

SUNTEC REIT

Acquisition of 50.0% interest in Two Grade A Office Buildings with Ancillary Retail in Victoria, West End, London, United Kingdom

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Acquisition Overview

- Proposed acquisition of 50.0% interest in Nova North, Nova South and The Nova Building, comprising two high quality multi-tenanted office buildings with ancillary retail development
- Strategically located in Victoria, West End
- Agreed property value of £430.6 mil (~\$766.5 mil)¹
- NPI yield of 4.6%²
- DPU accretion: 4.9%³
- 100% committed occupancy with long weighted average lease expiry (“WALE”) of 11.1 years⁴
- 2-year guarantee on retail income
- Expected completion in December 2020 subject to Suntec REIT's Unitholders' approval



Notes:

¹ Based on 50.0% interest and exchange rate of £1 : \$1.78

² Based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 divided by total acquisition cost of £439.4 million (approximately \$782.1 million).

³ Illustrative DPU accretion based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 compared with actual annualised 1H2020 DPU (before retention of 10.0% distribution)

⁴ Based on net lettable area as at 30 June 2020

Property Information

Description	Nova North, Nova South and The Nova Building ¹ ("Nova Properties")
Title	Leasehold expiring on 27 April 3062 (1,042 years remaining)
Year of Completion	2016/2017
Agreed Property Value²	£430.6 mil (\$\$766.5 mil) (1.2% discount to independent valuation ³ of £436.0 mil (\$\$776.1 mil))
NPI Yield	4.6% ⁴
Developer/Asset Manager	Land Securities ("Landsec")
Sustainability	Office BREEAM rating 'Very Good' ⁵ Retail BREEAM rating 'Good' ⁵

Tenancy Information⁶	Office	Retail	Total
Net Lettable Area ("NLA") (sq ft)	480,292 (85.9%)	78,811 (14.1%)	559,103 (100%)
Committed Occupancy⁷	100%	100%	100%
No. of tenants	17	18	35
Weighted Average Lease Expiry ("WALE") (Years)⁷	10.6	14.1	11.1



Notes:

¹ The Nova Building consists of retail units on the ground floor and 170 residential units. While the acquisition includes the ground lease in relation to the residential units, the 170 residential units are excluded from the transaction.

² Based on 50.0% interest and exchange rate of £1 : \$\$1.78

³ Independent valuation conducted by Jones Lang LaSalle Limited dated 1 September 2020

⁴ Based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 divided by total acquisition cost

⁵ BREEAM (Building Research Establishment Environmental Assessment Method) provides independent certification of the sustainability performance of buildings

⁶ Based on 100% interest

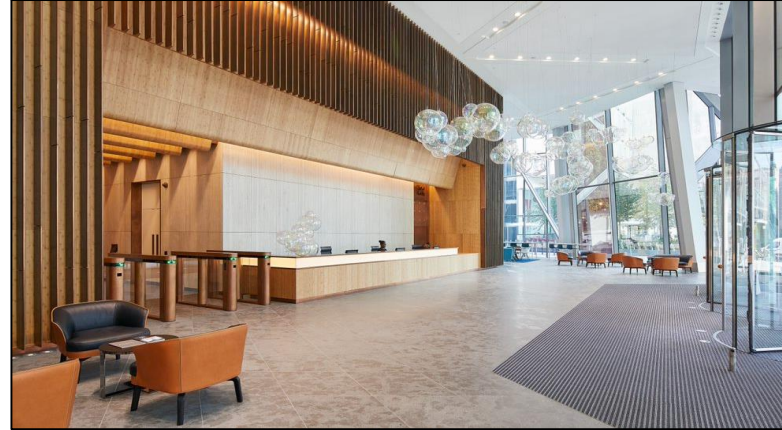
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High Quality Grade A Property

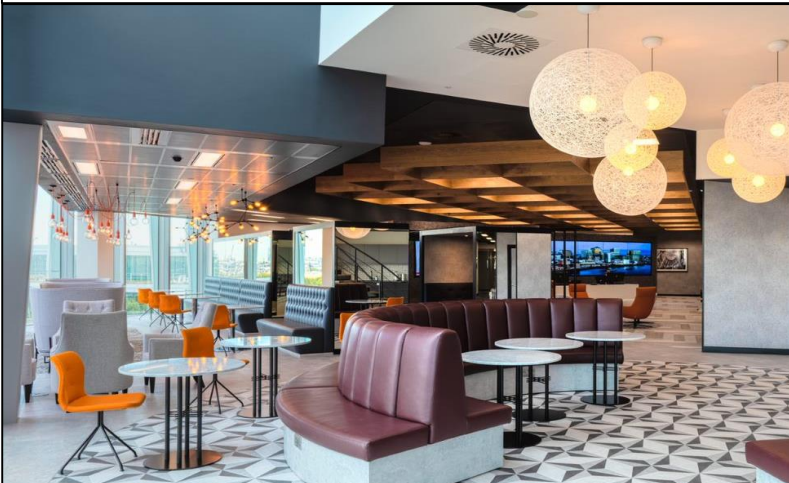
Distinctive Design



Contemporary Office Lobby



Column Free Floor Plates



Variety of Retail Offerings

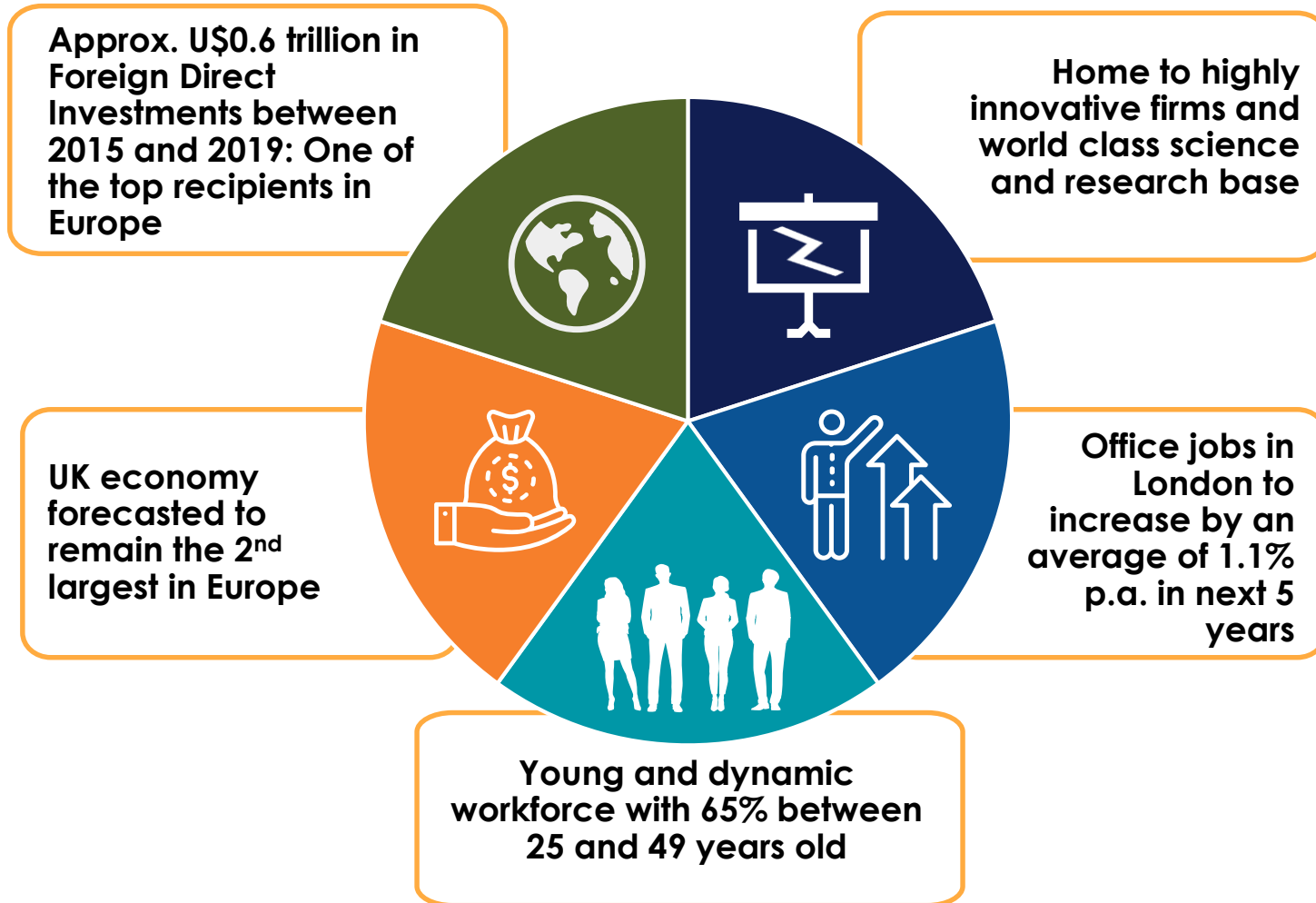


Strategic Fit with Suntec REIT's Existing Portfolio

An aerial photograph of a dense urban environment. The central focus is a large, modern building complex. One of the most striking features is a tall, red, faceted tower with a white diamond-patterned facade. To its left is a long, multi-story building with a white and grey facade and a flat roof with greenery. The surrounding area is filled with other buildings, including older brick structures and modern glass-fronted skyscrapers. The streets below are visible, showing traffic and pedestrian activity.

