

RESULTS PREVIEW

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Fair value: SEK26.0-33.0

Share price: SEK23.1

ITAB Shop Concept

HMY integration progressing well – Q2 preview

We expect ITAB to report a solid Q2, with strong revenue (110% Y/Y) and EBIT (47% Y/Y) growth driven by the HMY acquisition. On a pro forma basis, however, it has tough Y/Y comparables that should become easier in H2e, leading us to tweak our forecast pre-Q2 results. We see a solid industrial roll-up name and reiterate our fair value of SEK26–33.

Q2 preview. Building on ITAB's solid Q1, with a promising effect from the HMY acquisition, we expect strong progress in its Q2 even as the underlying market still is described as 'cautious, but stable'. We see Q2e revenue growing by 110% Y/Y, with an adj EBIT margin of 6.2% (-266bp), for EBIT of SEK221m (up 47% Y/Y), but still 26% below pro forma Q2 2024 as HMY and ITAB have tough Q2 Y/Y comparables, with H2 facing less-demanding Y/Y comparables.

Attractive deal. The acquisition of Financière HMY was finalised in January. We still believe it is a good fit and is set to strengthen ITAB's footprint and double its size. ITAB still sees the detailed EUR30m deal synergy as realistic by 2027, implying an attractive deal ROIC of 21–22%.

Minor forecast changes. We have tweaked forecasts pre-Q2 related to FX and non-cash items (slightly higher D&A). Financials already look solid on a pro forma basis, with net debt/adj. EBITDA of 2.48x at end-Q2e 2025, improving cash conversion likely to translate into a quick replenishment of its 'financial muscle', and the ITAB/HMY platform geared for more acquisitions.

Fair value of SEK26–33 reiterated, reflecting the potential to create a European market leader in the retail fittings segment. Using a valuation on a par with ITAB's historical LTM valuation calculates to SEK26–28, our peer group relative valuation to SEK30–34 and our updated DCF to SEK31–40, which reflects a scenario of a full realisation of the suggested synergies.

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| | From | То | Chg | | | | | | | | |
| EPS adj. 2025e | 2.08 | 1.99 | -4% | | | | | | | | |
| EPS adj. 2026e | 2.73 | 2.68 | -2% | | | | | | | | |
| EPS adj. 2027e | 3.3 | 3.3 | -2% | | | | | | | | |
| Upcoming event | s | | | | | | | | | | |
| Q2 Report | | 16 | Jul 2025 | | | | | | | | |
| Q3 Report | | 30 0 | Oct 2025 | | | | | | | | |
| Q4 Report | | 10 F | eb 2026 | | | | | | | | |
| Key facts | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. shares (m) | | | 255.3 | | | | | | | | |
| Market cap. (USDm |) | | 620 | | | | | | | | |
| Market cap. (SEKm |) | | 5,884 | | | | | | | | |
| Net IB Debt. (SEKm |) | | 2,887 | | | | | | | | |
| Adjustments (SEKm | 1) | | 128 | | | | | | | | |
| EV (2025e) (SEKm) | | | 8,900 | | | | | | | | |
| Free float | | | 51.0% | | | | | | | | |
| Avg. daily vol. ('000) |) | | 363 | | | | | | | | |
| BBG | | | TAB SS | | | | | | | | |
| Fiscal year end | | De | ecember | | | | | | | | |
| Share price as of (C | ET) | 01 Jul 202 | 25 17:29 | | | | | | | | |

| Key figures (SEK) | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Sales (m) | 6,585 | 13,653 | 14,784 | 15,301 |
| EBITDA (m) | 713 | 1,215 | 1,570 | 1,767 |
| EBIT (m) | 459 | 727 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| EPS | 1.38 | 1.55 | 2.68 | 3.29 |
| EPS adj. | 1.53 | 1.99 | 2.68 | 3.29 |
| DPS | 0.00 | 0.45 | 0.80 | 1.00 |
| Sales growth Y/Y | 7% | 107% | 8% | 4% |
| EPS adj. growth Y/Y | 23% | 30% | 35% | 23% |
| EBIT margin | 7.0% | 5.3% | 7.2% | 8.3% |
| P/E adj. | 15.0 | 11.6 | 8.6 | 7.0 |
| EV/EBIT | 10.0 | 12.2 | 7.8 | 6.1 |
| EV/EBITA | 10.0 | 12.2 | 7.8 | 6.1 |
| EV/EBITDA | 6.4 | 7.3 | 5.3 | 4.4 |
| P/BV | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.0 |
| Dividend yield | 0.0% | 1.9% | 3.5% | 4.3% |
| FCF yield | 5.3% | 5.8% | 10.6% | 13.4% |
| Equity/Total Assets | 60.2% | 35.5% | 38.3% | 41.1% |
| ROCE | 9.4% | 10.4% | 12.0% | 13.2% |
| ROE adj. | 9.6% | 11.3% | 14.6% | 15.9% |
| Net IB debt/EBITDA | -0.5 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 1.0 |



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

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Equity story

Near term: within 12M

Raised expectations for and seemingly lowered risk of the HMY acquisition, and potential to create a European market leader in the retail fittings segment. Our fair value is SEK26–33 – applying ITAB's historical LTM valuation multiples suggests SEK26–28, peer-group multiples SEK30–34, and our updated DCF to SEK31–40, with the top end of the latter being based on full realisation of identified cost and revenue synergies and execution of a continued sector roll-up strategy.

