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4Q24 results at first glance

กำไรปกติ 4Q24 ไกล่เคียงคาดแต่นำหน้าขึ้นเด่น

Highlights

- ICHI รายงานกำไรสุทธิ 4Q24 อยู่ที่ 206 ลบ. (-42% q-q, -30% y-y) เมื่อหักรายการปรับปรุงทางภาษีอันเนื่องมาจากผลต่างทางภาษีของการลงทุนในกิจการร่วมค้า 62.9 ลบ. กำไรปกติอยู่ที่ 269 ลบ. (-25% q-q, -9% y-y) ไกล่เคียงกับที่เรคาด
- ในภาพรวมกำไรดังกล่าวน่าผิดหวังโดยมีเหตุผลบางส่วนจากปัจจัยด้านฤดูกาลของธุรกิจและสภาพอากาศที่ย่ำแย่ซึ่งทำให้รายได้รวมลดลง 6% q-q และ 5% y-y ทั้งจากยอดขายในประเทศและการส่งออกที่ลดลง ทั้งนี้ยอดขายจากการส่งออกลดลงทั้ง q-q และ y-y จากคำสั่งซื้อที่ลดลงจากลูกค้าจ้างผลิตรายหนึ่งซึ่งประสบปัญหาขาดแคลนวัตถุดิบน้ำมะพร้าว
- อัตรากำไรขั้นต้นลดลงเหลือ 24.6% จาก 25.7% ใน 3Q24 และใกล้เคียงกับระดับใน 4Q23 จากอัตราการใช้กำลังการผลิตที่ลดลง
- ค่าใช้จ่ายในการขายเพิ่มขึ้นเป็น 5.4% ของรายได้รวมจาก 3.3% ใน 3Q24 โดยน่าจะเกิดจากค่าใช้จ่ายในการตลาดที่สูงขึ้นในขณะที่ค่าใช้จ่ายในการบริหารเพิ่มเล็กน้อย q-q จากต้นทุนที่เกี่ยวข้องกับพนักงานเป็นหลัก
- ส่วนแบ่งจากกิจการร่วมค้าในอินโดนีเซียพลิกเป็นขาดทุน 4.4 ลบ. เทียบกับที่เคยเป็นกำไร 0.9 ลบ. ใน 3Q24 และผลขาดทุนที่ใกล้เคียงกันใน 4Q23
- ICHI รายงานค่าใช้จ่ายภาษี 132 ลบ. ใน 4Q24 เมื่อหักรายการภาษีพิเศษภาษีที่จ่ายจริงอยู่ที่ 69 ลบ. คิดเป็นอัตรากำไรปกติที่ 20%
- รายได้รวมในปี 2024 สูงขึ้น 6.8% y-y เป็น 8.59 พัน ลบ. ต่ำกว่าเป้าหมายบริษัท ที่ 9 พัน ลบ. กำไรสุทธิอยู่ที่ 1.3 พัน ลบ. (+18.7% y-y) ทำสถิติรายได้และกำไรสูงสุดใหม่