Rationale for Expanding into UK

Strong Fundamentals of the UK Economy



UK is a Highly Attractive Investment Destination

Sources: JLL Research dated September 2020 and Statista



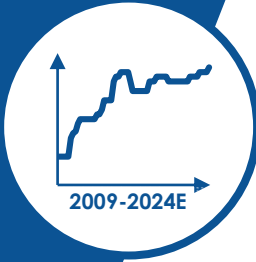
CBD Office stock is the largest amongst key European cities, providing liquidity for investments

Office Leasing demand supported by London's attractiveness as a global hub for businesses and talent to converge



Vacancy rate to remain stable due to limited new supply

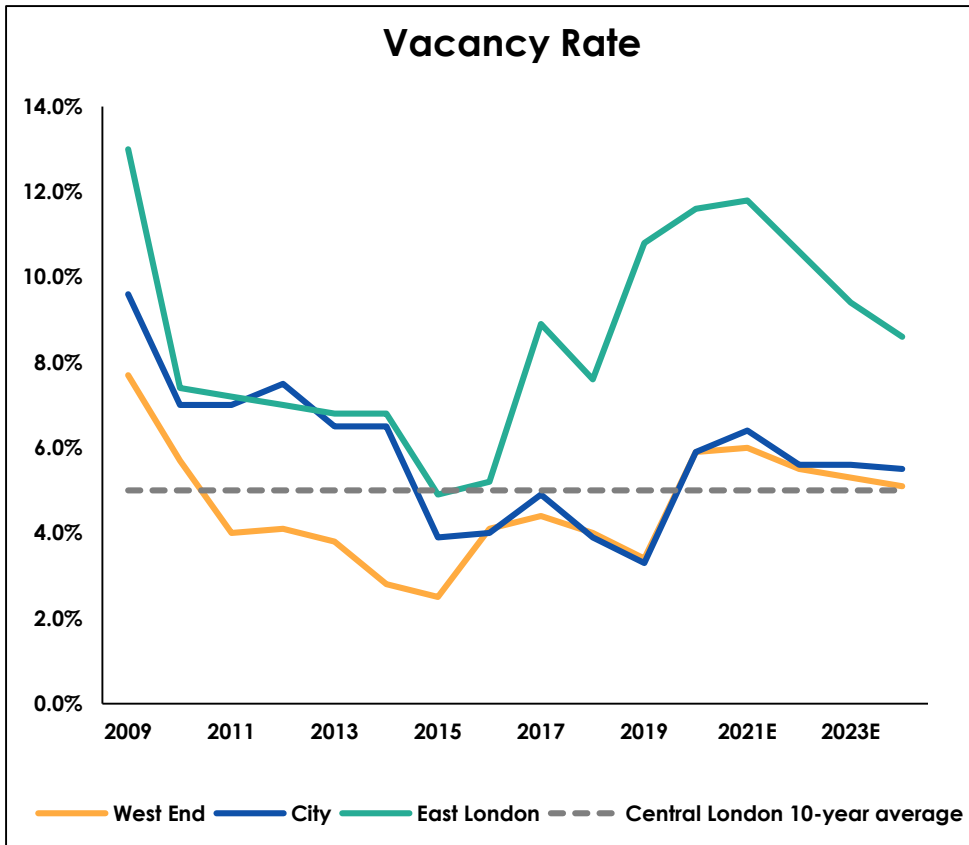
Prime rents in West End expected to improve in the medium term underpinned by limited new supply and recovery of economy



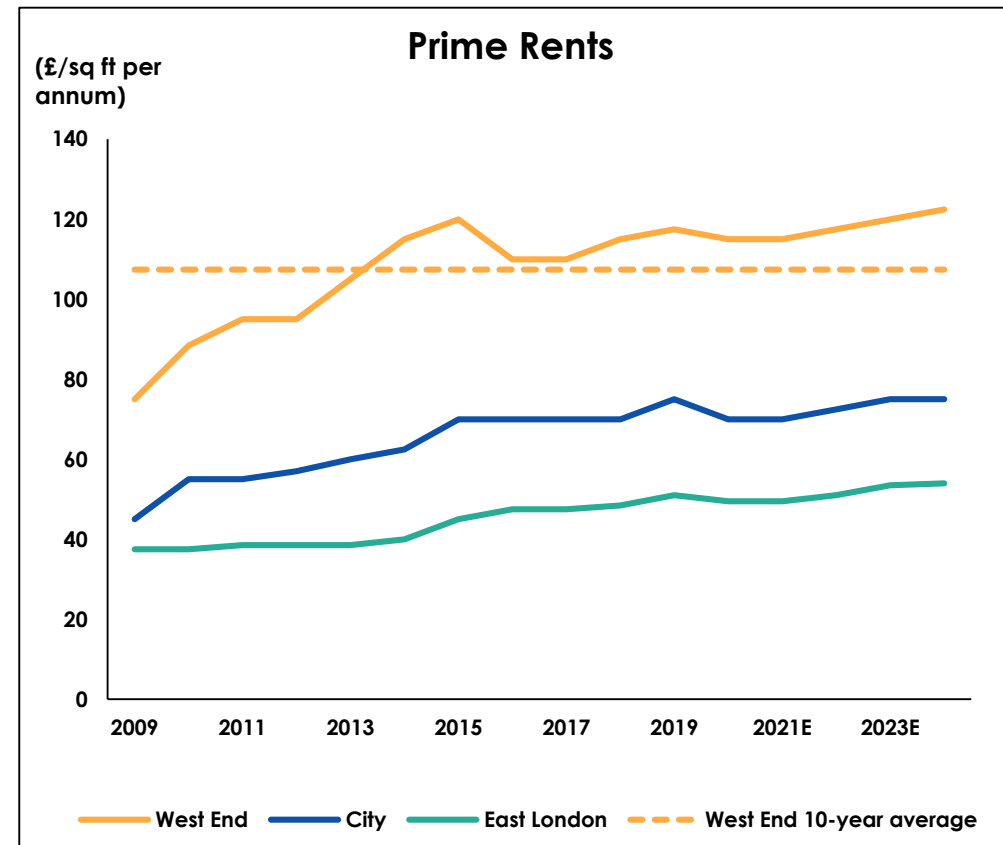
Property Market is Expected to be Resilient in the Long Term

Source: JLL Research dated September 2020

Central London's Property Market




Vacancy Rate to Remain Stable due to Limited New Supply



Prime Rents to Improve in the Medium Term Underpinned by Limited New Supply and Recovery of Economy

Source: JLL Research dated September 2020




Office Still Has A Central Role

- Surveys show that employees want to work at home 1 to 2 days per week
- Office space facilitates essential face-to-face interactions that technology cannot replicate




De-densification

- More space needed to maintain physical distancing



Full Impact of COVID-19 Not Clear At This Stage

- Companies are still evaluating office space needs
- Impact on office demand will have a lagged effect due to the typical long lease tenure of approx. 10 years

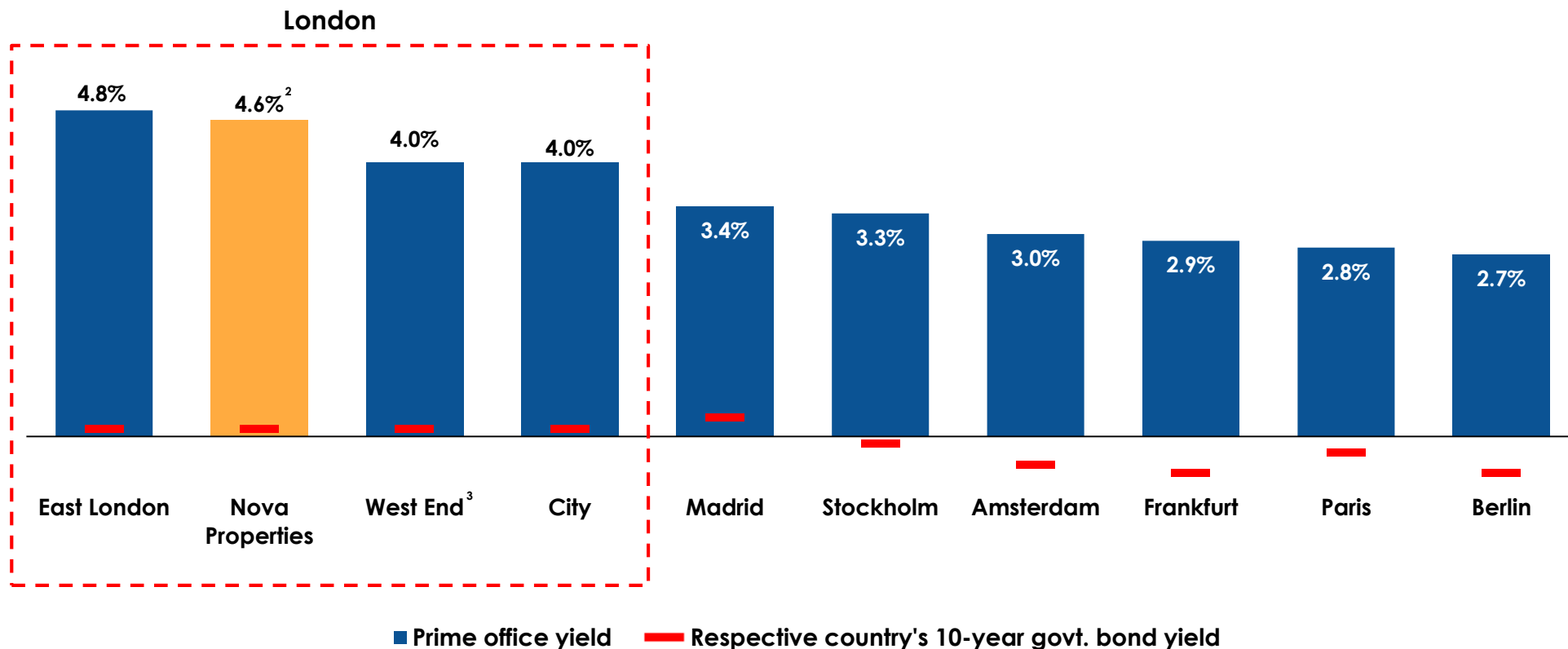


Recovery of Economy in the Longer Term Will Positively Impact Demand for Office Space

Source: JLL Research dated September 2020

Acquisition of Prime Grade A Asset at Attractive Valuation

Yield¹ of London & Key European Cities



London Cap Rates Compare Favourably to European Counterparts

Notes:
¹ Based on passing income, expressed as a percentage of capital value, after adding notional purchaser's costs
² Based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 divided by total acquisition cost
³ Based on property transactions which were more than £125 mil in value
 Source: JLL Research dated September 2020

Recent Transactions in Central London

Property	Transaction Date	Size (sq ft)	Price (£ mil)	Capital Value (£ psf)	Yield ¹	Year of Building Completion / Major Refurbishment
Nova Properties, Victoria, SW1 (the Acquisition)	2020 Q4	559,103	430.6 (50.0% interest)	1,540	4.6%²	2016/2017
Sanctuary Buildings, SW1, West End	2020 Q1	225,428	300.0	1,331	4.0%	Major refurbishment completed in 2009
The Post Building, WC1, West End	2019 Q4	302,300	607.5	2,011	4.0%	2019
1 New Oxford Street, WC1, West End	2020 Q3	109,300	173.0	1,583	4.2%	Major refurbishment completed in 2017
25 Cabot Square, E14, Canary Wharf	2020 Q3	481,605	380.0	790	4.6%	Major refurbishment completed in 2020

Notes:

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² Based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 divided by total acquisition cost

An aerial night photograph of a city center. The central focus is a large, modern skyscraper complex with a distinctive, angular, crystalline facade. The building's windows are illuminated from within, creating a bright glow against the dark sky. To the left, a tall, curved building with a grid-like facade is also lit up. The surrounding city is filled with other buildings, some of which are also illuminated, and streets with cars and streetlights. The overall scene is a vibrant urban landscape at night.

