

## **Thailand Market Strategy**

## Rollover SET target เป็นปี 2026 ที่ 1,400 จุด

- ตลาดคาดหวังเชิงบวกต่อการบรรลุข้อตกลงการค้าสหรัฐฯ-จีน ด้านนโยบายการเงินมีแนวโน้มทยอยผ่อนคลายลง ต่อเนื่อง
- มาตรการกระตุ้น Quick Big Win จะเริ่มเห็นผลในเดือน พ.ย. เป็นต้นไป ส่วนการส่งออกมีแนวโน้มชะลอไม่แรง อย่างที่เคยคาด
- จับตากำไร 3Q25 บจ. หากไม่แย่กว่าคาด มอง Downside EPS จำกัด ปรับใช้ SET Target ปี 2026 ที่ 1,400 จุด

#### ตลาดคาดหวังการเจรจาการค้าสหรัฐฯ-จีนในทางบวก

ในช่วงสัปดาห์ที่ผ่านมามีสัญญาณบวกในเรื่องการเจรจาการค้าระหว่างสหรัฐฯ-จีน ที่บรรลุกรอบข้อตกลงการค้า โดยจับ ตาการพบกันของทรัปม์กับสีจิ้นผิงที่โซล หากสามารถได้ข้อตกลงการค้าอย่างเป็นทางการ โดยอัตราภาษีที่เก็บซึ่งกันละ กันไม่ได้ต่างจากระดับปัจจุบัน เรามองว่าตลาดจะตอบรับในเชิงบวกต่อความกังวลผลกระทบทางเศรษฐกิจที่ลดลง ส่วน นโยบายการเงินของธนาคารต่างๆทั่วโลกยังคงผ่อนคลาย โดยเฉพาะ Fed ซึ่งคาดว่าจะปรับลดดอกเบี้ยลงอีก 2 ครั้งปีนี้ และ 3 ครั้งปีหน้า สู่ระดับราว 3% ยังคงเป็นปัจจัยสนับสนุนสภาพคล่องในตลาดทุนและเป็นบวกต่อ Valuation ของ สินทรัพย์เลี้ยง

### ผลของมาตรการกระตุ้นเศรษฐกิจไทยจะเริ่ม Kick Off

จากแผ่นแร่งฟื้นเศรษฐกิจไทย Quick Big Win ผ่าน 5 เสาหลัก ทั้งการอัดฉีดเม็ดเงินกระตุ้นการบริโภคและการ ท่องเที่ยวระยะสั้น มาตรการลดภาระหนี้สินของประชาชนและเพิ่มสภาพคล่องให้กลุ่ม SMES รวมถึงการปลดล็อค ข้อจำกัดสำหรับการลงทุน คาดว่าจะเริ่มเห็นผลบวกในเดือน พ.ย. 25 เป็นต้นไปจนถึงปี 2026 ชดเชยภาคการส่งออกที่ โตชะลอ อย่างไรก็ตามมูลค่าส่งออกล่าสุดเดือน ก.ย. ยังเร่งตัวขึ้นทำ New High และผลกระทบจากภาษีที่น้อยกว่าที่ เคยกังวล ทำให้ประมาณการ GDP ของไทยอาจดีกว่าที่ตลาดประเมินเล็กน้อย ขณะที่กนง.คาดปรับลดดอกเบี้ย เพิ่มเติมอีก 0.25 bps สู่ระดับ 1.25% ในปลายปีนี้หรือตันปีหน้า

#### ์ จับตากำไรบจ. 3Q25 ว่าจะหำไปสู่การปรับลดประมาณการหรือไม่

ภาพรวมเราประเมินกำไร 3Q25 ของบจ.จะลดลง 33% q-q จากทั้งปัจจัยฤดูกาล เศรษฐกิจในประเทศที่ชะลอและไร้ มาตรการกระตุ้นจากความไม่แน่นอนทางการเมือง รวมถึงราคา Commodity ที่ปรับตัวลง แต่คาดยังเติบโตได้ 25% y-y จากฐานต่ำปีก่อนของกลุ่มพลังงานโดยเฉพาะโรงกลั่นที่ขาดทุน หากกำไรออกมาตามคาดจะทำให้ 9M25 คิดเป็น 74% ของประมาณการทั้งปี ขณะที่แนวโน้ม 4Q25 มีโอกาสเร่งตัวขึ้น จึงคาดว่า Downside Risk ของประมาณการจะจำกัด

