



Ascott Residence Trust A Leading Global Serviced Residence REIT

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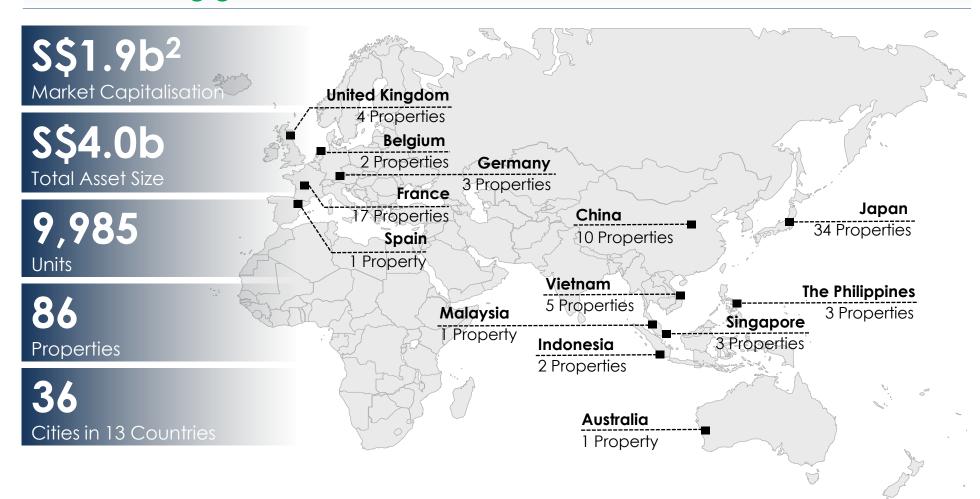








Leading global serviced residence real estate investment trust



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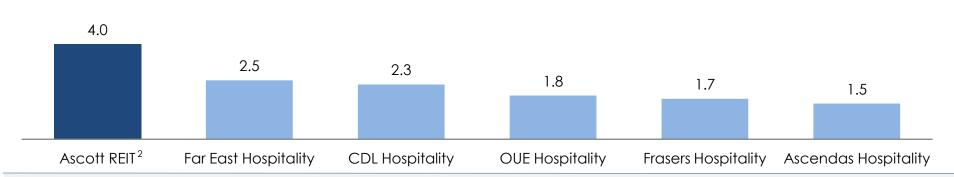
- 1. Figures as at 30 June 2014 and including the acquisition of Somerset Ampang Kuala Lumpur, Citadines Zhuankou Wuhan and Citadines Gaoxin Xi'an completed on 18 August 2014.
- 2. Market capitalisation as at 22 August 2014.





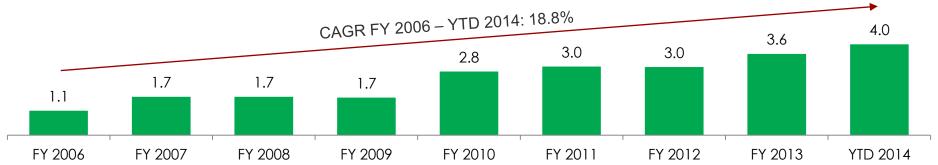
Largest Hospitality Trust listed on the SGX-ST by total asset value

Total asset value¹ (\$\$b)



...having quadrupled its total assets since its listing in 2006

Ascott REIT's total asset value² (S\$b)



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Business Model



Strengths of Ascott REIT

- Geographically Diversified Portfolio
 Across Key International Gateway Cities
- Diversification across economic cycles supports asset value and income stability

2 Stability of Income from Extended-Stay
Business Model

Enhanced income visibility and stability through Master Lease and Minimum Guaranteed Income

Aim to deliver stable and growing distributions

Acquisition, active asset management, capital and risk management



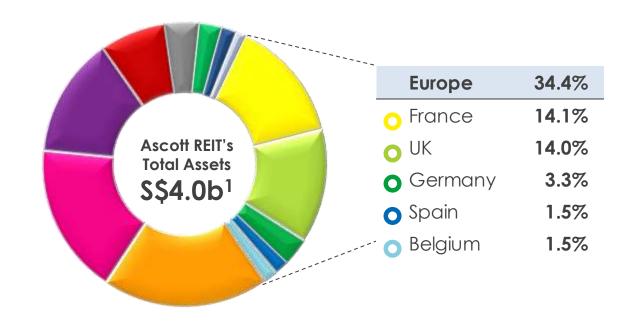


Geographical Diversification



Ascott REIT's Total Assets

Asia-Pacific	65.6%
China	19.3%
Singapore	15.4%
Japan	14.2%
Vietnam	7.4%
Philippines	4.0%
Indonesia	2.7%
Malaysia	1.7%
Australia	0.9%



Portfolio diversified across economic and property cycles

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Ascott REIT Sources of Income¹



	Properties on Master Lease	Properties on Management Contract with Minimum Income Guarantee	Properties on Management Contract
Description	 Master Lessees (which include third parties and subsidiaries of Ascott) pay fixed rental² per annum to Ascott REIT 	 Properties on management contracts that enjoy minimum guaranteed income (from subsidiaries of Ascott) 	 No fixed or guaranteed rental but Ascott as operator manages Ascott REIT's properties for a fee
Tenure	 Average weighted remaining tenure of about 5 years 	 Average weighted remaining tenure of about 5 years 	Generally on a 10-year basis
Location	27 properties17 in France3 in Germany1 in Singapore6 in Japan	7 properties4 in UK2 in Belgium1 in Spain	52 properties23 in Asia1 in Australia28 in Japan

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- 2. The rental payments under the Master Leases are generally fixed for a period of time. However, the Master Leases provide for annual rental revisions pegged to indices representing construction costs, inflation or commercial rental prices according to market practice. Accordingly, the rental revisions may be adjusted upwards or downwards depending on the above factors.



