# Vietnam's Economy Report 46<sup>th</sup> ACF Council Meeting Thailand, September 7<sup>th</sup> 2018



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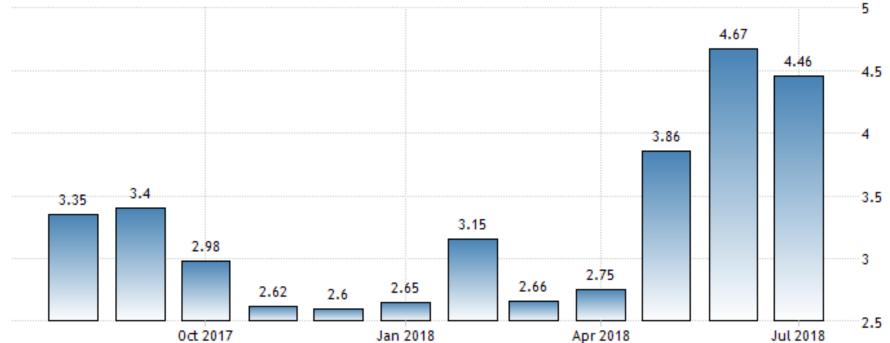
VIETNAM GDP GROWTH RATE

8 7.65 7.46 7.38 7.5 7.01 7 6.8 6.68 6.56 6.44 6.5 6.28 6 5.78 5.48 5.5 5.15 5 Jul 2015 Jan 2016 Jul 2016 Jan 2017 Jul 2017 Jan 2018

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## Vietnam Inflation rate of 2018

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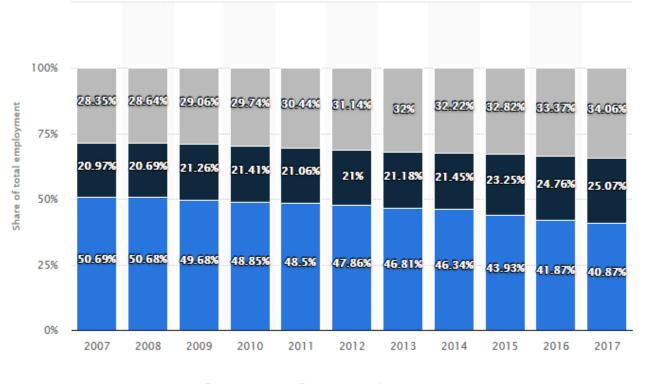
## Inflation rate in Vietnam

Inflation rate in July 2018 is 4.46%.

Key factors that influence inflation in Vietnam

- Rising food prices
- Rising medical costs
- Rising education and public services
- Rising price of construction materials

# Vietnam's Economy Employment distributions across sectors



 Agriculture still the key factor in Vietnam's Economy, but try to transition to Service Economy.

 Service is improving due to joining major councils.

Agriculture Industry Services



#### USD to VND Chart

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13 Aug 2017 00:00 UTC - 13 Aug 2018 07:28 UTC USD/VND close:23255.61617 low:22635.58886 high:23331.42722



## Target basic economy

➤GDP growth 6.81% in 2017. first quarter of 2018 was 7.38%

- ➢Increasing export turnover of goods 8-10%.
- $\succ$  Trade deficit ration is less than 3%.
- Consumer Price Index (CPI) increases 3.29% first half of 2018 compared to same period of 2017.
- ➤Unemployment rate: less than 4% as reported in Dec 2017, unemployment was 3.18%.
- ➢ Health and Insurance Coverage reached 81.7% national population.

# Overview of construction industry

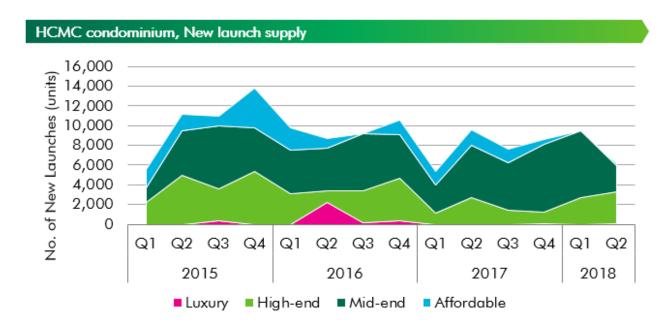
In 2017, Vietnam Construction industry growth 8.7% (12.8 billion US dollars)

➢In 2017, urbanization rate is 37.5% increases 0.9% y-o-y.

Floor area per person increases 0.6 sqm from 2016 reached 23.4 sqm per person.

