

# **FY2018 Analyst and Media Briefing**

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# **Agenda**

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# Financial Year 2018

Financial Highlights and Performance

Chng Lay Chew, Chief Financial Officer



### **Financial Year 2018 Highlights**

- Record Revenue of \$845M; Net profit of \$363M, at 5-year high
- Securities traded value up 12% to \$314B. Record Derivatives traded volume, up 20% to 198M contracts
- Dividend per share 30 cents, up 2 cents per share; Earnings per Share 33.9 cents

#### Revenue

- \$845M
- Up 5%

#### **Securities Trading**

- \$314B total traded value
- Up 12%

#### **Expenses**

- \$420M
- Up 5%

#### **Derivatives Trading**

- 198M contracts
- Up 20%

#### **Operating Profit**

- \$425M
- Up 6%

#### **Earnings Per Share**

- 33.9 cents
- Up 7%

#### **Net Profit**

- \$363M
- Up 7%

#### **Dividend Per Share**

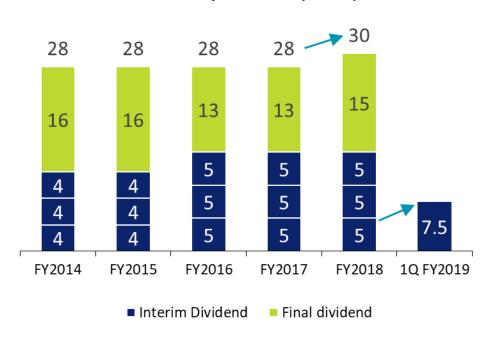
- 30 cents
- Up 2 cents



# Dividend policy to support growth. Aims to provide sustainable and growing returns for shareholders

### **5 Year Dividend History**

#### Dividend per share (cents)

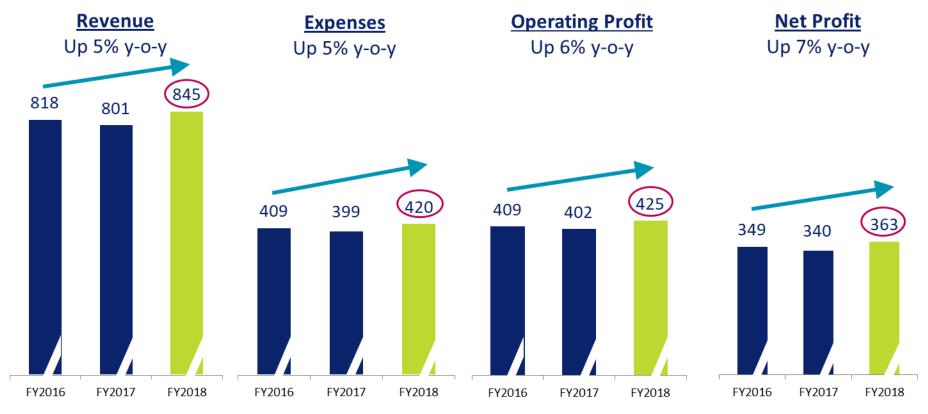


- Aims to pay a sustainable and growing dividend over time, consistent with the company's long-term growth prospects.
   Dividends will be paid on a quarterly basis and will be decided by the Board¹
- Provides flexibility to balance dividend payments with the need to retain earnings to support growth
- SGX will pay a higher dividend of 7.5
   cents per share starting from 1Q FY2019.
   This is an increase of 2.5 cents per share.
   Quarterly dividends will be decided by the Board
- Shareholders will receive returns earlier.
   Potential growth in dividends when SGX performs well



