

WHO WE ARE





Our Twin Engines of Growth



PROFESSIONAL RECRUITMENT













Mid to Senior permanent positions



9,448^(a) permanent placements



Placement In all fee based on % of 13 cities candidate's basic annual salary package



FLEXIBLE STAFFING









Temp/Contract Mid to Junior positions



12,112(b) contractor employees



Back-to-back contracts with clients & candidates. Employer responsibility, upfront payroll financing



In Singapore, Hong Kong, Taipei, Kuala Lumpur & Shanghai

Data for FY2018

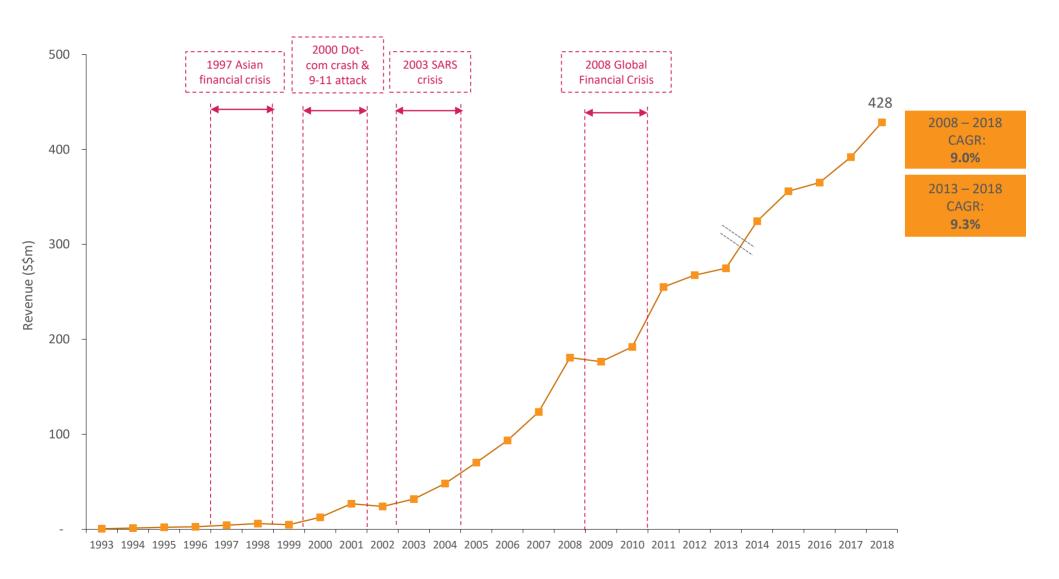
As of 4Q2018



Strong Growth since Inception



25-year Revenue History (S\$'million)(a)

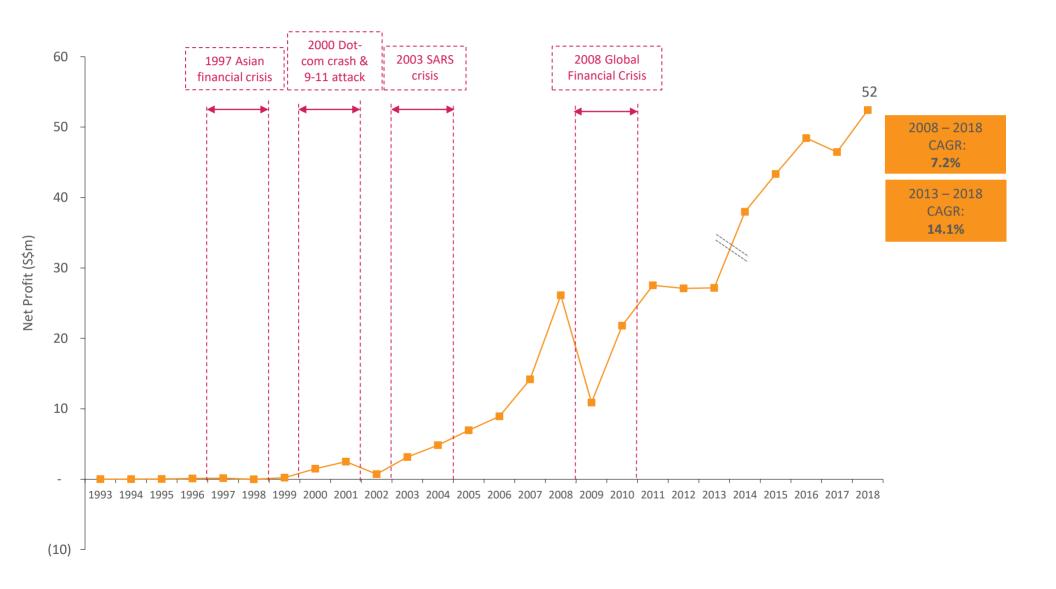


⁽a) Revenue prior to 2014 prepared based on combined results of subsidiary companies with different financial year ends; 2014, 2015 and 2016 based on new financial year ending 31 December

Strong Profitability since Inception



25-year Net Profit History (S\$'million)(a)



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Largest in Singapore



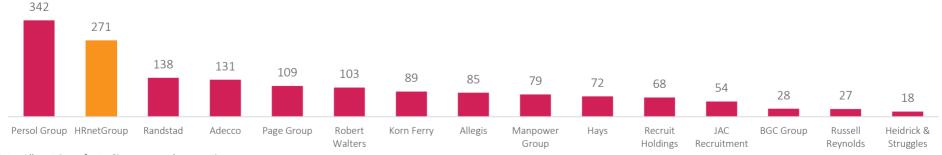
Net Profit Before Tax of Key Players – S\$m (a)



Revenue of Key Players - S\$m (a)



Licensed Consultants (b)



Note: All metrics refer to Singapore-only operations

- (a) Source: ACRA of Company filings last accessed in October 2019
- (b) Source: Ministry of Manpower records as of 30 September 2019
- (c) Persol's metrices were based on summation of Capita, Kelly Services, KellyOCG Singapore, P-Serv, BTI Executive Search and PersolKelly Consulting
- (d) Adecco's metrices were based on summation of Adecco and Spring Professional
- (e) Robert Walters' metrices were based on summation of Robert Walters and Resource Solutions Consulting
- (f) Recruit Holdings' metrices were based on summation of RGF Talent Solutions, PeopleBank and Chandler Macleod
- (g) Data based on FY ended 31 Dec 2018, except for Persol and Page Group (based on FY 31 Dec 2017), Korn Ferry (based on FY ended 30 April 2018) and Hays (based on FY ended 30 June 2018).

