

Frasers Centrepoint Trust

Navigating choppy cashflows

SINGAPORE | REAL ESTATE (REIT) | 2Q20 RESULTS

- DPU of 1.61cents was 48.7% lower YoY due to retention of 50% of 2Q20's distributable income (\$18mn).
- Lower rental reversions and longer negotiation periods expected on the remaining 11% of GRI due for renewal in FY20; portfolio reversions for leases concluded came in at c.5%
- Maintain ACCUMULATE with a lower TP of S\$2.24. We lower our forecast to reflect the rental rebates and weaker retail outlook and increase our cost of equity assumption by 105bps to 7.6%. FY20e DPU cut by 2.88cents (-22.6%).

Results at a glance

(SGD mn)	2Q20	2Q19	YoY (%)	Comments
Gross Revenue	50.2	49.7	0.9%	
Net Property Income	36.0	36.4	-1.3%	Due to higher property expenses from absences of property tax write-back, offset by lower mareketing expenses
Distributable Income	36.0	28.8	25.0%	Higher due to acquisition and subsequent increase in stakes in PGIM and WWP
DPU (Cents)	1.61	3.14	-48.8%	50% of distribution retained for cashflow need in lieu of potential cashflow mismatch from rental deferments

Source: Company, PSR

The Positives

+ 23.1% of NLA renewed YTD with reversions of c.5%. Of the 35.7% of GRI (32.7% of NLA, 312 leases) up for renewal in FY20, FCT has renewed 23.1% of NLA (142 leases) YTD. The average reversion was c.5%. 11% of GRI (9.6% of NLA) remain for the year. Management is expecting longer lease renewal negotiations and weaker reversion for the remaining leases given the weakened financial standing of tenants.

The Negatives

- **2Q20 tenant sales down 2% to 10% for larger malls.** Footfall was lower by 10% for larger malls and 5% for smaller malls as shoppers avoided crowded areas. FCT's tenant sales outperformed those of central peers (Suntec REIT -20.2% in 1Q20, OUECT -30 to -40% in Feb20).

- **Portfolio occupancy fell by 0.4ppts to 96.1%.** This was due to 2 non-renewals and one pre-termination of space at CCP.

Outlook

Singapore announced the extension of the circuit breaker by 1 month on 21 April, two days before the FCT released its results. Prior to the extension of the lockdown, the Frasers Group had announced 1 month rental rebate for tenants which will cost FCT c.\$17mn. With the extension of the circuit breaker, Frasers Group will likely offer additional relief, especially for tenants who are unable to trade during the circuit breaker. One additional month of rental rebates will lower our FY20e DPU by c.11%.

So far only one tenant has indicated that they may seek rental deferment under the COVID-19 Bill. The low number of requests could be due to the tenant support package where tenants do not have to pay rent in May. However, there is a risk this number could rise once the tenant rebate/waiver periods are over.

Maintain ACCUMULATE with and lower TP of S\$2.24.

We lower our forecast to reflect the rental rebates and weaker retail outlook. Our cost of equity assumption is raised by 105bps to 7.6%. The 1-month rental rebates will lower FY20e DPU by 11%, however taking into consideration the potential retention of distributable income into FY21, FY20e DPU was cut by 2.88cents (-22.6%).



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ACCUMULATE	(Maintained)
LAST DONE PRICE	SGD 1.98
FORECAST DIV	SGD 0.118
TARGET PRICE	SGD 2.24
TOTAL RETURN	19.1%

COMPANY DATA

BLOOMBERG CODE:	FCT SP
O/S SHARES (MN) :	1,119
MARKET CAP (USD mn / SGD mn) :	1556 / 2217
52 - WK HI/LO (SGD) :	3.07 / 1.55
3M Average Daily T/O (mn) :	4.63

MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS

FRASERS PROPERTY LTD	36.4%
SCHRODERS PLC	4.4%

PRICE PERFORMANCE (%)

	1MTH	3MTH	1YR
COMPANY	(1.0)	(29.8)	(12.1)
STI RETURN	6.6	(21.8)	(22.0)



