

(SDAX, Financial Services, HYQ GR)

| Buy<br>EUR 605.00 | (EUR 535.00)         | Value Indicators:<br>DCF:  |       | Warburg ESG Risk Score:<br>ESG Score (MSCI based):<br>Balance Sheet Score: | <b>3.7</b><br>4.0<br>4.0 | Description:<br>Technology-based financial<br>provider                                   | services                                |
|-------------------|----------------------|--|-------|--|--------------------------|--|---|
| EUR 005.00        | (EUR 555.00)         | Market Snapshot:   | EUR m | Market Liquidity Score:<br>Shareholders:                                   | 3.0                      | Key Figures (WRe):   | 2021e                                   |
| Price<br>Upside   | EUR 541.50<br>11.7 % | Market cap:<br>No. of shares (m):<br>EV:<br>Freefloat MC:<br>Ø Trad. Vol. (30d): | 6.25  |  |                          | Beta:<br>Price / Book:<br>Equity Ratio:<br>Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA:<br>Net Debt / EBITDA: | 1.1<br>14.0 x<br>51 %<br>1.4 x<br>1.4 x |

## Positive growth momentum and margin development; PT up

| Stated          | Figures      | Q2/20        | 021:  |        |       |               |               |           |        |            |        |       |             | Comment on                  |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------|--------|-------|---------------|---------------|-----------|--------|------------|--------|-------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| in EUR m        | Q2/21        | Q2/20        | уоу   | Q2/21e | Δ WRe | H1/21         | H1/20         | yoy       | H1/21e | Δ WRe      | FY/21e | FY/20 | уоу         | Profitability in            |
| Private Clients | s            |              |       |        |       |               |               |           |        |            |        |       |             | Promability if              |
| Revenue         | 33,7         | 29,5         | 14%   | 34,6   | -3%   | 68,7          | 62,7          | 10%       | 69,6   | -1%        | 140,3  | 122,0 | 15%         | remained hig                |
| EBIT            | 6,2          | 4,5          | 38%   | 4,9    | 26%   | 12,4          | 9,5           | 31%       | 11,1   | 11%        | 24,6   | 18,0  | 36%         |                             |
| margin          | 18,4%        | 15.3%        |       | 14,3%  |       | 18.0%         | 15,2%         |           | 16.0%  |            | 17.5%  | 14.8% |             | Credit platfo               |
| Credit Platforr |              |              |       |        |       |               |               |           |        |            |        |       |             |                             |
| Revenue         | 47,0         | 38,9         | 21%   | 48,6   | -3%   | 93,0          | 79,5          | 17%       | 94,6   | -2%        | 200,5  | 170,0 | 18%<br>15%  | than expect                 |
| EBIT            | 10,9         | 8,2          | 33%   | 9,0    | 21%   | 20,8          | 16,2          | 28%       | 18,9   | 10%        | 44,9   | 39,0  | 15%         |                             |
| margin          | 23.2%        | 21.1%        |       | 18,6%  |       | 22.4%         | 20,4%         |           | 20%    |            | 22.4%  | 22,4% |             | scalability pot             |
| Real estate Pla |              |              |       |        |       |               |               |           |        |            |        |       |             |                             |
| Revenue         | 13,6         | 12,2         | 11%   | 13,0   | 4%    | 28,6          | 26,7          | 7%        | 28,0   | 2%         | 63,6   | 53,0  | 20%<br>-21% | first time                  |
| EBIT            | -1,6         | -0,6         | 167%  | -1,6   | 0%    | -1,4          | 0,3           | -567%     | -1,4   | 0%         | -3,2   | -4,0  | -21%        | - I la la la marca a a a ta |
| margin          | -11,8%       | -4,9%        |       | -12,3% |       | -4,9%         | 1,1%          |           | -5%    |            | -5,0%  | -7,5% |             | Holding costs               |
| Insurance Plat  |              |              |       |        |       |               |               |           |        | 4%         |        |       |             | بباء اممام مريده            |
| Revenue         | 10,7         | 8,7          | 23%   | 9,9    | 8%    | 23,7          | 21,2          | 12%       | 22,9   | 4%         | 49,8   | 45,0  | 11%         | expected, due               |
| EBIT            | -0,6         | -1,2         | -50%  | -0,1   | 936%  | -1,0          | -0,8          | 25%       | -0,5   |            | -2,0   | -1,0  |             | occurring from              |
| margin          | -5,6%        | -13,8%       |       | -0,6%  |       | -4,2%         | -3,8%         |           | -2%    |            | -4,0%  | -2,0% |             | occurring non               |
| Consolidation   |              |              | -120% |        |       | 4.0           | 0.7           | 100/      |        |            | 0.0    |       |             |                             |
| Revenue         | 0,1          | -0,5<br>-4,3 | -120% | 0,5    |       | -1,0          | -0,7<br>-8.1  | 43%<br>9% | 0,0    |            |        | -2,4  | 0.01        |                             |
| EBIT            | -5,0         | -4,3         | 16%   | -3,0   |       | -8,8          | -8,1          | 9%        | -6,0   |            | -17,0  | -15,8 | 8%          |                             |
| Group           | 105.1        |              | 18%   | 106.6  | -1%   | 212.0         | 100.4         | 12%       | 215.4  | -1%        | 454.2  | 387,6 | 17%         |                             |
| Revenue<br>EBIT | 105,1<br>9.9 | 88,8         | 18%   | 106,6  | -1%   | 213,0<br>22.0 | 189,4<br>17,1 | 12%       | 215,1  | -1%<br>-1% | 454,2  | 387,6 | 31%         |                             |
|                 |              | 6,6          | 50%   | 9,3    | 6%    |               |               | 29%       | 22,2   | -1%        |        |       | 31%         |                             |
| margin          | 9,4%         | 7,4%         |       | 8,7%   |       | 10,3%         | 9,0%          |           | 10%    |            | 10,4%  | 9,3%  |             |                             |

