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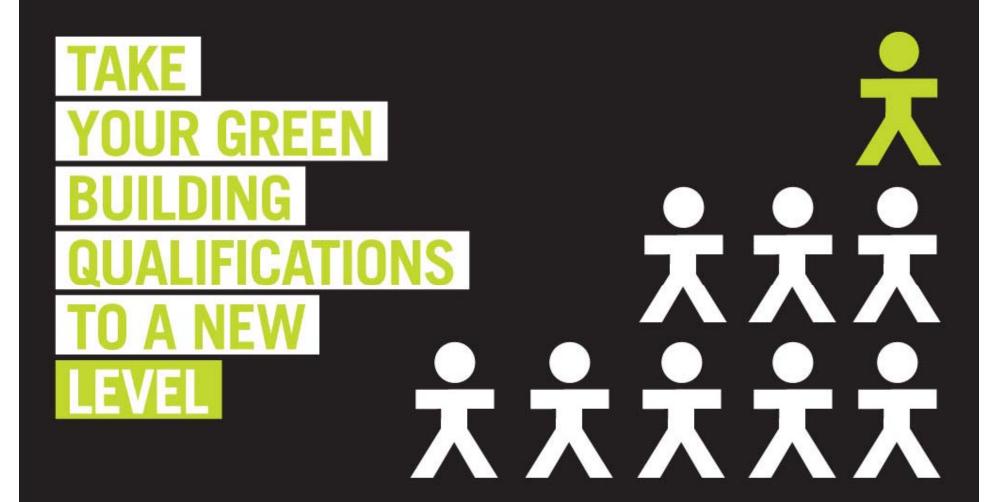
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# **SPEAKER**

David Cresp,
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# Objectives & Methodology

### Objective

 To understand tenants' expectations for office accommodation now and into the future

### Data Collection

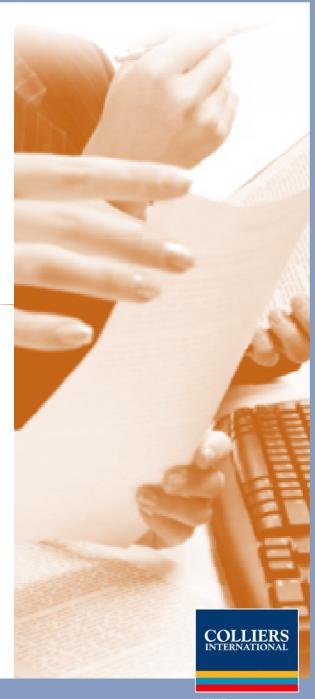
- Independent research compiled by ACA Research
- Quantitative research involving 351 telephone interviews with decision makers leasing commercial properties
- 274 Australian tenants and 77 New Zealand tenants surveyed comprising 1.9 million sqm of net lettable area
- Minimum net lettable area of at least 500m², 26% of tenants occupied 5,000+m²
- Tenants surveyed across Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Perth, Adelaide, Canberra, Auckland and Wellington in both CBD and suburban office markets

#### Research Period

■ 15th February – 19th March 2010

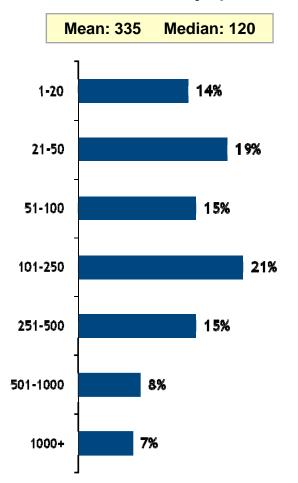


# SAMPLE PROFILE

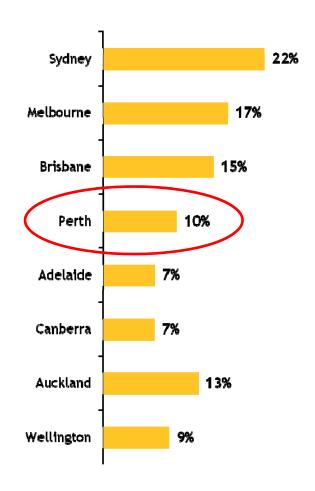


### Sample Profile

#### **Number of employees**



#### **Head Office Location**



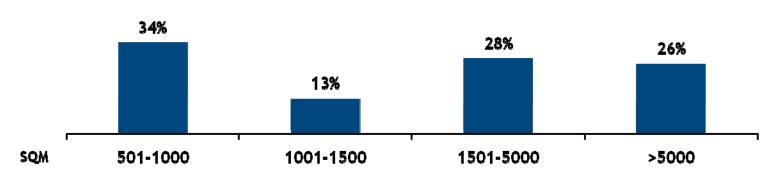
Q1. How many staff are employed at your organisation's head office/main location? QC. Where is your organisation's head office or main location?

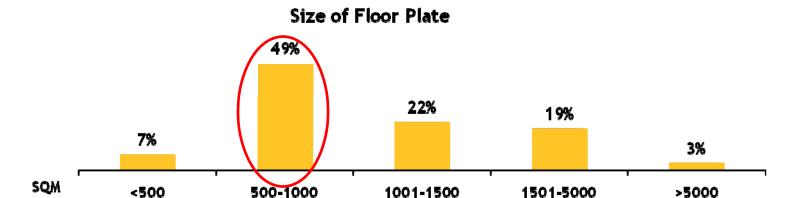
Base: All respondents (n=351)



### Sample Profile







S1. What is the approximate net lettable area leased by your organisation at your head office or main location? Q0. What is the size of the floor plate leased by your organization at your head office or main location?

Base: All respondents (n=351)



Impact of GFC on Leasing Decision-Making Plans



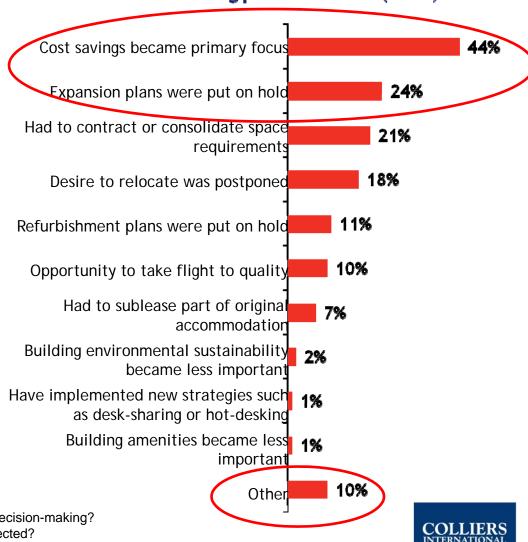
### Impact of GFC

"Did the GFC affect your plans with respect to your leasing decision-making?"



- 23% of tenants claim the GFC had an impact on their leasing decisionmaking plans.
- Cost savings, putting expansion plans on hold and consolidating space requirements were the main ways leasing decision making plans were affected.
- 10% of tenants also saw the GFC as an opportunity to take the flight to quality.





Q4. Did the GFC affect your plans with respect to your leasing decision-making?

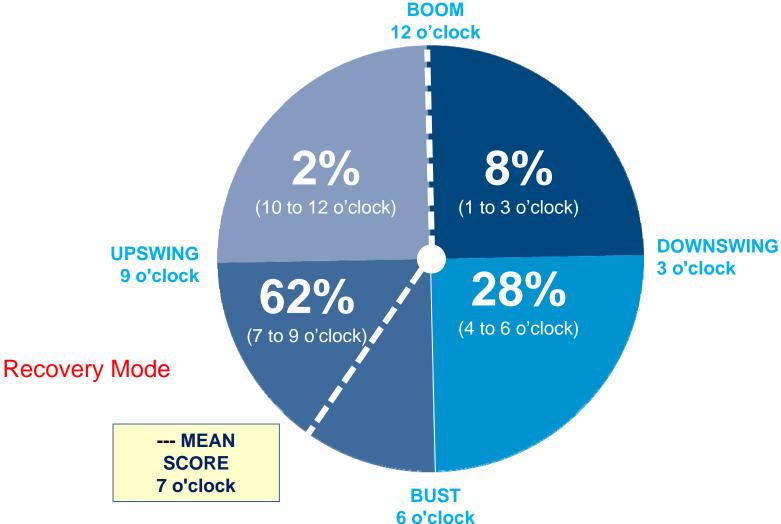
Q5. In what way(s) were your leasing decision-making plans affected?

Base: All respondents (n=351)

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### Impact of GFC - Australia

"Where is the market now sitting on the property cycle?"



Q7. In your opinion and taking into consideration your current leasing decision-making plans, where is the market now sitting on the property cycle?

