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FY2021 at a Glance

A stellar set of results







\$\$ 127.5 Mil EMA Rental Income¹ +10.1% vs FY2020



\$\$ 93.9 Mil
Distributable Income
+19.3% vs FY2020



7.104 Cents
Distribution Per Unit²
+8.5% vs FY2020



98.94 Cents NAV Per Unit +8.2% vs 31 Dec 2020

Strong Financial Performance

- Full year DPU surpassed 7 cents, reaching a new high of 7.104 cents.
- NAV per unit rose 8.2% y-o-y due to higher property valuation and appreciation of RMB against SGD.

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¹ Excluding straight-line accounting adjustments

² Represent Distribution Per Unit (after retention for asset enhancement initiatives and working capital)

DPU Profile



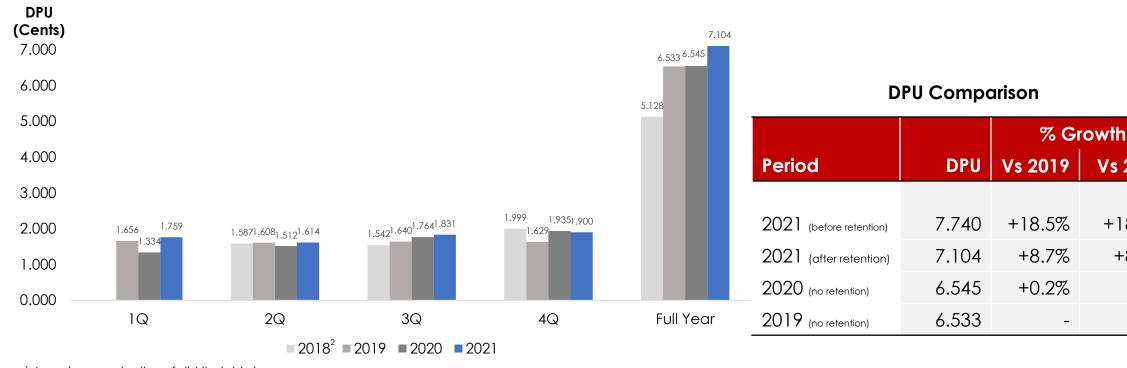
Vs 2020

+18.3%

+8.5%

New record high FY 2021 DPU of 7.104 cents, third consecutive year of growth

- FY 2021 DPU exceeded FY 2020 by 8.5%.
- On a like-for-like basis¹, FY 2021 DPU would be higher at 7.740 cents, 18.3% higher than FY 2020.



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¹ Assuming no retention of distributable income

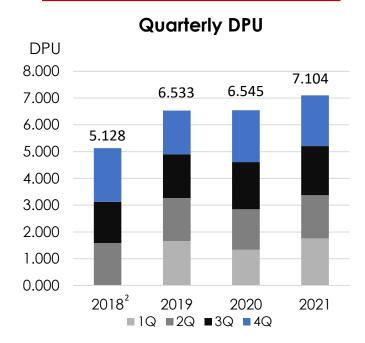
² From 28 March 2018 to 31 December 2018

Sasseur REIT Total Returns & Trading Volume

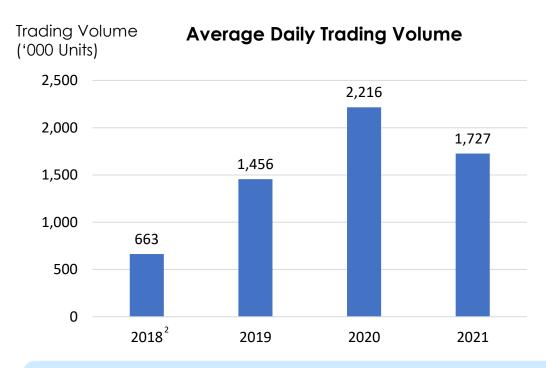


Growing from strength to strength





FTSE EPRA NAREIT Global Emerging Market Index Inclusion²



 Daily average trading volume had increased 260% since IPO in 2018.

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¹ Total return calculated based on IPO price of 80.0 cents and all distributions (including 4Q 2021) with closing unit price of 84.5 cents as at 31 December 2021. ² Since 23 December 2019.

