

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (ASX:DXC)

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Results for announcement to the market

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT

ARSN 619 527 829

Financial reporting for the period ended 31 December 2024

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT ¹	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	%
	\$'000	\$'000	Change
Revenue from ordinary activities	29,143	28,952	0.7 %
Net profit attributable to security holders after tax	14,702	(1,719)	n/m
Funds from operations (FFO) ²	14,309	14,453	(1.0)%
Distribution to security holders	14,156	14,258	(0.7)%
	CPS	CPS	
FFO per security ²	10.39	10.49	(1.0)%
Distribution per security for the period ending:			
30 September	5.138	5.175	(0.8)%
31 December	5.138	5.175	(0.8)%
Total distributions	10.276	10.350	(1.0)%
Payout ratio (distribution per security as a % of FFO per security)	98.9%	98.7%	0.2ppt
Basic earnings per security	10.67	(1.24)	n/m
Diluted earnings per security	10.67	(1.24)	n/m
Franked distribution amount per security	–	–	– %
	\$'000	\$'000	
Total assets	720,978	769,038	(6.2)%
Total borrowings	206,940	248,152	(16.6)%
Security holders equity	491,462	500,406	(1.8)%
Market capitalisation	405,004	358,167	13.1 %
	\$ per security	\$ per security	
Net tangible assets	3.57	3.63	(1.7)%
Securities price	2.94	2.60	13.1 %
Securities on issue	137,756,563	137,756,563	
Record date	31 Dec 2024	29 Dec 2023	
Payment date	20 Feb 2025	22 Feb 2024	

Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)

The Group has a DRP in place. The DRP is not currently open.

- 1 For the purposes of statutory reporting, the stapled entity, known as DXC, must be accounted for as a consolidated group. Accordingly, one of the stapled entities must be the "deemed acquirer" of all other entities in the Group. Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 (Dexus Convenience Retail REIT) has been chosen as the deemed acquirer of the balance of the DXC stapled entities, comprising Convenience Retail REIT No.1 and Convenience Retail REIT No.3.
- 2 The Directors consider the Property Council of Australia's (PCA) definition of FFO to be a measure that reflects the underlying performance of the Group. FFO comprises net profit/loss after tax attributable to stapled security holders, calculated in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and adjusted for: property revaluations, derivative mark-to-market impacts, fair value movements of interest bearing liabilities, amortisation of tenant incentives, gain/loss on sale of certain assets, straight line rent adjustments, non-FFO tax expenses, certain transaction costs, one-off significant, rental guarantees and coupon income.

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About Dexus Convenience Retail REIT

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (ASX code: DXC) is a listed Australian real estate investment trust which owns high quality Australian service stations and convenience retail assets. At 31 December 2024, the fund's portfolio is valued at approximately \$709 million, is predominantly located on Australia's eastern seaboard and leased to leading Australian and international convenience retail tenants. The portfolio has a long lease expiry profile and contracted annual rent increases, delivering the fund a sustainable and strong level of income security. The fund has a conservative approach to capital management with a target gearing range of 25 – 40%. Dexus Convenience Retail REIT is governed by a majority Independent Board and managed by Dexus (ASX code: DXS), one of Australia's leading fully integrated real asset groups, with over 35 years of expertise in property investment, funds management, asset management and development. www.dexus.com

Dexus Asset Management Limited (ACN 080 674 479, AFSL No. 237500) (the "Responsible Entity") is the responsible entity and issuer of the financial products in respect of Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 (ARSN 101 227 614), Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 (ARSN 619 527 829) and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3 (ARSN 619 527 856) collectively the Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (ASX code: DXC) stapled group. The Responsible Entity is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dexus (ASX code: DXS).

The registered office for the Responsible Entity is Level 30, 50 Bridge Street, Sydney NSW 2000 and its principal place of business is Level 5, 80 Collins Street (South Tower), Melbourne VIC 3000.

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT
Interim Report
31 December 2024

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Dexus Convenience Retail REIT consists of three stapled entities, Convenience Retail REIT No. 2, Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3, collectively referred to as DXC or the Group. Dexus Asset Management Limited (DXAM) is the Responsible Entity of all three stapled entities. DXAM oversees the management and strategic direction of the Group. Dexus Convenience Retail REIT stapled securities are listed on the Australian Securities Exchange under the "DXC" code.

The registered office of the Responsible Entity of the Group is Level 30, Quay Quarter Tower, 50 Bridge Street, Sydney, NSW 2000 and its principal place of business is Level 5, 80 Collins Street (South Tower), Melbourne, VIC 3000.

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Strategy

Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (DXC) has taken an active and disciplined approach to investing in strategically located assets to provide investors with a defensive income stream generated from a \$709 million property portfolio. The business assesses opportunities across the broader commercial real estate landscape, with a focus on convenience retail and other assets with a non-discretionary focus, including fuel service stations. Currently, 86% of the portfolio by value is weighted towards high-quality metropolitan and highway service stations, with regional properties comprising the balance.

DXC's portfolio is underpinned by strong income visibility, with a weighted average lease expiry of 8.2 years and occupancy of 99.4%. DXC's assets are supported by a strong tenant base, with 95% of income derived from major national and international tenants.

