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Thailand Banks

Stronger loan demand from retail & government in Oct

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Stronger loan growth to come in November to December 2021

We project the BUC's 2021 loan growth to be stronger in Nov to Dec-21, supported by 1) a greater willingness for most banks to lend new loans after the reopening of business activities; 2) seasonality; and 3) the merger and acquisition trend of big corporates in Thailand.

Small impact from debt consolidation on banks and diversified financials

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Maintain OVERWEIGHT; gradually accumulate banks

We think Thai banks are now focusing on post-Covid growth by penetrating high growth potential areas, e.g. retail lending and digital businesses, to generate higher medium to long term growth. This could eventually provide a higher ROE and unlock shareholder's returns. Thus, we see more room for banks' share prices to rerate, and we recommend gradually accumulating banks. SCB, KBANK and KKP are our top picks in that order.



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Exhibit 1: Loan growth of Thai banks under coverage in October 2021

	Bangkok Bank	Kasikornbank	Kiatnakin Bank	Krung Thai Bank	Siam Commercial Bank	TISCO Financial Group	TMBThanachart Bank	Coverage
BBG code	BBL TB	KBANK TB	ККР ТВ	КТВ ТВ	SCB TB	TISCO TB	ттв тв	
Growth (YTD %)								
Loan	2.94	8.84	8.06	10.85	0.54	(9.65)	(2.52)	4.46
Deposit	7.04	8.73	6.86	9.78	0.96	(18.94)	(3.40)	4.99
Deposit + Borrowing	8.48	9.60	11.90	11.48	1.02	(16.83)	(4.60)	5.81
Growth (m-m %)								
Loan	(1.05)	0.35	0.74	0.57	(0.13)	(0.06)	(0.24)	(0.03)
Deposit	(0.25)	0.90	3.07	4.75	1.65	(2.30)	(0.27)	1.50
Deposit + Borrowing	(0.38)	0.69	3.41	4.54	1.50	(2.11)	(0.90)	1.28
Growth (y-y %)								
Loan	3.51	13.00	9.42	15.75	4.46	(9.17)	(0.19)	7.59
Deposit	7.39	12.69	9.03	11.24	3.26	(15.87)	(3.82)	6.68
Deposit + Borrowing	8.59	13.32	12.26	12.92	3.29	(13.89)	(5.38)	7.28
LDR (%)	73.37	88.39	105.36	86.95	87.13	117.71	98.69	86.42

Sources: Company data; FSSIA estimates

Small impact from debt consolidation & other program updates

After floating the idea of debt consolidation for housing loans and unsecured retail loans across financial institutions over the past few months, the Bank of Thailand (BoT) officially announced the mandates today. The essence of the measures is summarised as follows:

1) The consolidation of housing loans and unsecured retail loans can be done in the same institution or across different financial institutions.

2) The interest rate:

Housing loans – in the event that a financial institution has already lent a mortgage loan, the interest rate of the home loan will not exceed the interest rate under the original contract. In the case of receiving a refinanced home loan from another financial institution, the interest rate can be set to align with the debtor's risk profile.

Retail loans – the interest rate shall not be higher than the interest rate of the home loan (after teaser rate) plus 2% per annum.

- 3) The prepayment fee for retail loans under the debt consolidation program will be waived until Dec-23;
- 4) The BoT will relax the loan classification and provision to encourage financial institutions to support their clients.

Exhibit 2: Summary of the debt consolidation measures

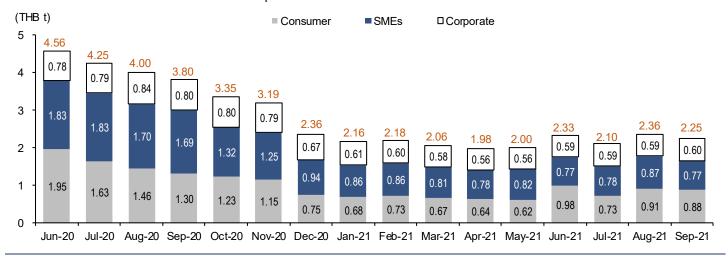


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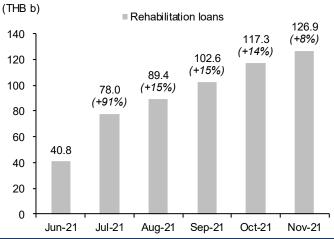
Exhibit 3: Forbearance loans as at end of September 2021



