

## 1st quarter FY16 results

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## Key highlights of Q1 FY16 performance



4.0mn to 4.5mn customers58% to 64% HH penetration46% to 49% viewership share

91% on B.yond STBs

NJOI reached > 1mn customers

Local content drives viewership

RM97.1 to RM99.0 ARPU 59% to 63% Radex share 30% to 34% TV Adex share

Content and IPs
Operational efficiencies
Product development
Home shopping

#### Revenue +6%

 $RM1.25bn \rightarrow RM1.33bn$ 

**EBITDA +7%** 

 $RM441mn \rightarrow RM472mn$ 

Adex +11%

 $RM122mn \rightarrow RM136mn$ 

**PATAMI** +31%

RM128mn → RM168mn

FCF of RM333mn

198% of PATAMI



## Q1 FY16 snapshot

Highlights	1QFY15	1QFY16	Growth
TV households (000s) <sup>(1)</sup>	6,908	7,020	2%
TV household penetration <sup>(2)</sup>	58%	64%	6рр
TV household penetration (000s)	3,996	4,521	13%
Pay TV households (000s)	3,470	3,505	1%
NJOI households (000s)	526	1,016	93%
Pay TV gross adds (000s)	114	97	(15%)
MAT churn	10%	10%	-
Net adds (000s)	112	92	(18%)
Pay TV households (000s)	28	(5)	(118%)
NJOI households (000s)	84	97	15%
B.yond STB penetration	85%	91%	6рр
ARPU (RM)	97.1	99.0	2%
Astro TV viewership share	46%	49%	3рр
Radio listenership (000s)	12,645	12,566	(1%)
Adex (RM mn)	122	136	11%
Revenue (RM mn)	1,254	1,330	6%
EBITDA (RM mn)	441	472	7%
EBITDA margin	35%	36%	1pp
PATAMI (RM mn)	128	168	31%
FCF (RM mn)	282	333	18%

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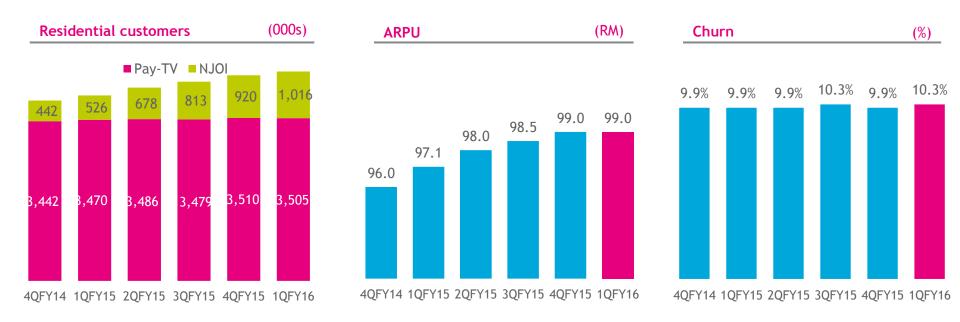
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<sup>(1)</sup> TV household data sourced from Value Partners Management Consulting, the Independent Market Research consultant to the company during the IPO

<sup>(2)</sup> Household penetration includes both residential pay-TV customers and NJOI customers

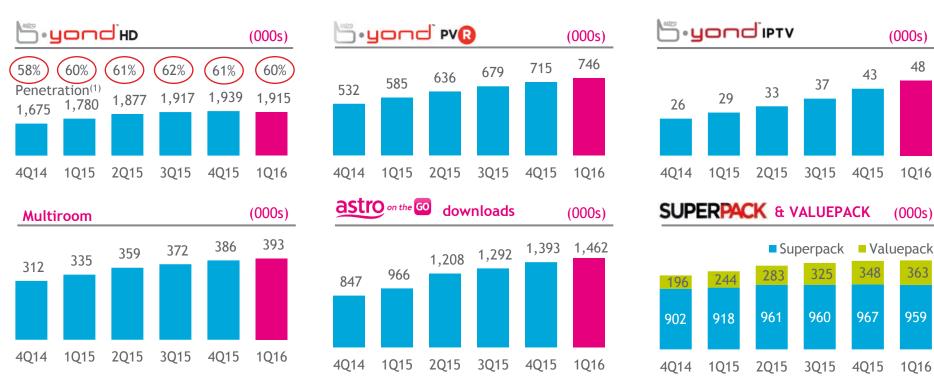
<sup>1</sup>QFY16 results (3) Data presented are for the 3 months ended 30 April, with the exception of ARPU and churn which are 12-month moving averages