Benefits to Unitholders

1 High Quality, Grade A Property in Key Location

2 DPU Accretion of 4.9%¹ to Unitholders

3 Enhances Resilience, Diversification and Quality of Suntec REIT's Portfolio

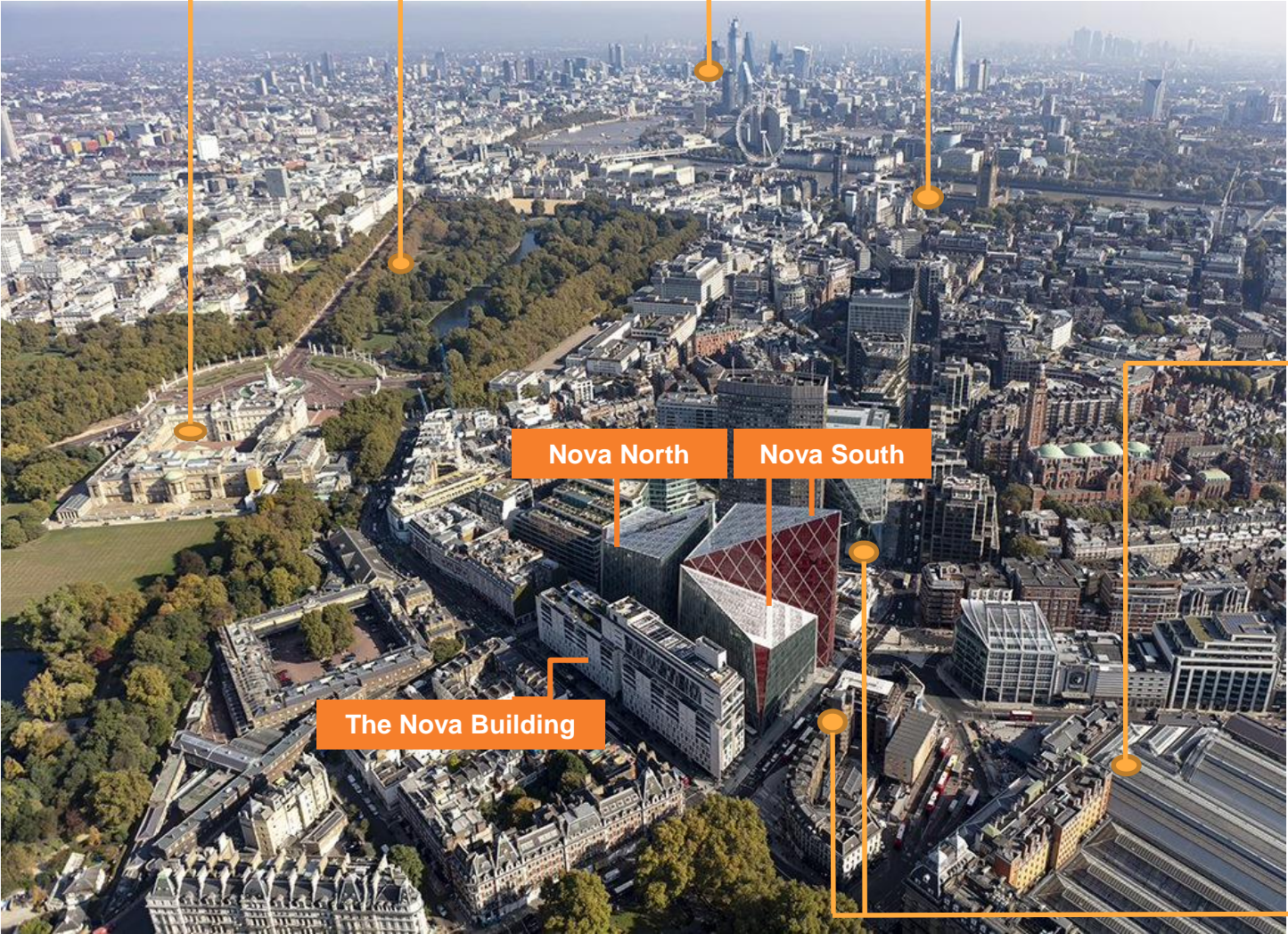
4 Leverages on Established and Experienced Joint Venture Partner

Note:

¹ Illustrative DPU accretion based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 compared with actual annualised 1H2020 DPU (before retention of 10.0% distribution)

High Quality, Grade A Property in Key Location

Buckingham Palace St James's Park City of London The Houses of Parliament



Strategically located opposite Victoria Station:

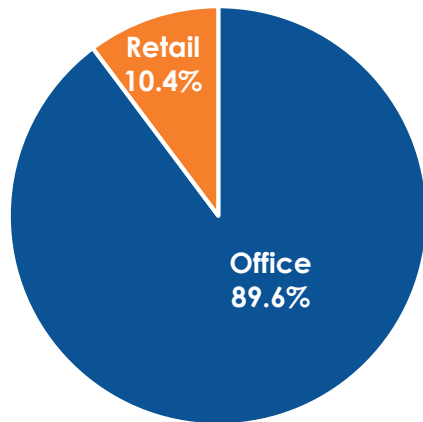
- 2nd busiest railway station in the UK
- Interchange for London Underground network and Victoria Coach station
- Direct train link to Gatwick Airport

Entrances to London Underground

Situated in the Heart of Victoria with Exceptional Connectivity

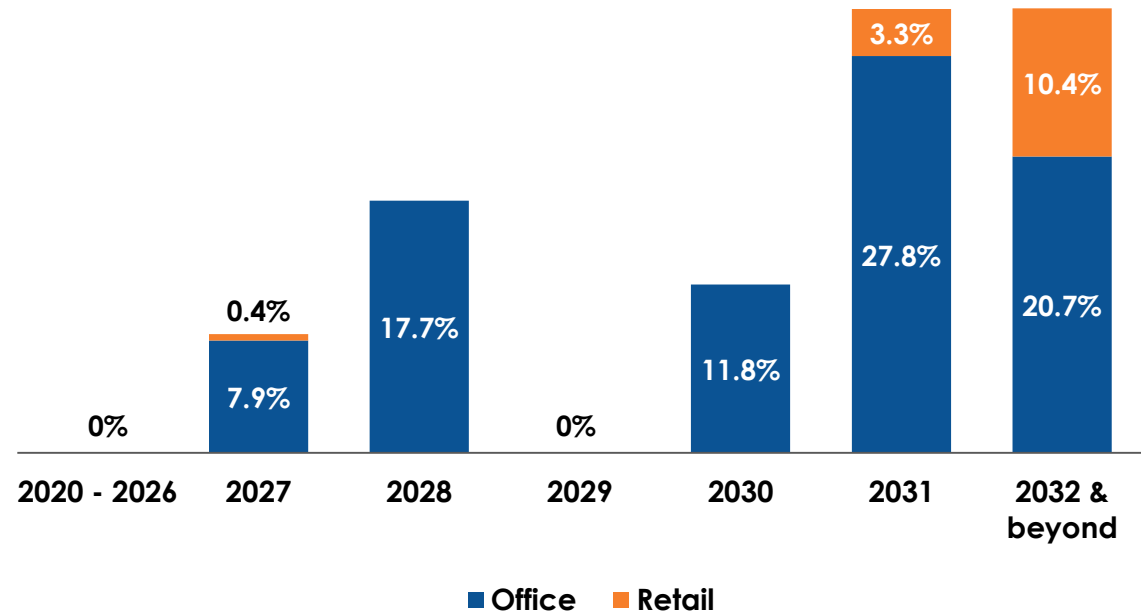
Stable Income with Long WALE

Income Contribution of Nova Properties¹



Strong Office Income Stream

Lease Expiry Profile (by NLA)



Long WALE of 11.1 years to Expire²

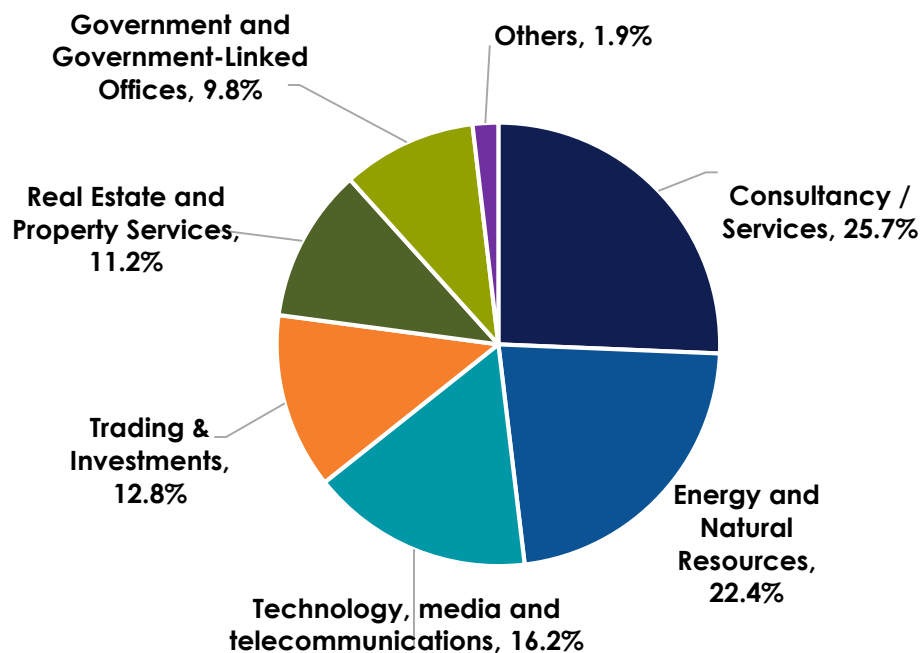
Note:

¹ Based on committed monthly gross rental income as at 30 June 2020

² WALE to Break of 10.0 years

Diversified Office Tenant Mix

Office Trade Mix by Sector¹



Top 10 Tenants

	% of Gross Rental Income
Atkins	11.2
The Argyll Club	10.0
Government	8.8
Vitol	8.5
BlueCrest	6.2
Reply Limited	5.4
Advent International	5.2
BHP Billiton	5.2
Egon Zehnder	5.0
L.E.K. Consulting	5.0
Top 10 Tenants Total	70.5
Other Tenants (Office)	19.1
Other Tenants (Retail)	10.4
Grand Total	100

