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คาดการณ์ 2Q25 โตเด่น หนุนจากรับเงินเคลมประกัน

- คาดการณ์ 2Q25 เติบโตอย่างมีนัยทั้ง q-q และ y-y จากอัตราค่าไชน์ตันปรับขึ้นจากการรับเงินเคลมประกัน และรายได้ก่อสร้างเพิ่มขึ้น
- ติดตามความคืบหน้าของการเปลี่ยนวิธีรับรู้โครงการรถไฟฟ้าชานพุม-เหลืองซึ่งอยู่ระหว่างการพิจารณาจากผู้สอบบัญชี
- คงคำแนะนำซื้อ ราคาเหมาะสม 9.5 บาท มี Catalyst บวกระยะสั้นจากกำไร 2Q25 ที่แข็งแกร่งและประมาณการมี Upside

TARGET PRICE	THB9.50
CLOSE	THB6.45
UP/DOWNSIDE	+47.3%
PRIOR TP	THB9.50
CHANGE IN TP	UNCHANGED
TP vs CONSENSUS	+1.9%

KEY STOCK DATA

YE Dec (THB m)	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	30,005	31,616	32,583	33,217
Net profit	(2,357)	934	1,023	1,050
EPS (THB)	(1.55)	0.61	0.67	0.69
vs Consensus (%)	-	4.3	(1.8)	(7.8)
EBITDA	(139)	2,104	2,165	2,214
Recurring net profit	(1,268)	934	1,023	1,050
Core EPS (THB)	(0.83)	0.61	0.67	0.69
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	nm	-	-	-
EPS growth (%)	nm	nm	9.5	2.6
Core P/E (x)	(7.7)	10.5	9.6	9.3
Dividend yield (%)	-	4.7	4.7	4.7
EV/EBITDA (x)	(111.4)	7.2	7.0	7.1
Price/book (x)	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
Net debt/Equity (%)	29.7	26.3	26.2	27.3
ROE (%)	(7.2)	5.3	5.6	5.6

การรับเงินเคลมประกันผลักดันอัตราค่าไชน์ตันและกำไรใน 2Q25

เราประเมินกำไร 2Q25 อยู่ที่ 480 ล้านบาท ซึ่งเป็นระดับสูงสุดในรอบ 21 ไตรมาส เพิ่มขึ้น 41% y-y และโตก้าวกระโดดจาก 25 ล้านบาทใน 2Q24 ดีกว่าที่เคยคาดการณ์ลดลง q-q ปัจจัยขับเคลื่อนหลักมาจากการปรับขึ้นอัตราค่าไชน์ตันที่สูงขึ้น คาดที่ระดับ 11.7% ปรับขึ้นจาก 7.6% ใน 1Q25 และ 2.8% ใน 2Q24 จากการรับรู้เงินรับเคลมประกันในส่วนค่าซ่อมแซมอุโมงค์ระบายน้ำบึงหนองบอนซึ่งคาดว่าจะ 400 ล้านบาท และจะถูกบันทึกกลับในส่วนของต้นทุน อย่างไรก็ตามหากไม่รวมรายการดังกล่าว อัตราค่าไชน์ตันธุรกิจก่อสร้างคาดว่าจะอยู่กรอบที่บริษัทตั้งเป้าไว้ที่ 7% ใน 2Q25 (เทียบกับ 7.3% ใน 1Q25 และ 2.5% ใน 2Q24)

แนวโน้มรายได้ใน 2Q25 โตตามความคืบหน้าของงานก่อสร้าง

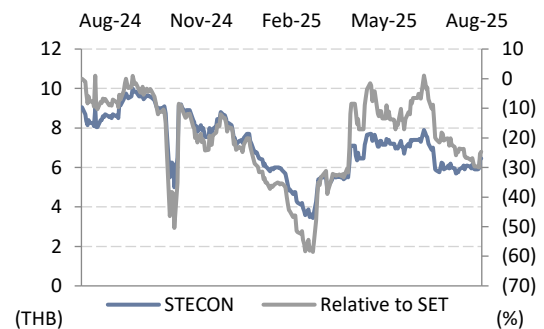
แม้อัตราค่าไชน์ตันใน 2Q25 คาดว่าจะอยู่ในระดับแข็งแกร่ง แต่กำไรของ STECON ยังได้รับแรงหนุนเพิ่มเติมจากรายได้ที่เพิ่มขึ้นสู่ระดับ 8.96 พันล้านบาท (+37% q-q, +6% y-y) ซึ่งเป็นระดับสูงสุดในรอบ 5 ปี สาเหตุหลักมาจากการเร่งงานก่อสร้างโรงไฟฟ้าพลังงานแสงอาทิตย์ 7 โครงการ มูลค่ารวม 6.5 พันล้านบาท โดยคาดว่าความคืบหน้าของโครงการจะอยู่ที่ 60-70% ภายในสิ้น 2Q25 เทียบกับ 15-30% ใน 1Q25