Base: Australian respondents (n=274)

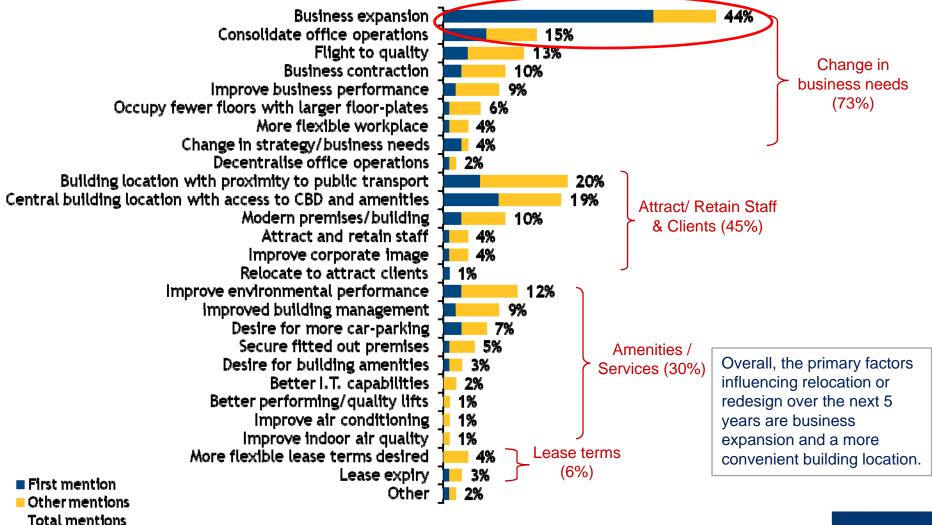
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# Workplace Relocation and Design



### Factors Encouraging Relocation or Redesign



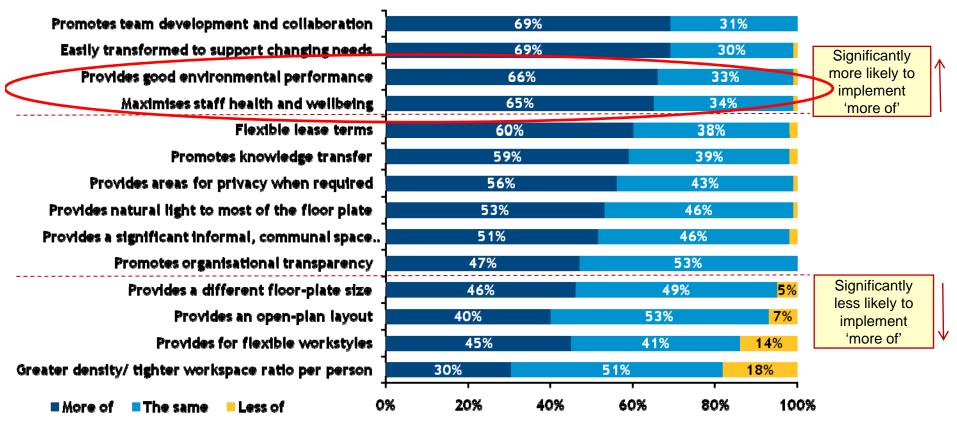
Q8. What are the 3 main factors, other than cost, that would make you relocate or redesign your head office within the next 5 years?

Base: All respondents (n=351)

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"In your most recent or upcoming redesign, did you/will you implement More of, the Same, or Less of a workplace that..."



More than 6 in 10 organisations have implemented or intend to implement initiatives that promote team development & collaboration, flexibility to support changing needs, good environmental performance and health & wellbeing of staff.

Q14. Giving thought to your most recent redesign, or a future redesign, can you tell me if you have implemented or would implement 'more of', 'the same' or 'less of' the attributes in your new workplace redesign

Base: All respondents (n=351)

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### **Workplace Redesign – Australian Tenants**

(Attributes organisations have implemented/plan to implement "More of")

|   | Year |      |      |
|---|------|------|------|
|   | 2010 | 2008 | 2005 |
| Promotes team development & collaboration               | 69%  | 70%  | 65%  |
| Easily transformed to support changing needs            | 69%  | 70%  | 59%  |
| Provides good environmental performance                 | 66%  | 77%  | 49%  |
| Maximises staff health and wellbeing                    | 65%  | 71%  | 56%  |
| Flexible lease terms                                    | 60%  | 59%  | 42%  |
| Promotes knowledge transfer                             | 59%  | 61%  | 59%  |
| Provides areas for privacy                              | 56%  | 50%  | 46%  |
| Provides natural light to most of the floor plate       | 53%  | 59%  | 50%  |
| Provides significant informal, communal space for staff | 51%  | 55%  | 51%  |
| Promotes organisational transparency                    | 47%  | 44%  | 44%  |
| Provides for flexible work styles                       | 45%  | 44%  | 51%  |
| Provides an open-plan layout                            | 40%  | 44%  | 57%  |
| Provides a different floor-plate size                   | 46%  |      |      |
| Greater density or a tighter workspace ratio per person | 30%  |      |      |

<sup>\*</sup>Not asked in 2008 and 2005

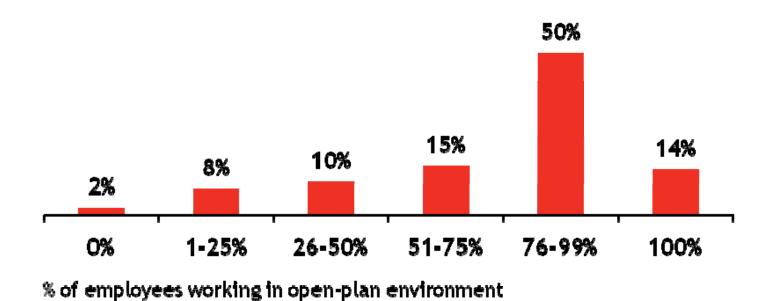
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### **Open-Plan Working**

- On average, 75% of an organisation's employees tend to work in an open-plan environment.
- Larger organisations with more than 50 staff tend to have a larger proportion of their employees working in an open-plan environment.



Median: 80%

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Q3. What percentage of employees work in an open plan environment versus enclosed offices in your current workplace?

Base: All respondents (n=351) N.B: Please refer to Appendix 1 & 2 for Australia and New Zealand results

Mean: 75%

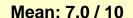


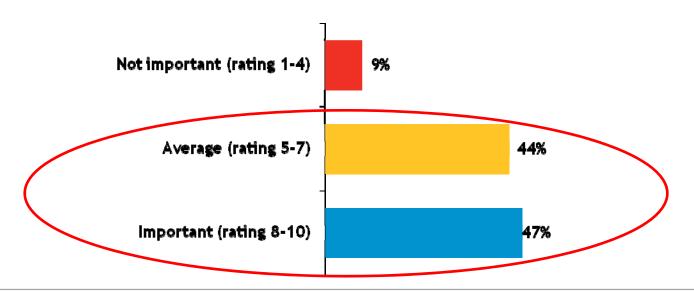
Importance of Building Selection in Staff Acquisition & Retention



# Building Selection in Staff Acquisition & Retention

### **Overall Importance of Building Choice**





- It appears that the building plays an important role in an organisation's staff acquisition and retention strategies.
- Smaller organisations (<50 employees) tend to feel the building choice is less important.
- Organisations with a longer lease term (10+ years) and larger net lettable area (over 5000m²) rated building importance significantly higher.

Q10. How important is the choice of building, in terms of your organisation's ability to attract and retain staff? Please rate on a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 means 'not at all important' and 10 means it is extremely important

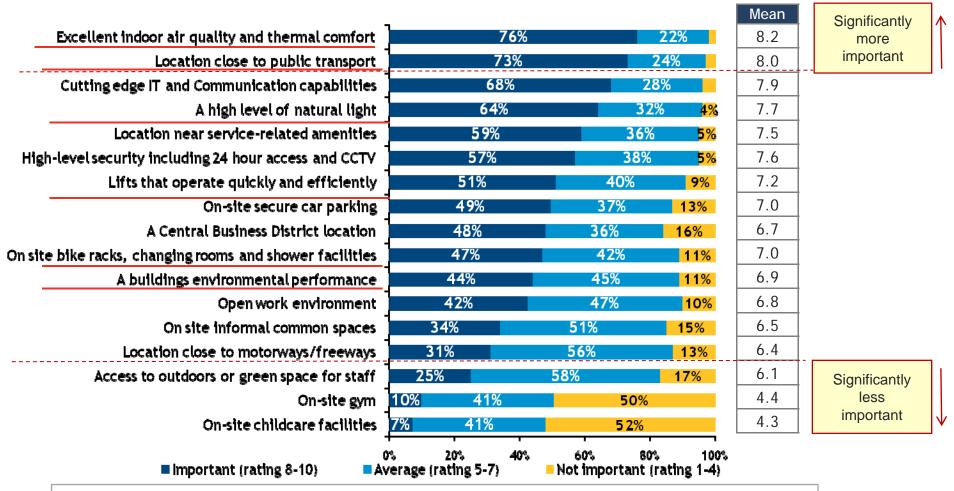
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# Building Selection in Staff Acquisition & Retention

#### Importance of Building Attributes in Attracting & Retaining Staff



- Air quality and a location close to public transport are significantly more important than all other building attributes.
- Non-standard facilities such as childcare facilities, on-site gym and access to green space are significantly less important.

