

# Corporate Presentation FY23 Corporate Update & Financial Results 20 September 2023







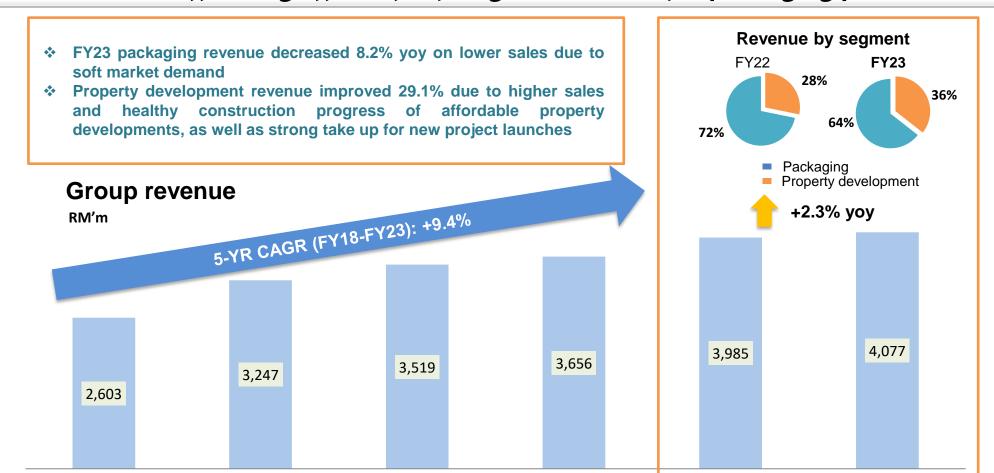






## FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

## Record high revenue in FY2023 fueled by increased property development contribution... offsetting effect of softer global market for packaging products



FY21

FY22

FY20

### **Revenue Performance**

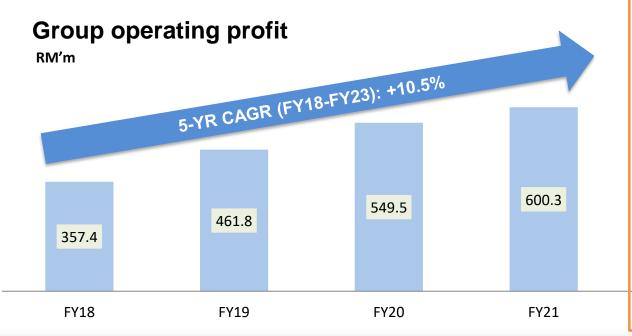
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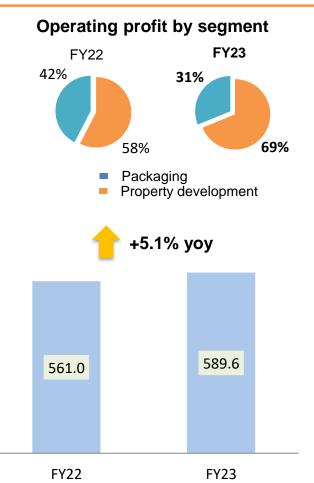
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FY23

