# FY2019

# F&N 1H2019 Financial Highlights





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# **1H2019 Performance Highlights**

Earnings rose 59% to \$137 million on higher Dairies sales and profit share from Vinamilk

- Group performance improved for the half-year ended 31 March 2019 ("1H2019")
  - Revenue increased 2% to \$932 million
  - EBIT rose 59% to \$137 million, from \$86 million
    - Fueled by Dairies increased earnings of 43%
    - Beverages earnings largely impacted by higher marketing spending and distribution costs, and pre-operating costs incurred at the new brewery in Myanmar
  - Profit after taxation grew 52% to \$107 million
    - A lower after-tax growth due to higher effective tax rate following the expiration of corporate tax incentive in Thailand

# **1H2019 Group Financial Highlights**

Revenue (million)	Earnings before interest and tax (million)
\$932 ▲ 1.9%	\$137 <b>A</b> 58.7%
Profit after tax (million)	EBIT margin (%)
\$107 <b>1</b> 52.0%	14.7% ▲ 525bps
Gearing <sup>1</sup> (%)	Earnings per share (basic) (cents)
10.6% ▼ 0.2% <sup>2</sup>	<b>5.1</b> <sup>3</sup> ▲ 82.1%

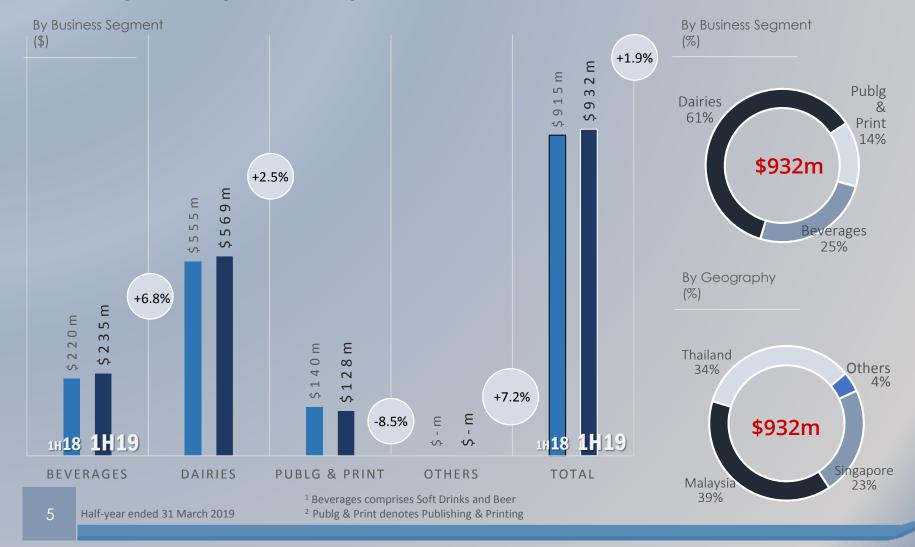
Net debt / Total equity As at 30 September 2018 (restated)

Before exceptional items



# 1H2019 Revenue grew 2% to \$932 million

Lifted largely by higher Beverages and Dairies sales





# 1H2019 Revenue | Beverages

Revenue increased 7%, supported by Core and New markets

### **Beverages Malaysia**

 Lifted by successful festive activations and improvements in route-to-market in East Malaysia

# **Beverages Singapore**



Revenue improved 24% mainly due to higher
 100PLUS sales on successful execution of marketing activities and promotions

### Beverages New Markets<sup>1</sup> / Others

 Higher sales in Indonesia, driven by increased market penetration, largely supported growth in New Markets



