#### **EQUITY RESEARCH - COMPANY REPORT**

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# ยอดขายแซนวิชกำลังพุ่งขึ้น

- รายได้และกำไร 1Q25 สูงเกินคาดและทำสถิติสูงสุดใหม่นับเป็นผลประกอบการที่น่า ประทับใจ
- NSL กำลังได้ประโยชน์จากขนาดการดำเนินงานที่ใหญ่ขึ้นอย่างเต็มที่และรายได้ที่ไม่ เกี่ยวข้องกับ 7-Eleven กำลังเพิ่มขึ้นตามแผน
- ปรับเพิ่มประมาณการกำไรและราคาเป้าหมายของเราเป็น 45 บาท

## รายได้และกำไร 1Q25 ทำสถิติสูงสุดใหม่

NSL รายงานกำไรสุทธิ 1Q25 อยู่ที่ 171 ลบ. (+16% q-q, +34% y-y) สูงกว่าที่เราและตลาด คาด 8% และทำสถิติสูงสุดใหม่ ผลประกอบการที่ดีดังกล่าวได้บัจจัยผลักดันจากรายได้ที่ดีเกิน คาดและอัตรากำไรขั้นต้นที่สูงเกินคาดซึ่งนับว่าเป็นไตรมาสที่ดีเป็นพิเศษ รายได้รวมทำสถิติ สูงสุดใหม่หลังกระโดดเพิ่ม 27% y-y (สูงกว่าเป้าหมายการเติบโตของ NSL ที่ 16-17%) โดยมี ปัจจัยผลักดันสำคัญอยู่ที่กลุ่มขนมอบ (+17.6% y-y), แบรนด์ NSL (+113%) และบริการอาหาร (+94%) รายได้จากน้ำผลไม้ส่งออกเพิ่มขึ้นเป็น 60 ลบ. (+71% q-q) ซึ่งสะท้อนการรับรู้เต็มไตร มาสและคิดเป็น 25-30% ของเป้าหมายทั้งปีของบริษัทฯ อัตรากำไรขั้นต้นสูงกว่าคาดโดยอยู่ที่ 21.5% (เทียบกับ 20.4% ใน 4Q24 และ 21% ใน 1Q24) โดยมีปัจจัยหนุนจากขนาดการ ดำเนินงานที่ใหญ่ขึ้นตามอัตราการใช้กำลังการผลิตที่สูงขึ้น

# แผนขยายกำลังการผลิตได้รับการอนุมัติ

NSL ประกาศขยายกำลังการผลิตแซนวิช 56% จาก 1.2ล้านเป็น 1.9ล้านชิ้นต่อวันหลัง สายการผลิตแซนวิชในปัจจุบันกำลังเดินอยู่ที่ประมาณ 70-80% ของกำลังการผลิตโดยจะ ก่อสร้างโรงงานแห่งใหม่ (ภายในพื้นที่เดิมในปัจจุบันที่นิคมอมตะซิตี้ โครงการ 8) ด้วยเงิน ลงทุนรวม 870 ลบ. ผ่านบริษัทย่อยชื่อ NSL Integration บริษัทฯ คาดว่าโรงงานดังกล่าวจะ แล้วเสร็จอย่างเร็วที่สุดในช่วงตันไตรมาส 4Q26 (ระยะเวลาก่อสร้าง: 1 ปี 8 เดือน) ในขณะที่ NSL ได้ขยายบันทึกความเข้าใจกับ 7-Eleven ไปจนถึงปี 2031

# ปรับเพิ่มประมาณการกำไรสุทธิปี 2025 เป็นโต 22.5% y-y

เราปรับเพิ่มประมาณการกำไรสุทธิปี 2025-27 ของเราขึ้น 7-11% คิดเป็นตัวเลขการเติบโตอยู่ ที่ 22.5%/10.4%/9.5% ตามลำดับ แนวโน้มในปี 2025 สดใสเป็นพิเศษจากผลตอบรับที่เป็น บวกของสินค้าใหม่ทั้งในกลุ่มของว่างและอาหารคาวโดยบางรายการจะกลายเป็นสินค้าประจำ ใน 7-Eleven นอกจากนี้รายได้ส่งออกก็เริ่มหนุนการเติบโตของ NSL โดยคิดเป็น 3.5% ของ รายได้รวมใน 1Q25 และช่วยเพิ่มสัดส่วนรายได้ที่ไม่เกี่ยวข้องกับ 7-Eleven เป็น 14% ของ รายได้รวม (เทียบกับ 10% ใน 1Q24)