Balance of Income Stability and Growth



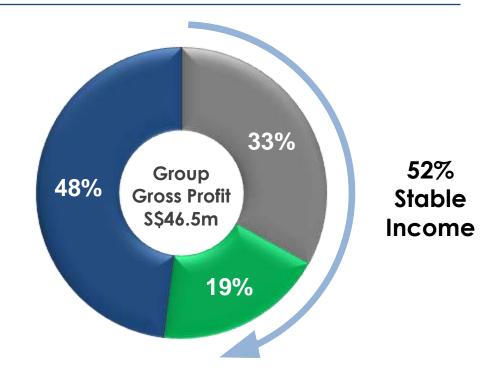
Breakdown of Gross Profit for 2Q 2014

Group's gross profit contribution:

33% by master leases

19% by management contracts with minimum guaranteed income

48% by management contracts



- Master Leases
- Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income
- Management Contracts



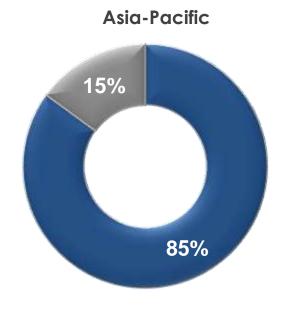


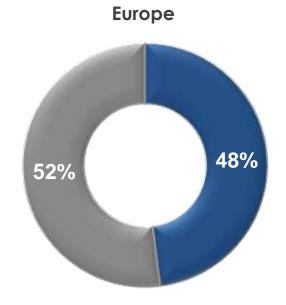
Diversified Market Segment



Apartment Rental Income by Market Segment¹

2Q 2014





- Corporate Travel
- Leisure

Note:

1. Properties on Master Leases not included



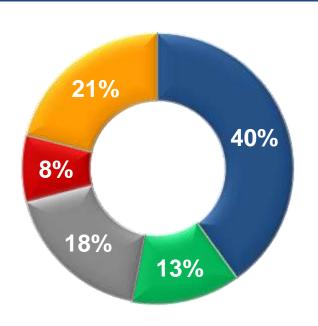


Extended Length of Stay Profile



Apartment Rental Income by Length of Stay¹

2Q 2014



- 1 week or less
 Less than 1 month
 1 to 6 months
 6 to 12 months
 8%
- O More than 12 months 21%

Average apartment rental income by length of stay is about 4 months

Note:

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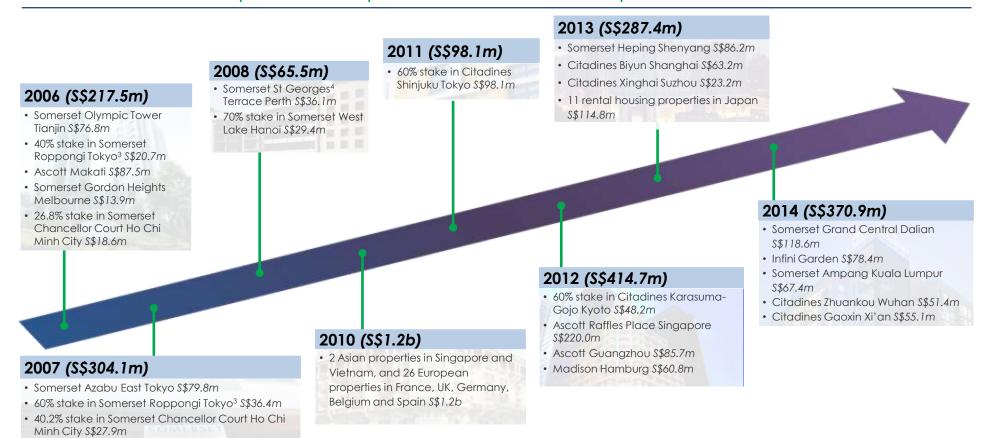




Demonstrated Strong Acquisition Track Record



- From 12 Properties at IPO to 86 Properties¹
- ~70%² of the Properties Acquired were from the Sponsor



Notes:

Figures above are based on agreed property value

- 1. After divestments of Ascott Beijing, Country Woods Jakarta, Somerset Gordon Heights Melbourne and Somerset Grand Cairnhill Singapore
- 2. Based on number of properties

• 18 rental housing properties in Tokyo \$\$160.0m

- 3. Renamed as Roppongi Residences Tokyo after conversion from a serviced residence to rental housing in April 2012.
- 4. Rebranded as Citadines St Georges Terrace Perth in January 2014.



