



# Frasers Commercial Trust 3QFY12 Financial Results

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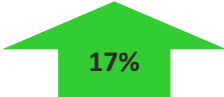

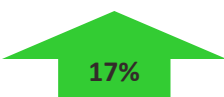


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# Results

### Key highlights:

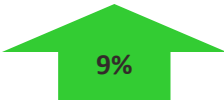

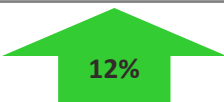
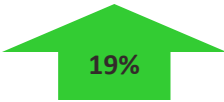

- Gross revenue of S\$35.7m, ↑ 17% Y-o-Y
- Net property income (“NPI”) of S\$26.6m, ↑ 7% Y-o-Y
- Distributable income to Unitholders of S\$11.0m, ↑ 26% Y-o-Y
- Distribution per Unit of 1.70¢, ↑ 23% Y-o-Y
- China Square Central achieved 11% NPI growth y-o-y to S\$4.7 million
- Caroline Chisholm Centre recorded additional S\$2.2 million of NPI as a result of the acquisition of the other 50% interest on 13 April 2012
- Portfolio average occupancy rates remain healthy at 96.7%
- WALE lengthened to approximately 4.2 years from 3.4 years a quarter ago
- Successfully completed the early refinancing of S\$500.0 million term loan facility at a lower interest margin

## 26% growth in distributable income in 3QFY12

1 Apr 2012 – 30 Jun 2012 (S\$ '000)	3Q FY12	Y-o-Y Change (%)	Contributing factors
Gross Revenue	35,745	 17%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Higher contribution from Caroline Chisholm Centre due to acquisition and direct leases with underlying tenants of China Square Central</li> </ul>
Net Property Income	26,641	 7%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Higher income contribution from Caroline Chisholm Centre and China Square Central; higher property expense due to expiry of China Square Central master lease</li> </ul>
Total distributable income	15,637	 17%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase in NPI carried through to total distributable income coupled with reduction in interest expenses</li> </ul>
- Unitholders	10,953	 26%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attributable to increase in total distributable income</li> </ul>
- CPPU holders	4,684	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full quarter distribution for CPPU holders</li> </ul>
Distribution per CPPU Unit	1.37¢	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full quarter distribution for CPPU holders</li> </ul>
Distribution per Unit (“DPU”) <sup>1</sup>	1.70¢	 23%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DPU increased Y-o-Y in line with distributable income</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> The number of Units used to calculate the amount available for DPU is 643,707,665. See accompanying 3QFY12 Financial Statements announcement for more details.

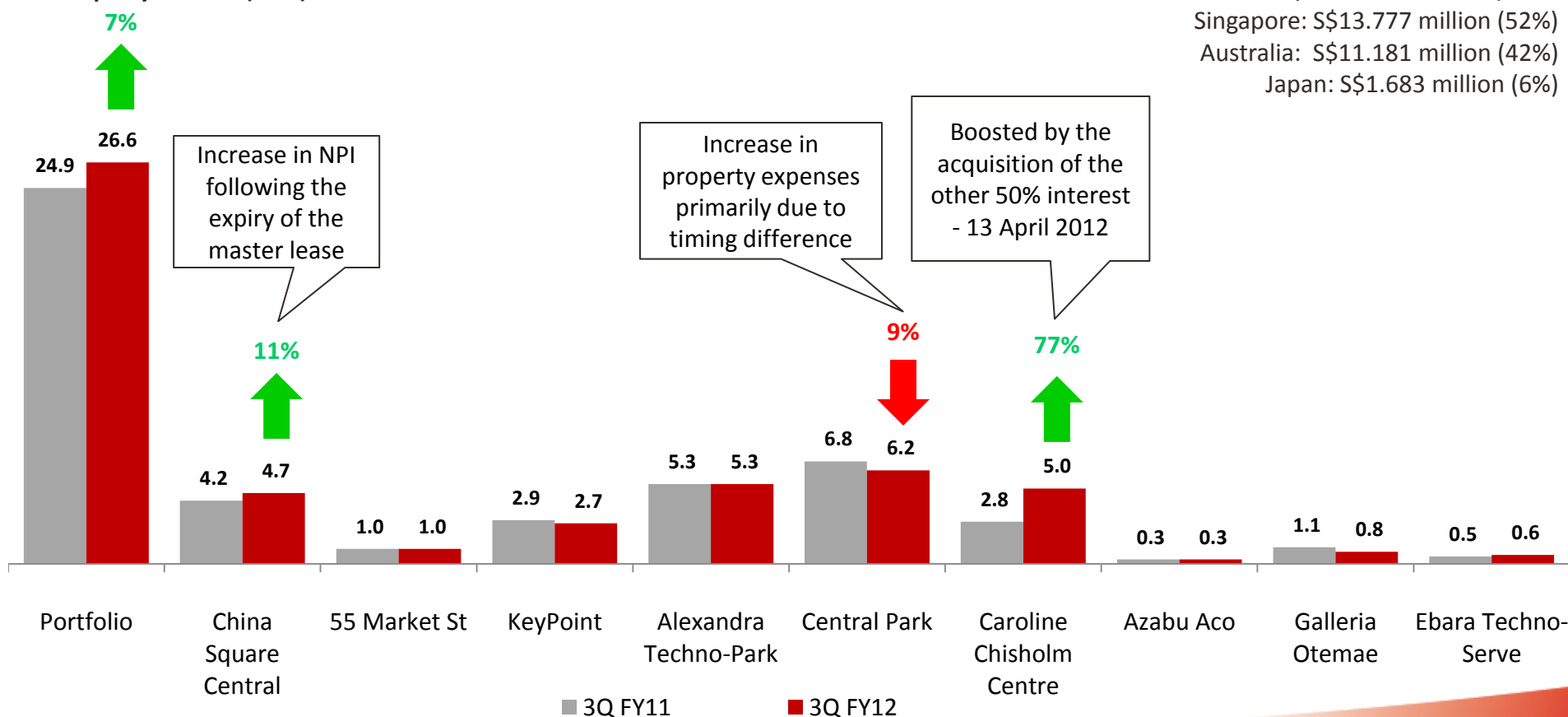
## YTD FY12 DPU rose by 17% Y-o-Y

1 Oct 2011 – 30 Jun 2012 (S\$ '000)	YTD FY12	Y-o-Y Change (%)	Contributing factors
Gross Revenue	97,280	 9%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Higher contribution from Central Park, Caroline Chisholm Centre due to acquisition and direct leases with underlying tenants of China Square Central</li> </ul>
Net Property Income	76,034	 6%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Higher income contribution from Central Park, Caroline Chisholm Centre and China Square Central; higher property expense due to expiry of China Square Central master lease</li> </ul>
Total distributable income	45,836	 12%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase in NPI carried through to total distributable income coupled with reduction in interest expenses</li> </ul>
- Unitholders	31,733	 19%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attributable to increase in total distributable income</li> </ul>
- CPPU holders	14,103	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full nine months distribution for CPPU holders</li> </ul>
Distribution per CPPU Unit	4.12¢	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full nine months distribution for CPPU holders</li> </ul>
Distribution per Unit (“DPU”)	4.94¢	 17%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DPU increased Y-o-Y in line with distributable income</li> </ul>