Q12. Can you tell me how important you think each factor is in terms of attracting and retaining staff by using a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 is 'not at all important' and 10 is 'extremely important'

Base: All respondents (n=351)

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### Building Selection in Staff Acquisition & Retention

### **Importance of Building Attributes – Australian Tenants**

|  | Year |      |      |
|--|------|------|------|
|  | 2010 | 2008 | 2005 |
| Location close to public transport                       | 8.3  | 8.4  | 8.2  |
| Excellent indoor air quality and thermal comfort         | 8.3  | 8.3  | 8    |
| Cutting edge ICT   | 7.9  | 7.8  | 7.4  |
| A high level of natural light                            | 7.7  | 7.9  | 7.9  |
| High-level security                                      | 7.7  | 7.8  | 7.4  |
| Location near service-related amenities                  | 7.6  | 7.5  | 7.3  |
| Lifts - quick and efficient                              | 7.3  | 7.5  | 7.4  |
| On-site secure car parking                               | 7.2  | 7.1  | 6.8  |
| On site bike racks, changing rooms and shower facilities | 7.1  | 6.9  | 6.3  |
| A buildings environmental performance                    | 7.0  | 7.3  | 5.4  |
| Open work environment*                                   | 6.9  | 6.9  | *    |
| CBD location   | 6.6  | 6.9  | 6.8  |
| On-site Informal common spaces                           | 6.4  | 6.8  | 6.2  |
| Location close to motorways/freeways*                    | 6.4  | *    | *    |
| Access to outdoors or green space                        | 6.2  | 6.2  | 5.9  |
| On-site gym  | 4.5  | 5.0  | 4.4  |
| On-site childcare facilities                             | 4.4  | 5.0  | 4.4  |

#### \*Not asked in 2008 and/or 2005

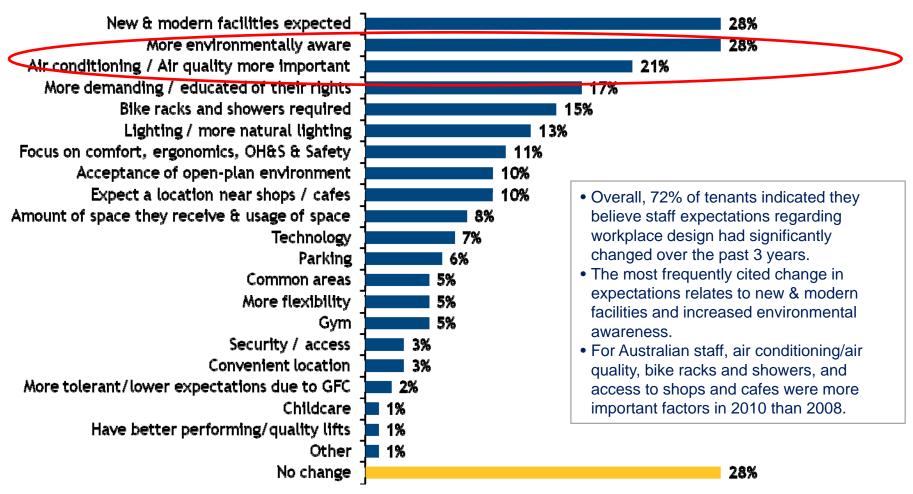
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# Changes in Staff Culture

### **Changes in Staff Expectations Over Last 3 Years**



Q13. In what ways have the expectations of your staff changed over the last 3 years in terms of what they now expect from their workplace environment?

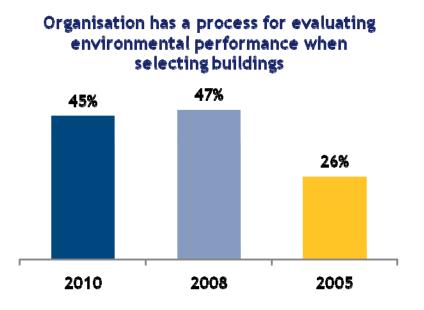
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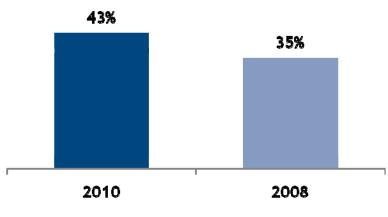




#### **Current Practices – Australian Tenants**







\*Not asked in 2005

Q16. Does your organisation report its environmental performance publicly?

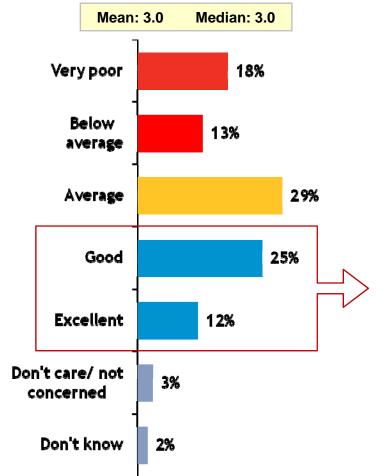
Q17. Does your organisation have a process for evaluating environmental performance when selecting buildings for occupancy?

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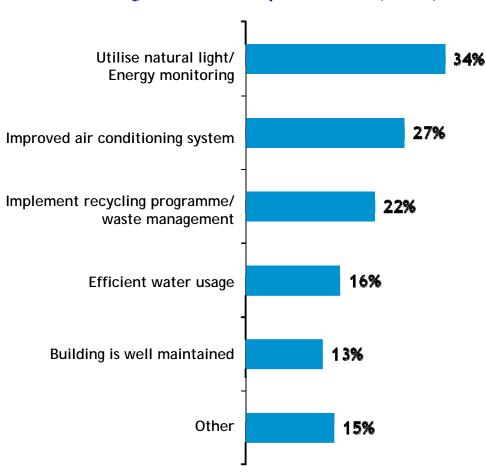


#### **Landlord's Effort**





What is your landlord doing to improve your building's environmental performance? (N=128)



\*Mean rating on a scale of 1-5, where 1 is 'Very poor' and 5 is 'Excellent"

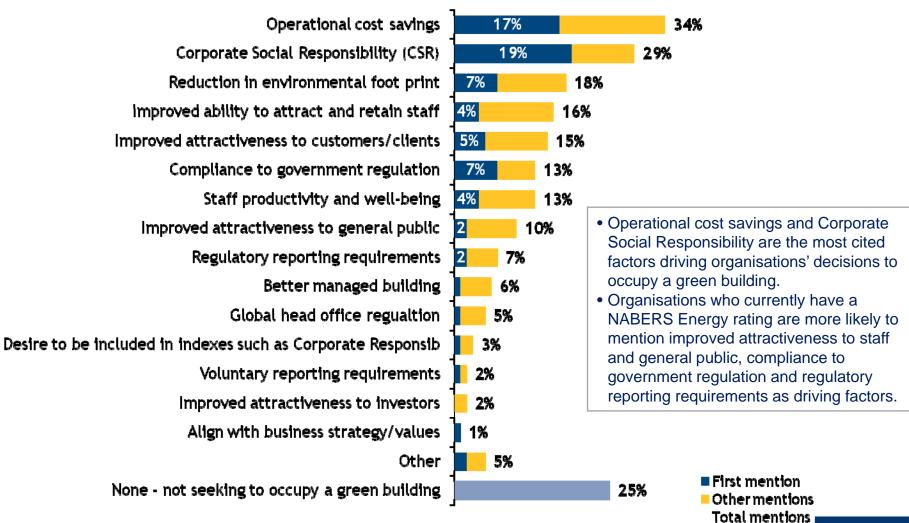
Q24. How do you rate the efforts of the landlord of the building you currently occupy to improve your building's environmental performance? Q24b. What is your landlord doing to improve your building's environmental performance?

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"What are the factors driving your organisation's decision to occupy a green building?"



Q18. What are the factors driving your organisation's decision to occupy a green-rated building?

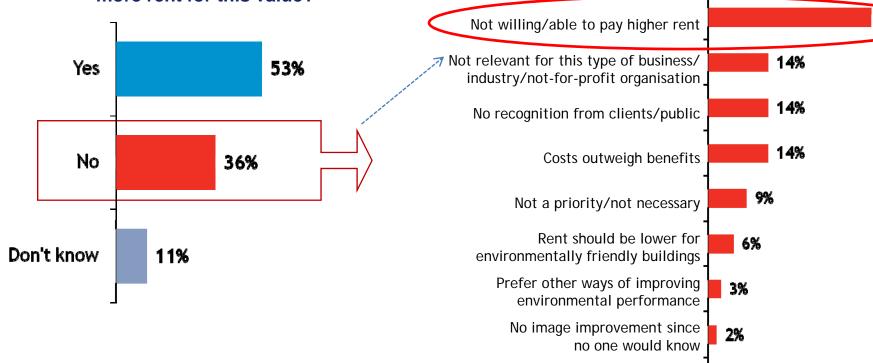
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### Strategic Value of Occupying a Green Building

"Do you think there is strategic value to your organization in occupying a green building and would you be prepared to pay more rent for this value?"

"Why is there no strategic value?" (N=125)



Q20. Do you believe there is strategic value to your organisation in occupying a green-rated building and would you be prepared to pay more rent for this value? Q20b. Why not?

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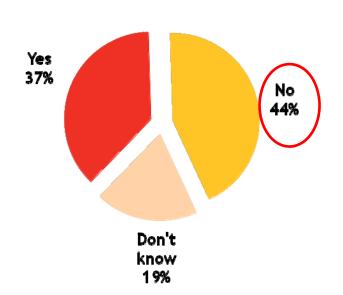
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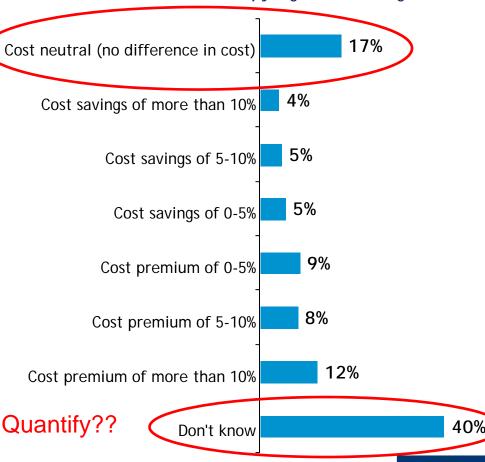
### Costs savings to occupy a green building

Do you believe it costs more to occupy a green building once cost savings from reduced energy consumption are accounted for?



