Others - Switzerland

Buy (old: Buy)

CHF 4.90 (old: CHF 4.90)

JetBeds acquisition to fill important gap

Topic: ASW announced the acquisition of first and business class booking engine JetBeds.com (JetBeds GmbH, Germany), which is **closing an open gap** in ASW's modular product offering.

All **assets of JetBeds are acquired** by ASW including the **valuable booking engine** as well as other important intangible assets like the **customer base**. JetBeds offers a unique USP to travel sassy customers, by finding **attractive deals for first and business class flights** of renowned airlines. While its flight booking engine combines non-cooperating and cooperating airlines, the company also negotiates exclusive discount deals for their customers.

With the social network of paying, luxury- and travel-sassy members in its core, ASW now **extends its broad monetization opportunities** (see p.2). The addition of JetBeds completes ASW's product offering in the travel booking offering, as members can now also book a flight via ASW next to to **hotel booking** (ASW Collection) and **bespoke travel services** (First Class and More & ASW Private).

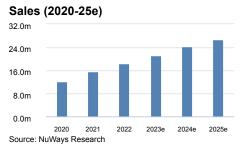
However, the most important synergies should arise from a potential combination of flight booking and mile optimization but also a potential technological integration into the hotel-booking engine "ASW Collection" providing customers a full services for a luxury journey. Moreover, the sensible acquisition should lift notable cross selling opportunities, once fully integrated into ASW (eNuW: not before H2'24e) while turning ASW more and more into a one-stop shop for luxury travel-sassy customers.

While these new scalable monetization expansions should not impact FY'23e, we expect notable growth of top and bottom line in FY'24e thanks to a growing member base coupled with increasing average revenues per user thanks to the continuous expansion of offered services, which serve a niche of currently 67k high income members.

With shares currently trading at 7.3x EV/EBITDA FY'24e (vs. 15x average EV/EBITDA FY'20-'22), current levels offer an attractive entry oppurtunity. Hence, we reiterate our **BUY recommendation with unchanged PT of CHF 4.90**, based on DCF.

| Y/E 31.12 (CHF m) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
|--------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Sales | 12.0 | 15.6 | 18.5 | 21.1 | 24.3 | 26.7 |
| Sales growth | -7.2% | 30.1% | 18.1% | 14.4% | 15.0% | 10.0% |
| EBITDA | 1.5 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 3.2 | 3.6 |
| Net debt (if net cash=0) | 1.6 | 0.1 | 5.1 | -0.0 | -2.0 | -4.3 |
| FCF | 0.1 | 4.2 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 2.4 |
| Net Debt/EBITDA | 1.1 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| EPS pro forma | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.16 | 0.19 |
| EBITDA margin | 12.4% | 15.4% | 13.4% | 10.7% | 13.2% | 13.5% |
| ROCE | 66.5% | 141.7% | 43.1% | 38.9% | 30.2% | 28.4% |
| EV/sales | 2.0 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| EV/EBITDA | 16.2 | 14.8 | 14.0 | 11.2 | 7.3 | 5.8 |
| PER | 30.7 | 12.8 | 14.1 | 17.5 | 10.7 | 9.4 |
| Adjusted FCF yield | 2.9% | 4.3% | 7.4% | 9.7% | 15.0% | 19.5% |

Source: Company data, NuWays, Close price as of 29.11.2023



EBIT margin (2020-25e) 12.0% 10.5% 9.0% 7.5% 6.0% 2020 2021 2022 2023e 2024e 2025e Source: NuWays Research



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Share Performance 2.40 2.25 2.10 1.95 1.80 1.65 1.50 1.35 1.20 01/23 03/23 07/23 09/23 11/23 05/23

| High/low 52 weeks (CHF) | 2.39 / 1.35 |
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| 3m rel. performance | 17.0% |
| 6m rel. performance | 6.3% |
| 12m rel. performance | -29.1% |

