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# I-TAIL CORPORATION

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**TARGET PRICE** THB30.00 **CLOSE** THB16.90 **UP/DOWNSIDE** +77.5% TP vs CONSENSUS +30.5%

# 3Q23 results at first glance

# กำไร 3Q23 ดีกว่าคาดมาก และจะดีขึ้นต่อใน 4Q23

#### **Highlights**

- ITC รายงานกำไรสุทธิ์ 3Q23 เท่ากับ 645 ลบ. (+45% q-q, -56% y-y) หากไม่รวม FX loss -11.7 ลบ. และกลับรายการด้อยค่า 3 ลบ. จะมีกำไรปกติที่ 653 ลบ. (+51% q-q, -47% y-y) ดีกว่าทั้งเราและ Consensus คาดถึง 30%
- สิ่งที่ดีทำให้ดีกว่าคาดคือ 1) รายได้ดีกว่าคาด 14%, 2) อัตรากำไรขั้นตันดีกว่าคาด 20 bps และ 3) รายได้อื่นดีกว่าคาด มาจากดอกเบี้ยรับจากการลงทุนใน Corporate Bond
- รายได้รวม 3Q23 ฟื้นตัว +23% q-q แต่ยัง -35% y-y เพราะฐานสูงปีก่อน โดย รายได้อาหารแมวและขนมสัตว์เลี้ยงเติบโตดี +27% q-q และ +44 % y-y ตามลำดับ หลังลูกค้ากลับมา Restocking อีกครั้ง และมีรายได้อื่นที่ไม่ใช่อาหารสัตว์เลี้ยง (เช่น การขายทูน่าให้กับ TU และบริษัทอื่นนอกเครือ) ที่เร่งขึ้นเป็น 226 ลบ. จาก 74 ลบ.ใน 2Q23 ซึ่งเป็นรายการที่ดีกว่าคาด เราตั้งข้อสังเกตว่าเป็นรายการที่ผัน ผวนในแต่ละไตรมาส แม้ไม่รวมรายการนี้ รายได้ 3Q23 ถือว่ายังโตดี +18.7% q-q
- อัตรากำไรขั้นต้นขยับขึ้นเป็น 19.2% จาก 18.4% ใน 2Q23 (แต่ยังต่ำกว่า 25.4% ใน 3Q22) มาจากการปรับขึ้นราคาขายและอัตราการใช้กำลังการผลิตที่สงขึ้น ขณะที่ต้นทุนปลายังสูง และ Premium Mix ยังใกล้เคียงไตรมาสก่อนหน้า
- คุมค่าใช้จ่ายได้ดี โดยเฉพาะค่าใช้จ่ายบริหารจากค่าธรรมเนียมการบริหารจัดการ ให้กับบริษัทในเครือของ TU ลดลง กอปรกับรายได้ที่ฟื้น q-q ทำให้ SG&A to sales ลดลงเหลือ 6.7% จาก 9.2% ใน 2Q23 แต่ยังสูงกว่า 5.2% ใน 3Q22

#### **Outlook**

- บริษัทมีกำไรสุทธิ์ 9M23 เท่ากับ 1,515 ลบ. (-59% y-y) คิดเป็น 75% ของ ประมาณการทั้งปี แนวโน้มกำไร 4Q23 จะเร่งตัวขึ้นทำจุดสูงสุดของปี สวนทาง ฤดูกาล เพราะลูกค้าเพิ่งเริ่ม Restocking ใน 3Q23 จึงคาดคำสั่งซื้อยังสูงขึ้นต่อ โดยผู้บริหารตั้งเป้ารายได้ 4Q23 ขยับขึ้นแตะระดับ 5 พันลบ. ปัจจุบัน Secured orders ไปแล้ว 75% ของเป้า มีโอกาสที่กำไร 4Q23 อาจทำได้ราว 750-800 ลบ. ดีกว่าที่เราประมาณการไว้ที่ 600 ลบ.
- เรายังคงมุมมองตามเดิมว่าผลการดำเนินงานได้ผ่านจุดต่ำสุดไปแล้ว และจะทยอย ฟื้นตัวอย่างค่อยเป็นค่อยไป โดยคาดกำไรสุทธิปี 2023-24 ไว้ที่ 2 พันลบ. (-54% y-y) และ 3.5 พันลบ. (+76% y-y) ตามลำดับ
- ยังคงราคาเป้าหมายปี 2024 ที่ 30 บาท (อิง PE เดิม 25x) ราคาหุ้นปัจจุบันเทรด อยู่บน PE2024 เพียง 14.2x คงคำแนะนำซื้อลงทุน