# **Record Revenue since listing in 2000**

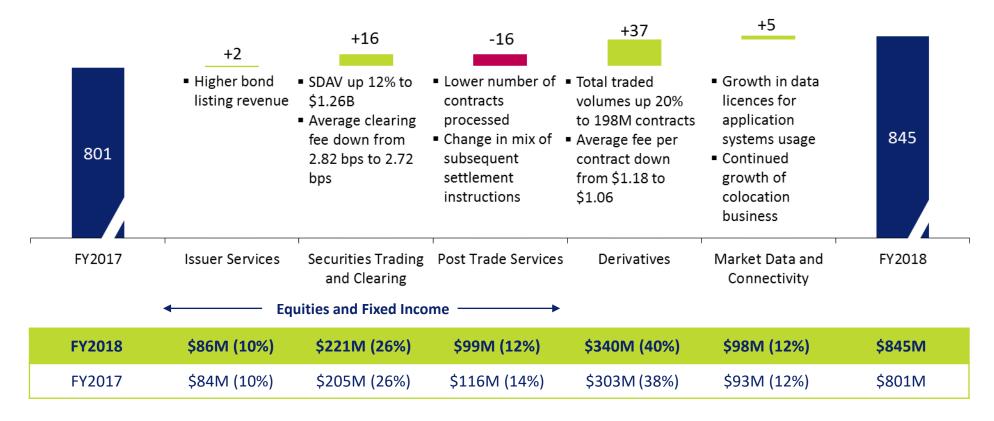
- Revenue of \$845M, up 5% from FY2017
- Expenses up 5%
- Net profit of \$363M, up 7%





# Higher full-year revenues across all three businesses

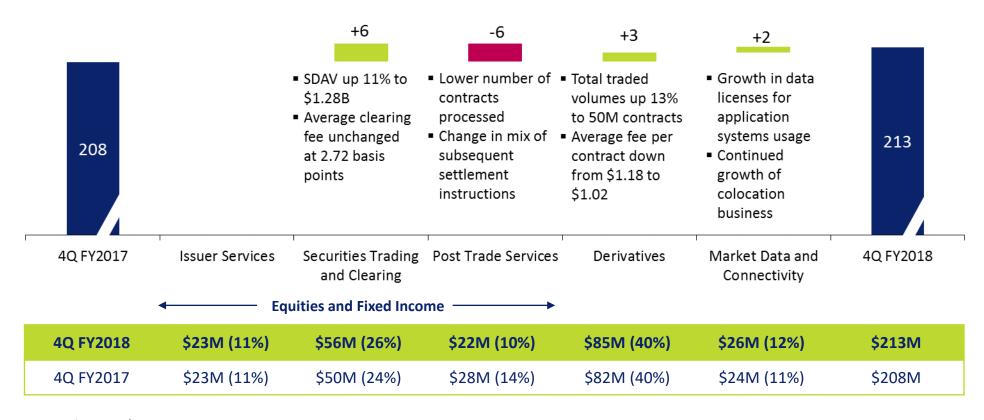
- Equities & Fixed Income revenue of \$407M, up 1% from FY2017
- Record Derivatives volumes and revenue of \$340M, up 12%
- Record Market Data & Connectivity revenue of \$98M, up 5%





# Strong 4Q revenues across all three businesses

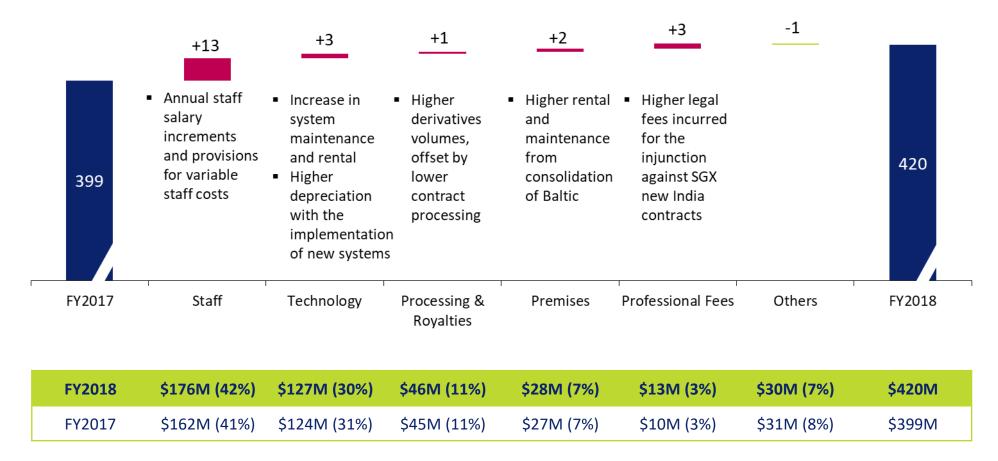
- Equities & Fixed Income revenue comparable y-o-y at \$101M
- Derivatives revenue of \$85M, up 4%
- Market Data and Connectivity revenue of \$26M, up 10%





