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Our business overview

1,520,005

**Residential
End-Users**

- High Rise Residential Apartments
- Landed Residential Area



10 Central Offices



3,774 Segment Connections

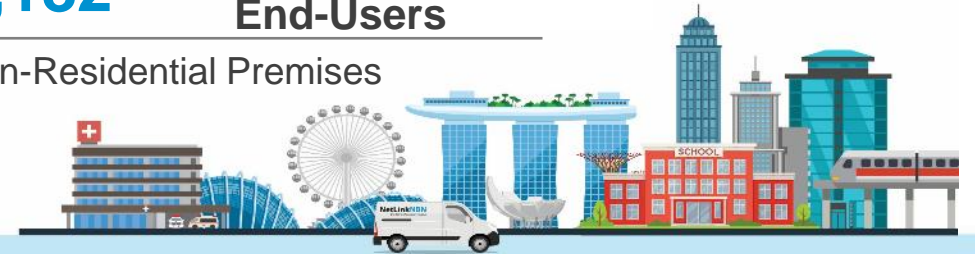
- Central Office to Central Office
- Point-to-Point
- Central Office to MDF room



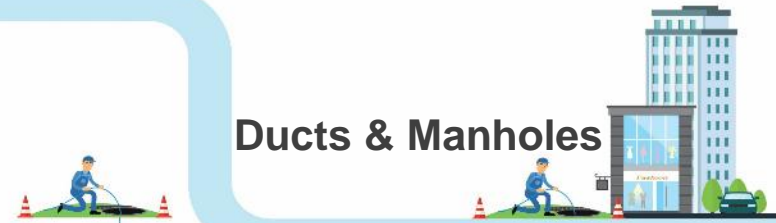
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**Non-Residential
End-Users**

