# **Financial Results**

For the six months ended June 2023

8 August 2023







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## **1H2023 Financial Performance**

(HK\$'M)	1H 2023	1H 2022	YoY%
Revenue	908.7	867.5	+4.7%
Property operating expenses	(216.0)	(213.9)	+1.0%
Net property income	671.9	634.0	+6.0%
Finance costs	(152.2)	(99.0)	+53.8%
Income available for distribution	447.7	456.9	-2.0%
DPU (HK\$ cents)	22.36	23.05	-3.0%



# 8.0% Yield

#### Revenue

- Improvements recorded in all revenue streams including base rental, carpark income, chargeout income and turnover rent
- Higher revenue also partly helped by the absence of rental rebate in 1H2023

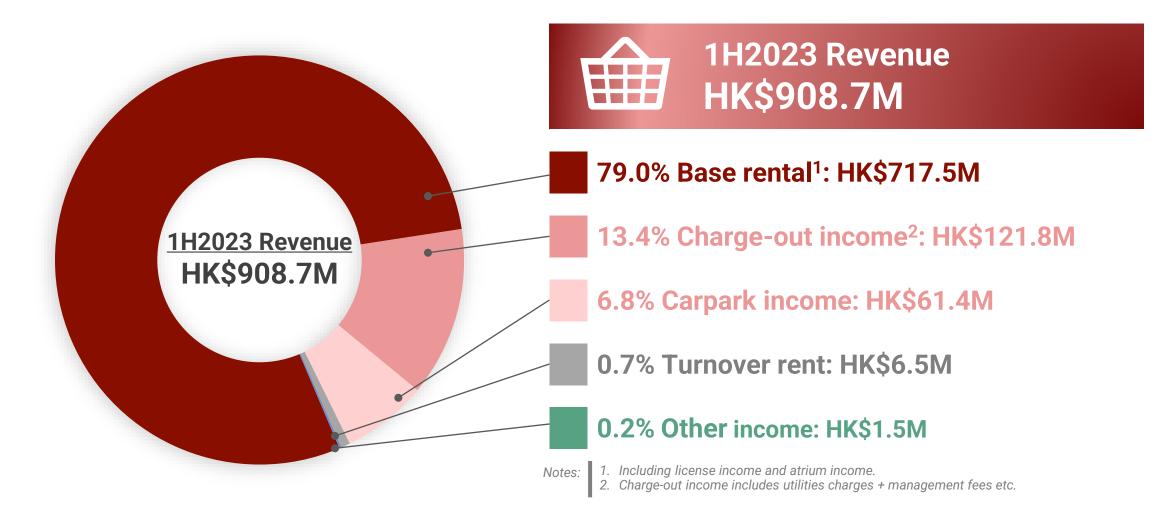
### **Property Operating expenses**

- Increase in higher utilities costs, building management expenses and advertising and promotion expenses were partially offset by savings in leasing commissions and allowance for credit losses
- Cost to revenue ratio improved to 23.8% from 24.7% for 1H2022

### **Finance cost**

- Sharp increase in HIBOR since 2H2022
- Higher borrowing level following the acquisition of Stars of Kovan Property in Sep 2022

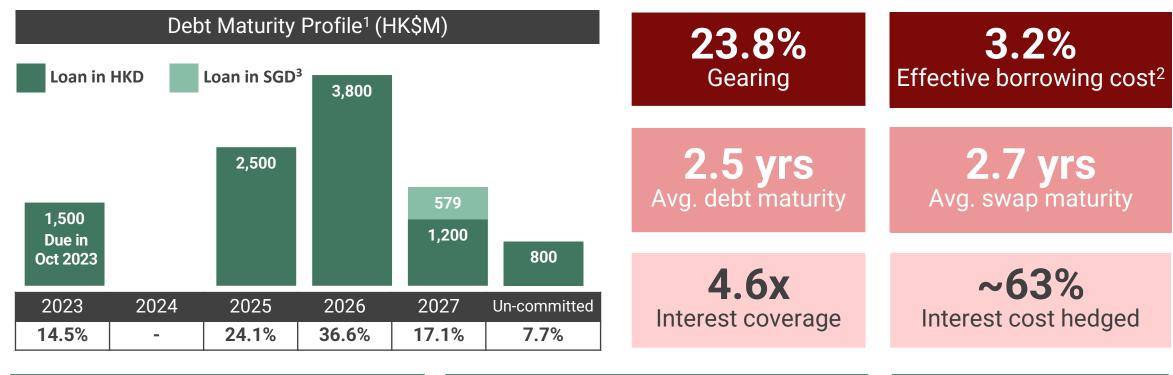
## **Income Contribution**





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## **Prudent Debt Management**





