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FSSIA ESG rating

4Q23 results at first glance

Solid performance despite soft q-q growth in 4Q23

Highlights

- CPN reported record revenue of THB12.8b in 4Q23, an increase of 8% q-q and 26% y-y due to an impressive performance in all business units. The core profit, however, slightly declined 4.6% q-q, mainly from seasonally high SG&A expenses during the festive season, but soared 35% y-y to THB4.0b, in line with our estimate.
- Revenue from the rental business grew 8% q-q from higher traffic and spending during the festive season. The 26% y-y rise in rental revenue was from normalizing rental discounts since 1Q23.
- The residential unit showed strong growth of 13% q-q and 92% y-y from transfers of condominiums, including the Escent Korat, Escent Ville, Ayutthaya, Escent Hatyai, and Phyll Phuket.
- Revenue from the hotel business increased 17% q-q and 33% y-y with a higher occupancy in all hotels from seasonal effects. The average daily room rate dropped due to a higher contribution of new budget hotels.
- The overall gross margin reached an all-time high at 55.5% as a result of 1) lower electricity bills, 2) a record gross margin of the rental business of 59.4%, and 3) a significantly improved gross margin of the residential business of 36.1%.
- In 2023, CPN achieved a record high operating revenue of THB45.6b (+28% y-y), exceeding the pre-Covid level in 2019 by 24%. This was the success of its residential unit (+103% y-y) as well as the rental business (+20% y-y). The overall gross margin also hit an all-time high at 52.8%. Hence, the core profit grew 36% y-y to THB14.8b.
- CPN generously declared a dividend of THB1.80 per share for the 2023 operation period, implying a payout ratio of 54%, higher than its history of 33%. This offers a dividend yield of 2.8%.

Outlook

 CPN would continue to focus on growing its revenue by 14-16% CAGR during 2023-27, with residential and hotel businesses playing crucial roles in driving growth. We reiterate our BUY call and DCFbased TP of THB82 (7.2% WACC, 3% LTG), implying only 23.3x 2024E P/E.



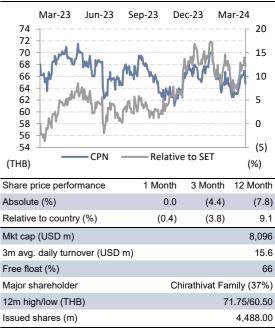
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	UNCHANGED
TARGET PRICE	THB82.00
CLOSE	THB64.75
UP/DOWNSIDE	+26.6%
PRIOR TP	THB82.00
CHANGE IN TP	UNCHANGED
TP vs CONSENSUS	0.0%

KEY STOCK DATA

YE Dec (THB m)	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Revenue	45,613	46,020	48,830	49,883
Net profit	15,062	15,809	16,800	17,525
EPS (THB)	3.36	3.52	3.74	3.90
vs Consensus (%)	-	7.6	5.4	1.7
EBITDA	24,924	25,762	27,350	28,490
Recurring net profit	14,991	15,809	16,800	17,525
Core EPS (THB)	3.34	3.52	3.74	3.90
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	nm	-	-	nm
EPS growth (%)	37.0	5.5	6.3	4.3
Core P/E (x)	19.4	18.4	17.3	16.6
Dividend yield (%)	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.0
EV/EBITDA (x)	16.7	15.4	14.5	14.1
Price/book (x)	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.5
Net debt/Equity (%)	117.1	89.4	82.9	80.6
ROE (%)	17.3	16.4	16.1	15.5



Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates

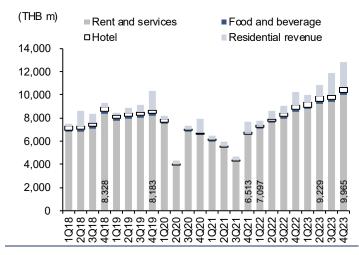
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Exhibit 1: CPN - 4Q23 results summary