#### **KEY STOCK DATA**

YE Dec (THB m)	2022	2023E	2024E	2025E
Revenue	21,420	15,395	19,654	21,772
Net profit	4,401	2,020	3,562	4,160
EPS (THB)	2.56	0.67	1.19	1.39
vs Consensus (%)	-	1.4	19.7	18.0
EBITDA	4,928	2,950	4,577	5,286
Recurring net profit	4,226	2,020	3,562	4,160
Core EPS (THB)	2.46	0.67	1.19	1.39
EPS growth (%)	(63.7)	(72.6)	76.3	16.8
Core P/E (x)	6.9	25.1	14.2	12.2
Dividend yield (%)	9.8	3.2	4.9	5.7
EV/EBITDA (x)	7.6	12.8	8.4	7.1
Price/book (x)	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9
Net debt/Equity (%)	(52.8)	(51.4)	(47.9)	(47.9)
ROE (%)	26.5	8.1	14.0	15.6



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	(20.3)	(1.2)	n/a
Relative to country (%)	(15.5)	9.9	n/a
Mkt cap (USD m)			1,400
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m)			4.1
Free float (%)			22
Major shareholder	Th	ai Union Gr	oup (78%)
12m high/low (THB)		3	3.75/15.70
Issued shares (m)			3,000.00

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates



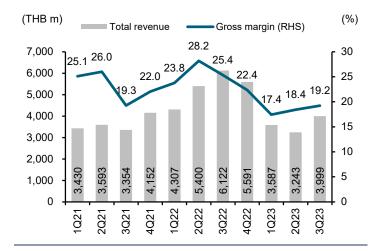
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Exhibit 1: 3Q23 results summary

	1Q22	2Q22	3Q22	4Q22	1Q23	2Q23	3Q23	Cha	ange	9M22	9M23	Change
	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y%)						
Sales	4,307	5,400	6,122	5,591	3,587	3,243	3,999	23.3	(34.7)	15,829	10,829	(31.6)
Cost of sales	3,283	3,877	4,570	4,341	2,962	2,645	3,231	22.2	(29.3)	11,730	8,838	(24.7)
Gross profit	1,024	1,522	1,552	1,250	625	598	768	28.5	(50.5)	4,099	1,991	(51.4)
SG&A	265	312	321	341	301	298	266	(10.7)	(17.2)	898	865	(3.7)
Operating profit	807	1,244	1,289	1,017	447	431	685	59.1	(46.9)	3,340	1,563	(53.2)
Other income	48	33	58	107	123	130	183	39.9	215.5	140	436	212.3
Interest expense	8	13	31	30	6	2	2	(6.9)	(94.6)	53	9	(82.2)
Tax expense	(74)	60	17	45	26	(4)	31	nm	78.9	3	52	1503.5
Other gain (loss)	35	179	227	(266)	11	12	(9)	nm	nm	441	15	(96.7)
Reported net profit	908	1,349	1,468	676	425	445	645	44.9	(56.1)	3,726	1,515	(59.4)
Core profit	874	1,170	1,241	941	414	433	653	50.8	(47.4)	3,285	1,500	(54.3)
Key ratios (%)								(ppt)	(ppt)			
Gross margin	23.8	28.2	25.4	22.4	17.4	18.4	19.2	0.8	(6.1)	25.9	18.6	(7.2)
SG&A to sales	6.2	5.8	5.2	6.1	8.4	9.2	6.7	(2.5)	1.4	5.7	8.1	2.4
Operating margin	18.7	23.0	21.0	18.2	12.5	13.3	17.1	3.8	(3.9)	21.1	14.6	(6.5)
Net margin	21.1	25.0	24.0	12.1	11.9	13.7	16.1	2.4	(7.9)	23.5	14.2	(9.4)
Core margin	20.3	21.7	20.3	16.8	11.5	13.4	16.3	3.0	(3.9)	20.8	14.0	(6.7)
Operating statistics (THE	3 m)											
THB/USD	33.1	34.4	36.4	36.3	33.9	34.5	35.2	2.0	(3.4)	34.6	34.5	(0.3)
Tuna price (USD/tonne)	1,717	1,608	1,667	1,660	1,820	2,000	1,850	(7.5)	11.0	1,664	1,890	13.6
Cat food sales	3,015	3,953	4,429	4,160	2,399	2,264	2,885	27.4	(34.9)	11,398	7,549	(33.8)
Dog food sales	496	695	676	694	594	563	399	(29.1)	(41.0)	1,867	1,556	(16.7)
Treat sales	775	728	989	727	499	338	487	44.2	(50.8)	2,492	1,324	(46.9)
Other pet sales	21	24	28	10	2	4	2	(63.6)	(94.3)	72	8	(88.8)
Other non-pet sales	0	0	0	0	92	74	226	206.0	nm	0	393	nm
Americas	2,305	3,016	3,516	3,085	1,805	1,672	1,841	10.2	(47.6)	8,836	5,318	(39.8)
Europe	661	814	927	956	479	258	456	76.6	(50.9)	2,402	1,192	(50.4)
Asia, Oceania, Others	1,342	1,570	1,679	1,551	1,303	1,313	1,703	29.6	1.4	4,591	4,319	(5.9)

