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Driving supply chain efficiency | Making finance more inclusive

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# **Key Management Team**





Jeff TUNG
Chairman

- Founder of SY Capital and led the company through its start-up phase to become a listed company in just 3 years
- Honored as one of the Influential Leaders in 2020 by Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB)
- Holds various positions in social and charity groups



CHEN Jen-Tse, Jerry
Chief Risk Officer &
Executive Director

- Has over 20 years of experience in the factoring industry
- Held various positions in different financial institutions prior to joining the Group



LO Wai Hung, Ivan

Chief Financial Officer

- Has approximately 30 years experience in financial accounting
- Member of HKICPA
- · Associate member of ICAA



YUAN Ye, Aaron

Chief Strategy Officer

- Has extensive experience in the capital market and profound knowledge in fintech
- Executive Director of Olympus Capital Asia, a pan-Asia PE fund with AUM exceeding USD2 bn
- Chartered Accountant of Singapore



CHUNG Chi Shing, Stephen
Senior Financial Controller

- More than 13 years experience in financial accounting
- Previously with a big four accounting firm, including holding various positions in asset and fund management
- Member of HKICPA



# 1. Business Update

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# **Company snapshot**



We are a leading supply chain fintech platform...

Empowering **SMEs** 

**Driving supply chain efficiency Making finance more inclusive** 

### China's first

supply chain fintech company listed on the HKEx











### **Platformisation**

Dual Engine + One Platform

# Industrial Technology + Digital Finance



= Supply chain fintech platform

# Strong shareholder support

From reputable investors

### TEMASEK HOLDINGS





### Solid partnerships

With blue-chip core enterprises and their business ecosystems

**Coverage of** 

11 core enterprise ecosystems spanning 1,600+ entities

8,200+ SMEs served

\*Note: Effective 6 September 2021

# **Key milestones**



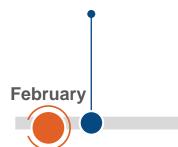


Completed the industry's first-ever offshore syndicated loan, raising RMB 525 million

Strategic Investment in leading consumer healthcare SaaS provider, LinkedCare

- Coverage of over 30,000 dental clinics
- Linked to over 10,000 SKU
- Backed by reputable investors including Investcorp, Matrix Partners China, Lightspeed China Partners

Strategic partnership with **China-mobile backed** healthcare big data platform, **Lianren Digital Health** to expand service offerings within digital health and supply chain space





June





Awarded "A" rating by MSCI ESG, surpassing peers as top 20% globally and top 5% in China in corporate governance

Inclusion into the Hang Seng Corporate Sustainability Index\*



August

Co-lead equity investment with Tencent into leading SaaS engineering management solutions provider, Mengcheng Technology

- Coverage of over 5,000 infrastructure projects
- Backed by reputable investors such as Tencent, China Growth Capital and Eastern Bell Capital.

Combined forces with Tencent Cloud for developing industrial IoT solutions for the smart construction and digital supply chain ecosystem.

Partnership with Global 500ranked **China Construction** to expand within the multi-billiondollar supply chain financing market.

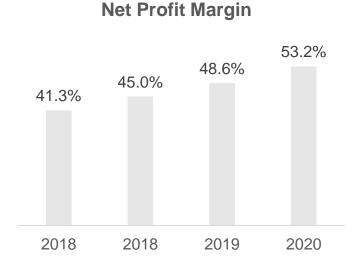
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# Our track record of growth since listing





