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## Overview

#### Frasers Centrepoint Trust (FCT)

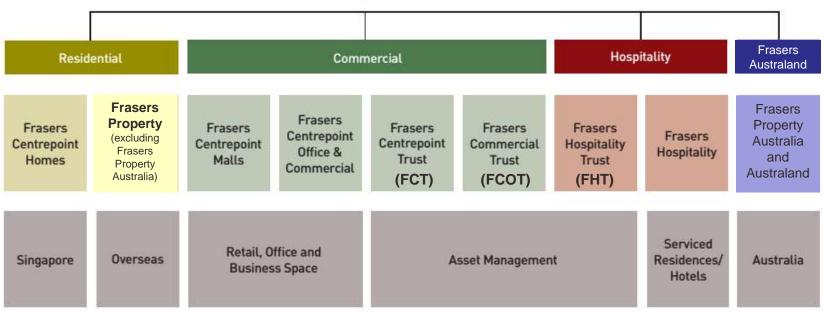
- REIT listed on the SGX-ST with a market capitalisation of S\$1.8 billion<sup>1</sup>
- Owns a portfolio of six suburban retail malls in Singapore, which are located next to /near MRT stations and bus interchanges
- Achieved 7.5% CAGR in DPU over nine consecutive years since IPO in 2006
- Sponsored by Frasers Centrepoint Limited (FCL), a full-fledged international real estate company headquartered in Singapore

REIT: Real Estate Investment Trust 1. Based on closing price of \$1.99 on at 29 Feb 2016



#### FCT – Largest REIT by market cap within the Frasers Centrepoint Group





#### As at 31 December 2015

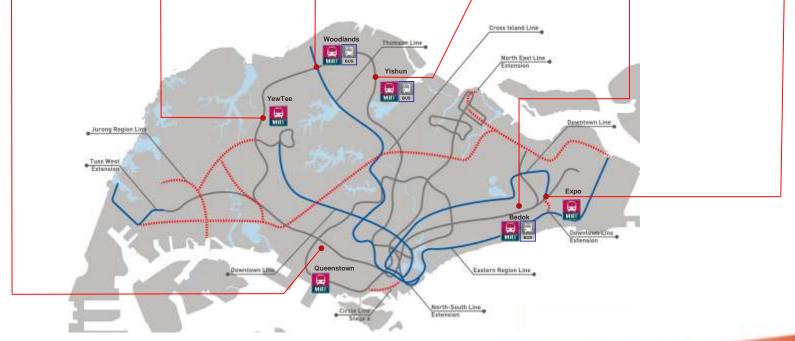
- FCL: Listed on SGX since Jan 2014, market cap: S\$4.9b
- FCT: Listed on SGX since Jul 2006, market cap of S\$1.7b. FCL's stake: 41.3%
- FCOT: Listed on SGX since Mar 2006, market cap of S\$1.0b. FCL's stake: 27.2%
- FHT: Listed on SGX since Jul 2014, market cap: S\$1.0b. FCL's stake: 20.9%



#### Singapore-centric, suburban-focused retail asset portfolio

Six retail malls next to or near to Mass Rapid Transit (MRT) stations / Bus Interchanges





Map source: URA Master Plan 2014 Illustration not to scale



#### → Overview

#### Suburban malls weigh more on necessity shopping, services and F&B



Grocery





Food courts / F&B



**Family amenities** 



Health and wellness



**Optics and eyewear** 



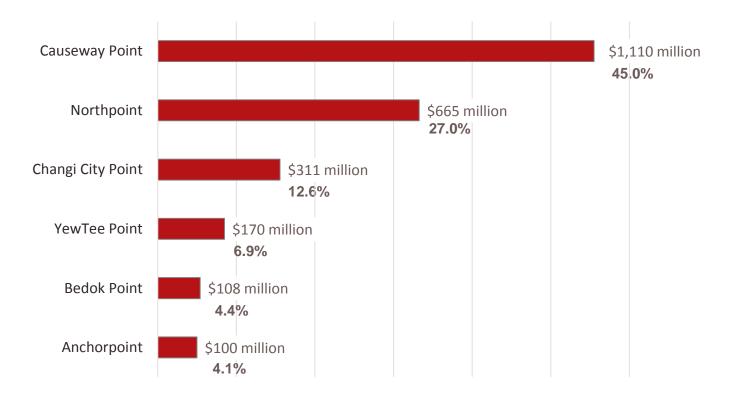
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#### Portfolio of 6 retail malls valued at \$2.46 billion