Year to Dec 31	4Q22	1Q23	2Q23	3Q23	4Q23	Chai	1ge	2022	2023	Change
	(THB m)	(q-q %)	(y-y %)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y %)				
Total operating revenue	10,209	9,982	10,865	11,918	12,849	7.8	25.9	35,575	45,613	28.2
Cost of services	(5,047)	(4,755)	(5,275)	(5,764)	(5,715)	(0.8)	13.2	(18,033)	(21,509)	19.3
Gross profit	5,162	5,226	5,590	6,154	7,134	15.9	38.2	17,542	24,104	37.4
Operating costs	(2,159)	(1,756)	(1,716)	(1,754)	(2,501)	42.6	15.8	(6,483)	(7,726)	19.2
Operating profit	3,003	3,471	3,874	4,400	4,633	5.3	54.3	11,058	16,379	48.1
Operating EBITDA	5,194	5,513	6,035	6,466	6,910	6.9	33.0	19,608	24,924	27.1
Other income	374	309	269	359	240	(33.0)	(35.9)	1,580	1,176	(25.6)
Interest expense	(601)	(596)	(663)	(660)	(693)	4.9	15.3	(2,204)	(2,613)	18.6
Profit before tax	3,183	3,591	3,887	4,544	4,467	(1.7)	40.4	11,987	16,489	37.6
Тах	(651)	(798)	(769)	(908)	(986)	8.6	51.4	(2,487)	(3,461)	39.2
Associates	434	477	532	579	546	(5.6)	25.8	1,560	2,133	36.8
Minority interests	(27)	(27)	(36)	(53)	(55)	5.2	107.1	(114)	(171)	49.3
Reported net profit	2,806	3,246	3,678	4,161	3,977	(4.4)	41.7	10,760	15,062	40.0
Core profit	2,939	3,242	3,614	4,163	3,972	(4.6)	35.2	10,945	14,831	35.5
Reported EPS (THB)	0.63	0.73	0.82	0.93	0.89	(4.7)	41.7	2.40	3.36	40.2
Recurring EPS (THB)	0.65	0.72	0.81	0.93	0.89	(4.6)	35.2	2.44	3.30	35.5
Key Ratios (%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(ppt)	(ppt)	(%)	(%)	(ppt)
Gross margin	50.6	52.4	51.5	51.6	55.5	3.9	5.0	49.3	52.8	3.5
Operating margin	29.4	34.8	35.7	36.9	36.1	(0.9)	6.6	31.1	35.9	4.8
EBITDA margin	50.9	55.2	55.5	54.3	53.8	(0.5)	2.9	55.1	54.6	(0.5)
Core profit margin	28.8	32.5	33.3	34.9	30.9	(4.0)	2.1	30.8	32.9	2.1
SG&A / Sales	21.1	17.6	15.8	14.7	19.5	4.7	(1.7)	18.2	16.9	(1.3)
Revenue breakdown	(THB m)	(q-q %)	(y-y %)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y %)				
Rental and services	8,531	8,751	9,229	9,358	9,965	6.5	16.8	31,131	37,303	19.8
Food centre services	198	207	245	229	240	4.8	21.2	655	921	40.5
Hotel operations	337	353	368	384	449	16.9	33.4	918	1,554	69.3
Residential sales	1,143	670	1,023	1,947	2,195	12.8	92.1	2,870	5,835	103.3
Gross margin by business	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(ppt)	(ppt)	(%)	(%)	(ppt)
Rental and services	52.0	53.4	52.9	54.8	59.4	4.6	7.4	50.4	55.3	4.9
Food centre services	47.6	47.3	51.4	49.3	49.6	0.2	2.0	42.2	49.5	7.3
Hotel operations	69.8	66.6	66.0	65.2	66.9	1.7	(3.0)	69.8	66.2	(3.7)
Residential sales	34.5	32.4	32.8	34.0	36.1	2.1	1.6	32.8	34.4	1.6

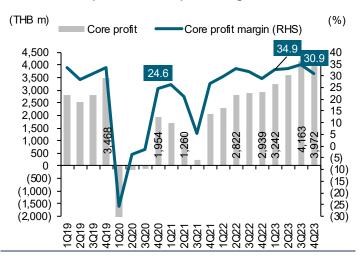
Source: CPN

Exhibit 2: Revenue breakdown



Sources: CPN, FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 3: Core profit and core profit margin