DXC delivers its investment proposition to investors by:

- Generating defensive income with embedded rental growth
- Maintaining a prudent capital structure
- Taking an active approach to portfolio management
- Leveraging Dexus's leading real asset capabilities

Review of operations

The results of DXC's operations are disclosed in the Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income. A summary of results for the six months to 31 December 2024 is as follows:

Key financial performance metrics	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	Change
Net profit/(loss) after tax (\$'000)	14,702	(1,719)	n/m
Funds From Operations (FFO) (\$'000)	14,309	14,453	(1.0)%
FFO per security (cents)	10.4	10.5	(1.0)%
Distribution per security (cents)	10.3	10.4	(0.7)%

	31 December 2024	30 June 2024	Change
Net tangible asset backing per security (\$)	3.57	3.56	0.3%
Gearing (%)	28.7	32.9	(4.2)ppt

	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	Change
Profit & loss	\$'000	\$'000	
Net rental income	24,277	24,440	(0.7)%
Interest income	49	37	32.4%
Total revenue	24,326	24,477	(0.6)%
Management fees	(2,379)	(2,509)	(5.2)%
Finance costs	(6,455)	(5,923)	9.0%
Corporate costs	(470)	(542)	(13.3)%
Total expenses	(9,304)	(8,974)	3.7%
Net operating income	15,022	15,503	(3.1)%
Fair value gain/(loss) on derivatives	(3,502)	(4,575)	(23.5)%
Fair value gain/(loss) on investment properties	3,182	(12,647)	n/m
Statutory net profit/(loss) after tax	14,702	(1,719)	n/m

The Responsible Entity uses Funds From Operations (FFO) as its key performance indicator. The Directors consider the Property Council of Australia's (PCA) definition of FFO to be a measure that reflects the underlying performance of the Group. FFO comprises net profit/loss after tax attributable to stapled security holders, calculated in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and adjusted for: property revaluations, derivative mark-to-market impacts, fair value movements of interest bearing liabilities, amortisation of tenant incentives, gain/loss on sale of certain assets, straight line rent adjustments, non-FFO tax expenses, certain transaction costs, one-off significant items, rental guarantees and coupon income.

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A reconciliation of profit after tax to FFO is outlined as follows:

	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
FFO reconciliation	\$'000	\$'000
Profit/(loss) after tax for the period	14,702	(1,719)
Net fair value (gain)/loss on investment properties	(3,182)	12,647
Net fair value (gain)/loss on derivatives	3,502	4,575
Incentive amortisation and straight line rent	(1,736)	(1,820)
Debt modification	982	688
Rental guarantees, coupon income and other	41	82
FFO	14,309	14,453

	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	
FFO composition	\$'000	\$'000	Change
Property FFO	22,582	22,702	(0.5)%
Management fees	(2,379)	(2,509)	(5.2)%
Net finance costs	(5,424)	(5,198)	4.3%
Other net expenses	(470)	(542)	(13.3)%
FFO	14,309	14,453	(1.0)%

Financial result

The statutory result reflected a net profit after tax of \$14.7 million, compared to a loss of \$1.7 million in the prior corresponding period, primarily reflecting property valuation gains recorded this half compared to valuation losses in the prior corresponding period.

FFO was \$14.3 million, or 10.4 cents per security, reflecting a decline of 1.0% on the prior corresponding period primarily due to higher interest rates.

The portfolio delivered like-for-like net operating income growth of 2.8%, reflecting the attractive blend of fixed and CPI-linked rental escalators.

Net tangible assets and asset valuations

DXC had 38 of its 91 investment properties independently valued during the half, with the remainder subject to internal valuations. The external and internal valuations resulted in a net revaluation uplift of \$3.2 million, reflecting a 0.5% increase on prior book values. Contracted rental growth offset the impact of six basis points of capitalisation rate expansion on a like-for-like basis across the portfolio. The asset revaluations largely contributed to the stabilisation in NTA per security, up 1 cent or 0.3%, to \$3.57.

Property portfolio and asset management

DXC's property portfolio includes 91 assets valued at \$709 million with a weighted average capitalisation rate of 6.41%. The portfolio is weighted toward high value land uses, with 89% of asset zoning to commercial, industrial, residential or mixed use. In addition, there is potential for circa 20 value-add opportunities over the long term, subject to commercial considerations.

The portfolio is 86% weighted to metropolitan and highway assets, with regional properties comprising the remainder. Metropolitan and highway assets benefit from higher traffic flow with greater flexibility to explore alternate land usage over time to support consumer trends toward greater convenience retail spend per visit.

Portfolio occupancy remained strong at 99.4% and is underpinned by experienced national and global tenants, with 95% of rental income derived from major tenants. The portfolio offers strong income visibility with a weighted average lease expiry of 8.2 years and 88% of income expiring in FY30 or beyond.

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Developments

In February 2025, development commenced at the Northbound site of the Glass House Mountains redevelopment. Total redevelopment costs of \$24 million over a 12-month period are expected to generate a yield on cost of circa 5.8% and deliver strong development returns for DXC.

The site is 100% pre-leased to Viva Energy, McDonalds, Guzman y Gomez and KFC on an 18-year average lease term, with 43% of income to be derived from quick service restaurant retailers.

Transactions

DXC strengthened its balance sheet through executing \$38.8 million of divestments at an average 1.8% discount to book value. The divestments provided a 3.6 percentage point gearing reduction and enhanced hedging levels. The divestments have also enhanced portfolio quality by reducing DXC's exposure to regional locations. We are actively pursuing future growth initiatives and have begun redeploying capital into the high-quality Glass House Mountains redevelopment, which will materially increase DXC's exposure to high-quality convenience retail service centres.