All valuations are as at 30 September 2015

Percentage figures represent asset value as proportion of total appraised value of \$2.46 billion

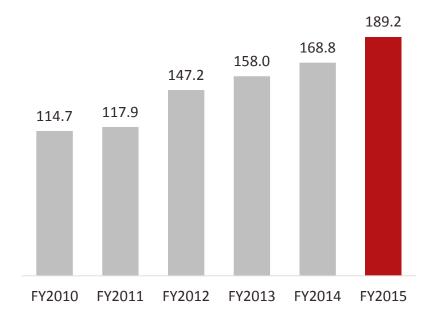


Note: FCT also holds 31.17% of Hektar REIT, a retail-focused REIT in Malaysia listed on the Mainboard of Bursa Malaysia.

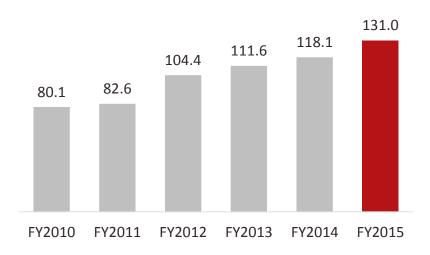


#### Steady and consistent growth through economic cycles





#### Net Property Income (S\$ million)





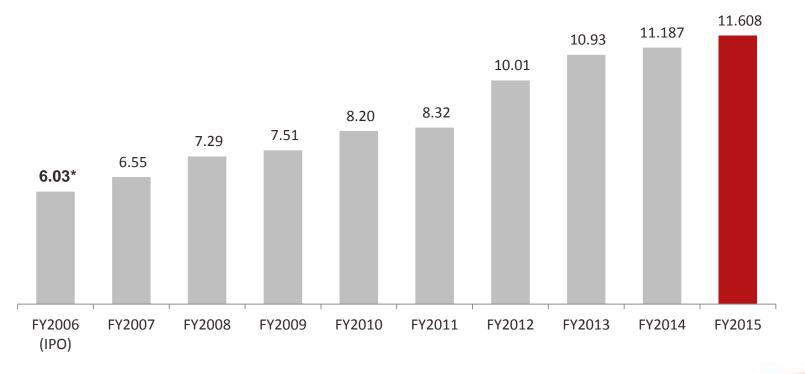
Note: FCT Financial year ends 30 Sep

#### **Delivering steady and growing distributions**

Nine consecutive years of DPU growth since listing

Distribution per Unit (S cents)

CAGR FY2006 – FY2015: 7.5%

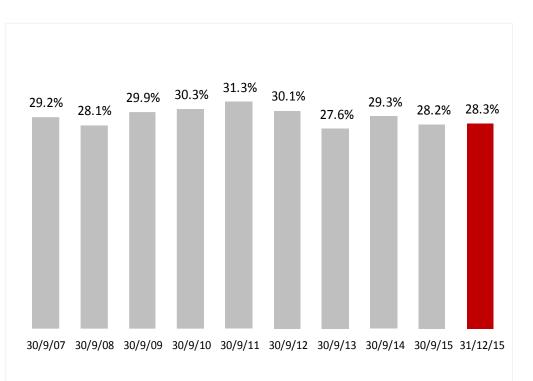


Note: FCT Financial year ends 30 September FY2006 DPU of 6.03 cents is derived by annualising 4QFY06 DPU CAGR: compound annual growth rate.