## คงคำแนะนำซื้อหลังปรับราคาเป้าหมายขึ้นเป็น 45 บาท

เราปรับเพิ่มราคาเป้าหมายของเราเป็น 45 (จาก 43) บาทเทียบเท่า 20x P/E (ลดลงจาก 22x) เรายังมั่นใจเกี่ยวกับแนวโน้มการเติบโตของบริษัทฯ โดยเฉพาะในส่วนการขยายช่องทางรายได้ ที่ไม่เกี่ยวข้องกับ 7-Eleven ซึ่งกำลังก้าวหน้าตามแผนของผู้บริหาร ในขณะที่รายได้ในช่องทาง 7-Eleven โตต่อเนื่องตามคาดซึ่งจะช่วยรักษาแนวโน้มกำไรที่ดีในกลุ่มอาหาร



# BUY

#### **UNCHANGE**

TARGET PRICE	THB45.00
CLOSE	THB32.00
UP/DOWNSIDE	+40.6%
PRIOR TP	THB43.00
CHANGE IN TP	+4.7%
TP vs CONSENSUS	+11.6%

## **KEY STOCK DATA**

YE Dec (THB m)	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	5,839	6,971	7,909	8,906
Net profit	541	663	732	801
EPS (THB)	1.80	2.21	2.44	2.67
vs Consensus (%)	-	10.5	7.1	9.9
EBITDA	825	1,018	1,134	1,241
Recurring net profit	541	663	732	801
Core EPS (THB)	1.80	2.21	2.44	2.67
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	-	10.6	7.7	9.8
EPS growth (%)	62.2	22.5	10.4	9.5
Core P/E (x)	17.7	14.5	13.1	12.0
Dividend yield (%)	2.8	3.9	4.3	4.8
EV/EBITDA (x)	11.5	9.3	8.2	7.2
Price/book (x)	5.1	4.4	3.9	3.4
Net debt/Equity (%)	(5.2)	(6.8)	(12.7)	(22.2)
ROE (%)	31.4	32.6	31.4	30.1



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	18.5	24.3	16.4
Relative to country (%)	6.5	31.6	31.6
Mkt cap (USD m)			291
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m	n)		0.9
Free float (%)			0
Major shareholder	Mr. Somcha	i Asavapiya	non (72%)
12m high/low (THB)		3	7.25/25.00
Issued shares (m)			300.00

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates



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#### Investment thesis

Besides growth in tandem with 7-Eleven, NSL continues to launch new bakery products to create a good impression and cope with rapidly changing consumer needs. It also plans to raise non-7-Eleven revenue to diversify dependency risks by introducing branded snacks and entering the food services business. In its latest move, NSL has invested in three subsidiaries, Bake A Wish, NSL Intertrade, and NSL Inno Foods, to further its future growth.

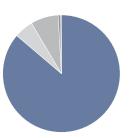
# Company profile

NSL is a manufacturer and distributor of bakery products, appetisers (under CPALL brands, such as EZY Taste, EZY Sweet, and 7 Fresh), and snacks (under NSL brands). It is also in the food services business covering seafood, fish, meats, and frozen vegetables. NSL earns its revenue mainly from domestic sales, with CPALL as its key account. Moreover, it sells food service products to the HoReCa market and other modern trade distributors. It currently has four factories in Chonburi and Nontaburi.

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# Principal activities (revenue, 2024)

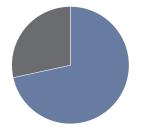
- Bakery and appetizers 86.2 %
- Food Services 5.3 %
- Snack (NSL brand and BAW) 7.6
- OEM & bread wastes 0.7 %
- Franchise fees and others 0.2 %



Source: NSL Foods

## **Major shareholders**

- Mr. Somchai Asavapiyanon -71.6 %
- Others 28.4 %



Source: NSL Foods

# **Catalysts**

Potential catalysts for NSL's earnings growth in 2025 are 1) revenue growth driven by new product launches and a tourism recovery; 2) new 7-Eleven branch expansions; and 3) a decline in raw material costs that should offset higher utility costs.