Divestments Since Listing



Recycle capital to reinvest in higher yielding assets







Note:

Figures above are based on agreed sale price





Continue to Rejuvenate Portfolio to Create New Value



About 85% of serviced residence properties have undergone or are undergoing AEI

Completed AEI YTD 2014: Citadines Prestige Ramblas Barcelona

€3.3m^{1,2} Capex incurred (S\$5.8m)

Renovation of Capex work done 131 units

ADR uplift for renovated rooms

~17%





Completed AEI YTD 2014: Citadines Toison d'OR Brussels

Capex incurred €2.8m¹ (\$\$4.9m)

Renovation of Capex work done 154 units

ADR uplift for ~17% renovated rooms

Notes:

1. €1 = S\$1.75







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Completed AEI YTD 2014: Ascott Jakarta

Capex incurred	US\$12.2m ¹ (S\$15.5m)
Capex work done	Renovation of 198 units and conversion of 18 serviced offices to 6 apartment units
ADR uplift for	~25%





Completed AEI YTD 2014: Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

Capex incurred	S\$1.3m
Capex work done	Conversion of 35 studio units into 1 Bedroom units
ADR uplift for renovated rooms	~6%





Note:

1. US\$ 1= S\$1.27

renovated rooms



Distribution Trend Since Listing



Regular DPU Distributions



Notes:

- 1. FY2006 DPU annualized as Ascott REIT was established on 19 Jan 2006 but its acquisition of real properties was completed on 1 March 2006. Hence actual income recorded relates only to the 10 month period from 1 March 2006 to 31 Dec 2006.
- 2. Excluding the effects from the rights issue, DPU for FY 2013 would be 9.03 cents.





L Key Highlights



Unitholders' Distribution		Gross Profit		
2Q 2014 \$\$33.5m \$8% YoY	1H 2014 S\$60.2m ↑3% YoY	2Q 2014 \$\$46.5m 14% YoY	1H 2014 \$\$85.7m \$15% YoY	
Portfolio	Valuation Valuation	Net Asset	Value per Unit	
As at 30 Jun 2014 \$\$3,507.8m 77% from \$\$3,264.1m as at 31 Dec 2013		As at 30 Jun 2014 \$\$1.38 176 from \$\$1.37 as at 31	l Dec 2013	



<u>L</u>1H 2014 vs 1H 2013



	1H 2014	1H 2013	% Change
Revenue (S\$'m)	168.5	146.6	15% 👚
Gross Profit (\$\$'m)	85.7	74.7	15% 👚
Unitholders' Distribution (\$\$'m)	60.2	58.5	3% 👚
Distribution Per Unit (S cents)	3.94	4.70	-16% 👢
Adjusted Distribution Per Unit (S cents) (For information Only)	3.94	3.761	5% 👚
Revenue Per Available Unit (S\$/day) – serviced residences	131	133	-2% 👢

- Revenue and gross profit increased by 15%
 - Additional contribution from the properties acquired in FY 2013² and 1H 2014³ as well as existing properties
 - Partially offset by absence of revenue due to cessation of operations for Somerset Grand Fortune Garden Property Beijing arising from the ongoing strata sale of units
- On a same store basis, revenue and gross profit increased by 5%
 - Stronger underlying performance from properties in Europe
 - Appreciation of EUR and GBP against SGD
- 1. Adjusted for the effects from the Rights Issue and excluded one-off items of approximately \$\$12.1 million
- 2. Acquisition of Somerset Heping Shenyang, Citadines Biyun Shanghai, Citadines Xinghai Suzhou and 11 rental housing properties in Japan were completed in June 2013
- 3. Acquisition of Infini Garden and Somerset Grand Central Dalian were completed in March 2014 and June 2014 respectively







Healthy Balance Sheet and Credit Metrics



Key Financial Indicators

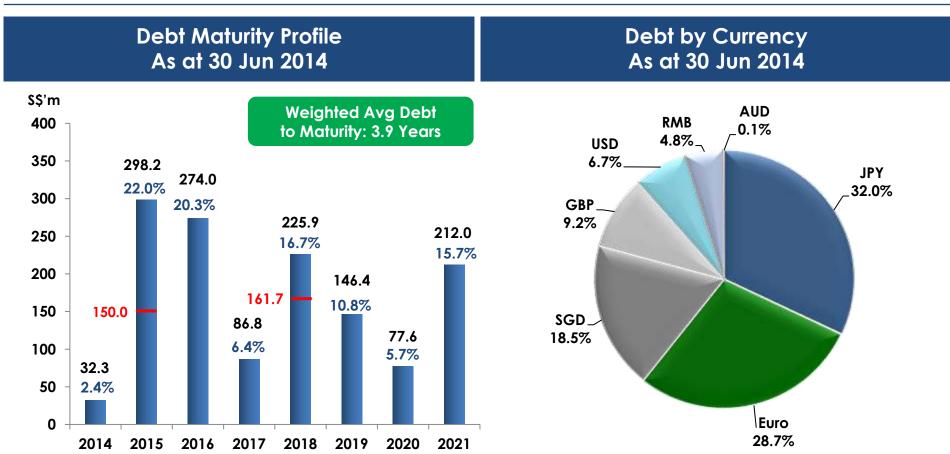
	As at 30 Jun 2014	As at 31 Mar 2014	
Gearing	36.4%	35.9%	Stable
Interest Cover	4.4X	4.7X	Stable
Effective Borrowing Rate	2.9%	3.0%	Improved
Weighted Avg Debt to Maturity (Years)	3.9	3.8	Improved
NAV/Unit	\$\$1.38	\$\$1.36	Stable
Ascott REIT's Issuer Rating	Baa3	Baa3	Stable