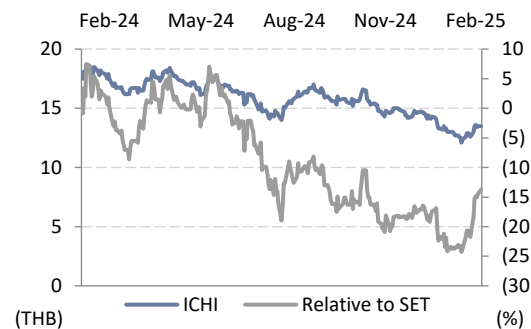
Outlook

- ในระยะสั้นเราจะจับตามองแนวโน้มการฟื้นตัวของรายได้อย่างต่อเนื่องใน 1Q25 ซึ่งโดยปกติจะเป็นช่วงที่การผลิตเร่งตัวขึ้นเพื่อเตรียมพร้อมสำหรับการขายใน 2Q (ช่วงฤดูร้อนและฤดูการขายของธุรกิจ) นอกจากนี้เรายังต้องดูว่าบริษัท ได้รับคำสั่งซื้อจากลูกค้าจ้างผลิตใหม่และในปัจจุบันหรือไม่
- ICHI ได้ติดตั้งเครื่องจักรจนแล้วเสร็จซึ่งจะช่วยเพิ่มกำลังการผลิตได้ 13% เป็น 1,700 ล้านขวดต่อปี ดังนั้นเราจึงคาดว่าคำสั่งซื้อจะเพิ่มตามเพื่อชดเชยกับคำสั่งซื้อที่คาดว่าจะตามมา
- ICHI ประกาศจ่ายเงินปันผลต่อหุ้นสำหรับผลประกอบการในช่วง 2H24 อยู่ที่ 0.5 บาทคิดเป็นอัตราผลตอบแทนอยู่ที่ 3.7% เมื่อประกอบกับเงินปันผลที่ได้จ่ายไปแล้วในช่วง 1H24 เงินปันผลต่อหุ้นรวมสำหรับปีนี้จะอยู่ที่ 1.1 บาทคิดเป็นอัตราการจ่ายเงินปันผลที่ 110%

TARGET PRICE	THB16.00
CLOSE	THB13.50
UP/DOWNSIDE	+18.5%
PRIOR TP	THB16.00
CHANGE IN TP	UNCHANGED
TP vs CONSENSUS	-3.5%

KEY STOCK DATA

YE Dec (THB m)	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	8,594	9,101	9,561	9,866
Net profit	1,306	1,389	1,475	1,538
EPS (THB)	1.00	1.07	1.13	1.18
vs Consensus (%)	-	-	0.0	(2.5)
EBITDA	2,269	2,330	2,451	2,544
Recurring net profit	1,343	1,389	1,475	1,538
Core EPS (THB)	1.03	1.07	1.13	1.18
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	nm	0.0	0.0	nm
EPS growth (%)	22.0	3.4	6.2	4.3
Core P/E (x)	13.1	12.6	11.9	11.4
Dividend yield (%)	8.1	8.7	9.2	9.6
EV/EBITDA (x)	7.4	7.1	6.7	6.4
Price/book (x)	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3
Net debt/Equity (%)	(14.9)	(18.3)	(20.9)	(24.2)
ROE (%)	23.2	24.6	26.8	28.7



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	3.8	(8.8)	(23.7)
Relative to country (%)	13.8	6.7	(13.7)
Mkt cap (USD m)	524		
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m)	1.8		
Free float (%)	53		
Major shareholder	Passakornnatee Family (42%)		
12m high/low (THB)	18.80/12.00		
Issued shares (m)	1,300.00		

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates



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Exhibit 1: ICHI – 4Q24 results summary

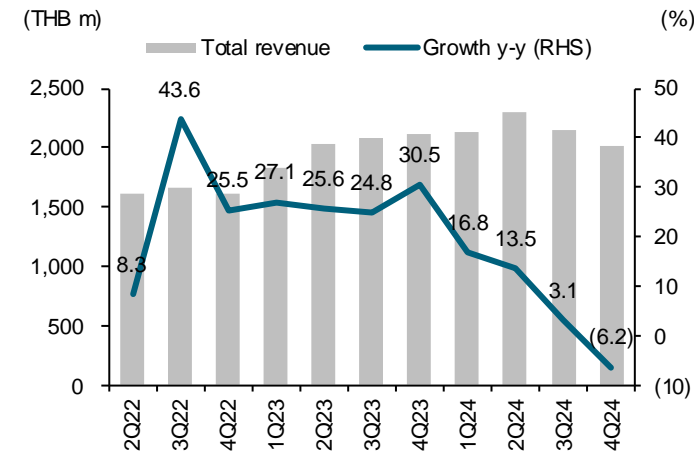
	4Q23	1Q24	2Q24	3Q24	4Q24	----- Change -----		2023	2024
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)	(THB m)	(THB m)
Sales	2,111	2,140	2,304	2,142	2,008	(6.2)	(4.9)	8,050	8,594
Cost of sales	1,594	1,582	1,695	1,592	1,513	(4.9)	(5.0)	6,163	6,382
Gross profit	517	558	609	550	495	(10.1)	(4.4)	1,887	2,212
SG&A	152	131	174	112	165	47.0	8.2	550	582
Operating profit	374	441	444	446	343	(23.0)	(8.3)	1,372	1,674
Interest expense	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	(6.5)	(21.6)	1.8	1.5
Tax expense	71	88	93	89	69	(22.5)	(3.0)	275	339
Profit (loss) sharing	(8)	12	1	1	(4)	nm	nm	5	9
Reported net profit	295	364	379	357	206	(42.2)	(30.1)	1,100	1,306
Core profit	295	364	353	357	269	(24.6)	(8.8)	1,100	1,343