การเปลี่ยนวิธีบันทึกโครงการรถไฟฟ้าชานพุม-เหลืองยังอยู่ระหว่างการพิจารณา

ปัจจุบันผู้สอบบัญชียังอยู่ระหว่างพิจารณาการเปลี่ยนแปลงวิธีการรับรู้ของโครงการรถไฟฟ้าชานพุมและเหลือง ภายหลังจากฝ่ายบริหารลาออกจากโครงการดังกล่าว เราให้สมมติฐานเชิงอนุรักษ์นิยม โดยยังคงใช้วิธีการบันทึกบัญชีแบบเดิมคือรับรู้เป็นบริษัทร่วม ทำให้เราคาดว่า 2Q25 ยังรับรู้ส่วนแบ่งขาดทุนจากบริษัทร่วมราว 138 ล้านบาท ใกล้เคียงกับ 1Q25 แต่ดีขึ้นจาก 2Q24 อย่างไรก็ดี หากไม่มีการรับรู้ส่วนแบ่งขาดทุนดังกล่าว กำไร 2Q25 มีโอกาสปรับขึ้นได้อีกราว 100 ล้านบาท จากคาดการณ์กำไรของเราในปัจจุบันที่ 480 ล้านบาท

คงคำแนะนำซื้อ จาก Catalyst บวก และประมาณการมี Upside

หากผลประกอบการออกมาตามคาด กำไรสุทธิ 1H25 ของ STECON อยู่ที่ 822 ล้านบาท (เพิ่มขึ้น 22 เท่าจาก 1H24) หรือคิดเป็น 88% ของประมาณการทั้งปี 934 ล้านบาท (เทียบกับขาดทุน 2.4 พันล้านบาทในปี 2024) ซึ่งมี Upside ที่ยังไม่รวมจากการรับรู้เงินรับเคลมประกัน เราคงคำแนะนำซื้อ ราคาเหมาะสม 9.5 บาท โดยมีปัจจัยสนับสนุนจากแนวโน้มผลประกอบการ 2Q25 ที่เป็นบวก และ Backlog แข็งแกร่ง 1 แสนล้านบาท ขณะที่ประเด็นที่ต้องติดตามคือจำนวนเงินที่บริษัทจะได้รับจริงจากการเคลมประกัน รวมถึงความชัดเจนของวิธีการรับรู้บัญชีของโครงการรถไฟฟ้าชานพุม-เหลือง



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	7.5	(12.2)	(32.1)
Relative to country (%)	(5.7)	(15.4)	(27.8)
Mkt cap (USD m)	296		
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m)	1.4		
Free float (%)	66		
Major shareholder	Charnvirakul family (24%)		
12m high/low (THB)	10.20/3.38		
Issued shares (m)	1,525.11		

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates



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Investment thesis

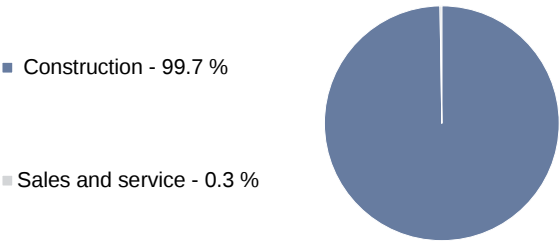
The 2024 operating performance turned into a loss, the first in six years, mainly due to allowance for doubtful accounts on the CFP and advanced repair expenses related to the Bueng Nong Bon drainage tunnel. However, management is confident because it has set aside reserves in full in 4Q24. More importantly, the performance should turn around in 2025 after repair expenses related to the drainage tunnel no longer pressure the gross margin from 1Q25 onward, and STECON has received the insurance claim. Also, if the auditor considers changing the accounting treatment of the Pink and Yellow Lines from equity accounting as associates to long-term investments, the loss sharing from this project would disappear.

