

### **Accessing China Growth**



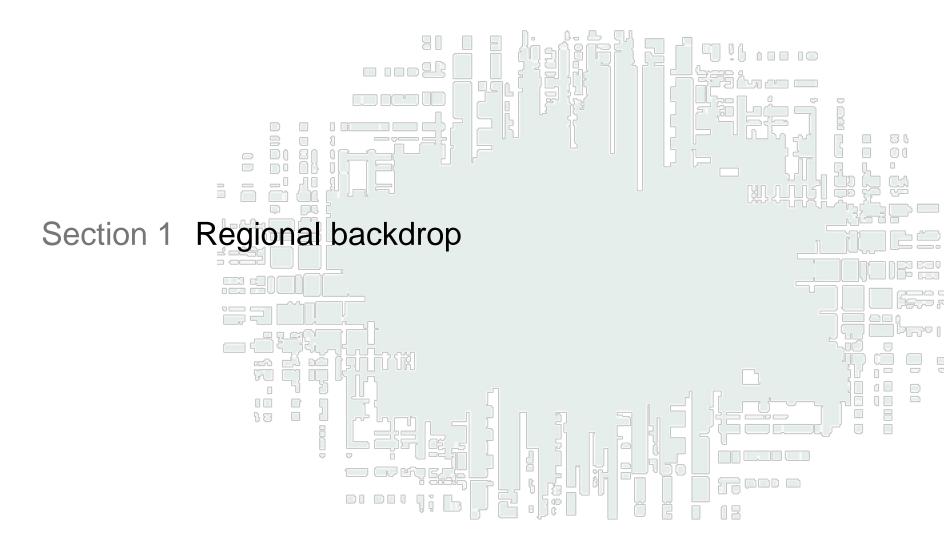
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**Discussion topics** 



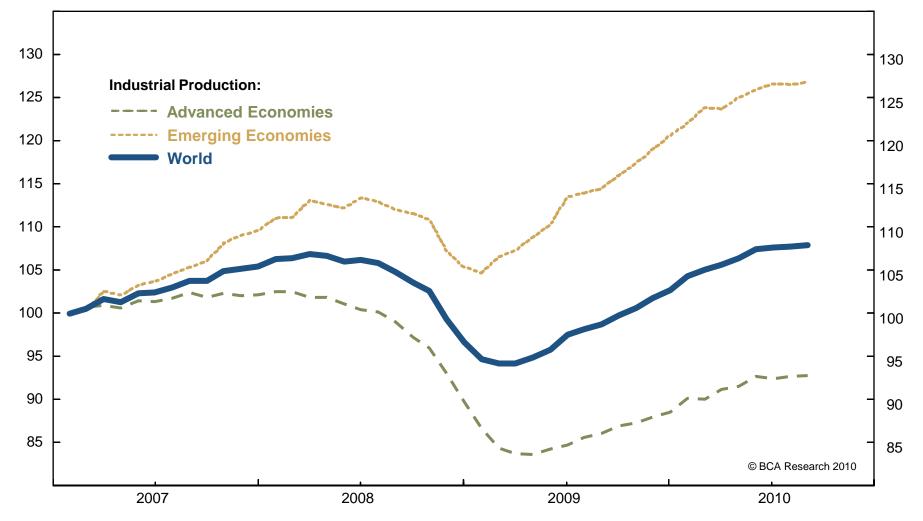
- 1. Regional backdrop
- 2. Which asset classes and sectors look promising?
- 3. Will the recent spate of IPOs continue?
- 4. Internationalization of RMB
- 5. What's in store for investors and risks they need to be aware of?

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### A Recovery is Underway But developed economies are being left behind



Note : All series rebased to Jan. 2007=100. Source : Netherlands Bureau for Economic Analysis.