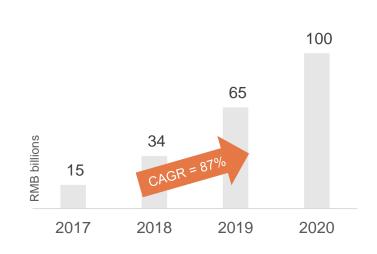




**Cumulative Platform Users** 



**Cumulative Platform Assets** 



**Supply Chain Ecosystem** 



Connected with

**62**Funding partners

### Platformisation in full force





+39% **Total assets managed** 

**Total platform users** 

>70%

~2.9x Daily average loan

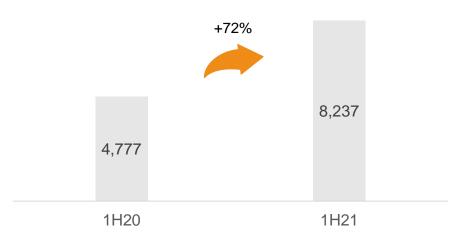
facilitation balance

>80% **Funding partners** 

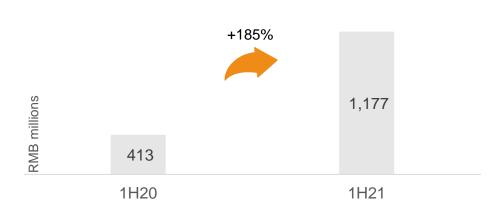
### **Cumulative Assets Under Management**



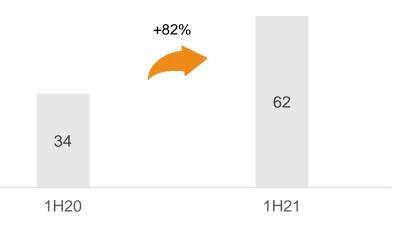
### **Total Platform Users**



### **Daily Average Loan Facilitation Balance**

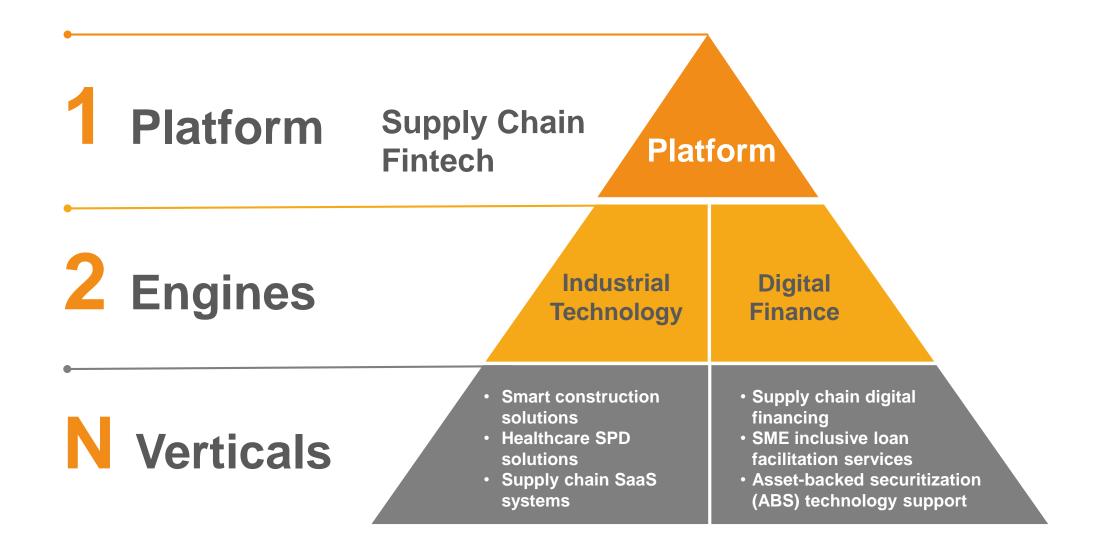


### **Platform Funding Partners**



# **Dual-Engine + One Platform Strategy**





# IoT-driven supply chain finance model





**Digital Supply Chain Finance** Solution

### Value creation for SMEs

- ✓ Improve scale and capability via flexible financing
- Stronger relationship with core buyers



Supply chain SaaS and IoT services



**Efficient Customer Acquisition and Big Data-driven Risk** Management

### Value creation for core enterprises

- Enhance operational efficiency
- ✓ Effective cost management
- ✓ Improve profitability

### Value creation for financial institutions

- ✓ Serve more SMEs with efficient customer acquisition
- Fintech-enabled risk management