Company profile

Established in 1962, STEC operates mainly a construction business. It has businesses from both the public and private sectors. From mid-to-large-sized projects, STEC divides its business into five categories. They include infrastructure, building, power & energy, industrial, and environment. In 2022, STEC earned 70% of its revenue from the private sector and 30% from the public sector. By category, infrastructure contributed the highest revenue share (56%), followed by power (27%).

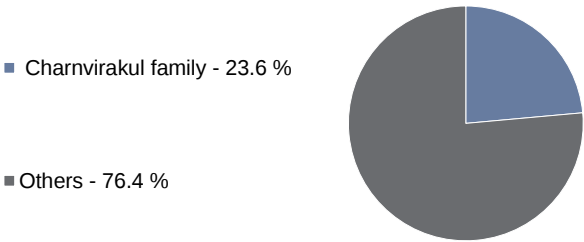
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Principal activities (revenue, 2024)



Source: Stecon Group

Major shareholders



Source: Stecon Group

Catalysts

Key potential catalysts include 1) new auctions, particularly for public utilities and sizable private contracts, 2) investment expansion in new businesses, 3) a change of the accounting treatment for the Pink and Yellow Lines from an associate to an investment, 4) receipt of the insurance claim for advanced repair expenses relating to the drainage tunnel, and 5) payment of debts from the UJV group for the CFP.

Risks to our call

Downside risks to our TP include 1) volatility of the gross margin, 2) a delay and additional repair expenses on the Bueng Nong Bon drainage tunnel project, 3) a delay in the commencement of its construction of U-Tapao Airport, 4) a delay in new auctions, 5) a higher-than-expected loss sharing from associates, and 6) unchanged accounting treatment for the Pink and Yellow Lines as an associate.

Event calendar

Date	Event
14 Aug 25	2Q25 results announcement

Key assumptions

	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue (THB m)	31,616	32,583	33,217
GPM (%)	6.8	6.8	6.8
SG&A to revenue (%)	2.8	2.8	2.8
Associates (THB m)	(180)	(80)	(75)

Source: FSSIA estimates

Earnings sensitivity

- For every 5% increase in construction revenue, we estimate 2025 net profit to rise by 5%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.25% increase in construction GPM, we estimate 2025 net profit to rise by 7%, and vice versa, all else being equal.
- For every 0.1% increase in SG&A to revenue, we estimate 2025 net profit to fall by 3%, and vice versa, all else being equal

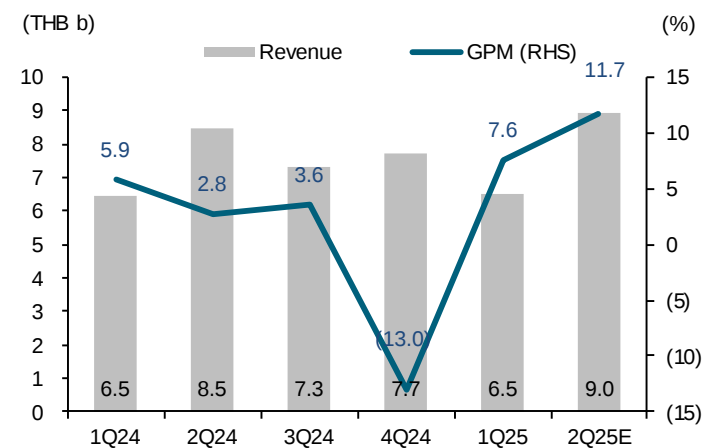
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Exhibit 1: STECON – 2Q25 results preview

	2Q24	3Q24	4Q24	1Q25	2Q25E	Change	
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)
Total revenue	8,457	7,349	7,715	6,526	8,963	37.3	6.0
Cost of sales	8,221	7,081	8,717	6,029	7,915	31.3	(3.7)
Gross profit	236	268	(1,002)	497	1,048	110.8	344.4
SG&A	242	235	171	206	296	43.2	22.1
Operating profit	(6)	33	(1,173)	291	752	158.8	na
Other income	240	22	23	255	27	(89.4)	(88.7)
Interest expense	32	37	54	61	65	14.2	102.2
Tax expense	(6)	(19)	135	(3)	(92)	na	na
Associates	(166)	(142)	(130)	(136)	(138)	na	na
Reported net profit	25	(147)	(2,247)	342	480	40.6	1,801.0
Core profit	25	(147)	(1,158)	342	480	40.6	1,801.0
Key ratios (%)						(ppt)	(ppt)
Gross margin	2.8	3.6	(13.0)	7.6	11.7	4.1	8.9
SG&A / Sales	2.9	3.2	2.2	3.2	3.3	0.1	0.4
Operating margin	(0.1)	0.5	(15.2)	4.5	8.4	3.9	8.5
Net margin	0.3	(2.0)	(29.1)	5.2	5.4	0.1	5.1
Norm margin	0.3	(2.0)	(15.0)	5.2	5.4	0.1	5.1

