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BUY

UNCHANGED

1Q24 net profit to hit another new high

- We expect a 1Q24 net profit of THB198m (+1% q-q, +14% y-y), supported by physical store and online sales and rental income from LittleWalk Krungthep Kreetha.
- In 2Q24, the profit should extend gain. Also, ILM plans to open new branches in 2H24.
- We retain a BUY call at our TP of THB26.70.

TARGET PRICE	THB26.70
CLOSE	THB20.00
UP/DOWNSIDE	+33.5%
PRIOR TP	THB26.70
CHANGE IN TP	UNCHANGED
TP vs CONSENSUS	-2.8%

KEY STOCK DATA

YE Dec (THB m)	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Revenue	9,309	10,039	10,811	11,452
Net profit	726	786	854	908
EPS (THB)	1.44	1.56	1.69	1.80
vs Consensus (%)	-	(4.2)	(4.9)	(4.3)
EBITDA	1,933	2,081	2,241	2,377
Recurring net profit	726	786	854	908
Core EPS (THB)	1.44	1.56	1.69	1.80
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	-	-	-	-
EPS growth (%)	10.2	8.3	8.6	6.3
Core P/E (x)	13.9	12.8	11.8	11.1
Dividend yield (%)	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.3
EV/EBITDA (x)	7.1	6.8	6.3	5.8
Price/book (x)	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5
Net debt/Equity (%)	60.8	65.4	61.0	55.6
ROE (%)	12.5	12.9	13.5	13.8

1Q24 net profit should hit another new high

We anticipate a 1Q24 net profit of THB198m, another new high. It should rise 1% q-q and 14% y-y, supported by continued sales growth y-y from higher physical store sales, premised on SSSG of 7.0%, the highest among peers, in line with tourism recovery since revenue from stores in tourist destinations represented 30-40% of total sales. Besides, online sales should jump 30% y-y, supported by aggressive sales promotion, including the company website and several marketplaces. During the period, ILM introduced a new channel, TikTok, which gained popularity. Also, the E-receipt campaign helped stimulate sales. We project a rental income of THB183m (+1.4% q-q, +11% y-y) from the full-quarter realization of LittleWalk Krungthep Kreetha, opened in October 2023.

Slightly y-y higher GPM estimate from improved rental GPM and y-y lower SG&A to sales

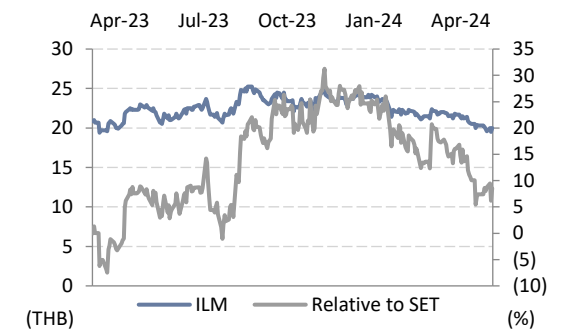
We expect a GPM of 47.2% (vs 44.5% in 4Q23 and 47.0% in 1Q23), premised on flat GPM from sales y-y and y-y higher rental GPM. The anticipated y-y increase should come from better management of utility costs, particularly FT, which was down y-y. SG&A-to-sales should decrease 20 bps y-y due to lower electricity prices and the discontinuation of its RattanaThibet branch in January 2023 after the rental contract expired. Note ILM plans to open a substitute in late 2024.

Continued y-y growth in 2Q24E with a branch expansion plan in 2H24

If 1Q24 is in line, it secures 25% of our 2024E net profit. In 2Q24, we project a y-y growth in line with SSSG, which should remain positive thanks to the tourism industry outlook. Also, rental income should surge due to LittleWalk Krungthep Kreetha, while expenses should decrease after electricity prices extended loss y-y. ILM plans to open DecorScape Thonglor as the flagship store of BoConcept (a luxury furniture brand), an IndexLivingMall, and a LittleWalk at RattanaThibet late this year.

Retain a BUY call at our TP of THB26.70

We maintain a BUY call at our TP of THB26.70. ILM is trading on an undemanding valuation at 12.8x 2024E P/E. We reaffirm our 2024E net profit of THB786m (+8.3% y-y) and our 2025-26 profit forecast for extended gains of 8.6% and 6.3%, respectively.



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	(7.8)	(9.9)	(3.4)
Relative to country (%)	(6.5)	(8.6)	10.6
Mkt cap (USD m)	273		
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m)	0.2		
Free float (%)	25		
Major shareholder	Krobkrua Thammada Panich Co Ltd (40%)		
12m high/low (THB)	26.00/19.20		
Issued shares (m)	505.00		

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates


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Investment thesis

ILM reported continued growth, except during the Covid-19 pandemic period. It has multiple sales channels, including physical stores, projects, and online. Also, it distributes products internationally. ILM benefits from tourism recovery since 30-40% of total revenue comes from branches in tourist destinations. It plans 2-3 new branches annually. Besides sales, ILM earned rental revenue from community malls under The Walk and Little Walk brands. They have a good response, with an average occupancy rate of over 85%. In particular, the latest two Little Walks in Lardkrabang and Krungthep Kreetha have an occupancy rate of 100%.

