

# Corporate Presentation October 2008



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# Agenda











Future Strategies

Open Forum



# **Key Achievements**

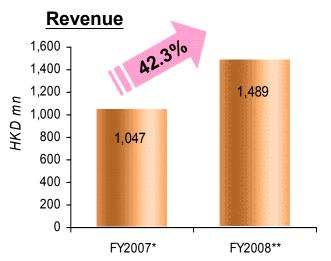


# **Remarkable Growth**

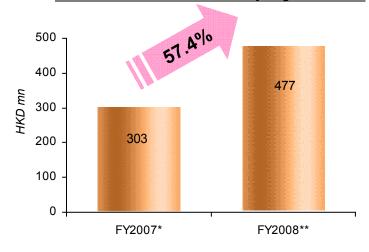
Revenue grew 42.3% to HK\$1,489.3 million and profit attributable to equity holders increased 57.4% to HK\$477 million

# **Margin Improvement**

Operating margin achieved 39.6% in FY2008 from 33.5% in FY2007, representing an increase of 6.1 ppts.



# Profit attributable to equity holders



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# Key Achievements (cont'd)



# **Extensive retail network**

No. of stores increased from 28 in FY07 to 32 as of 30 June 2008, with a total GFA of 962,570 sq. m. covering 18 cities

# **Strong customer base**

Well-established VIP membership program with about 1.35 million members

# Sound financial foundation

As of 30 June 2008, the Company remained debt-free and was in a net cash position with cash on hand of about HK\$3,127.6 million.

# Steady same-store sales growth

During the year under review, the Company maintained a strong same-store sales growth of 25.3%.

# Key Achievements - Expansion





# Shanghai Hongkou Store



# New Store≨ Liaoning Anshan Store

# New Store

### **Nanjing Store**



### District:

Tiedong District, Anshan, Liaoning

### Self-owned Store:

- GFA: approx. 35,000 sq. m.
- Commenced operation in Oct 2007

Junction of Xuanwu District and Gulou District

### Self-owned Store:

- GFA: approx. 30,000 sq. m.
- Commenced operation in Nov 2007



### Expanded area to commence operation in Aug 2007

# New Store Shanghai Pujian Store



### District:

Pudong District, Shanghai

### Managed Store:

- GFA: approx. 46,000 sq. m.
- Commenced operation in Sep 2007



# New Store Wuhan Xudong Branch Store



### District:

**Xudong Commercial** 

### Managed Store:

- GFA: approx. 30,000 sq. m.
- Commenced operation in Jan 2008



In FY08, the expanded area of Shanghai Hongkou Store, 2 self-owned stores (Anshan Store & Nanjing Store) and 2 managed stores (Shanghai Pujian Store & Wuhan **Xudong Branch Store) have commenced operation.** 



# Key Achievements - Acquisition



# **Wuhan Store**

### **Consideration:**

HK\$885,417,000 (including store operation and property)



### Location:

Levels 1-6 and one basement of the Wuhan New World Trade Tower I, Levels 1-5 and one basement of the Wuhan New World Trade Tower II

### **Size of the Store:**

GFA: approx. 42,000 sqm

# **Shenyang Nanjing Street Branch Store**



### Consideration:

HK\$270,000,000

### Location:

1st to 4th Floor 2 Nanjingnan Street, Heping District, Shenyang, Liaoning province

### Size of the Store:

GFA: approx. 13,890 sqm



The Company acquired the property and store operation of Wuhan Store in Feb 2008 and acquired the property of Shenyang Nanjing Street Branch Store in June 2008.



# Key Achievements – Increasing Store Portfolio



# **Gross Floor Area (GFA) of Store Portfolio**

		As of 30			
(approx. sqm)	2004	2005	2006	2007	June 2008
Self-owned	267,890	285,170	388,370	* 395,170	** 506,270
stores	(12 stores)	(14 stores)	(17 stores)	(16 stores)	(19 stores)
Managed	150,000	150,000	177,200	* 422,300	** 456,300
stores	(3 stores)	(3 stores)	(4 stores)	(12 stores)	(13 stores)
Total	417,890	435,170	565,570	817,470	962,570
i Olai	(15 stores)	(17 stores)	(21 stores)	(28 stores)	(32 stores)



<sup>\*</sup>DL, KM, NB stores being disposed from self-owned stores to managed stores \*\*Wuhan Store became self-owned store



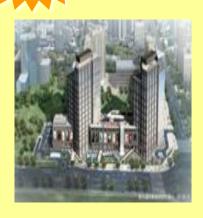


# Post Annual New Stores





# **Beijing Liying Store**



### District:

 Chaoyang District, CBD area of Beijing

# **Managed Store:**

- GFA: approx.
   52,000 sq. m.
- Commenced operation in Sept 2008



# **Wuhan Hanyang Store**



### District:

 Zhong Jia Cun Commercial Circle, Hanyang District

### Self-owned Store:

- Level 1-6
- GFA: approx.
   53,000 sq. m.
- Level 1-5 will commence operation before end of 2008
- Level 6 will commerce operation before end of 2009



The new Beijing Liying store just commenced operation in Sept 2008, while the Wuhan Hanyang Store is scheduled to open before the end of 2008.