Financial position

DXC's net assets increased \$0.5 million (or 1 cent per security to an NTA of \$3.57) primarily due to asset revaluations.

Balance sheet (\$'000)	31 December 2024	30 June 2024
Cash and cash equivalents	4,807	1,918
Investment properties	708,665	740,680
Other assets	7,506	11,260
Total assets	720,978	753,858
Borrowings	(206,940)	(243,204)
Provisions	(7,523)	(9,113)
Other liabilities	(15,052)	(10,625)
Total liabilities	(229,515)	(262,942)
Net assets	491,463	490,916
Stapled securities on issue ('000)	137,757	137,757
NTA per security (\$)	3.57	3.56

Capital management

Gearing of 28.7% is at the lower end of the 25 – 40% target range, with proceeds from asset sales utilised to repay debt. Hedged debt averaged 78% for the half, and is expected to average above 70% for FY25¹, providing material protection from higher interest rates. During the half, \$46.3 million of surplus debt facilities were retired to optimise overall debt costs. DXC maintained a long average debt maturity of 3.9 years with no debt expiries until FY27.

Key metrics	31 December 2024	30 June 2024
Gearing ^a	28.7%	32.9%
Cost of debt ^b	4.6%	4.2%
Average maturity of debt	3.9 years	4.2 years
Average hedged debt (including caps)	78%	75%
Headroom ^c	\$61.9m	\$67.7m

a) Adjusted for cash.

b) Weighted average for the period, inclusive of fees and margins on a drawn basis.

c) Undrawn facilities plus cash.

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Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG)

DXC is committed to delivering meaningful sustainability outcomes and aligns to the Dexus sustainability strategy, including an aspiration to unlock the potential of real assets to create a lasting positive impact and a more sustainable tomorrow. This also includes delivering against the sustainability priority areas of Customer Prosperity, Climate Action and Enhancing Communities.

Recognising the importance of climate action, 100% renewable electricity is sourced for assets where DXC has operational control. DXC maintained its carbon neutral position for Scope 1, 2 and some Scope 3 emissions across its business operations and controlled building portfolio for FY24 as part of the Dexus group submission under the Climate Active Standard².

DXC supports its customers' ESG aspirations and their varied approaches to the shift in the energy mix. Over the half, DXC supported customers with the installation of solar at its Orana, WA site as well as agreeing commercial terms for EV charger installation across three DXC assets.

For the redevelopment of the Northbound site at Glass House Mountains, sustainability initiatives have been embedded into the project design including plans for ten electric vehicle charging stations, rooftop solar, rainwater harvesting, grey water reuse and new fuel tank technology.

Market outlook

The recovery of fuel and convenience transaction volumes in 2024 now sits broadly in line with historic levels, despite a challenging interest rate environment. This has allowed for material asset price discovery and supported revaluations turning positive, which underpins DXC's NTA.

Summary and guidance

DXC is well placed to deliver defensive and growing property income and will retain its focus on:

- Enhancing portfolio attributes that deliver income certainty and growth
- Preserving balance sheet flexibility underpinned by a disciplined approach to capital allocation
- Pursuing value-enhancing activities, including the Glass House Mountains redevelopment and potential restocking of the development pipeline
- Leveraging Dexus's capabilities across transactions, developments, asset management and treasury

Despite the observed recovery in transaction market volumes and pricing, DXC continues to trade at a circa 20% discount to NTA³. DXC's service station and convenience retail assets benefit from predictable cash flows and strong tenant covenants are expected to support valuation resilience. In addition, the portfolio weighted average capitalisation rate provides a positive spread against the marginal cost of debt.

Barring unforeseen circumstances, DXC reiterates its FY25 guidance⁴ for FFO and distributions of 20.6 cents per security, reflecting an attractive distribution yield of 7.3%³.

Key risks

DXC's key risks are provided in its 2024 Annual Report on pages 32-33 and available at www.dexus.com/dxc-asx

¹ Assuming no further transactions.

² Covers scope 1, 2 and some scope 3. In line with Climate Active Carbon Neutral Standard for Organisations, net emissions for the year ended 30 June 2024 include offsets purchased and allocated for retirement during the year and up to the date of this report. Final Climate Active certification expected to be achieved post-reporting period. Refer to 2024 Sustainability Data Pack available on Dexus website for scope 3 inclusions.

³ Based on closing security price of \$2.84 as at 7 February 2025.

⁴ Based on property income growth supported by contracted rental increases, current interest rate expectations and barring unforeseen circumstances.

Directors' Report

The Directors of Dexus Asset Management Limited (DXAM) as Responsible Entity of Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 (CRR2 or the Trust and deemed parent entity) and its controlled entities (together DXC or the Group) present their Directors' Report together with the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for the half-year ended 31 December 2024. The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements represent CRR2, as deemed parent of the stapled group, and its controlled entities, which are referred to as DXC or the Group.

Directors

The following persons were Directors of DXAM at all times during the half-year and to the date of this Directors' Report, unless otherwise stated:

Directors	Appointed
Jennifer Horrigan, BBus, GradDipMgt, GradDipAppFin, MAICD	30 April 2012
Melanie Bourke, B.Com, MBA (Exec), CA, GAICD	17 July 2024
Danielle Carter, BA/BCom, GradDipAppFin, CA, GAICD	17 October 2022
Emily Smith, BCom, GAICD	19 April 2022
Jonathan Sweeney, BCom, LLB, CFA, GAICD	17 October 2022
Deborah Cookley, BBus, GAICD ¹	19 August 2021
Brett Cameron, LLB/BA, GAICD, FGIA – Alternate Director ²	1 March 2022

¹ Resigned from the DXAM Board effective 17 July 2024.