- The majority of tenants (40%) are not sure if there is a cost premium or a cost savings in occupying a green building.
- The next highest group (17%) believe it will be cost neutral once energy savings are accounted for.

Approximate cost premium or cost savings in rent to occupy a green building



Q19a. Do you believe it costs more to occupy a green building once the cost savings from reduced energy consumption are accounted for? Q19b. Approximately how much is the cost premium or cost savings in rent to occupy a green building when you account for the energy savings?

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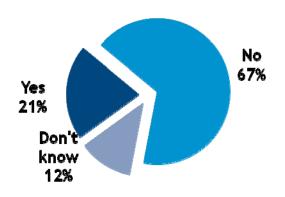
### **NABERS Energy Rating – Australian Tenants**

(formerly ABGR Rating)

Familiar with NABERS Energy (formerly ABGR) Rating (N=274)



Currently occupy building with NABERS building rating (N=274)



- 55% of tenants surveyed were familiar with the NABERS Energy Rating.
- 21% of organisations currently occupy a NABERS Energy rated building.

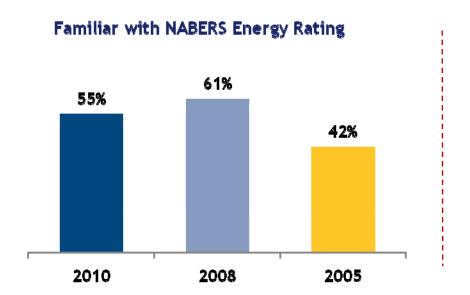
Q21. Are you familiar with the NABERS rating scheme? Q22. Do you currently occupy a NABERS rated building?

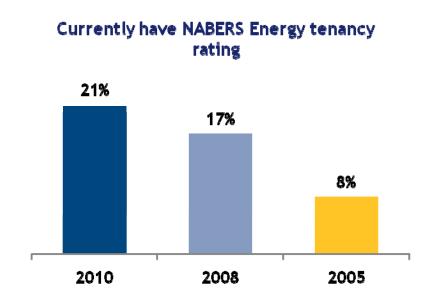
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### **NABERS Energy Rating – Tracking**

(formerly ABGR Rating)





More Australian tenants now have a NABERS tenancy rating.

Q21. Are you familiar with the NABERS rating scheme? Q22. Do you currently occupy a NABERS rated building?

**Base: Australian respondents (n=274)** 



### **Green Star Rating – Australian and New Zealand Tenants**

Familiar with Green Star Rating (N=351)



Currently occupy building with Green Star rated building (N=351)



- 83% of respondents surveyed were familiar with the Green Star Rating.
- 17% of organisations said they currently occupy a Green Star rated building.

Q21. Are you familiar with the Green Star rating scheme? Q22. Do you currently occupy a Green Star rated building?

Base: All respondents (n=351)

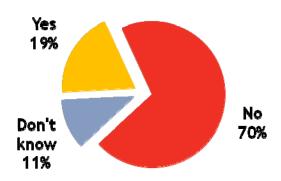
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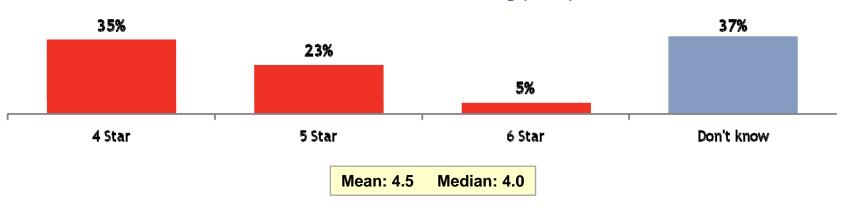
#### **Currently occupy building with Green Star rating**



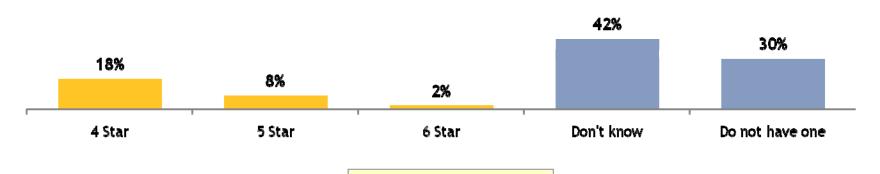
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#### Current Green Star fit-out Rating (N=60)\*



Mean: 4.4

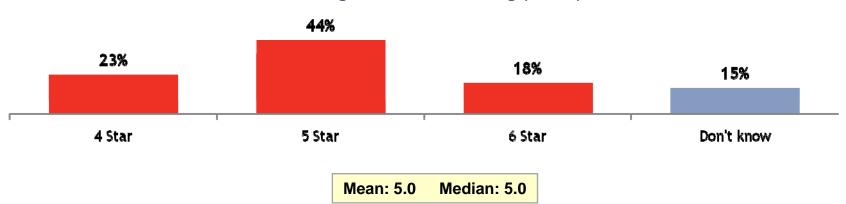
Median: 4.0

Q22bb. What is the Green Star rating you currently occupy? Q22cc. What is the Green Star fitout rating you currently occupy?

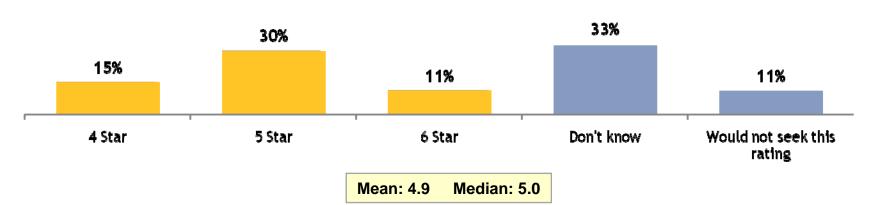
\*Base: Australian respondents currently occupying a Green Star rated building (n=60)







#### **Sought Green Star fit-out Rating (N=66\*)**



Q23bb. What is the Green Star rating you would be seeking?

Q23cc. What is the Green Star fitout rating you would be seeking?

\*Base: Australian respondents who do not currently have a Green Star rated building and are seeking one (n=66)



# Key Findings

- 57% of Australian and New Zealand tenants believe the property market is improving. Confidence is higher in Australia (mean: 7 o'clock) than New Zealand (mean: 6 o'clock).
- 23% of tenants claim the GFC had an impact on their leasing plans; 17% believe the GFC is still hindering their decisions. An increased focus on cost and delaying relocation/expansion plans have been the main impacts.
- Main drivers for relocation in the future will be business expansion, access to public transport
  and proximity to a central location with access to CBD and amenities.
- Consolidation, flight to quality, seeking improved building environmental performance and improved property management were also key reasons tenants noted would drive their relocation in the future.
- When designing their workspace, tenants' top priorities are **team collaboration**, a flexible fitout, **environmental performance** and maximising staff health and wellbeing.
- To attract and retain staff, the top 3 building attributes tenants look for include excellent indoor air quality, proximity to public transport and cutting edge ICT.
- 45% of tenants now have a process for evaluating the environmental performance of a building before deciding on occupation.
- Tenants indicated the main factors driving environmental sustainability include operational cost savings and corporate social responsibility.



# **SPEAKER**

Neil Dickson, Davis Langdon

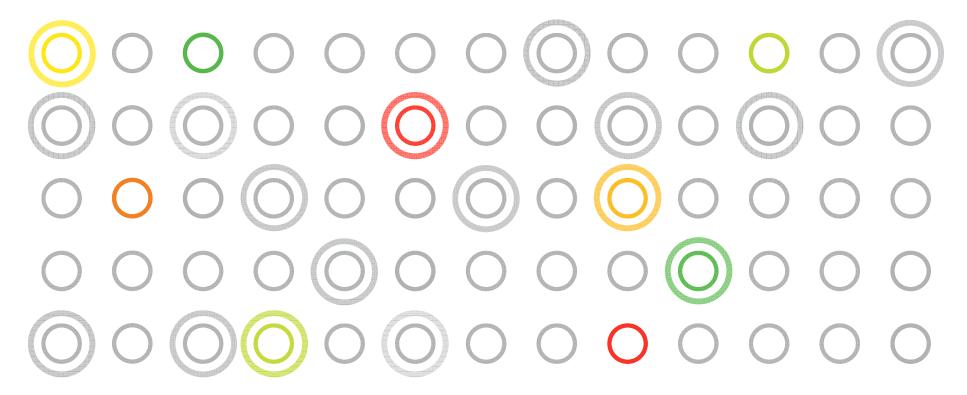




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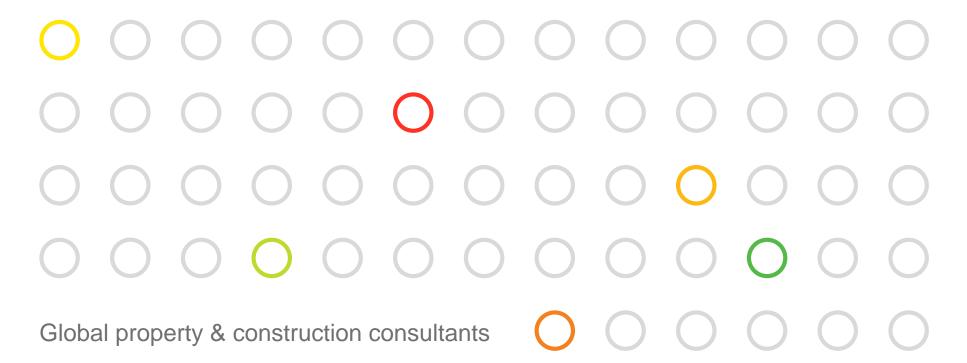
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■ Shift in Thinking...