# New Projects





# **Zhengzhou Project**

# Consideration:

approx. RMB307,317,000



### Location:

Level 1-4 on land parcel of Shangchang Road North and Zijingshan Road East, Zhengzhou

### **Self-owned Store:**

GFA: approx. 34,530 sq.m. Will commence operation in 2010

# New Store Shenyang Dadong Project

## Consideration:

approx. RMB287,540,000 (including the right to use the car park)



Level 1 – 7 on land parcel of Jingiao Road South, Dadong District

### **Self-owned Store:**

GFA: approx. 32,500 sq.m. Will commence operation in 2010





The new Zhengzhou store and Shenyang Store are expected to commence operation in 2010. The expansion will further strengthen our presence in both Central China and North-eastern China Region.



# Expansion of existing store





# **Expanded Operation of Harbin Store**



# Location:

Nangang District, Harbin

# **Self-owned Store:**

➤GFA: approx. 50,000 sq. m.(+ approx. 18,000 sq. m.)➤Expanded area is expected to

Expanded area is expected to be in phased operation by the end of 2008



After the expansion, the area of Harbin Store will be enlarged from a GFA of about 32,000 sq. m. to about 50,000 sq. m. The store will introduce more international and famous brand labels, fully utilize the floor space and optimize merchandise mix.







# Financial Highlights



For the year ended 30 June (HK\$'000)	FY2008	FY2007	Change
Revenue	1,489,345	1,046,885	42.3%
Other income	119,250	32,327	269%
Operating profit	589,394	350,797	68%
Operating profit margin	39.6%	33.5%	+6.1ppts
Profit before income tax	600,183	356,097	68.5%
Net profit <sup>(1)</sup>	476,575	302,765 <sup>(2)</sup>	57.4%
Net profit margin	32.0%	28.9 %	+3.1ppts
Cash on hand	3,127,627	967,534	223%

<sup>(1)</sup> Net profit refers to profit attributable to equity holders.

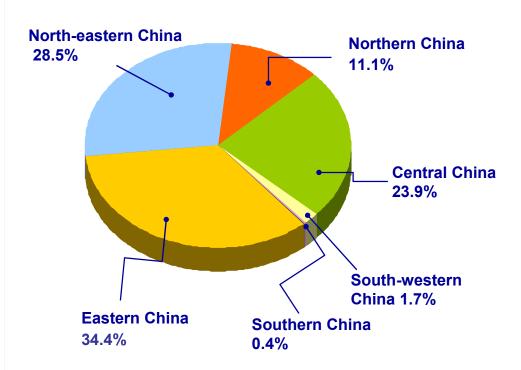
<sup>(2)</sup> Including HKD58mn one-off gain from disposal of subsidiaries.