Key ratios (%)						(ppt)	(ppt)		
Gross margin	24.5	26.1	26.4	25.7	24.6	(1.0)	0.1	23.4	25.7
SG&A to sales	7.2	6.1	7.5	5.2	8.2	3.0	1.0	6.8	6.8
Operating margin	17.7	20.6	19.3	20.8	17.1	(3.7)	(0.6)	17.0	19.5
Net margin	14.0	17.0	16.4	16.7	10.3	(6.4)	(3.7)	13.7	15.2
Core margin	14.0	17.0	15.3	16.7	13.4	(3.3)	(0.6)	13.7	15.6

Operating statistics (THB m)									
Domestic	1,962	1,992	2,160	2,037	1,905	(6.5)	(2.9)	7,383	8,094
Overseas	149	149	144	105	103	(1.7)	(30.9)	614	654
Utilisation rate (%)	73.0	77.0	78.0	80.0	78.0			71.3	78.0

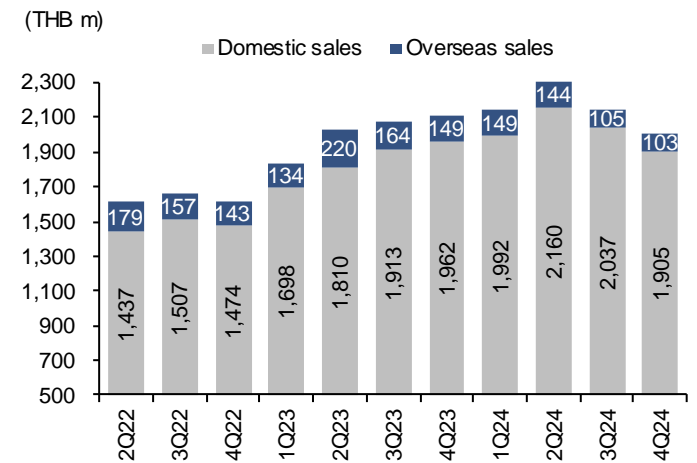
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Exhibit 2: Total revenue and growth



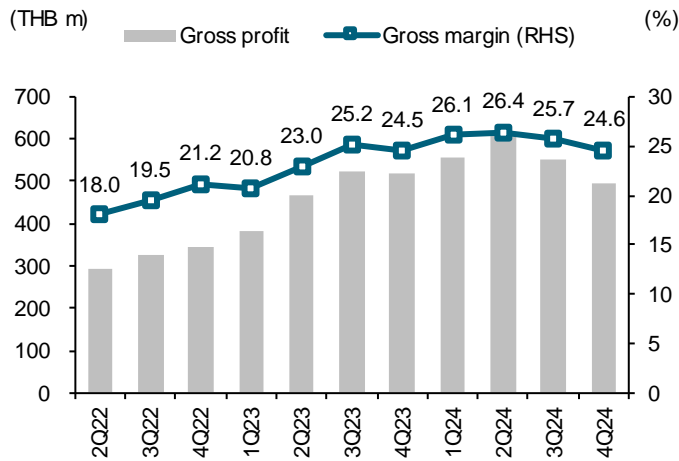
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Exhibit 3: Revenue breakdown by destination