# Key customer metrics highlight our dual-model premium and freemium market approach





# Upselling of value-added products and services remains a priority



(1) As a % of customers with B.yond STB



## Local content underpins our sustainable market leadership...

Pay-TV

184

channels

**73** Astro-branded

channels

**50** HD channels

<u>NJ0I</u>

26

#### ...highlighted by record viewership and new content releases







**New Seasons** 







#### **New Series**











i-Tutor



2015







International Superstar







Iniya Uravu



Kutinggalkan Cinta di Okinawa







Astro Star Quest



Mind Games

## Strengthening our content proposition remains a key focus

#### Enhancing our VOD library

#### Latest Series, Movies and Asian content

































### Enhancing our digital proposition in FY16

#### **AOTG** continues to evolve

Deployment of new platform





Launch of Astro Plus VOD library and new channels





#### Greater engagement through our digital platforms



- > 4mn video views
- > 2mn unique viewers. Leveraged on videos and articles around signature shows to boost viewership



- Raku was launched on 17 April with inaugural sponsor Digi
- Awarded Best Use of Radio in a Campaign at A+M MARKies 2015



- 23-hour live-streaming of Thaipusam 2015
- Event-related social media activity reached up to 40mn people
- Extended target audience to India, Singapore,
   Sri Lanka and Mauritius



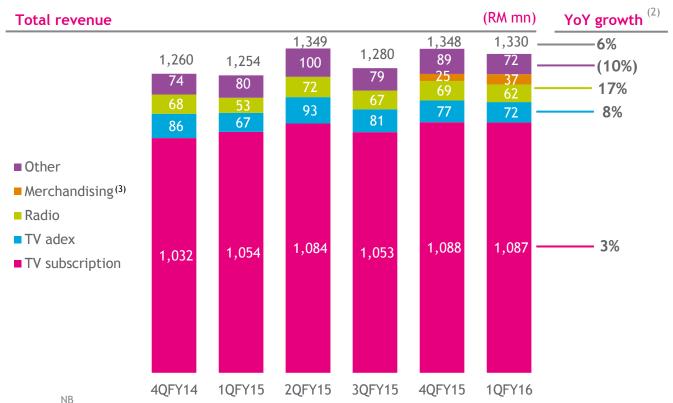
### Go Shop's encouraging start



- Committed to delivering a world-class shopping experience to all Malaysians through a variety of mediums such as TV, phone, e-commerce and m-commerce
- Key performance metrics for the period;
  - Generated RM37mn in revenues in Q1 outperforming the previous quarter by 48%
  - Over **160k customers** served, who purchased c.**175k products** in 1QFY16
  - Top selling products include the Steam Q Iron, Shimono Vacuum Cleaner and Digital Quran Pen



#### Year on year revenue growth continues



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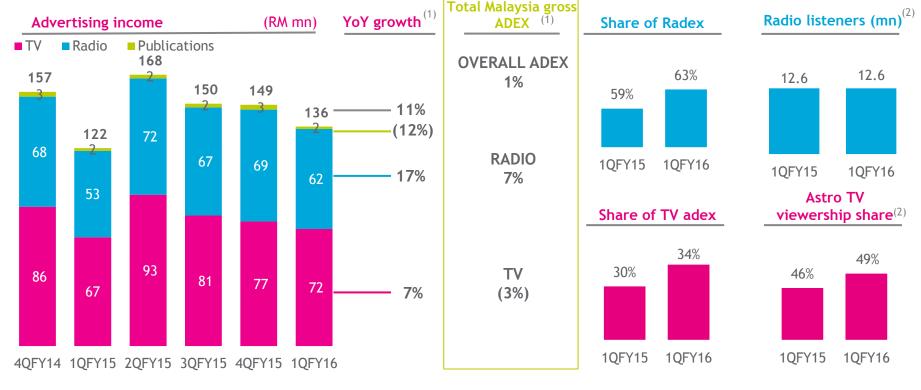