Notes: 1. As at 30 Jun 2023, total available loan facilities amounted to HK\$10,379M. Of which, HK\$9,588M were drawn.

2. Finance costs excluding change in fair value of derivative financial instruments

3. A SGD loan of S\$100M (equivalent to HK\$579M) was obtained to finance the acquisition of Stars of Kovan Property

4. HK\$4.3B sustainability-linked loans in total, represents 45% of total committed facilities

## **Portfolio Valuation**

Portfolio Total	Hong Kong Portfolio	Singapore Asset
нк\$ <b>39,537М</b>	нк\$ <b>38,987М</b>	sg\$ <b>95M</b>
▲ 0.1% from Dec 2022	<b>0.1% from Dec 2022</b>	Remains Unchanged
	Per sf (G) retail HK\$12,300 psf	+
NAV Per Unit HK\$14.39 ▼ 0.9% from Dec 2022	Per carpark lot HK\$784,000	Acquisition of <b>Stars of</b> <b>Kovan Property</b> completed in Sep 2022
	Retail cap rate 4.3%	



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## **Portfolio Performance Highlights**







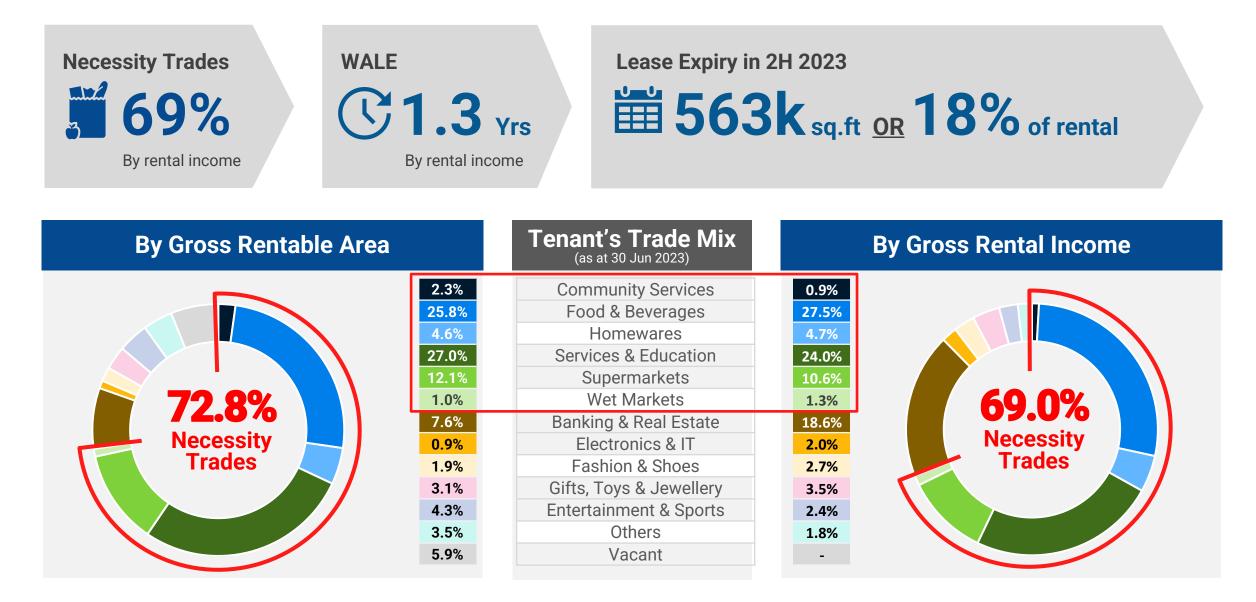


- Portfolio occupancy remained healthy despite major AEIs underway at +WOO
- F&B continues to see good demand

