



2013 Interim Results

For the six months ended June 30, 2013

August 5, 2013 – Hong Kong



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Overview

Alex Arena

Group Managing Director



(US\$ million) Adjusted Funds Flow	<u>H1'12</u>	<u>H1'13</u>	% change
	183	190	+ 4%
Adjusted Funds Flow Per Share Stapled Unit (HK cents)	22.29	23.13	

The Board has declared an interim distribution of 21 HK cents per Share Stapled Unit



Financial Review

Susanna Hui

Group Chief Financial Officer

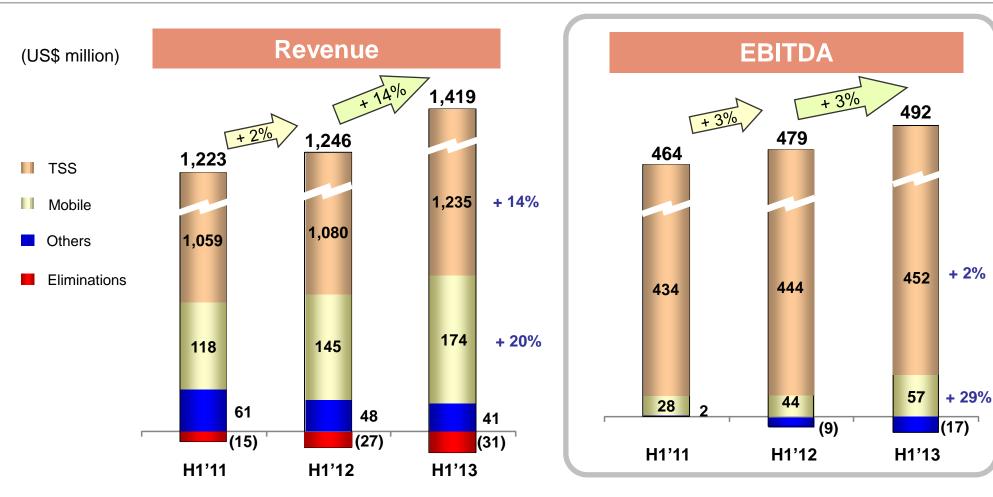


Delivering Growth in AFF

(US\$ million)	<u>H1'12</u>	<u>H1'13</u>	% change
Adjusted Funds Flow	183	190	+ 4%
Revenue	1,246	1,419	+ 14%
EBITDA	479	492	+ 3%
Profit Attributable to Holders of Share Stapled Units	100	153	+ 53%



Achieving Sustainable EBITDA Growth

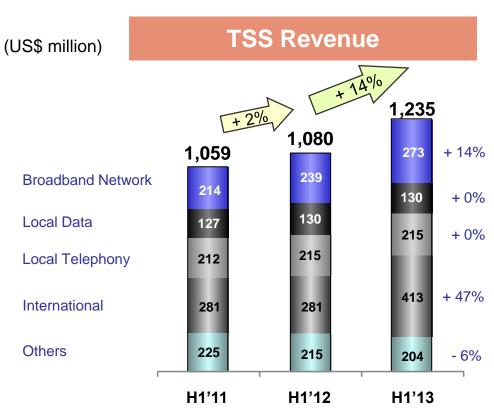


- TSS delivering steady growth TSS revenue and EBITDA increased by 14% and 2% respectively, underpinned by the strong fiber and international businesses
- Mobile momentum continues mobile revenue represented 12% of total HKT revenue (12% in H1'12) and mobile EBITDA accounted for 11% of total HKT EBITDA (9% in H1'12)

 HKT a PC

 HKT a PC

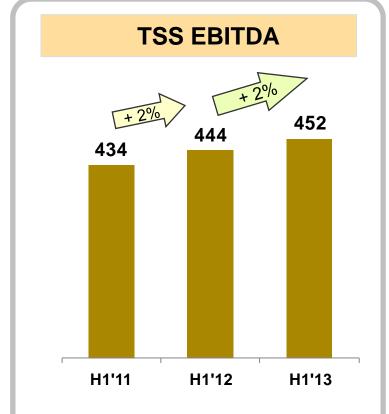
Fiber Strategy Powering TSS Ahead



- Broadband fiber penetration continues to grow
- Local Data stable segment of revenue