### China to Lead Global Growth IMF projections of GDP growth through 2015

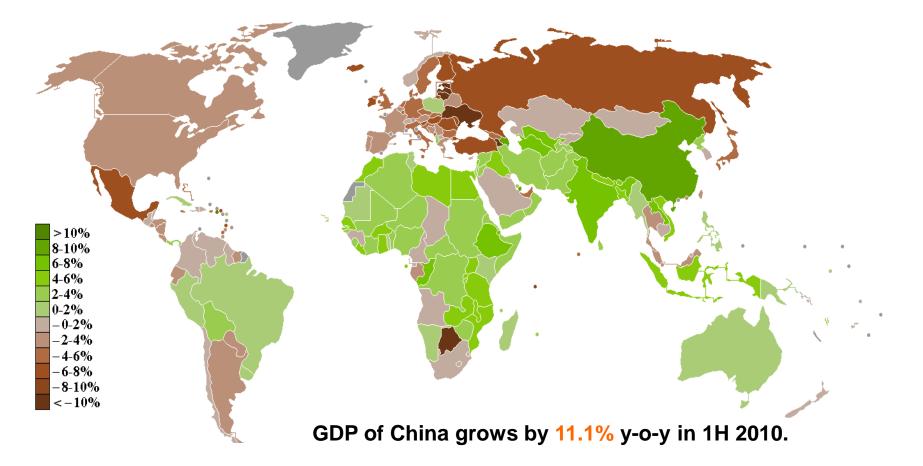
	Year over Year			
	Projections			
	2010	2011	2015	
World output	4.2	4.3	4.6	
Advanced economies	2.3	2.4	2.3	
United States	3.1	2.6	2.4	
Euro area	1.0	1.5	1.7	
Japan	1.9	2.0	1.7	
Other advanced economies	3.0	3.4	3.1	
Newly industrialized Asian economies	5.2	4.9	4.3	
Emerging and developing economies	6.3	6.5	6.7	
Sub-Saharan Africa	4.7	5.9	5.4	
Central and eastern Europe	2.8	3.4	4.0	
Commonwealth of Independent States	4.0	3.6	5.0	
Developing Asia	8.7	8.7	8.5	
China	10.0	9.9	9.5	
India	8.6	8.4	8.1	
ASEAN-5	4.7	5.3	5.0	
Middle East & North Africa	4.5	4.8	4.8	
Western Hemisphere	4.0	4.0	4.0	

### China market





# China's GDP growth rate top the rest of the World in **RCM** 2009



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### China's 12th Five -Year Plan (2011 to 2015)

From economic growth acceleration to sustainable long-term growth

- Structural shift from exports to domestic consumption
- Environmental considerations with focus on low energy and low carbon economic activities
  - -Industry consolidation in high energy-intensive sectors accelerates
  - -Renewable energy: operator vs equipment suppliers
  - —Environment related projects
- Driving towards a more equitable wealth distribution with household income growing at a much faster rate
- Spreading out economic development to central and western regions
- Moving up the value added technology curve
- Increasing importance of the services industry

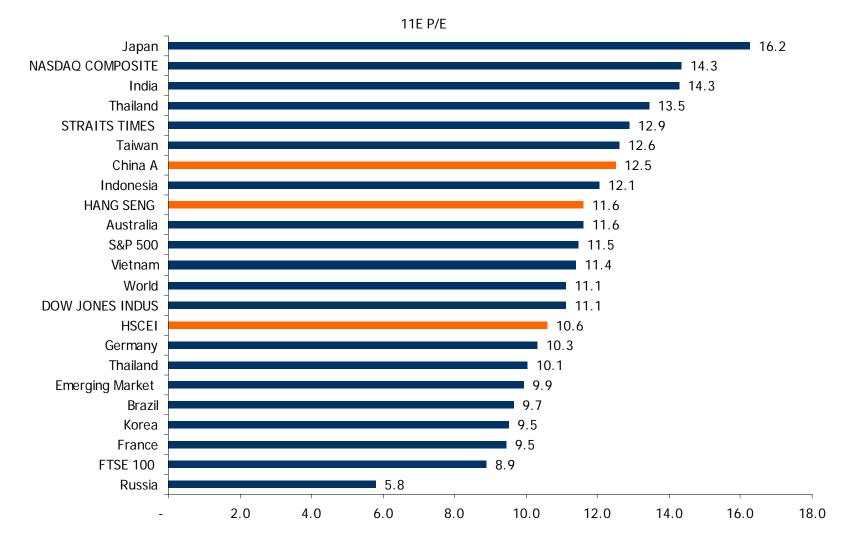
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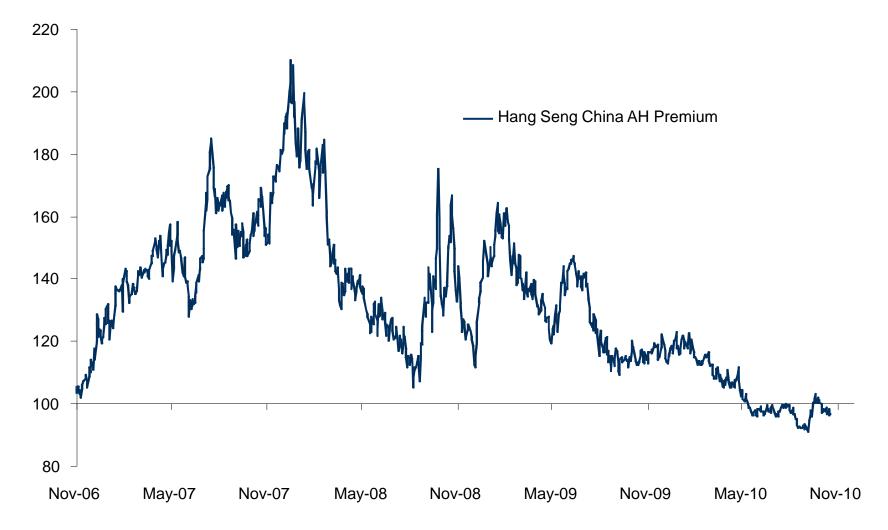
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### China's Valuations Consensus not cheap, but not overvalued