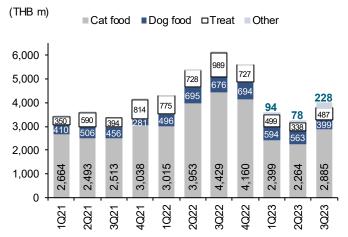
Sources: ITC; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 2: Quarterly revenue and gross margin



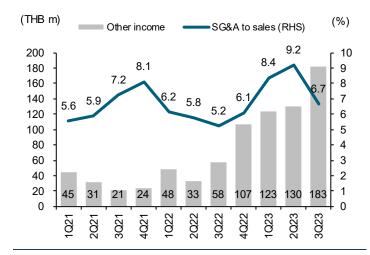
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Exhibit 3: Quarterly revenue breakdown by segment



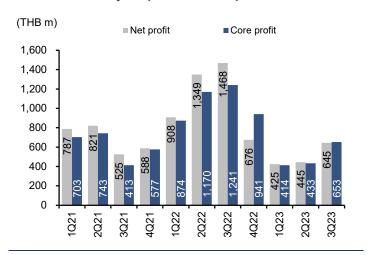
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Exhibit 4: Other income and SG&A to sales



Sources: ITC, FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 5: Quarterly net profit and core profit



Sources: ITC, FSSIA's compilation

### **Financial Statements**

i-Tail Corporation

Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2021	2022	2023E	2024E	2025E
Revenue	14,529	21,420	15,395	19,654	21,772
Cost of goods sold	(11,173)	(16,071)	(12,470)	(15,232)	(16,656)
Gross profit	3,356	5,349	2,925	4,422	5,117
Other operating income	121	247	377	491	544
Operating costs	(982)	(1,239)	(1,193)	(1,278)	(1,415)
Operating EBITDA	3,031	4,928	2,950	4,577	5,286
Depreciation	(536)	(571)	(841)	(941)	(1,041)
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	0
Operating EBIT	2,495	4,357	2,109	3,636	4,246
Net financing costs	(32)	(83)	(20)	(15)	(16)
Associates	-	-	-	-	-
Recurring non-operating income	0	0	0	0	0
Non-recurring items	285	175	0	0	0
Profit before tax	2,749	4,450	2,089	3,621	4,230
Tax	(28)	(48)	(63)	(54)	(63)
Profit after tax	2,721	4,401	2,026	3,567	4,167
Minority interests	0	0	(6)	(5)	(7)
Preferred dividends	-	-	-	-	-
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
Reported net profit	2,721	4,401	2,020	3,562	4,160
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	(285)	(175)	0	0	0
Recurring net profit	2,435	4,226	2,020	3,562	4,160
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	6.77	2.46	0.67	1.19	1.39
Reported EPS	7.56	2.56	0.67	1.19	1.39
DPS	4.00	1.66	0.54	0.83	0.97
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	360	1,720	3,000	3,000	3,000
Growth					
Revenue (%)	18.9	47.4	(28.1)	27.7	10.8
Operating EBITDA (%)	(1.9)	62.6	(40.1)	55.2	15.5
Operating EBIT (%)	(4.4)	74.6	(51.6)	72.4	16.8
Recurring EPS (%)	(4.3)	(63.7)	(72.6)	76.3	16.8
Reported EPS (%)	6.8	(66.1)	(73.7)	76.3	16.8
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	23.1	25.0	19.0	22.5	23.5
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	26.8	27.6	24.5	27.3	28.3
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	20.9	23.0	19.2	23.3	24.3
Operating EBIT margin (%)	17.2	20.3	13.7	18.5	19.5
Net margin (%)	16.8	19.7	13.1	18.1	19.1
Effective tax rate (%)	1.0	1.1	3.0	1.5	1.5
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	59.1	67.6	80.0	70.0	70.0
Interest cover (X)	78.5	52.8	104.4	249.0	273.9
Inventory days	98.3	93.6	123.5	96.9	102.1
Debtor days	54.3	48.8	71.7	53.5	57.1
Creditor days	47.0	46.3	63.7	48.5	51.1
Operating ROIC (%)	24.9	33.7	14.2	23.4	25.4
ROIC (%)	24.2	32.5	13.7	22.5	24.2
ROE (%)	39.3	26.5	8.1	14.0	15.6
ROA (%)	22.1	21.6	7.4	13.0	14.4
* Pre exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)	2021	2022	2023E	2024E	2025E
Pet Food	12,361	18,073	12,996	16,624	18,436
Treats	2,148	3,219	2,115	2,723	3,014
Other	19	128	284	307	322
Sources: i-Tail Corporation; FSSIA estimates	-	-	-		