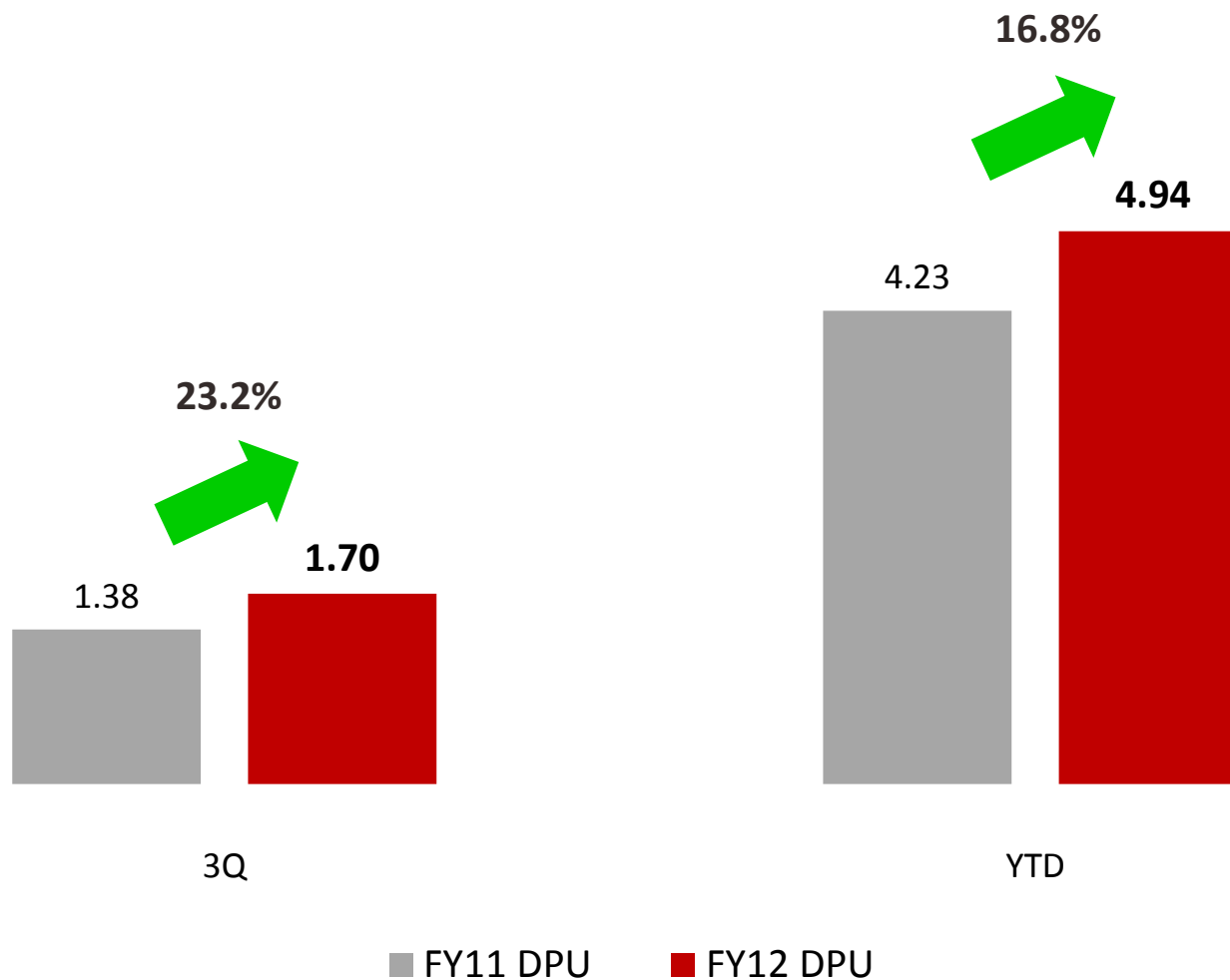
## Higher NPI boosted by China Square Central and Caroline Chisholm Centre

Net Property Income (\$m)





