

# **Investor presentation**

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# **Operational progress: Leading with purpose**

No hosepipe ban and protected the environment by not resorting to drought permits

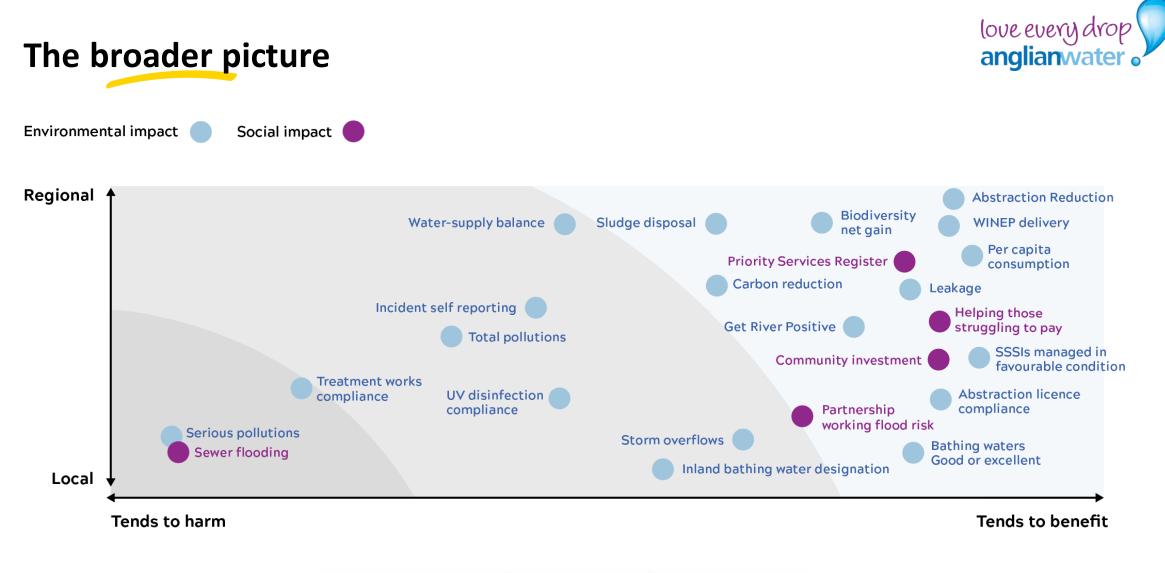
**£22m** penalty — 73% due to 3 ODIs impacted by extreme weather Record year of capital investment at **£725 million** (£1.7 billion AMP to date) Lowest number of storm overflow spills in the industry — 15 vs an industry average of 29

Industry-leading leakage performance continues — 7.5% better than last year's leading result £93 million environmental investment (WINEP), delivered ahead of schedule

Highest smart meter coverage 233,000 installed this year alone

334,000

vulnerable customers supported in 2022/23



These metrics are derived from the EPA, our ODI performance commitments, internal targets and ESG commitments including Get River Positive



# 2022/23 key financial metrics





# **Key financials summary**

Delivering robust financials despite the challenging environment

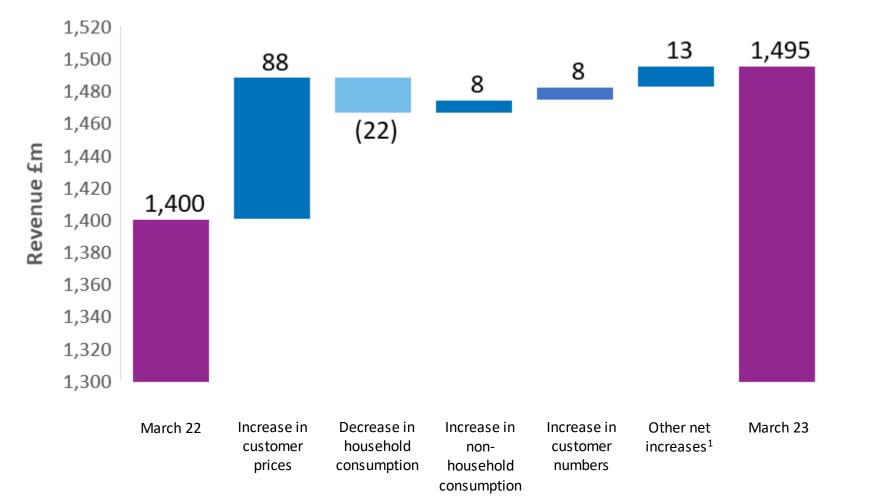
Revenue	<b>Operating profit</b>	Adjusted loss before tax <sup>1</sup>
Up £95m (7%)	Down £17m (4%)	2023: £287m 2022: £18m
Operating cash flow	Net debt <sup>2</sup>	Dividends paid
Down £39m (5%)	2023: £6,572m 2022: £5,694m	2023: £169m 2022: £96m
RCV	Gearing	Strong credit ratings
2023: £10,020m 2022: £8,792m	2023: 66% Senior AWS 2022: 65% Senior AWS	A-/A3/A-

