

Closing share Price (22/08/2022)

EUR 6.96

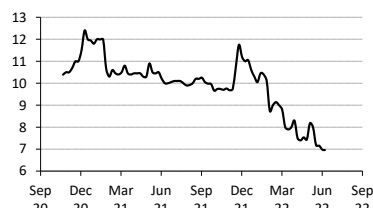
Target valuation range

EUR 9.00 - 12.00

Risk	Medium
Reuters	CABKA-AMS
Bloomberg	CABKA NA
Shares number (m)	24.37
Market cap. (m)	170
Net debt 12/21 (m)	54
Net debt/EBITDA 12/21	2.05
1 year price perf.	-30.4%
Diff. with Euro Stoxx	-17.1%
Volume (sh./day)	4,473
H/L 1 year	11.75 - 6.88
Free Float	42.7%
RAM.ON Finance	45.8%
Sponsors	5.6%
Eikenbosch	4.3%
Key Employees	1.6%

Company description

Cabka produces pallets and large containers made from mainly recycled plastic using proprietary technology. It also manufactures eco products for gardening and transportation, made entirely out of recycled plastic.



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Cabka

Reinforcing its positions despite short term volatility

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Some headwinds in H1

- Cabka's H1 results were affected by a delay in passing on input price increases, and a temporary shutdown of the ECO plant. We expect that it can fully pass on the higher input costs from H2-22 on, but there will still be a mathematical dilutive margin effect as long as costs remain at current elevated levels.
- The US plant in Hazelwood is out of service due to a flood, but the company has been able to secure sufficient capacity elsewhere to cover 70% of its pre-flood level. That will allow it to deliver to its key customers, including the important new contract with Target.
- We cut our Adj. EBITDA estimate by 25% for 2022 and 10% for 2023 to reflect these effects.

Valuation range cut to EUR 9.00-12.00

We cut our target range from EUR 11-15.50 to EUR 9.00-12.00 to reflect the impact of the recent increase in interest rates on our DCF and our more cautious assumptions following the rising global volatility. We see the following drivers for an increase in Cabka's share price:

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EUR	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Sales	156.9	160.6	134.6	170.6	208.5	233.4	252.6
EBITDA	23.8	24.8	19.0	26.3	25.0	36.0	41.7
Adj. profit	2.7	1.2	-3.4	4.3	8.0	9.9	13.1
EPS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.33	0.40	0.54
FCF/share	-	-	-	-	-0.50	-0.04	0.09
EV/EBITDA	-	-	2.8	2.1	8.0	5.7	5.0
Adj. P/E	-	-	nm	63.7	21.2	17.2	12.9
FCF Yield	-	-	-	-	-7.2%	-0.5%	1.3%
Div. Yield	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	2.2%	1.9%	2.5%

Source: Cabka/Degroof Petercam estimates

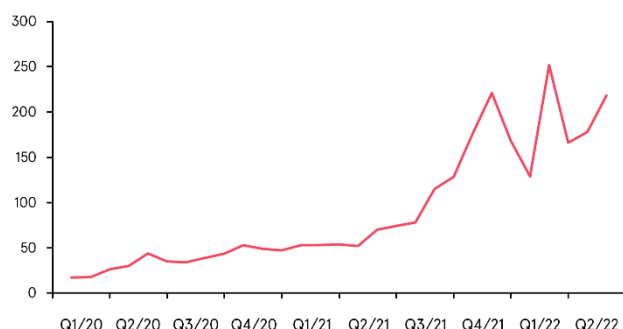
Increasing competitive advantage thanks to rising input prices

Rising input prices were a major theme in Cabka's H1-22 results. The costs of Cabka's key inputs, plastics and energy, have increased sharply over the past year (Exhibit 1). In response to this, Cabka implemented several rounds of price increases, leading to a 15% rise in price levels year-on-year. Despite this, it was able to grow volumes by 12%. In our view, this shows the company's strong competitive position in pallets and large containers. Virgin plastic prices roughly doubled, but prices for the recycled material that Cabka uses rose much less (see Exhibit 1). Cabka uses 87% recycled materials, versus a European average of only 14%. Furthermore, the company benefited from its backward integration, which protected it from the scarcity of raw materials that affected others. Also versus other materials Cabka's competitive position improved. The price increase for wooden pallets was much higher than for plastic, due to the sharp rise in lumber prices.

