

### H2FY21: Exceptional charges of S\$839m<sup>1</sup>



#### Mainly comprising:



S\$589m (US\$438m)

- Ongoing operational challenges linked to Covid-19, with certain customer segments (FMCG, automotive & travel) taking longer to recover
- Pivoting to programmatic & connected TV
- Industry challenges



S\$336m (US\$250m)

- Significant challenges in North American markets
- Commoditisation of legacy products
- Pivoting product development towards cloud-platforms



S\$204m (A\$197m)

S\$101m (A\$98m)

- Mainly impairment of legacy fixed access networks with completion of NBN rollout
- Undertaking a programme to review its staff compensation
- Exceptional charge relates to payroll adjustments, professional fees & remediation of Optus' systems & processes

<sup>1.</sup> Includes other exceptional gains/losses. Refer to Singtel's Announcement of Unaudited Net Exceptional Losses dated 14 May 2021 for more information.

<sup>2.</sup> Refers to the Singtel Group's global cyber security business.

## Learnings from our digital investments



Co-invest with partners & be willing to take significant minority positions

Pivot & scale rapidly in response to industry shifts

Focus on digital opportunities in Asia, leveraging our customer base

## Commencing strategic review of Amobee & Trustwave



### **Background & Scope**

Address declining performance, arising from operational & industry challenges, as well as Covid-19

Holistic review to explore & consider all options, including:

- restructuring of product or business segments
- full or partial divestment of the businesses in parts or entirety
- business combinations with other industry players

Open to strategic investors who have complementary strengths & bring synergies to drive growth for the businesses

# Key drivers of strategic review



#### **Reposition Amobee & Trustwave to:**

Sharpen focus to capture growth opportunities

Attract strategic partners with complementary capabilities

Reset the business & execute successfully

#### In turn allow Singtel to:

Reshape portfolio to ensure optimal allocation of resources

Maintain strong proposition in high-growth ICT sector, with cyber security as a key product offering to enterprise customers

Focus on value creation

## Unveiling our strategy soon...





More details will be provided during FY2021 results announcement on 27 May 2021