Sources: CPN, FSSIA's compilation



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Central Pattana

Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Revenue	35,575	45,613	46,020	48,830	49,883
Cost of goods sold	(18,033)	(21,509)	(21,906)	(23,191)	(23,512
Gross profit	17,542	24,104	24,114	25,639	26,370
Other operating income	-	-	-	-	
Operating costs	(6,483)	(7,726)	(7,639)	(8,057)	(8,081
Operating EBITDA	19,608	24,924	25,762	27,350	28,490
Depreciation	(8,550)	(8,546)	(9,287)	(9,768)	(10,200
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	, i
Operating EBIT	11,058	16,379	16,475	17,582	18,289
Net financing costs	(2,204)	(2,613)	(2,553)	(2,765)	(2,872
Associates	1,560	2,133	2,734	2,931	3,143
Recurring non-operating income	4,692	4,857	5,445	5,685	5,941
Non-recurring items	(186)	71	0	0,000	0,04
Profit before tax	13,361	18,693	19,367	20,502	21,359
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	(2,487)	(3,461)	(3,410)	(3,554)	(3,686
Profit after tax	10,874	15,233	15,957	16,948	17,672
Minority interests	(114)	(171)	(147)	(147)	(147
Preferred dividends	0	0	0	0	(
Other items	0	0	0	0	(
Reported net profit	10,760	15,062	15,809	16,800	17,528
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	186	(71)	0	0	(
Recurring net profit	10,945	14,991	15,809	16,800	17,528
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	2.44	3.34	3.52	3.74	3.90
Reported EPS	2.40	3.36	3.52	3.74	3.90
DPS	1.15	1.80	1.76	1.85	1.93
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	4,488	4,488	4,488	4,488	4,488
Growth					
Revenue (%)	43.2	28.2	0.9	6.1	2.2
Operating EBITDA (%)	53.6	27.1	3.4	6.2	4.2
Operating EBIT (%)	138.2	48.1	0.6	6.7	4.0
Recurring EPS (%)	114.6	37.0	5.5	6.3	4.3
Reported EPS (%)	50.5	40.0	5.0	6.3	4.3
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	49.3	52.8	52.4	52.5	52.9
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	73.3	71.6	72.6	72.5	73.3
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	55.1	54.6	56.0	56.0	57.2
	31.1	35.9	35.8	36.0	36.7
Operating EBIT margin (%)					
Net margin (%)	30.8	32.9	34.4	34.4	35.1
Effective tax rate (%)	20.7	20.7	20.5	20.5	20.5
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	47.2	53.9	50.0	49.3	49.3
nterest cover (X)	7.1	8.1	8.6	8.4	8.4
nventory days	-	-	-	-	
Debtor days	65.9	37.7	31.7	30.9	31.5
Creditor days	267.0	234.2	263.2	257.1	268.4
Operating ROIC (%)	5.0	7.2	7.2	7.5	7.7
ROIC (%)	5.0	6.6	6.7	7.1	7.4
ROE (%)	14.2	17.3	16.4	16.1	15.5
ROA (%)	4.8	6.2	6.4	6.8	7.1
Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026
Revenue from rent and services	31,131	37,303	40,236	42,847	44,582
Revenue from food and beverage	655	921	982	1,060	1,145
Revenue from hotel operation	918	1,554	1,502	1,623	1,65
Revenue from residential project	2,870	5,835	3,300	3,300	2,500
tevenue nom residential project	2,070	0,000	3,300	5,500	2,000