## Condominium Supply in Ho Chi Minh city

- Supply: 6,109 condominium units.
- Mid-end Segment: Decreased 62% q-o-q, and 52% y-o-y.
- High-end Segment: increased 54% of the market.
- Luxury: One new project with 40 units

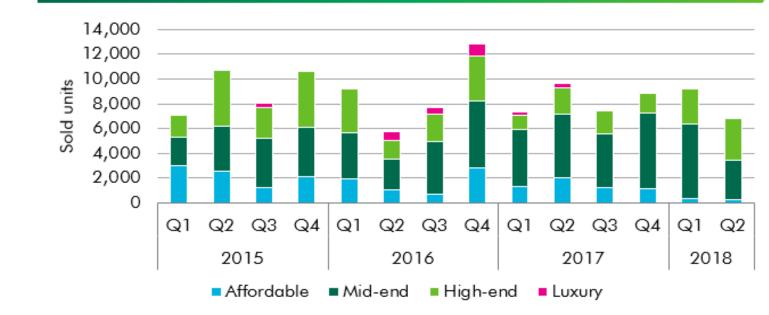


Source: CBRE Vietnam, Q2 2018.

## Ho Chi Minh Condominium Sales

- Sales continued to be positive in Q2 2018
- More than 80% of new launch units having been absorbed.
- In Q2 2018, 6,947 sold units in total, a decrease of 25% q-o-q and decrease of 29% y-o-y.
- In Q2 2018 Average price on the primary market was US\$1,580 psm. Increase of 3% q-o-q. Primary price increases of 3%-5%

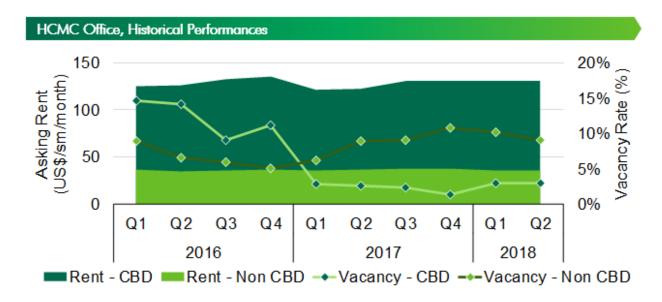
#### HCMC condominium, Sold units



Source: CBRE Vietnam, Q2 2018.

## Office Rental Performance

- Asking Rents for Grade A and B increased q-o-q and y-o-y. 7.0% q-o-q and 17.0% yo-y.
- Asking rent for Grade B, 7.3% growth rate y-o-y.
- Vacancy rate for both Grades were below 5%.

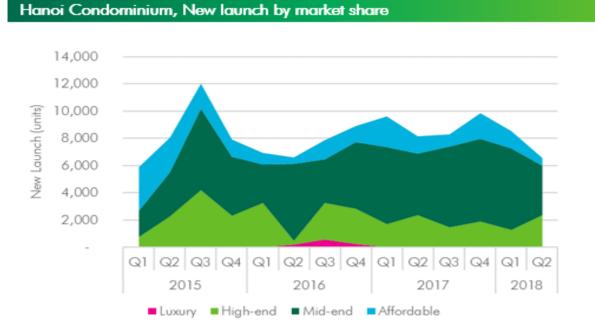


Asking Rents do not include VAT and Service Charge.

Source: CBRE Vietnam, Q2 2018.

## Condominium supply in Hanoi

- Supply: 6,534 units (Decreased 20\$ y-o-y)
- High-end Segment: Increased 37% of total market
- Mid-end Segment: There are no specific statistics, but the supply is decreased.



Source: CBRE Vietnam, Q2 2018

#### Sales in Hanoi

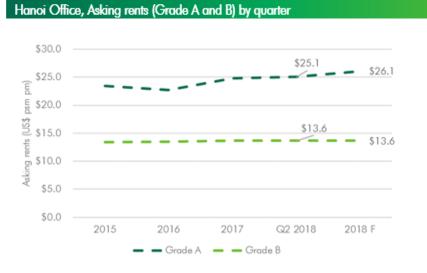


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223 units were sold in the second quarter of the year, a decrease of 62% q-o-q and 85% y-o-y.