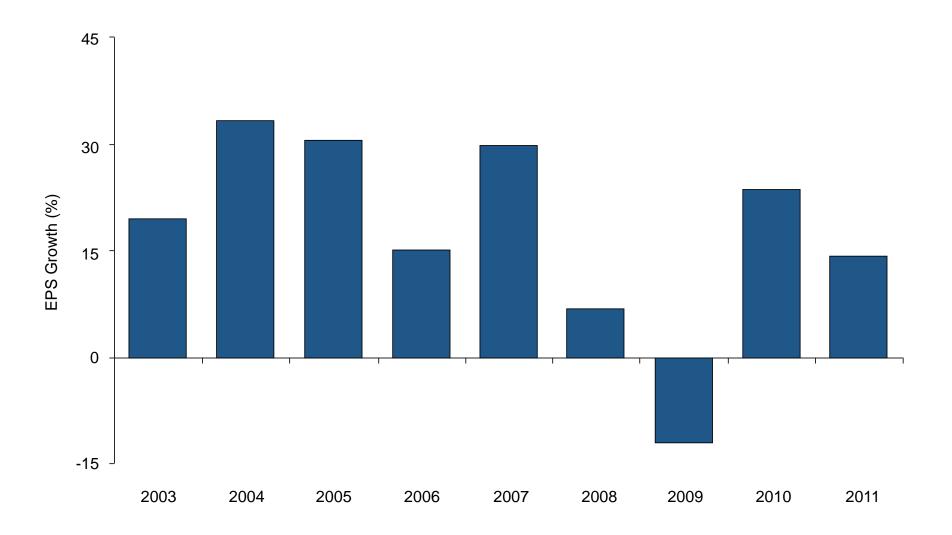
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### AH Premium Has Collapsed A-Share price-premium now in-line with H-shares



### Earnings growth: MSCI China

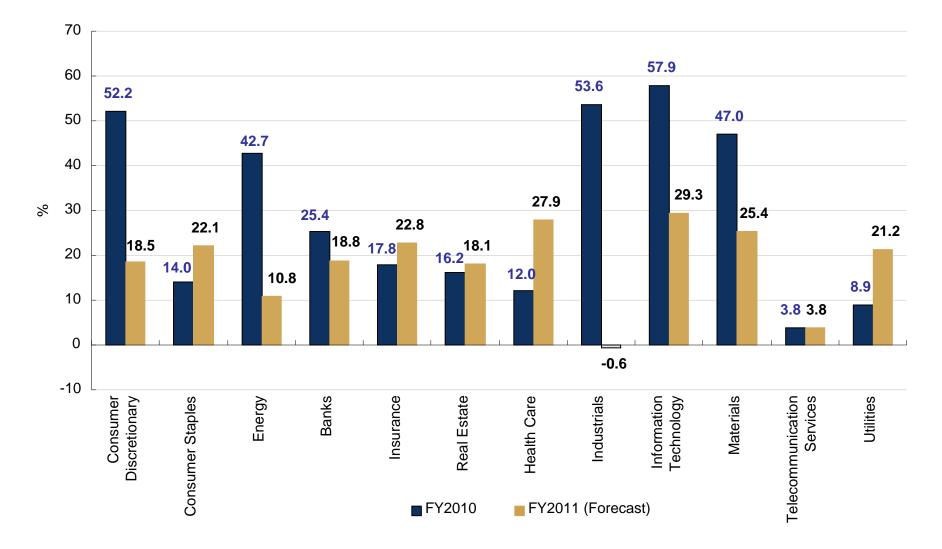




Source: Nomura – 20101008 Remarks: 2010 & 2011 based on Nomura estimates

### Earnings growth by sectors: MSCI China





EPS growth is market-cap weighted within the sector for each particular sector. Forecast data are from I/B/E/S consensus. Data as at 30 Sept 2010 Source : NOMURA Quantiative Strategies 20101012

