





# 2Q FY 2010/11 Financial Results Presentation

22 October 2010

Asia's First Listed Indian Property Trust

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### Key Highlights



- Total Property Income for 1H FY 10/11 rose 1% over same period last year
- 2Q FY 10/11 Unitholders' Distribution was 3% above the preceding quarter
- 1H FY 10/11 DPU was 3.36 Singapore cents, reflecting an annualised yield of :
  - 6.7% over the closing price of S\$1.00 on 30 September 2010
  - 6.4% over the closing price of S\$1.04 on 21 October 2010
- Net Asset Value to unitholders was S\$ 635 million or S\$ 0.83 per unit as at 30 September 2010

### Key Highlights



- Over 1H FY 10/11, 0.8 million sq ft of space was leased or renewed (including forward renewal), reducing balance expiry for FY 10/11 from 33.2%\* to 19.4%
- Strong & stable 97% portfolio occupancy
- Low client concentration with 10 largest tenants accounted for about 31% of portfolio base rent
- Strong Balance Sheet:
  - Low gearing of about 21% (loan to value) as at 30 September 2010, with all ongoing developments fully funded, hence substantial debt capacity to fund future development / acquisition

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# Financial Results – 2Q FY10/11 vs 2Q FY09/10



	2Q FY10/11 (S\$ '000)	2Q FY09/10 (S\$ '000)	Variance (%)	Reasons	
Total Property Income	29,612 INR 1,021m	30,427 INR 1,025m	(3%) 0%	Weakening of the Indian Rupee by 2% from a year ago. Total Property Income was stable In Indian Rupee terms.	
Net Property Income	18,202 INR 628m	19,185 INR 647m	(5%) (3%)	Higher property taxes, & higher other property expenses due to one-time value added taxes paid on investments in fit out leased to tenants.	
Profit before change in fair value of financial derivatives, unrealised foreign exchange loss and provision for impairment loss	16,415	16,400	0%	• Stable.	
Distributable Income	13,020	14,110	(8)%	<ul> <li>The current tax expense in 2Q FY10/11 was S\$         4.1m, compared to last year's S\$ 3.7 million (net amount considering provision for Minimum Alternate Tax). The higher tax was due to higher dividend distribution tax incurred, as more funds were repatriated for distribution by way of dividends.     </li> </ul>	
DPU (S\$ Cents)	1.70	1.85	(8)%		

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Net Property Income	18,202 INR 628m	18,939/ INR 624m	(4%) 1%	Total property expenses decreased by S\$ 0.5m or 5%, but remained unchanged in Indian Rupee terms.	
Profit before change in fair value of financial derivatives, unrealised foreign exchange loss and provision for impairment loss	16,415	14,954	10%	<ul> <li>Lower finance costs.</li> <li>Realised foreign exchange gains this quarter compared to losses in preceding quarter.</li> <li>Realised losses on financial derivatives in the preceding quarter compared to none this quarter.</li> </ul>	
Distributable Income	13,020	12,670	3%	Increase in tax expense, due to higher dividend distribution tax incurred, as more funds were repatriated for distribution by way of dividends.	
DPU (S\$ Cents)	1.70	1.66	2%		

### Distribution per Unit



Period

1 April 2010 to 30 September 2010

1Q FY10/11

1.66 ¢ per unit

2Q FY10/11

1.70 ¢ per unit

1H FY10/11

3.36 ¢ per unit

**Books Closure Date** 

9 November 2010

**Distribution Payment Date** 

**22 November 2010** 

Distributions are paid on semi-annual basis, for the six-month periods ending 31 March & 30 September of each year

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### **Growth Strategy**



Organic

**Proposed Development** 

External

Operating Buildings

Ongoing Developments

Land Available for Development

**Acquisitions** 

Total Owned SBA of 4.8 mm sq ft

Upcoming SBA of 1.2 mm sq ft in FY10/11

Upcoming SBA of 0.5 mm sq ft in FY11/12

Potential SBA of 2.5 mm sq ft

4.2 mm sq. ft.