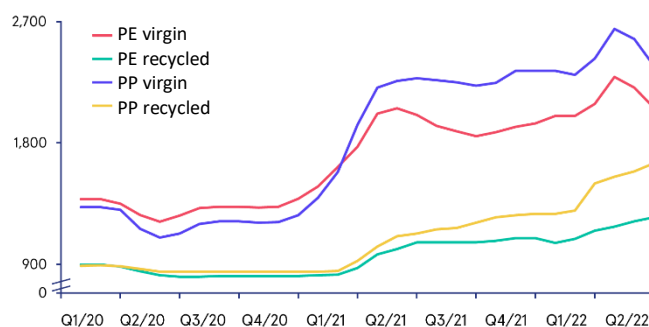
Customers do not switch immediately from other materials to plastic when there is a price differential because that requires readjustment of their supply chains. However, the growing importance of using re-usable packaging is leading to increased customer interest for Cabka's products and the price advantage of its plastic products is an additional trigger for them to make the switch. We therefore expect that the current situation will further reinforce Cabka's market position.

Exhibit 1 Development key input prices

Energy Cost Development (Q1/2020-Q2/2022)¹, in €/MWh



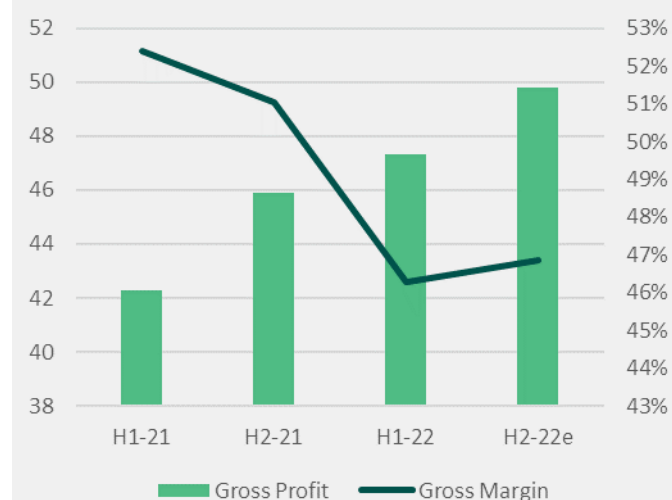
Material Cost Development (Q1/2020-Q2/2022)², in €/mT



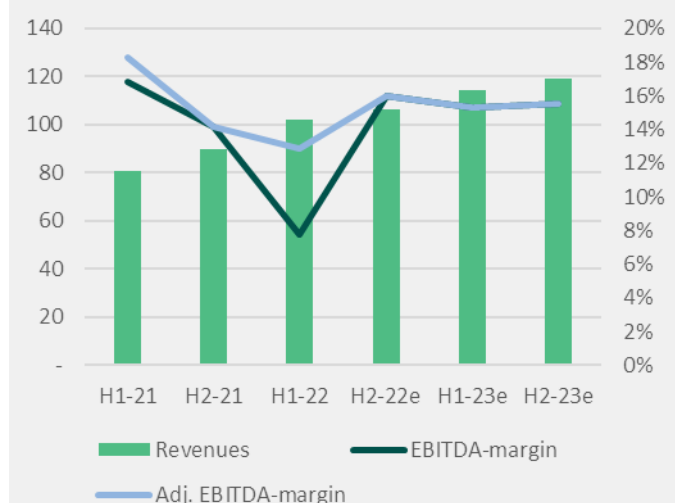
Source: Cabka

Cabka has passed on the cost increases to customers, but in H1-22 there was a EUR 1.3m negative impact on profitability caused by the delay in passing these on. Management is changing its new contracts so that it can pass on future price increases more quickly based on indexation. It has implemented an additional 5% price increase per August 1, bringing pricing in line with current cost levels provided that input costs remain around current levels.

