

Ascott Residence Trust Annual General Meeting

21 April 2014





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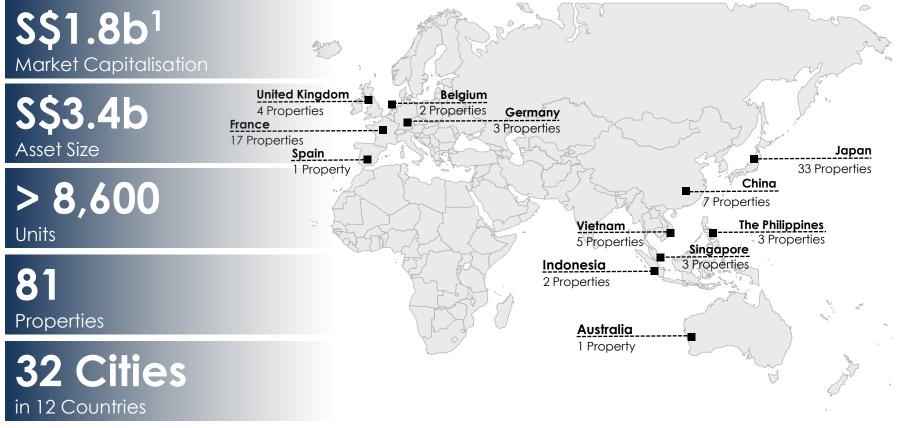


Uverview of Ascott Residence Trust



Leading serviced residence real estate investment trust globally

Ascott Residence Trust (Ascott REIT) is the premier serviced residence real estate investment trust with quality assets in key gateway cities. Its Sponsor, The Ascott Limited, is the largest serviced apartment owner-operator in the world.



Figures as at 31 December 2013. 1. Market Capitalisation as at 31 March 2014



Geographical Diversification



Ascott Reit's Share of Asset Values 31 December 2013

Asia-Pacific	: 61.5%
O Singapore	19.8%
🔵 China	1 5.4 %
O Japan	11. 9 %
O Vietnam	6.4%
• Philippines	4.4%
🔾 Indonesia	2.5%
O Australia	1.1%



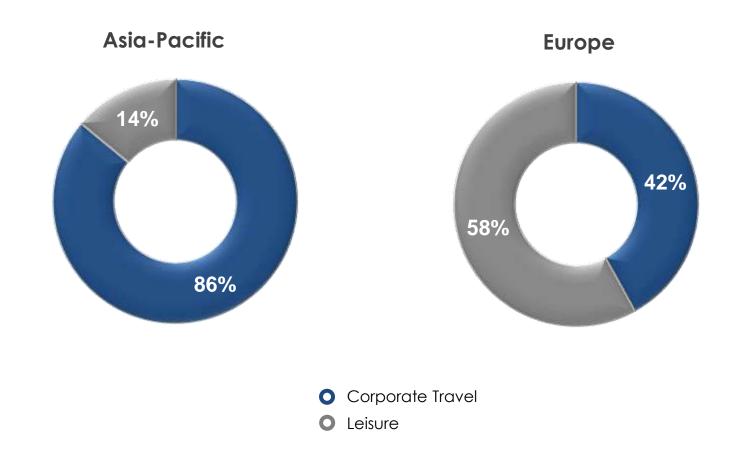
Portfolio diversified across economic cycles.



Diversified Market Segment



Apartment Rental Income by Market Segment¹ FY 2013



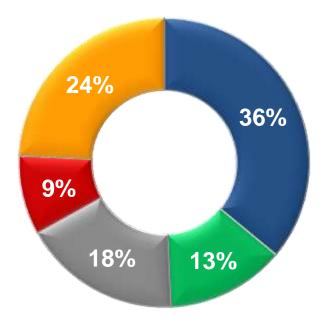
1. Properties on master leases not included.



Extended Length of Stay Profile



Apartment Rental Income by Length of Stay¹ FY 2013



• 1 week or less	36%
Less than 1 month	13%
• 1 to 6 months	1 8 %
• 6 to 12 months	9 %
O More than 12 months	24%

Average apartment rental income by length of stay is about 5 months.

