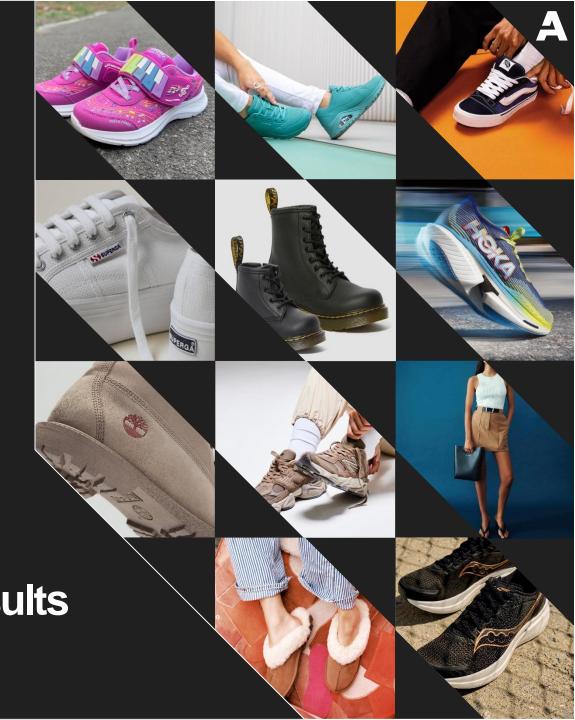
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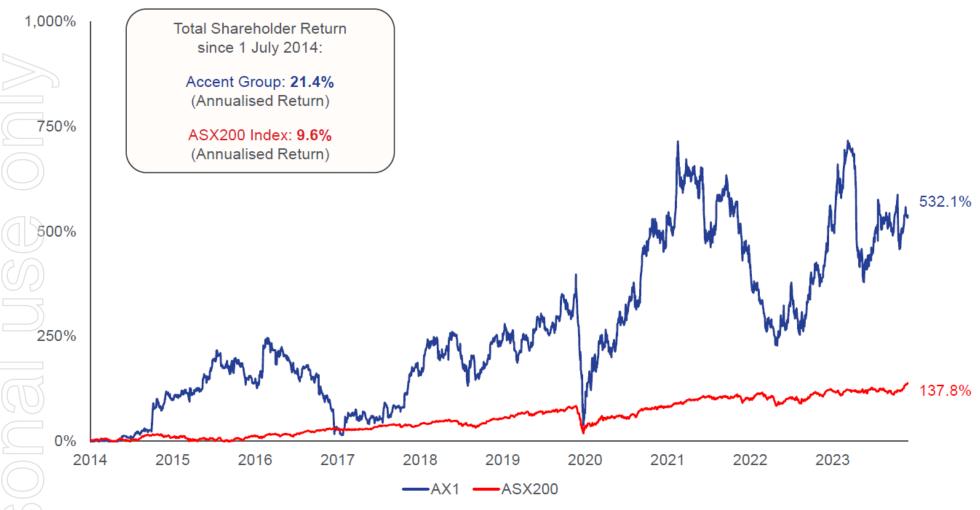


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# Value creation and investor value proposition

Total Shareholder Return<sup>(1)</sup> comparison of Accent and the ASX200 (1 July 2014 to 31 December 2023)



Source: Bloomberg, Accent Filings. Assumes 100% dividend reinvestment

Assumes 100% dividend reinvestment on the ex-dividend date.

# **Operational highlights**



**Vertical Owned Brand Sales** 

>\$60 million

>13% on H1 FY23

### **New Stores**

72 new stores opened during FY24 across Australia and New Zealand

### N U D E **L U C Y**

34

stores now open representing a fastgrowing world class lifestyle apparel brand

# PLATYPUS

22

new stores opened across Australia and New Zealand

# *SKECHERS* 17

new stores opened across Australia and New Zealand



### Customers & Loyalty

10.0 million

Contactable customers 0.2m increase since June 23



1 The current reporting period, 3 July 2023 to 31 December 2023, represents 26 weeks and the comparative reporting period is from 27 June 2022 to 1 January 2023 which represents 27 weeks.

2(As previously reported, the Company estimated that the proforma H1 FY23 Sales for 26 weeks was \$789.2m. H1 FY23 statutory Sales of \$825.2 million for the 27 weeks ended 1 January 2023.



# H1 FY24 sales and profit



## **Key Metrics**

\$'000's	H1 FY24 <sup>1</sup> 26 Weeks	H1 FY23 <sup>2</sup> 27 Weeks
Group Sales (inc. Franchisees)	810,924	825,247
EBITDA	157,477	170,159
EBIT	72,357 <sup>3</sup>	91,167
PBT	59,758	81,818
NPAT	42,236	58,327
Inventories	256,640	267,372
New stores	72	
Interim Dividend	8.50 cents	12.0 cents

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2. As previously reported, the Company estimated that the proforma H1 FY23 EBIT for 26 weeks was \$81.2 million, H1 FY23 statutory EBIT of \$91.2 million for the 27 weeks ended 1 January 2023.