#### Stable and healthy gearing level

**Gearing level<sup>1</sup>** 



#### **Key financial position indicators**

As at	31 Dec 15	30 Sep 15	
Gearing level <sup>1</sup>	28.3%	28.2%	
Interest cover <sup>2</sup>	7.04 times	7.09 times	
Total borrowings	\$724m	\$718m	
% of borrowing on fixed rates or hedged via interest rate swaps	74%	75%	
All-in average cost of borrowings	2.361%	2.404%	
Corporate credit rating		8+/Stable aa1/Positive	

1. Calculated as the ratio of total outstanding borrowings over total assets as at stated balance sheet date.

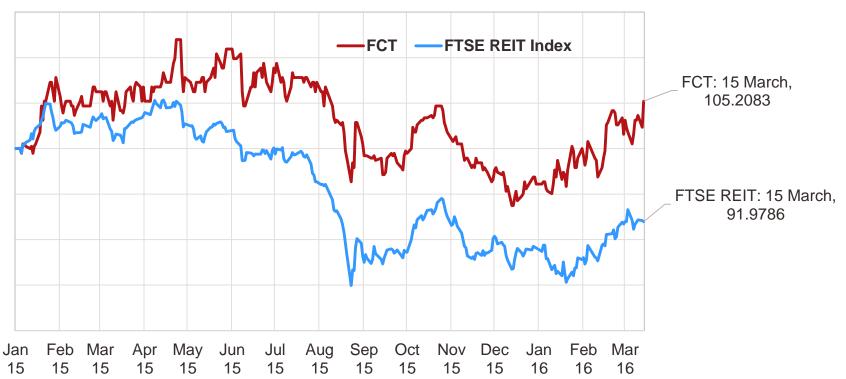
2. Calculated as earnings before interest and tax (EBIT) divided by interest expense for the quarter ended Dec and Sep for year 2015 and 2014, respectively





### **Unit Price Performance**

#### FCT unit Price Performance versus FTSE REIT Index\*



2 January 2015 to 15 March 2016

Source: Bloomberg

\* FTSE ST Real Estate Investment Trusts Index





Highlights from Financial Results for 1st Quarter FY2016 ended 31 December 2015

#### **Financial performance**

- 1Q16 DPU of 2.87 cents, up 4.4% year-on-year (1Q15 DPU: 2.75 cents)
- Gross Revenue of \$47.1 million, down 0.2% year-on-year
- Net Property Income of \$33.5 million, up 2.0% year-on-year
- Net Asset Value per Unit of \$1.91 as at 31 December 2015
- Gearing level at 28.3% as at 31 December 2015 (30 September 2015: 28.2%)

#### **Operational performance**

- 94.5% portfolio occupancy as at (30 September 15: 96.0%)
- 1Q16 portfolio average rental reversion at 13.7%
- 1Q16 shopper traffic up 8% year-on-year



#### 1Q16 DPU of 2.87 cents, up 4.4% year-on-year

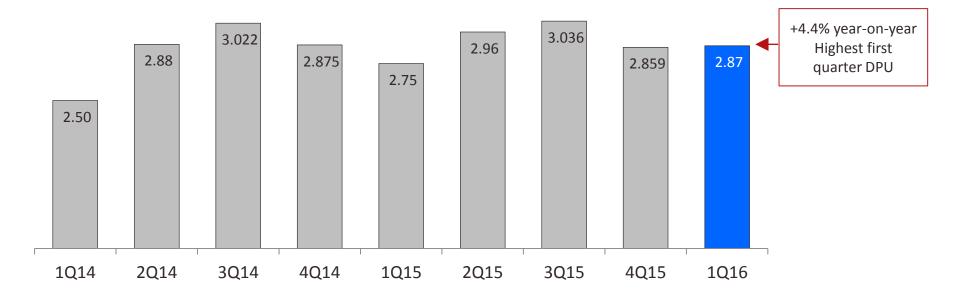
\$'000	<b>1Q16</b> Oct 15 to Dec 15	<b>1Q15</b> Oct 14 to Dec 14	Y-o-Y change		
Gross Revenue	47,075	47,178	▼0.2%	Drop due mainly to	
Property Expenses	(13,531)	(14,279)	▼5.2% ◀	lower utility tariff rates,	
Net Property Income	33,544	32,899	▲2.0%	in 1Q16	
Income Available for Distribution	27,711	26,595	<b>4</b> .2%	Cash retention in 1Q	
Distribution to Unitholders	26,335	25,194	<b>▲</b> 4.5% <b>◄</b>	• 1Q16: \$1.38 million 0.150¢ per unit • 1Q15: \$1.40 million	
Distribution per Unit (DPU)	2.87¢	2.75¢	4.4%	0.153¢ per unit	