### **Supply Chain SaaS & IoT Services**



**Hospital Supply, Procurement** & Distribution (SPD) **Transaction** 



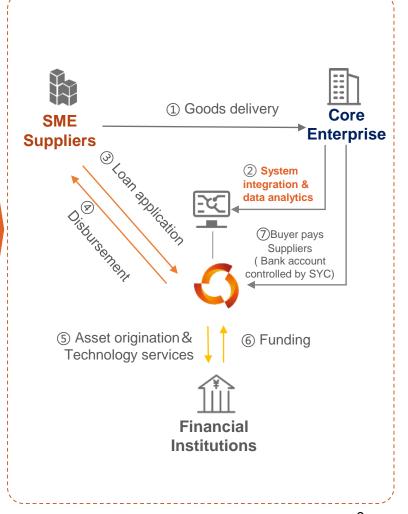
Supply Chain SaaS System



Acquire

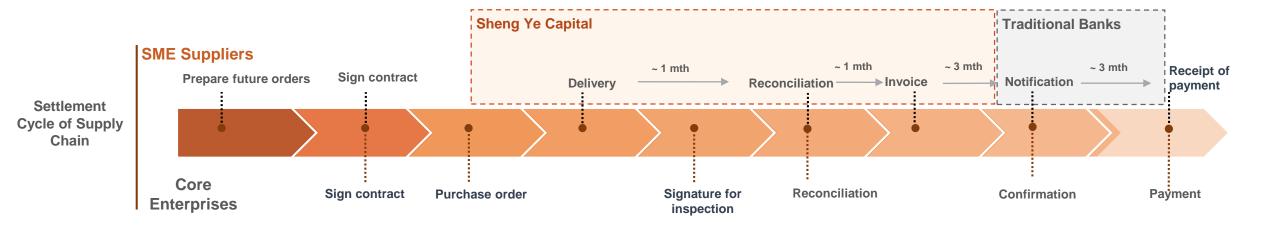
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**SME Supply Chain Financing Model** 



# Flexible supply chain finance services: driven by digital technology





### **Sheng Ye Capital Digital Finance**

**Range of Offering** 

 Covers the entire supply chain settlement cycle allowing for more innovative solutions

**Customer Experience** 

- Easy Factoring platform is fully online
- Convenient and flexible

**Flexibility** 

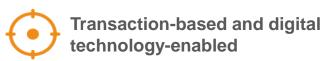
- Big data-driven, more precise and efficient
- Ability to offer competitive financing rates and flexible repayment schemes

### **Traditional Bank Factoring**

- Notification-based factoring
- Cannot timely alleviate SME pain points in financing
- Application process done offline
- Cumbersome
- Following traditional rationales of credit risk control, without support from real-time data and flexibility
- More requirements and limitations







# Paving the way with business innovation

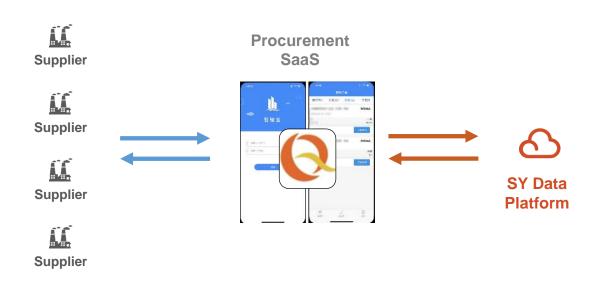


### ABS Innovation - Providing end-to-end service



- ✓ End-to-end ABS service offering
- ✓ Multi-dimensional data cross-checking
- ✓ Including non-confirmation factoring assets supported by proactive risk management appraoch
- ✓ AAA rated: achieved a low issuance coupon rate of 3.6%

### SaaS and IOT-driven service innovation



- ✓ Core enterprises: No need for confirmation or use of credit limits to support supplier financing, reducing procurement costs
- ✓ SME Suppliers: using flexible financing to scale business development
- ✓ SY Technology: Data acquisition and verification, strengthen customer acquisition and risk management capabilities