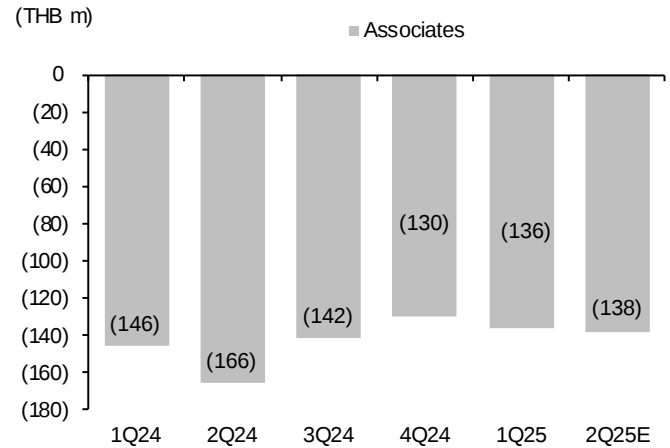
Sources: STECON; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 2: Quarterly revenue and GPM



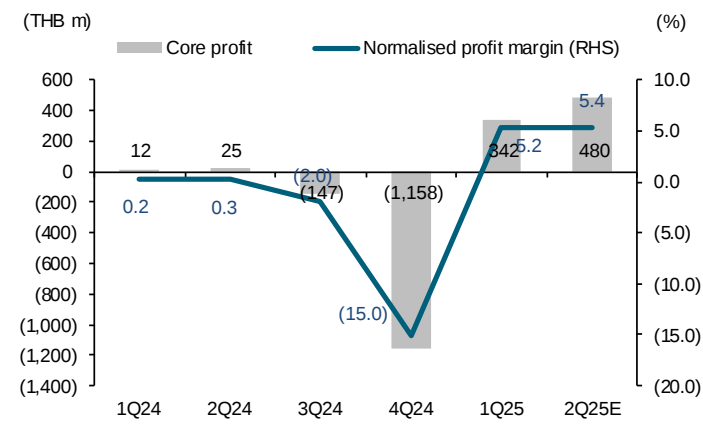
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Exhibit 3: Quarterly loss from associates



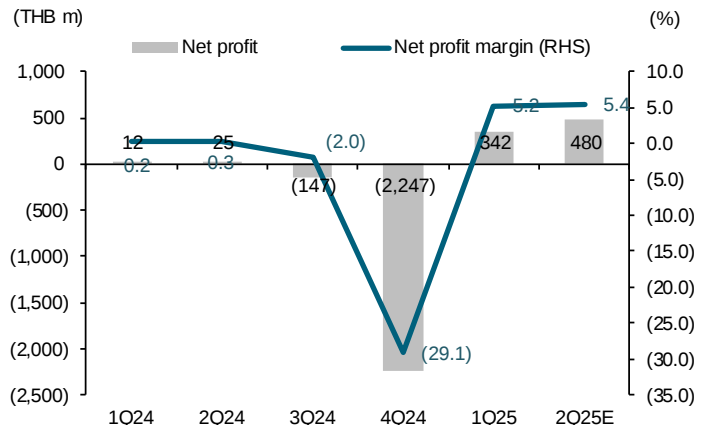
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Exhibit 4: Quarterly core profit and norm profit margin