Colliers International Office Tenant Survey

91% of respondents indicated that workplace design had an impact on business success





#### **Soft Issues**

| 1                         | 2                        | 3              | 4                     | 5                     | 6                              |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Company<br>Image          | Employee<br>Satisfaction | Cultural shift | Operation efficiency  | Rapid speed of change | Improved employee satisfaction |
| Team Working              | Increased productivity   | Ease of change | Working relationships |                       | Ease of organisational change  |
| Cultural<br>Reinforcement |                          | Ease of growth |                       |                       |                                |
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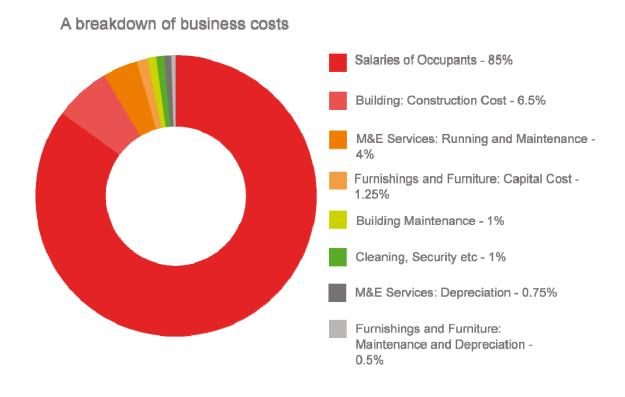
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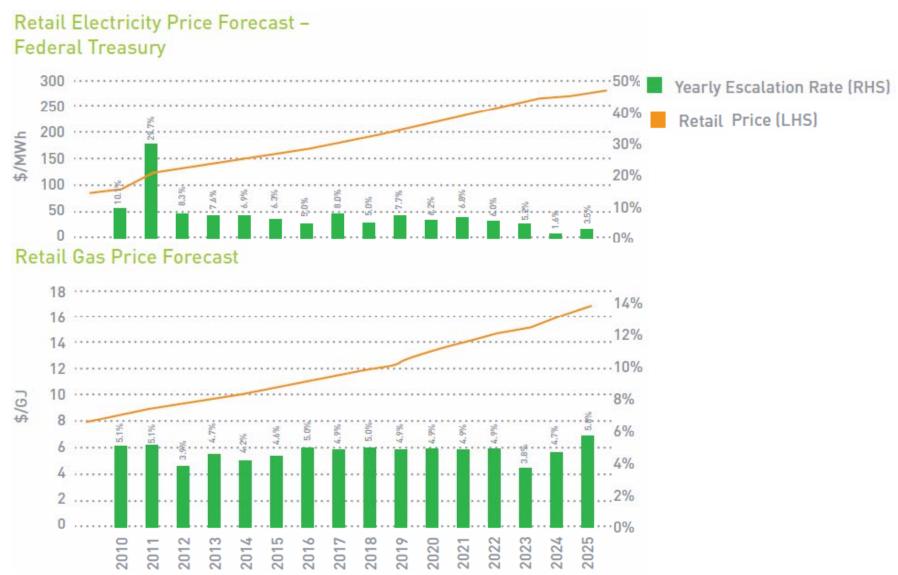
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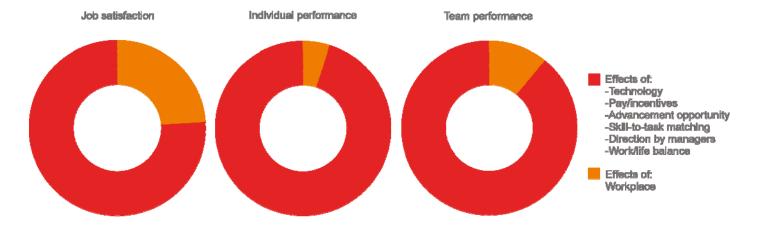




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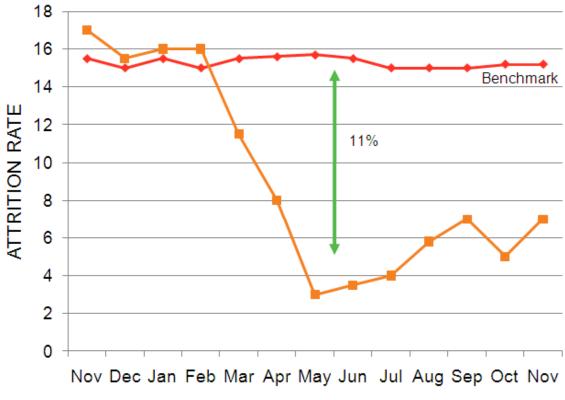






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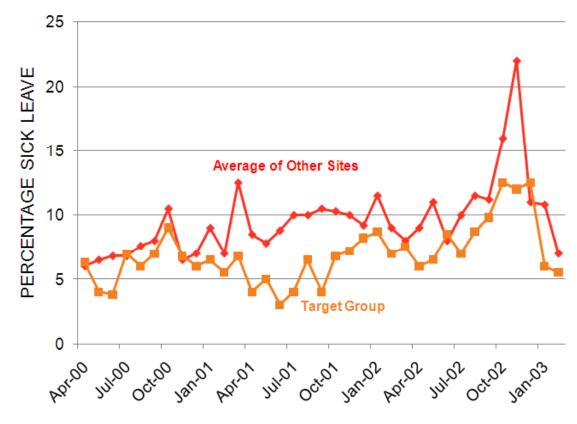






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- Business Costs
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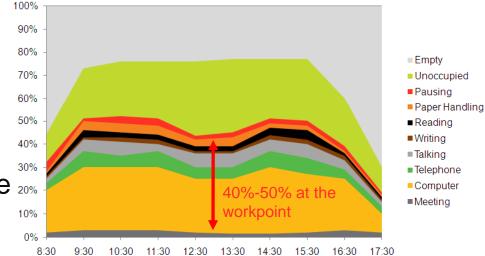






#### Hard Issues

- Business Costs
- Productivity
- Staff Turnover
- Sick Leave
- Cost of Ineffective Use of Space



Most work points only occupied 40%-50% of the time – We need to support the other workplace activities.

Source: DEGW





# Creating a successful Workplace

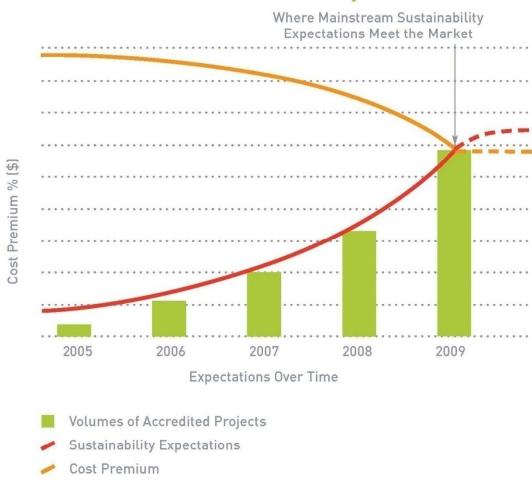
#### **Indicative Building Costs**

| <b>Business Sector</b>    | Cost per Net Lettable Area (NLA) |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Government departments    | \$1,000 - \$1,300/m <sup>2</sup> |  |  |  |  |
| Professional firms        | \$1,200 - \$1,450/m <sup>2</sup> |  |  |  |  |
| Corporations              | \$1,200 - \$2,000/m <sup>2</sup> |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of Green Initiatives | 0% to 5%                         |  |  |  |  |



# Creating a successful Workplace

# Overlay with Green Building Council of Australia (GBCA) for Green Star Projects





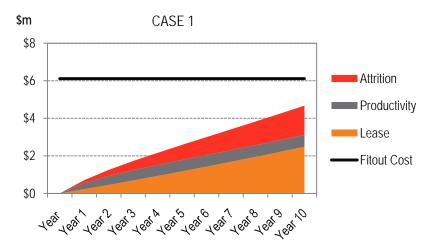


#### **Case Study**

- Baseline Assumptions
  - Current office area of 4,000m2NLA
  - o200 staff (1 per 20m2)
  - oRental @ \$600/m2
  - OAve. Staff Cost \$160k p.a
  - OAve. cost to recruit \$16.5k p.p
  - Attrition at 20% p.a

#### **New Workplace**

- Increased efficiency of 10%
- Office space of 3,600m2
- o200 staff (1 per 18m2)
- Saving of 400m2 on fitout
- oProductivity Gain of 1%
- Attrition rate reduced to 15%p.a