Figures:

- the Private Clients segment in the second guarter
- m profitability was higher d as well, showing the ential of the business for the
- were slightly stronger than to higher real estate costs expanded office capacities

Final Q2 figures reported by Hypoport were in line with preliminaries and broadly in line with our expectations. The corresponding conference call featured the following highlights:

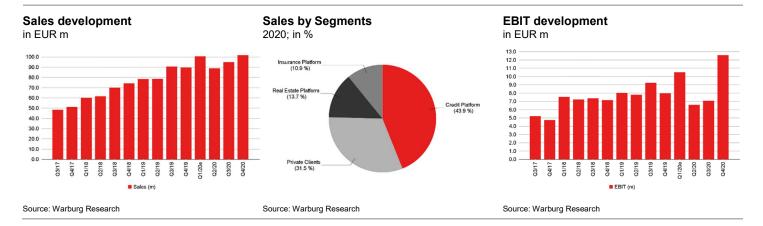
- Revenues of REM Capital should be expected to make a significantly stronger contribution to the development of the credit platform, due to changes in state subsidy programmes as of July and a tendency towards generally stronger business at year-end.
- The growth momentum among savings and cooperative banks remained very strong in H1 2021 and is expected to continue. With margins and new business under pressure, banks need to focus on cost and sales efficiency which can both be achieved with Hypoport's solutions.
- The growth trend in the real estate and insurance platform businesses picked up in the second quarter. This trend should accelerate even further during the remainder of the year and Mr. Slabke stressed, once again, the huge growth potential of both businesses.

Assessment: Hypoport showed a successful H1 and while the guidance has been reiterated for the time being, we assume that the EBIT guidance, at least, could be exceeded slightly, considering the beneficial development. Buy rating is reiterated at an increased PT of EUR 605.

| Changes in E               | stimates:      |        |                |        |                |       | Comment on Changes:   |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------|----------------|--------|----------------|-------|---|
| FY End: 31.12.<br>in EUR m | 2021e<br>(old) | + / -  | 2022e<br>(old) | + / -  | 2023e<br>(old) | + / - | <ul> <li>Increased margin assumptions on the back of higher profitability in the<br/>Private Clients segment</li> </ul> |
| Sales                      | 452.86         | 0.0 %  | 534.83         | 0.0 %  | 629.91         | 0.0 % | Top-line assumptions remain unchanged for the time being  |
| EBIT                       | 42.40          | 11.2 % | 56.72          | 11.1 % | 77.65          | 6.8 % |   |
| EPS                        | 5.13           | 11.5 % | 6.91           | 11.4 % | 9.52           | 6.9 % |   |

| 625 -                               | FY End: 31.12.      | CAGR         |             |             |              |             |             |         |        |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|---------|--------|
| 600 - L M                           | in EUR m            | (20-23e)     | 2017        | 2018        | 2019         | 2020        | 2021e       | 2022e   | 2023e  |
| 575 - VW                            | Sales               | 17.7 %       | 194.86      | 265.96      | 337.24       | 386.21      | 452.86      | 534.83  | 629.91 |
| 550 - My Martin                     | Change Sales yoy    |              | 24.4 %      | 36.5 %      | 26.8 %       | 14.5 %      | 17.3 %      | 18.1 %  | 17.8 % |
| 525 - MM My My                      | Gross profit margin |              | 56.1 %      | 56.7 %      | 58.9 %       | 57.9 %      | 58.5 %      | 59.1 %  | 59.7 % |
| 500 - M                             | EBITDA              | 27.4 %       | 30.12       | 39.09       | 52.22        | 50.75       | 63.42       | 81.93   | 104.85 |
| 475 - 1                             | Margin              |              | 15.5 %      | 14.7 %      | 15.5 %       | 13.1 %      | 14.0 %      | 15.3 %  | 16.6 % |
| 450 - N' A. A MAN WAN A             | EBIT                | 31.1 %       | 23.32       | 29.29       | 33.01        | 36.76       | 47.16       | 63.01   | 82.92  |
| 425 - WM N W                        | Margin              |              | 12.0 %      | 11.0 %      | 9.8 %        | 9.5 %       | 10.4 %      | 11.8 %  | 13.2 % |
| 400 - W                             | Net income          | 32.0 %       | 18.42       | 22.47       | 24.40        | 27.67       | 35.75       | 48.09   | 63.58  |
| 09/20 11/20 01/21 03/21 05/21 07/21 | EPS                 | 32.0 %       | 3.10        | 3.60        | 3.90         | 4.43        | 5.72        | 7.70    | 10.18  |
|                                     | EPS adj.            | 32.0 %       | 3.10        | 3.60        | 3.90         | 4.43        | 5.72        | 7.70    | 10.18  |
|                                     | DPS                 | -            | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00         | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00    | 0.00   |
| Rel. Performance vs SDAX:           | Dividend Yield      |              | n.a.        | n.a.        | n.a.         | n.a.        | n.a.        | n.a.    | n.a.   |
| 1 month: 18.7 %                     | FCFPS               |              | -0.48       | 2.75        | 3.07         | 0.45        | 3.41        | 6.39    | 9.16   |
|                                     | FCF / Market cap    |              | -0.4 %      | 1.7 %       | 1.4 %        | 0.1 %       | 0.6 %       | 1.2 %   | 1.7 %  |
| 6 months: -13.4 %                   | EV / Sales          |              | 3.5 x       | 3.9 x       | 4.4 x        | 6.7 x       | 7.7 x       | 6.4 x   | 5.4 x  |
| Year to date: -6.6 %                | EV / EBITDA         |              | 22.6 x      | 26.7 x      | 28.5 x       | 51.4 x      | 54.8 x      | 42.1 x  | 32.4 x |
| Trailing 12 months: -6.9 %          | EV / EBIT           |              | 29.1 x      | 35.6 x      | 45.0 x       | 70.9 x      | 73.7 x      | 54.7 x  | 41.0 x |
| 5                                   | P/E                 |              | 36.8 x      | 44.2 x      | 57.2 x       | 90.6 x      | 94.7 x      | 70.3 x  | 53.2 x |
| Company events:                     | P / E adj.          |              | 36.8 x      | 44.2 x      | 57.2 x       | 90.6 x      | 94.7 x      | 70.3 x  | 53.2 x |
| 08.11.21 Q3                         | FCF Potential Yield |              | 3.8 %       | 3.2 %       | 3.0 %        | 1.6 %       | 1.5 %       | 2.0 %   | 2.5 %  |
|                                     | Net Debt            |              | 2.15        | 49.26       | 90.89        | 100.07      | 90.75       | 62.84   | 17.63  |
|                                     | ROCE (NOPAT)        |              | 27.1 %      | 16.3 %      | 10.9 %       | 9.9 %       | 11.5 %      | 14.3 %  | 17.8 % |
|                                     | Guidance: 2         | 2021: Revenu | e between E | UR 430m and | d 460m and I | EBIT betwee | n EUR 40m a | and 45m |        |
|                                     |                     |              |             |             |              |             |             |         |        |