### **Financial Statements**

i-Tail Corporation

Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2021	2022	2023E	2024E	2025
Recurring net profit	2,435	4,226	2,020	3,562	4,16
Depreciation	536	571	841	941	1,04
Associates & minorities	0	16	(1)	4	
Other non-cash items	(609)	(2.072)	2 022	(1.270)	(643
Change in working capital	(608) <b>2,363</b>	(2,972) 1 841	2,032 <b>4,892</b>	(1,279)	(643 <b>4,56</b>
Cash flow from operations Capex - maintenance	(1,238)	<b>1,841</b> (817)	(3,154)	<b>3,228</b> (1,000)	(1,000
Capex - new investment	(1,238)	(817)	(3,134)	(1,000)	(1,000
Net acquisitions & disposals	-	-	-	-	
Other investments (net)	(72)	(222)	31	(128)	(64
Cash flow from investing	(1,310)	(1,039)	(3,123)	(1,128)	(1,064
Dividends paid	(1,257)	(7,471)	(1,616)	(2,493)	(2,912
Equity finance	0	20,795	0	0	(2,0.2
Debt finance	(860)	(1,559)	(14)	(5)	(5
Other financing cash flows	(344)	(16)	(511)	21	1
Cash flow from financing	(2,462)	11,749	(2,141)	(2,477)	(2,906
lon-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	
Other adjustments	0	0	0	0	
let other adjustments	0	0	0	0	
Novement in cash	(1,409)	12,551	(373)	(377)	59
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	1,084.90	884.37	1,788.70	2,115.12	3,511.9
ree cash flow to equity (FCFE)	(151.76)	(773.10)	1,243.67	2,116.82	3,502.0
Per share (THB)					
-CFF per share	0.36	0.29	0.60	0.71	1.1
FCFE per share	(0.05)	(0.26)	0.41	0.71	1.1
Recurring cash flow per share	8.25	2.80	0.95	1.50	1.7
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2021	2022	2023E	2024E	2025
Tangible fixed assets (gross)	6,749	7,583	9,548	9,718	9,79
ess: Accumulated depreciation	(2,546)	(2,648)	(2,754)	(2,864)	(2,979
angible fixed assets (net)	4,203	4,935	6,794	6,853	6,81
ntangible fixed assets (net)	0	0	0	0	
ong-term financial assets	-	-	-	-	
nvest. in associates & subsidiaries	702	12.054	10.001	12 504	12.00
Cash & equivalents NC receivable	703 2,207	13,254 3,517	12,881 2,531	12,504 3,231	13,09 3,57
nventories	3,498	4,454	3,416	4,173	4,56
Other current assets	3,498 627	1,526	770	983	1,08
Current assets	7,035	22,750	19,598	20,891	22,32
Other assets	270	493	462	590	65
Total assets	11,508	28,178	26,854	28,334	29,79
Common equity	6,818	25,029	24,979	26,047	27,29
Ainorities etc.	0	16	15	20	2
Total shareholders' equity	6,818	25,045	24,994	26,067	27,31
ong term debt	22	29	24	19	1
Other long-term liabilities	604	588	77	98	10
ong-term liabilities	626	617	100	117	12
A/C payable	1,576	2,353	1,708	2,087	2,28
Short term debt	2,310	14	5	5	