# Full Year Expenses up 5%

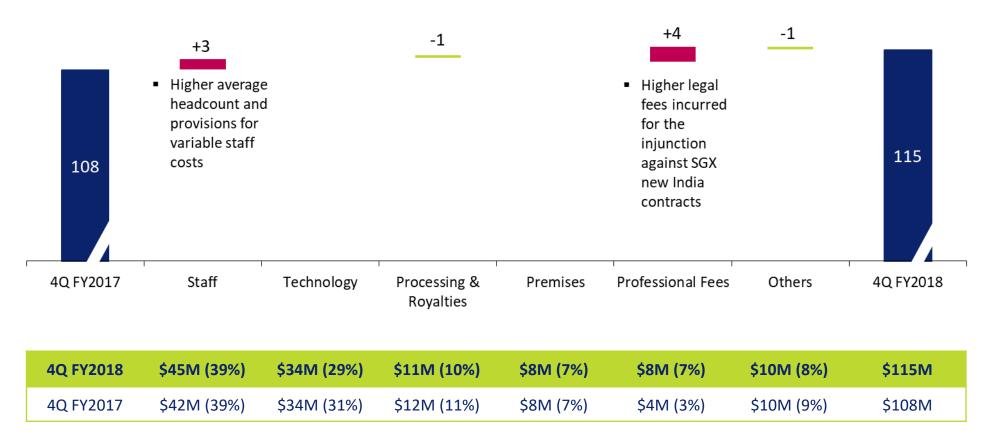
- Maintained cost discipline with focused expenditure
- Higher staff costs, technology expenses and professional fees





# **4Q Expenses increased 6%**

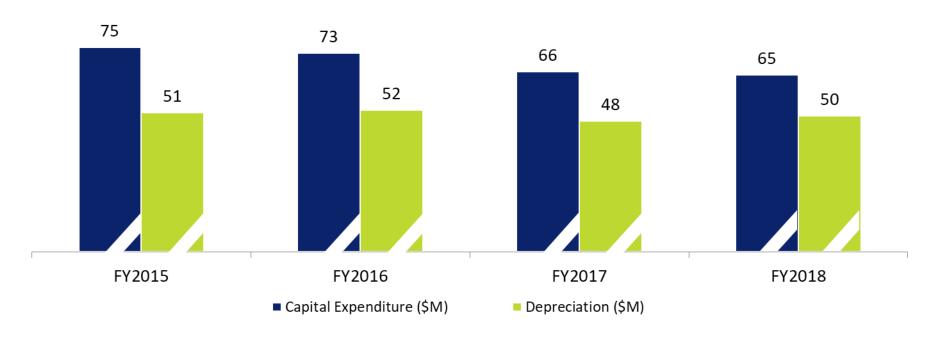
Higher staff costs and professional fees





# Delivered new systems and platforms to support growth

- New securities post-trade system, enhancement of our fixed income trading platform, and implementation of enterprise systems
- Technology CAPEX of \$65M, in line with guidance of \$60M to \$65M

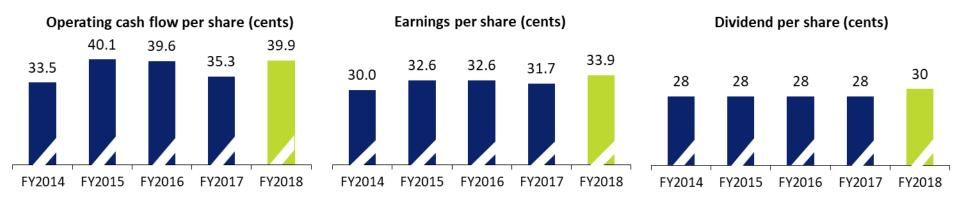




### **Key Financial Indicators**

- High operating profit margin of 50%
- ROE of 34%

	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018
Revenue (\$ million)	686	779	818	801	845
Operating profit (\$ million)	371	402	409	402	425
Operating profit margin	54%	52%	50%	50%	50%
Net profit (\$ million)	320	349	349	340	363
Return on equity	35%	37%	36%	34%	34%





# **Business Update**

Loh Boon Chye, Chief Executive Officer



# FY2018 was a year of records

- Record total revenues since listing in 2000
- Record revenues for Derivatives and Market Data & Connectivity businesses
- Net profit at 5-year high