#### Risks to our call

Downside risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a slower-than-expected consumption recovery; 2) high volatility in raw material prices; 3) the failure of new products; and 4) changing consumer demand and lifestyles.

#### **Event calendar**

Date	Event
August 2025	2Q25 results announcement

## **Key assumptions**

	2025E	2026E	2027E
Total revenue (THB m)	6,971	7,909	8,906
Revenue growth (%)	19.4	13.5	12.6
Gross margin (%)	21.0	20.8	20.6
SG&A to sales (%)	9.3	9.4	9.5

Source: FSSIA estimates

# **Earnings sensitivity**

- For every 1% increase in revenue, we estimate 2025 net profit to rise by 0.9%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.5% increase in GPM, we estimate 2025 net profit to rise by 5.2%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.5% increase in SG&A to sales, we estimate 2025 net profit to fall by 5%, and vice versa, all else being equal.

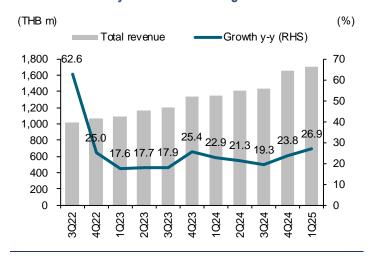
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Exhibit 1: NSL - 1Q25 results summary

	1Q24	2Q24	3Q24	4Q24	1Q25	Chai	nge	2024	2025E	Change	% 1Q25
	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y%)	to 2025E				
Sales	1,346	1,411	1,432	1,651	1,708	3.4	26.9	5,839	6,971	19.4	24.5
Cost of sales	1,064	1,118	1,135	1,314	1,341	2.1	26.1	4,630	5,507	18.9	24.4
Gross profit	282	293	297	337	366	8.6	29.9	1,209	1,464	21.0	25.0
SG&A	126	130	139	157	155	(1.2)	22.8	552	648	17.5	23.9
Operating profit	161	168	169	186	216	16.1	34.3	684	837	22.3	25.9
Interest expense	2	2	2	3	3	21.2	52.6	9	11	19.3	30.7
Profit (loss) sharing	(0)	(5)	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	(4)	0	(100.0)	0.0
Tax expense	32	30	33	37	42	15.5	33.9	132	165	25.5	25.7
Reported net profit	128	131	135	147	171	16.2	34.2	541	663	22.5	25.8
Core profit	128	135	135	147	171	16.6	34.2	541	663	22.5	25.8
Key ratios (%)						(ppt)	(ppt)				
Gross margin	21.0	20.7	20.8	20.4	21.5	1.0	0.5	20.7	20.8	0.1	
SG&A / Sales	9.4	9.2	9.7	9.5	9.1	(0.4)	(0.3)	9.4	9.4	(0.0)	
Operating margin	12.0	11.9	11.8	11.3	12.7	1.4	0.7	11.7	11.7	(0.0)	
Net margin	9.5	9.3	9.4	8.9	10.0	1.1	0.5	9.3	9.5	0.2	
Core margin	9.5	9.5	9.4	8.9	10.0	1.1	0.5	9.3	9.5	0.2	
Operating statistics (THB m)											
Bakery sales	1,186	1,238	1,250	1,362	1,394	2.4	17.6	5,035	5,790	15.0	73.0
Food service sales	66	68	66	107	128	19.6	94.2	307	461	50.0	65.1
Snack sales (NSL brands)	82	91	102	170	174	2.1	113.0	445	668	50.0	61.7
OEM sales	9	10	11	9	9	(1.1)	(6.4)	39	39	0.0	77.4
Franchise sales	3	3	3	3	3	(11.2)	(21.6)	12	12	0.0	77.3
Bakery sales	88.1	87.8	87.3	82.5	81.6	(0.8)	(6.5)	86.2	83.1	(3.2)	
Food service sales	4.9	4.8	4.6	6.5	7.5	1.0	2.6	5.3	6.6	1.4	
Snack sales (NSL brands)	6.1	6.5	7.1	10.3	10.2	(0.1)	4.1	7.6	9.6	2.0	
OEM sales	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.5	(0.0)	(0.2)	0.7	0.6	(0.1)	
Franchise sales	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	(0.0)	(0.1)	0.2	0.2	(0.0)	