#### FCT delivers steady and regular DPU

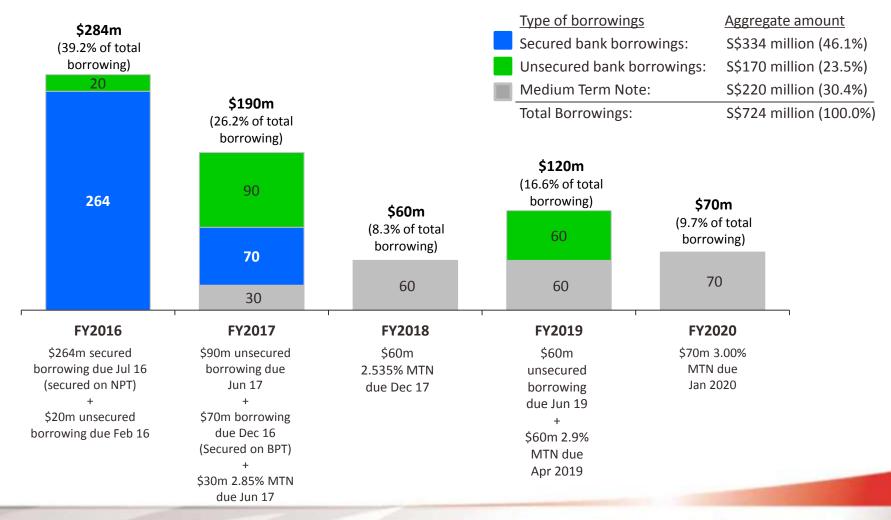
#### FCT Quarterly DPU

DPU (¢)





#### Weighted average debt maturity @ 31 December 2015: 1.45 years



BPT: Bedok Point, NPT: Northpoint



#### **Overall portfolio occupancy at 94.5%**

- Stable occupancy at Causeway Point and Northpoint
- Improved occupancy at YewTee Point and Anchorpoint
- Some transitional vacancy at Changi City Point and Bedok Point

Mall Occupancy	31 Dec 14	31 Mar 15	30 Jun 15	30 Sep15	31 Dec 15	
Causeway Point	99.5%	99.6%	99.2%	99.5%	99.2%	2% transitional
Northpoint	96.3%	99.1%	99.0%	98.2%	96.2%	<ul> <li>vacancy due to</li> <li>fitting out</li> </ul>
Changi City Point	91.7%	90.1%	92.4%	91.1%	88.6%	<ul> <li>~1-2% transitional</li> <li>vacancy due to</li> <li>fitting out</li> </ul>
Bedok Point	90.8%	94.2%	84.9%	84.2%	76.8%	New anchor
YewTee Point	96.7%	97.6%	95.6%	94.8%	96.8%	tenant (~9% of NLA) fitting out, expects to start in
Anchorpoint	98.8%	98.8%	98.1%	96.9%	97.0%	March 2016
FCT Portfolio	96.4%	97.1%	96.5%	96.0%	94.5%	