## 3Q and YTD DPU recorded impressive growth

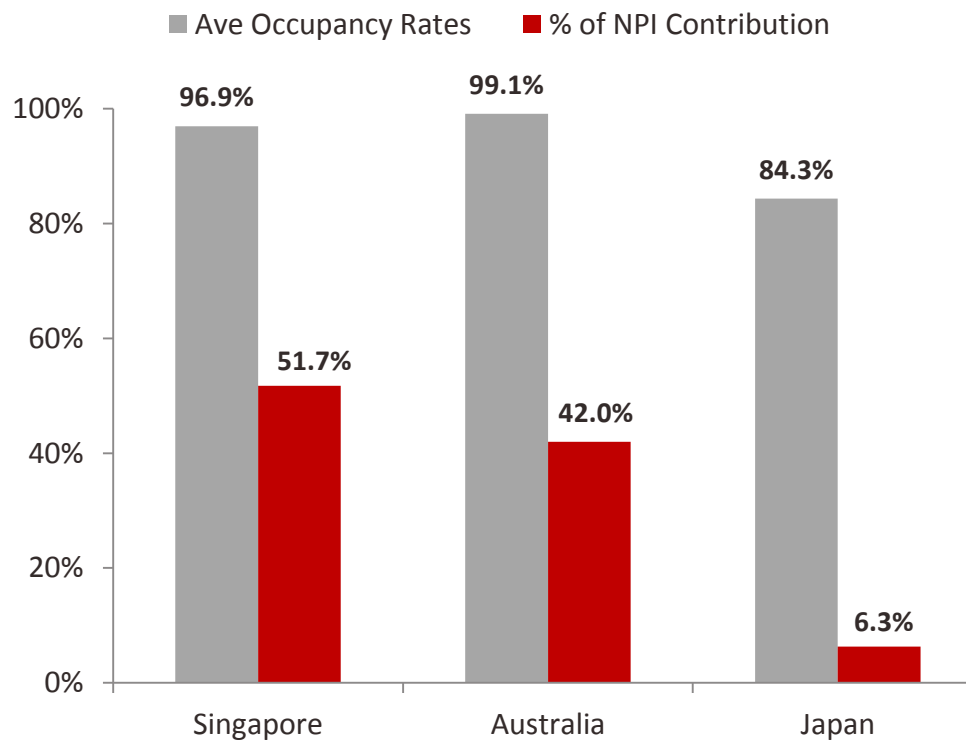


# Portfolio review

## WALE lengthened to 4.2 years following the acquisition of Caroline Chisholm Centre

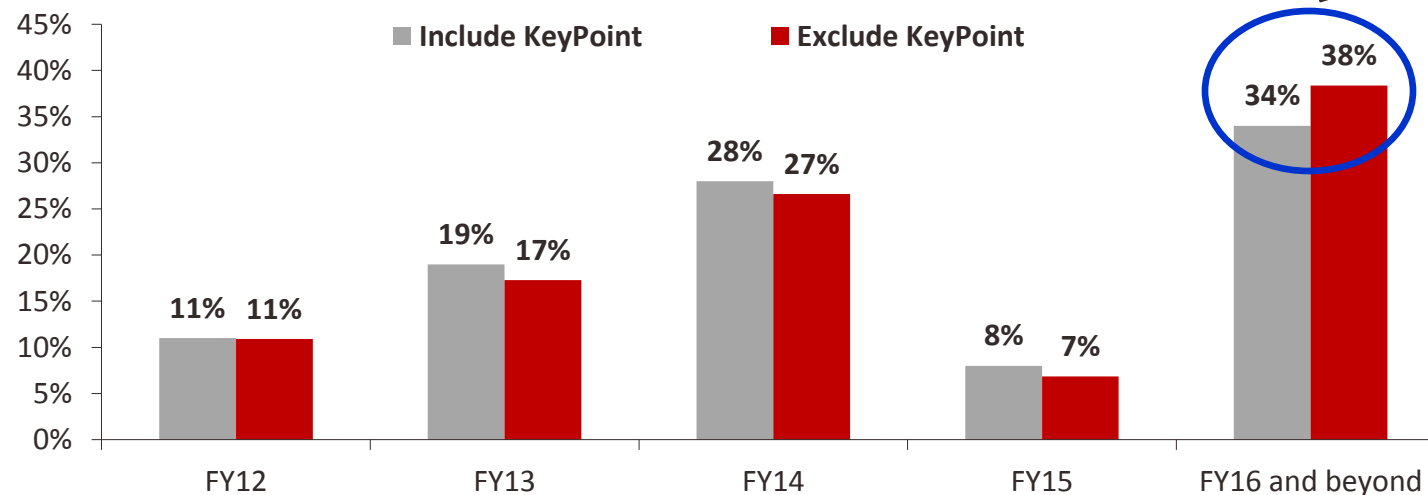
Key portfolio statistics	As at 30 June 2012
WALE by gross rental income	4.2 years
Ave Occupancy	96.7%

### Geographical occupancy and % of NPI contribution



## Healthy lease expiry profile

Portfolio lease expiry by gross rental income

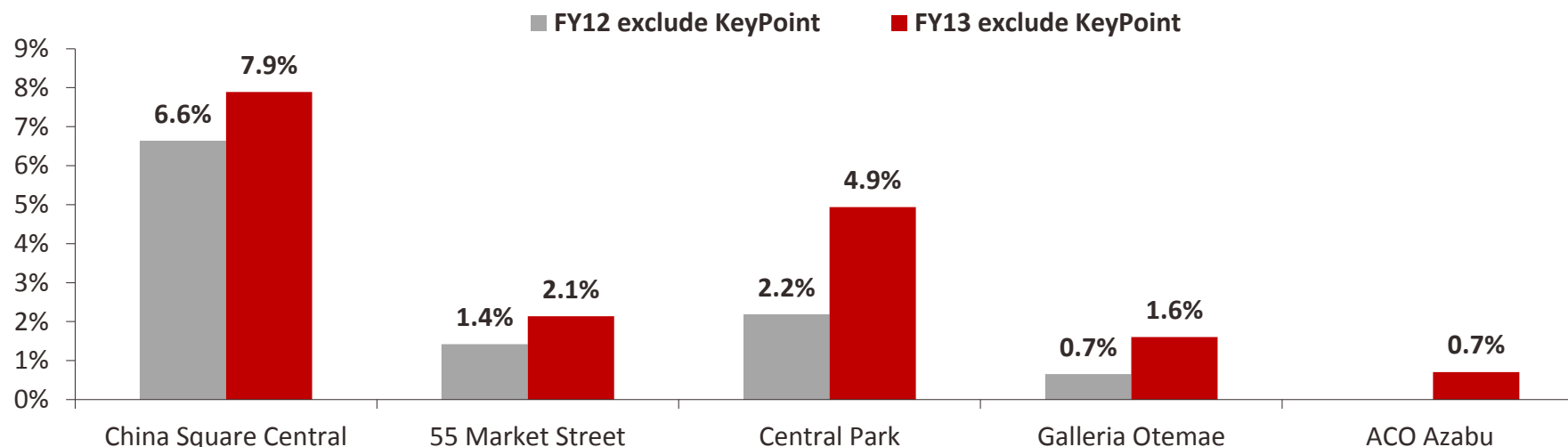


### Exclude KeyPoint income

Number of leases expiring	34	84	44	25	21
NLA (sq ft) expiring	146,342	259,363	1,162,180	124,079	702,714
Expiries as % total NLA	6.0%	10.6%	47.3%	5.0%	28.6%
Expiries as % total Gross Rental Income	10.9%	17.3%	26.6%	6.9%	38.4%

## Breakdown of FY12 & FY13 profile

### Property Lease Expiry as a proportion of total Portfolio Gross Rental Income



### Ave passing rent for expiring leases

FY12	S\$6.8	S\$9.5	AUD 558*	¥10,275	-
FY13	S\$6.3	S\$5.6	AUD 576	¥10,847	¥17,449
Recent rents contracted	S\$6.8 - S\$7.1**	S\$6.5 - S\$7.2^	AUD 454 – AUD 782	¥10,000 - ¥12,500	¥15,000 - ¥17,450

