#### Del Monte Pacific Limited Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2008 Results

24 February 2009





## **Executive Summary**

- Sales for 4Q08 & FY08 rose 16% & 32%, respectively
- Biggest driver coming from the Philippines
- Gross margin for 4Q08 and FY08 increased to 31% and 25%, respectively
- Strong operating income, up 52% in 4Q08 and 47% in FY08
- Net income before non-recurring items surged 47% in 4Q08, and 40% in FY08
- Net income after non-recurring items decreased by 18% in 4Q08, and 4% in FY08



# **Non-Recurring Items**

#### All on after tax basis

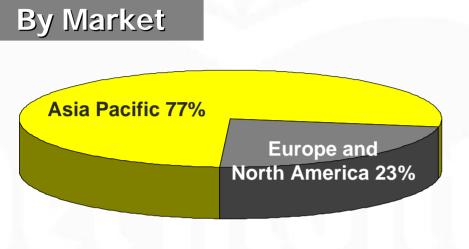
In US\$m	4Q 2007	4Q 2008	FY 2007	FY 2008
FX forward hedging loss		(2.0)		(4.1)
Great Lakes sale - net		0.5		2.3
Streamlining	(0.9)	0.1	(0.9)	(0.9)
Deferred tax benefit	10.3		10.3	
Tax expenditure reversal			0.9	
Total	9.4	(1.4)	10.3	(2.7)



#### **Fourth Quarter 2008**

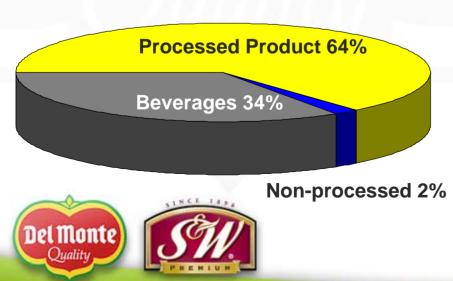
In US\$m	4Q 2007	4Q 2008	Chg (%)	Comments
Turnover	105.9	122.4	+15.6	Largely driven by the Philippine market. Also higher sales in Europe and North America
Gross profit	31.3	38.0	+21.4	Higher sales, more favourable prices, cost savings of US\$0.7m
Operating profit	18.5	28.1	+51.9	Strong gross profit, aided by lower operating expenses
Finance expense-net	(1.2)	(4.7)	+282.6	Includes US\$3.1m FX forward loss
Share of loss	(0.6)	(0.3)	-44.2	41.1% stake in Bharti Del Monte India
Тах	6.7	(3.9)	n/m	2007 includes one off deferred tax benefit of US\$10.3m
Net Profit	23.4	19.2	-17.8	Down mainly due to the high base in 2007 with the deferred tax benefit
Net Profit before non- recurring items	14.0	20.6	+47.0	Strong net profit before non-recurring
Net Debt	(19.2)	(62.8)	+226.3	Working capital requirements and higher capex due to new boiler project
Gearing (%)	8.7	30.7	+22.0	Higher due to the above investments

