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## H: BUY

Last Traded Price ( 31 Mar 2022):HK\$12.56(HSI : 21,997) Price Target 12-mth: HK\$24.00 (91.1% upside) (Prev HK\$26.00)

## A: HOLD

Last Traded Price (31 Mar 2022):RMB27.40(CSI300 Index : 4,223) Price Target 12-mth: RMB29.00 (5.8% upside) (Prev RMB35.00)

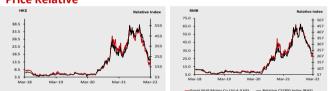
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## What's New

- Fine-tuning NEV strategy to better ride on rapid industry expansion especially in the high-end segment
- Improving product mix supports margin recovery
- Export strategy intact despite short-term volatility
- Maintain BUY; HK\$24 TP based on 18x FY22F PE

#### **Price Relative**



## Forecasts and Valuation (H Shares)

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| FY Dec (RMBm)                  | 2020A        | 2021A        | 2022F        | 2023F        |
| Turnover                       | 103,308      |              | 180,624      | 227,774      |
| EBITDA                         | 11,502       | 12,627       | 15,745       | 20,896       |
| Pre-tax Profit                 | 6.227        | 7.482        | 11.176       | 15.213       |
| Net Profit                     | 5.362        | 6.726        | 10.058       | 13.691       |
| Net Pft (Pre Ex) (core profit) | 5.362        | 6.726        | 10.058       | 13.691       |
| Net Profit Gth (Pre-ex) (%)    | 19.2         | 25.4         | 49.5         | 36.1         |
| EPS (RMB)                      | 0.59         | 0.73         | 1.09         | 1.48         |
| EPS (HK\$)                     | 0.73         | 0.90         | 1.34         | 1.83         |
| Core EPS (RMB)                 | 0.59<br>0.73 | 0.73         | 1.09         | 1.48<br>1.83 |
| Core EPS (HK\$)<br>EPS Gth (%) | 0.73<br>19.2 | 0.90<br>24.0 | 1.34<br>49.5 | 36.1         |
| Core EPS Gth (%)               | 19.2         | 24.0         | 49.5         | 36.1         |
| Diluted EPS (HK\$)             | 0.72         | 0.90         | 1.34         | 1.83         |
| DPS (HK\$)                     | 0.35         | 0.46         | 0.68         | 0.92         |
| BV Per Share (HK\$)            | 7.72         | 8.31         | 9.19         | 10.34        |
| PE (X)                         | 17.3         | 14.0         | 9.3          | 6.9          |
| CorePE (X)                     | 17.3         | 14.0         | 9.3          | 6.9          |
| P/Cash Flow (X)                | 17.9         | 2.7          | 7.8          | 5.9          |
| P/Free CF (X)                  | nm           | 4.2          | nm           | 90.3         |
| EV/EBITDA (X)                  | 8.4          | 6.2          | 5.3          | 4.2          |
| Net Div Yield (%)              | 2.8          | 3.6          | 5.4          | 7.3          |
| P/Book Value (X)               | 1.6          | 1.5          | 1.4          | 1.2          |
| Net Debt/Equity (X)            | 0.1          | CASH         | CASH         | CASH         |
| ROAE(%)                        | 9.6          | 11.3         | 15.4         | 18.7         |
| Earnings Rev (%):              |              |              | (8)          | (5)          |
| Consensus EPS (RMB)            |              |              | 1.07         | 1.44         |
| Other Broker Recs:             |              | B:34         | S:2          | H:4          |
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Source of all data on this page: Company, DBS Bank (Hong Kong) Limited ("DBS HK"), Thomson Reuters



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## Balancing act to protect profitability

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## **Investment Thesis**

**NEV business has bright prospects.** Great Wall Motor (GWM) NEV sales ratio increased from 4% in FY19 to c.11% in FY21. However, Jan-Apr 22 NEV sales is expected to be unexciting, as the operating environment has been challenging, due to supply chain disruption and pandemic lockdown. GWM is fine-tuning its NEV strategy, to focus on high-value NEV models with strong technology support from LEMON Hybrid, TANK and COFFEE Intelligence as well as hybrid and other electric vehicles. With 8 new models planned for 2022, we estimate NEV unit sales CAGR to be c.70% to 370k units from FY21-23F.