# Strategic investments into industrial technology

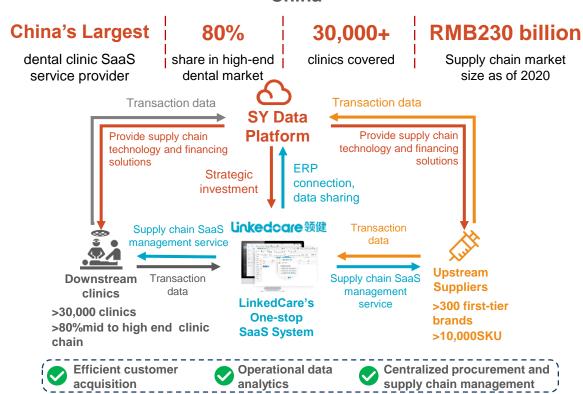


### Consumer medical SaaS+ supply chain digital finance

This strategic investment enables both parties to pool resources and create a more efficient supply chain ecosystem for the consumer medical industry.

Transaction is backed by reputable investors including Investcorp, Matrix Partners China, Lightspeed China Partners.

### LinkedCare: A Leading Consumer Healthcare SaaS Player in China



### SaaS-powered Engineering management + supply chain digital finance

Together with Tencent, our strategic investment into Mengcheng Technology creates a "Smart Construction + Digital Supply Chain" platform for accelerating the development of the industrial IOT ecosystem within the infrastructure segment.

Transaction is backed by reputable investors: Tencent, China Growth Capital and Eastern Bell Capital.

### Mengcheng Technology: A leading SaaS provider of engineering management solutions in the infrastructure segment

5.000+

RMB3 trillion+

Infrastructure projects

Project investments managed

### **Enhanced data risk management capabilities:**



Mengcheng's vast and timely construction data and other information enables SY Capital to employ dynamic risk management







Broaden industrial technology footprint: Strategic investment into Mengcheng facilitates joint efforts in creating value for core enterprises







Sheng Ye + Tencent: Driving the industrial IoT ecosystem













Differentiated fintech solution



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# Favorable policies for the supply chain fintech industry and SMEs



### **Favorable Policies and Regulations**

Vast demand for Large number of SMEs in China with huge demand for financing





Policies and regulations supporting the development of the factoring industry and SMEs...



### October 2019 Notice 205

The China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission ("CBIRC") implemented Notice 205 to regulate the commercial factoring industry and created opportunities for third party factoring companies to grab market share.



### **January 2021 Civil Code**

Factoring contracts officially ratified into the Civil Code. Established strong legal foundation for the future development of the industry.



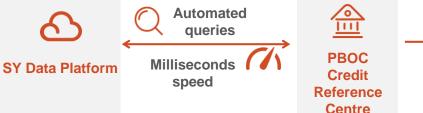
### **March 2021 Inclusive Financial Policy**

Government announced at the CBIRC press conference goal for five largest state banks to achieve 30% loan growth to SMEs.

### **Data Security and Business Compliance**



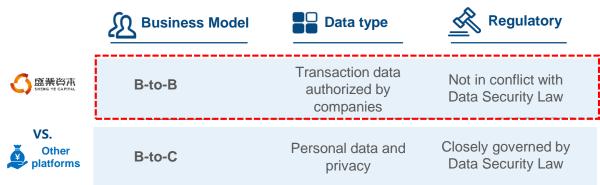
Direct platform connection with PBOC's Credit Reference Centre, powered with financial grade data security







### Access to supply chain data is fully compliant with regulations



# Robust outlook for supply chain financing market



### Strong government support for the development and innovation of commercial factoring and supply chain segments...

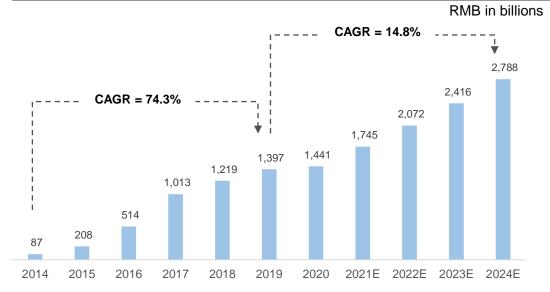


### ...to drive supply chain financing activity and commercial factoring sector

### **Supply Chain Financing Market Size in China**



## Commercial Factoring Market in China



Source: Frost & Sullivan data 15

# Strong policy supporting for industrial technology



### **Smart Construction**

Apr NDRC

promotes the intelligent upgrade of public facilities, data integration and sharing

