

HOMERITZ CORPORATION BERHAD

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Investors' Briefing
FY10 Financial Results & Corporate Update
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Investment Case

Best of its kind.

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ABOUT HOMERITZ

A homegrown story par excellence...



High-quality upholstered home furniture manufacturer...

- Founded in 1997, Homeritz manufactures a full range of quality upholstered furniture
 - > Sofas, dining chairs & dining tables, and bed frames
 - Undertakes Original Design Manufacturing (ODM) and Original Equipment Manufacturing (OEM)
 - > Created own brand in 2008





- > Total built-up area of 348,000 sq ft
- Employee workforce of about 500
- Homeritz's products are exported to >50 countries
 - > Europe (with its highly-discerning consumers) the largest market for the Group
 - > The Americas posted fastest growth in revenue contribution year-on-year









Fully-focused on manufacturing of upholstered furniture...

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Home Upholstery Industries Sdn Bhd ('HUI')

(100%)

Research & Development / Design, Manufacturing and Distribution

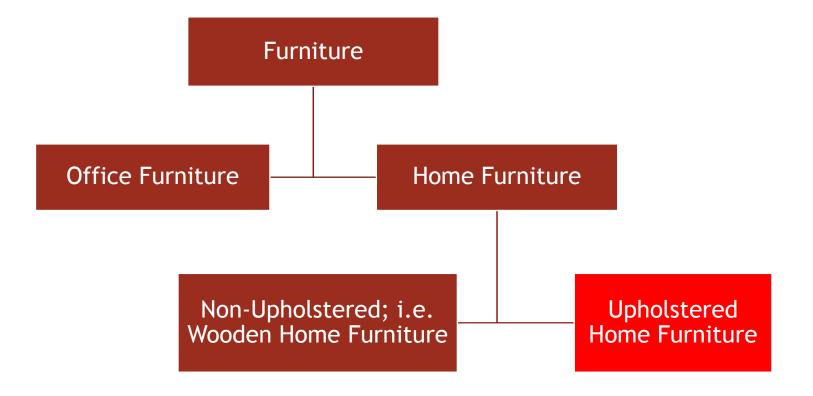
U.S. Furniture Manufacturing Sdn Bhd

(100%)

Holding company for the Group's manufacturing properties



Upholstered furniture of higher-value add in the industry...





Marking founder's vision of being a global and growing player in the premium home furniture industry

1997 • Commenced manufacturing of upholstered sofas in rented factory · Began maiden exports to Singapore 1999 Penetrated into Europe, Australasia and Middle East 2000 Penetrated into South America 2002 · Introduced upholstered dining chairs · Penetrated into North America 2004 Penetrated into Africa 2005 Relocated manufacturing operations into Factory A · Introduced upholstered bed frames 2006 • Commissioning of Factory B with built-up area of 47,300 sq ft 2007 Commissioning of Factory C with built up area of 185,300 sq ft; rented Factory D of 18,000 sq ft Ventured into upstream manufacturing of wooden chair frames to integrate with production of upholstered dining chairs 2008 Introduced wooden dining tables to complement upholstered dining chairs Created own brand "Eritz", and applied for trademarks in Malaysia, Australia and New Zealand Attained ISO 9001:2000 certification 2009 Introduced sofa beds to Australia 2010 Listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad



Corporate awards cement our reputation in the market...

- Received the Golden Bull Award in 2008, ranking 1st out of 100 outstanding SMEs
- Won the Malaysia Top 50 Enterprise Award for 2 consecutive years in 2008 and 2009
- Received the 'Product Excellence Award' and 'Asian Furniture
 Leadership Award' at the Malaysian Furniture Leadership Awards in 2009
- Export Furniture Exhibition (EFE) Best Booth Design Award 2010 3rd Prize













Setting sights to be a formidable player in the global playing field...



 To be one of the top 10 Asian players in supply of conceptualized lifestyle home furniture worldwide; recognized for its brands, design innovations and quality commitment

MISSION

- To strengthen our R&D to continue improving existing designs and developing new innovative designs
- To continually upgrade our equipment & machinery to boost efficiency and productivity, as well as enhance product quality
- To diligently seek new raw materials to produce quality products at competitive costs
- To build upon and strengthen our own brand of home furniture
- To adopt aggressive marketing strategies
- To continually motivate our staff to achieve highest level of performance



Integrated operations within close proximity result in quicker time-tomarket... new capacity to be on board in 2Q11

Own Design (ODM)

Customers' Design (OEM) Manufacture

Exports

Wholesalers

Retailers



FACTORY A (2005)

- Built-up area: 97,400 sq ft
- Showroom, administration. storage of raw materials, and Draw & Cut sections



FACTORY B (2006)

- Built-up area: 47,300 sq ft
- Sewing section



FACTORY C (2007)

- Built-up area: 185,300 sq ft
- Assembly, woodworking, st orage of raw materials and finished goods, training centre, prototyping lab & design workshop.



