







ASCENDAS HOSPITALITY TRUST

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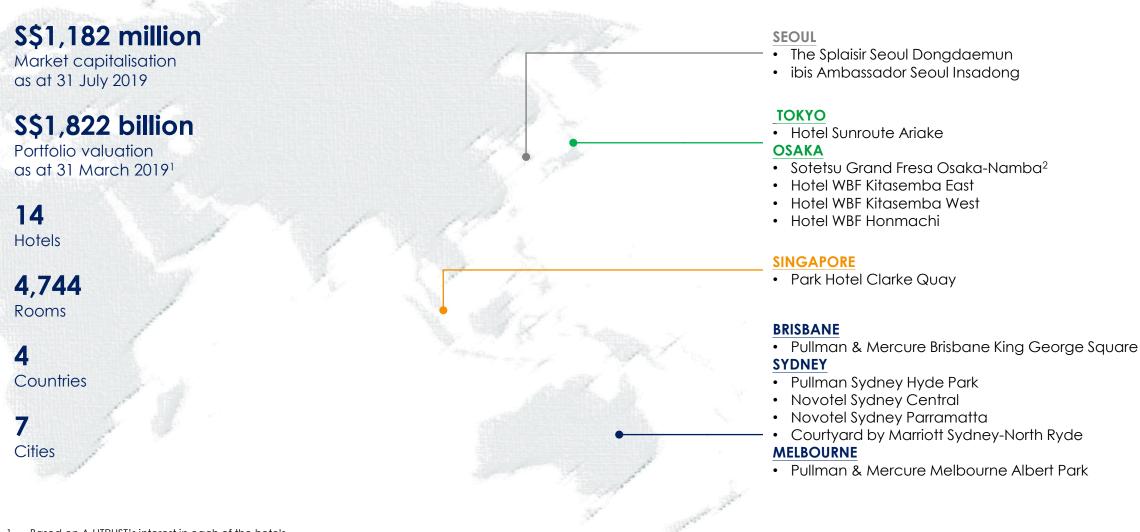
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Overview of Ascendas Hospitality Trust

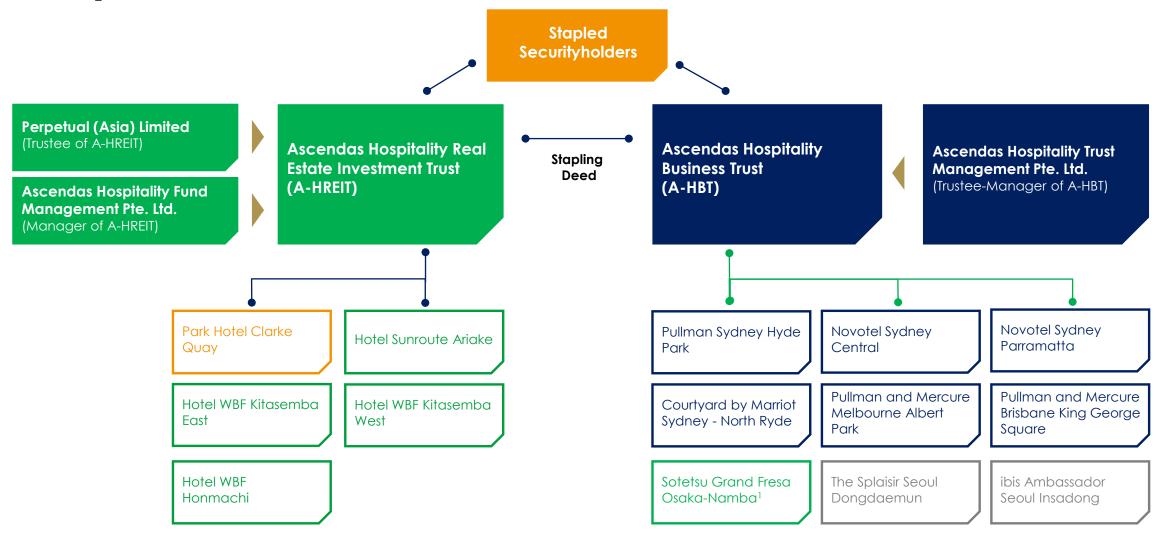


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Unique Structure



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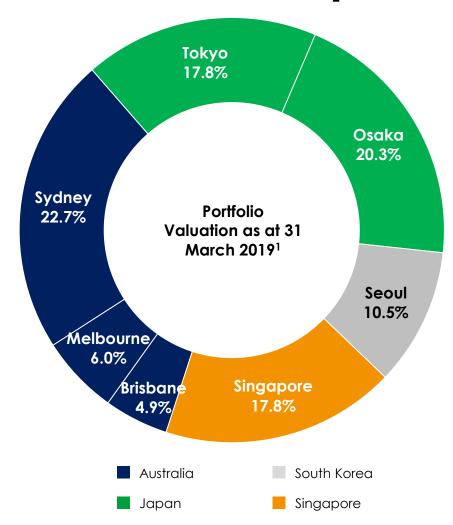
Strength in diversity



- The portfolio of A-HTRUST is diversified in various aspect:
 - ✓ Geography hotels across
 7 key cities help mitigate concentration risk
 - Income stream stable income from master leases and upside potential from hotels under management contracts
 - ✓ Rooms segment and operators different segments cater to different guest requirements