In H1 Cabka still managed to achieve gross profit growth in line with the overall volume growth of 12%. The fact that it increased prices only with the absolute amount of the additional raw material costs, without any additional profit margin meant that there was a (mathematical) dilutive effect on the gross margin (Exhibit 2) and EBITDA-margin (Exhibit 3). The reported EBITDA-margin was also affected by costs for the IPO (EUR 3.2m), employee option plan (EUR 1.4m) and restructuring (EUR 0.5m).

Exhibit 2 Gross profit and gross margin (m euros)


Source: Degroof Petercam estimates

Exhibit 3 Revenues and EBITDA-margin (m euros)


Source: Degroof Petercam estimates

Hazelwood Flood limits near-term US contribution

Cabka's US plant in Hazelwood was hit by a flood after extreme rainfall on July 27. As a result, the company was forced to shut down the plant, and it does not expect to be able to restart production in the short term. However, it has been able to recover all essential injection moulding tools. It has also secured external production capacity allowing it deliver 70% of the sales level it had before the flood. This allows it to execute the important new framework contract with Target (first order: EUR 13m, many more expected) and continue deliveries to its key customers. Management is still looking for additional capacity, so that it can further increase its production levels.

This is a clear setback, as the company was on a strong growth trajectory in the United States. The outsourcing of production will have a negative impact on margins, which may be partly offset by a mix shift towards the most profitable products as Cabka prioritize its strategic customers and is likely to cut primarily into its low-end product sales.

There is no visibility on a restart of production at Cabka's own plant. We expect that it will use this event to rethink its production setup for the US market. In general, it is looking to shift production of its standardized products to tollers, while reserving its own production capacity to produce high value-added customized products. In the medium term that should allow the US activities to realize higher margins. Thanks to the quick response of management, it believes it should be able to achieve H2 sales above the H1 level in the US, with the first deliveries on the Target contract as a key contributor.

Dip in Eco-products in H1

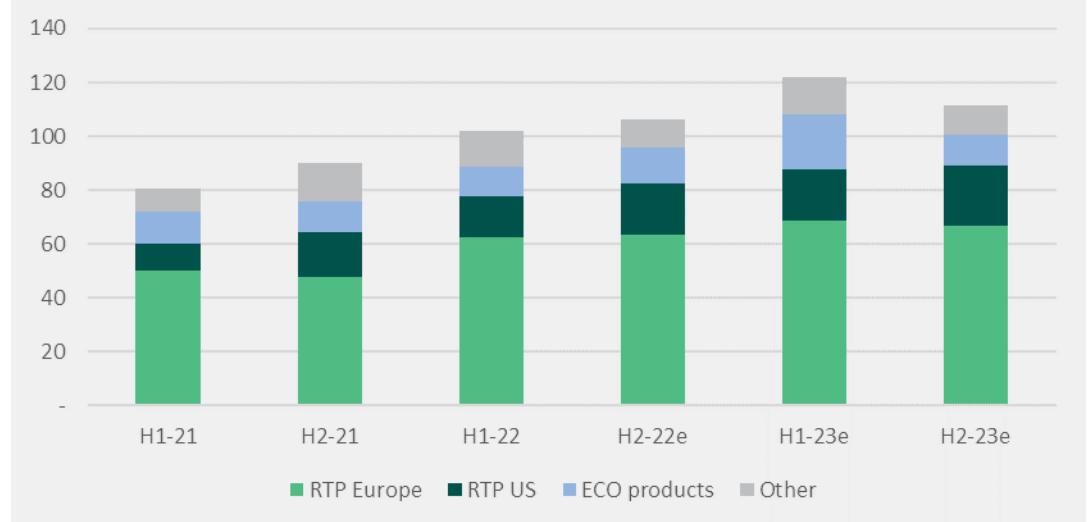
During H1, Cabka consolidated the production of its ECO-products on its site in Weira, closing the facilities in Genthin (both in Germany). That led to a temporary production closedown in Q2 and EUR 0.8m in missed revenues. Production has started up again in June. The new setup brings higher efficiency and a 25-30% increase in production capacity. This will allow the company to grow revenues from this segment further, especially in view of the healthy demand.

Cuts in EBITDA to reflect more volatile markets

Management has reiterated its target to move to an EBITDA-margin above 20% in the mid-term. However, it now adds that the “relative EBITDA is subject to inflationary developments”. If input prices remain structurally 10% higher than when the company announced its targets, that would mathematically lead to a dilution from 20% to 18.2%.

