

S-REITs Sector Update

Earnings Update: Apple

Western Digital

SIA Engineering Company

Nam Lee Pressed Metal (AGM highlights)

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### Apple Inc

### Record high revenue, is it enough

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### Apple Inc

(Neutral, TP: US\$129.58, previous: US\$125.81, Last close: US\$129.05)



Y/E Sep, USD bn	1QFY17	4QFY16	1QFY16	qoq	yoy
Revenue	78.4	46.9	75.9	67.2%	3.3%
Services Rev	7.2	6.3	6.1	13.4%	18.4%
Other Products Rev	4.0	2.4	4.4	69.6%	-7.5%
iPhone Rev	54.4	28.2	51.6	93.1%	5.3%
iPad Rev	5.5	4.3	7.1	30.0%	-21.9%
Mac Rev	7.2	5.7	6.7	26.2%	7.4%

- Revenue grew 3% yoy to a record US\$78.3 bn
  - iPhones sold less but at higher ASPs
- Service revenue grew by 18% yoy
  - 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive double digit growth quarter
  - Slowest since Services started to grow
- Weaken guidance for next quarter
  - Guided US\$ 51.5 53.5 bn
  - Expected US\$1.2 bn Forex headwind
  - Positive and negative risk with Trump admin



### Western Digital Corp

### Beats forecast, gross margin expansion

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### Western Digital Corp

(Accumulate, TP: US\$84.11, previous: US\$71.54, Last close: US\$79.13)



Y/E Jun, USD bn, EPS(US\$)	2QFY17	2QFY16	yoy Comments
			Strong storage demand helped pull
Revenue	4.89	3.32	47.4% Revenue up
Gross Profit(non-GAAP)	1.79	0.95	89.6%
			Non-Gaap results show better than ex pected earnings once acquisition cost
Net Income(non-GAAP)	0.68	0.40	67.5% removed
			Margins expanded on SSD and cost
Gross Margin (non-GAAP)	36.7%	28.5%	8.2% improvements
EPS(non-GAAP)	2.30	1.72	33.7%

- WDC beat revenue and earnings estimates
  - Healthier PC market and strong cloud demand
  - Non-GAAP margin expansion due to better product cost improvements and pricing
- Acquisition synergies on track
  - WDC reaffirm they are on track to achieve target of US\$175 mn in cost of revenue synergies and US\$300 mn in operating expense synergies
- Strong Cloud and Enterprise storage demand
  - Total Exabyte shipped increased 12.6% yoy, Data Center EB shipped grew 16.9% yoy



### SIA Engineering Company Ltd

# Headline PATMI boosted by one-off; recurring PATMI still weak

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### SIA Engineering Company Ltd

(Neutral, TP:S\$3.38, FY17e DPS: 14.5 cents (4.1%), Last:S\$3.52)



Results at a glance

(SGD mn)	3Q17	3Q16	yoy (%)	Comments
Revenue	272.3	275.2	<b>4</b> (1.1)	Lower fleet management and airframe component overhaul, mitigated by higher line
				maintenance
EBIT	25.2	29.0	<del>[</del> (13.1)	3Q17 boosted by S\$4.8mn exchange gain, increase in staff costs mitigated by lower
				subcontract costs
Associates & JVs	31.6	33.2	<b>4.8</b> )	3Q17 JVs S\$3.2mn lower, associates S\$1.6mn higher
PATMI, reported	52.6	49.4	<del>1</del> 6.5	3Q17 includes S\$2.3mn gain from partial disposal of associate; 3Q16 includes S\$4.3mn loss
				on liquidation of associate, S\$2.5mn impairment of associate and S\$1.3mn dividend from
				non-current asset held for sale
PATMI, recurring	50.3	54.9	<del>"</del> (8.4)	Adjusted for one-offs above

Source: Company, Phillip Securities Research (Singapore)

### Headline PATMI exceeded our expectations due to stronger Associates & JVs

 S\$14.3mn contribution from JVs a positive surprise, from 3 consecutive quarters of single-digit contribution

### Recurring PATMI still weak; expect flattish +2.3% growth in recurring PATMI for FY17e

Headline PATMI had one-offs for both 3QFY17 and 3QFY16

#### 49:51 strategic partnership between SIAEC and Moog

MRO of flight control systems for B787 & A350; pending regulatory approvals



# Nam Lee Pressed Metal Industries Takeaways from FY16 AGM

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### Nam Lee Pressed Metal Industries