Why HRnetGroup?





EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT TEAM

- Stable team with proven track record in steering the organisation through various cycles, which also ensures consistent execution of strategies
- Top management displays
 entrepreneurship mindset Possesses
 the risk-taking appetite to encourage
 innovation and new ventures, but
 balanced with long term measured
 approach in ensuring the stability of
 business, a healthy bottom line and the
 strength of balance sheet
- Leadership team's interest aligned with shareholders via co-ownership scheme



STRONG FUNDAMENTALS

- Two complimentary lines of businesses to provide resilience through economic cycles
- Strong balance sheet, cashflow generative business supporting stable dividends payout, no debt obligations
- Comprehensive and established network within Asia, added new footprint in UK via associate company
- Diversified portfolio in terms of sectors, geographies and client concentration
- Asset light model, flexible cost base due to unique remuneration structure, highly effective workforce and low central cost



HIGH-POTENTIAL FOR GROWTH

- Dual growth engines Strong organic growth momentum, boosted by inorganic acquisitions which are gaining speed
- Fully integrated proprietary database and platform – Facilitates cross-border collaboration and talent supply
- Innovative mindset Relentless drive for productivity and efficiency via technology and process re-redesign

OUR PERFORMANCE - 3Q/9M19



Snapshot of 3Q19 Results





Top Lines

Revenue

S\$106.7m

up 1.6%

(3Q18: S\$105.0m)

Gross Profit

\$\$38.4m

down 3.8%

(3Q18: S\$39.9m)



Adjusted NPAT¹

S\$13.9m

up 3.5%

(3Q18: S\$13.4m)

Adjusted PATMI¹

S\$12.7m

up 3.1%

(3Q18: S\$12.3m)

Conversion Ratio

(Adjusted EBIT¹/GP)

43.0%

up 3.6% points (3Q18: 39.4%)



Business Volume

Contractor Employees

11,568

up 176 (1.5%)

(3Q18: 11,392)

Placements

2,311

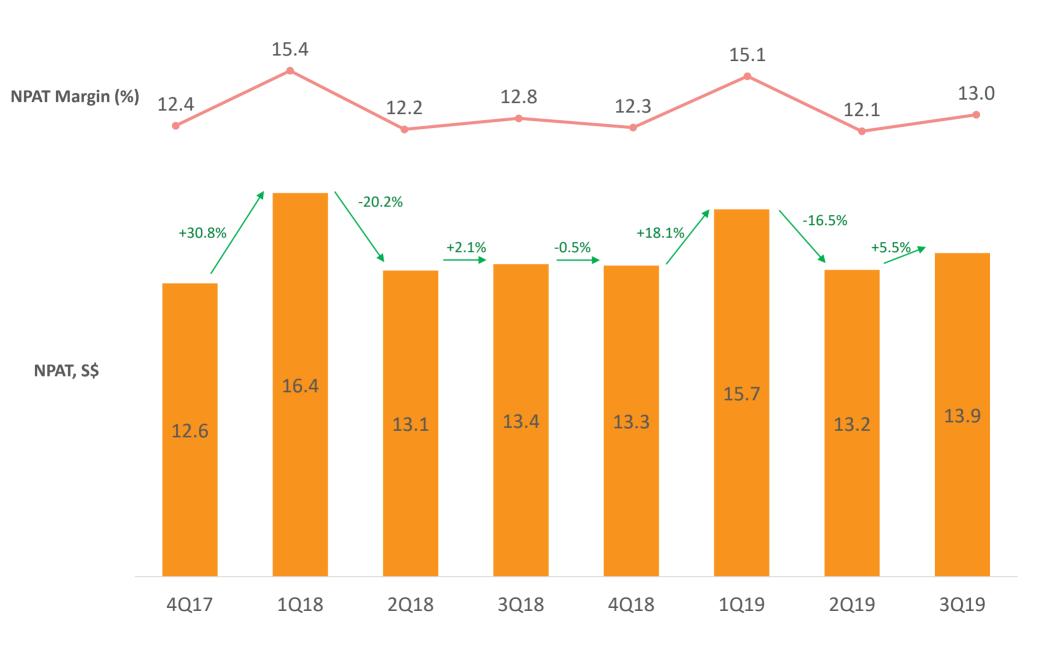
down 97 (4.0%)

(3Q18: 2,408)

 Excludes unrealised gain / (loss) on revaluation of financial assets.