**ICE-NEV development.** FY21 gross margin slipped 1.1pppt to 16.2%, relatively mild given its high proportion of ICE vehicle sales, which is less affected by the sharp increase in EV battery raw material price. We believe GWM will take a balanced approach between ICE-NEV business development, given that the ICE business is a profitable and cash generative operation to support the rapid NEV expansion. A better product mix is positive to mitigate cost pressure. Therefore, we estimate gross margin to recover to 18% by FY23F, an increase of 1.8ppts from FY21.

**Globalisation strategy facing short-term pressure.** The geopolitical conflict has derailed its development pace in Russia, and expected to incur ballpark losses of Rmb500m this year. However, the company is still embarking on its overseas business expansion, particularly in the more predictable markets such as Thailand.

### Valuation:

We cut FY22/23F net earnings by 8%/5% to factor in lower margin assumptions given the current high raw material cost environment. We have kept our target FY22F PE unchanged at 18x to arrive at a new TP of HK\$24.

#### Where we differ:

Our FY22/23F net earnings estimates are slightly above consensus as we believe the company is well positioned to roll out more competitive models to drive earnings recovery.

#### Key Risks to Our View:

Erosion in market share, rising competition, and margin compression due to raw material cost pressure.

#### At A Glance

| Issued Capital - H shares (m shs)                   | 3,100            |
|---|------------------|
| - Non H shrs (m shs)                                | 6,136            |
| H shs as a % of Total                               | 34               |
| Total Mkt Cap (HK\$m/US\$m)                         | 246,633 / 31,490 |
| Major Shareholders (%)                              |                  |
| Baoding Innovation Great Wall Asset Mgt             | 83.4             |
| Major H Shareholders (As % of H shares)             |                  |
| Harvest Fund Management Co., Ltd.                   | 5.7              |
| Schroder Investment Management Ltd. (SIM)           | 5.3              |
| H Shares-Free Float (%)                             | 89.0             |
| 3m Avg. Daily Val. (US\$m)                          | 74.00            |
| GICS Industry: Consumer Discretionary / Automobiles | s & Components   |
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## WHAT'S NEW

#### Moving fast in NEV development

Revamping NEV strategy to adapt to rapid market transformation. GWM posted robust NEV sales in FY21 (+134% y-o-y), demonstrating its ability to catch the industry sales trend (+160%). NEV sales ratio increased from 4% in FY19 to c.11% in FY21. However, NEV sales in Jan-Apr 22 is expected to be unexciting, as the operating environment has been challenging due to supply chain disruption (Russia-Ukraine conflict causing major volatility in the commodity market), auto chip shortage, and pandemic lockdown. As a result, GWM is fine-tuning its NEV strategy, focusing on high-value NEV models with strong technology support from LEMON Hybrid, TANK and COFFEE Intelligence, cutting across hybrid vehicles (DHT hybrid for both HEV and PHEV, powertrain, lemon platform) as well as electric vehicles (battery). New NEV models in 2022 include Haval (Cool Dog), WEY (Yuanmeng), ORA (Ballet Cat, Punk Cat, Lightning Cat), TANK 700, Pickup King Kong Poer and SALOON Mecha Dragon. We estimate NEV sales CAGR of c.70% to about 370k units from FY21-23F.

**Product margin recovery is possible**. FY21 gross margin slipped 1.1pppts to 16.2%, relatively mild compared to industry peers (some in excess of 5ppts reduction). We believe the smaller decline was due to its relatively high proportion of ICE vehicle sales, thus avoiding the severe impact from the battery raw material cost escalation. We believe GWM will take a balanced approach between ICE-NEV business development, given that the ICE business is a profitable and cash generative operation that is supporting the rapid NEV expansion.

However, a better product mix is positive to mitigate the cost pressure. Therefore, we estimate gross margin to recover to 18% by FY23F, an increase of 1.8ppts from FY21.