On balance, we cut our Adj. EBITDA estimate by 25% for 2022 to reflect the shutdown of the ECO plant in Q2, the impact of the flood in the US and the more volatile market environment. We expect the latter two factors to also have an effect in 2023, and we cut our estimate for that year by 10%. For 2022, the impact on our Adjusted EPS estimate is largely offset by a smaller net costs for taxes and warrants. We cut our 2023 Adj. EPS estimated by 18%.

Exhibit 4 Revenue development by segment (m euros)



Source: Degroef Petercam estimates

Valuation

We based our valuation range on a DCF-analysis and a peer group comparison, both of which indicate significant upside.

DCF indicates significant upside

For our DCF analysis, we forecast 7.6% average revenue growth during the forecast period, in line with the mid-term target of high single digit growth. The average EBITDA-margin of 18.4% during this period is below the target of at least 20% because we include the dilutive margin effect of the recent price increases. Adjusting for the price increase since Cabka set the target, we still expect it to meet this goal. Our estimated capex is 22% above depreciation, reflecting expansion capex in combination with the company's asset-light strategy using contract manufacturers. Our perpetual value is based on 2% growth and a ROCE of 12%. We have raised our WACC from 7.7% to 8.2% to reflect the recent increases in interest rates. Using these assumptions, we arrive at a value of EUR 10.40 per share.

Exhibit 6 shows a sensitivity analysis for different assumptions on the WACC and ROCE, including the potential impact of dilution from performance shares, warrants and other instruments. For this adjustment we use a conservative approach. We assume that if the target value without dilution adjustment is above the conversion price, the instrument will be converted immediately. In reality, the conversion will only take place if the share price is above this level for 15 days during a consecutive 30-day period. It will also take place in stages, and part of the instruments may lapse before they are executed. For our target valuation range, we use a WACC of 9.2% for the bottom and 7.2% for the top, leading to a range of EUR 8.3 to EUR 12.

mln euros	2023e	2024e	2025e	2026e	2027e	2028e	2029e	2030e	2031e	2032e	> 2032e	Total
Revenues	233	253	270	289	309	331	354	379	406	434		
EBIT	15	20	25	29	32	37	39	42	46	50		
Depreciation & amortization	21	22	23	25	26	28	30	31	33	34		
Change in provisions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Change in working capital	-6	-6	-4	-5	-5	-5	-6	-6	-6	-7		
Taxes	-5	-6	-8	-9	-10	-11	-12	-13	-14	-15		
Associates & other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Capex	-22	-24	-26	-27	-29	-31	-34	-34	-34	-30		
Capex intangibles	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0	-0		
Finance Lease	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-4	-4	-4	-4		
Acquisitions & other investment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Free cash flow	-1	2	7	9	11	13	14	17	20	28	488	
Discount factor	1.07	1.15	1.25	1.35	1.46	1.58	1.71	1.85	2.00	2.16	2.34	
Discounted FCF	-0.9	2.0	5.7	6.5	7.2	8.0	8.0	9.0	9.9	12.7	208.3	276.4
Revenue change	+12.0%	+8.2%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+7.0%	+2.0%	
EBITDA-margin	15.4%	16.5%	17.9%	18.4%	18.9%	19.4%	19.4%	19.4%	19.4%	19.4%	19.4%	
EBITDA-margin pre IFRS16	14.2%	15.3%	16.8%	17.3%	17.8%	18.4%	18.4%	18.4%	18.4%	18.5%	18.5%	
EBIT-margin	6.5%	7.8%	9.3%	9.9%	10.5%	11.0%	11.1%	11.1%	11.2%	11.5%	11.5%	
ROCE	7.3%	8.9%	10.5%	11.0%	11.4%	11.8%	11.6%	11.4%	11.4%	11.5%	12.0%	
Risk free rate	1.68%		Equity (market value)			75.0%		Enterprise value				276.4
Estimated Beta	1.00		Net debt			25.0%		Net Debt excl. lease				-22.5
Market risk premium	8.0%							Minorities				-0.2
Cost of equity	9.7%		WACC			8.2%		Other assets				-
								Equity value				253.7
Long-term interest rate	5.0%											
Marginal tax rate	27.6%		Perpetual growth			2.0%		# of shares				24.4
Cost of debt	3.6%		ROCE after 2032			12.0%		DCF per share				€ 10.4
								DCF including dilution				€ 10.4
								Current share price				€ 6.96
								Upside				+50%

