# Dexus (ASX: DXS)

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#### **About Dexus**

Dexus (ASX: DXS) is a leading Australasian fully integrated real asset group, managing a high-quality Australasian real estate and infrastructure portfolio valued at \$57.1 billion. We believe that the strength and quality of our relationships will always be central to our success and are deeply connected to our purpose: Unlock potential, create tomorrow. We directly and indirectly own \$15.8 billion of office, industrial, healthcare, retail and infrastructure assets and investments. We manage a further \$41.3 billion of investments in our funds management business which provides third party capital with exposure to quality sector specific and diversified real asset products. The funds within this business have a strong track record of delivering performance and benefit from Dexus's capabilities. The platform's \$16.9 billion real estate development pipeline provides the opportunity to grow both portfolios and enhance future returns. Our sustainability aspiration is to unlock the potential of real assets to create lasting positive impact and a more sustainable tomorrow, and is focused on the priorities of customer prosperity, climate action and enhancing communities. Dexus is supported by more than 35,000 investors from 22 countries. With four decades of expertise in real estate and infrastructure investment, funds management, asset management and development, we have a proven track record in capital and risk management and delivering returns for investors. www.dexus.com

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# Acknowledgement of Country

Dexus acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which our business and assets operate, and recognises their ongoing contribution to land, waters and community.

We pay our respects to First Nations Elders past and present.

#### **Artist:**

Amy Allerton, Indigico Creative, a Gumbaynggir and Bundjalung woman

#### Artwork:

The Places Where We Thrive

#### **Artwork description:**

The artwork tells the story of a vision for our communities, both large and small, where they are all thriving and strong as they build lives, homes and legacies for present and future generations. Every community is connected by spirit and by country, surrounded by flourishing waterways and vibrant land that is enriched and cared for by its people. Communities are empowered to unlock potential, find new ways to build and expand, as they dream and innovate to create tomorrow.





# **Our strategy**

Our vision

To be globally recognised as Australasia's leading real asset manager

**Our strategy** 

To deliver superior risk-adjusted returns for investors from high-quality real estate and infrastructure assets

Delivered through

### Resilient income streams

Investing in assets that provide resilience through-the-cycle

### Investment manager of choice

Expanding and diversifying the funds management business

**Enabled by** 

Scalable, efficient platform



Transactions



Product creation



**Strategic objectives** 

Capital sourcina



Asset management



Development

Underpinned by commitment to **ESG principles** and **prudent capital management** 

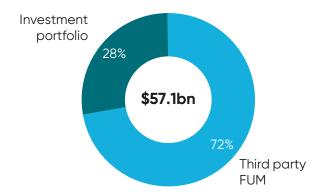
Platform of scale and diversity, resilient and growing cashflows across investments and funds

#### **Total FUM**

### Third party FUM

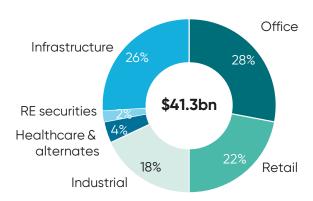
### **Earnings composition**

#### Investment portfolio vs. third party FUM



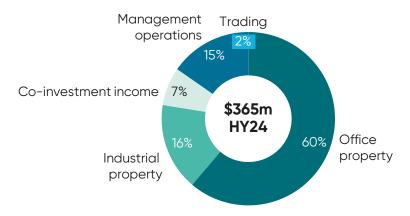
- ✓ Integrated real asset platform with multi-sector capability across real estate and infrastructure
- ✓ Investment portfolio of quality and scale providing resilient income streams.
- ✓ Over time, no single sector to comprise >50% of total investment portfolio
- ✓ Established funds management business with relationships with all key channels of investor capital

#### Third party FUM by sector



- ✓ Diverse platform with c. 50% exposure across industrial, healthcare, alternates & infrastructure
- ✓ Demonstrated track record of organic growth
- ✓ Largely annuity style fee streams
- ✓ Lower margin AMP platform now fully integrated with ability to drive margin improvement over time

#### DXS FFO<sup>1</sup> composition



- ✓ Diversified earnings composition by leveraging the fully integrated, multi-sector platform
- ✓ Increasing deployment alongside capital partners, with each investment opportunity evaluated based on its own risk-return merits
- ✓ Management operations represent an increasing proportion of earnings