- Non-Residential Premises



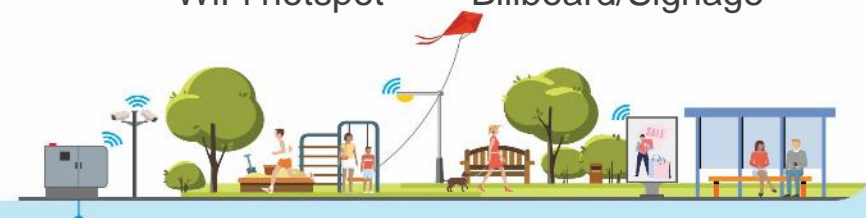
Ducts & Manholes



3,011

NBAP Connections

- Lamp Post
- WiFi hotspot
- Mobile Base Station
- Billboard/Signage



Our business is future proof



Preferred
means of fixed
broadband
delivery



High
penetration rate
in the residential
segment



Low prices for
fibre broadband



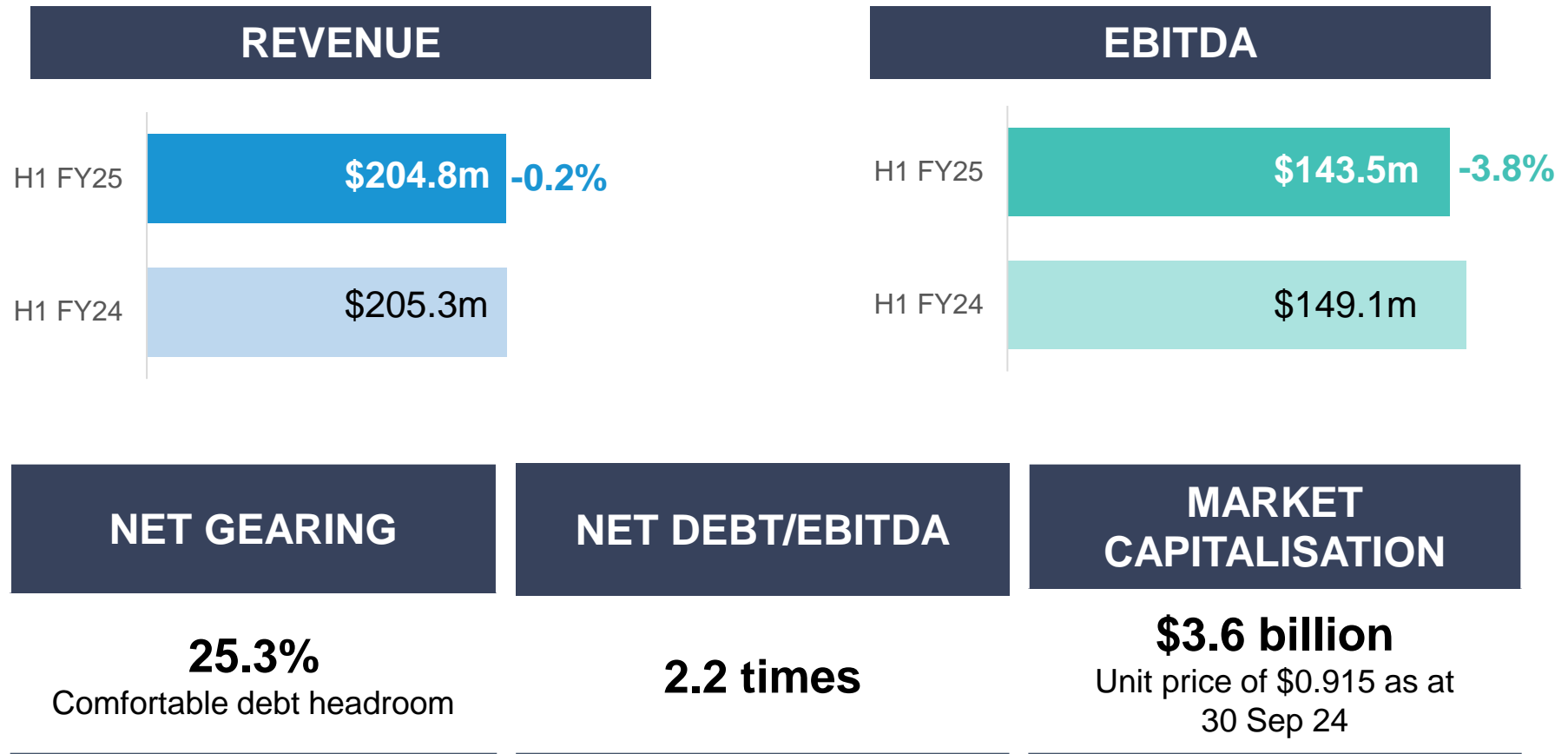
Critical
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supporting
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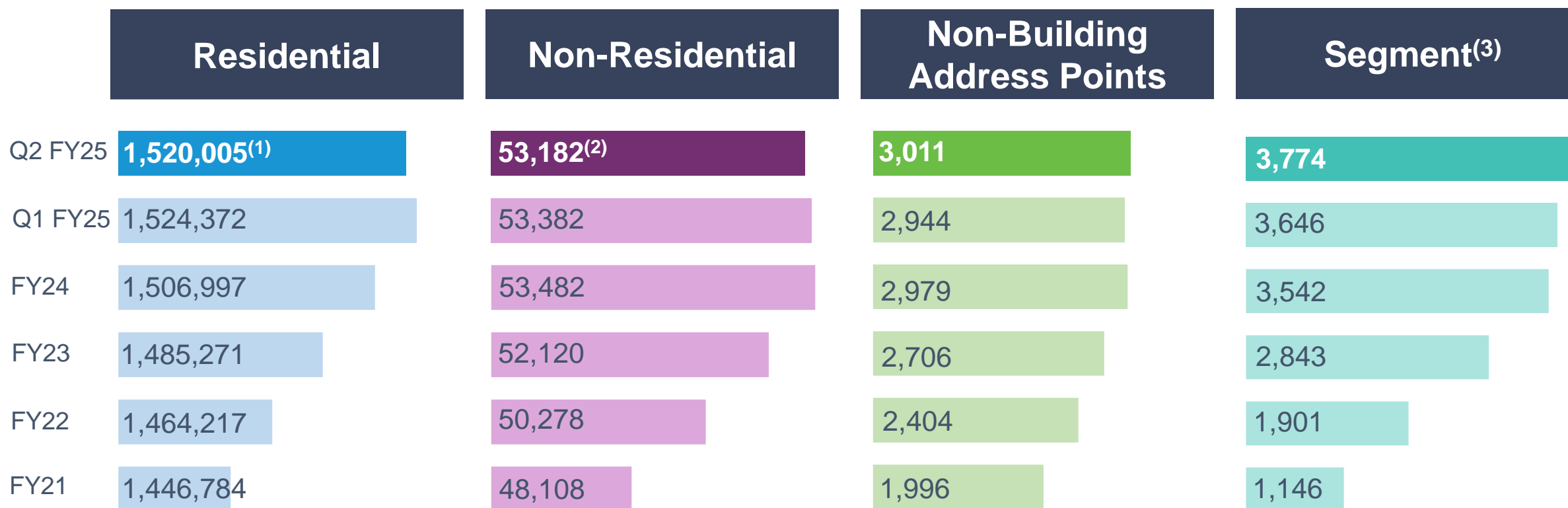
Scalable and
supportive of
future
transmission
technologies