Globalisation strategy facing some headwinds. Export volume surged about 100% in FY21 to c.140k units. However, the Russia-Ukraine conflict has derailed its development in the Russian market and is expected to incur some losses this year, at around Rmb500m. However, the company is still embarking on its overseas business expansion, particularly in the more predictable markets such as Thailand.

Long-term outlook remains positive; but cut earnings estimates on higher cost assumptions. We cut FY22/23F net earnings by 8%/5% to factor in lower margin assumptions given the current high raw material cost environment. We kept our target FY22F PE unchanged at 18x to arrive at new TP of HK\$24. Maintain BUY with FY21-23F net earnings CAGR of about 40%.

## **Company Background**

Great Wall Motor (GWM) is one of the largest Sport Utility Vehicle (SUV) producers in China, with a market share of 9% in 2019. GWM develops its vehicles (SUVs, sedans, pickup trucks and NEVs) under the Havel, WEY, Great Wall Pick-up, and ORA brands. Besides the domestic market, the company also exports overseas, which accounted for about 6.3% of total volume sales in 2020 and surged to 9.1% by 1Q21. The company has assembly operations in Russia, Ecuador, Malaysia, Thailand and Tunisia.

## Great Wall Motor FY21 results performance

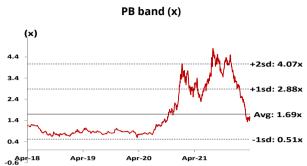
| RMB m                        | 1H20         | 2H20     | 1H21     | 2H21     | 2H21 vs<br>2H20 | 1H21 vs<br>2H20 | FY20     | FY21      | Y-o-Y     |
|------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
|                              |              |          |          |          | 2н20<br>chg. %  | chg. %          |          |           | chg. %    |
| Revenue                      | 35,929       | 67,378   | 61,928   | 74,476   | 10.5%           | 20.3%           | 103,308  | 136,405   | 32.0%     |
| Less: COGS                   | (30,642)     | (54,889) | (51,864) | (62,503) | 13.9%           | 20.5%           | (85,531) | (114,367) | 33.7%     |
| Gross profit                 | 5,288        | 12,489   | 10,064   | 11,973   | -4.1%           | 19.0%           | 17,777   | 22,037    | 24.0%     |
| Taxes & surcharges           | (1,026)      | (2,166)  | (1,798)  | (2,437)  | 12.5%           | 35.5%           | (3,192)  | (4,234)   | 32.7%     |
| Other income & gains         | 338          | 1,252    | 595      | 2,012    | 60.7%           | 238.1%          | 1,590    | 2,607     | 64.0%     |
| Selling & distribution cost  | (1,077)      | (3,026)  | (2,444)  | (2,748)  | -9.2%           | 12.4%           | (4,103)  | (5,192)   | 26.5%     |
| Admin expense                | (2,161)      | (391)    | (3,199)  | (844)    | 115.6%          | -73.6%          | (2,553)  | (4,043)   | 58.4%     |
| Operating profit             | 978          | 4,735    | 2,985    | 3,032    | -36.0%          | 1.6%            | 5,712    | 6,017     | 5.3%      |
| Finance income               | (155)        | (242)    | 306      | 142      | -158.7%         | -53.7%          | (397)    | 448       | -212.9%   |
| Pre-tax profit               | 1,318        | 4,909    | 3,936    | 3,546    | -27.8%          | -9.9%           | 6,227    | 7,482     | 20.2%     |
| Taxation                     | (172)        | (693)    | (407)    | (350)    | -49.5%          | -14.0%          | (865)    | (757)     | -12.5%    |
| Minority interest            | 0            | 0        | 0        | 1        |                 |                 | 0        | 1         | nm        |
| Attri net profit             | 1,146        | 4,216    | 3,529    | 3,197    | -24.2%          | -9.4%           | 5,362    | 6,726     | 25.4%     |
| EPS (RMB)                    | 0.12         | 0.46     | 0.39     | 0.34     | -26.9%          | -13.3%          | 0.59     | 0.73      | 24.0%     |
| DPS (RMB)                    |              |          |          |          |                 |                 | 0.28     | 0.37      | 31.9%     |
| Margins                      |              |          |          |          | ppt chg.        | ppt chg.        |          |           |           |
| Gross                        | 14.7%        | 18.5%    | 16.3%    | 16.1%    | -2.5 ppts       | -0.2 ppts       | 17.2%    | 16.2%     | -1.1 ppts |
| Operating                    | 2.7%         | 7.0%     | 4.8%     | 4.1%     | -3.0 ppts       | -0.7 ppts       | 5.5%     | 4.4%      | -1.1 ppts |
| Pre-tax                      | 3.7%         | 7.3%     | 6.4%     | 4.8%     | -2.5 ppts       | -1.6 ppts       | 6.0%     | 5.5%      | -0.5 ppts |
| Net                          | 3.2%         | 6.3%     | 5.7%     | 4.3%     | -2.0 ppts       | -1.4 ppts       | 5.2%     | 4.9%      | -0.3 ppts |
| Revenue breakdown by b       | usiness      |          |          |          |                 |                 |          |           |           |
| Sales of automobiles         | 31,972       | 60,413   | 55,210   | 66,097   | 9.4%            | 19.7%           | 92,386   | 121,307   | 31.3%     |
| Sales of auto parts & others | 1,655        | 3,486    | 3,107    | 3,765    | 8.0%            | 21.2%           | 5,141    | 6,872     | 33.7%     |
| Others                       | 2,302        | 3,479    | 3,611    | 4,614    | 32.6%           | 27.8%           | 5,781    | 8,225     | 42.3%     |
| Total                        | 35,929       | 67,378   | 61,928   | 74,476   | 10.5%           | 20.3%           | 103,308  | 136,405   | 32.0%     |
| Sales volume breakdown       | ('000 units) |          |          |          |                 |                 |          |           |           |
| Pick-up trucks               | 95.9         | 129.1    | 118.1    | 114.9    | -11.0%          | -2.6%           | 225.0    | 233.0     | 3.6%      |
| SUV                          | 288.9        | 539.9    | 428.8    | 413.8    | -23.3%          | -3.5%           | 828.7    | 842.7     | 1.7%      |
| ORA brand                    | 9.4          | 46.8     | 52.5     | 82.5     | 76.1%           | 57.0%           | 56.3     | 135.0     | 140.0%    |