Fully integrated platform with deep sector expertise and opportunities across each sector

Office	li





Retail



**Healthcare &** 



**Total FUM** 

**Profile** 

**Capabilities** and **Opportunities**  \$22bn

57 high quality assets across 2.1 million sam, predominantly located in Australia's key cities

Strong customer relationships and consistently active approach to portfolio construction over time

Continued flight to quality and CBD core. Negative sentiment priced in to listed market

\$11bn

National platform of 213 assets across 4.2 million sam, with c.2 million sam landbank in key locations

Strong customer relationships, transaction sourcina and development capabilities

Reversion opportunity across under-rented portfolio

\$10bn

126 assets across c.1.8 million sam. including super regional, regional, sub-regional, neighbourhood and convenience retail

Strong partnerships with tenant customers and deep connections with local communities

Platform at scale and well placed to leverage trading and reposition DNA \$2bn

12 healthcare assets across 157,000sqm

Transaction sourcing and precinct development capabilities

Opportunistic DREP series and trading strategy which leverages the capabilities of the wider platform to price and manage risks Infrastructure

\$11bn

26 assets located in Australia & N7 across transport, health, energy and social infrastructure

One of Australia's most experienced infrastructure investors

Opportunity to modernise existing product suite, and expand core infrastructure offering and investment strategies to align with Dexus active management

Value creation expertise

**Transactions** 

**Product creation** 

Capital sourcing

Leasing

**Asset management** 

Development

Figures as at 31 December 2023. Sector exposures exclude c.\$1bn of funds under management relating to Real Estate Securities.



Resilient income streams generated by Investment portfolio representing 83% of FFO<sup>1</sup>

### Property portfolio – 76% of FFO<sup>1</sup>

#### Office - 60% of FFO1

### Historic Dexus office occupancy vs market 100% 98% Dexus 96% 94% 92% 90% 88% 86%

#### Industrial – 16% of FFO<sup>1</sup>

3.0-3.5% Average fixed annual industrial rental increases



# Pooled funds comprised of high-quality real assets

Co-investment income – 7% of FFO<sup>1</sup>

c. \$1bn invested across **real estate** funds representing all real estate asset classes with strong average occupancy and WALE



c. \$300m invested across infrastructure funds





c. \$170m invested across opportunistic, securities and other fund types

DREP1

#### Diversified tenant base

Top office customer 3.5% of property portfolio income (2.7% of FFO1) Top 10 customers **19%** (14.4%<sup>1</sup>)

Top industrial customer 0.7% of property portfolio income (0.5% of FFO1) Top 10 customers **4.3%** (3.3%<sup>1</sup>)

>95% of property portfolio leases are net leases, providing protection against cost escalation at the property expense line

Figures as at 31 December 2023. | 1. For the half-year ended 31 December 2023. FFO is calculated before finance costs, group corporate costs and other (including tax).