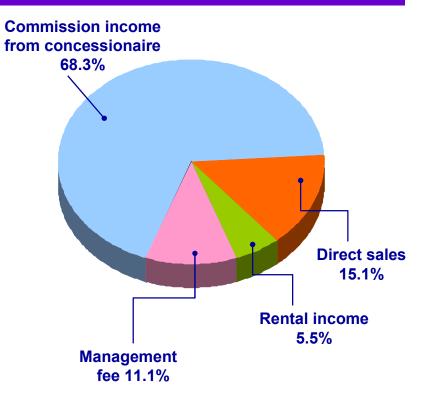
# Revenue Analysis



# Revenue contribution by region in FY2008



# Revenue contribution by segment in FY2008

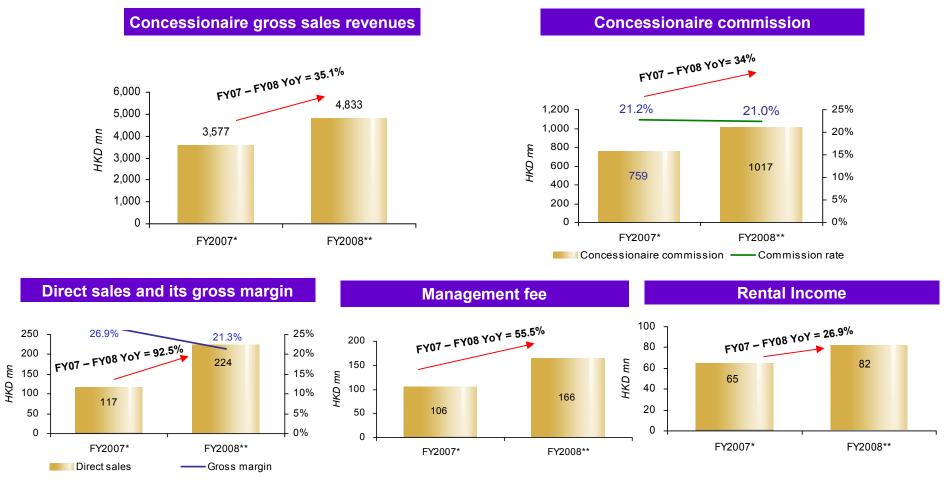


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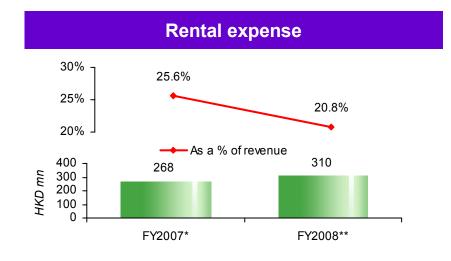