# Price Segment

#### Net absorption: 24,000 sm, up 23%

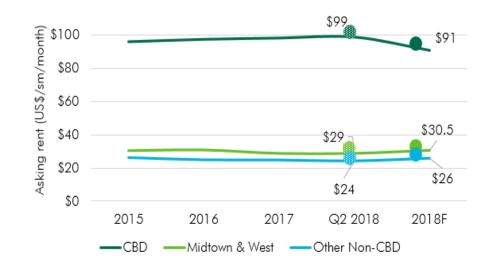




Asking rents are quoted excluding VAT and Service Charge

#### CBD: up 0.8% Non CBD: down 0.3% y-o-y



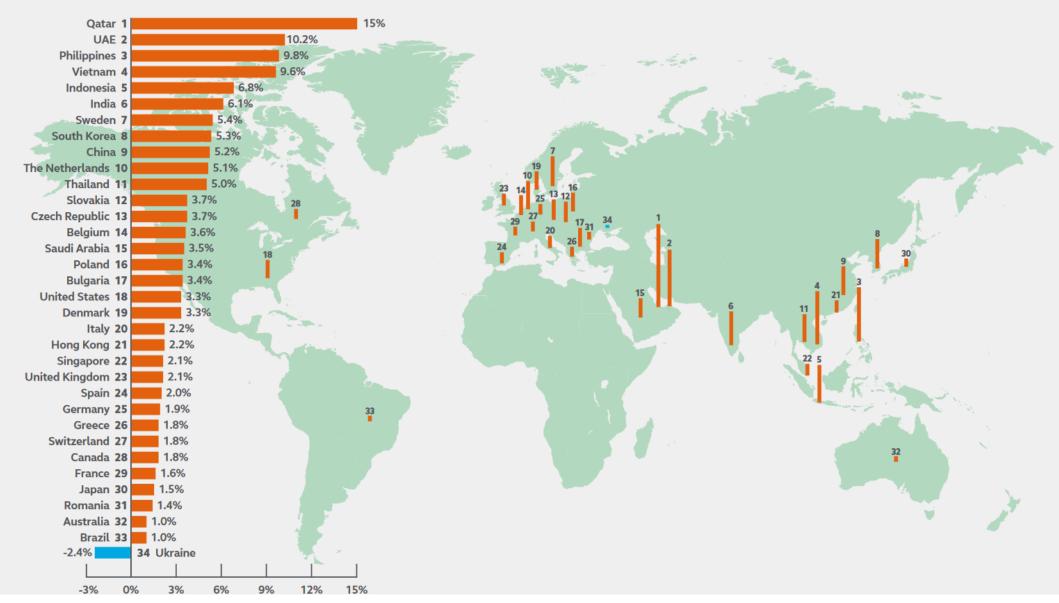


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## Landed Property supply forecast

FORECAST CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY VALUE, REAL GROWTH 2018. % YEAR ON YEAR CHANGE



# **Construction Materials Cost**

MATERIAL	UNIT	AVERAGE SUPPLY RATE (VND)			
		3Q2016	4Q2016	1Q2017	2Q2017 <sup>p</sup>
Concreting Sand	m <sup>3</sup>	209,091	223,788	232,297	400,256
Stone Aggregate (20mm)	m <sup>3</sup>	224,243	221,212	218,182	218,182
Ordinary Portland Cement (PCB40)	kg	1,523	1,523	1,523	1,523
Reinforced Concrete (Grade 30 MPA)	m <sup>3</sup>	1,109,091	1,109,091	1,109,091	1,109,091
Reinforced Concrete (Grade 40 MPA)	m <sup>3</sup>	1,218,182	1,218,182	1,218,182	1,218,182
High Tensile Steel Bars (10 - 40mm)	kg	13,450	13,450	13,450	13,450
Mild Steel Round Bars (6 - 20mm)	kg	13,180	13,180	13,180	13,180
Structural Steelwork (U-beam, stanchions)	tonne	14,280,000	14,280,000	14,013,000	13,280,000
Timber Sawn Formwork	m²	120,000	130,000	140,000	145,000
Clay Bricks (100mm thick wall)	m²	204,600	204,600	204,600	204,600

