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Tourn International

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Financial flexibility spells potential for profitable growth

The market uncertainty has made Tourn cautious in spending its cash and it has instead focused on profitability. We consider it a strength that the company is sitting on a robust cash position of some SEK 50m and can manage its balance between growth and profitability. Having now demonstrated this ability, the company has the potential to increase its investment pace, and we anticipate a return to somewhat higher growth, primarily from its cash chest but also, in the long run, from its results. Growth should stem above all from ongoing recruitment of YouTubers through the sign-up bonuses and purchase of existing channels, but also from new international partnerships.

Reiterated fair value

We make only minimal estimate changes following the report and note that our sales forecast of SEK 250m is considerably lower than the company's stated target of SEK 500m-plus by 2025. We stick to our fair value of SEK 28–32 and consider the share attractively valued at the current share price.

Change in estimates								
	23e	24e	25e					
Total revenue	-4,0%	-3,9%	-4,0%					
EBITDA, adj.	-9,0%	-6,9%	-6,7%					
EPS, adj.	-9,8%	-7,4%	-					
Upcoming eve	ents							
Q1 - report		11 Ma	ay 2023					
Q2 - report		24 Augu	st 2023					
Company fact	s (SEK r	n)						
Number of shares			9,8m					
Market capitalization	on		180					
Net debt			(36)					
EV			144					
Free float			62%					
Daily trading volum	ne, avera	ge	5k					
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Forecast (SEK m)				
	2022	2023 e	2024e	2025 e
Total revenue	145	204	231	250
Revenue growth	10%	40%	14%	8%
EBITDA, adj.	-5	18	22	25
EBIT, adj.	-7	16	21	25
EPS, adj.	-1,9	1,3	1,7	2,1
EPS growth, adj.	N.m.	N.m.	30%	23%
BV/share	5,1	6,4	8,0	10,1
Dividend per share	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
EBIT margin	Neg.	7,9%	9,0%	10,2%
ROE, adj.	Neg.	22,4%	23,2%	22,6%
ROCE, adj.	Neg.	28,5%	29,5%	28,8%
EV/Sales	0,8x	0,6x	0,5x	0,5x
EV/EBITDA	-	6,6x	5,2x	4,6x
EV/EBIT	-	7,3x	5,6x	4,6x
P/E, adj.	-	13,3x	10,2x	8,3x
P/BV	3,3x	2,7x	2,1x	1,7x
FCF yield	-	9%	11%	13%
Net debt / EBITDA	9,2x	-3,5x	-3,4x	-3,8x

Share price	SEK 17,0
Risk level	High
Price Performance 12	months
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SEK 28 - 32

Value and risk

Fair value

Conflicts of interest		
	Yes	No
Liquidity provider		✓
Certified adviser		✓
Transactions 12m		✓

Investment case

Tourn helps influencers and YouTubers to expand their revenues and keep costs down with the help of services including advertising, campaign, finance, and legal. We see considerable potential in its particularly scalable business model, which is now starting to prove itself with rapid international expansion.

Scalability

Tourn's operations are largely automated. We believe some of its competitors work more manually. These more manual companies risk being competed out, in our view, in favour of the more automated entities, which can keep costs down. A large share of Tourn is platform-based, implying strong growth without major investments. Platforms also facilitate growth through partnerships, and we see these as future growth drivers, especially Tourn's YouTube venture, NAGATO.

Partner with YouTube

YouTube's advertising revenues have more than tripled since 2017. Through NAGATO's partnership with YouTube, Tourn can benefit from YouTube's impressive growth. An external copyright owner should receive all ad revenues generated by a YouTube clip that includes their material. NAGATO can, with the copyright owner's permission, redistribute the proceeds, keeping a share for itself. We consider this a particularly appealing business model for the copyright holders, who increase their revenues with no cost or effort. Since mid-2021, NAGATO has seen its growth start to accelerate through the recruitment of YouTubers thanks to sign-up bonuses and by buying YouTube channels. This means NAGATO can control how rapidly it grows and weigh this against profitability. We anticipate robust ongoing growth from NAGATO.

Riding the influencer wave

Tourn Agency has built-in growth thanks to the emphatic growth of the influencer trend. The business primarily pairs brands with influencers for advertising partnerships. Studies show that influencers have an equally strong impact on purchase decisions as recommendations from friends. Influencer marketing thus has a potentially potent impact on consumer purchasing behaviour. Moreover, the brands receive plentiful customer data since all advertising is done digitally. For example, the outcome of the marketing campaign can be measured. We believe influencer marketing will grow significantly in the future and that Tourn will be able to capitalise on this growth.

Company profile

The core business of Tourn mainly comprises two areas. The first is an agency (Tourn Agency) for influencers that matches them with brands for advertising partnerships. The second is the partnership with YouTube through which Tourn offers YouTubers a platform that helps them to capitalise on the content they own, manage tax payments, invoicing and bolstering their existing advertising revenues. This area, NAGATO, also offers a redistribution of advertising revenues when video creators use content to which someone else owns the rights. Tourn was founded in 2010 and has around 15 employees.