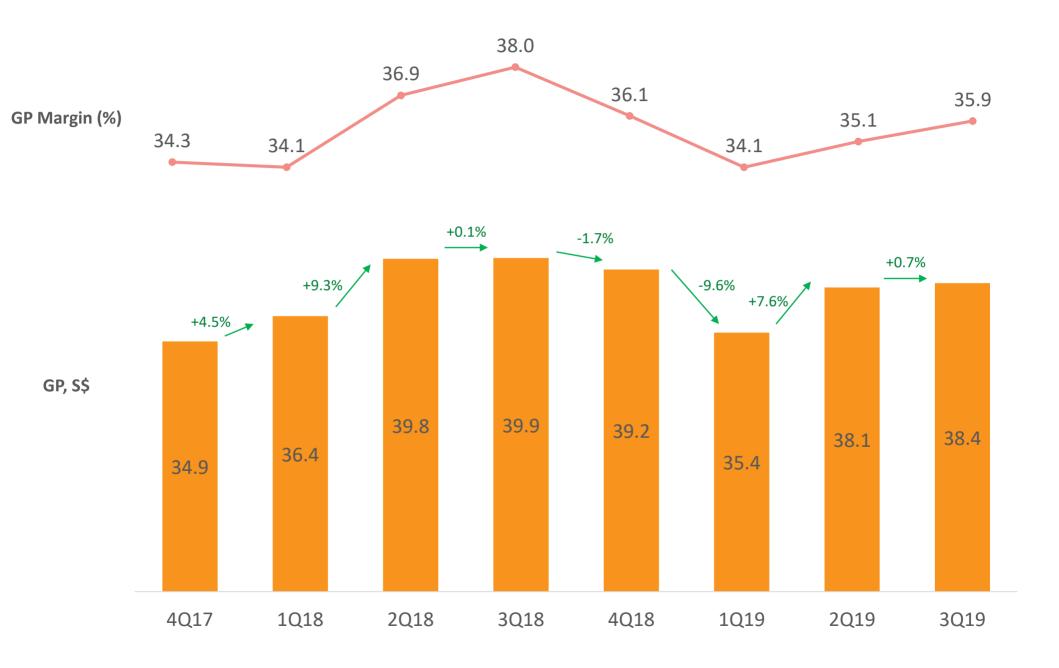
Respectable Profitability with NPAT Margin Above 12% Every Quarter





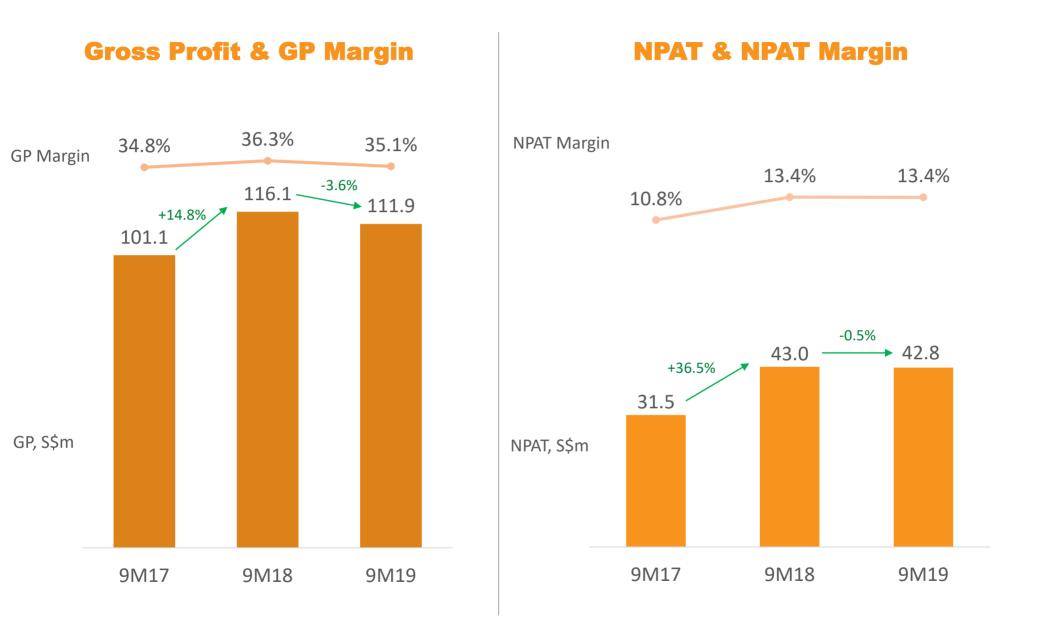
Shifts in GP Margins reflecting changes in Business Mix