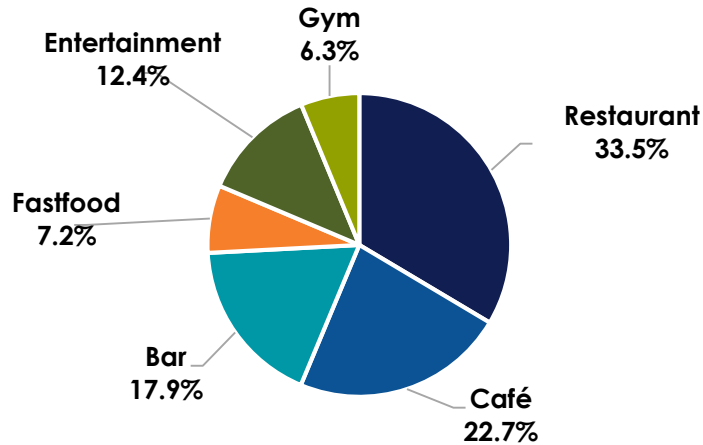
Non-Reliance on any Single Sector

Note:

¹ Based on committed monthly gross office rental income as at 30 June 2020

Ancillary Retail – Wide Variety of F&B to Support Office Community

Retail Trade Mix by Sector¹



Key Retail Tenants



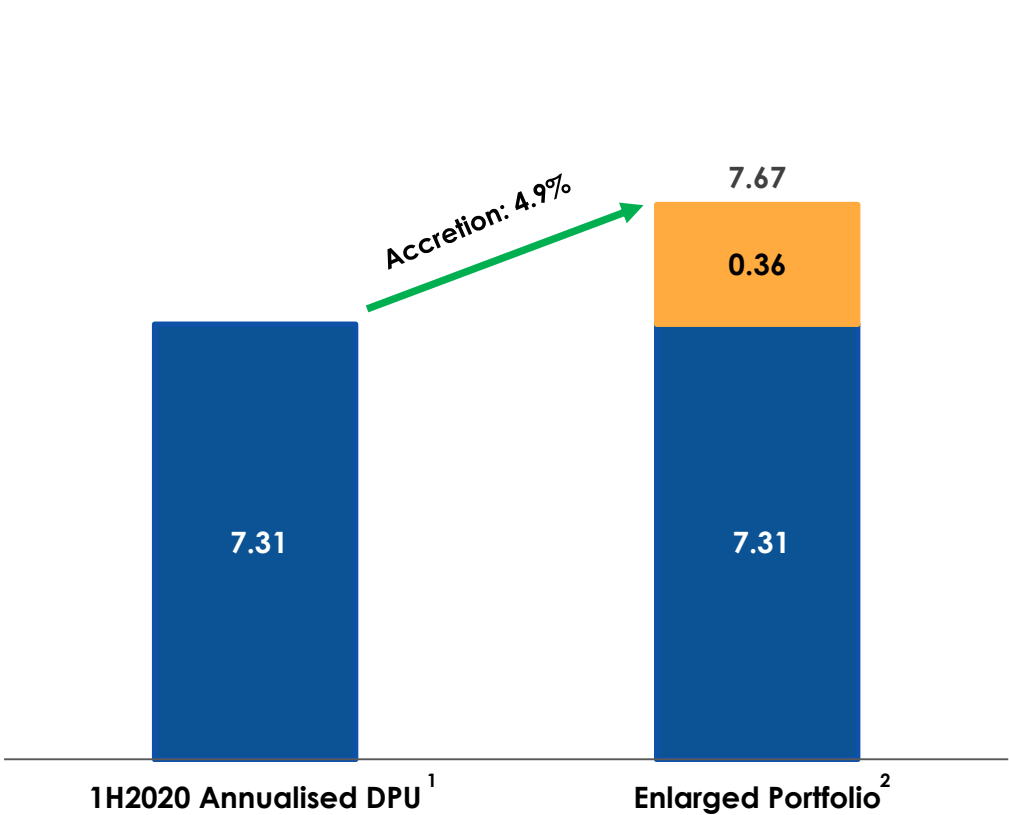
2-year Guarantee on Retail Income

Note:

¹ Based on committed monthly gross retail rental income as at 30 June 2020

DPU Accretive to Unitholders

DPU from Operations (cents)



Key Drivers

- NPI yield of 4.6%³
- 100% occupied with possible upside through rent review⁴
- 2-year guarantee on retail income

Capital Management

- Up to £200.0 mil loans in GBP to achieve natural hedge
- Up to S\$417.9 mil loans in SGD
- To hedge at least 50% of recurring GBP income

DPU Accretion of 4.9%

Notes:

¹ Before retention of 10.0% distribution

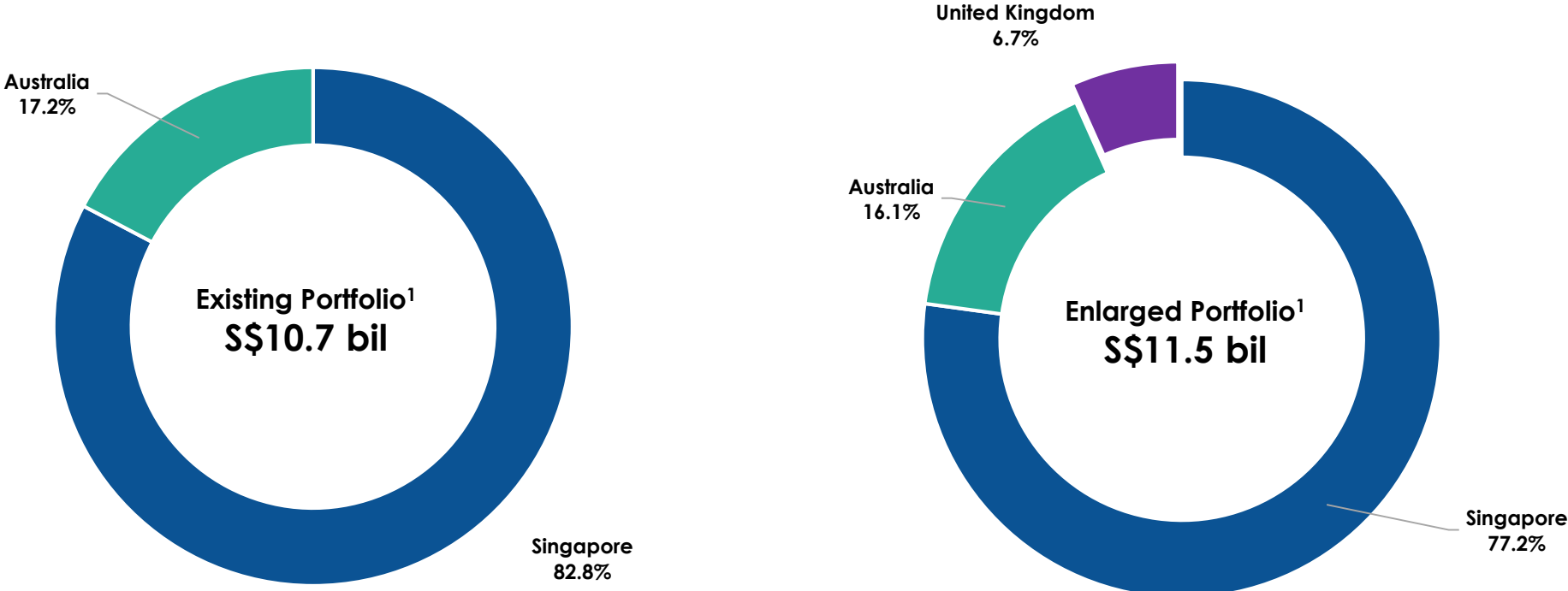
² Illustrative DPU accretion based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 compared with actual annualised 1H2020 DPU (before retention of 10.0% distribution)