Well-diversified portfolio



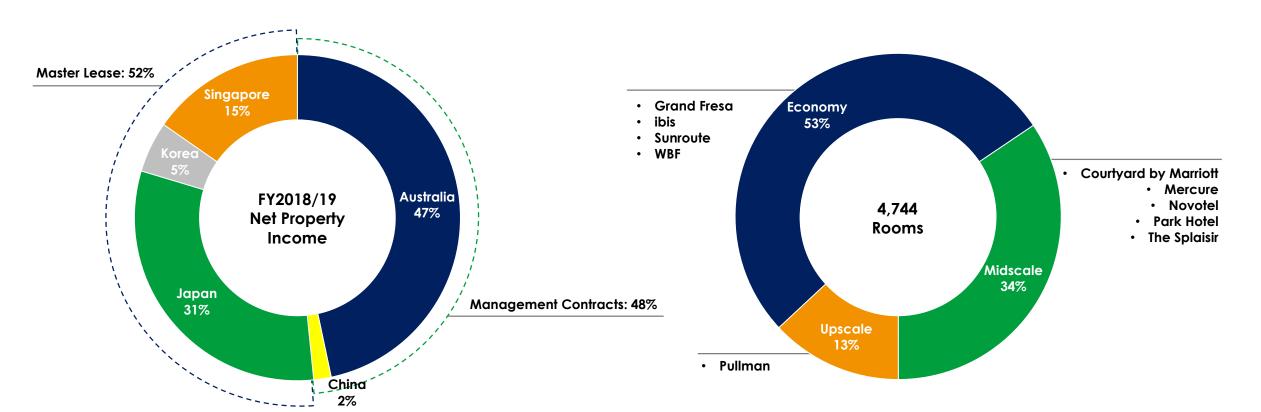
AUSTRALIA	33.6%
Pullman Sydney Hyde Park	8.6%
Novotel Sydney Central	8.8% 2.4% 2.9% 6.0%
Novotel Sydney Parramatta	
Courtyard by Marriott Sydney-North Ryde	
Pullman and Mercure Melbourne Albert Park	
Pullman and Mercure Brisbane King George Square	4.9%
JAPAN	38.1%
Hotel Sunroute Ariake	17.8%
Sotetsu Grand Fresa Osaka-Namba ²	13.2%
Hotel WBF Kitasemba East	2.4%
Hotel WBF Kitasemba West	2.4%
Hotel WBF Honmachi	2.4%
SOUTH KOREA	10.5%
The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun	5.1%
ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong	5.3%
SINGAPORE	17.8%
Park Hotel Clarke Quay	17.8%
Total	100.0%

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Well-diversified portfolio (cont'd)



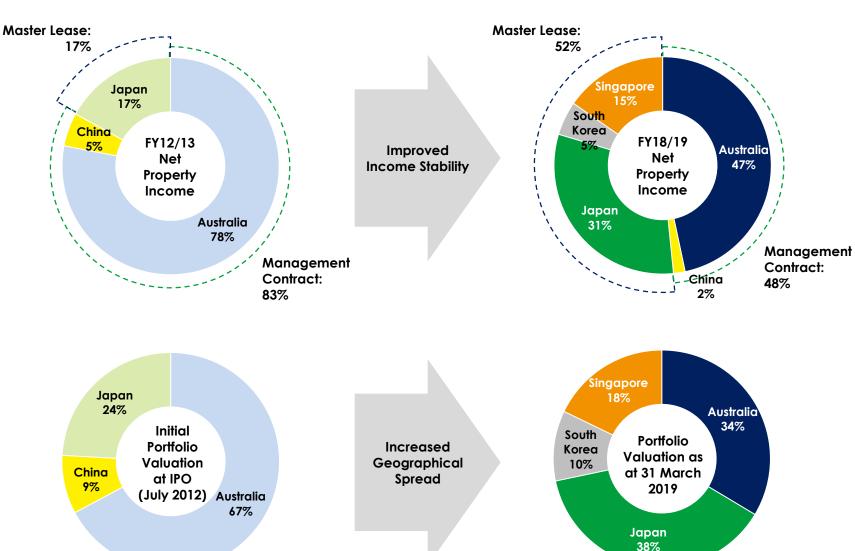
 Good mix of hotels under master leases and management contracts to provide stable income with upside potential.

 Caters to different guests requirement while tapping on the expertise of different hotel operators.



Rebalancing portfolio

- The portfolio of A-HTRUST has been actively rebalanced as part of its development since listing in July 2012:
 - Added income stability –
 Since the listing of AHTRUST in July 2012, the
 hotels acquired were all
 under master leases,
 which improved the
 income stability of the
 trust
 - ✓ Further geographical diversification With investments in new markets such as Osaka, Singapore and Seoul post-listing, the portfolio is presently well-diversified





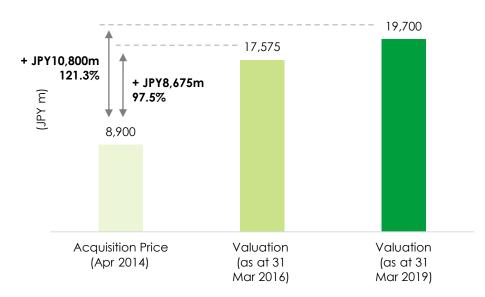


Value creation

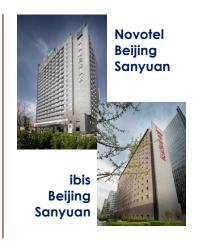
Sotetsu Grand Fresa Osaka-Namba¹

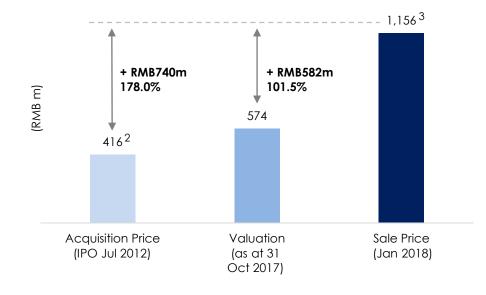


- The hotel underwent a threemonth JPY1,135 million makeover 2016.
- New 10-year master lease commenced on 1 January 2016 with improved rent structure, based on higher of (i) fixed rent; or (ii) percentage of gross revenue.