= 89% of current operating buildings

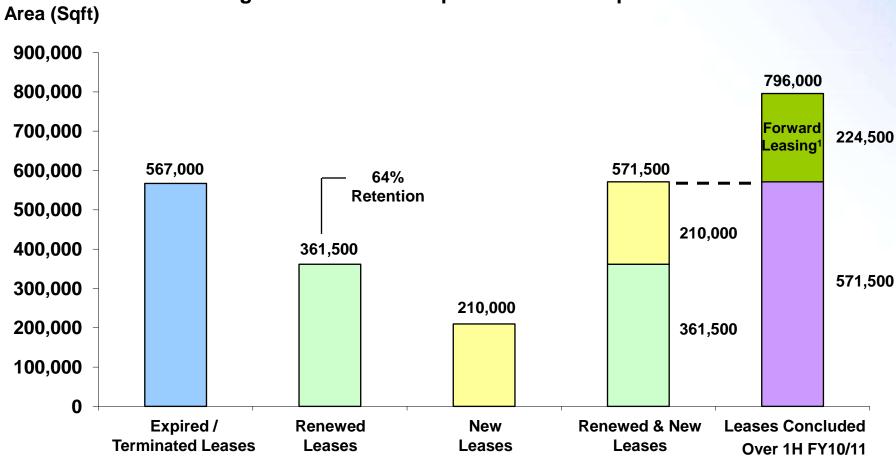
Unique three-pronged acquisition strategy

<sup>\*</sup> SBA - Super Built-up Area, which is the basis for leasing transactions.

### Organic Growth



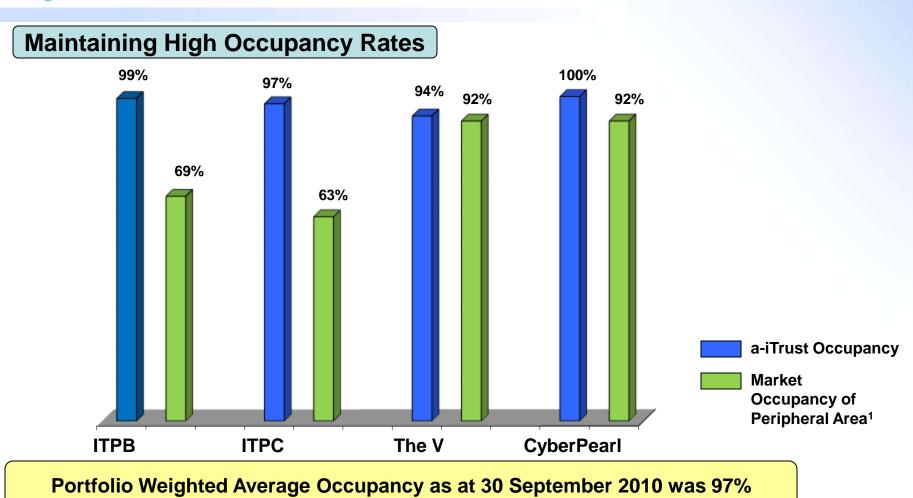




Signed leases which have yet to commence

### Organic Growth - Stability

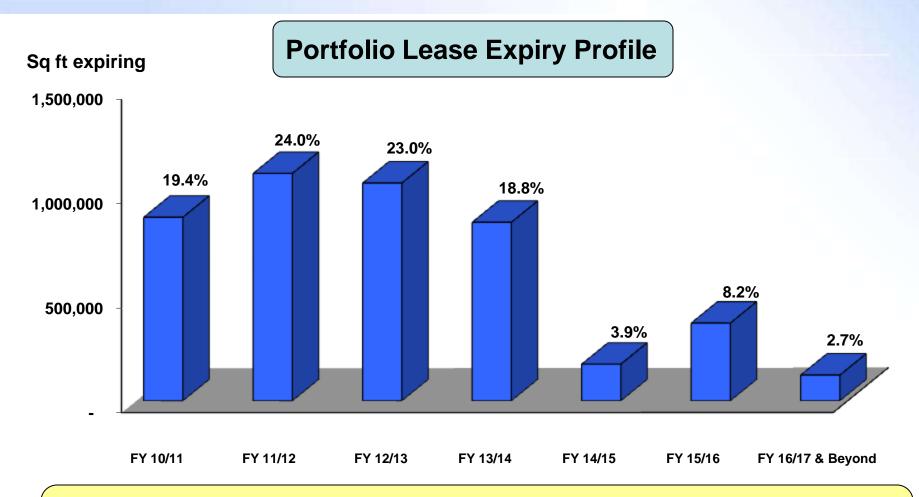




<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Jones Lang LaSalle Market Report as at 30 September 2010

### Organic Growth - Lease Expiry Profile





Weighted Average Lease Term – 3.9 yrs as at 30 September 2010 Balance expiry for FY 10/11 dropped sharply from 30.6% last quarter due to successful renewal of larger spaces.