		WACC						
		11.2%	10.2%	9.2%	8.2%	7.2%	6.2%	5.2%
ROCE	8.0%	5.2	6.3	7.7	9.6	11.6	14.1	18.9
	10.0%	5.5	6.6	8.1	10.1	12.2	15.0	20.0
	12.0%	5.7	6.8	8.3	10.4	12.0	15.5	20.8
	14.0%	5.8	7.0	8.5	10.7	12.3	15.5	21.3
	16.0%	5.9	7.1	8.7	10.8	12.5	15.8	21.7
	18.0%	6.0	7.2	8.8	11.0	12.7	16.0	22.0

Discount to peer group EV/EBITDA

For the peer group (Exhibit 7), we use three companies that are also active in industrial plastic packaging (Berry, Greif and Myers) and three companies that operate in waste management and recycling (Biffa, Cleanaway, and Renewi). This reflects the fact that Cabka is active in both the recycling of plastic waste and the production of plastic pallets and large containers. Cabka currently trades at a discount to the peer group on EV/EBITDA. If apply the peer group average multiple to Cabka's 2023 EBITDA, we arrive at a value of EUR 9 per share. However, we believe that it deserves a significant premium on this peer group because of its unique capability to offer a fully circular product. Together with a widening product range and geographic coverage that should allow it to show much faster growth. Its unique sourcing capabilities should also give it an advantage on input costs. Using a premium of 30% leads to a valuation of EUR 12 per share, taking into account dilution.

Exhibit 7 Peer group comparison

	Price		P/E		EV/Sales			EV/EBITDA			EV/EBIT		
	22-Aug-22	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
Plastic Industrial Packaging													
Berry (US)	56.96	7.4	7.1	6.6	1.0	1.0	0.9	6.9	6.6	6.1	10.5	9.4	8.3
Greif (US)	70.74	8.9	9.5	N.M.	0.8	0.8	N.A.	5.8	5.6	N.A.	8.2	7.6	N.A.
Myers Industries (US)	21.14	13.4	11.1	9.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	8.1	6.4	5.4	10.5	8.2	6.8
Waste Management and Recycling													
Biffa (UK)	3.99	N.M.	19.5	17.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	8.7	8.1	7.5	17.3	15.6	14.5
Cleanaway (AUS)	2.69	36.5	29.9	25.6	2.4	2.3	2.2	11.8	10.8	10.3	26.2	22.0	20.4
Renewi (UK)	8.22	8.9	8.7	7.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	5.4	5.2	4.9	10.3	9.2	9.0
Average		15.0	14.3	13.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	7.8	7.1	6.8	13.8	12.0	11.8
Median		8.9	10.3	9.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	7.5	6.5	6.1	10.5	9.3	9.0
Cabka (NL)	6.96	21.2	17.2	12.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	8.4	6.0	5.2	34.5	14.3	11.0
Vs peer average		+41.1%	+20.4%	-3.6%	-16.3%	-19.1%	-25.2%	+7.7%	-16.1%	-23.8%	+149.4%	+18.8%	-6.5%
Vs peer median		+138.1%	+66.8%	+32.5%	+1.2%	-0.9%	-8.0%	+12.0%	-8.4%	-14.3%	+228.8%	+53.7%	+23.1%