Resilient Topline and Healthy Profits despite Market Uncertainties





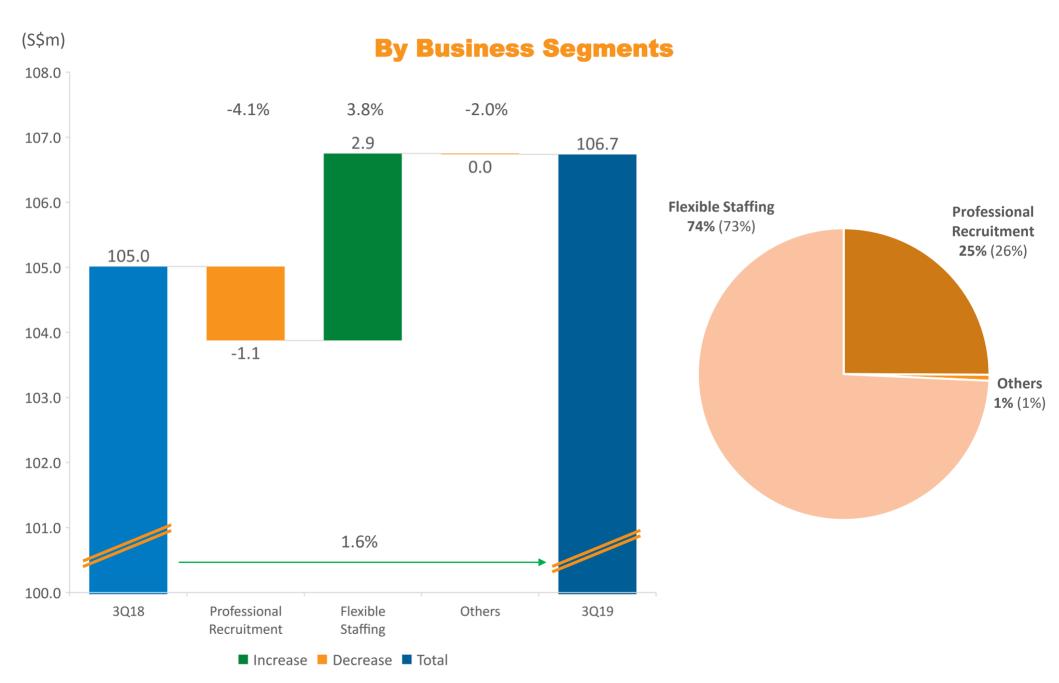




	3Q19	3Q18	Change	9M19	9M18	Change
PROFIT & LOSS	S\$'m	S\$'m	%	S\$'m	S\$'m	%
Revenue	106.7	105.0	1.6	319.2	320.0	(0.2)
Gross profit	38.4	39.9	(4.9)	111.9	116.1	(3.6)
Other income						
Government subsidies	0.1	0.1	6.9	4.6	5.6	(18.2)
Others	2.9	1.3	>100	10.7	4.6	>100
Expenses						
Employee benefit expenses	(19.2)	(19.3)	(0.9)	(56.1)	(58.6)	(4.3)
Facilities and depreciation expenses	(3.2)	(2.9)	10.4	(9.0)	(8.2)	10.8
Selling expenses	(1.1)	(1.2)	(13.4)	(3.4)	(3.0)	11.3
Other expenses	(1.1)	(1.0)	21.0	(2.9)	(2.3)	25.6
Finance costs ¹	(0.1)	-	n.m	(0.2)	_	n.m.
Profit before tax	16.7	16.9	(1.0)	55.6	54.2	2.5
Income tax	(3.6)	(3.2)	10.7	(9.6)	(9.4)	1.9
Unrealised loss/(gain) on revaluation of other financial assets	0.7	(0.3)	n.m	(3.2)	(1.8)	>100
Adjusted Profit after tax	13.9	13.4	3.5	42.8	43.0	(0.5)
Adjusted PATMI	12.7	12.3	3.1	39.6	40.1	(1.2)
Adjusted EBITDA	17.0	16.0	6.1	50.0	50.7	(1.4)
KEY FINANCIAL RATIOS Earnings per share (EPS) (cents)						
Basic	1.19	1.25		4.25	4.15	
Diluted	1.19	1.24		4.24	4.13	
Conversion Ratio (%) (EBIT / GP)	41.1	40.1		46.7	44.7	