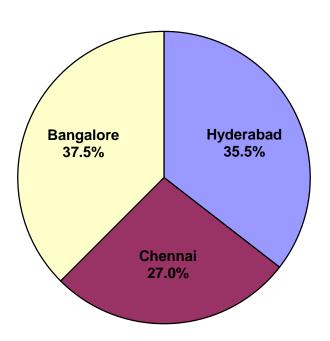
### Organic Growth - Stability



#### **Geographical Diversification of Properties**

**Strong Tenant Base** 

**Operating Buildings of a-iTrust** 



Total Owned SBA = 4.8 million sq. ft.

**Total Number of Tenants** 

246

Average space per tenant

18,457 sq. ft.

Largest tenant takes up about 4.8% of the portfolio base rent

30 September 2010

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### Portfolio Top 10 Tenants



#### Portfolio - Top Ten Tenants in Alphabetical Order

Affiliated Computer Services of India Pvt. Ltd.

**Applied Materials India Pvt. Ltd.** 

Cognizant Technology Solution (India) Pvt. Ltd.

**General Motors India Pvt. Ltd.** 

iNautix Technologies India Pvt. Ltd.

Infineon Technologies India Pvt. Ltd.

Merrill Lynch (India) Technology Services

Paprikaas Interactive Services Pvt. Ltd.

Pfizer Pharmaceutical India Pvt. Ltd.

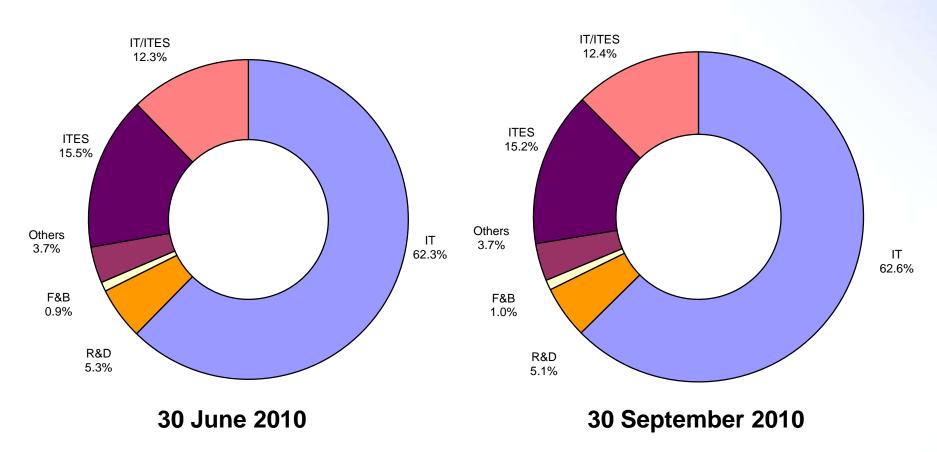
ZapApp / First Indian Corporation / First Advantage / First American (India)

Top 10 Tenants collectively accounted for about 31% of the portfolio base rent

### Organic Growth - Tenant Development



#### **Tenant sector by base rental**

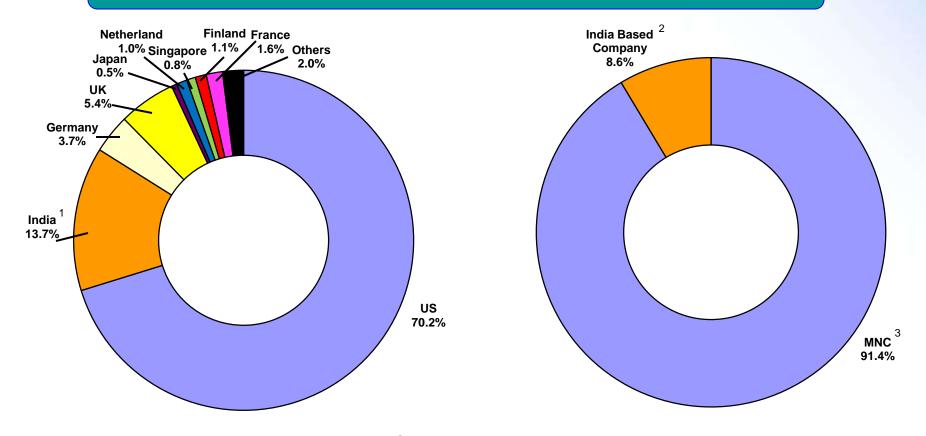


<sup>\*</sup> IT - Information Technology; ITES - IT-Enabled Services; R&D: Research & Development; F&B – Food & Beverage