(\$ million)		
Equities & Fixed Income		
Derivatives		
Market Data & Connectivity		
Total Revenue		

	FY2018 Revenue	Change (y-o-y)	Revenue Contribution
	407	1%	48%
_	340	12%	40%
-	98	<b>6</b> 5%	12%
	845	<b>6</b> 5%	100%



- Derivatives Exchange of the Year by Asia Risk Awards (Sep 2017)
- Asia Exchange of the Year by Structured Products Awards (Sep 2017)
- Exchange of the Year by Energy Risk (Nov 2017)
- SGX Index Edge Best Index Provider at Structured Retail Products Asia-Pacific Awards (Apr 2018)



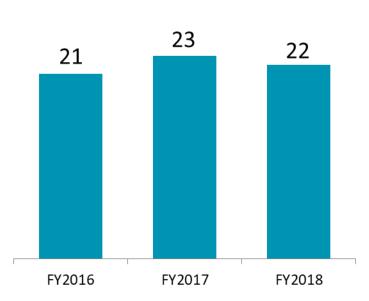
# **Equities & Fixed Income – Equity Listings**

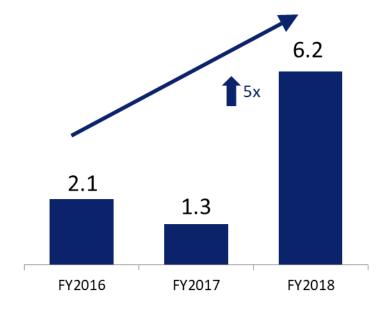
Issuer Services \$86M ↑ 3% y-o-y

- Revenue up 3% from \$84M to \$86M
- 22 new equity listings, compared to 23 a year ago
- Funds raised grew 5x from \$1.3B to \$6.2B

No. of New Equity Listings

#### Funds Raised from New Equity Listings (\$B)





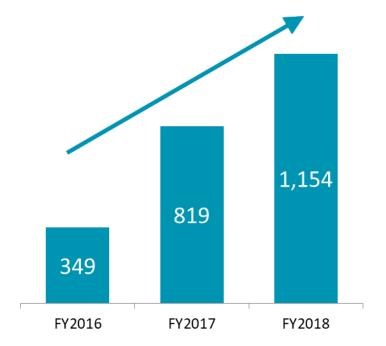


# **Equities & Fixed Income – Fixed Income Listings**

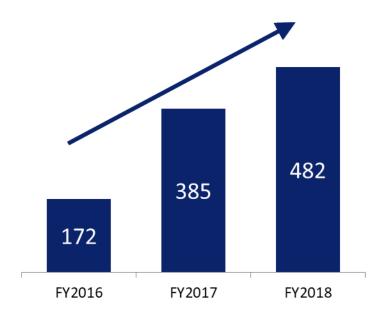
Issuer Services \$86M ↑ 3% y-o-y

- Record growth in Bond listings, up 41% from 819 to 1,154
- Largest exchange in Asia for the listing of international bonds with 80% of listed bonds from offshore issuers
- First listing of retail asset-backed securities

#### No. of New Bond Listings



#### Funds Raised from New Bond Listings (\$B)





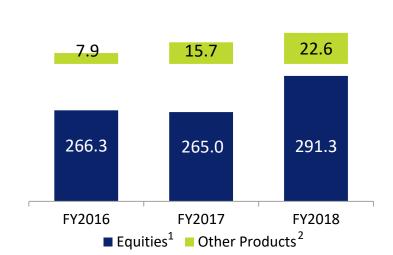
## **Equities & Fixed Income**

Securities Trading & Clearing \$221M ↑ 8% y-o-y

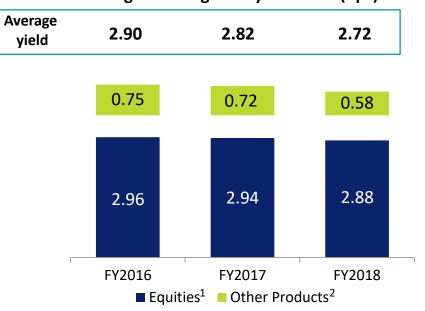
- SDAV at 5-year high; up 12% from \$1.12B to \$1.26B
- New DLCs boosted trading in Other Products<sup>2</sup>
- Continued efforts to grow retail market participation