Source: Degroof Petercam estimates/Bloomberg

Drivers for the share price

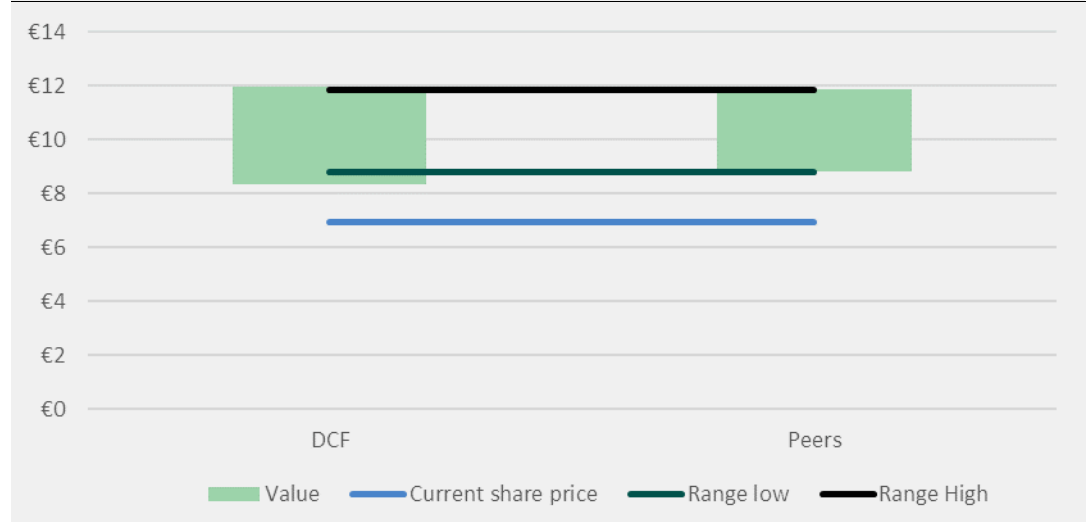
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Exhibit 8 Valuation Metrics and Target valuation range



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Profit & Loss (EUR m)	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Revenues	162.6	169.7	138.8	177.7	214.7	239.8	259.2
(of which Sales)	156.9	160.6	134.6	170.6	208.5	233.4	252.6
(Y/Y - %)	13%	2%	-16%	27%	22%	12%	8%
(of which Other revenues)	5.7	9.1	4.2	7.0	6.2	6.4	6.6
Cost of goods sold	-81.0	-85.5	-64.5	-89.5	-117.6	-127.5	-137.4
Gross profit	81.6	84.2	74.3	88.2	97.1	112.4	121.8
Personnel costs	-33.0	-34.4	-31.1	-33.1	-41.5	-45.5	-48.0
Other costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EBITDA	23.8	24.8	19.0	26.3	25.0	36.0	41.7
EBITA	8.2	7.0	0.7	9.6	6.1	15.1	19.7
(Ebita margin - %)	5.3%	4.4%	0.6%	5.6%	2.9%	6.5%	7.8%
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EBIT	8.2	7.0	0.7	9.6	6.1	15.1	19.7
Net Financial Result	-2.2	-3.6	-2.3	-1.9	1.6	-1.4	-1.4
(of which Net interest charges)	-2.2	-3.6	-2.3	-1.9	1.6	-1.4	-1.4
(of which Other)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pre-tax result	6.0	3.5	-1.6	7.7	7.6	13.7	18.3
Taxes	-3.2	-2.2	-1.6	-3.0	-2.1	-3.8	-5.0
Associates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minorities	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Net earnings excl. exceptionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Except. / Discont. operations	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net declared earnings	2.7	1.2	-3.4	4.4	5.4	9.9	13.1
Net adjusted earnings	2.7	1.2	-3.4	4.3	8.0	9.9	13.1
Cash Flow (EUR m)	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
EBIT	8.2	7.0	0.7	9.6	6.1	15.1	19.7
Depreciation	15.6	17.8	18.2	16.7	18.9	20.9	22.0
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Changes in provision	0.1	1.1	0.4	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Changes in working capital	-1.4	-2.6	0.2	-6.0	-12.6	-6.4	-5.6
Others	-1.2	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operational Cash Flow	21.4	23.4	20.4	22.7	12.3	29.7	36.1
Tax expenses	-1.5	-1.1	-2.6	-3.9	-2.1	-3.8	-5.0
Dividends from associates	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net interest charges	-1.4	-3.1	-2.1	-1.9	1.6	-1.4	-1.4
Others	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CF from operating activities	18.5	19.1	15.6	16.9	11.8	24.5	29.7
CAPEX	-26.0	-13.9	-12.4	-16.5	-20.8	-22.2	-24.0
Investments in intangibles	-0.3	-0.6	-0.1	-0.4	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Acquisitions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Divestments	0.2	0.3	4.1	1.1	0.7	0.0	0.0
Others	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CF from investing activities	-25.6	-14.1	-8.5	-15.8	-20.5	-22.5	-24.3
Dividend payment	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-3.7	-3.3
Minor. & pref. dividends	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Equity financing	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	43.3	0.0	0.0
Others	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	-2.9	-3.0	-3.1
CF from financing activities	0.1	0.1	-0.2	-0.3	40.3	-6.7	-6.4
Changes in consolidation scope	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Exchange rate impact	-0.4	-0.2	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net debt/cash change	7.5	-4.9	-7.8	-0.7	-31.6	4.7	1.1
FCF to Enterprise	-4.9	8.9	7.8	5.7	-11.7	4.2	8.7
FCF to Equity	-7.8	4.7	3.1	-0.1	-12.3	-0.9	2.3

