

## Pou Sheng International 2025 1H Results

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## Pou Sheng Strategy & Operating Highlights



#### **Multi-faceted Operation Matrix**

#### Y Segmented and Vertical Market Exposure

- Yoga → XEXYMIX (24 retail stores + 4 online platforms)
- Outdoor  $\rightarrow$  Pony  $\uparrow$  >30% YoY
- Self-owned Channel → YYQUALITY (inventory clearance+ incubating new brands + channel brands)

#### Reasonable Discount

Y 1H25 Discount\* YoY enlarged LSD%, 2Q25 vs 1Q25 Discount\* QoQ improved LSD%

Y 2Q25 GPM 34.5%, QoQ ↑ 1.8pp

**Solid Financial Management** 



**Strengthening Strategic Cooperation** with Brand Partners



**Digital Empowerment & Dynamic Mgt. to Enhance Efficiency** 



#### 1 Strategic Alliance with Business Partners

- Y Connected Inventory Programme → share products with brand partners, together with PSP – to enhance sales efficiency
  - Inventory days was 146 days, aging inventory ~9% out of total
- Y Connected Membership Programme → to allow consumers to access exclusive products and services in both PS & brands' direct stores

#### (2) Retail Refinement Strategy

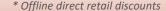
- Y Optimise store format and enhance sales conversion, partially offset volatile foot traffic
  - Average GFA & overall GFA vs FY24 stable- ↓LSD%

#### (3) Resilient Omni-channel

- Y Online platform multi-storefront model, product selection enhancement
- Y WeChat stores, Douyin live-streaming via KOS & influencers + inventory fully integrated → digitally-enabled experience with a human touch
  - Online contribution reached a historical high, accounted for 33% of total sales, 16% YoY
  - Livestreaming ↑ >100% YoY
- (4) Solid Financial Management, focus on Cash Generation Capability
  - Solid cash position at RMB 2.7bn
  - Interim dividend & Special dividend of HKD 0.023 per share in total, with 60% payout ratio

**Our Strategies** 

PSP: Product Sharing Platform UPT: Units Per Transaction ATV: Average Transaction Value GFA: Gross Floor Area KOS: Key Opinion Staffs







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## Pou Sheng Financial Highlights (in RMB)



	1H 2025		1H 2024		YoY	
	RMB'mn	%	RMB'mn	%	%	рр
Revenue	9,159	100.0	9,983	100.0	-8.3	
Cost of Sales	(6,090)	-66.5	(6,567)	-65.8	-7.3	-0.7
Gross Profit	3,069	33.5	3,416	34.2	-10.2	-0.7
SG&A	(2,890)	-31.5	(3,052)	-30.6	-5.3	-0.9
Other Income & Expenses, net	103	1.1	119	1.2	-13.4	-0.1
Operating Profit	282	3.1	483	4.8	-41.6	-1.7
Finance Cost*, net	(7)	-0.1	(8)	-0.1	-12.5	0.0
Other Gains (Losses)					N/A	N/A
Income Tax	(75)	-0.8	(137)	-1.3	-45.3	+0.5
Profit for the Period	200	2.2	338	3.4	-40.8	-1.2
Profit Attrib. to Owners of PS	188	2.1	336	3.4	-44.0	-1.3

Source: Based on Pou Sheng's announcement on the HKEX website

<sup>\*</sup> Including interest expenses on lease liabilities which amounted to RMB 26.6mn (1H24: RMB 34.1mn).

Loan interest in 1H25 increased by 23.2% YoY to RMB 1.5mn while net finance income (finance income - loan interest) was RMB 20.1mn in 1H25 (1H24: RMB 26.5mn)