3. Included in the \$72.4 million EBIT, is a non-cash cash charge of \$3.1m relating to store transition costs and carrying value provisions in several underperforming Glue stores.

# H1 FY24 summary of financial performance

## Financial Summary— H1 FY24 Vs H1 FY23<sup>1</sup>

Profit & Loss (\$000's)	H1 FY24	H1 FY23
Owned sales	732,897	746,488
Gross profit	414,876	412,402
Gross margin (%)	56.6%	55.2%
CODB – excl. lease depreciation & interest	(266,658)	(253,827)
CODB % – excl. lease depreciation & interest	36.4%	34.0%
CODB %	45.0%	42.0%
Other income – inc. royalties and franchise fees	9,259	11,584
EBITDA	157,477	170,159
Depreciation on leases	(55,629)	(53,377)
Depreciation & amortisation	(29,491)	(25,615)
EBIT	72,357	91,167
Net finance costs on lease liabilities	(7,474)	(6,207)
Net interest (paid) / received	(5,125)	(3,142)
РВТ	59,758	81,818
Tax	(17,522)	(23,491)
Net Profit After Tax	42,236	58,327
1 The Group has adopted a 26-week half-year period, for financial reporting purpor	ses which ended on 31 De	ecember 2023 The

1. The Group has adopted a 26-week half-year period, for financial reporting purposes, which ended on 31 December 2023. The prior half-year period was a 27-week period ended on 1 January 2023.

### **Operating Highlights**

Sales

Gross

Margin

CODB

NPAT

- Total company owned sales of \$732.9 million
- LFL retail sales down 0.6%<sup>1</sup>
- Wholesale sales down 25%
- Gross margin of 56.6% up 140 basis points to prior year.
- Progress continues to be made in improving underlying gross margin through distributed and owned vertical brands.
- CODB impacted by negative LFL retail sales, lower wholesale sales and cost inflation in occupancy and store team costs. Additional cost efficiency initiatives have been implemented in non-customer facing areas.
- NPAT of \$42.2 million







# **Operational update CCENT** Group



# Retail, Wholesale & Vertical Owned Brands

### Retail

- 72 new stores for the 6 months to 31 December 2023 added to the Accent Group store network
- Strong retail performance across Skechers, Hype, TAF, Stylerunner, and Nude Lucy
- 34 Nude Lucy stores now open with consistently growing results YoY





### Wholesale

Wholesale sales down 25% on H1 FY23

### **Vertical Owned Brands**

- Double digit growth of Vertical Owned Brand sales compared to H1 FY23
- Sales in excess of \$60 million





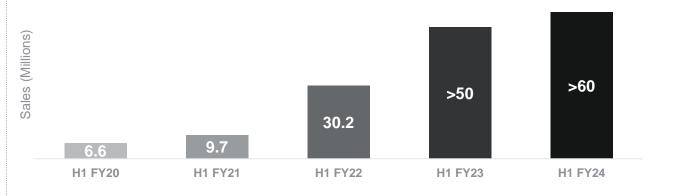


### Store Network<sup>1</sup>



1. Includes store closures and websites. For a breakdown by banner refer to page 16

# Vertical Owned Brands Sales (\$ Millions)



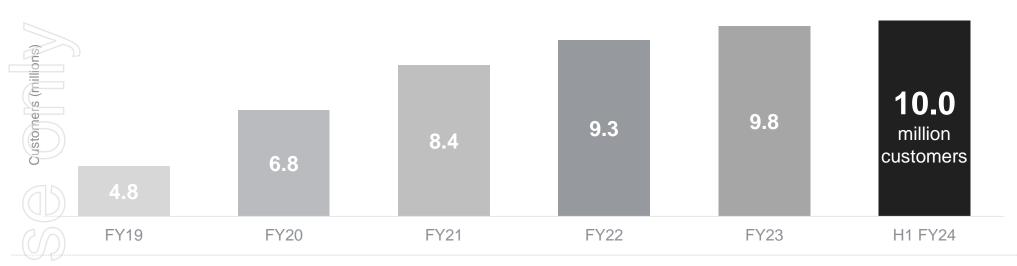
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# Customers & Loyalty

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# Accent Group Contactable Customers (Millions)





- Contactable customers continues to grow to 10.0 million
- Loyalty program membership now 7.1 million across TAF, Hype DC, Platypus, Merrell, Skechers
- Investment in the loyalty programs across the Group continues
- Currency and data quality of contactable customers improving