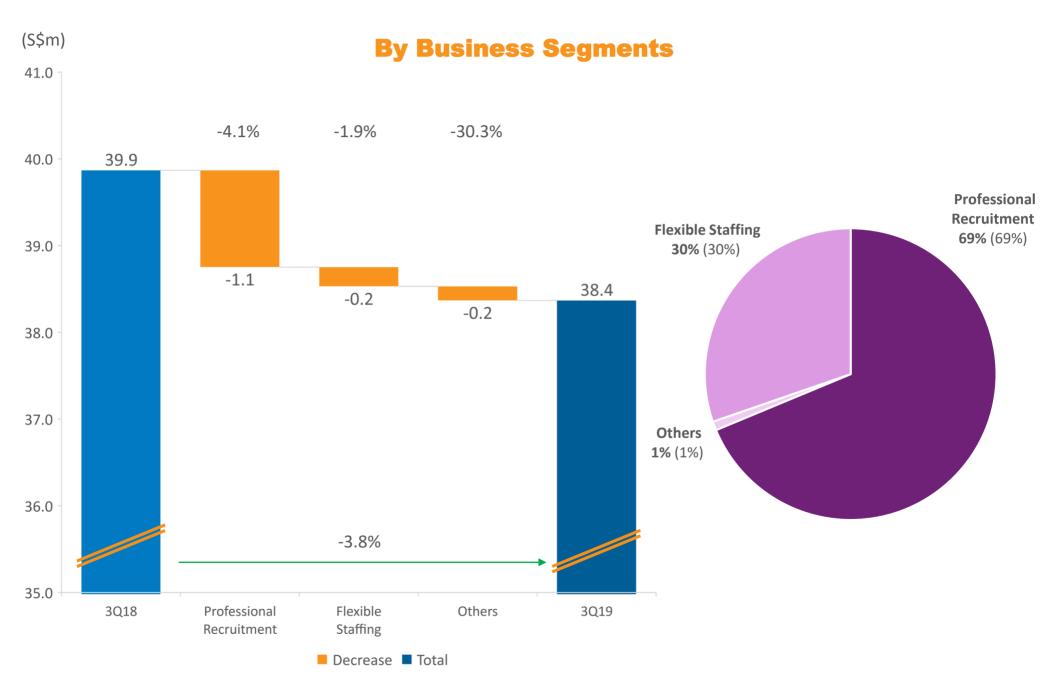
Revenue for the Quarter





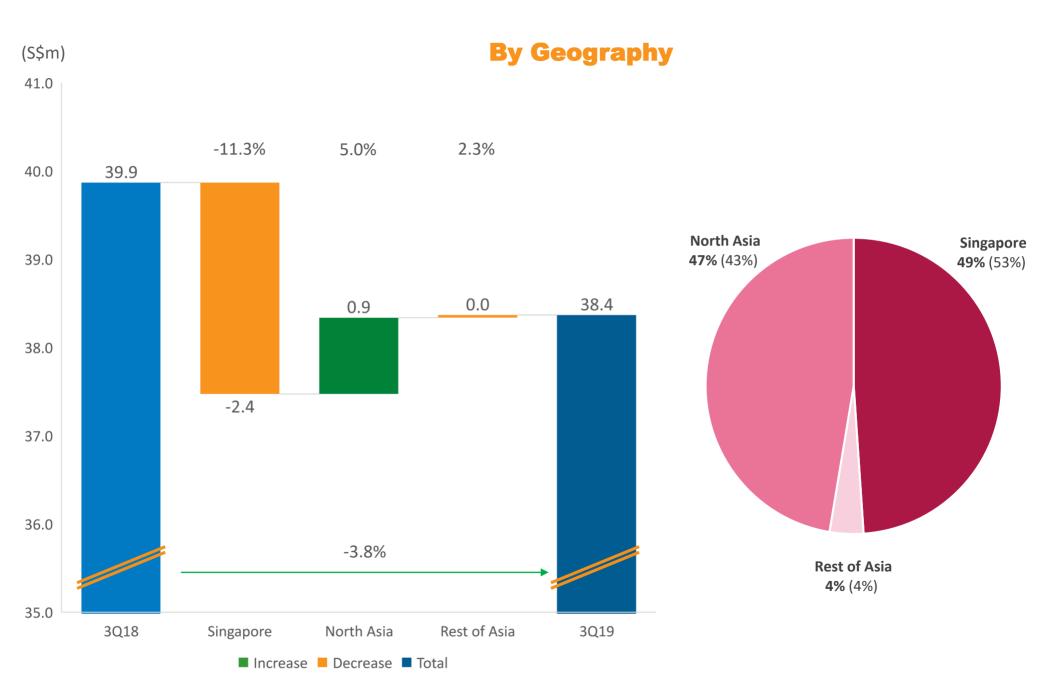
Gross Profit for the Quarter





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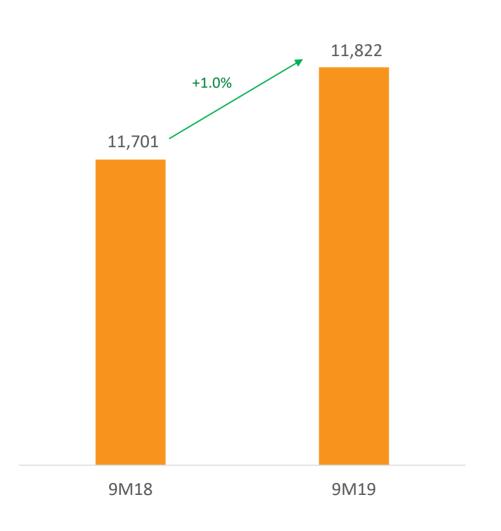




Business Momentum supported by Flexible Staffing Business







Placements







	30 Sep 2019 S\$'m	30 Jun 2019 S\$'m	Change S\$'m
Cash	238.7	274.4	(35.7)
Trade Receivables	76.1	80.0	(3.9)
Other Financial Assets	30.8	35.7	(4.9)
Right-of-use Assets ¹	14.9	11.9	3.0
Associate	55.4	-	55.4
Goodwill & Other Intangible Assets	6.7	14.8	(8.1)
Other Assets	11.2	11.1	0.1
Total Assets	433.8	427.9	5.9
Debt	-	-	-
Trade and Other Payables	41.9	42.3	(0.4)
Deferred Considerations	5.1	13.3	(8.2)
Lease Liabilities ¹	15.0	11.9	3.1
Tax Payable and Deferred Tax Liabilities	8.1	10.3	(2.2)
Total Equity	363.7	350.1	13.6
Total Liabilities & Equity	433.8	427.9	5.9
NAV	348.3	336.3	12.0
NTA	341.6	321.5	20.1
Receivables Turnover (Days)	67	67	

^{1.} Relates to long-term office leases commitments.

Singapore Government Subsidies





Wage Credit Scheme (WCS)

• Government co-funding was maintained at 20% for 2018, which was received in 2019. Subsequently, the co-funding ratio will be stepped down to 15% in 2019 (to be received in 2020) and 10% in 2020 (to be received in 2021).

S\$'m	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
2017	WCS & SEC 4.5	TEC 0.9	SEC 0.1	тес 0.5
2018	wcs & sec 5.0	TEC 0.5	SEC 0.1	No more payout
2019	WCS & SEC 4.5	No more payout	SEC 0.1	-
2020	To receive	-	To receive	-
			No more	

Productive Workforce

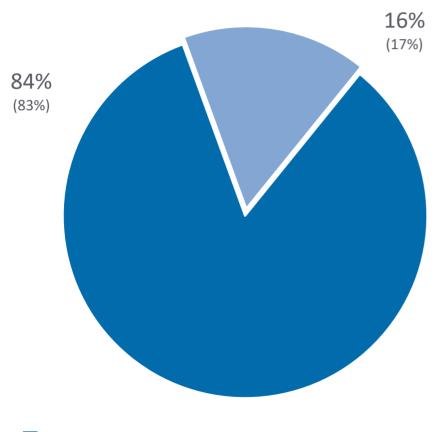




Effectiveness of 123GROW



Retention rate¹ Co-Owners

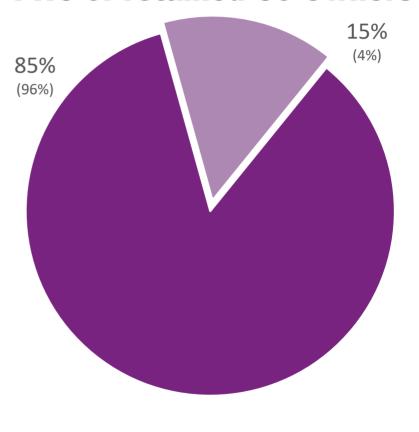


Retention

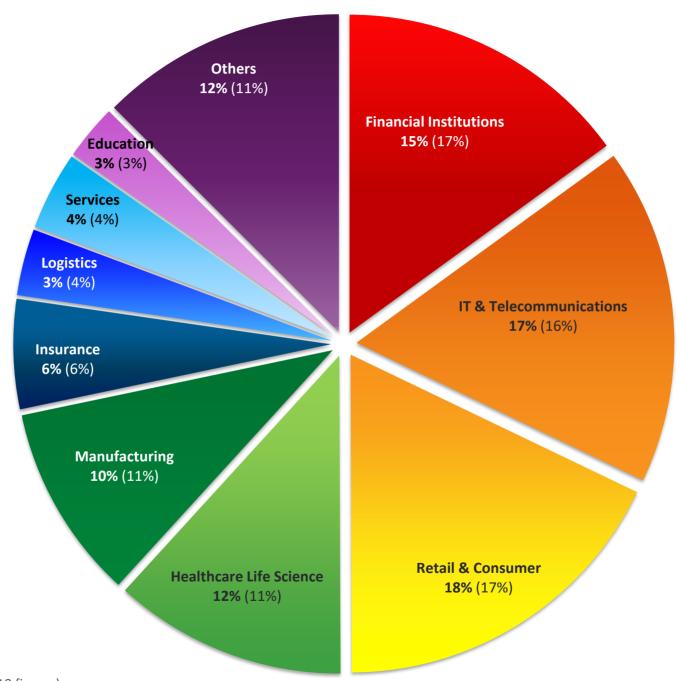
Data as of 30 Sep 2019. Notes:

- 1. Retention rate for 30 Sep 2019 is an annualised rate.
- 2. 123GROW Co-Owners as of 30 Sep 2019: 264 (31 Dec 2018: 301)
- 3. % in brackets denotes 31 Dec 2018 figures

PHC of retained Co-Owners



Revenue by Sector for 9M19



Highly Diversified Base of Customers



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Our Top 5 customers have been with us for an average of 17 years

	Customer since	9M19 Revenue Contribution
Asian Conglomerate One of the top 3 largest technology companies globally by revenue, Fortune 100	1999	3.6%
Singapore Bank One of the top 3 largest banks in ASEAN by assets	2000	3.3%
Singapore-Headquartered Technology Platform Leading technology player in SEA, with presence in 8 countries, over 500 cities and towns	2014	3.0%
Regional Telco One of the top 3 largest telcos in Asia by total wireless subscribers, Fortune 500	2000	2.3%
European Bank One of the top 10 largest bank globally by total assets, Fortune 500	2000	2.2%
Contribution from Top 5 clients		14.4%
Contribution from Top 10 clients		20.4%

Balance Sheet Management

KEY OBJECTIVE

To maintain a strong balance sheet which allows the Group to ride through cycles and sustain the ability to make opportunistic acquisitions



CASHFLOW PRIORITIES

- Maintain healthy level of working capital, particularly to support the staffing business
- To support organic and inorganic expansion
- To deliver sustainable and appropriate core dividends

Cash Requirements	Approximate Amount (S\$m)
Working capital reserve	100
Committed consideration for M&A and strategic investments	5
Earmarked for investment & expansion plans in the pipeline	21
	126

Balance Sheet Management

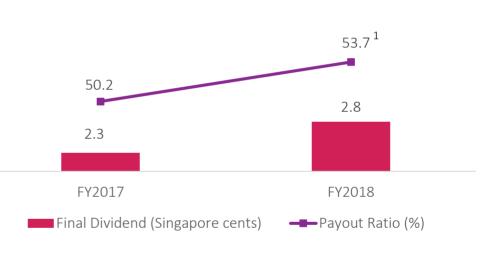
IPO PROCEEDS of S\$174m

Breakdown of Utilisation

Items	Amount (S\$m)	Percentage of IPO Proceeds
IPO & Professional Fees Expenses	9.1	5%
Investments in Strategic Entities	42.8	25%
Investments in Associate Company	55.5	32%
Investments in Organic Subsidiaries	5.6	3%
Paid Consideration for Acquisitions	1.8	1%
Earmarked for Expansion & Investment Plans in the Pipeline	26.4	15%
Total Utilised & Earmarked	141.2	81%

CORE DIVIDEND PRACTICE

To maintain a 50% payout ratio, based on NPAT



1. Derived based on 50% of "Normalised NPAT", which excludes unrealised gain / (loss) on revaluation of other financial assets.

Note: Data as of 30 Sep 2019

Rationale for Shares Repurchase



- One of the capital management tools to enhance shareholder value
- Treasury shares are used for shares incentive plans and/or M&A considerations

Number of Treasury Shares	2018	9M19				
Opening balance	-	5.6m				
Shares repurchased	7.6m (S\$6.6m)	0.5m (S\$0.3m)				
Re-issued mainly in pursuant to bonus shares vested for 123GROW plans	2.0m (S\$1.7m)	1.8m (S\$1.6m)				
Closing balance	5.6m	4.3m				

- Treasury shares sufficient for projected bonus shares under 123GROW Plan and Grow shares under GROW Plan
- GROW Plan:
 - Awarded 1,059,900* shares on 1 July 2019
 - Vesting of the Awards: 1 July 2020

^{*} The aggregate number of shares to be finally awarded to the participants will be based on the achievement of certain predetermined performance targets

OUR SECRET SAUCE



Our Pioneer Co-Owners



HRnetOne



DAISY TAN*
Chief People
Officer



JENNIFER KANG* Chief Financial Officer



MADELINE WAN*
Senior General
Manager

GCIP(a)



CATHERINE YEOW Group Business Leader KTS^(b)



ROGER TAN Director Malaysia



VICKI ONG
Country Director
Taiwan



KHIM GOH
Country Manager
Malaysia



ASAKO YOSHII Senior Business Leader Tokyo



BLISS TSAI Key Account Director Taipei/ Guangzhou



ANGELA KWAK Practice Leader Seoul



DANIEL CHOONG

Business Leader

Kuala Lumpur



Peoplefist



LORENCZ TAY*
Group Managing
Director



STEVEN LIM
Group Business
Leader
Taiwan



JARED NG Senior Business Leader Hong Kong



KUNG SHIH CHAN Group Business Leader Shanghai



SHAWNIE SOO Senior Business Leader Kuala Lumpur



ADRIAN CHIA Key Account Director Shanghai



MAVERICK TAN
Business Leader
Guangzhou



DAWNIE YUEN Senior Practice Leader Shanghai





JACELYN CHUA
Group Business
Leader Singapore



AVIEL SIM
Consulting
Director Hong
Kong



SOPHIA OOI Consulting Director Hong Kong

Note: All Co-Owners will be receiving shares under the 88GLOW plan; Asterisks denote Executive Officers