#### ปรับใช้ SET Target ปี 2026 ที่ 1,400 จุด

เรามีการ Rollover SET target เป็นปี 2026 ที่ 1,400 จุด (อิง EPS 93 บาทและ Target PER 15 เท่า) ระยะสั้นยัง คาดหวังดัชนีที่ยังมีแนวโน้มไต่ระดับขึ้นจากปัจจัยต่าง ๆที่มีพัฒนาการเชิงบวก ทั้งการค้าระหว่างสหรัฐฯ-จีน แนวโน้ม การลดดอกเบี้ยของ Fed รวมถึงมาตรการกระตุ้นเศรษฐกิจในประเทศ ก่อนที่จะถึงการเลือกตั้งทั่วไปในปลายเดือน มี.ค. เรายังคาดหวังกลุ่ม Domestic Play ซึ่งยัง Laggard ตลาดมีโอกาสเร่งตัวขึ้น Top Pick ยังคงเป็น BA, BDMS, CENTEL, CPALL, ICHI, KTB, MTC, and SYNEX



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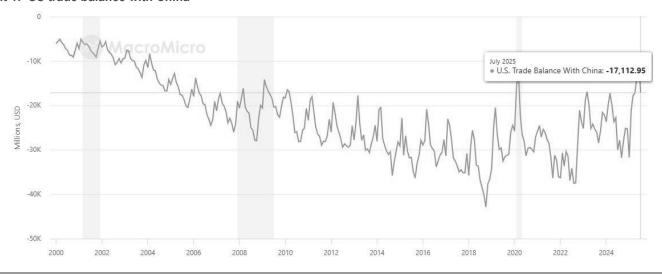
#### **Expect positive US-China trade developments**

Following the agreement between the US and China to extend trade negotiations by 90 days—from 11 August 2025 to 10 November 2025—the US maintained a 30% tariff on Chinese imports, while China imposed a 10% tariff on US goods. This extension helped ease market concerns, preventing a resurgence of the volatility that had weighed on financial markets during 2Q25. However, the issue has resurfaced as a key market focus in October, with tensions between the two countries escalating. Both sides have introduced retaliatory trade measures: China halted soybean purchases from the US and imposed export controls on rare earth minerals, while the US responded by reducing imports of cooking oil and tightening software export restrictions.

Adding to the pressure, President Trump announced that he may raise tariffs on Chinese goods by another 100%—bringing the total to 130%—in November as a retaliatory move. This renewed trade war rhetoric has once again become a source of market anxiety, prompting short-term capital outflows from risk assets into safe-haven assets.

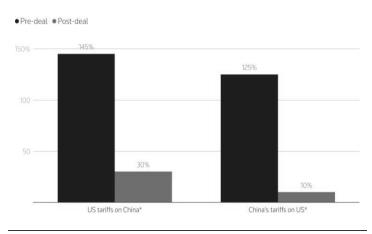
Nevertheless, the latest round of US-China trade talks in Malaysia showed encouraging progress, as both sides reached a constructive cooperation framework on several previously contentious issues. The next key event to watch will be the sideline meeting between Trump and Xi Jinping during the APEC Summit in South Korea at the end of October. A positive outcome—for example, if the two sides agree to maintain current tariff levels or at least extend the negotiation deadline beyond November—would likely ease market concerns about the potential impact on both economies and the global outlook.

Exhibit 1: US trade balance with China



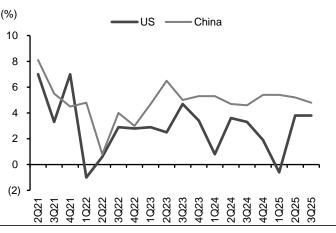
Source: MacroMicro

Exhibit 2: Current US and China tariffs rate on each other



Source: Reuters

Exhibit 3: US and China quarterly GDP growth



Source: Bloomberg

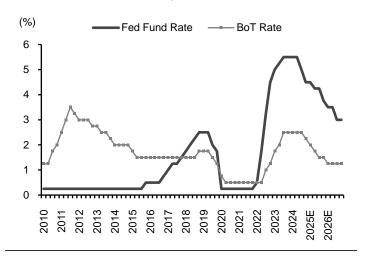
#### Another 50 bps and 75 bps cuts Fed rate cuts expected in 4Q25 and 2026

Global monetary policy, excluding Japan, remains on an easing trajectory. The Federal Reserve (Fed) Chair recently delivered a clear signal of further rate cuts ahead and indicated that the Fed may be nearing the end of its balance sheet reduction program, reflecting concerns about US economic slowdown, particularly evident in the labor market, where nonfarm payroll growth has declined over the past four months.