<sup>1</sup> Shown before profit on derivatives of £645m (2022: loss of £115m)

<sup>3</sup> <sup>2</sup> Shown on a CTA basis. Net debt on a statutory IFRS basis, excluding derivatives, is £6,248m (2022: £5,621m)



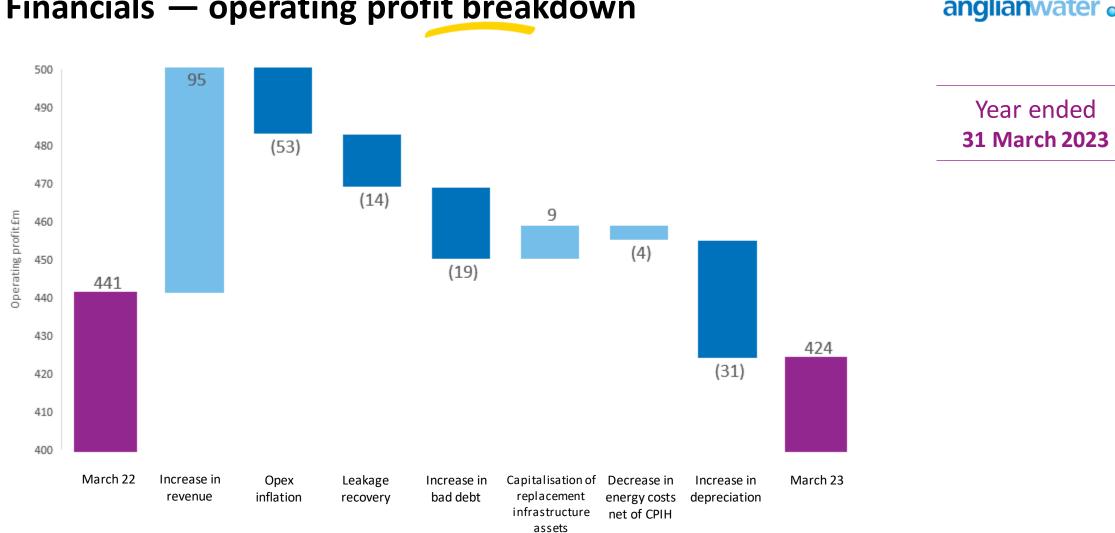
## Financials — revenue breakdown



Year ended 31 March 2023

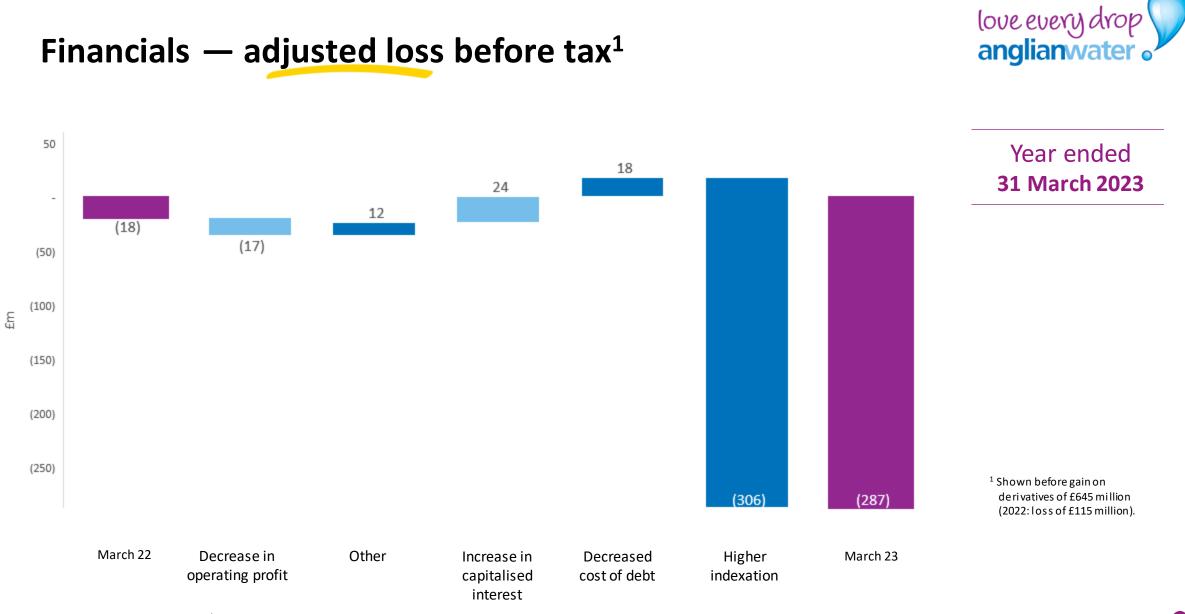
<sup>1</sup> Includes reduction ingrants and contributions and prior year accrual and billing adjustments.

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# Financials — operating profit breakdown