### Organic Growth - Tenant Development



#### Tenants' country of origin & company structure by base rental



#### 30 September 2010

- 1 Comprises Indian companies with operations within India and/or offshore
- Comprises Indian companies with operations within India only
- Multi-national corporations, including Indian companies with operations within India & offshore

### Work Live Play at the Parks







**ITPC Sports Meet** 





**ITPC Flea Market** 

### Work Live Play at the Parks





Ascendas Excellence Award 2010 at ITPC



**ITPB CEOs Nite** 



**Blood Donation Camp at ITPC** 



ITPB Talents Day

### Development



#### 3 property development in the parks – additional 1.7 mil sq ft

### Zenith 3<sup>rd</sup> building (ITPC)

- Expected completion end 2010
- Pre-commitments as at 21 Oct 2010 - 21%

742,000 sq ft

### Park Square Retail Mall (ITPB)

- Expected completion end 2010
- Pre-commitments as at 21 Oct 2010 47%



450,000 sq ft

### Voyager Multi-tenanted office (ITPB)

- **Expected completion mid 2011**
- Within SEZ
- Pre-commitments as at 21 Oct 2010 - 29%



535,000 sq ft

### Development



#### Further development in ITPB – additional 2.5 million sq. ft.

 Completed master plan to develop balance 2.5 million sq ft of space, mainly within SEZ



### Acquisition



### 3 pronged acquisition strategy

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Right of First Refusal – Ascendas Land International Pte Ltd

CyberVale is an IT SEZ in Chennai

CyberVale represents an opportunity for a-iTrust to acquire 535,000 sq ft of income producing space & 4.4 acres of land (which can be developed into a 280,000 sq ft building)



### Acquisition



### 3 pronged acquisition strategy



#### Right of First Refusal – Ascendas India Development Trust

- AIDT focuses on integrated real estate development & has committed equity of S\$500 mil & target investment size of S\$1 billion
- About 10 mil sq ft of business space development potential in key cities such as Gurgaon & Coimbatore
- Further investment yet to be announced
- This ROFR represents a strong acquisition pipeline for a-iTrust once AIDT progressively completes the development of space

### Acquisition



### 3 pronged acquisition strategy



#### **Acquisition from the market**

- Trustee-Manager pursuing opportunities
- a-iTrust has substantial debt capacity before reaching its voluntary gearing limits\*
- Preference is to fund third-party properties acquisition or development beyond the said 1.7 mil sq ft of additional space within the portfolio via debt

<sup>\*</sup> Voluntary gearing limits stipulated in the trust deed. Business trusts have no gearing limit under the Business Trust Act.

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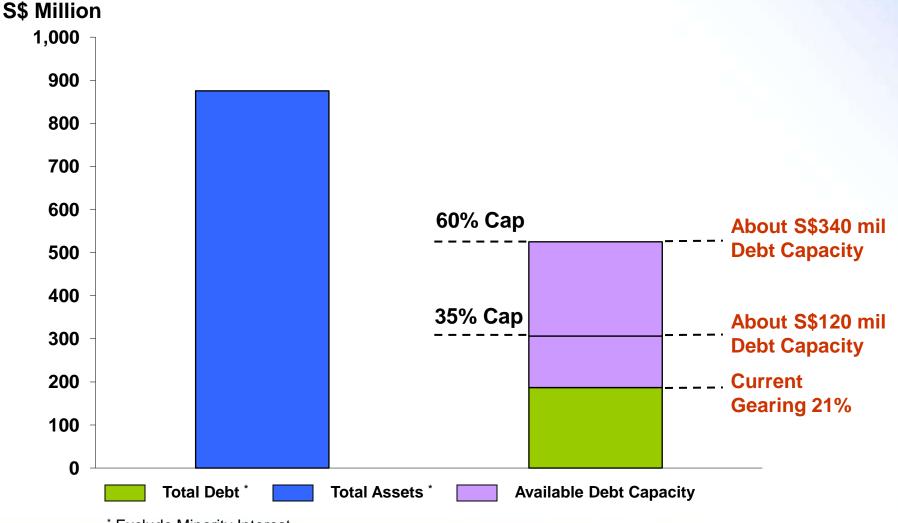