Meanwhile, inflation—which had accelerated during June to August—has begun to show signs of easing, with the latest September US CPI coming in below expectations (headline +0.3% m-m, core +0.2% m-m). This has strengthened market confidence in the outlook for monetary policy easing. The market currently expects the Fed to cut rates twice more this year, by 25 bps each at the October and December meetings, bringing the policy rate to 3.50–3.75%, followed by three additional cuts totaling 75 bps in 2026 to 2.75–3%. This outlook is more dovish than the Fed's latest September Dot Plot, which projected only one rate cut in 2026.

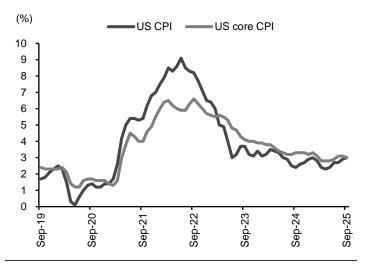
Expectations of slower US and global growth, along with prospects of further monetary easing, have led to a weaker US dollar, with the dollar index declining to the 98–99 range from its early-October peak of 99.6, while the US10Y treasury yield has fallen below 4%, down from 4.2% at the beginning of October.

Exhibit 4: Fed and BoT policy rate



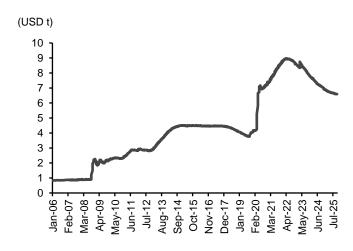
Sources: Bloomberg and FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 6: US CPI and core CPI



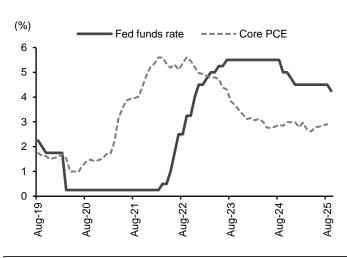
Source: Bloomberg

Exhibit 5: Fed's balance sheet



Source: Bloomberg

Exhibit 7: Fed fund rate and US core PCE



Source: Bloomberg

#### The "Quick Big Win" 5-Pillar Strategy

The Ministry of Finance plans to accelerate Thailand's economic recovery through its "Quick Big Win" policy framework, which consists of five key pillars:

- **1) Stimulating the economy and tourism** through the Khon La Khrueng Plus (Half-Half Plus) scheme, State Welfare Card program, and domestic tourism tax deduction measures.
- These initiatives will inject around THB67b into the economy starting in late October, with full spending expected in 4Q25. The stimulus is projected to boost GDP growth by 0.3–0.4% in 2025. For the tax-deductible domestic tourism program, the government estimates that around 140,000 participants—including individuals, listed companies, government agencies, and tourism operators—would take advantage of the benefits, potentially adding another 0.05% to GDP growth.
- **2) Alleviating household debt burdens** by purchasing NPLs from banks and bank-affiliated non-bank lenders for management through Sukhumvit Asset Management (SAM).
- The government plans to transfer unsecured NPLs of less than THB100,000 per account from financial institutions to SAM, with an estimated 1.2m accounts eligible for participation. These NPLs are fully provisioned by the originating institutions, and transfer prices will be determined on a negotiated basis, expected to range between 5–10% of face value, within a THB26b budget. We believe this policy will help remove bad debts from banks' balance sheets, support new loan extensions, and enhance liquidity in the financial system, thereby contributing to economic recovery.
- **3) Enhancing SMEs' liquidity** through soft loan and credit guarantee programs via the Thai Credit Guarantee Corporation (TCG).
- These programs aim to boost liquidity for micro and small SMEs, with the Government Savings Bank (GSB), Krungthai Bank (KTB), SME Development Bank, and TCG serving as the key implementing agencies. The combined total value of these two programs will be up to THB100b. We expect this liquidity support for SMEs, among the hardest-hit segments during the economic slowdown, to ease current financial strains, while household stimulus measures will help revive purchasing power and support income recovery, laying the foundation for broader economic improvement ahead.
- **4) Encouraging household savings** through the issuance of government savings bonds and savings lotteries.
- While these measures may not have a short-term impact on growth, they
  are expected to strengthen household financial resilience. Combined with
  other fiscal stimulus programs, they could help slightly reduce Thailand's
  household debt-to-GDP ratio over the longer term.
- **5) Investing for the future** by unlocking and relaxing regulatory constraints to accelerate new investment activity.
- In 1H25, BOI investment applications rose 38% y-y in terms of project numbers and 138% y-y in investment value, while approved projects increased 4% y-y in count and 90% y-y in value. Over half of these projects were in the digital sector, aligning with the technology industry's current upcycle. We expect these government initiatives to catalyze new investment and capital inflows starting in 2026 onward. The Bank of Thailand forecasts that private investment growth will accelerate from +0.3% in 2025 to +1.4% in 2026.

