



Ascott Residence Trust

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Overview of Ascott Residence Trust



Ascott Reit – A Leading Global Hospitality REIT

Well-diversified portfolio of quality hospitality assets located in major gateway cities

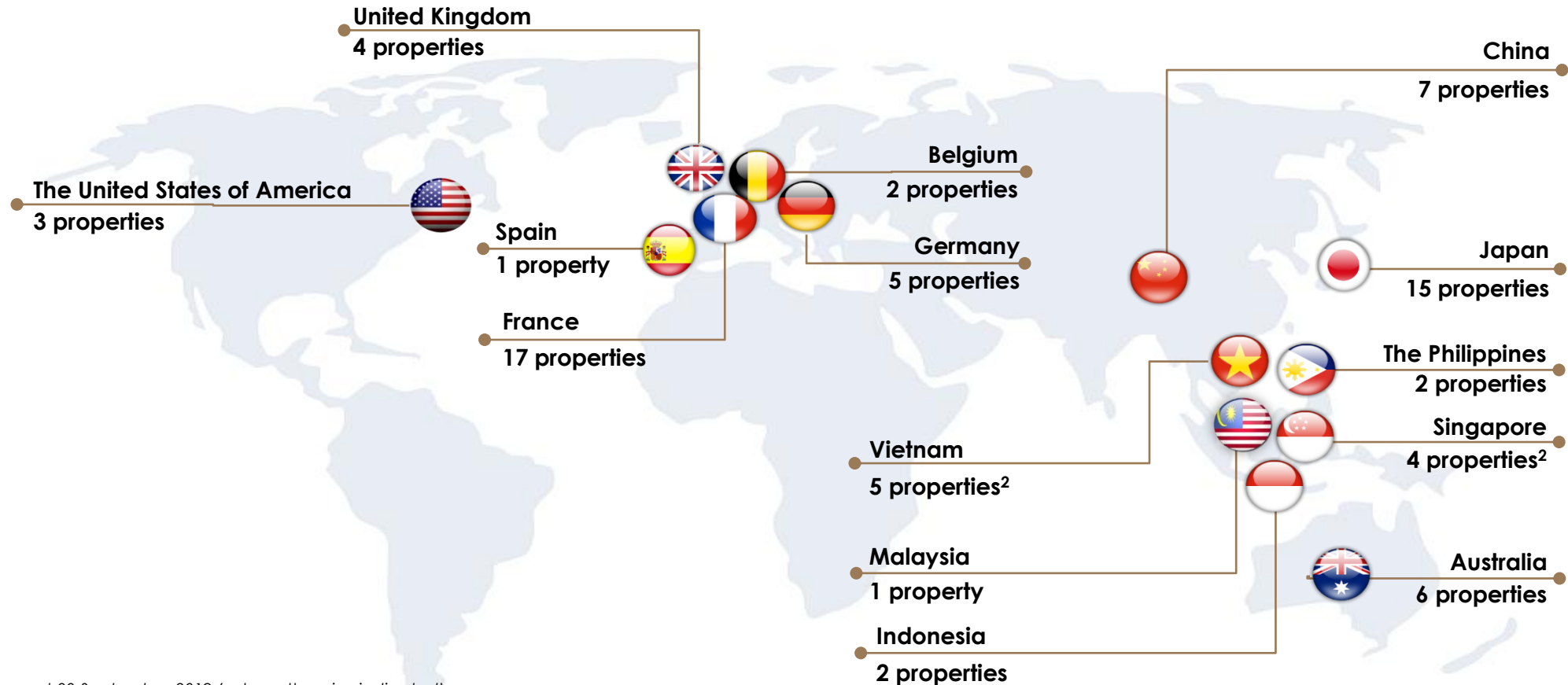
S\$3.0b¹
Market Capitalisation

S\$5.7b
Total Assets

>11,700²
Apartment Units

74²
Properties

37
Cities in 14 Countries



Notes:

Figures above as at 30 September 2019 (unless otherwise indicated)

1. Based on closing unit price of S\$1.38 as at 31 October 2019

2. Including 1 of one-north Singapore (currently under development) and Somerset West Lake Hanoi which was divested on 31 October 2019

Ascott Reit's Well-Diversified and Resilient Portfolio



Geographical diversification

58% : 42%

Asia Pacific Europe/US

Diversified income streams



40% : 60%

Stable Income Growth Income

Based on 3Q 2019 gross profit

Valuable portfolio of properties with

>50% freehold



Range of product offering includes...

serviced residences, hotels, rental housing and coliving properties

Award-winning properties managed by Sponsor, The Ascott Limited...



...operating under established brands

...catering to



long- and short-stay, business and leisure guests

Balanced Portfolio of Stable Income and Growth Income

	Stable Income		Growth Income
	Master Lease	Management Contracts with Minimum Income Guarantee	Management Contracts
Description	Fixed rental ¹ received	Enjoy minimum guaranteed income	Variable amount (no fixed or guaranteed rental)
Location and Number of Properties ²	26 properties mainly in Europe France(17) Germany(5) Australia(3) Singapore(1)	7 properties in Europe United Kingdom(4) Belgium(2) Spain(1)	40 properties mainly in Asia Pacific Australia(3) China(7) Indonesia(2) Japan(15) Malaysia(1) The Philippines(2) Singapore(2) United States(3) Vietnam(5)

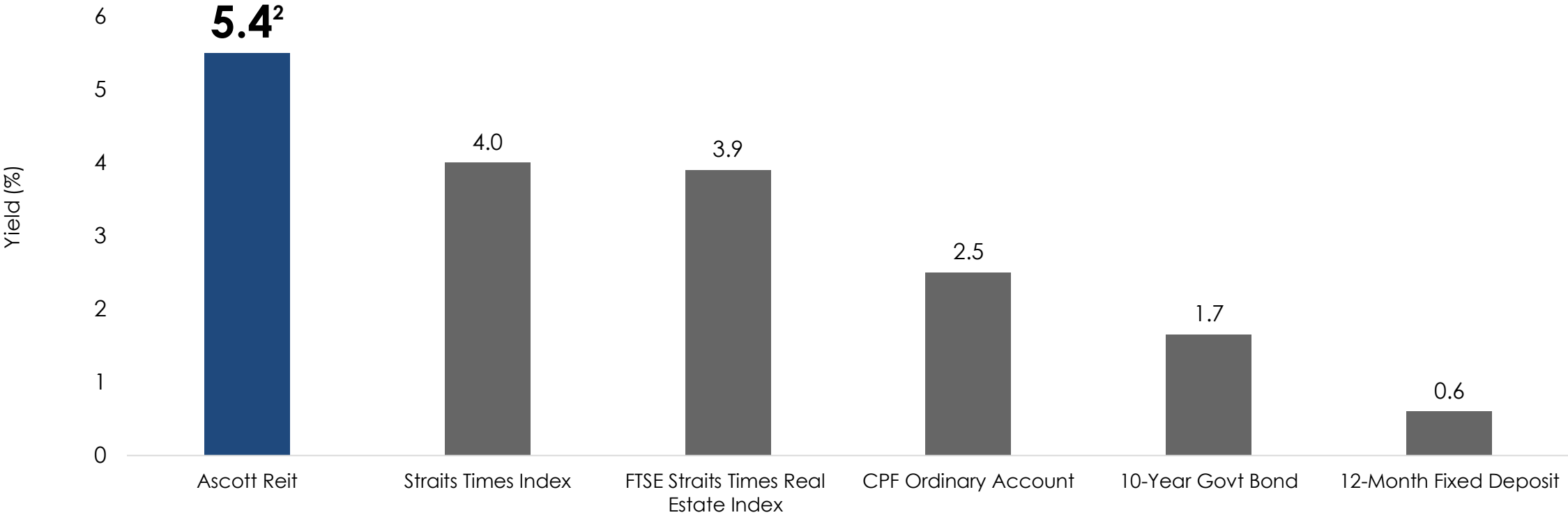
Notes:

1. Rental received under master leases are generally fixed. However, some contracts provide for annual rental revisions pegged to indices; while some contracts include a variable rental above fixed rental if certain conditions are met

2. As at 30 September 2019, excludes lyf one-north (under development) and includes Somerset West Lake Hanoi which was divested on 31 October 2019

Value Creation for Unitholders

Attractive 5-Year Average DPU Yield of >6%¹



**Total Unitholder Return Since IPO
> 300%³**

Above yield figures as at September 2019, unless otherwise stated.
 Sources: Central Provident Fund; Monetary Authority of Singapore; Bloomberg (trailing 12 month yield for FTSE Straits Times Real Estate Index and Straits Times Index)
 1. Based on a simple average of the past 5 years' DPU Yield
 2. Computed based on Ascott Reit's 12 month trailing DPU and the closing unit price of S\$1.32 as at 30 September 2019
 3. Computation from Bloomberg and assumes reinvestment of distributions back into the security

Awards and Accolades

Highly coveted accolades awarded in past 2 years



Asia Pacific
Best of the Breeds
REITs AWARDS™

Asia Pacific Best of the Breeds REITs Awards™ 2018 & 2019

Best Hospitality REIT (Platinum award)



SIAS
INVESTORS'
CHOICE
AWARDS

SIAS Investors' Choice Awards

Runner-up for
Singapore Corporate
Governance Award

Runner-up for
Most Transparent
Company Award

SINGAPORE GOVERNANCE AND TRANSPARENCY INDEX (SGTI)

Singapore Governance and Transparency Index 2018 & 2019

Ranked 3rd out of 43 Trusts

World Travel Awards 2019

Awarded accolades for **Leading Serviced Apartments 2019**

Belgium's Leading Serviced Apartments 2019: **Citadines Sainte-Catherine Brussels**

Germany's Leading Serviced Apartments 2019: **Citadines Arnulfpark Munich**

Spain's Leading Serviced Apartments 2019: **Citadines Ramblas Barcelona**



TripAdvisor Awards 2019

> 20 properties¹
conferred the
Certificate of
Excellence
Award 2019



Note:

1. Refer to https://www.the-ascott.com/en/tripadvisor_awards_2019.html for the full list of properties

Value Creation Strategies



Value Creation for Unitholders

Five pronged approach to deliver value



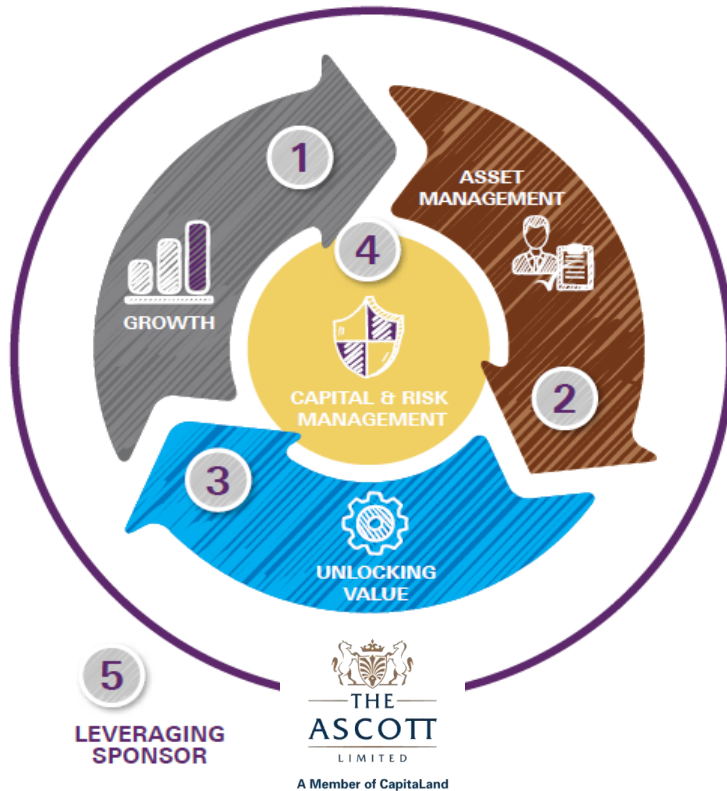
Vision:

To be the premier hospitality trust with quality assets in key global cities



Mission:

To deliver stable and sustainable returns to Unitholders



1. Growth by Acquisition

- Total assets **grew sevenfold** since IPO to \$5.7 billion
- **Maiden development** project for **first coliving** property
- Milestone **combination** with **Ascendas Hospitality Trust**

2. Active Asset Management

- **RevPAU optimisation** & yield management
- **Asset Enhancement Initiatives**
- **Portfolio diversification:** geographical spread; product offering; contract types; etc

3. Unlocking Value

- Generated **\$50.4b net divestment gains** and reinvested into higher-yielding assets