Long term outlook: 5Y+

With the acquisition of HMY, ITAB has become the European market leader in the segment of retail store fittings, with a strong offering also in retail technology systems and lighting products delivering on an impressive sector roll-up strategy. The sector is still highly fragmented, so assuming ITAB/HMY is fully integrated with re-established strong financials, the new foundation should be well placed to continue to drive sector consolidation and shareholder friendly capital allocations.

Key risks:

- Market demand not recovering as expected.
- · Weak consumer confidence affecting market demand more than expected and ITAB not able to offset it.
- ITAB failing to successfully integrate HMY, with the combined operation not able to realise its potential.

Company description

ITAB/HMY is the leading European supplier of retail solutions including consultative design services, custom-made interiors, checkout systems, consumer guidance solutions, professional lighting systems and interactive digital solutions for the physical store.

Key industry drivers

- Retailer demand to create a more efficient and revenue generating operation.
- Retailer demand to establish new stores and refurbishing existing sites to expand their operations.

Industry outlook

- Generally wide variability among retail customers depending on financial strength and growth opportunities in their sub-sectors.
- Still-solid demand for high-ROI offerings.

Largest shareholders, capital

| Pomona-gruppen | 15.7% |
|-----------------------|-------|
| WQZ Investments Group | 15.1% |
| Petter Fägersten | 10.3% |

Cyclicality

cality Key peers

Cyclicality: Yes Mid SME industrial peers: Alligo AB, Alimak AB, Bergman & Beving AB, Coor Service Management, Nederman AB, Fagerhult AB. Nordic retail peers: H&M AB, Axfood AB, Clas Ohlson AB, Europris AS, Tokmanni Oy, Byggmax AB.

Valuation and methodology

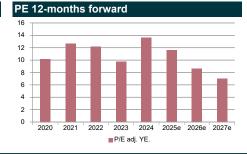
The low end of our fair value range of SEK26 is based on ITAB's historical LTM average multiples applied to our 2025–27e and the low end of the peer group relative valuation. The high end of our fair value range of SEK33 is based on the lower end of our DCF and the high end of the peer group relative valuation range.

Fair value range 12M



High fair value: Moving from a product focus to solutions and systems orientation offers potential to become a preferred supplier to more of Europe's retail sector. Promising growth platform in Retail Technology. Low fair value: Competitive and fragmented market, with key customers generally being large with a keen cost focus, putting pressure on the supplier base.









Q2 preview

ITAB Shop Concept Q2e preview - DNB Carnegie forecast and consensus

| DCAR estimates | 2024 | | | | 2025e | | DCAR | | Consen | sus |
|---|--|--|--|--|---|-----|--|--|------------------|--------|
| SEKm | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2a | Q2e | dev | Q2e | dev |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sales | 1,576 | 1,685 | 1,553 | 1,771 | 2,819 | | 3,541 | 0% | 3,492 | 1% |
| Gross profit | 476 | 498 | 437 | 467 | 710 | | 894 | 0% | 890 | |
| EBITDA adj | 223 | 212 | 154 | 172 | 293 | | 345 | 0% | 337 | 2% |
| Depr & amort | -62 | -62 | -64 | -66 | -112 | | -124 | | -99 | |
| EBIT adj | 161 | 150 | 90 | 106 | 181 | | 221 | 0% | 238 | -7% |
| IAC/One-offs | 0 | 0 | -21 | -27 | -55 | | -50 | n.m. | -50 | n.m. |
| EBIT rep | 161 | 150 | 69 | 79 | 126 | | 171 | 0% | 188 | -9% |
| Net financials | -20 | -7 | 4 | 2 | -53 | | -44 | 0% | -66 | |
| PTP | 141 | 143 | 73 | 81 | 73 | | 127 | 0% | 122 | |
| Tax / Minority | -41 | -48 | -30 | -8 | -36 | | -36 | 0% | -28 | |
| Net profit | 100 | 95 | 43 | 73 | 37 | | 91 | 0% | 94 | -3% |
| EPS (SEK) | 0.47 | 0.44 | 0.18 | 0.29 | 0.15 | | 0.36 | 0% | 0.40 | -9% |
| DPS (SEK) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sales growth (YOY) | 5% | 12% | 2% | 11% | 79% | | 110% | 0.0pp | 107% | 2.9pp |
| Organic (YOY) | 5% | 12% | 4% | 10% | 8% | | 9% | 0.0pp | | |
| Acquired (YOY) | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 71% | | 106% | 0.0pp | | |
| Gross margin | 30.2% | 29.6% | 28.1% | 26.4% | 25.2% | | 25.3% | 0.0pp | 25.5% | -0.2pp |
| Adj EBITDA margin | 14.1% | 12.6% | 9.9% | 9.7% | 10.4% | | 9.7% | 0.0pp | 9.7% | 0.1pp |
| Adj EBIT margin | 10.2% | 8.9% | 5.8% | 6.0% | 6.4% | | 6.2% | 0.0pp | 6.8% | -0.6pp |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Geographic split | 2024 | | | | 0005 | | | | | |
| | 2027 | | | | 2025e | | DCAR | | Consen | sus |
| Sales | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2a | DCAR Q2e | dev | Consen Q2e | dev |
| | | Q2 469 | Q3 335 | Q4 447 | | Q2a | | 0% | | |
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Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates), company (historical data), Bloomberg (limited consensus)

The main event of ITAB's Q1 report was the first consolidation of HMY (included since February 2025), with Q2 being the first full quarter including the acquisition. We understand that the global general uncertainty is still not encouraging ITAB/HMY's customers to drive large-scale investment programmes, but the demand backdrop now seems stable, creating a solid base to enact the HMY integration.