Source: Company



## **Historical PE and PB band**





Source: Thomson Reuters, DBS HK



## **Key Assumptions**

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| Key Assumptions                      |         |         |         |         |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| FY Dec                               | 2019A   | 2020A   | 2021A   | 2022F   | 2023F   |
| Total vehicles sales ('000<br>units) | 1,060.3 | 1,115.9 | 1,281.0 | 1,578.5 | 1,893.9 |
| Pick-up trucks                       | 148.8   | 228.7   | 237.1   | 256.0   | 281.6   |
| SUV                                  | 869.5   | 829.0   | 822.6   | 970.7   | 1,116.3 |
| NEV                                  | 38.9    | 58.2    | 136.7   | 246.1   | 369.1   |
| TANK                                 | 3.1     | 58.2    | 136.7   | 246.1   | 369.1   |
| Source: Company, DBS HK              |         |         |         |         |         |

## Segmental Breakdown (RMB m)

| FY Dec                           | 2019A  | 2020A   | 2021A   | 2022F   | 2023F   |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Revenues (RMB m)                 |        |         |         |         |         |
| Sales of automobile vehicles     | 86,251 | 92,386  | 121,307 | 161,606 | 205,126 |
| Sales of parts and<br>components | 4,293  | 5,141   | 6,872   | 8,934   | 10,274  |
| Others                           | 5,667  | 5,781   | 8,225   | 10,085  | 12,374  |
| Total                            | 96,211 | 103,308 | 136,405 | 180,624 | 227,774 |
| Source: Company DPS UK           |        |         |         |         |         |

