FY2015

# F&N Full-Year FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



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# FY2015 Performance Highlights

Executing on our regional expansion strategy

### FY2015 earnings impacted by

- a) Marketing investments in (i) new product launches and (ii) new markets (\$13 million)
- b) Adverse foreign exchange effect
- c) Lost sales and higher operating costs due to floods in Malaysia in 1Q2015

## Dairies recorded double-digit earnings growth

 a) Supported by higher sales; boosted by lower input costs and improved manufacturing efficiency

# **GROUP FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

Revenue (millions)	Earnings before interest and tax ("EBIT") (millions)
\$2,103.8 • 0.5%	\$131.6 • 11.2% <sup>1</sup>
EBIT margin (%)	Gearing (millions)
6.3% ▼ 82bps¹	\$865 (net cash) ▲ \$647m
Earnings per share (basic) <sup>2,3</sup> (cents)	Dividend per share <sup>4</sup> (cents)
<b>4.4</b> ▼ 25.4%¹	5.0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Excludes a one-off valuation gain of \$21 million recorded last year

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Continuing Operations only

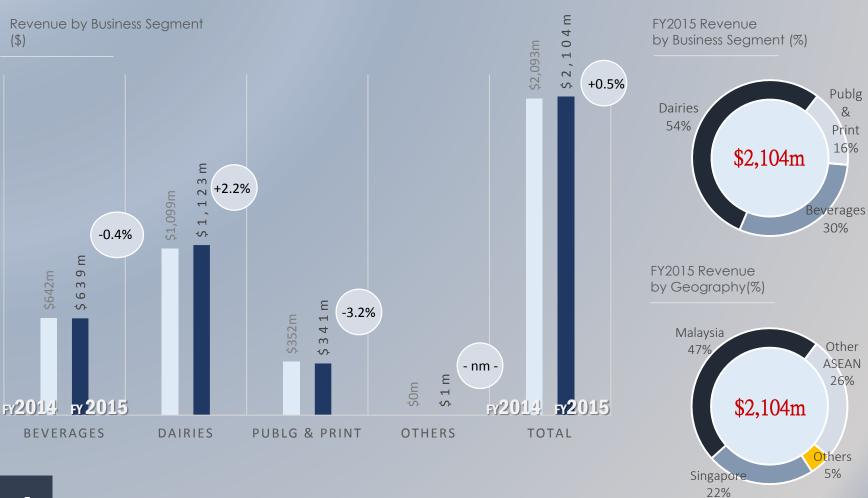
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Before fair value adjustment and exceptional items

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Includes an interim dividend of 2.0 cents per share, paid on 11 June 2015



#### **REVENUE GREW 1%**

Supported by volume growth in Dairies; revenue impacted by forex and lost sales from floods





## Revenue | Beverages

Revenue flat against last year; adversely affected by weaker Ringgit and lost sales from Malaysia floods

# Beverages: Soft Drinks (-%; +5% in constant currency)

#### - Malaysia

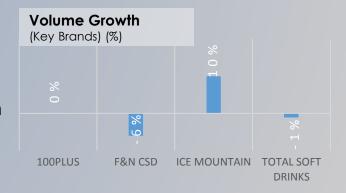
- Volume flat against last year, despite lost sales from floods
- Revenue impacted by weaker Ringgit and unfavourable sales mix
- Launched Coco Life, Ranger (to replace RedBull),
   Est
- Retained leadership positions in key categories

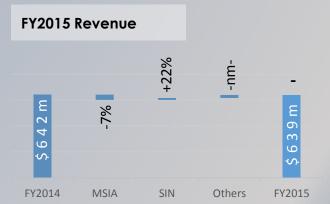
#### - Singapore

- Singapore revenue growth driven by 100PLUS and newly launched Oishi and Coco Life

#### Others

- Maiden contributions from Yoke Food Industries







# Revenue | Dairies

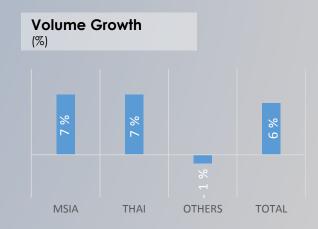
Revenue up 2%, supported by volume growth; weaker Ringgit impacted revenue

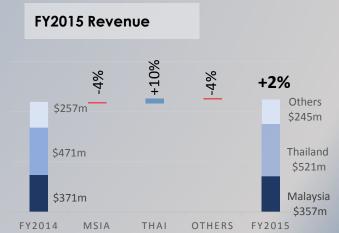
#### Dairies Malaysia (-4%; +2% in constant currency)

- Effective brand building and trade management activities contributed to continuing growth of F&N, F&N TEAPOT and GOLD COIN canned milk; volume grew 7%
- Weaker ringgit and higher trade discounts (in view of lower input costs) moderated growth in revenue