Sources: Central Pattana; FSSIA estimates

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Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	20265
Recurring net profit	10,945	14,991	15,809	16,800	17,52
Depreciation	8,550	8,546	9,287	9,768	10,200
ssociates & minorities	(942)	0	0	0	(
Other non-cash items	638	1,505	147	147	147
Change in working capital	(4,317)	(3,694)	1,695	(1,151)	263
Cash flow from operations	14,875	21,348	26,939	25,564	28,13
Capex - maintenance	(7,273)	(13,447)	(13,319)	(13,500)	(12,150
Capex - new investment	0	0	0	0	(
Vet acquisitions & disposals	(165)	3,760	(266)	571	70
Other investments (net)	(1,836)	-	(4,744)	-	
Cash flow from investing	(9,274)	(9,687)	(18,329)	(12,929)	(12,080
Dividends paid	(1,365)	(5,182)	(7,905)	(8,284)	(8,646
Equity finance	(6,163)	(6,494)	0	0	(
Debt finance	1,991	(33,111)	29,137	8,800	232
Other financing cash flows	-	32,225	(30,000)	-	(7,784
Cash flow from financing	(5,537)	(12,562)	(8,768)	516	(16,198
Non-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	
Other adjustments	0	0	0	0	(
Net other adjustments	0	(160)	0	(13,302)	(
Movement in cash	63	(1,061)	(158)	(150)	(143
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	7,804.31	14,273.65	11,163.00	15,399.89	18,926.52
ree cash flow to equity (FCFE)	7,591.13	10,614.75	7,746.77	8,133.29	8,502.8
Per share (THB)					
FCFF per share	1.74	3.18	2.49	3.43	4.22
FCFE per share	1.69	2.37	1.73	1.81	1.89
Recurring cash flow per share	4.28	5.58	5.62	5.95	6.2
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Fangible fixed assets (gross)	257,917	269,554	282,873	296,373	308,523
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(85,210)	(93,756)	(103,043)	(112,811)	(123,012
Fangible fixed assets (net)	172,707	175,798	179,830	183,562	185,51
ntangible fixed assets (net)	0	0	0	0	,
_ong-term financial assets	0	0	0	0	
nvest. in associates & subsidiaries	41,306	42,282	42,133	43,123	44,11
Cash & equivalents	6,121	5,059	4,901	4,750	4,60
A/C receivable	5,455	4,027	4,063	4,308	4,39
nventories	0	0	0	0	.,
Other current assets	13,667	16,459	16,606	17,620	18,000
Current assets	25,242	25,546	25,570	26,678	27,00
Other assets	33,436	36,247	32,913	29,684	25,77
Total assets	272,692	279,873	280,445	283,046	282,40
Common equity	81,475	92,273	100,178	108,461	117,10
Minorities etc.	8,145	8,309	8,456	8,604	8,75
Fotal shareholders' equity	89,620	100,582	108,634	117,065	125,858
_ong term debt	98,522	83,656	60,669	79,354	74,53
Other long-term liabilities	42,517	71,767	64,612	47,665	44,816
Long-term liabilities	141,040	155,423	125,281	127,020	119,34
A/C payable	7,614	9,018	9,184	9,723	9,858
Short term debt	27,441	39,196	41,320	22,435	31,490
Other current liabilities	6,976	5,654	7,365	6,934	7,53
Current liabilities	42,032	53,868	57,869	39,091	48,88
Fotal liabilities and shareholders' equity	272,691	309,873	291,784	283,176	294,08
Net working capital	4,531	5,815	4,120	5,271	5,00
nvested capital	251,981	260,142	258,995	261,639	260,40
Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is bein					· ·
Per share (THB)					
Book value per share	18.15	20.56	22.32	24.17	26.09
Fangible book value per share	18.15	20.56	22.32	24.17	26.0
Financial strength					
Vet debt/equity (%)	133.7	117.1	89.4	82.9	80.0
Vet debt/total assets (%)	43.9	42.1	34.6	34.3	35.
Current ratio (x)	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.0
CF interest cover (x)	4.4	5.1	4.0	3.9	4.0
/aluation	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026
Recurring P/E (x) * Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *	26.5 33.6	19.4 24.5	18.4 23.3	17.3 21.9	16. 21.
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Reported P/E (x)		19.3	18.4	17.3	
Dividend yield (%)	1.8	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.
Price/book (x)	3.6	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.5
Price/tangible book (x)	3.6	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.
EV/EBITDA (x) **	21.3	16.7	15.4	14.5	14.1
EV/EBITDA @ target price (x) **	25.3	19.8	18.4	17.3	16.8
EV/invested capital (x)	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5