### Operating profit growth in FY2023 driven by property development segment...

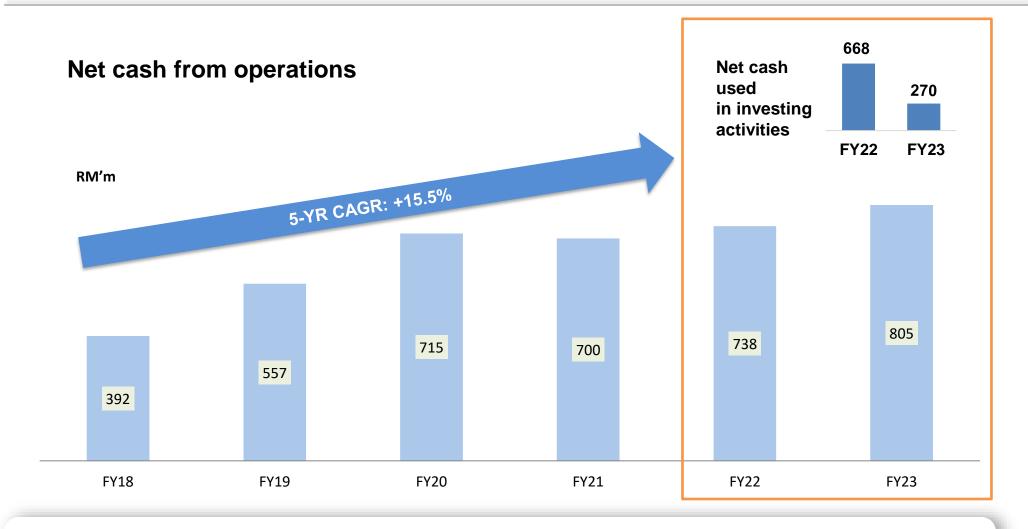
❖ FY23 operating profit increased 5.1% yoy due to enhanced property development performance, offsetting reduced contribution from packaging division





### **Profit Performance**

Maintained strong operating cashflow due to resilient contribution from twin-core businesses... continued investments for long term growth

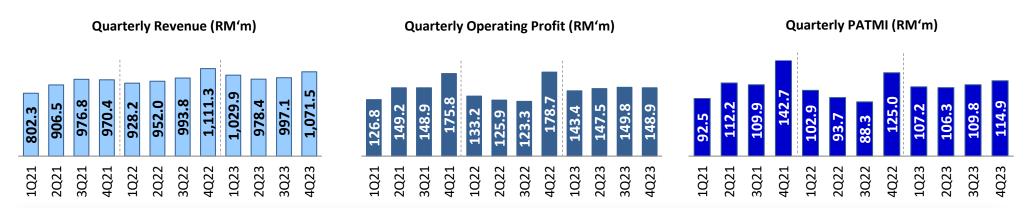


**Cash Flow** 

## FY2023 results on firm footing with record high revenue and 6.9% net profit growth...

4Q23	4Q22	Change	RM'mil	FY23	FY22	Change	Remarks		
1,071.5	1111.3	(3.6%)	Revenue	4,076.9	3,985.3	2.3%			
148.9	178.7	(16.6%)	<b>Operating Profit</b>	589.6	561.0	5.1%	<ul> <li>FY23 revenue reflected higher contribution from</li> </ul>		
184.6	208.0	(11.2%)	EBITDA	726.1	683.2	6.3%	property development, while packaging contribution		
145.6	173.6	(16.1%)	PBT	568.7	548.3	3.7%	tracked softer demand in global markets		
114.9	125.0	(8.1%)	PATMI	438.1	409.9	6.9%	FY23 improved due to increased contribution from		
7.41	8.06	(8.1%)	Basic EPS (sen)	28.25	26.43	6.9%	property division, driven by higher sales and steady		
13.9%	16.1%	(2.2 pt)	OP margin	14.5%	14.1%	0.4 pt	construction progress. Packaging division		
17.2%	18.7%	(1.5 pt)	EBITDA margin	17.8%	17.1%	0.7 pt	contribution was lower due to softer demand, higher operating cost and goodwill impairment		
13.6%	15.6%	(2.0 pt)	PBT margin	13.9%	13.8%	0.2 pt			
10.7%	11.2%	(0.5 pt)	Net margin	10.7%	10.3%	0.5 pt			

<sup>\*</sup>percentages presented might not reflect absolute figures due to rounding