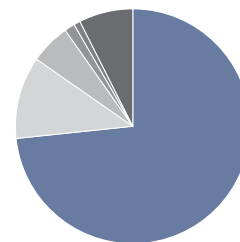
Company profile

ILM retails furniture and home decorative items in Thailand under the Index Living Mall and other brands. Also, it distributes products through online and offline channels, covering customers in Thailand and abroad. Besides sales, ILM provides space rental services from its community malls (under The Walk, Little Walk, and Index Mall brands) and Index Living Mall branches.

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Principal activities (revenue, 2023)

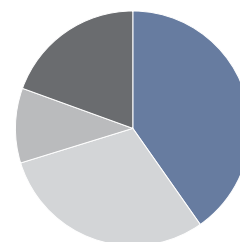
- Retail - 73.3 %
- Online - 11.3 %
- Project - 5.6 %
- Oversea - 1.4 %
- Dealer - 0.9 %
- Rental - 7.4 %



Source: Index Living Mall

Major shareholders

- Krobkrua Thammada Panich Co Ltd - 40.3 %
- Patamasatayasonthi Family - 30.0 %
- Udomma huntisuk Family - 10.3 %
- Others - 19.5 %



Source: Index Living Mall

Catalysts

Potential catalysts for ILM are 1) domestic consumption and tourism recoveries and 2) a recovery in the property sector.

Risks to our call

Risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a lower-than-expected SSSG, 2) a lower-than-expected GPM, and 3) a higher-than-expected SG&A.

Event calendar

Date	Event
10 May 2024	Ex-dividend date
10 May 2024	1Q24 results announcement

Key assumptions

	2023A	2024E	2025E	2026E
Revenues (THB m)	9,309	10,039	10,811	11,452
- Sales	8,617	9,272	9,913	10,486
- Rental	692	768	898	966
SSSG (%)	9.9	6.1	3.8	3.8
Gross margin (%)	46.0	46.1	46.2	46.2
- GPM sales	45.7	45.8	45.8	45.9
- GPM Rental	50.4	50.4	50.4	50.4
SG&A to sales	35.6	35.9	35.9	36.0
Net profit (THB m)	726	786	854	908

Source: FSSIA estimates

Earnings sensitivity

- For every 1% increase in SSSG, we estimate 2024 net profit to rise by 1%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.5% increase in GPM, we estimate 2024 net profit to rise by 5.5%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.5% increase in SG&A, we estimate 2024 net profit to fall by 5.9%, and vice versa, all else being equal.

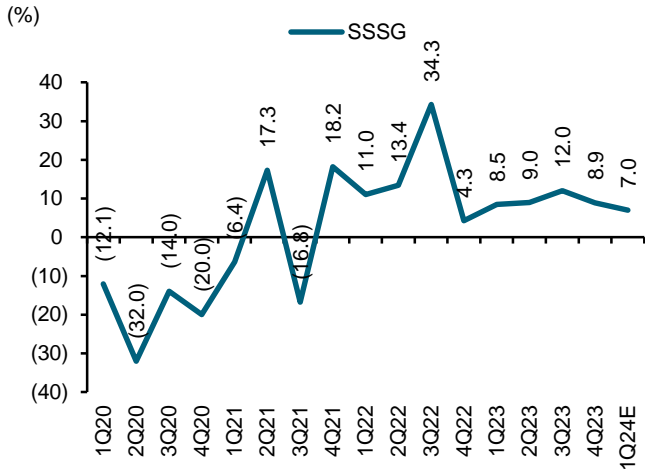
Source: FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 1: ILM - 1Q24E results preview