HKT Here To Serve

- Local Telephony supported by an increase in retail fixed-line revenue and higher eye penetration, but affected by lower revenue from wholesale business
- International strong growth reflecting the expansion in the Gateway branded business in Europe and Africa as well as overall increase in customer demand
 - Others higher CPE sales but offset by timing of project completions



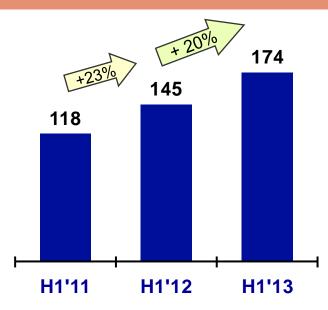
- EBITDA growth fueled by continuing fiber upgrades
- Demonstrates strong market position and resilience of fixed line business.



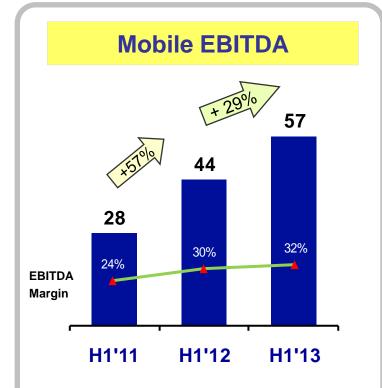
Focus on Premium Customers Yielding Results

(US\$ million)

Mobile Revenue



- Total mobile revenue up 20% on the back of strong mobile data revenue growth of 29%
- High value, premium customers recognizing superior network performance, innovation and service
- Wide range of affordable mobile data plans
- Blended post-paid exit ARPU increased to HK\$209
- Increasing number of SIM only activations improves cash flow profile



EBITDA expanded by 29% in H1'13 with margin improving to 32% benefiting from the increased business scale and the competitive advantage of our unique fixed-mobile integrated network



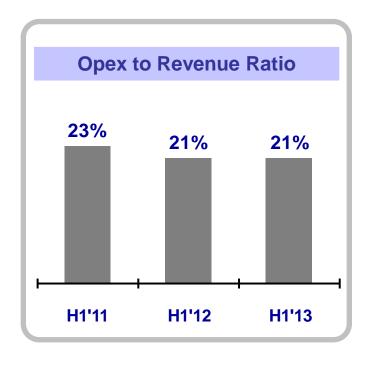
Investing Prudently for Growth

(US\$ million)

Operating Expenses

277
264

H1'11



- Opex increased by 13% in H1'13 a combined result of the expansion in business, in particular the International business in Europe and Africa, and higher inflationary pressure on staff costs and rental expenses
- Contribution from the new business beginning to materialize

H1'13

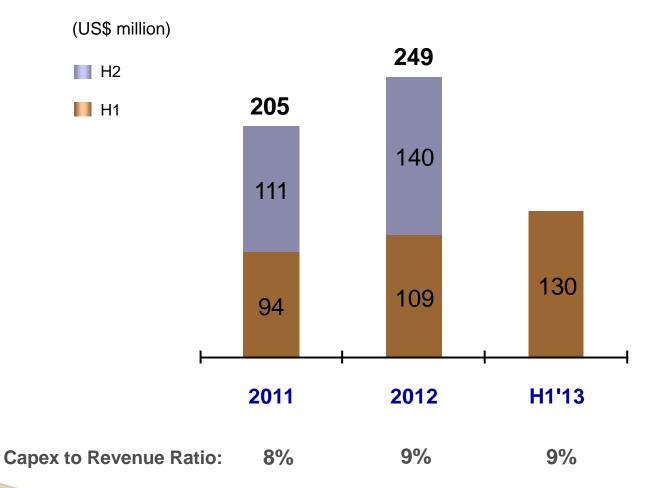
Will continue to drive operating efficiency