\* Exclude one short term lease given to existing tenant at rent of AUD 926 psm

\*\* For office tower leases

^ For office leases

As at 30 June 2012. Excludes retail turnover rent

## Organic growth provided by built-in step-up rents

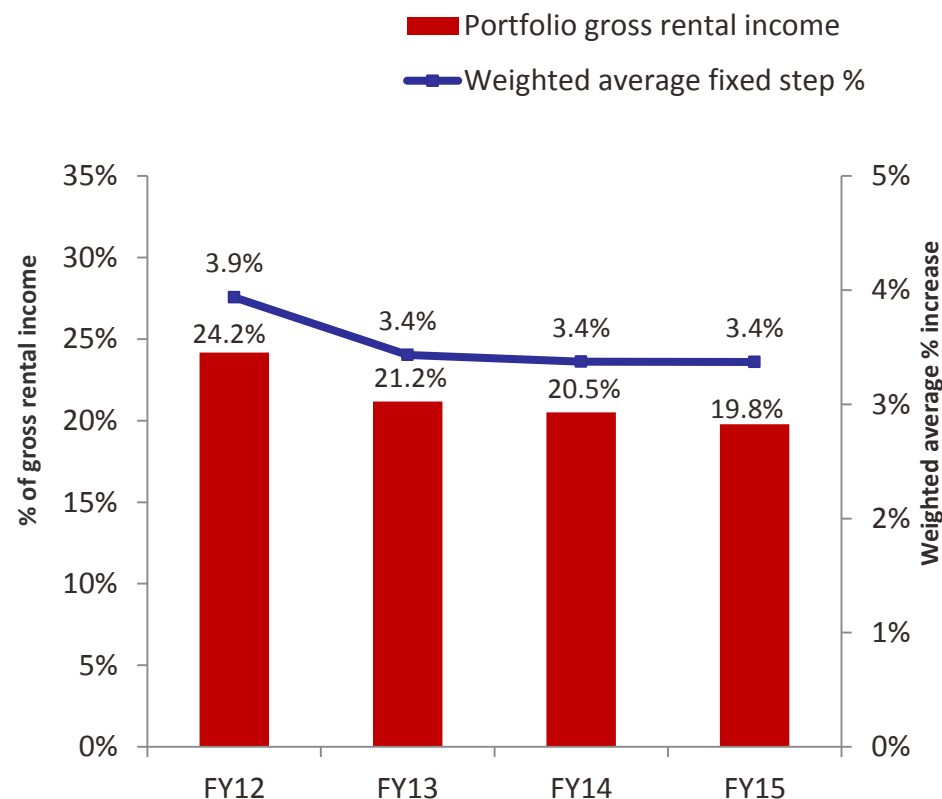
### FY12 - Fixed % lease rent reviews

Property	Leases	Average step-up rent	GROSS RENTAL INCOME	
			Property	Total Portfolio
China Square Central	10	6.4%	7.0%	1.6%
KeyPoint	9	5.1%	8.4%	1.2%
Caroline Chisholm Centre	1	3.0%	100.0%	9.7%
Central Park	12	4.5%	48.0%	11.8%

### FY12- Other mid-term lease rent reviews

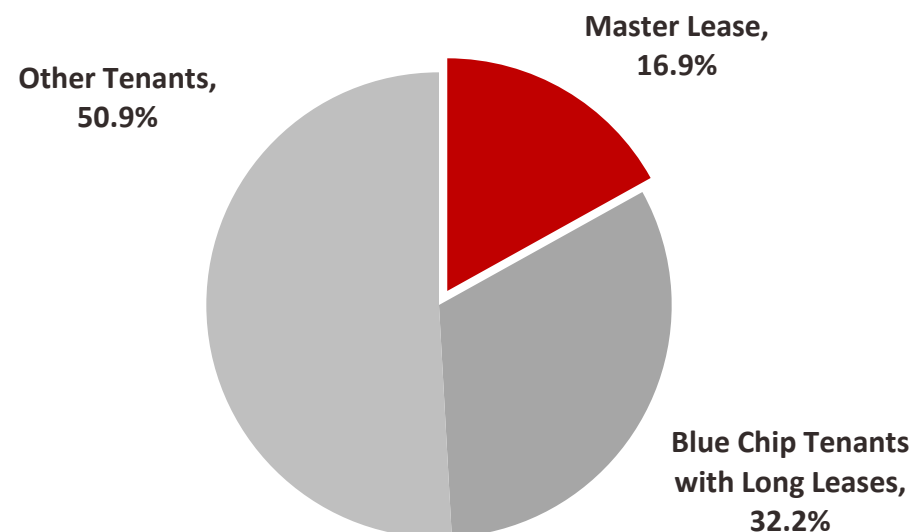
Property	Leases	Review mechanism	GROSS RENTAL INCOME	
			Property	Total Portfolio
Central Park	4	Market	19.7%	5.1%
Central Park	6	CPI	16.9%	4.4%

### FY12 – 15 - Portfolio fixed % reviews



## Master lessee/ blue chip tenants with long leases contribute >49% of total gross rental income

Master Lease		
Tenant	Lease Expiry	% (Gross Rental Income)
Alexandra Technopark – Orrick Investments Pte Ltd	Aug 2014	16.9%
Blue Chip Tenants with Long Leases		
Tenant	Lease Expiry	% (Gross Rental Income)
Commonwealth of Australia (Centrelink)	Jul 2025	17.2%
Hamersley Iron Pty Ltd	Jun 2018	7.2%
Cerebos Pacific Ltd	May 2017	2.3%
BHP Billiton Petroleum Pty Ltd	Nov 2015	1.7%
PF Lawyers Pty Ltd (DLA Piper)	Jun 2020	1.2%
Government Employees Superannuation Board (WA)	May 2017	1.0%
Plan B Administration Pty Ltd	Apr 2019	1.0%
Jones Lang LaSalle (WA) Pty Ltd	Mar 2021	0.6%
<b>Total</b>		<b>32.2%</b>