#### Exhibit 8: Government's "Quick Big Win" stimulus packages

### Policy: Short-Term Stimulus, Long-Term Impact, Broad-Based Growth

#### **Pain Points** 4-Month Plan Goals Address Short-Term Challenges Quick Big Wins in 5 Key Pillars A mix of short-term Plan for Long-Term Growth pressures and deep-rooted **Short-Term Stimulus**, Short Term: Revive the economy, structural problems Long-Term Impact, Broad-Based Growth boost demand, reduce debt, and improve liquidity Sluggish economic growth Long Term: Attract investment, build future industries, and Weak purchasing power enhance workforce skills **Tight liquidity** Maintain fiscal stability High household debt **Declining productivity Key Measurable Outcomes** Promote Boost the Alleviate Enhance SMEs Invest for Public Economy Household Liquidity Savings GDP growth exceeds 0.3% QoQ and Tourism Debt Reskill and upskill HH Debt in Q4 · Half-Half **Credit guarantee** restructuring programs new S-curve Household debt ratio declines Welfare Cards Savings Ari Score Micro-loan Unlock investment Tourism Incentives · Soft-loan below 87.4% of GDP Interest-support Bonds barriers SME liquidity shows clear Affecting households, and small-credit Savings Speed up Disbursement measures improvement Targeted SME financing small merchants, SMEs, schemes Program Fast-track BOI Household savings

**Maintain Fiscal Stability** 

Source: Fiscal Policy Office

Exhibit 9: Initial timeline: 5 Key Pillars for Quick Big Wins

and large corporations

October	November	December	January
Top-Up for State Welfare Cards  Half-Half Co-Payment	<ul> <li>Household Debt Measures</li> </ul>	Savings Lottery	- Half-Half
- nan-nan co-rayment	Commerce Ministry     Programs/Measures	<ul><li>Program</li><li>Government</li><li>Savings Bonds</li></ul>	Co-Payment (Phase 2) Reskill
	SME Promotion Measures	Government Policy	
<ul> <li>Tourism Stimulus Measures</li> <li>Accelerate Government Budget</li> <li>Disbursement</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Industry Ministry Programs/Measures</li></ul>	Impact Areas: Stimulus Effect	
		Efficiency • Structural	
Household Solar Program     Energy Infrastructure for Industrial Support     Energy Security for Net Zero Transition	Future Investment Promotion (BOI)	roundations	
No Meeting Scheduled	<ul> <li>Fiscal Foundation Initiatives</li> </ul>		
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opportunities increase
Future-oriented investments

gain stronger inflows

Source: Fiscal Policy Office

# Stimulus measures providing support, while exports seems-better-than expected

Thailand's 3Q25 GDP, scheduled for release in mid-November, is expected to show sluggish growth. Bloomberg Consensus projects an expansion of just +1.4% y-y, while the Ministry of Finance estimates +1.7% y-y, both lower than +2.8% y-y recorded in 2Q25. The export sector, which had been a key growth driver in the first half of the year, has started to lose momentum and is likely to continue softening into 4Q25, following substantial front-loading of shipments during the first eight months.

We expect that the new Cabinet's fiscal stimulus measures, including cash transfers to State Welfare Card holders and Half-Half Plus program scheduled for November—December, should help offset the impact of slowing exports. Currently, the market estimates Thailand's 4Q25 GDP growth at around +1.1% y-y.

Lately, Thailand's September export figures remained strong and above expectations, rising +19% y-y, suggesting that the current impact has so far been limited. This implies that Thailand's economic growth outlook could have slight upside, as exports appear to be slowing less than previously anticipated.

Meanwhile, domestic demand—particularly private consumption— is expected to be the main growth driver over the next two quarters, supported by temporary government stimulus measures and election-related spending ahead of the March 2026 general elections. We expect GDP growth to bottom out during 4Q25–1Q26, before gradually accelerating through 2Q26–2H26.