### **Income Statement Summary**

### Robust balance sheet with healthy net gearing of 0.2x...

Balance Sheet (RM '000)	As at As at 31.07.2023 31.07.2022		Remarks	
Balance sheet (KW 600)			Kemarks	
Property, Plant & Equipment	1,558,202	1,463,755	Increase in packaging machinery	
Investment Property & Other Investments	23,476	22,634		
Right-of-use Assets	5,017	4,917		
Land Held & Property Development Costs	1,882,796	2,030,331	Due to project launch and progress	
Investment in Jointly Controlled Entity & Associated Company	117,519	102,822		
Inventories	377,055	449,350		
Trade & Other Receivables	1,060,431	871,867		
Cash & Bank Balances	166,411	191,177	Mainly due to better cash management	
Deferred Tax Assets	9,286	7,279		
Intangible Assets	305,022	330,423		
TOTAL ASSETS	5,505,215	5,474,555		
Trade & Other Payables	879,365	820,319		
Borrowings (ST + LT)	836,840	1,171,475		
Tax & Deferred Tax	127,238	123,290		
Lease Liabilities	7,012	5,870		
Shareholders' Equity	3,392,218	3,109,596	Higher retained earnings	
Retirement Benefits Obligations	48,415	45,943		
Minority Interest	214,127	198,062		
Net Tangible Assets / Share (RM)	1.99	1.79		
Net Borrowings	670,429	980,298		
Net Gearing	0.20x	0.32x		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,898,870	2,166,897		

### Balance Sheet (Highlights)





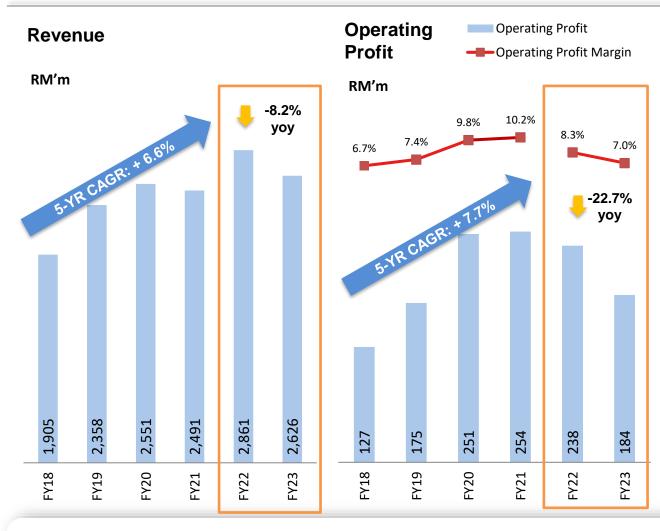


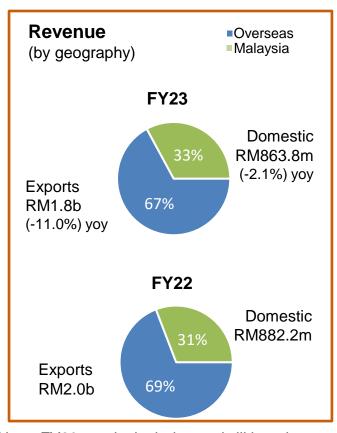




### PACKAGING REVIEW

## Packaging revenue moderated by softer global demand... faced higher operating costs and goodwill impairment on Myanmar operations

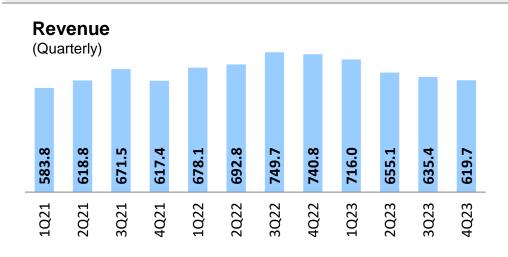


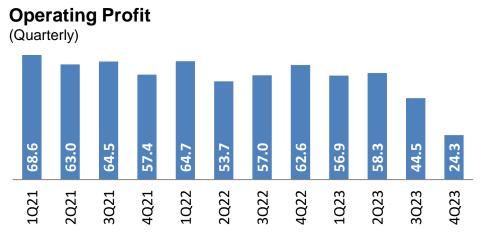


Note: FY23 results include goodwill impairment on Myanmar operations of RM22.7 million

