

## **DFI Retail Group**

## 2024 Full Year Results Presentation

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- 1. Key Highlights
- 2. Financial Results
- 3. Strategy & Business Updates
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#### **Key Business Highlights**



#### Macro backdrop

- Northbound consumption sets a new level of playing field
- Intensifying competition from Chinese digital players

#### Steps taken to improve profitability in 2024

- Cost savings across formats and digital
- Improving Own Brand margin and sales productivity

#### **Opportunities focus areas**

- Continuing to grow market share in Hong Kong
- Capturing growth in Health & Beauty and Convenience
- Ongoing cost optimisation
- Increasing franchisee penetration in markets where appropriate
- Leveraging data to optimise promotional and merchandising decisions
- Further expanding omnichannel presence

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#### **Key Financial Highlights**



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- Underlying profit of US\$201m, up 30% year-on-year; reported profit impacted by one-offs
- Subsidiaries sales -0.6% vs. 2023 excluding divestment and cigarette sales
- Strong Health & Beauty performance despite challenging market conditions
- Convenience delivered double-digit PBIT growth across markets driven by strong RTE
- Strong profit growth in Food driven by significant earnings recovery in Singapore
- Strength in Taiwan IKEA plus cost savings mitigating sales challenges in Hong Kong and Indonesia
- Strong e-commerce volume growth with profitability turnaround
- Expanding yuu partnership with encouraging sales momentum in Retail Media
- Continued net debt reduction; positive net cash position post Yonghui transaction completion

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### **Revenue and Underlying Profit**



(US\$' m)	FY 2024	FY 2023	Change	FY 2024 (restated) <sup>1</sup>	Change <sup>2</sup>
Total Revenue		25	1		
Including Associates & JVs	24,938	26,471	-6%	15,408	<b>-2</b> %
Subsidiaries	8,869	9,170	-3%	8,847	-2%
Subsidiaries Underlying Operating Profit (pre-IFRS16	248	212	+17%	248	+15%
Subsidiaries Underlying Profit	158	111	+42%	157	+39%
Share of Associates & JVs' Underlying Profit	43	43	-2%	78	-11%
Underlying Profit Attributable to Shareholders	201	155	+30%	234	+17%
Net Non-Trading Items	(445)	(123)	n.m.	-	The second
Reported Profit Attributable to Shareholders	(245)	32	n.m.	234	+17%
Underlying EPS (US¢)	14.91	11.49	+30%	17.41	+18%
Total Dividend Per Share for the Year (US¢)	10.50	8.00	+31%	10.50	+31%

<sup>1.</sup> Excluding Yonghui (divestment completed in Feb 2025), divestment impact from Malaysia Food and Hero Supermarket

<sup>2.</sup> Year-on-year change compared to FY2023 restated financial figures which are not displayed in the slide

### **Non-trading items**



(US\$' m)	FY 2024	FY 2023
Impairment charge on interest in Robinsons Retail	(231)	-
Impairment of goodwill in San Miu and Cambodia Food businesses	(133)	(110)
Loss relating to divestment of Yonghui	(114)	-
Change in fair value of equity and debt investments	(33)	(15)
Business restructuring costs	(21)	(11)
Share of gain from sale of an associate by Robinsons Retail	17	
Net gain on sale of subsidiaries/JV	55	
Divestment of Malaysia Grocery Retail business	-	(54)
Others	15	67
Total	(445)	(123)

### **Revenue Summary**



(US\$' m)	FY 2024	FY 2023	Change	LFL (restated) <sup>2</sup>
Health and Beauty	2,457	2,445	+1%	0%
Convenience	2,379	2,441	-3%	<b>+2%</b> <sup>1</sup>
Food	3,131	3,285	-5%	-2%
Home Furnishings	701	794	-12%	-11%
Total revenue <sup>2</sup>	8,869	9,170	-3%	-1%
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Maxim's	3,070	3,109	-1%	
Robinsons Retail	3,425	3,424	+0%	
Yonghui	9,508	10,697	-11%	

<sup>1.</sup> Restated like-for-like sales growth excludes cigarette sales in Convenience business

<sup>2.</sup> Including revenue from other sources, primarily delivery and assembly income, income from concessions, service income, income from the Group's customer loyalty programme, etc.

