Exel Composites

Company report

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Eyes on the CMD

There were no major surprises in Exel's Q3 results due to the preliminary information provided in the October profit warning. As a result, we made no material operational forecast changes. There was also no change in the short-term outlook compared to the profit warning and with this, all eyes will be on the upcoming CMD (November 13). Given the current market situation, the company's earnings position and the limited room for maneuver with the balance sheet, we believe the stock's risk/return ratio will remain weak for the next 12 months. However, with the decline in share price, we raise our recommendation on Exel to Reduce (was Sell) and reiterate our target price of EUR 2.50.

No surprises in Q3 thanks to preliminary information

With the preliminary information provided by Exel, the development of the main operational lines for Q3 was already known. Revenue decreased by as much as 39% year-on-year and amounted to EUR 20.5 million. The decline was mainly due to a lack of large orders in the North American wind power market and a general weakening of demand affecting the company's customers. Reflecting this, the revenue of all customer industries declined year-on-year and especially Wind Power continued its sluggish development (-73%) during the quarter. The company also provided guidance on the development of the operating result and the adjusted EBIT of EUR -1.2 million was fully in line with our expectations. However, the reported result was supported by a EUR 0.6 million provision reversal for the UK operations. On the bottom line, the result was boosted by positive net financial expenses and as a result, reported EPS was above our expectations (EUR -0.05).

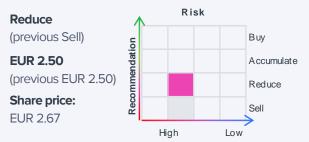
Only minor revisions to the estimates for the coming years, limited room for maneuver on the balance sheet

As expected, Exel reiterated the guidance given in its profit warning and expects its revenue (2022: 137 MEUR) and adjusted operating profit (2022: 8.0 MEUR) to decline significantly year-on-year. There had also been no change in the market outlook, with the general economic situation affecting the timing of orders and larger projects. Reflecting this and the rather unsurprising report, the absolute estimate revisions remained very minor when compared to the forecasts we updated in connection with the profit warning. Given the earnings development that we forecast and the EUR 4.3 million write-down in Q4, balance sheet risks are clearly elevated (2023e equity ratio 21%, net gearing 168% and net debt/ EBITDA 5.6x). However, we do not see an acute liquidity risk if the commercial paper market used by the company remains favorable. However, given the investment needs that the strategy may require, we believe that a large equity financing arrangement cannot be ruled out. However, in the earnings call, the company hinted at the possibility of timing larger investments later in the strategy period, but we expect CMD to shed further light on this.

No short-term support points for valuation, balance sheet concerns

On our estimates, earnings-based multiples for the current year are negative and the multiples for next year are also very high (P/E 33x, EV/EBIT 20x). The balance sheet-based valuation does not provide concrete support levels either (P/B 2023e: 1.6x). However, what will attract more attention than the short-term valuation picture is the way in which Exel intends to proceed with the implementation of its strategy. In our view, its current financial headroom is quite limited for a more aggressive implementation of the new strategy (i.e. higher investments), and the ongoing strategic review of the factory network does not exclude the possibility of further write-downs. In the current situation, we also estimate that the number of financing options is also limited, with a focus on different equity options. As such, we think it best to continue to monitor the situation from the sidelines.

Recommendation



Key figures

| | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025 e |
|------------------|-------|--------|-------|---------------|
| Revenue | 137 | 101 | 109 | 124 |
| growth-% | 2% | -26% | 8% | 14% |
| EBIT adj. | 8.0 | -0.8 | 3.3 | 6.1 |
| EBIT-% adj. | 5.9 % | -0.8 % | 3.0 % | 4.9 % |
| Net Income | 2.3 | -8.0 | 1.0 | 2.8 |
| EPS (adj.) | 0.61 | -0.31 | 0.08 | 0.24 |
| | | | | |
| P/E (adj.) | 8.8 | neg. | 33.3 | 11.2 |
| P/B | 2.2 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| Dividend yield-% | 3.7 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % |
| EV/EBIT (adj.) | 12.0 | neg. | 20.0 | 10.9 |
| EV/EBITDA | 6.7 | 6.9 | 6.6 | 5.3 |
| EV/S | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| | | | | |

Source: Inderes

Guidance

(Unchanged)

Exel Composites now expects that revenue (2022: 137 MEUR) and adjusted operating profit will decrease significantly in 2023 compared to 2022 (2022: 8.0 MEUR).