**Master Lessees**  
 +  
**Blue Chip Tenants with Long Leases**
 =
 **49.1% portfolio income secured**



## China Square Central – NPI grew 11% following the expiry of the master lease

### ▪ Tenancy activity:

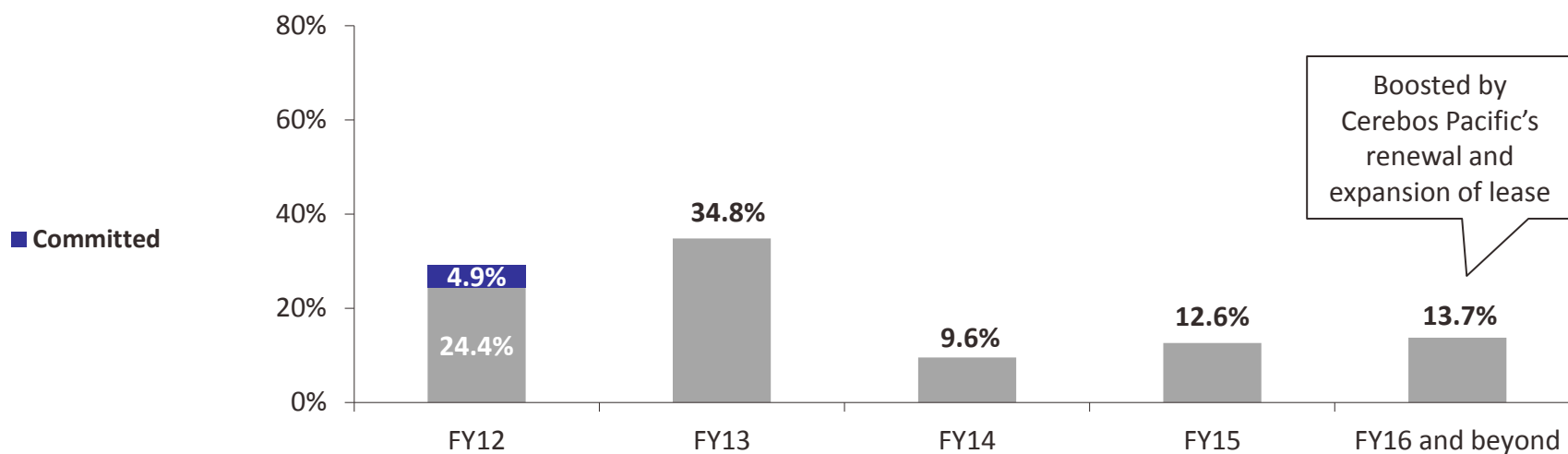
- Cerebos Pacific renewed and expanded its lease for another 5 years, representing approximately 9.7% of net lettable area
- Other major tenants commenced/renewed include WT Partnership, Wavecell and Wen & Weng Medical Group
- Total lease area commenced and committed for the quarter was 79,794 sf
- Leased out around 15% of 72,334 sf of space formerly occupied by Marsh & McLennan and currently in discussions with several potential tenants to take up the remaining space
- Occupancy rate as at 30 June was 92.6% up from 91.2% a quarter ago

China Square Central



## China Square Central – income expiring in FY16 and beyond increase to 13.7%

Lease expiry by gross rental income



Number of leases expiring	23	54	25	15	3
NLA (sq ft) expiring	92,826	119,959	35,202	46,842	45,597
Expiries as % total Gross Rental Income	29.3%	34.8%	9.6%	12.6%	13.7%
Average passing rent	\$6.8	\$6.3	\$5.9	\$5.8	\$6.5



Future  
Telok Ayer  
MRT  
Station

Precinct Master Plan – Covered Link Way

- China Square Precinct Master Plan
  - Collaborative effort between Far East Square, China Square Central & Great Eastern Centre
  - Create a vibrant retail, entertainment and hospitality destination
  - Far East Organization is planning two hotel developments within Far East Square
  - Precinct to be called “China Place”
  - Costs an estimated S\$14m, shared equally among the three partners





- China Square Precinct Master Plan
  - Building markers, directional & circulation signs and locally-commissioned building mural artwork
  - Sustained line-up of activities, events and promotions is in the works
  - Project commenced in July 2012, and targeted for completion by February 2013





Artist impression

- Asset enhancement initiative – main tower (18 Cross Street)
  - Upgrade main tower block office lobby and common areas
  - Complement the proposed covered link way
  - Capitalise on the opening of the future Telok Ayer MRT station in 2013

### Robust leasing activities within the portfolio

#### ▪ 55 Market Street, Singapore:

- New tenants ATC Trustees and Helios Lab
- Boosted the occupancy level to 100.0% from 95.8% a quarter ago

#### ▪ Alexandra Technopark, Singapore:

- Property under the master lease
- Hewlett-Packard and Hitachi Homes Electronics Asia have renewed their leases for another three years to 2015

#### ▪ Central Park, Perth:

- Occupancy rate up by 2.1% pts to 98.0% from 95.9% a quarter ago
- Leases commenced in the quarter were Hamersley Iron and BHP Billiton

Alexandra Technopark



#### ▪ Azabu Aco, Tokyo:

- Grand Amenity which occupies about 27.3% of the net lettable area has renewed for another two years
- Manager successfully renewed all the leases that were due for renewal for this financial year

# Capital management

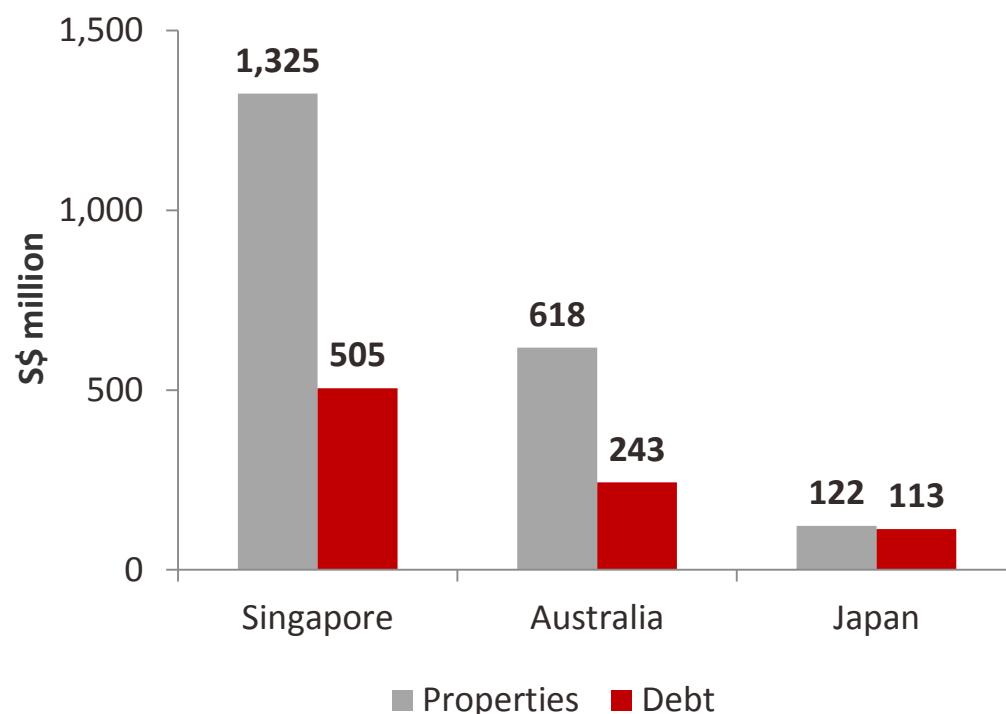


## A portion of the investment in overseas assets is hedged naturally

### Statistics

	As at 30 June 2012
Total Assets (S\$'000)	2,179,983
Gross Borrowings (S\$'000)	861,354
Units on Issue and Issuable	643,707,665
NAV per Unit (ex-DPU) <sup>1</sup> (S\$)	1.30
NAV per Unit (assuming all CPPUs are converted into Units) <sup>1,2</sup> (S\$)	1.27
Gearing <sup>3</sup>	39.5%
Interest coverage ratio (times) <sup>4</sup>	3.05
Average borrowing rate <sup>5</sup>	4.0%

### Borrowings and assets by currency



<sup>1</sup> The number of Units used to calculate NAV per Unit has been adjusted for the effect of the Unit Consolidation.