<sup>1)</sup> Other revenue includes licensing income, publications adex, programme sales, NJOI revenue and theatrical revenue

<sup>2)</sup> YoY refers 1QFY16 vs. 1QFY15

<sup>(3)</sup> Refers to merchandising sales from Go Shop only

## Advertising income outperformance in challenging market conditions

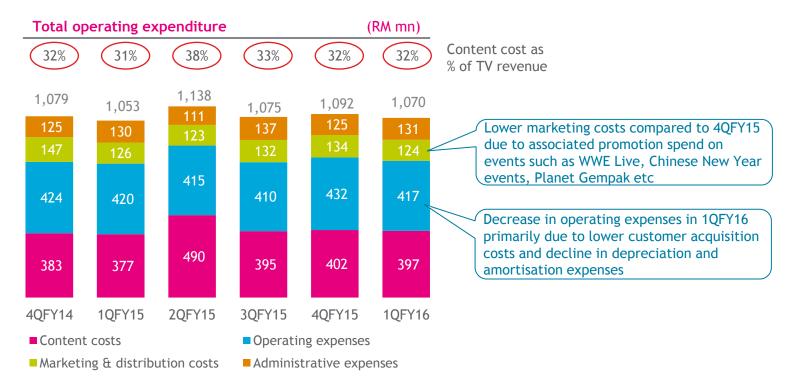


<sup>(1)</sup> YoY refers to 1QFY16 vs. 1QFY15



<sup>)</sup> Listenership and viewership shares, as well as share of Radex are sourced from Nielsen. Radio listenership is based on survey conducted by Nielsen dated 14 May 2015. Share of TV adex is based on GroupM's estimates

## Continued cost management to optimise profit growth



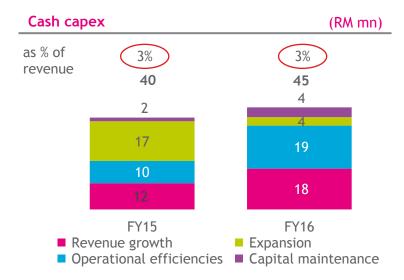
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(2) Content costs and operating expenses are jointly disclosed as cost of sales in our financial statements



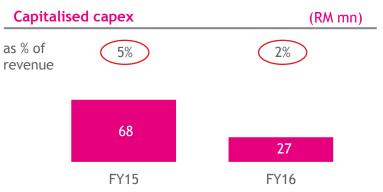
<sup>(1)</sup> Operating expenses include STB installation and smartcard costs, depreciation and amortisation, as well as maintenance costs

### Applying ROI discipline in capex spend



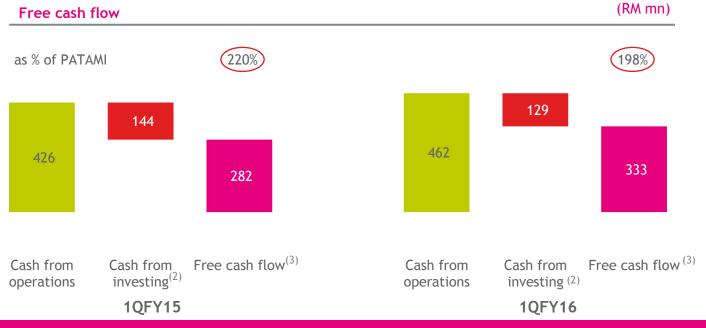
Key capex investments in FY16 include:

- Product and service upgrading
- Technology infrastructure



- Capitalised capex is significantly lower in 1QFY16 in line with lower Pay-TV gross adds and optimisation of procurement processes
- STBs/ODUs are owned by Astro, and are capitalised
- STBs/ODUs are conservatively amortised over 3 years; note that actual useful life is typically greater than 5 years
- Discretionary 36 month bullet payment vendor financing is available for Astro for STB/ODU purchases
- RM998mn of vendor financing recorded in payables, of which RM341mn is current and RM657mn is non-current