H1'12





Demand-Driven Capex



- Focused on demand driven spending for fiber upgrades and increasing mobile data usage
- Capex to revenue ratio continues to remain within the below 10% guidance



Adjusted Funds Flow

(US\$ million)	H1'12	H2'12	H1'13	YoY
EBITDA	479	504	492	+ 3%
Less cash outflows in respect of:				
Customer acquisition costs and licence fees	(97)	(123)	(91)	
Capital expenditures	(107)	(137)	(127)	
Adjusted Funds Flow before tax paid, net finance costs paid and changes in working capital	275	244	274	
Adjusted for:				
Tax payment	(3)	(23)	(14)	
Net finance costs paid	(46)	(47)	(31)	
Changes in working capital	(43)	(14)	(39)	
Adjusted Funds Flow for the period	183	160	190	+ 4%
Adjusted Funds Flow per Share Stapled Unit (HK cents)	22.29	19.35	23.13	

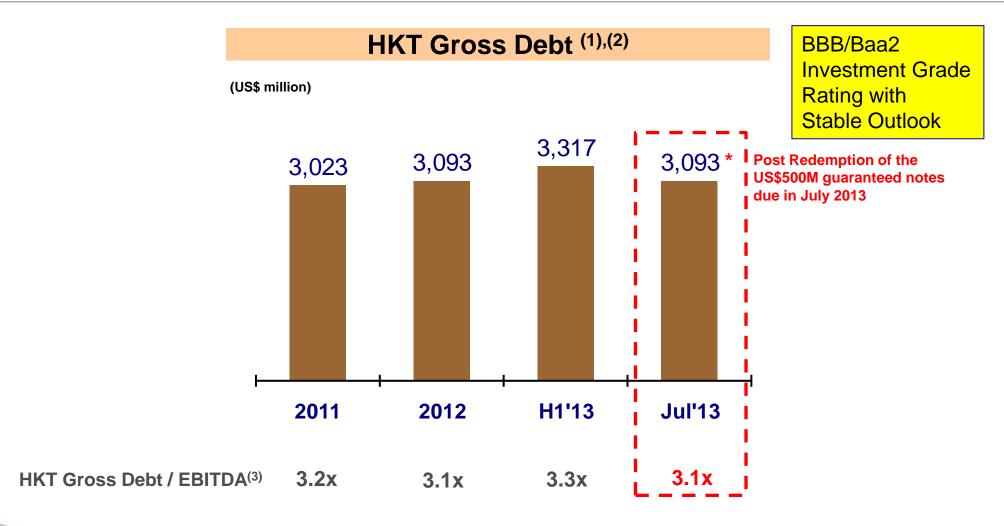


Income Statement

(US\$ million)	<u>H1'12</u>	<u>H1'13</u>	
Turnover	1,246	1,419	+ 14%
Cost of sales	(503)	(628)	
Opex	(264)	(299)	
EBITDA	479	492	+ 3%
Depreciation & Amortization expenses	(292)	(308)	
Gain on disposal of fixed assets	-	1	
Net other gains	1	6	
Net finance costs	(53)	(58)	
Share of results of an associate & JVs	(8)	1	
Profit before income tax	127	134	
Income tax	(24)	21	
Effective tax rate	19%	NA	
Profit for the period	103	155	_
Attributable to:			
Holders of Share Stapled Units	100	153	+ 53%
Non-controlling interests	3	2	