Proactive Capital Management



Ascott REIT's Total Debt = \$\$1,353.2 million

 \cdot S\$311.7m medium term note arising from the S\$1.0 billion Medium Term Note Programme has been issued



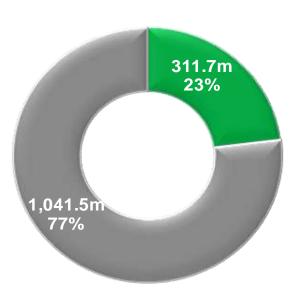




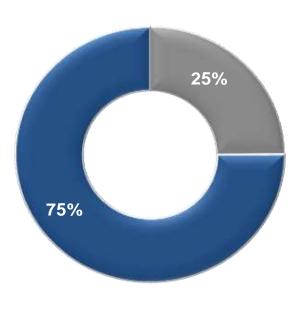
Proactive Capital Management

Debt Type As at 30 Jun 2014

Interest Rate Profile As at 30 Jun 2014



- Bank Loans (S\$)
- Medium Term Note (\$\$)



- Fixed
- Floating

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Foreign Exchange Profile



Well-Diversified Portfolio

Currency	Gross Profit YTD Jun 2014	Exchange Rate Movement From Dec 2013 to Jun 2014
SGD	11%	-
EUR	30%	0.3%
JPY	15%	-0.6%
VND	13%	-
GBP	12%	0.6%
RMB	8%	0.6%
PHP	6%	-1.3%
USD	4%	0.6%
AUD	1%	0.2%
Total	100%	0.1%

We have entered into foreign currency forward contracts to hedge distribution income derived in EUR, GBP and JPY.

On a portfolio basis, approximately 40% of estimated FY 2014 distribution income had been hedged.









1

Actively seek accretive acquisition

 Announced \$\$370.9m worth of acquisitions in China, Japan and Malaysia for YTD 2014

 Continue to seek accretive acquisitions in China, Japan, Malaysia, Australia and Europe

2

Focus on value creation for portfolio

 Completed AEI in five properties in 1H 2014, namely Ascott Jakarta, Ascott Raffles Place Singapore, Citadines St Georges Terrace, Citadines Prestige Ramblas Barcelona and Citadines Toison d'Or Brussels

Continue to create new value through AEI for certain properties in China,
 Vietnam and United Kingdom in 2H 2014

3

Maintain disciplined and prudent capital management

75% of total borrowing are on fixed interest rates as at 30 June 2014

 Continue to remain vigilant to changes in macro and credit environment that may impact Ascott REIT's financing plans















Thank You





Portfolio Valuation Up by 7%



Higher valuation from United Kingdom, France, Japan and Vietnam

- Independent valuation conducted by Jones Lang LaSalle Property Consultants Pte Ltd
- Portfolio valuation as at 30 Jun 2014 of S\$3,507.8m
- Increase of \$\$41.5 million from portfolio valuation as at 31 Dec 2013







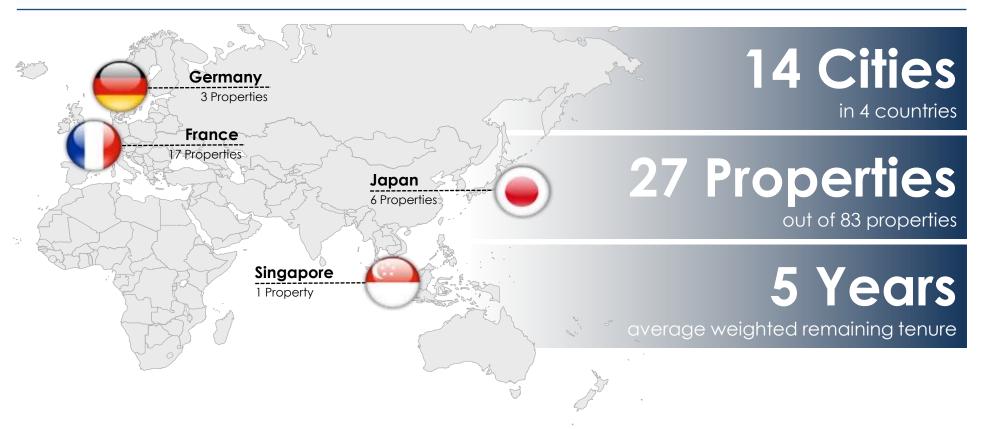








33% of Group's Gross Profit for 2Q 2014 is contributed by Master Leases









Suites Louvre **Paris**



Prestige Les Halles Paris



Croisette

Cannes

Citadines Arnulfpark Munich



Hamburg

Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

Revenue ('mil)

Gross Profit ('mil)

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	2Q 2014	2Q 2013		2Q 2014	2Q 2013	
France (EUR) 17 Properties	5.8	5.8	-	5.4	5.2	1
Germany (EUR) 3 Properties	1.5	1.5	-	1.3	1.3	-
Singapore (SGD) Ascott Raffles Place Singapore	2.4	2.3		2.0	1.9	1
Japan (JPY) 6 Properties ¹	187.6	- 1		149.2	-	1

Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to the conversion of 35 studio units to one-bedroom units at Ascott Raffles Place Singapore and the contribution from the acquired properties in Japan. Gross profit for the properties in France increased due to a one-off reversal of business tax.