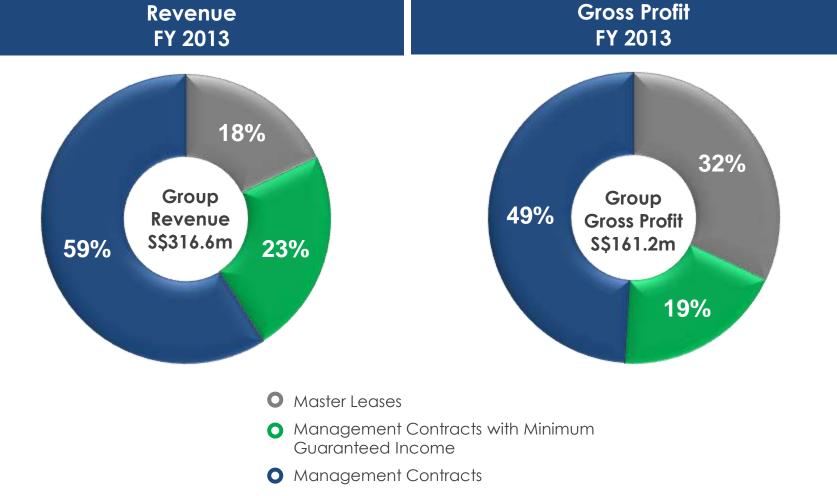
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Balance of Income Stability and Growth



Revenue and Gross Profit (by Category)

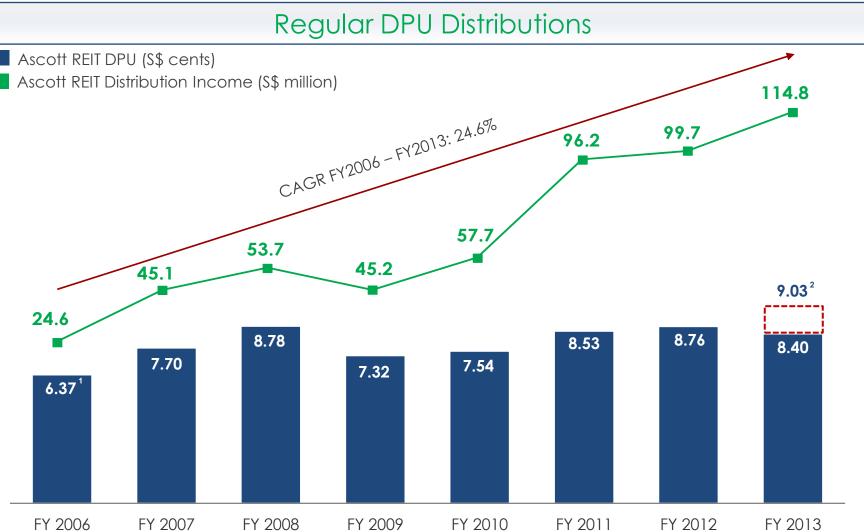








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¹ FY 2006 DPU annualised as Ascott REIT was established on 19 Jan 2006 but its acquisition of real properties was completed on 1 March 2006. Hence actual income recorded relates only to the 10 month period from 1 March 2006 to 31 Dec 2006.

 2 Excluding the effects from the rights issue, DPU for FY 2013 would be 9.03 cents.





Distribution	1 January 2013 to 5 February 2013	6 February to 30 June 2013	1 July 2013 to 31 December 2013
Distribution rate	0.617 cents per unit	4.081 cents per unit	3.698 cents per unit
Payment date	5 April 2013	28 August 2013	27 February 2014

Continued to pay out 100% of distributable income.



Key Highlights for FY 2013

Somerset Liang Court Singapore





Financial Performance

- Unitholders' Distribution ↑ 15% to S\$114.8m
- Distribution Per Unit (DPU) ↓ 4% to 8.40 cents. Excluding the effects from the Rights Issue, DPU would have been 9.03 cents.
- Gearing level at 34.0% improved from 40.1%.

Portfolio Management (Yield Accretive Acquisitions and Divestment)

- Acquired assets worth S\$287.4m which includes:
 - Somerset Heping Shenyang (S\$86.2m)
 - Citadines Biyun Shanghai (S\$63.2m)
 - Citadines Xinghai Suzhou (S\$23.2m)
 - 11 Rental Housing Properties in Japan (S\$114.8m)
- Commenced strata sale of Somerset Grand Fortune Garden Property Beijing







Portfolio Management (Asset Enhancement Initiatives)

 S\$32.0m spent to refurbish properties in Asia Pacific and Europe with expected ROI of 20-25%.

Capital Management

- Raised **\$\$150.0m** in an equity placement in February 2013
- Raised \$\$253.7m in a Rights Issue in December 2013 to enhance financial flexibility to pursue potential acquisitions.
 - Announced the proposed acquisition of a 195-unit serviced residence in Dalian, China on 20 February 2014, at agreed property value of RMB571.0 million (approximately \$\$118.6 million¹)
 - Acquired a 389-unit rental housing property in Fukuoka, Japan on 20 March 2014, at agreed property value of JPY6.3 billion (approximately \$\$78.4 million²)



^{2.} Based on exchange rate of JPY1.00 = S\$0.01244.