Sources: Central Pattana; FSSIA estimates



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Exhibit 4: FSSIA ESG score implication

Rating	Score	Implication
****	>79-100	Leading its industry peers in managing the most significant ESG risks which not only better cost efficiency but also lead to higher profitability.
****	>59-79	A mixed track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers.
$\star \star \star$	>39-59	Relevant ESG materiality matrix has been constructively addressed, well-managed and incorporated into day-to-day operations, in which targets and achievements are evaluated annually.
$\star\star$	>19-39	Relevant ESG materiality matrix has been identified with key management in charge for progress to be followed up on and to provide intensive disclosure. Most targets are conventional and achievable.
*	1-19	The company has adopted the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs), established sustainability management guidelines and fully complies with regulations or ESG suggested guidance from related organizations such as the SET and SEC.

Sources: FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 5: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA			Dome	estic rating	s			Global ratings						Bloomberg	
	ESG score	DJSI	SET THSI	THSI	CG score	AGM level	Thai CAC	Morningstar ESG risk	ESG Book	MSCI	Moody's	Refinitiv	S&P Global	ESG score	Disclosure score	
SET100	69.20	5.34	4.40	4.40	4.76	4.65	3.84	Medium	51.76	BBB	20.87	58.72	63.91	3.72	28.17	
Coverage	67.12	5.11	4.15	4.17	4.83	4.71	3.53	Medium	52.04	BB	16.97	56.85	62.09	3.40	31.94	
AP	53.36		Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	43.30			16.91	24.00	1.89	34.26	
AWC	71.74		Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	55.63	AA		69.90	73.00	2.11	60.03	
CPN	81.38	Y	Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	56.02	BBB	35.00	69.83	81.00	3.67		
SIRI	66.14		Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	43.82	Α		57.85	23.00	3.00	61.14	
SPALI	59.80		Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	52.93	BB		36.30	24.00	2.19	42.36	

Sources: <u>SETTRADE.com</u>; FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 6: ESG score by Bloomberg

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
ESG financial materiality scores - ESG score	2.24	2.42	2.76	3.13	3.12	3.35	3.67	_
BESG environmental pillar score	0.97	1.31	1.29	1.93	1.90	2.22	2.60	-
BESG social pillar score	3.25	3.25	6.78	6.78	6.78	6.78	6.78	_
BESG governance pillar score	4.03	3.91	3.95	3.86	3.90	4.01	4.31	_
ESG disclosure score	50.21	53.42	57.94	58.14	59.45	60.66	60.66	—
Environmental disclosure score	40.65	52.85	54.82	52.85	56.78	56.78	56.78	—
Social disclosure score	28.75	26.18	31.53	34.10	34.10	37.73	37.73	_
Governance disclosure score	81.10	81.10	87.36	87.36	87.36	87.36	87.36	_
Environmental								
Emissions reduction initiatives	Yes							
Climate change policy	Yes							
Climate change opportunities discussed	No							
Risks of climate change discussed	No	Yes						
GHG scope 1	4	4	4	4	6	7	3	2
GHG scope 2 location-based	202	255	250	258	278	220	185	239
GHG Scope 3	191	270	284	300	305	246	167	365
Carbon per unit of production	0	0	0	0	0	75	54	0
Biodiversity policy	Yes							
Energy efficiency policy	Yes							
Total energy consumption	846	930	909	956	1,003	810	718	1,030
Renewable energy use	0	0	1	6	9	13	19	22
Electricity used	846	923	904	951	998	806	715	922
Fuel used - natural gas	—	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA's compilation

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Exhibit 7: ESG score by Bloomberg (cont.)