Year to Dec 31	1Q23	2Q23	3Q23	4Q23	1Q24E	----- Change -----		1Q24E	2023	2024E	Change
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)	(%24E)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y%)
Total revenue	2,188	2,184	2,396	2,541	2,395	(5.8)	9.4	24	9,309	10,039	7.8
- Retail sales	2,023	2,012	2,222	2,361	2,212	(6.3)	9.3	24	8,617	9,272	7.6
- Rental and Rendering	165	172	174	181	183	1.4	11.0	24	692	768	11.0
Core COGS	(1,159)	(1,147)	(1,309)	(1,410)	(1,264)	(10.4)	9.0	23	(5,026)	(5,407)	7.6
- COGS	(1,075)	(1,065)	(1,220)	(1,323)	(1,175)	(11.2)	9.3	23	(4,683)	(5,027)	7.3
- Cost of Rental	(84)	(83)	(89)	(87)	(88)	1.4	5.2	23	(343)	(381)	11.0
Gross profit	1,029	1,037	1,086	1,131	1,131	0.0	9.9	24	4,283	4,632	8.1
Operating costs	(793)	(820)	(827)	(872)	(862)	(1.1)	8.7	24	(3,312)	(3,605)	8.8
Operating profit	236	217	259	259	269	3.7	13.8	26	971	1,027	5.7
Other income	24	32	22	29	27	(8.7)	9.4	24	107	112	4.4
Interest expense	(52)	(54)	(55)	(55)	(55)	(0.4)	5.6	27	(216)	(207)	(4.1)
Profit before tax	208	195	226	233	240	3.2	15.4	26	862	932	8.1
Tax	(34)	(31)	(37)	(38)	(43)	15.0	27.3	30	(140)	(146)	4.1
Minority interests	-	-	(2)	(1)	(1)	0.0	n/a	n/a	(3)	-	(100.0)
Non-recurring items	-	-	-	-	-	n/a	n/a	n/a	-	-	n/a
Reported net profit	174	164	191	197	198	0.9	13.8	25	726	786	8.3
Recurring net profit	174	164	191	197	198	0.9	13.8	25	726	786	8.3
EPS (THB)	0.35	0.32	0.38	0.39	0.39	0.9	13.8	25	1.44	1.56	8.3
Recurring EPS (THB)	0.35	0.32	0.38	0.39	0.39	0.9	13.8	25	1.44	1.56	8.3
Key Ratios (%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(ppt)	(ppt)		(%)	(%)	(ppt)
Gross margin	47.0	47.5	45.3	44.5	47.2	2.7	0.2		46.0	46.1	0.1
- Retail	46.9	47.1	45.1	43.9	46.9	2.9	(0.0)		45.7	45.8	0.1
- Rental and Rendering	49.2	52.0	48.5	51.8	51.8	(0.0)	2.6		50.4	50.4	0.0
Operating margin	11.9	11.4	11.7	11.3	12.3	1.0	0.4		11.6	11.3	(0.2)
Recurring net margin	8.0	7.5	8.0	7.7	8.3	0.5	0.3		7.8	7.8	0.0
SG&A / Sales	36.3	37.5	34.5	34.3	36.0	1.7	(0.2)		35.6	35.9	0.3
Operating statistics	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)		(%)	(%)	(y-y%)
SSSG (%y-y)	8.5	9.0	12.0	8.9	7.0				9.9	6.1	
Retails Sales (THB m)	1,675	1,671	1,682	1,800	1,792	(0.4)	7.0		6,827	7,381	8.1
Project Sales (THB m)	58	58	195	207	61	(70.6)	5.0		518	510	(1.5)
Oversea Sales (THB m)	40	25	42	26	40	55.6	0.0		134	136	1.5
Dealer Sales (THB m)	22	23	17	21	22	6.8	0.0		83	84	1.2
Online Sales (THB m)	228	235	286	307	296	(3.5)	30.0		1,056	1,161	10.0
Retails Sales (% to sales)	83	83	76	76	81				79	80	
Project Sales (% to sales)	3	3	9	9	3				6	6	
Oversea Sales (% to sales)	2	1	2	1	2				2	1	
Dealer Sales (% to sales)	1	1	1	1	1				1	1	
Online Sales (% to sales)	11	12	13	13	13				12	13	

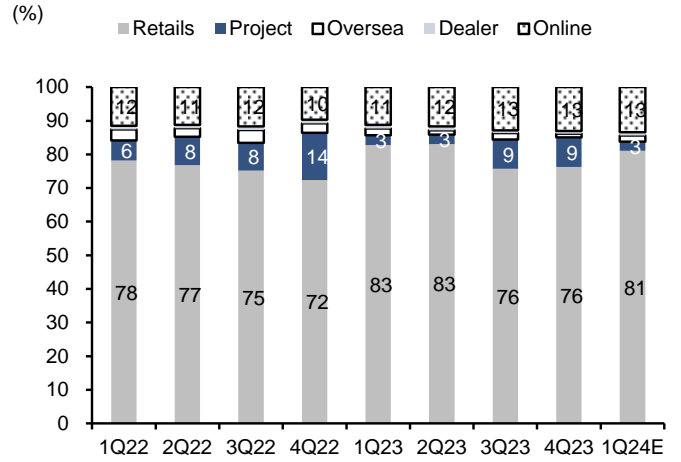
Sources: ILM; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 2: Quarterly SSSG



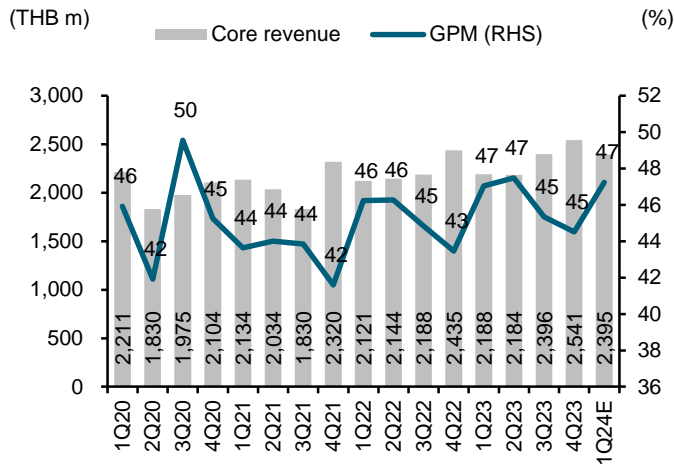
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Exhibit 3: Sales mixed by channel