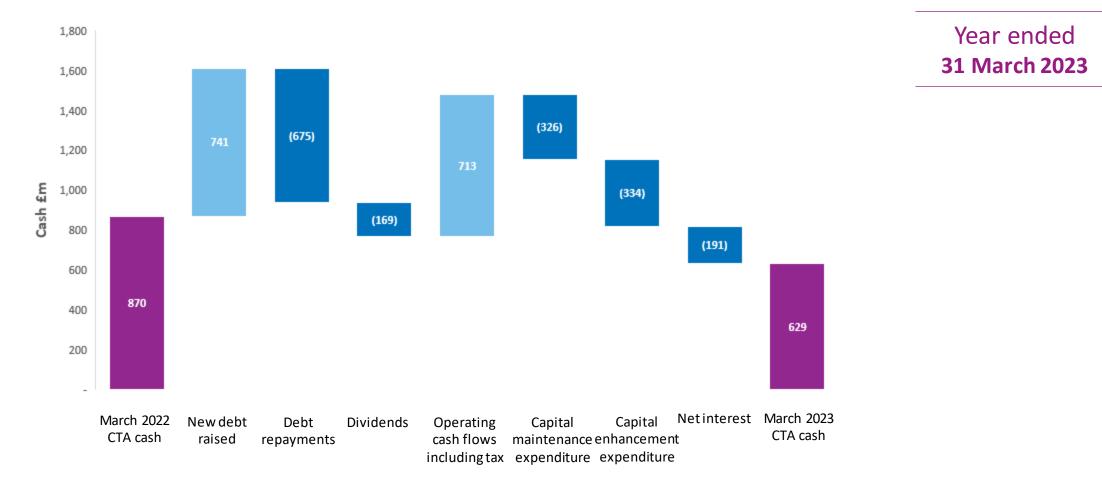


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# Financials — sources and uses of cash

Strong cash generation despite challenging environment



## **Debt composition**

Balanced debt composition ensures natural hedge to RCV and revenues

Year ended Net debt<sup>1</sup> 31 March 2023 £878m increase in net debt £6,572m AWS funding mix (% of RCV) RCV Equity **RCV** reflects AMP7 capital 34% investment and is adjusted in line £10,020m with inflationary increase Gearing AWS Gearing – 66% Osprey Gearing – 75% 66% Aigrette Gearing – 82% Gearing