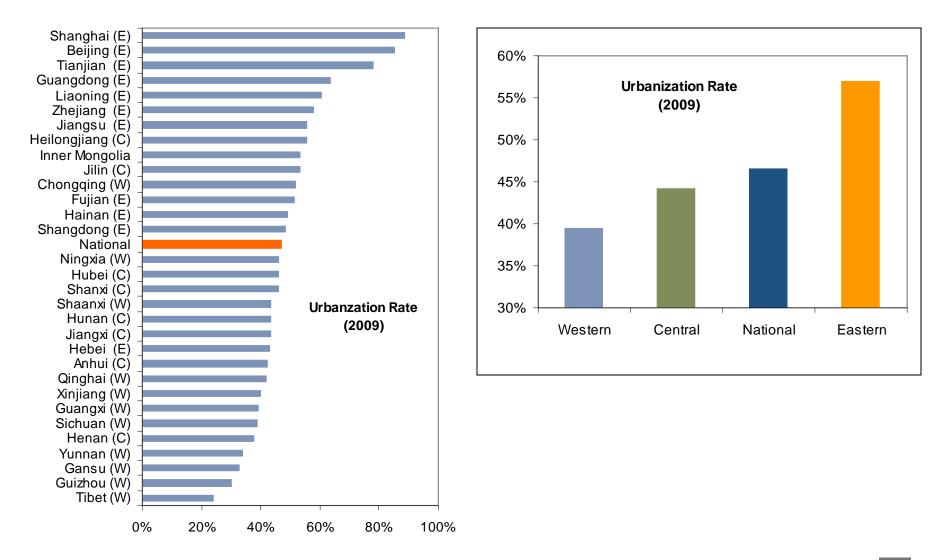
### Earnings momentum: MSCI China



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### Accelerated urbanization in inland regions

Uneven urbanization across the different regions

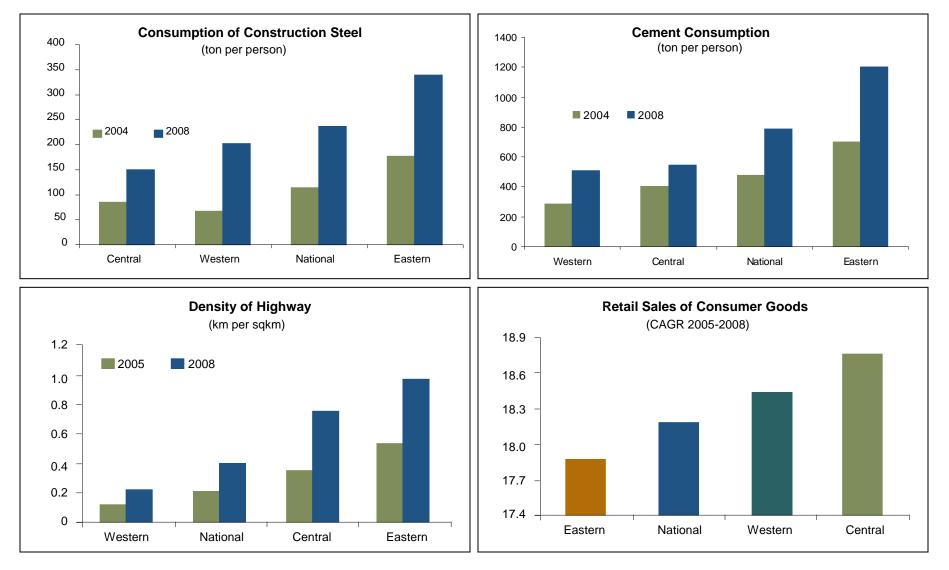


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### Rapid urbanization is associated with.....



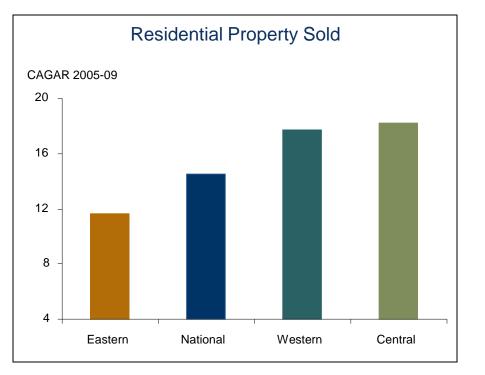


Source: Morgan Stanley- 20100309

### Healthier real estate market in second-tier cities



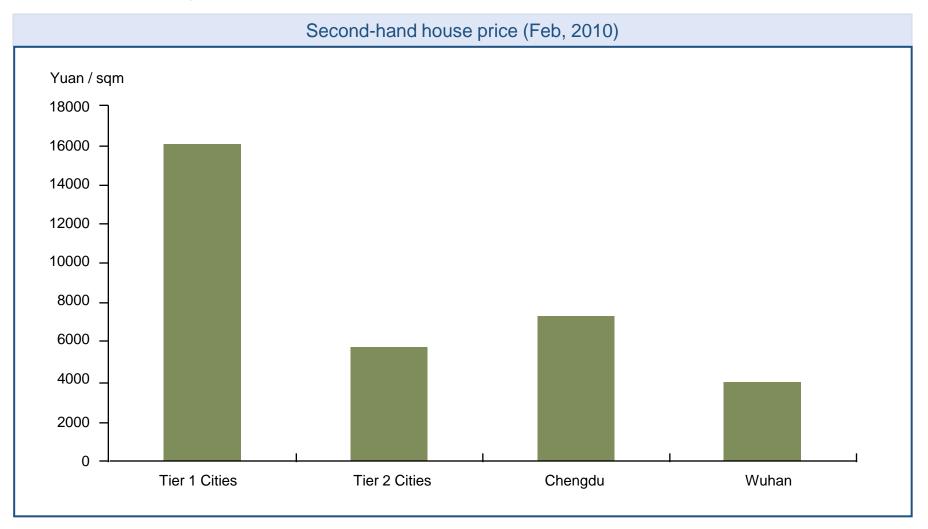
Comparison of real estate marekts between tier-1 and smaller cities					
	Tier-1 Cities	Smaller Cities			
Price-income ratio	15x	10x			
Investment demand as % of total	30-50%	Around 10%			
Income growth (2009)	10%	11%			