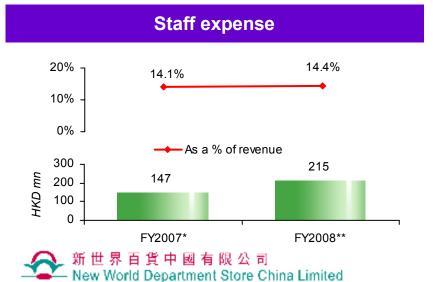


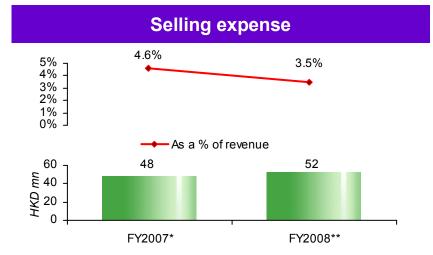


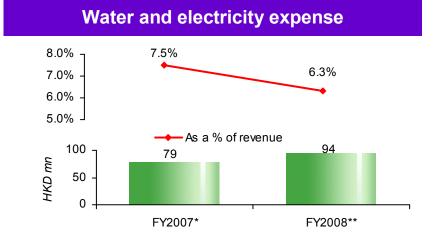
# Stable Expense Ratios









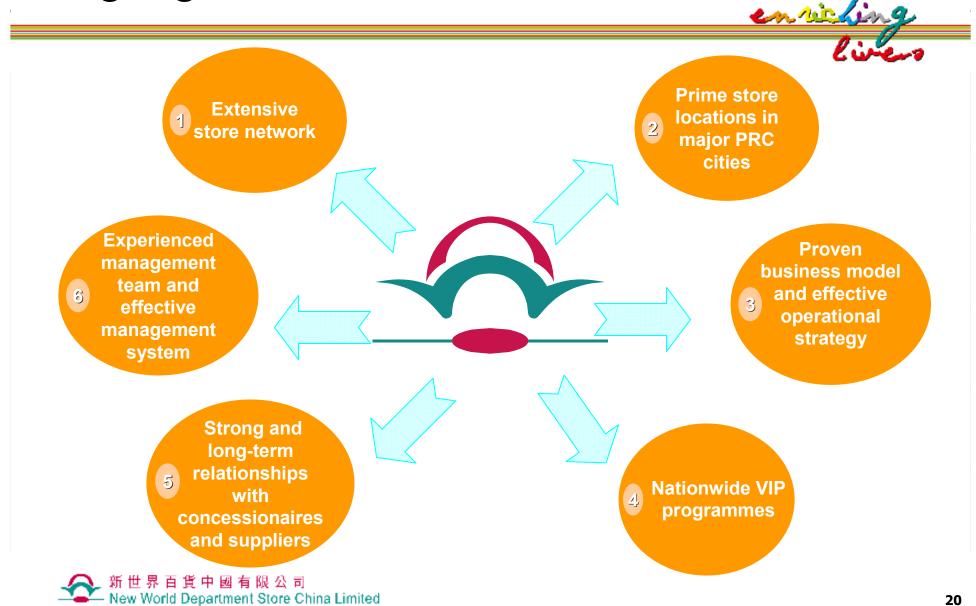


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# Highlights





# Extensive store network



# PRC regions where NWDS has presence

City / Province	*GDP per capita rank	*Disposable income per capita rank	*Disposable income '05-'07- CAGR	# No. of NWDS stores
Shanghai	1	1	12.6%	7
Beijing	2	2	11.6%	2
Tianjin	3	6	13.8%	1
Zhejiang	4	3	12.4%	3
Jiangsu	5	5	15.3%	1
Liaoning	9	11	16.2%	5
Fujian	10	7	12.2%	1
Heilongjiang	12	30	11.3%	1
Hubei	17	17	14.3%	5
Chongqing	18	9	15.7%	1
Hunan	20	12	13.6%	1
Sichuan	25	23	15.0%	1
Yunan	30	16	11.4%	1
Gansu	29	31	11.3%	1



# Prime Store Locations in Major PRC Cities



# **Shanghai Huaihai Store**



### Location:

- Huaihai Zhong Road, Luwan District, Shanghai
- Self-owned store
- GFA: approx. 22,500 sqm

## **Wuhan Store**



### Location:

- Jianshe Avenue, Hankou District, Wuhan
- Self-owned store
- GFA: approx. 42,000 sqm

# **Wuxi Store**



## Location:

■ Zhongshan Road, Wuxi City



### **Harbin Store**



### Location:

■ Garden Street, Nangang District, Harbin City

# **Shenyang Nanjing Store**



### Location:

■ Nanjing Street, Heping District, Shenyang City

# **Ningbo Jiangdong Store**



### Location:

■ Zhongshan East Road, Jiangdong District, Ningbo City

# **Wuhan Qiaokou Store**



### Location:

■ Jiefang Avenue, Hankou District, Wuhan



# Prime store locations in major PRC cities (cont'd) Secure Long-term Presence in Prime Locations



# **Property ownership**

Shenyang Taiyuan Wuxi(partial) Tianjian (partial)

Wuhan

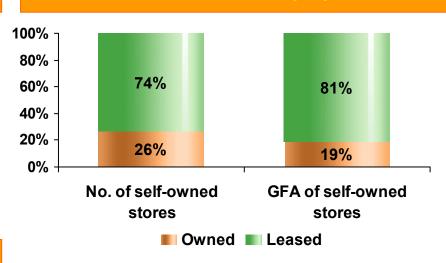
Shenyang Nanjing

# **New project sites**

- Close relationships with leading property developers in China market who provide:
  - new property information
  - regular property market updates
- Leverage strong local connections of the NWD Group

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# **Leased versus owned properties**



- Majority of properties are leased, with an average unexpired term of approximately 16 years
- 5 owned properties of 32 stores
- Total owned property GFA of approximately 97,290 square meters, representing around 19.2% of total self-owned stores' GFA

# Proven Business Model and Effective Operational Strategy



# **Proven business model**

### Concessionaire sales

- multi-brand platform reduces business risk
- flexibility to optimize merchandise and supplier mix
- no inventory risk
- attractive working capital cycle

### Direct sales

enhance product portfolio with comprehensive merchandise mix

## Management consultancy services

- stable income generation at minimal capital outlay
- leverage on our brand equity and reputation
- provide market information for future acquisition opportunities

### Rental Income

 Sublet portions of store areas to third parties and earn rental income



# **Transparent Growth strategy**

# Organic growth

- open new stores in cities where we already have a presence and in new cities, such as Xi'an and Taiyuan
- expand and upgrade existing stores

# Acquisition strategy

- option or right of first refusal to acquire our managed stores
- acquire other department stores

# Proven Business Model and Effective Operational Strategy (cont'd)

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# **Mid-high to High-end Positioning**

# Brand Lineup and merchandise mix

- Position ourselves at mid-high to highend of the PRC retail market by lifting our brand portfolio
- Adjusted merchandise mix
- Reinforced carriage of international brands
- Enlarged coverage of exclusive labels

# Diversified promotional tactics

- Joint promotions by utilizing the advantage of "multiple presences in a single city"
- A combination of discounted sales package, price-reduced items and gift items
- Thematic promotional programme
- Bonus point scheme
- Improve store environment and decoration







# Nationwide VIP Programmes



# Well-established & nationwide VIP membership program









- VIP card was first launched in 1996
- Over 1.35 million members as of 30 **June 2008**
- To further expand the VIP customer base
  - VIP Platinum Card was launched in 2005
  - Co-branded credit card with Bank of Communications was launched in February 2007
- Successful in promoting customer loyalty and stimulating purchases at our stores