Looking at the pro forma numbers including HMY for 2024, we notice that H1 2024 still makes for very tough comparisons, with Q2 2024 standing out with strong delivery from ITAB and implicitly looking at the pro forma details supplied even more so for HMY. At the same time, H2 2024 was weaker on both sides, implying that comparison Y/Y should become easier in H2 2025 and particularly in Q4 2025. This is something mirrored in our quarterly breakdown, still suggesting a 2025 result before exceptional items (deal and integration related) on a par with the 2024 pro forma numbers.



ITAB/HMY pro forma financials and DNB forecasts (SEKm)

| | 2024 | | | | | 2025e | | | | |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| | Q1(a) | Q2(a) | Q3(a) | Q4(a) | FY(a) | Q1(a) | Q2e | Q3e | Q4e | FYe |
| Net sales | 2,847 | 3,433 | 3,356 | 3,643 | 13,279 | 3,308 | 3,541 | 3,496 | 3,796 | 14,142 |
| YOY chg | | | | | 8% | 16% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 6% |
| CoGS | -2,125 | -2,542 | -2,568 | -2,816 | -10,052 | -2,493 | -2,647 | -2,621 | -2,833 | -10,594 |
| Gross profit | 722 | 891 | 788 | 827 | 3,227 | 815 | 894 | 875 | 963 | 3,548 |
| gross margin | 25.4% | 26.0% | 23.5% | 22.7% | 24.3% | 24.6% | 25.3% | 25.0% | 25.4% | 25.1% |
| OpEX | -424 | -479 | -444 | -503 | -1,850 | -495 | -549 | -544 | -567 | -2,156 |
| EBITDA excl NRI | 298 | 412 | 344 | 324 | 1,377 | 320 | 345 | 331 | 396 | 1,392 |
| EBITDA margin | 10.5% | 12.0% | 10.2% | 8.9% | 10.4% | 9.7% | 9.7% | 9.5% | 10.4% | 9.8% |
| D&A | -111 | -112 | -113 | -122 | -459 | -111 | -124 | -124 | -128 | -487 |
| EBIT excl NRI | 187 | 299 | 230 | 201 | 918 | 209 | 221 | 207 | 268 | 905 |
| EBIT margin | 6.6% | 8.7% | 6.9% | 5.5% | 6.9% | 6.3% | 6.2% | 5.9% | 7.1% | 6.4% |

Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company

For Q2, we forecast revenue growth of 110% on a reported basis (+3% versus the pro forma Q2 2024), to SEK3,541m. We expect a slightly better mix than in Q1, suggesting Q/Q gross margin expansion, but still-weaker Y/Y implying a gross margin contraction by 430bps, to 25.3%, mainly related to the HMY acquisition (-70bp Y/Y on pro forma basis). Similarly, we forecast an EBIT margin contraction of 266bp, to 6.2% for an adjusted EBIT of SEK221m, up 47% Y/Y on a reported basis but down 26% Y/Y on a pro forma basis, mainly related to the tough Y/Y comparison.

We have made marginal forecast changes ahead of the Q2 report mainly related to FX and non-cash items (minor change to depreciation/amortisation) resulting in 1–2% cut to our EPS forecasts for 2025–27. From a financing perspective, we see ITAB's net debt to EBITDA strengthening to 3.34x by end-Q2 (3.26x IFRS16 adj.); it would still only include HMY-related EBITDA for five months (February to June), but with the full financial burden. However, on a pro forma basis including HMY, adj. EBITDA for the full LTM period would suggest a healthier financial position even now, with a net debt/adj. EBITDA of c2.48x (c2.28x excluding an IFRS16 effect) by end-Q2e.

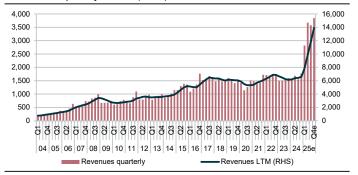
Comparing our updated forecasts with ITAB's financial targets suggests that the company should report substantially higher revenue growth over 2025–27 than its targeted 4–8%, particularly in 2025e. While the 2025 EBIT margin is likely to be below its 7–9% target in 2025e, we expect 2026–27 to be supported by synergy realisation and progress towards the higher end of the range. We forecast cash conversion to be slightly weaker than its target during the period, but still expect healthy FCF generation. We see headroom for ITAB to restart its dividend distribution in 2025.

