

Neutral



Dusit Thani PCL

DTC TB

Target Price	Bt	9.20
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Price (15/05/2020)	Bt	6.95
Upside	%	32.37
Valuation		PER
Sector	Touri	sm & Leisure
Market Cap	Btm	5,908
30-day avg turnover	Btm	0.92
No. of shares on issue	m	850
CG Scoring		Excellent
Anti-Corruption Indicator		Certified

Investment fundamentals

Year-end Dec 31	2018A	2019A	2020E	2021E				
Company Financials								
Revenue (Btmn)	4,633	4,798	4,750	4,871				
Core profit (Btmn)	-71	-766	-388	-374				
Net profit (Btmn)	290	39	-188	-174				
Net EPS (Bt)	0.34	0.05	-0.22	-0.20				
DPS (Bt)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00				
BVPS (Bt)	5.85	5.91	5.71	5.52				
Net EPS growth (%)	8.54	-86.58	n.m.	7.57				
ROA (%)	3.25	3.15	-1.17	-1.03				
ROE (%)	5.92	0.78	-3.81	-3.65				
Net D/E (x)	0.16	-0.15	-0.21	-0.27				
Valuation								
P/E (x)	28.15	211.93	n.m.	n.m.				
P/BV (x)	1.64	1.64	1.22	1.26				
EV/EBITDA (x)	19.05	38.64	25.62	23.61				
Dividend yield (%)	1.77	n.a.	0.00	0.00				

DTC TB rel SET performance



(all figures in THB unless noted)

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Impact from COVID-19 to continue

- ► 1Q20 core loss of Bt105mn marked a lower loss compared to a core loss of Bt184mn in 4Q19 but a turn from a core profit of Bt1mn in 1Q19.
- ▶ RevPar came in at Bt2,615, a decline of 29% YoY due to a lower occupancy rate of 58.5% vs. 84.6% in 1Q19.
- ► Maintain our Neutral rating on DTC with a target price of Bt9.20, but expect negative sentiment toward the stock price on weak 1Q20 earnings.

Investment Highlights

- ▶ **1Q20 earnings came in weak.** DTC reported a 1Q20 net loss of Bt82mn, which turned from net profits of Bt269mn in 4Q19 and Bt1mn in 1Q19 due mainly to the impact of the COVID-19 outbreak. Excluding extraordinary items, the company had a core loss of Bt105mn, which marks a lower loss compared to a core loss of Bt184mn in 4Q19 but turned from a core profit of Bt1mn in 1Q19. We expect DTC to report core losses during the next three quarters based on our 2020 inbound tourist estimate of 15mn.
- ▶ Weak 1Q20 RevPar. 1Q20 RevPar came in at Bt2,615, a decline of 29% YoY, due to a lower occupancy rate and ADR. The occupancy rate came in at 58.5%, down from 84.6% in 1Q19, mainly on a weak operating performance in March after the coronavirus hit Europe, while DTC was able to hold up its ADR with an increase of 2.5%. Note that China ordered tourism enterprises to suspend tours on Jan 24 in order to control the spread of the coronavirus epidemic.
- ▶ Less impact on education and food businesses. The company posted 1Q20 revenue from the education and food businesses of Bt108mn (-9% YoY) and Bt116mn (+29% YoY), respectively. The lower revenue of the education business was due mainly to a decrease in revenue from Dusit Thani College as the COVID-19 pandemic caused short-term courses to be postponed. The YoY increase of food revenue was driven mainly by higher Epicure Catering revenue, which accounts for 9% of DTC's total revenue.
- Expect a higher loss in 2Q20. We expect DTC to report a higher net loss in 2Q19 due to continued weak inbound tourist numbers due to the government's ban of all travel to Thailand in April, which might be prolonged, and as Epicure Catering will not able to operate as normal due to the announcement of temporary closures of educational institutions by the government. We expect the government will implement a 14-day quarantine on all travelers to Thailand in order to contain the spread of COVID-19, which will not attract tourists to come to the country.

