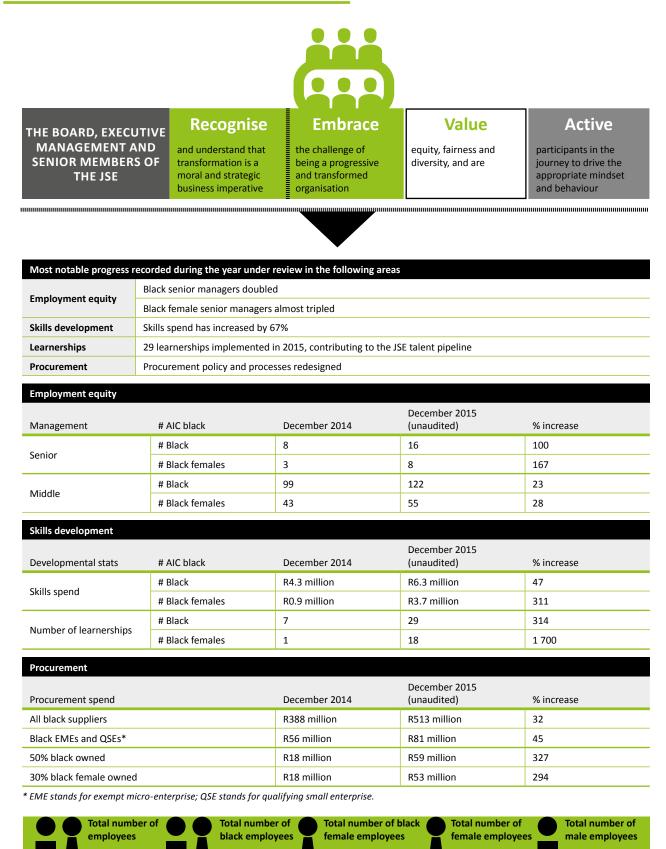
## THE JSE'S TRANSFORMATION JOURNEY



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#### **Transformation strategy**

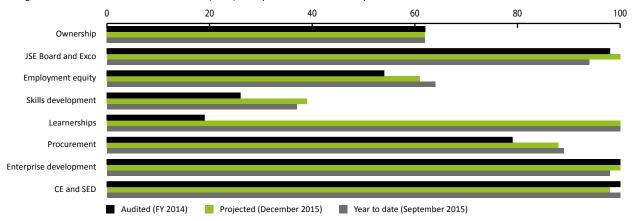
The Board, executive management and senior members of the JSE recognise that transformation is a moral and strategic business imperative and embrace the challenge of being a progressive and transformed organisation. The Board values equity, fairness and diversity in the business, and seeks to provide meaningful work opportunities for all JSE employees. The Board views itself as an active participant in addressing the socioeconomic challenges faced by South Africa, and aims to create prosperity for all South Africans.

The Board believes that this mindset will ensure that the JSE's transformation efforts are focused in areas that will broaden the talent pool, develop people, improve stakeholder relationships, such as in enterprise and supplier development, and support procurement initiatives.



### **BBBEE** measurement under the Financial Sector Code

During the period under review, the Board approved a revised transformation strategy focused on delivering the above outcomes and is confident that the JSE will regain its level 3 BEE status in respect of the 2015 financial period. The strategy was designed to yield the best possible rating under the Revised Financial Sector Code (RFSC) in respect of future financial periods.



	2014 Audited	BOY 2015 JSE Projected	EOY 2015 Unaudited
Total aggregate %	72%	79%	80%
	Level 4	Level 3	Level 3
BEE status	achieved	anticipated	anticipated

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### **Remaining challenges**

Ownership	The JSE already has a core black ownership following the BEE scheme that was implemented when the JSE listed in 2006. Looking ahead, the Board and the executive management team will seek to improve black and black women ownership of the JSE. The Board has tasked the executive management team with keeping abreast of the issues at hand and finding meaningful, sustainable and economically viable solutions that are broad-based, allow for sufficient black employee representation and are inclusive of the JSE's major stakeholders.
Retention of staff	Natural attrition is part and parcel of business life.
	<ul> <li>Unforeseen changes at Board/Exco and senior management level</li> </ul>
	Natural attrition of black staff
	Employee training fatigue
	Loss of persons participating in learnerships
Procurement	JSE suppliers may experience challenges in achieving empowering supplier status

## Looking forward to

2016

#### **Key assumptions**

RFSC applicable in 2016

High watermark principle continues to apply

JSE's approved 2015 transformation strategy to continue for FY2016

### Things to continue

Maintain/improve representation at senior and middle management

Maintain 29 learnerships

#### Things to do

Progress ownership discussion

Disburse skills spend in line with new RFSC categories

procurement spend in line with the new RFSC categories

Seek and implement fresh ED initiatives

Implement new supplier development initiatives

in line with new RFSC categories

**Recent changes in financial sector** 

It is likely that the Revised Financial Sector Code (RFSC) will be gazetted for implementation during 2016. Management will remain abreast of developments.

The JSE is part of a working group that has actively contributed to the FSC alignment process.