4. Prudent Capital and Risk Management

- **“BBB”** (stable outlook) **rating** by Fitch Ratings

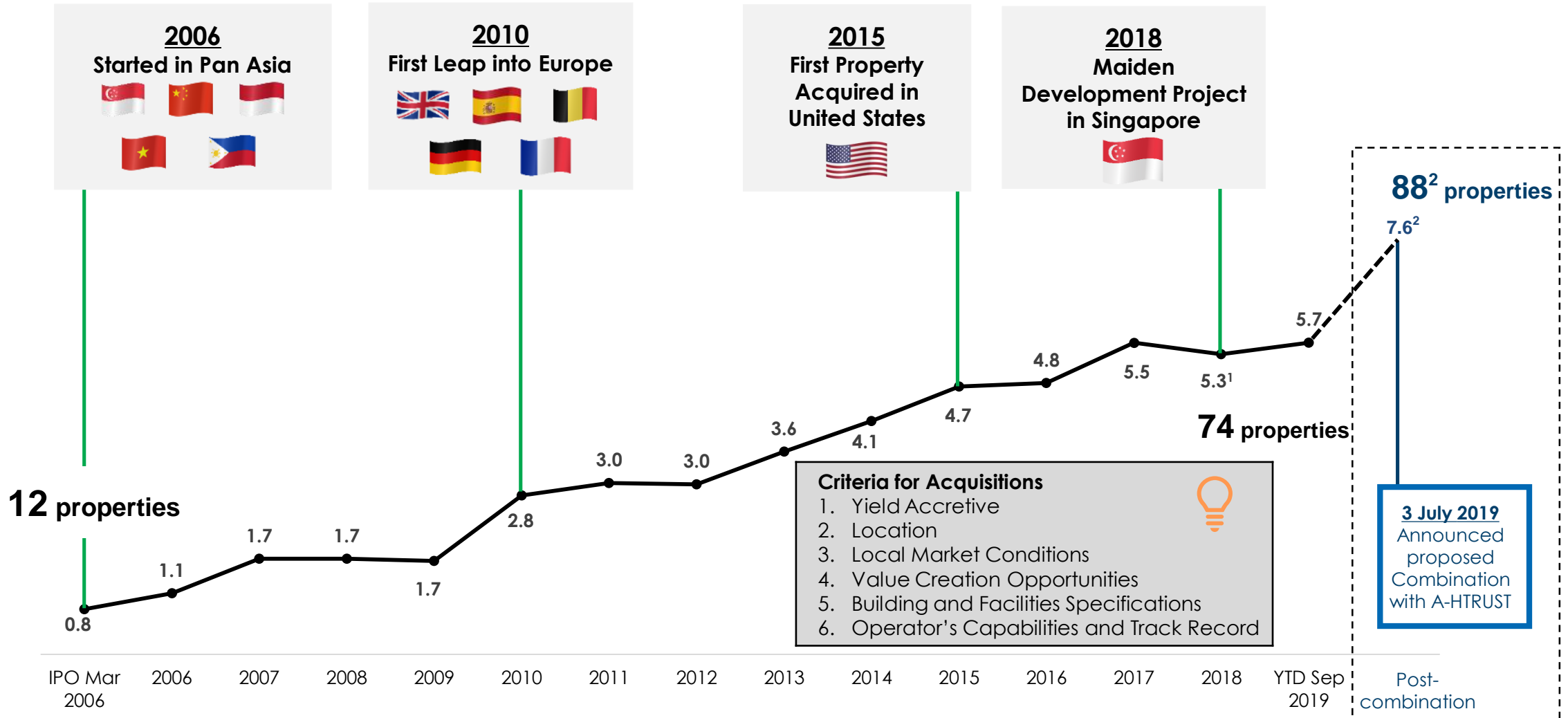
5. Leveraging Sponsor

- Strong **brand recognition** and **global footprint**
- **RoFR** and **pipeline** assets
- **Alignment** of Unitholder interests with ~45% stake¹

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Key Milestone Acquisitions since IPO

Total Assets Since Listing (\$\$ billion)



Notes:

1. The decrease in total assets was due to the utilisation of the proceeds from the divestment of Citadines Biyun Shanghai and Citadines Gaoxin Xi'an on 5 January 2018 to repay bank loans
2. Based on the combined total assets and properties of Ascott Reit and A-HTRUST as at 31 March 2019.

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Embarked on Maiden Development Project to Build New Coliving Product

lyf one-north Singapore, located in a prime developing district with limited lodging supply

Coliving a rising trend in today's sharing economy amongst the **rising millennial-minded business traveller market**

lyf one-north Singapore, expected to **open in 2021**, incorporates 324 efficiently designed studio and loft units¹ and social spaces



Artist's impression



Artist's impression – Communal kitchen

one-north : home to **400 companies, 800 startups and 50,000 professionals**²

Attracting **over S\$7 billion worth of investments**² and to be developed into a cluster of world class facilities and business parks

Notes:

- 1. Subject to change
- 2. Source: JTC (2018)

Asset Enhancement

Enjoy ADR uplift upon completion of Asset Enhancement Initiatives



**Element New
York Times
Square West**
The United States of
America

Completed 2Q 2019

Before



After



**Somerset Grand
Citra Jakarta**
Indonesia

Completed 2Q 2019



Criteria for Asset Enhancement Initiatives

1. Age of the Property
2. Market Outlook
3. Yield Accretion

3 Unlocking Value



Generated ...

Total Net Divestment Gains
\$0.4 billion

Total Divestment Proceeds
\$1.6 billion



Criteria for Divestment

1. Property Life Cycle
2. Market Conditions
3. Requirement for additional capital outlay

4 Capital & Risk Management

Strong Balance Sheet

Comfortable target gearing of approximately 40%



Balance Sheet Hedging

Natural hedging and swaps through foreign borrowings to match capital value of assets on a portfolio basis



Prudent Capital Management

Diversified funding sources & proactive interest rate management

'BBB' long-term rating by Fitch Ratings with stable outlook



Income Hedging

Hedging foreign currencies through forward contracts to protect distribution

Capital & Risk Management

Adopting a disciplined and proactive approach

Gearing remained low at

33.0%¹

(debt headroom² of about S\$1.1b)
(vs 32.8%)

Interest cover³

5.4X

(vs 5.2X)

~49%

Total Assets in Foreign
Currency Hedged

Low effective borrowing cost³ of

2.1% per annum

(maintained)

~88%

Total debt on fixed rates
(maintained)

-0.1%

Impact of foreign exchange after hedges
on gross profit for YTD September 2019

3.7 years

Weighted average debt to maturity
(vs 3.9 years)

'BBB' (stable outlook)

Long-term rating by Fitch
(affirmed in August 2019)

NAV Per Unit
S\$1.25⁴
(vs S\$1.27)

S\$150 million
5% perpetual securities
(Called on 27 October 2019)

**Successfully refinanced
at a lower rate**

S\$150 million
3.88% perpetual securities
(First call date 4 September 2024)

Notes: Figures above as at/for the period ending 30 September 2019, with 30 June 2019 comparable in brackets

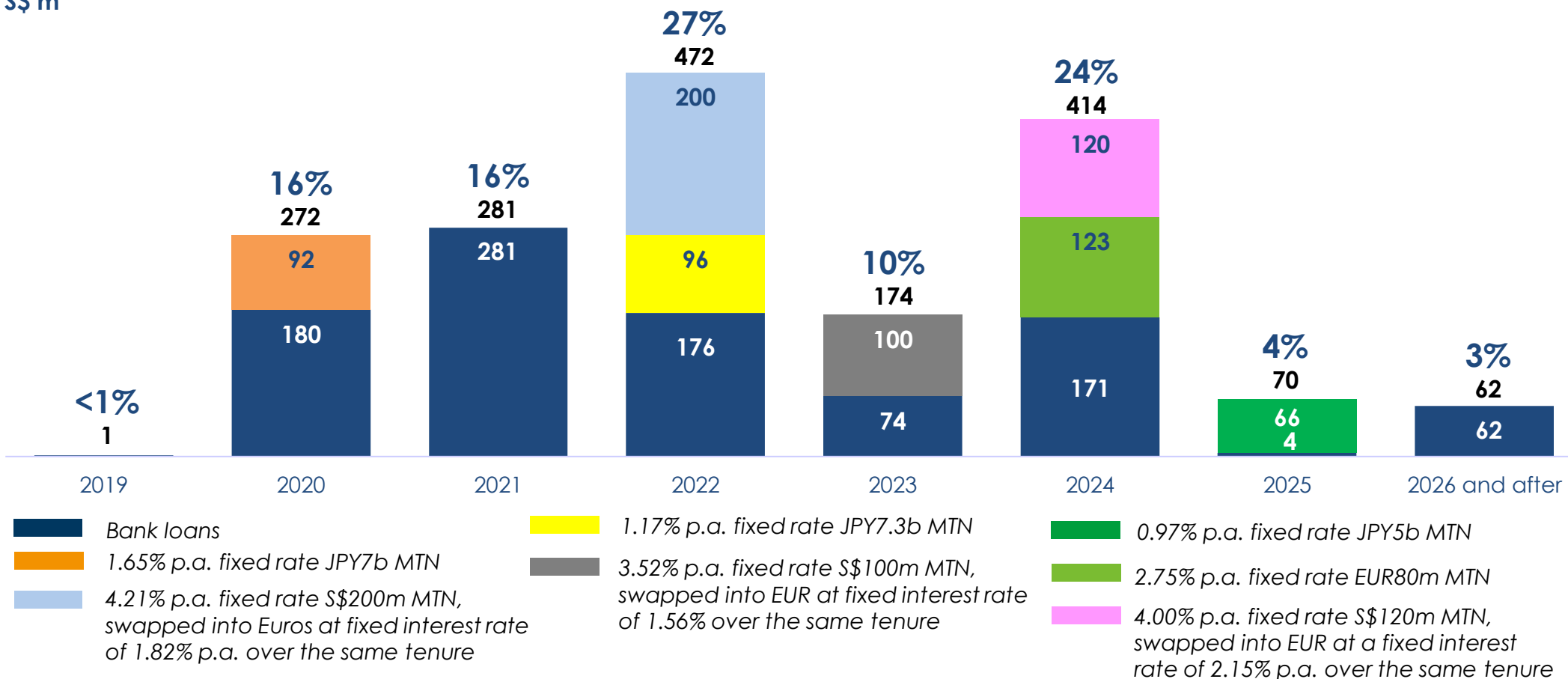
1. Computation of gearing excludes lease liabilities recognised by virtue of FRS 116 as these operating leases were entered into in the ordinary course of business and were in effect before 1 January 2019
2. Refers to the amount of additional debt before reaching aggregate leverage limit of 45% set by MAS
3. Excluding the effect of FRS 116 Leases which was effective 1 January 2019
4. Adjusted NAV per unit, excluding the distributable income to unitholders, is S\$1.23

4 Well Spread-out Debt Maturity

Diversified funding sources with 54% loans: 46% MTN
Proactively review and commence refinancing discussions ahead of debt maturity

Debt Maturity Profile

S\$m



Note:
As at 30 September 2019

5 Strong-Sponsor – The Ascott Limited

One of the leading international lodging owner-operators



>112,000

**Serviced residence
& hotel units**

Includes units under development

>720

Properties



>180

Cities

>30

Countries

>30 year track record

**Award-winning brands
with worldwide recognition**

**Strong alignment of interests
– CapitalLand owns ~45% stake**



5 Working with Sponsor



A Member of CapitaLand



A Member of CapitaLand



engages
service of

to manage the property and
provide hospitality services to

Key Highlights of 3Q 2019



Key Highlights – 3Q 2019

▼ **2%**
Y-o-Y

Revenue

▲ **1%**¹
Y-o-Y

Gross Profit

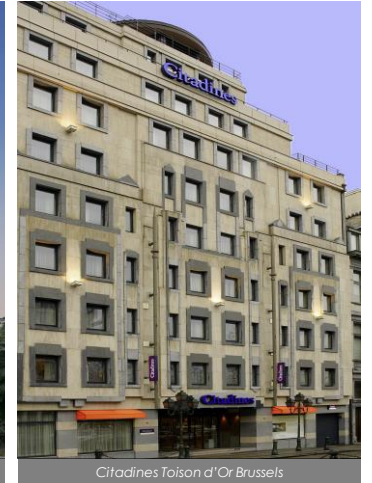
▼ **2%**
Y-o-Y

RevPAU

▲ **5%**
Y-o-Y

DPU

- **Diversified portfolio for income resilience**
 - Stronger performance from Belgium, Spain, Singapore, UK and Vietnam
 - Softer performance in Australia, China, Japan and USA
 - RevPAU decreased mainly due to weaker exchange rates
- **Active portfolio reconstitution provides enhanced returns to unitholders**
 - Revenue and gross profit decline mainly due to divestment of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore (“ARPS”)
 - Partial distribution of S\$4.0 million ARPS divestment gain (of S\$135.0 million) to replace loss of income
- **Proactive capital management**
 - Lower financing costs
 - Debt headroom of about S\$1.1 billion² for yield-accretive investments



Notes:

1. Excluding FRS 116 adjustments, gross profit for 3Q 2019 will be 7% lower y-o-y.
2. Refers to the amount of additional debt before reaching aggregate leverage limit of 45% set by MAS.