(BUY, TP:S\$0.52, FY17e DPS: 2.0 cents (5.4%), Last:S\$0.37)



#### Largest twenty shareholders now hold 76.71%

- Highest in the most recent three financial years
- New institutional interest among them

### Capital budgeting: capex guidance for FY17 and expanding into another product line

- S\$15mn ~ S\$20mn; bulk of it to set up its sixth factory in Malaysia
- S\$10mn land & new factory; S\$5mn ~ S\$7mn new and replacement machinery

### Capital structure: Cash hoard will continue to be retained on the balance sheet

- Required by major customer for them to have a strong balance sheet
- Two suggestions from shareholders: share buyback & interim dividend

### **Generally stable outlook for FY17**

- Stable demand for speciality aluminium product
- Recognise 80% revenue for a public infrastructure façade project
- Contribution from smaller ongoing HDB projects

### Nam Lee Pressed Metal Industries

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#### Where we were wrong previously: assumption of dividends

- Cash retained on balance sheet
- Stable dividend policy: payout ratio of a third of earnings (inclusive of special dividends)
- Lowered payout ratio to ~50%; in line with three-year historical

#### Change in valuation model to FCFE

- Accounts for all cash that is available to equity holders both cash that is paid as dividends and cash that is retained on the balance sheet
- Adjusted capex assumptions higher & added a small-firm premium to cost of equity



### **S-REITs Sector Update**

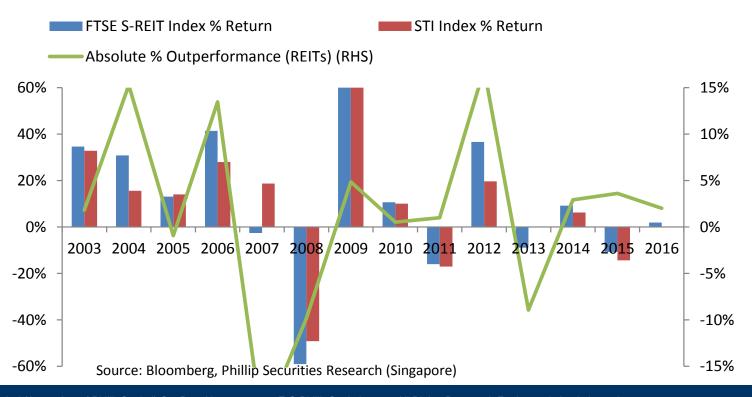
Fed normalization of interest rates in 2017/2018 to end 7 year outperformance of S-REITs

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### S-REIT outperformance since post-GFC except in 2013

- Major contributing factors Loose monetary policies, recovering property fundamentals (in early years)
- Normalising of interest rates, deteriorating property fundamentals

