# JSE LIMITED Investor Presentation

2023



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## Introduction



### JSE business model

#### **PUBLIC MARKETS**

JSE provides public marketplaces for raising capital and trading in equities, bonds, derivatives, currencies and commodities, while JSE Clear provides clearing services for listed derivatives.

#### **LISTING SERVICES**

**Primary Market** 

#### **TRADING SERVICES**

Secondary Market

**Equity Market** 

**Equity Derivatives** Market

Currency **Derivatives** Market

**Interest Rate** Market

Commodity **Derivatives** Market

#### **POST-TRADE SERVICES** (equity and bond market)

Clearing and settlement services

Broker-Dealer Accounting services

#### **JSE CLEAR** (derivatives market)

Independent Clearing House licensed to provide central counter-party clearing services for transactions in listed derivatives

#### **INFORMATION SERVICES**

Promotion, licensing and sale of data and statistics

#### **JSE INVESTOR SERVICES**

Share registry and investor service provider, maintaining the register of listed and unlisted companies

#### TECHNOLOGY INFRATSRUCTURE | Fully electronic, efficient and secure market with world-class regulation, trading and clearing systems, settlement assurance and

risk management.

#### **REGULATORY OVERSIGHT**

The JSE is the frontline of issuers and trading and clearing

#### **ISSUER SERVCIES**

Venue hire AGM facilitation Training Secretarial services

**Operational enablers** 

Services/activities

**PRIVATE MARKETS** 

JSE Private Placements supports private markets by

providing a forum to raise equity and debt through Globacap's automated and digitised platform.

The focus is on SME and infrastructure funding

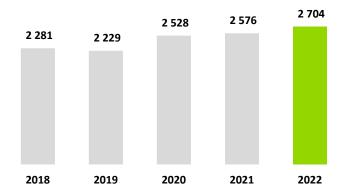
**Asset classes** 

members

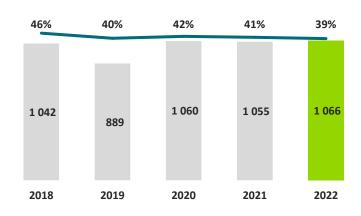


### 5 year financial review

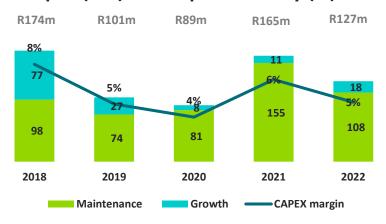
### **Total Revenue (Rm)**



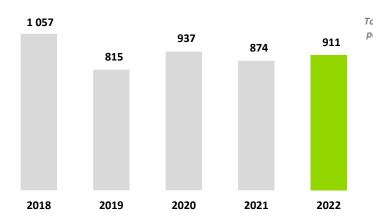
### **EBITDA and EBITDA Margin (%)**



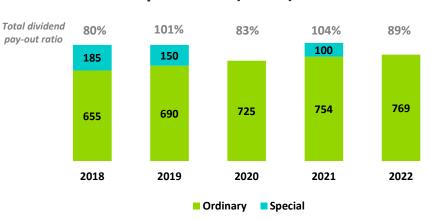
### Capex (Rm) and Capex intensity (%)



### **EPS** (cents)



### **Dividend per share (cents)**



#### **Cash Conversion**





### Diversified market structure and segments support performance

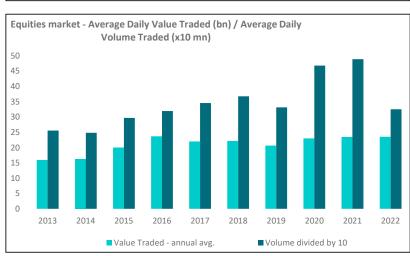
All Share index hits record high and ends the year ahead of major markets

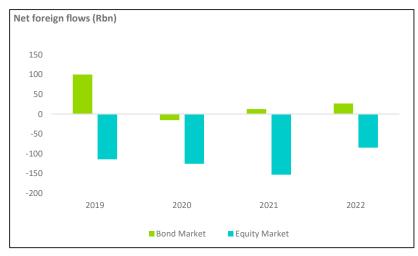
Lower volatility in H2 vs H1, although structurally higher than the previous 5 years