Exhibit 10: TH GDP growth to moderate subsequently

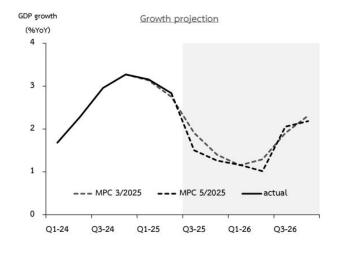
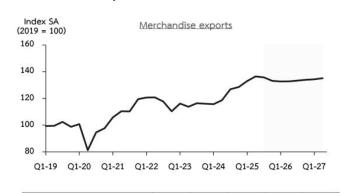


Exhibit 11: Exports will be affected by US tariffs since 2H25 but less than anticipated



Export value (%YoY)	2024	H1-25	H2-25 <sup>F</sup>	2025 <sup>F</sup>	2026 <sup>F</sup>
MPC Oct 25	5.9	15.0	5.3	10.0	-1.0
(average 2010-2019 = 5.2%)	3.9	15.0	5.5	10.0	-1.0

Sources: NESDC and BoT calculation

Source: Custom Department, MoC and BoT Calculation

Exhibit 12: The NESDC and BoT economic projections

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	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025E	2025E	2026E
	(y-y%)	(y-y%)	(y-y%)	(y-y%)	(y-y%)	(y-y%)	(y-y%)
Real GDP growth	1.5	2.6	2.0	2.5	1.8-2.3	2.2	1.6
Private consumption	0.6	6.2	6.9	4.4	2.1	2.1	1.8
Private investment	3.0	4.6	3.1	(1.6)	1.0	0.3	1.4
Public consumption	3.7	0.1	(4.7)	2.5	1.2	0.8	0.6
Public investment	3.4	(3.9)	(4.2)	4.8	5.2	5.1	6.5
Export value growth (USD b)	19.2	5.4	(1.5)	5.8	5.5	10.0	(1.0)
Headline inflation	1.2	6.1	1.2	0.4	0-0.5	0.0	0.5
Current account to GDP (%)	(2.0)	(3.5)	1.5	2.3	2.1	-	-
Number of tourist arrivals (m)	0.4	11.2	28.1	35.5	33	33	35

Sources: NESDC and BoT

#### Thailand's terminal policy rate might settle at 1.25%

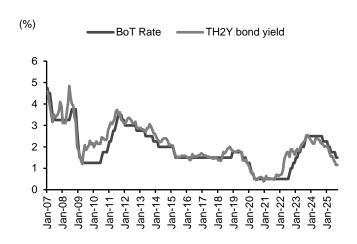
On the monetary front, the Bank of Thailand's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) recently kept the policy rate unchanged at 1.5%, as expected, with a 5–2 vote, after having cut rates once last year and three times this year, a total of 100 bps. The committee stated that current monetary policy remains accommodative but emphasized the importance of timing and policy effectiveness given limited policy space. This suggests there is still room for further rate cuts if needed.

We expect the BoT to monitor the economic impact of higher trade tariffs for some time, along with the positive effects of the new government's fiscal measures later this year. The central bank will likely also observe the Fed's rate path before taking further action. If Thailand's recovery proves weaker than expected, we forecast an additional 25 bps cut in late 4Q25 or early 1Q26, bringing the policy rate to 1.25%.

However, we view further easing beyond that, to 1.0%, as increasingly unlikely. The MPC's statements from its last two meetings noted that over the past 20 years, Thailand's policy rate has fallen below 1.5% only three times (excluding the COVID period when it dropped to 0.5%). This communication implies that the terminal rate for this easing cycle might be at 1.25%, allowing the BoT to preserve policy flexibility to respond to unforeseen economic shocks.

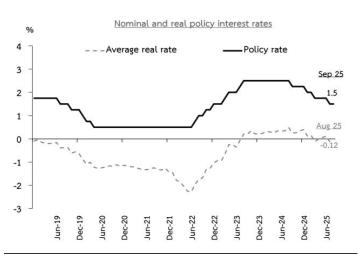
In the bond market, TH2Y bond yields have recently risen from 1.15% to around 1.26%, while 10-year yields climbed from 1.4% to 1.65% over the past month, consistent with our outlook and reflecting expectations of a shallower rate-cutting cycle.

Exhibit 13: BoT rate vs TH2Y bond yield



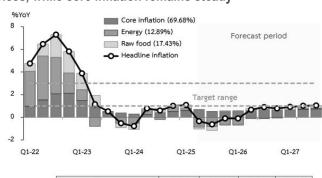
Source: Bloomberg

Exhibit 15: Monetary policy remains accommodative



Source: BoT

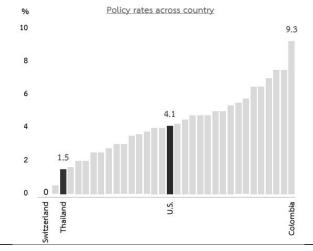
Exhibit 14: Inflation declines due to energy and raw food prices, while core inflation remains steady



%YoY	2024	2025 <sup>F</sup>	2026 <sup>F</sup>	2027
Headline inflation	0.4	0.0	0.5	1.0
Core Inflation	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.0

Sources: MoC and BoT calculation

Exhibit 16: Thai policy rate remains relatively low compared with other countries



Source: BIS

#### Unattractive 3Q25E earnings; will full-year forecasts be revised down?

Thai banks reported 3Q25 earnings that came in 17% above our expectations. Core operations such as loan growth, provisions, and operating expenses were broadly in line with forecasts. The main upside surprise came from non-interest income, particularly fee-based revenue and gains from investments measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), which benefited from both the stock market rebound and the decline in bond yields during the quarter.