Valuation and Recommendation

- We maintain our Neutral rating on DTC with a target price of Bt9.20. Although we have a positive view of the company's long-term strategy (mixed-use project in the Silom area), we believe weak 1Q20 earnings and the negative impact from COVID-19 will pressure 2020-21 operations, which will create negative sentiment toward the stock.
- ► We derive an end-2020 target price for DTC of Bt9.20. We apply the PBV methodology for DTC's existing businesses with a multiple of 1.2x, equivalent to 1SD below its five-year average trailing PBV, while we value the mixed-use and residential business at Bt2.60 based on the NAV methodology using a discount rate of 7%.





Fig 1 1Q20 earnings review

	1Q19	2Q19	3Q19	4Q19	1Q20	%YoY	%QoQ	%YTD2020	2020E
Financials									
Sales (Btmn)	1,264	912	877	1,140	1,007	-20.4	-11.7	21.2	4,750
EBITDA (Btmn)	192	-70	-65	18	180	-6.5	899.3	75.8	237
Operating profit (Btmn)	78	-186	-180	-97	-22	-127.8	77.8	7.7	-280
Core profit (Btmn)	1	-238	-517	-184	-105	-12,732.1	42.8	27.1	-388
Net profit (Btmn)	1	-22	73	269	-82	-9,948.0	-130.6	43.7	-188
Net EPS (Bt)	0.00	-0.00	0.01	0.03	-0.01	-9,948.0	-130.6	4.4	-0.22
Performance Drivers									
RevPar (Bt)	3,688	2,287	1,791	1,833	2,615	-29.1	42.7	2,615	1,201
Average daily rate (Bt)	4,357	3,257	2,410	3,404	4,467	2.5	31.2	4,467	2,859
Occupancy rate (%)	84.6	70.2	74.3	53.9	58.5	-26.1	4.6	58.5	42.0
Ratios						Change		Avg YTD	2020E
Gross margin (%)	36.0	26.3	23.9	17.6	35.6	-0.4	18.0	35.6	37.8
EBITDA margin (%)	15.2	-7.6	-7.4	1.6	17.9	2.6	16.3	17.9	-5.9
Optg. margin (%)	6.2	-20.4	-20.5	-8.5	-2.1	-8.3	6.4	(2.1)	5.0
ROE (%)	0.1	-1.9	6.0	22.8	-7.4	-7.4	-30.1	(7.4)	0.4
Source: Company data, KS Research									