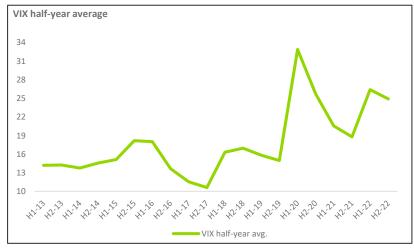
South Africa's weighting within **FTSE** emerging markets index moved from 3.88% (31 Dec 2021) to 4.20% (31 Dec 2022)

**Moderation in net foreign** outflows in equity market with continued net inflows in bond market











## Strategic priorities geared towards maximising short-term opportunities and future proofing the business

### **Protect & Grow**

 Advance product innovation

 Digitisation and simplification

 Operational resilience

- Automation and digitisation
- STT upgrade
- Product and service developments

### **Transform**

- Expand digital footprint
- Build market data business
- Diversify revenue and scale acquisitions

- IS 2026 growth strategy
- JIS progression
- New market development

### **Sustainable market**

- Improve SME access to capital
- Accelerate global partnerships
- Become preferred EM exchange

- Client satisfaction
- Talent retention and acquisition
- SME incubator
- BEE level 2 rating
- Sustainability strategy

### Generate sustainable, high-quality earnings

HEPS growth above that of the prior reporting period

**NPAT margin 29%** 

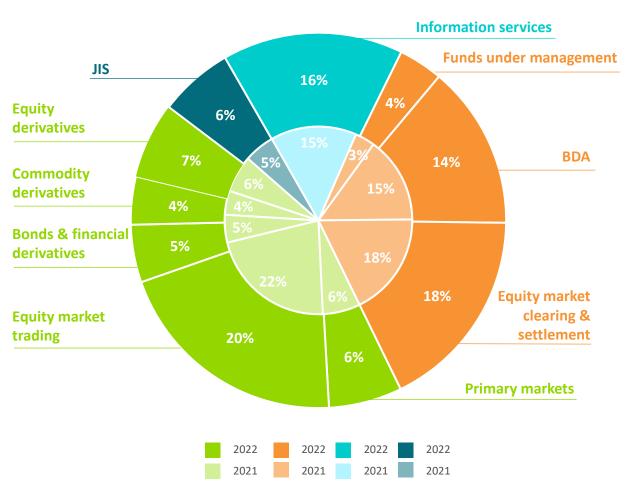
**ROE 19%** 

## **Business Segments**



### FY 2022 – Business segment breakdown

	2022 Revenue (Rm)	2021 Revenue (Rm)	% Growth YoY
Capital markets*	1 067	1 036	3%
Equity market: trading**	512	517	-1%
<b>Equity derivatives</b>	163	150	9%
Primary market	158	153	3%
Bonds & financial derivatives	124	113	10%
Commodity derivatives	103	97	6%
JIS	159	125	28%
Post-trade services	884	854	3%
Equity market: clearing & settlement	438	423	3%
BDA	351	351	0%
Funds under management	95	81	18%
Information services	388	350	11%