FACTORY D (Rented - 2007)

- Built-up area: 18,000 sq ft
- Woodworking for dining chairs and dining tables



FACTORY E

(Under Construction)

- Built-up area: 100,000 sq ft
- To replace Factory D's functions
- Upstream venture into spraying process of upholstered chairs.
- Expected to commence operations in 2Q FY2011



Comprehensive range of products for mid- to high-end homes... premium furniture the precursor to premium margins

Upholstered Sofas



Upholstered Dining Chairs & Dining **Tables**

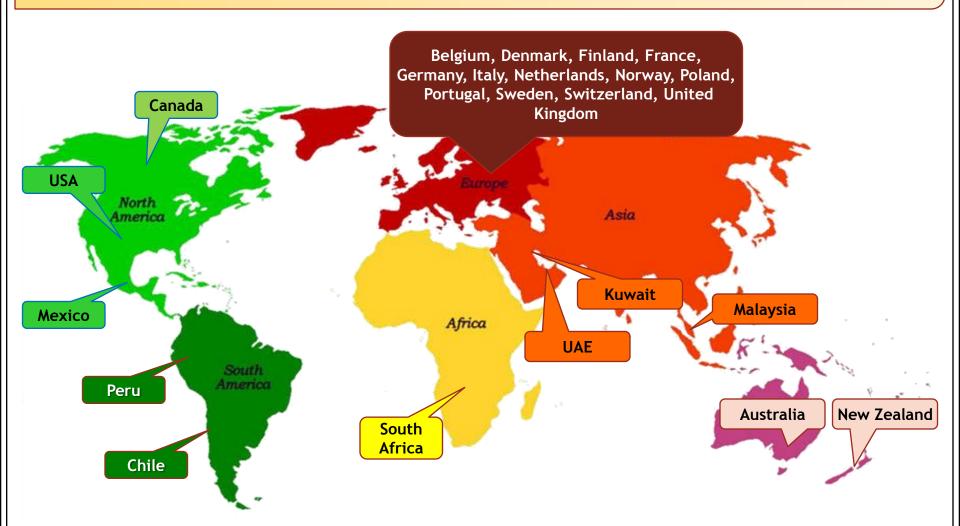


Upholstered Bed Frames





Attained global clientele in just over a decade... innovation and dedication to quality the key success factors



Expertise in product & design innovation...

Mr. Chua Fen Fatt Managing Director

- Founder of the Group with 23 years' hands-on experience in the upholstered furniture industry
- Primarily responsible for the overall business, strategic planning, design and development; instrumental in the success, growth and development of the Group

Ms. Tee Hwee Ing Executive Director

- Co-founder of the Group with 13 years' experience in the upholstered furniture industry
- Oversees the overall corporate and administrative functions of the Group

Mr. Tan Yang Song Chief Designer

- Has >20 years' experience in furniture design and development in Malaysia and Singapore
- Assists the MD in overseeing the entire spectrum of R&D, primary roles comprise designing and introducing new models and designs

Mr. Pua Yu Heng

Marketing Manager

- BSc in Science (Human Development) from Univ Putra Malaysia
- Primarily responsible for the sales and marketing strategies as well as business development of the Group

Ms. Wee See Yee Group Accountant

- BA (Hons) in Accountancy from Univ Putra Malaysia and member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants
- Primarily responsible for Group accounts and finance

Ms. Wong Seah Wei Group Admin & HR Manager

- Graduated with professional certificate in secretarial studies from Stamford Ladies College
- Primarily responsible for office administration and human resource management

Best of its kind ...



MERITZ Key Management

Founders still holding majority stakes... shareholders include key institutional shareholders

As at 31 October 2010	No. of Shares	%
Chua Fen Fatt Managing Director	71.8 mil	35.9%
Tee Hwee Ing Executive Director	71.8 mil	35.9%

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BUSINESS STRATEGIES

Engaging on expansion mode...