Results Highlights

Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

FY 2013 vs FY 2012 Performance Highlights



	FY 2013	FY 2012	% Change
Revenue (S\$'m)	316.6	303.8	4% 🕇
Gross Profit (S\$'m)	161.2	159.1	1% 🕇
Unitholders' Distribution (S\$'m)	114.8	99.7	15% 🕇
Distribution Per Unit (S cents)	8.40	8.76	-4% 🖊
Distribution Per Unit (S cents) - excluding the effects of the Rights Issue	9.03	8.76	3% 🕇
Revenue Per Available Unit (S\$/day) – serviced residences	132	145	-9% 🖊

- Revenue increased mainly due to additional contribution of \$\$34.5 million from the properties acquired in FY 2012¹ and in FY 2013², partially offset by decrease in revenue of \$\$16.0 million from the divestment of properties³ in FY 2012 and lower revenue of \$\$5.7 million from the existing properties.
- RevPAU decreased mainly due to the divestment of Somerset Grand Cairnhill Singapore which had a relatively higher ADR, the three newly acquired properties in China⁴ which had a lower ADR and weaker performance from Philippines and Japan (arising from depreciation of JPY against SGD).

- 3. Somerset Gordon Heights Melbourne and Somerset Grand Cairnhill Singapore.
- 4. Somerset Heping Shenyang, Citadines Biyun Shanghai and Citadines Xinghai Suzhou.



^{1.} Citadines Karasuma-Gojo Kyoto, Ascott Raffles Place Singapore, Ascott Guangzhou and Madison Hamburg.

^{2.} Somerset Heping Shenyang, Citadines Biyun Shanghai, Citadines Xinghai Suzhou and a portfolio of 11 rental housing properties in Japan.

Portfolio Performance

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de Citadines Suites Louvre Paris





32% of Group's gross profit for FY 2013 is contributed by Master Leases









Suites

Louvre Paris



Prestige Les

Halles Paris



Croisette

Cannes



Arnulfpark

Munich





Madison Hamburg Rat Siu

Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

Revenue ('mil)



	FY 2013	FY 2012		FY 2013	FY 2012	
France (EUR) 17 Properties	23.1	22.3		21.2	20.7	
Germany (EUR) 3 Properties ¹	5.6	2.4		5.1	2.4	
Philippines (PHP) Salcedo Residences ²	-	16.2	-	-	13.2	_
Singapore (SGD) Ascott Raffles Place Singapore ³	9.0	2.3		7.3	1.9	
Japan (JPY) 5 Properties ⁴	110.0	-		77.9	-	

Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to the full year contribution from Madison Hamburg¹, Ascott Raffles Place Singapore³ and the newly acquired rental housing properties in Japan⁴.

1. Madison Hamburg was acquired in November 2012.

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3. Ascott Raffles Place Singapore was acquired in September 2012.

4. Five rental housing properties were acquired in June 2013.

^{2.} Somerset Salcedo Property Makati was converted from master lease to management contract, and renamed to Salcedo Residences in July 2012.

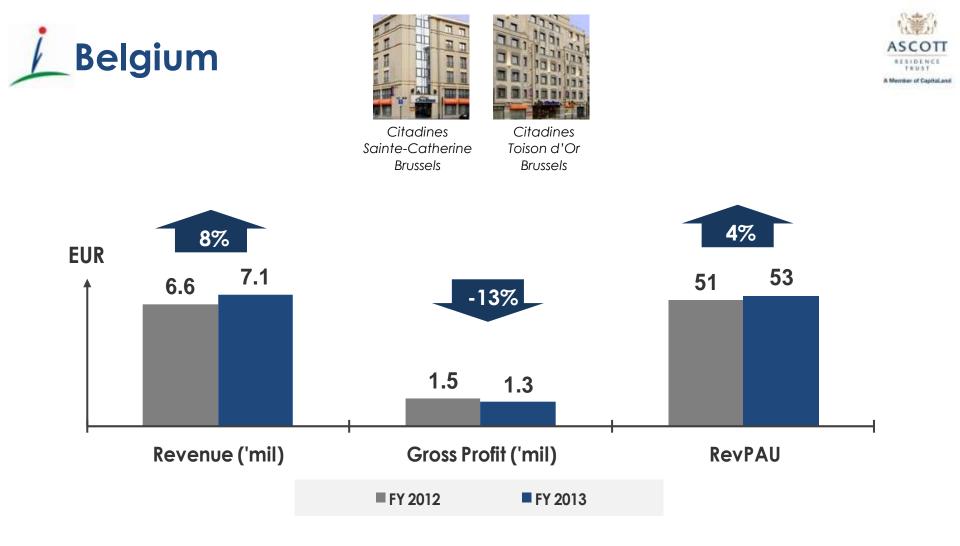
Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income



19% of Group's gross profit for FY 2013 is contributed by Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income







Revenue and RevPAU increased mainly due to higher rental rates from the refurbished apartments at Citadines Sainte-Catherine Brussels and a top-up by the property manager for Citadines Toison d'Or Brussels of EUR 0.3 million. Gross profit decreased mainly due to higher depreciation, staff cost and marketing expense.