Key Highlights – 3Q 2019

Commitment to governance



Asia Pacific Best of the Breeds REITs Awards 2019 – **Best Hospitality REIT (Platinum)**



Runner-up for Singapore Corporate Governance Award & Most Transparent Company Award at SIAS 20th Investors' Choice Awards 2019



Ranked 3rd in the Singapore Governance and Transparency Index 2019 (REIT and Business Trust Category)

Proactive capital management

New tranche of S\$150 million perpetual securities at a **lower rate of 3.88% p.a.**

To redeem



S\$150 million
5% p.a. perpetual securities called on 27 October 2019

Estimated savings of about **S\$1.7 million p.a.**

Combination with Ascendas Hospitality Trust

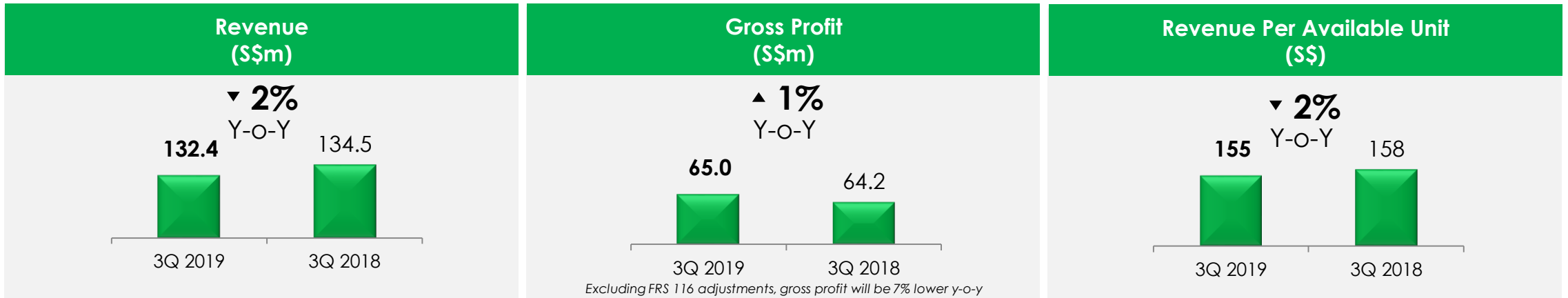


Secured resounding approval from unitholders, **on track for completion by end 2019**

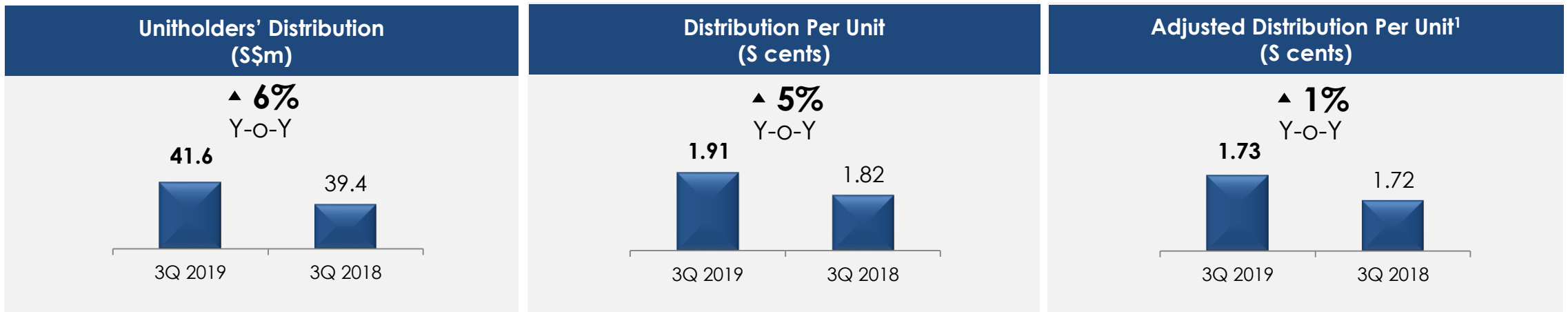
Financial Highlights

(3Q 2019 vs 3Q 2018)

Lower revenue mainly due to divestment of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore



Higher unitholders' distribution due to lower finance costs and distribution of divestment gain



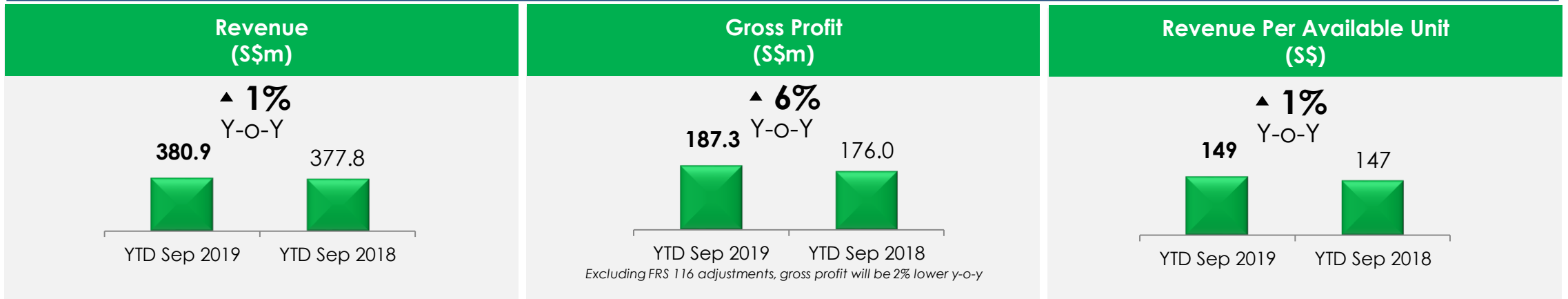
Note:

1. DPU for 3Q 2019 was adjusted to exclude the partial distribution of divestment gain and DPU for 3Q 2018 was adjusted to exclude the contribution from Ascott Raffles Place Singapore.

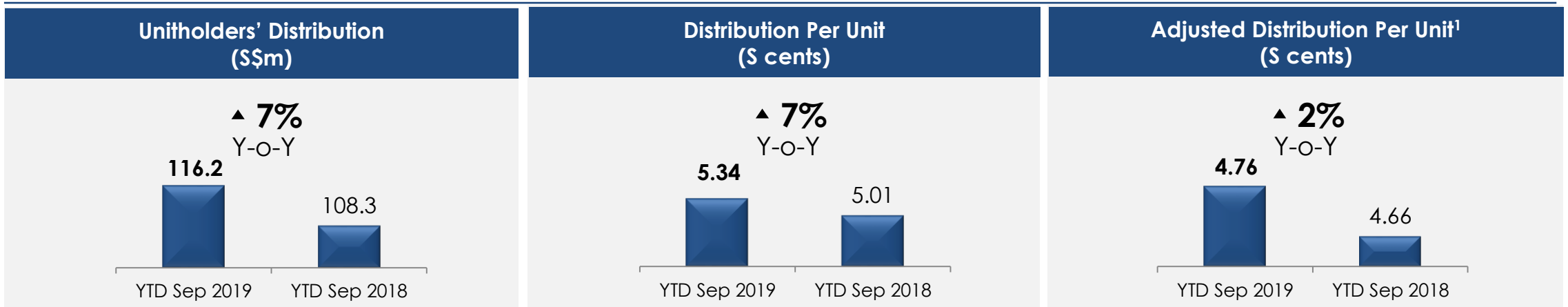
Financial Highlights

(YTD Sep 2019 vs YTD Sep 2018)

Higher revenue from stronger operating performance from properties in Europe



Higher unitholders' distribution due to lower finance costs, one-off realised exchange gain and distribution of divestment gain



Notes:

1. DPU for YTD September 2019 was adjusted to exclude the divestment gain, realised exchange gain and contribution from Ascott Raffles Place Singapore. DPU for YTD September 2018 was adjusted to exclude the realised exchange gain and contribution from Ascott Raffles Place Singapore.

Revenue and Gross Profit by Contract Type

(3Q 2019 vs 3Q 2018)

Stronger contribution from properties in Europe, partially offset by the loss of income arising from divestment of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

		Revenue (\$\$'mil)			Gross Profit (\$\$'mil)			RevPAU (\$\$)		
		3Q 2019	3Q 2018	% Change	3Q 2019	3Q 2018	% Change	3Q 2019	3Q 2018	% Change
Stable Income	Master Leases	18.2	20.8	(13)	16.4	18.7	(12)	-	-	-
	MCMGI ¹	21.8	20.8	5	10.0	9.4	6	211	198	7
Growth Income	Management Contracts	92.4	92.9	(1)	38.6	36.1	7	145	150	(3)
	Total 73 Properties ²	132.4	134.5	(2)	65.0	64.2	1	155	158	(2)

- **Master Leases:** Lower revenue and gross profit mainly due to divestment of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore, lower rent upon renewal of certain French master leases and weaker AUD and EUR
- **MCMGI:** Higher revenue and gross profit due to stronger performance from UK, Belgium and Spain, partially offset by weaker GBP and EUR
- **Management Contracts:** Lower revenue mainly due to softer corporate demand in the regional cities in China, lower contribution from the rental housing properties in Japan and lower revenue from USA due to competition from new supply

Notes:

1. MCMGI refers to Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income
2. Relates to operating properties only and excludes Iyf one-north Singapore (under development)

Key Markets Performance

		Gross Profit (LC'mil)			RevPAU (LC)			Key Reason for Change
		3Q 2019	3Q 2018	% Change	3Q 2019	3Q 2018	% Change	
Stable Income	Australia (AUD)	1.8	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
	France (EUR)	5.1	5.2	(2)	-	-	-	• Renewal of certain master leases at lower rents
	Singapore (SGD)	3.4	5.1	(33)	-	-	-	• Divestment of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore partially mitigated by stronger corporate and leisure demand at Ascott Orchard Singapore
	United Kingdom (GBP)	4.2	4.0	5	153	140	9	• Stronger corporate and leisure demand
Growth Income	Australia (AUD) ¹	2.9	2.9	-	127	149	(15)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lower RevPAU due to acquisition of Citadines Connect Sydney Airport, which has lower RevPAU compared to existing properties in Australia, and softer leisure and corporate demand in Melbourne • On a same store basis, RevPAU would be 4% lower year-on-year
	China (RMB)	27.2	28.8	(6)	455	484	(6)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Softer corporate demand from properties in regional cities, mitigated by higher commercial rent • FRS 116 adjustments
	Japan (JPY) ²	573.4	625.8	(8)	11,711	11,496	2	• Lower rental rates upon renewal of lease for rental housing properties amidst stiff competition, partially offset by stronger performance from serviced residences
	Singapore (SGD)	3.3	3.3	-	221	217	2	• Higher market demand, offset by higher cost
	United States (USD)	7.5	5.2	44	212	226	(6)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competition from new supply and higher staff costs due to higher minimum wage requirement • FRS 116 adjustments
	Vietnam (VND) ³	95.0	88.7	7	1,634	1,499	9	• Stronger corporate demand

Notes: All figures above are stated in local currency

1. Includes contribution from Citadines Connect Sydney Airport, which was acquired in May 2019.









2. RevPAU for Japan refers to serviced residences and excludes rental housing.

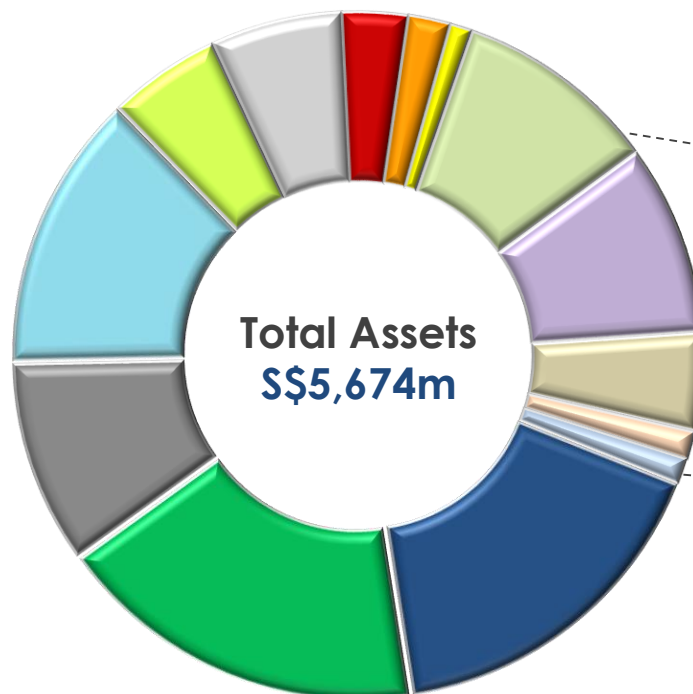
3. Gross profit figures for VND are stated in billions. RevPAU figures are stated in thousands.

Performance Driven by Balanced and Diversified Asset Allocation

58% Asia Pacific

Asia Pacific	57.8%
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 Singapore	17.6%
 Japan	13.1%
 China	9.6%
 Australia	6.2%
 Vietnam	5.3%
 Philippines	3.1%
 Indonesia	2.0%
 Malaysia	0.9%



42% Europe/Americas

Europe	25.7%
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 France	9.6%
 UK	9.0%
 Germany	4.6%
 Spain	1.3%
 Belgium	1.2%

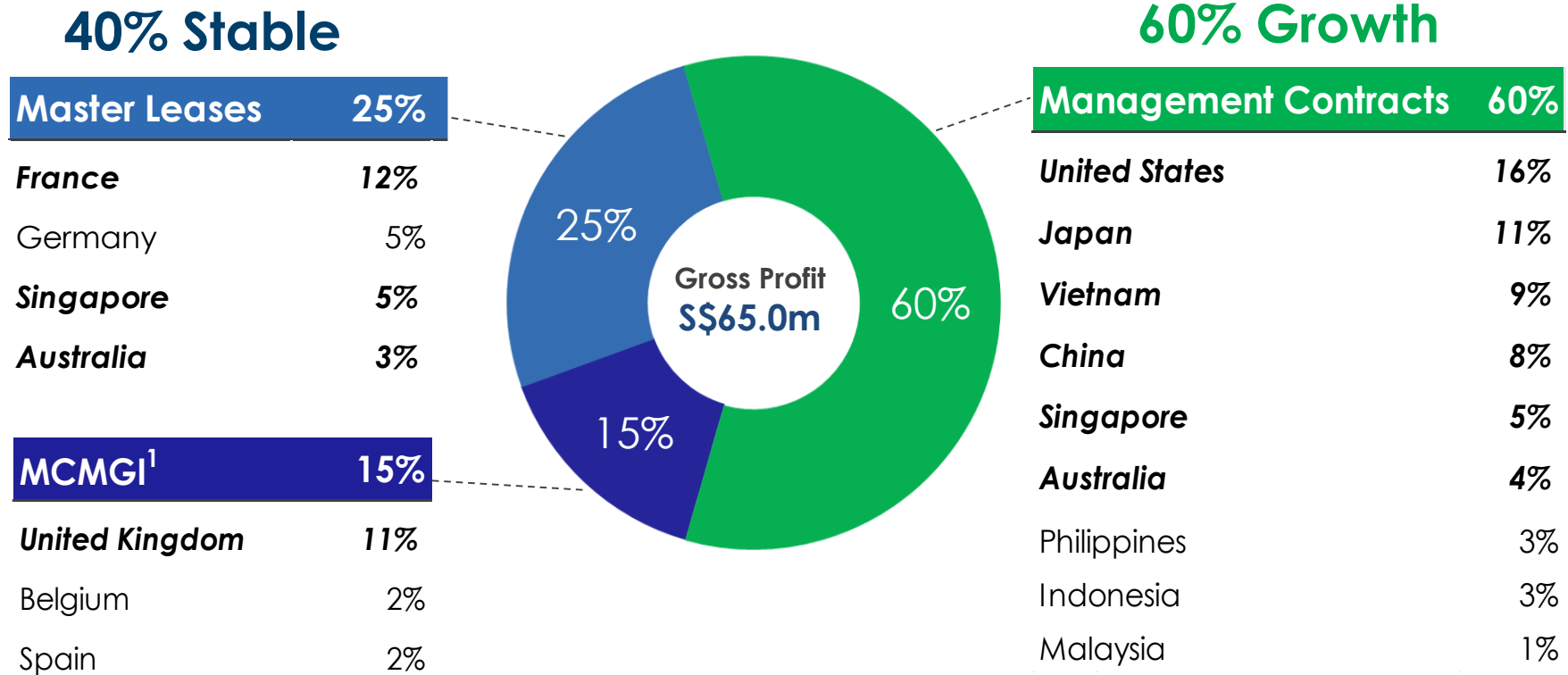
The Americas	16.5%
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 USA	16.5%
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Valuable portfolio comprising
> **50%¹ freehold properties**