- (a) Greater China & Japan
- b) South Korea, Thailand, and Singapore

Owner-Manager Team Driving High Performance



1,077 People^(a), 21 Nationalities



286 Co-Owners

88 **GLOW** 123 **GROW**

172 Leaders



Average of 18 years of service

24 Group Business Leaders (Average age: 48)

Average of 11 years of service

24 Business Leaders (Average age: 44)

Average of 7 years of service

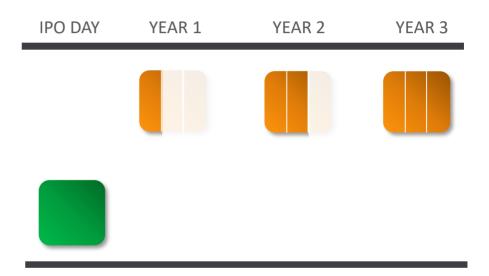
124 Practice Leaders (Average age: 35)

123GROW









GROW Shares Plan

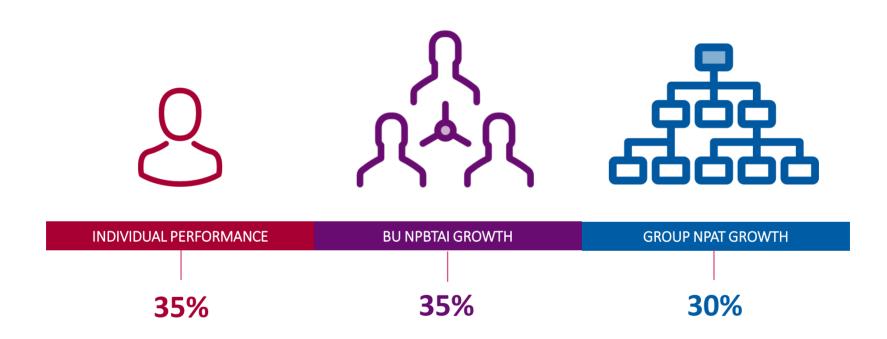




GROW Shares Plan



Number of shares co-owners will ultimately receive is dependent on 3 dimensions



BUSINESS OPERATIONS



Staffline Financial Update



Revenue	1H2019 GBP m
Recruitment	493.2
PeoplePlus	41.4
Total	534.6

Gross profit	1H2019 GBP m
Recruitment	35.7
PeoplePlus	9.3
Total	45.0

Adjusted EBIT	1H2019 GBP m
Recruitment	4.6
PeoplePlus	(0.9)
Total	3.7

Staffline's Board expects adjusted EBIT to be approximately GBP20m for 2019

Staffline

Specialises in providing complete and flexible labour solutions in the agriculture, food processing, manufacturing, e-retail, driving and logistics sectors.

Key Statistics

Sites in UK and Ireland 463

Workforce everyday (at peak) 60,300

Increase in website candidate applications 120%

Share of recruitment market 11%

People Skills Jobs

Leading adult skills and training provider in the UK, delivering apprenticeships, adult education, prison education and skills-based employability programmes across the country, with an objective to build competencies and create a skilled workforce.

Key Statistics

Share of Apprenticeship Levy Market 10%

Share of prison education market 25%

Number of jobseekers helped over the Work Programme Life 460,000

Driving Efficiency & Productivity



Aiming to digitalise and automate our value chain and improve quality of delivery



OPERATIONS & PROCESSES

Integrated Framework of Internal Systems

- Weekly Intervention Transformation Report (WITS) to track work progress, learnings and future planning
- Integrated Human Resource Solutions (iHRS) – Proprietary online application for all HR and Company-related matters (including e-Timesheets, e-Claims, e-Payroll)
- Integrated Executive Search (ies) –
 Proprietary client / candidate / project
 relationship management system
- SAP Business One Accounting System



CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

- Leveraging on digital means to maximise outreach (e.g. job portals, social media, search engines & instant messaging)
- Digitalising external facing processes (e.g. e-candidate data form, eLA, online check-in, communications broadcast, zoom meetings, QR cards)
- Measuring level of engagement via our own online survey portal (HeaRtbeats) to track feedback across all contact points and interactions – Consultant, Client and Candidate



QUALITY OF DELIVERY

- Job Ads checker additional level of check to ensure data accuracy
- Experimenting with new technologies to enhance in jobs matching (e.g. Investment in Glints)

HeaRtBeats



A survey platform that makes use of Net Promoter Score (NPS) system to better understand our client and candidate's experience and how we can do better



CANDIDATES

- Launched in January 2019, we have achieved close to 30% response rate as of end 3Q 2019
- NPS* of 73
- Average rating of 9.37, with 76% of respondents giving us a perfect score of 10

CLIENTS

- Launched in April 2019, we have obtained an encouraging 16% response rate
- NPS* of 38
- Average rating of 7.36, with 61% of respondents giving us a perfect score of 10

Notes:

*Net Promoter Score.

- Data based on feedback collected from 1 Jul to 30 Sep 2019.
- Any NPS score above 0 is "good". It means that the target audience is more loyal than not. Anything above 20 is considered "favourable". Bain & Co, the source of the NPS system, suggests that above 50 is excellent, and above 80 is world class.

 (Source: https://www.customermonitor.com/blog/what-is-a-good-net-promoter-score)

Meet ELLA - Our e-LA Module



The official "BOND" between the candidates and us.

- Officially launched on 1 July 2019, ELLA leverages on the trend of going "mobile" – signing on the GO!
- Candidates can digitally sign on electronic letters of appointment via their mobile devices, enter their particulars and upload their identification documents.

THE BENEFITS

- Saves **TIME** For both the candidates and our consultants.
- Save the EARTH & MONEY less printing, less paper used, less carbon footprint. Digital documents also means less space required and less money spent on storage.
- An easy and seamless process for everyone





In Q3 alone, 91% of our letter of appointments were generated electronically via ELLA. Of which, 72% were signed electronically. This equates to more than a thousand candidates' trips saved and approximately 250 man-hours* saved on our end to meet up with the candidates and manually processing the data!

Notes:

^{*}Based on an estimate of 15 minutes taken to meet candidates and process the signed LAs. Data based on statistics collected from the RecruitFirst entities.