H1 FY25 Financial highlights



Steady growth of fibre connections











⁽¹⁾ The decrease was largely due to delayed terminations of lower-speed broadband plans from end-users who had earlier upgraded to higher-speed broadband plans, as well as termination of dormant connections by Requesting Licensees (RLs). The net increase in H1 FY25 was 13,008 connections (or 0.9%) as compared to 31 Mar 2024 (FY24).

⁽²⁾ The decrease was largely due to churn between RLs with delayed terminations and RL consolidation.

⁽³⁾ Segment connections comprise, *inter alia*, Point-to-Point, Central Office to Central Office and Central Office to MDF room fibre connections provided to RLs.

Resilient business model

	 Residential Connections	 Non-Residential Connections	 NBAP & Segment Connections	 Ducts & Manholes Service Revenue	 Co-Location Revenue	 Central Office Revenue	 Installation Related & Other Revenue	 Ancillary Project Revenue
	RAB REVENUE					NON-RAB REVENUE		
% of H1 FY25 Revenue	60.2	8.2	4.7	6.4	5.1	4.4	7.0	4.0
Recurring, predictable cash flows	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-	-
Long-term contracts / customer stability	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-	-
Regulated revenues	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-	✓	-
Creditworthy customers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Key focus for FY25

1. Grow NBAP & Segment connections by supporting deployments related to Smart Nation and cloud-based services
2. Continue to support digitalisation of SMEs by lowering the cost of connections
3. Enhance our Colocation facilities to support the upgrade of the Nationwide Broadband Network to offer up to 10 Gbps per connection
4. Complete the construction of our new Central Office to achieve operational readiness in 2025 to serve the northern part of Singapore
5. Execute our sustainability initiatives and strive for continued and sustained emissions reduction



H1 FY25 Profit or loss statement

\$'000	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	Variance (%)
Revenue	204,844	205,316	(0.2)
EBITDA	143,516	149,118	(3.8)
EBITDA Margin (%)	70.1	72.6	(2.5 pp)
Depreciation & amortisation	(87,493)	(86,426)	1.2
Net finance costs	(9,040)	(9,244)	(2.2)
Profit after tax	48,490	52,885	(8.3)

REVENUE

RAB revenue was higher by \$0.7 million as higher connection numbers offset the impact of lower prices for key services, which took effect from 1 April 2024.