Delivering Resilient Performance

8 key markets contributed approximately **84%** to total gross profit
No concentration in any single market



8 Key Markets: **Australia (7%), China (8%), France (12%), Japan (11%), Singapore (10%), United Kingdom (11%), United States (16%)** and **Vietnam (9%)** contribute approximately 84% of Total Gross Profit

Notes: Based on 3Q 2019 Gross Profit
1. MCMGI refers to Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income

Looking Forward



Looking Forward

Diversified portfolio to provide stable distributions amidst macro and operating headwinds
Value creation through portfolio reconstitution

Overall Market Outlook



Subdued Global Economic Growth



Low Interest Rate Environment



Growth in Global Visitor Arrivals to Moderate



Growth in Supply to Outpace Demand in Some Markets in Near Term

Resilient Portfolio



Portfolio Diversification and Reconstitution for Income Resilience

- Global presence with no concentration risk
- Balanced mix of stable and growth income
- Value creation through portfolio reconstitution



Strong Balance Sheet and Lower Cost of Capital

- Low gearing of 33.0% with debt headroom of about S\$1.1 billion¹
- Cost of debt remains low at 2.1% p.a.; refinanced perpetual securities at lower rates
- Fitch Ratings affirmed “BBB” rating with Stable Outlook



Support of Strong Sponsor, The Ascott Limited

- One of the leading international lodging owner-operators
- Pipeline of approximately 20 assets
- Alignment of interests with ~45% stake² in Ascott Reit



Combination of Ascott Reit and Ascendas Hospitality Trust

- Strengthening portfolio with 14 quality properties
- Positioned for potential index inclusion and positive re-rating
- Stronger financial position to capture growth

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2. Held through CapitalLand Group

Combination of Ascott Reit and Ascendas Hospitality Trust

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\$S\$1.9 billion⁽¹⁾ Combination of Ascott Reit and Ascendas Hospitality Trust (“A-HTRUST”)

Overview of the Combination

<p>Consolidate Ascott Reit’s position as the largest hospitality trust in Asia Pacific with total assets of \$S\$7.6 billion⁽²⁾</p> <p>Facilitate inclusion into FTSE EPRA Nareit Developed Index</p>	<p>Enhance portfolio diversification and resilience</p> 	<p> Strengthen position for future growth</p> <p>Stronger financial position to capture the rising hospitality market</p>	<p>DPU accretion to Unitholders...</p> <p> +2.5% FY2018 <i>pro forma</i> DPU</p> <p>...while being neutral to NAV per Unit⁽³⁾</p>
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Total Scheme Consideration of \$S\$1.2 billion⁽⁴⁾ comprises:

<p>\$S\$1.0868 per A-HTRUST Stapled Unit</p>	<p>=</p>	<p>5% Cash Consideration \$S\$0.0543 in cash⁽⁵⁾</p>	<p>+</p>	<p>95% Consideration Units 0.7942 new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units⁽⁵⁾ issued at \$S\$1.30</p>
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Notes:

1. Based on the total assets of A-HTRUST as at 31 March 2019.
2. Based on the combined total assets of Ascott Reit and A-HTRUST as at 31 March 2019.
3. As at 31 December 2018, on a pro forma basis, assuming the premium over NAV is written off and transaction costs are excluded.
4. Based on a total of 1,136.7 million A-HTRUST Stapled Units as at 3 July 2019, date of the joint announcement.
5. The aggregate Cash Consideration to be paid to each A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder shall be rounded to the nearest \$S\$0.01. The number of Consideration Units which each A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder shall be entitled to pursuant to the A-HTRUST Scheme, based on the number of the A-HTRUST Stapled Units held by such A-HTRUST Stapled Unitholder as at the A-HTRUST Scheme Entitlement Date, shall be rounded down to the nearest whole number, and fractional entitlements shall be disregarded.

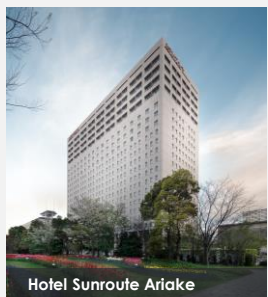
A-HTRUST Portfolio

14 quality properties with over 4,700 rooms in seven cities across Asia Pacific



Japan

5 freehold properties under master leases
38% of total portfolio value



0.2% ↑
GDP
2020 forecast



5.4% ↑ Tokyo
0.8% ↑ Osaka
2018 visitor nights

53%⁽¹⁾
Master leases


Ascendas
Hospitality Trust
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South Korea

2 freehold properties under master leases
10% of total portfolio value



2.2% ↑
GDP
2020 forecast

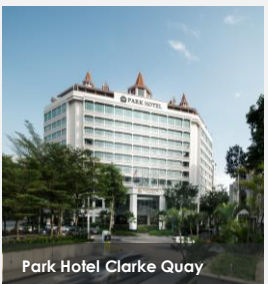


15.1% ↑
South Korea
2018 visitor arrivals



Singapore

1 leasehold property under master lease
18% of total portfolio value



1.8% ↑
GDP
2020 forecast



6.2% ↑
Singapore
2018 visitor arrivals

47%⁽¹⁾
Management contracts



Australia

6 freehold properties under management contracts
34% of total portfolio value

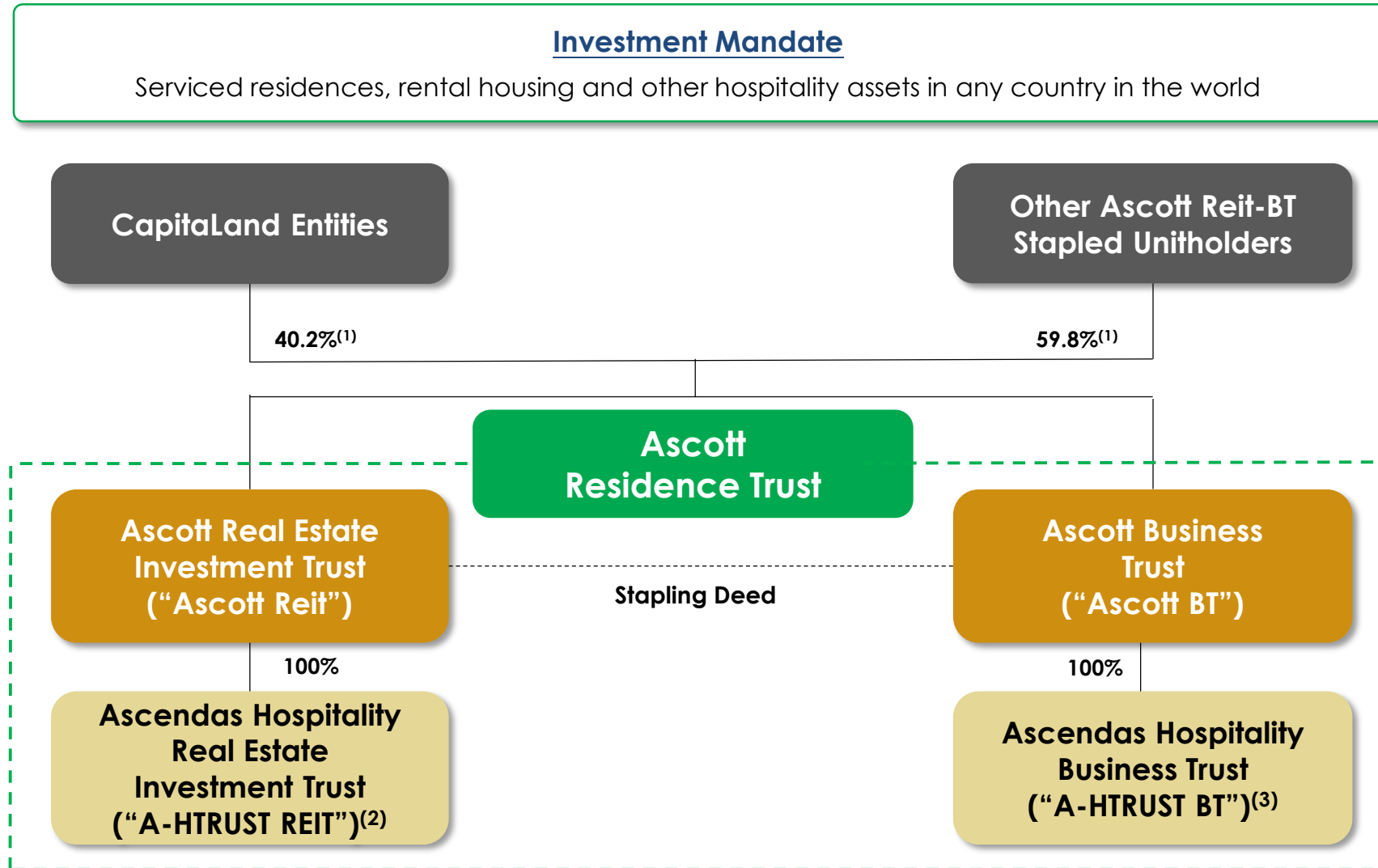


2.5% ↑
GDP
2020 forecast



4.6% ↑ Sydney
11.5% ↑ Melbourne
8.0% ↑ Brisbane
2018 visitor nights

Combined Entity Structure



Notes: (1) Holdings based on the Joint Announcement Date and including Consideration Units. CapitaLand Entities include The Ascott Limited, Somerset Capital Pte Ltd, the Ascott Reit Manager and Ascendas Land International Pte. Ltd.. (2) A-HTRUST REIT will cease to exist as a real estate investment trust under the SFA and an authorised collective investment scheme. (3) A-HTRUST BT will cease to be a registered business trust under the BTA.

Rationale and Benefits of the Combination



1 Proxy Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific

- Potential positive re-rating, wider investor base and higher trading liquidity
- Increase ability to drive growth with stronger financial position and larger debt headroom



2 Enhanced Portfolio

- Enhance portfolio diversification and resilience
- Strengthen presence in Asia Pacific where business and leisure travel demand is robust



3 DPU Accretive to Unitholders

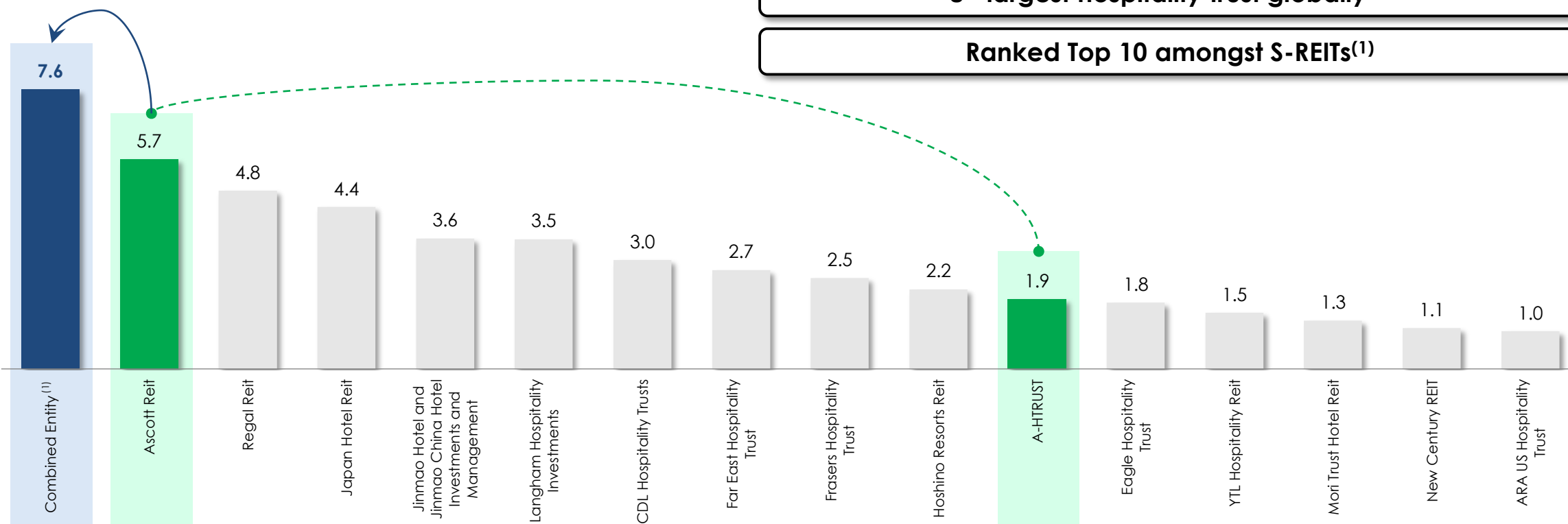
- 2.5% DPU accretion to Ascott Reit Unitholders⁽¹⁾
- Neutral to NAV per Unit⁽²⁾