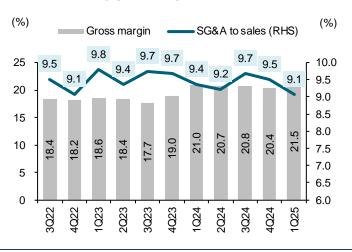
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Exhibit 2: Quarterly total revenue and growth



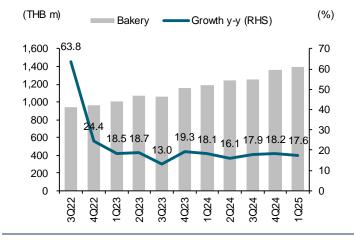
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Exhibit 3: Quarterly gross margin and SG&A to sales



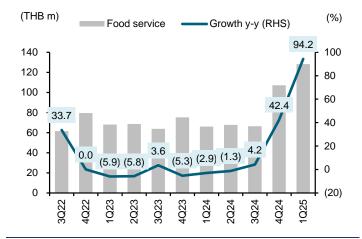
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Exhibit 4: Quarterly revenue from bakery and growth



Sources: NSL, FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 6: Quarterly revenue from food service and growth



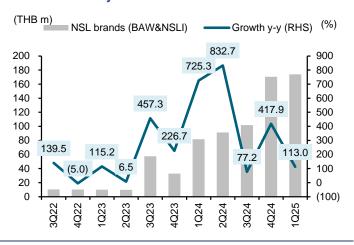
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**Exhibit 8: Changes in key assumptions for NSL** 

		Current			Previous			Change	
	2025E	2026E	2027E	2025E	2026E	2027E	2025E	2026E	2027E
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(%)	(%)	(%)				
Total revenue	6,971	7,909	8,906	6,681	7,588	8,547	4.3	4.2	4.2
Costs	5,507	6,264	7,072	5,325	6,040	6,838	3.4	3.7	3.4
Gross profit	1,464	1,645	1,835	1,356	1,548	1,709	7.9	6.3	7.3
SG&A expenses	648	743	846	628	721	821	3.2	3.1	3.1
Profit sharing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Reported net profit	663	732	801	600	680	730	10.6	7.7	9.8
Core profit	663	732	801	600	680	730	10.6	7.7	9.8
Key ratios (%)									
Total revenue growth	19.4	13.5	12.6	14.4	13.6	12.6	5.0	(0.1)	(0.0)
Net profit growth	22.5	10.4	9.5	10.8	13.4	7.3	11.7	(3.0)	2.2
Core profit growth	22.5	10.4	9.5	10.8	13.4	7.3	11.7	(3.0)	2.2
Gross margin	21.0	20.8	20.6	20.3	20.4	20.0	0.7	0.4	0.6
SG&A to sales	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.6	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)
Net margin	9.5	9.3	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.5	0.5	0.3	0.5
Core margin	9.5	9.3	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.5	0.5	0.3	0.5
Operating statistics (THB m)									
Bakery sales	5,790	6,589	7,420	5,790	6,589	7,420	0.0	0.0	0.0
Food service sales	461	498	548	323	349	383	42.9	42.9	42.9
NSL brands (BAW & NSLI)	668	768	883	512	589	677	30.4	30.4	30.4
OEM sales	39	41	43	43	48	52	(9.1)	(13.2)	(17.2)

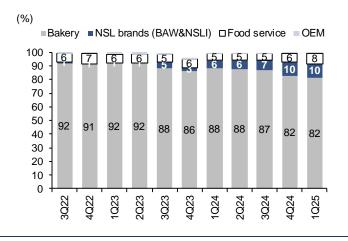
Source: FSSIA estimates

**Exhibit 5: Quarterly revenue from NSL brands** 



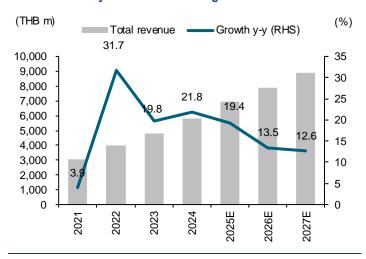
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Exhibit 7: Quarterly revenue breakdown by segment