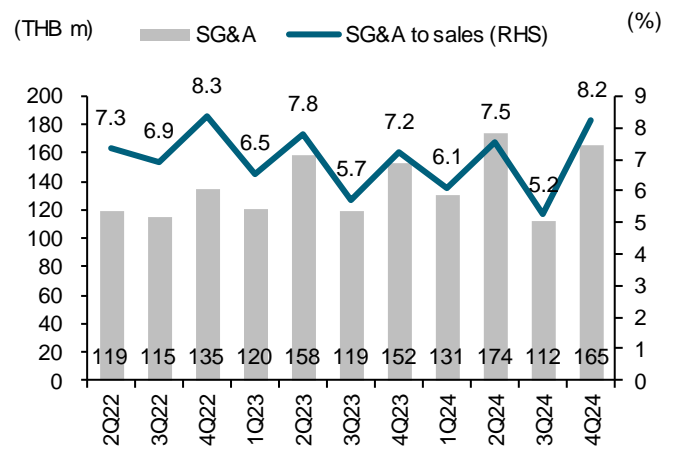
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Exhibit 4: Gross profit and gross margin



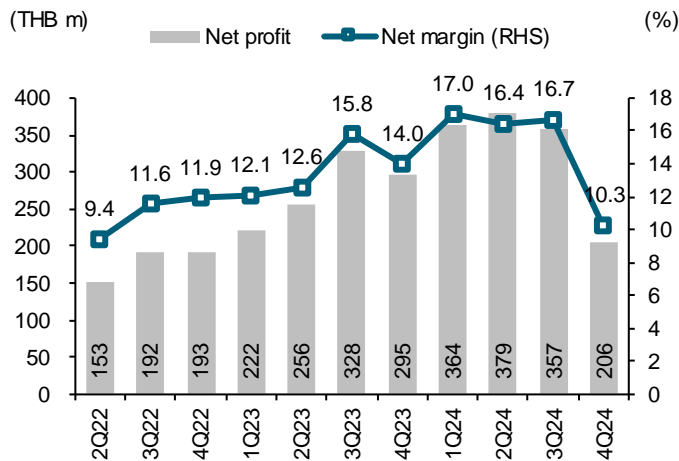
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Exhibit 5: SG&A to sales



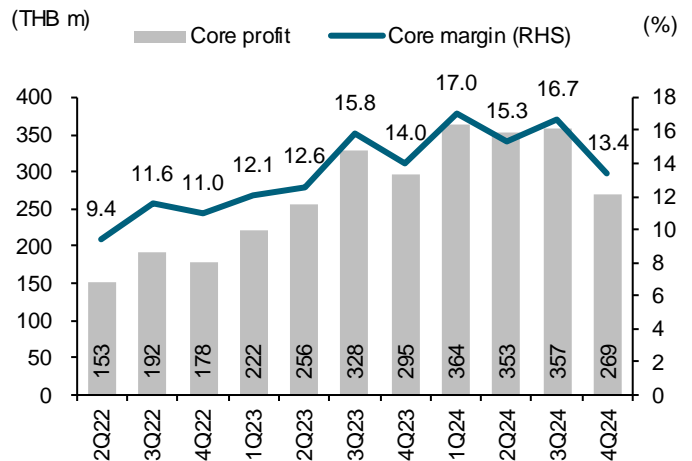
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Exhibit 6: Net profit and net margin



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Exhibit 7: Core profit and core margin



