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<u>Distribution</u>
Weaker business confidence.
Chemical prices weaker.



Manufacturing
Stable demand.



Megachem Thailand
Positive contribution from acquisition.





# Profit & Loss Highlights

S\$'mil	FY18	FY19	Var	Var %	
Sales	117.9	113.8	(4.1)	(3.5%)	▼
Gross Profit	29.4	28.2	(1.3)	(4.3%)	•
Gross Profit Margin %	25.0%	24.8%	(0.2% pt)	-	▼
EBITDA	6.9	7.0	0.1	1.5%	<b>A</b>
NPBT	5.4	5.0	(0.4)	(7.7%)	▼
NPAT	4.3	4.0	(0.3)	(6.8%)	•
ROE %	8.7%	7.7%	(1.0% pt)	-	▼
EPS(cents)	3.06	2.88	(0.18)	(5.9%)	•

#### Sales

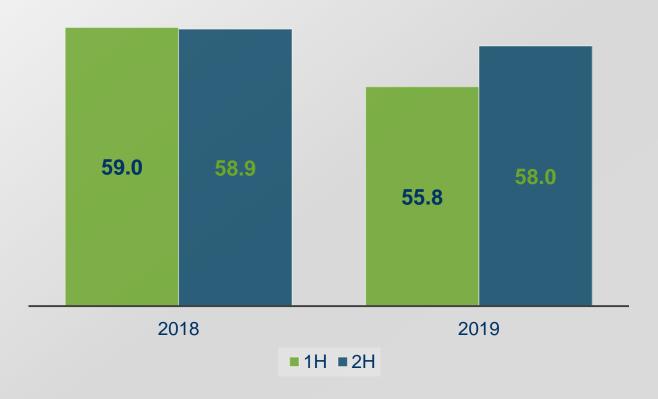
#### **Annual Sales S\$'mil**



- Sales fall mainly due to lower chemical prices.
- Sales volume stable.
- Business elevated to a new level over the last decade.

## Sales

#### Half-year Sales(S\$'mil)



Sales dipped in 1H 19 but recovered in 2H 19.



# Sales breakdown by Business Segments

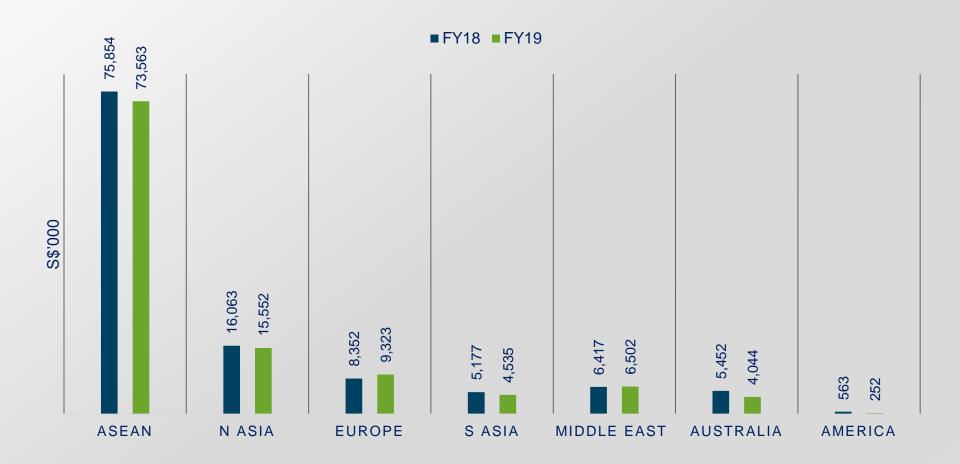




- Fall in sales seen in Distribution activity.
  - Manufacturing activity flat.



# Sales Breakdown by Geographic Segments



Marginal decline across most market segments except Europe and Middle-east.

#### **Gross Profit**



- Gross profit decreased S\$1.3 mil or 4.3% due to lower sales and higher inventory write-down
- Gross profit margin dipped marginally by 0.2% pt



# Expenses

Total expenses decreased S\$0.4 mil or 1.4%.

S\$'mil	FY2018	FY2019	Var	Remarks
Receivables Impairment	0.3	0.1	(0.2)	No significant deterioration in receivables.
Fair value loss on equity investment	0.2	0.1	(0.1)	Drop in value of equity investment.
FX loss	0.7	0.1	(0.6)	Minimal loss in FX in FY19. Mostly unrealized.
Depreciation of right- of-use assets	-	0.4	0.4	Recognition of leases as a right-of-use assets and liability for future lease payments
Rental	0.5	0.2	(0.3)	Changes in accounting of leases result in higher depreciation and finance cost but lower rental expense.
Warehouse storage cost	2.3	2.6	0.3	Increase in warehousing rates.
Finance cost	0.7	1.0	0.3	Higher average borrowings, interest rate and finance cost from lease liability.