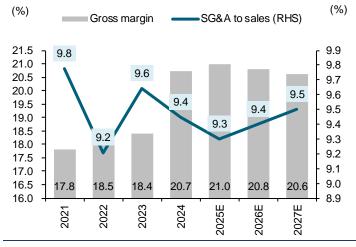
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## Exhibit 9: Yearly total revenue and growth



Sources: NSL; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 11: Yearly gross margin and SG&A to sales



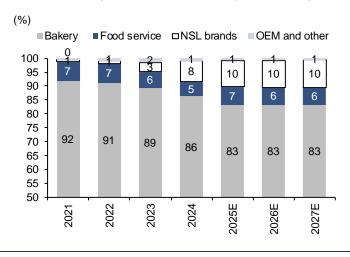
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Exhibit 13: Historical P/E band



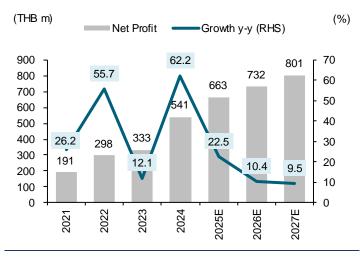
Sources: Bloomberg, FSSIA estimate

Exhibit 10: Yearly revenue breakdown by product segment



Sources: NSL; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 12: Yearly net profit and growth



Sources: NSL; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 14: Historical P/BV band



Sources: Bloomberg, FSSIA estimate

# **Financial Statements**

**NSL** Foods

Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	4,793	5,839	6,971	7,909	8,906
Cost of goods sold	(3,910)	(4,630)	(5,507)	(6,264)	(7,072)
Gross profit	883	1,209	1,464	1,645	1,835
Other operating income	17	26	21	21	21
Operating costs	(462)	(552)	(648)	(743)	(846)
Operating EBITDA	557	825	1,018	1,134	1,241
Depreciation	(120)	(141)	(181)	(211)	(231)
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	0
Operating EBIT	437	684	837	923	1,010
Net financing costs	(11)	(9)	(11)	(11)	(12)
Associates	-	-	-	-	-
Recurring non-operating income	(9)	(4)	0	0	0
Non-recurring items	0	0	0	0	0
Profit before tax	418	671	826	912	998
Tax	(85)	(132)	(165)	(182)	(200)
Profit after tax	332	539	661	729	798
Minority interests	1	2	2	2	3
Preferred dividends	-	-	-	-	-
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
Reported net profit	333	541	663	732	801
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	0	0	0	0	0
Recurring net profit	333	541	663	732	801
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	1.11	1.80	2.21	2.44	2.67
Reported EPS	1.11	1.80	2.21	2.44	2.67
DPS	0.65	0.90	1.26	1.39	1.52
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	300	300	300	300	300
Growth					
Revenue (%)	19.8	21.8	19.4	13.5	12.6
Operating EBITDA (%)	15.1	48.2	23.3	11.4	9.4
Operating EBIT (%)	14.5	56.5	22.3	10.3	9.4
Recurring EPS (%)	12.1	62.2	22.5	10.4	9.5
Reported EPS (%)	12.1	62.2	22.5	10.4	9.5
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	18.4	20.7	21.0	20.8	20.6
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	20.9	23.1	23.6	23.5	23.2
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	11.6	14.1	14.6	14.3	13.9
Operating EBIT margin (%)	9.1	11.7	12.0	11.7	11.3
Net margin (%)	7.0	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.0
Effective tax rate (%)	20.4	19.6	20.0	20.0	20.0
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	58.5	49.9	57.0	57.0	57.0
Interest cover (X)	40.2	77.2	79.7	82.4	84.9
Inventory days	26.1	24.2	26.5	29.2	29.2
Debtor days	50.5	51.7	49.1	47.0	47.2
Creditor days	58.2	61.4	60.5	58.3	58.5
Operating ROIC (%)	27.2	38.8	40.4	38.5	40.3
ROIC (%)	21.3	30.8	33.5	33.7	35.3
ROE (%)	22.5	31.4	32.6	31.4	30.1
ROA (%)	14.2	19.6	20.9	20.7	20.0
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Bakery and appetizers	4,282	5,035	5,790	6,589	7,420
Food Services	4,262 276	307	5,790 461	498	7,420 548
Snack (NSL brand and BAW)	163	445	668	768	883
OEM & bread wastes	68	445 39	39	768 41	43
Sources: NSL Foods; FSSIA estimates	00	აყ	აყ	41	43