Stable Financial Position and Leverage Level







⁽¹⁾ HKT denotes HKT Trust and HKT Limited

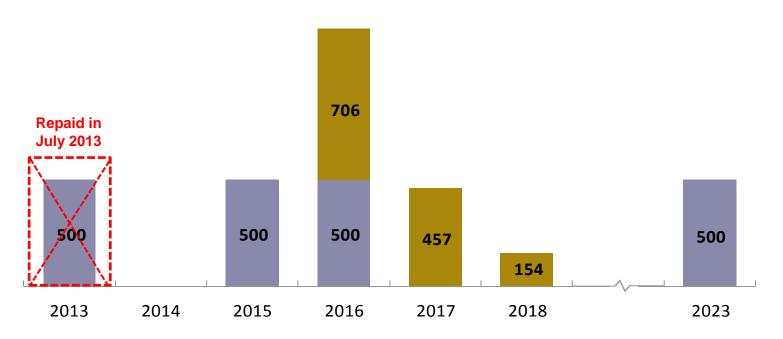
⁽²⁾ Gross debt refers to the principal amount of short-term and long-term borrowings

⁽³⁾ Based on gross debt as at period end divided by EBITDA for the 12-month period

Minimal Near Term Financing Needs



As at June 30, 2013



- Next debt repayment only due in 2015
- Maintain significant liquidity of US\$673 million in undrawn banking facilities post the redemption of the US\$500 million guaranteed notes due in July 2013
- Effective interest rate was steady at 3.1% in H1'13