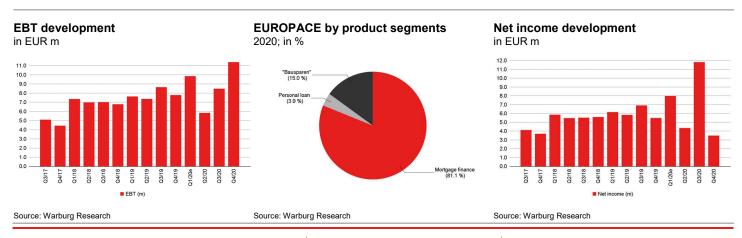


## **Company Background**

- The company, founded in 1999, is specialised as a property financing intermediary and is expanding its value chain towards the insurance and real estate sectors
- With EUROPACE, Hypoport operates the largest German online B2B platform for property financing and similar products
- Under the Dr. Klein brand, Hypoport operates a franchise system of stationary advisors for private customers
- Hypoport is also in a leading position in the area of institutional property financing (also under the Dr. Klein brand)
- An advanced level of technology is shown in all segments (fintech)

## **Competitive Quality**

- The online B2B marketplace for property financing (EUROPACE) is the largest of its kind in Germany
- As the number of affiliated suppliers is decisive for marketplaces of this type, this forms a central competitive advantage and a considerable market entry barrier for third parties.
- The Dr. Klein business segments (private clients) benefits from market access over EUROPACE but also from the many years of experience in the area of property financing
- Most importantly however Dr. Klein is strongly focused on property financing and neutral (with offers from every provider). Other financial sales teams or retail banks normally cannot afford both.
- The new platform businesses insurance platform and real estate platform should strongly benefit of the market-leading credit platform and the excellent track record of the company.