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	No							
Waste reduction policy	Yes							
Hazardous waste	—	—	9	—	0	0	0	—
Total waste	67	77	107	84	70	52	45	65
Waste recycled	—	0	0	0	2	2	2	6
Waste sent to landfills	—	—	—	—	68	49	42	53
Environmental supply chain management	Yes	No						
Water policy	Yes							
Water consumption	—	2,536	2,489	2,573	3,071	2,475	2,378	_
Social								
Human rights policy	Yes							
Policy against child labor	Yes							
Quality assurance and recall policy	Yes							
Consumer data protection policy	No							
Equal opportunity policy	Yes							
Gender pay gap breakout	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Pct women in workforce	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	_
Pct disabled in workforce	_	_	_	_	—	—	—	_
Business ethics policy	Yes							
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes							
Health and safety policy	Yes							
Lost time incident rate - employees	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	_
Total recordable incident rate - employees	—	—	0	0	0	0	0	_
Training policy	Yes							
Fair remuneration policy	No							
Number of employees – CSR	4,099	4,301	4,658	4,911	5,093	4,863	4,712	4,991
Employee turnover pct	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	_
Total hours spent by firm - employee training	81,980	90,321	116,450	132,597	122,232	53,593	117,800	49,910
Social supply chain management	Yes							
Governance								
Board size	12	12	11	11	11	12	12	14
No. of independent directors (ID)	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
No. of women on board	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	4
No. of non-executive directors on board	11	11	10	10	10	11	9	13
Company conducts board evaluations	Yes							
No. of board meetings for the year	6	8	8	8	10	10	9	8
Board meeting attendance pct	96	86	90	99	90	96	98	99
Board duration (years)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Director share ownership guidelines	No							
Age of the youngest director	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	—
Age of the oldest director	75	76	77	78	79	80	79	_
No. of executives / company managers	11	12	8	8	9	6	5	7
No. of female executives	6	5	5	5	5	2	2	2
Executive share ownership guidelines	No							
Size of audit committee	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3
No. of ID on audit committee	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3
Audit committee meetings	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	8
Audit meeting attendance %	97	98	95	100	100	100	100	96
Size of compensation committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	3
No. of ID on compensation committee	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
No. of compensation committee meetings	3	3	2	3	4	3	5	4
Compensation meeting attendance %	89	88	80	100	100	100	100	100
Size of nomination committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	3
No. of nomination committee meetings	3	3	2	3	4	3	5	4
Nomination meeting attendance %	89	88	80	100	100	100	100	100
Sustainability governance								
Verification type	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA's compilation

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ESG score	Methodolog	У			Rating					
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Sustainability Investment List (<u>THSI</u>) by The Stock Exchange of Thailand (<u>SET</u>)	managing bu Candidates (1) no irregula float of >150 up capital. S 70%; 2) inde wrongdoing	usiness with transferences with transferences with transferences on the shareholders on the key disquered to CG related to CG	ility in Environmental and ransparency in Governan a preemptive criteria, with he board members and e s, and combined holding i ualifying criteria include: ctors and free float violati a, social & environmental earnings in red for > 3 year	ce, updated annually. two crucial conditions: xecutives; and 2) free must be >15% of paid- 1) CG score of below on; 3) executives' impacts; 4) equity in	To be eligible for <u>THSI inclusion</u> , verified data must be scored at a minimum of 50% for each indicator, unless the company is a part of DJSI during the assessment year. The scoring will be fairly weighted against the nature of the relevant industry and materiality. <u>SETTHSI Index</u> is extended from the THSI companies whose 1) market capitalization > THB5b (~USD150b); 2) free float >20%; and 3) liquidity >0.5% of paid-up capital for at least 9 out of 12 months. The SETTHSI Index is a market capitalisation-weighted index, cap 5% quarterly weight a maximum, and no cap for number of stocks.					
CG Score by Thai Institute of Directors Association (Thai IOD)	annually by t Thailand (SE	he Thai IOD,	th in sustainable develop with support from the St Its are from the perspectiv Is.	ock Exchange of	Good (80-89), 3 and not rated for equitable treatm	6 for Good (70 r scores belov nent of shareh 5%); 4) disclo	ories: 5 for Excell -79), 2 for Fair (6 w 50. Weightings olders (weight 2 sure & transpare	0-69), 1 for F include: 1) th 5% combined	ass (60-69), he rights; 2) and); 3) the role of	
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MSCI			measure a company's m nd laggards according to						nethodology to	
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	B CCC	1.429-2.85 0.000-1.42	Laggard:	lagging its industry base	ed on its high expos	ure and failure to	o manage significan	t ESG risks		
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