Index linked

48%

18%



# Managing the impacts of market volatility

### Energy

- This is one of our significant cost components (£90m for FY22/23)
- Robust hedging strategy locked in energy prices prior to the start of FY22/23, ahead of Ukraine war
- FY23/24 energy exposure is majority hedged
- Energy risk management strategy closely linked to net zero 2030 journey



#### **Interest rates**

- Significant protection against rising interest rates from high level of fixed and inflation-linked debt
- AWS net interest costs have reduced (cash deposit earnings offsetting increased cost of floating rate debt)
- 93% of debt was hedged at AWS, 88% at Group





# Capital structure resilience enables competitive new debt funding

# Capital structure remains resilient in volatile environment

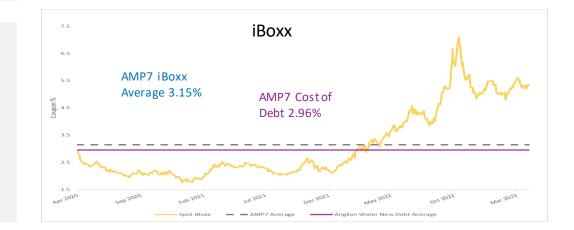
- AWS interest cover and gearing covenants have remained stable year on year
- AWS ratings have remained unchanged through FY22/23 at A-/A3/A-

	FY22/23
AWS Gearing Debt/RAV (class A trigger 75%)	65.6%
AWS interest cover covenant (class A PMICR trigger 1.3x)	1.6x

#### Anglian Water new debt performance

Against a backdrop of increasing interest rates:

- AWS debt incurred during AMP receives iBoxx true up compensation
- AWS continues to outperform iBoxx