Based on 144 listed companies under our study, we expect 3Q25 net profit to decline 33% q-q but grow 25% y-y. The q-q decline is likely driven by seasonal factors due to the rainy season, and sluggish domestic economic conditions amid political uncertainty, with investors awaiting the Constitutional Court's ruling on the former Prime Minister's leaked audio clip case. The absence of new government stimulus measures has also weighed on domestic plays such as property developers and AMCs. Meanwhile, the tourism sector remains in its low season, and Chinese tourist arrivals are still significantly below last year's levels.

In addition, weaker commodity prices—including oil, petrochemical spreads, and meat prices—have put pressure on energy, construction materials, and upstream food sectors. On a y-y basis, however, earnings growth is supported mainly by the energy sector, benefiting from a low base as most refiners reported huge losses in the same period last year, and the ICT sector, which continues to gain from reduced industry competition that allows operators to harvest returns from investments made over the past decade. Excluding the energy and petrochemical sectors, aggregate 3Q25 net profit is expected to decline 16% q-q and grow only 3% y-y.

We believe the key focus this earnings season is whether 3Q25 results will trigger downward revisions to 2025–26 EPS forecasts. If earnings come in in line with expectations, 9M25 profit should account for roughly 74% of our full-year estimate, while 4Q25E earnings are expected to accelerate, helping to limit downside risk.

Exhibit 17: 3Q25 earnings results for Thai banks under coverage

Net profit	3Q24	4Q24	1Q25	2Q25	3Q25	Chang	e	9M25	of 2025E
	(THB m)	(y-y %)	(q-q %)	(THB m)	(%)				
BBL	12,476	10,404	12,618	11,840	13,789	16	11	38,247	88%
KBANK	11,965	10,768	13,791	12,488	13,007	4	9	39,286	82%
SCB	10,941	11,707	12,502	12,786	12,056	(6)	10	37,344	81%
KTB	11,107	10,990	11,714	11,122	14,620	31	32	37,456	80%
TTB	5,230	5,112	5,096	5,004	5,299	6	1	15,399	70%
TISCO	1,713	1,706	1,643	1,644	1,730	5	1	5,017	76%
KKP	1,305	1,406	1,062	1,409	1,670	19	28	4,141	76%
SECTOR	54,737	52,093	58,426	56,293	62,171	10	14	176,890	81%

Sources: Company data, FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 18: 3Q25 earnings forecasts by sector

Sector	3Q25E	2Q25	3Q24	Chang	e	2025E	9M25 to 2025E
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q %)	(y-y %)	(THB m)	(%)
Bank	54,997	58,361	56,358	(6)	(2)	224,073	81%
Energy	40,780	102,102	25,562	(60)	60	271,069	74%
ICT	15,809	12,806	7,416	23	113	60,211	68%
Commerce	14,192	14,577	13,284	(3)	7	72,589	64%
Food	12,114	21,061	13,877	(42)	(13)	63,365	80%
Property	10,471	11,813	12,112	(11)	(14)	46,221	73%
Financial	7,921	8,682	6,955	(9)	14	31,516	75%
Healthcare	7,491	6,427	7,647	17	(2)	28,472	74%
Electronics	6,761	4,846	6,533	40	3	24,926	76%
Transportation	5,164	5,421	8,318	(5)	(38)	30,492	67%
Tourism	3,277	3,283	384	(0)	754	11,836	70%
Packaging	1,023	1,063	653	(4)	57	4,251	72%
Construction	992	1,471	863	(33)	15	3,465	88%
Auto	871	627	691	39	26	2,812	87%
Agri	688	642	542	7	27	2,597	76%
Media	568	481	496	18	14	1,907	66%
Professional	226	224	218	1	4	929	74%
Cons. Mat	203	18,227	1,775	(99)	(89)	27,768	129%
Petro	(2,922)	(3,616)	(19,312)	19	85	(7,040)	129%
Grand Total	180,625	268,497	144,373	(33)	25	901,459	74%
Excl. Energy & Petro	142,766	170,012	138,123	(16)	3	637,430	75%
Excl. Banking	125,628	210,137	88,014	(40)	43	677,386	72%
Excl. Energy & Petro and Banking	87,770	111,651	81,764	(21)	7	413,357	72%