## Segment Performance: Packaging

## Packaging performance largely stable QoQ after excluding goodwill impairment on Myanmar operations...





Note: 4Q23 results include goodwill impairment on Myanmar operations of RM22.7 million

#### Malaysia

Perak, Sungai Siput – PE Film & Bag Perak, Chemor – FFS Bag Selangor, Pulau Indah – Stretch Film Selangor, Pulau Indah – BOPP Film Selangor, Rawang – PE Film & Bag Selangor, Klang – PE Shrink Film Selangor, Shah Alam – Robotic Stretch Film Plant

Selangor, Pulau Indah – PU Adhesives

### 18 Manufacturing Plants

Selangor, Kajang – Converting Melaka, Ayer Keroh – Converting Melaka, Teluk Emas – Converting Melaka, Tanjung Kling – CPP & MCPP Film Melaka, Jasin – CPP & MCPP Melaka, Tanjung Kling – PP Strapping Band Melaka, Bukit Rambai – Solar Encapsulant

#### **Vietnam**

Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam - Woven Bag & Raffia

#### Myanmar

Yangon, Myanmar - Converting

#### **USA**

Phoenix, USA - Stretch Film

## **Operations Review: Packaging**

## Implementing advanced packaging technologies and automation for enhanced competitiveness...



Automated Bag Making Machine at Ayer Keroh Plant

- New automated bag making line expected to commence operations in Q4 CY2023, enhancing our capacity and capabilities for pet food packaging.
- Adoption of advanced technology and automation:
  - Optimized production quality
  - increased productivity & efficiency
  - Reduced labour requirement
  - Enhanced competitiveness

## **Operations Review: Packaging**

## Adopting solar energy solutions at manufacturing sites for increased sustainability and mitigation of rising energy costs...



Roof top solar panel installation at Klang manufacturing plant

- Commenced installation of second rooftop solar photovoltaic (PV) panel project at Klang plant in 3Q CY23; expected completion in 4Q CY23
- Adoption of solar PV helps reduce carbon footprint through sustainable energy generation and consumption, and mitigate rising energy cost

## **Operations Review: Packaging**

## Scientex a leader in innovative packaging solutions... enabling customers' sustainability goals



- Leader in innovation and development of flexible plastic packaging (FPP) solutions; providing value-added products customised to customers' needs and market trends
- Solutions are customer-centric, recyclable, and support customers' sustainability goals; continuous innovations to bring enhanced competitive edge for customers
- Integrated operations offer advantages of rapid development, flexibility, and cost
- Embedding sustainable practices across operations and contributing meaningfully towards developing plastic circularity as a responsible FPP manufacturer

## **Growth Strategies: Packaging**

## Developing new range of recyclable packaging solutions catering to various product applications...









- Continuous development of recyclable packaging solutions for F&B and FMCG segments
- Mono material laminated packaging that meets various properties and barrier requirements
- Increasing applications across a variety of packaging formats and product segments