TRADING COMPS



Analyst Coverage



House	Target Price	Recommendation
G CGSCIMB	\$0.83	ADD
CREDIT SUISSE	\$1.00	OUTPERFORM
DBS VICKERS SECURITIES	\$0.75	HOLD
RHB	\$0.81	BUY
AVERAGE TP	\$0.85	



Attractive Valuations



			Stock	Current	Target	Unsido	Mkt Cap	Avo 3M	Biz		PE (x)	EPS gro	with (%)	DD	(x)	PO	E (%)	EV/ER	ITDA (x)	Div Yield
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	Bberg	Rating	Curr	price	price	(%)	(US\$m)	T/O (mn)	Type	19E	20E	19E	20E	19E	20E	19E	20E	19E	20E	19E
HRnetGroup		0	SGD	0.60	1.00	66.7	447	0.3	Diversified	11.6	10.1	0.6	14.4	1.7	1.6	14.6	15.5	5.2	4.6 (4.6
Japan recruitment firms																				
Recruit Holdings	6098 JT	0	JPY	3,780.00	4100.00	8.5	57,764	210.8	Diversified	33.9	31.1	10.0	8.9	6.1	5.5	18.1	17.8	17.8	15.8	0.8
Persol Holdings	2181 JT	NR	JPY	2,109.0	n.a	n.a	4,569	23.1	Diversified	21.2	16.5	14.8	27.9	2.9	2.6	14.6	16.7	8.0	6.5	1.4
En-Japan	4849 JT	NR	JPY	4,995.0	n.a	n.a	2,273	9.6	Portal	27.5	23.3	7.3	17.8	5.9	5.3	23.1	23.5	15.6	13.3	1.6
JAC Recruitment	2124 JT	NR	JPY	2,041	n.a	n.a	771	3.6	Search	18.2	16.9	16.4	8.0	5.3	4.8	30.3	29.9	13.1	11.9	3.9
Meitec	9744 JT	NR	JPY	5,820.00	n.a	n.a	1,561	5.2	Staffing	18.2	17.5	3.7	4.1	3.7	3.5	20.2	20.2	9.2	8.6	3.4
Technopro	6028 JT	NR	JPY	7,050.00	n.a	n.a	2,343	9.9	Staffing	25.0	22.0	10.3	13.5	5.4	4.7	22.5	22.8	15.5	13.3	2.0
India recruitment firms																				
Quess	QUESS IN	NR	INR	516.8	n.a	n.a	1,069	1.3	Staffing	25.6	19.4	8.6	31.8	2.5	2.2	10.7	12.7	16.7	12.8	n.a
TeamLease Servs	TEAM IN	NR	INR	2,871.2	n.a	n.a	688	0.6	Staffing	42.7	32.7	24.9	30.8	7.8	6.4	20.0	21.4	46.8	33.9	0.0
Rest of Asia recruitment fi	<u>irms</u>																			
Beijing Career International		NR	CNY	29.7	n.a	n.a	767	7.5		36.2	28.8	26.3	25.6	6.2	5.2	16.9	17.8	24.6	20.0	0.4
Humanica		NR	THB	8.0	n.a	n.a	179	0.1		33.3	25.1	19.4	32.9	4.5	4.1	13.9	17.2	23.1	17.8	1.4
Asian average										28.2	23.3	14.2	20.1	5.0	4.4	19.0	20.0	19.1	15.4	1.7
European recruitment firm																				
Adecco	ADEN VX	0	CHF	60.22	60.00	-0.4	9,888	50.4	Staffing	13.0	11.7	0.3	11.4	2.4	2.2	18.2	18.7	8.6	7.7	4.3
Robert Walters	RWA LN	0	GBp	530.00	600.00	13.2	516	0.4	Diversified	10.4	11.1	8.0	(5.9)	2.6	2.6	25.0	23.3	6.9	7.3	2.9
Randstad	RAND NA	0	EUR	52.10	50.00	-4.0	10,552	23.8	Diversified	12.4	12.4	(7.7)	(0.3)	2.1	2.1	16.8	16.7	8.0	7.9	7.6
PageGroup	PAGE LN	0	GBp	461.60	450.00	-2.5	1,943	4.3	Diversified	14.8	14.7	(4.1)	0.6	4.6	4.5	31.4	30.5	7.8	8.0	5.9
Hays	HAS LN	N	GBp	162.70	140.00	-14.0	3,058	8.1	Diversified	14.2	14.6	(2.2)	(2.3)	3.3	3.2	23.3	22.0	8.7	8.7	6.0
US recruitment firms																				
Manpower	MAN US	U	USD	93.95	78.00	-17.0	5,539	13.1	Diversified	12.7	12.2	(16.7)	2.0	2.0	1.9	17.2	16.6	7.4	7.6	2.3
Robert Half	RHI US	U	USD	58.10	53.00	-8.8	6,830	17.7	Staffing	14.8	14.1	9.2	(2.4)	5.7	4.9	41.2	36.8	8.9	9.1	2.1
ASGN Inc	ASGN US	NC	USD	67.2	61.00	-9.3	3,556	5.8	Staffing	14.5	13.4	6.2	7.9	2.6	2.2	18.0	16.5	10.0	9.1	0.0
Recources Connection	RECN US	NC	USD	14.9	n.a	n.a	477	1.0	Staffing	14.8	14.1	9.9	n.a.	1.6	1.4	11.1	10.6	n.a	n.a	n.a
Korn Ferry	KFY US	NC	USD	39.0	37.00	-5.1	2,182	5.2	Diversified	11.8	11.5	16.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	15.2	14.2	5.8	6.1	1.0
Heidrick & Struggles	HSII US	NC	USD	30.1	31.00	3.1	576	1.0	Search	11.4	11.9	4.6	(4.2)	2.2	2.0	17.0	15.8	4.2	3.7	2.0
Europe+US average										13.2	12.9	1.5	0.9	2.8	2.6	21.3	20.2	7.6	7.5	3.4
Average	<u> </u>									20.3	17.9	7.5	10.5	3.9	3.5	20.2	20.1	13.3	11.5	2.6

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