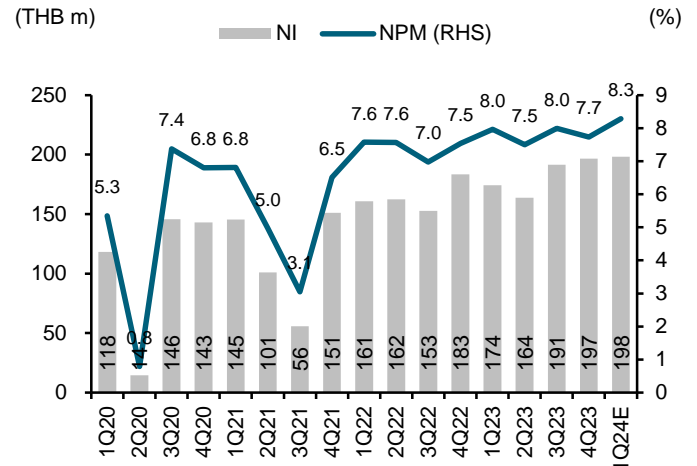
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Exhibit 4: Quarterly revenue and gross margin



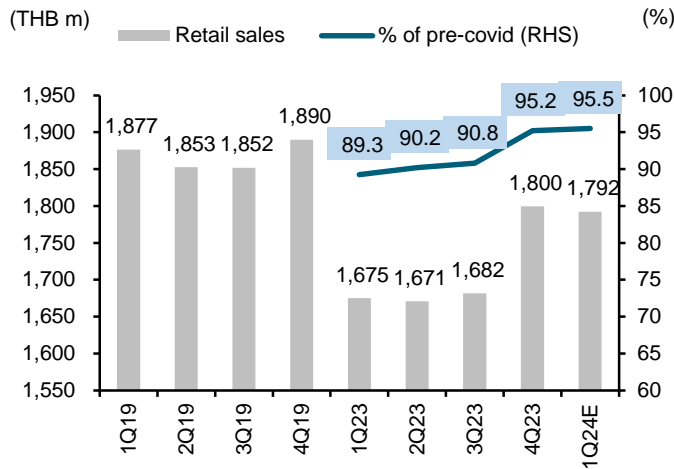
Sources: ILM; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 5: Quarterly net profit and net profit margin



Sources: ILM; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 6: Potential recovery to pre-covid level



Sources: ILM; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 7: Upcoming projects - Rattana Thibet



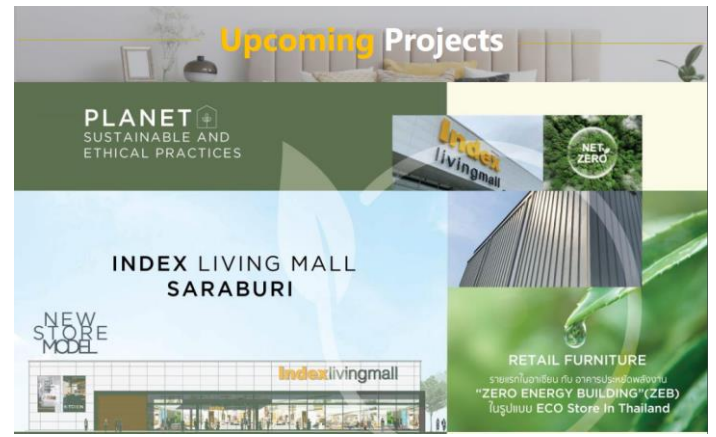
Source: ILM

Exhibit 8: Upcoming projects – DecorScope@Thonglor



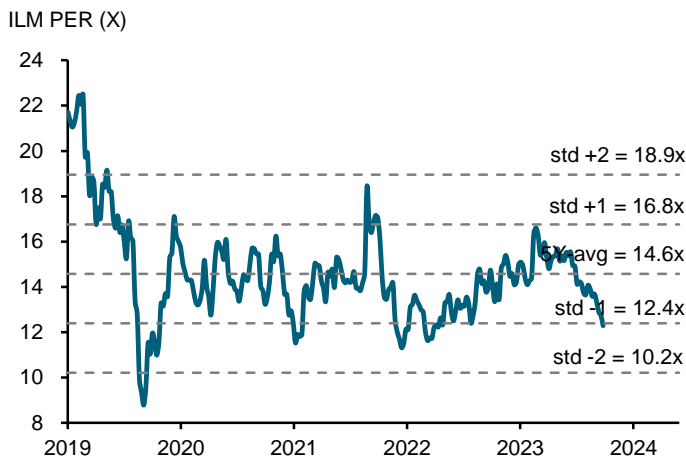
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Exhibit 9: Upcoming projects – Eco store Saraburi