ITAB financial targets and DNB Carnegie estimates

| | Average | Reported - fiscal years | | | | ITAB Group | DNB Carnegie estimates | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--------|------|------------|------------------------|-------|-------|
| | 2003-2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | target | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e |
| Sales growth | 13.3% | 14.4% | 12.8% | -10.6% | 7.3% | 4-8% | 107.1% | 8.4% | 3.5% |
| Organic sales growth | 1.9% | 9.1% | 6.9% | -13.9% | 7.7% | - | 8.7% | 3.0% | 3.5% |
| EBIT margin | 6.2% | 6.3% | 6.5% | 7.0% | 7.7% | 7-9% | 6.4% | 7.2% | 8.3% |
| Cash conversion | 74% | -34% | 80% | 118% | 82% | >80% | 57% | 69% | 72% |
| Dividend of net profit | 25% | 0% | 41% | 58% | 0% | >30% | 30% | 30% | 30% |

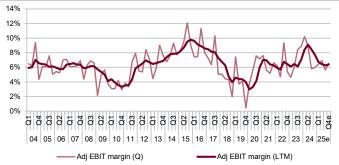






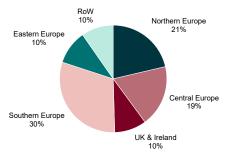
Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company data

ITAB EBIT margin quarterly and LTM



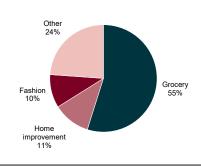
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ITAB geographical revenue breakdown LTM Q1 2025



Source: DNB Carnegie (compilation) & company data

ITAB customer segment revenue breakdown LTM Q1 2025



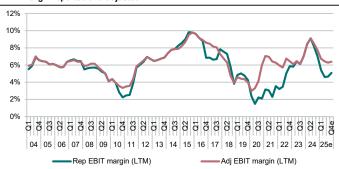
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ITAB gross margin quarterly and LTM



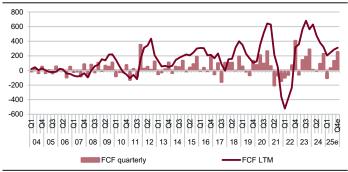
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EBIT margin reported and adjusted LTM



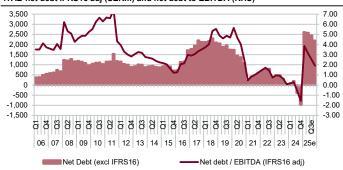
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ITAB FCF quarterly and LTM (SEKm)



Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company data

ITAB net debt IFRS16 adj (SEKm) and net debt to EBITDA (RHS)



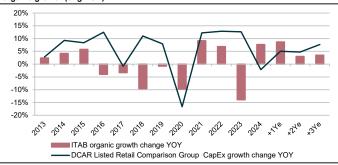


Underlying market forecast – stable with growth in outlook

We have not been able to find any relevant market statistics for the retail store-fittings market and, given its fragmented nature, trying to consolidate and aggregate market data from the accounts of the various market participants did not add much either, as most peers are either part of larger groups or smaller family-controlled companies.

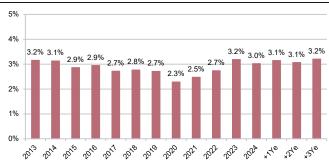
However, we have consolidated data for a larger listed peer group covering global, regional and local listed retail companies (75 listed companies in total). Covering all the sub-segments of the retail space that we find in ITAB's customer base gives a good base indication on retail investment levels, which in our view should be the main business driver for ITAB. We have labelled this the DNB Carnegie Global Listed Retail Comparison Group.

DCAR global listed retail comparison growth CapEx and ITAB organic growth (chg YOY)



Source: DNB Carnegie (calculations) & Bloomberg (company & consensus)

DCAR global listed retail comparison group - capex to sales (%)



Source: DNB Carnegie (calculations) & Bloomberg (company & consensus data)

Looking at the DNB Carnegie Listed Retail Comparison Group and using accounting data and forecasts from Bloomberg suggest combined average revenue growth of 9.1% over the past 12 years (2013–24), with current expectations of 5.0–6.9% growth for +1Y to +3Y (in most cases referring to the calendar years 2025–27). Similarly, looking at capital expenditure for the DNB Carnegie Listed Retail Comparison Group, we find 12-year average growth of 5.8% between 2013 and 2024, implying a slightly falling capex to sales ratio from 3.2% in 2013 to 3.0% in 2024, with a narrow range of 2.3–3.2%, suggesting that overall capital expenditure is of a recurring nature that could be expected in the sector. The Bloomberg consensus capital expenditure is for growth of 5.0% in +1Y and 4.7% in +2Y, representing about 3.1–3.2% in capex to sales in the coming three years—so a stable underlying market with a generally positive outlook.

Reflecting the dramatic changes in the retail landscape over the past two decades, even a stable capital investment level overall hides the fact that the underlying spending has changed dramatically from store roll-out models (suitable for ITAB/HMY's old structure of large series and multiyear roll-out planning) towards much more fragmented spending, covering ecommerce distribution set-ups, omni-channel strategies and smaller concept store roll-outs (more suitable for ITAB/HMY's solution sales and local customisation strategy). However, looking at ITAB's sales trend over the past 12 years, the average growth of 6.1% mirrors quite well the average capital investment of 5.8% for the DNB Carnegie Listed Retail Comparison Group. However, we also note that average organic sales growth over the period for ITAB has been close to zero, suggesting that it is only consolidation (M&A) that has driven growth (adjusting for a minor positive FX component).

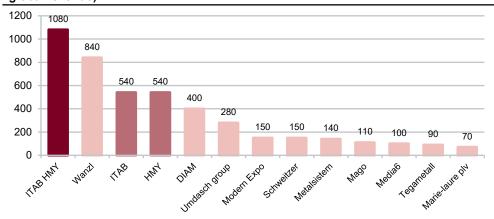
From a demand perspective, any general demand indicators such as this have less relevance and, as the company itself points out, to get retailers to make capital investments in the current uncertain economic environment, the projects need a tangible, and short, ROI, and that many retailers also contemplate investments with a strong sustainability angle – preferably both. However, with the acquisition of HMY, the new ITAB Group has also elevated itself to a new competitive position across the European market, creating new opportunities to drive growth across segments and geographies, with a more extensive product and service offering than before.