#### **Securities Total Value Traded (\$B)**

# Total Traded Value 274.1 280.7 314.0



#### **Average Clearing Fee by Products (bps)**



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Other products include structured warrants, company warrants, exchange-traded funds, daily leverage certificates, debt securities, and American depository receipts



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Equities include ordinary shares, real-estate investment trusts and business trusts

## **Equities & Fixed Income**

Post Trade Services \$99M ↓ 14% y-o-y

- Securities settlement revenue down 8% from \$96M to \$88M due to a change in the mix of subsequent settlement activities
- All brokers had successfully migrated to their own back office systems by February 2018

#### **New Post Trade System (Phase 2)**



#### **Update:**

- Conformance testing of members up till November 2018
- Expected 'live' in December 2018

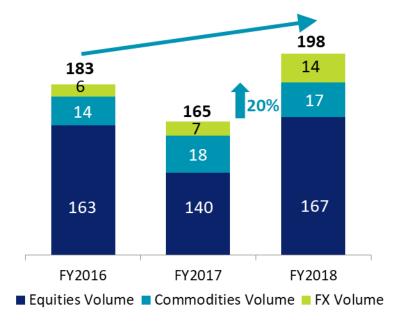


### **Derivatives**

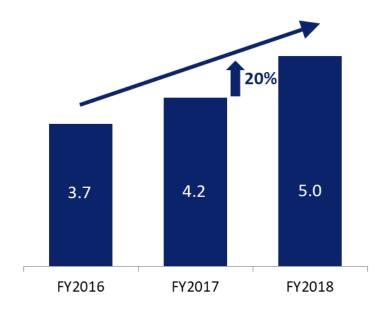
Equity & Commodities \$237M 个 8% y-o-y

- Record derivatives volumes, up 20% from 165M to 198M contracts
- Increased Open Interest; up 20% from 4.2M to 5.0M contracts
- Average fee per contract lower from \$1.18 to \$1.06

#### **Total Derivatives Volume (M contracts)**



# Average month-end Open Interest (M contracts)

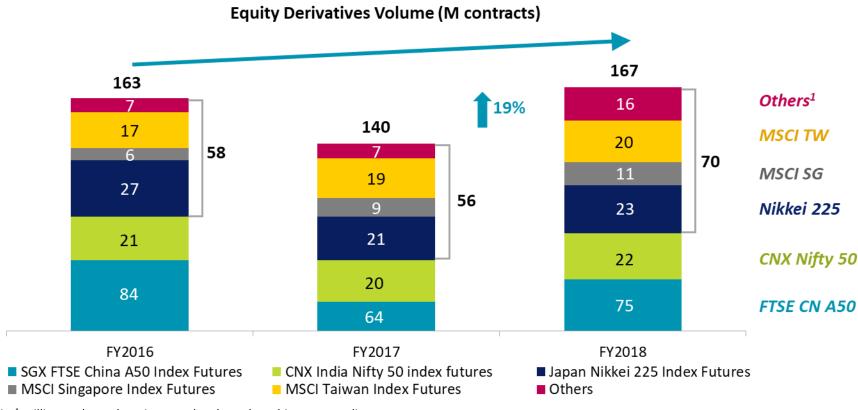


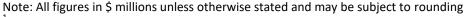


### **Derivatives – Equities**

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 Increased trading volumes across all key Equity Index contracts, up 19% from 140M to 167M contracts





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Others comprises mainly Nikkei 225 Index Options, MSCI Japan Index Futures and Nifty Bank Index Futures.

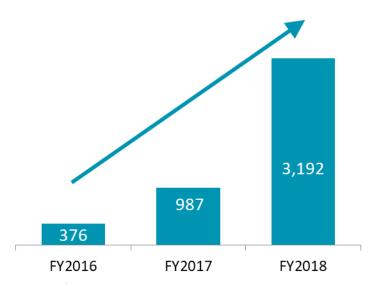


### **Derivatives – FX and Commodities**

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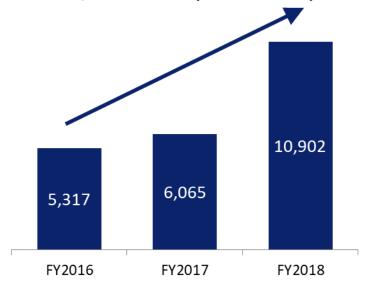
- Record FX futures volume, up two-fold from 7.2M to 14.3M contracts
- Iron Ore seeing increased overnight electronic participation
  - 16% of futures volumes now on screen (vs 8% the last FY)
- Titan OTC Pro Evolving our trade registration platform Titan to provide a Broker-assisted platform to digitise the OTC trading of commodities.