Share price

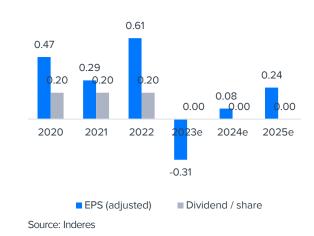


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Revenue and EBIT-%









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Value drivers

- Growing composite market creates a good • base for organic growth
- Upside in profitability relative to full potential • (incl. reduction in fixed costs)
- Materializing the global structure of production and relative economies of scale in a new, more focused strategy
- Value-creating acquisitions in the future



- Balance sheet risks are elevated, also . because of possible investments required by the new strategy (incl. unfavorable financing arrangements)
- Failure in the implementation of the new • strategy
- Somewhat cyclical and volatile demand .
- With a chronically short absolute order book, • business opportunities can weaken relatively quickly
- The cost structure is still guite fixed for the time being
- Concentrated customer portfolio
- Margin pressures still caused by material ٠ costs in the short term

| Valuation | 2023e | 2024 e | 2025 e |
|----------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| Share price | 2.67 | 2.67 | 2.67 |
| Number of shares, millions | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 |
| Market cap | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| EV | 66 | 66 | 67 |
| P/E (adj.) | neg. | 33.3 | 11.2 |
| P/E | neg. | 33.3 | 11.2 |
| P/B | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| P/S | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| EV/Sales | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| EV/EBITDA | 6.9 | 6.6 | 5.3 |
| EV/EBIT (adj.) | neg. | 20.0 | 10.9 |
| Payout ratio (%) | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % |
| Dividend yield-% | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % |
| Source: Inderes | | | |

Estimates and estimate revisions

| Estimates | Q3'22 | Q3'23 | Q3'23e | Q3'23e | Cons | ensus | Difference (%) | 2023e |
|------------------|------------|------------|---------|-----------|------|-------|------------------|---------|
| MEUR / EUR | Comparison | Actualized | Inderes | Consensus | Low | High | Act. vs. inderes | Inderes |
| Revenue | 33.8 | 20.5 | 20.5 | | | | 0% | 101 |
| EBIT (adj.) | 1.8 | -1.2 | -1.2 | | | | | -0.8 |
| EBIT | 1.7 | -0.7 | -1.2 | | | | | -5.2 |
| EPS (reported) | 0.18 | -0.05 | -0.11 | | | | | -0.31 |
| Revenue growth-% | 1.2 % | -39.2 % | -39.4 % | | | | 0.2 pp | -26.3 % |
| EBIT-% (adj.) | 5.4 % | -5.9 % | -6.1 % | | | | 0.2 pp | -0.8 % |

Source: Inderes

| Estimate revisions | 2023e | 2023e | Change | 2024e | 2024e | Change | 2025e | 2025 e | Change |
|--------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|---------------|--------|
| MEUR / EUR | Old | New | % | Old | New | % | Old | New | % |
| Revenue | 101 | 101 | 0% | 109 | 109 | 0% | 124 | 124 | 0% |
| EBITDA | 5.3 | 6.0 | 14% | 9.7 | 10.1 | 5% | 12.7 | 12.6 | -1% |
| EBIT (exc. NRIs) | -1.0 | -0.8 | | 2.9 | 3.3 | 16% | 5.9 | 6.1 | 3% |
| EBIT | -5.9 | -5.2 | | 2.9 | 3.3 | 16% | 5.9 | 6.1 | 3% |
| PTP | -8.5 | -7.1 | | 0.9 | 1.3 | 53% | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4% |
| EPS (excl. NRIs) | -0.34 | -0.31 | | 0.05 | 0.08 | 63% | 0.23 | 0.24 | 4% |
| DPS | 0.00 | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 | |