- Signed leases for a total of 378k sq.ft., representing 12.5% of total portfolio area
- More than half of the leases expiring in 2023 have already been renewed or re-let

- Mixed recovery pace in different sectors
- Sectors such as F&B, Homeware and Electronics continue to see a gradual recovery

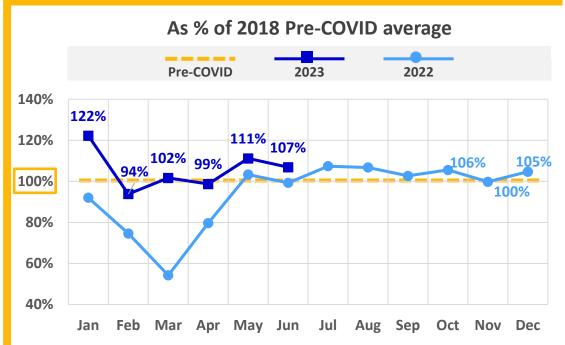
## Lease expiry profile and trade mix



## Leasing momentum picking up

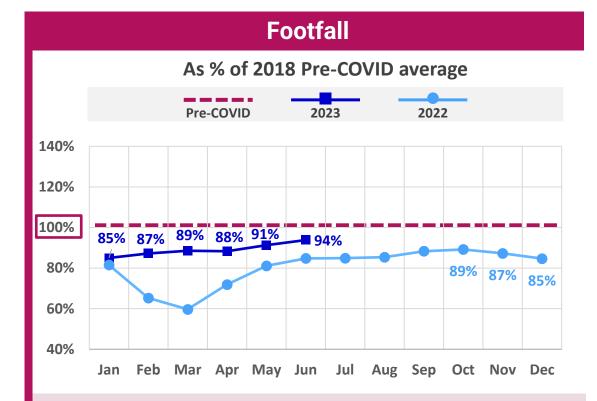


## **Hourly Carpark Income and Footfall**



#### Hourly Carpark Income

- 1H2023 hourly carpark income increased 26.1% YoY, partly helped by a low base in 1H2022 and increased hourly fee
- Reached its 2018 pre-COVID level in 2H2022 and mostly above the level during 1H2023



- Footfall gradually improved during 1H2023, increased 20.3% YoY but yet to return to its pre-COVID level
- Impacted by increased outbound travels especially during holidays and long weekends



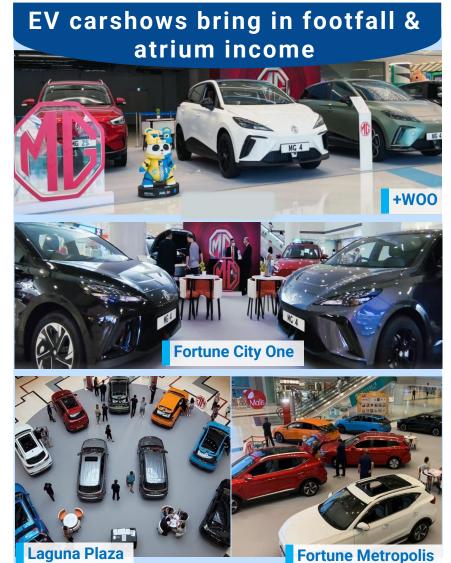
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## Marketing to draw footfall and drive tenants' sales



#### Targeted promotion and redemption







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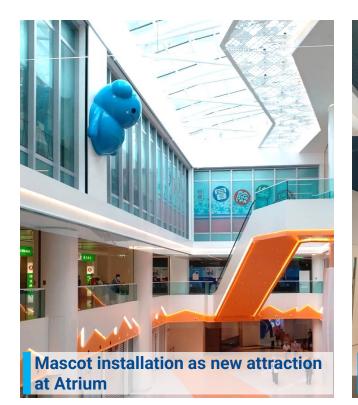
## AEIs at +WOO Phase 2