Notes Source: company statements, 'e' indicates Degroof Petercam estimates

Balance Sheet (EUR m)	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Fixed assets	79.6	76.1	65.5	66.0	87.6	92.1	97.5
Tangible fixed assets	76.9	73.9	64.3	65.3	78.1	82.3	87.4
Goodwill	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other intang. assets	2.6	2.0	1.0	0.5	0.9	1.2	1.5
Financial fixed assets	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	8.6	8.6	8.6
Other fixed assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Current assets	57.3	73.6	58.6	75.5	106.8	113.8	122.4
Inventories	25.8	30.3	25.2	31.1	41.7	45.5	49.3
Trade receivables	21.5	20.1	20.5	27.1	32.3	37.3	40.4
Other current assets	3.3	3.8	3.8	7.3	10.2	11.1	11.9
Cash & Equivalents	6.8	19.5	9.2	10.0	22.5	19.8	20.8
Discontinued assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	136.9	149.7	124.1	141.5	194.4	205.9	219.9
Total Equity	36.9	38.3	33.8	38.6	82.4	88.6	98.5
Equity	35.9	37.3	33.4	38.5	82.2	87.4	96.3
Minorities & preferred	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.2	1.2	2.2
Provisions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Provisions for pensions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deferred taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other provisions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other LT liabilities	6.6	7.7	7.2	8.7	1.8	1.8	1.8
LT interest bearing debt	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	40.5	41.5	42.5
Current liabilities	93.4	103.8	83.1	94.2	71.6	75.9	79.0
ST interest bearing debt	68.7	79.5	62.5	64.0	21.4	22.4	23.4
Accounts payables	19.9	20.8	15.2	25.4	37.5	40.9	42.9
Other ST liabilities	4.8	3.5	5.4	4.8	12.7	12.7	12.7
Discontinued liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	136.9	149.7	124.1	141.5	194.4	205.9	219.9
EV and CE details (EUR m)	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Market cap.	-	-	0.0	0.0	169.6	169.6	169.6
+ Net financial debt	62.0	60.0	53.3	54.0	39.4	44.0	45.1
(of which LT debt)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	40.5	41.5	42.5
(of which ST debt)	68.7	79.5	62.5	64.0	21.4	22.4	23.4
(of which Cash position)	6.8	19.5	9.2	10.0	22.5	19.8	20.8
+ Provisions (pension)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
+ Minorities (MV)	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.2	1.2	2.2
- Peripheral assets (MV)	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-8.6	-8.6	-8.6
+ Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Enterprise Value	-	-	53.6	54.0	200.6	206.3	208.4
Equity (group share)	35.9	37.3	33.4	38.5	82.2	87.4	96.3
+ Net financial debt	62.0	60.0	53.3	54.0	39.4	44.0	45.1
+ Provisions (pension)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
+ Minorities	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.2	1.2	2.2
- Peripheral assets	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-8.6	-8.6	-8.6
+ Others	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Capital employed (for ROCE)	98.7	98.2	87.0	92.5	113.1	124.0	135.0
+ Accumulated goodwill amortiz.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CE (for ROCE grossed gdwll)	98.7	98.4	87.1	92.6	113.1	124.0	135.0
Notes	Source: company statements, 'e' indicates Degroof Petercam estimates						