Mar 🌳 Housing & Urban-Rural Development Ministry

promotes the use of Building Information Modelling (BIM), IoT, big data and other technologies to improve the degree of informatization of construction

2021

2020

SASAC

supports the acceleration of digital transformation of state-owned enterprises



Housing & Urban-Rural Development and 13 other ministries

promotes smart construction and development of industrialization for construction sector

Housing & Urban-Rural

Development and 9 other ministries

promotes BIM technology



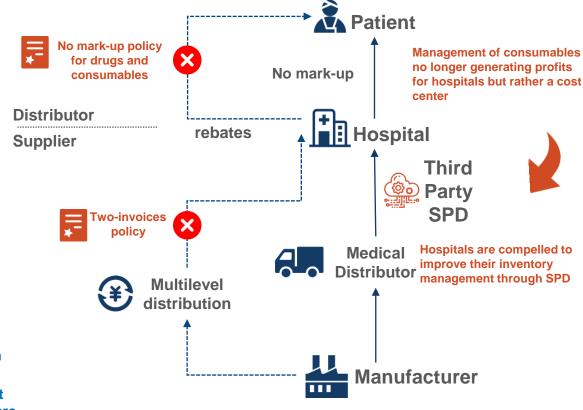




SaaS Big Data Smart Hardware

### **Healthcare SPD**

With the advancement of medical reform in China and the end to the practices of hospitals funding their operations with profits from overpriced drugs, hospitals are forced to fine-tune their management of medical supplies, creating market potential for third-party medical SPD.





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# Digital technology enabling







**Smart** verification

- Integration with PBOC Credit Reference Center and account receivables ("AR") registry platform for facilitating automated verification
- Automated verification requires only **0.5s** for a single query

### **Digital technology** advantages

8-year track

record





- 87 R&D staff
- Senior IT managers served as technical advisors for financial regulatory authorities

### **Addressing Customer Pain Points**

- ✓ Customer retention: 95%
- ✓ High customer stickiness
- ✓ Meeting the needs of users

Data precision and security



✓ Connection with **PBOC** 

√ Risk management surpassing industry standards





**Precise** recognition OCR accuracy up to 97%

**NLP** 

Al, machine learning

>300,000 PBOC login queries

>350,000 public sentiments tracked

>20,000 contracts processed







- 34 patents and copyrights
- >10 intellectual property applications pending approval





- Wholly-owned subsidiary Sheng Ye Information Technology Service (Shenzhen) Co Limited
- National **High-tech** Enterprise

### Solutions for smart construction



### **Emergence of smart construction sites**

Smart construction sites has evolved to harness **AI**, **Big Data**, **IoT** and other advanced technologies including real-time, dynamic collection. This allows companies to achieve intelligent site management, save energy and reduce emission, monitor IOT, implement safety management and other integrated applications.











# Healthcare SPD smart supply chain management

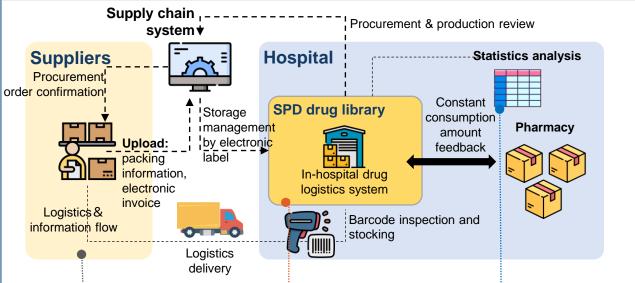


### **Healthcare SPD smart supply chain management**

- Work closely with core enterprises, assist hospitals in the implementation of their SPD supply chain platforms for enhanced management
- 2. Provide more efficient financing solutions through leveraging data integration



### System implementation and holistic solution



Become preferred financing partner



Acquire real-time order, delivery and warehouse data



Acquire procurement and receivable information in real-time















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# **Responsible Inclusive Finance Model**