Source: Bank of Thailand

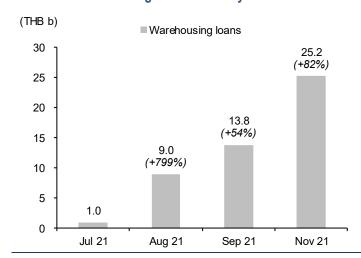
Regarding other previous financial support measures, there was no significant change in all of them, including the debt forbearance program at THB2.25t or 13% of total loans; rehabilitation loans were at THB126.9b in Nov-21 vs the total budget of THB250b; and the warehousing program was at THB25.2b in Nov-21 vs the total budget of THB250b.

Exhibit 4: Rehabilitation loans from June-November 2021



Note: % below amount are change m-m Source Bank of Thailand

Exhibit 5: Warehousing loans from July-November 2021



Source: Bank of Thailand

Exhibit 6: Financial companies under coverage – summary of key valuations

	BBG	Rec	Share price		Up	Market	EPS g	rowth	P/E		DivYld		ROE		PBV	
	code		Current	Target	side	Сар	21E	22E	21E	22E	21E	22E	21E	22E	21E	22E
			(THB)	(THB)	(%)	(USD m)	(%)	(%)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(%)	(%)	(x)	(x)
Banks						43,629	5.9	10.9	10.5	9.5	3.9	3.6	7.7	8.1	0.8	0.8
Bangkok Bank	BBL TB	HOLD	125.50	134.00	7	7,315	27.1	8.6	8.9	8.2	3.2	4.0	5.9	6.2	0.5	0.5
Kasikornbank	KBANK TB	BUY	146.50	172.00	17	10,599	18.8	10.1	9.9	9.0	1.8	2.4	7.6	7.7	0.7	0.7
Kiatnakin Bank	KKP TB	BUY	61.00	68.00	11	1,577	8.2	20.9	9.3	7.7	4.1	5.7	11.6	13.0	1.0	1.0
Krung Thai Bank	КТВ ТВ	HOLD	11.80	12.20	3	5,036	21.5	5.5	8.1	7.7	4.3	4.6	5.8	5.8	0.5	0.4
Siam Commercial Bank	SCB TB	BUY	128.00	160.00	25	13,272	28.7	8.9	12.4	11.4	5.2	2.7	8.3	8.6	1.0	1.0
Tisco Financial	TISCO TB	BUY	92.50	110.00	19	2,261	6.7	9.0	11.4	10.5	7.1	8.4	16.1	16.7	1.8	1.7
TMBThanachart Bank	TTB TB	BUY	1.21	1.40	16	3,570	(1.1)	32.1	11.7	8.8	3.4	4.5	4.8	6.1	0.6	0.5
Diversified financials						23,915	11.1	22.0	26.3	21.5	1.9	2.2	18.5	18.1	4.3	3.4