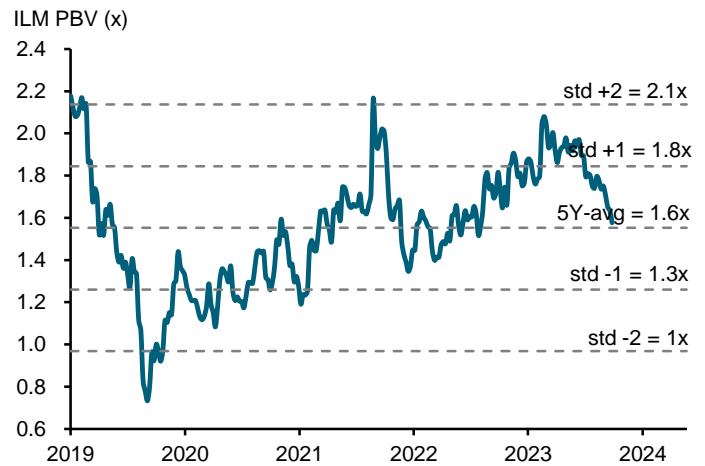
Source: ILM

Exhibit 10: Rolling one-year forward P/E band



Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 11: Rolling one-year forward P/BV band



Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 12: Commerce peers as of 24 April 2024

Company	BBG	Rec	Share price			Market Cap (USD m)	PE		ROE		PBV		EV/EBITDA	
			Current (LCY)	Target (LCY)	Upside (%)		24E (x)	25E (x)	24E (%)	25E (%)	24E (x)	25E (x)	24E (x)	25E (x)
Consumer Staple														
CP All	CPALL TB	BUY	57.00	77.00	35	13,834	24.3	20.8	18.1	19.3	4.6	4.1	19.0	16.4
CP Axtra	CPAXT TB	BUY	32.75	36.00	10	9,362	32.5	27.7	3.6	4.2	1.2	1.2	11.9	11.2
Berli Jucker*	BJC TB	n/a	25.75	n/a	n/a	2,806	18.9	17.9	4.5	4.7	0.9	0.8	12.2	11.7
Consumer Staple average						26,002	25.3	22.1	8.7	9.4	2.2	2.0	14.4	13.1
Consumer Discretionary														
Com7	COM7 TB	BUY	18.30	22.50	23	1,179	14.7	13.5	34.3	32.0	4.7	4.0	10.0	8.8
Central Retail Corp	CRC TB	BUY	33.75	44.00	30	5,499	22.6	20.2	12.9	13.3	2.8	2.6	9.8	9.2
Home Improvement														
Index Living Mall	ILM TB	BUY	20.00	26.70	34	273	12.8	11.8	12.9	13.5	1.6	1.6	6.8	6.3
Home Product Center	HMPRO TB	BUY	10.30	13.60	32	3,660	19.8	18.7	26.1	26.4	5.1	4.8	11.6	11.0
Siam Global House	GLOBAL TB	HOLD	16.20	17.30	7	2,277	28.5	25.3	12.3	12.9	3.4	3.2	21.9	19.7
Dohome	DOHOME TB	HOLD	10.80	11.80	9	942	35.8	27.8	7.7	9.2	2.6	2.5	18.1	15.7
Home Improvement avg.						7,152	24.2	20.9	14.8	15.5	3.2	3.0	14.6	13.2
Consumer Discretionary avg.						13,830	22.4	19.6	17.7	17.9	3.4	3.1	13.0	11.8
Total average						39,832	23.3	20.4	14.7	15.1	3.0	2.7	13.5	12.2