^{1.} Acquisition of five rental housing properties and Infini Garden were completed in June 2013 and March 2014 respectively





Citadines Suites Louvre Paris



Citadines Prestige Les Halles Paris



Citadines Croisette Cannes



Arnulfpark

Munich

Madison Hamburg



Ascott Raffles Place Singapore

Revenue ('mil)

Gross Profit ('mil)

	1H 2014	1H 2013		1H 2014	1H 2013	
France (EUR) 17 Properties	11.7	11.5	1	10.8	10.5	1
Germany (EUR) 3 Properties	2.9	2.7	1	2.6	2.5	1
Singapore (SGD) Ascott Raffles Place Singapore	4.4	4.5	1	3.5	3.6	ļ
Japan (JPY) 6 Properties ¹	286.8	-	1	232.8	-	1

Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to higher indexation and pre-determined increase in lease income for the properties in France and Germany, as well as the contribution from the acquired properties¹ in Japan. This was partially offset by the lower operating performance of Ascott Raffles Place Singapore due to refurbishment in 1Q 2014.



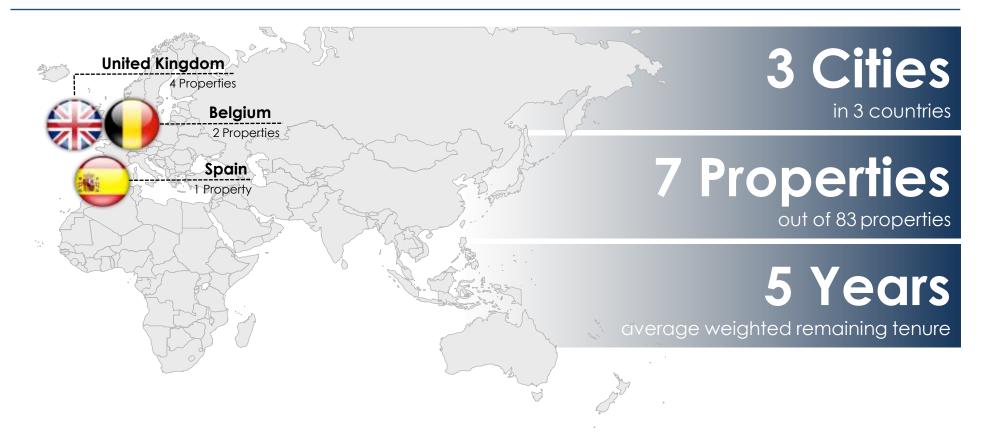
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Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income



19% of Group's Gross Profit for 2Q 2014 is contributed by Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income







Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income (2Q 2014 vs 2Q 2013)



	Revenue ('mil)		Gross Profit ('mil)		RevPAU	
	2Q 2014	2Q 2013	2Q 2014	2Q 2013	2Q 2014	2Q 2013
Belgium (EUR)	2.1	1.8	0.5	0.4	64	55
Spain (EUR)	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.5	97	74
United Kingdom (GBP)	6.9	7.1	3.0	3.3	123	124
Vietnam (VND) ^{1,2}	-	17.6 -	-	11.4 -	-	1,233 -

^{2.} Revenue and gross profit for Somerset West Lake in 2Q 2014 have been classified under "Management Contracts" category from April 2014 upon the expiry of the deed of yield protection.



^{1.} Revenue and gross profit figures for VND are stated in billions. RevPAU figures are stated in thousands.



Management Contracts with Minimum Guaranteed Income (1H 2014 vs 1H 2013)



	Revenue ('mil)		Gross Profit ('mil)		RevPAU	
	1H 2014	1H 2013	1H 2014	1H 2013	1H 2014	1H 2013
Belgium (EUR)	3.7	3.2	0.6	0.5	57	49
Spain (EUR)	1.9	1.8	0.8	0.7	73	61
United Kingdom (GBP)	12.4	12.0	4.6	5.0	110	105
Vietnam (VND) ^{1,2}	17.3	34.6	11.6	22.7	1,230	1,284

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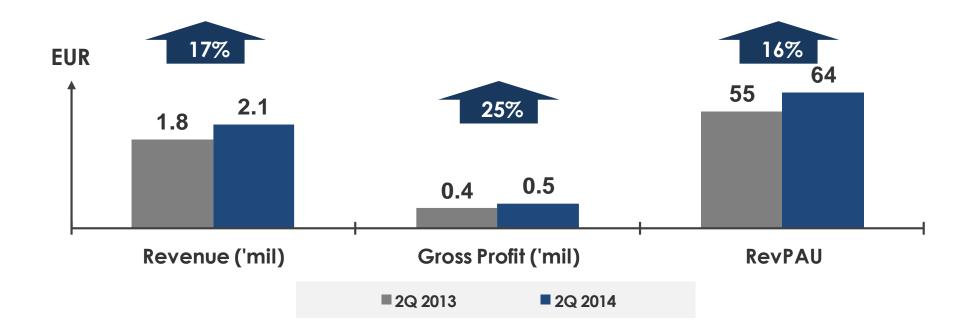


Citadines Sainte-Catherine Brussels



Citadines Toison d'Or Brussels





Revenue, gross profit and RevPAU increased mainly due to higher rental rates from the refurbished apartments at Citadines Toison d'Or Brussels.

