

BUSINESS UPDATE FOR THE THIRD QUARTER ENDED 30 JUNE 2025

KEY FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS FOR GROUP

Summarised Statement of Comprehensive Income	9M2025 S\$'000	3Q2025 S\$'000
Revenue Gross profit Profit after tax Total comprehensive income for the period	1,124,482 112,246 63,897 63,143	408,856 44,836 21,829 21,419
Summarised Balance Sheet		30.06.2025 S\$'000
Non-current assets Current assets		133,234 855,484
Total assets		988,718
Current liabilities Non-current liabilities		482,262 22,899
Total liabilities		505,161
Net assets		483,557
Loans and Borrowings		30.06.2025 S\$'000
Current Non-current		333,105
Total loans and borrowings		333,105
Cash and cash equivalents		216,873
Net loans and borrowings		116,232
Summarised Statement of Cash Flows		9M2025 S\$'000
Net cash flows used in operating activities Net cash flows used in investing activities Net cash flows generated from financing activities		(35,035) (2,920) 63,547
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		25,592 191,374 (93)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial period		216,873

COMMENTARY

Singapore's economy continues to navigate a complex landscape of moderating growth and persistent global trade tensions, with the construction sector emerging as a critical stabilising force. According to the Monetary Authority of Singapore's (MAS) July 2025 Macroeconomic Review¹, the economy expanded robustly by 4.3% year-on-year (yoy) in the second quarter of 2025, building on the previous quarter's 3.9% yoy growth. While trade-related sectors benefited from temporary front-loading of exports, the Ministry of Trade and Industry (MTI) has downgraded its full-year 2025 GDP forecast to 0.0%-2.0% from 1.0%-3.0%², reflecting escalating US tariffs and weakening global demand. MAS similarly anticipates moderation from the strength of the first half, citing softening labour demand and subdued inflation. Against this backdrop, the local construction sector stands out as a cornerstone of resilience, underpinned by strategic public investments and robust development pipelines.

The local construction sector's exceptional performance is evidenced by the following key 2025 first quarter indicators:

- Output Growth: Construction expanded 5.5% yoy, accelerating from 4.4% in the fourth quarter of 2024, driven by public (+9.1%) and private (+8.7%) sector works.
- Demand Surge: Contracts awarded soared 45.9% yoy, reversing the fourth quarter's contraction, fueled by public residential (+116%) and industrial projects (+422%).
- Employment Resilience: Amid softening labour demand in trade-facing sectors, construction employment growth remained positive, bucking declines in manufacturing and modern services.

This momentum is supported by Singapore's S\$19.6 billion infrastructure allocation in the 2025 Budget, ensuring medium-term activity. Strategic projects include:

- Transport: Changi Airport Terminal 5 (T5) and MRT expansions.
- Healthcare: Tengah Hospital development.
- Industrial: Woodlands North Coast initiative.
- Housing: 55,600 private residential units (including Executive Condominiums) under construction as of the second quarter of 2025.

The Government Land Sales (GLS) program would also release land for 9,755 private units in 2025—50% above the 2021-2023 average—further supporting construction demand.³

Further, public housing initiatives remain a key driver. The Housing & Development Board (HDB) launched 5,547 Build-To-Order (BTO) flats in July 2025, exceeding initial plans. 2025 full-year HDB targets include 19,600 BTO flats and 10,200 Sale of Balance Flats (SBF)—the highest SBF supply since 2016.⁴

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 $^{{\}color{red}^{1}}\underline{\text{https://www.mas.gov.sg/publications/macroeconomic-review/2025/volume-xxiv-issue-2-jul-2025}}$

 $^{{}^2\}frac{https://www.mti.gov.sg/Resources/Economic-Survey-of-Singapore/2025/Economic-Survey-of-Singapore-First-Quarter-2025}{}$

https://www.ura.gov.sg/Corporate/Media-Room/Media-Releases/pr25-40

⁴ https://www.hdb.gov.sg/cs/infoweb/about-us/news-and-publications/press-releases/Upcoming-Flat-Supply-1st-Quarter-2025-Public-Housing-Data

COMMENTARY (cont'd)

Singapore's construction sector remains a cornerstone of its economic stability, underpinned by public infrastructure investments and technological advancements. While global trade risks and labour market adjustments pose challenges, proactive policy measures - such as calibrated land sales and a balanced mix of public-private projects - and a strong project pipeline ensure mediumterm resilience. This bodes well for the Singapore reinforcing steel sector, which BRC is an integral part of. In this regard, BRC's sales order book, bolstered by the recent T5 win⁵, stood at \$\$2.0 billion as at 31 July 2025.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

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⁵ https://www.businesstimes.com.sg/companies-markets/brc-asia-secures-contracts-changi-airport-terminal-5-project-worth-s570-million

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