HMY acquisition next step in its industrial roll-up

Given ITAB's historical track record of acquisition-based growth and the still-fragmented European retail interior market, we have seen its financials and strengthened own platform as an improved base for further industrial roll-up opportunities. Thus, we have highlighted the potential in ITAB's acquisition of French store fittings group Financière HMY, doubling the size of the company and creating a new European market leader.

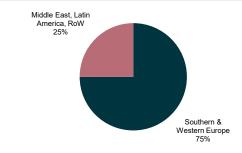
European companies in the retail store fittings market (2023, EURm, global revenue)



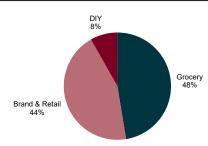
Source: Company (Based on management estimates and latest available financial statements (figures rounded) and excluding other operations than retail store fittings solutions)

HMY looks to be a good match with ITAB, set to strengthen the southern European footprint and add the Middle East and Latin America (largely complementary). Similar to ITAB, we understand that during the recent period of lower end-customer demand, HMY worked on business improvements and efficiency measures. To us, this implies two stronger, more agile companies, and the next step in consolidating the fragmented European market.





HMY customer split (2023)



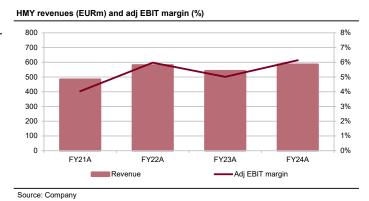
Source: Company

With the solid progress in HMY in 2024 seeing 8.2% net sales growth to EUR585m and an adjusted EBIT margin of 6.1%, the acquisition price of EUR320m suggests attractive acquisition multiples in our view, with a 2024 EV/sales of 0.55x (2023: 0.59x) and EV/adj. EBITDA of 5.4x (2023: 6.4x). In our acquisition accounting, assuming full delivery of the indicated deal synergies of EUR30m by 2027 suggests a post-synergy 2027e EV/EBITDA of c3.3–3.4x and ROIC of 21–22%.

Source: Company



| ITAB HMY acquisition acc | ounting | | | | Sep/24 |
|--------------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| SEKm | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e |
| Revenues | 6,211 | 6,694 | 6,772 | 7,042 | 7,547 |
| EBIT bef goodwill | 311 | 411 | 423 | 447 | 472 |
| margin % | 5.0 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.3 |
| + Synergy potential | | | 33 | 167 | 334 |
| - Interest cost (6.0%) | | -169 | -169 | -169 | -169 |
| Pretax impact | 311 | 242 | 287 | 445 | 637 |
| EPS impact | | 0.68 | 0.80 | 1.25 | 1.79 |
| Imp on pre-deal est (%) | | | 40.2 | 56.7 | |
| RoIC (%) | | 11.2 | 12.4 | 16.7 | |
| | 2023 | 2024 | | | 2027e |
| EV/Sales | 0.59 | 0.55 | | | 0.49 |
| EV/EBITDA | 6.4 | 5.4 | | | 3.3 |
| Acquisition cost | 3,672 | | | | |
| Goodwill | 1.980 | | | | |



Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & Company

The indicated deal synergies of EUR30m seem realistic to us, with EUR20m related to purchasing gains and removing double-manning situations, and not seeking further complicated savings in the manufacturing footprint, at least at this stage. Similarly, using HMY's customer relations to cross-sell ITAB's technology and lighting solutions could add at least EUR20m in revenue, with a high-gross margin contribution, i.e. cEUR10m in profit contribution by 2027e. Looking at purchasing, its largely doubled combined volume to an annual value of EUR600m seems beneficial for an agile purchasing team. We understand work has already been done to find the new combined opportunities, with the normal contract period indicating most savings should be realised in 2026, in our view, with ITAB committing to 2027. We note that management seems confident in synergy delivery, but is backing down on committing to even more, still suggesting that the playbook created during the OneITAB efficiency work largely can be reused now, looking at the combined ITAB/HMY.

In Q1, ITAB charged SEK55m related to deal finalisation and integration costs, slightly less than what we had expected, and we have now similarly adjusted our Q2 expectations of integration costs down to SEK50m and the 2025e burden to SEK150m (previously SEK180m) still implied to create the foundation for full synergy realisation by 2027.