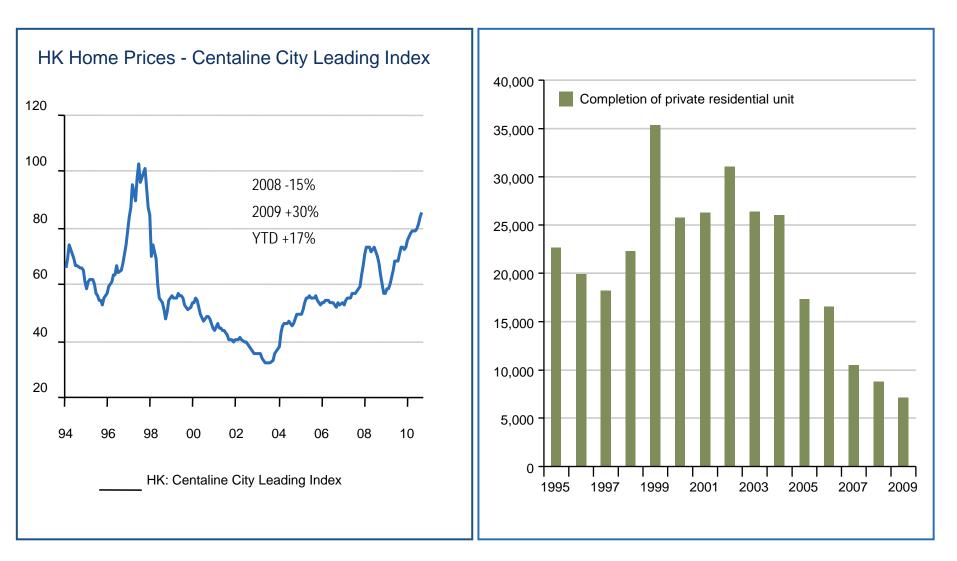
### **Real Estate Prices**



### Tier-1 cities significantly more expensive



### Property prices in Hong Kong have held up well



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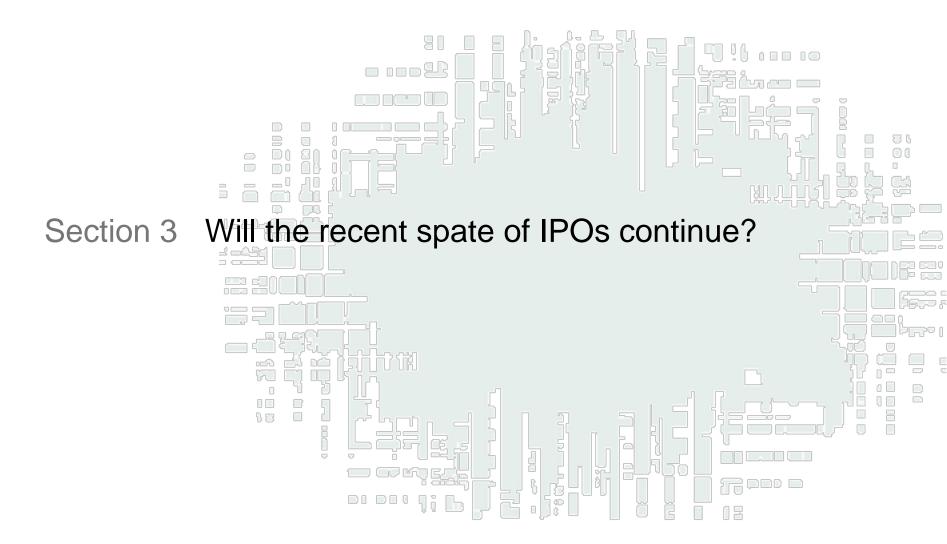
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## We do not expect imminent policy relaxation on the China property market



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### IPO pipeline in Asia Full and Vibrant



 Total deal size estimated = USD113bn (equities, IPOs, placements etc)

Country	%
Australia	6
Hong Kong / China	70
India	7
Indonesia	3
Korea	2
Malaysia	4
Philippines	3
Singapore	5
Total	100

Sector	%
Consumer	4
Energy	14
Financials	45
Holding Companies	11
Industrials	4
Real Estate	5
Transportation	6
Other	11
Total	100