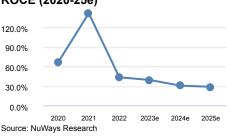
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| Bloomberg | ASWN SIX |
| Reuters | ASWN |
| WKN | A2JE3W |
| ISIN | CH0404880129 |

| Key shareholders | | | | |
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| Patrick Liotard-Vogt | 69.0% | | | |
| Alexander Koenig | 7.7% | | | |
| HANSAINVEST | 6.3% | | | |
| GHA Holdings | 2.4% | | | |
| Free Float | 14.5% | | | |

| | Estimates | changes | ; |
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| | <u>2023e</u> | <u>2024e</u> | <u>2025e</u> |
| Sales | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| EBIT | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| EPS | 0% | 0% | 0% |
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Company description

ASMALLWORLD operates a private social lifestyle platform connecting people with a shared passion for the good life. Next to its online platform, it offers real-life events and travel arrangements for paying members.

Guidance

- FY23e Sales: CHF 20-22m
 - FY23e EBITDA: CHF 2.2-2.4m
 - FY23e Members: 70-72k

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Important gap filled by JetBeds.com



Source: Company data, NuWays

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Financials

| Sales growth -7.2% 30.1% 18.1% 14.4% 15.0% 10.0% Increase/decrease in finished goods and work-in-process 0.0< | Profit and loss (CHF m) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
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| | EPS reported | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.10 | 0.16 | 0.19 |

| Profit and loss (common size) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Net sales | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Sales growth | -7.2% | 30.1% | 18.1% | 14.4% | 15.0% | 10.0% |
| Increase/decrease in finished goods and work-in-process | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Total sales | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Other operating income | 0.0% | -1.3% | -1.4% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Material expenses | 42.7% | 53.6% | 58.1% | 61.6% | 59.0% | 59.0% |
| Personnel expenses | 20.7% | 13.1% | 11.8% | 11.4% | 11.4% | 11.0% |
| Other operating expenses | 24.1% | 16.7% | 15.3% | 16.4% | 16.5% | 16.5% |
| Total operating expenses | 87.6% | 84.6% | 86.6% | 89.3% | 86.8% | 86.5% |
| EBITDA | 12.4% | 15.4% | 13.4% | 10.7% | 13.2% | 13.5% |
| Depreciation | 0.4% | 0.1% | 0.1% | 0.0% | 0.2% | 0.2% |
| EBITA | 12.1% | 15.2% | 13.3% | 10.7% | 12.9% | 13.3% |
| Amortisation of goodwill | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Amortisation of intangible assets | 5.9% | 4.4% | 3.4% | 2.6% | 2.3% | 2.2% |
| Impairment charges | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| EBIT (inc revaluation net) | 6.1% | 10.9% | 9.9% | 8.1% | 10.7% | 11.1% |
| Interest income | 1.8% | 1.8% | 0.5% | 0.9% | 0.8% | 0.7% |
| Interest expenses | 2.0% | 1.3% | 1.8% | 1.9% | 1.2% | 1.1% |
| Investment income | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.5% | 0.4% | 0.4% |
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| Recurring pretax income from continuing operations | 5.9% | 11.4% | 8.6% | 7.6% | 10.7% | 11.1% |
| Extraordinary income/loss | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Earnings before taxes | 5.9% | 11.4% | 8.6% | 7.6% | 10.7% | 11.1% |
| Tax rate | 7.7% | 11.4% | 8.9% | 10.0% | 9.0% | 9.0% |
| Net income from continuing operations | 5.5% | 10.1% | 7.9% | 6.9% | 9.7% | 10.1% |
| Income from discontinued operations (net of tax) | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Net income | 5.5% | 10.1% | 7.9% | 6.9% | 9.7% | 10.1% |
| Minority interest | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Net profit (reported) | 5.5% | 10.1% | 7.9% | 6.9% | 9.7% | 10.1% |
| ource: Company data, NuWays | | | | | | |