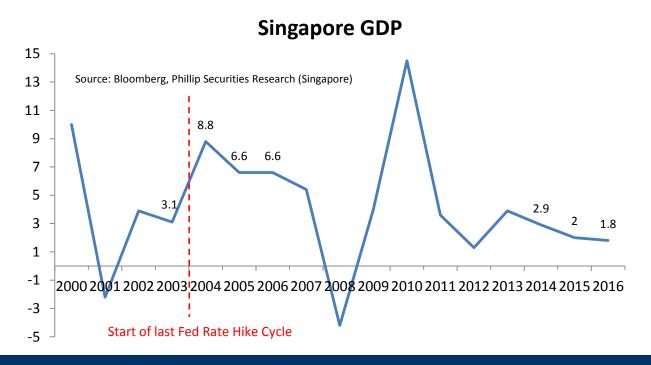


## S-REITs- Previous rate hike cycle: 27% CAGR 2004-2006



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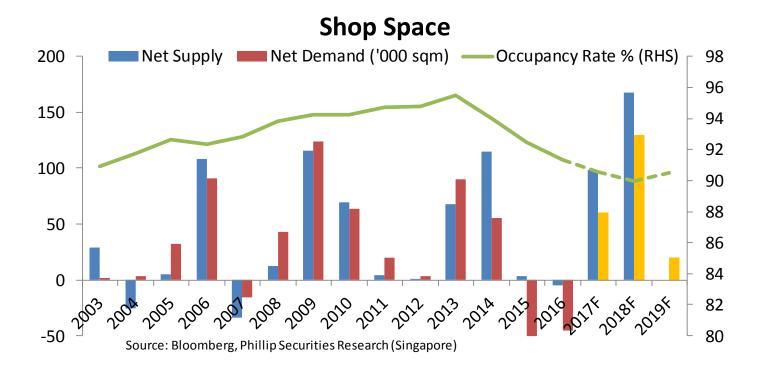
- S-REITs returns CAGR 26.5% (vs STI's 15.9%)
- Stronger property, economic fundamentals
- TECHNOLOGY and GROWTH two key buzzwords





Retail Space: 2017 vs 2004-2006

- 2016: 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive year of negative net absorption, occupancy, rental reversions trending down
- 2004-2006: Increasing net absorption and occupancy

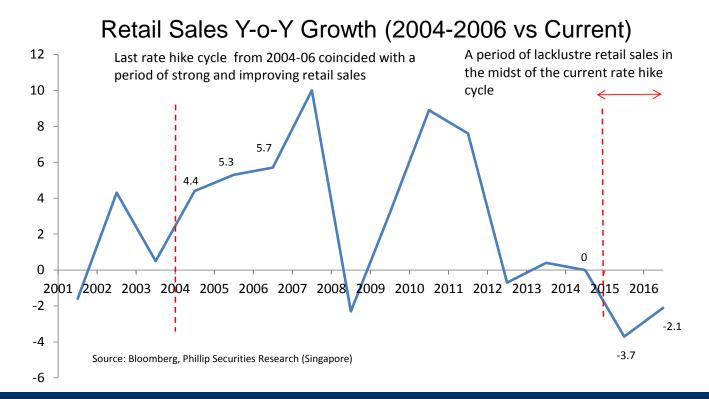




#### **Retail Sales:**

2004-2006: Average 5% y-o-y growth

2012-Present: Flat to negative retail sales growth





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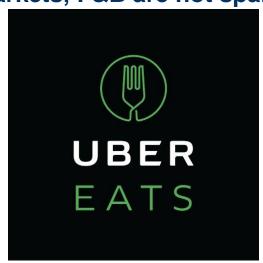






New Challenges today: Traditional "anchor" retailers such as

supermarkets, F&B are not spared





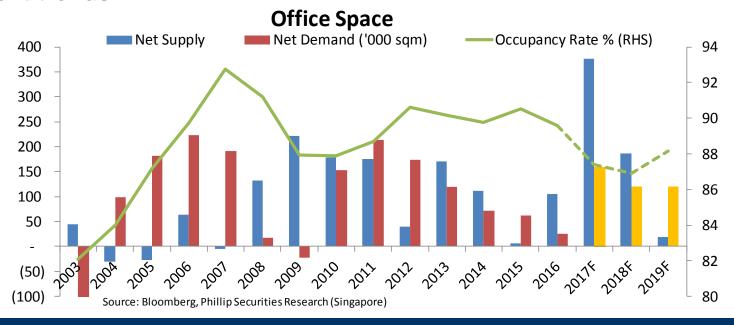




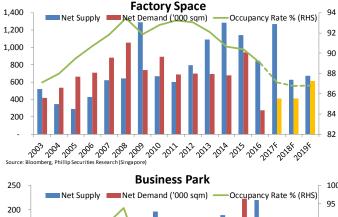


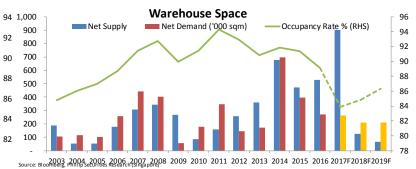
Office Space: 2017 vs 2004-2006

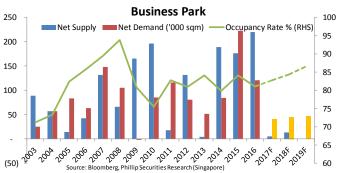
- 2016: 5th consecutive year of falling net demand. Huge supply in 2017/2018
- 2004-2006: Growing net demand on back of low supply. Office rentals spiked 49.4%.
- Recent trends