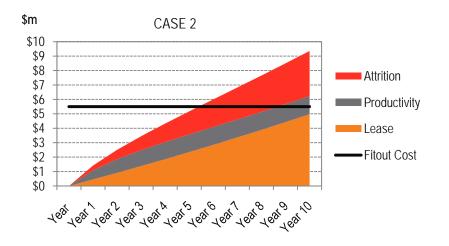


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#### **New Workplace**

- oIncreased efficiency of 20%
- Office space of 3,200m2
- o200 staff (1 per 16m2)
- Saving of 800m2 on fitout
- oProductivity Gain of 2%
- OAttrition rate reduced to 10%p.a





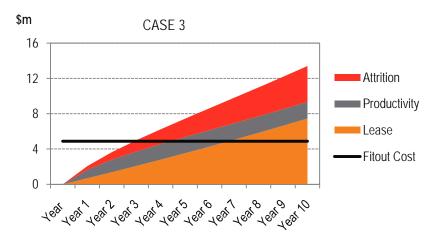


#### **Case Study**

- Baseline Assumptions
  - Current office area of 4,000m2 NLA
  - o200 staff (1 per 20m2)
  - oRental @ \$600/m2
  - OAve. Staff Cost \$160k p.a
  - OAve. cost to recruit \$16.5k p.p
  - Attrition at 20% p.a

#### **New Workplace**

- Increased efficiency of 30%
- Office space of 2,800m2
- o200 staff (1 per 14m2)
- Saving of 1,200 fit-out
- oProductivity Gain of 3%
- Attrition rate reduced to 7%p.a





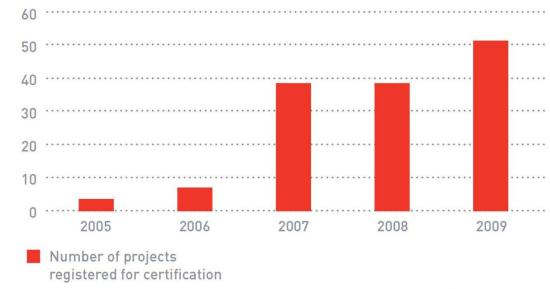


# Creating a successful Workplace

#### Green Fit-out

- Recycled material
- Views and daylight
- Zoning, controls
- Impact of IT
- Tenancy sub-metering
- City Switch Programme
- Green Leases





Source: GBCA





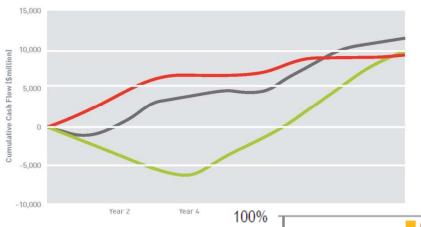
# Creating a successful Workplace

#### ...and for Landlords

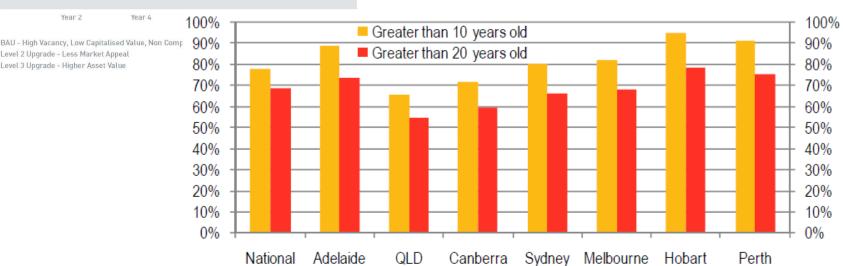
Level 2 Upgrade - Less Market Appeal

Level 3 Upgrade - Higher Asset Value

#### CBD Tower - Payback Compared to Business As Usual (BAU) **Building Valuation**



|         | Market Value | Increase from<br>Base Case (%) |  |  |
|---------|--------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| Base    | \$58.4m      | _                              |  |  |
| Level 1 | \$59.3m      | 1.5                            |  |  |
| Level 2 | \$62.2m      | 6.5                            |  |  |
| Level 3 | \$64.4m      | 10.3                           |  |  |
| Level 4 | \$63.2m      | 8.2                            |  |  |







THE PAST



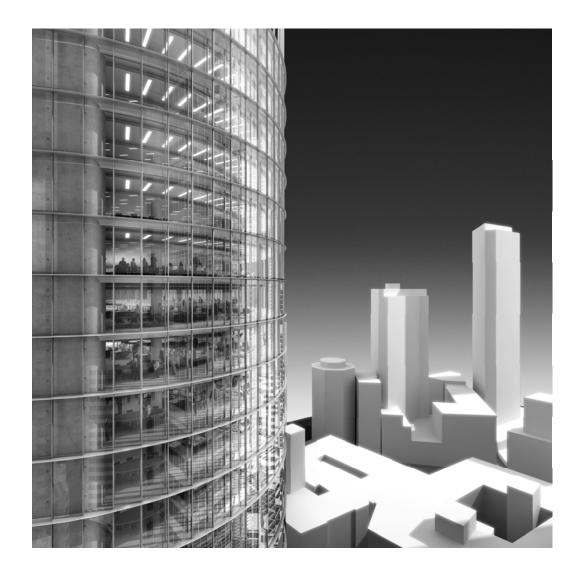
#### THE FUTURE







# ■ The Future of Workplace Fit-outs – 1 Bligh St

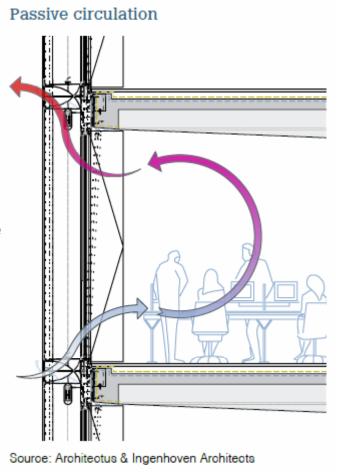






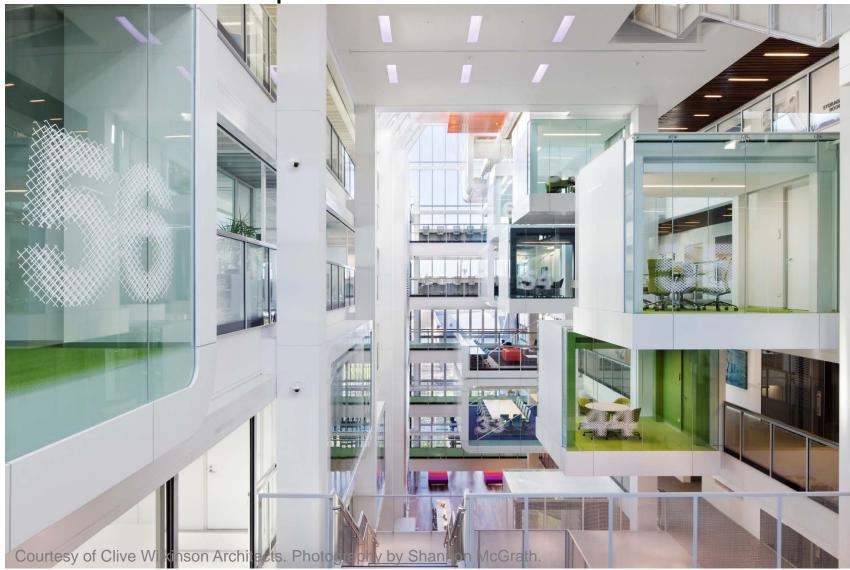
# ■ The Future of Workplace Fit-outs – 1 Bligh St

- 06 Star Green Star Office Design v2 Certified
  - Australia's first high rise double skin facade
  - Solar cooling system
  - Concrete use minimised
  - First use of a black water recycling in a high rise office.
  - Water efficient fittings & rainwater harvesting
  - FSC accredited recycled timber and plywood
  - High proportion of recycled content in steel



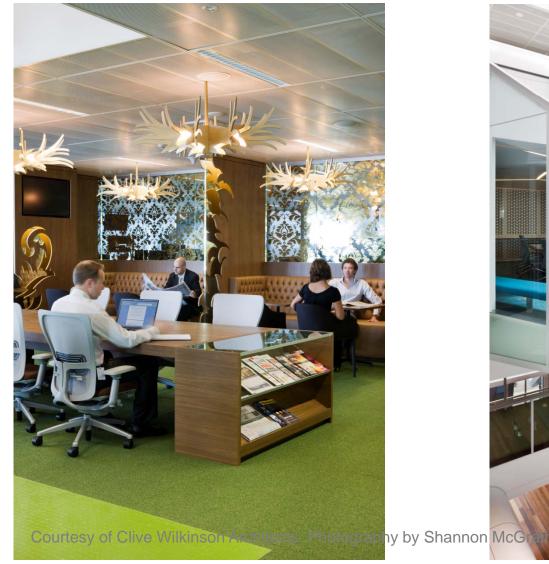








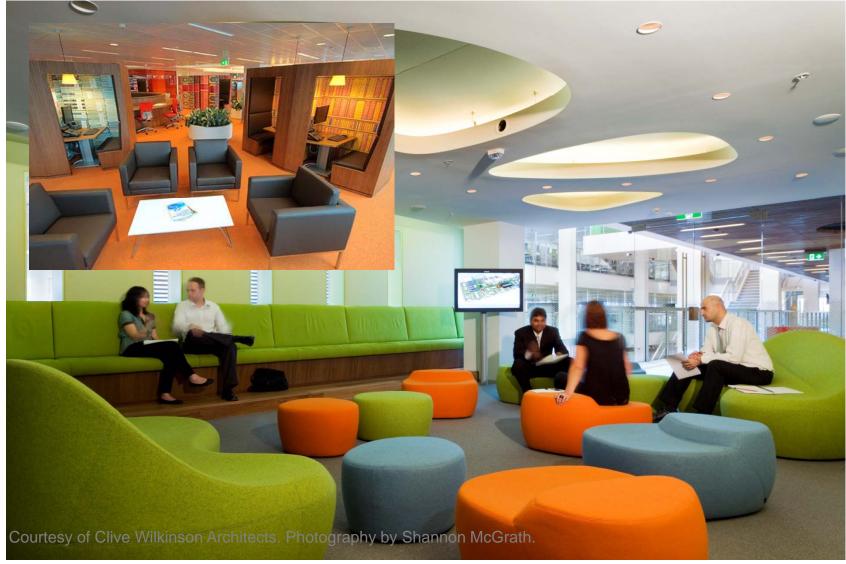




















Images courtesy of Woods Bagot





#### Conclusions

- Workspaces can be linked to business performance
  - Payback on initial capital investment
  - Staff looking for flexibility of workplace
  - Technology is there to support
  - For Landlords help minimize the effects of obsolescence, potential increased rents and value