- On 18 May 2018, A-HTRUST divested the two Beijing hotels for RMB1,156.4 million.
- The net proceeds were substantially used for acquisitions and to pare down borrowings.





- . Formerly known as Hotel Sunroute Osaka Namba.
- 2. Based on the property component of the aggregate purchase price for the Beijing hotels.
- Excluding the look fee of RMB23.6 million.



Growing and enhancing the portfolio





Substantial value
realised
May 2018
Divested Novotel and ibis

Beijing Sanyuan



Seoul market May 2018 Acquired The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun

Entered into



Sep / Dec 2018

Acquired Hotel WBF Kitasemba East, Hotel
WBF Kitasemba West, Hotel WBF Honmachi



Added another hotel in Seoul Dec 2018
Acquired ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong

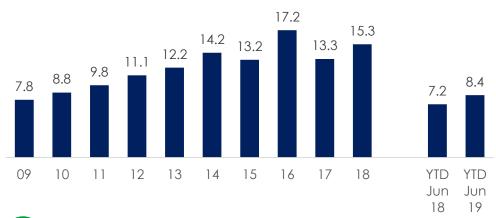
- 1) Entry into growth market, expanded presence in gateway city
- 2 Further diversification
- 3 Added income stability

- 4 Overall younger portfolio
- 5 >90% freehold properties



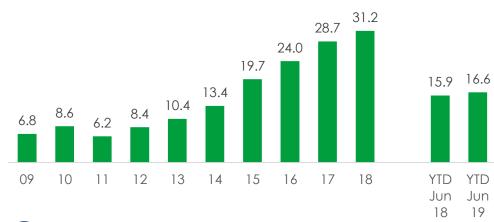
Expansion in gateway cities

Inbound arrivals into South Korea (millions)¹



- 1) Recovering hospitality market
- 2 Premier MICE city
- 3 Popularity of Korean Wave
- 4 Deep cultural heritage

Inbound arrivals into to Japan (millions)²



- 1 Summer Olympics 2020
- 2 Osaka to host World Expo 2025
- 3 New attraction at Universal Studios Japan
- 4 Potential integrated resorts

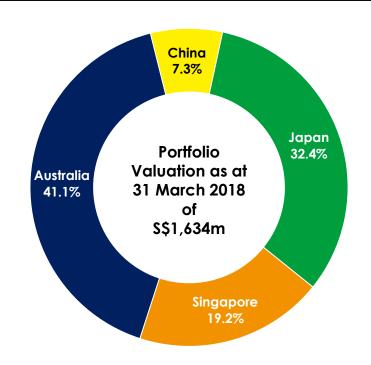
^{1.} Source: Korea Tourism Organization.

^{2.} Source: Japan National Tourism Organization.

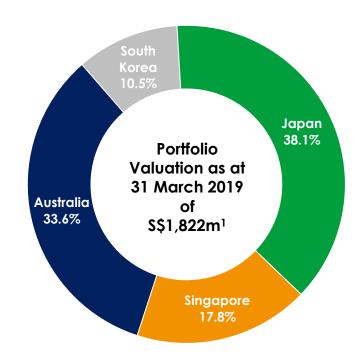


Further diversification

Valuation breakdown as at 31 March 2018



Valuation breakdown as at 31 March 2019

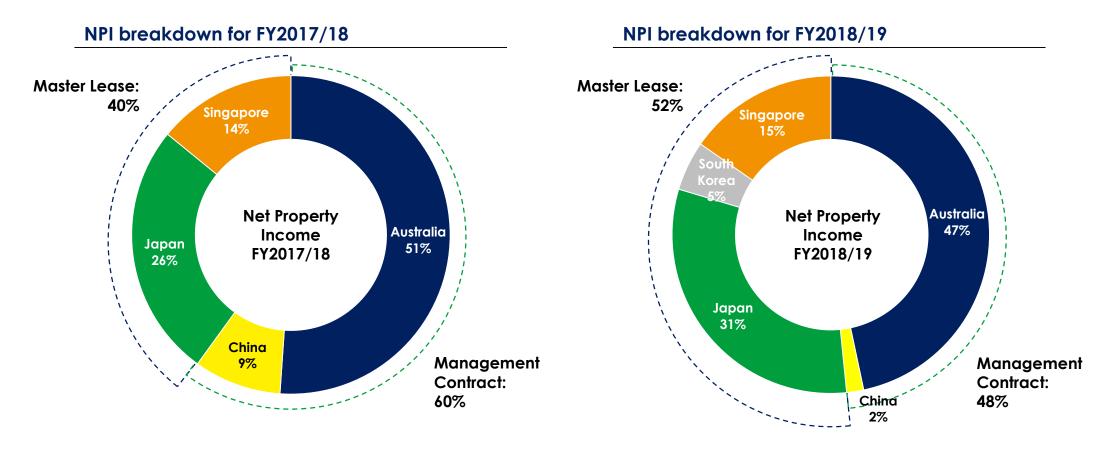


- The acquisitions are consistent with the objective of A-HTRUST to invest in a well-diversified portfolio.
- With a diversified nature of the portfolio, A-HTRUST is likely to be less affected by both the macroeconomic and microeconomic conditions of any single market.

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Added income stability



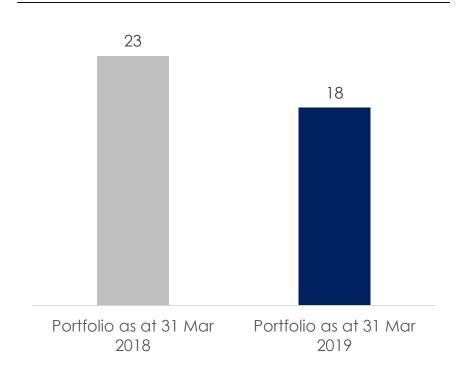
- The two hotels in Beijing which were divested were both on management contract arrangements.
- The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun, ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong and the three WBF-branded hotels are all on master leases, further improving the income stability of the portfolio.