1 Proxy Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific

- Consolidate position as the largest hospitality trust in Asia Pacific

Total Assets of Hospitality Trusts in Asia Pacific

(S\$ bn)



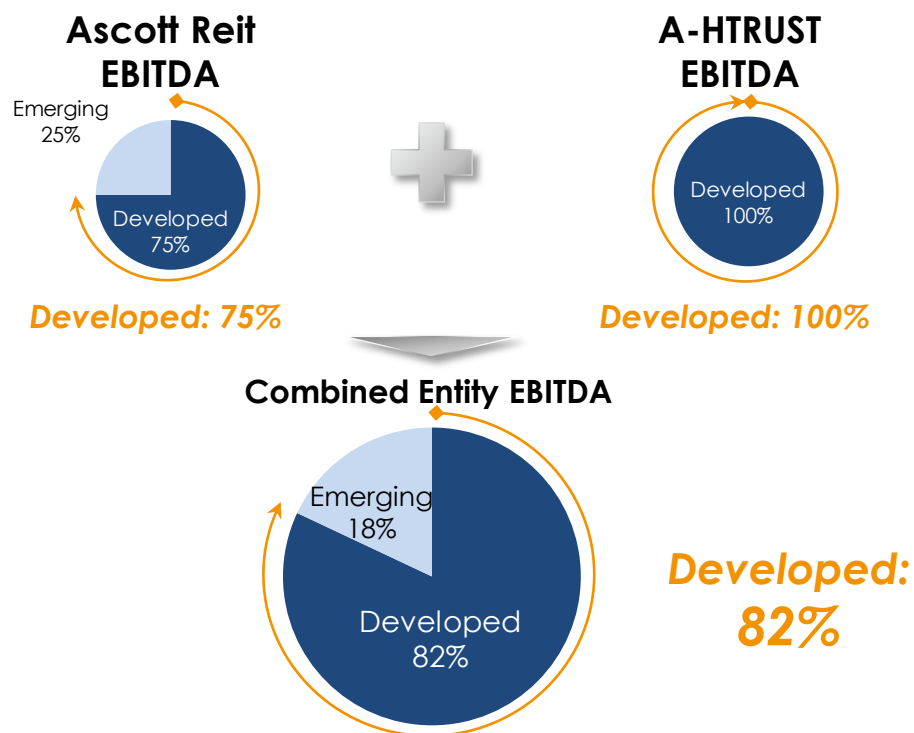
Sources: Bloomberg as at 28 June 2019, reflecting only pure-play hospitality trusts with total assets of at least S\$1.0 billion. Assuming an exchange rate of S\$1 = US\$0.739 = HK\$5.771 = RMB5.077 = JPY79.61 = RM3.054 = A\$1.055 as at 28 June 2019.

Notes: (1) Based on the combined assets of the Ascott Reit Group and the A-HTRUST Group as at 31 March 2019.

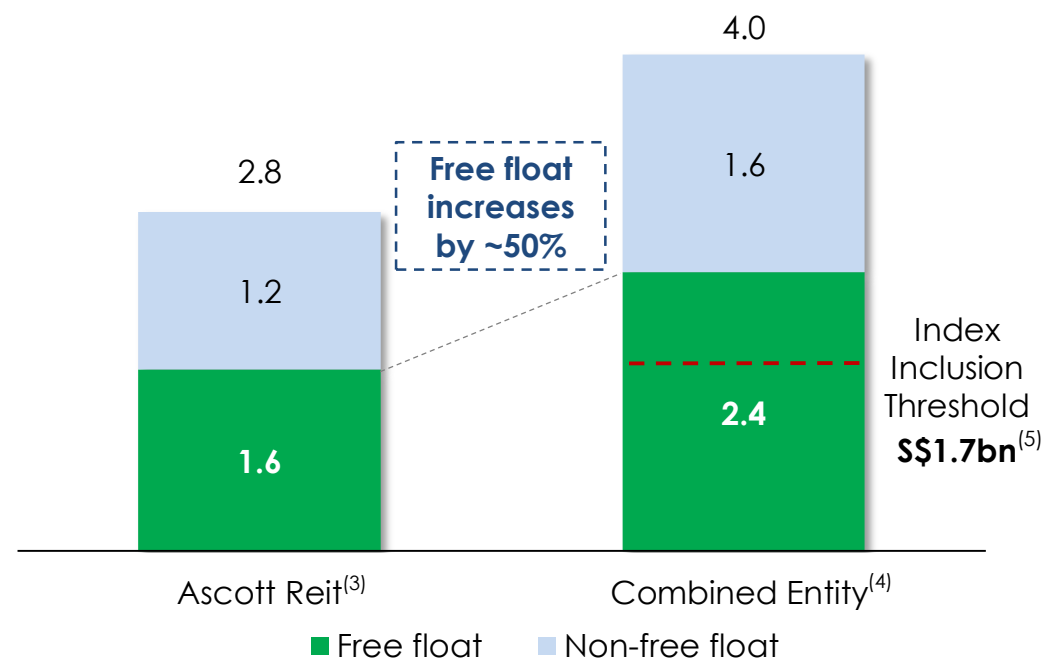
1 Proxy Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific (Cont'd)

- Facilitate inclusion into FTSE EPRA Nareit Developed Index
- Potential positive re-rating, wider investor base and higher trading liquidity

EBITDA⁽¹⁾ breakdown by market classification⁽²⁾



Free Float and Market Capitalisation (\$\$ bn)



Sources: Bloomberg, Company Filings and FTSE Russell. Market data as at 28 June 2019. Assuming an exchange rate of S\$1 = US\$0.739 as at 28 June 2019.

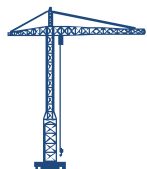
Notes: (1) Based on the Ascott Reit Group's audited consolidated financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2018 ("Ascott Reit FY2018 Financial Statements") and A-HTRUST FY2018/2019 Financial Statements. (2) Developed markets based on FTSE EPRA Nareit classification include Australia, Belgium, France, Germany, Japan, Korea, Singapore, Spain, The United Kingdom and The United States of America; emerging markets include China, Indonesia, Malaysia, The Philippines and Vietnam. (3) Based on 2,174.8 million Ascott Reit Units at S\$1.30 for each Ascott Reit Unit and a free float of 1,197.0 million Ascott Reit Units. (4) Based on 3,086.3 million Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units (including Consideration Units) at S\$1.30 for each Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit and a free float of approximately 1,846.6 million Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units. (5) Based on the threshold of US\$1.3 billion in June 2019.

1 Proxy Hospitality Trust in Asia Pacific (Cont'd)

- Stronger financial position with increased capacity to drive growth



Greater access to **growth opportunities**



Increased capacity to undertake more **development/ conversion projects**

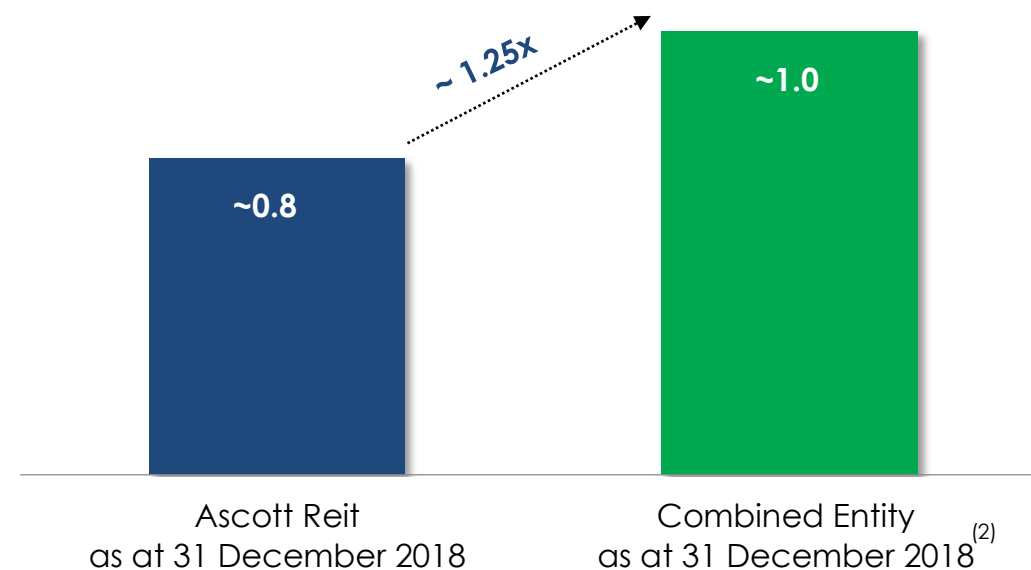


Higher debt headroom, enhancing **financial flexibility** to fund future growth

Debt headroom⁽¹⁾

(\$\$ bn)

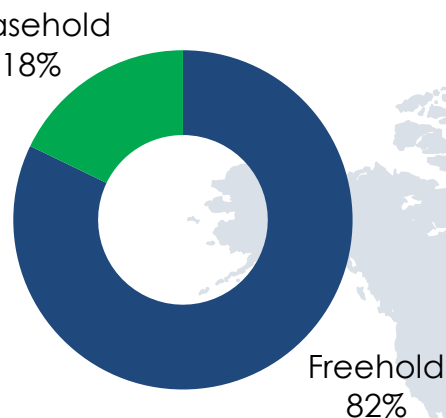
Pro forma aggregate leverage of **36.9%** represents an available debt headroom of **~\$1.0 billion**



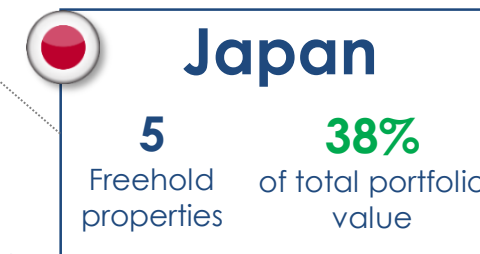
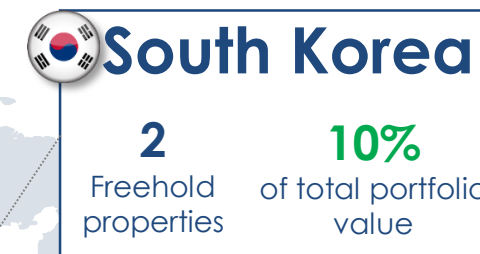
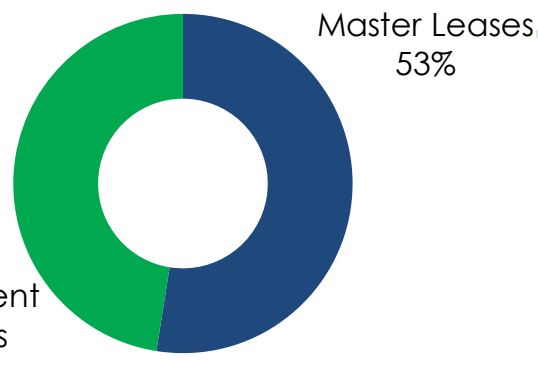
2 Enhanced Portfolio

- Addition of a portfolio comprising 14 quality, predominantly freehold properties in developed markets

Portfolio Valuation Breakdown



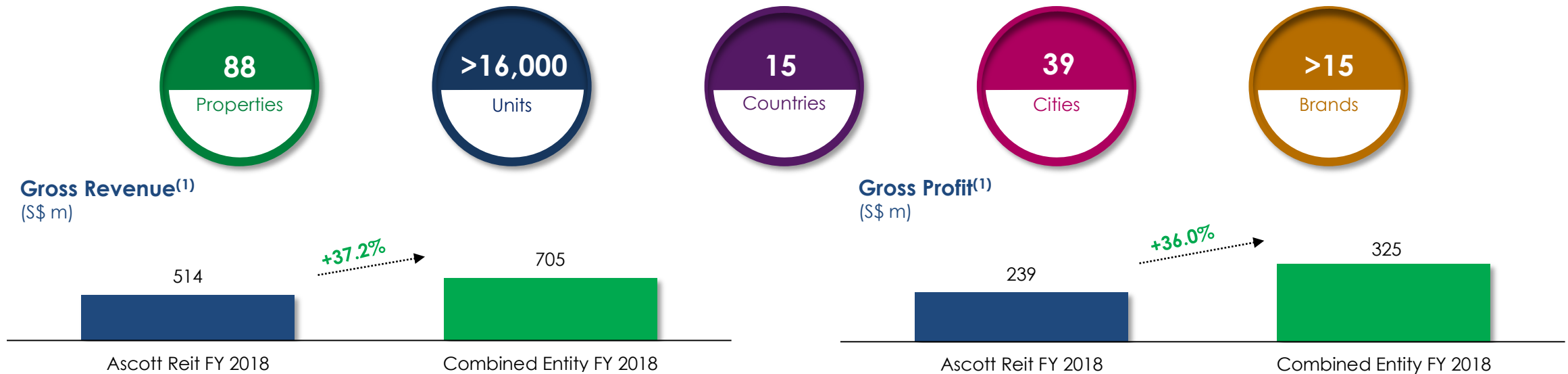
Net Property Income Breakdown⁽¹⁾



2 Enhanced Portfolio (Cont'd)

- Building a bigger hospitality portfolio

Combined Portfolio



Brands Include:



Notes: (1) Based on the Ascott Reit FY2018 Financial Statements and the A-HTRUST FY2018/2019 Financial Statements, excluding contributions from the divested China properties. For A-HTRUST, gross profit refers to net property income.