## **Pou Sheng GP Margin Trend**









## **Pou Sheng OP Margin Trend**



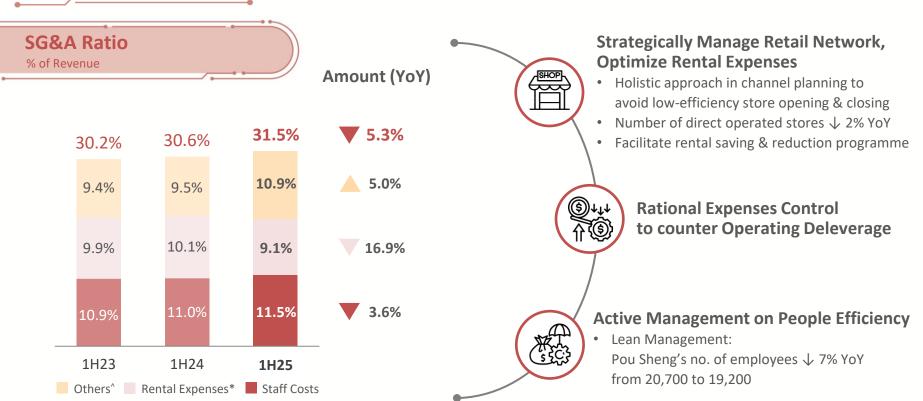






#### Pou Sheng SG&A Expenses Breakdown





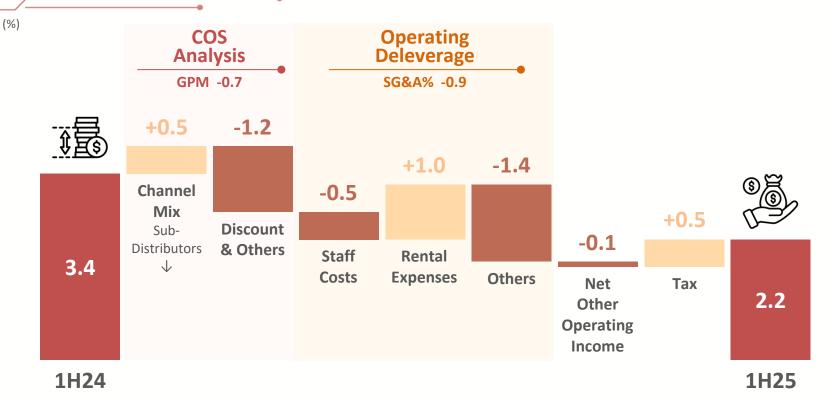
<sup>^</sup> Others include shopping mall expenses, logistic expenses, depreciation of PPE and amortization, etc.

<sup>\*</sup> Rental Expenses include expense of operating leases, concession expenses and depreciation of right-of-use assets



## Pou Sheng – Net Profit Margin

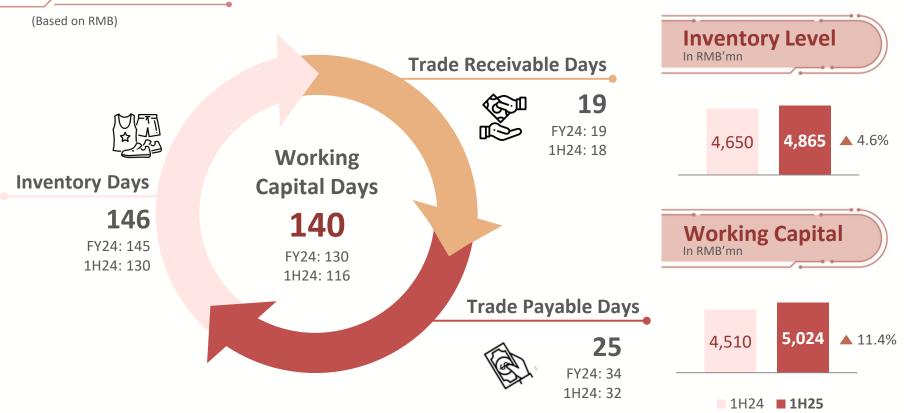






## **Operation Efficiency – 1H25**





Used an average of Inventory, TR and TP for the calculations of turnover days: (starting balance + ending balance)/2



## **Healthy Aging & Well-managed Inventory**





>12 months inventory % among which 10-15% from 2Q23-3Q23, HSD% from 4Q23-2Q25



## Pou Sheng Financial Ratios (in RMB)



_	(RMB'mn)	1H 2025	1H 2024	YoY
	Depreciation of PPE & Amortization	160.7	167.0	-3.8%
	Depreciation of ROUA	337.7	389.6	-13.3%
	EBITDA	801.6	1,066.9	-24.9%
	<b>EBITDA</b> minus Depreciation of ROUA	463.9	677.3	-31.5%
	Capital Expenditure <sup>∆</sup>	119.4	190.8	-37.4%
	Total Borrowings*	196.8	37.0	+431.9%
f N	Net Cash*	2,497.4	3,071.5	-18.7%
	Total Borrowings to Equity#	2.2%	0.4%	+1.8pp
	Net Borrowings to Equity#	Net Cash	Net Cash	
	Return on Owner's Equity LTM	3.9%	5.9%	
-	Return on Asset LTM	2.9%	4.0%	

Source: Internal analysis report (figures rounded)