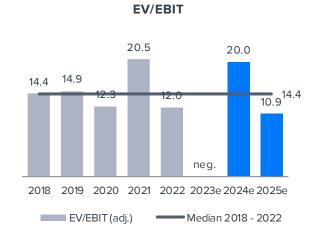
Valuation table

| Valuation | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024 e | 2025 e | 2026e |
|----------------------------|---------|--------|--------|---------|---------|-------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| Share price | 4.00 | 6.48 | 7.38 | 7.10 | 5.42 | 2.67 | 2.67 | 2.67 | 2.67 |
| Number of shares, millions | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 11.9 |
| Market cap | 48 | 77 | 88 | 84 | 64 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| EV | 72 | 107 | 119 | 124 | 97 | 66 | 66 | 67 | 64 |
| P/E (adj.) | 17.1 | 19.1 | 15.7 | 24.1 | 8.8 | neg. | 33.3 | 11.2 | 6.9 |
| P/E | >100 | 32.0 | 16.4 | 50.9 | 28.1 | neg. | 33.3 | 11.2 | 6.9 |
| P/B | 1.8 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
| P/S | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| EV/Sales | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| EV/EBITDA | 7.8 | 10.0 | 7.8 | 10.3 | 6.7 | 6.9 | 6.6 | 5.3 | 4.3 |
| EV/EBIT (adj.) | 14.4 | 14.9 | 12.3 | 20.5 | 12.0 | neg. | 20.0 | 10.9 | 7.6 |
| Payout ratio (%) | 554.7 % | 88.8 % | 44.3 % | 143.3 % | 103.8 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 12.9 % |
| Dividend yield-% | 4.5 % | 2.8 % | 2.7 % | 2.8 % | 3.7 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % | 1.9 % |

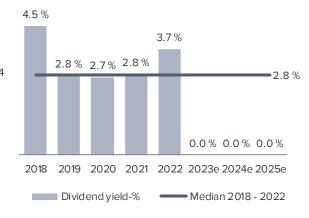
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P/E (adj.)





Dividend yield-%



Income statement

| Income statement | 2021 | Q1'22 | Q2'22 | Q3'22 | Q4'22 | 2022 | Q1'23 | Q2'23 | Q3'23 | Q4'23e | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e | 2026e |
|------------------------|---------|---------|--------|----------|---------|--------|---------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------------|--------|--------|
| Revenue | 134 | 34.2 | 38.1 | 33.8 | 31.0 | 137 | 28.8 | 25.4 | 20.5 | 26.2 | 101 | 109 | 124 | 137 |
| Group | 134 | 34.2 | 38.1 | 33.8 | 31.0 | 137 | 28.8 | 25.4 | 20.5 | 26.2 | 101 | 109 | 124 | 137 |
| EBITDA | 11.9 | 1.8 | 4.8 | 3.4 | 0.2 | 10.1 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 2.0 | 6.0 | 10.1 | 12.6 | 14.9 |
| Depreciation | -8.2 | -1.7 | -1.8 | -1.7 | -1.9 | -7.1 | -1.8 | -1.7 | -1.7 | -6.0 | -11.2 | -6.8 | -6.6 | -6.5 |
| EBIT (excl. NRI) | 6.0 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 1.8 | 0.9 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -1.2 | 0.3 | -0.8 | 3.3 | 6.1 | 8.4 |
| EBIT | 3.7 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 1.7 | -1.7 | 3.0 | -0.3 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -4.0 | -5.2 | 3.3 | 6.1 | 8.4 |
| Net financial items | 0.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 1.5 | -3.4 | 0.6 | -1.2 | -0.4 | 0.2 | -0.5 | -1.9 | -2.0 | -1.8 | -1.6 |
| РТР | 4.2 | 0.5 | 4.9 | 3.2 | -5.1 | 3.6 | -1.5 | -0.7 | -0.4 | -4.5 | -7.1 | 1.3 | 4.3 | 6.8 |
| Taxes | -2.5 | -0.6 | -0.9 | -1.2 | 1.3 | -1.5 | -0.7 | -0.2 | -0.2 | 0.0 | -1.1 | -0.3 | -1.2 | -1.8 |
| Minority interest | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 |
| Net earnings | 1.7 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 2.1 | -3.8 | 2.3 | -2.1 | -0.9 | -0.6 | -4.4 | -8.0 | 1.0 | 2.8 | 4.6 |
| EPS (adj.) | 0.29 | 0.13 | 0.35 | 0.19 | -0.05 | 0.61 | -0.15 | -0.05 | -0.10 | -0.01 | -0.31 | 0.08 | 0.24 | 0.39 |
| EPS (rep.) | 0.14 | 0.00 | 0.34 | 0.18 | -0.32 | 0.19 | -0.18 | -0.07 | -0.05 | -0.37 | -0.67 | 0.08 | 0.24 | 0.39 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Key figures | 2021 | Q1'22 | Q2'22 | Q3'22 | Q4'22 | 2022 | Q1'23 | Q2'23 | Q3'23 | Q4'23e | 2023e | 2024 e | 2025e | 2026e |
| Revenue growth-% | 23.7 % | 10.3 % | 13.5 % | 1.2 % | -15.1 % | 1.9 % | -15.7 % | -33.3 % | -39.2 % | -15.5 % | -26.3 % | 8.0 % | 14.0 % | 10.0 % |
| Adjusted EBIT growth-% | -37.8 % | -11.7 % | 27.1 % | 1580.6 % | -9.4 % | 33.0 % | -99.7 % | -97.9 % | -166.5 % | -65.8 % | -110.2 % | -503.2 % | 83.6 % | 38.6 % |
| EBITDA-% | 8.9 % | 5.2 % | 12.5 % | 10.1 % | 0.5 % | 7.4 % | 5.1 % | 5.8 % | 5.2 % | 7.7 % | 6.0 % | 9.3 % | 10.2 % | 10.9 % |
| Adjusted EBIT-% | 4.5 % | 6.4 % | 8.2 % | 5.4 % | 3.0 % | 5.9 % | 0.0 % | 0.3 % | -5.9 % | 1.2 % | -0.8 % | 3.0 % | 4.9 % | 6.2 % |
| Net earnings-% | 1.2 % | -0.1 % | 10.6 % | 6.2 % | -12.2 % | 1.7 % | -7.3 % | -3.5 % | -2.8 % | -17.0 % | -7.9 % | 0.9 % | 2.3 % | 3.4 % |