² Ceased as alternate director for Deborah Cookley on 17 July 2024, and was appointed as alternate director for Melanie Bourke on 17 July 2024.

Review of results and operations

Information on the operations and financial position of the Group and its business strategies and prospects is set out in the Operating and Financial Review on pages [2] to [5] of this Interim Report and forms part of this Directors' Report.

Significant changes in the state of affairs

During the financial period, DXC had no significant changes in its state of affairs.

Auditor's Independence Declaration

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* is set out on page 7 and forms part of this Directors' Report.

Rounding of amounts and currency

As the Group is an entity of the kind referred to in *ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191*, the Directors have chosen to round amounts in this Directors' Report and the accompanying Interim Consolidated Financial Statements to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise indicated. All figures in this Directors' Report and the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements, except where otherwise stated, are expressed in Australian dollars.

Directors' authorisation

The Directors' Report is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors. The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements were authorised for issue by the Directors on 10 February 2025.



Jennifer Horrigan
Chair
10 February 2025



Lead Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001

To the Directors of Dexus Asset Management Limited (as Responsible Entity for Convenience Retail REIT No. 2, the deemed parent entity for the Dexus Convenience Retail REIT Stapled Group)

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the review of the Interim Financial Report of Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (the Stapled Group) for the half-year ended 31 December 2024 there have been:

- i. no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review; and
- ii. no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

KPMG

Cameron Slapp

Partner

Sydney

10 February 2025

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the half-year ended 31 December 2024

	Note	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	31 Dec 2023 \$'000
Revenue from ordinary activities			
Property revenue	2	29,143	28,952
Total revenue from ordinary activities		29,143	28,952
Other income			
Interest revenue		49	37
Net fair value gain of investment properties	5	3,182	–
Total other income		3,231	37
Total income		32,374	28,989
Expenses			
Property expenses	2	(4,866)	(4,512)
Finance costs	3	(6,455)	(5,923)
Management fee expense		(2,379)	(2,509)
Net fair value loss of investment properties	5	–	(12,647)
Net fair value loss of derivatives		(3,502)	(4,575)
Other expenses		(470)	(542)
Total expenses		(17,672)	(30,708)
Profit/(loss) for the period		14,702	(1,719)
Profit/(loss) for the period attributable to:			
Security holders of the parent entity		5,013	(2,154)
Security holders of other stapled entities (non-controlling interests) ¹		9,689	435
Profit/(loss) for the period		14,702	(1,719)
Other comprehensive income for the period		–	–
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		14,702	(1,719)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period attributable to:			
Security holders of the parent entity		5,013	(2,154)
Security holders of other stapled entities (non-controlling interests) ¹		9,689	435
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		14,702	(1,719)
		Cents	Cents
Earnings per stapled security on profit/(loss) attributable to security holders of the Trust (parent entity)			
Basic earnings per security		3.64	(1.56)
Diluted earnings per security		3.64	(1.56)
Earnings per stapled security on profit/(loss) attributable to security holders of other stapled entities¹			
Basic earnings per security		7.03	0.32
Diluted earnings per security		7.03	0.32

¹ Non-controlling interests represent the profit/(loss) and total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period attributable to Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 (CRR1) and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3 (CRR3).

The above Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 December 2024

	Note	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	30 Jun 2024 \$'000
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		4,807	1,918
Receivables		1,636	1,429
Derivative financial instruments		2,691	3,765
Other current assets		1,107	1,814
Total current assets		10,242	8,926
Non-current assets			
Investment properties	5	708,665	740,680
Derivative financial instruments		2,031	4,212
Other non-current assets		40	40
Total non-current assets		710,736	744,932
Total assets		720,978	753,858
Current liabilities			
Derivative financial instruments		49	–
Payables		13,641	9,460
Provisions		7,523	9,113
Other current liabilities		1,000	1,000
Total current liabilities		22,213	19,573
Non-current liabilities			
Derivative financial instruments		363	165
Interest bearing liabilities	6	206,940	243,204
Total non-current liabilities		207,303	243,369
Total liabilities		229,515	262,942
Net assets		491,463	490,916
Equity			
Equity attributable to security holders of the Trust (parent entity)			
Contributed equity	9	190,503	190,503
Retained profits		27,569	27,185
Parent entity security holders' interest		218,072	217,688
Equity attributable to security holders of other stapled entities (non-controlling interests)¹			
Contributed equity	9	216,760	216,760
Retained profits		56,630	56,468
Other stapled security holders' interest		273,390	273,228
Total equity		491,462	490,916

¹ Non-controlling interests represent the net assets attributable to Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 (CRR1) and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3 (CRR3).