<sup>2</sup> 342,500,000 Series A CPPUs are converted into Conversion Units at the conversion price of S\$1.1845 per Unit

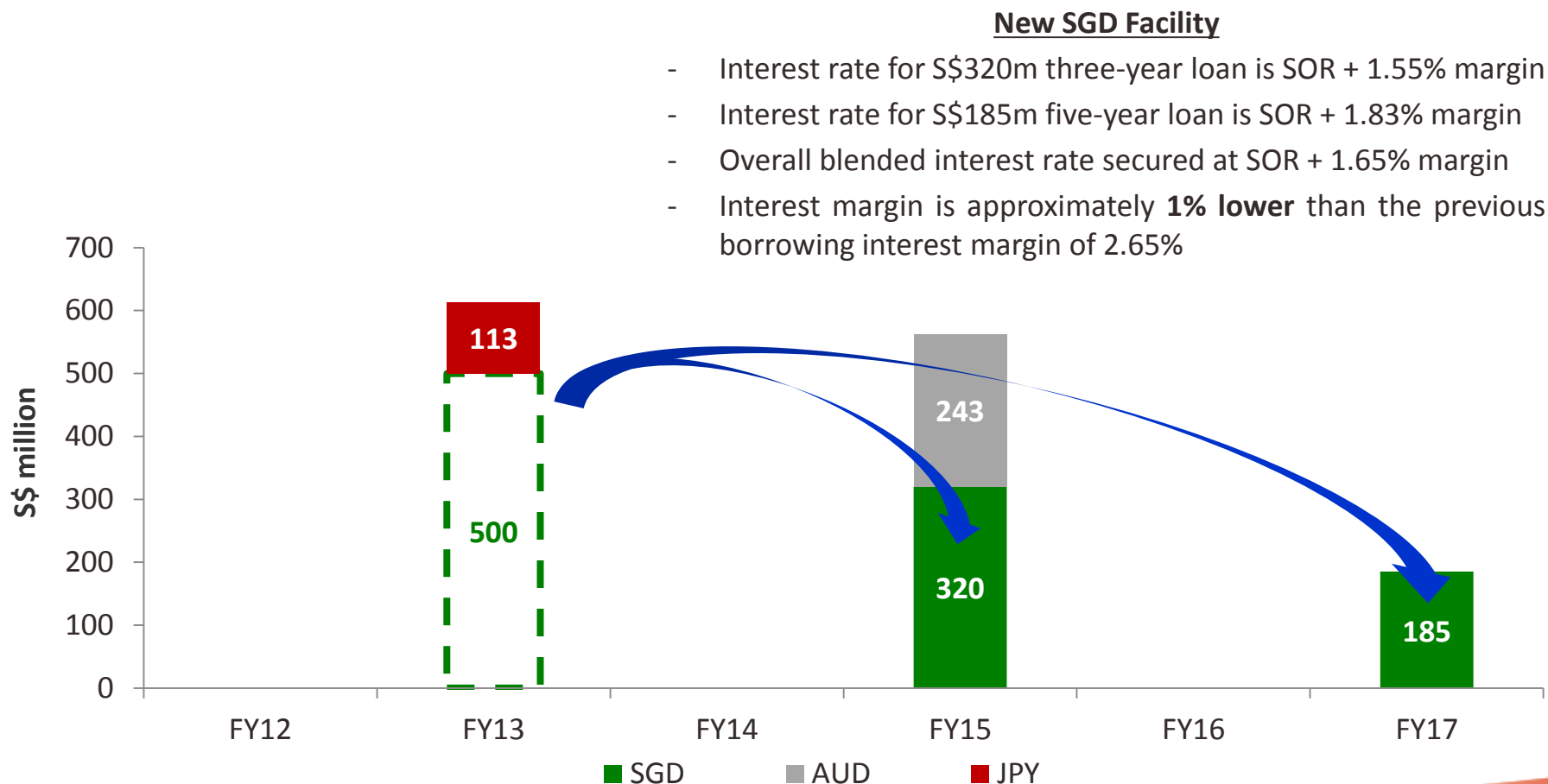
<sup>3</sup> Calculated as gross borrowing as a percentage of total assets

<sup>4</sup> Calculated as net income before changes in fair values of investment properties, interest, other investment and derivative financial instruments, income tax and distribution and adding back certain non-recurring items/ cash finance costs for the quarter ended 30 June 2012. See accompanying 3QFY12 Financial Statements announcement for more details

<sup>5</sup> For quarter ended 30 June 2012

## Early refinancing of S\$500m term loan facility at a lower interest margin

### Debt Maturity Profile



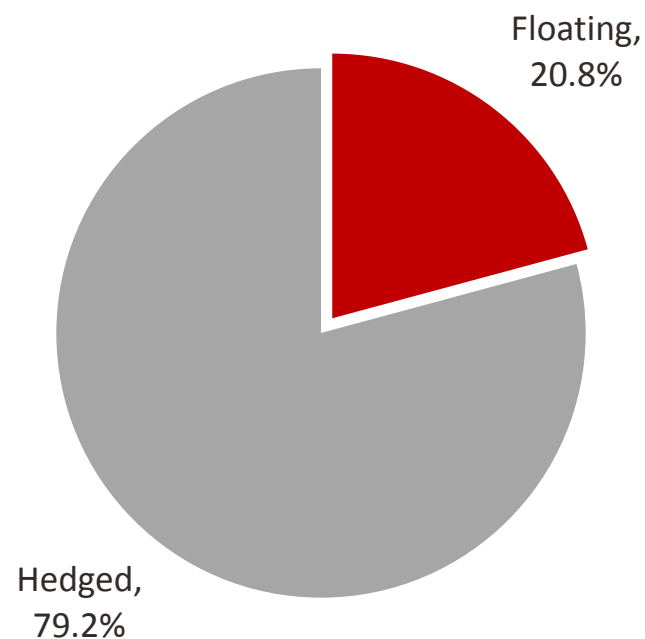
Based on an exchange rate of S\$1.00=¥61.97 and A\$1.00 = S\$1.2789 as at 30 June 2012