# CAPEX HK\$300M

# Target Completion 1H 2024

- To solidify +WOO's leadership position in Tin Shui Wai and capture new demand from the expanding population fueled by Northern Metropolis development plan
- 82% leasing commitment achieved for Stage 1 and Stage 2 so far
- Stage 2 of the project to complete in 3Q2023. Stage 3 will follow and expected to complete by 1H2024





Ceiling features lighten up the corridor

## +WOO Phase 2 - AEIs attract new tenants and drive footfall

## **Enhanced retails offerings**



## Popular F&B lineup



## +WOO – HK's first Interior Green Certification for a shopping mall AEIs



## **Metro Town - Space Reconfiguration and Tenant Repositioning**







- Subdivided a 8,500 sq.ft vacant kindergarten together with 2 adjacent shops into three shops to cater for new demand
- Enhance offerings and bring in new F&B and Household tenants
- More efficient layout with a widen and more prominent shop fronts





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## **Sustainability Achievements**



## BEAM PLUS certification on wide range of aspects across the portfolio

2 Platinum

Highest rating in Comprehensive Scheme



**1**<sup>st</sup> **HK Mall** Green Certification for renovation



2 Excellent Highest rating in

Water Use & Energy Use



## **Persistent commitments to ESG**

**1,000+** Solar Panels in 5 malls To avoid 154 tons GHG p.a.







**85% GRA** Equips with BMS by 2023

# 100%



HK assets certified as Green Buildings

**45%** Sustainable Loans









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## **Outlook and Strategies**



- Proactive lease management to improve occupancy
- Recovery in rental likely to be gradual and slow, with leasing market improved modestly so far
- Although some trades show weaker demand at present, this presents opportunity to optimize trade mix for enhancing leisure / lifestyle offerings

# Cost and capital management



- Focus on ways to mitigate the elevating operating cost including labour and utilities cost
- 63% of debt hedged to fixed rate with hedged portion to stay around similar level throughout 2023
- No further refinancing needs until late 2025 following the HK\$1.5 billion refinancing to be completed in Oct 2023

# Market recovery

- HKSAR's "Happy Hong Kong Campaign" to attract tourist and stimulate economic growth
- Low unemployment and disbursement of CVS will continue to support local consumption and drive tenant sales
- Nevertheless, retail sales growth expected to slow in 2H2023, off a higher base from 2022
- Outbound travel may also take away portion of local spending overseas



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

THREE GROWTH STRATEGIES Active Leasing Management Asset Enhancement Initiatives Yield-accretive Acquisitions







## **Investment highlights**

HK\$11.3B	HK\$39.5B	HK\$14.39	69% income	<b>MSCI index</b>	Highest 5-Star
Market	Portfolio	NAV	from non-discretionary	Inclusion in World	GRESB Rating
Cap	Valuation	per Unit	trades	Small Cap	



<u>Note</u> 1. As at 30 Jun 2023.

## A Hong Kong-Focused Neighbourhood Mall Portfolio



# **17 Assets**

16 neighborhood malls in Hong Kong 1 suburban retail property in Singapore

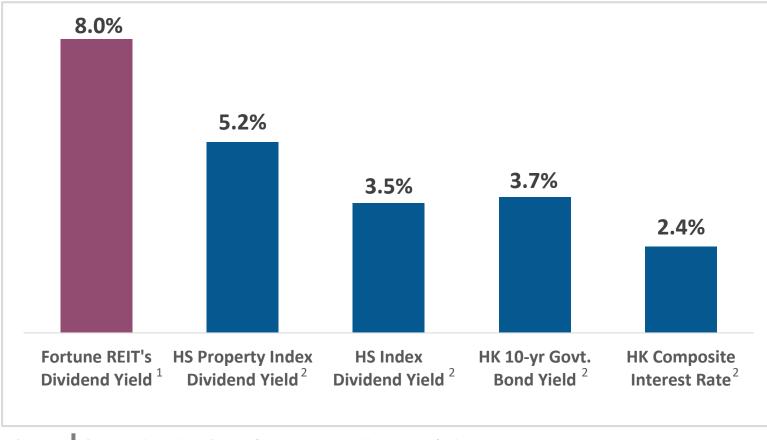
# 3 million sq.ft.