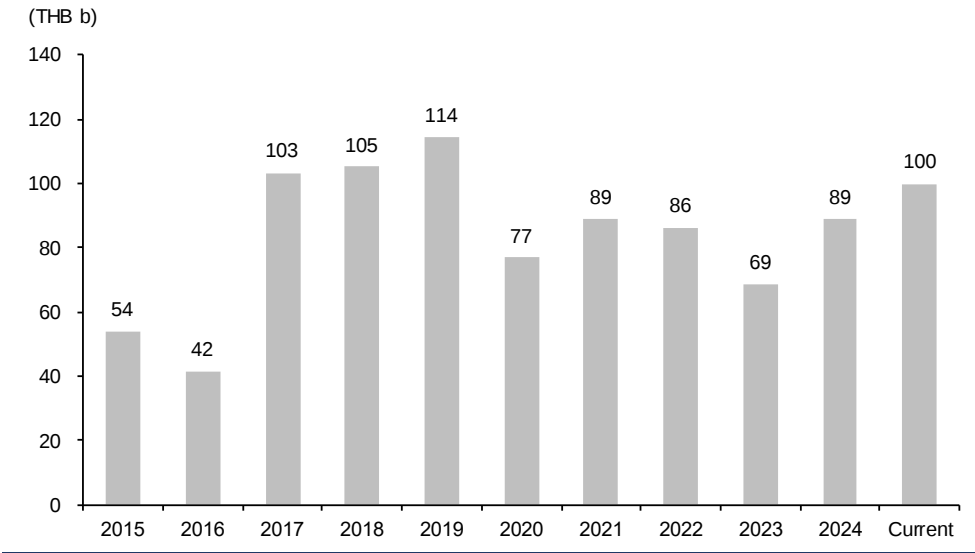
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Exhibit 5: Quarterly net profit and NPM



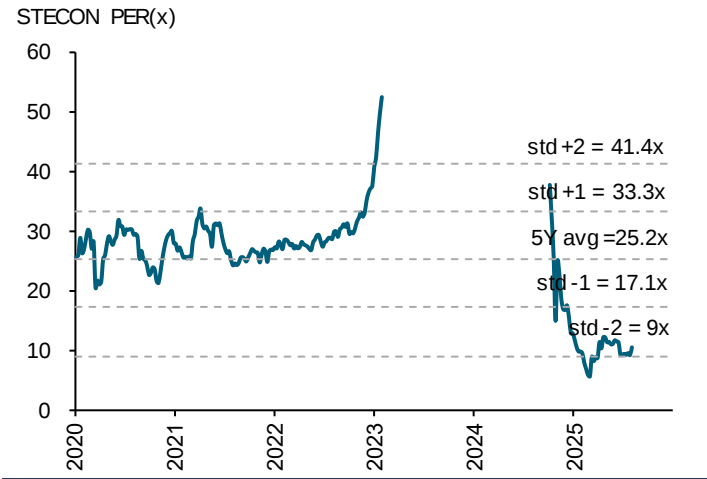
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Exhibit 6: Backlog (excluding the U-Tapao airport project worth THB27b)