Citadines Prestige Ramblas Barcelona

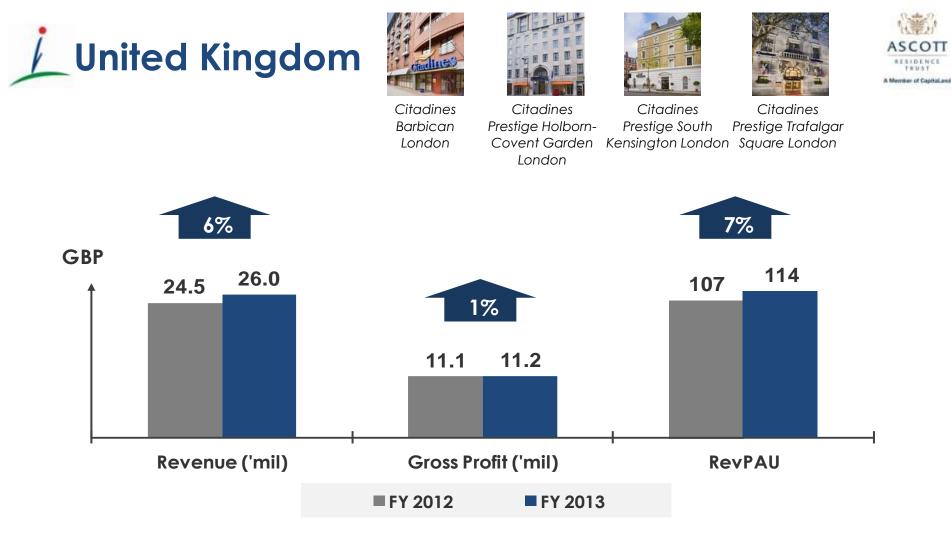


Revenue, gross profit and RevPAU decreased due to the refurbishment of the property, which was completed in 1Q 2014.



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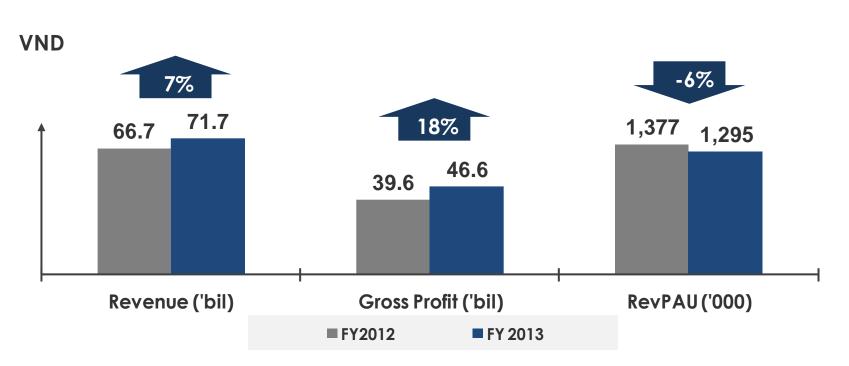
Revenue and RevPAU increased mainly due to strong performance from the rebranded Citadines Prestige Trafalgar Square London. Gross profit increased due to higher revenue, partially offset by higher incentive fees and depreciation.







Somerset West Lake Hanoi



Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to higher yield protection amount.