Income Statement (Btmn)	2017A	2018A	2019A	2020E	2021
Revenue	4,723	4,633	4,798	4,750	4,871
Cost of sales and services	-3,393	-3,208	-3,006	-2,954	-3,017
Gross Profit	1,330	1,424	1,792	1,796	1,854
SG&A	-1,706	-1,851	-2,157	-2,160	-2,222
Other income	, 473	465	. 82	84	86
EBIT	470	501	586	18	31
EBITDA	725	537	225	237	244
Interest expense	-59	-65	-100	-95	-94
Equity earnings	20	66	47	80	93
EBT	411	436	486	-77	-64
Income tax	-79	-86	-132	-50	-47
NPAT	332	350	354	-127	-111
Minority Interest	-65	-60	-315	-62	-63
Core Profit	-56	-71	-766	-388	-374
Extraordinary items	323	361	805	200	200
FX gain (loss)	0	0	0	0	0
Reported net profit	267	290	39	-188	-174
Balance Sheet (Btmn)					
Cash & equivalents	1,021	1,112	1,393	1,700	2,036
ST investments	448	457	457	457	457
Accounts receivable	538	849	452	448	459
Inventories	71	77	76	75	77
Other current assets	201	122	109	102	96
Total current assets	2,278	2,617	2,487	2,782	3,126
Investment in subs & others	1,320	1,980	2,014	2,014	2,014
Fixed assets-net	4,322	4,300	3,927	3,537	3,141
Other assets	2,059	2,676	2,499	2,448	2,404
Total assets	9,980	11,573	10,928	10,781	10,685
Short-term debt	758	409	233	231	230
Accounts payable	853	1,248	933	924	947
Other current assets	163	278	229	233	238
Total current liabilities	1,774	1,935	1,395	1,388	1,416
Long-term debt	1,479	2,132	652	614	578
Other liabilities	846	1,429	2,435	2,444	2,453
Total liabilities	4,099	, 5,495	4,481	4,447	4,447
Paid-up capital	850	850	850	850	850
Share premium	1,643	1,643	1,643	1,643	1,643
Reserves & others, net	840	811	825	840	855
Retained earnings	1,490	1,667	1,705	1,517	1,343
Minority interests	1,057	1,107	1,423	1,484	1,547
Total shareholders' equity	5,881	6,078	6,447	6,334	6,238
Total equity & liabilities	9,980	11,573	10,928	10,781	10,685
Key Assumptions	,	,			.,
RevPar (Bt)	2,636	2,734	2,656	2,727	2,782
ADR (Bt)	3,597	3,548	3,495	3,565	3,636
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Cashflow (Btmn)	2017A	2018A	2019A	2020E	2021E
Net profit	332	350	354	-127	-111
Depreciation & amortization	629	499	509	517	526
Change in working capital	-154	213	83	-4	10
Others	-215	-273	461	266	18
CF from operation activities	592	790	1,408	653	443
Capital expenditure	-691	-527	-1,886	-1,277	-1,681
Investment in subs and affiliates	0	0	0	0	0
Others	18	-313	1,765	1,165	1,566
CF from investing activities	-673	-841	-121	-112	-115
Cash dividend	-86	-164	-145	0	0
Net proceeds from debt	-82	366	-483	-12	-11
Capital raising	0	0	0	0	0
Others	418	-49	-379	-223	19
CF from financing activities	250	153	-1,006	-235	8
Net change in cash	169	102	281	307	336
Key Statistics & Ratios					
Per share (Bt)					
Reported EPS	0.31	0.34	0.05	-0.22	-0.20
Core EPS	-0.07	-0.08	-0.90	-0.46	-0.44
DPS	0.16	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00
BV	5.67	5.85	5.91	5.71	5.52
EV	12.65	12.05	10.24	7.15	6.79
Free Cash Flow	-0.12	0.31	-0.56	-0.73	-1.46
Valuation analysis					
Reported P/E (x)	33.42	28.15	211.93	-31.40	-33.97
Core P/E (x)	-159.35	-114.29	-10.76	-15.22	-15.80
P/BV (x)	1.85	1.64	1.64	1.22	1.26
EV/EBITDA (x)	14.83	19.05	38.64	25.62	23.61
Price/Cash flow (x)	15.06	10.34	5.86	9.04	13.32
Dividend yield (%)	1.50	1.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Profitability ratios					
Gross margin (%)	28.15	30.75	37.35	37.81	38.06
EBITDA margin (%)	15.35	11.60	4.69	5.00	5.02
EBIT margin (%)	9.95	10.81	12.22	0.38	0.63
Net profit margin (%)	7.04	7.56	7.38	-2.66	-2.28
ROA (%)	3.50	3.25	3.15	-1.17	-1.03
ROE (%)	5.67	5.92	0.78	-3.81	-3.65
Liquidity ratios					
Current ratio (x)	1.28	1.35	1.78	2.00	2.21
Quick ratio (x)	1.13	1.25	1.65	1.88	2.09
Leverage Ratios					
Liabilities/Equity ratio (x)	0.70	0.90	0.70	0.70	0.71
Net debt/EBITDA (x)	1.06	1.81	-4.29	-5.53	-6.89
Net debt/equity (x)	0.13	0.16	-0.15	-0.21	-0.27
Int. coverage ratio (x)	7.99	7.73	5.85	0.19	0.33
Growth	5.05	1.01	2 50	1.01	2.54
Revenue (%)	-5.05	-1.91	3.58	-1.01	2.54
EBITDA (%)	-16.44	-25.85	-58.10	5.40	2.96
Reported net profit (%)	134.00	8.54	-86.6	-583.61	7.57
Reported EPS (%)	134.00	8.54	-86.6	-583.61	7.57
Core profit (%)	-149.48	-27.48	-972.97	49.34 49.34	3.67
Core EPS (%)	-149.48	-27.48	-972.97	49.34	3.67

Source: Company, KS estimates





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