Business Review

Alex Arena

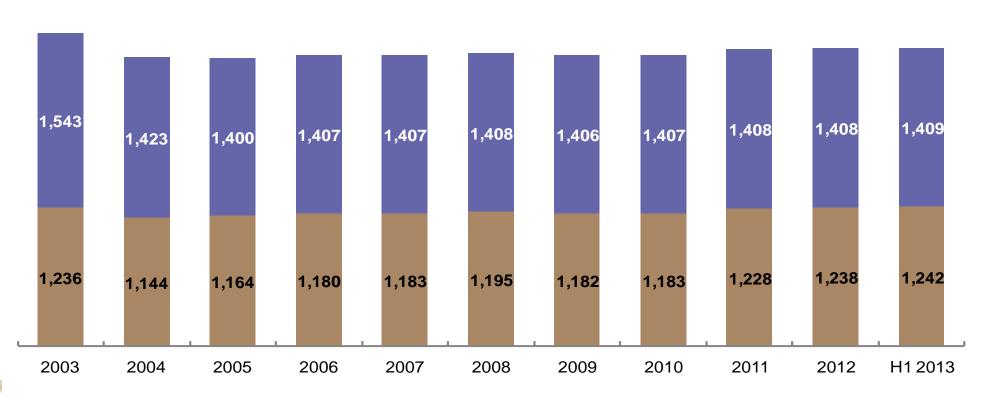
Group Managing Director



Stable Fixed-line Business

Solid Customer Base Maintained Since 2004

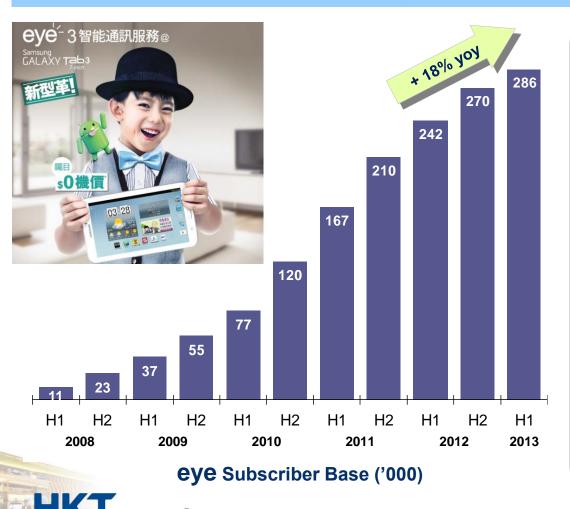
('000) Business Lines
Residential Lines





Driving further eye Penetration

Rapid Growth of Higher ARPU eye Customer Base



eye Strategy

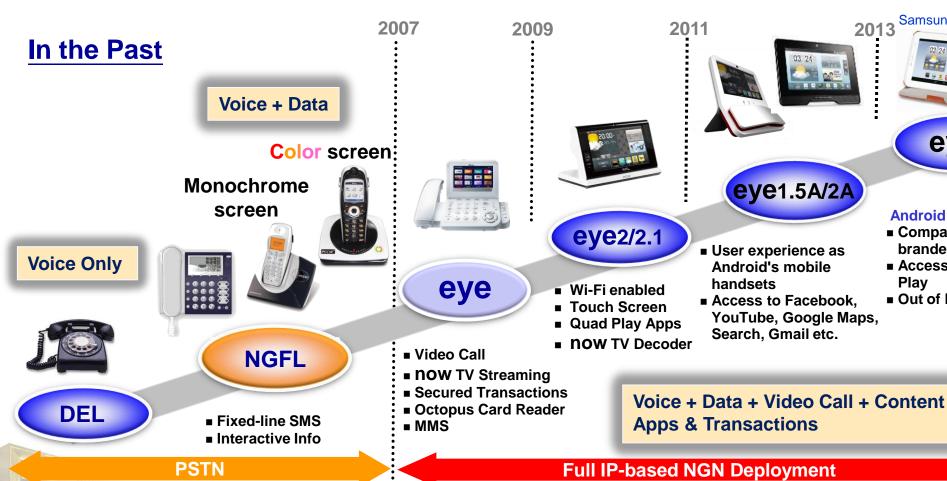
- eye strategy delivering results (current penetration ~20% of residential customers)
- Becoming the Infotainment and Edutainment companion at home
- Launch of eye 3 on Samsung Galaxy Tab 3 in May 2013 to drive further penetration and ARPU uplift





Evolution from Voice to Multimedia Communications

CYCX: Android-based Tablet Series Addressing Different Segments



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eye3

Android Platform

- Compatible with branded device
- Access to Google Play
- Out of home



HKT SMARTLINE Service for Business

Extend Office Communication Functionalities to include Smartphones



 Customer can enjoy business communication services on their smartphones



Office line extension



Visual Voicemail



Visual Faxmail



Presence Management

 More value added services to meet specific industry needs



Mobile Recording for Banking & Finance



Super Hotline Call Queue for Service Industries



Launch of HKT Service

Carrier-grade Cloud Service Providing a Secure and World-Class Service to Enterprises in Hong Kong



Benefits for Enterprises:

- Ubiquitous and fastest-in-town broadband access to the cloud platform through fixed, mobile, Wi-Fi and private networks
- Multi-layered security measures offering carrier-grade data protection
- World-class partnership (HKT & HP) provides comprehensive solution, service and deployment expertise
- One-stop cross-border solution between Hong Kong and China



Evolution from Voice to Unified Communications

Enabling Unified Voice, Data, Messaging and Applications over Fixed and Mobile Integrated Network

In the Past





Voice Only



NGFL



- Intelligent Voice Recognition
- Fixed-line SMS

PSTN



PCCW Convergence®

2003



PCCW Convergence

- Single view of voice calls, voice mails, faxes and emails
- One click to start conference call
- Automatic call screening with intelligent call routing



2013



HKT Smartline and HKT Enterprise Cloud

- One Communications
- Integrated Voice & Broadband service
- Converge voice mails, emails and faxes on a web portal
- Intra-group text messaging
- Swap calls between fixed line and mobile phone with one single button

- Extend office voice calls, voice mails and faxes to smartphone
- Turn mobile phone into office line extension
- Use mobile phone to manage incoming calls with profiles
- HKT Enterprise Cloud enables customers to manage virtual infrastructure