### Top 10 IPOs in Asia (ex Japan) in 2010

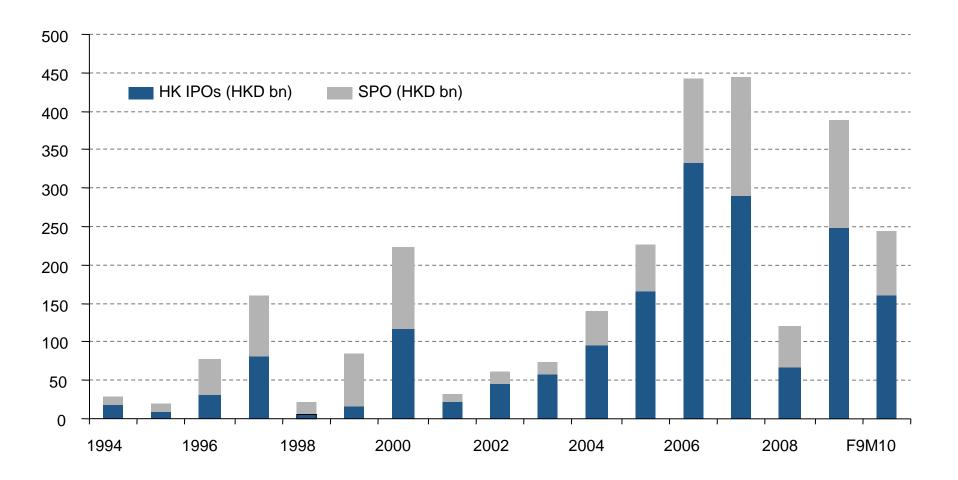


Pricing Date	Issuer Name	General Industry	Exchange	Cur- rency	Offer Price	Total Value \$ Incl Non-Deal (US\$m)	<b>v</b>	<b>J</b>	% Change Price Offer/ Current
6-Ju	Agricultural Bank of China	Finance	Hong Kong	HK\$	3.20	22,117	2.19	5.94	33.44
22-Oct	AIA Group	Insurance	Hong Kong	HK\$	19.68	20,493	17.12	N/A	18.39
23-Apr	Samsung Life Insurance	Insurance	Korea	WON	110,000.00	4,411	3.64	-6.36	-8.64
12-Nov	Petronas Chemicals Group	Chemicals	Kuala Lumpur	M\$	5.20	4,157	N/A	N/A	N/A
25-Oct	Coal India	Mining	Bombay; India - National Stock Exchange	RUP	245.00	3,439	39.73	N/A	33.61
12-Aug	China Everbright Bank	Finance	Shanghai	RMB	3.10	3,203	18.06	8.39	26.45
11-Oct	Global Logistic Properties	Real Estate/Property	Singapore	S\$	1.96	2,995	10.71	11.22	14.80
11-Feb	Huatai Securities	Finance	Shanghai	RMB	20.00	2,298	5.30	6.80	-27.30
22-Jan	United Co Rusal	Metal & Steel	Hong Kong	HK\$	10.80	2,239	-10.56	-27.31	-12.69
11-Nov	China Rongsheng Heavy Industries	Transportation	Hong Kong	HK\$	8.00	1,806	N/A	N/A	N/A

Data from Thompson. Figures as of Nov 19, 2010.



### IPO market remains active



Rmk: IPO defined as fund raised by newly listed companies SPO defined as fund raised by secondary placement