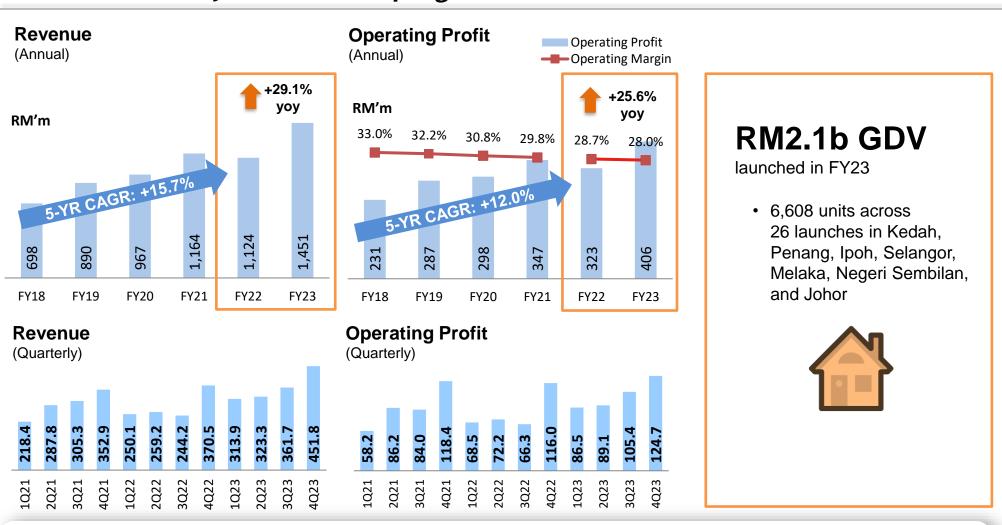






### PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT REVIEW

## Property division registering double-digit growth on strong demand for affordable homes and steady construction progress...



Segment Performance: Property Development

## Launched second affordable homes project in Penang to meet growing market demand...







2-storey terrace houses

### <u>Launched maiden project in Sungai Dua</u> (343-acre)

- Launched first phase in June 2023
- 309 units 2-storey terrace house
- GDV of RM81.4 million













### **Operations Review: New Property Launches**

## Expanding affordable housing developments to tap into Indonesia's vast and populous market...







#### **Expanded into Jakarta, Indonesia**

- Entered into joint venture with Mustika Land and Creed Group to build affordable homes in Jakarta, Indonesia
- Phase 1 development size: 12 acres
- Expected commencement: early-2024
- 400 affordable landed homes
- GDV: approx. USD19 million

### **Operations Review: New Property JV**

### Continuing to expand landbank via cross-border growth strategy...

#### Completed in FY2022 (567 acres)

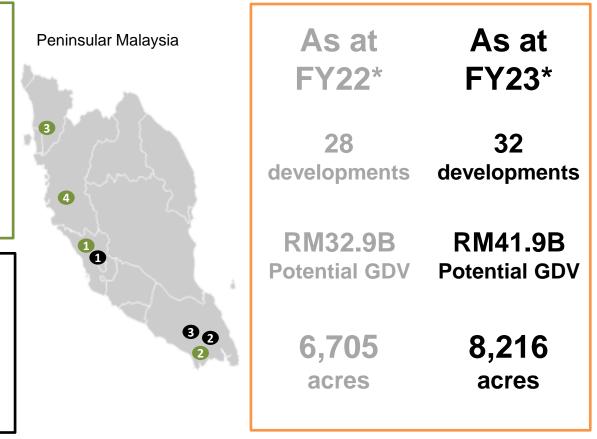
- Kundang Jaya, Selangor: 22 acres, RM17.4 mil
- Pulai, Johor: 202 acres, RM184.7 mil
- Northern Seberang Perai: 343 acres, RM246.7 mil

#### Completed in FY23 (219 acres)

Klebang, Ipoh: 219 acres, RM66.9 mil

#### Pending Completion (1,762 acres)

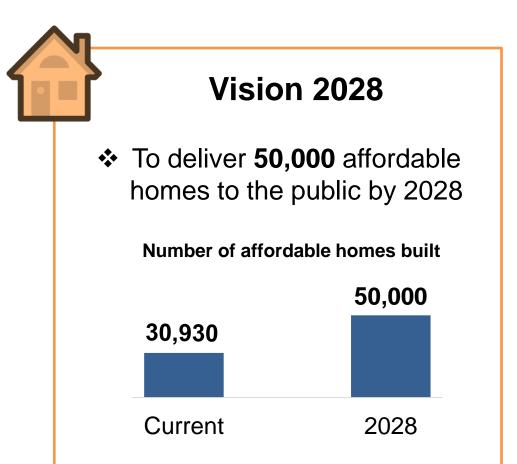
- Jenjarom, Selangor: 251 acres, RM207.6 mil
- Mukim Tebrau, Johor: 960 acres, RM547.7 mil
- Kulai, Johor: 551 acres, RM299.8 mil



\*Includes landbank pending completion; potential GDV and acres do not include overseas JV development

## **Growth Strategies: Property Development**

Aiming to provide high-quality, reasonably priced homes to meet Malaysia's growing need for affordable housing...