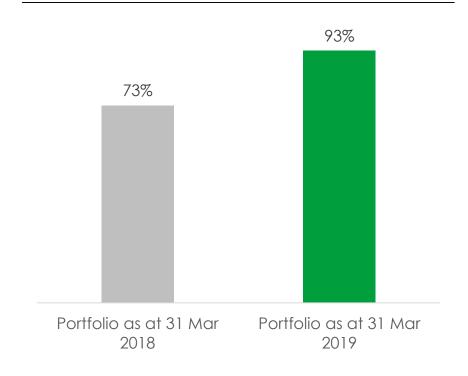


Younger portfolio with more freehold assets

Average Age of Portfolio (years)¹

Proportion of freehold properties (by number)





- The hotels in Beijing that were divested commenced operations in 2008, while the hotels acquired
 in FY2018/19 had an average age of less than 3 years as at 31 March 2019.
- The hotels acquired in FY2018/19 are all freehold properties compared to the hotels in Beijing where the lease of the land expires in 2044.

1. Based on year of build.



Mitigating currency and interest rate risks

1

Foreign currency hedging policy for distribution

Systematic hedging approach using currency forwards up to 15 months (5 quarters) in advance to smoothen volatility.

2

Foreign currency hedging policy for balance sheet

To protect the capital values of foreign assets against foreign currencies movements, borrowings are matched in the same currencies of these assets to achieve a natural hedge.

(3)

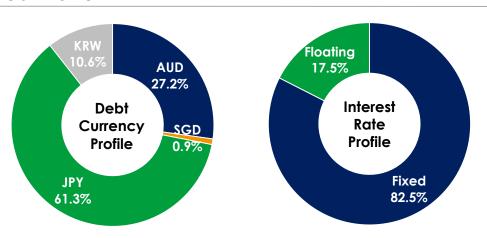
Interest rate hedging policy

More than 50% of borrowings are on fixed rate so as to mitigate interest rate volatility.



Prudent capital management

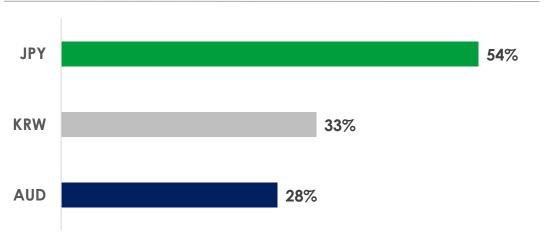
Debt Profile



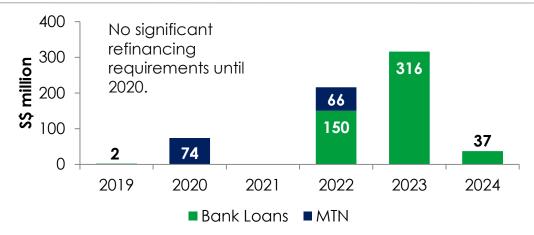
Healthy Balance Sheet

	As at 30 June 2019 ¹
Gearing	34.1%
Interest Cover	12.8 times
Average interest rate	1.9%
Weighted average debt to maturity	3.5 years
Net asset value per stapled security	S\$0.99

Balance Sheet Hedging



Debt Maturity Profile



1. On a combined basis for A-HTRUST (comprising A-HREIT and A-HBT).





Note

The information in this section shall be read in conjunction with the Joint Announcement dated 3 July 2019 on the Combination.

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Transaction Summary









Proxy Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific

Transaction Structure

Ascott Reit to acquire all A-HTRUST Stapled Units via a Trust Scheme (the "Trust Scheme")

Scheme Consideration

- \$\$1.0868 (1) per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit on an ex-distribution basis (the "Scheme Consideration")
- Scheme Consideration shall be satisfied by:
 - \$\$0.0543 (2) in cash per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit (the "Cash Consideration"); and
 - 0.7942 new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units (1)(3)(4) per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit (the "Consideration Units")

Key Highlights

- Scheme Consideration represents 7% premium to NAV per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit and 32% premium to 12M VWAP (5)
- A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders to benefit from 1.8% pro forma DPU accretion

Stronger Financial Position to Deliver Sustainable Growth

- Based on new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at \$\$1.30 per Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit
- 2. The aggregate Cash Consideration to be paid to each A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder shall be rounded to the nearest S\$0.01
- 3. The number of Consideration Units which each A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder will be entitled to pursuant to the Trust Scheme will be rounded down to the nearest whole number, and fractional entitlements shall be disregarded in the calculation of the aggregate Consideration Units to be issued to any A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder pursuant to the Trust Scheme
- 4. Prior to the issuance of new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units to the Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unitholders, Ascott Reit's Unitholders will receive distributions declared prior to the agreement and for the period between 1 January 2019 and the day prior to the Trust Scheme becoming effective
- 5. The last closing price refers to the closing price of the A-HTRUST Stapled Unit as at 2 July 2019. The VWAPs are with reference to the relevant periods up to and including 2 July 2019



Scheme Consideration

The Scheme Consideration of S\$1.0868 per Stapled Unit (1)(2)(3) will be satisfied entirely via:

\$\$0.0543



0.7942

in cash per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit

new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit (3)(4)



The Scheme Consideration is based on a gross exchange ratio of 0.836x (5)



A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders to continue receiving normal distributions until completion of the Combination

- 1. On an ex-distribution basis
- 2. Based on new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at \$\$1.30 per Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit
- 3. No fractions of a Consideration Unit will be issued and fractional entitlements shall be disregarded in the calculation of Consideration Units to be issued to any A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder pursuant to the Trust Scheme
- 4. Prior to the issuance of new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units to the Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unitholders, Ascott Reit's Unitholders will receive distributions declared prior to the agreement and for the period between 1 January 2019 and the day prior to the Trust Scheme becoming effective
- 5. Based on A-HTRUST's audited Net Asset Value ("NAV") per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit as at 31 March 2019 of \$\$1.02 divided by Ascott Reit's audited NAV per unit as at 31 December 2018 of \$\$1.22