The above Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the half-year ended 31 December 2024

	Note	Attributable to security holders of the Trust (parent entity)			Attributable to security holders of other stapled entities ¹			Total equity \$'000
		Contributed equity \$'000	Retained profits \$'000	Total \$'000	Contributed equity \$'000	Retained profits \$'000	Total \$'000	
Opening balance as at 1 July 2023		190,503	35,482	225,985	216,760	73,638	290,398	516,383
Net profit/(loss) for the period		–	(2,154)	(2,154)	–	435	435	(1,719)
Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		–	(2,154)	(2,154)	–	435	435	(1,719)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners								
Distributions paid or payable	4	–	(3,924)	(3,924)	–	(10,334)	(10,334)	(14,258)
Total transactions with owners in their capacity as owners		–	(3,924)	(3,924)	–	(10,334)	(10,334)	(14,258)
Closing balance as at 31 December 2023		190,503	29,404	219,907	216,760	63,739	280,499	500,406
Opening balance as at 1 July 2024		190,503	27,185	217,688	216,760	56,468	273,228	490,916
Net profit/(loss) for the period		–	5,013	5,013	–	9,689	9,689	14,702
Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		–	5,013	5,013	–	9,689	9,689	14,702
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners								
Distributions paid or payable	4	–	(4,629)	(4,629)	–	(9,527)	(9,527)	(14,156)
Total transactions with owners in their capacity as owners		–	(4,629)	(4,629)	–	(9,527)	(9,527)	(14,156)
Closing balance as at 31 December 2024		190,503	27,569	218,072	216,760	56,630	273,390	491,462

1 Non-controlling interests represent the equity attributable to Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 (CRR1) and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3 (CRR3).

The above Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the half-year ended 31 December 2024

	Note	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	31 Dec 2023 \$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts in the course of operations (inclusive of GST)		33,121	29,990
Payments in the course of operations (inclusive of GST)		(9,133)	(11,299)
Interest received		49	37
Finance costs paid		(5,165)	(5,674)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		18,872	13,054
Cash flows from investing activities			
Proceeds from sale of investment properties		37,826	18,217
Payments for capital expenditure on investment properties		(1,883)	(951)
Net cash inflow from investing activities		35,943	17,266
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from borrowings		104,000	82,000
Repayment of borrowings		(141,499)	(98,080)
Distributions paid to security holders		(14,427)	(14,774)
Net cash outflow from financing activities		(51,926)	(30,854)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		2,889	(534)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		1,918	5,454
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period		4,807	4,920

The above Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Notes to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

In this section

This section sets out the basis upon which the Group's Interim Consolidated Financial Statements are prepared.

Basis of preparation

These Interim Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Constitutions of the entities within the Group, the *Corporations Act 2001* and AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

These Interim Consolidated Financial Statements do not include notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report. Accordingly, these Interim Consolidated Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2024 and any public announcements made by the Group during the half-year, and up to the date of issuance of this Interim Report, in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Unless otherwise stated, the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared using consistent accounting policies in line with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period. Where required, comparative information has been restated for consistency with the current period's presentation.

The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements are presented in Australian dollars, with all values rounded to the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with ASIC *Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191*, unless otherwise stated.

The Group is a for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost convention, except for the following which are stated at their fair value:

- Investment properties; and
- Derivative financial instruments.

Refer to the specific accounting policies within the Notes to the annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2024 for the basis of valuation of assets and liabilities measured at fair value.

Net current asset deficiency

As at 31 December 2024, the Group had a net current asset deficiency of \$11,971,000 (30 June 2024: deficiency of \$10,647,000). This is primarily due to distributions payable to stapled security holders of \$7,078,000 and accrued capital expenditures of \$1,333,000.

Capital risk management is managed holistically through a centralised treasury function. The Group has in place external funding arrangements to support the cash flow requirements of the Group, including undrawn facilities of \$57,100,000 (30 June 2024: \$65,850,000).

In determining the basis of preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements, the Directors of the Responsible Entity have taken into consideration the unutilised facilities available to the Group. As such, the Group is a going concern and the Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared on that basis.

Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates and management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies.

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, management has considered the current economic environment including the impacts of persistent inflation and elevated interest rates and the estimates and assumptions used for the measurement of items such as:

- Investment properties; and
- Derivative financial instruments.

No other key assumptions concerning the future or other estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period could have a significant risk of causing material adjustments to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

Climate change

On 26 June 2023, the International Sustainability Standards Board (ISSB) released new sustainability standards, IFRS S1 *General Requirements for Disclosure of Sustainability-related Financial Information* and IFRS S2 *Climate-related Disclosures*. In September 2024, the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) released Australian Sustainability Reporting Standards, AASB S1 *General Requirements for Disclosure of Sustainability-related Financial Information* and AASB S2 *Climate-related Disclosures*; and the "*Treasury Laws Amendment (Financial Market Infrastructure and Other Measures) Act 2024*" was passed by Parliament. Under the Act, the new reporting requirements will be mandatory for the year ended 30 June 2028 for the Group. The Group is continuing to develop its assessment of the impact of climate change in line with emerging industry and regulatory guidance on its Consolidated Financial Statements.

Notes to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

The Notes include information which is required to understand the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements and is material and relevant to the operations, financial position and performance of the Group.

The Notes are organised into the following sections:

Group performance	Property portfolio assets	Capital and financial risk management	Other disclosures
1. Operating segment	5. Investment properties	6. Interest bearing liabilities	10. Related parties
2. Property revenue and expenses		7. Fair value measurement	11. Subsequent events
3. Finance costs		8. Commitments and contingencies	
4. Distributions paid and payable		9. Contributed equity	

Group performance

In this section

This section explains the results and performance of the Group.