Total GRA

**2,793 nos.** Carparking spaces

## **Resilient Asset Class** with Attractive Yield

## An attractive distribution yield of 8.0%



Sources: Company Data, Hang Seng Indexes, Hong Kong Monetary Authority

Notes: 1. Based on the closing unit price of HK\$5.64 as at 30 Jun 2023.

2. As at 30 Jun 2023

## Income Statement

(YoY comparison)

(HK\$'M)	1H2023	1H2022	ΥοΥ%
Revenue	908.7	867.5	+4.7%
Property operating expenses	(216.0)	(213.9)	+1.0%
Manager's performance fee	(20.8)	(19.6)	+6.1%
Net property income	671.9	634.0	+6.0%
Manager's base fee	(58.8)	(58.5)	+0.5%
Finance costs <sup>1</sup>	(207.5)	294.3	N/A
Change in fair value of investment properties	(34.7)	(382.6)	N/A
Other items <sup>2</sup>	(4.0)	(2.6)	-53.8%
Profit before taxation	366.9	484.6	-24.3%
Income tax expense	(87.8)	(95.6)	-8.1%
Profit for the year	279.1	389.0	-28.3%
Income available for distribution	447.7	456.9	-2.0%
Payout Ratio	100%	100%	-
DPU (HK\$ cents)	22.36	23.05	-3.0%

Notes:1. Include change in fair value of derivative financial instruments.2. Include interest income and trust expenses

## Income Statement

(HoH comparison)

(НК\$'М)	1H2023	2H2022	HoH%
Revenue	908.7	896.9	+1.3%
Property operating expenses	(216.0)	(213.9)	+1.0%
Manager's performance fee	(20.8)	(20.3)	+2.5%
Net property income	671.9	656.2	+2.4%
Manager's base fee	(58.8)	(59.9)	-1.8%
Finance costs <sup>1</sup>	(207.5)	13.1	N/A
Change in fair value of investment properties	(34.7)	(313.4)	N/A
Other items <sup>2</sup>	(4.0)	(3.3)	-21.2%
Profit before taxation	366.9	292.6	+25.4%
Income tax expense	(87.8)	(179.0)	-50.9%
Profit for the year	279.1	113.6	N/A
Income available for distribution	447.7	420.4	+6.5%
Payout Ratio	100%	100%	N/A
DPU (HK\$ cents)	22.36	21.10	6.0%

Notes: 1. Include change in fair value of derivative financial instruments. 2. Include interest income and trust expenses

## Balance sheet

HK\$'000	30 Jun 2023	31 Dec 2022
Current assets	289,148	322,410
Non-current assets	39,972,507	40,012,773
Total assets	40,261,655	40,335,183
Current liabilities	3,262,103	3,243,964
Non-current liabilities	8,182,032	8,163,918
Total liabilities	11,444,135	11,407,882
Net assets	28,817,520	28,927,301
Units in issue <sup>1</sup> ('000 units)	2,002,210	1,992,462

Gearing ratio **23.8%** 

Portfolio valuation **HK\$39,537M** 

NAV per Unit **HK\$14.39** 

Note: 1. Include units to be issued.

## Portfolio occupancy

Fortu	ne REIT's portfolio	GRA(s.f.)	30 Jun 23
1.	Fortune City One	414,469	98.7%
2.	+W00	665,244	89.1%
3.	Ma On Shan Plaza	310,084	99.2%
4.	Metro Town	180,822	100%
5.	Fortune Metropolis	332,168	82.9%
6.	Laguna Plaza	163,203	98.9%
7.	Belvedere Square	276,862	92.6%
8.	Waldorf Avenue	80,842	98.8%
9.	Caribbean Square	63,018	98.6%
10.	Jubilee Square	170,616	98.8%
11.	Smartland	123,544	90.5%
12.	Tsing Yi Square	78,836	100.0%
13.	Centre de Laguna	43,000	93.8%
14.	Hampton Loft	74,734	100.0%
15.	Lido Avenue	9,836	100.0%
16.	Rhine Avenue	14,604	100.0%
17.	Stars of Kovan Property	22,638	100.0%
Р	ortfolio Total	3,024,520	94.1%