Source: Company, DBS HK

## Income Statement (RMB m)

| FY Dec                    | 2019A    | 2020A    | 2021A     | 2022F     | 2023F     |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Revenue                   | 96,211   | 103,308  | 136,405   | 180,624   | 227,774   |
| Cost of Goods Sold        | (79,684) | (85,531) | (114,367) | (149,762) | (186,692) |
| Gross Profit              | 16,526   | 17,777   | 22,037    | 30,862    | 41,082    |
| Other Opng (Exp)/Inc      | (12,080) | (12,064) | (16,020)  | (21,524)  | (27,604)  |
| Operating Profit          | 4,446    | 5,712    | 6,017     | 9,338     | 13,478    |
| Other Non Opg (Exp)/Inc   | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0         |
| Associates & JV Inc       | 304      | 912      | 1,017     | 1,118     | 1,230     |
| Net Interest (Exp)/Inc    | 351      | (397)    | 448       | 719       | 505       |
| Dividend Income           | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0         |
| Exceptional Gain/(Loss)   | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0         |
| Pre-tax Profit            | 5,101    | 6,227    | 7,482     | 11,176    | 15,213    |
| Тах                       | (570)    | (865)    | (757)     | (1,118)   | (1,521)   |
| Minority Interest         | (34)     | 0        | 1         | 0         | 0         |
| Preference Dividend       | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0         |
| Net Profit                | 4,497    | 5,362    | 6,726     | 10,058    | 13,691    |
| Net Profit before Except. | 4,497    | 5,362    | 6,726     | 10,058    | 13,691    |
| EBITDA                    | 9,374    | 11,502   | 12,627    | 15,745    | 20,896    |
| Growth                    |          |          |           |           |           |
| Revenue Gth (%)           | (3.0)    | 7.4      | 32.0      | 32.4      | 26.1      |
| EBITDA Gth (%)            | (8.5)    | 22.7     | 9.8       | 24.7      | 32.7      |
| Opg Profit Gth (%)        | (30.0)   | 28.5     | 5.3       | 55.2      | 44.3      |
| Net Profit Gth (%)        | (13.6)   | 19.2     | 25.4      | 49.5      | 36.1      |
| Margins & Ratio           |          |          |           |           |           |
| Gross Margins (%)         | 17.2     | 17.2     | 16.2      | 17.1      | 18.0      |
| Opg Profit Margin (%)     | 4.6      | 5.5      | 4.4       | 5.2       | 5.9       |
| Net Profit Margin (%)     | 4.7      | 5.2      | 4.9       | 5.6       | 6.0       |
| ROAE (%)                  | 8.4      | 9.6      | 11.3      | 15.4      | 18.7      |
| ROA (%)                   | 4.0      | 4.0      | 4.1       | 5.5       | 7.0       |
| ROCE (%)                  | 6.1      | 7.0      | 6.5       | 9.4       | 12.5      |
| Div Payout Ratio (%)      | 50.7     | 48.0     | 50.8      | 50.8      | 50.0      |
| Net Interest Cover (x)    | NM       | 14.4     | NM        | NM        | NM        |
| Source: Company, DBS HK   |          |          |           |           |           |

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# Interim Income Statement (RMB m)

| FY Dec                  | 2H2019   | 1H2020   | 2H2020   | 1H2021   | 2H2021   |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                         | 2112019  | 1112020  | 2112020  | 1112021  | 2112021  |
| Revenue                 | 54,834   | 35,929   | 67,378   | 61,928   | 74,476   |
| Cost of Goods Sold      | (44,554) | (30,642) | (54,889) | (51,864) | (62,503) |
| Gross Profit            | 10,280   | 5,288    | 12,489   | 10,064   | 11,973   |
| Other Oper. (Exp)/Inc   | (7,539)  | (4,310)  | (7,754)  | (7,079)  | (8,941)  |
| Operating Profit        | 2,740    | 978      | 4,735    | 2,985    | 3,032    |
| Other Non Opg (Exp)/Inc | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Associates & JV Inc     | 304      | 496      | 416      | 644      | 372      |
| Net Interest (Exp)/Inc  | 152      | (155)    | (242)    | 306      | 142      |
| Exceptional Gain/(Loss) | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Pre-tax Profit          | 3,196    | 1,318    | 4,909    | 3,936    | 3,546    |
| Тах                     | (216)    | (172)    | (693)    | (407)    | (350)    |
| Minority Interest       | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 1        |
| Net Profit              | 2,980    | 1,146    | 4,216    | 3,529    | 3,197    |
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|                         |          |          |          |          |          |
| Growth                  |          |          |          |          |          |
| Revenue Gth (%)         | 8.5      | (13.2)   | 22.9     | 72.4     | 10.5     |
| Opg Profit Gth (%)      | 69.6     | (42.7)   | 72.8     | 205.4    | (36.0)   |
| Net Profit Gth (%)      | 97.1     | (24.5)   | 41.5     | 207.9    | (24.2)   |
|                         |          |          |          |          |          |
| Margins                 | 407      | 4 4 7    | 40 5     | 16.2     | 161      |
| Gross Margins (%)       | 18.7     | 14.7     | 18.5     | 16.3     | 16.1     |
| Opg Profit Margins (%)  | 5.0      | 2.7      | 7.0      | 4.8      | 4.1      |
| Net Profit Margins (%)  | 5.4      | 3.2      | 6.3      | 5.7      | 4.3      |
| Source: Company, DBS HK |          |          |          |          |          |