Sources: *Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

Financial Statements

Index Living Mall

Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Revenue	8,889	9,309	10,039	10,811	11,452
Cost of goods sold	(4,877)	(5,026)	(5,407)	(5,814)	(6,156)
Gross profit	4,011	4,283	4,632	4,996	5,296
Other operating income	120	107	112	120	128
Operating costs	(3,136)	(3,312)	(3,605)	(3,885)	(4,122)
Operating EBITDA	1,797	1,933	2,081	2,241	2,377
Depreciation	(801)	(855)	(942)	(1,009)	(1,076)
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	0
Operating EBIT	995	1,078	1,139	1,232	1,302
Net financing costs	(214)	(216)	(207)	(220)	(226)
Associates	0	0	0	0	0
Recurring non-operating income	0	0	0	0	0
Non-recurring items	0	0	0	0	0
Profit before tax	781	862	932	1,012	1,076
Tax	(122)	(140)	(146)	(158)	(168)
Profit after tax	659	723	786	854	908
Minority interests	0	3	0	0	0
Preferred dividends	0	0	0	0	0
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
Reported net profit	659	726	786	854	908
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	0	0	0	0	0
Recurring net profit	659	726	786	854	908
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	1.31	1.44	1.56	1.69	1.80
Reported EPS	1.31	1.44	1.56	1.69	1.80
DPS	0.60	1.00	1.08	1.18	1.25
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	505	505	505	505	505
Growth					
Revenue (%)	6.9	4.7	7.8	7.7	5.9
Operating EBITDA (%)	9.1	7.6	7.6	7.7	6.1
Operating EBIT (%)	28.3	8.3	5.6	8.2	5.6
Recurring EPS (%)	45.4	10.2	8.3	8.6	6.3
Reported EPS (%)	45.4	10.2	8.3	8.6	6.3
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	45.1	46.0	46.1	46.2	46.2
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	54.1	55.2	55.5	55.5	55.6
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	20.2	20.8	20.7	20.7	20.8
Operating EBIT margin (%)	11.2	11.6	11.3	11.4	11.4
Net margin (%)	7.4	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9
Effective tax rate (%)	15.6	16.2	15.6	15.6	15.6
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	46.0	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6
Interest cover (X)	4.6	5.0	5.5	5.6	5.8
Inventory days	145.3	145.9	146.8	147.1	152.2
Debtor days	9.3	12.1	13.9	13.5	13.6
Creditor days	144.2	142.5	135.5	130.1	131.7
Operating ROIC (%)	15.9	17.6	18.2	19.1	20.0
ROIC (%)	8.0	8.8	9.1	9.5	9.9
ROE (%)	12.0	12.5	12.9	13.5	13.8
ROA (%)	6.9	7.4	7.6	7.9	8.1
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)					
Retail	6,230	6,827	7,381	7,897	8,348
Online	903	1,056	1,161	1,266	1,367
Project	773	518	510	525	541
Oversea	253	134	136	140	144

Sources: Index Living Mall; FSSIA estimates

Financial Statements

Index Living Mall

Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2022	2023	2024E	2025E	2026E
Recurring net profit	659	726	786	854	908
Depreciation	801	855	942	1,009	1,076
Associates & minorities	0	0	0	0	0
Other non-cash items	-	-	-	-	-
Change in working capital	311	15	31	120	124
Cash flow from operations	1,772	1,596	1,759	1,982	2,108
Capex - maintenance	-	-	-	-	-
Capex - new investment	(577)	(641)	(1,052)	(979)	(1,013)
Net acquisitions & disposals	(40)	51	(344)	(99)	(67)
Other investments (net)	(2)	468	(1)	(2)	(2)
Cash flow from investing	(619)	(123)	(1,397)	(1,079)	(1,081)
Dividends paid	(303)	(429)	(547)	(594)	(632)
Equity finance	0	0	0	0	0
Debt finance	(674)	(664)	353	107	80
Other financing cash flows	(208)	(181)	(247)	(195)	(201)
Cash flow from financing	(1,185)	(1,275)	(441)	(682)	(753)
Non-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	-
Other adjustments	0	0	0	0	0
Net other adjustments	0	0	0	0	0
Movement in cash	(32)	199	(79)	221	274
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	1,367.18	1,689.36	568.87	1,123.20	1,252.13
Free cash flow to equity (FCFE)	270.70	628.00	467.63	815.38	905.34
Per share (THB)					
FCFF per share	2.71	3.35	1.13	2.22	2.48
FCFE per share	0.54	1.24	0.93	1.61	1.79
Recurring cash flow per share	2.89	3.13	3.42	3.69	3.93
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec					
Tangible fixed assets (gross)	13,001	12,971	13,570	14,068	14,567
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(8,314)	(8,497)	(8,985)	(9,514)	(10,076)
Tangible fixed assets (net)	4,688	4,474	4,584	4,554	4,491
Intangible fixed assets (net)	2,979	2,966	3,277	3,353	3,408
Long-term financial assets	-	-	-	-	-
Invest. in associates & subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-
Cash & equivalents	75	274	194	415	689
A/C receivable	522	703	727	783	833
Inventories	1,586	1,748	1,845	2,029	2,208
Other current assets	14	13	14	15	16
Current assets	2,197	2,738	2,780	3,243	3,746
Other assets	2,168	2,147	2,192	2,231	2,257
Total assets	12,032	12,324	12,833	13,381	13,903
Common equity	5,668	5,965	6,204	6,464	6,740
Minorities etc.	0	14	14	14	14
Total shareholders' equity	5,668	5,979	6,218	6,478	6,754
Long term debt	3,029	2,992	3,309	3,385	3,438
Other long-term liabilities	615	651	580	626	668
Long-term liabilities	3,644	3,643	3,890	4,011	4,106
A/C payable	1,590	1,666	1,650	1,777	1,890
Short term debt	1,072	915	950	981	1,009
Other current liabilities	57	122	125	135	144
Current liabilities	2,719	2,703	2,726	2,893	3,043
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	12,032	12,324	12,833	13,381	13,903
Net working capital	474	676	811	916	1,023
Invested capital	10,310	10,263	10,864	11,054	11,180
* Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being treated as debt					
Per share (THB)					
Book value per share	11.22	11.81	12.29	12.80	13.35
Tangible book value per share	5.32	5.94	5.80	6.16	6.60
Financial strength					
Net debt/equity (%)	71.0	60.8	65.4	61.0	55.6
Net debt/total assets (%)	33.5	29.5	31.7	29.5	27.0
Current ratio (x)	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2
CF interest cover (x)	5.0	6.9	8.3	9.1	9.5
Valuation					
Recurring P/E (x) *	15.3	13.9	12.8	11.8	11.1
Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *	20.5	18.6	17.1	15.8	14.8
Reported P/E (x)	15.3	13.9	12.8	11.8	11.1
Dividend yield (%)	3.0	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.3
Price/book (x)	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5
Price/tangible book (x)	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.2	3.0
EV/EBITDA (x) **	7.9	7.1	6.8	6.3	5.8
EV/EBITDA @ target price (x) **	9.7	8.9	8.4	7.8	7.3
EV/invested capital (x)	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted ** EBITDA includes associate income and recurring non-operating income					