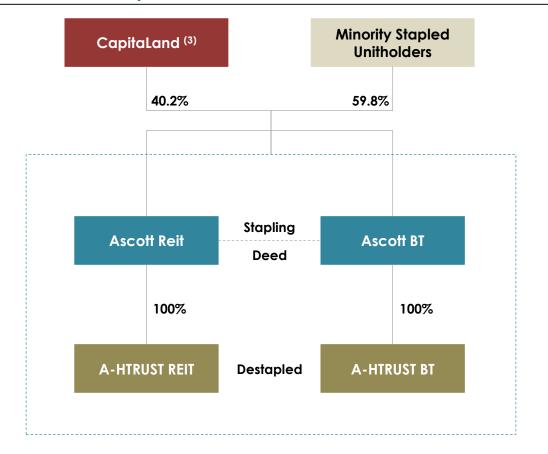


Transaction Structure

Steps

- Ascott Reit to establish a wholly-owned business trust ("Ascott BT")
- Ascott Reit to acquire all the A-HTRUST Stapled Units via a Trust Scheme
- Ascott Reit will be restructured and Ascott Reit units will be stapled with Ascott BT units (together, the "Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units")
- Upon the Trust Scheme being approved and becoming effective, A-HTRUST will be destapled and de-listed (1)

Combined Entity Structure (2)



- 1. Subject to regulatory approvals
- 2. Based on public information as at 2 July 2019 and including Consideration Units
- 3. Held through CapitaLand group of entities, namely Ascendas Land International Pte Ltd, The Ascott Limited, Somerset Capital Pte Ltd and the Ascott Reit Manager



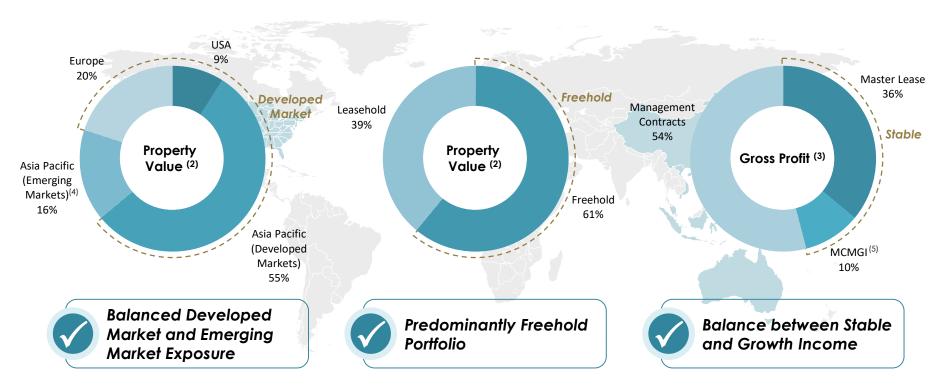
A-HTRUST to Become Part of the Largest Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific











- . Includes lyf one-north Singapore for Ascott Reit
- 2. Combined Entity's Property Value of \$\$6.7Bn based on A-HTRUST's and Ascott Reit's financials as at 31 March 2019 and 31 December 2018 respectively
- 3. Combined Entity's Gross Profit of S\$325MM based on A-HTRUST's and Ascott Reit's financials for the year ended 31 March 2019 and 31 December 2018 respectively
- Emerging markets include China, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Vietnam based on FTSE EPRA Nareit classification
- . MCMGI means Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income



Value Accretive to A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders

A-HTRUST Scheme Consideration: \$\$1.0868 (Stapled Unitholders to continue receiving normal distributions until completion of the Combination)





Attractive Premium to Historical Valuation

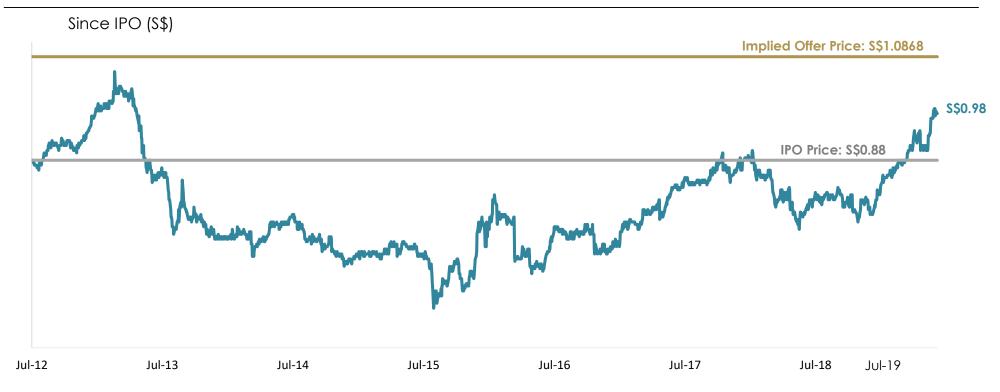
Source: Bloomberg

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Value Accretive to A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders

Historical A-HTRUST Stapled Unit Price



Source: Capital IQ as of 2 July 2019

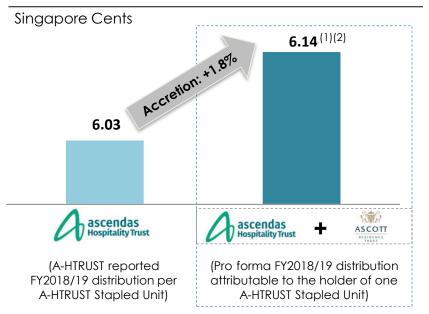


Scheme Consideration of \$\$1.0868 per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit at a Premium to All Time High Closing Price