Source: Bloomberg, PSR

KEY FINANCIALS

Y/E Sept	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
Gross Rev (SGD mn)	193	196	177	205
NPI (SGD mn)	137	139	124	149
Dist Inc. (SGD mn)	111	120	110	152
P/NAV (x)	0.98	0.95	0.90	0.88
DPU, adj (Cents)	9.27	11.77	9.88	13.56
Distribution Yield	4.7%	5.9%	5.0%	6.8%
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Source: Company, PSR

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Financials

Statement of Total Return and Distribution Statement	

Y/E Sep, SGD mn	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e		
Gross Revenue	182	193	196	177	205		
Total Property expenses	(52)	(56)	(57)	(53)	(56)		
Net Property Income	130	137	139	124	149		
Net Finance (Expense)/Inc	(18)	(20)	(24)	(25)	(26)		
Trust expenses	(3)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(3)		
Manager's management fees	(14)	(15)	(17)	(17)	(16)		
Net Income	95	100	97	80	104		
Share of associate's results	4	4	13	27	28		
Share of JV's results	1	1	5	13	13		
Other Adjustments	11	8	8	5	6		
Distribution to Unitholders	110	111	120	110	152		

Y/E Sep, SGD mn	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
ASSETS					
Investment properties	2,668	2,749	2,846	2,854	2,860
Investment in Associates	65	66	457	465	467
Non Current Assets	2,733	2,815	3,595	3,609	3,617
Trade and Other Receivables	4.3	3.0	3.1	7.1	6.1
Cash and Cash Equivalents	14	22	13	79	60
Current Assets	18	25	16	86	66
Total Assets	2,751	2,840	3,611	3,695	3,683
LIABILITIES					
Interest bearing borrowings, non current	646	596	745	759	734
Others	31	32	30	37	37
Non-Current Liabilities	677	627	775	797	772
Trade and other payables	33	46	47	67	49
Interest bearing borrowings, current	152	217	295	294	340
Others	17	16	23	21	21
Current Liabilities	202	280	365	382	410
Total Liabilities	879	907	1,140	1,178	1,182
EQUITY					
Shareholder Equity	1,872	1,934	2,471	2,517	2,501

Per share data					
Y/E Sep, SGD	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
NAV	2.02	2.08	2.21	2.25	2.23
DPU (Cents)	11.87	9.27	11.77	9.88	13.56

Cash Flow					
Y/E Sep, SGD mn	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
CFO					
Net Income	194	167	206	123	145
Adjustments	(74)	(42)	(80)	3	(10)
WC changes	2	12	4	16	(17)
Cashflow from operating activitie	122	137	131	143	118
CFI					
Capex on inv properties	(28)	(15)	(5)	(11)	(5)
Others	(40)	4	(656)	38	39
Cashflow from investing activities	(68)	(12)	(661)	27	33
CFF					
Share issuance	-	-	437	-	-
Distributions to Unitholders	(108)	(112)	(114)	(94)	(166)
Others	49	(5)	197	(13)	(5)
Cashflow from financing activities	(59)	(117)	521	(107)	(171)
Net change in cash	(5)	8	(9)	64	(19)
CCE, end	14	22	13	79	60

Source: Company, Phillip Securities Research (Singapore) Estimates

Valuation Ratios

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Y/E Sep	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
P/NAV (x)	0.98	0.95	0.90	0.88	0.89
Distribution yield	6.0%	4.7%	5.9%	5.0%	6.8%
NPI yield	4.9%	5.0%	4.9%	4.3%	5.2%
Growth & Margins	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20e	FY21e
Growth					
Revenue	-1.2%	6.5%	1.6%	-10.0%	15.8%
Net property income (NPI)	-0.2%	5.9%	1.5%	-11.1%	20.4%
DPU	1.0%	-21.9%	26.9%	-16.0%	37.2%
Margins					
NPI margin	71.3%	71.0%	70.9%	70.1%	72.9%
Net Income Margin	52.2%	51.7%	49.2%	45.0%	50.7%
Key Ratios					
Gearing	29.0%	28.6%	28.8%	28.5%	29.2%
ROA	3.4%	3.5%	2.7%	2.2%	2.8%
ROE	5.1%	5.2%	3.9%	3.2%	4.2%
Interest coverage ratio (x)	7.35	6.85	5.82	5.01	5.74

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