## Hedged about 79% of Gross Borrowings

### Hedging debt

As a % of:	As at 30 June 2012
Total Gross Borrowings	79.2%

### Debt composition – floating vs. hedged



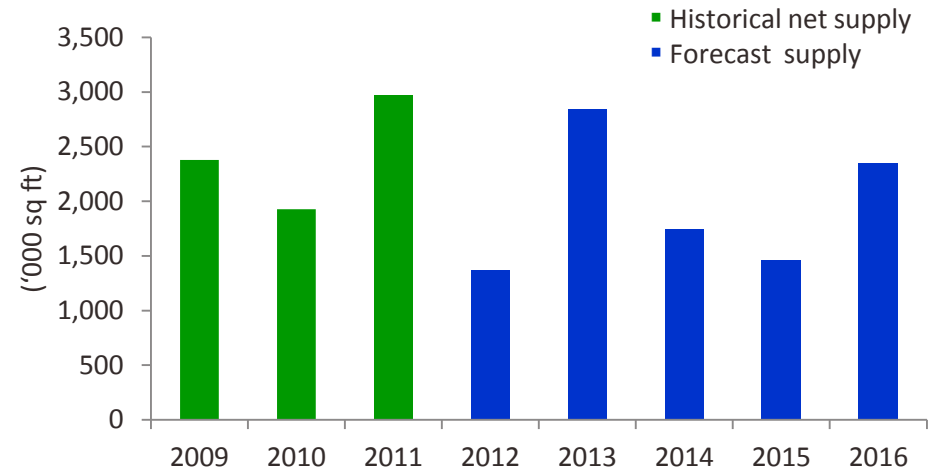
Moving forward

### Singapore office market recorded positive net absorption in Q2 2012

#### ■ Market conditions <sup>1</sup>

- Office demand in Q2 2012 beat expectations with stronger leasing performance and positive net absorption reaching 473,200 sf
- With no new developments completed, the island-wide vacancy rate declined to 6.4% from 7.3%
- Grade A office rents declined by 4.7% q-o-q to \$10.10 psf/mth
- Grade B office rents dropped by 0.6% q-o-q to \$7.21 psf/mth
- The relatively stable performance in Grade B rent is in large measure due to higher occupancy levels in Grade B buildings
- Going forward, CBRE foresee Grade B rents facing increased pressure from an additional 1.2 million sf of second hand space released in the next 18 months