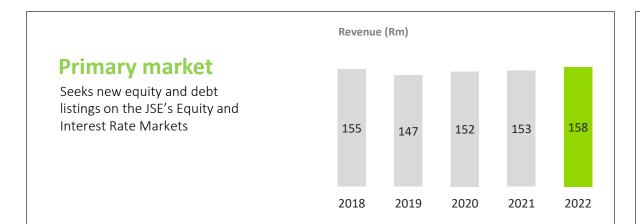


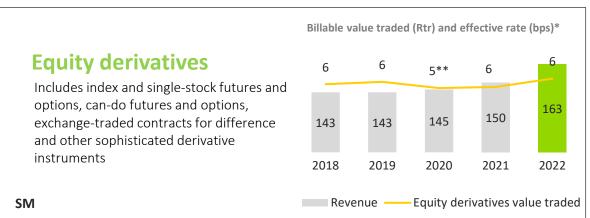


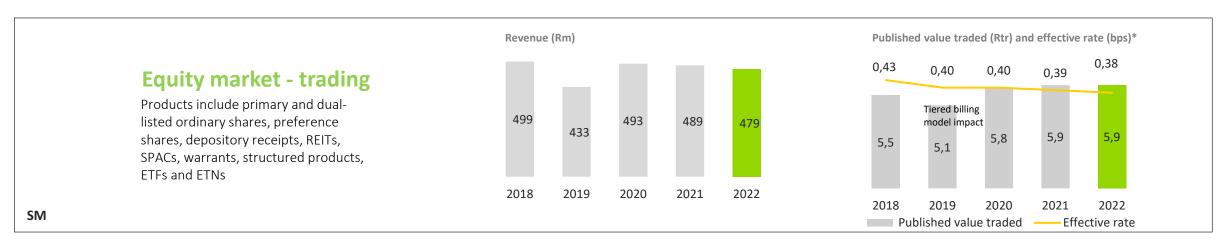
<sup>\*</sup>Includes Issuer Services revenue (R7m) and JPP (R0.3m)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes colocation revenue

### **Capital Markets**







Secondary Market (SM): trading, colocation and client support services

<sup>\*</sup>Effective rate: Revenue divided by billable value traded

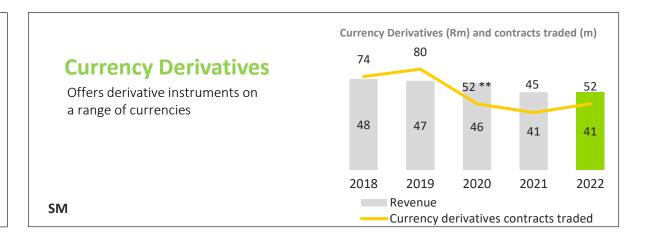
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### **Capital Markets (continued)**

# Interest Rate Market Provides cash bonds, floating rate notes, commercial paper and hybrid instruments, interest rate derivatives and a green 36 33 35 71 71

2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

SM Revenue — Bond nominal value traded



### **Commodity Derivatives**

Offers a range of cash-settled rand denominated derivatives on various local and international benchmark commodities, including softs, energy and various metals, as well as beef carcass, Mexican white maize, lamb carcass and wool futures contracts

Interest Rate (Rm) and bond nominal value (Rtr)



Secondary Market (SM): trading, colocation and client support services

bond segment

SM

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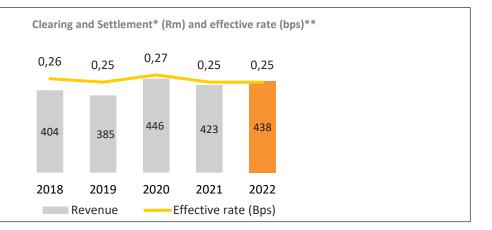
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### **Post-Trade Services**

### **Clearing & Settlement**

The JSE acts as the settlement authority for the exchange-traded Equity Market and as the clearing house for the exchange-traded Derivatives Market (via the central counterparty (CCP), JSE Clear Proprietary Limited (JSE Clear).

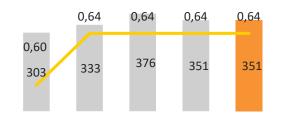
Comprehensive risk management framework provides accurate measurement, control and appropriate protection from all identifiable risks arising in the markets cleared (e.g. counterparty credit risk, credit contingent market risk and liquidity risk)



### **BDA (Broker Dealer Accounting)**

For the Equity Market

BDA provides surveillance capabilities, allowing the JSE to see certain transactions to client level in real time. Equity members are mandated to use the system, which keeps the securities records and books of individual broking firms and their clients



2020

2021

Cents per transaction

2022

2018

2019

Revenue

Back-Office Services (Rm) and cents per transaction

### **Funds under Management**

A management fee for funds under management for JSET (JSE Trustees, which includes both margin payments and default fund contributions, is currently charged



<sup>\*</sup> Clearing & Settlement revenue only reflects equity market clearing fees

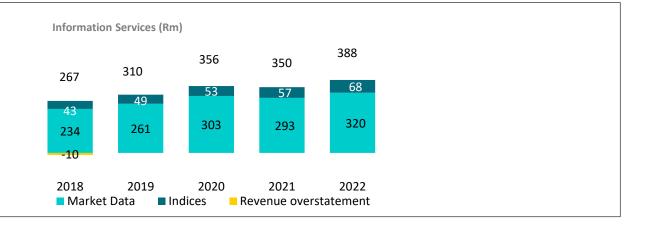
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### Information Services, JIS

### **Information Services**

Provides market data, reference data, corporate actions, client data, indices, valuations, business intelligence and statistics.