<sup>3.</sup> Associates' sales include 100% of revenue from Maxim's, Yonghui (1 Oct 2023 – 30 Sept 2024) and RRHI's (1 Oct 2023 – 30 Sept 2024) revenue

### **Subsidiaries Operating Profit**



(US\$' m)	FY 2024	FY 2023	FY 2023 <sup>1</sup> (restated)	Change <sup>2</sup>	Change %
Health and Beauty	211	213	208	+3	+2%
Convenience	102	88	88	+14	+17%
Food	58	45	31	+27	+88%
Home Furnishings	16	19	19	-3	-13%
SG&A	(139)	(152)	(134)	-5	+5%
Operating Profit (pre-IFRS16)	248	212	212	+36	+17%
IFRS16 Adjustment	95	82	82	+13	+16%
Operating Profit (post-IFRS16)	343	294	294	+49	+17%
Operating Margin %  Including accounting change in Own Brand and e-Commerce related costs beginning 2H 2024 Change and change % versus FY2023 restated financial figures	3.9%	3.2%	3.2%	+70bps	

#### **Cash Flow Statement**



(US\$' m)	FY 2024	FY 2023
EBITDAR	1,181	1,121
Principal Elements of Lease Payments	(642)	(625)
Interest Elements of Lease Payments	(114)	(96)
ΔWorking Capital	(79)	45
Net Financing Costs	(36)	(49)
Dividends Received	52	46
Other Operating Cash Flow	(31)	(23)
Operating Cash Flow	331	419
Capex	(172)	(197)
Free Cash Flow	158	222
Divestments	107	92
Dividends Paid	(114)	(67)
Others	(1)	0
Net Cash Flow	150	247
Net Debt	(468)	(618)

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### **DFI Purpose Statement**





#### **DFI Strategic Framework**





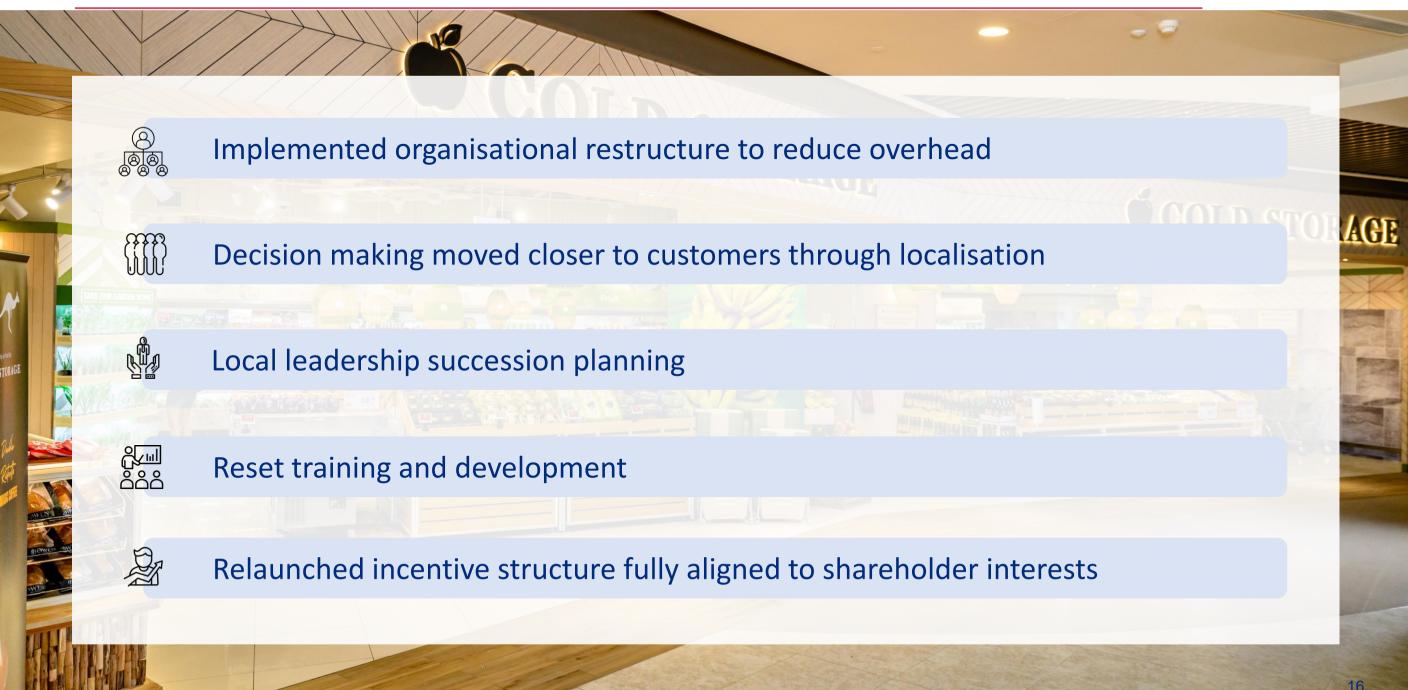
#### **Customer First – Key Milestones in 2024**