Balance sheet

| Assets | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024 e | 2025 e |
|--------------------------|------|------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| Non-current assets | 51.9 | 47.9 | 41.7 | 42.0 | 42.5 |
| Goodwill | 12.8 | 13.0 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 8.7 |
| Intangible assets | 2.8 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 |
| Tangible assets | 34.3 | 30.9 | 29.0 | 29.2 | 29.6 |
| Associated companies | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other investments | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other non-current assets | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Deferred tax assets | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| Current assets | 65.8 | 65.2 | 54.5 | 56.1 | 59.6 |
| Inventories | 23.9 | 23.4 | 18.2 | 19.1 | 21.1 |
| Other current assets | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Receivables | 26.3 | 23.3 | 19.2 | 20.7 | 23.6 |
| Cash and equivalents | 15.6 | 17.4 | 17.2 | 16.3 | 14.9 |
| Balance sheet total | 118 | 113 | 96.2 | 98.1 | 102 |

| Liabilities & equity | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
|-----------------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| Equity | 31.2 | 30.4 | 20.0 | 20.9 | 23.8 |
| Share capital | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Retained earnings | 21.9 | 21.0 | 10.6 | 11.5 | 14.4 |
| Hybrid bonds | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Revaluation reserve | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other equity | 6.6 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.8 |
| Minorities | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Non-current liabilities | 17.1 | 15.4 | 15.5 | 19.4 | 21.3 |
| Deferred tax liabilities | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Provisions | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Interest bearing debt | 15.6 | 13.5 | 13.7 | 17.6 | 19.5 |
| Convertibles | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other long term liabilities | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 |
| Current liabilities | 69.4 | 67.3 | 60.7 | 57.7 | 57.0 |
| Interest bearing debt | 37.4 | 35.0 | 37.0 | 32.7 | 29.7 |
| Payables | 32.0 | 26.2 | 23.7 | 25.1 | 27.3 |
| Other current liabilities | 0.0 | 6.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Balance sheet total | 118 | 113 | 96.2 | 98.1 | 102 |