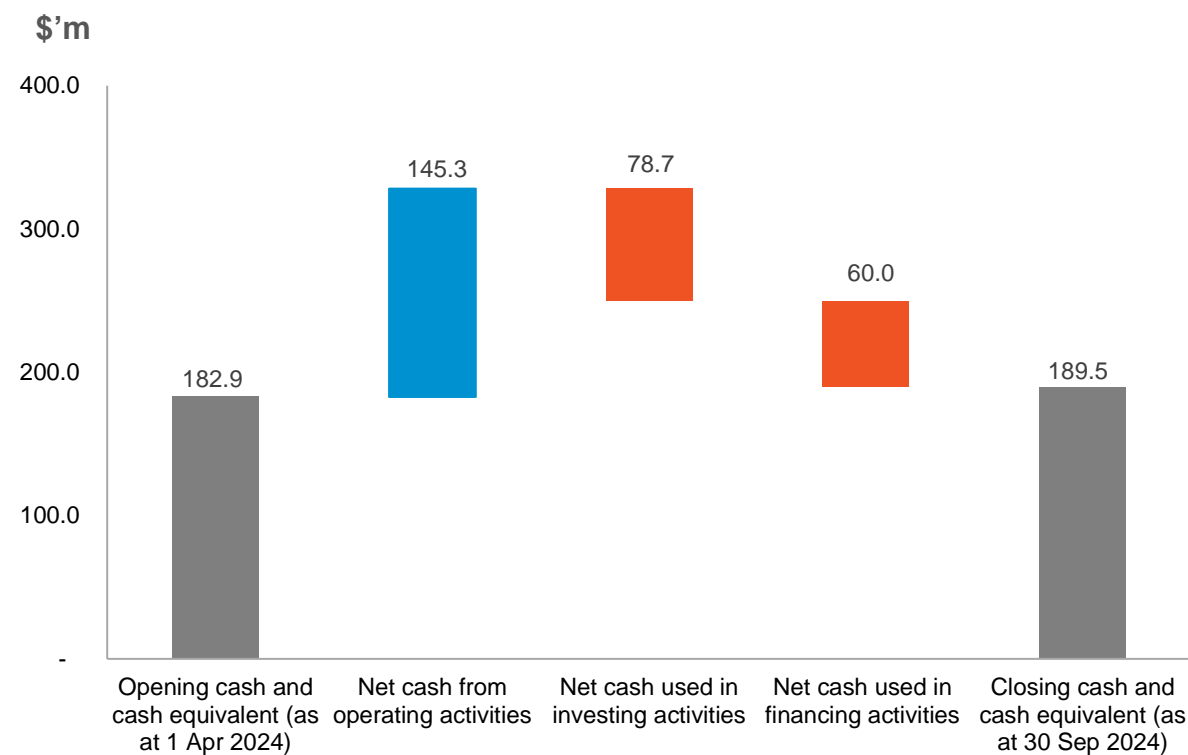
Overall revenue for H1 FY25 was \$0.5 million lower primarily due to lower revenue from ancillary projects (non-RAB revenue), partially offset by higher installation-related revenue and other revenue, Co-location revenue and Central Office revenue.

EBITDA was \$5.6 million lower mainly due to higher operating expenses and lower non-operating income.

PAT was lower by \$4.4 million mainly due to lower EBITDA, higher depreciation and amortisation, and partially offset by higher income tax credit.