#### Dairies Thailand (+10%; +17% in constant currency)

- Increased outlet penetration and coverage, focused brand building initiatives, and effective promotional and trade management activities drove sales; volume rose 7%
- Higher consumer off-take, particularly of F&N TEAPOT and Carnation canned milk as the brands of choice for local consumers
- Expanded product offering with the introduction of function-based UHT milk

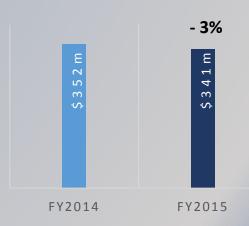






# Revenue | Publishing & Printing

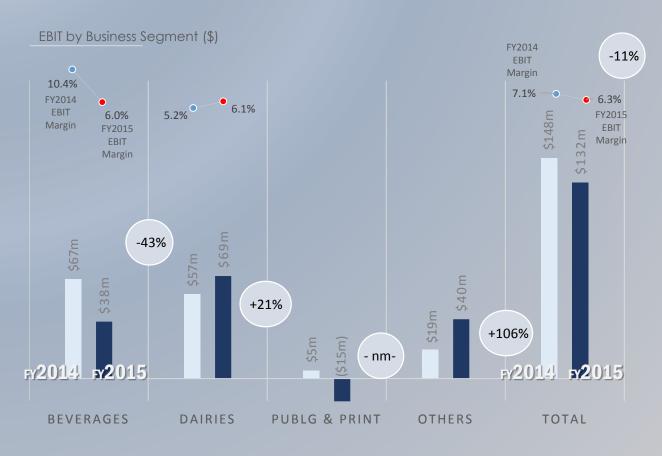
- Education Publishing continued to diversify and grow its customer base
  - Strong overseas sales from its key markets of the US and the UK
- Recovery in textbook sales in Singapore
- Improved sales in Books and Magazines Distribution, mainly in Singapore, Hong Kong and Australia
- Revenue gains offset by lower Print volume and weak printing prices due to intense competition

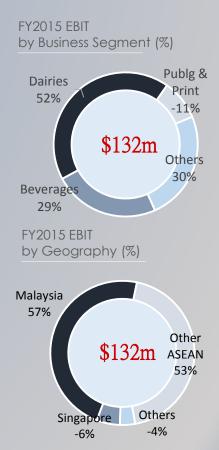




## EBIT AT \$132M (-11%1 Y-O-Y)

Profit growth impeded by high brand investment cost in new markets and weak foreign currencies, despite double-digit growth in Dairies





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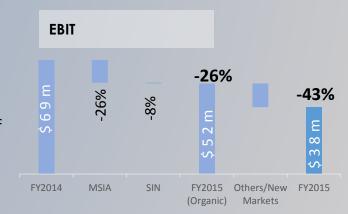


# EBIT | Beverages

Regionalisation plan on track; entered Vietnam, Myanmar, Thailand and Indonesia

# Beverages: Soft Drinks (-43%; -38% in constant currency)

- Aggressive regional expansion, increasing market penetration in SEA
  - Brand investment cost of \$13 million in new markets of Vietnam, Myanmar, Thailand and Indonesia
  - Excluding brand investment cost in new markets, Soft Drinks EBIT slid 26% (-22% in constant currency)

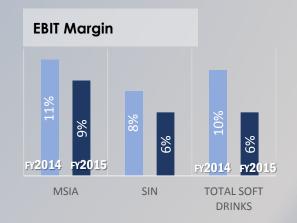


#### Malaysia

 EBIT fell 26% (-21% in constant currency), due mainly to weaker Ringgit, unfavourable sales mix, and higher logistics and storage costs as a result of floods in Malaysia in 1Q2015

#### Singapore

 EBIT fell 8% due to higher marketing spend on new launches of Oishi and Coco Life and the absence of one-off recorded in FY2014





# EBIT | Dairies

Earnings surged 21% (+31% in constant currency); Margin expanded on double-digit growth in Malaysia and Thailand

#### Dairies: Malaysia (+33%; +41% in constant currency)

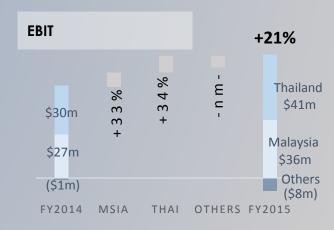
- Driven by lower input costs and continuous realised production cost savings
- Weaker Ringgit affected earnings
- EBIT margin improved to 10.1%, from 7.3%

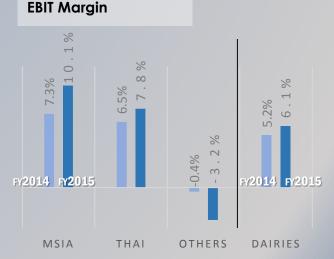
#### Dairies: Thailand (+34%; +42% in constant currency)