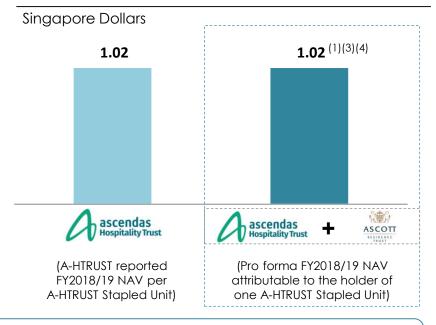


Value Accretive to A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders

Pro Forma Distribution Per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit



Pro Forma NAV Per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit





1.8% Accretion to Distribution per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit and NAV per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit Neutral

- 1. Calculations computed for illustrative purposes only not a forward looking projection. Key assumptions in preparing the pro forma financial effects include:
 - a) A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholders to receive in aggregate \$\$61.8MM cash and 902.8MM Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units
 - b)The pro forma financial effects are prepared based on A-HTRUST's audited financials for the year ended 31 March 2019 and Ascott Reit's audited financials for the year ended 31 December 2018
 - c)The Combined Entity to have payout ratio in line with Ascott Reit's historical payout ratio of 100%. The \$\$5.1MM of distributable income withheld for working capital by A-HTRUST for the year ended 31 March 2019 is assumed to be distributed on pro forma basis. The Combined Entity to fund such distribution from existing cash balances
 - d)The cash component and transaction expenses are funded through debt facilities
 - e) Ascott Reit elects to waive 50% of its acquisition fee with respect to the Combination
 - f) Pro forma distribution per unit calculated by multiplying Combined Entity's pro forma distribution per unit by the exchange ratio of 0.836 and assuming the Cash Consideration is reinvested in the Combined Entity at the issue price of \$\$1.30 per Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit
- 2. Assumes transaction was completed on 1 April 2018
- 3. Assumes transaction was completed on 31 March 2019
- 4. Assumes write-off of premium over NAV and excluding transaction costs. Including transaction costs, pro forma NAV per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit would have been \$\$1.01 implying a dilution of 0.7%



Benefits of the transaction



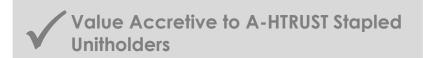
















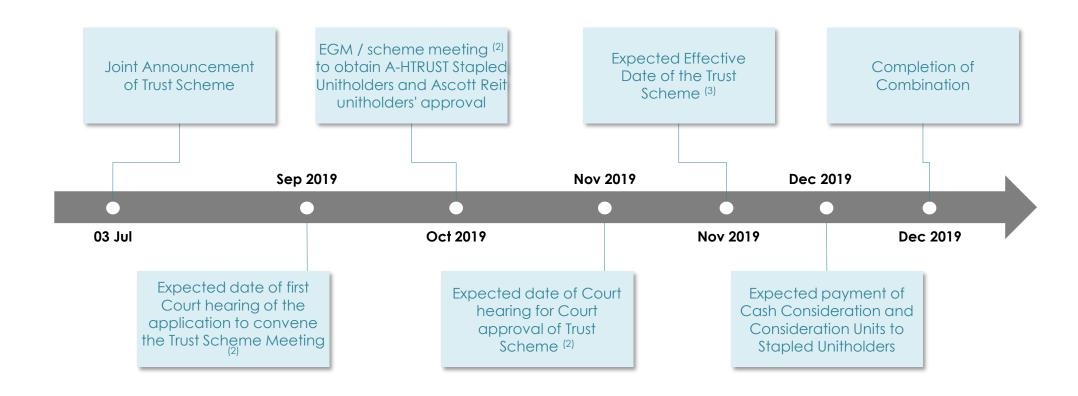




- 1. As at 31 March 2019
- 2. Includes lyf one-north Singapore for Ascott Reit
- 3. VWAP with reference to 12 months up to and including 2 July 2019



Indicative Combination Timeline (1)



- 1. The timeline above is indicative only and subject to change. Please refer to future SGXNET announcement(s) by the A-HTRUST Managers and / or the Ascott Reit Manager for the exact dates of these events
- 2. The dates of the Court hearings of the application to (a) convene the Trust Scheme Meeting and (b) approve the Trust Scheme will depend on the dates that are allocated by the Court
- 3. The Trust Scheme will become effective upon the lodgement of the Trust Scheme Court Order with the MAS or the notification to the MAS of the grant of the Trust Scheme Court Order, as the case may be, which shall be effected within 10 Business Days from the date the last Scheme Condition as set out in the joint announcement of the Combination dated 3 Jul 2019 has been satisfied or waived, as the case may be, in accordance with the terms of the Implementation Agreement





Results Summary – 1QFY2019

	1st Q	1 st Quarter			
S\$' million	FY2019 ¹	FY2018/19	Change ²		
Gross Revenue ³	46.5	44.9	3.5%		 Full quarter contribution from all five newly acquired hotels
Net Property Income ³	21.3	18.7	13.6%	•	Partially offset by lower contribution from Australia
NPI Margin (%)	45.7	41.6	4.1pp		portfolio which was impacted by weaker AUD against SGD
Income available for distribution	15.6	16.4	(5.1)%		weaker Aud against 300
- Operations	15.6	14.6	6.4%		
- Proceeds from Divestment	-	1.8	-		Excluding the partial distribution of
Income available for distribution net of retention ⁴	14.6	15.3	(4.8)%		proceeds from the sale of hotels in China of the corresponding quarter last year, DPS would increased by 6.7% y-o-y from 1.20 cents in 1Q FY2018/19
DPS (cents) ⁴	1.28	1.35	(5.2)%		
Adjusted DPS (cents)	1.28	1.205	6.7%		

^{1.} The current financial year end will be a 9-month period from 1 April 2019 to 31 December 2019 following the change of financial year end to 31 December.

