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JHM Consolidation

Production Ramp Up Deferred

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Results' highlight. QoQ, 1QFY21 CNP fell 67% to RM3.7m after adjusting for unrealised forex gain of RM5.3m. Revenue dipped 4.4% to RM72.9m which was unsurprising as the prior quarter is usually a stronger period for the company due to year-end sales in the automotive market. The slower revenue recognition in the automotive segment (-16%) due to seasonality was cushioned by improved sales in the industrial segment (+23%) which made up 40% of the quarter's revenue. **YoY**, 1QFY21 CNP dipped 44% despite a 50% increase in revenue, due unabsorbed cost arising from newly installed facility and equipment pending the qualification stage that has yet to be cleared as the new customers are unable to travel to conduct the necessary audits.

Orders pushed back. While the orders from the new fibre optic customer remains intact, the production ramp up is expected to be deferred again due to the implementation of movement control order (MCO) 3.0 for the entire month of June which limits the group's workforce to 60%. Product status for new fibre optic customer remains in the prototype stage for now. Barring lockdown extensions by the local authorities, the group expects to commence mass production in 2H 2021. Meanwhile, the automotive segment is expected to see gradual improvement ahead as the 2H is typically stronger. The group has also recently signed a joint venture (JV) with Skywooo Manufacturing Sdn Bhd which will allow JHM to expand its automotive presence in Malaysia as well as the ASEAN region. Under the JV, JHM will be supplying automotive parts relating to audio video navigation system (AVN) and LED lighting.

Trim FY21E/FY22E CNP by 15%/17% to RM42.3m/RM47.0m, to account for higher cost during the extended lockdown and deferred production timeline.

Maintain our MARKET PERFORM call with a lower Target Price of RM2.00 (previously RM2.35) based on FY21E PER of 26x (+1SD to its 3-year mean).

Risks to our call include: (i) lower-than-expected sales, (ii) reduction in orders from its key customers, and (iii) unfavourable currency translations.

MARKET PERFORM ↔

Price: Target Price:

RM1.85 RM2.00



KLCI	1,574.02
YTD KLCI chg	-3.3%
YTD stock price chg	-3.1%

Stock Information

Shariah Compliant	Yes
Bloomberg Ticker	JHMC MK Equity
Market Cap (RM m)	1,031.6
Shares Outstanding	557.6
52-week range (H)	2.67
52-week range (L)	0.855
3-mth avg daily vol:	1,054,982
Free Float	54%
Beta	1.1

Major Shareholders

Tan King Seng	33.5%
Noble Matters Sdn Bhd	13.5%
CIMB Group Holdings Bhd	7.1%

Summary Earnings Table

FY Dec (RM m)	2020A	2021E	2022E
Turnover	251.0	325.7	360.6
EBITDA	43.2	68.8	77.0
PBT	29.5	54.3	60.3
Net Profit (NP)	24.6	42.3	47.0
Consensus (NP)	N.A.	47.4	59.9
Earnings Revision	N.A.	-15%	-17%
EPS (sen)	4.4	7.6	8.4
EPS growth (%)	-25.5	72.2	11.1
NDPS (sen)	1.5	1.5	1.5
BVPS (RM)	0.39	0.48	0.55
Price/BV (x)	4.7	3.8	3.4
PER (x)	41.9	24.3	21.9
Gearing (x)	0.3	0.2	0.2
ROA (%)	7.3	11.4	11.3
ROE (%)	11.3	15.8	15.3
Dividend Yield (%)	0.8	0.8	0.8