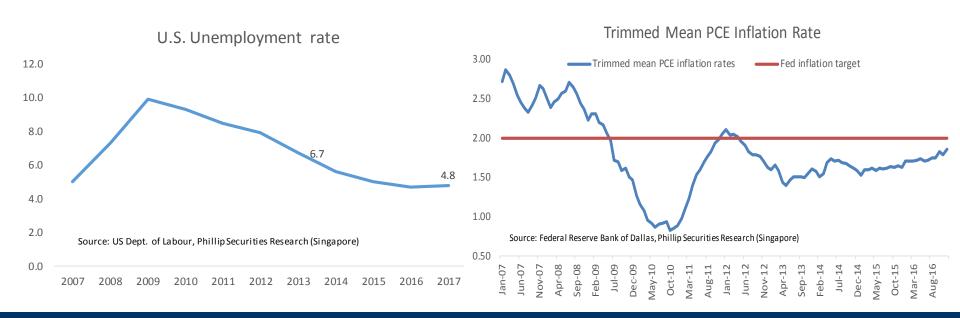
### **Industrial Space: 2017 vs 2004-2006**

- 2016: Lacklustre net demand amidst high supply, with the exception of Business Parks
- 2004-2006: Strengthening net absorption and occupancy

### S-REITs – 2013 Taper Tantrum vs 2017



- 2013 Taper Tantrum: SG 10y bond yield spiked to 2.67% then trended down
- High bond yields didn't sustain
- Stronger economy now vs 2013. Pro-growth Trump policies could stoke inflation.
- House view: Fed behind the curve in raising rates



### S-REITs – Rate hike cycles: 2004-2006 vs 2017



#### Structural problems in 2017

Slower labour force growth caused by tighter immigration policies, industrial overcapacity problems in China, still enforced property cooling measures are current impediments to growth

#### Technological Advancements and other headwinds

- 1. The advent of e-commerce, advanced web-conferencing technology allowing employees to work from home, and the increasing digitalisation of information reducing the need for storage space
- 2. Singapore's increasing trends of decentralization away from city centre to ease the city congestion through setting up of suburban commercial hubs, also affect demand for office space.

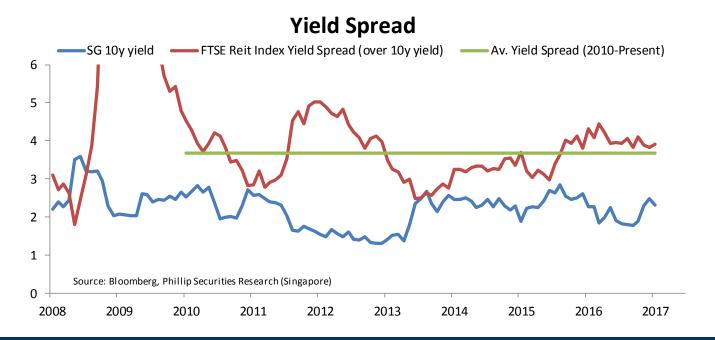
### S-REITs – Yield Spread Analysis



Current: 3.9% (REIT yield 6.2% - Risk free 2.3%) vs 7 year average 3.7%

#### Spread should stay close to or above 7 year average

- Deteriorating property fundamentals during the latter part of this 7year period
- Decreasing appeal of yield instruments with rising interest rates and tightening monetary conditions