| DCF model                      |         |           |              |          |        |        |          |                 |            |          |          |            |          |             |
|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|----------|-----------------|------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|-------------|
|                                | Detaile | d forecas | t period     |          |        |        |          | Transitio       | nal period | 1        |          |            |          | Term. Value |
| Figures in EUR m               | 2021e   | 2022e     | 2023e        | 2024e    | 2025e  | 2026e  | 2027e    | 2028e           | 2029e      | 2030e    | 2031e    | 2032e      | 2033e    |             |
| Sales                          | 452.86  | 534.83    | 629.91       | 729.95   | 824.19 | 915.27 | 1,007.04 | 1,107.75        | 1,218.52   | 1,303.82 | 1,355.97 | 1,403.43   | 1,445.54 |             |
| Sales change                   | 17.3 %  | 18.1 %    | 17.8 %       | 15.9 %   | 12.9 % | 11.1 % | 10.0 %   | 10.0 %          | 10.0 %     | 7.0 %    | 4.0 %    | 3.5 %      | 3.0 %    | 2.5 %       |
| EBIT                           | 33.22   | 36.64     | 46.17        | 108.99   | 138.77 | 175.54 | 216.65   | 265.86          | 304.63     | 325.96   | 338.99   | 350.86     | 361.38   |             |
| EBIT-margin                    | 10.2 %  | 11.6 %    | 12.9 %       | 14.9 %   | 16.8 % | 19.2 % | 21.5 %   | 24.0 %          | 25.0 %     | 25.0 %   | 25.0 %   | 25.0 %     | 25.0 %   |             |
| Tax rate (EBT)                 | 22.2 %  | 22.2 %    | 22.2 %       | 22.0 %   | 22.0 % | 22.0 % | 22.0 %   | 22.0 %          | 22.0 %     | 22.0 %   | 22.0 %   | 22.0 %     | 22.0 %   |             |
| NOPAT                          | 25.85   | 28.50     | 35.92        | 85.01    | 108.24 | 136.92 | 168.99   | 207.37          | 237.61     | 254.25   | 264.41   | 273.67     | 281.88   |             |
| Depreciation                   | 30.20   | 45.29     | 58.68        | 29.20    | 32.97  | 36.61  | 40.28    | 44.31           | 48.74      | 52.15    | 54.24    | 56.14      | 57.82    |             |
| in % of Sales                  | 6.7 %   | 8.5 %     | 9.3 %        | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %  | 4.0 %  | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %           | 4.0 %      | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %      | 4.0 %    |             |
| Changes in provisions          | 0.00    | 0.00      | 0.00         | -0.19    | 0.09   | 0.09   | 0.09     | 0.10            | 0.11       | 0.09     | 0.05     | 0.05       | 0.04     |             |
| Change in Liquidity from       |         |           |              |          |        |        |          |                 |            |          |          |            |          |             |
| - Working Capital              | 5.70    | 7.10      | 8.30         | 18.50    | 9.42   | 9.11   | 9.18     | 10.07           | 11.08      | 8.53     | 5.22     | 4.75       | 4.21     |             |
| - Capex                        | 25.00   | 20.00     | 20.00        | 29.20    | 32.97  | 36.61  | 40.28    | 44.31           | 48.74      | 52.15    | 54.24    | 56.14      | 57.82    |             |
| Capex in % of Sales            | 5.5 %   | 3.7 %     | 3.2 %        | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %  | 4.0 %  | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %           | 4.0 %      | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %    | 4.0 %      | 4.0 %    |             |
| Other                          | 0.00    | 0.00      | 0.00         | 0.00     | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00     | 0.00            | 0.00       | 0.00     | 0.00     | 0.00       | 0.00     |             |
| Free Cash Flow (WACC<br>Model) | 25.35   | 46.69     | 66.30        | 66.33    | 98.91  | 127.90 | 159.90   | 197.40          | 226.65     | 245.80   | 259.25   | 268.97     | 277.71   | 285         |
| PV of FCF                      | 24.92   | 42.86     | 56.83        | 53.09    | 73.93  | 89.27  | 104.21   | 120.13          | 128.80     | 130.43   | 128.46   | 124.45     | 119.99   | 2,686       |
| share of PVs                   |         | 3.21 %    |              |          |        |        |          | 27.6            | 3 %        |          |          |            |          | 69.16 %     |
| Model parameter                |         |           |              |          |        |        | Valua    | tion (m)        |            |          |          |            |          |             |
| Derivation of WACC:            |         |           | Derivation   | of Beta: |        |        | Prese    | nt values 2     | 2033e      | 1,1      | 97       |            |          |             |
|                                |         |           |              |          |        |        |          | nal Value       |            | 2,6      |          |            |          |             |
| Debt ratio                     | 4.80 %  |           | Financial S  | •        |        | 1.00   |          | cial liabilitie |            | 1        | 18       |            |          |             |
| Cost of debt (after tax)       | 2.3 %   |           | Liquidity (s | hare)    |        | 1.20   |          | on liabilitie   | S          |          | 1        |            |          |             |
| Market return                  | 7.00 %  |           | Cyclicality  |          |        | 1.00   |          | l capital       |            |          | 0        |            |          |             |
| Risk free rate                 | 1.50 %  |           | Transpare    | псу      |        | 1.00   |          | ty interest     |            |          | 0        |            |          |             |
|                                |         |           | Others       |          |        | 1.10   |          | t val. of inv   | /estments  |          | 0        | NI6.1      |          | ~ ~ ~       |
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### Sensitivity Value per Share (EUR)

7.09 %

Beta

WACC

|                   | Terminal ( | Growth |        |        |        |        |        |      |       | Delta EBIT | -margin |         |         |         |         |         |
|-------------------|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|-------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Beta WACC         | 1.75 %     | 2.00 % | 2.25 % | 2.50 % | 2.75 % | 3.00 % | 3.25 % | Beta | WACC  | -1.5 pp    | -1.0 pp | -0.5 pp | +0.0 pp | +0.5 pp | +1.0 pp | +1.5 pp |
| <b>1.25</b> 8.1 % | 440.28     | 451.68 | 464.06 | 477.54 | 492.29 | 508.48 | 526.35 | 1.25 | 8.1 % | 452.48     | 463.54  | 474.60  | 485.66  | 496.72  | 507.78  | 518.84  |
| <b>1.16</b> 7.6 % | 488.04     | 502.31 | 517.91 | 535.05 | 553.96 | 574.93 | 598.32 | 1.16 | 7.6 % | 506.51     | 518.75  | 530.99  | 543.23  | 555.47  | 567.71  | 579.95  |
| <b>1.11</b> 7.3 % | 515.24     | 531.29 | 548.93 | 568.39 | 589.96 | 614.02 | 641.03 | 1.11 | 7.3 % | 537.82     | 550.74  | 563.67  | 576.59  | 589.51  | 602.43  | 615.36  |
| <b>1.06</b> 7.1 % | 545.07     | 563.21 | 583.23 | 605.44 | 630.19 | 657.98 | 689.38 | 1.06 | 7.1 % | 572.62     | 586.30  | 599.99  | 613.67  | 627.35  | 641.03  | 654.71  |
| <b>1.01</b> 6.8 % | 577.92     | 598.52 | 621.37 | 646.85 | 675.44 | 707.75 | 744.57 | 1.01 | 6.8 % | 611.52     | 626.05  | 640.58  | 655.11  | 669.64  | 684.16  | 698.69  |
| <b>0.96</b> 6.6 % | 614.27     | 637.78 | 664.00 | 693.42 | 726.68 | 764.56 | 808.12 | 0.96 | 6.6 % | 655.28     | 670.75  | 686.23  | 701.71  | 717.19  | 732.67  | 748.15  |
| <b>0.87</b> 6.1 % | 699.86     | 731.03 | 766.25 | 806.39 | 852.53 | 906.13 | 969.17 | 0.87 | 6.1 % | 761.39     | 779.17  | 796.95  | 814.74  | 832.52  | 850.30  | 868.09  |