### People Led – Key Milestones in 2024





### **Shareholder Driven – Key Milestones in 2024**





#### **Health and Beauty Update**







- Stable LFL despite significant reduction in tourist traffic and China stores closure
- Profit remained stable on disciplined cost control
- Guardian (SEA) LFL sales +4% driven by increased basket size and market share gain
- Strong Indonesia performance driven by double-digit growth in LFL and PBIT
- Expanding Pharmacare programme in Hong Kong
- Own Brand reset in progress
- 73 new stores opened in FY24, primarily in Southeast Asia
- Strong e-commerce volume growth with new apps launched in HK and SG

#### **Convenience Update**







### **Food Update**



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- Strong profit growth driven by improved sales mix and disciplined cost control
- Total food retail sales in Hong Kong returned to growth in 4Q24
- Continued market share gain in Hong Kong with stable LFL sales
- Singapore Food achieved profitability turnaround
- Double-digit e-commerce growth with strong profit improvement in Hong Kong & Singapore
- Strengthened omnichannel presence with expanded customer touchpoint
- Own Brand reset driving profit accretion
- Hero Supermarket divestment completed June 2024

#### **Home Furnishings Update**





- HK: Flight to value & competition from Chinese mainland digital platforms poses challenges
- Taiwan: Continued resilience with over 10% PBIT margin
- Indonesia: Focused on driving sales through increasing local sourcing
- Good growth in e-commerce penetration to 14% of revenue
- Ongoing cost optimisation efforts across markets
- Pivoting to a more value-driven omnichannel proposition
- Strengthening food proposition with a wider touchpoint network

#### **Expanding Omnichannel Presence**





#### yuu Rewards and Monetisation



#### yuu Rewards

**Retail Media** 

#### **Retail Analytics**

- 5.3m members and 3m monthly active users in Hong Kong
- >1.8m members in Singapore
- Strong improvement in customer retention and redemption rates
- New key partners in 2024:
   Starbucks, FWD Insurance
- Expanded redemption offers in travel, entertainment, dining

- Launched in 1Q24 with unique online and offline advertising proposition
- ~100 targeted marketing campaigns completed in FY24
- Increase return on ad spending (ROAS) for advertisers
- Drive in-store market share growth

- Improving gross profit leveraging data analytics
- Completed 14 category reset at Wellcome with encouraging sale and gross profit uplift
- Rolling out to H&B and Convenience formats
- Leveraging data to support enhanced supplier collaboration

#### **DFI Retail Media – a Data Analytic Driven Solution**



#### **Empowering brands with scale, reach and proprietary data**



5.3m yuu members and 2K+ outlets<sup>1</sup> in HK with highly active and engaged users



Precise targeting with first-party data



Wide range of ad inventories



Improve return on ad spending,
Drive incremental sales and new shoppers

#### **Key supplier partners**









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#### **Full-Year 2025 Outlook**







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