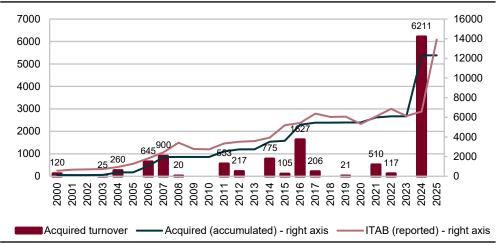
Acquisition history

ITAB acquisition and disposal log

| | | | Price | Sales | OpP | OpP | EVS | EVOpP | |
|------|------|-------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|------|-------|--|
| Year | con. | Target | | (SEKm) | | margin | (x) | (x) | comment |
| 2025 | May | Signatrix GmbH (Ge) | | | | | | | German Retail AI startup becoming wholly owned |
| 2024 | Dec | Nuco Sourcing (HK) Co Ltd (HK) | 25 | | | | | | Disposal of Chinese lighting component company |
| | May | Financière HMY (Fr) | 3616 | 6116 | 568 | 9.3% | 0.59 | 6.4 | Leading European store fittings group |
| | May | Signatrix GmbH (Ge) | 23 | | | | | | German Retail Al startup (18% holding) |
| | May | Imola Retail Solutions Srl (It) | 12 | | | | | | 19% option to make operation whole owned utilised |
| 2023 | May | OmboriGrid AB | 15 | | | | | | 21% shareholding disposed |
| 2022 | Feb | Oy Checkmark Ltd (Fi) | 53 | 117 | 19.1 | 16.4% | 0.45 | 2.8 | Nordic supplier of checkout and store guidance tec |
| 2021 | Apr | La Fortezza Sudamericana SA (Arg) | 19 | | | | | | Remaining 15% of subsidiary in South America |
| | Jan | Imola Retail Solutions Srl (It) | 57 | 510 | 30.0 | 5.9% | 0.14 | 2.3 | 81% hld (+opt in 2024) in Cefla's unit retail solution |
| 2019 | Jul | Ombori Apps AB | 15 | 21.0 | 0.4 | 1.8% | 2.38 | - | 30% holding in digital shop experience company |
| 2017 | Jul | D&L Lichtplanung GmbH (It) | 151 | 206 | 22.6 | 11.0% | 0.73 | 6.7 | Leading German store lighting company |
| 2016 | May | La Fortezza Group (It) | 990 | 1291 | 116.2 | 9.0% | 0.77 | 8.5 | Leading Southern European store fittings company |
| | May | Pikval Group Oy (Fi) | 61 | 159 | 12.7 | 8.0% | 0.38 | 4.8 | Finnish producer of concept store fittings |
| | May | MB Shop Design i Hillerstorp | 106 | 140 | 17.3 | 12.4% | 0.76 | 6.1 | Swedish producer concept store fittings |
| | Apr | LICHTSPIEL Lichtprojekte und Design | 24 | 37 | 2.2 | 6.0% | 0.64 | 10.7 | German retail lighting company |
| 2015 | Feb | JDP (Latvia) | 60 | 105 | 10.5 | 10.0% | 0.58 | 5.8 | Latvian store fitting company Euro speciality retail |
| 2014 | Dec | Reklamepartner (No) | 4 | 27.5 | | | 0.31 | | 51% hld Norwegian in-store promotion company |
| | Nov | Eurolys (No) | 4 | 33 | | | 0.12 | | Assets from Norwegian lighting sales company |
| | Oct | New Store Europe BV (Ne) | 12 | 200 | | | 0.06 | | Assets from Dutch bankruptcy |
| | Oct | New Store Europe Denmark AS (Dk) | 9 | 139 | | | 0.06 | | Assets from Danish bankruptcy |
| | Oct | New Store Europe Sverige AB | 8 | 100 | | | 0.08 | | Assets from Swedish bankruptcy |
| | Oct | New Store Europe Norge AS (No) | 20 | 275 | | | 0.07 | | Assets from Norwegian bankruptcy |
| 2012 | Jun | Maxted Hld Group Ltd (UK) | 22 | 130 | 2.6 | 2.0% | 0.17 | 8.5 | UK producers of wood store fittings |
| | Apr | Prolight Försäljnings AB | 16 | 87 | 8.4 | 9.7% | 0.38 | 3.9 | Acq of 49% minority of retail lighting sales company |
| 2011 | Aug | Nordic Light Group AB | 265 | 553 | 83 | 15.0% | 0.48 | 3.2 | Leading Scandinavian retail lighting company |
| 2008 | May | Scangineers BV (Ho) | | | | | | | Asset acq of producer self-checkout systems |
| | Feb | Pan-Oston (Fi) | | | | | | | Finnish producer cashier disks & entry/exit systems |
| | Jan | L-Form Logisitcs AB | 7 | 20 | good | | 0.35 | | Producer of entrance and flow systems |
| 2007 | Dec | Hansa Kontor Shopfitting | 250 | 850 | 30 | 3.5% | 0.29 | 8.4 | Market leader in Europe for cashier desks |
| | Jun | Sintek | 15 | 50 | good | | 0.30 | | Leading store fitter for pharmacies in Sweden |
| 2006 | Oct | Radford CGC (UK) | 50 | 200 | good | | 0.25 | | UK producer of cashier desks & entry/exit systems |
| | Jun | PharmaService (No) | 14 | 40 | good | | 0.35 | | Leading Norwegian producer of Pharmacy interiors |
| | Mar | City Group (UK) | 88 | 300 | 18 | 6.0% | 0.29 | 4.9 | UK producer of complete store systems & concepts |
| | Jan | Novena (Lithuania) | 18 | 60 | good | | 0.30 | | Lithuanian producer of complete store systems |
| | Jan | PremOers (Ne) | 15 | 45 | good | | 0.33 | | Dutch project mgmt company for store concepts |
| 2004 | Nov | Lindco AS (No) | | 50 | good | | | | Leading Norwegian sales channel |
| | Jul | ABL Blansco (Cz) | | 120 | J | | | | Czech family owned low-cost manufacturer |
| | Jul | APOS Letovice (Cz) | | | | | | | • |
| | Jun | Stenestams Industri | | 90 | | | | | Swedish cashier desk manufacturer |
| | | ITAB Shop Concept | | | | | | | Spin-off from XANO Industries. IPO. |
| 2003 | | Sisustus AS (Est) | | | | | | | |
| | | Södergrens Metallkonstr | | | | | | | |
| | | Shop Equipe (Cz) | | 25 | | | | | Czech development company |
| | | Shop Equipe (Dk) | | | | | | | Danish shop fitting company |
| | | Skandinavisk Inredning | | | | | | | Damen ener mang company |
| 2001 | | Legra Baltic (Latvia) | | | | | | | |
| 2000 | | ISC Inter Shop Center (Ne) | | 120 | | | | | Assets from Dutch bankruptcy (Ahold customer) |
| 1999 | | Sabina Inredningar | | 120 | | | | | 7133013 HOIL Butter Butter uptoy (711010 dustomer) |
| 998 | | Expo Kaluste Oy (Fi) | | | | | | | |
| 996 | | Produktions AB R.Berg | | | | | | | |
| 1990 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | RIVA Hugin Sweda (Dk) | | | | | | | |
| 1000 | | KB Design AS (No) | | | | | | | |
| 992 | | Metallteknik met-o-matic | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | | Legra ASA (No) | | 50 | | | | | |
| 1000 | | Super Service (Dk) | | | | | | | |
| 989 | | ABO Metall | | | | | | | |
| 1988 | | Törnblom Nässjö | | | | | | | |