**Occupancy** 

31 Dec 22

98.0%

89.4%

99.4%

93.7%

82.3%

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30 Jun 22

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93.9%

## **DISTRIBUTION DETAILS**

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#### 23 August 2023 Ex-date

# **22.36 HK cents**

DPU for the 6 months ended 30 Jun 2023

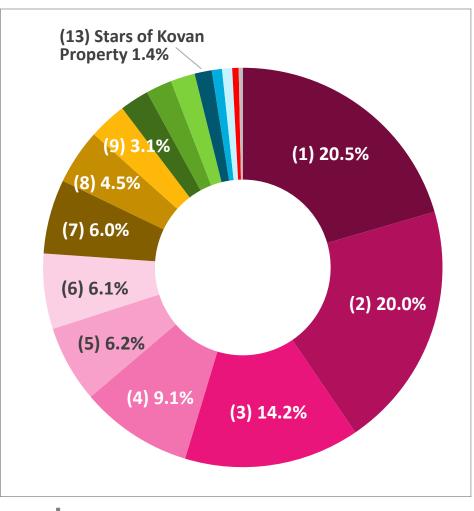


#### 24 August 2023 Record Date



22 September 2023 Payment Date

## **Portfolio valuation breakdown**



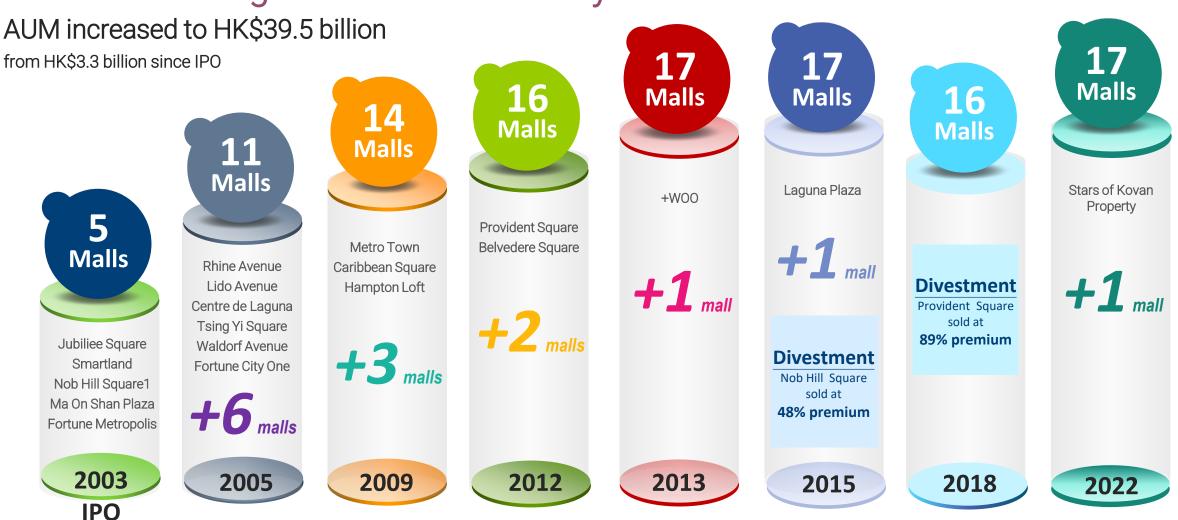
Portfolio Valuation <sup>1</sup> (HKS	\$M)
(1) Fortune City One	8,105
(2) +WOO	7,895
(3) Ma On Shan Plaza	5,613
(4) Metro Town	3,606
(5) Belvedere Square	2,465
(6) Laguna Plaza	2,412
(7) Fortune Metropolis	2,379
(8) Waldorf Avenue	1,771
(9) Caribbean Square	1,212
(10) Jubilee Square	931
(11) Tsing Yi Square	833
(12) Smartland	781
(13) Stars of Kovan Pty <sup>2</sup>	550
(14) Centre de Laguna	326
(15) Hampton Loft	323
(16) Lido Avenue	205
(17) Rhine Avenue	130
Portfolio Total	39,537