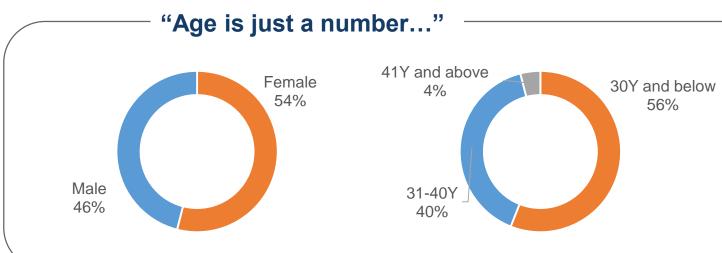




\*Note: Effective 6 September 2021

# **Corporate culture**







Data as at 30 June, 2021

### **Diversified Team Building Activities**







# Our commitment to social responsibility



In addition to supporting SMEs in their financing needs, we are also active in various charitable and socially responsible activities.

98%

Loan disbursement to small and medium enterprises

**RMB** 

3 million

Average loan size + extension fee waiver

180+

hours
Dedicated to
charitable activities















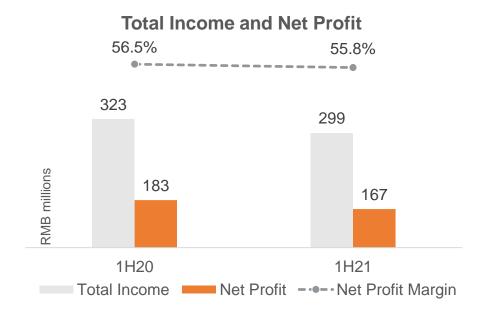
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# Robust quality of earnings driven by technology transformation

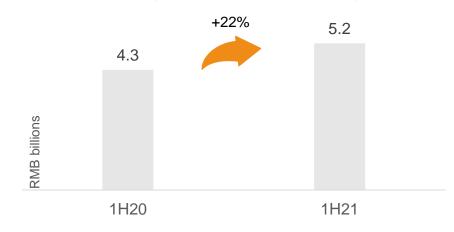


In line with our strategy, we experienced a slight decline in revenue due to our shift towards a platform-based strategy to achieve higher earnings quality.

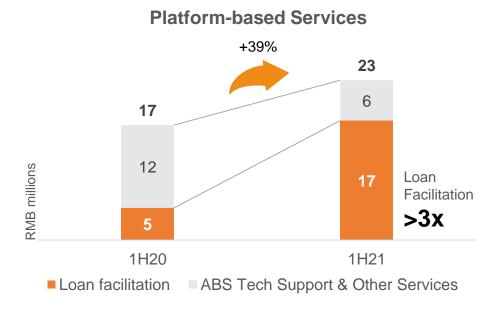
Our business model remains fundamentally sound, with total factoring assets^ increasing 22% year-on-year while maintaining profitability at over 50%.



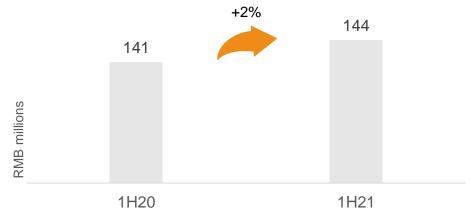
### Daily Average Balance of Factoring Assets<sup>^</sup>



^ includes self-funded and platform-originated (loan facilitation) assets



### Adjusted Net Profit\*



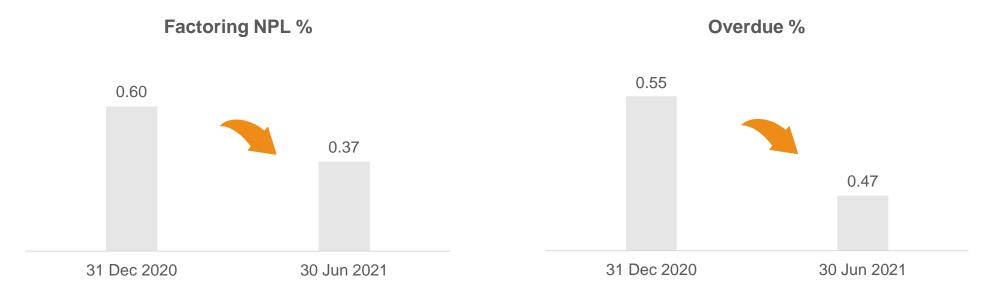
\*Excluding gains from changes in FV of equity tranche financial assets

# **Key Financials**



Factoring NPL % was lower as of 30 June 2021 as compared to 31 December 2020 due to partial recovery of some loans over the period.

