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Maha Energy

Further production increases in July

5% sequential increase of production in July

Given a 5% m/m increase from Papa Terra, Maha's largest asset in Brazil, the company increased its production by 5% m/m in July to 2,175 boepd. This can be compared with 1,988 boepd in Q2 and 1,606 in Q1. The increase from Papa Terra stemmed from the asset's better operational efficiency as it continues to recover from the drop we saw in April. Peroá, Maha's second-largest asset, increased production by 12.5% m/m owing to greater gas demand.

Focus with Q2 report (11 August) will be on the cost structure of the new assets...

Q2 will be the first quarter in which the new Brazilian assets – from the merger with DBO 2.0 (Papa Terra and Peroá) – will be reported in Maha's consolidated numbers. Given the already published production numbers, costs will be in focus in the report. We hope to get a better sense of both lifting and other operational costs, as well as some idea of the estimated long-term costs so as to increase visibility of the assets' potential value.

...as well as more flavour on Oman

As the request for an extension of the initial phase of drilling at Block 70 in Oman is still pending, we will scan the report for more details on the risks related to the extension. We are uncertain, for example, what would happen if an extension were not granted. The reason for the extension request is to gain more certainty as to whether it is worthwhile to sign a declaration of commerciality - the next step for the asset - which would lead to an increase in capex. Nevertheless, we have been surprised by the market's lack of response to the inclusion of the new assets and the significant improvement of the balance sheet; we believe any positive news could serve as a share price trigger.

Change in estimates				Forecast (USD m)					Valuation and risk		
	23e	24e	25e		2022	2023e	2024e	2025e	Fair value	SEK 1	3,0 – 20,0
Total revenues	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	Total revenue	12	16	60	46	Share price		SEK 8,4
EBITDA, adj.	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	Revenue growth	-82%	29%	>100%	-23%	Risk level		High
EPS, adj.	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	EBITDA, adj.	0	6	26	20			
			EBIT, adj.	-3	3	19	15	Price performance 12 months			
Upcoming events				EPS, adj.	-0,1	0,0	0,1				0,1
Q2 - report		11 Augu	st 2023	EPS growth, adj.	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	-32%	16 15 13 Martin		
Q3 - report	14	Novembe	er 2023	BV/share	1,2	1,0	1,0	1,1			
Company facts (USD m)				EBIT margin	Neg.	16,2%	32,2%	32,2%	11 how when when a		
Number of shares 144m			ROE, adj.	Neg.	Neg.	8,9%	5,6%				
				ROCE, adj.	Neg.	1,5%	11,4%	7,4%			
Market capitalizatio	•			EV/Sales	11,7x	7,0x	1,9x	2,4x	Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug — MAHAA SS EQUITY — OMX INDEX		
Net debt				EV/EBITDA	-	19,1x	4,2x	5,5x			
EV			112	EV/EBIT	-	43,5x	5,8x	7,6x	Conflicts of inter	rest	
Free float 72%				P/E, adj.	-	-	8,8x	13,0x		Yes	No
Daily trading volume, average 251k				Net debt / EBITDA	-63,6x	-16,2x	-3,1x	-2,6x	Liquidity provider	163	
Bloomberg Ticker MAHAA SS EQUITY					00,00	10,24	3,18	2,07	Liquidity provider		•

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