2021 Awards & Achievements

Sasseur REIT was recognized for its outstanding performance in various areas



Singapore Corporate Awards 2020/2021 (Special Edition)

Corporate Excellence and Resilience Award

Securities Investors Association (Singapore) Choice Awards 2021

2 - Singapore Corporate Governance Award Runners-up (REITs & Business Trusts)

Global Good Governance Award™ 2021

- Best Corporate Communications & Investor Relations (Gold)
- **3** Best Governed and Transparent Company (Gold)

Nominated for Best IR Website by the IR Magazine Awards - South East Asia 2021

4 - Certificate for Excellence in Investor Relations

Singapore Governance and Transparency Index 2021 (SGTI 2021)

5 - Improved from 25th to 17th place

Governance Index for Trusts 2021 (GIFT 2021)

6 - Improved from 34th to 20th place







FY 2021 Key Financial Highlights



FY 2021 key metrics well surpassed pre-COVID-19 levels

- FY 2021 results outperformed FY 2020 with 8.5% higher DPU, despite a total of \$\$7.7 million distributable income retained in FY 2021.
- EMA Rental Income rose by 5.5% y-o-y in RMB, lifted by 11.7% increase in variable component attributed to 12.3% higher sales of RMB 4.184.6 million.
- The increase in sales reflected the resilience of the portfolio despite the volatile business environment in China. Robust consumption trends where Sasseur REIT's outlets are located, coupled with intensive promotional efforts in close collaboration with tenants, led to the higher sales.

	FY 2021	FY 2020	Change %
Sales (RMB mil)	4,184.6	3,727.2	12.3
Fixed component (RMB mil)	421.8	409.6	3.0
Variable component (RMB mil)	190.1	170.2	11.7
EMA rental income (RMB mil) ¹	611.9	579.8	5.5
EMA rental income (S\$ mil) ¹	127.5	115.8	10.1
Income available for distribution to Unitholders (\$\$ mil)	93.9	78.7	19.3
DPU (SG Cents) before retention	7.740	6.545	18.3
DPU (SG Cents) after retention	7.104	6.545	8.5

¹ Exclude straight-line accounting adjustments.

² Average SGD: RMB rate of 1:4.7991 for FY 2021 and 1:5.0085 for FY 2020.

FY 2021 Distributable Income



FY 2021 Distributable Income increased by 19.3% y-o-y

Key Contributing Factors

- Higher EMA rental income attributable to innovative and unique EMA model and RMB appreciation against SGD.
- Lower trust expenses due to the absence of professional fees incurred for refinancing and non-recurring tax advisory fees in FY 2020.
- Lower finance costs due to lower average interest rates after refinancing in Sep 2020.

		S\$ million	FY 2021	FY 2020	Change %
Distributable Income	(\$\$ mil)	EMA rental income	127.5	115.8	10.1
110.397		Trust expenses	(1.6)	(2.5)	38.1
+19.3% 93.	3.9	Finance income	0.2	0.1	n.m.
78.7		Finance costs	(17.7)	(20.4)	12.9
		Exchange differences	0.5	(0.3)	n.m.
		Tax expenses	(15.0)	(14.0)	(7.8)
		Income available for distribution to Unitholders	93.9	78.7	19.3
		Less: Amount retained	(7.7)	-	n.m.
FY 2020 FY 2	2021	Amount to be distributed to Unitholders	86.2	78.7	9.5

Robust Balance Sheet





- Property valuation rose by $9.1\%^1$ y-o-y to \$\$1.80 billion, lifting NAV per Unit by 8.2% to 98.94 cents.
- This reflects Sasseur REIT's position as a proxy to China's strong domestic market.

S\$ million	As at 31 Dec 2021	As at 31 Dec 2020	Change	Change %
Investment properties	1,801.0	1,651.1	149.9	9.1
Cash and short-term deposits	159.8	155.9	3.9	2.5
Total assets	1,989.8	1,858.2	131.6	7.1
Loans and borrowings	510.6	504.3	6.3	1.2
Total liabilities	780.6	752.8	27.8	3.7
Net assets	1,209.2	1,105.4	103.8	9.4
NAV per Unit (SG cents) ²	98.94	91.40	7.5	8.2

¹ Investment properties are higher by 9.1% as at 31 Dec 2021, mainly contributed by higher valuation of properties by 4.4% and RMB appreciation against SGD.