- Strong profit growth supported by higher sales, lower input costs and increased manufacturing utilisation and efficiency
- EBIT margin improved to 7.8%, from 6.5%

#### **Dairies: Others**

 Lower EBIT attributed to higher operating costs and higher marketing spend on new product launches, JWEL and F&N MEADOW GOLD ice cream

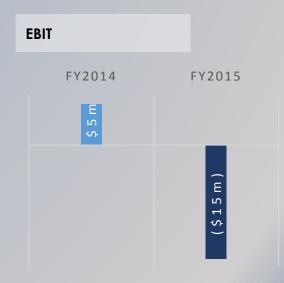






# EBIT | Publishing & Printing

- Education Publishing continued to perform strongly
  - Retained Singapore and Hong Kong volumes and growing our presence in the US and UK
- Publishing & Printing recorded a loss of \$15 million arising from lower print revenue, accelerated depreciation charges (due to rationalisation of printing segment), prudent increase in provision for bad debts and stock returns, and impairment charges on non-performing intangibles assets



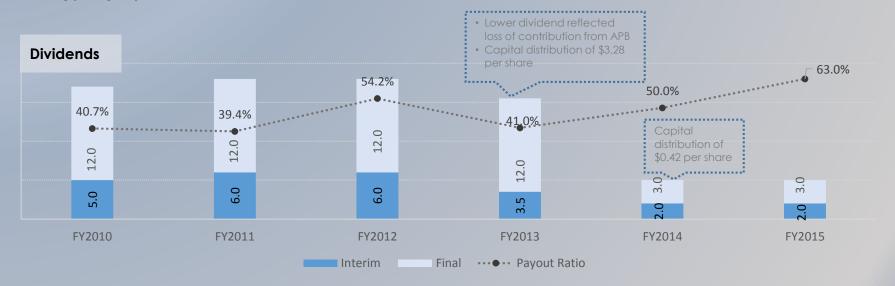


# Maintained a strong financial position

Focused on prudent balance sheet management

- Dividend of 5.0 cents per share<sup>3</sup>
- Dividend payout ratio of 63% (including FY2015 earnings from Myanmar Brewery Limited ("MBL")
- Dividend policy unchanged
- Proceeds from sale of MBL will be invested into new investments

Key Financial Ratios		
	FY2015	FY2014 <sup>1</sup>
Total Equity <sup>2</sup>	\$2,556m	\$2,002m
Total Assets	\$3,143m	\$2,679m
Net cash	\$865m	\$218m



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Restated upon the adoption of FRS 111

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes non-controlling interest

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Interim dividend was paid on 11 June 2015

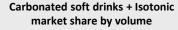


# KEY DEVELOPMENTS: Investing for Growth



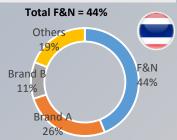
#### Retained Market Leadership Positions in Multiple Categories and Markets

Business	Key Brands		Region		Position (1)	
I P		ICE MOUNTAIN	Malaysia		No.1 beverage pla	yer
Soft Drinks	SEASONS Notri		Singapore	Singapore No.1 in isotonic segment; No. 2 beverage player		
(F&N)		Malaysia		No.1 canned milk		
Dairies	Pure.Natural.Trusted	Singapore	No.1 in pasteurised juice and canned milk; No. 2 in liquid milk			
	AR BRAS	(Fruit Tree)	Thailand		No.1 canned milk	
Carbonated soft drinks + Isotonic Isotonic market smarket share by volume volume				k market share by volume	Canned milk market share by volume	













#### Building New Growth Pillars In Primary Markets

THAILAND: UHT MILK



#### **F&N MAGNOLIA**

Ginkgo Plus Plain, White Malt & Chocolate 180ml MALAYSIA: UHT MILK



FARMHOUSE UHT milk
Fresh and Low Fat Milk

1L

MALAYSIA: 100PLUS Berry, OISHI, RANGER



#### 100PLUS Berry, OISHI, RANGER

- 1. 100PLUS: Berry
- 2. OISHI: Honey Lemon and Black Tea Lemon
- 3. RANGER, the new energy drink (replaced RedBull)

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#### Building New Growth Pillars In Primary Markets

SINGAPORE, MALAYSIA

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**SINGAPORE** 



COCO LIFE

100% Coconut Water



EST Cola 325ml, 500ml and 1.5L



F&N ICE MOUNTAIN
Sparkling Water
2 Flavours: Lemon and Grapefruit
375ml



## New Packaging

#### **SINGAPORE**



#### **100PLUS**

Limited Edition Packaging Official Isotonic Drink of the 28<sup>th</sup> SEA Games