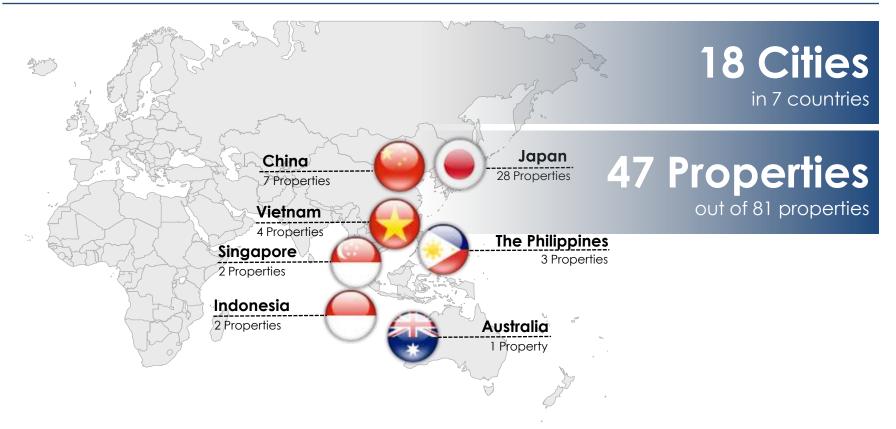


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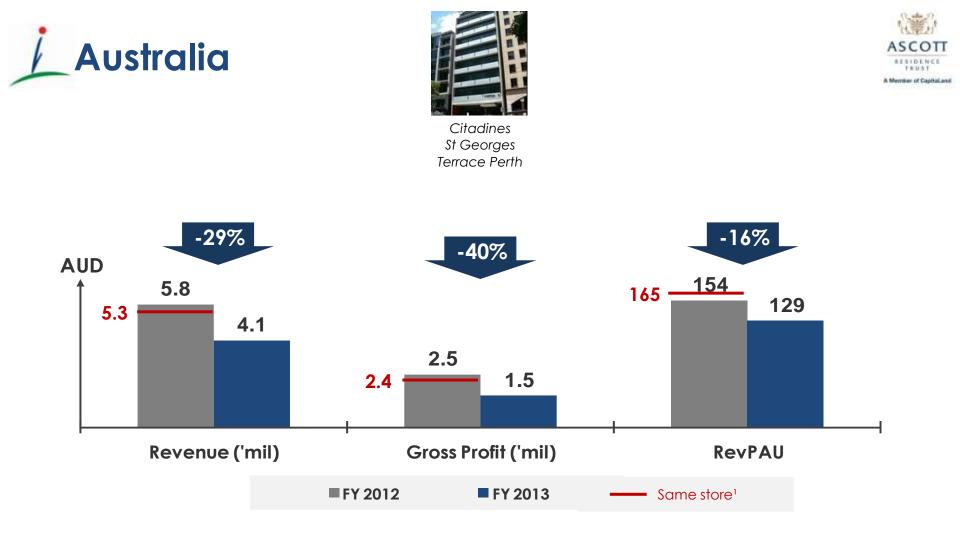
Management Contracts



49% of Group's gross profit for FY 2013 is contributed by Management Contracts







Revenue and gross profit decreased due to the divestment of Somerset Gordon Heights Melbourne in April 2012 and refurbishment of Citadines St Georges Terrace, which was completed in 1Q 2014.