 $Sources: Bloomberg, FSSIA\ estimates,\ and\ SETSMART$ 

#### Rollover SET target to 2026 of 1,400

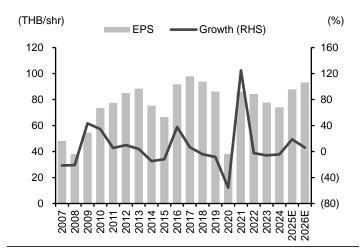
We have shifted our SET Index target from 1,330 in 2025 to 1,400 in 2026, based on an EPS estimate of THB93 (+6% y-y) and a target PER of 15x. In the near term, we expect the index to gradually trend higher, supported by continued short-term fund inflows, as external factors turn more favorable. These include the easing of US–China trade tensions and expectations that the Fed's monetary policy will remain accommodative, following inflation data that have not risen more than expected.

On the domestic front, political stability, expected to persist at least through 1Q26, remains a key factor supporting the recovery. In addition, the net long position of foreign investors in SET50 Index Futures, currently exceeding 100k contracts, serves as a positive indicator for the market outlook in the near term.

However, from 2Q26 onward, the outlook remains uncertain, depending on the outcome of the general election—specifically, whether a clear victory margin allows for a swift and stable government formation. If a single-party majority government emerges—particularly if the People's Party secures over 250 seats—it could raise market concerns over potential economic and capital market policies, such as the introduction of a capital gains tax or anti-monopoly measures. Conversely, if a coalition government is formed, we expect such concerns to ease considerably.

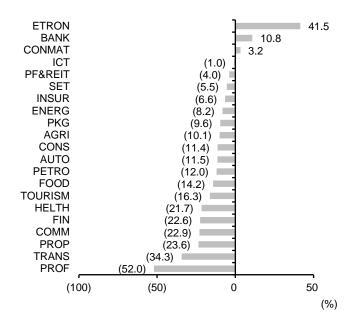
In summary, based on the overall analysis, we maintain a positive outlook on domestic and consumption plays, including retail, finance, food, and tourism sectors, which remain laggards relative to the market. Our top picks in the portfolio are BA, BDMS, CENTEL, CPALL, ICHI, KTB, MTC, and SYNEX.

Exhibit 19: SET EPS



Sources: FSSIA Estimates and Bloomberg

Exhibit 21: YTD returns by sector



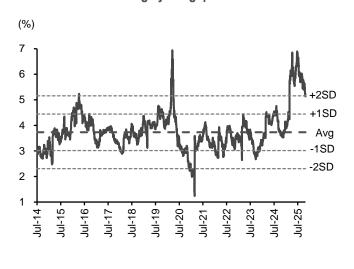
Source: SETSMART

Exhibit 20: SET historical forward PER

	Earnings per share					
		2025E	2026E			
	EPS	88	93			
		- Target index based of	on FSSIA estimates -			
	P/E (x)	2025E	2026E			
SD+0.5	15.7	1,379	1,463			
SD+0.25	15.3	1,343	1,426			
pre-Covid average	14.9	1,308	1,388			
SD-0.5	14.1	1,237	1,313			
SD-1.0	13.3	1,167	1,238			
SD-1.5	12.5	1,096	1,163			
SD-2.0	11.7	1,025	1,088			

Sources: FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 22: SET earnings yield gap



Source: Bloomberg and FSSIA

Exhibit 23: Summary of key valuations for FSSIA's top picks

		Share	price	Up	-Net profit	growth-		P/E		PBV	Div yld	ROE	SET	FSSIA
		Current	Target	side	25E	26E	25E	26E	27E	25E	25E	25E	ESG	ESG
		(THB)	(THB)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(%)	(%)		
Bangkok Airways	BA TB	13.00	28.00	115	2.5	6.6	6.9	6.5	6.0	1.6	10.0	23.8	BBB	-
Bangkok Dusit Medical Services	BDMS TB	18.90	31.00	64	1.8	7.4	18.5	17.2	15.8	2.9	4.0	15.9	Α	****
Central Plaza Hotel	CENTEL TB	31.25	49.00	57	6.7	15.3	21.0	18.2	16.6	1.9	2.4	9.4	AAA	****
CP All	CPALL TB	46.75	70.00	50	12.4	8.7	14.8	13.6	12.7	3.2	3.4	21.2	AAA	****
Ichitan Group	ICHI TB	12.40	14.00	13	(3.3)	7.2	12.4	11.6	11.1	2.9	10.0	22.9	Α	***
Krung Thai Bank	KTB TB	26.25	29.00	10	6.2	(4.0)	7.9	8.2	8.3	0.8	6.2	10.2	AAA	****
Muangthai Capital	MTC TB	40.25	56.00	39	20.7	17.1	12.0	10.3	9.3	2.0	1.2	17.6	AAA	****
Synnex (Thailand)	SYNEX TB	10.60	14.50	37	14.0	11.6	13.8	12.4	11.5	1.9	4.7	14.2	AA	**