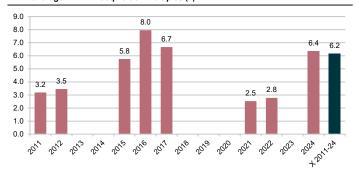


ITAB Shop Concept - acquired turnover (mSEK)



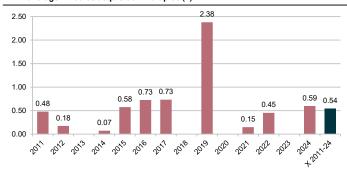
Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company data

ITAB average EV/EBIT acquisition multiples (x)



Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company data

ITAB average EV/sales acquisition multiples (x)





Valuation and risks

As illustrated in the chart below, ITAB Shop Concept's share price has seen some volatility, hitting a pandemic-related low in early-2020 on a par with the adjusted share price around the IPO in 2004. The ITAB share price has recovered strongly since, trading at 2025–26e P/Es of 11.0x and 8.5x, EV/EBITDA of 6.4x and 5.2x and a FCF yield of 6.0% and 11.0% respectively. Given the HMY acquisition and earlier successful implementation of the 'One ITAB' strategy, we find ITAB having advanced its positions, with a much stronger roadmap for the future, complemented by strengthening financials. Given that the stock has limited analyst coverage and limited, but growing, local and international institutional ownership, we believe the ITAB industrial roll-up story and 'One ITAB' strategy implementation may have gone relatively unnoticed by the broader investment community.

ITAB share price since IPO (SEK)



Source: Bloomberg

ITAB relative to OMX All-share since IPO (indexed)



Source: Bloomberg

ITAB share price since January 2019 (SEK)



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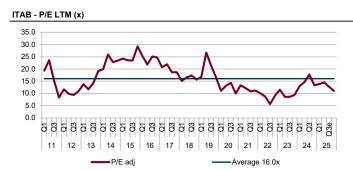
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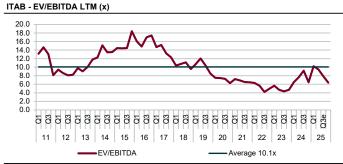
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Historical valuation (LTM base)

There is no consensus with which to compare our forecasts, or a simple measure on which to either carry out a relative valuation versus the company's historical forward-looking valuation ratios or a wide universe of sector peers with which to compare.

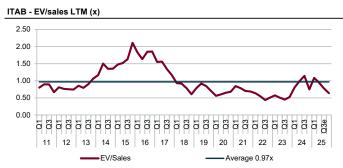


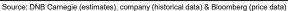
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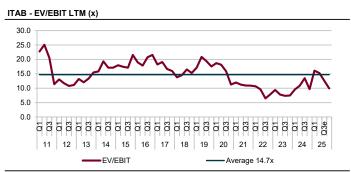


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To bridge the gap of not having forward-looking valuation ratios (NTM), we have created the long-term quarterly charts below on an LTM basis, which should be a fair approximation given ITAB's long history as a listed company, despite losing some of the investor sentiment at the time based on actual outcomes rather than the outlook. The historical charts show 2014–16 as having exceptionally high expectations, driven by the company becoming a European market leader in the retail store fittings industry through some well-executed acquisitions combined with investors attracted to the growing technology angle to ITAB, with its launch of the self-checkout range at the time. Including this high-expectation period, we find ITAB's average LTM valuation at a P/E of 16.0x, EV/sales of 0.97x, EV/EBITDA of 10.1x and EV/EBIT of 14.7x for 2011–25e. This would imply that ITAB is currently valued 47% below (range 43–48%) its long-term valuation ratios, looking at the current valuation on our 2026e.

However, we believe it will take some time for ITAB to full re-establish its growth trajectory, with an institutional owner base giving fully benefit to the HMY acquisition, which would be required to make the long-term average valuation a logical target. If we instead shorten the valuation base to 2021–25e, we calculate ITAB's average LTM valuation of P/E of 11.5x, EV/sales of 0.72x, EV/EBITDA of 6.6x and EV/EBIT of 10.5x, which still would imply that ITAB is currently valued 24% below (range 21–27%) our 2026 expectations. In our view, this seems to be a more realistic valuation base, at least in the medium-term, still suggesting a valuation range of SEK25.90–27.80 per ITAB share at present on its own historical valuation multiples.