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Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	8,050	8,594	9,101	9,561	9,866
Cost of goods sold	(6,163)	(6,382)	(6,825)	(7,151)	(7,360)
Gross profit	1,887	2,212	2,275	2,409	2,506
Other operating income	35	44	36	38	39
Operating costs	(550)	(582)	(592)	(621)	(641)
Operating EBITDA	1,942	2,269	2,330	2,451	2,544
Depreciation	(570)	(595)	(610)	(625)	(640)
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	0
Operating EBIT	1,372	1,674	1,720	1,826	1,904
Net financing costs	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Associates	5	9	18	19	20
Recurring non-operating income	5	9	18	19	20
Non-recurring items	0	(37)	0	0	0
Profit before tax	1,375	1,646	1,736	1,843	1,922
Tax	(275)	(339)	(347)	(368)	(384)
Profit after tax	1,100	1,306	1,389	1,475	1,538
Minority interests	0	0	0	0	0
Preferred dividends	0	0	0	0	0
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
Reported net profit	1,100	1,306	1,389	1,475	1,538
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	0	37	0	0	0
Recurring net profit	1,100	1,343	1,389	1,475	1,538
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	0.85	1.03	1.07	1.13	1.18
Reported EPS	0.85	1.00	1.07	1.13	1.18
DPS	1.00	1.10	1.18	1.25	1.30
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300
Growth					
Revenue (%)	27.0	6.8	5.9	5.1	3.2
Operating EBITDA (%)	49.8	16.8	2.7	5.2	3.8
Operating EBIT (%)	89.1	22.0	2.7	6.2	4.3
Recurring EPS (%)	69.1	22.0	3.4	6.2	4.3
Reported EPS (%)	71.5	18.7	6.3	6.2	4.3
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	23.4	25.7	25.0	25.2	25.4
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	30.5	32.7	31.7	31.7	31.9
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	24.1	26.4	25.6	25.6	25.8
Operating EBIT margin (%)	17.0	19.5	18.9	19.1	19.3
Net margin (%)	13.7	15.6	15.3	15.4	15.6
Effective tax rate (%)	20.0	20.6	20.0	20.0	20.0
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	118.1	106.5	110.0	109.9	109.9
Interest cover (X)	752.0	1,108.4	965.7	971.2	961.9
Inventory days	35.8	38.7	43.0	42.8	43.2
Debtor days	61.1	62.8	62.4	63.4	64.0
Creditor days	53.2	54.9	52.5	53.5	54.0
Operating ROIC (%)	22.4	28.8	30.6	34.6	38.6
ROIC (%)	20.9	27.2	29.2	33.0	36.7
ROE (%)	18.3	23.2	24.6	26.8	28.7
ROA (%)	15.1	18.8	19.7	21.1	22.3
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)					
Ready-to-drink green tea	5,564	6,057	6,360	6,678	6,878
Non-tea and others	2,486	2,537	2,741	2,883	2,988

Sources: Ichitan Group; FSSIA estimates

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Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring net profit	1,100	1,343	1,389	1,475	1,538
Depreciation	570	595	610	625	640
Associates & minorities	(5)	(9)	(18)	(19)	(20)
Other non-cash items	-	-	-	-	-
Change in working capital	(252)	(202)	(96)	(65)	(43)
Cash flow from operations	1,413	1,726	1,884	2,016	2,115
Capex - maintenance	-	-	-	-	-
Capex - new investment	0	(382)	(221)	(300)	(301)
Net acquisitions & disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Other investments (net)	78	48	37	18	19
Cash flow from investing	78	(334)	(184)	(282)	(282)
Dividends paid	(1,430)	(1,430)	(1,528)	(1,621)	(1,690)