Valuation

Using a sum-of-the-parts analysis, we calculate a fair value of SEK 28–32 per share. Our WACC is 14% and our forecast period extends until the end of 2025. Our DCF valuation suggests a value of SEK 32.

The quarter in brief

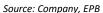
Net sales for full-year 2022 were up 9% to SEK 141m (129), 6% lower than we had forecast. Tourn Agency grew by 8% to SEK 67m in 2022, in line with our expectations. NAGATO reported SEK 67m, representing growth of 4% – a little lower than we had forecast. Subsidiary Charge grew by 152% to some SEK 5m in revenues. Last year was a period of considerable uncertainty and weaker ad markets, pulling down revenues per view. Meanwhile, as NAGATO continued growing its numbers of views and users, the effect on overall revenues will be considerable should revenues per view rise again. Adjusted EBITDA came in at SEK 0.2m, in line with our estimate of close to zero.

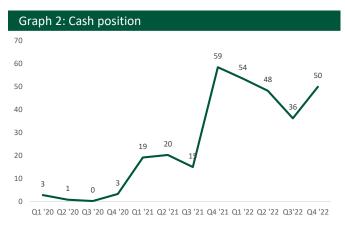
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Since the last quarter, Tourn has announced two deals thanks to its co-operation with Atlantic Swiss, providing it with the possibility of working with the largest international music, film, and sporting celebrities. According to the company, we should see the effects of this during 2023 in the form of major campaigns. Influencer marketing in countries like Germany, the UK, and the US is far behind Sweden when it comes to earning money, so this is still to come.

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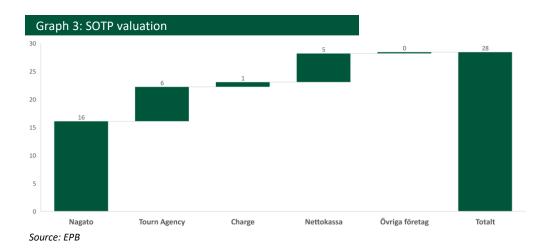




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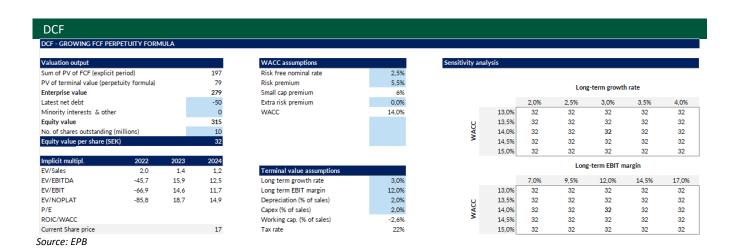
Valuation

We value Tourn International using a sum-of-the-parts analysis to arrive at a valuation of SEK 28. Our WACC is 14% and our forecast period extends until the end of 2025. We apply an EV/Sales multiple of 1x for Tourn Agency and 1.5x for NAGATO (previously 2x) based on business model and market valuations. We use multiples for 2025 and discount the value back to today.



To support our SOTP valuation, we use a DCF model, which gives a valuation of SEK 32.

We consider the share attractively valued at today's share price level, with a bright future for the company given EV/EBIT of only 5.6x and an EV/Sales of 0.6x for 2025.



Income statement						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Net sales	88	129	141	202	229	250
Other operating income	4	3	4	2	2	0
Total revenus	91	132	145	204	231	250
Cost of goods sold	-57	-106	-117	-141	-159	-172
Gross profit	34	25	28	63	73	77
Other Operating Expenses	-36	-33	-33	-45	-50	-52
EBITDA	-1	-8	-5	18	22	25
EBITDA, adjusted	-1	-8	-5	18	22	25
EBITA, adjusted	-1	-8	-5	18	22	25
EBIT	-3	-9	-7	16	21	25
EBIT, adjusted	-3	-9	-7	16	21	25
Net Financial Items	31	1	-12	0	0	0
Profit before tax	29	-8	-19	16	21	25
Profit before tax, adjusted	29	-8	-19	16	21	25
Taxes	0	0	0	-3	-4	-5
Net income	29	-8	-19	13	16	20
Net income, adjusted	29	-8	-19	13	16	20
Sales Growth	-	44%	10%	40%	14%	8%
Gross Margin	39,0%	19,6%	19,9%	31,1%	31,7%	31,0%
EBIT Margin, Adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	7,9%	9,0%	10,2%
EPS, Adjusted	3,45	-0,83	-1,95	1,28	1,67	2,05
EPS Growth, Adjusted	-	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	30%	23%

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Cash flow statement						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
EBIT	-3	-9	-7	16	21	25
Other Cash flow Items	-5	1	0	-2	-3	-5
Changes in working capital	11	-9	3	1	0	0
Cash flow from operating activities	3	-17	-5	14	18	20
Other Cash flow from investments	0	4	-4	1	1	1
Cash Flow From Investments	0	4	-4	1	1	1
Free cash flow	4	-14	-9	15	19	21
Acquisitions & Divestments	0	16	0	0	0	0
New share issue / repurchase	0	60	0	0	0	0
Cash flow from financing	0	76	0	0	0	0
Cash flow	4	62	-9	15	19	21
Net debt	18	-53	-50	-62	-77	-96