Full IP-based NGN Deployment

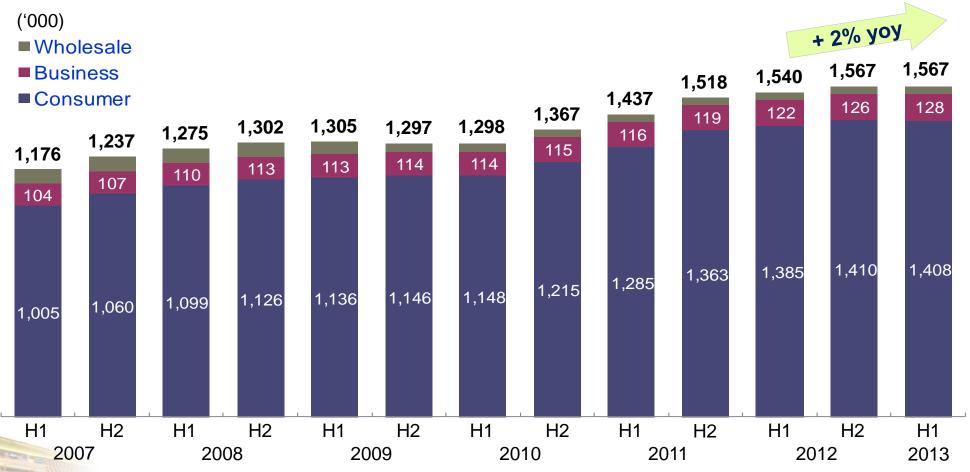


Continued Growth in Broadband

Broadband continued to grow at a rate of 2% while churn maintained at 1%

HKT Here To Serve

Industry dynamic has shifted from market share gain to value creation and ARPU growth



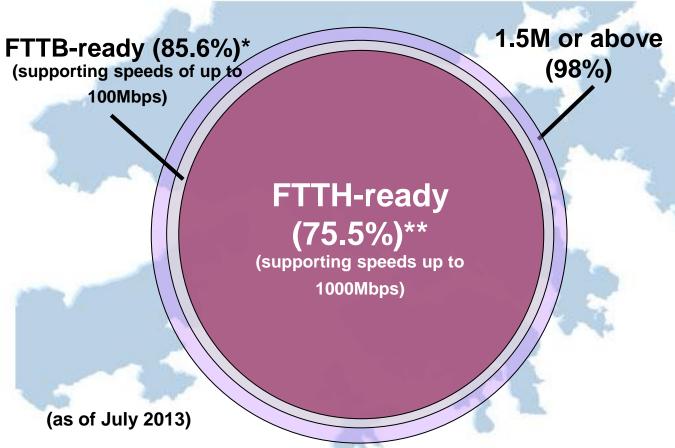


Wide Coverage of our Fiber Network





HKT Here To Serve





^{**} FTTH-ready means FTTH service can be available within 4 days of receiving a service order





Rapid Growth of Fiber Customers





- Fiber-To-The-Home (FTTH) Service continued to attract new customers and existing customers for service upgrade
- 362K customers enjoying FTTH service as of Jun 2013, grew 60% vs. Jun 2012
- Growing fiber customer base creates future upgrade opportunity to higher speed, higher price service plans
- 503K customer enjoying high speed service (FTTH and VDSL) as of Jun 2013