Unsecured-loan lender						6,118	14.3	13.1	21.6	19.1	1.9	2.1	24.0	23.4	4.9	4.2
Aeon Thana Sinsap (TH)	AEONTS TB	HOLD	195.50	204.00	4	1,492	7.5	13.9	12.3	10.8	2.6	2.7	21.5	21.1	2.5	2.1
Krungthai Card	KTC TB	HOLD	58.75	52.00	(11)	4,625	15.4	13.0	24.6	21.8	1.7	1.9	24.8	24.1	5.7	4.9
Auto-title lender						10,002	6.0	22.8	24.3	19.8	1.2	1.4	20.3	20.6	4.3	3.7
Muangthai Capital	MTC TB	BUY	60.25	69.00	15	3,900	(0.5)	24.6	24.6	19.8	0.6	0.8	22.7	23.4	5.1	4.2
Srisawad Corp	SAWAD TB	BUY	66.25	80.00	21	2,778	4.2	20.6	19.1	15.9	2.7	3.1	20.2	22.0	3.7	3.3
Saksiam Leasing	SAK TB	BUY	9.90	11.00	11	634	(19.5)	39.1	34.9	25.1	0.9	1.2	12.6	15.9	4.2	3.8
Ngern Tid Lor	TIDLOR TB	BUY	38.00	43.00	13	2,691	23.8	17.8	26.8	22.7	0.6	0.7	18.9	16.4	3.9	3.5
Truck lender						1,771	12.6	10.5	27.3	24.7	2.0	2.5	13.4	12.8	3.2	2.5
Micro Leasing	MICRO TB	BUY	8.45	10.70	27	241	23.1	33.5	38.8	29.1	8.0	0.7	10.8	13.2	4.0	3.6
Singer Thailand	SINGER TB	BUY	48.50	51.00	5	786	24.8	2.4	35.7	34.8	1.1	1.7	13.0	9.8	4.0	2.6
Ratchthani Leasing	THANI TB	BUY	4.30	4.80	12	744	(27.6)	17.0	14.8	12.6	3.4	4.0	14.7	15.9	2.1	1.9
Asset management						4,532	13.2	32.3	40.6	30.7	1.9	2.4	12.1	10.4	4.6	2.6
Bangkok Commercial AM	BAM TB	BUY	20.70	22.00	6	2,043	20.9	35.8	30.1	22.2	2.8	3.8	5.1	6.5	1.5	1.4
Chayo Group	CHAYO TB	BUY	12.70	18.80	48	373	18.5	39.6	49.5	35.5	0.0	0.0	12.8	11.7	4.4	3.6
JMT Network Services	JMT TB	BUY	58.00	57.00	(2)	2,116	7.8	29.1	49.2	38.1	1.3	1.5	18.7	13.9	7.8	3.6
Other						1,201	8.1	11.6	9.5	8.6	8.0	8.0	6.4	6.8	0.6	0.6
Thanachart Capital	TCAP TB	HOLD	37.50	35.00	(7)	1,201	8.1	11.6	9.5	8.6	8.0	8.0	6.4	6.8	0.6	0.6
Hire purchase motorcycle						291	55.9	33.4	30.3	22.7	0.5	0.7	17.4	19.8	4.9	4.1
Next Capital	NCAP TB	BUY	10.60	16.80	58	291	55.9	33.4	30.3	22.7	0.5	0.7	17.4	19.8	4.9	4.1

