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Cheaper debt, longer runway, but leverage still high

Successful four-year bond refinancing at improved terms. Stockwik has completed a SEK400m senior secured bond issue, extending its debt maturity to 2029 and reducing its coupon by 75bps to 3M STIBOR + 7.25bps. The new bond was issued at 98% of par, while the previous SEK350m bond is being redeemed early at 102%. After transaction costs of SEK10m, we expect the net effect on the company's cash position to be SEK25m, providing additional capacity for selective acquisitions. We believe this refinancing secures Stockwik's funding for the next four years, further supporting the group's long-term growth strategy.

Lower interest costs, higher ND/EBITDA and cash flow impact. The new coupon reduces Stockwik's annual interest expense from about SEK36m to SEK33m, resulting in a cash flow improvement of about SEK3m per year. However, the combination of early redemption at a premium, issuance below par and transaction costs temporarily increases the company's ND/EBITDA ratio from 4.1x to just above 4.2x. While the refinancing delivers a clear improvement in financing terms and secures an extra year of maturity, it also means that a significant portion of OCF will continue to be allocated to debt service, rather than directly to shareholders.

Positive step, though credit margin remains elevated and leverage high

We view Stockwik's ability to secure a four-year refinancing at a lower coupon as positive, particularly given the company's stable business portfolio and improved operational performance since the previous bond issue in March 2023. The additional SEK25m in cash provides scope for selective acquisitions, in line with Stockwik's growth strategy. That said, we note that the new credit margin of 725bps is somewhat higher than might be expected in today's more constructive bond market, especially given Stockwik's earnings progress. While the refinancing enhances financial flexibility, we believe that a greater emphasis on deleveraging would support long-term value creation for shareholders, considering the company's already elevated leverage.

Upcoming events		Key figures (SEK)	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e	Share price – 5-year
Q2 Report	22 Aug 2025	Sales (m)	851	875	912	954	
Q3 Report	07 Nov 2025	EBITDA (m)	96	106	114	118	250
Q4 Report	13 Feb 2026	EBIT (m)	45	58	67	73	200
		EPS	-2.06	2.55	4.42	5.21	200
		EPS adj.	-0.86	3.50	5.22	5.84	150
		DPS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
		Sales growth Y/Y	4%	3%	4%	5%	
Key facts		EPS adj. growth Y/Y	+chg	+chg	49%	12%	1 million mark
		EBIT margin	5.3%	6.6%	7.3%	7.6%	50
No. shares (m)	6.3	P/E adj.	n.m.	6.9	4.6	4.1	V manut
Market cap. (USDm)	16	EV/EBIT	10.9	9.2	7.6	6.7	Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun Jun 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025
Market cap. (SEKm)	153	EV/EBITA	9.3	8.3	7.1	6.3	
Net IB Debt. (SEKm)	382 0	EV/EBITDA	5.2	5.0	4.5	4.1	Otavlavil
Adjustments (SEKm)	534	P/BV	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	Stockwik
EV (2025e) (SEKm) Free float	82.0%	Dividend yield	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	OMX Stockholm_PI (Se) (Rebased)
Avg. daily vol. ('000)	2210	FCF yield	7.9%	5.1%	15.5%	16.9%	High/Low (12M) SEK30.9/14.7
BBG	STWK SS	Equity/Total Assets	26.3%	28.0%	30.4%	32.9%	
Fiscal year end	December	ROCE	7.4%	9.1%	10.2%	10.5%	Perf. 3M 6M 12M YTE
Share price as of (CET)	18 Jun 2025 17:17	ROE adj.	-2.5%	10.1%	13.6%	13.6%	Abs. 1.89 25.91 30.95 41.85
		Net IB debt/EBITDA	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.8	Rel. 9.17 29.73 34.74 43.85

Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates), FactSet, Infront & company data

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