Equity finance	0	0	0	0	0
Debt finance	(6)	(17)	19	0	0
Other financing cash flows	6	2	(3)	2	2
Cash flow from financing	(1,431)	(1,444)	(1,513)	(1,619)	(1,688)
Non-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	-
Other adjustments	165	0	0	0	0
Net other adjustments	165	0	0	(1)	(2)
Movement in cash	225	(52)	188	114	143
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	1,492.92	1,393.83	1,702.48	1,735.63	1,834.67
Free cash flow to equity (FCFE)	1,655.48	1,377.85	1,716.18	1,735.03	1,832.19
Per share (THB)					
FCFF per share	1.15	1.07	1.31	1.34	1.41
FCFE per share	1.27	1.06	1.32	1.33	1.41
Recurring cash flow per share	1.28	1.48	1.52	1.60	1.66
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Tangible fixed assets (gross)	8,951	9,309	9,609	9,909	10,209
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(5,337)	(5,949)	(6,558)	(7,183)	(7,822)
Tangible fixed assets (net)	3,614	3,360	3,051	2,726	2,387
Intangible fixed assets (net)	8	6	10	10	10
Long-term financial assets	-	-	-	-	-
Invest. in associates & subsidiaries	225	250	225	225	225
Cash & equivalents	960	908	1,096	1,210	1,353
A/C receivable	1,533	1,592	1,651	1,733	1,788
Inventories	511	717	748	784	807
Other current assets	239	231	246	258	266
Current assets	3,243	3,449	3,741	3,985	4,214
Other assets	114	16	18	19	20
Total assets	7,205	7,081	7,045	6,965	6,855
Common equity	5,842	5,711	5,581	5,433	5,280
Minorities etc.	0	0	0	0	0
Total shareholders' equity	5,842	5,711	5,581	5,433	5,280
Long term debt	55	39	60	60	60
Other long-term liabilities	46	49	46	48	49
Long-term liabilities	102	88	106	108	109
A/C payable	890	852	935	980	1,008
Short term debt	17	16	14	14	14
Other current liabilities	355	415	410	430	444
Current liabilities	1,262	1,283	1,359	1,424	1,466
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	7,205	7,081	7,045	6,965	6,855
Net working capital	1,038	1,274	1,300	1,365	1,409
Invested capital	5,000	4,907	4,604	4,345	4,050
* Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being treated as debt					
Per share (THB)					
Book value per share	4.49	4.39	4.29	4.18	4.06
Tangible book value per share	4.49	4.39	4.29	4.17	4.05
Financial strength					
Net debt/equity (%)	(15.2)	(14.9)	(18.3)	(20.9)	(24.2)
Net debt/total assets (%)	(12.3)	(12.0)	(14.5)	(16.3)	(18.7)
Current ratio (x)	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9
CF interest cover (x)	905.1	1,159.7	1,077.2	1,072.1	1,067.6
Valuation	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring P/E (x) *	15.9	13.1	12.6	11.9	11.4
Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *	18.9	15.5	15.0	14.1	13.5
Reported P/E (x)	15.9	13.4	12.6	11.9	11.4
Dividend yield (%)	7.4	8.1	8.7	9.2	9.6
Price/book (x)	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3
Price/tangible book (x)	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3
EV/EBITDA (x) **	8.6	7.4	7.1	6.7	6.4
EV/EBITDA @ target price (x) **	10.3	8.8	8.5	8.0	7.7
EV/invested capital (x)	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	4.0
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted ** EBITDA includes associate income and recurring non-operating income					