1. Excludes Somerset Gordon Heights Melbourne (divested in April 2012).







Citadines

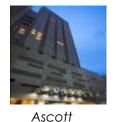
Xinghai Suzhou



Somerset Olympic

Tower Property

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Guangzhou



Somerset

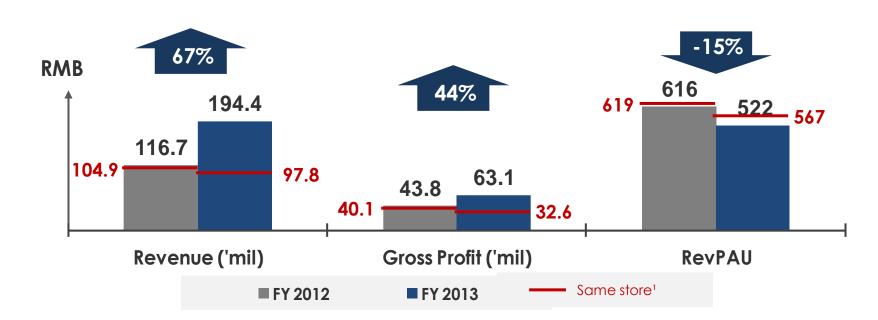
Heping Shenyang



Biyun Shanahai



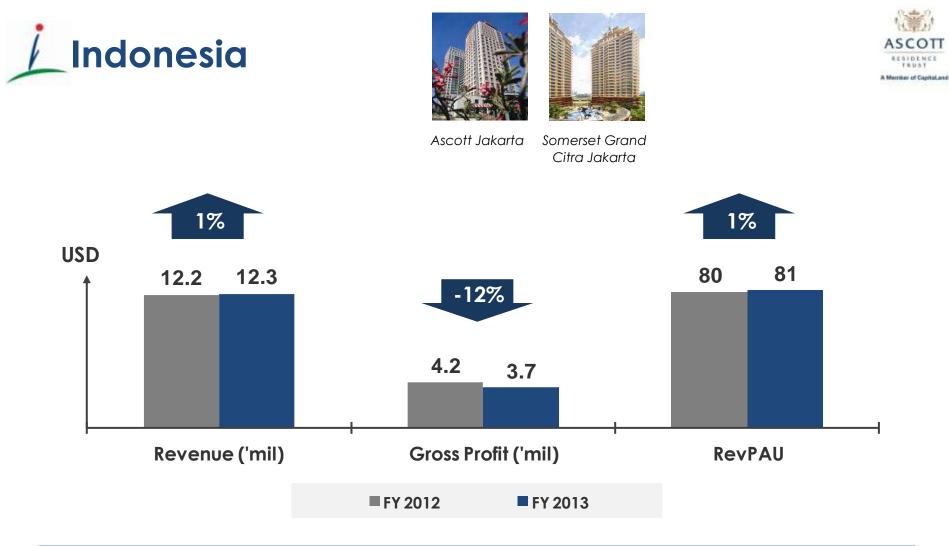
Somerset Xu Hui Shanghai



Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to contribution from the properties acquired in FY 2012 and FY 2013. RevPAU decreased mainly due to the properties acquired in FY 2013, which had a lower ADR. Excluding the contribution from the acquisitions, both revenue and gross profit decreased mainly due to the refurbishment of Somerset Xu Hui Shanghai and ongoing strata sale of units at Somerset Grand Fortune Garden Property Beijing.

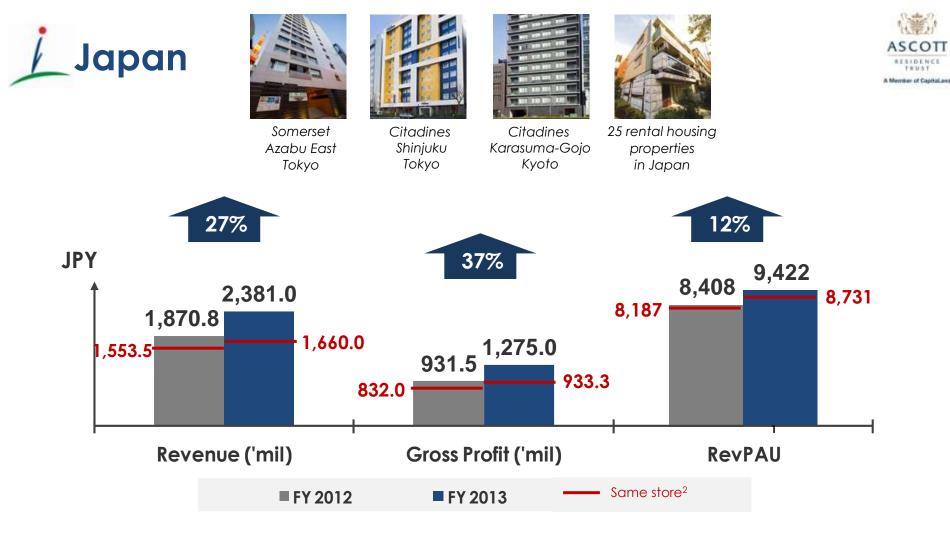
1. Excludes Ascott Guangzhou (acquired in September 2012), Somerset Heping Shenyang, Citadines Biyun Shanghai and Citadines Xinghai Suzhou (acquired in June 2013).





Revenue and RevPAU increased due to better performance at Somerset Grand Citra Jakarta boosted by the opening of a new shopping mall. Gross profit decreased mainly due to one-off provision for post employment benefits and higher admin and general expenses.

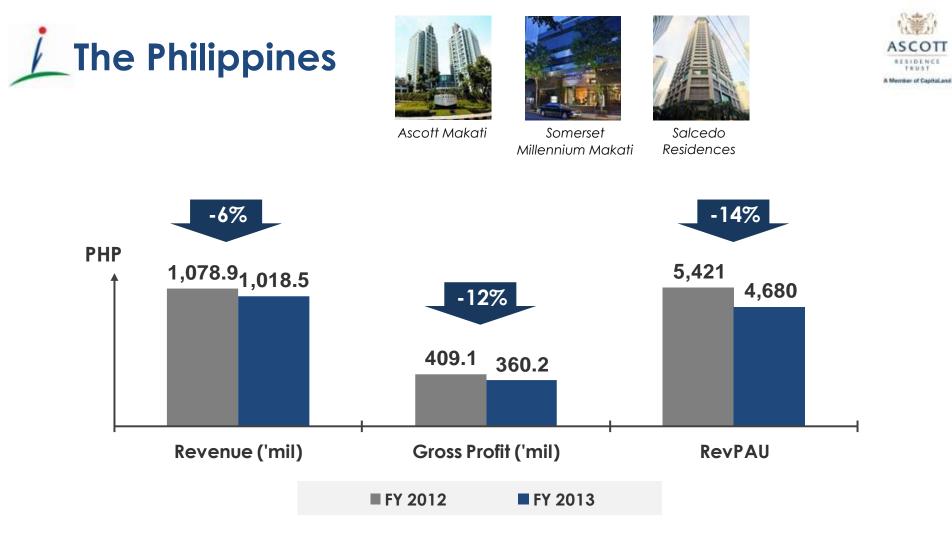




Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to the contribution from the six rental housing properties acquired in FY 2013. Excluding the contribution from the acquisitions, revenue and gross profit increased due to stronger demand from the corporate and leisure sectors.