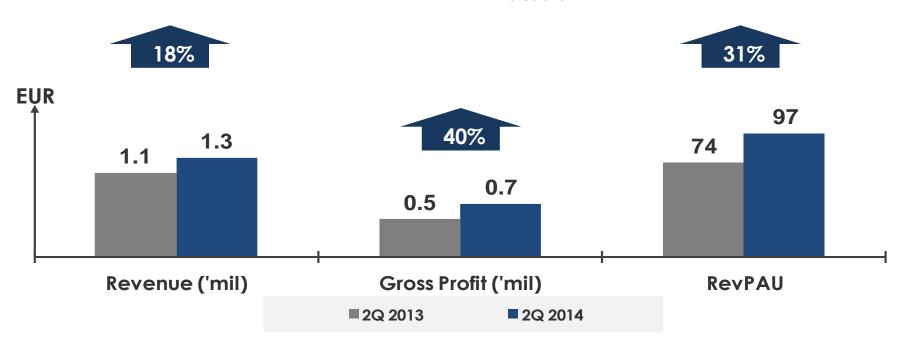






Citadines
Prestige Ramblas
Barcelona¹





Revenue, gross profit and RevPAU increased due to higher rental rates from the refurbished apartments at Citadines Prestige Ramblas Barcelona¹.



^{1.} Formerly known as Citadines Ramblas Barcelona





Citadines Barbican London



Citadines Prestige Holborn-Covent Prestige South Garden London

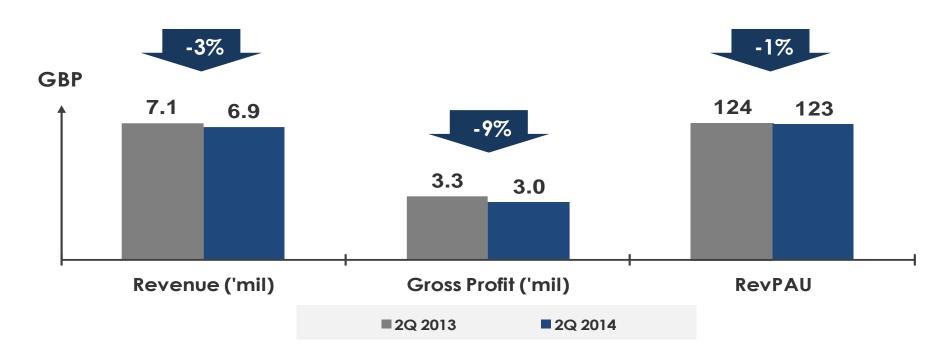


Citadines Kensington London



Citadines Prestige Trafalgar Square London





Revenue and RevPAU decreased mainly due to business being affected by installation of air conditioners at two of the properties, which was completed during the quarter. Gross profit decreased due to lower revenue and higher depreciation expense.

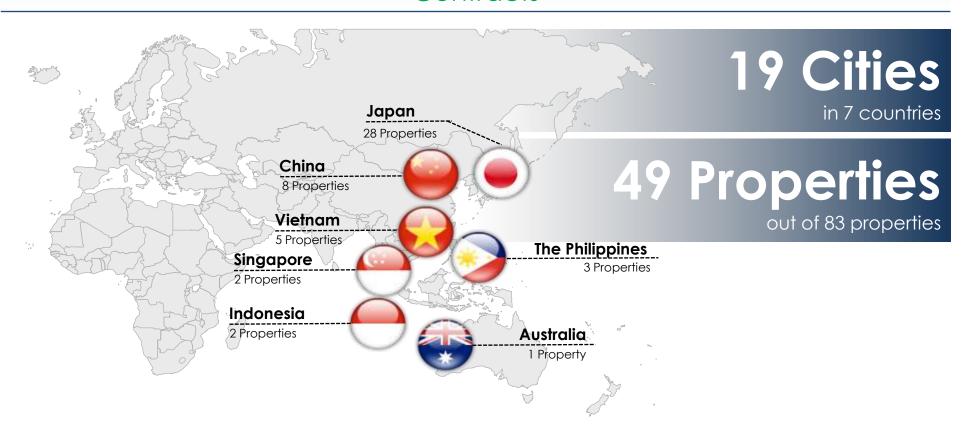




Management Contracts



48% of Group's Gross Profit for 2Q 2014 is contributed by Management Contracts





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Management Contracts (2Q 2014 vs 2Q 2013)



	Revenue ('mil)		Gross Profit ('mil)		RevPAU	
	2Q 2014	2Q 2013	2Q 2014	2Q 2013	2Q 2014	2Q 2013
Australia (AUD)	1.2	1.3	0.4	0.5	145	156 👢
China (RMB)	57.5	35.9	19.2	12.0	485	578 👢
Indonesia (USD)	3.3	3.1	1.5	1.0	88	82
Japan (JPY) ¹	723.2	535.6	414.9	284.9	10,753	9,792
Philippines (PHP)	285.0	268.7	110.0	101.5	4,874	5,062
Singapore (SGD)	6.6	7.3	3.1	3.7	207	228 👢
Vietnam (VND)²	156.0	151.5	82.3	87.6	1,507	1,581