#### **4Q Turnover Analysis**



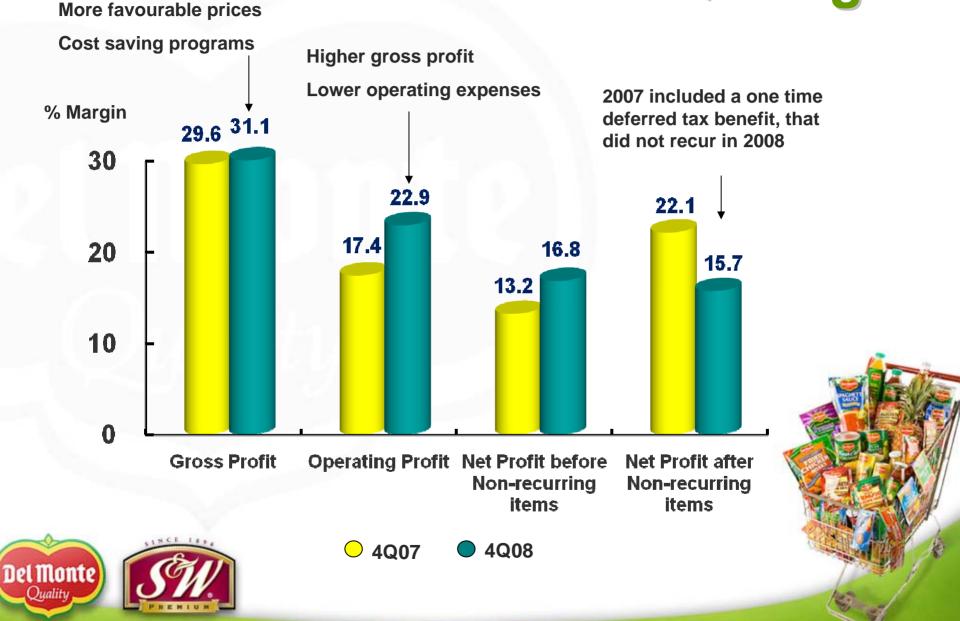
Asia Pac	+12%	Higher sales in Philippines, esp. <i>Fit 'n Right</i> juice drink
		Higher sales of S&W and fresh pineapples more than made up the forgone sales of Great Lakes which was disposed on 30 Sep 2008
E&NA	+31%	Better prices in North America and better volume in Europe

**By Product** 

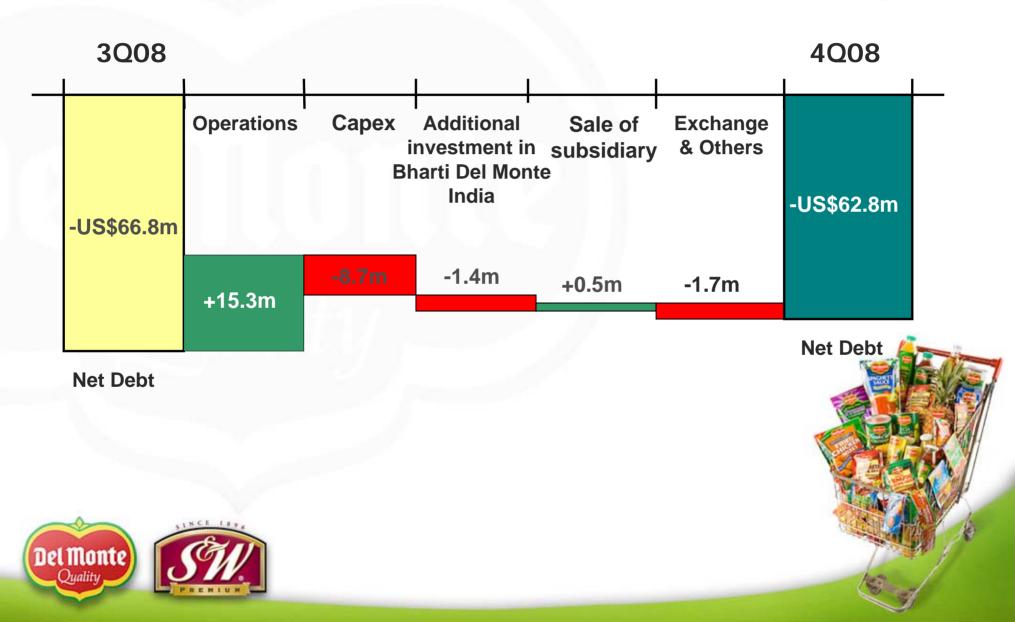


Processed	+2%	Higher sales of processed pineapples in Europe and North America and full year contribution of S&W
Beverages	+45%	Philippines higher juice sales due to <i>Fit 'n Right</i>
		Concentrates also did well
Non- processed	+272%	Higher sales of fresh pineapples