Other current liabilities	179	150	46	59	6
Current liabilities	4,065	2,517	1,759	2,151	2,35
otal liabilities and shareholders' equity	11,508	28,178	26,854	28,334	29,79
let working capital	4,577	6,994	4,962	6,241	6,88
nvested capital	9,051	12,421	12,218	13,684	14,35
Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being	g treated as debt				
Per share (THB)					
Book value per share	18.94	8.34	8.33	8.68	9.1
Fangible book value per share	18.94	8.34	8.33	8.68	9.1
Financial strength					
let debt/equity (%)	23.9	(52.8)	(51.4)	(47.9)	(47.9
let debt/total assets (%)	14.2	(46.9)	(47.9)	(44.0)	(43.9
Current ratio (x)	1.7	9.0	11.1	9.7	9.
CF interest cover (x)	(3.8)	(8.4)	62.6	146.0	226.
/aluation	2021	2022	2023E	2024E	2025
Recurring P/E (x) *	2.5	6.9	25.1	14.2	12.
2	4.4	12.2	44.5	25.3	21.
Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *	2.2	6.6	25.1	14.2	12.
Reported P/E (x)		0.0	3.2	4.9	5.
Reported P/E (x) Dividend yield (%)	23.7	9.8			
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ESG score	Methodolog	У			Rating						
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oy Thai nstitute of Directors Association Thai IOD)	annually by t Thailand (SE	he Thai IOD,	h in sustainable developn with support from the Sto ts are from the perspectiv s.	ck Exchange of	Good (80-89) and not rated equitable trea	, 3 for Good for scores be tment of sha (25%); 4) dis	egories: 5 for E (70-79), 2 for F elow 50. Weigh reholders (weig closure & trans	air (60-69), ′ itings include ght 25% com	for Pass (60 : 1) the rights bined); 3) the	)-69), s; 2) and e role of	
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Morningstar Sustainalytics							ng score is the he higher ESG		•	The	
	information, co		k, ESG controversies, issuer		NEGL	Low	Medium	High	Severe		
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Source: FSSIA's compilation

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Price and TP are in local currency

Source: FSSIA estimates

Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
i-Tail Corporation	ITC TB	THB 16.90	BUY	Downside risks to our P/E-based TP include 1) a stronger-than-expected THB against USD; 2) the high volatility of raw material prices; 3) labour shortages; and 4) changing consumer demand and lifestyles.

Source: FSSIA estimates

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#### Stock ratings

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BUY (B). The upside is 10% or more.

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