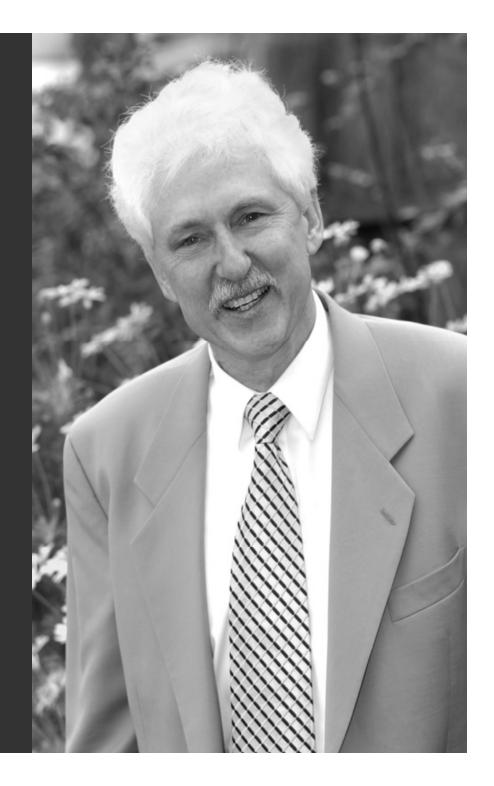






# **SPEAKER**

Vyt Garnys CETEC





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# ENABLING MEASURED HIGH PERFORMANCE AND IMPROVED PRODUCTIVITY THROUGH THE WORK ENVIRONMENT



# **Productivity is a priority issue for CEOs**



#### A CEO survey of organisations with > \$100 million turnover

 Majority of CEOs reported productivity initiatives to improve the skills and capabilities of key workforces, investment in new back office technology and processes, and workforce or management restructuring are currently underway or planned for the next 12 months within their organisations.

CEO Pulse, March 2010, Business Spectator Accenture and GA Research





# Why focus on the work environment?



# Most working Australians now spend more than 70% of their working lives indoors (Environment

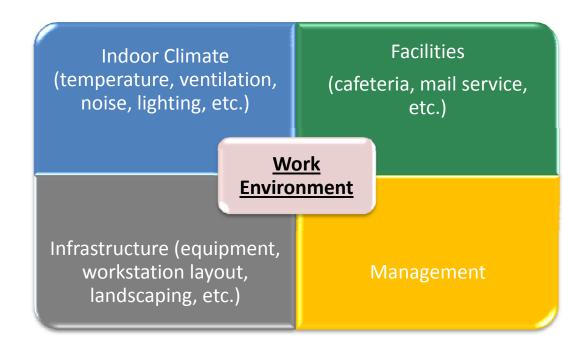
Australia, 2001). Building design, its use, and management, influence their comfort, wellbeing and productivity.





#### Work environment





Weakness in any one of these factors can render the business less effective/efficient



# Components of work environment productivity



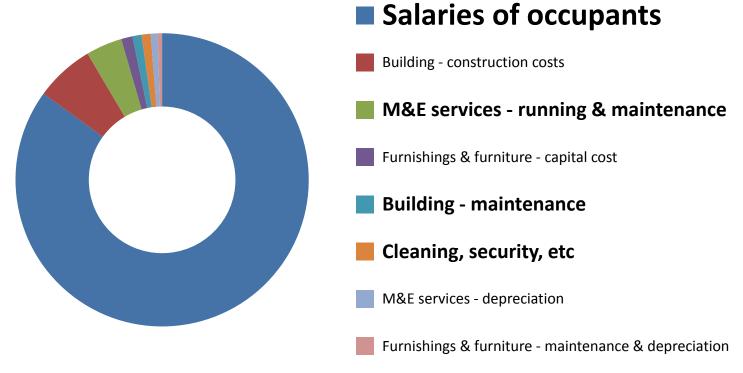
|                 | Management /<br>Communication | Implementation /<br>Facilitation | Contaminants / Cleanliness | Ergonomics | Steady state / procedures | Future proof | Sickness | IAQ | IEQ      |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------|-----|----------|
| Health          |                               |                                  | 1                          |            |                           |              |          | V   |          |
| Behaviour       | 1                             |                                  |                            |            |                           |              |          |     | V        |
| Work Stress     |                               | 1                                |                            |            |                           |              |          |     | V        |
| Human Relations | <b>√</b>                      |                                  |                            |            |                           |              |          |     | V        |
| Comfort         |                               |                                  |                            | 1          |                           |              |          | V   |          |
| Hygiene         |                               |                                  | 1                          |            |                           |              |          |     |          |
| Predictability  |                               |                                  |                            |            | √                         |              |          |     | <b>✓</b> |
| Training        | <b>√</b>                      | √                                |                            |            |                           | √            |          |     |          |



# The drive for efficiency



 80% of total costs goes to wages, salaries and benefits for staff









## 2% office productivity gain can be worth \$2,000 per employee

|                                       | Higher<br>productivity | Less<br>absenteeis<br>m |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Good overall indoor environment       | 10-15%                 | 2.5%                    |
| No air pollution source               | 3-7%                   | 1.5%                    |
| Adequate ventilation                  | 1-2%                   | 0.5%                    |
| Adjustable temperature                | 2-3%                   | 0.5%                    |
| Temperature not too high, not too low | 7%                     |                         |
| Cellular office (max. 4 people)       | 2-4%                   | Decrease                |
| Good lighting                         | 2-3%                   |                         |
| Daylight                              |                        | 0.5%                    |
| Good monitor                          | Gain                   |                         |
| Less noise nuisance                   | 3.9%                   |                         |

Leijten, J (2002), Binnenmilieu, productiviteit en ziekteverzuim (The inside environment, productivity and sick leave) FM (15) 103, pp 17-21



## **Case study: IEQ and Productivity**

## First 6 \* Greenstar Office



PRE & POST OCCUPANCY
Cetec Indoor
Environment Study for
Umow Lai Consulting
Engineers

**\$ PRODUCTIVITY GAINS from IEQ** 

Pre 2007 - Post 2009

**Projected by CETEC: 13%** 

**Achieved by Client: 12.5%** 

Value Gained: \$1m/year or

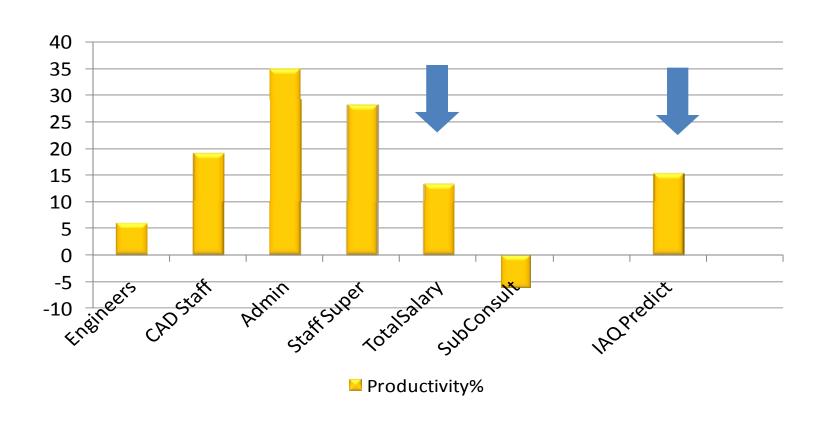
\$5,000/employee/year





## Predicted and actual productivity gains







## **Sydney Water - Productivity Study**

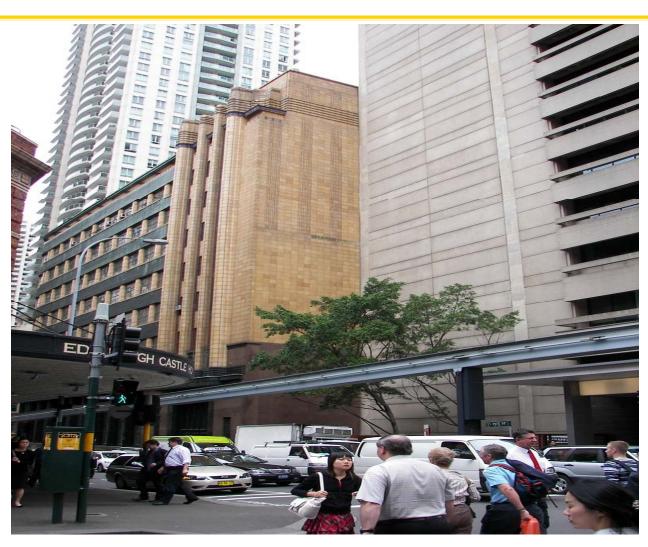


- Pre-move study in Sydney CBD location
- Pre-occupancy Study in new Brookfield-Multiplex 5\*GBCA Sydney regional building
- Post-occupancy Study in new building