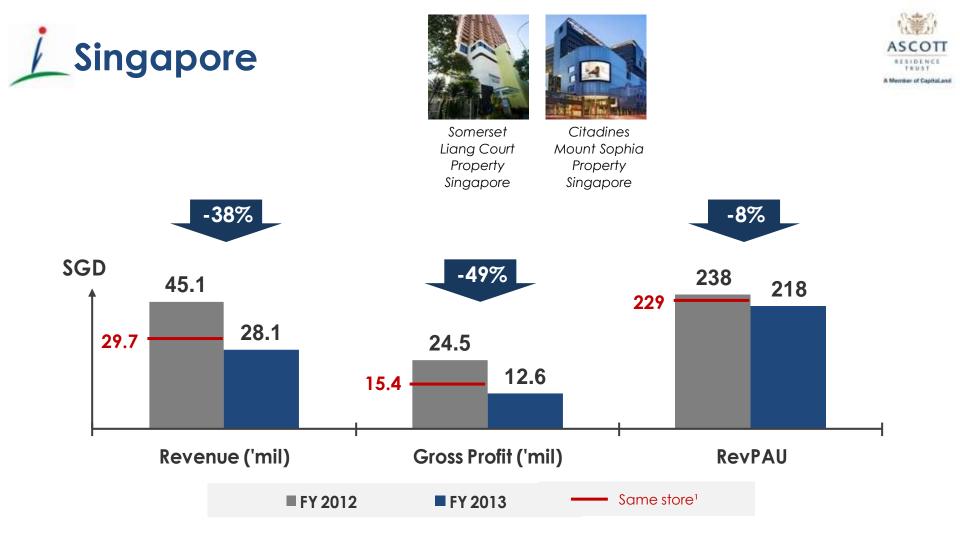
1. RevPAU for serviced residence properties only.

2. Excludes Citadines Karasuma-Gojo Kyoto (acquired in March 2012) and six rental housing properties (acquired in June 2013).



Revenue and gross profit decreased due to weaker demand from project groups and the refurbishment of Ascott Makati, which was completed in 4Q 2013.





Revenue and gross profit decreased due to the divestment of Somerset Grand Cairnhill Singapore in September 2012, disruption from the construction of MRT tunnel for the new downtown line near Somerset Liang Court Property Singapore, and weaker demand from project groups.

1. Excludes Somerset Grand Cairnhill Singapore (divested in September 2012).







Grand Hanoi Hoa Binh Hanoi



Chancellor

Court Ho Chi Minh City









	-4%		-3%
VNI 1	625.7 <u>603.7</u>	-4%	1,625 1,581
		351.5 338.2	
F	Revenue ('bil)	Gross Profit ('bil)	RevPAU ('000)
		FY 2012 FY 2013	

Revenue and gross profit decreased due to weaker market demand and lower office rental income.



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Capital and Risk Management

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Lealthy Balance Sheet and Credit Metrics



Key Financial Indicators

	As at 31 Dec 2013	As at 31 Dec 2012	
Gearing	34.0%	40 .1%	Improve
Interest Cover	4.0X	3.9X	Improve
Effective Borrowing Rate	3.2%	3.3%	Improve
Weighted Avg Debt to Maturity (Years)	4.2	3.0	Improve
NAV/Unit	S\$1.37	S\$1.35	Improve
Ascott Reit's Issuer Rating	Baa3	Baa3	Stable