# Growth plan update

	Stores and Online	<ul> <li>✓ Roll-out of new stores, growing the network to 888 with at least 20 new stores planned to open in H2 FY24.</li> <li>✓ The Company sees a continued store roll-out opportunity in both its core banners and new businesses.</li> <li>✓ Significant growth opportunity remains for online.</li> </ul>	
	Gross Margin	<ul> <li>✓ Gross margin of 56.6% up 140 basis points to prior year.</li> <li>✓ Underlying gross margin continues to improve through an increasing mix of our distributed and owned vertical brands, combined with improved apparel sell-through.</li> </ul>	
	Nude Lucy	<ul> <li>✓ Growth from a planned roll-out of additional Nude Lucy stores (refer to slide 11 for detail).</li> </ul>	
S	Stylerunner	✓ Profit growth in Stylerunner with the store rollout program for this banner to recommence (refer to slide 11 for detail).	
	The Athlete's Foot (TAF)	<ul> <li>✓ Strong performance over the last 5 years, including margin expansion &amp; the successful buyback strategy.</li> <li>✓ Potential to buy back the remaining franchises over the next 5 years (refer to slide 12 for detail).</li> </ul>	

# Nude Lucy and Stylerunner

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# NUDELUCY

### Strong Customer Appeal

Customer appeal driving sales densities in both online & in store

### Continued Store Expansion

 34 stores trading, with 10+ new stores planned over the next 18 months



Nude Lucy: Sorrento



Nude Lucy: Claremont

# STYLERUNNER

### New Footwear Led Strategy

 New footwear led strategy driving sales growth, with footwear mix target now at 60%

### Margin Improvements

Through improved sell-through in apparel, including own brands 'Stylerunner the Label' & 'ODE'

### Store Network Expansion

• 26 stores trading, with 10+ new stores planned over the next 18 months



Stylerunner: Bondi Beach



Stylerunner: Macquarie Centre



# The Athlete's Foot

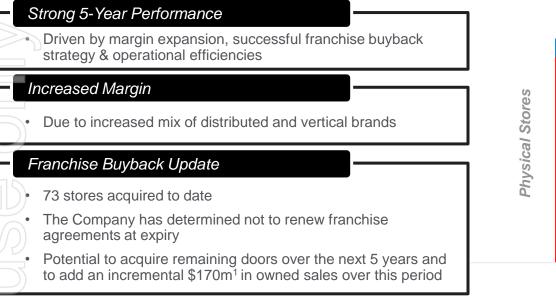
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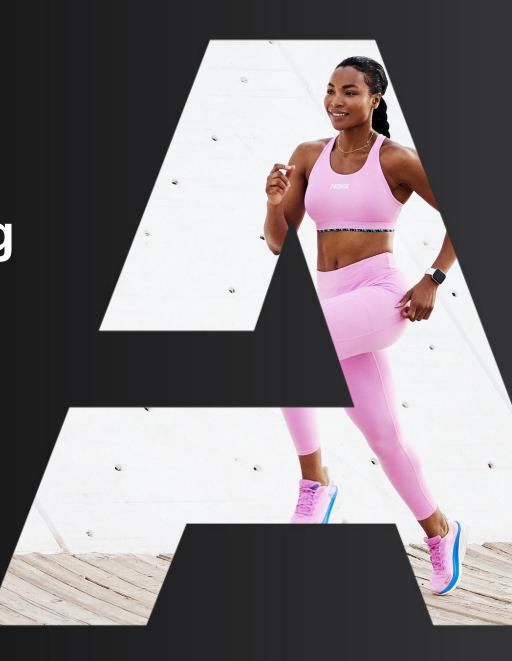
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Franchise Corporate

73 acquisitions to date



# Dividends and trading update **CCENT** Group



### Dividends

**Trading Update** 

Outlook

franked, payable on **21 March 2024** to shareholders registered on **7 March 2024**.

Accent Group has announced an interim dividend for H1 FY24 of 8.50 cents per share, fully

- Accent Group continues to be defined by strong cash conversion and the consistent strong returns it delivers on shareholders' funds.
- Total owned sales YTD to the end of January are up 1.6% and owned retail sales over this period are up 5.6% reflecting new store openings.
- Like-for-like sales (LFL) for the first 7 weeks of H2 (1 January 2024 18 February 2024) are down 0.7% on the prior year. Consistent with H1, gross margin % continues to be above last year.
- CODB % also continues to be higher than last year albeit at a lower increase than H1, with the impact of negative LFL stores sales, increases in occupancy and store team costs continuing into H2.

• Whilst we recognise that there is some uncertainty in the economic outlook, in the context of the consumer environment, we have been pleased with trading and execution in the key periods of November, December and January.

• Looking forward, our store opening program remains on track. Stylerunner performance has been positive and along with Nude Lucy, both brands are resonating well with customers.

