# Reporting Season Wrap

August 2022





#### **Factors impacting results**

Floods across Eastern Australia, Covid-19, supply-chain challenges, war in Ukraine, housing cycle fluctuations, rising interest rates, labour shortages, inflation and tensions with China.



### **Dividend payments fall**

Dividends to be delivered by S&P/ASX 200 companies total \$42.3 billion, down 1.7% on a year earlier. Just over 27% of dividend payers cut dividends, above the historic average.

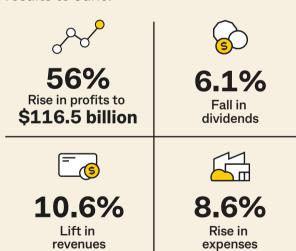


#### Cash levels down

Some companies have been shoring up operations ahead of the challenges ahead, while others have stocked up on inventories or equipment to protect their businesses from supply-chain difficulties.

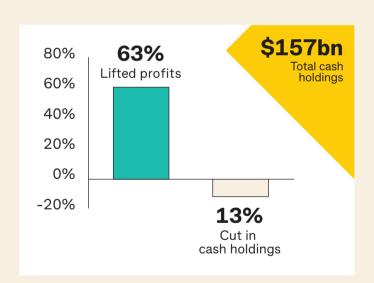
## Results at a glance

Aggregate results of 132 companies from the S&P/ASX200 Index reporting full-year results to June.



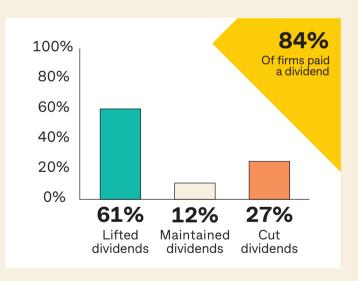
# **Company Profits**

Cost pressures remain a dominant concern.



## **Dividend results**

Of the S&P/ASX200 companies reporting full-year results to June.



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