Portfolio valuation			
537M			
SG split			
SG\$95M			
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1.4% <sup>2</sup> in SG			

Notes:

Valued by Colliers as at 30 Jun 2023
Based on valuation of S\$95 million and an exchange rate of 5.79

## **Acquisitions for Growth**



# Asset Portfolio grew >11 times in 19 years

## **Proven Track Record in AEIs**

Property / Enhanced Area	Completion	CAPEX (HK\$)	<b>ROI</b> <sup>1</sup>
Metro Town -10,000 sf	1Q 2023	5.3M	11%
+WOO Phase 1 – 200,000 sf	3Q 2019	150M	10.5%
Belvedere Square - 126,000 sf	4Q 2015	80M	20.3%
Ma On Shan Plaza - 59,000 sf (previously a supermarket)	4Q 2013	15M	60%
Fortune City One Market - 27,000 sf	3Q 2013	20M	>25%
Jubilee Square - 55,000 sf	2Q 2013	15M	>25%
Fortune City One - 200,000 sf	2012	100M	>25%
Fortune City One Plus - 70,000 sf	2010	30M	22%
Ma On Shan Plaza - 50,000 sf (previously a Chinese restaurant)	2011	12M	73%
Waldorf Avenue - 41,000 sf	2008	16M	87%







Note: 1. Increase in revenue per year divided by the CAPEX spent.

## **AEIs at Belvedere Square Phase 3**









## Enhanced offerings after AEIs



## **AEIs at Fortune City One**







ROI >20%













## Food court renovation at Fortune Metropolis





A new dining experience via digitalized food ordering and rejuvenated seating area



## Hong Kong Economy – Improving Macro Conditions



Source: Census & Statistics Department, Hong Kong

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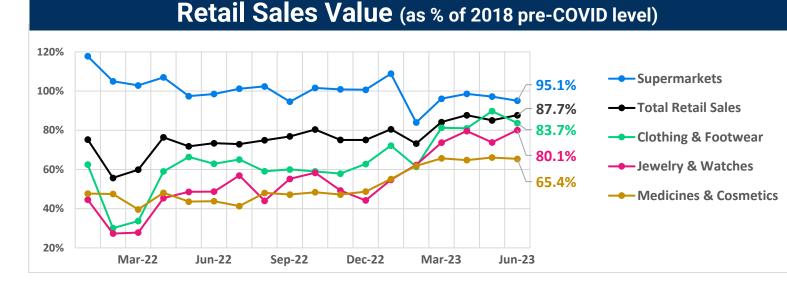
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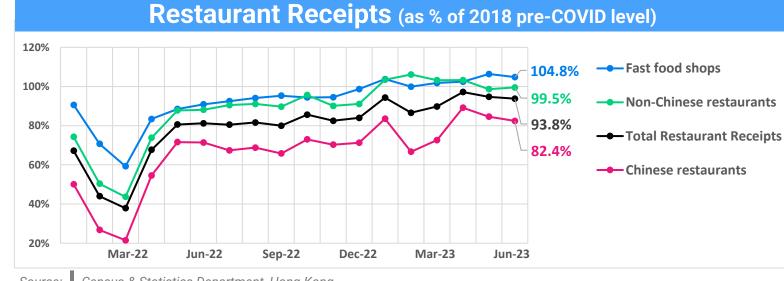
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## Hong Kong Retail Sales and Restaurant Receipts



- For 6M2023, total retail sales value increased 21% YoY
- Benefited from the surge of inbound visitors, tourist-driven sectors such as Jewelry & Watches, Clothing & Footwear, Medicines & Cosmetics outperformed YTD, returning to 65% to 84% of pre-COVID level in Jun 2023.