Equity Value

3,783

Value per share (EUR) 605.44

• The growth anticipated for Hypoport is based on robust business development in all segments

• Credit platform segment (EUROPACE) in particular offers systematic potential for economies of scale and margin growth

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• On this basis we assume a positive long-term margin trend

Based on a sophisticated regional dispersion of tax obligations a low tax rate is assumed long term.



| Valuation                           |        |        |        |         |         |        |        |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|
|                                     | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020    | 2021e   | 2022e  | 2023e  |
| Price / Book                        | 8.2 x  | 6.5 x  | 7.8 x  | 12.2 x  | 14.0 x  | 11.7 x | 9.6 x  |
| Book value per share ex intangibles | 4.41   | -6.00  | -11.24 | -11.85  | -10.10  | -5.25  | 2.43   |
| EV / Sales                          | 3.5 x  | 3.9 x  | 4.4 x  | 6.7 x   | 7.7 x   | 6.4 x  | 5.4 x  |
| EV / EBITDA                         | 22.6 x | 26.7 x | 28.5 x | 51.4 x  | 54.8 x  | 42.1 x | 32.4 x |
| EV / EBIT                           | 29.1 x | 35.6 x | 45.0 x | 70.9 x  | 73.7 x  | 54.7 x | 41.0 x |
| EV / EBIT adj.*                     | 29.1 x | 35.6 x | 45.0 x | 70.9 x  | 73.7 x  | 54.7 x | 41.0 x |
| P / FCF                             | n.a.   | 57.8 x | 72.7 x | 886.9 x | 158.7 x | 84.8 x | 59.1 x |
| P/E                                 | 36.8 x | 44.2 x | 57.2 x | 90.6 x  | 94.7 x  | 70.3 x | 53.2 x |
| P / E adj.*                         | 36.8 x | 44.2 x | 57.2 x | 90.6 x  | 94.7 x  | 70.3 x | 53.2 x |
| Dividend Yield                      | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.    | n.a.    | n.a.   | n.a.   |
| FCF Potential Yield (on market EV)  | 3.8 %  | 3.2 %  | 3.0 %  | 1.6 %   | 1.5 %   | 2.0 %  | 2.5 %  |
| *Adjustments made for: -            |        |        |        |         |         |        |        |

## Consolidated profit & loss



| In EUR m   | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021e  | 2022e  | 2023e  |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Sales  | 194.86 | 265.96 | 337.24 | 386.21 | 452.86 | 534.83 | 629.91 |
| Change Sales yoy                                 | 24.4 % | 36.5 % | 26.8 % | 14.5 % | 17.3 % | 18.1 % | 17.8 % |
| Increase / decrease in inventory                 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Own work capitalised                             | 6.99   | 10.71  | 16.58  | 12.36  | 15.62  | 18.45  | 21.73  |
| Total Sales                                      | 201.84 | 276.67 | 353.82 | 398.57 | 468.48 | 553.28 | 651.64 |
| Material expenses                                | 92.57  | 125.78 | 155.32 | 174.79 | 203.75 | 237.21 | 275.31 |
| Gross profit                                     | 109.27 | 150.89 | 198.50 | 223.79 | 264.73 | 316.07 | 376.33 |
| Gross profit margin                              | 56.1 % | 56.7 % | 58.9 % | 57.9 % | 58.5 % | 59.1 % | 59.7 % |
| Personnel expenses                               | 58.56  | 81.75  | 106.64 | 129.34 | 150.47 | 175.01 | 202.92 |
| Other operating income                           | 4.52   | 3.95   | 3.03   | 5.24   | 6.10   | 7.10   | 8.23   |
| Other operating expenses                         | 25.35  | 34.27  | 42.06  | 48.94  | 56.94  | 66.22  | 76.78  |
| Unfrequent items                                 | 0.26   | 0.26   | -0.62  | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| EBITDA   | 30.12  | 39.09  | 52.22  | 50.75  | 63.42  | 81.93  | 104.85 |
| Margin   | 15.5 % | 14.7 % | 15.5 % | 13.1 % | 14.0 % | 15.3 % | 16.6 % |
| Depreciation of fixed assets                     | 1.69   | 2.89   | 9.69   | 3.50   | 4.07   | 4.73   | 5.48   |
| EBITA  | 28.44  | 36.20  | 42.52  | 47.25  | 59.36  | 77.20  | 99.37  |
| Amortisation of intangible assets                | 5.12   | 6.91   | 9.52   | 10.49  | 12.20  | 14.19  | 16.45  |
| Goodwill amortisation                            | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| EBIT   | 23.32  | 29.29  | 33.01  | 36.76  | 47.16  | 63.01  | 82.92  |
| Margin   | 12.0 % | 11.0 % | 9.8 %  | 9.5 %  | 10.4 % | 11.8 % | 13.2 % |
| EBIT adj.  | 23.32  | 29.29  | 33.01  | 36.76  | 47.16  | 63.01  | 82.92  |
| Interest income                                  | 0.55   | 0.58   | 0.51   | 0.80   | 0.80   | 0.80   | 0.80   |
| Interest expenses                                | 0.88   | 1.74   | 2.07   | 2.20   | 2.20   | 2.20   | 2.20   |
| Other financial income (loss)                    | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.20   | 0.20   | 0.20   | 0.20   |
| EBT  | 22.99  | 28.13  | 31.44  | 35.56  | 45.96  | 61.81  | 81.72  |
| Margin   | 11.8 % | 10.6 % | 9.3 %  | 9.2 %  | 10.1 % | 11.6 % | 13.0 % |
| Total taxes                                      | 4.56   | 5.67   | 7.04   | 7.89   | 10.20  | 13.72  | 18.14  |
| Net income from continuing operations            | 18.43  | 22.47  | 24.40  | 27.67  | 35.75  | 48.09  | 63.58  |
| Income from discontinued operations (net of tax) | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Net income before minorities                     | 18.43  | 22.47  | 24.40  | 27.67  | 35.75  | 48.09  | 63.58  |
| Minority interest                                | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Net income                                       | 18.42  | 22.47  | 24.40  | 27.67  | 35.75  | 48.09  | 63.58  |
| Margin   | 9.5 %  | 8.4 %  | 7.2 %  | 7.2 %  | 7.9 %  | 9.0 %  | 10.1 % |
| Number of shares, average                        | 5.94   | 6.25   | 6.25   | 6.25   | 6.25   | 6.25   | 6.25   |
| EPS  | 3.10   | 3.60   | 3.90   | 4.43   | 5.72   | 7.70   | 10.18  |
| EPS adj.   | 3.10   | 3.60   | 3.90   | 4.43   | 5.72   | 7.70   | 10.18  |
| *Adjustments made for:                           |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