#### Singapore office new supply <sup>2</sup>

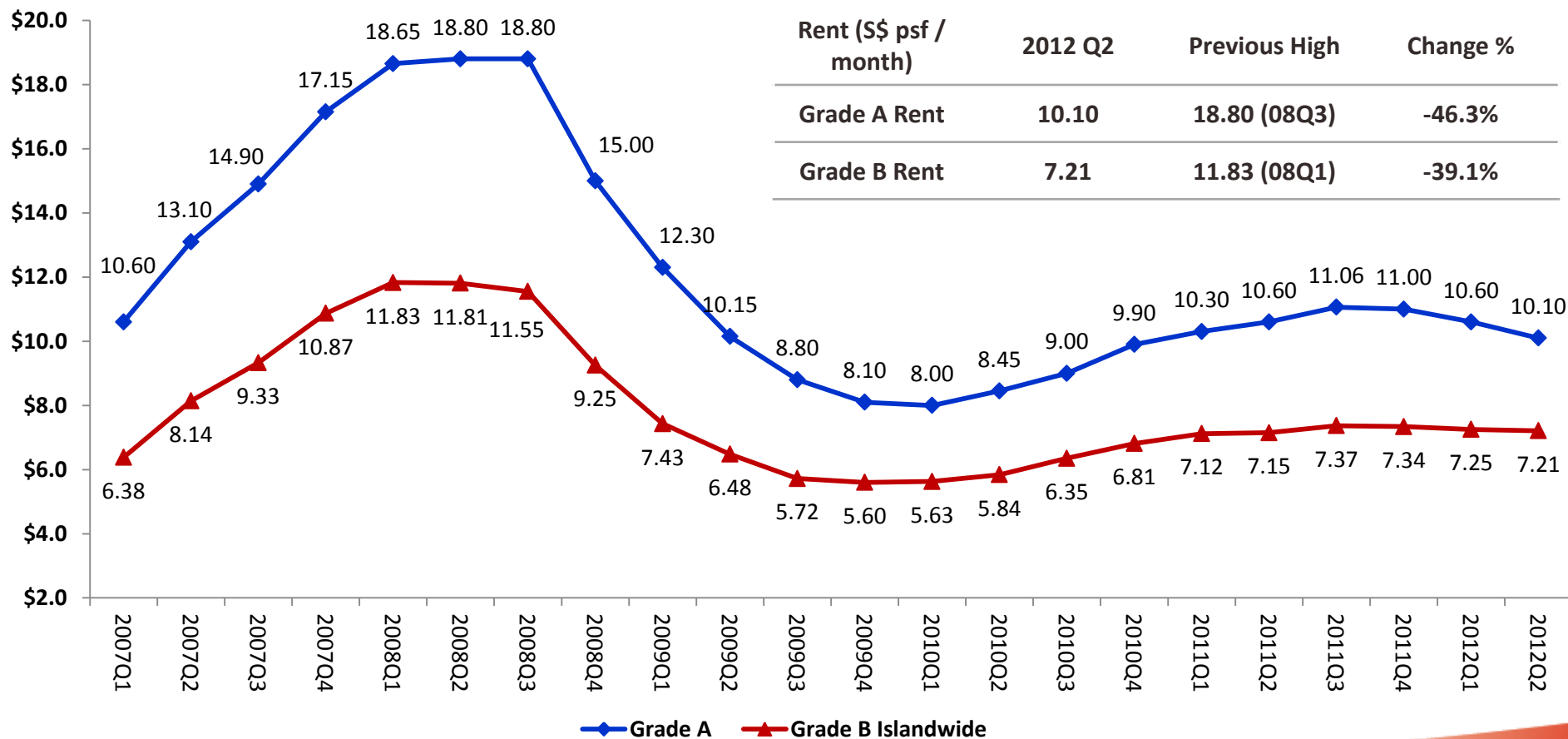


<sup>1</sup> CB Richard Ellis, "MarketView Singapore", Q2 2012

<sup>2</sup> Source: URA; CBRE Research

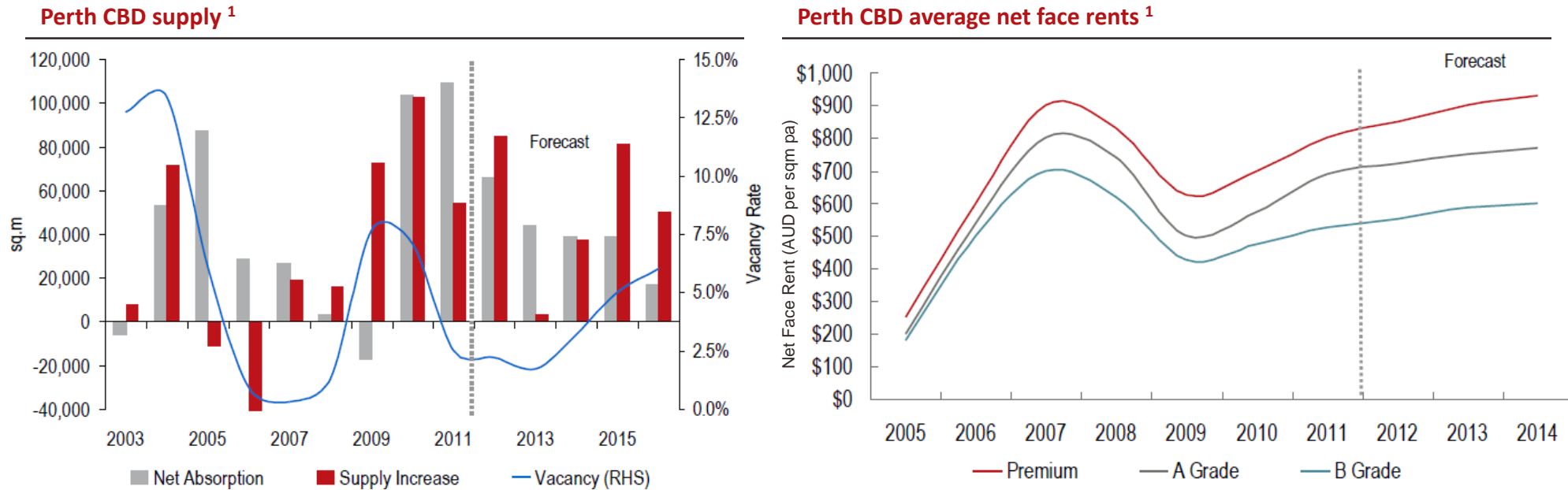
## Singapore office rents trend

Singapore Grade A and Grade B office rents <sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Source: CBRE Research

## Premium Grade office market net rent between AUD 750 to AUD 950



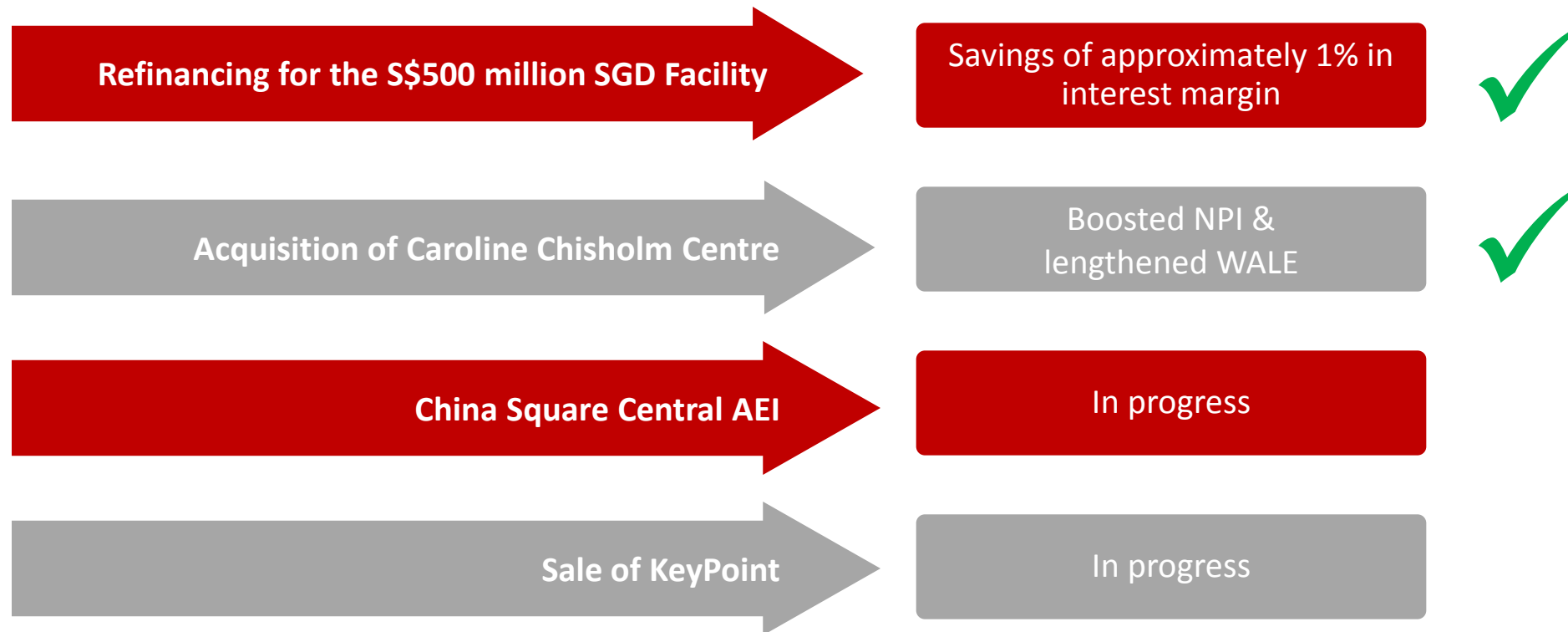
### ■ Market conditions <sup>1</sup>

- Tightest CBD market in Australia with above average demand
- Forecast net face rents growth of 16% from 2012 to 2014
- Premium Grade office market net rent between AUD 750 to AUD 950 and vacancy at 0% as of March 2012

<sup>1</sup> Jones Lang LaSalle "Perth CBD Office Market Outlook", June 2012



## Strategic initiatives delivering results



Portfolio reshaping and capital management initiatives driving better returns for Unitholders

Thank you

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