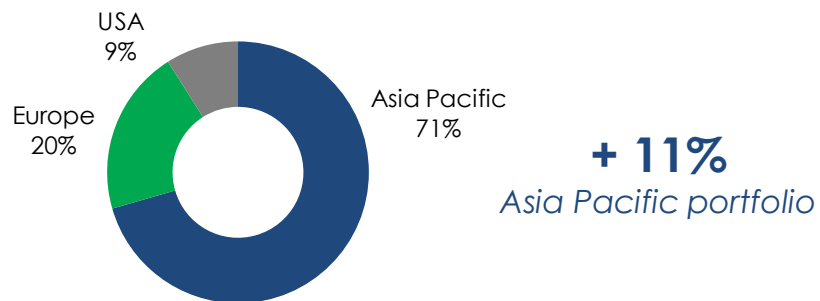
2 Enhanced Portfolio (Cont'd)

- Enhances portfolio diversification and resilience

Combined Portfolio

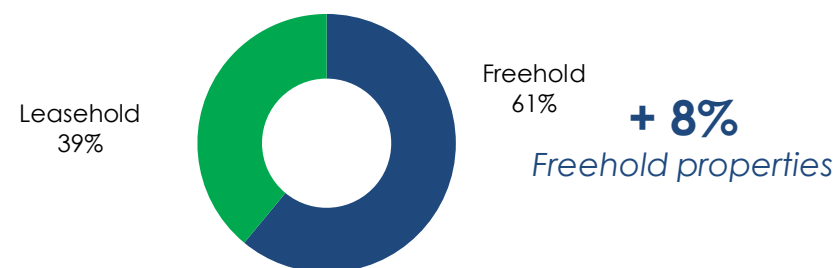
Strengthened presence in Asia Pacific

Portfolio valuation breakdown by geography⁽¹⁾



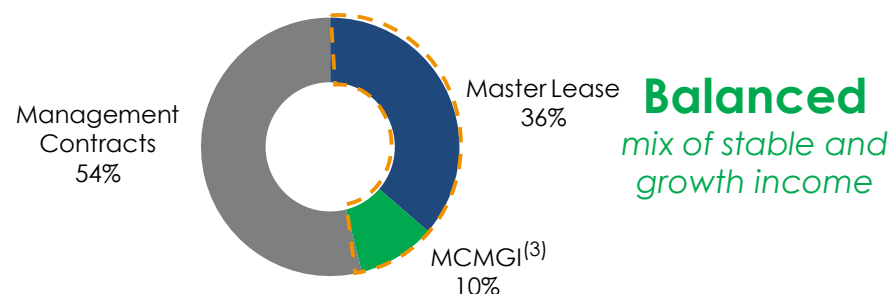
Increased freehold component

Portfolio valuation breakdown by freehold and leasehold⁽¹⁾



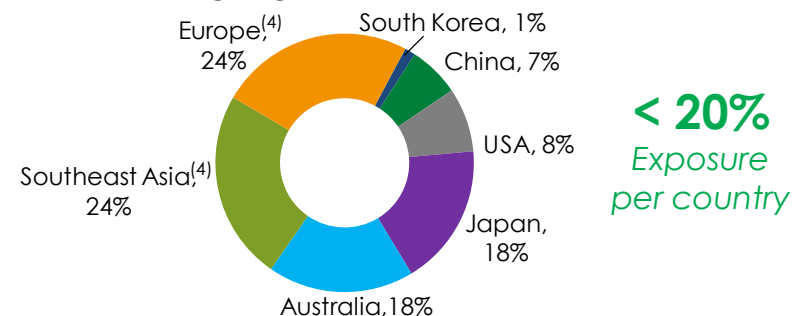
Balance between stable and growth income

Gross profit breakdown by contract type⁽²⁾



Reduced concentration risk

Gross profit breakdown by geography⁽²⁾



Notes: (1) Breakdown of the combined portfolio valuation of S\$6.7 billion, based on the financial position of the Ascott Reit Group and the A-HTRUST Group as at 31 December 2018 and 31 March 2019, respectively. (2) Breakdown of the combined gross profit of S\$325 million, based on the Ascott Reit FY2018 Financial Statements and the A-HTRUST FY2018/2019 Financial Statements, excluding contributions from the divested China properties. For A-HTRUST, gross profit refers to net property income. (3) MCMGI refers to Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income. (4) Europe comprises France (10%), the United Kingdom (7%), Germany (5%), Spain (1%) and Belgium (1%); Southeast Asia comprises Singapore (13%), Vietnam (7%), Indonesia (2%), the Philippines (2%) and Malaysia (<1%).

2 Enhanced Portfolio (Cont'd)

- Strengthen presence in Asia Pacific where the demand for business and leisure travel is robust

 Asia Pacific is the fastest growing economic region...

 **4.2% GDP CAGR**
from 2013 to 2018⁽¹⁾

 **Largest share at 38%**
of global business travel⁽²⁾

 ...and experiencing a boom in tourism...

5.5% annual growth
of international tourist arrivals
from 2018 to 2023⁽³⁾



>70%
China's outbound travel
will be within Asia⁽⁴⁾



**Low cost carriers and
rail networks**
make travel more accessible



...underpinned by an expanding middle-class

66%
of global middle-class population
will be represented by Asia⁽⁵⁾

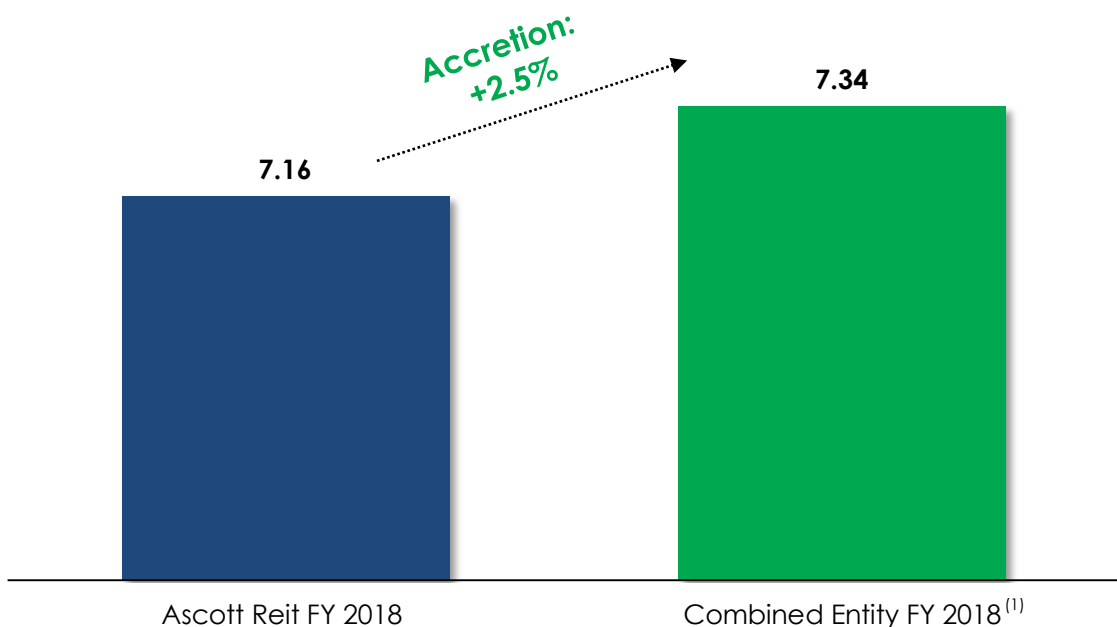
3.9% disposable income CAGR
in Asia Pacific for period 2017 to 2022
(rest of the world 1.6% to 2.3% CAGR)⁽⁶⁾

Enlarged portfolio will serve a broad spectrum of market segments, and is well-positioned to capture the fast-growing hospitality market in Asia Pacific

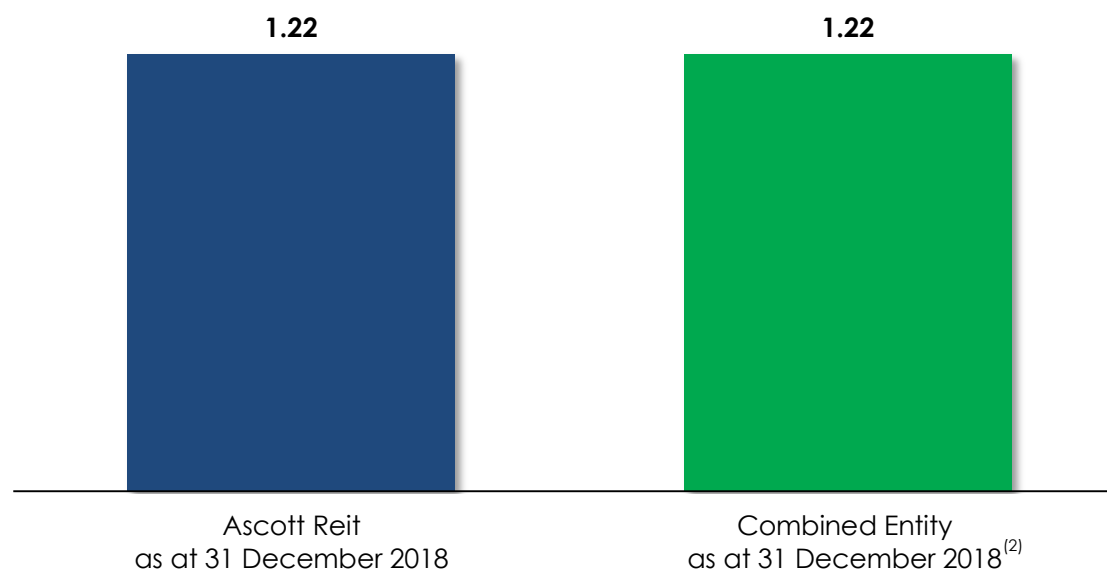
3 DPU Accretive to Unitholders

- 2.5% DPU accretion to Ascott Reit Unitholders, on a FY2018 pro forma basis
- Neutral to NAV per Unit

DPU
(Singapore cents)

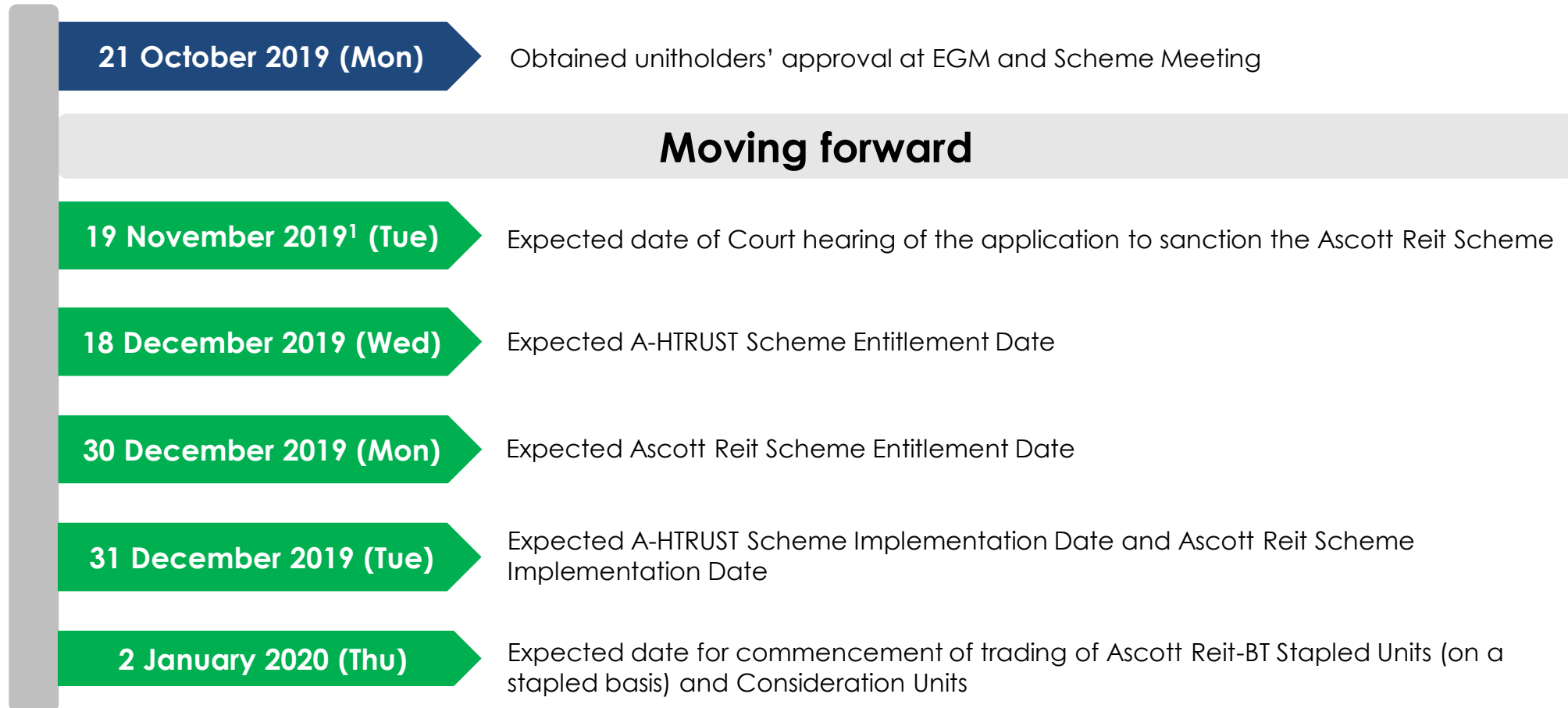


NAV per Unit
(Singapore dollars)



Notes: For illustration only – Not forward looking projections; (1) This figure: (a) assumes that additional S\$85.1 million debt was drawn down on 1 January 2018 to fund the cash component of the Estimated Total Transaction Costs at an effective interest rate of 3.3% per annum; (b) assumes that 100% of A-HTRUST's distributable income for FY2018/2019 (including S\$5.1 million of A-HTRUST's distributable income for FY2018/2019, which A-HTRUST had retained for working capital purposes) was distributed in full, and assumes that the S\$5.1 million was funded by the existing cash balances of Ascott Reit Group; and (c) reflects the issuance of: (i) 902.8 million new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at an issue price of S\$1.30 for each Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit as Consideration Units; and (ii) 7.7 million new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at an issue price of S\$1.22 per Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit as the Acquisition Fee on 1 January 2018 (being the closing price of an Ascott Reit Unit on 31 December 2017); (2) This figure refers to the adjusted NAV per Unit assuming write-off of premium over NAV and excluding transaction costs and: (a) assumes that additional S\$85.1 million was drawn down on 31 December 2018 to fund the cash component of the Estimated Total Transaction Costs at an effective interest rate of 3.3% per annum; (b) reflects the issuance of: (i) 902.8 million new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at an issue price of S\$1.30 for each Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit as Consideration Units; and (ii) 8.7 million new Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Units issued at an issue price of S\$1.08 for each Ascott Reit-BT Stapled Unit as the Acquisition Fee on 31 December 2018 (being the closing price of an Ascott Reit Unit on 31 December 2018).