#### Average rental reversion of 13.7% for 1Q16

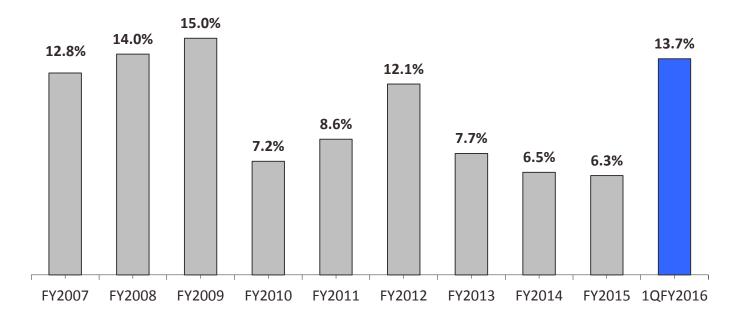
<b>1Q16</b> (1 Oct – 31 Dec 2015)	No. of renewals	NLA (sq ft) Renewed	As % Mall's NLA	Change compared to preceding rental rates <sup>1</sup>	
Causeway Point	18	50,110	12.1%	12.5%	Due mainly to a single
Northpoint	9	9,644	4.1%	26.3%	<ul> <li>lease signed at a</li> <li>significantly higher rental rate compared with the</li> </ul>
Changi City Point	25	43,627	21.1%	15.4%	preceding lease.
Bedok Point	3	5,015	6.1%	-38.2%	Two leases renewed at significantly lower rental rate compared with the
YewTee Point	5	2,271	3.1%	3.3%	preceding lease.
Anchorpoint	2	977	1.4%	5.1%	
FCT Portfolio	62	111,644	10.3%	13.7%	

1. Change between the average rental rates between the new lease and the preceding lease contracted typically 3 years ago



#### Maintaining positive rental reversions through economic cycles

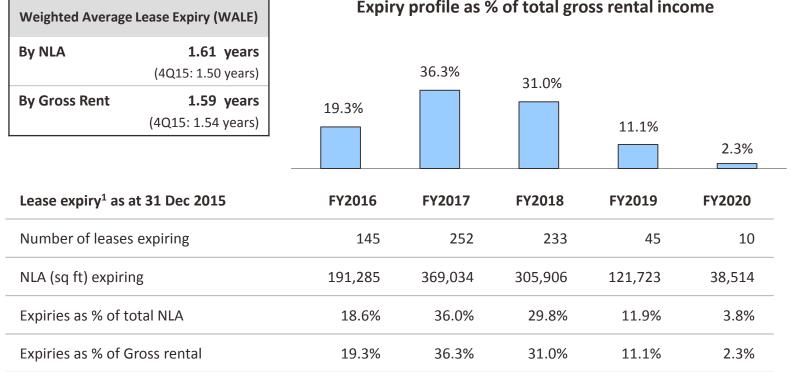
FCT rental reversions<sup>1</sup> (FY2007 – 1QFY2016)



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#### **Portfolio Lease Expiry as at 31 December 2015**



Expiry profile as % of total gross rental income

1. Calculations exclude vacant floor area.



# The 3 larger malls account for 82% of the NLA to be renewed in the remaining 9 months of FY2016

as at 31 December 2015

For remaining 9 months (2Q-4Q) in FY2016	Number of Leases Expiring	Nett Lettable Area (NLA) Expiring (sq ft)	as % of leased area of Mall	as % of total gross rent of Mall
Causeway Point	40	57,860	14.0%	15.7%
Northpoint	43	63,758	28.1%	27.2%
Changi City Point	21	35,511	19.3%	17.2%
Bedok Point	5	3,459	5.4%	7.5%
YewTee Point	16	12,151	17.0%	17.9%
Anchorpoint	20	18,546	26.9%	26.9%
Total FCT	145	191,285	*18.6%	#19.3%

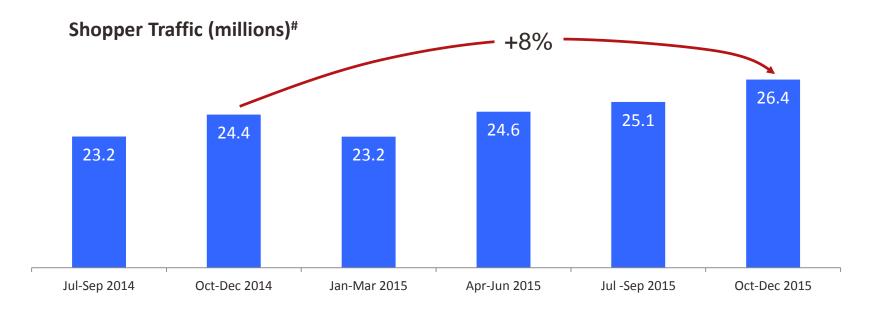
\* as % of leased area of FCT Portfolio

<sup>#</sup> as % of total gross rent of FCT Portfolio



#### 1Q16 shopper traffic up 8% year-on-year

Northpoint registered a double-digit year-on-year increase, as more commuters and shoppers pass through the mall after the closure of an outdoor public corridor adjacent to the mall in August 2015 due to construction works