Share prices as of 28 Oct 2025 Source: FSSIA estimates

#### Disclaimer for ESG scoring

ESG score	Methodolog	Iy			Rating							
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SET ESG Ratings List SETESG) by The Stock Exchange of Thailand SET)	managing bu Candidates in 1) no irregular float of >150 up capital. S 70%; 2) inde wrongdoing	usiness with tr must pass the ar trading of th shareholders ome key disque pendent direct related to CG,	ansparency in Governa preemptive criteria, wit ne board members and	tion; 3) executives' I impacts; 4) equity in	minimum of 50% during the asse nature of the re SETESG Index 1) market capita liquidity >0.5% SETTHSI Index	% for each ind ssment year. levant industry is extended falization > THlof paid-up capt is a market c	clusion, verified icator, unless the The scoring will ye and materiality from the SET ES B5b (~USD150b oital for at least 9 apitalisation-wei, and no cap for	e company is a be fairly weigh G Ratings con ); 2) free float out of 12 mor ghted index, c	a part of DJSI ted against the npanies whose >20%; and 3) nths. The ap 5%			
CG Score by Thai institute of Directors Association (Thai IOD)	annually by t Thailand (SE	the Thai IOD,			Good (80-89), 3 and not rated for equitable treatm	B for Good (70 or scores below ment of shareh 5%); 4) disclo	ories: 5 for Excel 1-79), 2 for Fair (6 w 50. Weightings olders (weight 2 sure & transpare	60-69), 1 for P s include: 1) th 5% combined)	ass (60-69), e rights; 2) an ); 3) the role of			
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	information, co		k, ESG controversies, issue		<b>NEGL</b> 0-10	<b>Low</b> 10-20	Medium 20-30	<b>High</b> 30-40	Severe 40+			
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	A BBB BB	5.714-7.142 4.286-5.713 2.857-4.285	Average:	a mixed or unexception industry peers	al track record of ma	anaging the mos	t significant ESG ris	sks and opportur	nities relative to			
	B	1.429-2.856 0.000-1.428	Laggard:	lagging its industry bas	sed on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks							
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Bloomberg				of Pillar Scores, where the weights are determined by the pillar priority ranking. Values range from 0 to 10; 10 is the best.  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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Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Bangkok Airways	ВА ТВ	THB 13.00	BUY	Downside risks to our SoTP-based TP include 1) extraordinary events such as political turmoil and natural disasters; 2) higher-than-expected fuel expenses following an increase in oil prices; and 3) the slower-than-expected recovery of international tourist numbers.
Bangkok Dusit Medical Services	BDMS TB	THB 18.90	BUY	Downside risks to our DCF-based target price include 1) a slowdown in international patients due to economic concerns, political protests or floods; 2) regulatory risks from drug prices and medical bill controls; and 3) higher-than-expected capex and opex for CoE projects.
Central Plaza Hotel	CENTEL TB	THB 31.25	BUY	Downside risks to our DCF-based target price include 1) extraordinary events such as political turmoil and natural disasters; 2) a higher hotel room supply and more intense competition in the F&B business, which may result in price competition; and 3) a slower-than-expected recovery of international tourist numbers.
CP All	CPALL TB	THB 46.75	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 lower-than-expected y-y gross profit margin improvement.
lchitan Group	ICHI TB	THB 12.40	BUY	Downside and upside risks to our P/E-based TP include 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.
Krung Thai Bank	КТВ ТВ	THB 26.25	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP are 1) prolonged economic sluggishness affecting loan growth and asset quality; and 2) the impact of new regulations from the Bank of Thailand.
Muangthai Capital	MTC TB	THB 40.25	BUY	Downside risks to our GGM-based TP include 1) a further weakening of asset quality that could potentially hit both loan yield and credit cost; and 2) changes in financial regulations by the Bank of Thailand and the Office of Consumer Protection Board.
Synnex (Thailand)	SYNEX TB	THB 10.60	BUY	Downside risks to our P/E-based TP valuation method include 1) a slower-than-expected PC recovery, 2) a slower-than-expected smartphone replacement cycle, and 3) currency fluctuations.

Source: FSSIA estimates

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