Indicative Timeline



The timeline above is indicative only and subject to change.

Note:

1. As announced on 23 October 2019

Appendix - Key Market Updates (3Q 2019)



Australia

Contributed 7% to Gross Profit¹

Contribution from acquisition of Citadines Connect Sydney Airport, offset by weaker leisure and corporate demand in Melbourne

Master Lease



3 Quest Properties

Management Contracts



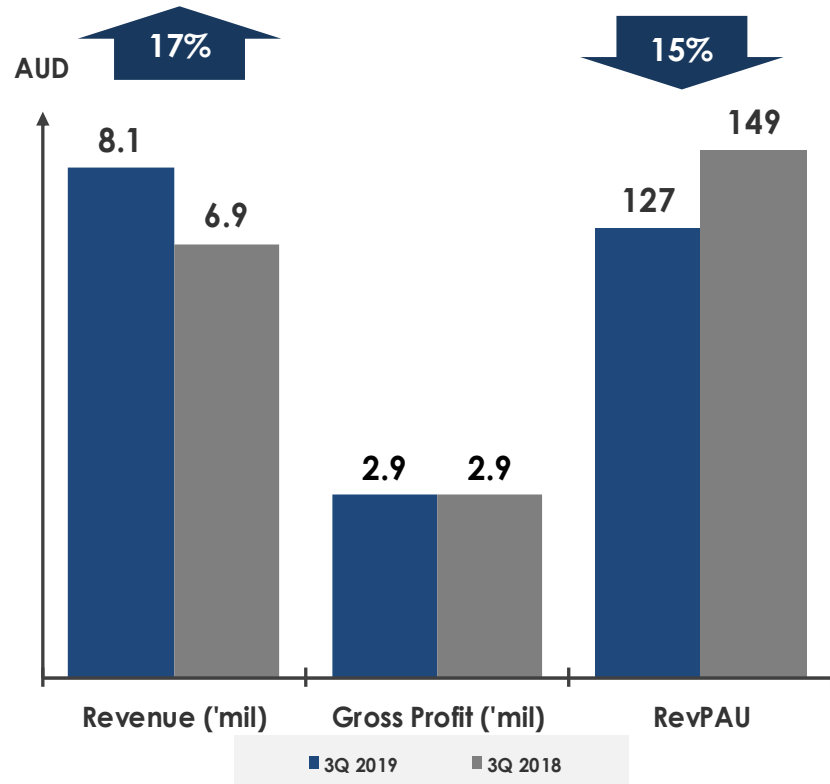
Citadines Connect Sydney Airport



Citadines on Bourke Melbourne



Citadines St Georges Terrace Perth



relates to properties under Management Contracts only

Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- The acquisition of Citadines Connect Sydney Airport contributed to higher revenue, but resulted in a lower portfolio RevPAU. On a same store basis, revenue and gross profit were lower due to weaker leisure and corporate demand in Melbourne, and RevPAU was 4% lower y-o-y.
- Ongoing rebranding and building of corporate base and distribution network at Citadines Connect Sydney Airport after acquisition in May 2019.
- IMF revised its GDP growth forecast for Australia to 1.7% for 2019².
- A weak AUD will provide support to the growth in international visitors and tourism dollar, while also encouraging domestic tourism amongst Australians³.
- Operating environment in Melbourne is expected to be competitive, with over 5,000 rooms to be added over the next three years³. Nevertheless, the market is expected to absorb the supply over the longer-term, given that Melbourne is a major corporate and leisure market in Australia and should maintain a core level of demand growth⁴.

Notes:

1. 3 properties under Master Lease contracts contributed to 3% of gross profit, and 3 properties under Management Contracts contributed to 4% of gross profit in 3Q 2019
2. Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
3. Source: CBRE (2019)
4. Source: JLL (2019)

China

Contributed 8% to Gross Profit

Softer corporate demand from regional cities

Management Contracts



Somerset
Xu Hui
Shanghai



Ascott
Guangzhou



Citadines
Xinghai
Suzhou



Somerset
Olympic Tower
Property
Tianjin



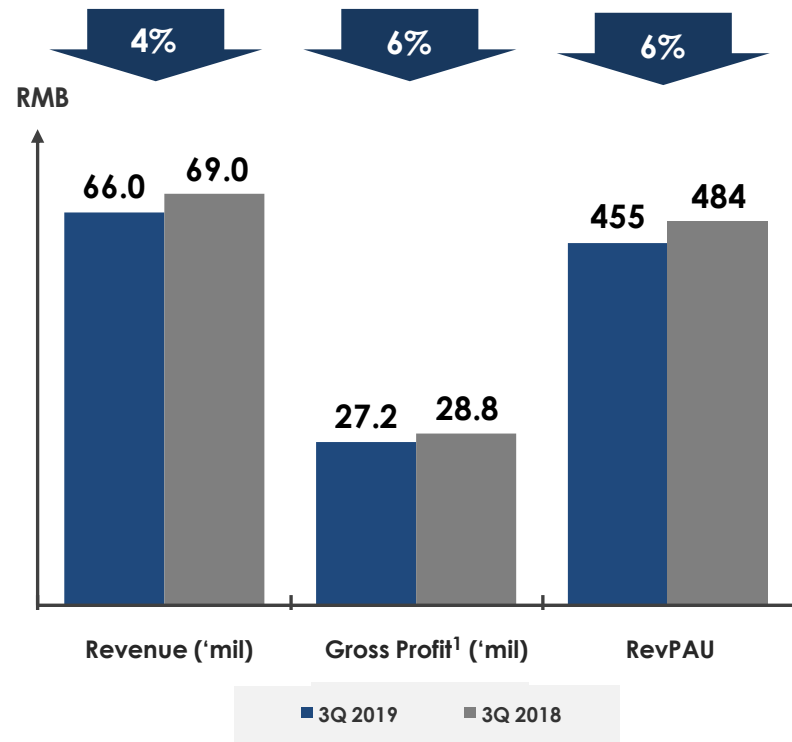
Somerset
Grand
Central
Dalian



Citadines
Zhuankou
Wuhan



Somerset
Heping
Shenyang



Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Revenue decreased mainly due to softer corporate demand in the regional cities, mitigated by higher commercial rent.
- Gross profit decreased mainly due to lower revenue and higher staff costs.
- IMF lowered its forecast for China's GDP growth to 6.1%².
- Annual tourist arrivals are expected to hit 130 million by 2020, supported by the growth in domestic travel³.
- Despite the recent breakthrough in trade talks between US and China, lingering economic uncertainty continues to weigh on business travel⁴.
- Nonetheless, with the government's efforts to boost domestic consumption coupled with the rise in disposable income and middle-class consumption, the long-term prospects of China's hospitality market remain positive⁵.

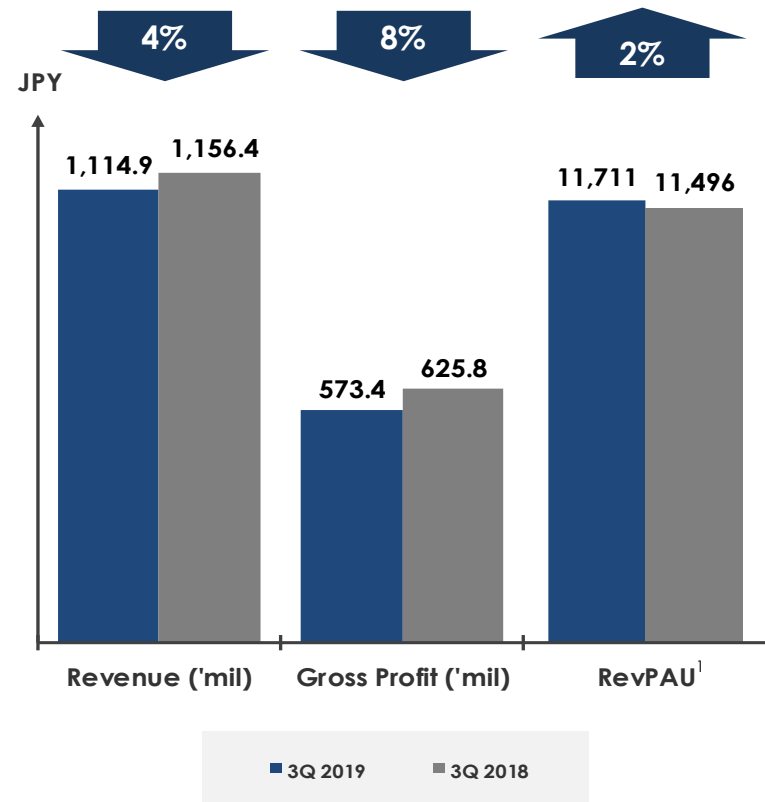
Notes:

1. Excluding FRS 116 adjustments, gross profit for 3Q 2019 would have been RMB 26.0 million
2. Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
3. Source: Research and Markets (2019)
4. Source: CBRE (2019)
5. Source: South China Morning Post (2019)

Japan

Contributed 11% to Gross Profit

RevPAU growth for serviced residences; market competition affecting rental housing properties



Notes:

1. RevPAU relates to serviced residences and excludes rental housing properties
2. Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
3. Source: CBRE (2019)
4. Source: JLL (2019)
5. Source: Savills (2019)

Management Contracts



Citadines Central Shinjuku Tokyo



Citadines Shinjuku Tokyo



Citadines Karasuma-Gojo Kyoto



Somerset Azabu East Tokyo



11 rental housing properties in Japan



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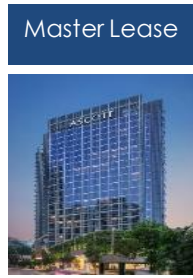
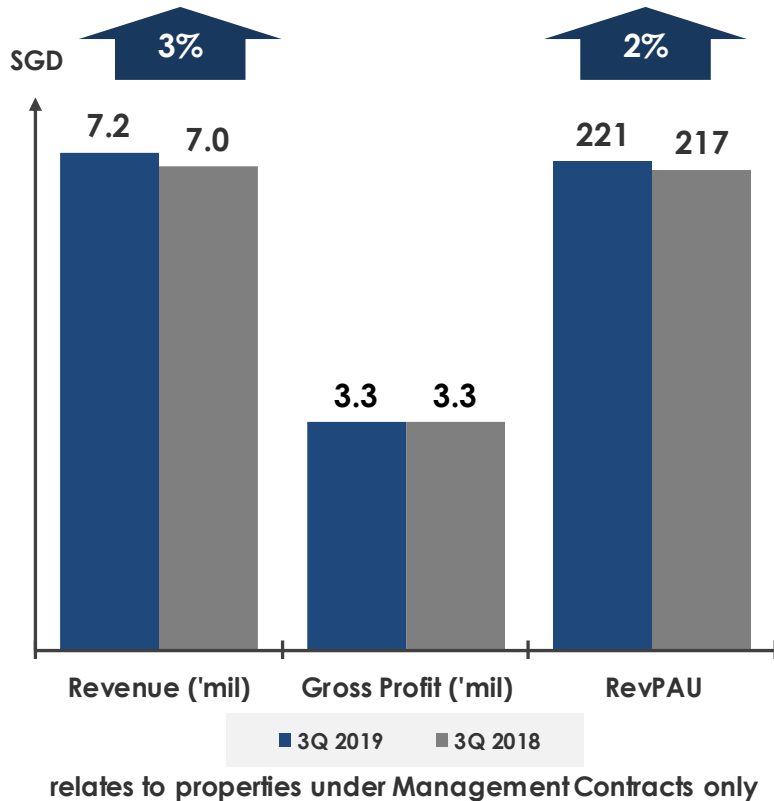
Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Lower rental rates upon renewal of lease for rental housing properties amidst stiff competition, partially offset by stronger performance from serviced residences.
- Gross profit decreased due to lower revenue, higher staff costs and operation & maintenance expense, mitigated by lower marketing expense.
- RevPAU increased due to stronger leisure demand, with some uplift from the Rugby World Cup in September 2019.
- IMF maintained its GDP growth forecast for Japan at 0.9% for 2019².
- Inbound tourist numbers are set to increase in the coming years, with the Tokyo Olympics and Paralympics taking place in 2020 and the Osaka-Kansai World Expo taking place in 2025. This puts Japan on track to achieve its target of attracting 60 million inbound tourists by 2030³. Upgrading works at Haneda International Airport and Narita International Airport are expected to complete in 2020, and will help to cater to the increase in demand⁴.
- Hotel supply is expected to soften from 2020, especially in the limited-service sector where most of the new supply has been⁵.