#### USD/ CNH Volume ('000 contracts)



#### Note: All figures in \$ millions unless otherwise stated and may be subject to rounding

#### INR/ USD Volume ('000 contracts)





# **Market Data & Connectivity**

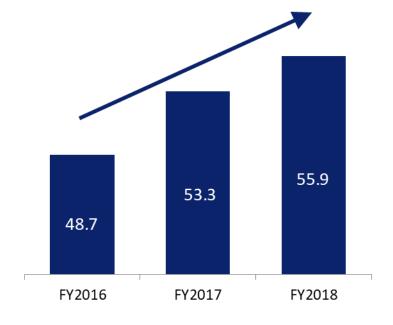
Market Data & Connectivity \$98M 个 5% y-o-y

- Record revenue, up 5% from \$93M to \$98M
- Increased data licences for application system usage
- Continued growth in our colocation business

#### Market Data Revenue (\$M)



#### Connectivity Revenue (\$M)





# **Looking Ahead ...**

- Market volatility to increase from escalating trade tensions and moderating global growth
- We will continue to support our customers in managing their risks across different asset classes and introduce new derivative solutions
- Guidance for FY2019:
  - Operating expenses is expected to be between \$445M & \$455M
  - Technology-related capital expenditure is expected to be between \$60M & \$65M



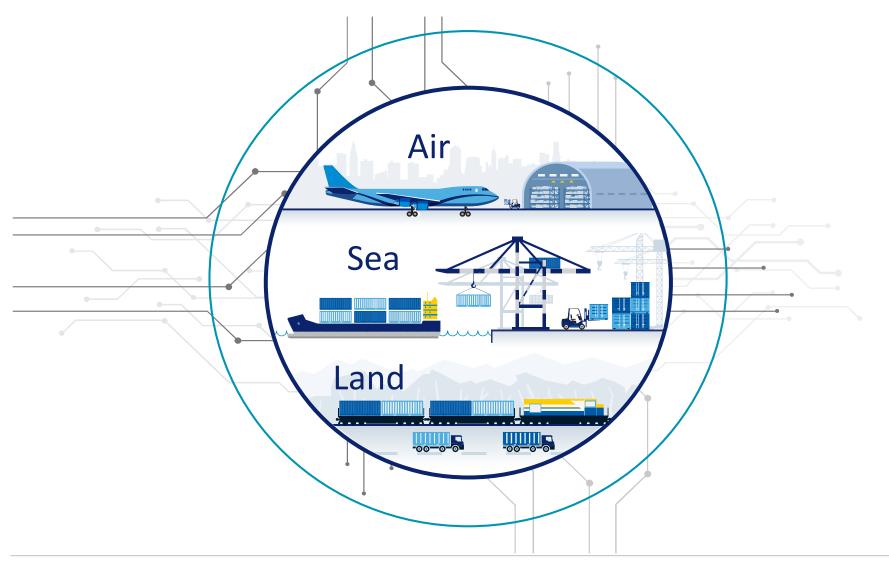


# **Our strategy for FY2019**





# Global freight is the new multi-modal asset class





# SGX is well positioned to be the Digital Freight Marketplace

Mission: Fortify The Baltic Exchange, leverage SGX cargo & freight franchise, and **invest strategically** in market infrastructure & data. Iron Ore Shipping Bank Bank ക SGX Air **Coking Coal Commodity Trade Freight Digital Marketplace Brokers Markets** Brokers Insurance Insurance **Markets** for the Future of Freight **Buyers Buyers** Sellers Sellers Road 1111 Rubber Warehouse Warehouse Rail Steel Offer full-stack digital services in spot price discovery, Dominate a new multi-modal asset class of matching & trading, and post-trade risk management. freight - wet & dry bulk, container & air



# **Questions and Answers**







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