<sup>1.</sup> Like for like ("LFL") retail sales include TAF Franchise sales, digital sales and Glue stores. The Like for Like measurement is consistent with prior releases and includes the year-on-year sales comparison for all stores in which a sale has been recorded on the same day in the prior year.

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				Store Network					
				Dec-23					
Store Network <sup>1</sup>	Platypus	Skechers	TAF	Distributed Brands	Hype, Subtype Trybe	Glue, Nude Lucy, Stylerunner	Other Brands	Discountinued	Total
Stores as at FY23	188	171	155	104	112	82	8	1	821
FY24									
Stores Opened	22	17	4	10	1	18	0	0	72
Stores Closed	0	(1)	(2)	0	0	(2)	0	0	(5)
Stores as at end of H1 FY24	210	187	157	114	113	98	8	1	888

1. Includes websites (35) and franchises (62)

### **Distribution Agreements**

Total Active Distribution Agreements: 17



# **Balance sheet**

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### **Balance Sheet**

\$000's	31 Dec 2023 H1 FY24	2 Jul 2023 FY23	1 Jan 2023 H1 FY23
Trade receivables and prepayments	48,339	40,433	53,709
Inventories	256,640	239,606	267,372
Trade payables and provisions	(161,316)	(135,469)	(188,973)
Net working capital	143,663	144,570	132,108
Intangible assets	383,136	382,191	380,431
Property, plant and equipment	138,999	140,527	145,568
Capital investments	522,135	522,718	525,999
Lease receivable	18,368	19,555	19,954
Right of use asset	304,570	281,393	312,291
Lease liabilities	(436,957)	(408,976)	(449,212)
Lease balances	(114,019)	(108,028)	(116,967)
Net cash/(debt)	(91,391)	(119,582)	(63,559)
Deferred income	(17,215)	(19,567)	(21,027)
Tax and derivatives	9,391	21,101	18,129
Net assets/equity	452,564	441,212	474,683

### Commentary

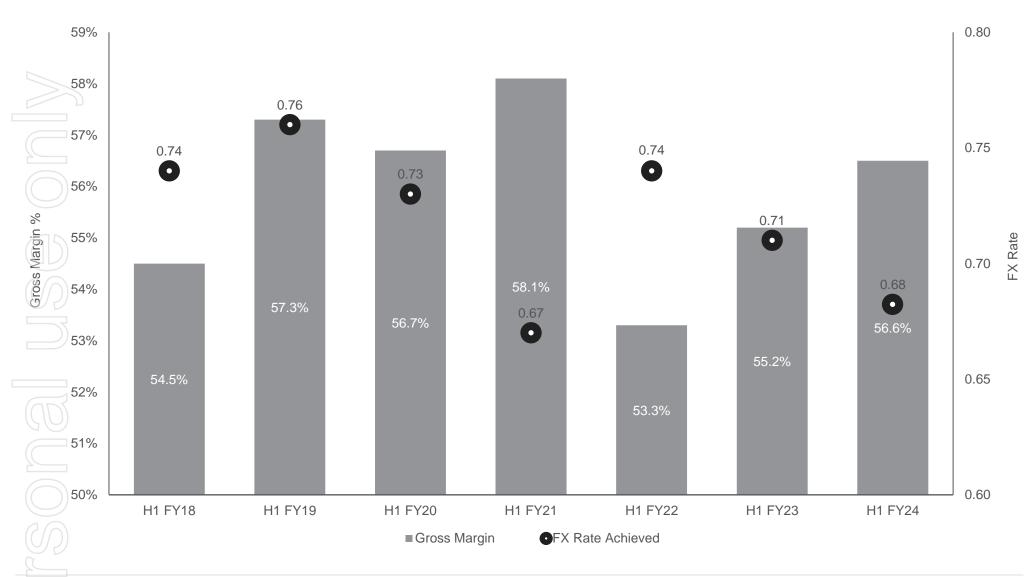
 Inventory has decreased from H1 FY23 due to cleaner aged stock levels offset by the addition of 99 new store openings since H1 FY23





# Gross margin and FX rate

### Statutory Gross Margin (%) and FX Rate Overview



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# The Accent business model

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Accent Group's mission is to be the market leading, digitally integrated retail and distribution business, in the performance lifestyle market for footwear, apparel and accessories across Australia and New Zealand.



The Accent Business model Scalable, flexible and defensible

### **Multi-Brand Retail Banners**

Range global third party brands, global distributed brands, and owned vertical brands and products through online and stores

### **Global Distributed Brands**

Dedicated retail stores and online sites, as well as wholesale customer channels

### **Vertical Apparel Owned Brands**

Supports margin growth and product differentiation in multi-brand banners, as well as having dedicated online sites

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