³ Based on passing income as at 30 June 2020 divided by total acquisition cost

⁴ Generally every five years at market or existing rent, whichever is the higher

Enhances Portfolio's Geographical Diversification

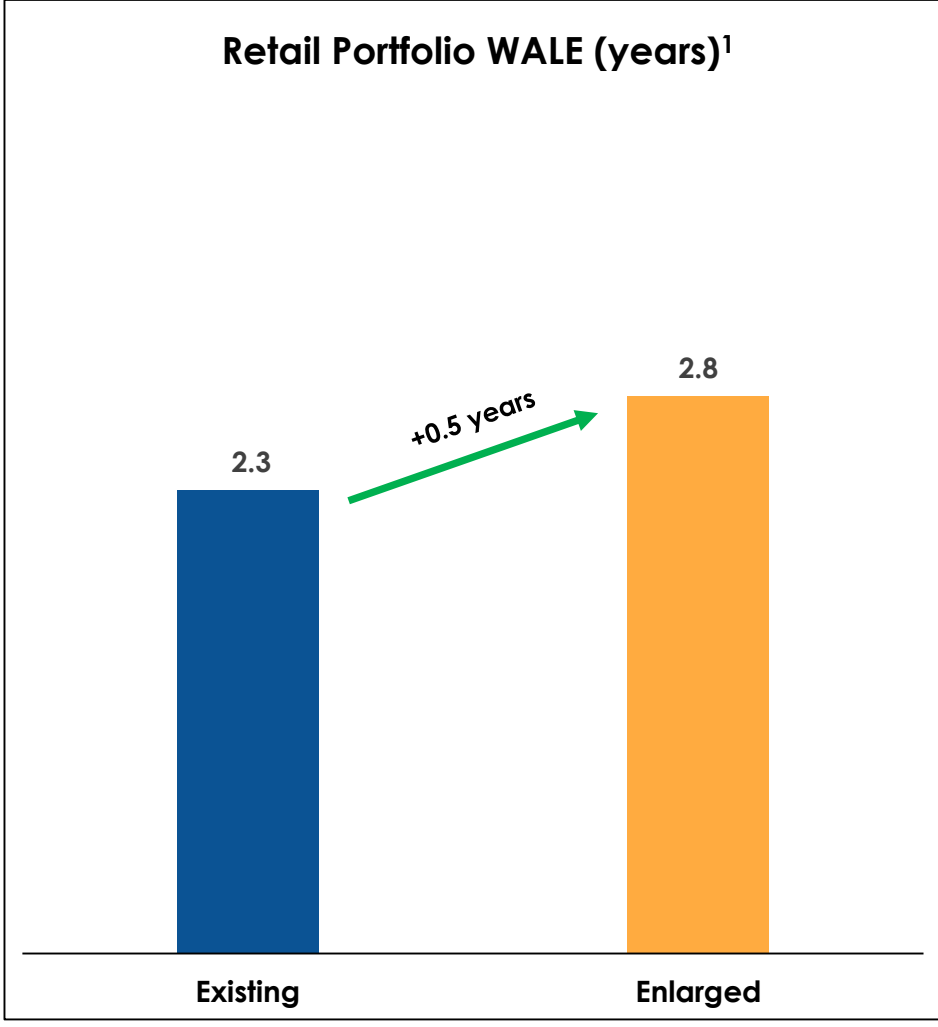
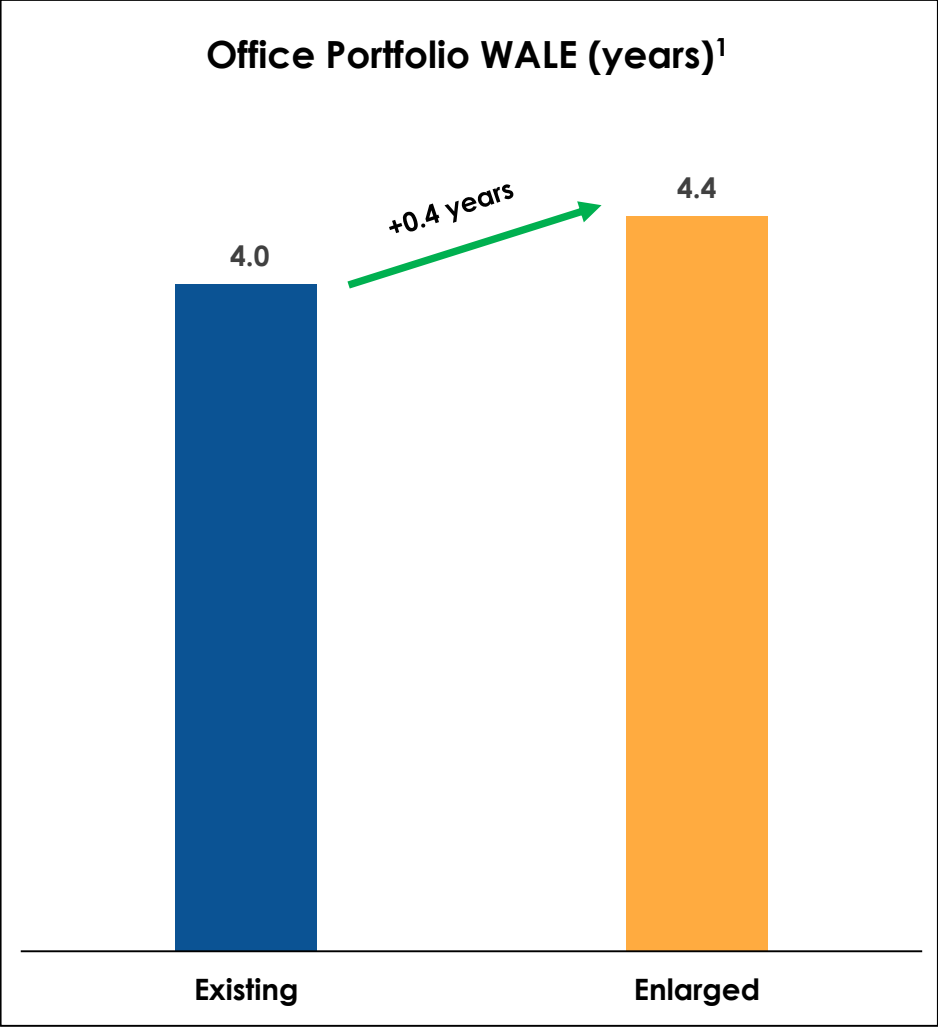
Asset Valuation



Note:

¹ As at 30 June 2020, including the additional capital injection in Suntec Singapore and the completion value of 477 Collins Street

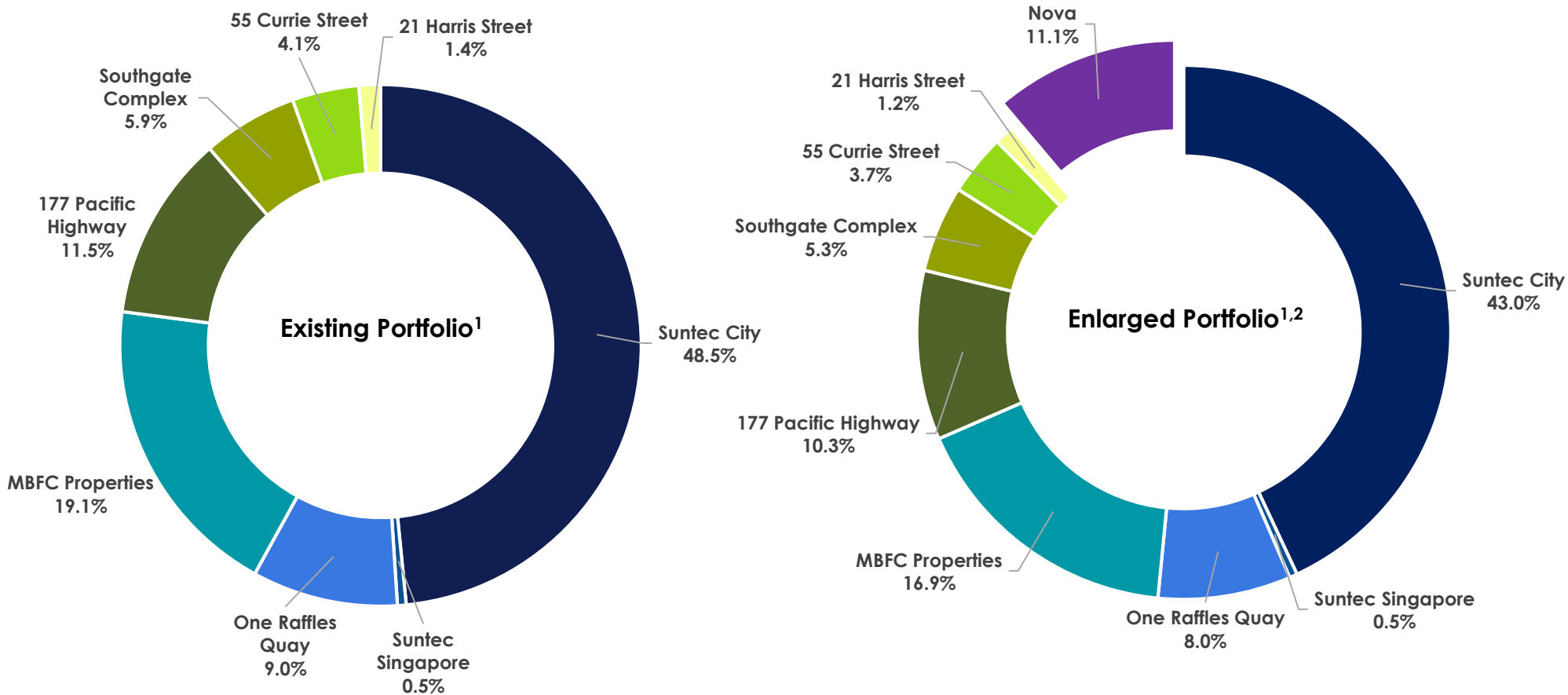
Lengthens Portfolio's WALE & Increases Income Stability



Note:
¹ Based on the NLA of Suntec REIT's interests in its respective properties as at 30 June 2020

Strengthens Portfolio's Resilience and Diversification

Income Contribution by Property

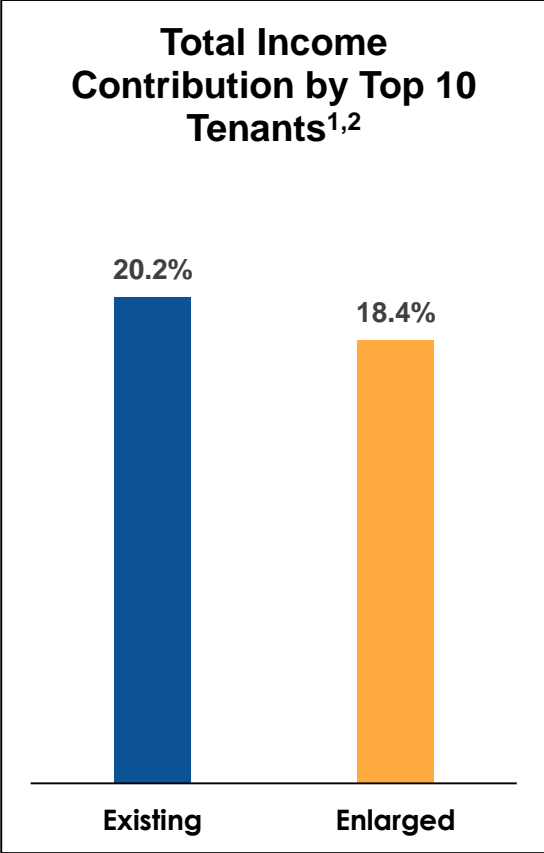
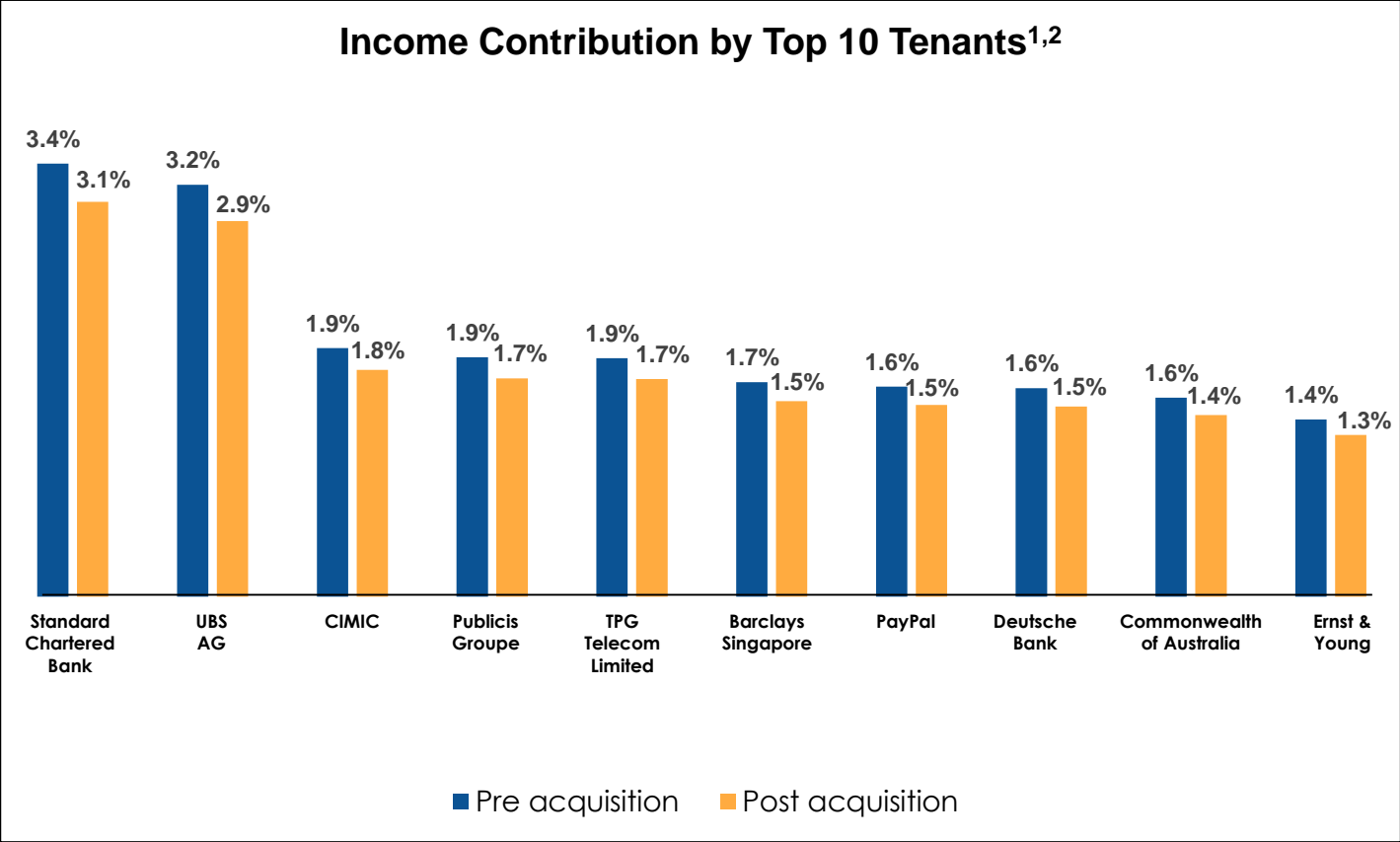