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### Substantial Debt Headroom



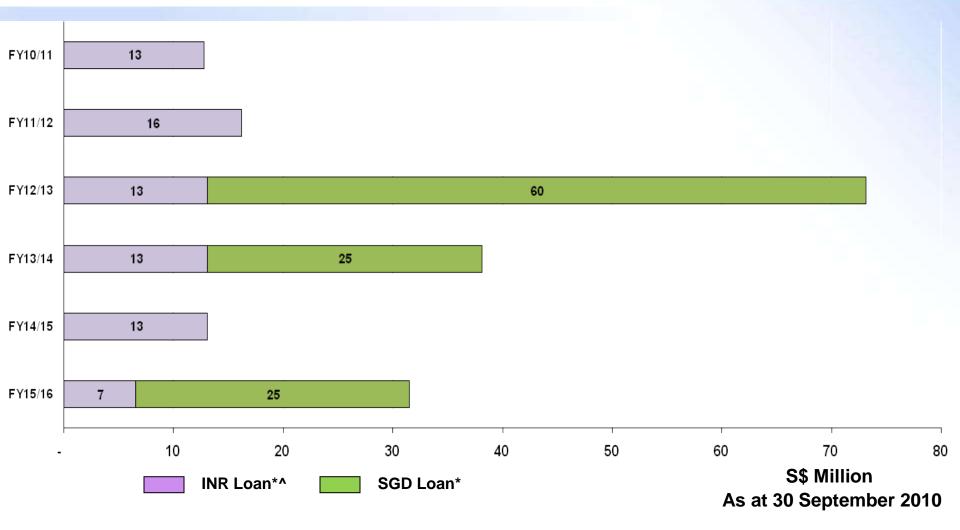
Available Debt Capacity to 35% & 60% Leverage as at 30 September 2010



Exclude Minority Interest

### Debt Maturity Profile





- \* Exclude Minority Interest
- ^ Of this, S\$10 million was originally floating-rate JPY-denominated borrowings for which the Group has entered into a cross-currency swap to exchange into fixed-rate INR obligations

### **Financial Indicators**



Indicator	As at 30 Sep 10
Interest Service Coverage - (PAT+Depreciation+Interest)/Interest Expenses^	4.0 (1H FY 10/11)
Secured Borrowings / Asset Value	14.3%*
Effective Weighted Average Cost of Debt (Net of tax shield benefits)	5.8%

<sup>^</sup> Includes Capitalised Interest

<sup>\*</sup> Exclude Minority Interest

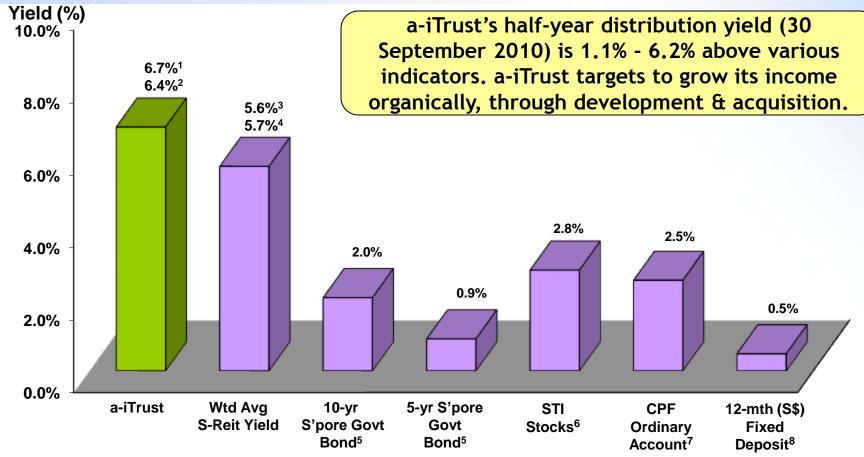
### Hedging Strategy



- To manage currency fluctuation on the distribution to Unitholders, the Trustee-Manager had put in place forward contracts to hedge a substantial portion of the forecast repatriation from India to Singapore
- The hedging instruments deployed comprised plain vanilla currency forward contracts, which are agreements with banks where, on agreed dates, Trustee-Manager will deliver an agreed amount of INR in exchange for SGD
- The Trustee-Manager does not intend to take speculative position on the currency market & had, as a matter of policy, continued to hedge at least 6 months prior to the planned repatriation date