#### **4Q Cash Flow Variance Analysis**



## Full Year 2008

In US\$m	FY 2007	FY 2008	Chg (%)	Comments
Turnover	289.4	381.5	+31.8	Broad-based growth in all major markets
Gross profit	71.6	96.2	+34.4	More favourable prices, cost savings of US\$1.7m
Operating profit	38.6	56.9	+47.4	Higher gross profit, despite higher expenses
Finance inc/(exp) (net)	(0.9)	(10.0)	n/m	Includes US\$6.3m FX forward loss plus higher net interest expense of US\$2.2m
Share of loss	(0.6)	(3.1)	n/m	Only 3 months' share of BDM's loss in 2007 as it was acquired in Sep 07
Тах	1.5	(6.8)	n/m	2007 includes one off deferred tax benefit of US\$10.3m
Net Profit	38.6	37.0	-4.2	Down mainly due to high base 2007 with one off US\$10.3m benefit
Net Profit before non- recurring items	28.4	39.8	+40.1	Strong net profit before non-recurring items
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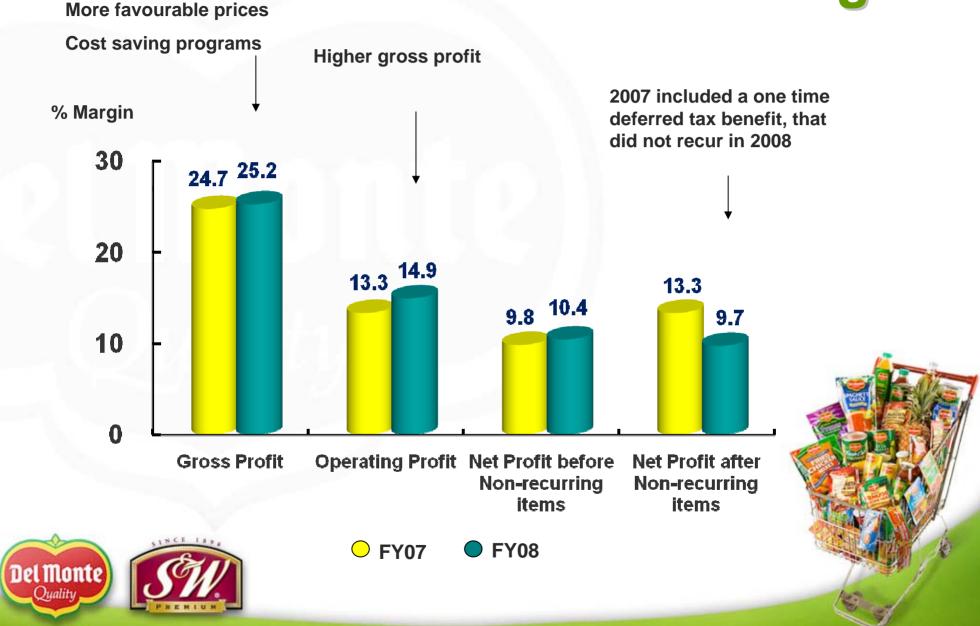
# **FY Turnover Analysis**

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By Market	Asia Pac	+36%	Higher sales in Philippines, esp. <i>Fit 'n Right</i> drink
Asia Pacific 76%			Full year contribution of S&W
			Higher fresh pineapple sales
Europe and North America 24%	E&NA	+20%	Gains in market share and distribution coverage as well as better prices and volume by major customer in USA