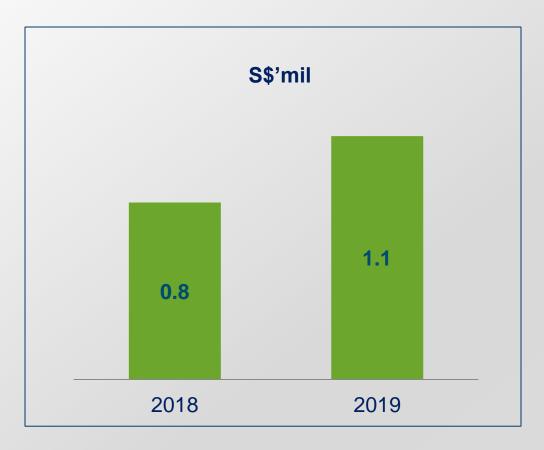
## Other Income

S\$'mil	FY2018	FY2019	Var	Remarks
Bad Debt Recovered	0.1	0.3	0.2	Includes recovery of debts from Venezuela.
Interest Income	0.1	0.2	0.1	Interest from bank deposits.
Others*	0.2	0.1	(0.1)	
Total	0.4	0.6	0.2	

 Others include fair value gain on FX contracts, grant income, gain on disposal of plant & equipment.

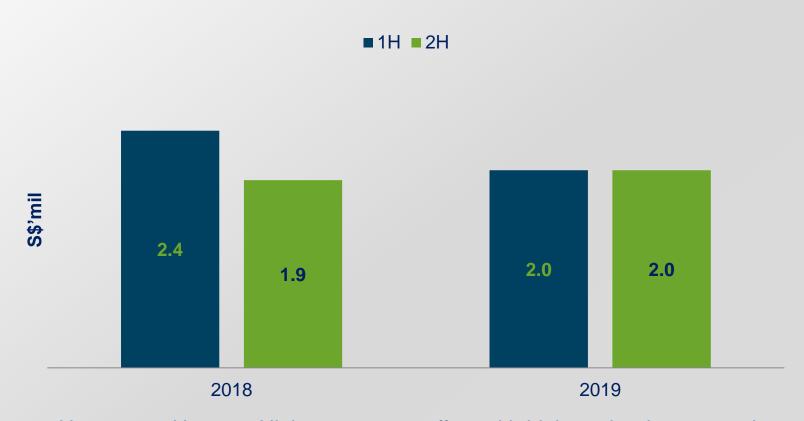


### Share of Associate's Profit



 Newly-acquired business led to higher contribution from associated company.

#### **Net Profit After Tax**



- 2H 2019 vs 1H 2019: Higher expenses offset with higher other income and contribution from associated companies.
- 2H 2019 vs 2H 2018: Marginal increase due to higher other income and contribution from associated companies.

#### **Net Profit After Tax**

#### Full Year NPAT \$'mil



- Fall in NPAT in line with lower sales.
- Profitable track record a reflection of our resilience.



## **Balance Sheet**

## Financial Discipline → Sound Balance Sheet

S\$'mil	FY2018	FY2019	Var	
Cash	12.2	14.9	2.7	Positive operating cash-flow.
Borrowings	19.5	18.4	(1.1)	Repayment of bank loans.
Shareholders Equity(less MI)	47.2	49.6	2.4	Positive earnings partially offset by dividend payment.
Gearing (times)	0.41	0.37	(0.04)	Net gearing 0.07 times. Comfortable level.
Current ratio (times)	2.1	2.2	0.1	Sound liquidity.
Inventory(net)	26.1	25.4	(0.7)	In line with lower sales
Inventory T/O (days)	118	124	6	Due to slower sales
Trade Receivables(net)	23.5	21.6	(1.9)	In line with lower sales.
Receivables T/O (days)	84	75	(9)	Tightening of credit management.
NTA/share (cents)	35.4	37.2	1.8	NTA/share increased.



# Cashflow

# **Cash position healthy**

\$'mil	FY 2018	FY2019	
Cash (used in)/from operating activities	2.6	6.6	Positive operating cash-flow from profitable operation.
Cash (used in)/from investing activities	(0.04)	0.3	No major capex. Dividend from associated company.
Cash (used in)/from financing activities	0.3	(4.1)	Repayment of borrowings. \$1.7 mil of dividend paid.
Net change in cash	2.9	2.7	Positive cash generated.
Beginning cash balance	9.3	12.2	
Ending cash balance	12.2	14.9	





Outlook: 2020

#### Global Economy

- CoronaVirus has revived global economic fears.
- Trade disputes retreated but not fully resolved
- · Geopolitical tension may escalate

#### **Chemical Industry**

 Manufacturing activity slowdown if it continues will put a squeeze on chemical industry.