We had lower overdue % due to changes in our factoring portfolio risk exposure as well as overall improvement of asset quality across the platform.



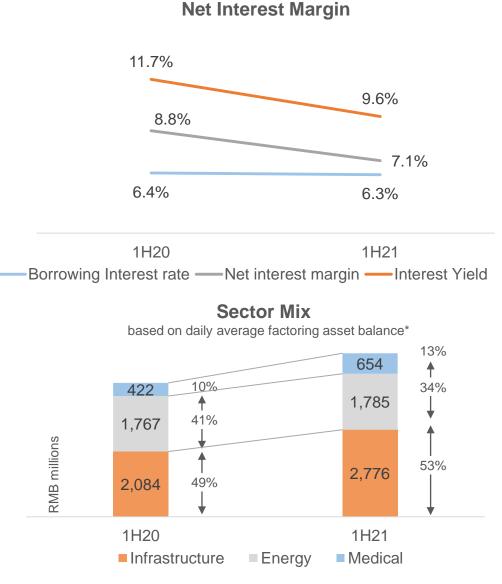
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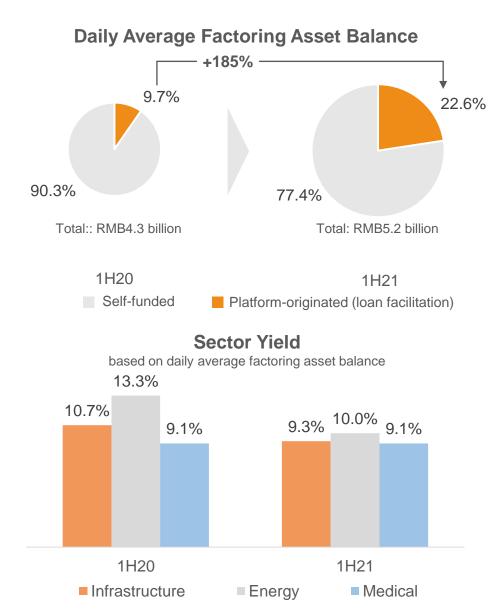
- Factoring NPL ratio = End of period gross carrying amount of NPL / End of period gross carrying amount of total factoring assets x 100%
- The Group continues to strengthen its risk management in 2021 with prudent operation and rigorous selection of clients while enhancing business development

# **Key Financials**



Net interest margin declined over the previous period due to change in our product mix and our commitment to keep flexible financing solutions affordable for our SME customers.





<sup>\*</sup> includes self-funded and platform-originated (loan facilitation) assets

# **Cost structure**



### **Operational Costs % of Income\***

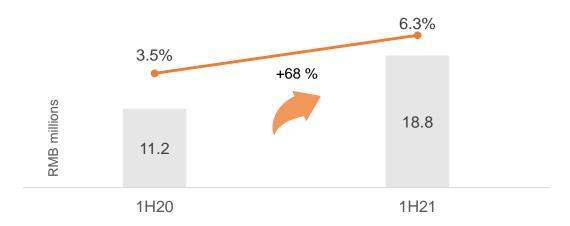


<sup>\*</sup> Not including one-time expenses

### **Intellectual Property Count**



### **R&D Expenses % Income**



### **Total Staff Costs**





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# **Appendix: Simplified Income Statement**