Responsible for the promotion, licensing and sale of all JSE information products and services across all JSE markets, currently weighted towards the Equity Market.



### JIS

Acquired Link SA in November 2020, first full-year consolidation in 2021

Transfer secretarial services to issuers, including share register maintenance, issuer communication, managing corporate actions, share scheme management as well as a central securities depository participant offering.



# 2023 Financial Review



### **Key financial highlights**

### **Profitability**

39% > +4(
(2021: 41%) to R2

income
+40%
to R203m
(2021: R146m)

EPS & HEPS
+4%

917.7 cents and
911.1 cents
(2021: HEPS 878.9
EPS 874.1 cents)

### **Cash & capital allocation**

**Cash generated Cash balance** Capex from operations **R2.2bn R127**m **R978m** (2021: R2.4bn) (2021: R165m) (2021: R917m) **Regulatory capital Solvency: Ordinary dividend Ordinary dividend R1.2bn** per share payout ratio (2021: R1.1bn) **769c** 89% Supported by (2021: 754c) (2021: 92%) R822m in cash, R143m in bonds

## OPEX growth reflects operating environment pressures across the board

### Personnel costs up 7% (R43m) to R693m

• Gross remuneration increased due to annual salary adjustments and an increase in the average headcount (Share Plans business acquisition)

### Technology costs up 2% (R8m) to R345m

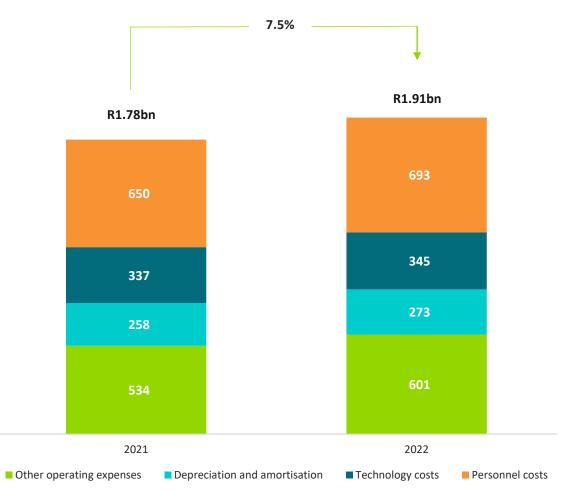
New growth initiatives, includes JIS and JPP

### Depreciation and amortisation up 6% (R16m) to R273m

- Accelerated depreciation on software licences owing to new solutions implemented
- Accelerated amortisation on leasehold improvements

#### Other operating expenses up 12% (R66m) to R601m

- Impact of operating environment pressures across the board, including an increase in building utilities (e.g., electricity and diesel)
- Low base effect owing to COVID-19
- Strategic initiatives and implementation costs
- JIS administration fees related to revenue generating activities
- Imposed regulatory related costs and compliance costs



## Continued investments in operational resilience and growth

### Investments made as planned in 2022:

#### **Grow the Business**

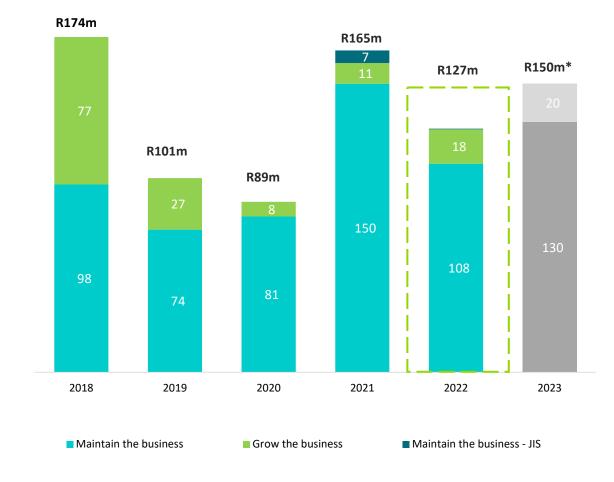
- Information Services growth strategy
- Securities collateral

#### **Maintain the Business**

- Rejuvenation of infrastructure and systems
- Regulatory enhancements
- · Operational resilience
- Leasehold improvements