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Result Highlight								
	1Q	4Q	QoQ	1Q	YoY	3M	3M	YoY
FYE: Dec (RM m)	FY21	FY20	Chg	FY20	Chg	FY21	FY20	Chg
Revenue	72.9	76.2	-4.4%	48.5	50.1%	72.9	48.5	50.1%
EBIT	11.4	11.4	-0.4%	6.9	64.5%	11.4	6.9	64.5%
PBT	10.9	10.9	-0.2%	6.4	70.5%	10.9	6.4	70.5%
Taxation	-1.9	-2.8	34.8%	-1.1	-70.9%	-1.9	-1.1	-70.9%
Net Profit (NP)	9.0	8.0	12.0%	5.3	70.4%	9.0	5.3	70.4%
Core NP	3.7	11.1	-66.6%	6.6	-43.8%	3.7	6.6	-43.8%
EPS (sen)	0.7	2.0	-66.6%	0.9	-29.6%	0.7	0.9	-29.6%
DPS (sen)	0.0	0.5		0.0		0.0	0.0	
GP margin	20.5%	24.2%		16.3%		20.5%	16.3%	
EBIT margin	15.6%	15.0%		14.2%		15.6%	14.2%	
Pretax margin	14.9%	14.3%		13.1%		14.9%	13.1%	
CNP margin	5.1%	14.6%		13.6%		5.1%	13.6%	
Effective tax rate	-17.1%	-26.1%		-17.0%		-17.1%	-17.0%	

Source: Kenanga Research

Operating segment								
	1Q	4Q	QoQ	1Q	YoY	3M	3M	YoY
FYE: Dec (RM m)	FY21	FY20	Chg	FY20	Chg	FY21	FY20	Chg
Revenue	72.9	76.2	-4.4%	48.5	50.1%	72.9	48.5	50.1%
Automotive	43.9	52.1	-15.9%	28.6	53.3%	43.9	28.6	53.3%
Industrial	28.9	23.5	23.0%	19.7	46.8%	28.9	19.7	46.8%
Others	0.2	0.6	-76.3%	0.3	-45.7%	0.2	0.3	-45.7%
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JHM Consolidation Results Note

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Malaysian Technolog	gy Peers	Comparison
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Name	Last Price	Market Cap	Shariah	Current	Revenue	Growth	Core Ear Grow		PER (x) - Core Ea	rnings	PB	/ (x)	ROE (%)	Net Div Yld (%)	Target Price	Rating
	(RM)	(RM'm)	Compliant	FYE	1-Yr. Fwd.	2-Yr. Fwd.	1-Yr. Fwd.	2-Yr. Fwd.	Hist.	1-Yr. Fwd.	2-Yr. Fwd.	Hist.	1-Yr. Fwd.	1-Yr. Fwd.	1-Yr. Fwd.	(RM)	Rating
D&O GREEN TECHNOLOGIES BERHAD	4.86	5,733.1	Υ	12/2019	76.6%	10.8%	165%	11.0%	101.6	38.4	34.6	12.2	10.6	26.3%	0.9%	5.50	OP
INARI AMERTRON BHD	3.14	10,505.6	Υ	06/2020	37.4%	24.9%	80.1%	15.8%	62.7	34.8	30.1	8.1	7.8	23.3	3.2%	4.00	OP
JHM CONSOLIDATION BHD	1.85	1,031.6	Υ	12/2020	29.8%	10.7%	72.2%	11.1%	41.9	24.3	21.9	4.7	3.8	15.8%	0.8%	2.00	MP
KELINGTON GROUP BHD	2.19	703.9	Υ	12/2020	9.5%	13.3%	42.7%	14.1%	29.5	20.7	18.1	3.2	2.9	16.2%	1.2%	2.60	OP
KESM INDUSTRIES BERHAD	11.06	475.7	Υ	07/2020	-3.0%	18.7%	10633%	113%	5959	55.5	26.1	1.6	1.6	2.8%	0.7%	12.00	MP
MALAYSIAN PACIFIC INDUSTRIES BERHAD	38.52	7,661.5	Υ	06/2020	20.0%	12.0%	65.4%	13.1%	46.2	29.2	25.8	6.2	5.8	16.1%	0.8%	47.50	OP
P.I.E. INDUSTRIAL BERHAD	2.93	1,125.2	Υ	12/2020	59.9%	7.5%	60.0%	15.8%	21.2	13.3	11.4	1.8	1.6	13.1%	3.6%	4.00	OP
SKP RESOURCES BHD	1.74	2,718.5	Υ	03/2020	20.0%	3.9%	25.9%	7.3%	20.0	15.9	14.8	3.6	3.3	19.9%	3.1%	2.40	OP
UNISEM (M) BERHAD	7.44	6,000.7	Υ	12/2020	18.5%	7.0%	64.3%	8.5%	45.7	27.8	25.6	3.7	3.4	7.8%	0.7%	10.00	OP

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