## Sydney Water Pre:Pitt Street, Sydney







## Sydney Water Pre:Bathurst Street, Sydney



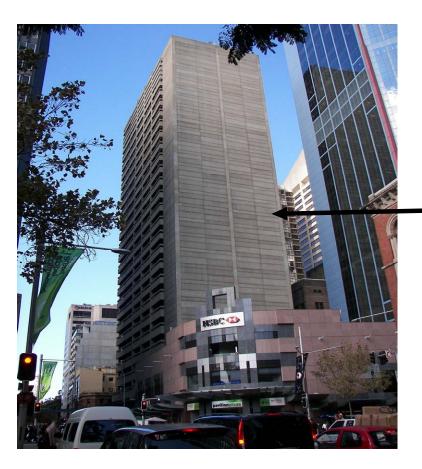


Figure 8: The high rise building of the Sydney Water headquarters.



## **Sydney Water Pre and Post: Smith St Parramatta**







# Sydney Water: New Floorplan, with sampling locations

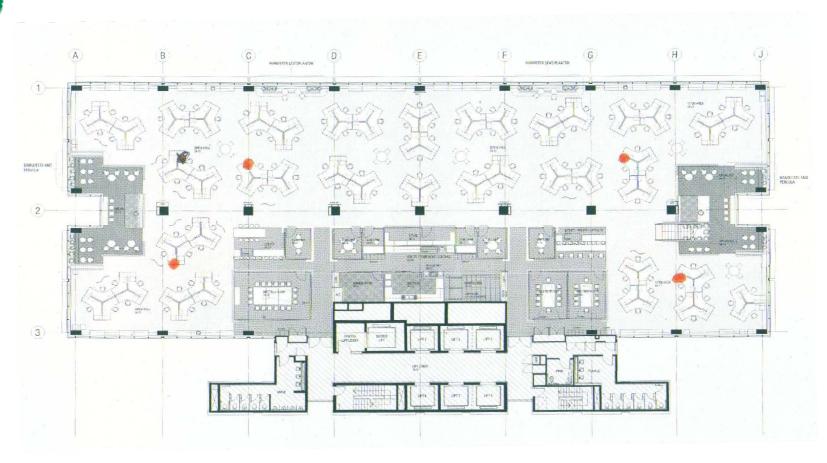


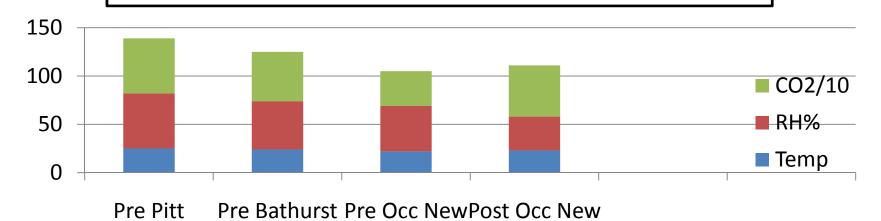
Figure 5B: Level 8, 1 Smith St, Parramatta NSW 2124 with sampling locations



### IEQ MEASURED PARAMETERS



COMFORT-Temp, %RH
VENTILATION- CO2, CO, Air Flow
CONTAMINANTS – VOC, Particulates, Microbials
LIGHTING – Horizontal, Vertical
ACOUSTIC
INDOORS/OUTDOORS





### Pre. Move from Old Location



#### Satisfaction in Core Survey Categories

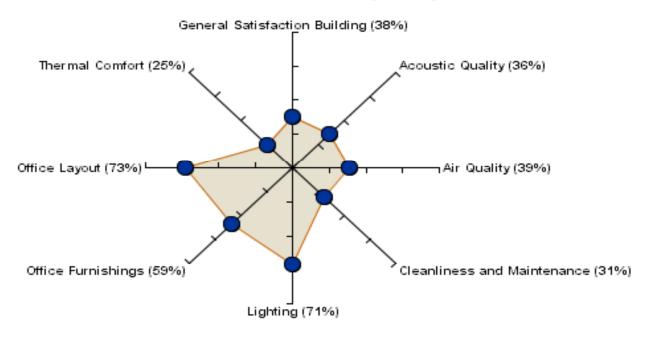


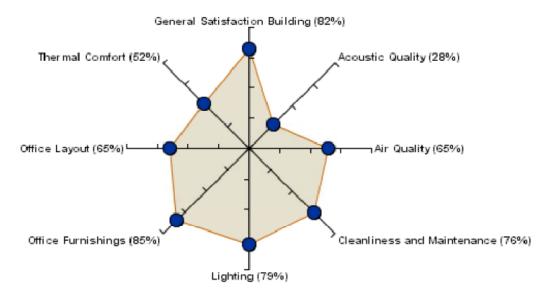
Figure 11: Building scorecard for 115 – 123 Bathurst Street, Sydney



### Post Move – New 5\* Location



#### Satisfaction in Core Survey Categories

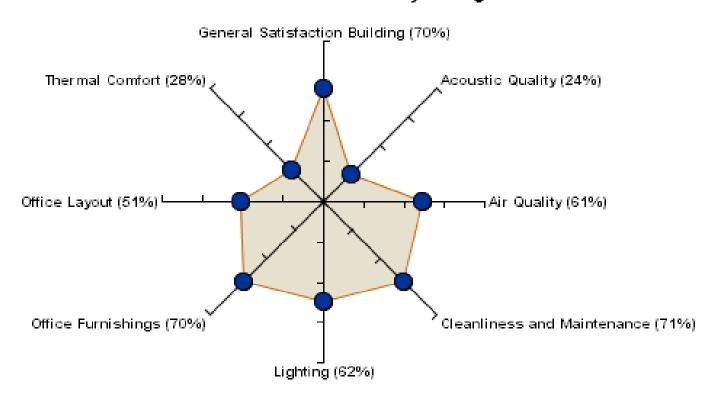




## Current Government Productivity 5\*project



#### Satisfaction in Core Survey Categories







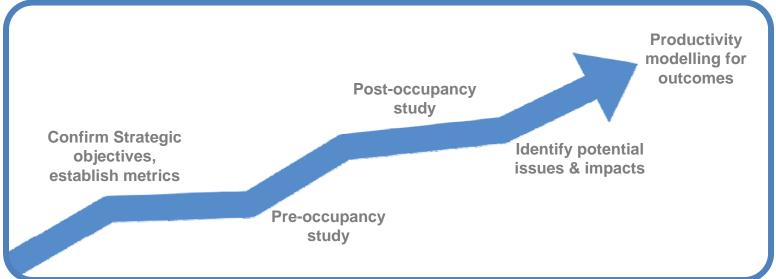
- General Building Satisfaction
- In general 82% of respondents were satisfied with the building.
- General Workspace Satisfaction
- In general 79% of respondents were satisfied with their workspace.



## Productivity study methodology



- Involves collection of quantitative indoor environment parameters and occupant satisfaction assessments to evaluate overall well-being and productivity
- Demonstrate correlation between IEQ and productivity and resulting financial outcomes





### General Uptake of IEQ and Productivity Studies



## Widespread with Government and Private Projects

- Commonwealth Department of Families Housing Community Services and Indigenous Affairs
- Singtel Optus
- NSW State Property Authority
- Centrelink

- CSIRO
- Queensland Transport
- Queensland Public Works
- Bovis Lend Lease
- UNSW,
- NSW Attorney General
- Melbourne Museum



## **GBCA Greenstar Rating and Productivity Studies**



Enabling High Performance and Improved Productivity Through The Work Environment

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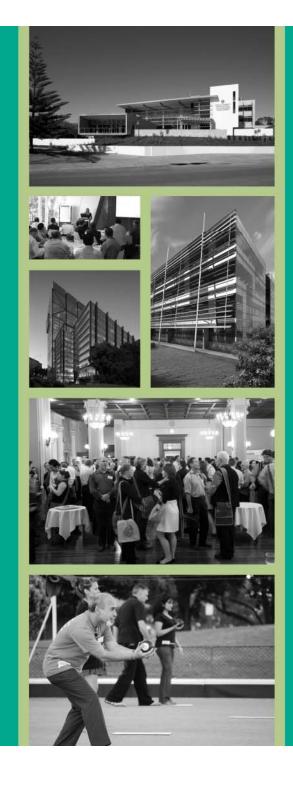
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Perth
Site Tour – 100 St George
Terrace

Date: 20 July 2010

State: Perth





## THE EVENT

# Perth Members Networking Evening

The Greenhouse

Date: 15 September 2010

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