# Yield Comparison with Singapore Indicators



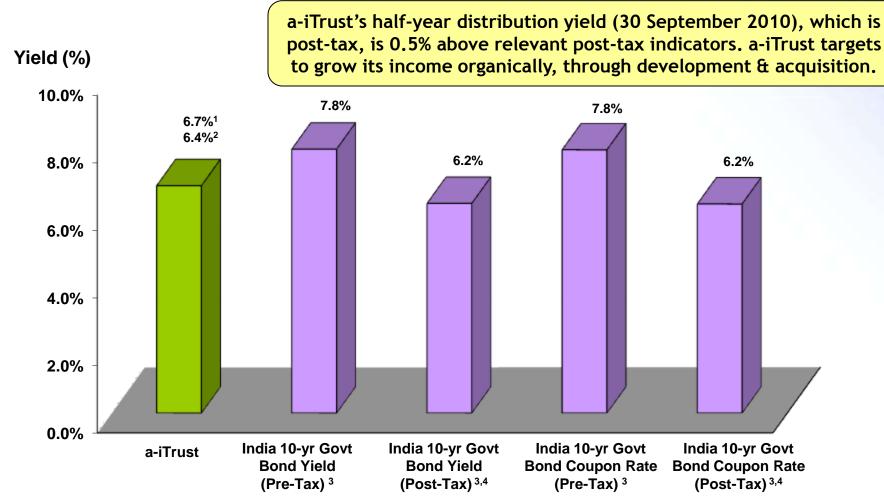


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- 3 Average 12-month dividend yield of SGX listed Reits, as at 30 September 2010
- 4 Average 12-month dividend yield of SGX listed Reits as at 21 October 2010
- 5 As at 30 September 2010
- 6 Average 12-month dividend yield of SGX listed stocks under STI, as at 30 September 2010
- 7 Prevailing CPF Ordinary Account saving rate
- 8 As at September 2010

Source: MAS, CPF, Bloomberg

# Yield Comparison with India Indicators





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<sup>3</sup> As at 30 September 2010

<sup>4</sup> Reflects the post tax, interest on securities of 20.6% for investments in Government of India securities by registered foreign institutional investors