Notes:

¹ Refers to Net Property Income and Income Contribution from Joint Ventures for 1H2020

² Assumes Suntec REIT owns the property from 1 January 2020 to 30 June 2020

Reduces Tenants Concentration Risk



Notes:
¹ Based on total committed monthly gross rental income of Suntec REIT's top 10 tenants as at 30 June 2020
² Based on Suntec REIT's interests in its respective properties as at 30 June 2020



Established in 1944

Listed on London Stock Exchange (constituent of FTSE 100 Index) with £4.1 bil market capitalisation¹

Combined portfolio value of £12.8 bil¹

Owns and manages approximately 24 mil sq ft¹ of space

Note:
¹ As at 31 March 2020

Funding and Financial Impact



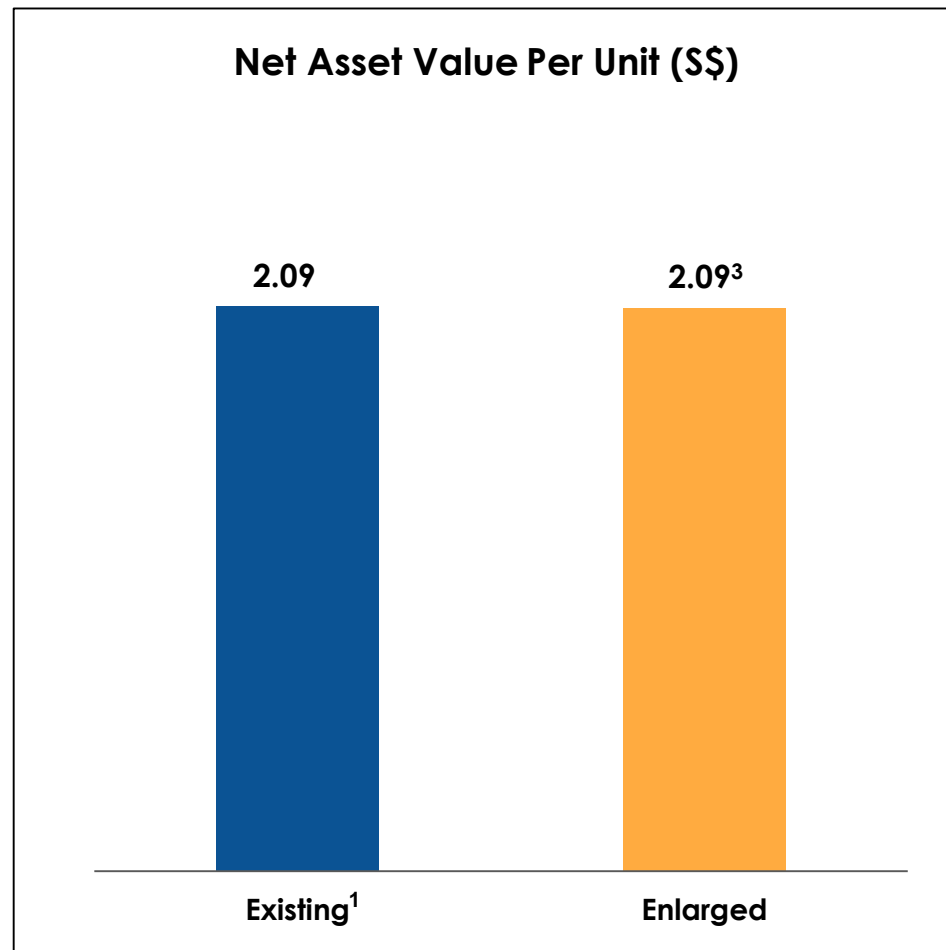
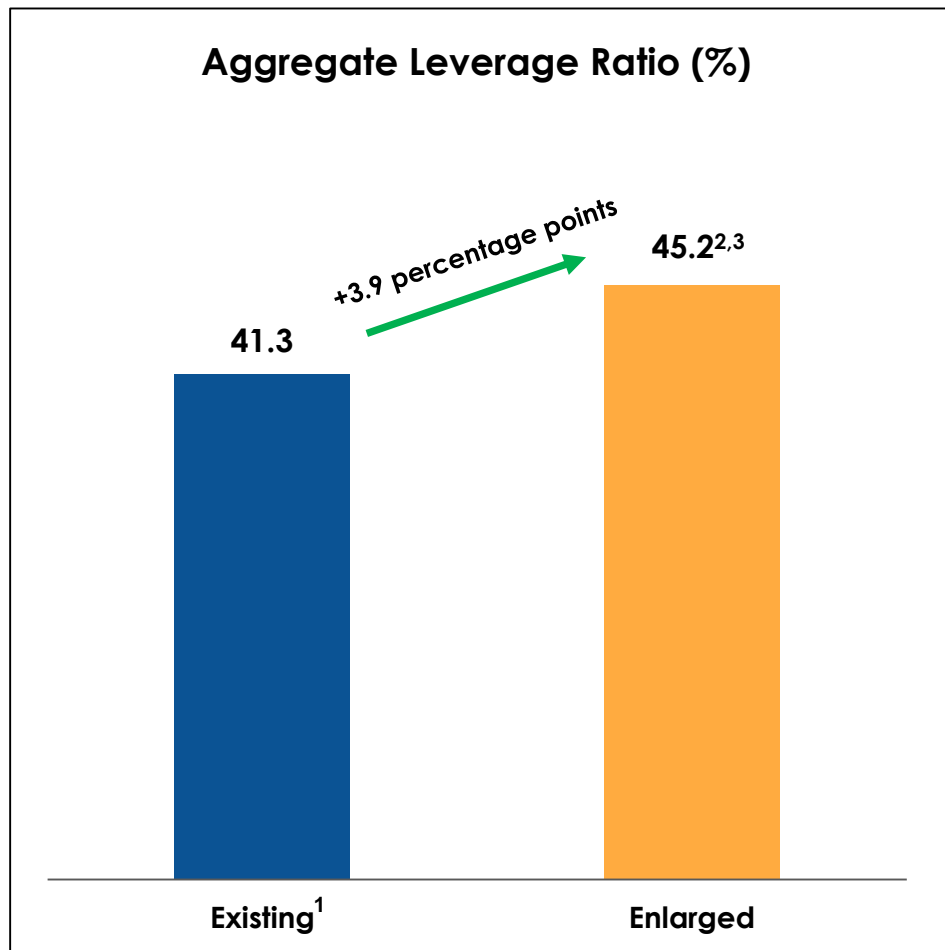
Total Acquisition Outlay & Funding

Acquisition of unit trusts (50.0% interest in Nova Properties)	£ mil	S\$ mil ²
Purchase consideration	426.0 ¹	758.3
Acquisition fee	4.3	7.6
Acquisition expenses	4.5	8.0
Total Acquisition Outlay	434.8	773.9

Funded by	Amount
GBP denominated loans	Up to £200.0 mil (S\$356.0 mil)
SGD-denominated loans	Up to £234.8 mil (S\$417.9 mil)

Note:

- 1 Based on the unit trusts' net asset value taking into account agreed property value of £430.6 mil, subject to completion adjustments.
- 2 Based on exchange rate of £1 : S\$1.78



Notes:

¹ As at 30 June 2020

² Debt Headroom of approx. S\$1,130 mil to reach ALR of 50.0%

³ Based on £200 mil GBP denominated loans and up to S\$417.9 mil SGD denominated loans



Unitholders' Approval and Timeline

Unitholders' Approval for the Proposed Acquisition of Nova Properties by way of an Ordinary Resolution

Key Terms of Joint Venture Agreement with Landsec Include:

1. Either party has a right of first offer (“ROFO”) should the other party decide to sell its stake in the Property
2. Drag right on property sale at a price of not lower than 97.5% of the ROFO price if the ROFO is not exercised

Property Funds Appendix¹ requires a REIT to have a veto right over the sale of the asset where it holds through a joint venture. In respect of the property drag, the Manager has obtained a waiver from Monetary Authority of Singapore, subject to Unitholders' approval sought at a general meeting.