Data Source: Ho Chi Minh City Construction Department p: preliminary

## Construction cost review

	2Q18 Average Grade A Rent (USD psm pa)	Quarterly Change 2Q18 vs 1Q18 (Local Currency)	Yearly Change 2Q18 vs 2Q17 (Local Currency)	2Q18 Average Grade A Capital Value (USD psm)	Quarterly Change 2Q18 vs 1Q18 (Local Currency)	Yearly Change 2Q18 vs 2Q17 (Local Currency)
Hong Kong (Central)	2,036	3.2	6.3	78,538	5.8	18.3
Beijing (CBD)	1,060	3.1	4.2	20,220	5.5	14.1
Tokyo (5 Kus)	838	-0.1	0.9	28,901	-0.1	0.9
Shanghai (CBD)	838	0.5	-1.3	15,630	0.5	1.4
Singapore (CBD)	738	3.1	16.5	20,401	2.9	14.5
Sydney (Sydney CBD)	596	2.0	12.5	15,321	3.3	10.9
Taipei (Xinyi)	526	0.2	2.8	17,532	0.2	2.8
Ho Chi Minh City (CBD)	507	0.8	9.1	5,830	1.9	14.2
Seoul (CBD)	504	-0.2	-0.5	11,330	-0.2	-0.5
Guangzhou (ZJNT)	488	3.1	10.2	11,168	3.1	10.0
Mumbai (SBD BKC)	473	-1.8	-0.5	4,943	-1.9	-0.3
Osaka (2 Kus)	398	3.8	13.4	12,051	3.8	20.2
Auckland (CBD)	357	0.0	0.4	6,338	6.2	8.8
Hanoi (CBD)	285	1.3	5.9	3,203	1.9	10.1
Melbourne (CBD)	278	2.0	12.8	10,508	3.1	12.3
NCR Delhi (SBD)	275	-1.9	-1.1	3,087	-1.9	-1.1
Bangkok (CBA)	250	1.8	7.9	3,876	2.1	9.6
Wellington (CBD)	249	1.4	2.8	3,621	3.1	12.1
Manila (Makati)	235	1.7	4.9	2,685	2.2	6.9
Jakarta (CBD)	229	-3.1	-8.8	2,919	-3.1	-9.4
Perth (CBD)	199	1.0	2.8	6,980	-0.1	-0.8
Brisbane (CBD)	194	1.0	-0.9	6,750	1.2	11.9
Canberra (CBD)	185	1.1	3.9	4,464	2.5	13.9
Bengaluru (SBD)	180	-0.3	4.8	1,762	-0.3	6.2
Chennai (SBD)	139	4.7	10.6	2,197	4.7	10.6
Kuala Lumpur (City Centre)	139	-0.4	3.5	2,096	-0.6	3.3
Adelaide (CBD)	122	1.7	1.9	4,104	1.1	1.2

Notes: All rents are net effective. Rents and capital values are on a net lettable area basis and relate to the major submarket in each city psm pa – per square metre per annum

## Average monthly labor

#### VIETNAM AVERAGE MONTHLY WAGES



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VND Thousand/Wonth

# Updated policies for individual foreigners to own a house.

Foreigners in Vietnam are not allowed to own a land, but they can buy a house.

Foreigners can sell, donate, inherit, or give houses as gifts.

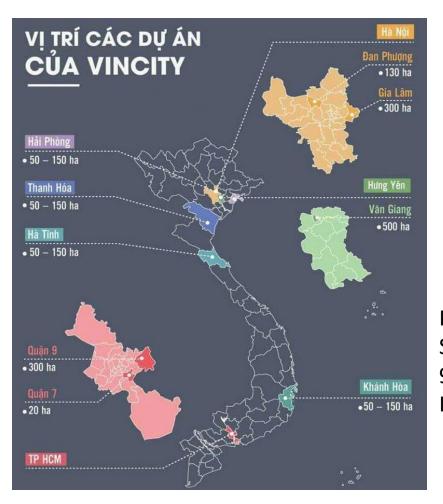
 $\succ$ Owning a house can be up but not more than 50 years.

#### FINISHED MEGA PROJECT IN 2018

- Landmark 81 the tallest building in Vietnam.
- > 14<sup>th</sup> tallest building in the world.
- Leasing Offices, hotels, Restaurants, entertainment area, playground, and shopping mall are located inside and around the building.



#### 5. UPCOMING AND ON-GOING MEGA PROJECTS





Project name: Vincity Size: 200,000 – 300,000 apartments 9 Locations over 5 years Investor: Vingroup

## UPCOMING MEGA PROJECTS

- Metropole Thu Thiem which is similar to Sydney "darling Habour".
- Development details: 1534 apartments and shophouse for sale and ~100.000m2.

office for rent Tenure:

Vietnamese: Freehold

Foreigner: 50 Years Ownership, Extending Additional 50 Years

Handover condition: 1, 2, 3 Bedroom: Fully fitted

Premium Collection: Fully fitted

Penthhouse: Bare shell

Shop House: Bare shell

Landed House: Bare shell

According to Metropolethuthiem



## ON-GOING MEGA PROJECT

- Estimated completion 2020
- From Ben Thanh to Suoi Tien amusement park.
- Still an on-going project, and meet up with all the deadlines and payments.



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#### Metro Line No. 1



Total distance: 107 Kilometers Time of Completion: Year 2020

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#### HANOI INFRASTRUCTURE

#### Metro lines: step by step progress

Line No. 2A - Ha Dong- Cat Linh: 80% completed (Q2/16: 74%). Expected operation: Q3/2017







Depot on La Khe (Ha Dong)

Depot on Thanh Xuan 3

Depot on Cat Linh

Line No. 3 – Nhon - Hanoi Railway station: 45% completed. Expected operation: 2020



Source: Retrieve on internet, CBRE Vietnam

# Thank you for your attention