Entrenched in the higher value-add furniture sector... Group to embark on new growth phase with own brand

Entrenched in the higher value-add furniture industry

- Upholstered furniture typically commands premium margins

Provider of complete range of upholstered home furniture

- One of the 2 local players offering mid- to high-end home furniture for export markets

Integrated manufacturing operations

- Ensures quality and cost-effectiveness: guick turnaround from design to delivery

Continuous product design & development

- Hands-on management with extensive experience in new designs and product innovations

Strong commitment to quality

- Continuous emphasis on improving product quality for utmost customer satisfaction

Established & diverse clientele

- Customer base has grown from 23 to >50 countries worldwide over the past 6 years

Own brand name

Established "Eritz" in 2008 to build brand equity and capture more business opportunities

Strong financial track record

- Group has been profitable since inception; in net cash position



Focused on broadening our Group's revenue base...

To continue undertaking product development

- To design approx 250 new models of products in FYE2011
- To invest at least 1% of annual revenue for R&D activities

To penetrate deeper into overseas markets

- To target more revenue contributions from North & South America
- To market our products in international furniture fairs and furniture-buyers' magazines

To expand production capacity

•New plant in Muar to commence operations in 2Q11

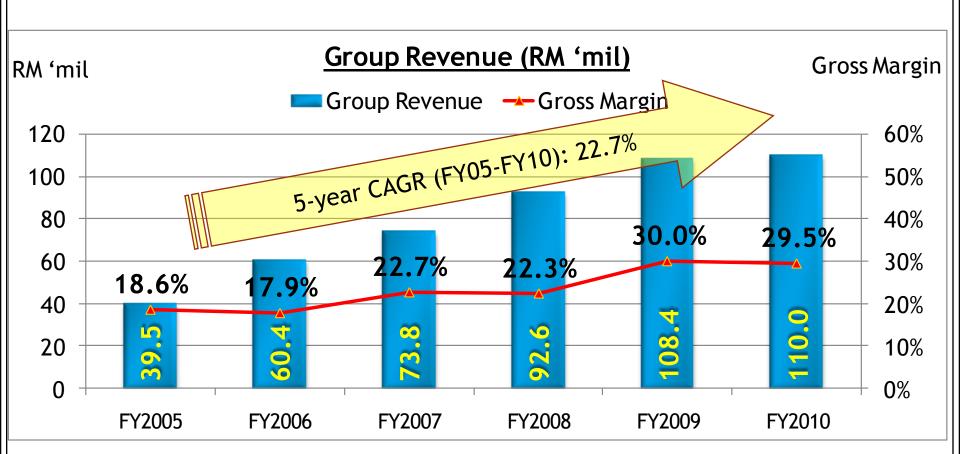
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FY10 FINANCIAL REVIEW

Decent financial track record...



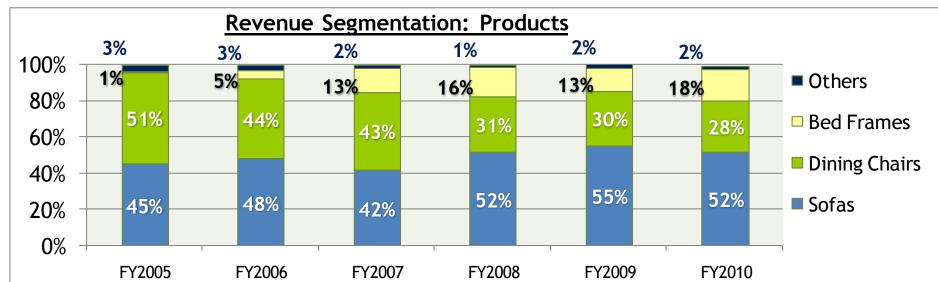
Maintenance of high profit margins proof of high value-add in products...



FY - Financial Year ended 31 August



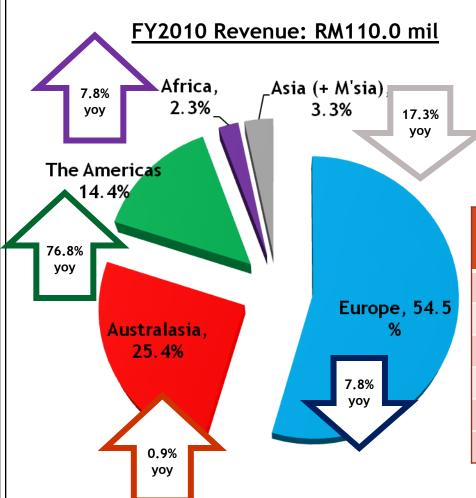
Upholstered home furniture remaining major contributors...