#### **MALAYSIA**



#### **100PLUS**

New sleek cans 325ml

#### SINGAPORE and MALAYSIA



### F&N Sparkling Drinks

New sleek cans 325ml



# SINGAPORE, MALAYSIA, THAILAND: LONG-TERM CONTRACT WITH NESTLE SECURED

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#### YEARS CONTRACT WITH NESTLE

Rights to CARNATION, BEAR BRAND, BEAR BRAND GOLD, IDEAL and MILKMAID in Thailand, Singapore, Malaysia, Brunei, Cambodia and Laos

#### CARNATION IS THE NO.

1

#### CONDENSED MILK BRAND IN THE PREMIUM SEGMENT

Owns 66% of Thailand condensed milk market

#### BFAR BRAND IS THE NO.

1

# STERILISED MILK BRAND IN THAILAND

Unrivalled leadership



Rights to manufacture, promote, sell and distribute *Carnation* in Thailand, Laos and Cambodia; and *Carnation* evaporated creamer, *Ideal* evaporated milk, *Milkmaid* sweetened condensed milk and sweetened beverage creamer for Malaysia, Brunei and Singapore. The Group will continue to manufacture and distribute *Bear Brand* sterilised milk and *Bear Brand Gold* for Thailand and Laos



# MALAYSIA, THAILAND: INVESTING FOR FUTURE GROWTH

THB

**MILLION** 

300

NEW FILLING AND PACKAGING LINE IN ROJANA, THAILAND; OPERATIONAL BY END-2015

100

**MILLION** 

EXPANSION IN EAST MALAYSIA; NEW SOFT DRINKS PLANT, DOUBLING CAPACITY; OPERATIONAL BY 2021







# Overseas expansion

# THAILAND (SOFT DRINKS), VIETNAM, MYANMAR, INDONESIA: INVESTING FOR FUTURE GROWTH





100PLUS and F&N Fun Flavours

#### **Thailand**

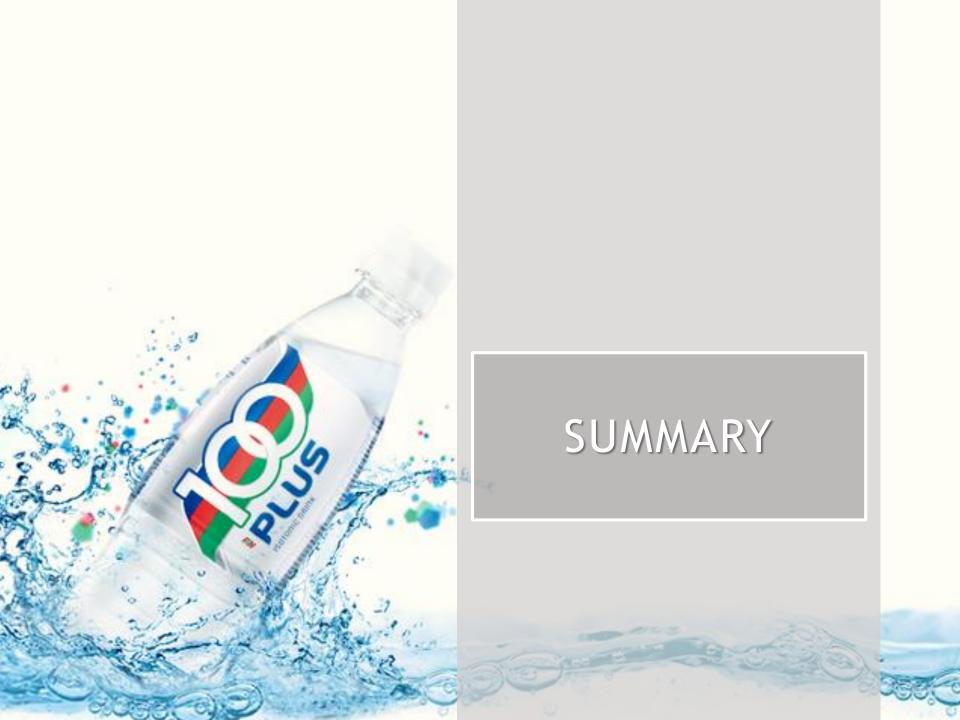
- Partnership with ThaiBev
- Launched 100PLUS as functional carbonated soft drinks
- Largest sampling in Thailand

## Vietnam, Myanmar

- Branch office in Myanmar and rep office in Vietnam
- Conduct market research, coordinate marketing and sales efforts and provide support to business units and local distributors

#### Indonesia

Through Yoke Foods existing distribution network





# Summary

- Maintained leading positions in key markets
- Focus on
  - Strengthening our portfolio: Marketing and product innovation, and M&A
  - Focusing resources on winning in priority categories, brands and markets
  - Building on/identifying strategic partnerships and extracting synergistic opportunities





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