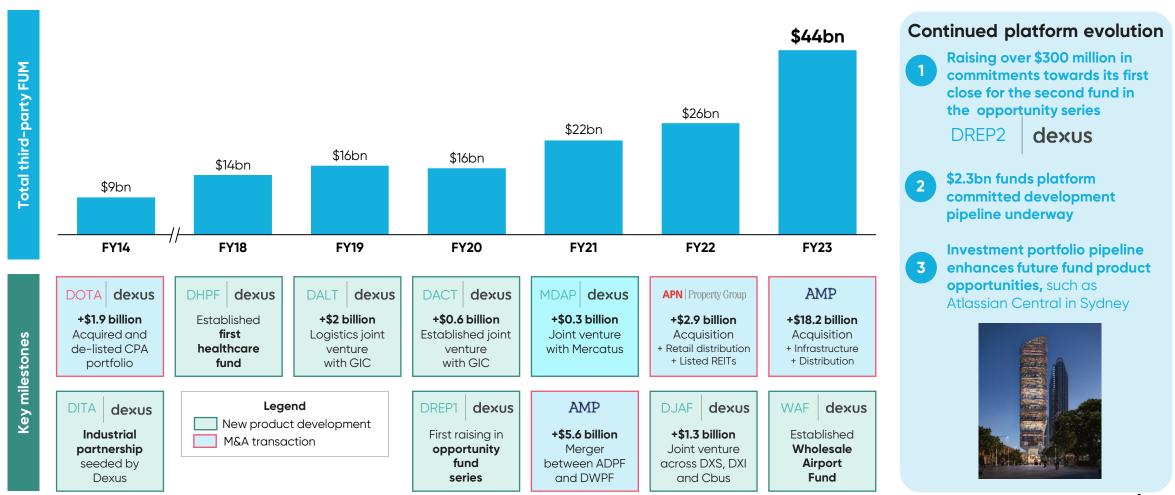


3.5-4.0%

Average fixed annual

office rental increases

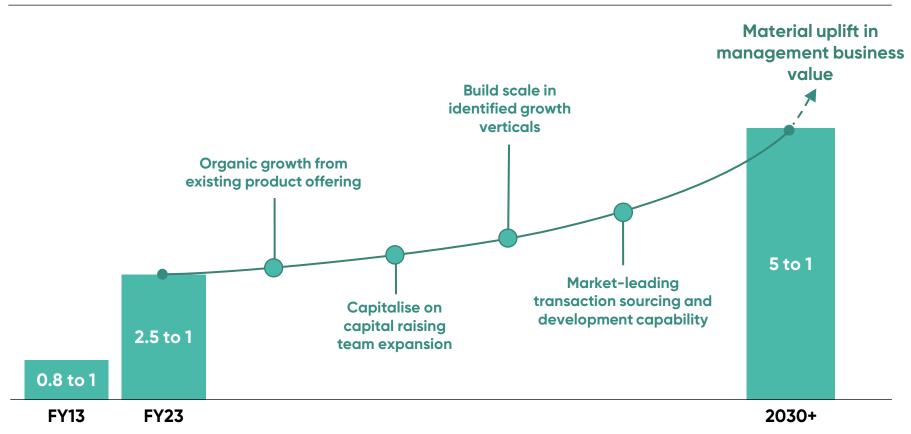
Demonstrated ability to generate growth via matching capital sources to expanding opportunity set



# **Dexus tomorrow**

### Funds management to increasingly contribute to group growth

#### Ratio of third-party funds under management to balance sheet capital



**Delivering investment** performance for investors

Attracting capital from a broad range of sources

Launching select new product in line with investor demand

Focusing on profitability by leveraging scalable, efficient platform

Note: Indicative only and not intended to be a forecast.

Full spectrum of product suites, broad and deep access to pools of capital

		Diversified	Office	Retail	Industrial	Alternates	Infrastructure	Total	
Capital partners	Institutional pooled (\$21.7bn)	<b>\$13.6bn</b> 1 fund		<b>\$2.9bn</b> 1 fund		<b>\$1.8bn</b> 2 funds	<b>\$3.4bn</b> 3 funds	¢/17h	
—— Over 160 institutional	JV and mandates (\$14.6bn)	<b>\$1.3bn</b> 3 funds	<b>\$3.8bn</b> 5 funds	<b>\$0.2bn</b> 1 fund	<b>\$2.8bn</b> 4 funds		<b>\$6.5bn</b> 9 funds		
investors  Over 330  wholesale	Retail and HNW (\$3.1bn)	<b>\$2.5bn</b> 8 funds					<b>\$0.6bn</b> 1 fund	\$41.3bn	
investors/ groups <sup>1</sup>	<b>Listed</b> (\$1.9bn)			<b>\$0.7bn</b> 1 listed fund	<b>\$1.2bn</b> 1 listed fund				
Investment portfolio	\$15.8bn across office, retail, industrial, healthcare and infrastructure								

99% of Dexus pooled FUM is invested in open-ended vehicles Near term pressure on FUM as a result of devaluations and client portfolio re-balancing

Figures as at 31 December 2023 and represents third-party funds under management. | 1. Includes private wealth groups, platforms and high net worth investors.