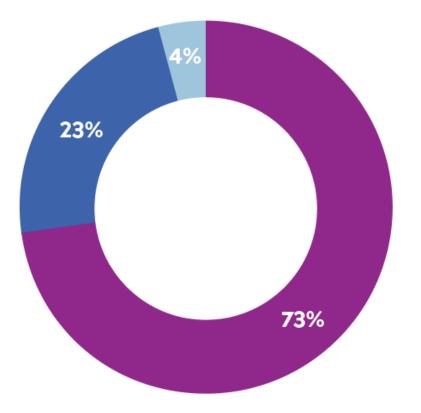


# Significant progress in a challenging year





# **Composition of ODI penalty**



3 ODIs impacted by weather

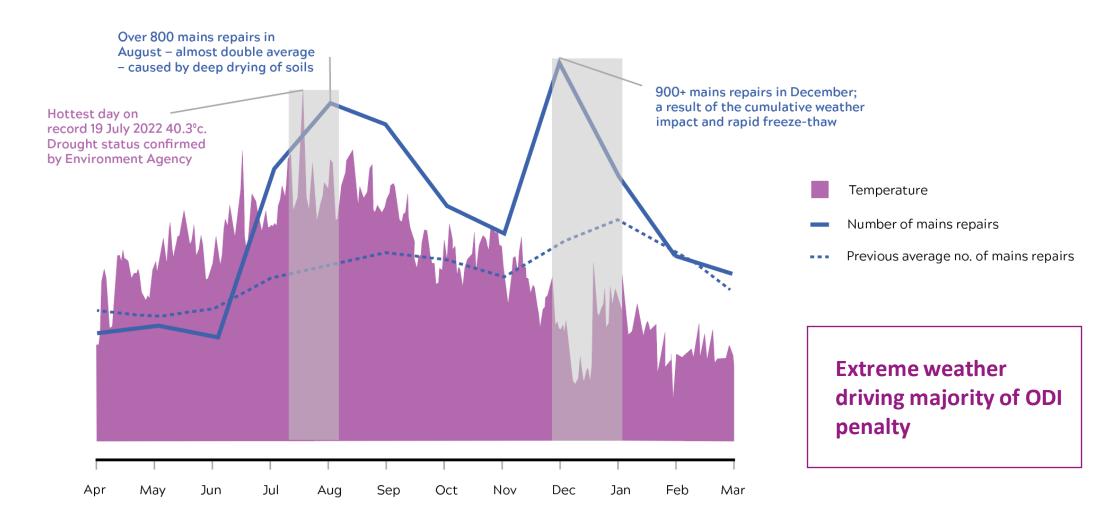
Flooding and pollutions

Other

**£22m** penalty – 73% due to 3 ODIs impacted by extreme weather

## An unprecedented year of weather events:

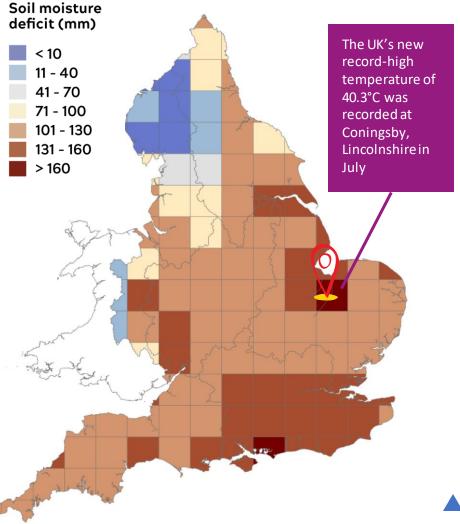




# Protecting customers and the environment throughout drought

No hosepipe ban in Anglian-Water region This year the UK saw only Leading **Protected the** 62% abstraction environment by reduction not overabstracting this AMP of its average summer rainfall Bursts on a par with Beast Strong performance on drinking from the East (but over a water quality — the No.1 priority much longer period) for customers





# Continue to be industry-leading on water resilience



**Recorded our lowest ever leakage level** — yet again outperforming last year's industry-leading position

Circa 84,000 leaks found and fixed last year — 7.5% better than last year's leading result

Lowest leakage level per kilometre in the industry at half the national average Additional investment: c.14m and £40m supply side



Racing ahead on smart meters:

544,000 so far this AMP against a target of 548,000 helped us identify more than

# 93,000

Customer-side leaks, saving millions of litres of water

# Lowest Per Capita Consumption (PCC) in the sector:

Water efficient customers now use circa **20-litres per day less** than they did four years ago



## **Progress tackling serious pollutions**



Narrow watercourses Third party damage to assets Unmonitored locations (high proportion of rural communities) Data-driven decisions

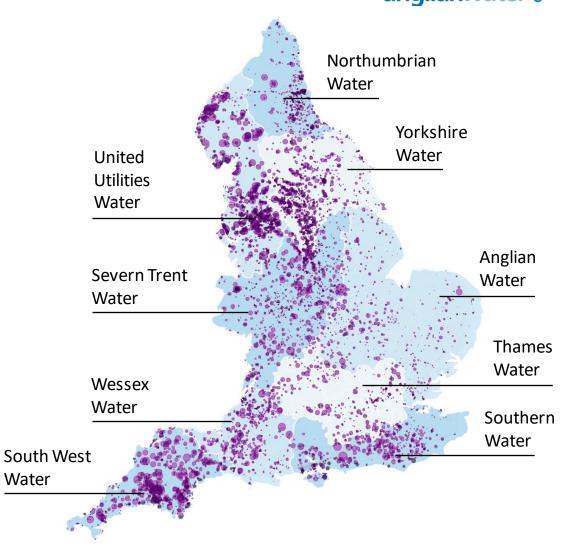
# Sector-leading in reducing spills



**Least active** storm overflows at 15 spills versus industry average of 29

Duration of spills has **more than halved**, and is well below national average Spills **cut by 54%** on last year

At **86%** event duration monitor (EDM) and will achieve full coverage by the end of 2023 £200m (of £800m WINEP) invested to reduce spills, including 40 new storm tanks adding 11,000m<sup>3</sup> extra capacity this year alone



# **Record number of people helped in 2022/23**

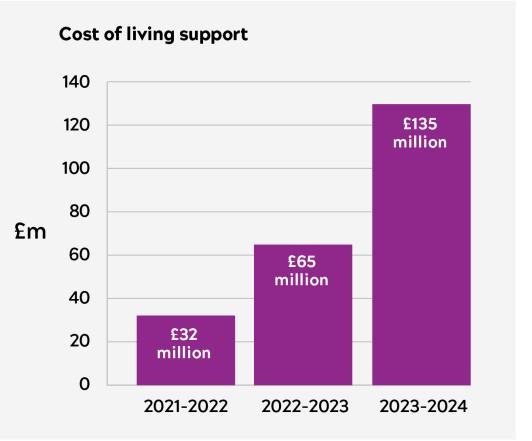


Outperformed this year's ODI target, providing support to **334,000 unique customers** this year