Sources: Index Living Mall; FSSIA estimates

INDEX LIVINGMALL PCL (ILM TB)

FSSIA ESG rating

20 /100
Exhibit 13: 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.
★★★☆☆	>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.
★★☆☆☆	>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.

Source: FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 14: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA ESG score	Domestic ratings						Global ratings						Bloomberg	
		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
DOHOME	42.34	--	--	--	5.00	5.00	Declared	Medium	37.50	--	--	37.19	20.00	4.17	46.91
GLOBAL	59.18	--	Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Declared	Low	53.10	--	--	36.48	41.00	3.24	52.38
HMPRO	87.20	Y	Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	Low	66.54	AA	37.00	65.78	81.00	5.36	62.59
ILM	20.00	--	--	--	5.00	5.00	Certified	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
BJC	71.33	Y	Y	Y	4.00	4.00	--	Medium	55.09	A	--	65.19	89.00	2.16	--

Sources: [SETTRADE.com](https://www.settrade.com); FSSIA's compilation
Exhibit 15: ESG disclosure from the company's one report

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2022	FY ending Dec 31	FY 2022
Environmental		Governance	
Climate change policy	Yes	Board size / Independent directors (ID) / Female	11 / 5 / 4
Climate change opportunities discussed	--	No. of board meetings for the year / % attendance	5 / 94.55%
GHG scope 2 location-based policy	Yes	Company conducts board evaluations	Yes
Biodiversity policy	--	Number of non-executive directors on board	5
Energy efficiency policy	Yes	Director share ownership guidelines	No
Electricity used	Yes	Board age limit	No
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	1.5	Age of the youngest / oldest director	--
Waste reduction policy	Yes	Number of executives / female	13 / 5
Water policy	Yes	Executive share ownership guidelines	No
Water consumption	28520	Size of audit committee / ID	3 / 3
Social		Audit committee meetings	4
Human rights policy	Yes	Audit committee meeting attendance (%)	100
Policy against child labor	Yes	Size of compensation committee	3 / 3
Quality assurance and recall policy	--	Number of compensation committee meetings	3
Consumer data protection policy	--	Compensation committee meeting attendance (%)	88.88
Equal opportunity policy	Yes	Size of nomination committee / ID	3 / 3
Gender pay gap breakout	--	Number of nomination committee meetings	3
Pct women in workforce	45.2	Nomination committee meeting attendance (%)	88.88
Business ethics policy	Yes	Board compensation (THB m)	5.9
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes	Auditor fee (THB m)	3.6
Health and safety policy	Yes	(KPMG Phoomchai Audit Company Limited)	
Lost time incident rate - employees	--		
Training policy	Yes		
Fair remuneration policy	Yes		
Number of employees - CSR	--		
Total hours spent by firm - employee training	--		
Social supply chain management	Yes		