Sources: Ichitan Group; FSSIA estimates

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FSSIA ESG rating



43.67 /100

Exhibit 8: 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 9: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA ESG score	Domestic ratings						Global ratings					Bloomberg		
		DJSI	SET ESG	SET ESG Rating	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
CBG	51.54	--	Y	Y	4.00	4.00	Declared	High	59.58	B	--	33.28	56.00	2.12	--
SAPPE	35.25	--	Y	Y	4.00	5.00	Certified	Medium	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
OSP	61.48	--	Y	Y	5.00	4.00	Declared	Medium	68.64	BBB	--	63.08	51.00	3.00	63.65
TACC	15.00	--	--	--	5.00	5.00	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ICHI	43.67	--	Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	High	61.36	--	--	--	18.00	--	--

Sources: [SETTRADE.com](https://www.settrade.com); FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 10: 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	9 / 3 / 2
Climate change opportunities discussed	--	No. of board meetings for the year / % attendance	7 / 100%
GHG scope 2 location-based policy	Yes	Company conducts board evaluations	Yes
Biodiversity policy	--	Number of non-executive directors on board	3
Energy efficiency policy	Yes	Director share ownership guidelines	No
Electricity used	Yes	Board age limit	No
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	--	Age of the youngest / oldest director	47 / 72
Waste reduction policy	Yes	Number of executives / female	6 / 1
Water policy	--	Executive share ownership guidelines	No
Water consumption	--	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 / 2
Quality assurance and recall policy	Yes	Number of compensation committee meetings	3
Consumer data protection policy	--	Compensation committee meeting attendance (%)	100
Equal opportunity policy	Yes	Size of nomination committee / ID	3 / 2
Gender pay gap breakout	--	Number of nomination committee meetings	3
Pct women in workforce	Yes	Nomination committee meeting attendance (%)	100
Business ethics policy	Yes	Board compensation (THB m)	8.615
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes	Auditor fee (THB m)	3.00
Health and safety policy	Yes	<i>(KPMG Phoomchai Audit Company Limited)</i>	
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.																			
SET ESG Ratings List (SETESG) by The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)	SET ESG 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 SETESG 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. SETESG Index is extended from the SET ESG Ratings 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 Sustainabilitys	The Sustainabilitys' 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><tr><th>NEGL</th><th>Low</th><th>Medium</th><th>High</th><th>Severe</th></tr><tr><td>0-10</td><td>10-20</td><td>20-30</td><td>30-40</td><td>40+</td></tr></table>	NEGL	Low	Medium	High	Severe	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40+									
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ESG Book	The ESG score identifies sustainable companies that are better positioned to outperform over the long term. The methodology considers the principle of financial materiality including information that significantly helps explain future risk-adjusted performance. Materiality is applied by over-weighting features with higher materiality and rebalancing these weights on a rolling quarterly basis.	The total ESG score is calculated as a weighted sum of the features scores using materiality-based weights. The score is scaled between 0 and 100 with higher scores indicating better performance.																			
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Moody's ESG solutions	Moody's assesses the degree to which companies take into account ESG objectives in the definition and implementation of their strategy policies. It believes that a company integrating ESG factors into its business model and relatively outperforming its peers is better positioned to mitigate risks and create sustainable value for shareholders over the medium to long term.																				
Refinitiv ESG rating	Designed to transparently and objectively measure a company's relative ESG performance, commitment and effectiveness across 10 main themes, based on publicly available and auditable data. The score ranges from 0 to 100 on relative ESG performance and insufficient degree of transparency in reporting material ESG data publicly. <i>(Score ratings are 0 to 25 = poor; >25 to 50 = satisfactory; >50 to 75 = good; and >75 to 100 = excellent.)</i>																				
S&P Global	The S&P Global ESG Score is a relative score measuring a company's performance on and management of ESG risks, opportunities, and impacts compared to its peers within the same industry classification. The score ranges from 0 to 100.																				
Bloomberg	ESG Score	Bloomberg score evaluating the company's aggregated Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) performance. The score is based on Bloomberg's view of ESG financial materiality. The score is a weighted generalized mean (power mean) of Pillar Scores, where the weights are determined by the pillar priority ranking. Values range from 0 to 10; 10 is the best.																			
Bloomberg	ESG Disclosure Score	Disclosure of a company's ESG used for Bloomberg ESG score. The score ranges from 0 for none to 100 for disclosure of every data point, measuring the amount of ESG data reported publicly, and not the performance on any data point.																			

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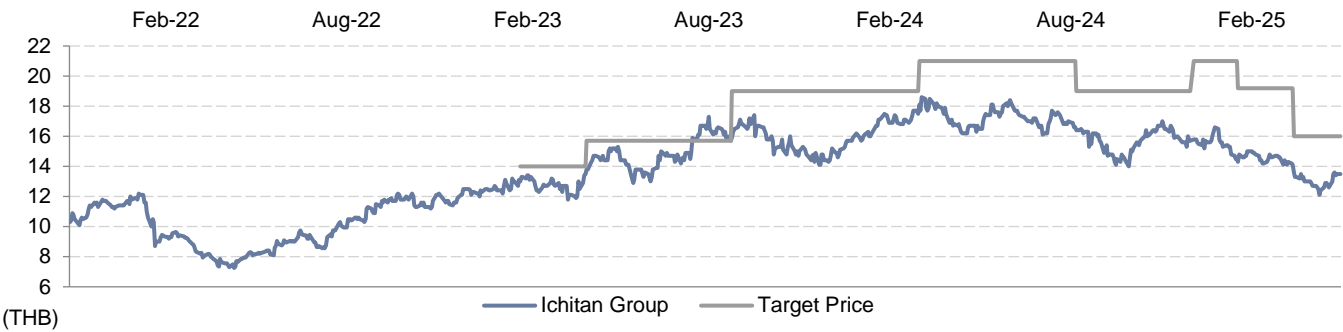
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Ichitan Group (ICHI TB)



Sureeporn Teewasuwet started covering this stock from 21-Mar-2023

Price and TP are in local currency

Source: FSSIA estimates

Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Ichitan Group	ICHI TB	THB 13.50	HOLD	Downside and upside risks to our P/E-based TP would be 1) a slower or faster-than-expected consumption recovery; 2) high or low volatility in packaging costs; and 3) increased or decreased competition and government policy changes such as excise taxes for sugary drinks.

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