# 1H2019 Revenue | Dairies

Revenue grew 3%, largely driven by strong performance from Dairies Thailand

### **Dairies Malaysia**

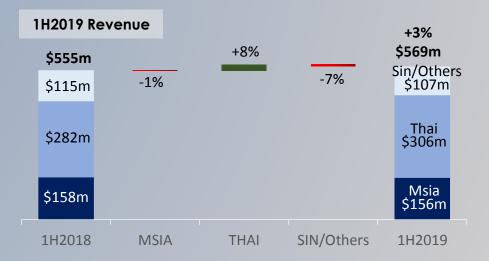
 Revenue down 1% amidst intense price competition in canned milk category; sales flat in local currency

### **Dairies Thailand**

- Strong 2Q2019 performance accelerated sales growth
- Higher sales mainly due to effective marketing execution and improved route-to-market efficiency in domestic and Indochina markets

### **Dairies SIN/Others**

Impacted by the absence of last year's one-off co-pack business

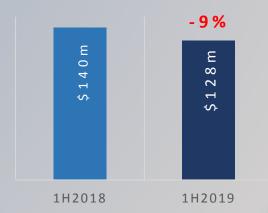




# 1H2019 Revenue | Publishing & Printing

- Revenue fell 9% due to
  - Drop in magazine-related demand for both print and distribution
  - Lower publishing sales in Singapore and Hong Kong

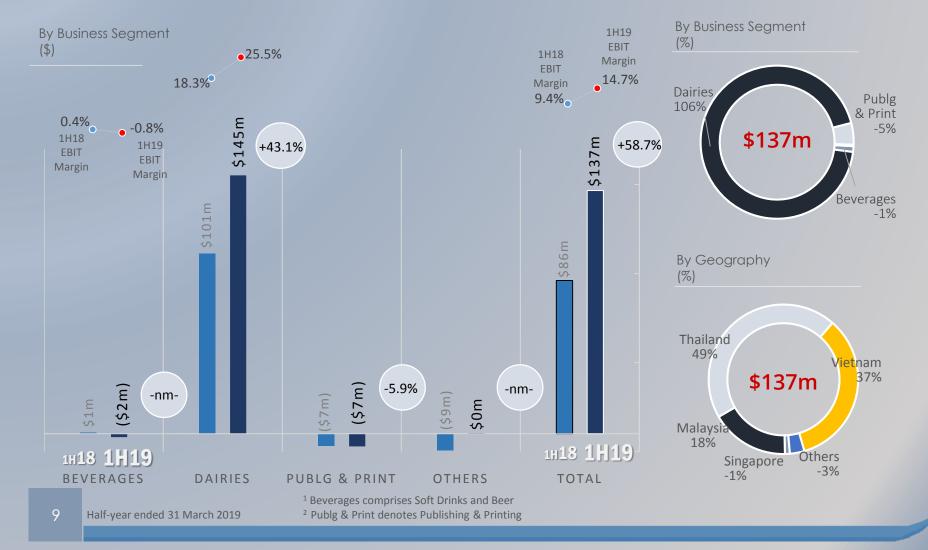
### **Revenue: Publishing & Printing**





# 1H2019 EBIT surged 59%

Strong Dairies performance and higher profit share from Vinamilk boosted earnings





# 1H2019 EBIT | Beverages

Earnings fell mainly due to brewery pre-operating costs (\$1.7 million) and higher input costs; excluding pre-operating costs, Beverages losses narrowed

### **Beverages Malaysia**

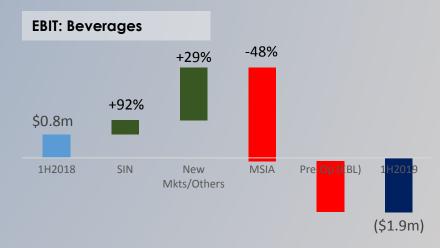
Despite a 1% revenue growth, EBIT fell due to unfavorable input costs and higher marketing spend and distribution cost

### **Beverages Singapore**

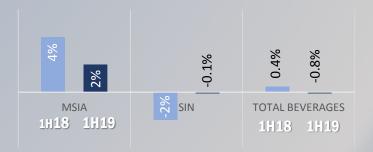
 Higher soft drinks and beer sales supported earnings growth