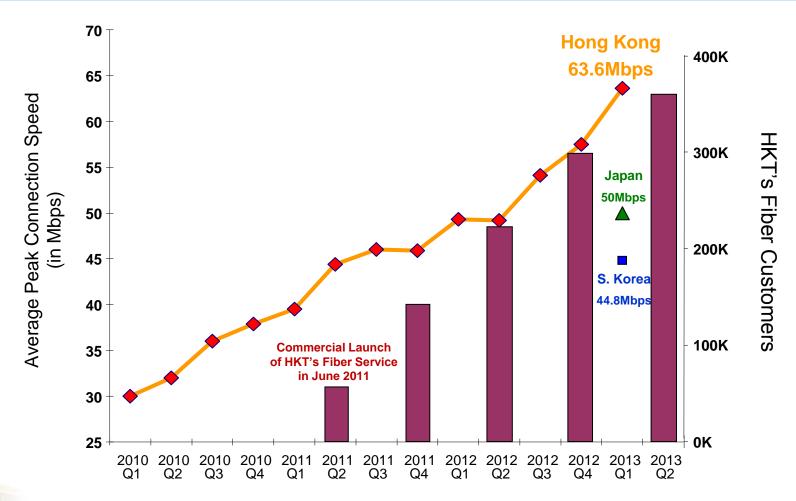






Hong Kong Becomes No.1 in the World for Internet Speed

Hong Kong's Average Peak Connection Speed reached 63.6Mbps* in Q1 2013

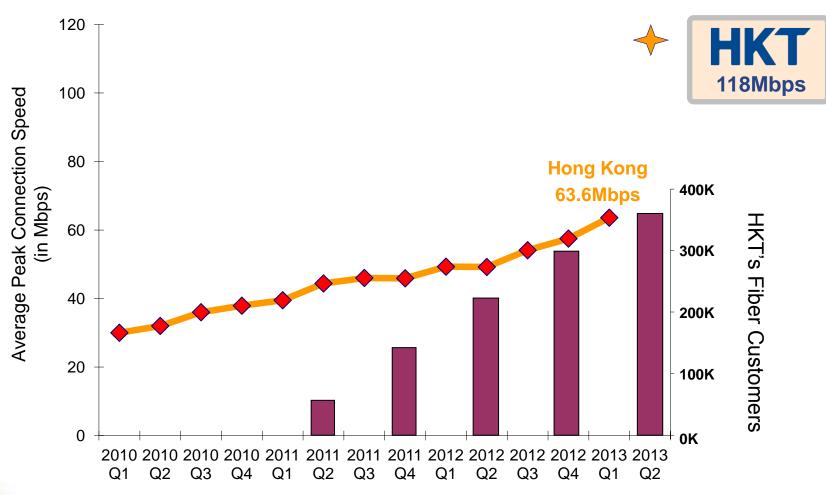






Hong Kong Becomes No.1 in the World for Internet Speed

HKT's FTTH Customers Achieving A.P.C.S.⁽¹⁾ of 118Mbps⁽²⁾





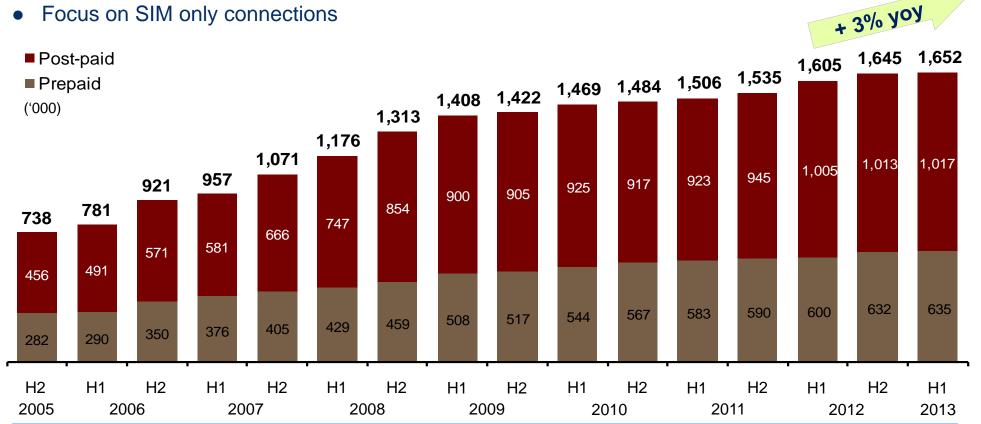


2) Based on measurements from Akamai's test site

Mobile Business Acquires More High-end Customers

- Total customer base reached 1.652M, up 3% yoy
- Post-paid customer base reached 1.017M, up 1% yoy
- Post-paid exit ARPU increased 13% yoy to HK\$209 from HK\$185

Focus on SIM only connections



Focusing resources on the higher value, premium mobile segment to drive profitability