Share prices as of 19 Nov 2021 Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

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PTTEP	PTTGC	PYLON	Q-CON	QH	QTC	RATCH	RS	S	S&J	SAAM
SABINA	SAMART	SAMTEL	SAT	SC	SCB	SCC	SCCC	SCG	SCN	SDC
SEAFCO	SEAOIL	SE-ED	SELIC	SENA	SIRI	SIS	SITHAI	SMK	SMPC	SNC
SONIC	SORKON	SPALI	SPI	SPRC	SPVI	SSSC	SST	STA	SUSCO	SUTHA
SVI	SYMC	SYNTEC	TACC	TASCO	TCAP	TFMAMA	THANA	THANI	THCOM	THG
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CEN	CENTEL	CFRESH	CGH	CHEWA	CHOTI	CHOW	CIG	CIMBT	CM	CMC
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ESTAR	ETE	EVER	FSMART	GPI	ILINK	IRC	J	JKN	JMART	JMT
JSP	JTS	KWG	LDC	MAJOR	META	NCL	NOBLE	NOK	PK	PLE
ROJNA	SAAM	SAPPE	SCI	SE	SHANG	SINGER	SKR	SPALI	SSP	STANLY
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Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Bangkok Bank	BBL TB	THB 125.50	HOLD	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of further interest rate cuts on its NIM and potential new regulations from the Bank of Thailand on debt-servicing programs. The upside risk would be better-than-expected synergies with Permata.
Kasikornbank	KBANK TB	THB 146.50	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of further interest rate cuts on NIM and potential new regulations from the Bank of Thailand on debt-servicing programs.
Kiatnakin Bank	KKP TB	THB 61.00	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based target price include weakening asset quality and lower fee income.
Krung Thai Bank	КТВ ТВ	THB 11.80	HOLD	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of further interest rate cuts on NIM and potential new regulations from the Bank of Thailand on debt-servicing programs. The upside risk is the better-than-expected ability to control cost of funds.
Siam Commercial Bank	SCB TB	THB 128.00	BUY	Downside risks to our SOTP-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of further interest rate cuts on its NIM.
Tisco Financial	TISCO TB	THB 92.50	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; 2) the impact of new regulations from the Bank of Thailand on debt-servicing programs; and 3) the slow expansion of its high-yield auto cash portfolio.
TMBThanachart Bank	ТТВ ТВ	THB 1.21	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness and further waves of the Covid-19 pandemic affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of further interest rate cuts on NIM and potential new regulations from the Bank of Thailand on debt-servicing programs.
Aeon Thana Sinsap (Thaila	ind) AEONTS TB	THB 195.50	HOLD	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) intense competition; 2) regulatory actions to curb industry growth; and 3) deteriorating asset quality. The upside risk is stronger-than-expected asset quality.
Krungthai Card	КТС ТВ	THB 58.75	HOLD	Upside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) stronger-than-expected growth for KTB Leasing; and 2) a better-than-expected bad debt recovery. Downside risks are 1) regulatory actions to curb industry growth; and 2) deteriorating asset quality.
Muangthai Capital	MTC TB	THB 60.25	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) a further weakening of asset quality that could potentially hit both loan yield and credit cost; and 2) changes in financial regulations by the Bank of Thailand and the Office of Consumer Protection Board.
Srisawad Corp	SAWAD TB	THB 66.25	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) a further weakening of asset quality that could potentially hit both loan yield and credit cost; and 2) changes in financial regulations by the Bank of Thailand and the Office of Consumer Protection Board.
Saksiam Leasing	SAK TB	THB 9.90	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) competition from existing and new players; 2) regulatory changes by the Bank of Thailand (BoT); and 3) a slower-than-expected reduction in its cost of funds due to a shift toward more long-term loans.
Ngern Tid Lor	TIDLOR TB	THB 38.00	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) the expansion into auto-title loans by the Government Savings Bank and Auto X (subsidiary of SCB); 2) further weakening asset quality could potentially hit both loan yield and credit cost; and 3) tighter supervision from related regulators.
Micro Leasing	MICRO TB	THB 8.45	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) an economic slowdown, especially for logistics activities and private investment; 2) deteriorating asset quality; and 3) a slower-than-expected reduction in the cost of funds due to a shift toward more long-term loans.
Singer Thailand	SINGER TB	THB 48.50	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) an economic slowdown leading to slower loan growth and lower sales of electrical products and home appliances; and 2) deteriorating asset quality.

Ratchthani Leasing	THANI TB	THB 4.30	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) an economic slowdown, especially for logistics activities and private investment; 2) deteriorating asset quality; and 3) changes in financial regulations from the Bank of Thailand.
Bangkok Commercial Asset Mngt.	BAM TB	THB 20.70	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) lower cash collection from its fully amortised portfolio; 2) lower-than-expected bad debt acquisition; and 3) the prolonged slowdown of the property market.
Chayo Group	СНАҮО ТВ	THB 12.70	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) lower-than-expected bad debt acquisition; and 2) higher-than-expected operating expenses.
JMT Network Services	JMT TB	THB 58.00	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) lower cash collection from its fully amortised portfolio; and 2) the lower-than-expected acquisition of new bad debt.
Thanachart Capital	TCAP TB	THB 37.50	HOLD	Upside risks to our GGM-based target price are M&A completions and long-term synergy gained, leading to a higher contribution to its earnings. Downside risks are impacts from a prolonged weak macro outlook on loan growth and asset quality which could lead to higher provisions for both TMB and THANI.
Next Capital	NCAP TB	THB 10.60	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-derived TP include 1) an economic slowdown, especially for food delivery and logistics activities; 2) deteriorating asset quality; and 3) tighter competition from new players.

Source: FSSIA estimates

Additional Disclosures

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