### 2023 CAPEX guidance: R130m - 150m\*

- Information Services growth strategy
- Bond CCP
- Rejuvenation of infrastructure and systems maintenance
- Clearing enhancements
- Regulatory enhancements



### Soundly capitalised group

### **Investor protection & other funds (not distributable)**

- JSE Derivatives Fidelity Fund
- JSE Guarantee Fund
- BESA Guarantee Fund
- JSE Empowerment Fund
- JSE Reserve Portfolio

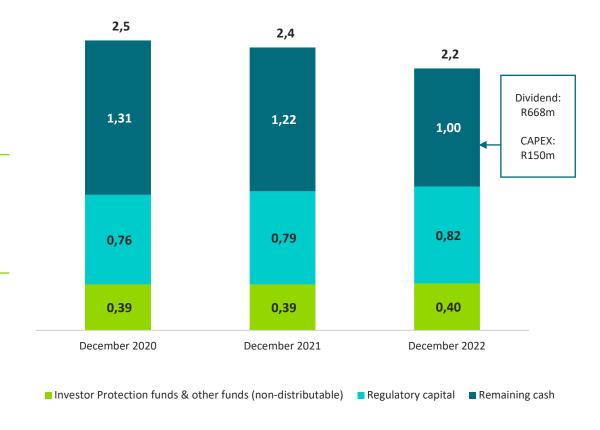
### Regulatory capital (regulatory minimum)

- JSE Limited: 6 months OPEX held in cash and government bonds\*
- R115m additional capital injection into JSE Clear, ICH\*\*

### Remaining cash balance

- CAPEX
- · Return to shareholders through an ordinary dividend
- Other investment and working capital

### Breakdown of cash balance (Rbn)\*\*\*



<sup>\*\*</sup>Independent Clearing House.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Disclosed from 2020

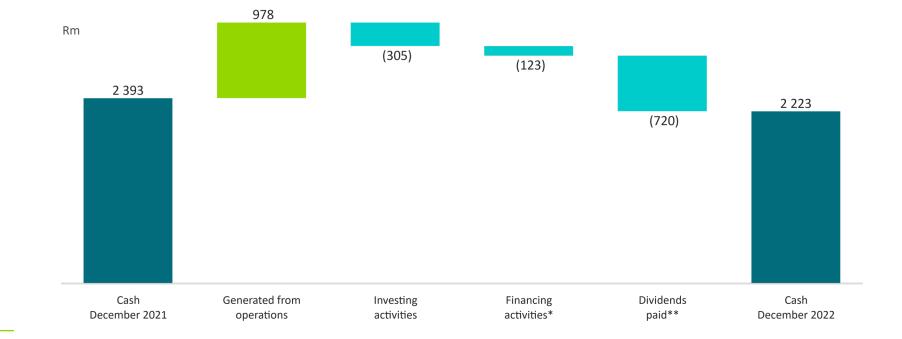
## Strong balance sheet underpinned by healthy cash generation

### **Investing activities**

- Largely intangible assets (including renewal of multi-year licences), plant and equipment
- Investment in government bonds

### **Financing activities**

- Acquisition of treasury shares
- Lease liability repaid



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<sup>\*</sup> Including effect of exchange rate fluctuations on foreign-denominated cash and proceeds from sale of treasury shares

<sup>\*\*</sup> Excluding dividend paid to JSE Empowerment Fund (JEF)

# Ordinary dividend up 2%; Committed to maximising shareholder returns

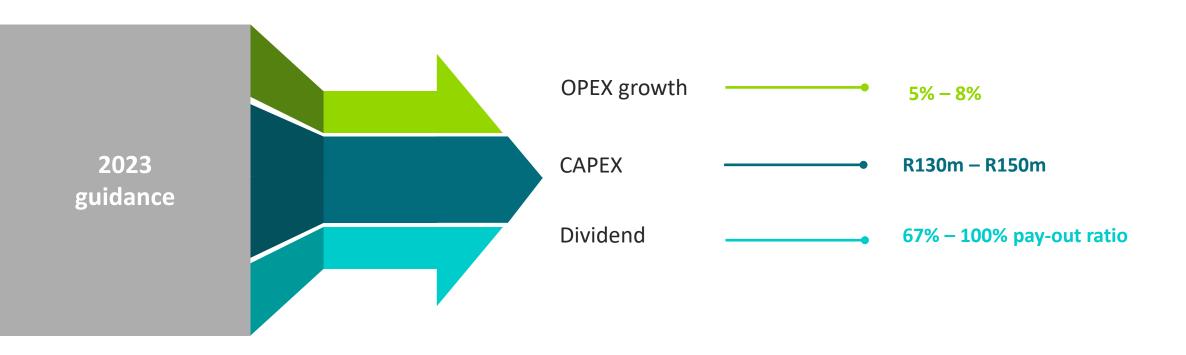
### **Dividend policy**

 Updated annual dividend policy from a progressive approach to a pay-out ratio (67% - 100% of earnings)