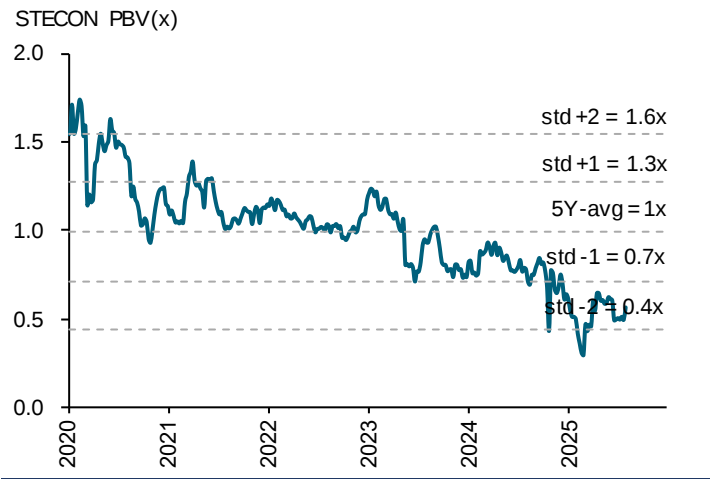
Source: STECON

Exhibit 7: Historical P/E band



Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 8: Historical P/BV band



Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA estimates

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Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	29,598	30,005	31,616	32,583	33,217
Cost of goods sold	(28,299)	(30,123)	(29,470)	(30,369)	(30,956)
Gross profit	1,299	(118)	2,146	2,214	2,260
Other operating income	-	-	-	-	-
Operating costs	(834)	(846)	(887)	(914)	(932)
Operating EBITDA	1,270	(139)	2,104	2,165	2,214
Depreciation	(805)	(825)	(845)	(865)	(885)
Goodwill amortisation	0	0	0	0	0
Operating EBIT	464	(964)	1,258	1,300	1,329
Net financing costs	(1)	(125)	(243)	(245)	(247)
Associates	(70)	(584)	(180)	(80)	(75)
Recurring non-operating income	151	(277)	122	211	216
Non-recurring items	23	(1,089)	0	0	0
Profit before tax	637	(2,456)	1,138	1,266	1,299
Tax	(102)	68	(189)	(228)	(234)
Profit after tax	536	(2,388)	949	1,038	1,065
Minority interests	(10)	31	(15)	(15)	(15)
Preferred dividends	0	0	0	0	0
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
Reported net profit	526	(2,357)	934	1,023	1,050
Non-recurring items & goodwill (net)	(23)	1,089	0	0	0
Recurring net profit	502	(1,268)	934	1,023	1,050
Per share (THB)					
Recurring EPS *	0.33	(0.83)	0.61	0.67	0.69
Reported EPS	0.34	(1.55)	0.61	0.67	0.69
DPS	0.17	0.00	0.30	0.30	0.30
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	1,525	1,519	1,519	1,519	1,519
Growth					
Revenue (%)	(2.4)	1.4	5.4	3.1	1.9
Operating EBITDA (%)	(29.2)	nm	nm	2.9	2.3
Operating EBIT (%)	(38.4)	nm	nm	3.3	2.3
Recurring EPS (%)	(38.8)	nm	nm	9.5	2.6
Reported EPS (%)	(38.7)	nm	nm	9.5	2.6
Operating performance					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	4.4	(0.4)	6.8	6.8	6.8
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	7.1	2.4	9.5	9.4	9.5
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	4.3	(0.5)	6.7	6.6	6.7
Operating EBIT margin (%)	1.6	(3.2)	4.0	4.0	4.0
Net margin (%)	1.7	(4.2)	3.0	3.1	3.2
Effective tax rate (%)	16.0	2.8	16.6	18.0	18.0
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	52.3	-	48.8	44.5	43.4
Interest cover (X)	566.9	(9.9)	5.7	6.2	6.3
Inventory days	7.4	10.9	11.4	9.1	9.2
Debtor days	124.3	133.5	136.1	136.6	137.4
Creditor days	319.5	267.0	283.0	285.9	287.5
Operating ROIC (%)	(9.8)	229.3	(356.7)	(189.8)	(128.9)
ROIC (%)	2.6	(4.2)	4.2	4.5	4.5
ROE (%)	2.7	(7.2)	5.3	5.6	5.6
ROA (%)	1.0	(2.4)	2.2	2.3	2.3
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
Revenue by Division (THB m)					
Construction	29,527	29,930	31,359	32,307	32,919
Sales and service	71	75	257	276	298

Sources: Stecon Group; FSSIA estimates

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Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring net profit	502	(1,268)	934	1,023	1,050
Depreciation	805	825	845	865	885
Associates & minorities	-	-	-	-	-
Other non-cash items	23	(1,089)	0	0	0
Change in working capital	(2,001)	2,340	555	492	400
Cash flow from operations	(670)	808	2,334	2,380	2,335
Capex - maintenance	-	-	-	-	-
Capex - new investment	(574)	(1,349)	(1,107)	(975)	(913)
Net acquisitions & disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Other investments (net)	1,585	(4,098)	(308)	(1,311)	(1,367)
Cash flow from investing	1,011	(5,447)	(1,415)	(2,286)	(2,280)
Dividends paid	(210)	0	(374)	(409)	(420)
Equity finance	0	(14)	0	0	0
Debt finance	(111)	345	21	9	9
Other financing cash flows	(2,770)	2,636	(48)	265	75
Cash flow from financing	(3,091)	2,966	(400)	(135)	(335)
Non-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	-
Other adjustments	0	0	0	0	0
Net other adjustments	0	0	0	0	0
Movement in cash	(2,751)	(1,672)	519	(40)	(280)
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	383.73	(4,480.49)	1,196.54	376.31	340.30
Free cash flow to equity (FCFE)	(2,540.29)	(1,658.03)	892.37	368.89	139.78

Per share (THB)

FCFF per share	0.25	(2.94)	0.78	0.25	0.22
FCFE per share	(1.67)	(1.09)	0.59	0.24	0.09
Recurring cash flow per share	0.87	(1.01)	1.17	1.24	1.27

Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Tangible fixed assets (gross)	10,174	10,683	11,217	11,778	12,366
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(5,467)	(5,452)	(5,725)	(6,176)	(6,736)
Tangible fixed assets (net)	4,707	5,231	5,492	5,602	5,630
Intangible fixed assets (net)	0	0	0	0	0
Long-term financial assets	0	2	0	0	0
Invest. in associates & subsidiaries	21,342	24,512	25,738	27,025	28,376
Cash & equivalents	4,242	2,570	3,089	3,048	2,768
A/C receivable	10,386	11,559	12,014	12,382	12,622
Inventories	698	1,054	727	749	764
Other current assets	5,309	4,899	5,533	5,588	5,644
Current assets	20,636	20,082	21,363	21,767	21,798
Other assets	764	1,690	775	798	814
Total assets	47,449	51,516	53,367	55,192	56,618
Common equity	17,701	17,411	17,972	18,586	19,215
Minorities etc.	371	432	447	462	477
Total shareholders' equity	18,072	17,843	18,419	19,048	19,693
Long term debt	265	610	631	640	649
Other long-term liabilities	2,415	2,908	2,845	3,095	3,156
Long-term liabilities	2,680	3,518	3,476	3,735	3,805
A/C payable	21,244	21,619	22,764	23,460	23,916
Short term debt	5,082	7,255	7,300	7,400	7,500
Other current liabilities	373	1,281	1,409	1,550	1,705
Current liabilities	26,698	30,156	31,473	32,410	33,121
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	47,449	51,516	53,367	55,192	56,618
Net working capital	(5,222)	(5,389)	(5,899)	(6,291)	(6,591)
Invested capital	21,591	26,046	26,106	27,134	28,229

* Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being treated as debt

Per share (THB)

Book value per share	11.61	11.46	11.83	12.23	12.65
Tangible book value per share	11.61	11.46	11.83	12.23	12.65

Financial strength

Net debt/equity (%)	6.1	29.7	26.3	26.2	27.3
Net debt/total assets (%)	2.3	10.3	9.1	9.0	9.5
Current ratio (x)	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
CF interest cover (x)	(1,811.6)	(1.5)	9.2	6.5	5.3

Valuation	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring P/E (x) *	19.6	(7.7)	10.5	9.6	9.3
Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *	28.8	(11.4)	15.4	14.1	13.7
Reported P/E (x)	18.7	(4.2)	10.5	9.6	9.3
Dividend yield (%)	2.7	-	4.7	4.7	4.7
Price/book (x)	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
Price/tangible book (x)	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
EV/EBITDA (x) **	8.9	(111.4)	7.2	7.0	7.1
EV/EBITDA @ target price (x) **	12.6	(144.7)	9.4	9.2	9.2
EV/invested capital (x)	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6

* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted ** EBITDA includes associate income and recurring non-operating income

Sources: Stecon Group; FSSIA estimates

Stecon Group (STECON TB)

FSSIA ESG rating

n/a

Exhibit 9: 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 10: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA ESG score	Domestic ratings						Global ratings						Bloomberg	
		DJSI	SET ESG	SET ESGCG score Rating	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
CK	42.81	--	--	AA	5.00	4.00	--	High	51.88	B	--	49.11	22.00	2.58	57.10
ITD	10.63	--	--	--	--	4.00	--	Severe	--	--	--	--	13.00	--	--
PYLON	18.00	--	--	--	4.00	4.00	Certified	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
SEAFCO	14.00	--	--	--	5.00	4.00	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
STECON	n/a	--	--	AA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	22.00	3.01	52.54

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

Exhibit 11: ESG score by Bloomberg

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
ESG financial materiality scores - ESG score	1.44	1.46	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.72	1.73	3.01
BESG environmental pillar score	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	0.40	1.32
BESG social pillar score	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.18	2.22	4.85
BESG governance pillar score	4.00	4.10	3.76	3.75	4.07	4.06	4.02	4.05
ESG disclosure score	31.84	31.84	31.84	33.23	34.92	45.38	46.50	52.54
Environmental disclosure score	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.45	16.43	32.74
Social disclosure score	14.24	14.24	14.24	18.41	20.98	33.16	30.56	32.38
Governance disclosure score	81.10	81.10	81.10	81.10	83.59	92.35	92.35	92.35
Environmental								
Emissions reduction initiatives	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Climate change policy	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Climate change opportunities discussed	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Risks of climate change discussed	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
GHG scope 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	1
GHG scope 2 location-based	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0
GHG Scope 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0
Carbon per unit of production	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Biodiversity policy	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Energy efficiency policy	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Total energy consumption	—	—	—	—	—	0	3	3
Renewable energy use	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electricity used	—	—	—	—	—	0	1	1
Fuel used - natural gas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 12: ESG score by Bloomberg (cont.)