Source: Company data, NuWays

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| Balance sheet (CHF m) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
|---|---------------|--------|---------------|--------------|--------|--------|
| Intangible assets | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 2.4 |
| Property, plant and equipment | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.0 |
| Financial assets | 0.4 | 0.4 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.7 |
| FIXED ASSETS | 2.1 | 1.8 | 5.8 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.1 |
| Inventories | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Accounts receivable | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.6 |
| Other assets and short-term financial assets | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Liquid assets | 2.9 | 5.2 | 4.0 | 4.9 | 6.5 | 8.4 |
| Deferred taxes | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Deferred charges and prepaid expenses | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | 4.7 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 7.3 | 9.0 | 11.1 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 6.8 | 8.1 | 12.3 | 13.6 | 15.7 | 18.2 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 0.0 | 0.1 | 12.3 | 13.0 | 15.7 | 10.2 |
| SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | -6.7 | -4.8 | -2.2 | 3.3 | 5.7 | 8.4 |
| MINORITY INTEREST | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provisions for pensions and similar obligations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other provisions and accrued liabilities | 3.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Short-term liabilities to banks | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Accounts payable | 0.1 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.8 |
| Advance payments received on orders | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other liabilities (incl. from lease and rental contracts) | 2.3 | 3.9 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Deferred taxes | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Deferred income | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES | 2.4 | 4.5 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.0 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | 6.8 | 8.1 | 12.3 | 13.6 | 15.7 | 18.2 |
| | | | | | | |
| Balance sheet (common size) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
| Intangible assets | 25.1% | 16.6% | 9.0% | 11.5% | 12.8% | 13.3% |
| Property, plant and equipment | 0.6% | 0.7% | 0.2% | 0.2% | 0.2% | -0.1% |
| Financial assets | 5.9% | 5.1% | 38.0% | 34.5% | 29.7% | 25.7% |
| FIXED ASSETS | 31.6% | 22.4% | 47.3% | 46.2% | 42.7% | 38.9% |
| Inventories | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Accounts receivable | 8.2% | 7.1% | 11.4% | 9.4% | 9.3% | 8.9% |
| Other assets and short-term financial assets | 12.3% | 3.6% | 1.8% | 1.7% | 1.4% | 1.2% |
| Liquid assets | 42.9% | 64.3% | 32.6% | 36.5% | 41.2% | 46.4% |
| Deferred taxes | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Deferred charges and prepaid expenses | 5.0% | 2.6% | 6.8% | 6.2% | 5.3% | 4.6% |
| CURRENT ASSETS | 68.4% | 77.6% | 52.7% | 53.8% | 57.3% | 61.1% |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | 00 00/ | EQ 60/ | 10 00/ | 24 69/ | 26.00/ | AC 40/ |
| | -98.0% | -58.6% | -18.0% | 24.6% | 36.2% | 46.1% |
| MINORITY INTEREST | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Provisions for pensions and similar obligations | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Other provisions and accrued liabilities | 54.4% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Short-term liabilities to banks | 0.2% | 1.8% | 4.4% | 4.0% | 3.5% | 3.0% |
| Accounts payable | 1.9% | 7.7% | 12.6% | 10.7% | 10.6% | 10.1% |
| Advance payments received on orders | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Other liabilities (incl. from lease and rental contracts) | 33.8% | 47.6% | 1.2% | 1.1% | 0.9% | 0.8% |
| Deferred taxes | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Deferred income | 41.7% | 38.4% | 29.7% | 27.3% | 23.5% | 20.3% |
| | 35.7% | 55.3% | 13.8% | 11.8% | 11.5% | 10.9% |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |

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| Cash flow statement (CHF m) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
|--|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|
| Net profit/loss | 0.7 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 2.7 |
| Depreciation of fixed assets (incl. leases) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Amortisation of goodwill & intangible assets | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Others | -0.0 | 0.0 | -0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash flow from operating activities | -0.2 | 3.9 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.8 | 3.2 |
| Increase/decrease in inventory | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Increase/decrease in accounts receivable | 0.1 | -0.0 | -0.8 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 |
| Increase/decrease in accounts payable | -0.9 | 1.0 | 0.9 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Increase/decrease in other working capital positions | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Increase/decrease in working capital | -0.8 | 1.9 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash flow from operating activities | 0.6 | 4.6 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 2.9 | 3.4 |
| CAPEX | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Payments for acquisitions | 5.6 | 2.0 | 3.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Financial investments | 0.0 | 0.2 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Income from asset disposals | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | -6.1 | -2.5 | -7.2 | -1.0 | -1.0 | -1.0 |
| Cash flow before financing | -5.5 | 2.1 | -4.9 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 2.4 |
| Increase/decrease in debt position | 1.5 | 0.7 | 3.7 | -0.4 | -0.4 | -0.4 |
| Purchase of own shares | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Capital measures | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Dividends paid | 0.0 -0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 0.0 |
| Others | -0.0 -0.0 | 0.0 | -0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Effects of exchange rate changes on cash | -0.0 1.5 | -0.0 | -0.0 3.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash flow from financing activities Increase/decrease in liquid assets | -4.0 | 0.7 2.8 | 3.7 -1.2 | -0.1 0.9 | -0.4 | -0.4 2.0 |
| • | -4.0 2.9 | | -1.2 4.0 | | 1.5 | |
| Liquid assets at end of period | 2.9 | 5.2 | 4.0 | 4.9 | 6.5 | 8.4 |
| Key ratios (CHF m) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023e | 2024e | 2025e |
| P&L growth analysis | | | | | | |
| Sales growth | -7.2% | 30.1% | 18.1% | 14.4% | 15.0% | 10.0% |
| EBITDA growth | 2.7% | 61.2% | 2.8% | -8.5% | 41.3% | 12.9% |
| EBIT growth | 20.9% | 130.3% | 7.4% | -6.3% | 51.6% | 13.9% |
| EPS growth | -45.6% | 140.2% | -9.2% | -20.5% | 62.8% | 13.9% |
| Efficiency | | | | | | |
| Sales per employee | 240.1 | 300.5 | 341.8 | 377.0 | 425.9 | 460.5 |
| EBITDA per employee | 29.8 | 46.2 | 45.7 | 40.3 | 56.0 | 62.2 |
| No. employees (average) | 50 | 52 | 54 | 56 | 57 | 58 |
| Balance sheet analysis | | | | | | |
| Avg. working capital / sales | 1.7% | -1.5% | 0.8% | -0.5% | -0.7% | -0.7% |
| Inventory turnover (sales/inventory) | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Accounts receivable turnover | 17.0 | 13.4 | 27.7 | 22.0 | 22.0 | 22.0 |
| Accounts payable turnover | 3.9 | 14.7 | 30.6 | 25.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 |
| Cash flow analysis | | | | | | |
| Free cash flow | 0.1 | 4.2 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 2.4 |
| Free cash flow/sales | 0.7% | 26.9% | 10.6% | 4.9% | 8.0% | 8.8% |
| FCF / net profit | 13.6% | 267.1% | 134.1% | 70.7% | 82.0% | 87.9% |
| Capex / sales | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Solvency | | | | | | |
| Net debt | 1.6 | 0.1 | 5.1 | -0.0 | -2.0 | -4.3 |
| Net Debt/EBITDA | 1.1 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Dividend payout ratio | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Interest paid / avg. debt | 8.3% | 4.9% | 4.8% | 7.8% | 4.4% | 6.6% |
| Returns | | | | | | |
| ROCE | 66.5% | 141.7% | 43.1% | 38.9% | 30.2% | 28.4% |
| ROE | -9.8% | -33.1% | -65.9% | 43.4% | 41.4% | 32.1% |
| Adjusted FCF yield | 2.9% | 4.3% | 7.4% | 9.7% | 15.0% | 19.5% |
| Dividend yield | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| DPS | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| EPS reported | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.10 | 0.16 | 0.19 |
| Average number of shares | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.5 | 14.5 | 14.5 | 14.5 |
| Valuation ratios | | | | | | |
| P/BV | -3.0 | -4.2 | -9.3 | 7.6 | 4.4 | 3.0 |
| EV/sales | 2.0 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| | | | | | | |
| EV/EBITDA | 16.2 | 14.8 | 14.0 | 11.2 | 7.3 | 5.8 |
| | 16.2 32.8 | 14.8 20.9 | 14.0 19.0 | 11.2 14.8 | 7.3 9.0 | 5.8 7.1 |

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|----------------|------------|-----------------|--------|--------------|----------|
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