	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total ordinary dividend per share (cents)	655c	690c	725c	754c	769c
Total dividend (Rm)*	R730m	R730m	R630m	R741m	R668m
Ordinary dividend pay-out ratio	62%	87%	83%	92%	89%
Total dividend pay-out ratio	80%	101%	83%	104%	89%

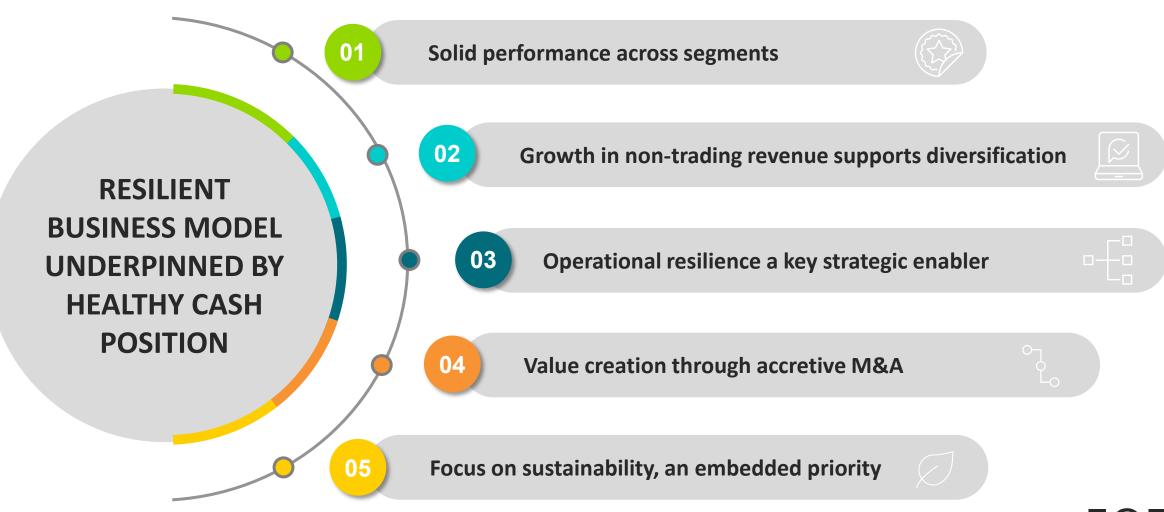
### FY 2023 expectations



## Summary



### JSE Investment proposition



## Appendix



### Value generation profile across each segment

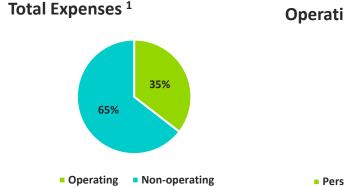
Business segment	Value generation
Capital Markets	<ul> <li>Listing services: Initial listing fee (% of the value of the stock listed for each issuance, following a tiered model) with a cap</li> <li>Ongoing annual listing fees post initial listing</li> <li>Documentation fees</li> <li>Trading services: Trading fee on transactions either as a % of billable value traded (tiered model) or per contract (certain derivatives only)</li> <li>Caps applied consistently &amp; lower trading fees for on-screen trading (derivatives)</li> <li>Additional fees for market access, connectivity, colocation and delivery (commodity derivatives)</li> </ul>
Post Trade Services	<ul> <li>Equity &amp; debt clearing/settlement: Clearing/Settlement fee as a % of each leg of a trade (capped)</li> <li>Margin for Cash Equity market is calculated at EOD T+1 in a T+3 settlement cycle</li> <li>Derivatives clearing/settlement: Single fee for trading and clearing services. Explicit fee for clearing and settlement (charged by JSE Clear) will be introduced in the forthcoming months</li> <li>Margins posted by market participants are invested and generate net financial income for the JSE based on an interest consideration (below EBIT)</li> </ul>