DCF calculation

| DCF model | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e | 2028e | 2029e | 2030e | 2031e | 2032e | TERM |
|---|-------|---------------|-------|--------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue growth-% | 1.9 % | -26.3 % | 8.0 % | 14.0 % | 10.0 % | 5.0 % | 4.0 % | 3.0 % | 2.5 % | 2.0 % | 2.0 % | 2.0 % |
| EBIT-% | 2.2 % | -5.1 % | 3.0 % | 4.9 % | 6.2 % | 6.5 % | 6.2 % | 6.0 % | 6.0 % | 6.0 % | 6.0 % | 6.0 % |
| EBIT (operating profit) | 3.0 | -5.2 | 3.3 | 6.1 | 8.4 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 9.5 | 9.6 | 9.8 | |
| + Depreciation | 7.1 | 11.2 | 6.8 | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 6.8 | |
| - Paid taxes | -1.3 | -1.1 | -0.3 | -1.2 | -1.8 | -2.1 | -2.1 | -2.1 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -2.2 | |
| - Tax, financial expenses | 0.1 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -0.4 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -0.4 | |
| + Tax, financial income | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| - Change in working capital | 2.8 | 1.8 | -1.1 | -2.7 | -1.7 | -0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -0.4 | |
| Operating cash flow | 11.8 | 6.2 | 8.4 | 8.3 | 10.9 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.6 | 13.2 | 13.5 | 13.6 | |
| + Change in other long-term liabilities | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| - Gross CAPEX | -3.2 | -5.1 | -7.1 | -7.1 | -7.1 | -7.1 | -7.1 | -7.1 | -7.2 | -6.9 | -6.8 | |
| Free operating cash flow | 8.8 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 6.8 | |
| +/- Other | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| FCFF | 8.8 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 92.8 |
| Discounted FCFF | | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 40.5 |
| Sum of FCFF present value | | 67.9 | 66.7 | 65.5 | 64.5 | 61.6 | 57.4 | 53.5 | 49.8 | 46.6 | 43.5 | 40.5 |
| Enterprise value DCF | | 67.9 | | | | | | | | | | |
| - Interest bearing debt | | -48.5 | | | | _ | | | | | | |
| + Cash and cash equivalents | | 17.4 | | | | Cas | h flow dis | stribution | | | | |
| -Minorities | | -0.7 | | | | | | | | | | |
| -Dividend/capital return | | -2.4 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity value DCF | | 33.7 | 2023e | -2027e | | 15% | | | | | | |
| Equity value DCF per share | | 2.8 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WACC | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tax-% (WACC) | | 25.0 % | 2028e | -2032e | | | 25% | | | | | |
| Target debt ratio (D/(D+E) | | 25.0 % | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cost of debt | | 8.0 % | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity Beta | | 1.40 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Market risk premium | | 4.75% | | TERM | | | | | | | 60% | |
| Liquidity premium | | 1.50% | | | | | | | | | | |
| Risk free interest rate | | 2.5 % | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cost of equity | | 10.7 % | | | | 2023e-202 | 27₀ ■ 202 | 8e-2032e | TERM | | | |
| Weighted average cost of capital (WACC) | | 9.5 % | | | | 20230-202 | -/0 = 202 | 00-20028 | | | | |