<sup>△</sup> Including SAP ERP-related capital expenditure

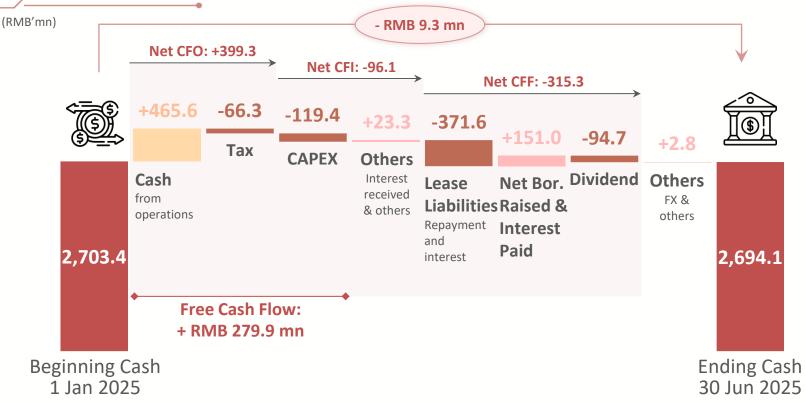
<sup>\*</sup> Total Borrowings and Net Cash exclude lease liabilities. Lease liabilities was RMB 1,261.1mn and 1,518.9mn as at 30 Jun 2025 and 2024 respectively

<sup>#</sup> Total Debt to Equity and Net Debt to Equity (including lease liabilities) would be 16.2% (1H24: 17.5%) and Net Cash (1H24: Net Cash) as at 30 Jun 2025 respectively



#### Pou Sheng Sources and Uses of Fund – 1H25









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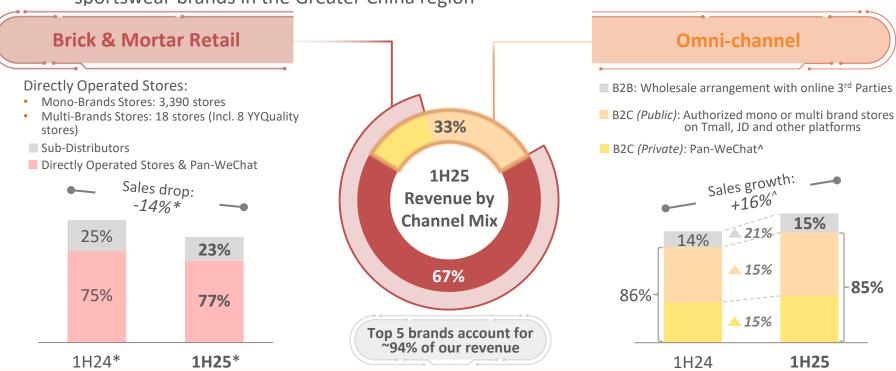
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## **Pou Sheng Retail Strategy**



Pou Sheng is one of the largest retailers and sports services providers for world renowned sportswear brands in the Greater China region



<sup>\*</sup> Contribution analysis dimensions: including Pan-WeChat Ecosphere, without Other Sales. 1H25 Sales decreased by 12% YoY if excludes Pan-WeChat

<sup>^</sup> Reclassification has been made



## Right-Sizing B&M Network





#### **Directly Operated Stores**





#### **Customized Pan-WeChat Ecosphere**



Establishing solid relationship with consumer through comprehensive platforms, enhancing Sales conversion rate, Full-price in-season sales and Repeat purchases



YYsports & membership program\*



**Shopping Mall Membership Platforms** 





#### Douyin Livestreaming

with selected brand partners

Localized operations by upgrading regional and store level accounts with inventory fully integrated















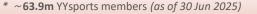




**WeChat Stores** 

Pan-WeChat **Ecosphere** 



















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#### **Critical Missions in 3 Years**



#### "Creating Value-added Services & Quality Experiences to Customers"

**OPM** 

#### **Strategic Alliance • Best of Choice**

- Y Strive to be the **best choice to business partners** & further deepen strategic partnership with brands customers for **quality growth** with **creative omnimodels** that keep with the pace of future trends
- Y Scaling up new brands contribution

#### **Enhance Membership Operations**

Y Close cooperation with business partners & in-depth membership integration, to achieve high member loyalty, higher CR% & quality incremental sales

#### **Operating Margin**

- Y Streamline operations, refine store network & categories structure to enhance cost competitiveness
- Y Continuous improvement on profitability & shareholder's return in following years

#### **Omni-Channel • Offline & Online Integration**

- Y Strengthen multi-faceted operation matrix
  - private + public domains
  - maintain digital sales contribution ~30%
- Y Probing new channels