## Consistently strong cash generation significantly exceeds PATAMI...



...enabling significant flexibility on capital management and adoption of a progressive dividend policy

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- (1) Data presented are for the 3 months ended 30 April
- (2) Excludes investments, disposals and maturities of unit trust and money market funds
- 3) Excludes repayments of vendor financing (FY16: RM66mn; FY15: RM136mn) and payments of finance leases (FY16: RM28mn; FY15: RM0.2mn), which are categorised as cash from financing to be consistent with Bursa disclosure



### Quarterly dividend announcement

- Leveraging on invested capital, AMH continues to be highly cash generative enabling the adoption of a progressive dividend policy
- The Board of Directors of AMH is pleased to declare a quarterly dividend of 2.75 sen per share in respect to 1QFY16
  - This represents a 22% increase from quarterly dividends of 2.25 sen in FY15
- Quarterly dividend entitlement and payment dates: 1 July 2015 /15 July 2015





## Appendix

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#### PAT reconciliation

(RM mn)	FY15	FY16
EBITDA	441	473
Margin %	35.2%	35.5%
Depreciation and amortisation <sup>(1)</sup>	(229)	(206)
EBIT	212	267
Margin %	16.9%	20.0%
Finance income	19	20
Finance cost	(64)	(58)
Share of post tax results from investments	1	2
PBT	168	230
Tax expense	(39)	(64)
Tax rate %	23.4%	27.6%
PAT	129	167
Margin %	10.3%	12.5%



<sup>(1)</sup> Depreciation and amortisation excludes the amortisation of film library and programme rights (RM83mn in 1QFY16 and RM81mn in 1QFY15) which is expensed as part of content costs (cost of sales)

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## Group balance sheet overview

(RM mn)	FY15	FY16
Non-current assets	4,334	4,229
Property, plant and equipment	2,053	1,740
Other non-current assets	2,281	2,489
Current assets	2,601	2,318
Receivables and prepayments	914	787
Cash and investments in unit trusts	1,653)	1,451
Other current assets	34	80
	6,935	6,546

(RM mn)	FY15	FY16
Non-current liabilities	4,603	3,828
Payables	1,149	657
Borrowings	3,334	3,074
Other non-current liabilities	120	97
Current liabilities	1,713	2,008
Payables	1,349	1,503
Borrowings	317	401
Other current liabilities	47	105
Shareholders' equity	619	711
	6,935	6,546

Net debt / LTM EBITDA: 1.1x



#### Debt profile

#### **Total borrowings**

(RM mn)

■ Finance lease ■ RM term loan ■ USD term loan

Total borrowings is net of debt issuance costs (RM26 mn)

3,475



#### **Details of borrowings**

### USD term loan

- As at 30 April 2015, outstanding principal US dollar term loan stood at US\$297mn. The fourth principal repayment amounting to USD16.5mn (RM49.8mn) was paid on 8 June 2015 and the next repayment of USD16.5mn is scheduled to be paid on 8 December 2015
- Fully hedged via cross currency interest rate swap at an exchange rate of USD/RM3.0189 and an all-in interest rate of 4.19% p.a.
- Back ended amortisation schedule, with average life of 7 years and has final maturity date of 8 June 2021

RM term loan

- As at 30 April 2015, total outstanding principal RM term loan stood at RM1,800mn. The fourth principal repayment amounting to RM100mn was paid on 19 May 2015. The fifth repayment amounting to RM100mn is scheduled to be paid on 19 November 2015
- All-in interest rate (post-hedging) for the hedged portion of RM1,350mn is 5.4467% while balance unhedged of RM450mn stood at 5.1600% (variable floating rate based on cost of funds)
- Back ended amortisation schedule, with average life of 7 years and has final maturity date of 19 May 2021

Finance lease (primarily satellite transponders)

- Finance lease related to lease of Ku-band transponders on MEASAT-3 and MEASAT-3A. Payment arrangement for the remaining contractual years have been redenominated into Ringgit at USD/RM 3.0445 w.e.f. 21 May 2013
- Effective interest rate: 6.2% and 12.5% p.a. for M3 and M3A, respectively
- Average life: 15 years