Summary

| Income statement | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024 e | Per share data | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 e | 2024e |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|----------------|
| Revenue | 108.6 | 134.4 | 137.0 | 100.9 | 109.0 | EPS (reported) | 0.45 | 0.14 | 0.19 | -0.67 | 0.08 |
| EBITDA | 15.3 | 11.9 | 10.1 | 6.0 | 10.1 | EPS (adj.) | 0.47 | 0.29 | 0.61 | -0.31 | 0.08 |
| EBIT | 9.4 | 3.7 | 3.0 | -5.2 | 3.3 | OCF / share | 1.26 | 0.41 | 0.99 | 0.52 | 0.70 |
| PTP | 7.1 | 4.2 | 3.6 | -7.1 | 1.3 | FCF / share | 0.30 | -0.61 | 0.74 | 0.10 | 0.11 |
| Net Income | 5.4 | 1.7 | 2.3 | -8.0 | 1.0 | Book value / share | 2.43 | 2.57 | 2.52 | 1.64 | 1.72 |
| Extraordinary items | -0.3 | -2.3 | -5.0 | -4.4 | 0.0 | Dividend / share | 0.20 | 0.20 | 0.20 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Balance sheet | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 e | 2024e | Growth and profitability | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e |
| Balance sheet total | 96.8 | 117.7 | 113.1 | 96.2 | 98.1 | Revenue growth-% | 5% | 24% | 2% | -26 % | 8% |
| Equity capital | 28.9 | 31.2 | 30.4 | 20.0 | 20.9 | EBITDA growth-% | 43% | -22% | -15% | -40 % | 68% |
| Goodwill | 12.6 | 12.8 | 13.0 | 8.7 | 8.7 | EBIT (adj.) growth-% | 35% | -38% | 33% | -110% | -503% |
| Net debt | 31.2 | 37.4 | 31.1 | 33.5 | 33.9 | EPS (adj.) growth-% | 38% | -38% | 109% | -150% | -126 % |
| | | | | | | EBITDA-% | 14.1 % | 8.9 % | 7.4 % | 6.0 % | 9.3 % |
| Cash flow | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 e | 2024e | EBIT (adj.)-% | 8.9 % | 4.5 % | 5.9 % | -0.8 % | 3.0 % |
| EBITDA | 15.3 | 11.9 | 10.1 | 6.0 | 10.1 | EBIT-% | 8.7 % | 2.8 % | 2.2 % | -5.1 % | 3.0 % |
| Change in working capital | 2.4 | -4.8 | 2.8 | 1.8 | -1.1 | ROE-% | 19.5 % | 5.6 % | 7.6 % | -32.4 % | 4.8 % |
| Operating cash flow | 14.9 | 4.8 | 11.8 | 6.2 | 8.4 | ROI-% | 13.9 % | 4.8 % | 3.7 % | -6.9 % | 4.7 % |
| CAPEX | -11.7 | -12.2 | -3.2 | -5.1 | -7.1 | Equity ratio | 29.8 % | 26.5 % | 26.9 % | 20.8 % | 21.4 % |
| Free cash flow | 3.6 | -7.2 | 8.8 | 1.2 | 1.3 | Gearing | 107.9 % | 119.9 % | 102.4 % | 167.7 % | 161.9 % |

| Valuation multiples | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 e | 2024e |
|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|-------|
| EV/S | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 |
| EV/EBITDA (adj.) | 7.8 | 10.3 | 6.7 | 6.9 | 6.6 |
| EV/EBIT (adj.) | 12.3 | 20.5 | 12.0 | neg. | 20.0 |
| P/E (adj.) | 15.7 | 24.1 | 8.8 | neg. | 33.3 |
| P/B | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 1.6 | 1.5 |
| Dividend-% | 2.7 % | 2.8 % | 3.7 % | 0.0 % | 0.0 % |
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|-----------------|----------------|---------|-------------|
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| 5/2/2021 | Accumulate | 11.50 € | 10.88€ |
| 7/21/2021 | Accumulate | 11.50 € | 10.32 € |
| 9/2/2021 | Accumulate | 11.50 € | 9.95€ |
| 9/17/2021 | Accumulate | 9.50 € | 8.59€ |
| 11/5/2021 | Accumulate | 8.40 € | 7.52 € |
| 2/16/2022 | Reduce | 7.50 € | 7.15 € |
| 5/2/2022 | Accumulate | 7.00€ | 6.30€ |
| Analyst changed | | | |
| 7/21/2022 | Accumulate | 7.00€ | 6.58 € |
| 9/28/2022 | Accumulate | 6.00€ | 5.30 € |
| 11/4/2022 | Accumulate | 6.00€ | 5.20 € |
| 2/15/2023 | Accumulate | 6.00€ | 5.32 € |
| 2/20/2023 | Accumulate | 6.00€ | 5.10 € |
| 5/3/2023 | Accumulate | 4.50 € | 4.05 € |
| 8/21/2023 | Reduce | 3.50 € | 3.38€ |
| 10/19/2023 | Sell | 2.50 € | 3.04 € |
| 11/6/2023 | Reduce | 2.50 € | 2.67€ |

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