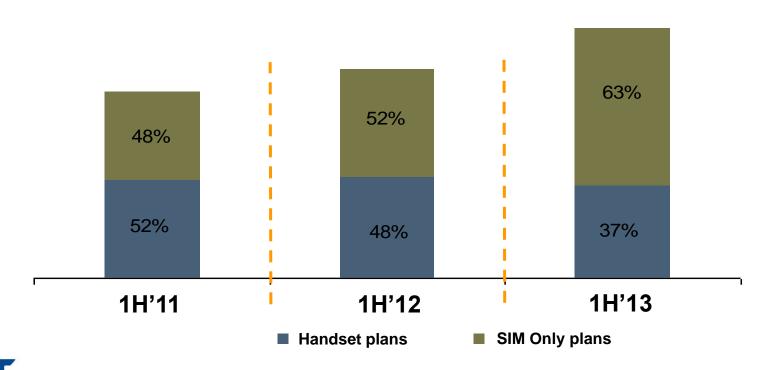




Increased Focus on SIM Only Plans

Focus new activations on SIM only connections to grow post-paid base:

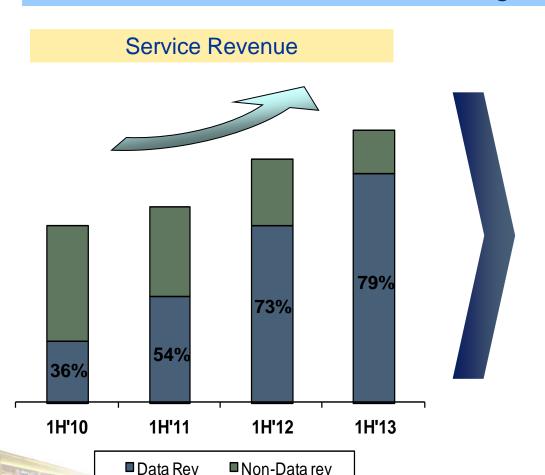
- Many new smartphones in the market but no true "hero" handset in 1st half 2013
- Helps control handset subsidies and customer acquisition costs





Continued Data Revenue Growth

Data revenue now accounting for 79% of service revenue



- Increasing mobile service revenue contributed by data revenue which grew 29% y-o-y as a result of the successful acquisition and retention of quality smart device customers
- Over 80% of post-paid customer base are smart device users



A Comprehensive Wireless Experience

Ultra-fast mobile experience through integrated 4G LTE and Wi-Fi networks



Launch of 4G LTE 150Mbps Network

- Offer a dual-band 1800MHz and 2600MHz 4G LTE network that provides comprehensive outdoor and indoor coverage
- Enhanced 4G LTE network up to 150Mbps offering fastest possible mobile experience for our customers
- Provide the most comprehensive devices able to utilize our high speed network

Hong Kong's Most Extensive Wi-Fi Service

- A unique fixed-mobile integrated network supported by an extensive Wi-Fi network of over 12,000 hotspots to provide ultra-fast mobile experience
- Target to expand Wi-Fi coverage to over 20,000 hotspots in 2014
- Progressively implement the 802.11ac technology which enables speed of over 1000Mbps



Mobile Service Innovation



First in Hong Kong to launch NFC Mobile Payment Service

 Partnered with Hang Seng Bank to be the first mobile operator in Hong Kong to launch SIM-based Near Field Communication (NFC) Mobile Payment Service

Co-branded Prepaid SIM card with Hong Kong Tourism Board

 Partnered with Hong Kong Tourism Board to launch a co-brand prepaid card - "Discover Hong Kong Tourist SIM card" in June



Prepaid SIM cards with two face values – HK\$69 (5-day pass with 1.5GB data) and HK\$96 (8-day pass with 5GB data), together with unlimited local voice calls and Wi-Fi service as well as flat rate IDD 0060 service to 36 destinations





Comprehensive, One-Stop Mobile Solution

Wide Range of Mobile Services

Comprehensive offering including SIM only, handset subscription and standalone handset purchases



Secure Data Transfer Service

Secure data transfer service via 「天機」 makes switching to new devices hasslefree



Trade-in Service

Dedicated trade-in booth for customers who wish to trade-in alongside a new handset purchase



Mobile Workshop

Regular workshops and training sessions for new market segments unfamiliar with smartphones





Recapping Our Strategy