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Australia (AUD)	2.3	2.5	0.7	0.9	143	151
China (RMB)	111.1	71.2	33.9	22.7	475	575 👢
Indonesia (USD)	6.5	6.1	2.7	1.8	87	81
Japan (JPY) ¹	1,398.2	1,002.9	805.7	498.6	10,156	8,961
Philippines (PHP)	548.5	540.6	194.7	203.9	4,683	5,109
Singapore (SGD)	13.2	13.4	6.0	6.2	206	210 👢
Vietnam (VND)²	308.1	300.5	171.9	171.2	1,574	1,572

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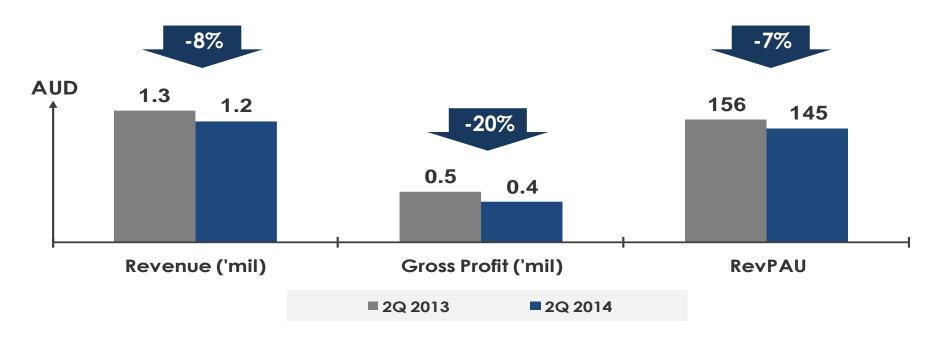
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Citadines St Georges Terrace Perth¹





Revenue, gross profit and RevPAU decreased mainly due to weaker market demand as a result of the slowdown from oil and mining industries.

1. Formerly known as Somerset St Georges Terrace Perth







Suzhou



Citadines Xinghai Somerset Olympic Ascott Guangzhou Tower Property Tianiin



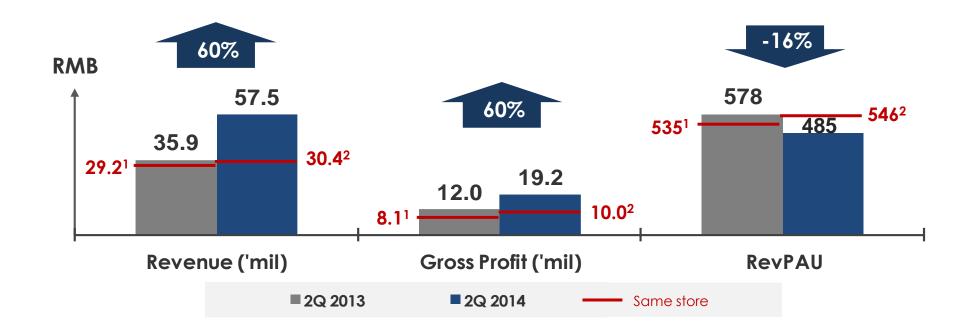
Somerset Hepina Shenyana



Citadines Biyun Shanahai



Somerset Xu Hui Shanghai



Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to contribution from the properties acquired in June 2013³ and June 2014⁴ as well as stronger performance from existing properties¹. On a same store basis, both revenue and gross profit were still higher, underpinned by strong market demand. RevPAU decreased due to the acquired properties, which had a lower ADR.

- 1. Excludes Somerset Fortune Garden Property Beijing
- Excludes Somerset Fortune Garden Property Beijing and properties acquired in June 2013 and June 2014
- Acquisition of Somerset Heping Shenyang, Citadines Biyun Shanghai and Citadines Xinghai Suzhou were completed in June 2013
- Acquisition of Somerset Grand Central Dalian was completed in June 2014







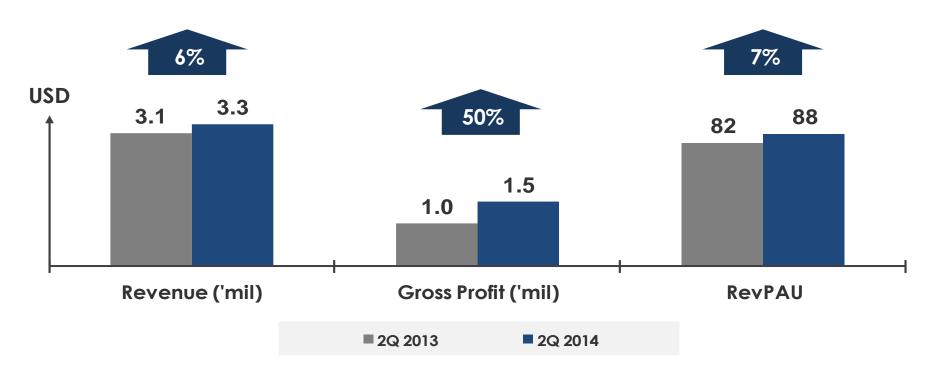


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Somerset Grand Citra Jakarta



Revenue and RevPAU increased due to higher rental rates from the refurbished apartments at Ascott Jakarta. Gross profit increased mainly due to higher revenue and lower operation and maintenance expense.