# Trading Price vs Indices (Indexed)





Data Source: Bloomberg

# Trading Price vs Equities (Indexed)



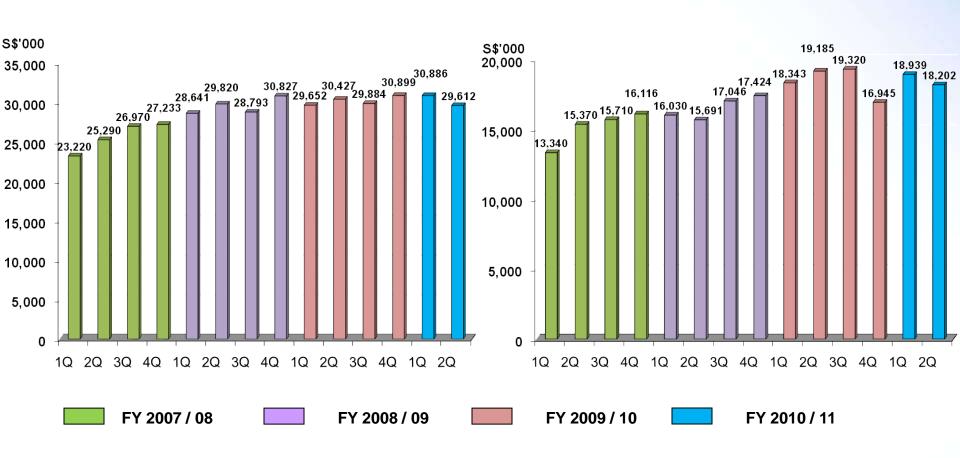


### Maintain Stable Performance



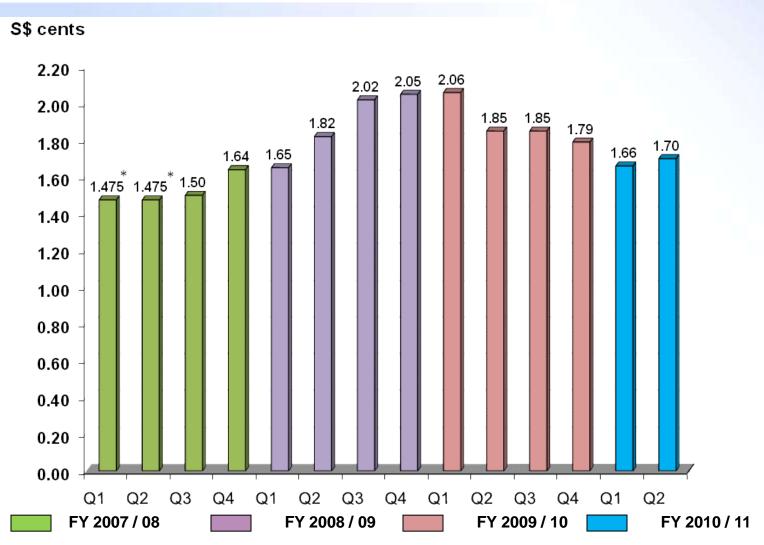


#### Net Property Income



## **DPU Growth**





<sup>\*</sup> DPU for first & second quarters of FY 2007/08 were reported together, post listing of a-iTrust. The reported DPU was split equally between the 2 quarters for illustrative purposes.

# Putting things in perspective





#### India's investment scenario remains attractive:

- Country with fourth largest economy by purchasing power parity
- GDP surged 8.8% year-on-year between April-June 2010. Goldman Sachs & Fitch forecast India GDP to grow 8.5% in 2010/11
- Large population, being 28% of Asia's population



### **According to NASSCOM, in FY2010/11:**

- > IT-BPO exports revenues to grow by 13-15%:
  - India offshoring to achieve 13% CAGR\* through FY2020
  - Market size to continue increasing as new sectors (eg. healthcare)
     & regions (eg. Europe) adopt offshoring
- > IT-BPO domestic revenues to grow by 16-17%:
  - Consumption power from expanding middle income class expected to grow 12 times by 2025 (Mckinsey Global Institute)
  - ❖ Government IT spend to increase from INR 150 billion in 2009 to INR 250 billion by 2011
- > IT-BPO domestic headcount is expected to increase by 200,000 this year, bringing direct employment to 2.5 million







India remained a leader in the outsourcing industry because of skilled labour, positive business environment & low cost.

Salary for IT / software engineers / developer / programmer

Countries	Local Currency	US Dollar (p.a.)
India	343,833	7,730
Malaysia	40,645	13,173
China	115,294	17,247
Hong Kong	218,944	28,222
Korea	44,356,032	39,238
Singapore	39,626	30,187
Japan	4,230,463	50,835
UK	29,662	46,925
Australia	63,500	61,776
US	66,206	66,206

Source: PayScale (provider of global online compensation data), October 2010

# Putting things in perspective



- Despite challenging conditions, a-iTrust has achieved :
  - High portfolio occupancy rate of 97%
  - Approximately 0.8 million sq ft of space leased / renewed (including forward renewal) during 1H FY 10/11, reducing balance expiry for FY 10/11 from 33.2%\* to 19.4%
  - Stable Net Property Income
- Portfolio continues to be well positioned to serve target market of MNCs, with ideal quality space & service
- Low single client exposure
- Substantial gearing capacity to aid potential portfolio growth through development & new acquisition

### **THANK YOU**

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Ascendas Property Fund Trustee Pte Ltd (Trustee-Manager of a-iTrust)

## Portfolio in India





CyberPearl, Hyderabad



International Tech Park Bangalore





The V, Hyderabad



International Tech Park Chennai

### International Tech Park Bangalore









#### **Park Statistics**

- Site area: 69 acres/ 27.9 ha
- Operating buildings: 1.8 mm sq ft Owned SBA
- Proposed Development: 985,000 sq ft SBA

- Land Available for Development: 23 acres or 2.5 million sq ft SBA (based on plot ratio of 2.5)
- Park Population: 25,000 people

<sup>\*</sup> SBA - Super Built-up Area, which is the basis for leasing transactions.