Sources: NSL Foods; FSSIA estimates

# **Financial Statements**

NSL Foods

cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring net profit	333	541	663	732	801
Depreciation	120	141	181	211	231
ssociates & minorities	-	-	-	-	
Other non-cash items	26	19	(13)	0	C
Change in working capital	(36)	(18)	(101)	(57)	(62)
Cash flow from operations	443	683	667	886	971
Capex - maintenance	(200)	(280)	(400)	(300)	(200)
Capex - new investment	-	-	-	-	
let acquisitions & disposals	28	(106)	134	- (0)	(10)
Other investments (net) Cash flow from investing	20 (172)	(106) <b>(387)</b>	(266)	(9) <b>(309)</b>	(10) <b>(210</b> )
Dividends paid	(172)	(212)	(378)	(417)	(457)
Equity finance	(180)	(212)	(378)	0	(457)
Debt finance	(93)	(10)	(50)	5	5
Other financing cash flows	20	19	(4)	9	10
Cash flow from financing	(252)	(203)	(432)	(403)	(442)
lon-recurring cash flows	(202)	(200)	(402)	(400)	(
Other adjustments	0	29	0	0	C
let other adjustments	0	29	(29)	0	0
Novement in cash	19	123	(23)	174	320
ree cash flow to firm (FCFF)	281.68	305.57	414.87	588.04	773.10
ree cash flow to equity (FCFE)	198.69	334.18	318.66	591.22	776.18
Per share (THB)					
CFF per share	0.94	1.02	1.38	1.96	2.58
CFE per share	0.66	1.11	1.06	1.97	2.59
Recurring cash flow per share	1.60	2.34	2.77	3.15	3.44
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
angible fixed assets (gross) ess: Accumulated depreciation	1,896 (846)	2,073 (914)	2,394 (987)	2,562 (1,066)	2,615 (1,151)
angible fixed assets (net)	1,050	1,160	1,407	1,496	1,464
ntangible fixed assets (net)	47	44	44	44	44
ong-term financial assets	214	269	150	150	150
nvest. in associates & subsidiaries	6	0	6	6	
Cash & equivalents	134	257	239	413	732
VC receivable	732	922	955	1,083	1,221
nventories	274	320	453	515	581
Other current assets	7	14	3	4	4
Current assets	1,147	1,513	1,650	2,015	2,539
Other assets	36	91	70	79	. 89
otal assets	2,500	3,077	3,327	3,790	4,293
Common equity	1,560	1,889	2,174	2,489	2,833
finorities etc.	17	31	18	19	19
otal shareholders' equity	1,576	1,921	2,192	2,507	2,852
ong term debt	14	68	35	40	45
Other long-term liabilities	49	57	70	79	89
ong-term liabilities	64	125	105	119	134
VC payable	650	861	905	1,030	1,162
Short term debt	141	89	55	55	55
Other current liabilities	68	82	70	79	89
Current liabilities	859	1,032	1,030	1,164	1,307
otal liabilities and shareholders' equity	2,500	3,077	3,327	3,790	4,29
let working capital	295	313	436	493	55
nvested capital Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being tre	1,648	1,878	2,114	2,269	2,30
	ated as debt				
Per share (THB)	5.00	0.00	7.05	0.22	0.1
Book value per share	5.20	6.30	7.25	8.30	9.44
angible book value per share inancial strength	5.04	6.15	7.10	8.15	9.30
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-		(5.2)	(6.8)	(12.7)	(22.2
let debt/equity (%)	1.4				
let debt/equity (%) let debt/total assets (%)	0.9	(3.2)	(4.5)	(8.4)	•
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Sources: NSL Foods; FSSIA estimates