Revenue (RM'mil)	FY20	005	FY2	006	FY2	007	FY2	800	FY20	009	FY20	10
Upholstered Sofas	17.86	45%	29.11	48%	31.03	42%	47.92	52%	60.06	55%	57.26	52 %
Upholstered Dining Chairs	20.17	51%	26.54	44%	31.74	43%	28.68	31%	31.94	30%	31.33	28%
Upholstered Bed Frames	0.24	1%	3.15	5%	9.80	13%	14.70	16%	14.05	13%	19.41	18%
Others	1.28	3%	1.62	3%	1.24	2%	1.25	1%	2.39	2%	1.97	2%
Total	39.55	100%	60.42	100%	73.80	100%	92.55	100%	108.44	100%	109.97	100%



Fastest growth from the Americas from targeted strategies...



Country	FY2	010	FY2009			
	RM' mil %		RM' mil	%		
Europe	59.91	54.5%	64.95	59.9%		
Australasia	27.98	25.4%	27.73	25.6%		
The Americas	15.89	14.4%	8.99	8.3%		
Africa	2.54	2.3%	2.36	2.2%		
Asia (+ M'sia)	3.65	3.3%	4.41	4.1%		
Total	109.97	100%	108.44	100%		



Commendable profit despite forex challenges and uncertainty in endmarkets...

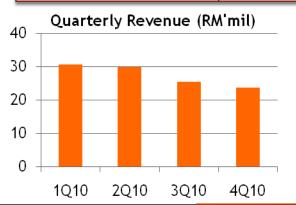
RM'mil	FY10	FY09	Chg
Revenue	109.97	108.44	1.4%
EBITDA	23.56	26.81	-12.1%
EBITDA margin	21.42	24.73	-3.31 pts
PBT	21.69	25.00	-13.2%
PBT margin	19.72	23.02	-3.30 pts
PATMI	20.06	22.68	-11.6%
Net margin	18.24	20.91	-2.67 pts
EPS (sen)	12.15	13.00	-6.5%

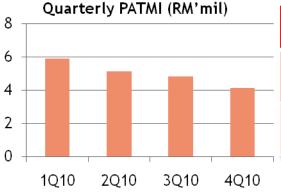
Operations Review:

- 1) Revenue in USD increased 8% due to increased volume, & overall upward adjustment of average selling prices of products as a result of stronger RM.
- 2) EBITDA declined due to:
 - i. Higher selling and distribution expenses to promote "Eritz" brand (+RM1.0mil)
 - ii. Increased staff costs (+RM1.0mil)
 - iii. Forex loss due to USD depreciation (~RMO.4mil)
 - iv. One-off listing expenses (~RM0.6mil)

EBITDA margins would have been maintained at 24% if not for the above factors

Note: 99% of sales are in denominated in USD. Approx 55% of purchases are in USD, and balance 45% largely in RM.

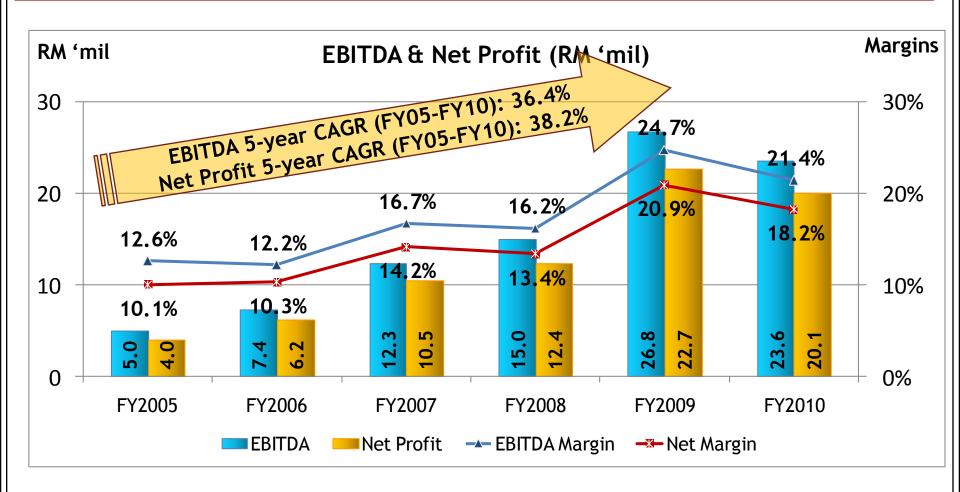




	FY10	FY09	Chg
ROE (Avg Equity)	42.9%	60.0%	-17.1pts
ROA (Avg Assets)	28.3%	36.6%	-8.3pts



Margins still higher than FY2008 levels...