# Balance Sheet (RMB m)

| FY Dec                                 | 2019A   | 2020A   | 2021A    | 2022F    | 2023F    |
|--|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|
|  |         |         |          |          |          |
| Net Fixed Assets                       | 29,743  | 28,609  | 27,441   | 33,541   | 44,778   |
| Invts in Associates & JVs              | 3,113   | 8,415   | 9,524    | 10,643   | 11,873   |
| Other LT Assets                        | 11,738  | 17,588  | 30,077   | 33,688   | 31,262   |
| Cash & ST Invts                        | 9,723   | 14,588  | 33,048   | 29,230   | 23,566   |
| Inventory                              | 6,237   | 7,498   | 13,966   | 16,061   | 18,471   |
| Debtors                                | 3,193   | 3,936   | 5,422    | 6,073    | 6,801    |
| Other Current Assets                   | 49,348  | 73,377  | 55,930   | 59,573   | 63,714   |
| Total Assets                           | 113,096 | 154,011 | 175,408  | 188,808  | 200,465  |
| ST Debt                                | 1,180   | 7,901   | 5,204    | 7,204    | 5,204    |
| Creditors                              | 25,440  | 33,185  | 37,083   | 38,937   | 40,884   |
| Other Current Liab                     | 27,980  | 40,079  | 53,309   | 56,215   | 59,343   |
| LT Debt                                | 1,206   | 10,777  | 12,132   | 12,132   | 12,132   |
| Other LT Liabilities                   | 2,892   | 4,727   | 5,550    | 5,550    | 5,550    |
| Shareholder's Equity                   | 54,399  | 57,342  | 62,124   | 68,765   | 77,347   |
| Minority Interests                     | 0       | 0,542   | 4        | 4        | 4        |
| Total Cap. & Liab.                     | 113,096 | 154,011 | 175,408  | 188,808  | 200,465  |
|  | 113,090 | 134,011 | 175,400  | 100,000  | 200,403  |
| Non-Cash Wkg. Capital                  | 5,360   | 11,546  | (15,074) | (13,445) | (11,241) |
| Net Cash/(Debt)                        | 7,337   | (4,090) | 15,711   | 9,893    | 6,229    |
| Debtors Turn (avg days)                | 12.4    | 12.6    | 12.5     | 11.6     | 10.3     |
| Creditors Turn (avg days)              | 123.1   | 132.7   | 117.9    | 96.0     | 80.7     |
| Inventory Turn (avg days)              | 26.0    | 31.1    | 36.0     | 37.9     | 34.9     |
| Asset Turnover (x)                     | 0.9     | 0.8     | 0.8      | 1.0      | 1.2      |
| Current Ratio (x)                      | 1.3     | 1.2     | 1.1      | 1.1      | 1.1      |
| Quick Ratio (x)                        | 0.2     | 0.2     | 0.4      | 0.3      | 0.3      |
| Net Debt/Equity (X)                    | CASH    | 0.1     | CASH     | CASH     | CASH     |
| Net Debt/Equity ex MI (X)              | CASH    | 0.1     | CASH     | CASH     | CASH     |
| Capex to Debt (%)                      | 284.4   | 43.2    | 75.5     | 77.6     | 86.5     |
| Z-Score (X)<br>Source: Company, DBS HK | NA      | NA      | NA       | NA       | NA       |