# based on the records by electronic traffic counters installed at the respective malls (Causeway Point, Northpoint, Changi City Point, Bedok Point, YewTee Point and Anchorpoint)



# Northpoint Cit

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# Northpoint AEI

#### Asset Enhancement Initiative (AEI) for Northpoint Shopping Centre

- 18-month AEI scheduled to commence in Mar 2016 and expected to complete in September 2017
- Mall to remain open for business during course of AEI
- AEI will focus on enhancing shopper experience and comfort; boosting the diversity of retail offerings; and to enable the mall to benefit from the integration with upcoming retail component of Northpoint City by Frasers Centrepoint Limited
- AEI is expected to deliver positive return for FCT upon completion
- Based on current estimate, average mall occupancy is projected to be about 76% over the period March to September 2016





## **Growth Strategy**

#### **Clear growth strategy**

1	Strategy	Key drivers				
	Acquisition growth	<ul> <li>Sponsor's pipeline assets</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> party asset acquisition, including overseas</li> </ul>				
2	Enhancement growth	<ul> <li>Enhance configuration of floor plates / layout to achieve better asset yield and sustainable income growth</li> </ul>				
		<ul> <li>Value creation through better income- producing capability after Asset Enhancement Initiative (AEI)</li> </ul>				
3	Organic growth	<ul> <li>Positive rental reversions and maintaining healthy portfolio occupancy</li> <li>Annual rental step-ups provide steady growth</li> </ul>				



#### ➔ Growth Strategy

#### **Growth from Acquisitions and AEIs**

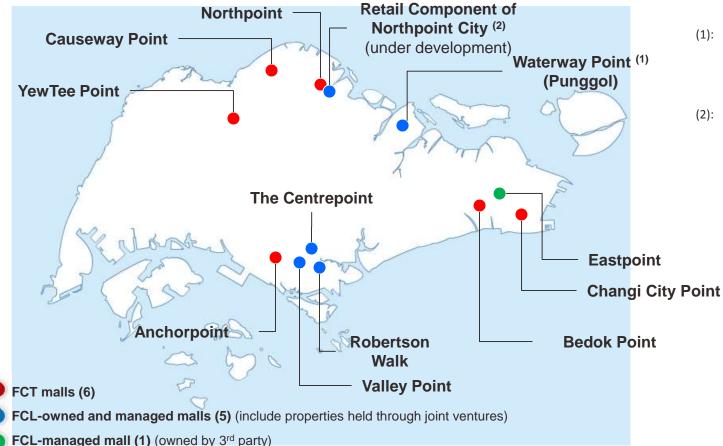




#### ➔ Growth Strategy

#### Sponsor's retail assets in Singapore

12 retail malls in Singapore managed by Frasers Centrepoint Limited, including 6 malls in FCT



- (1): FCL owns 1/3 proportionate share of Waterway Point, the commercial component of a mixed development in Punggol.
- (2): FCL is developing a mixed commercial and residential site under the Government Land Sale programme, of which the commercial component can be developed into a retail mall

Illustration is not to scale





# Outlook

#### **Outlook for FY2016**

- Based on MTI's advance estimates, the Singapore economy grew by 2.0% year-onyear in the fourth quarter of 2015, compared to 1.8% in the previous quarter. For 2015, the economy grew by 2.1% which is in line with the growth forecast of close to 2.0%
- Asset enhancement at Northpoint is scheduled to commence in March 2016. The 18-month programme is expected to deliver a positive return upon completion
- In spite of the current headwinds in the retail industry, FCT's well-located suburban malls are expected to continue to attract steady shopper traffic, thus contributing to the sustainability of the portfolio's rental income and occupancy rates



## Thank you

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