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² Based on units in issue and to be issued of 1,222,205,028 and 1,209,412,000 as at 31 December 2021 and 31 December 2020 respectively.



Well-balanced Debt Profile

Equal mix of onshore and offshore loans

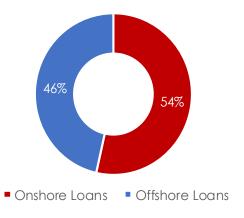
Actively exploring refinancing opportunities with a view to de-risk the current debt profile by staggering debt maturity and loan amount.

	Onshore Loans	Offshore Loans	
Currency	RMB	SGD USD	
Outstanding Quantum ¹	RMB 1.31 billion	SGD 214 million	USD 20 million
	~SGD 278 million	n.a.	~SGD 27 million
Maturity	March 2023	March 2023	March 2023
Floating Rate	5-year LPR	SOR	USD LIBOR

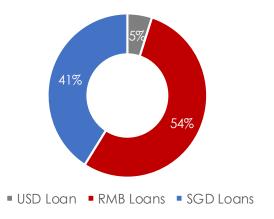
¹ Based on SGD:RMB and USD:SGD exchange rates of 4.7179 and 1.3514 as at 31 December 2021 respectively.







Debt Currency Profile





Prudent Capital Management



Low gearing with considerable debt headroom, strong interest coverage

	31 Dec 2021	31 Dec 2020
Gross borrowings	\$\$518.6 mil	S\$518.5 mil
Aggregate leverage	26.1%	27.9%
Average debt maturity	1.2 years	2.2 years
Debt headroom ^{1,2}	\$\$952 mil	S\$823 mil
Available undrawn facilities	S\$8 mil	S\$1 mil
Weighted average cost of debt ³ (p.a.)	4.4%	4.9%
Interest coverage ratio ⁴	5.1 times	4.0 times

¹ Debt headroom is computed based on total assets and assuming a corresponding increase in total assets with new debts raised.

- Low gearing of 26.1% provides considerable debt headroom to potential acquisition pursue opportunities.
- Adopt appropriate interest rate and foreign currency hedging strategies depending on the outlook of interest rate and foreign currency movement.

² Based on MAS prescribed leverage limit of 50%.

³ Includes borrowing-related fees.

⁴ Based on dividing the trailing 12 months EBITDA (excluding the effects of any fair value changes of financial derivatives and investment properties, and foreign exchange translation) by the trailing 12 months interest expense and borrowing-related fees as set out in the CIS Code.



Portfolio Summary

Quality properties in high growth cities with large population base





Portfolio of 4 outlets

NLA: 312,784 sqm

Total Valuation*: RMB 8.50 billion / \$\$1.80 billion

*Based on independent valuation as at 31 Dec 21 by Savills Real Estate Valuation (Beijing) Limited

As at 31 Dec	Valuation (RMB mil)			
Outlets	2019	2020	2021	
Chongqing Liangjiang	2,973	2,982	3,121	
Chongqing Bishan	824	809	838	
Hefei	2,795	2,758	2,883	
Kunming	1,620	1,593	1,655	
Portfolio	8,212	8,142	8,497	