	FY2020 RMB'000	1H 2020 RMB'000	1H 2021 RMB'000	YoY change
Digital financing solutions				
Interest income	443,529	226,130	192,896	-14.7%
Guarantee fee	17,324	5,500	7,690	+39.8%
Subtotal	460,853	231,630	200,586	-13.4%
Platform-based services				
Loan facilitation services	12,000	4,696	17,400	+270.5%
Technology service for asset-backed securitization products	13,286	8,296	3,130	-62.3%
Other services	9,748	3,753	2,731	-27.2%
Subtotal	35,034	16,745	23,261	+38.9%
Gains on sales of factoring assets	138,233	75,105	75,427	+0.4%
Total Revenue	634,120	323,480	299,274	-7.5%
Administrative and other expenses	(189,655)	(88,199)	(88,321)	-0.1%
Finance costs	(126,721)	(64,317)	(50,595)	-21.3%
Profit before taxation	387,088	213,505	187,532	-12.2%
Taxation	(49,692)	(30,846)	(20,573)	-33.3%
Profit for the period	337,396	182,659	166,959	-8.6%
Effective tax rate	12.84%	14.45%	10.97%	-3.48 pts
Profit for the period attributable to:				
Owners of the company	329,252	179,210	160,589	-10.4%
Non-controlling interests	8,144	3,449	6,370	+84.7%
Earnings per share				
Basic (RMB cents)	37	20	17	-15.0%
Dividend:				
Dividend per share (HK\$ cents)	6.3	-	-	-

# **Appendix: Simplified Balance Sheet**



		As at 31 Dec 2020 RMB'000	As at 30 Jun 2020 RMB'000	As at 30 Jun 2021 RMB'000	YoY change
Non-current assets					
	Intangible assets	22,218	19,504	25,494	+ 30.7%
	Investment in associates	150,911	140,748	162,541	+15.5%
	Total non-current assets	324,078	207,743	390,663	+88.1%
Current assets					
	Financial asset at FVTPL	30,878	48,268	126,357	+161.8%
	Factoring assets at FVTOCI	3,789,922	3,947,696	4,253,048	+7.7%
	Pledged bank deposits	255,489	175,552	320,522	+82.6%
	Bank balances and cash	348,715	211,448	301,333	+42.5%
	Total current assets	4,462,420	4,446,660	5,100,446	+14.7%
Total assets		4,786,498	4,654,403	5,491,109	+18%
Factoring assets/ total assets %		79%	85%	78%	-7 pts
Current liabilities					
	Other payables and accrued charges	105,552	86,424	103,796	+20.1%
	Income tax payable	36,679	33,653	25,650	-23.8%
	Borrowings	1,475,913	1,748,456	1,562,469	-10.6%
	Bank overdrafts	10,828	16,505	-	-100%
	Total current liabilities	1,689,368	2,044,587	1,812,815	-11.3%
Net current assets		2,773,052	2,402,073	3,287,631	+36.9%
Non-current liabilities		69,786	67,489	535,112	+692.9%
Net assets		3,027,344	2,542,327	3,143,182	+23.6%
Capital and reserves					
	Share capital	8,127	7,642	8,139	+6.5%
	Reserves	2,907,920	2,422,520	3,040,149	+25.5%
	Non-controlling interests	111,297	112,165	94,894	-15.4%
Total equity		3,027,344	2,542,327	3,143,182	+23.6%

# **Appendix: Key Operating Metrics**



	FY2020	1H2020	1H2021	YoY change
Daily Averages (RMB'000)				
Factoring asset balance	3,931,383	3,859,834	4,037,432	+4.6%
Borrowings	1,710,282	1,709,545	1,540,493	-9.9%
Loan Disbursement	13,124,958	6,516,242	6,604,491	+1.4%
Operational KPIs (using daily averages)				
Net profit margin	53.2%	56.5%	55.8%	-0.7 pts
Interest yield from factoring services	11.3%	11.7%	9.6%	-2.1 pts
Borrowing interest rate (excl. one-off expense)	6.6%	6.4%	6.3%	-0.1 pts
Net interest margin (excl. one-off expense)	8.4%	8.8%	7.0%	-1.8 pts
Operational cost to income	29.2%	26.5%	29.3%	+2.8 pts
Return Ratios				
ROA (on factoring assets)	8.8%	9.4%	8.3%	-1.1 pts
ROA (on total assets)	7.3%	8.0%	6.5%	-1.5 pts
Balance Sheet Ratios				
Total asset / Total equity	158%	183%	175%	-8 pts
Total asset / Total liability	272%	220%	234%	+14 pts
Gearing ratio: Total liability / Total equity	58%	83%	75%	-8 pts