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Proforma Balance Sheet ('000)	As at 31 Aug 2009	As at 31 Aug 2010
PPE & Prepaid Lease Payments	28,094	28,300
Current Assets	40,567	44,545
Current Liabilities	24,854	10,161
Non-Current Liabilities	7,456	5,440
Shareholders' Equity	36,351	57,244
Borrowings (ST + LT)	7,762	3,677
Cash & Cash Equivalents	20,704	19,594
Gearing (net of cash)	Net Cash	Net Cash
Net Tangible Assets / Share (RM)	0.20 (1)	0.29 (2)



⁽¹⁾ Based on 180,897,385 ordinary shares of RM0.20 each

⁽²⁾ Based on 200,000,000 ordinary shares of RMO.20 each

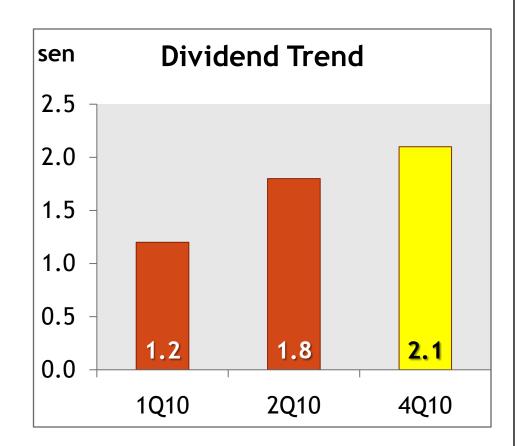
Maintained commendable degree of operational efficiency...

	FY2009	FY2010
Return on Average Equity	60.0%	42.9%
Return on Average Assets	36.6%	28.3%
Average Inventory Turnover	57.3 days	68.1 days
Average Debtor Days	18.9 days	19.2 days
Average Creditor Days	31.5 days	28.5 days
Cash Conversion	44.7 days	58.8 days
Free Cash Flow *	RM20.91 mil	RM14.22 mil
PAT	RM22.68 mil	RM20.06 mil

^{*} Free Cash Flow = Cash Flow from operating activities less capex

50% of FY10 net profits to be paid out as dividends...

- Homeritz has a dividend policy of paying 40% of net profits to shareholders
- > FY2010 would see special dividend payout of 50% of net profits
 - Paid interim tax-exempt dividends totaling 3 sen so far
 - 4Q10 to pay final tax-exempt dividend of 2.1 sen per share



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Much upside given impressive dividend yield and maintained high net margins...

Company	Ticker	Last Price	Market Cap ('mil)	Historical PE (x) 0.27.10.10	Annualised PE (x)	FY Div Yield @ 27.10.10	Net Margin
Eurospan Holdings Bhd	EURO:MK	1.37	55.43	154.2	N/A	5.8%	5.4%
Lorenzo International	LOREN:SP	0.17	33.17	25.9	6.4	3.0%	1.4%
HTL International Holdings	HWA:SP	0.69	285.35	5.9	8.1	5.8%	8.0%
Latitude Tree	LATI:MK	1.67	108.22	3.70	-	6.0%	5.7%
Average (ex Eurospan)			11.8	7.3	5.0%	5.0%	
HOMERITZ	нмсв:мк	0.61	122.00	6.1	-	8.4%	18.2%

^{*} Source: Bloomberg, Aquilas

^{**} Note: Homeritz's dividend yield is cum final single-tier tax-exempt dividend of 2.1 sen per share (subject to shareholders' approval at upcoming AGM

Homeritz: Gem in an unappreciated industry... minimum 40% payout dividend policy already put in place

Manufacturer of a full range of high-quality upholstered home furniture, commanding high margins



Single-digit PE offers upside capital appreciation; limited downside risk backed by minimum 40% dividend policy







Strong commitment to continuous product and design innovation ensure business sustainability



Rising disposable income and changing lifestyles boost demand for contemporary high-end furniture





Thank You

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