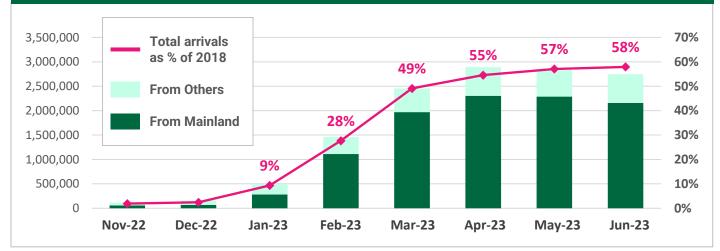


- For 6M2023, restaurant receipts increased 47% YoY; reached 94% of pre-COVID level in Jun 2023
- Chinese restaurants increased 5 consecutive quarters and reached 82% of pre-COVID level
- Fast food shops already surpassed pre-COVID level

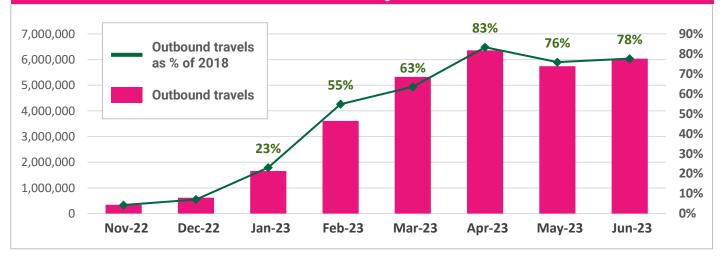
Source: Census & Statistics Department, Hong Kong

## **Tourist Spending partially offset by Outbound Travels**

#### **Inbound Tourist Arrival**



#### **Outbound Travels by HK Residents**

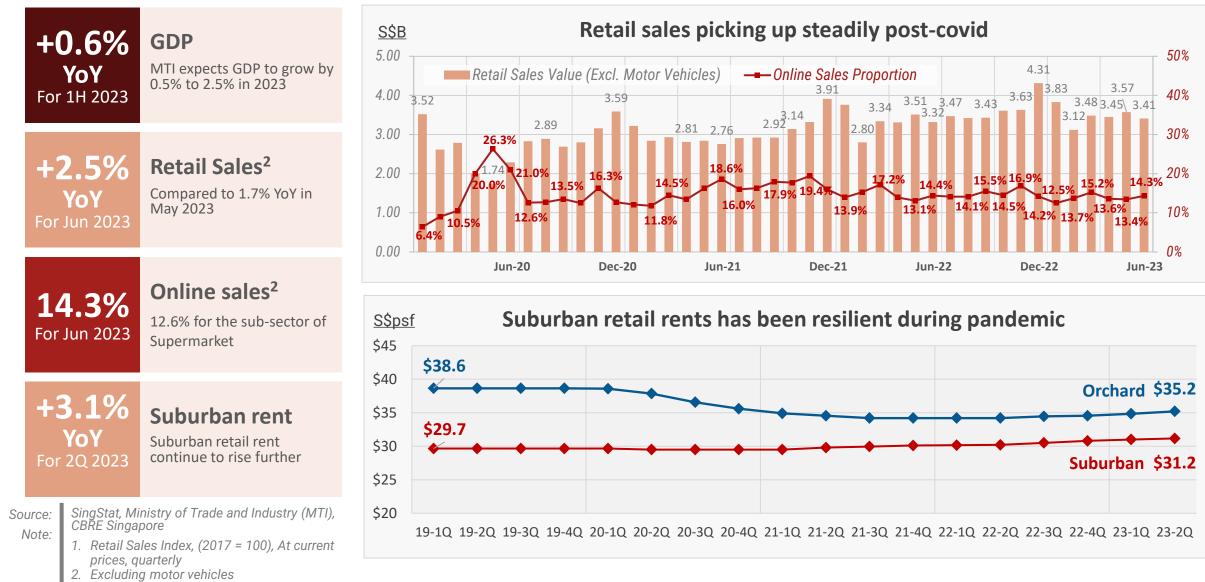


- Tourist arrivals averaged at about 2.8 million per month in 2Q2023, recovering to 56% of 2018 pre-COVID level
- About 80% of tourists came from Mainland China

- Hong Kong residents' outbound travels averaged at about 6 million per month in 2Q2023, approximately 79% of 2018 pre-COVID level
- Increase in outbound travel is expected to continue, as flight capacity gradually expands, which may take some local spending overseas

Source: Immigration Department, HKSAR Government PartnerNet, Hong Kong Tourism Board C&SD: HK Monthly Digest of Statistics

## Singapore - Retail market performance



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