^{2.} Save for DPS, percentage changes are based on figures rounded to nearest thousands.

^{3.} Gross revenue and net property income for the corresponding period last year excluded contribution from the China portfolio, which was divested on 18 May 2018. Including contribution from the China portfolio, gross revenue and NPI for 1Q FY2018/19 were \$\$48.2 million and \$\$20.2 million, respectively.

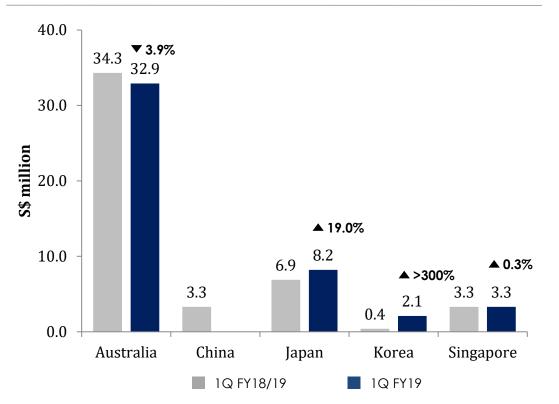
^{4.} Retention of distributable income for 1Q FY2019 and 1Q FY2018/19 was 6.7% and 7.0% respectively.

^{5.} Excluding the partial distribution of proceeds from the sale hotels in China.

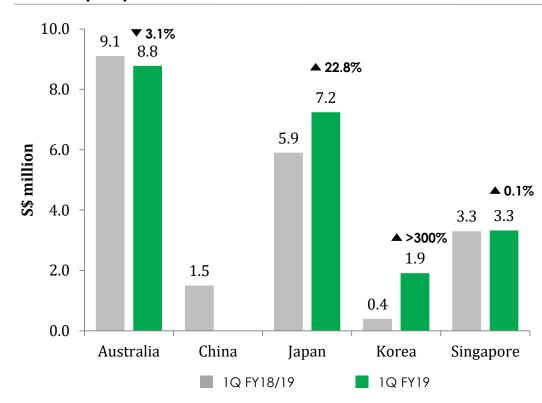


Performance by Country

Gross Revenue



Net Property Income



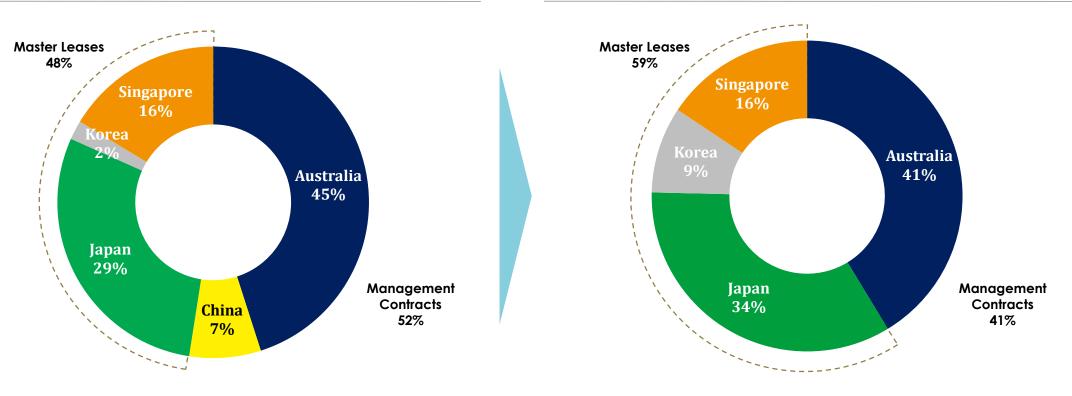
- Full-quarter contribution from all five hotels acquired in FY2018/19.
- Australia portfolio impacted by weaker AUD against SGD.



Added income stability

1Q FY2018/19 Net Property Income

1Q FY2019 Net Property Income



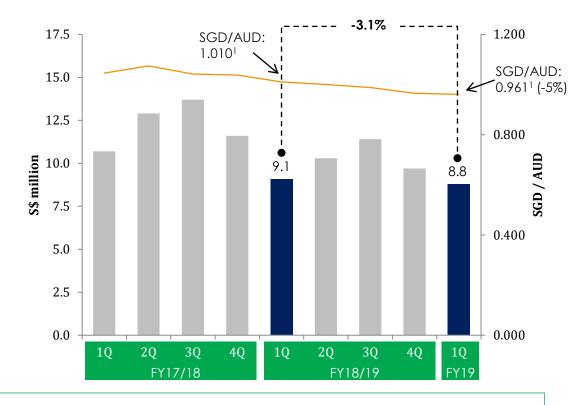
• The five hotels acquired in FY2018/19 are all under master leases and have contributed on a full-quarter basis in 1Q FY2019, resulting in added stability to the overall income of the trust.



Australia – Respite amidst headwinds

Net Property Income in AUD

+2.1% 15.0 10.0 **AUD** million 5.0 0.0 2Q 3Q 2Q 3Q 1Q FY17/18 FY18/19



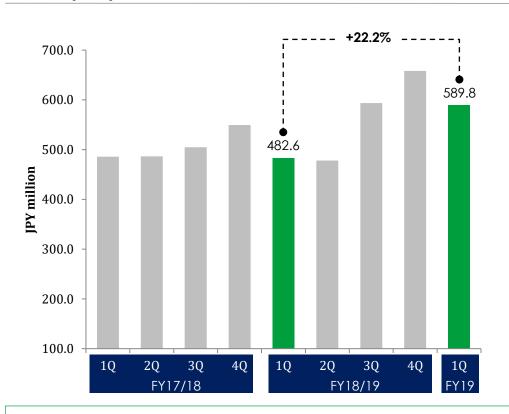
- Headwinds in Sydney and Melbourne markets resulted in RevPAR decline of 2.2% y-o-y. Despite the challenges, the performance of Pullman Sydney Hyde Park improved on the back of stronger conference and events business during the quarter.
- Hotel in Melbourne received refund of land tax surcharge to post higher NPI, while performance of Brisbane hotel improved driven by growth in both occupancy and average room rates.