### **Growth Strategies**

- Implementing cost optimisation initiatives across value chain
- Prioritising three main pillars: Speed, Cost and Quality
- Continuously engaging in strategic landbank expansion

**Growth Strategies: Property Development** 











### **INVESTMENT MERITS**

## Twin growth engines with further potential to expand... attractive proxy to the burgeoning packaging sector and Malaysia's affordable property market

#### Regional leader in total solutions for packaging

- Among top producers of FPP in the world from stretch film to custom films such as BOPP, PE and CPP films for laminated packaging products
- •Among the very few FPP players capable of achieving circular chain of plastic economy and providing highly demanded sustainable packaging solutions

#### **Property division continues expanding**

- •A leading developer of affordable homes in Malaysia
- Overwhelming take-up achieved from most projects within 6 months
- Expanded further across Peninsular Malaysia for affordable homes, as well as other Southeast Asia countries
- Ongoing & future GDV stands at RM33.2b

#### **Growth-oriented management with global mindset**

- Vast experience in executing strategic expansion plans across both domestic and international markets
- •Successfully undertaken acquisitions of Great Wall Plastics, Seacera Polyfilms, Mondi Ipoh, KHPI, SPAK (formerly Daibochi), Mega Printing & Packaging and Taisei Lamick Malaysia
- Manufacturing presence in Malaysia, Vietnam, Myanmar, and US, with sales offices in 9 countries across Asia Pacific and US; exports to over 60 countries

#### **Dividend Policy**

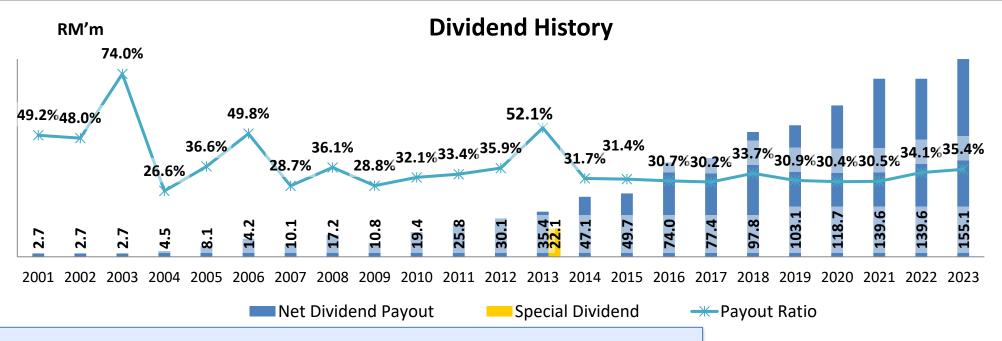
- Consistently paid dividends since 2001
- •30% dividend payout policy effective 2011

Valuations @ 15 Sept 2023						
Share Price (RM)	3.61					
Market Cap (RM 'mil)	5,599.3					
Market Cap (USD 'mil)	1,244.3					
PE (ttm)	12.8					
EV/EBITDA (ttm)	8.9					
FY23 Dividend Yield	2.8%					



### **Investment Merits**

## Kept dividend policies even in high-growth model... total dividends of 10 sen in respect of FY2023



- FY2022 Dividend: Total Dividend of 9 sen
  - Paid interim dividend of 4 sen per share on 22 July 2022
  - Paid final dividend of 5 sen per share on 9 January 2023
- FY2023 Dividend: Total Dividend of 10 sen
  - Paid interim dividend of 5 sen per share
  - Proposed final dividend of 5 sen per share, subject to shareholders' approval

<u>Dividend Policy:</u>
Minimum 30% of Net Profit
(effective FY2011)

## **Dividend History**











## Thank You

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