# **NSL FOODS PCL (NSL TB)**

**FSSIA ESG** rating

n/a

# Exhibit 15: 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.

Sources: FSSIA estimates

## Exhibit 16: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA			Domesti	c ratings					Glob	oal ratings ·			Blo	oomberg
	ESG score	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	67.71	5.69	4.38	4.05	4.77	4.43	4.02	Medium	57.34	BBB	22.70	60.82	67.31	1.19	35.34
Coverage	66.17	5.16	4.33	3.94	4.81	4.43	3.83	Medium	56.41	BBB	18.92	59.20	65.82	1.38	35.46
ITC	19.10				5.00	4.00	Declared								41.92
NSL	n/a													-	
RBF	43.18			BBB	5.00	4.00	Certified	High	54.77			48.11			51.39
SNNP	28.89				5.00	5.00	Declared	High		BBB					

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

## Exhibit 17: ESG disclosure from company's one report

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2023	FY ending Dec 31	FY 2023
Environmental		Governance	
Climate change policy	Yes	Board size / Independent directors (ID) / Female	8/4/2
Climate change opportunities discussed		No. of board meetings for the year / % attendance	6 /100
GHG scope 2 location-based policy	Yes	Company conducts board evaluations	Yes
Biodiversity policy		Number of non-executive directors on board	6
Energy efficiency policy	Yes	Director share ownership guidelines	No
Electricity used	Yes	Board age limit	No
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	Yes	Age of the youngest / oldest director	39 / 71
Waste reduction policy	Yes	Number of executives / female	6/1
Water policy	Yes	Executive share ownership guidelines	No
Water consumption	Yes	Size of audit committee / ID	3/3
Social		Audit committee meetings	5
Human rights policy	Yes	Audit committee meeting attendance (%)	100
Policy against child labor	Yes	Size of compensation committee / ID	/
Quality assurance and recall policy	Yes	Number of compensation committee meetings	
Consumer data protection policy	Yes	Compensation committee meeting attendance (%)	
Equal opportunity policy	Yes	Size of nomination committee / ID	/
Gender pay gap breakout		Number of nomination committee meetings	
Pct women in workforce	53.65	Nomination committee meeting attendance (%)	
Business ethics policy	Yes	Board compensation (THB m)	2.48
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes	Executive compensation (THB m)	26.6
Health and safety policy	Yes	Auditor fee (THB m)	2.1
Lost time incident rate - employees	-	(Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Jaiyos Co., Ltd.)	
Training policy	Yes	Total employee (no.)	2,781
Fair remuneration policy	Yes	Employee compensation (THB m)	572.3
Number of employees - CSR	Yes		
Total hours spent by firm - employee training	16,315		
Social supply chain management	Yes		