Source: HSBC Economic Spotlight - 20101008

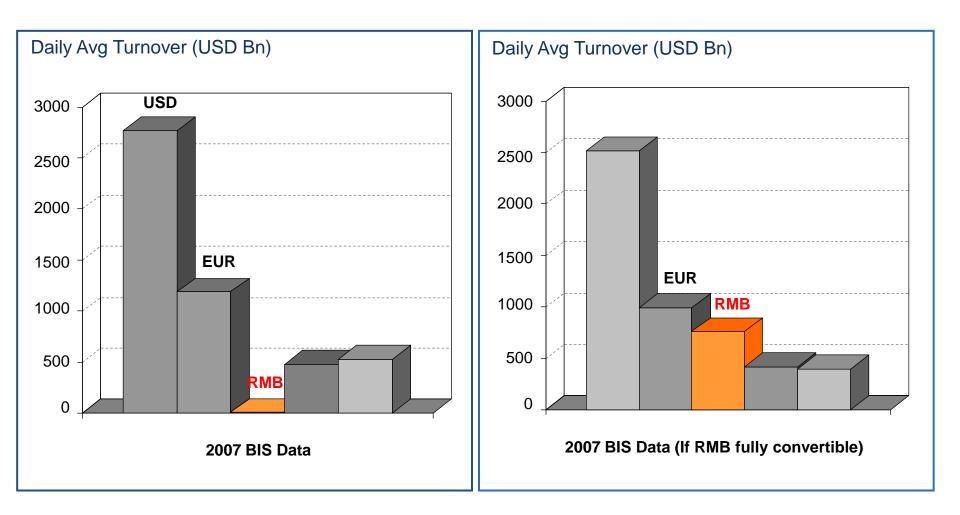
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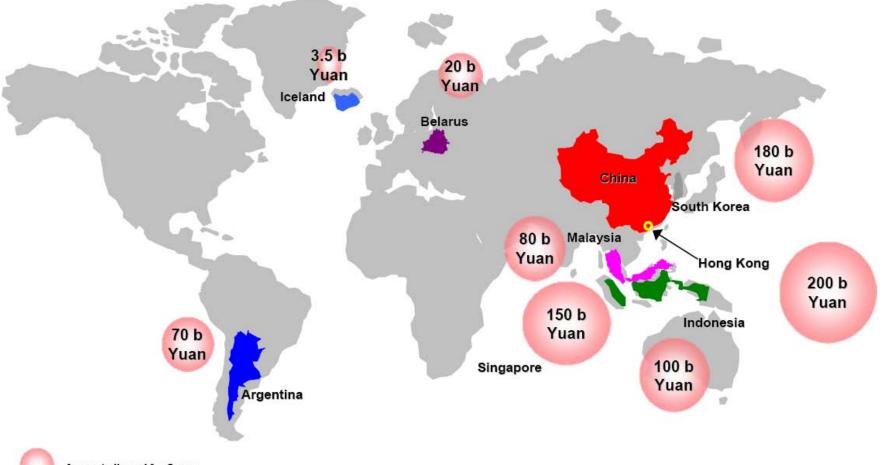
## RMB could become the 3<sup>rd</sup> highest turnover currency in the world if RMB is fully convertible





Note : Estimate of RMB daily average FX turnover is based on a turnover-to-trade ratio of 0.3%, which is lower than 0.32 for EUR, 0.4 for YEN and 0.46 for GBP. The rise use of RMB will offset the use of USD, EUR, Yen, and GBP at a share of 40%, 30%, 20% and 10%

### China's currency swap with other countries



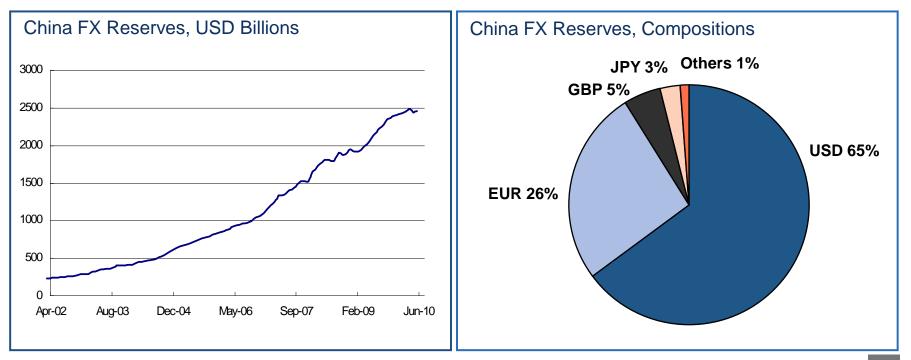
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### Rationale behind RMB internationalization

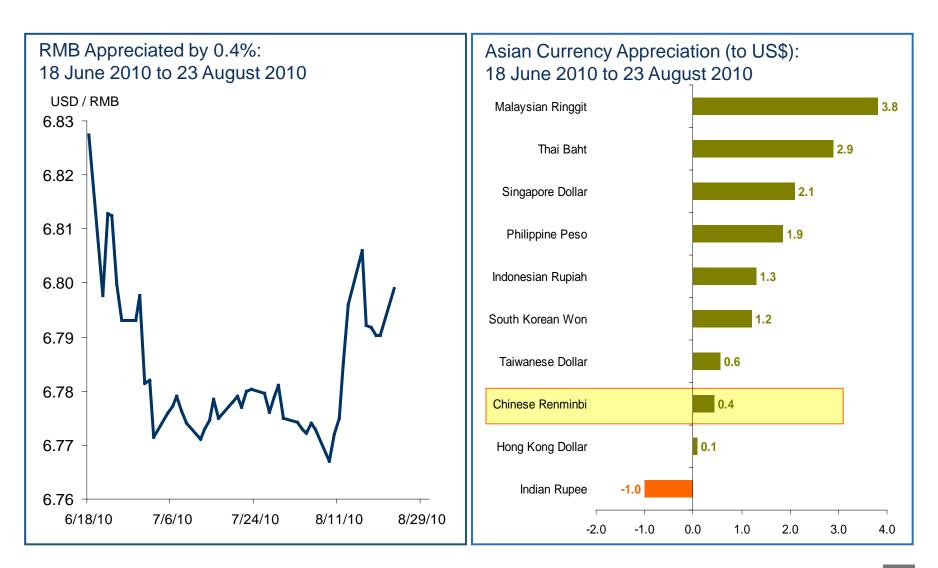


- Sub-prime Crisis exposed the weakness of having mainly USD as the reserve currency.
- RMB appears to be the leading candidate to be the third leg of the international monetary system with strong FX reserves and GDP growth.
- China has become one of the world's largest trade partners. RMB internationalization will benefit Chinese importers and exporters.