It provides additional information about those individual line items in the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements that the Directors consider most relevant in the context of the operations of the Group, including:

- Results by operating segment
- Property revenue and expenses
- Finance costs
- Distributions paid and payable

Note 1 Operating segment

The Group derives its income from investment in properties located in Australia and is deemed to have only one operating segment which is consistent with the reporting reviewed by the chief operating decision makers. The Directors consider the Property Council of Australia (PCA) definition of FFO to be a measure that reflects the underlying performance of the Group. A reconciliation of DXC's FFO to profit/(loss) for the period is tabled below:

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	31 Dec 2023 \$'000
Segment performance measures		
Property revenue	29,143	28,952
Property expenses	(4,866)	(4,512)
Management fee expense	(2,379)	(2,509)
Other expenses	(470)	(542)
Interest and other income	49	37
Finance costs	(5,473)	(5,235)
Incentive amortisation and rent straight line	(1,736)	(1,820)
Rental guarantees, coupon income and other	41	82
Funds From Operations (FFO)	14,309	14,453
Net fair value gain/(loss) of investment properties	3,182	(12,647)
Net fair value loss of derivatives	(3,502)	(4,575)
Incentive amortisation and rent straight line	1,736	1,820
Rental guarantees, coupon income and other	(41)	(82)
Debt modification	(982)	(688)
Profit/(loss) for the period	14,702	(1,719)

Note 2 Property revenue and expenses

Property rental revenue is derived from holding properties as investment properties and earning rental yields over time. Associated property expenses are incurred to maintain the properties.

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	31 Dec 2023 \$'000
Rental income	26,076	25,963
Outgoings and direct recoveries	2,249	2,196
Services revenue	843	812
Incentive amortisation	(26)	(19)
Total property revenue	29,143	28,952

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	31 Dec 2023 \$'000
Recoverable outgoings and direct recoveries	3,470	3,257
Other non-recoverable property expenses	1,396	1,255
Total property expenses	4,866	4,512

Note 3 Finance costs

Finance costs are expensed as incurred unless they are directly attributable to qualifying assets which are capitalised to the cost of the asset.

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
	\$'000	\$'000
Interest paid/payable ¹	7,469	7,800
Amortisation of borrowing costs	277	248
Debt modifications	982	688
Realised gain on interest rate derivatives	(2,281)	(2,838)
Other finance costs	8	25
Total finance costs	6,455	5,923

1 Includes \$1,003,000 (December 2023: \$1,172,000) of line fees expensed during the period.

Note 4 Distributions paid and payable

Distributions are recognised when declared.

Distribution to security holders

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
	\$'000	\$'000
30 September (paid 14 November 2024)	7,078	7,129
31 December (payable 20 February 2025)	7,078	7,129
Total distribution to security holders	14,156	14,258

Distribution rate

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
	Cents per security	Cents per security
30 September (paid 14 November 2024)	5.138	5.175
31 December (payable 20 February 2025)	5.138	5.175
Total distribution rate	10.276	10.350

Property portfolio assets

In this section

The following table summarises the investments of the Group detailed in this section.

31 December 2024	Note	\$'000
Investment properties	5	708,665
Total		708,665

Investments are used to generate the Group's performance. The assets are detailed in the following notes:

- **Investment properties** (note 5): relates to investment properties, both stabilised and under development.

Note 5 Investment properties

The Group's investment properties consist of properties held for long-term rental yields and/or capital appreciation and property that is being constructed or developed for future use as investment property.

a. Reconciliation

	For the 6 months to 31 Dec 2024 \$'000	For the 12 months to 30 Jun 2024 \$'000
Opening balance	740,680	774,170
Additions ¹	1,148	2,933
Lease incentives	359	125
Amortisation of lease incentives	(89)	(141)
Rent straightlining	1,825	3,484
Disposals	(38,440)	(16,230)
Net fair value gain/(loss) of investment properties	3,182	(23,661)
Closing balance	708,665	740,680

¹ Includes \$547,000 (2024: \$830,000) of maintenance capital expenditure incurred during the period.

b. Disposals

Settlement for the disposal of the following nine investment properties occurred during the period for \$38.8 million excluding transaction costs:

Date	Property Name
23 September 2024	25-27 Bolam Street, Garbutt, QLD
6 November 2024	77-79 Bowen Road, Rosslea, QLD
25 November 2024	49 Tolga Road, Atherton, QLD
25 November 2024	100/22 Nicholson Street, Banana, QLD
25 November 2024	900 Ingham Road, Bohle, QLD
25 November 2024	2 Mulgrave Street, Gin Gin, QLD
25 November 2024	921 Nambour Connection Road, Nambour, QLD
25 November 2024	102-104 Cook Street, Portsmith, QLD
11 December 2024	708 Gympie Road, Lawnton, QLD

Note 5 Investment properties (continued)

c. Fair value measurement, valuation techniques and inputs

The following table represents the level of the fair value hierarchy and the associated unobservable inputs utilised in the fair value measurement of investment property.

Class of property	Fair value hierarchy	Inputs used to measure fair value	Range of unobservable inputs	
			31 Dec 2024	30 Jun 2024
Convenience retail	Level 3	Adopted capitalisation rate	5.50% - 8.25%	5.50% - 8.25%
		Net market rental (per sqm)	\$255 - \$4,456	\$248 - \$5,090

Critical accounting estimates: inputs used to measure fair value of investment properties

Judgement is required in determining the following significant unobservable inputs:

- **Adopted capitalisation rate:** The rate at which net market rental revenue is capitalised to determine the value of a property. The rate is determined with regard to market evidence and the prior external valuation.
- **Net market rental (per sqm):** The net market rent is the estimated amount for which a property should lease between a lessor and a lessee on appropriate lease terms in an arm's length transaction.

d. Impact of the current economic environment on the fair value of investment properties

The elevated levels of economic uncertainty has created heightened levels of judgment when deriving the fair value of the Group's investment property portfolio.