Somerset Azabu East Tokyo



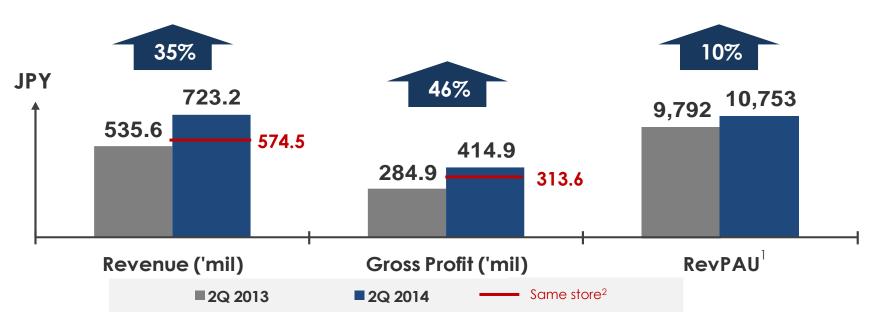
Citadines Shinjuku Tokyo



Karasuma-Gojo Kyoto



Citadines 25 rental housing properties in Japan



Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to the contribution from the six rental housing properties acquired in June 2013. On a same store basis, revenue and gross profit increased by 7% and 10% respectively due to stronger demand from corporate and leisure sectors.

- 1. RevPAU for serviced residence properties only.
- 2. Excludes the six rental housing properties acquired in June 2013.



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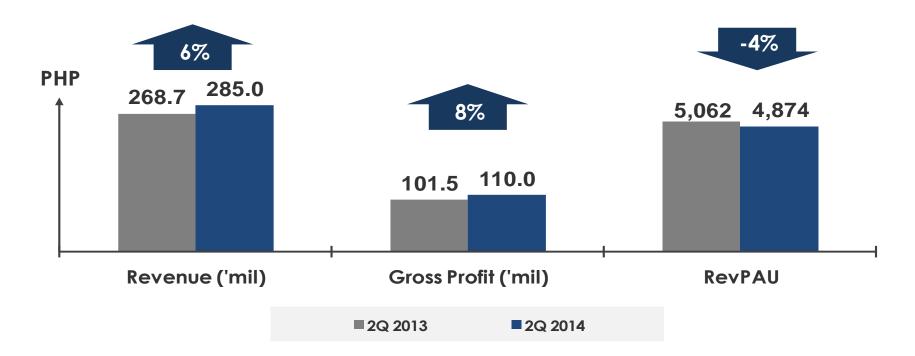




Somerset Millennium Makati



Salcedo Residences



Revenue and gross profit increased mainly due to stronger demand from project groups. RevPAU decreased due to increase in studio and one-bedroom inventory arising from conversion of 56 two-bedroom units at Ascott Makati in 2013.



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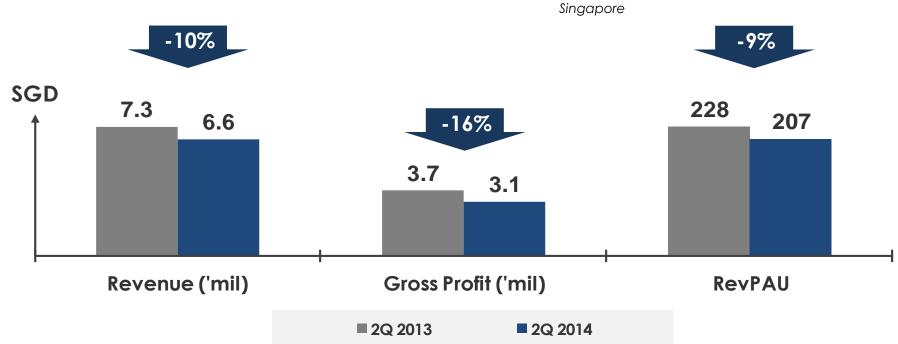


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Revenue and RevPAU decreased mainly due to lower corporate accommodation budgets. Gross profit decreased due to lower revenue, mitigated by lower utility expense.







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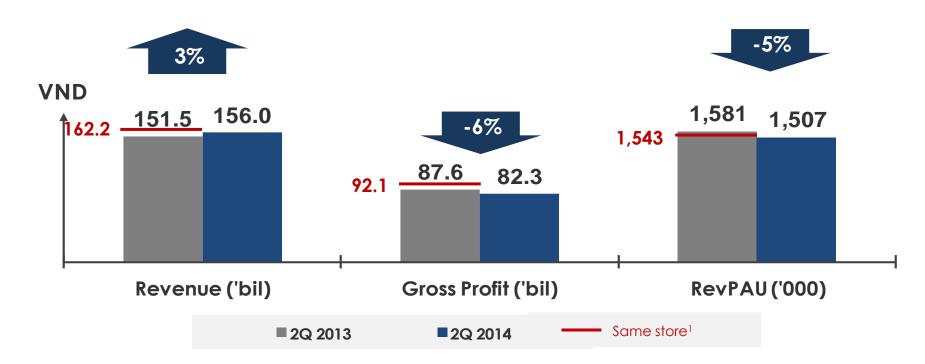
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Revenue increased mainly due to the contribution from Somerset West Lake Hanoi being reclassified from "management contracts with minimum guaranteed income" category². On a same store basis, revenue and RevPAU decreased mainly due to reduction in corporate accommodation budgets and lower office rental income.

^{2.} Revenue and gross profit for Somerset West Lake in 2Q 2014 have been classified under "Management Contracts" category from April 2014 upon the expiry of the deed of yield protection.



^{1.} Including the contribution from Somerset West Lake Hanoi but excluding the yield protection amount for 2Q 2013