Largest-ever support package planned in 2023/24 of **£135 million**, building on £65 million package delivered in 2022/23

Industry-leading number of customers on the **Priority** Services Register, now at 11.4%

Across AMP7 we will provide **£323 million in direct** support



## Largest ever single year of capital investment

### On track to meet our ambitious investment goals

## £725 million

invested in the East of England in the period, totalling **£1.7 billion AMP** to date Plans for two new reservoirs announced to secure future water supplies WINEP environmental programme delivery ahead of schedule Strategic Pipeline On track for completion





Early investment unlocked through Ofwat's Accelerated Infrastructure Delivery Plan

Land in the south

Rapid smart meter roll out c.4,500+ smart meters being installed each week 1.1 million by the end of the AMP

# Making strides in carbon reduction and resilience

### Progressing our plan to reach our ambitious 2030 goals



Chris Stark Chief Executive of the Climate Change Committee

### Ofwat breakthrough challenge

Leading three projects focused on reducing carbon emissions across our sector:

- □ Enabling Whole Life Carbon
- □ Triple Carbon Reduction
- Safe Smart Systems



6.1%

reduction in capital carbon last year, against a 2010 baseline

reduction in operational carbon against a 2018 baseline





Process emissions remain our biggest challenge







## Planning and investing for the future



Protecting and enhancing our environment for future generations







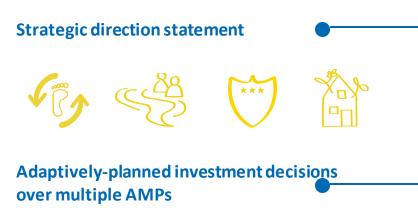
Unwavering support for customers



### Price Review 2024 and beyond

#### Long term direction strategy

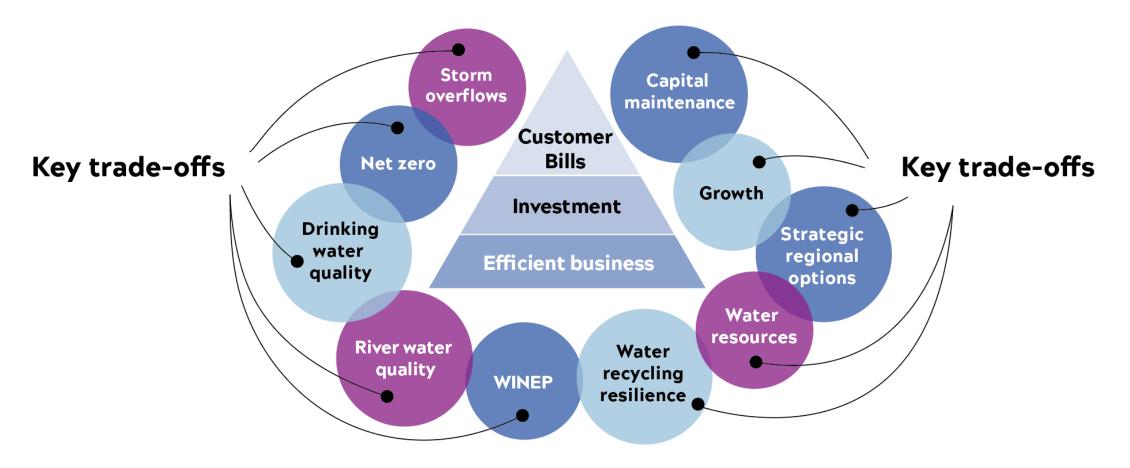
Alignment of our strategic ambitions to a Long-Term Delivery Strategy, delivering adaptively-planned investment over multiple AMPs



## **Strategic priorities through AMP8 and AMP9**



Adaptively planning to achieve our vision: taking the long-term view



# 2022/23 in summary



### A purpose-driven business with customers and the environment at the heart of everything we do