### International Tech Park Chennai









#### **Park Statistics**

- Site area: 15 acres / 6.1 ha
- Operating Buildings: 1.3 mm sq ft Owned SBA
- **Proposed Development:** 742,000 sq ft SBA
- Park Population: 17,000 people

## CyberPearl, Hyderabad









#### **Park Statistics**

■ Site area: 6 acres / 2.4 ha

Operating Buildings: 0.4 mm sq ft Owned SBA Park Population: 5,000 people

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### The V, Hyderabad









**Park Statistics** 

■ **Site area:** 19 acres / 7.7 ha

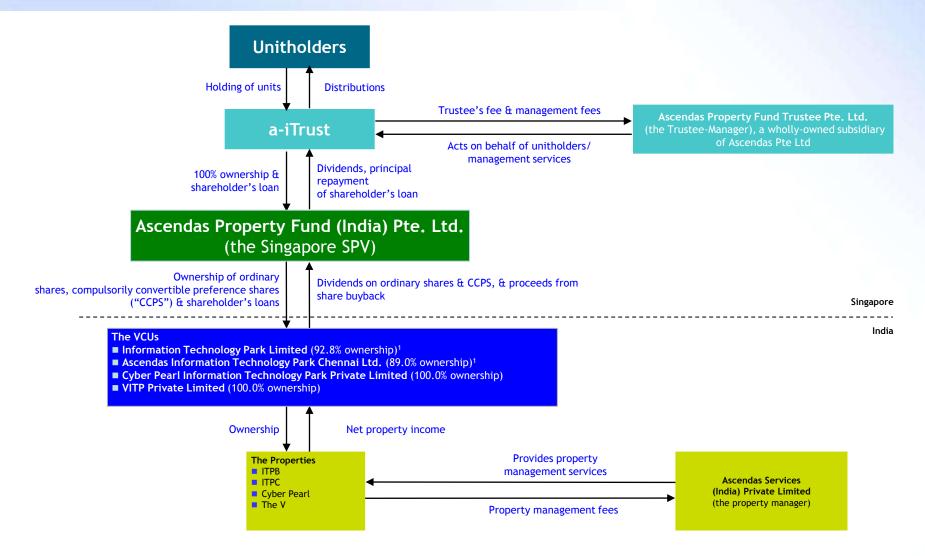
Operating Buildings: 1.3 mm sq ft

Owned SBA

■ Park Population: 10,000 people

# Structure of Ascendas India Trust





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ITPB is 7.2% owned by Karnataka State Government & ITPC is 11.0% owned by Tamil Nadu State Government respectively

# REIT-like characteristics enhance stability of distributions



Permissible Investment

Adherence to safeguarding provisions on allowable investments under Property Fund Guidelines



Distributable income

Minimum 90% to be distributed



Gearing

≤ 35% of deposited property (≤ 60.0% with credit rating)



Tax-free distributions

Distribution exempt from Singapore tax



a-iTrust will possess key safeguarding provisions while retaining upside potential through 20% development limit

# Net Property Income - INR



**Gross Rent** 

**Amenities** 

Fit Out Rental

Operations & Maintenance

Car Park & other income

**Gross Property Income** 

Operating, Maintenance & Security

**Business & Property Taxes** 

**Property Management Fees** 

**Utilities Expenses** 

Other Property Operating Expense

**Total Property Expenses** 

**Net Property Income** 

2Q FY10/11 INR'000	2Q FY09/10 INR'000	1Q FY10/11 INR'000	1H FY10/11 INR'000	1H FY09/10 INR'000		
598,379	586,855	588,589	1,186,968	1,178,964		
21,853	20,635	21,880	43,733	40,616		
32,994	34,587	34,223	67,217	70,596		
330,262	340,618	335,272	665,534	627,798		
37,591	42,700	38,419	76,000	85,441		
1,021,079	1,025,395	1,018,382	2,039,461	2,003,415		
(71,471)	(70,407)	(68,518)	(139,990)	(147,678)		
(18,717)	(14,248)	(18,757)	(37,473)	(33,066)		
(53,505)	(51,857)	(49,924)	(103,429)	(102,488)		
(199,701)	(197,099)	(208,253)	(407,953)	(360,246)		
(50,021)	(45,188)	(48,678)	(98,700)	(108,590)		
(393,415)	(378,799)	(394,130)	(787,545)	(752,068)		
627,664	646,596	624,252	1,251,916	1,251,347		

# Currency average exchange rate



Derived weighted average exchange rates<sup>(1)</sup> for total property income & net property income

1 Singapore Dollar buys	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Indian Rupee				
FY 10/11	33.0	34.5		
FY 09/10	33.0	33.7	33.3	32.6
Change (last corresponding period)	0%	-2%		

#### Note:

(1) These rates represent the derived weighted average exchange rates for Singapore dollars for the period to date.

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