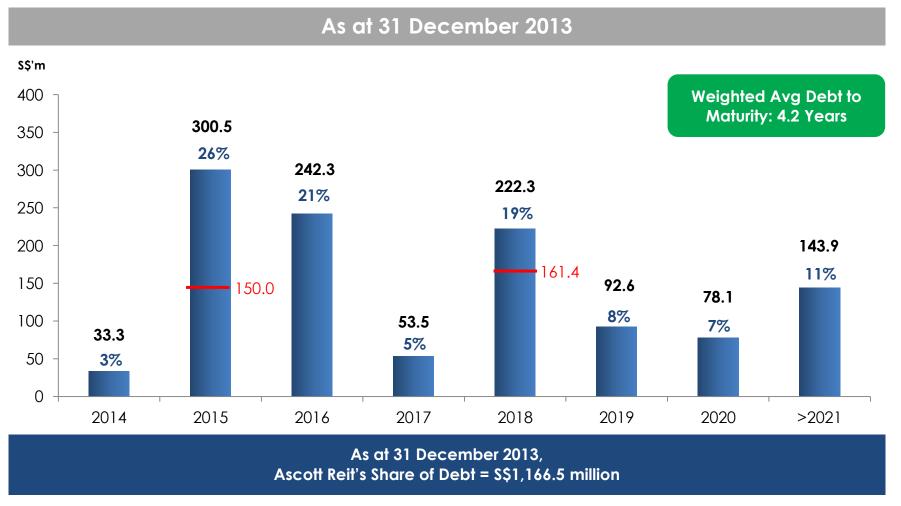






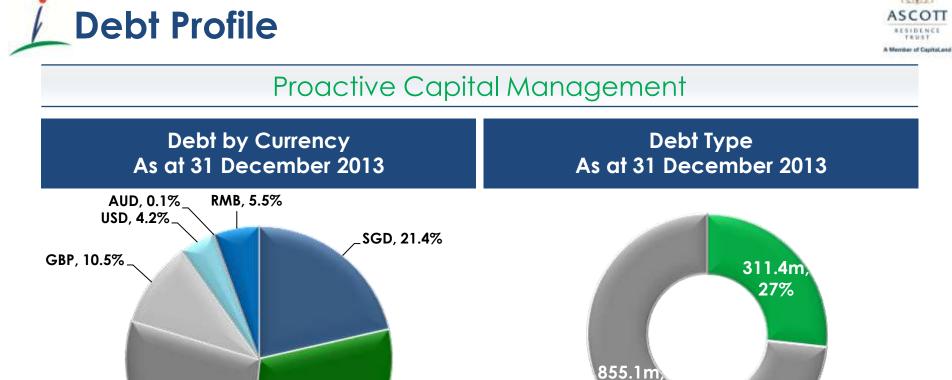
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Proactive Capital Management



• As at 31 December 2013, S\$311.4m medium term note arising from the S\$1.0 billion Medium Term Note Programme has been issued.

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EUR, 30.2%

73%

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Bank Loans (S\$)

Medium Term Note (S\$)

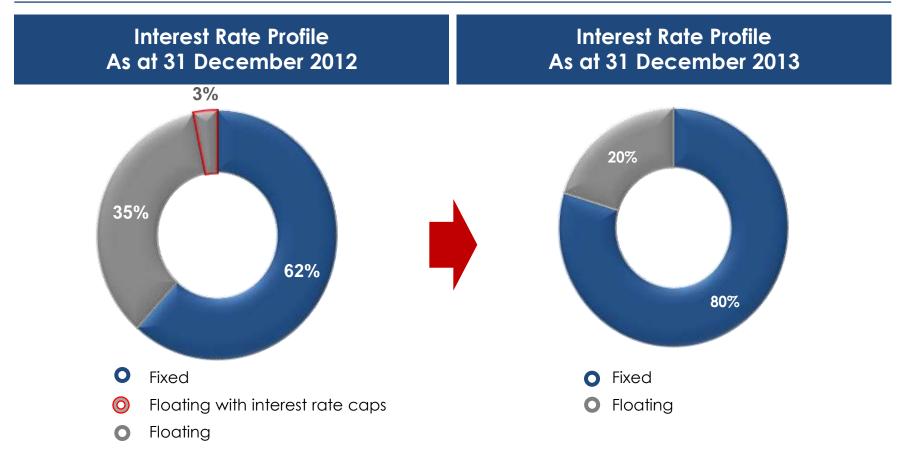


JPY, 28.1% 」





Proactive Capital Management



As at 31 December 2013, 80% of the Group's borrowings are on fixed rates.



Foreign Exchange Profile



Ascott Reit's Share of Gross Profit YTD Dec 2013			Exchange Rate Movement from Dec 2012 to Dec 2013			
Asia-Pacific 53%		Europe	47%	Currency	Share of Gross Profit	Exchange Rate Movement
Singapore	13%	France	23%	SGD	13%	-
Victor	11%		1 4 %	EUR	33%	4.6%
Vietnam	11/0	UK	14%	GBP	14%	-0.2%
Japan	10%	Germany	6%	VND	11%	1.7%
China	8%	Spain	2%	JPY	10%	-12.6%
	3~	Deleviuse	007	RMB	8%	3.8%
Philippines	7%	Belgium	2%	PHP	7%	-1.2%
Indonesia	3%			USD	3%	2.4%
Australia	1%			AUD	1%	-4.9%
				Total	100%	0.8%

We have entered into foreign currency forward contracts to hedge ~70% of our FY 2014 distribution income derived in EUR, GBP and JPY.



Thank You

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