### Value generation profile across each segment

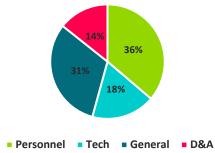
Business segment	Value generation
Post Trade Services	Funds under Management: Management fee (includes both margin payments and default fund contributions)  BDA: Fee charged per transaction (tiered model), in connection with trade execution and accounting record keeping  Remainder: fixed monthly fees
Information Services	<ul> <li>Selling data products across the JSE's markets and licensing the distribution and use of these data products</li> <li>Licensing fees include end-user terminal fees, non-display use fees and fees for passively tracking products on indices</li> </ul>
JSE Investor Services (JIS)	<ul> <li>Charges for:         <ul> <li>Registry services and share plan administration</li> <li>Corporate actions and margin income</li> </ul> </li> <li>Shareholder analytics, financial management for trusts, asset reunification and director board applications</li> </ul>

### **OPEX trends**

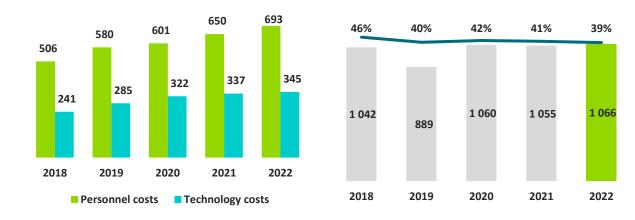
### JSE cost structure (2021)



### **Operating Expenses**



### **OPEX trends (Rm) and EBITDA profile (% of revenue)**



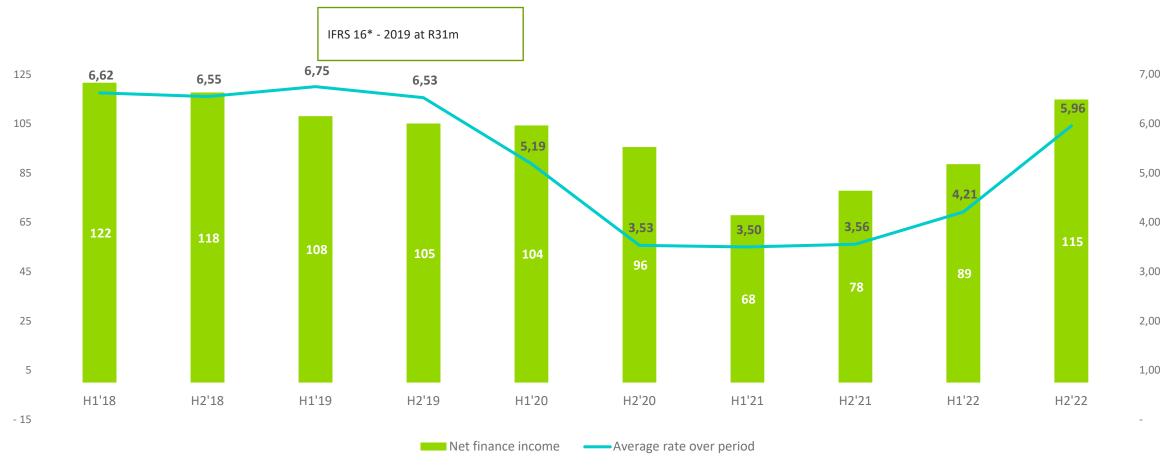
### **Key highlights**

- Cost structure predominantly driven by OPEX:
  - OPEX base mainly fixed in nature
  - Variable expenses mostly linked to variable remuneration & nonrecurring costs
- Personnel costs: salaries benchmarked against local peers, average increases limited to inflation estimates
- Technology costs: mainly contractual costs with annual inflationary increases; cybersecurity spend typically in excess of inflation
- Other operating expenses: We manage general expenses through close cost monitoring, reporting and contract leveraging. Managing the cost growth trajectory remains a key priority.
- D&A: linked to maintenance and growth CAPEX, profile is provided.
- Non-operating costs<sup>1</sup> comprising income tax expenses



## **Evolution of interest rates and impact on JSE's net finance income**

SARB's repo rate (%) and JSE half-year net finance income (Rm): 2018 – 2022



## Thank You