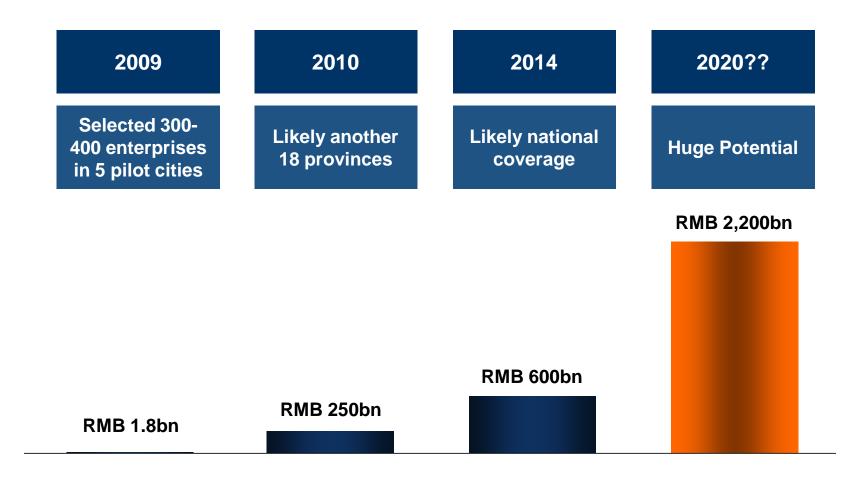
### RMB Band Widening: Not a thrilling start

Without an internationally available bond market, China still controls pace and direction



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## The prospects of RMB trade settlement in Hong Kong RCM







### Market Outlook & Risk



### **Outlook:**

- In the short term, the market is likely to be driven by liquidity on expectations of quantitative easing in the US
- However, as economic fundamentals remain largely unchanged, market re-rating is likely to be capped by slowing economic growth momentum and an absence of earnings upgrade
- As market uptrend is largely underpinned by liquidity, volatility will remain high
- Further out into 2011, we expect a relatively stable macroeconomic environment in China which should generally bode well for China equities

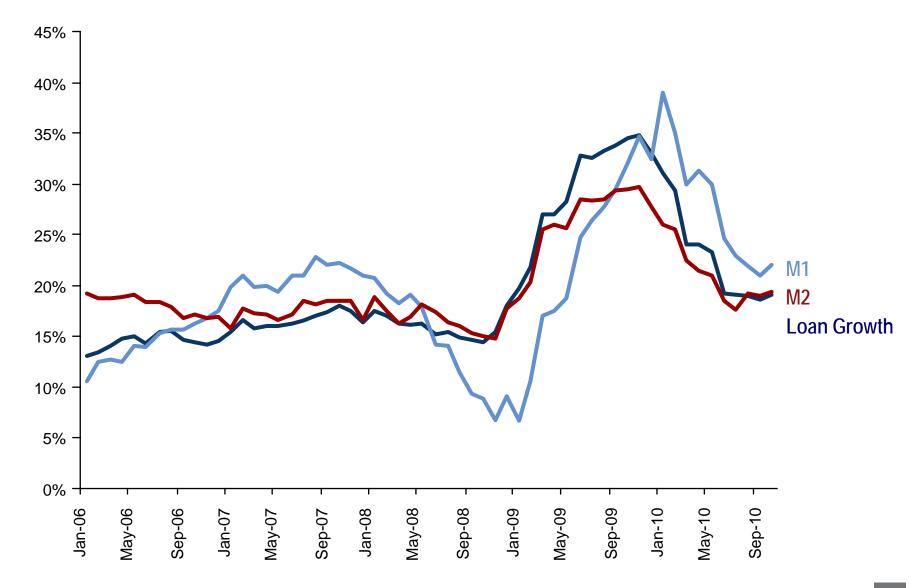
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May-05 Nov-05 May-06 Nov-06 May-07 Nov-07 May-08 Nov-08 May-09 Nov-09 May-10 Nov-10

Growth of outstanding loan, M1& M2 (YoY%)



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### Market Outlook & Risk



### **Risk:**

- Concerns over inflationary pressure and hence potential interest rate hike in China which will undermine share prices
- China government may impose a series of measures to curb the recent increase in food inflation; a new source of policy uncertainty
- Property prices in China may continue to trend higher leading to further policy tightening
- Intensify trade friction between China and the US leading to trade barriers and increasing risk of trade war
- European debt crisis resurface increasing the risk of a double dip in the global economy

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