Source: FSSIA's compilation

# **Disclaimer for ESG scoring**

ESG score	Methodology				Rating					
The Dow Jones Sustainability Indices ( <u>DJSI</u> ) By S&P Global	process based on t from the annual S&	plies a transparent, rules the companies' Total Sus P Global Corporate Sust d companies within each	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)	managing business Candidates must pa 1) no irregular tradi float of >150 sharel up capital. Some ke 70%; 2) independel wrongdoing related	s responsibility in Enviror s with transparency in Go ass the preemptive criter ng of the board members holders, and combined bey disqualifying criteria in nt directors and free float to CG, social & environr and 5) earnings in red for	To be eligible for <u>SETESG 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>SETESG Index</u> 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)	annually by the Tha	strength in sustainable d ai IOD, with support from e results are from the pe erations.	the Stock	c Exchange of	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	treatment are incorp transparent and suff out of five the CG of criteria cover AGM date (45%), and aft circulation of sufficient exercised. The second and verifiability; and 3;	ent to which shareholder porated into business op fficiently disclosed. All for components to be evaluar procedures before the meter the meeting (10%). (To information for voting; and 2 d assesses 1) the ease of atte 1) openness for Q&A. The third sion issues, resolutions and v	erations a rm importa- ted annua- neeting (4! The first assort) facilitating ending meed d involves t	and information is ant elements of two ally. The assessment 5%), at the meeting esses 1) advance g how voting rights can be stings; 2) transparency the meeting minutes that	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)	establishment of ke policies. The Certifi (Companies deciding to Declaration of Intent to Certification, including managers and employ	elements of the Checklist include corruption risk assessment, nent of key controls, and the monitoring and developing of the Certification is good for three years.  I deciding to become a CAC certified member start by submitting a of Intent to kick off an 18-month deadline to submit the CAC Checklist for including risk assessment, in place of policy and control, training of and employees, establishment of whistleblowing channels, and tion of policies to all stakeholders.)				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 Sustainalytics	The Sustainalytics' 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. Sources to be reviewed include corporate publications and				A company's ESG risk rating score is the sum of unmanaged risk. The more risk is unmanaged, the higher ESG risk is scored.					
		feedback, ESG controversies	other media, NGO reports/websites, multi-sector pack, ESG controversies, issuer feedback on draft ESG reviews.			<b>Low</b> 10-20	Medium 20-30	<b>High</b> 30-40	Severe 40+	
ESG Book	positioned to outpe the principle of final helps explain future	ntifies sustainable compartifier over the long term. ncial materiality including a risk-adjusted performanures with higher material quarterly basis.	The metly informatince. Mater	hodology considers ion that significantly riality is applied by	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.					
MSCI		aim to measure a compa							nethodology to	
		71-10.000 Leade 43-8.570	r:	leading its industry in ma	nanaging the most significant ESG risks and opportunities					
	BBB 4.28	14-7.142 86-5.713 <b>Averag</b> 57-4.285	Average: a mixed or unexception industry peers			al track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to				
		29-2.856 <b>Lagga</b> i 00-1.428	Laggard:		lagging its industry based on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks					
Moody's ESG solutions	Moody's assesses believes that a com	the degree to which com pany integrating ESG factivative for shareholders on	ctors into	its business model and						
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. (Score ratings are 0 to 25 = poor; >25 to 50 = satisfactory; >50 to 75 = good; and >75 to 100 = excellent.)									
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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Date	Rating	Target price	Date	Rating	Target price	Date	Rating	Target price
18-Jan-2023	BUY	26.00	05-Feb-2024	BUY	26.00	26-Apr-2024	BUY	36.00
18-Oct-2023	BUY	24.00	02-Apr-2024	BUY	30.00	09-Sep-2024	BUY	43.00

Sureeporn Teewasuwet started covering this stock from 18-Jan-2023

Price and TP are in local currency

Source: FSSIA estimates

Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
NSL Foods	NSL TB	THB 32.00	BUY	Downside risks to our DCF-based TP include 1) a slower-than-expected consumption recovery; 2) high volatility in raw material prices; 3) the failure of new products; and 4) changing consumer demand and lifestyles.

Source: FSSIA estimates

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Stock ratings are based on absolute upside or downside, which we define as (target price\* - current price) / current price.

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

HOLD (H). The upside or downside is less than 10%.

REDUCE (R). The downside is 10% or more.

Unless otherwise specified, these recommendations are set with a 12-month horizon. Thus, it is possible that future price volatility may cause a temporary mismatch between upside/downside for a stock based on market price and the formal recommendation.

\* In most cases, the target price will equal the analyst's assessment of the current fair value of the stock. However, if the analyst doesn't think the market will reassess the stock over the specified time horizon due to a lack of events or catalysts, then the target price may differ from fair value. In most cases, therefore, our recommendation is an assessment of the mismatch between current market price and our assessment of current fair value.

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Overweight. The analyst expects the fundamental conditions of the sector to be positive over the next 12 months.

Neutral. The analyst expects the fundamental conditions of the sector to be maintained over the next 12 months.

Underweight. The analyst expects the fundamental conditions of the sector to be negative over the next 12 months.

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**Overweight (O).** Over the next 12 months, the analyst expects the market to score positively on two or more of the criteria used to determine market recommendations: index returns relative to the regional benchmark, index sharpe ratio relative to the regional benchmark and index returns relative to the market cost of equity.

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