### Beverages New Markets<sup>1</sup> / Others

EBIT grew 29% mainly due to better performance from Indonesia as a result of higher sales and lower supply chain costs



### **EBIT Margin: Beverages**





# 1H2019 EBIT | Dairies

Earnings increased 43% on lower input costs and higher contribution from Vinamilk

### **Dairies Malaysia**

 EBIT increased 23% on lower input costs for sugar and dairy-based commodities

### **Dairies Thailand**

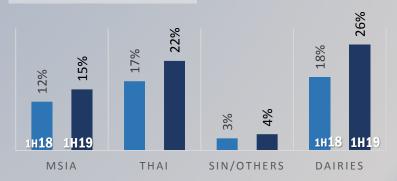
 EBIT increased 40% largely driven by higher sales and favourable input costs

### Vinamilk

Earnings improved due to (i)
 Vinamilk's higher revenue from recovery of domestic demand and (ii) absence of last year's one-off expense



**EBIT Margin: Dairies** 

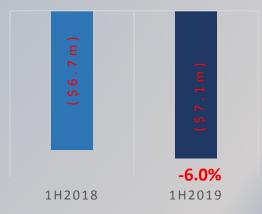




# 1H2019 EBIT | Publishing & Printing

- Losses widened to \$7.1 million from \$6.7 million
  - Mainly due to the absence of a \$1.1 million one-off gain in the sale of machinery recorded last year

**EBIT: Publishing & Printing** 



Half-year ended 31 March 2019



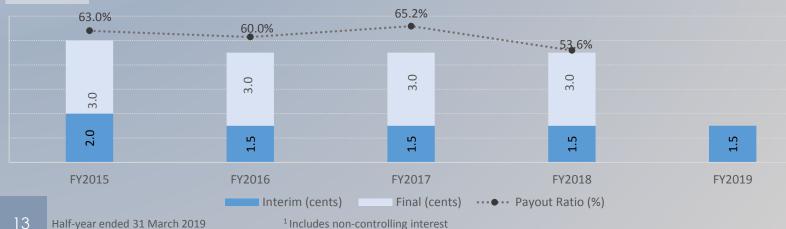
# Maintained a strong financial position

Focused on prudent balance sheet management

- Declared interim dividend of 1.5 cents per share, equal to last year
  - Takes into account Group's capital position and near-term capital needs
  - Dividend policy unchanged

	FY2018 (restated)	1H2019
Total Equity <sup>1</sup>	\$3,168m	\$3,213m
Total Assets	\$4,491m	\$4,347m
Net Borrowings	\$341m	\$341m









### **New Launches**

Accelerating innovations to meet changing demand

Innovation: Healthier products and portion control packing



100PLUS Colours
Malaysia
Limited edition +
250ml pack (new)



OYOSHI &
F&N SEASONS
Malaysia



F&N MAGNOLIA Plus
Thailand
Lactose-free milk



F&N Lychee Pear
Malaysia
First flavoured CSD with
4.9g sugar/100ml



# F&N acquires majority interest in Print Lab Pte. Ltd.

60.0%
INTEREST
@ April 2019



# PRINT LAB PTE. LTD. ("PL")

- Acquired a 60% stake for \$24.5 million
- PL is a one-stop print, creative and digital out-of-home solution provider in Singapore
- It serves many blue-chip companies across a diverse set of industries including clients in the creative retail marketing segment, FMCG, retail, automobile and financial institutions



LARGE FORMAT PRINTING

**PRINT DESIGN** 

**DIGITAL** 



## F&N enters food business in Thailand

20.75% EFFECTIVE INTEREST @ April 2019

# GENKI SUSHI BANGKAPI CO. LTD. ("GSB")

- GSB is a franchised sushi restaurant business in Thailand, under its principal brand, GENKI SUSHI
- F&N's effective stake in GSB ~20.75%







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