DXS is well positioned to attract third party capital

Long standing Australasian owner, manager and custodian of capital



Long track record of performance

Why investors support our fund products and strategies



Alignment of interest through co-investments

High quality assets and products across real asset spectrum

Origination and active asset management capabilities

Best practice corporate governance



Balance sheet enables alignment capital and is a key differentiator in unlocking opportunities

#### Core investment exposure

#### Direct interests in high-quality assets

Portfolio of investments providing stable and growing cash flows



Governor Phillip and Macquarie Tower Complex 1 Farrer Place (NSW)



(VIC)

### Alignment interests in managed funds

Efficient capital allocation across a broad investment universe



Real estate funds across all kev asset classes plus opportunistic



### **Development** projects to sell down

Creation of new product to attract capital partners and unlock value for Dexus



Interest in Atlassian Central. Sydney (NSW)



Interest in .Jandakot industrial precinct, Perth (WA)

# Warehousing

assets to sell down

**Growth initiatives** 

Support future product launches, fee generation and / or trading profits



Interest in Jandakot Airport (WA) prior to sell down to DJAF<sup>1</sup>



Interest in APAC<sup>2</sup> prior to sell down to WAF3

#### **Opportunity-based** initiatives

Investments that accelerate execution of group strategy



AMP Capital real estate and infrastructure platform

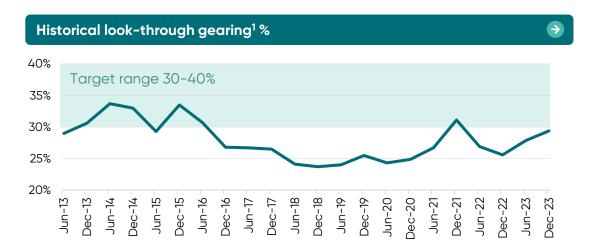
### **APN**

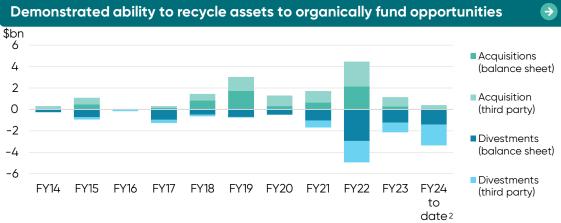
**APN Property** Group including two listed REITs in industrial and convenience retail

Active portfolio management to continually improve income resilience and return generation



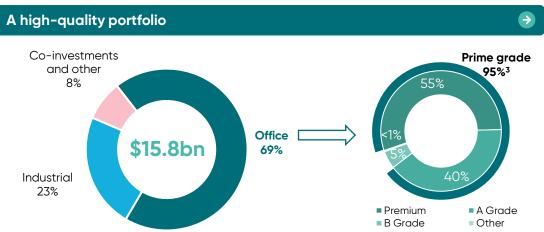
Robust balance sheet: gearing below target range, continued capital recycling to enhance capacity





#### Gearing remains below target range

- Despite office portfolio devaluation
- Supported by early and proactive asset recycling
- Committed development spend to FY25 of c.\$800m would increase pro forma gearing by circa 3ppt
- Will continue to recycle capital to fund attractive incremental opportunities



- 1. Adjusted for cash and debt in equity accounted investments, excluding Dexus's share of co-investments in pooled funds. Includes pro forma adjustments in line with historical disclosure.
- 2. FY24 to date includes transactions exchanged or settled in FY24 to date.
- 3. Prime grade buildings represent 95% of the office portfolio including stabilised assets only and excluding development affected assets and land.



# March 2024 quarter highlights

Demonstrating resilience across the investment portfolio and the funds platform

- Property portfolio continues to demonstrate resilience
  - Maintained high occupancy<sup>1</sup> of 94.4% and 96.6% across the office and industrial portfolios respectively
  - Strong rent collections at 99.5%
- Delivering for fund investors
  - Dexus Real Estate Partnership 2 raised more than \$300 million in commitments towards its first close
  - Driving fund performance through active management
  - Continued execution of strategic asset sales
- Restocking the trading pipeline
- Completed the integration of the AMP Capital platform





# **CEO** priorities

Refresh operating model to support profitable long-term growth

**Driving investment performance** in the next phase of the investment cycle through refined investment strategies and deep sector expertise

Evolving approach to capital allocation and risk management with a continued focus on investing alongside third-party capital