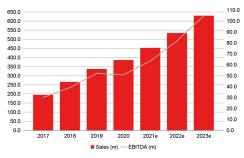
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## Financial Ratios

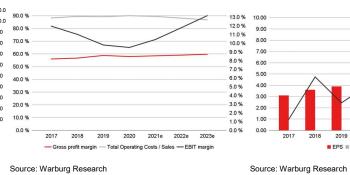
| 2017   | 2018   | 2019  | 2020   | 2021e   | 2022e  | 2023e   |
|--------|--|---|--|---|--|---|
| 88.3 % | 89.4 %                                       | 89.2 %  | 90.1 %   | 89.4 %  | 88.1 %   | 86.8 %  |
| 0.0 x  | 0.7 x  | 0.5 x   | 0.8 x  | 1.6 x   | 1.9 x  | 1.8 x   |
| 34.3 x | 22.5 x                                       | 25.2 x  | 23.1 x   | 28.8 x  | 37.2 x   | 47.7 x  |
| 19.9 % | 20.1 %                                       | 22.4 %  | 22.2 %   | 22.2 %  | 22.2 %   | 22.2 %  |
| 0.0 %  | 0.0 %  | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %  | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %  | 0.0 %   |
| n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.  | n.a.   | n.a.  | n.a.   | n.a.  |
|        | 88.3 %<br>0.0 x<br>34.3 x<br>19.9 %<br>0.0 % | 88.3 %         89.4 %           0.0 x         0.7 x           34.3 x         22.5 x           19.9 %         20.1 %           0.0 %         0.0 % | 88.3 %         89.4 %         89.2 %           0.0 x         0.7 x         0.5 x           34.3 x         22.5 x         25.2 x           19.9 %         20.1 %         22.4 %           0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 % | 88.3 %         89.4 %         89.2 %         90.1 %           0.0 x         0.7 x         0.5 x         0.8 x           34.3 x         22.5 x         25.2 x         23.1 x           19.9 %         20.1 %         22.4 %         22.2 %           0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 % | 88.3 %         89.4 %         89.2 %         90.1 %         89.4 %           0.0 x         0.7 x         0.5 x         0.8 x         1.6 x           34.3 x         22.5 x         25.2 x         23.1 x         28.8 x           19.9 %         20.1 %         22.4 %         22.2 %         22.2 %           0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 % | 88.3 %         89.4 %         89.2 %         90.1 %         89.4 %         88.1 %           0.0 x         0.7 x         0.5 x         0.8 x         1.6 x         1.9 x           34.3 x         22.5 x         25.2 x         23.1 x         28.8 x         37.2 x           19.9 %         20.1 %         22.4 %         22.2 %         22.2 %         22.2 %           0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 %         0.0 % |

### Sales, EBITDA in EUR m

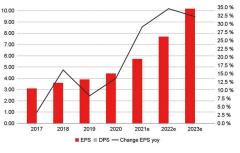
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#### **Operating Performance** in %