Whilst the fair values of investment property can be relied upon at the date of valuation, a higher level of valuation uncertainty than normal is assumed. A sensitivity analysis has been included in note 5(e), showing indicative movements in investment property valuations should certain significant unobservable inputs differ from those assumed in the valuations.

e. Sensitivity information

Significant movement in any one of the valuation inputs listed in the table above may result in a change in the fair value of the Group's investment properties.

The estimated impact of a change in certain significant unobservable inputs would result in a change in the fair value as follows:

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	30 Jun 2024 \$'000
A decrease of 25 basis points in the adopted capitalisation rate	29,392	30,578
An increase of 25 basis points in the adopted capitalisation rate	(26,078)	(27,552)
A decrease of 5% in the net market rental (per sqm)	(37,175)	(39,650)
An increase of 5% in the net market rental (per sqm)	33,445	34,090

Under the capitalisation approach, the net market rental has a strong interrelationship with the adopted capitalisation rate as the fair value of the investment property is derived by capitalising, in perpetuity, the total net market rent receivable. An increase (softening) in the adopted capitalisation rate may offset the impact to fair value of an increase in the net market rent. A decrease (tightening) in the adopted capitalisation rate may also offset the impact to fair value of a decrease in the net market rent. Directionally opposite changes in the net market rent and the adopted capitalisation rate would increase the impact to fair value.

Capital and financial risk management

In this section

The Board of the Responsible Entity determines the appropriate capital structure of the Group, how much is borrowed from financial institutions and capital markets (debt), and how much is raised from security holders (equity) in order to finance the Group's activities both now and in the future. This capital structure is detailed in the following notes:

- **Debt:** *Interest bearing liabilities* in note 6, *Fair value measurement* in note 7, and *Commitments and contingencies* in note 8; and
- **Equity:** *Contributed equity* in note 9.

Note 6 Interest bearing liabilities

The following table summarises the Group's financing arrangements:

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	30 Jun 2024 \$'000
Non-current		
Secured		
Bank loans (net of debt modification)	207,921	244,439
Capitalised borrowing cost	(982)	(1,235)
Total secured	206,940	243,204
Total non-current liabilities - interest bearing liabilities	206,940	243,204

Financing arrangements

The Group has the following revolving credit facilities with four banks.

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	30 Jun 2024 \$'000
Loan facility limit	266,250	312,500
Amount drawn at balance date	(209,150)	(246,650)
Amount undrawn at balance date	57,100	65,850

The following table summarises the maturity profile of the Group's financing arrangements:

Maturity date	Facility limit \$'000
Jul-26 to Jun-27	32,500
Jul-27 to Jun-28	116,250
Jul-28 to Jun-29	70,000
Jul-29 to Jun-30	17,500
Jul-30 to Jun-31	30,000
Total	266,250

The revolving cash advance facilities are secured and cross collateralised over DXC's investment properties (by first registered real property mortgages) and other assets (via a first ranking general "all assets" security agreement), maturing between March 2027 and July 2030 with a weighted average maturity of November 2028.

The debt facilities contain both financial and non-financial covenants and undertakings that are customary for secured debt facilities of this nature. The key financial covenants that apply to the Group are as follows:

		31 Dec 2024	30 Jun 2024
Loan to Value Ratio ("LVR")	At all times, LVR does not exceed 50%	29.6%	33.1%
Interest Cover Ratio ("ICR")	As at 31 December and 30 June each year, ICR is not less than 2.0 times	3.9 times	3.9 times

Note 7 Fair value measurement

The Group uses the following methods in the determination and disclosure of the fair value of assets and liabilities:

Level 1: the fair value is calculated using quoted prices in active markets.

Level 2: the fair value is determined using inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices).

Level 3: the fair value is estimated using inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable data.

All derivative financial instruments were measured at Level 2 for the periods presented in this report.

During the period, there were no transfers between Level 1, 2 and 3 fair value measurements.

Since cash, receivables and payables are short-term in nature, their fair values are not materially different from their carrying amounts. The fair values of borrowings are not materially different to their carrying amounts, since the interest payable on those borrowings is either close to current market rates or the borrowings are of a short-term nature.

Note 8 Commitments and contingencies

a. Commitments

Capital commitments

Under some of the lease agreements applicable to the existing investment properties, the Group is responsible for capital and structural repairs to the premises (except to the extent required due to the tenant's act, omissions or particular use). This contractual obligation can include the requirement to replace underground tanks and/or LPG tanks if they become worn out, obsolete, inoperable, or incapable of economic repair. As at the reporting date, there were no requirements to replace underground tanks at any sites (2024: nil).

The following amounts represent capital expenditure commitments at the end of each reporting period but not recognised as liabilities payable:

	31 Dec 2024 \$'000	30 Jun 2024 \$'000
Investment properties	427	154
Total capital commitments	427	154

b. Contingencies

The Directors of the Responsible Entity are not aware of any other contingent liabilities in relation to the Group, other than those disclosed in the Notes to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements, which should be brought to the attention of security holders as at the date of these Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

Note 9 Contributed equity

	For the 6 months to 31 Dec 2024 No. of securities	For the 12 months to 30 Jun 2024 No. of securities
Opening balance	137,756,563	137,756,563
Closing balance	137,756,563	137,756,563

During the 6 months to 31 December 2024, no DXC securities were issued or cancelled.