# Strong and Long-term Relationships with Major Concessionaires and Suppliers



# **Representative brands**

Fachien	Burberry	Ermen	egildo Zegna	Aquascutum	only	Nike	Ceri	ruti 1881
Fashion	Hugo Boss	Esprit	Carlo Castello	Triumph	Ports Int	ernation	nal	Autason

Accessory & Footwear

Chow Tai Fook	CHJ	Belle	SWAROVSKI
OMEGA	Fed	Walker shop	ECCO

Cosmetics

Lancome	)	Shiseido	Christian Dior	Estee Lauder
Guerlain	FANCL	OLAY	Aupres	L'Oreal

Household, electrical goods and others

Osim	SONY	PHILIPS	OMRON	Tayohya
	FISSI FR	TWIN	ONIZZIIA	CASARI ANCA

- ▶ 88% of our top 50 concessionaires and over 50% of our top 10 direct sales suppliers have maintained business relationships with us for at least 5 years
- ► Top 5 concessionaires accounted for less than 9 % of our gross concessionaires sales during the year under review

# Strong and Long-term Relationships with Major Concessionaires and Suppliers (cont'd)



# **Description**

# Benefits



- ► Established in 2002, a communication platform for our concessionaires and direct sales suppliers
- ▶ More than 760 well-known international and domestic members
- ► Enhance relationships with our concessionaires and suppliers
- Encourage them to provide latest market information to us

Strategic Partnership Scheme

- ► Strategic cooperation with some of the key concessionaires who indicated they intend to establish counters in the new stores we open
- Greatly bolster our expansion potential and facilitate opening of new stores

# Experienced & Stable Management Team and Effective Management System



# Henry Cheng Chairman

- ► Responsible for overall planning, strategic development and major policy making
- Managing director of NWD, chairman and managing director of New World China Land Limited

# Adrian Cheng Executive Director

- ► Responsible for overseeing the corporate affairs of NWDS
- ► Executive director of NWD and New World China Land Limited

# Philip Cheung Managing Director

- ▶ Joined the Group in 1993
- ► Responsible for the overall management
- ► Extensive experience in managing retailing businesses in PRC, Hong Kong and Taiwan

David Lin COO & Executive Director	Kenneth Wong CFO & Executive Director	Johanna Lau Commercial Director	<b>Ringo Ma</b> <i>Director, HR and Administration</i>	Rebecca Woo Director, Corporate Affairs	Kenny Lai Director, Project Development
Over 25 years of retail industry experience	Over 10 years of experience in retail and a member of ACCA and HKICPA	Over 20 years of experience in emporium retailing	Over 20 years of experience in human resources, training and administration	Over 10 years of experience in project administration and business development	Over 10 years of experience in project planning and project management
7 years with NWDS	13 years with NWDS	15 years with NWDS	12 years with NWDS	15 years with NWDS	12 years with NWDS

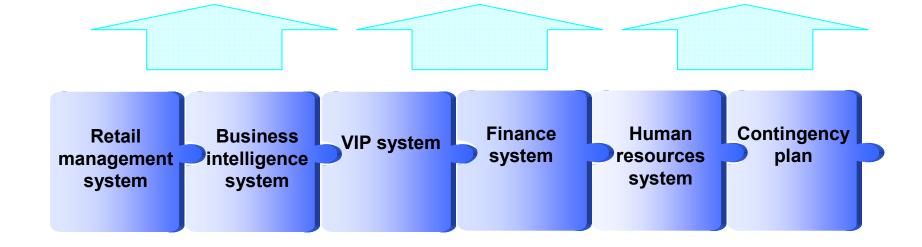


Experienced & Stable Management Team and Effective Management System (cont'd)



# **Efficient management information system**

- Providing the data needed to effectively carry out our merchandising, inventory control, cash control, financial management and human resources management.
- Enhancing management control and analysis



Group-wide software and a centralised information system have been adopted.





# **Expansion Strategies**





# Open new stores

- Multiple stores within a single city
- ▼ To enter new markets with radiation effect from cities where the Company has a strong presence

# Acquisitions

- Acquire managed stores
- Acquire own leased properties
- Acquire stores in prime locations

# Greenfield projects

Looking for opportunities on greenfield projects

# Strategies to open new stores





# Multiple presences in a single city\*

- ★ 5 stores in Wuhan, Hubei (Central China Region)
- ★ 2 stores in Beijing Municipal City (Northern China Region)
- 7 stores in Shanghai Municipal City (Eastern China Region)
- ★ 3 stores in Shenyang, Liaoning (Northeastern China Region)



- ★ Zhengzhou in Henan Province
- Manjing in Jiangsu Province
- ★ Changsha in Hunan Province
- Manshan in Liaoning Province



# Continue to Grow Our Retail Network



# Our Mission