Per Common Share (EUR)	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Adjusted EPS (*)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.33	0.40	0.54
Adjusted EPS (fully diluted)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Declared EPS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.22	0.40	0.54
CFS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.26	1.44
FCF (to Equity)	-	-	-	-	-0.50	-0.04	0.09
Dividend	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.13	0.18
Book Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.37	3.59	3.95
Shares (m)							
At the end of F.Y.	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	24.375	24.375	24.375
Average number	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	24.387	24.375	24.375
Fully diluted Average number	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	28.566	28.566	28.566
(*) Adjusted EPS : pre-goodwill amortisation earnings, adjusted for post-tax non-recurrent items							
Ratios	12/18	12/19	12/20	12/21	12/22e	12/23e	12/24e
Valuation analysis							
P/E	-	-	nm	63.7	21.2	17.2	12.9
P/CF	-	-	nm	nm	7.0	5.5	4.8
P/BV	-	-	nm	nm	2.1	1.9	1.8
EV/Sales	-	-	0.4	0.3	1.0	0.9	0.8
EV/EBITDA	-	-	2.8	2.1	8.0	5.7	5.0
EV/EBITA	-	-	71.6	5.6	33.0	13.7	10.6
EV/EBIT	-	-	71.6	5.6	33.0	13.7	10.6
EV/CE	-	-	0.6	0.6	1.8	1.7	1.5
EV/CE (grossed goodwill)	-	-	0.6	0.6	1.8	1.7	1.5
EV/FCF (1)	-	-	6.9	9.5	-17.1	49.0	23.9
FCF yield (2)	-	-	-	-	-7.2%	-0.5%	1.3%
Dividend yield	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	2.2%	1.9%	2.5%
Financial ratios							
Interest cover	3.7	2.0	0.3	4.9	-3.8	11.2	14.0
Net Debt/EBITDA	2.6	2.4	2.8	2.1	1.6	1.2	1.1
Net Debt/Equity	168.1%	156.8%	157.7%	140.1%	47.8%	49.7%	45.8%
Net Debt/FCF (2)	-7.9	12.9	17.3	-409.4	-3.2	-48.1	19.8
Capital turnover	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9
ROCE pre-tax	8.3%	7.1%	0.9%	10.4%	5.4%	12.2%	14.6%
ROCE post-tax	8.3%	7.1%	0.9%	10.4%	5.4%	12.2%	14.6%
ROCE pre-tax (grossed goodwill)	8.3%	7.1%	0.9%	10.4%	5.4%	12.2%	14.6%
ROCE post-tax (grossed gdwill)	8.3%	7.1%	0.9%	10.4%	5.4%	12.2%	14.6%
ROE	7.9%	3.4%	-9.6%	12.1%	9.0%	11.6%	14.3%
Working capital (in % of sales)	17.5%	18.4%	22.6%	19.3%	17.5%	18.0%	18.5%
DSO (days)	49.5	47.3	55.0	50.9	52.0	54.5	56.2
Average payment period (days)	47.4	46.3	48.9	43.4	55.1	61.3	60.5
Inventory turn (days)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payout	-	-	-	-	45.7%	33.0%	32.5%
Margin analysis and tax rate							
Gross margin	50.2%	49.6%	53.5%	49.6%	45.2%	46.9%	47.0%
EBITDA margin	15.2%	15.5%	14.1%	15.4%	12.0%	15.4%	16.5%
EBITA margin	5.3%	4.4%	0.6%	5.6%	2.9%	6.5%	7.8%
Adjusted profit margin	1.7%	0.8%	-2.5%	2.5%	3.8%	4.2%	5.2%
Tax rate	53.1%	63.1%	-101.7%	39.0%	28.0%	27.5%	27.5%
Growth analysis							
Sales	13%	2%	-16%	27%	22%	12%	8%
EBITDA	32%	4%	-24%	39%	-5%	44%	16%
EBITA	101%	-15%	-89%	1185%	-37%	148%	31%
Adjusted profit	+chg	-55%	-chg	+chg	87%	23%	33%
Adjusted EPS	-	-	-	+chg	87%	23%	33%
Dividend	-	-	-	-	+chg	-11%	31%
(1) Based on FCF to Enterprise - (2) Based on FCF to Equity							
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