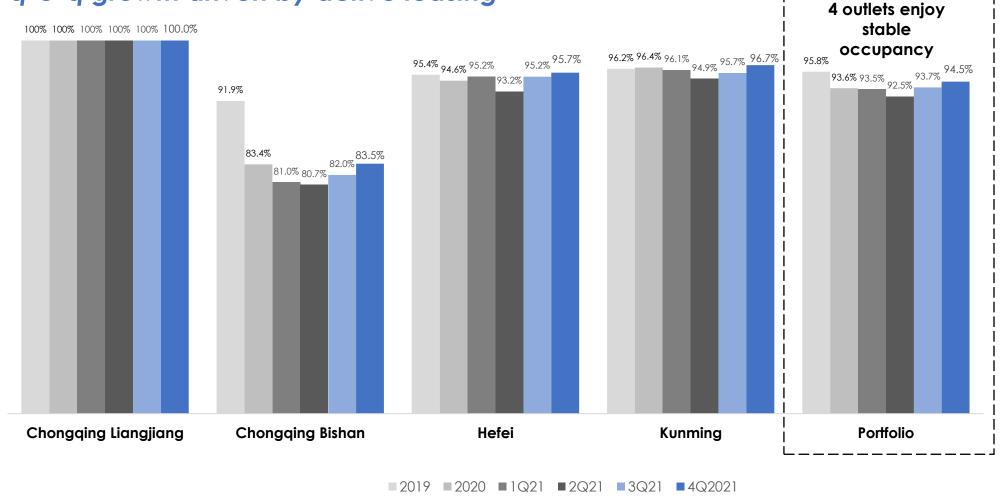




Improving Portfolio Occupancy







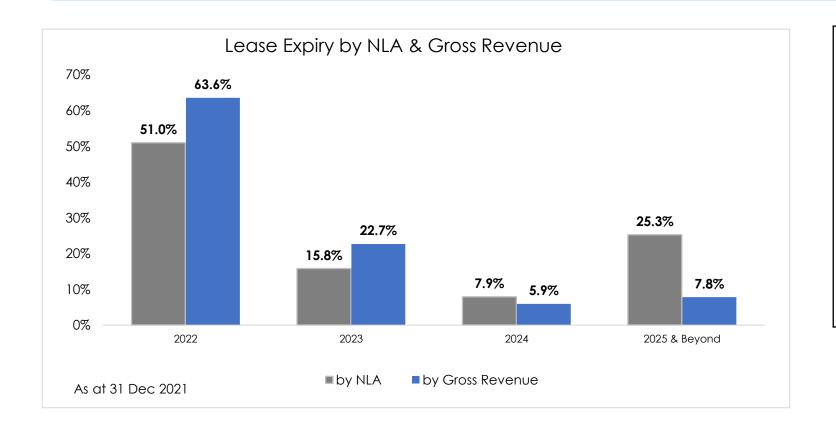
*Occupancy is calculated based on average of the last day of the 3 months.

Weighted Average Lease Expiry (WALE)





Short lease strategy to adjust trade mix swiftly to adapt to fast-changing consumer preferences in China.



Weighted Average Lease Expiry (years)

By Gross Revenue

By Net Lettable Area

3Q 2021 WALE by Gross Revenue and NLA are 1.3 years and 2.7 years respectively.











FY2021 Promotional Activities

Drawing shoppers through thematic promotional events



Summer Sale



Exciting promotional events were planned during summer holidays in Mid-July







Chinese Valentine's Day



Chinese Valentine's Day falls on the 7th July in the Lunar calendar, it is widely celebrated amongst the younger generation.





Anniversary Sale



Kunming (left)
Crowds at
open plaza

Chongqing Liangjiang (below)

Large crowds still seen past midnight





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Management Focus & Priorities



Building resilience and preparing for next growth phase



- ✓ Improve portfolio occupancy > 95%
- ✓ Seek opportunities to consolidate higher ownership of Sasseur Hefei Outlets
- ✓ Sharpen appeal of outlets to take advantage of strong domestic consumption



Prudent Capital Management

- ✓ De-risk current debt profile through staggered debt maturity at next refinancing opportunity
- √ Maintain robust balance sheet and acceptable gearing level
- √ Maintain prudent cost management practices



- ✓ Priority to acquire Sponsor's ROFR and/or Pipeline properties
- √ Target cities in China with large population base and attractive growth potential
- ✓ Target income-producing properties with attractive fundamentals and long-term growth potential

Sponsor's Growing Footprint in China







- Pipeline properties are 3rd party owned assets which Sasseur Group has ROFR over it
- Sasseur REIT will be granted ROFR automatically if Sasseur Group exercises its ROFR

	Fuzhou	Nanjing II	Shijiazhuang	Shanghai	Shenzhen
Opening Date (Tentative)	May 2022	Sep 2022	Dec 2022	Dec 2022	May 2023
GFA (sqm)	~190,000	~100,000	~83,000	~109,000	~150,000
Car Park Lots	c.2,800	c. 1,100	c. 3,500	c.2,500	c.2,200





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