CoronaVirus : Threat to Economic Growth and Megachem's business

Diversified Business Model & Financial Discipline → Resilience

# Decade of Opportunities



# 2020 – 2029 : Decade of Opportunities



Asia: Driver of Global Growth



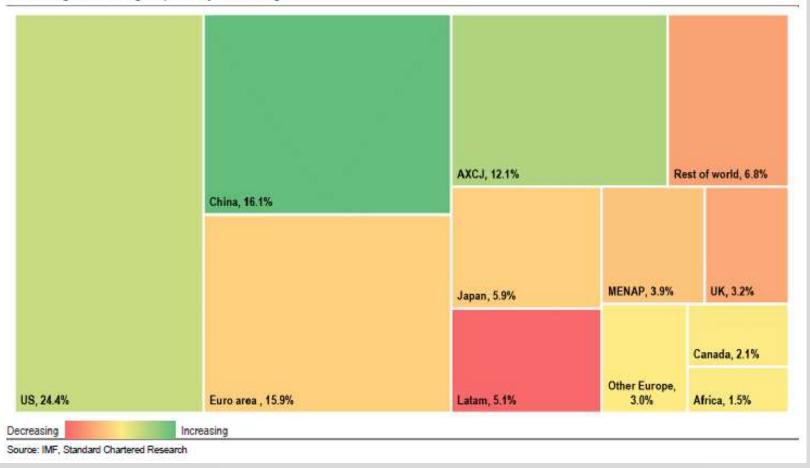
Chemical: Industry of Industries



#### Asia: The Growth Driver

Figure 1: China is set to become the world's second-largest economy in 2019, overtaking the euro area, when measured by nominal GDP at market exchange rates

Size represents 2019F percentage share of world GDP at market exchange rates; shade represents whether share is increasing/decreasing vs past-5-year average





#### Asia: The Growth Driver

# Leveraging our network in Asia for Accelerated Growth Our global footprint: 12 countries, 9 in Asia.





## Chemicals: The Industry of Industries

#### **Our Diversified Industry Coverage**

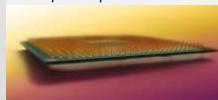
# Performance Coating and Polymers

- Paint and Ink
- Polymerisation
- Adhesive
- Construction
- Textile



#### Surface Technology

- Electronics
- Metal Finishing
- Industrial Cleaning
- Water Treatment
- Pulp & Paper



#### Oil & Gas

- Petrochemical
- Lubricant & Grease
- Oil field
- Refinery



# Advanced Polymer Composites

- Rubber
- Plastic
- Polyurethane
- Polyester



#### Biotech

- F&B
- · Pharmaceutical
- Nutraceutical
- Cosmaceutical
- · Agriculture/Feed
- · Flavor & Fragrance
- Homecare
- Photographic



#### Resources

Mining





# Chemicals: The Industry of Industries

## **Growth Industries**

**Electronics** 

**Nutraceutical** 

Construction

## **Resilient Industries**

F&B

**Flavours** 

**Pharmaceutical** 





## **Share Statistics**

Share Information (as at 19 Feb 2020)				
Listing Date	17 October 2003			
IPO Price	28 cents			
Historical High	68 cents			
Historical Low	13 cents			
52 weeks High	38 cents			
52 weeks Low	20.5 cents			
Price (as at 19 Feb 2020)	32.5 cents			
No of Shares	133,300,000			
Earnings per share FY19	2.88 cents			
Historical P/E(a)	11.3 x			
Market Capitalisation	\$43.3 mil			
NTA/share	37.2 cents			
Price/Book Ratio (b)	0.87			

#### Note:

- (a) P/E = price as at 19 Feb 2020 / EPS 2019
- (b) Price/Book ratio = price as at 19 Feb 2020/NTA per share FY2019.



#### **Share Price Performance**

Share price chart: 1 year to 19 February 2020





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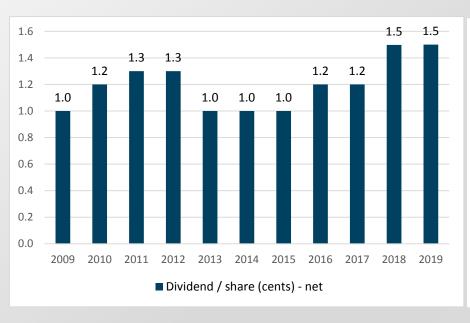
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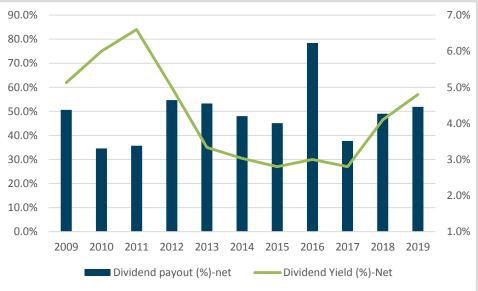




# 2019 Final Dividend Proposal

	cts/share
Interim Dividend	0.5
Final Dividend(subject to Shareholders approval at the upcoming AGM)	1.0
Total FY2019 Dividend	1.5





- \* Average price is the average of 31 December 2018 closing price of 32 cents/share and 31 December 2019 closing price of 30 cents/share.
- \*\* Dividend yield = full year dividend per share / average price.



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