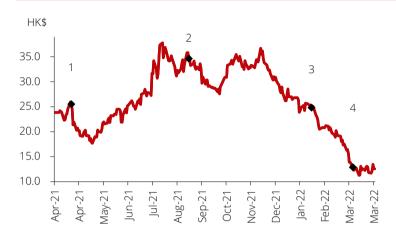
# Cash Flow Statement (RMB m)

| FY Dec                         | 2019A    | 2020A    | 2021A    | 2022F    | 2023F    |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                                |          |          |          |          |          |
| Pre-Tax Profit                 | 5,101    | 6,227    | 7,482    | 11,176   | 15,213   |
| Dep. & Amort.                  | 4,624    | 4,878    | 5,594    | 5,289    | 6,189    |
| Tax Paid                       | (1,229)  | (570)    | (865)    | (757)    | (1,118)  |
| Assoc. & JV Inc/(loss)         | 0        | (912)    | (1,017)  | (1,118)  | (1,230)  |
| (Pft)/ Loss on disposal of FAs | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Chg in Wkg.Cap.                | 8,256    | (2,818)  | 23,212   | (1,989)  | (2,608)  |
| Other Operating CF             | (2,779)  | (1,625)  | 909      | (619)    | (405)    |
| Net Operating CF               | 13,972   | 5,181    | 35,316   | 11,981   | 16,041   |
| Capital Exp.(net)              | (6,785)  | (8,062)  | (13,091) | (15,000) | (15,000) |
| Other Invts.(net)              | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Invts in Assoc. & JV           | (8,482)  | (5,175)  | 1,808    | 0        | 0        |
| Div from Assoc & JV            | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Other Investing CF             | 411      | 2,645    | 5,248    | 6,230    | 6,017    |
| Net Investing CF               | (14,856) | (10,591) | (6,035)  | (8,770)  | (8,983)  |
| Div Paid                       | (2,830)  | (2,282)  | (5,338)  | (3,418)  | (5,110)  |
| Chg in Gross Debt              | 6,686    | 14,817   | (92)     | 2,000    | (2,000)  |
| Capital Issues                 | 0        | 215      | 807      | 0        | 0        |
| Other Financing CF             | 88       | (1,383)  | (5,009)  | (471)    | (472)    |
| Net Financing CF               | 3,944    | 11,368   | (9,632)  | (1,889)  | (7,582)  |
| Currency Adjustments           | 48       | (146)    | (192)    | 0        | 0        |
| Chg in Cash                    | 3,109    | 5,811    | 19,456   | 1,322    | (524)    |
| Opg CFPS (RMB)                 | 0.63     | 0.88     | 1.31     | 1.51     | 2.02     |
| Free CFPS (RMB)                | 0.79     | (0.32)   | 2.41     | (0.33)   | 0.11     |
|                                |          |          |          |          |          |

Source: Company, DBS HK



## H Share - Target Price & Ratings History



| S.N | o. Date   | Closing<br>Price | 12-mth<br>Target<br>Price | Rating |
|-----|-----------|------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1:  | 20-Apr-21 | HK\$25.50        | HK\$31.30                 | Buy    |
| 2:  | 1-Sep-21  | HK\$34.60        | HK\$43.00                 | Buy    |
| 3:  | 19-Jan-22 | HK\$25.35        | HK\$38.00                 | Buy    |
| 4:  | 7-Mar-22  | HK\$12.88        | HK\$26.00                 | Buy    |

Source: DBS HK

Analyst: Rachel Miu



## A Share - Target Price & Ratings History

| S.N | o. Date   | Closing<br>Price | 12-mth<br>Target<br>Price | Rating |
|-----|-----------|------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1:  | 20-Apr-21 | RMB35.19         | RMB38.60                  | Hold   |
| 2:  | 1-Sep-21  | RMB64.92         | RMB70.00                  | Hold   |
| 3:  | 19-Jan-22 | RMB45.84         | RMB49.00                  | Hold   |
| 4:  | 7-Mar-22  | RMB31.92         | RMB35.00                  | Hold   |

Source: DBS HK Analyst: Rachel Miu



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