Singapore

Contributed 10% to Gross Profit¹

Higher market demand



Ascott Orchard Singapore



Somerset Liang Court Property Singapore

Citadines Mount Sophia Property Singapore



Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Revenue increased due to higher demand. Gross profit remained stable due to higher revenue, offset by higher staff costs and marketing expense.
- IMF lowered its GDP growth forecast for Singapore to 0.5% for 2019².
- Singapore remains an attractive tourism sector in the medium to long-term with upcoming new tourism initiatives, such as the expansion of the two existing integrated resorts in Singapore, a new eco-tourism hub in Mandai and an integrated tourism development at Jurong Lake District³.
- International visitor arrivals for first eight months of 2019 increased 1.94% y-o-y, on track to meet the growth target of 1% to 4% for 2019³.
- Corporate demand expected to remain firm, with global companies shifting their headquarters to Singapore⁴.
- Limited hotel room supply up till 2021⁵.

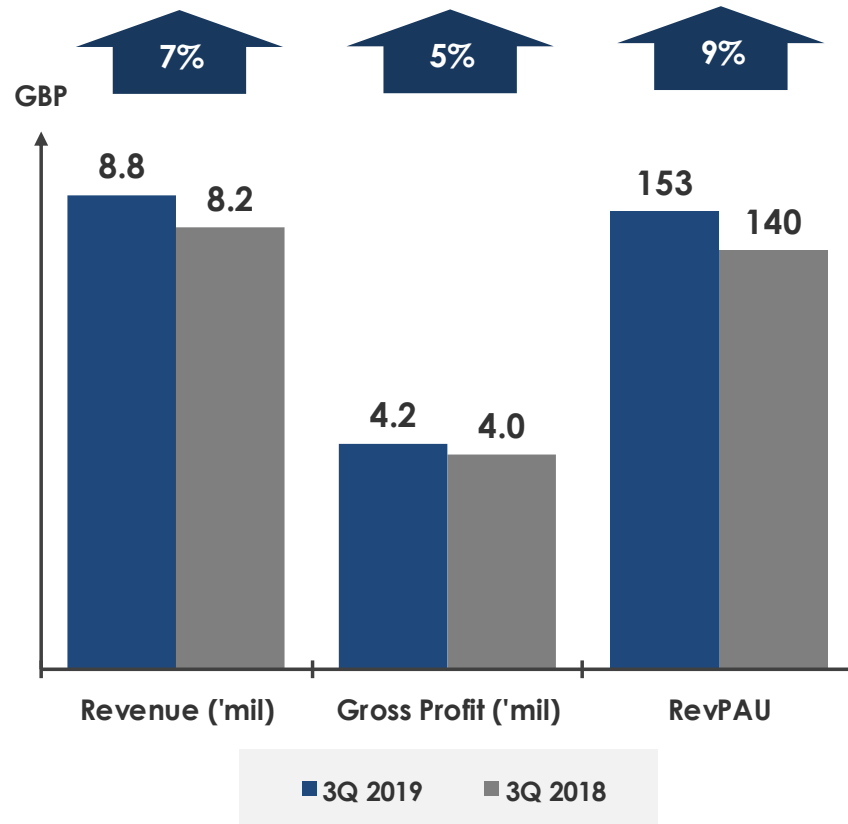
Notes:

- 1 property under master lease contributed to 5% of gross profit, and 2 properties under Management Contracts contributed to 5% of gross profit in 3Q 2019
- Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
- Source: Singapore Tourism Board (2019)
- Source: JLL (2019)
- Source: CBRE (2019)

United Kingdom

Contributed 11% to Gross Profit

Higher corporate and leisure demand



Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income



Citadines
Trafalgar Square
London



Citadines Holborn-
Covent Garden
London



Citadines
Barbican
London



Citadines South
Kensington
London



Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Revenue increased due to higher corporate and leisure demand. Gross profit increased due to higher revenue, partially offset by higher marketing expense and management fee.
- IMF moderated its GDP growth forecast for UK to 1.2% for 2019¹.
- Business sentiment remains uncertain amidst geopolitical uncertainty. However, a weak GBP will continue to drive inbound leisure travel to the UK. In addition, meetings and conferences, as well as sports events such as the UEFA Euro 2020 should provide some uplift to hotels in London².
- Ascott Reit UK properties will continue to generate stable income streams, as the properties are under management contracts with minimum guaranteed income.

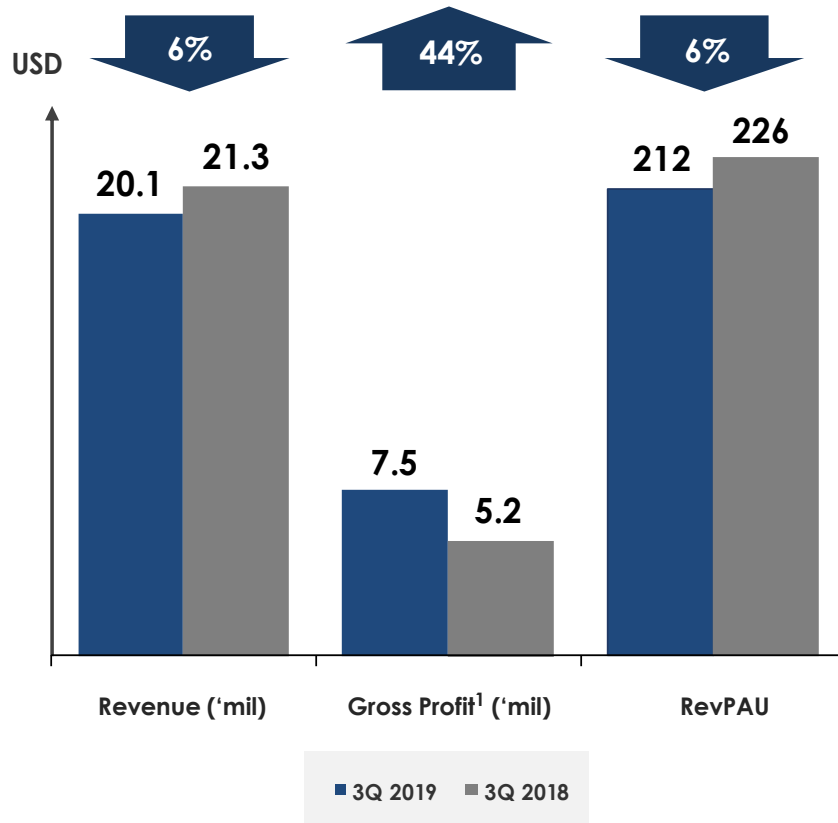
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- Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
- Source: PWC UK (2019)

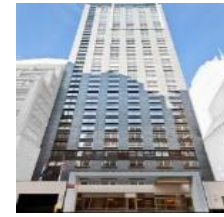
United States

Contributed 16% to Gross Profit

Competition from new supply



Management Contracts



Element New York Times Square West



DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel New York



Sheraton Tribeca New York Hotel



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Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Revenue decreased due to competition from new supply.
- Excluding FRS 116 and straight line adjustments, gross profit decreased due to lower revenue and higher staff costs, partially mitigated by lower operation & maintenance expense and marketing expense.
- IMF lowered its GDP growth forecast for US to 2.4% for 2019².
- Despite economic and geopolitical uncertainties, New York City is expected to receive a record number of visitors in 2019. Marquee events in 2019 and the opening of Hudson Yards add to the city's resilience, supporting demand growth^{3,4}. Other significant development projects underway include Manhattan West and Javits Convention Center.
- Supply growth is anticipated to outpace demand growth in 2019, putting pressure on room rates. However, supply growth is expected to slow after 2019, tapering off significantly after 2021⁴.

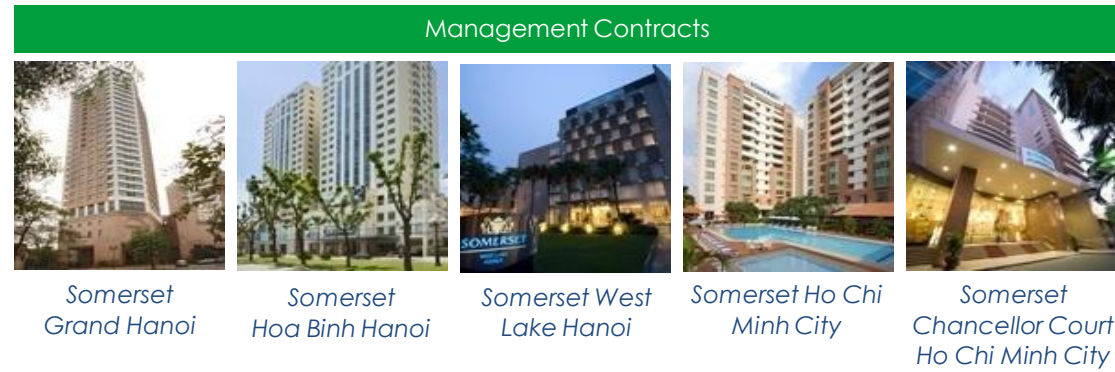
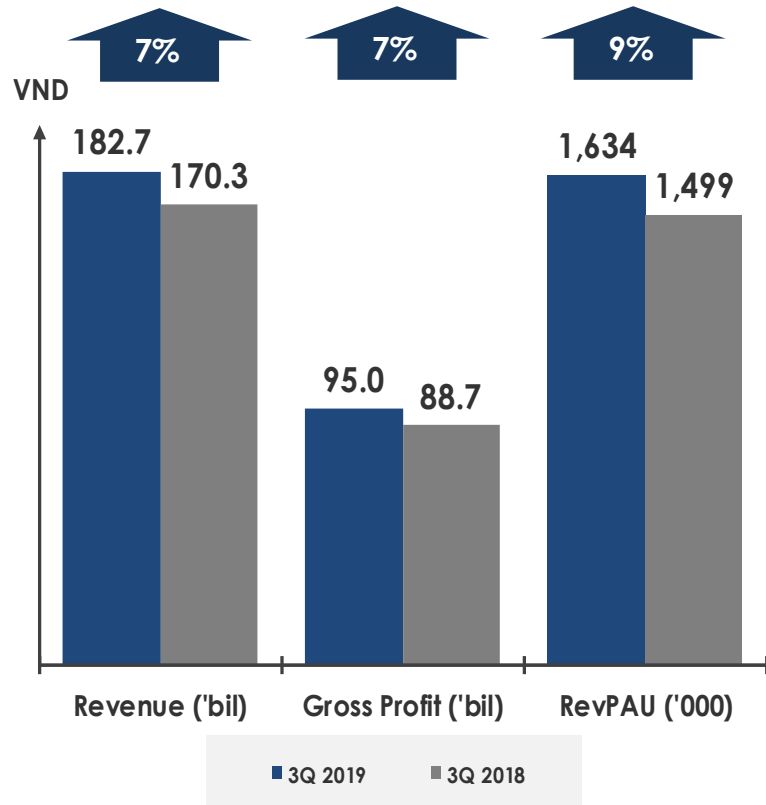
Notes:

1. Excluding FRS 116 adjustments for 3Q 2019 and straight-line recognition of operating lease expense for 3Q 2018, gross profit for 3Q 2019 and 3Q 2018 would have been USD 4.6 million and USD 5.8 million respectively
2. Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
3. Source: Skift (2019)
4. Source: HVS (2019)

Vietnam

Contributed 9% to Gross Profit

Stronger corporate demand



Performance Highlights and Market Outlook

- Revenue increased mainly due to stronger corporate demand. Gross profit increased due to higher revenue, partially offset by higher operation & maintenance expense and marketing expense.
- IMF maintained its GDP growth forecast of 6.5% for Vietnam in 2019¹.
- YTD September 2019 international visitor arrivals to Vietnam increased 28.8% y-o-y². Hanoi continues to be a favourable investment destination for multinational companies, facilitating the growth in demand for serviced residences³.
- Serviced apartments are increasingly recognised as an alternative to hotels in Vietnam, and the sector is expected to see positive growth in the near term. Nonetheless, the growth in buy-to-let apartments is likely to create more competition².

Notes:

- Source: International Monetary Fund (2019)
- Source: Vietnam National Administration of Tourism (2019)
- Source: Colliers (2019)

Appendix - A-HTRUST Portfolio Overview



A-HTRUST Portfolio Overview

Overview of Properties

Name	 Pullman Sydney Hyde Park	 Novotel Sydney Central	 Novotel Sydney Parramatta	 Courtyard by Marriott Sydney – North Ryde	 Pullman and Mercure Melbourne Albert Park	 Pullman and Mercure Brisbane King George Square	 Hotel Sunroute Ariake
Location	Sydney, Australia	Sydney, Australia	Sydney, Australia	Sydney, Australia	Melbourne, Australia	Brisbane, Australia	Tokyo, Japan
Land Title	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold
No. of Rooms	241	255	194	196	378	438	912
Valuation¹ (\$ m)	156.4	161.2	43.7	52.3	109.4	89.2	325.0

A-HTRUST Portfolio Overview

Overview of Properties

Name	 Sotetsu Grand Fresa Osaka-Namba ⁽²⁾	 Hotel WBF Kitasemba West	 Hotel WBF Kitasemba East	 Hotel WBF Honmachi	 Park Hotel Clarke Quay	 The Splaisir Seoul Dongdaemun	 ibis Ambassador Seoul Insadong
Location	Osaka, Japan	Osaka, Japan	Osaka, Japan	Osaka, Japan	Singapore	Seoul, Korea	Seoul, Korea
Land Title	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Freehold	Leasehold, expiring November 2105	Freehold	Freehold
No. of Rooms	698	168	168	182	336	215	363
Valuation¹ (\$ m)	239.8	43.2	43.1	43.3	325.0	93.8	96.9

Source: Company filings.

Notes: 1. Valuation as at 31 March 2019.

2. Formerly known as Hotel Sunroute Osaka Namba.



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