Note:

¹ Refers to Paragraph 6.5(b)(ix) of Appendix 6 in the Code on Collective Investment Schemes

Indicative Timeline

Events	Indicative Dates
Dispatch of circular and notice of Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM)	November 2020
EGM	December 2020
Completion of the Proposed Acquisition (subject to Unitholders' approval)	December 2020

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Leverages on Established and Experienced Joint Venture Partner

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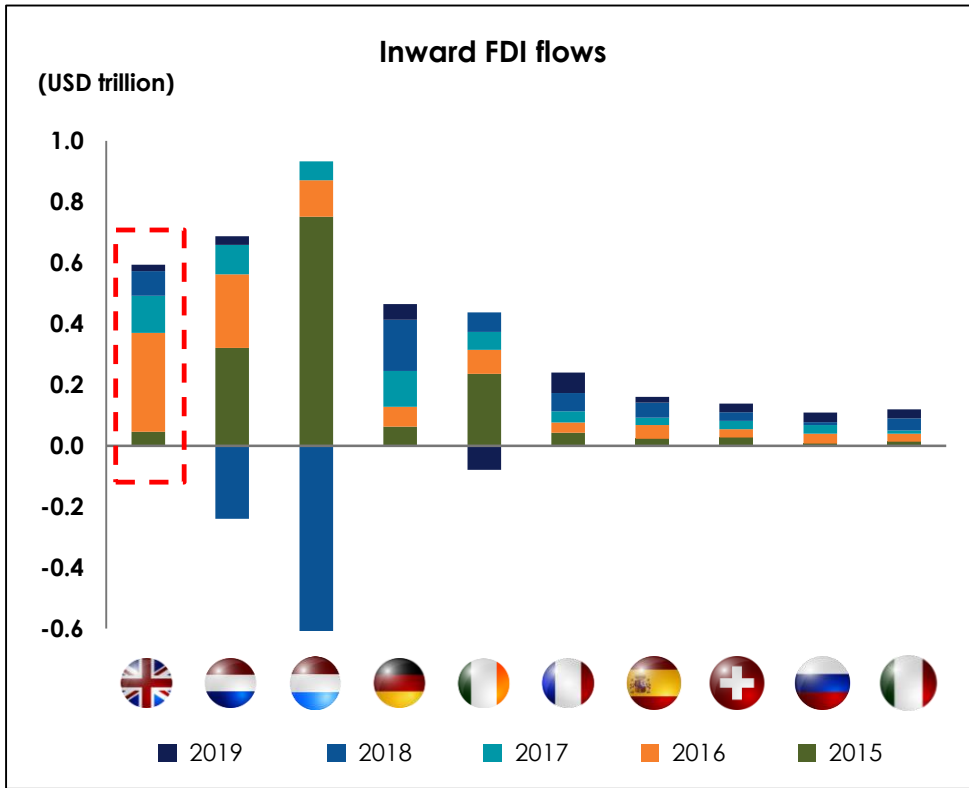
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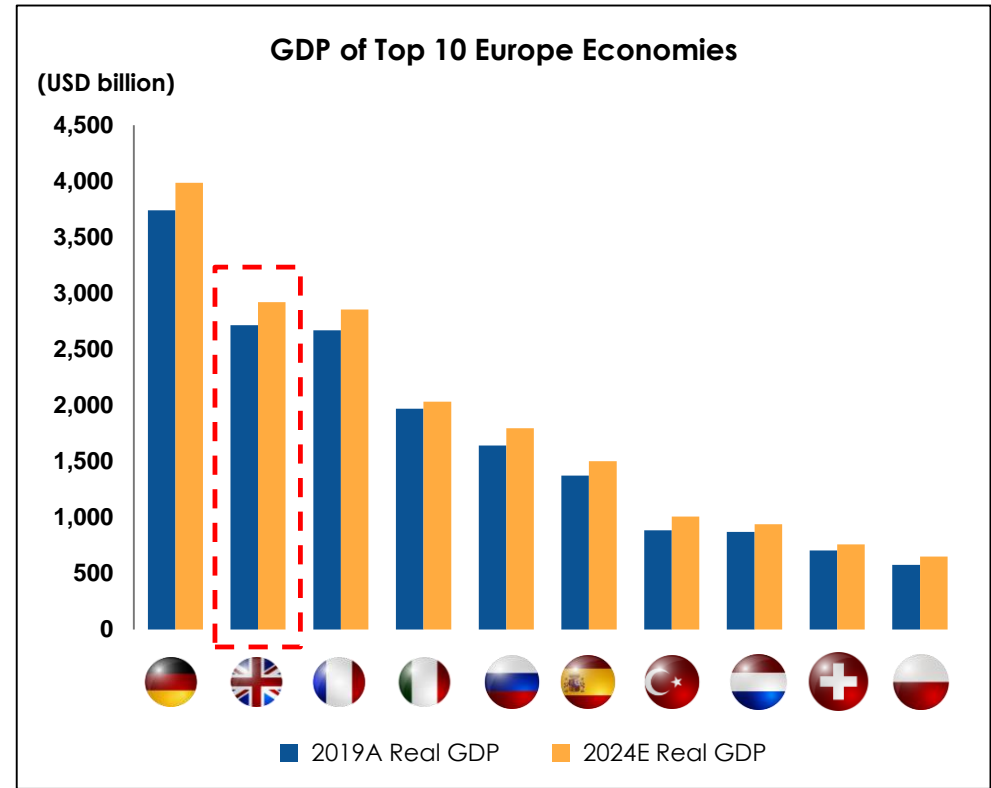
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Strong Fundamentals of the UK Economy



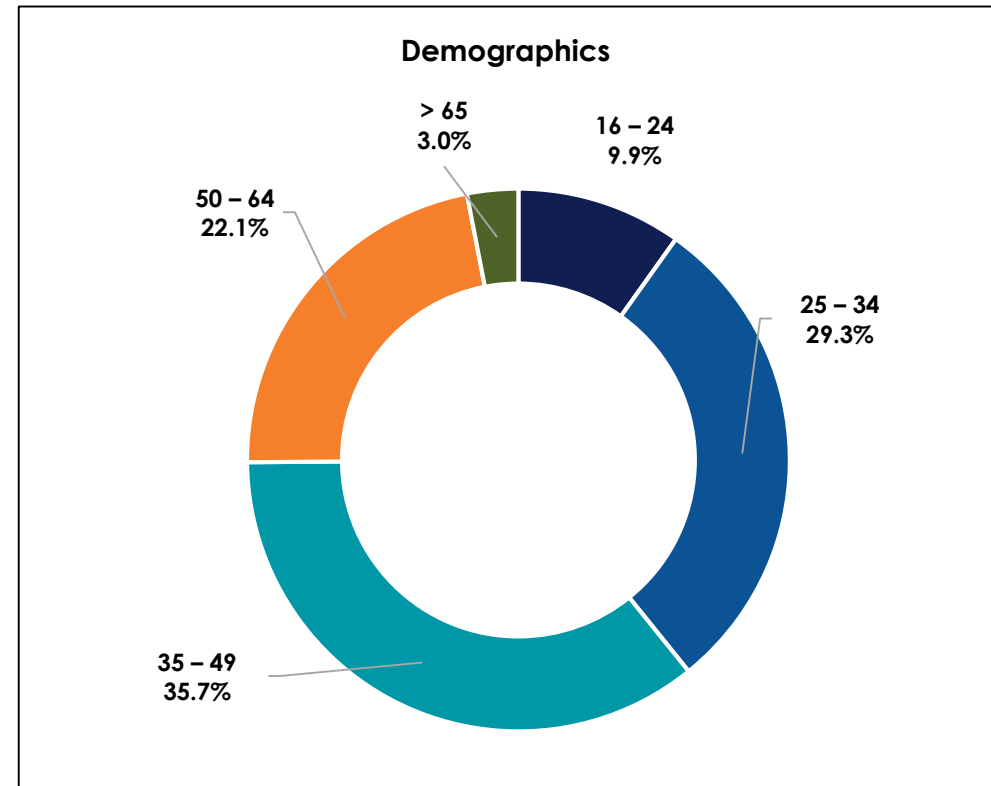
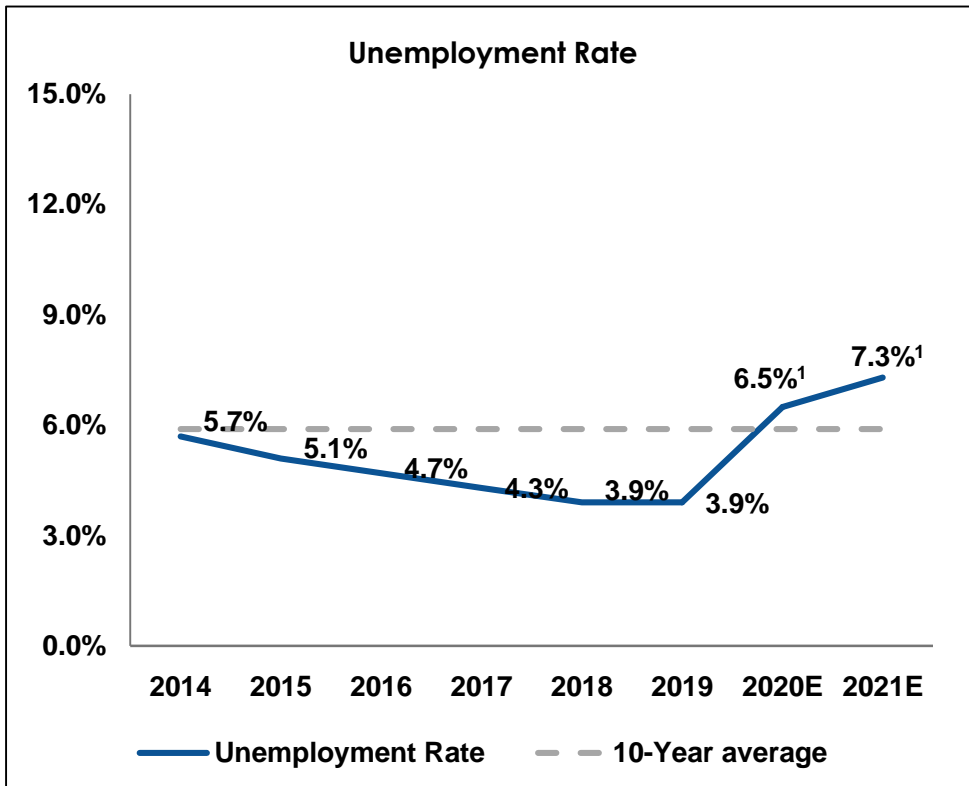
Approx. US\$0.6 trillion in Foreign Direct Investments between 2015 and 2019: One of the top recipients in Europe