Source: FSSIA's compilation

Disclaimer for ESG scoring

ESG score	Methodology	Rating																			
The Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) By S&P Global	The DJSI World applies a transparent, rules-based component selection process based on the companies' Total Sustainability Scores resulting from the annual S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA). Only the top-ranked companies within each industry are selected for inclusion.	Be a member and invited to the annual S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) for DJSI. Companies with an S&P Global ESG Score of less than 45% of the S&P Global ESG Score of the highest scoring company are disqualified. The constituents of the DJSI indices are selected from the Eligible Universe.																			
Sustainability Investment List (THSI) by The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)	THSI quantifies responsibility in Environmental and Social issues by managing business with transparency in Governance, updated annually. Candidates must pass the preemptive criteria, with two crucial conditions: 1) no irregular trading of the board members and executives; and 2) free float of >150 shareholders, and combined holding must be >15% of paid-up capital. Some key disqualifying criteria include: 1) CG score of below 70%; 2) independent directors and free float violation; 3) executives' wrongdoing related to CG, social & environmental impacts; 4) equity in negative territory; and 5) earnings in red for > 3 years in the last 5 years.	To be eligible for THSI inclusion , 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. SETTHSI Index 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 at maximum, and no cap for number of stocks.																			
CG Score by Thai Institute of Directors Association (Thai IOD)	An indicator of CG strength in sustainable development, measured annually by the Thai IOD, with support from the Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET). The results are from the perspective of a third party, not an evaluation of operations.	Scores are rated in six categories: 5 for Excellent (90-100), 4 for Very Good (80-89), 3 for Good (70-79), 2 for Fair (60-69), 1 for Pass (60-69), and not rated for scores below 50. Weightings include: 1) the rights; 2) and equitable treatment of shareholders (weight 25% combined); 3) the role of stakeholders (25%); 4) disclosure & transparency (15%); and 5) board responsibilities (35%).																			
AGM level By Thai Investors Association (TIA) with support from the SEC	It quantifies the extent to which shareholders' rights and equitable treatment are incorporated into business operations and information is transparent and sufficiently disclosed. All form important elements of two out of five the CG components to be evaluated annually. The assessment criteria cover AGM procedures before the meeting (45%), at the meeting date (45%), and after the meeting (10%). <i>(The first assesses 1) advance circulation of sufficient information for voting; and 2) facilitating how voting rights can be exercised. The second assesses 1) the ease of attending meetings; 2) transparency and verifiability; and 3) openness for Q&A. The third involves the meeting minutes that should contain discussion issues, resolutions and voting results.)</i>	The scores are classified into four categories: 5 for Excellent (100), 4 for Very Good (90-99), 3 for Fair (80-89), and not rated for scores below 79.																			
Thai CAC By Thai Private Sector Collective Action Against Corruption (CAC)	The core elements of the Checklist include corruption risk assessment, establishment of key controls, and the monitoring and developing of policies. The Certification is good for three years. <i>(Companies deciding to become a CAC certified member start by submitting a Declaration of Intent to kick off an 18-month deadline to submit the CAC Checklist for Certification, including risk assessment, in place of policy and control, training of managers and employees, establishment of whistleblowing channels, and communication of policies to all stakeholders.)</i>	The document will be reviewed by a committee of nine professionals. A passed Checklist will move for granting certification by the CAC Council approvals whose members are twelve highly respected individuals in professionalism and ethical achievements.																			
Morningstar Sustainability	The Sustainability's ESG risk rating provides an overall company score based on an assessment of how much of a company's exposure to ESG risk is unmanaged. <i>Sources to be reviewed include corporate publications and regulatory filings, news and other media, NGO reports/websites, multi-sector information, company feedback, ESG controversies, issuer feedback on draft ESG reports, and quality & peer reviews.</i>	A company's ESG risk rating score is the sum of unmanaged risk. The more risk is unmanaged, the higher ESG risk is scored. <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>NEGL</th> <th>Low</th> <th>Medium</th> <th>High</th> <th>Severe</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>0-10</td> <td>10-20</td> <td>20-30</td> <td>30-40</td> <td>40+</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	NEGL	Low	Medium	High	Severe	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40+									
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Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Index Living Mall	ILM TB	THB 20.00	BUY	Risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a lower-than-expected SSSG, 2) a lower-than-expected GPM, and 3) a higher-than-expected SG&A.
Home Product Center	HMPRO TB	THB 10.30	BUY	Key downside risks to our DCF-based TP include: 1) lower-than-expected SSSG; 2) slower-than-expected recovery in domestic consumption and tourist arrivals, and 3) operating losses from overseas units.
Siam Global House	GLOBAL TB	THB 16.20	HOLD	Key risks to our DCF-based TP are 1) lower/higher farm income, which would affect purchasing power in the agricultural sector, 2) government disbursement, 3) a lower/higher private brand mix and margin, 4) higher/lower expenses than expected, and 5) a higher/lower impact than expected from the El Nino.
Dohome PCL	DOHOME TB	THB 10.80	HOLD	Key risks to our DCF-based TP are 1) lower/higher farm income, which would affect purchasing power in the agricultural sector, 2) government disbursement, 3) a lower/higher private brand mix and margin, 4) higher/lower expenses than expected, and 5) a higher/lower impact than expected from the El Nino.
CP All	CPALL TB	THB 57.00	BUY	The key downside risks to our DCF-derived TP include 1) lower-than-expected SSSG, 2) lower-than-expected gross margin, and 3) higher-than-expected SG&A to sales ratio.
CP Axtra	CPAXT TB	THB 32.75	BUY	Key downside risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a lower-than-expected SSSG, 2) a lower-than-expected GPM, 3) higher-than-expected SG&A expenses, and 4) an operating loss from its overseas units.
Com7	COM7 TB	THB 18.30	BUY	Downside risks to our P/E-based TP include 1) lower consumption and domestic purchasing power, 2) store cannibalization, and 3) product shortages.
Central Retail Corp	CRC TB	THB 33.75	BUY	Downside risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a decline in domestic purchasing power, 2) lower-than-expected tourist arrivals, 3) an absence of the government's stimulus, and 4) a slower-than-expected economic recovery in Vietnam.

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