group	<u>188</u>	<u>192</u>	<u>206</u>
	<u>763</u>	<u>1266</u>	<u>1220</u>



Market Share – Cars 2006 v 2005 (H1)

Republic of Ireland - UK

	2006	2005
	%	%

Irish Ferries	41	44
Stena Line	50	48
P&O Irish Sea	2	1
Irish Sea Express / IOMSPC	0	2
Swansea Cork	4	4
Norfolkline	3	1
Total	100	100