### S-REITs – Downgrade to Underweight



Source: Bloomberg (Updated: 6 Febr	uary 2017)						TOTAL RETURNS (%)			
	Mkt. Cap. (S\$mn)	Price (S\$)	PSR RATING	PSR TARGET PRICE (S\$)	P/NAV (x)	trailing yield (%)	1MTH	3МТН	1YR	
Healthcare	(07)			(07)		71010 (72)				
PARKWAYLIFE REAL ESTATE	1,470	2.430			1.42	5.0	2.5	(2.7)	15.5	
FIRST REAL ESTATE INVT TRUST	1,000	1.295	ACCUMULATE	1.32	1.28	6.5	3.6	(0.7)	19.6	
Hospitality										
ASCOTT RESIDENCE TRUST	1,901	1.150			0.86	7.2	3.9	4.8	13.0	
CDL HOSPITALITY TRUSTS	1,365	1.375			0.89	7.3	5.9	7.9	17.0	
FAR EAST HOSPITALITY TRUST	1,074	0.595			0.64	7.4	(0.8)	0.3	0.6	
OUE HOSPITALITY TRUST	1,224	0.680			0.89	6.8	1.2	2.4	8.6	
FRASERS HOSPITALITY TRUST	1,221	0.665			0.89	10.4	3.1	(1.0)	4.7	
ASCENDAS HOSPITALITY TRUST	838	0.745			0.88	7.3	5.0	5.2	3.8	
Retail										
CAPITALAND MALL TRUST	6,944	1.960			1.04	5.7	3.6	(1.3)	3.7	
MAPLETREE GREATER CHINA COMM	2,647	0.950			0.78	7.8	1.1	(5.9)	21.0	
SPH REIT	2,489	0.975			1.04	5.7	3.0	1.4	12.8	
FRASERS CENTREPOINT TRUST	1,886	2.050	NEUTRAL	2.00	1.06	5.7	8.4	1.0	14.5	
STARHILL GLOBAL REIT	1,636	0.750			0.81	6.8	3.1	(4.1)	9.6	
CAPITALAND RETAIL CHINA TRUS	1,226	1.410	NEUTRAL	1.44	0.86	7.1	6.1	(0.8)	6.7	
LIPPO MALLS INDONESIA RETAIL	1,108	0.395			1.01	8.5	6.8	3.6	40.3	
CROESUS RETAIL TRUST	652	0.860	ACCUMULATE	0.93	0.91	8.2	1.8	0.6	16.1	
Commercial										
CAPITALAND COMMERCIAL TRUST	4,505	1.520	NEUTRAL	1.63	0.85	6.0	5.5	0.1	23.5	
SUNTEC REIT	4,389	1.725			0.80	5.8	5.5	4.5	21.2	
KEPPEL REIT	3,327	1.005			0.70	6.3	0.5	(5.1)	17.3	
MAPLETREE COMMERCIAL TRUST	4,305	1.500			1.12	5.4	8.4	1.5	21.5	
FRASERS COMMERCIAL TRUST	1,010	1.265			0.82	7.8	1.2	(3.0)	17.5	
OUE COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE I	905	0.695			0.75	7.5	2.1	2.9	21.9	
Industrial										
ASCENDAS REAL ESTATE INV TRT	6,975	2.420			1.16	7.5	6.8	6.8	11.8	
MAPLETREE INDUSTRIAL TRUST	2,956	1.640	ACCUMULATE	1.67	1.20	6.9	1.4	(2.5)	14.6	
MAPLETREE LOGISTICS TRUST	2,625	1.050			1.02	7.0	4.8	4.8	20.5	
KEPPEL DC REIT	1,345	1.195	NEUTRAL	1.15	1.25	5.1	2.4	(1.8)	25.4	
AIMS AMP CAPITAL INDUSTRIAL	865	1.355			0.92	8.3	1.9	0.2	10.2	
CACHE LOGISTICS TRUST	720	0.800	REDUCE	0.73	1.03	9.7	1.7	(8.0)	4.9	
CAMBRIDGE INDUSTRIAL TRUST	724	0.555			0.88	7.5	5.6	2.7	19.7	
SOILBUILD BUSINESS SPACE REI	664	0.635	NEUTRAL	0.68	0.88	9.6	(0.7)	(2.2)	(2.9	
SABANA SHARIAH COMP IND REIT	448	0.425			0.71	9.8	17.5	(3.4)	(18.2	
VIVA INDUSTRIAL TRUST	736	0.765			0.97	9.1	3.4	4.1	20.7	

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### S-REITs – Downgrade to Underweight



### **Property related alternatives to REITs**

Source: Bloomberg (Updated: 6 February 2017)

TOTAL RETURNS (%)

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PROPERTY RELATED ALTERNATIVES									
CITY DEVELOPMENTS LTD	8,566	9.420	ACCUMULATE	9.98	0.95	1.7	11.3	8.8	37.0
HO BEE LAND	1,525	2.290	ACCUMULATE	2.00	0.55	3.1	12.3	7.5	27.2
UOL GROUP	5,294	6.580	ACCUMULATE	7.05	0.66	2.3	5.9	14.4	20.6
CENTURION	266	0.360	BUY	0.42	0.68	5.6	5.9	5.9	7.0

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