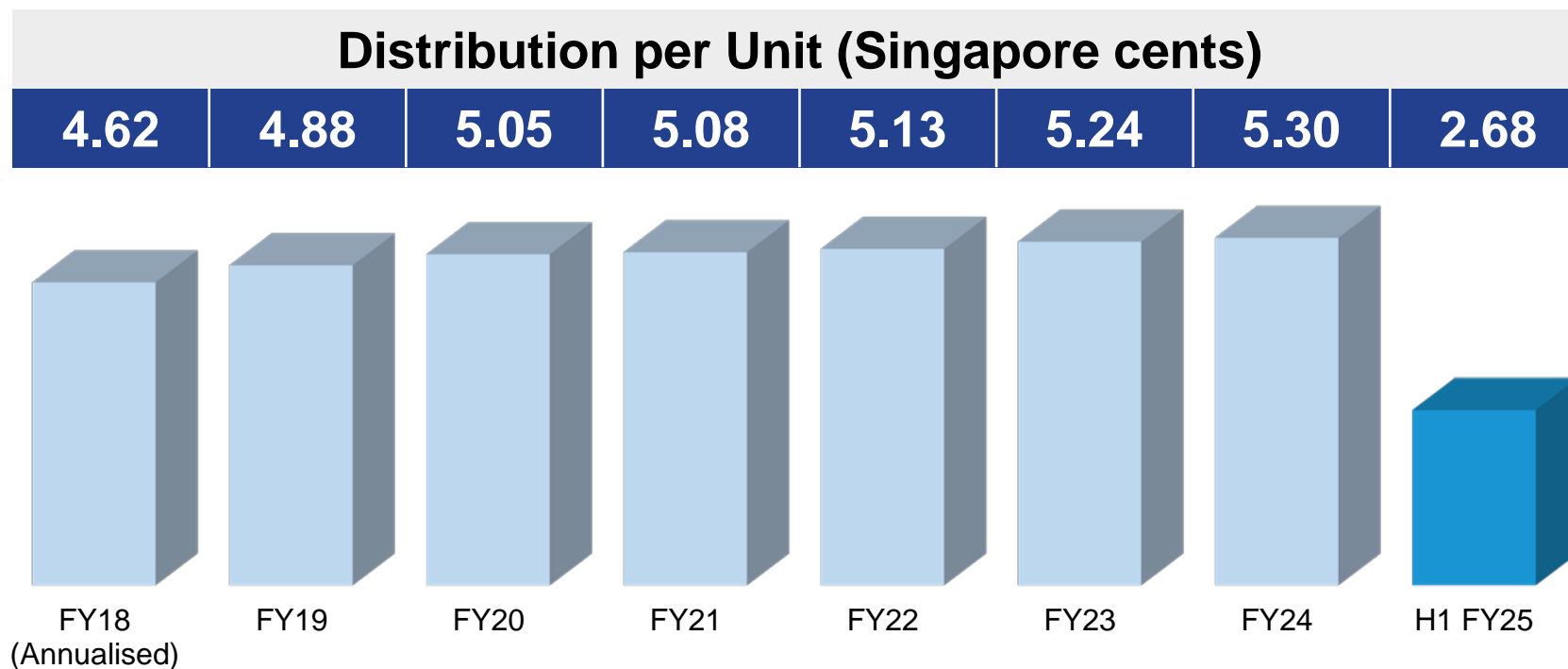
Strong credit metrics and operating cash flow

	Sep 2024	Mar 2024
Gross Debt	\$810m	\$765m
Weighted Average Debt Maturity	1.9 yrs	2.4 yrs
Net Debt/EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	2.2x	2.0x
Borrowings at Fixed Rate	74.1%	78.4%
	H1 FY25	H1 FY24
EBITDA Interest Cover ⁽¹⁾	13.5x	15.5x
Effective average interest rate	2.70%	2.76%



⁽¹⁾ Ratios calculated based on NetLink Group's trailing 12 months financial

Attractive DPU



- NetLink's DPU has grown steadily YoY since its IPO
- NetLink has returned \$1.4 billion to unitholders since its IPO to date (including the H1 FY25 distribution)
- Annualised distribution yield at 5.86% based on the unit price of \$0.915 as at 30 Sep 2024

Thank you

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Pricing model

PRICING OF NLT'S PRINCIPAL SERVICES ARE REGULATED BY IMDA

- IMDA holds a review of pricing terms every five years, or at any such time as IMDA may consider appropriate (which may include a mid-term review in the third year from the last price review).
 - ❑ IMDA's most recent review of the prices in NetLink Trust's Interconnection Offer was completed in November 2023. The revised prices are effective from 1 April 2024.
 - ❑ Pricing terms are regulated using the Regulated Asset Base (RAB) framework, which allows NetLink Trust to recover the following components: (a) return of capital deployed (i.e. depreciation); (b) return on capital employed; and (c) operating expenditure.
 - ❑ The WACC determined by IMDA is 7%.
 - ❑ NetLink Trust will set aside a Capex Reserve of \$40 million for the new pricing period.
- NetLink Trust may propose to conduct a mid-term price adjustment in the third year, in the event of any significant changes to cost or demand forecasts due to unforeseen circumstances.