## Performance per Share



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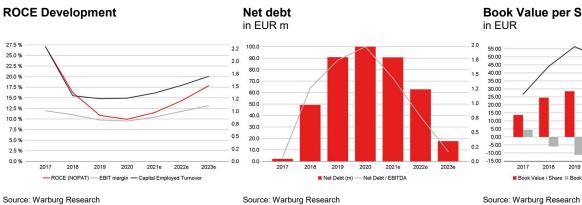
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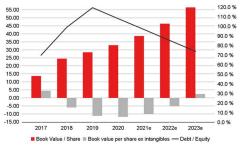
| Consolidated balance sheet                              |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| In EUR m  | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021e  | 2022e  | 2023e  |
| Assets  |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Goodwill and other intangible assets                    | 55.97  | 190.64 | 248.24 | 279.75 | 304.55 | 322.36 | 337.91 |
| thereof other intangible assets                         | 6.77   | 25.74  | 14.64  | 46.15  | 70.95  | 88.76  | 104.31 |
| thereof Goodwill  | 24.77  | 140.46 | 186.40 | 186.40 | 186.40 | 186.40 | 186.40 |
| Property, plant and equipment                           | 4.45   | 10.33  | 34.99  | 31.49  | 27.42  | 22.69  | 17.21  |
| Financial assets  | 1.43   | 0.29   | 0.19   | 0.19   | 0.19   | 0.19   | 0.19   |
| Other long-term assets                                  | 4.09   | 12.15  | 14.14  | 14.14  | 14.14  | 14.14  | 14.14  |
| Fixed assets  | 65.93  | 213.41 | 297.56 | 325.58 | 346.31 | 359.39 | 369.45 |
| Inventories   | 0.00   | 0.78   | 1.09   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Accounts receivable                                     | 49.14  | 54.22  | 63.07  | 78.70  | 92.30  | 109.00 | 128.40 |
| Liquid assets   | 14.33  | 31.76  | 24.89  | 19.32  | 32.24  | 63.75  | 112.56 |
| Other short-term assets                                 | 11.57  | 5.45   | 4.97   | 4.97   | 4.97   | 4.97   | 4.97   |
| Current assets  | 75.05  | 92.21  | 94.02  | 102.99 | 129.51 | 177.72 | 245.93 |
| Total Assets  | 141.00 | 305.60 | 391.60 | 428.60 | 475.80 | 537.10 | 615.40 |
| Liabilities and shareholders' equity                    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Subscribed capital                                      | 6.20   | 6.49   | 6.49   | 6.49   | 6.49   | 6.49   | 6.49   |
| Capital reserve   | 2.91   | 50.59  | 51.11  | 51.11  | 51.11  | 51.11  | 51.11  |
| Retained earnings                                       | 73.75  | 96.34  | 120.67 | 148.34 | 184.09 | 232.18 | 295.75 |
| Other equity components                                 | -0.25  | -0.25  | -0.24  | -0.24  | -0.24  | -0.24  | -0.24  |
| Shareholders' equity                                    | 82.60  | 153.17 | 178.03 | 205.70 | 241.45 | 289.54 | 353.12 |
| Minority interest                                       | 0.31   | 0.31   | 0.34   | 0.34   | 0.34   | 0.34   | 0.34   |
| Total equity  | 82.91  | 153.48 | 178.38 | 206.04 | 241.80 | 289.88 | 353.46 |
| Provisions  | 0.18   | 0.28   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   |
| thereof provisions for pensions and similar obligations | 0.18   | 0.28   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   | 0.92   |
| Financial liabilities (total)                           | 16.30  | 80.74  | 114.87 | 118.47 | 122.07 | 125.67 | 129.27 |
| Short-term financial liabilities                        | 2.94   | 9.78   | 16.41  | 16.41  | 16.41  | 16.41  | 16.41  |
| Accounts payable  | 23.06  | 31.99  | 39.58  | 45.30  | 53.20  | 62.80  | 73.90  |
| Other liabilities                                       | 18.53  | 39.12  | 57.84  | 57.84  | 57.84  | 57.84  | 57.84  |
| Liabilities   | 58.07  | 152.13 | 213.20 | 222.52 | 234.02 | 247.22 | 261.92 |
| Total liabilities and shareholders' equity              | 141.00 | 305.60 | 391.60 | 428.60 | 475.80 | 537.10 | 615.40 |

## **Financial Ratios**

|                                     | 2017   | 2018    | 2019    | 2020    | 2021e   | 2022e  | 2023e  |
|-------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|
| Efficiency of Capital Employment    |        |         |         |         |         |        |        |
| Operating Assets Turnover           | 6.4 x  | 8.0 x   | 5.7 x   | 6.0 x   | 6.8 x   | 7.8 x  | 8.8 x  |
| Capital Employed Turnover           | 2.3 x  | 1.3 x   | 1.3 x   | 1.3 x   | 1.4 x   | 1.5 x  | 1.7 x  |
| ROA                                 | 27.9 % | 10.5 %  | 8.2 %   | 8.5 %   | 10.3 %  | 13.4 % | 17.2 % |
| Return on Capital                   |        |         |         |         |         |        |        |
| ROCE (NOPAT)                        | 27.1 % | 16.3 %  | 10.9 %  | 9.9 %   | 11.5 %  | 14.3 % | 17.8 % |
| ROE                                 | 25.1 % | 19.1 %  | 14.7 %  | 14.4 %  | 16.0 %  | 18.1 % | 19.8 % |
| Adj. ROE                            | 25.1 % | 19.1 %  | 14.7 %  | 14.4 %  | 16.0 %  | 18.1 % | 19.8 % |
| Balance sheet quality               |        |         |         |         |         |        |        |
| Net Debt                            | 2.15   | 49.26   | 90.89   | 100.07  | 90.75   | 62.84  | 17.63  |
| Net Financial Debt                  | 1.97   | 48.98   | 89.98   | 99.15   | 89.83   | 61.92  | 16.71  |
| Net Gearing                         | 2.6 %  | 32.1 %  | 51.0 %  | 48.6 %  | 37.5 %  | 21.7 % | 5.0 %  |
| Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA              | 6.5 %  | 125.3 % | 172.3 % | 195.4 % | 141.6 % | 75.6 % | 15.9 % |
| Book Value / Share                  | 13.7   | 24.5    | 28.5    | 32.9    | 38.6    | 46.3   | 56.5   |
| Book value per share ex intangibles | 4.4    | -6.0    | -11.2   | -11.9   | -10.1   | -5.3   | 2.4    |



### **Book Value per Share** in EUR



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## Consolidated cash flow statement