Other disclosures

In this section

This section includes other information that must be disclosed to comply with the Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Act 2001* or the Corporations Regulations.

Note 10 Related parties

Transactions with the Responsible Entity and related body corporate

The Responsible Entity of the stapled entities that form DXC is DXAM. Dexus PG Limited (DXPG) (ACN 109 846 068), the immediate parent entity of DXAM, and its controlled entities are wholly owned subsidiaries of Dexus Operations Trust (ARSN 110 521 223). Convenience Retail Management Pty Limited is the appointed Investment Manager (the "Manager") to provide investment management services. The Manager is a related body corporate of DXAM and a wholly owned subsidiary of DXPG.

Accordingly, transactions with entities related to DXPG are disclosed below:

	For the 6 months to 31 Dec 2024		For the 6 months to 31 Dec 2023	
	Paid \$'000	Payable \$'000	Paid \$'000	Payable \$'000
Management fees ^{1,2}	1,602	1,291	2,092	711
Custody fees	63	12	65	13
Total	1,665	1,303	2,157	724

1 Management fees includes investment (base) management fees as well as property management fees and leasing fees which are included within property expenses in the Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income. The Manager is entitled to a base management fee of 0.65% per annum of the Gross Asset Value of the Group (reducing to 0.60% p.a. of Gross Asset Value between \$0.5 billion and \$1.0 billion, 0.55% p.a. of Gross Asset Value between \$1.0 billion and \$1.5 billion and 0.50% of Gross Asset Value in excess of \$1.5 billion).

2 DXAM is party to a property management agreement with Dexus Property Services Pty Ltd a wholly owned subsidiary of Dexus. Under this agreement, Dexus Property Services Pty Limited is entitled to an average property management fee of approximately 2.2% of gross income, which may change over time, depending on the portfolio composition and management intensity of the assets.

Security holdings and associated transactions with related parties

The below table shows the number of DXC securities held by related parties (including other managed investment schemes for which DXAM is the Responsible Entity or Investment Manager) and the distributions paid, or payable:

	31 Dec 2024		31 Dec 2023	
	Number of securities	Distributions \$	Number of securities	Distributions \$
Dexus Asset Management Limited	2,402,816	246,913	2,402,816	248,691
APD Trust	10,011,224	1,028,753	10,011,224	1,036,162
Dexus AREIT Fund	4,163,640	479,161	6,530,327	705,904
CFS Dexus AREIT Mandate	108,812	11,182	158,812	59,613
Dexus Property for Income Fund	–	–	540,261	55,917
Dexus Property for Income Fund No.2	–	–	164,166	16,991
Jennifer Horrigan	33,500	3,442	33,500	3,467
Danielle Carter	8,946	919	8,946	926
Jonathan Sweeney	20,000	2,055	15,000	1,553
Total	16,748,938	1,772,425	19,865,052	2,129,224

As at 31 December 2024, 12.15% (31 December 2023: 14.42%) of DXC's stapled securities were held by related parties.

Note 11 Subsequent events

Since the end of the period, the Directors are not aware of any other matter or circumstance not otherwise dealt within the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements that has significantly or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or state of the Group's affairs in future financial periods.

Directors' Declaration

In the Directors' opinion:

- a. The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements and Notes set out on pages 8 to 21 are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
 - i. complying with Australian Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Regulations 2001* and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
 - ii. giving a true and fair view of the Group's consolidated financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- b. there are reasonable grounds to believe that Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.



Jennifer Horrigan
Chair
10 February 2025



Independent Auditor's Review Report

To the stapled security holders of Dexus Convenience Retail REIT

Conclusion

We have reviewed the accompanying **Interim Financial Report** of Dexus Convenience Retail REIT (the Stapled Group Interim Financial Report).

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the Stapled Group Interim Financial Report of the **Stapled Group** does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Stapled Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the Half-year ended on that date; and
- complying with *Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

The **Interim Financial Report** of the Stapled Group comprises:

- Consolidated statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2024
- Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the Half-year ended on that date
- Notes 1 to 11 comprising material accounting policies and other explanatory information
- The Directors' Declaration.

The **Stapled Group** consists of Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 and its controlled entities at the Half-year end or from time to time during the Half-year; Convenience Retail REIT No. 1 and Convenience Retail REIT No. 3.

Basis for Conclusion

We conducted our review in accordance with ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*. Our responsibilities are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Interim Financial Report* section of our report.

We are independent of the Stapled Group, Convenience Retail REIT No. 2 and Dexus Asset Management Limited (the Responsible Entity) in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the *Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the annual financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.



Responsibilities of the Directors of the Responsible Entity for the Interim Financial Report

The Directors of Dexus Asset Management Limited, the Responsible Entity of Convenience Retail REIT No. 2, the deemed parent entity for the Dexus Convenience Retail REIT Stapled Group, are responsible for:

- the preparation of the Interim Financial Report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with *Australian Accounting Standards* and the *Corporations Act 2001*
- such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the Interim Financial Report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Interim Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Interim Financial Report based on our review. ASRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the Interim Financial Report does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001* including giving a true and fair view of the Stapled Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and its performance for the Half-year ended on that date, and complying with *Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

A review of an Interim Financial Report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with *Australian Auditing Standards* and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

KPMG

Cameron Slapp

Partner

Sydney

10 February 2025