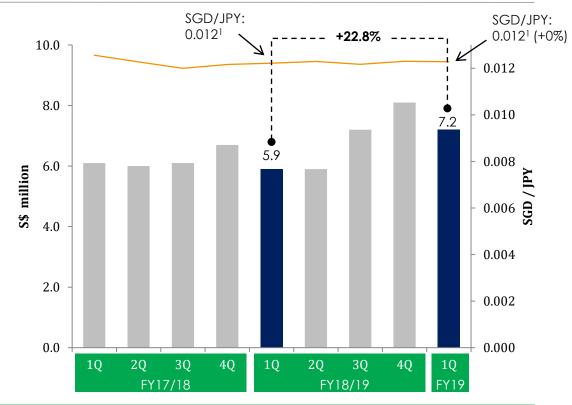
^{1.} Based on average rate used for the respective quarter.



Japan – Acquisitions drive growth

Net Property Income in JPY





- The contribution from Japan portfolio in 1Q FY2019 was boosted by full-quarter contribution from the three WBF-branded hotels acquired in FY2018/19, as NPI grew by 22.2% y-o-y in JPY term.
- During the quarter, Hotel Sunroute Osaka Namba was rebranded as Sotetsu Grand Fresa Osaka-Namba, with no change to the terms of master lease, as the operator seeks to market the hotel as a premium product.

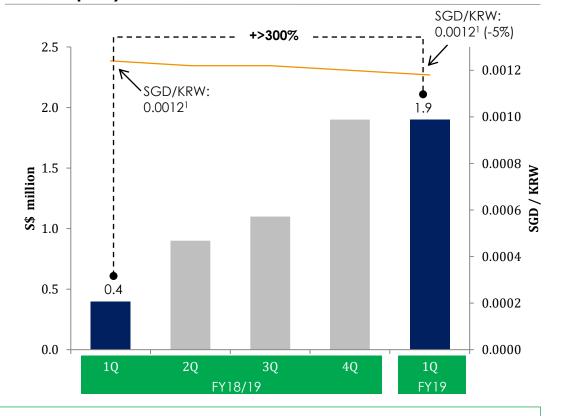
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South Korea – Added income stability

Net Property Income in KRW

+>300% 1,800.0 1,615.6 1,600.0 1,400.0 1,200.0 KRW million 1,000.0 800.0 600.0 336.8 400.0 200.0 0.0 2Q 3Q 1Q 1Q FY18/19

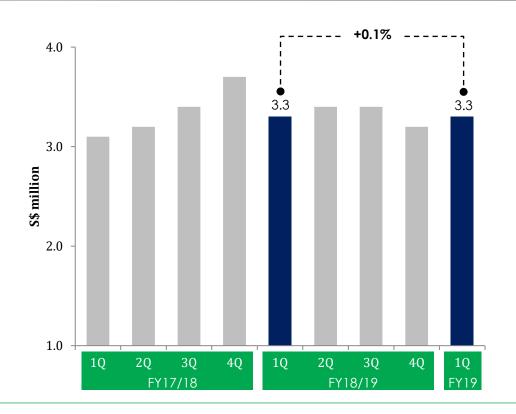


- Full-quarter contribution from both The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun and ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong resulted in the NPI from South Korea improving by more than 3 times compared to the same quarter last year.
- The underlying performance of both hotels improved as RevPAR of the two hotels increased by approximately 10% y-o-y on average.

^{1.} Based on average rate used for the respective quarter.



Singapore – Master lease mitigates downside



- The underlying performance of the hotel was affected by lower transient and corporate business during the quarter.
- However, this was mitigated by the master lease arrangement and the contribution from the Park Hotel Clarke Quay was relatively stable compared to the corresponding quarter last year.





Hotels under management contract



Pullman Sydney Hyde Park Sydney, Australia

241 rooms AUD 163.0 million¹ Freehold



Novotel Sydney Central Sydney, Australia

255 rooms AUD 168.0 million¹ Freehold



Novotel Sydney Parramatta Sydney, Australia

194 rooms AUD 45.5 million¹ Freehold



Courtyard by Marriott Sydney-North Ryde Sydney, Australia

196 rooms AUD 54.5 million¹ Freehold



Pullman & Mercure Melbourne Albert Park Melbourne, Australia

378 rooms AUD 114.0 million¹ Freehold



Pullman & Mercure Brisbane King George Square Brisbane, Australia

438 rooms AUD 93.0 million¹ Freehold



Hotels under master lease



Hotel Sunroute Ariake Tokyo, Japan

912 rooms JPY 26,700 million¹ Freehold



Sotetsu Grand Fresa Osaka-Namba² Osaka, Japan

698 rooms JPY 19,700 million¹ Freehold



Hotel WBF Kitasemba East

Osaka, Japan

168 rooms JPY 3,540 million¹ Freehold



Hotel WBF Kitasemba West Osaka, Japan

168 rooms JPY 3,550 million¹ Freehold



Hotel WBF Honmachi Osaka, Japan

182 rooms JPY 3,560 million¹ Freehold

. Valuation as at 31 March 2019.

2. Formerly known as Hotel Sunroute Osaka Namba.



Hotels under master lease



The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun Seoul, South Korea

215 rooms KRW 79,500 million^{1,2} Freehold



ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong Seoul, South Korea

363 rooms KRW 82,000 million 1,3 Freehold





Park Hotel Clarke Quay Singapore

336 rooms SGD 325.0 million¹ Leasehold expiring Nov 2105

Valuation as at 31 March 2019.















Thank you

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