UK economy forecasted to remain the 2nd largest in Europe

Sources: JLL Research dated September 2020 and Statista

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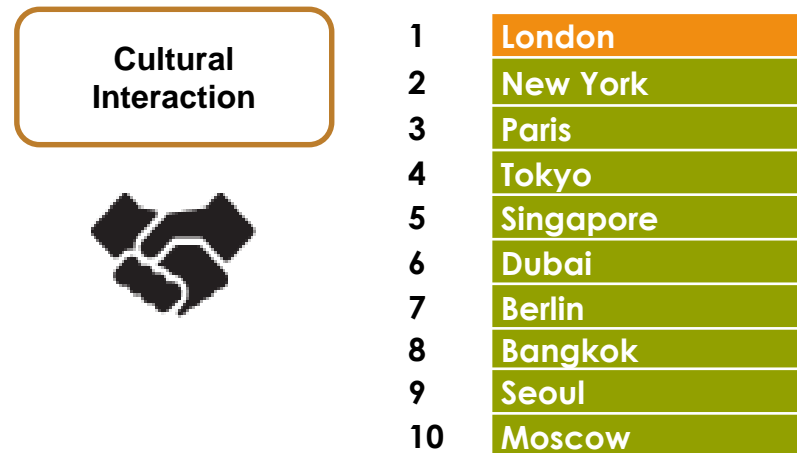
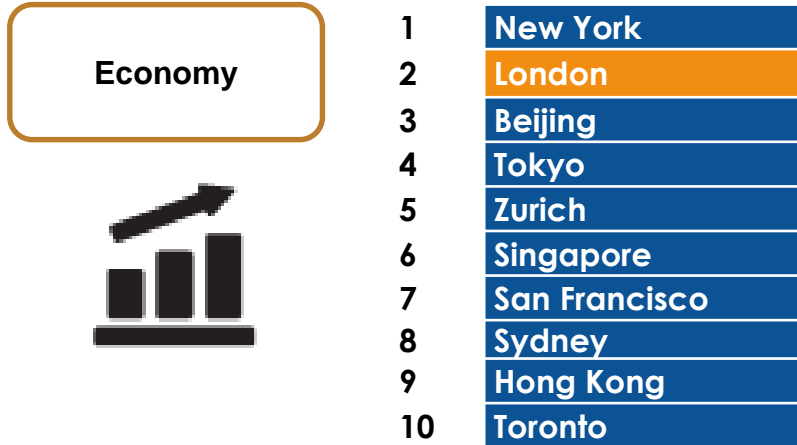


UK labour market conditions, prior to COVID-19 crisis, were very positive. Unemployment was at four decade low.

Young and dynamic workforce with 65% between 25 and 49 years old

Note:
¹ Based on forecasts by Consensus Economics
Source: JLL Research dated September 2020

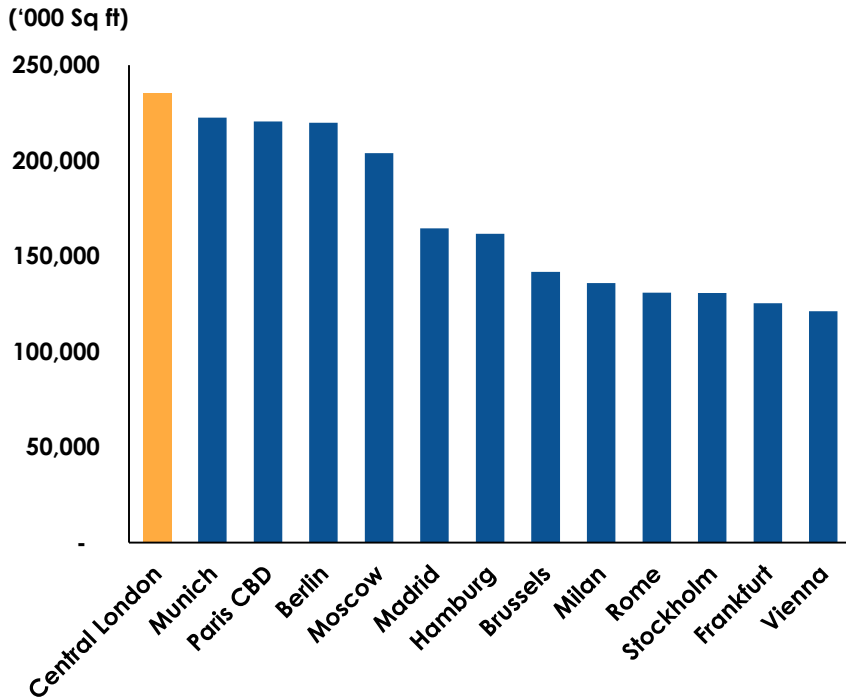
London Ranked #1 City on Global Power City Index for 8 Consecutive Years



London Ranks Among Top 10 Across Many Key Aspects

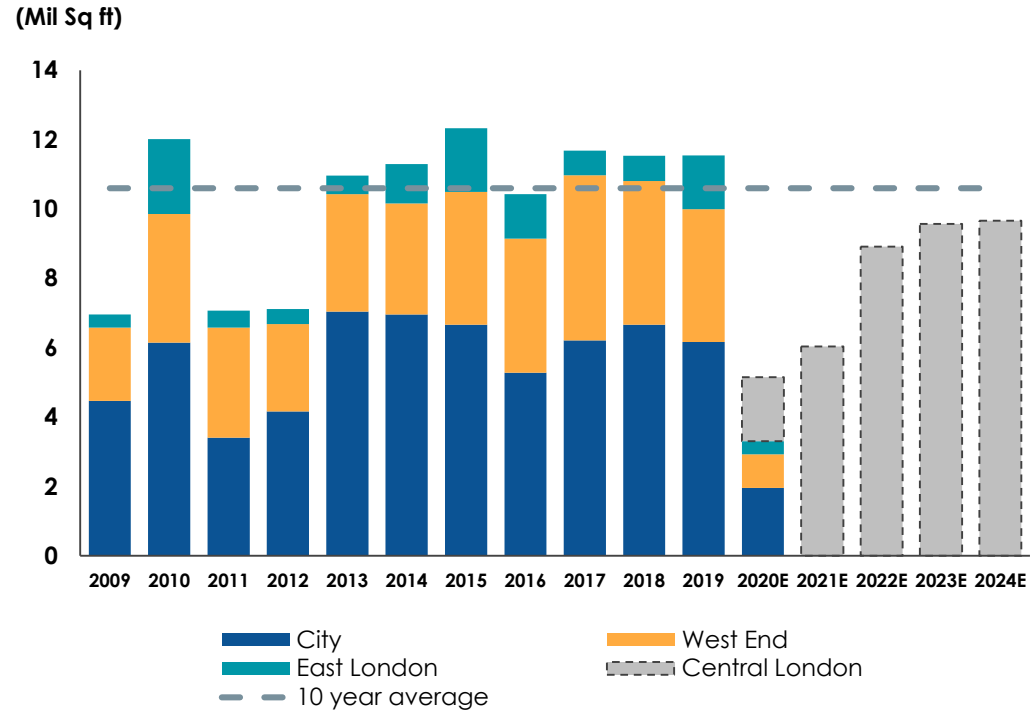
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CBD Office Stock



Largest Amongst Key European Cities

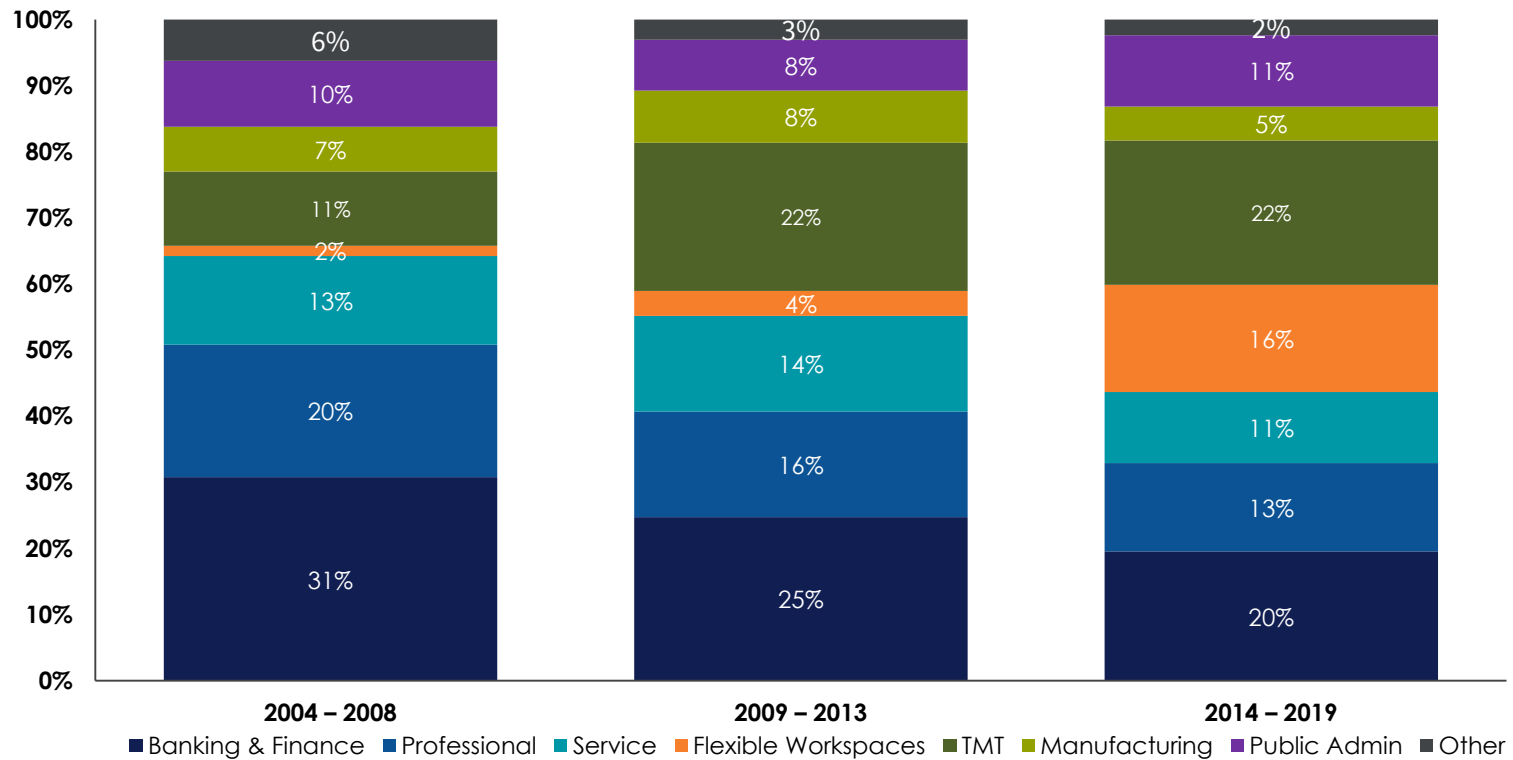
Office Leasing Demand



Demand Supported by London's Attractiveness as Global Hub

Source: JLL Research dated September 2020

London Office Take-Up by Sector



Demand Driven by Diversified Key Sectors including Services, Banking and Finance and TMT

Source: JLL Research dated September 2020