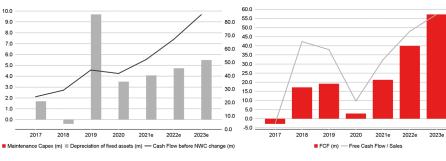


| consolidated cash now statement                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| In EUR m   | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021e  | 2022e  | 2023e  |
| Net income   | 18.43  | 22.47  | 24.40  | 27.67  | 35.75  | 48.09  | 63.58  |
| Depreciation of fixed assets                           | 1.69   | -0.39  | 9.69   | 3.50   | 4.07   | 4.73   | 5.48   |
| Amortisation of goodwill                               | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Amortisation of intangible assets                      | 5.12   | 6.91   | 9.52   | 10.49  | 12.20  | 14.19  | 16.45  |
| Increase/decrease in long-term provisions              | 0.00   | 0.10   | 0.63   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Other non-cash income and expenses                     | -0.92  | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Cash Flow before NWC change                            | 24.31  | 29.09  | 44.24  | 41.65  | 52.02  | 67.01  | 85.51  |
| Increase / decrease in inventory                       | 0.00   | -0.78  | -0.31  | 1.09   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Increase / decrease in accounts receivable             | -11.05 | -5.08  | -8.85  | -15.63 | -13.60 | -16.70 | -19.40 |
| Increase / decrease in accounts payable                | 4.35   | 8.93   | 7.59   | 5.72   | 7.90   | 9.60   | 11.10  |
| Increase / decrease in other working capital positions | -9.36  | 7.67   | 3.53   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Increase / decrease in working capital (total)         | -16.06 | 10.75  | 1.97   | -8.82  | -5.70  | -7.10  | -8.30  |
| Net cash provided by operating activities [1]          | 8.26   | 39.83  | 46.21  | 32.83  | 46.32  | 59.91  | 77.21  |
| Investments in intangible assets                       | -8.00  | -13.70 | -27.02 | -30.00 | -25.00 | -20.00 | -20.00 |
| Investments in property, plant and equipment           | -2.00  | -1.52  | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Payments for acquisitions                              | -9.56  | -63.26 | -33.04 | -12.00 | -12.00 | -12.00 | -12.00 |
| Financial investments                                  | 0.55   | 0.00   | 0.02   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Income from asset disposals                            | 0.02   | 0.24   | 0.20   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Net cash provided by investing activities [2]          | -21.19 | -85.64 | -59.88 | -42.00 | -37.00 | -32.00 | -32.00 |
| Change in financial liabilities                        | 4.85   | 70.51  | 23.50  | 3.60   | 3.60   | 3.60   | 3.60   |
| Dividends paid   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Purchase of own shares                                 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Capital measures                                       | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Other  | 0.00   | -7.27  | -16.72 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Net cash provided by financing activities [3]          | 4.85   | 63.23  | 6.78   | 3.60   | 3.60   | 3.60   | 3.60   |
| Change in liquid funds [1]+[2]+[3]                     | -8.08  | 17.43  | -6.90  | -5.57  | 12.92  | 31.51  | 48.81  |
| Effects of exchange-rate changes on cash               | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Cash and cash equivalent at end of period              | 14.33  | 31.76  | 24.86  | 19.32  | 32.24  | 63.75  | 112.56 |

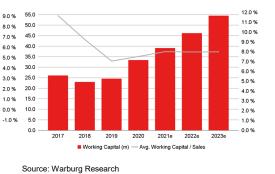
## **Financial Ratios**

| Financial Ratios                     |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                      | 2017    | 2018    | 2019    | 2020    | 2021e   | 2022e   | 2023e   |
| Cash Flow                            |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| FCF                                  | -2.84   | 17.21   | 19.19   | 2.83    | 21.32   | 39.91   | 57.21   |
| Free Cash Flow / Sales               | -1.5 %  | 6.5 %   | 5.7 %   | 0.7 %   | 4.7 %   | 7.5 %   | 9.1 %   |
| Free Cash Flow Potential             | 25.56   | 33.42   | 45.18   | 42.85   | 53.22   | 68.21   | 86.71   |
| Free Cash Flow / Net Profit          | -15.4 % | 76.6 %  | 78.6 %  | 10.2 %  | 59.6 %  | 83.0 %  | 90.0 %  |
| Interest Received / Avg. Cash        | 3.0 %   | 2.5 %   | 1.8 %   | 3.6 %   | 3.1 %   | 1.7 %   | 0.9 %   |
| Interest Paid / Avg. Debt            | 6.5 %   | 3.6 %   | 2.1 %   | 1.9 %   | 1.8 %   | 1.8 %   | 1.7 %   |
| Management of Funds                  |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Investment ratio                     | 5.1 %   | 5.7 %   | 8.0 %   | 7.8 %   | 5.5 %   | 3.7 %   | 3.2 %   |
| Maint. Capex / Sales                 | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   |
| Capex / Dep                          | 146.9 % | 155.4 % | 140.7 % | 214.5 % | 153.7 % | 105.7 % | 91.2 %  |
| Avg. Working Capital / Sales         | 11.7 %  | 9.2 %   | 7.1 %   | 7.5 %   | 8.0 %   | 8.0 %   | 8.0 %   |
| Trade Debtors / Trade Creditors      | 213.1 % | 169.5 % | 159.3 % | 173.7 % | 173.5 % | 173.6 % | 173.7 % |
| Inventory Turnover                   | n.a.    | 161.3 x | 142.9 x | n.a.    | n.a.    | n.a.    | n.a.    |
| Receivables collection period (days) | 92      | 74      | 68      | 74      | 74      | 74      | 74      |
| Payables payment period (days)       | 91      | 93      | 93      | 95      | 95      | 97      | 98      |
| Cash conversion cycle (Days)         | n.a.    | -16     | -22     | n.a.    | n.a.    | n.a.    | n.a.    |

# CAPEX and Cash Flow in EUR m



## **Working Capital**



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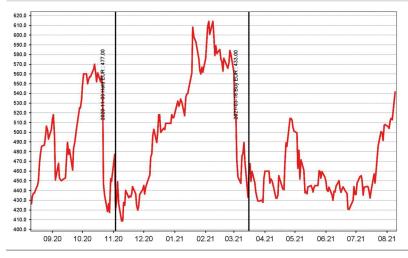
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|------------------|------------------|---------------|
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