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Balance sheet						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
ASSETS						
Other intangible assets	11	12	17	17	17	17
Tangible fixed assets	0	0	1	1	1	1
Financial assets	0	0	1	1	1	1
Other fixed assets	33	17	4	5	7	8
Total fixed assets	44	29	22	23	25	26
Accounts receivable	14	18	17	24	27	29
Other current assets	1	2	4	4	4	4
Cash and cash equivalents	3	59	50	62	77	96
Total current assets	18	79	71	90	108	130
TOTAL ASSETS	61	108	93	113	133	155
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES						
Equity	15	68	50	62	78	98
Total equity	15	68	50	62	78	98
Short-term interest-bearing liabilities	21	6	0	0	0	0
Accounts payable	8	12	18	25	29	31
Other current liabilities	18	22	25	25	25	25
Total current liabilities	47	40	43	51	54	57
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	61	108	93	113	133	155

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Growth and margins							
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e	
Revenue growth	-	44%	10%	40%	14%	8%	
EBITDA growth, adjusted	-	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	27%	14%	
EBIT growth, adjusted	-	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	30%	23%	
EPS growth, adjusted	-	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	30%	23%	
Gross margin	39,0%	19,6%	19,9%	31,1%	31,7%	31,0%	
EBITDA margin	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	8,7%	9,7%	10,2%	
EBITDA margin, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	8,7%	9,7%	10,2%	
EBIT margin	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	7,9%	9,0%	10,2%	
EBIT margin, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	7,9%	9,0%	10,2%	
Profit margin, adjusted	32,7%	Neg.	Neg.	6,2%	7,1%	8,0%	

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Return						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
ROE, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	22%	23%	23%
ROCE, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	29%	30%	29%
ROIC, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	>100%	>100%	>100%

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Capital efficiency						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Accounts receivable / total revenue	15%	14%	11%	12%	12%	12%
Accounts payable / COGS	14%	11%	15%	18%	18%	18%
Total short-term liabilities / total cost	50%	29%	29%	27%	26%	25%
Working capital / total revenue	-12%	-10%	-15%	-11%	-10%	-9%
Capital turnover rate	2,6x	1,8x	2,9x	3,3x	2,9x	2,5x

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Financial position						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Net debt	18	-53	-50	-62	-77	-96
Equity ratio	24%	63%	53%	55%	59%	63%
Net debt / equity	1,2x	-0,8x	-1,0x	-1,0x	-1,0x	-1,0x
Net debt / EBITDA	-13,4x	6,9x	9,2x	-3,5x	-3,4x	-3,8x

Source: Tourn International, EPB

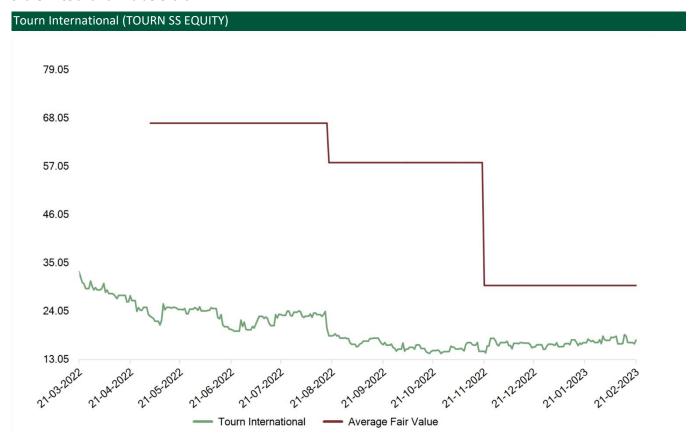
Per share data							
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e	
EPS	3,45	-0,83	-1,95	1,28	1,67	2,05	
EPS, adjusted	3,45	-0,83	-1,95	1,28	1,67	2,05	
FCF per share	0,44	-1,39	-0,88	1,56	1,92	2,17	
Book value per share	1,77	7,00	5,08	6,37	8,04	10,1	
Number of shares, m	8,30	9,75	9,75	9,75	9,75	9,75	
Number of shares after dilution, average	8,30	9,75	9,75	9,75	9,75	9,75	

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Valuation						
	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
P/E, adjusted	2,8x	Neg.	Neg.	13,3x	10,2x	8,3x
P/BV	5,4x	7,0x	3,3x	2,7x	2,1x	1,7x
P/FCF	21,7x	Neg.	Neg.	10,9x	8,9x	7,8x
FCF-yield	5%	Neg.	Neg.	9%	11%	13%
Dividend yield	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%
Payout ratio, adjusted	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%
EV/Sales	1,1x	3,2x	0,8x	0,6x	0,5x	0,5x
EV/EBITDA, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	6,6x	5,2x	4,6x
EV/EBIT, adjusted	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	7,3x	5,6x	4,6x
EV	97	425	113	116	116	116
Share price, year end	9,5	49,0	16,6	17,0	17,0	17,0

Source: Tourn International, EPB

Share Price and Fair Value Chart



Source: EPB, IDC

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