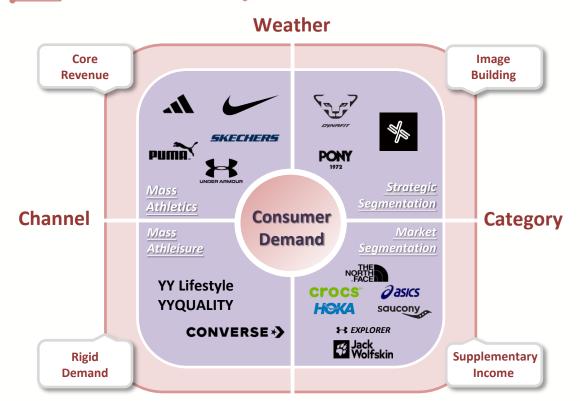
#### **Digital Transformation**

- Y Leveraging on PSP & online-offline integration to enhance store digitalization & productivity, and people efficiency
- Y Continue to integrate and upgrade modules following the official implementation of SAP ERP systems to integrate **business with finance** and to enhance operational excellence



#### **Growth by Multi-faceted Brand Strategy Matrix**













Region













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#### **Company Milestones**

2014



2024 Sole distribution rights for XEXYMIX brand (Mainland China) SAP ERP system went live

2021 Omni-channel contributed over 20% of total sales

Recorded over RMB 22bn revenue 2018

Recorded over RMB 15bn revenue 2016

Became sole licensee for Pony in Taiwan & Mainland China

Recorded over RMB 10bn revenue 2013

2008 Pou Sheng International listed on HKEX (3813.HK)

**Expanded into retail business in Mainland China** 2001







## Pou Sheng Financial Highlights (in USD) - 1H25



	1H 2025		1H 2024		YoY
	US\$'000	%	US\$'000	%	%
Revenue	1,262,168	100.0	1,381,003	100.00	-8.6
Cost of Sales	(839,231)	-66.5	(908,503)	-65.8	-7.6
Gross Profit	422,937	33.5	472,500	34.2	-10.5
SG&A	(394,414)	-31.2	(418,844)	-30.3	-5.8
Other Income & Expenses, net	10,281	0.8	13,096	0.9	-21.5
Operating Profit	38,804	3.1	66,752	4.8	-41.9
Finance Cost, net	(895)	-0.1	(1,057)	-0.1	-15.3
Other Gains (Losses)					N/A
Income Tax	(10,335)	-0.8	(18,938)	-1.3	-45.4
Profit for the Period	27,574	2.2	46,757	3.4	-41.0
Profit Attrib. to Owners of PS	25,853	2.0	46,441	3.4	-44.3

Source: Internal analysis report (figures rounded); various accounting reclassification and adjustments are made to some of the figures when consolidating Pou Sheng numbers into the Yue Yuen Group in order to comply with the requirements of accounting standards



## Pou Sheng Financial Highlights (in USD) - FY24



	FY 2024		FY 2023		YoY
	US\$'000	%	US\$'000	%	%
Revenue	2,561,408	100.0	2,830,730	100.0	-9.5
Cost of Sales	(1,685,725)	-65.8	(1,877,586)	-66.3	-10.2
Gross Profit	875,683	34.2	953,144	33.7	-8.1
SG&A	(809,193)	-31.6	(887,443)	-31.4	-8.8
Other Income & Expenses, net	31,951	1.2	38,115	1.4	-16.2
Operating Profit	98,441	3.8	103,816	3.7	-5.2
Finance Cost, net	(2,473)	-0.1	(7,720)	-0.3	-68.0
Other Losses	(444)	-0.0	(3,447)	-0.1	-87.1
Income Tax	(26,426)	-1.0	(21,656)	-0.8	+22.0
Profit for the Period	69,098	2.7	70,993	2.5	-2.7
Profit Attrib. to Owners of PS	68,219	2.7	69,190	2.4	-1.4

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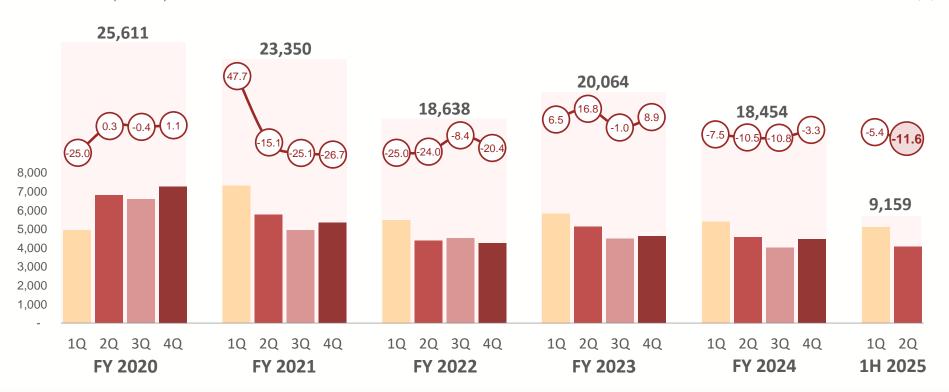


## **Pou Sheng Revenue Trend**



Revenue (RMB'mn)





# Thank you Q&A