# Summary

# Well positioned for next phase of investment cycle

- Dexus is well positioned to navigate the next phase of the investment cycle:
  - Broad capability set to drive performance across sectors
  - Wide product suite supports access to capital
  - Balance sheet of strength and scale
  - Talented team with propensity to grow, evolve and innovate
- Barring unforeseen circumstances, for the 12 months ended 30 June 2024<sup>1</sup>, Dexus reiterates its expectation for:
  - Distributions of circa 48.0 cents per security
  - AFFO excluding trading profits is expected to be broadly in line with that delivered in FY23



Appendices



# Case study: Wholesale Airport Fund

Linking capital that is looking to deploy with quality assets and executing in a timely manner

## Unique, unlisted transport asset

> Rare opportunity to gain access to Melbourne Airport and Launceston Airport<sup>1</sup>

\$128m Initial ticket size<sup>1</sup>

> Strategic asset positioned to benefit from increasing passenger volumes

> Ability to activate new opportunities through real asset and development



### Unlocked by broad and deep access to capital

> Warehoused by Dexus balance sheet, providing a key timing advantage to secure opportunity



> Sell down supported by strong wholesale **investor interest** via oversubscribed raising



Facilitated timely **liquidity** for existing platform investor







# Case study: Royal Adelaide Hospital

Leveraging our combined real estate and infrastructure platform to access healthcare opportunities for investors

### **High-quality** healthcare partnership

- > One of Australia's most advanced medical facilities
- > Public-private partnership underpinned by predictable cashflows from AA+ rated SA Government
- > First large-scale hospital complex in Australia to achieve a 4 Star Green **Star Rating**

\$245m

Equity value<sup>1</sup>

99.6%

based payments



### Unlocked by broad and deep access to capital

- > Acquired by three vehicles across infrastructure and real estate
- Demonstrates real asset synergy **potential** of Dexus platform
- > **Valuable insight** from existing ownership, active asset management and strong governance









<sup>2.</sup> Dexus Healthcare Property Fund, Dexus Core Infrastructure Fund and Community Infrastructure Fund.



# Case study – DWPF/ADPF merger

Investor-led transaction executed by leveraging our unique capability to unlock benefits for all investors

# Premier diversified real estate fund

- Combined fund with enhanced scale while retaining high-quality and target sector weightings
- Significant diversification of investor base, providing potential to increase future liquidity prospects
- Strong support with both sets of investors voting in favour following independent approval processes

### c.\$16bn

Gross asset value<sup>1</sup>

20+

ADPF investors onboarded



Voted in favour

# Unique execution capability of the Dexus platform

- Executed large asset sale program across sectors to provide liquidity for exiting ADPF investors
- Reduced investment management fee structure, allowing both sets of investors to benefit from increased scale
- Minimal friction costs with Dexus funding transaction costs on behalf of both funds

\$2.5bn

Asset sales at c.4% premium<sup>2</sup>





1. Based on gross asset value as at 31 December 2020 and prior to execution of \$2.5bn sale program. | 2. Based on sale price relative to book value as at 31 December 2020 adjusted for capital expenditure, incentives and leasing costs incurred subsequently.



# Case study: Jandakot off-market acquisition

Integrated platform capability and a sizable balance sheet unlocking a unique opportunity of scale

### A unique industrial portfolio with scale

- > 49 industrial assets strategically located to benefit from structural tailwinds<sup>2</sup>
- > 80 hectares of developable land<sup>2</sup>
- > Commercial airport operating business
- Ability to activate new opportunities through real asset and development

\$1.3bn

Equity value<sup>1</sup>

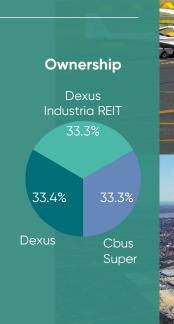
\$790m





### Accessed via Dexus's integrated platform

- > Secured off-market utilising Dexus's balance sheet strength
- > Execution required **co-ordinated** effort across multiple teams and geographies through COVID
- > Sold down a one-third interest to Dexus Industria REIT (DXI) in a transformation acquisition for the fund
- > Sold down an additional one-third interest to a **new joint venture investor** on platform to preserve capacity to fund other opportunities



andakot Airport and indus





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