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Waste reduction policy	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Hazardous waste	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total waste	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	0
Waste recycled	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Waste sent to landfills	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Environmental supply chain management	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Water policy	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Water consumption	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social								
Human rights policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Policy against child labor	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Quality assurance and recall policy	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Consumer data protection policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Equal opportunity policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gender pay gap breakout	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Pct women in workforce	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	27
Pct disabled in workforce	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Business ethics policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Health and safety policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Lost time incident rate - employees	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	0
Total recordable incident rate - employees	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	0
Training policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fair remuneration policy	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Number of employees – CSR	1,231	1,377	1,513	1,652	1,754	1,720	1,669	1,593
Employee turnover pct	—	—	—	—	7	10	13	10
Total hours spent by firm - employee training	31,138	41,280	49,015	54,589	7,708	11,593	15,772	15,930
Social supply chain management	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
Governance								
Board size	12	12	12	11	11	11	11	12
No. of independent directors (ID)	7	7	7	6	7	7	7	7
No. of women on board	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
No. of non-executive directors on board	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Company conducts board evaluations	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
No. of board meetings for the year	5	7	5	10	8	7	4	4
Board meeting attendance pct	100	98	98	89	100	99	100	96
Board duration (years)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Director share ownership guidelines	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Age of the youngest director	40	41	42	43	44	45	51	52
Age of the oldest director	72	73	75	76	77	77	78	79
No. of executives / company managers	20	21	20	17	20	20	20	21
No. of female executives	4	5	5	4	5	5	5	6
Executive share ownership guidelines	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Size of audit committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
No. of ID on audit committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Audit committee meetings	6	7	5	8	8	11	5	8
Audit meeting attendance %	100	100	100	97	100	100	100	100
Size of compensation committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
No. of ID on compensation committee	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
No. of compensation committee meetings	2	3	2	2	3	3	3	4
Compensation meeting attendance %	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Size of nomination committee	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
No. of nomination committee meetings	2	3	2	2	3	3	3	4
Nomination meeting attendance %	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Sustainability governance								
Verification type	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

Sources: Bloomberg; 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 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. <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.																			
MSCI	MSCI ESG ratings aim to measure a company's management of financially relevant ESG risks and opportunities. It uses a rules-based methodology to identify industry leaders and laggards according to their exposure to ESG risks and how well they manage those risks relative to peers. <table><tr><td>AAA</td><td>8.571-10.000</td><td rowspan="3">Leader:</td><td rowspan="3">leading its industry in managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities</td></tr><tr><td>AA</td><td>7.143-8.570</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>5.714-7.142</td></tr><tr><td>BBB</td><td>4.286-5.713</td><td rowspan="3">Average:</td><td rowspan="3">a mixed or unexceptional track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers</td></tr><tr><td>BB</td><td>2.857-4.285</td></tr><tr><td>B</td><td>1.429-2.856</td></tr><tr><td>CCC</td><td>0.000-1.428</td><td>Laggard:</td><td>lagging its industry based on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks</td></tr></table>	AAA	8.571-10.000	Leader:	leading its industry in managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities	AA	7.143-8.570	A	5.714-7.142	BBB	4.286-5.713	Average:	a mixed or unexceptional track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers	BB	2.857-4.285	B	1.429-2.856	CCC	0.000-1.428	Laggard:	lagging its industry based on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks
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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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Stecon Group (STECON TB)



Date	Rating	Target price	Date	Rating	Target price	Date	Rating	Target price
17-Aug-2022	HOLD	13.00	07-May-2024	REDUCE	9.60	06-Mar-2025	BUY	8.00
05-Jan-2024	HOLD	10.00	07-Aug-2024	REDUCE	8.00	26-May-2025	BUY	9.50

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Price and TP are in local currency

Source: FSSIA estimates

Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Stecon Group	STECON TB	THB 6.45	BUY	Downside risks to our TP include 1) volatility of the gross margin, 2) a delay and additional repair expenses on the Bueng Nong Bon drainage tunnel project, 3) a delay in the commencement of its construction of U-Tapao Airport, 4) a delay in new auctions, and 5) a higher-than-expected loss sharing from associates.

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Stock ratings

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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.

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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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