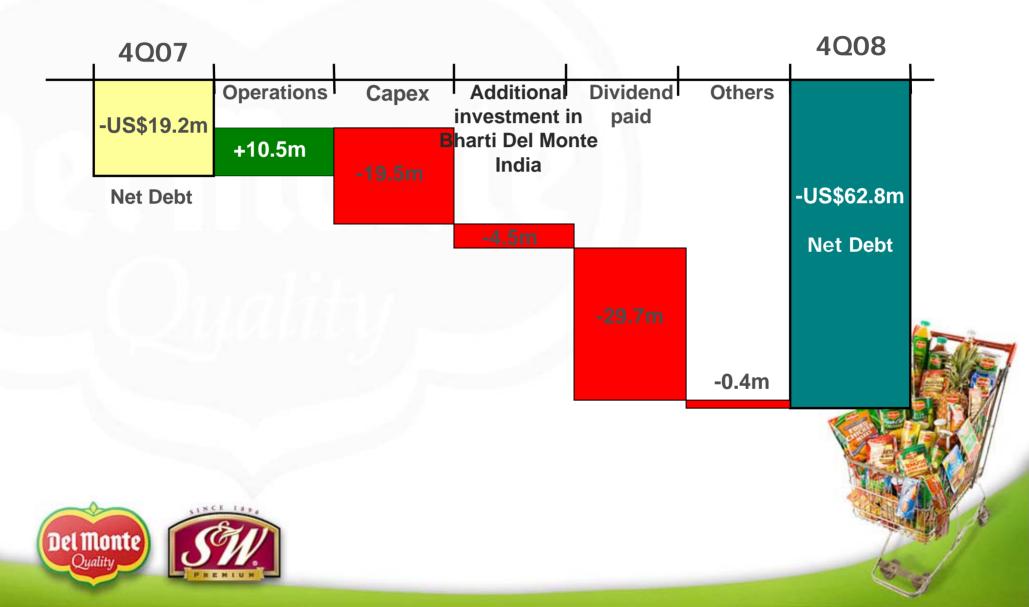
**By Product** 

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Processed Product 60%	Processed	+18%	Higher in all categories	1
Beverages 38%	Beverages	+57%	Philippines higher juice sales due to <i>Fit 'n Right</i>	
Non-processed 2%	Non- processed	+118%	Better prices and new customers for fresh pineapples	1
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## **FY Cash Flow Variance Analysis**





Contributed sales of US\$7.4m in 2008 which includes branded fresh pineapples, a new business in 2008

Higher sales in existing markets of Singapore, HK and Japan

**Expanded into Korea and Philippines** 

- Delayed launch in Vietnam, and will only commence in 2009
- For 2009, we will continue our expansion of existing markets while penetrating new markets such as Vietnam





## **Bharti Del Monte India (BDM)**

Sales doubled to US\$10.3m in 2008

Started sales of Del Monte processed products (canned fruits, juices) in India, imported from Philippines with initial focus on the food service sector (ie Coffee Day, Yo Dimsum)

On Fresh exports, streamlined product line and identified corn as growth driver, achieved 5% market share of UK market for baby corn

Slightly lower net loss position for 2008 vs 2007

DMPL 41% share of loss at US\$3.1m in 2008, with significantly lower losses in 4Q08 vs prior year quarter due to the launch of Del Monte processed business in food service and better fresh export margins

**Strategy : 3 business streams** 

- 1. Fresh export focus on baby corn and sweet corn
- 2. Fresh domestic expansion into modern trade
- 3. Processed domestic start with food service then expand to retail





## **Credit Standing**

Only utilized 35% of bank credit lines

Philippine banks' lending increased more than 20% in 2008

Banks continue to approach DMPL given its creditworthiness

Majority of loans are short term due to better rates, but reviewing this

Loan mix : 80% Peso, 20% US\$ to optimize natural hedge





Dividend	Book Closure Date	Payment Date	Dividend/ Share	Payout Ratio
Final	12 March 2009	26 March 2009	US\$ 0.0176	75% of 2H08 profit

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Final	14 March 2008	27 March 2008	US\$ 0.0195	75% of 2H07 profit
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Challenging 2009 with weaker demand expected in Europe and North America

- Weak demand for the more expensive fruits in glass jars and cups

Expects demand to be flat in key markets, Philippines and India

With contingency action plans in case demand weakens
Continued expansion in Asia Pacific with S&W
Proactive productivity enhancements and cost management
Earnings are expected to be maintained in 2009



### Strategy

- Transform DMPL into one of the fastest growing global branded food and beverage companies
- ✓ Replicate Philippine success in India with Bharti Del Monte and in Asian markets with S&W
- ✓ While growing the base business