MONTHLY RECURRING CHARGE ("MRC")

RESIDENTIAL

\$13.50

per connection per month

NON-RESIDENTIAL

\$55.00

per connection per month

NBAP

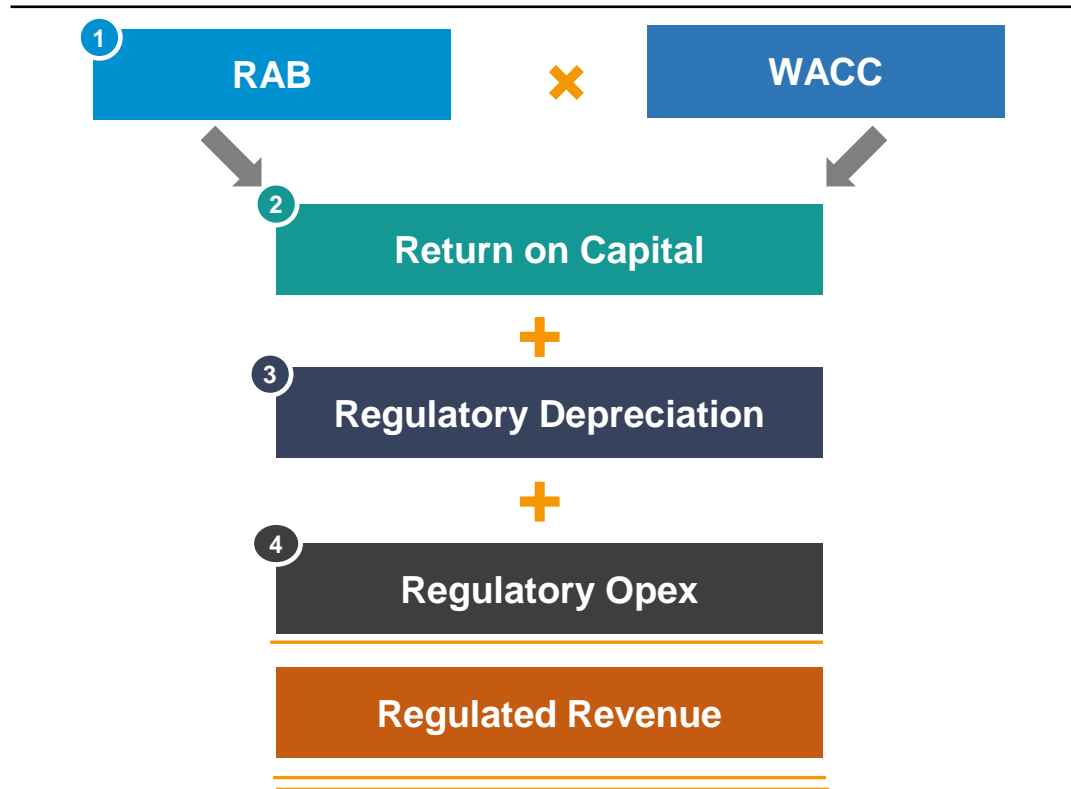
\$70.50

per connection per month

Pricing model

- Stable and consistent regulatory framework provides low risk and long-term returns to investors.

FRAMEWORK FOR RAB BASED PRICING MODEL



METHODOLOGY FOR RAB BASED PRICING MODEL

1 Cost Base for RAB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Base year of the RAB is 2012 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assets purchased up to 2012 are valued at 2012 prices Assets purchased after 2012 are valued at actual cost
2 Return on Capital ⁽ⁱ⁾	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominal pre-tax WACC of 7.0% <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Derived using the capital asset pricing model Nominal Pre-tax WACC = $\text{Cost of equity} \times \frac{(1 - \text{gearing})}{(1 - \text{tax})} + \text{Cost of debt} \times \text{gearing}$
3 Regulatory Depreciation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Based on Annuity Method of Depreciation Useful life of assets: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ducts and manholes: 35 years Fibre and related infrastructure: 25 years
4 Regulatory Opex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NLT is allowed to recover a portion of its operating expenditure spent as part of the RAB

⁽ⁱ⁾ IMDA may change the rate of applicable pre-tax WACC in future review period