Peer group relative valuation

We struggle to identify any direct peers to ITAB for a valuation and performance comparison, and our suggested peer groups thus first include Nordic SME Industrial companies (the subgroup ITAB itself features in from an index view), and second, Nordic Retail companies. Neither is perfect on a more detailed level, but should give a good view on the local preferences on a more aggregated level.

In the table above, +1Y relates largely to calendar year 2025 for most companies in our peer groups, while +2Y relates to 2026 and +3Y to 2027. Taking an average of the valuation multiples for the Nordic SME Industrial peer group for 2025–27e suggests that, on our forecasts, ITAB is valued at an average of 31% below, and at an average of 24% below the Nordic Retail peer group.

The lower valuation of the Nordic Retail peer group also gives an indication for ITAB given that it is a part of its customer base, suggesting a lower valuation than the Nordic SME Industrial peer group. This indicates ITAB Shop Concept sells at lower multiples than its peers and a valuation on a par with the average of the Nordic SME Industrial peer group would calculate to SEK33.40 per ITAB share (range SEK26.70–37.80 across valuation ratios), and SEK30.40 per share (range SEK25.30–38.90) applying multiples for the Nordic Retail peer group. We use this as our range (SEK30.40–33.40) for Peer Group valuation comparison.



ITAB Shop Concept peer group valuation and performance comparison

| Security Name | Price | M CAP | EV | EV/SAL | .ES | | EV/EBI | TDA | | EV/EBI | Г | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|------|--------|------|------|--------|------|------|
| | LFX | EURm | EURm | +1y | +2y | +3y | +1y | +2y | +3y | +1y | +2y | +3y |
| ITAB (DCAR est) | 23.05 | 524 | 824 | 0.64 | 0.55 | 0.50 | 6.4 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 9.9 | 7.7 | 6.0 |
| ITAB SHOP CONCEPT AB | 23.05 | 530 | 794 | 0.70 | 0.65 | 0.63 | 7.4 | 6.0 | 5.2 | 13.2 | 9.0 | 7.4 |
| SME Industrial peers | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALLIGO AB | 111.20 | 507 | 753 | 0.90 | 0.85 | 0.82 | 7.0 | 5.9 | 5.4 | 13.8 | 10.4 | 9.0 |
| ALIMAK AB | 146.00 | 1,406 | 1,584 | 2.51 | 2.41 | 2.27 | 11.8 | 11.0 | 10.3 | 15.3 | 14.0 | 12.9 |
| BERGMAN & BEVING AB | 288.00 | 708 | 851 | 1.89 | 1.85 | 1.80 | 12.4 | 11.3 | 10.9 | 22.0 | 20.2 | 19.1 |
| COOR SERVICE MGMT | 42.62 | 362 | 552 | 0.51 | 0.49 | 0.48 | 7.2 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 13.7 | 11.4 | 10.3 |
| ELANDERS AB-B | 58.90 | 189 | 955 | 0.78 | 0.76 | 0.73 | 5.2 | 4.6 | 4.4 | 16.6 | 11.6 | 10.9 |
| FAGERHULT AB | 44.25 | 682 | 871 | 1.17 | 1.10 | 1.05 | 8.2 | 7.4 | 6.9 | 13.5 | 11.6 | 10.5 |
| FASADGRUPPEN AB | 30.50 | 147 | 363 | 0.71 | 0.67 | 0.63 | 5.8 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 10.7 | 7.9 | 6.6 |
| GREEN LANDSCAPING AB | 64.50 | 324 | 501 | 0.88 | 0.85 | 0.82 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 12.7 | 11.4 | 10.9 |
| INWIDO AB | 209.40 | 1,086 | 1,186 | 1.46 | 1.37 | 1.31 | 10.2 | 9.1 | 8.5 | 14.0 | 12.2 | 11.3 |
| MOMENTUM GROUP AB | 161.00 | 728 | 783 | 2.68 | 2.50 | 2.45 | 18.8 | 17.0 | 16.6 | 28.1 | 24.9 | 23.8 |
| NETEL HOLDING AB | 9.92 | 44 | 105 | 0.38 | 0.36 | 0.35 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 7.4 | 6.4 | 5.6 |
| NEDERMAN HOLDING AB | 176.20 | 559 | 686 | 1.37 | 1.29 | 1.20 | 10.1 | 8.9 | 8.0 | 14.9 | 12.4 | 10.8 |
| NOTE AB | 175.50 | 448 | 462 | 1.29 | 1.19 | 1.12 | 9.8 | 8.8 | 8.1 | 13.3 | 11.8 | 10.9 |
| OEM INTL AB | 137.00 | 1,712 | 1,649 | 3.41 | 3.15 | 2.93 | 20.3 | 18.1 | 16.6 | 23.0 | 20.5 | 18.7 |
| PRICER AB-B | 5.05 | 75 | 83 | 0.31 | 0.27 | 0.26 | 2.9 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 3.9 | 3.1 | 3.0 |
| SCANFIL OYJ | 9.63 | 634 | 635 | 0.75 | 0.71 | 0.67 | 7.8 | 7.3 | 6.9 | 11.0 | 10.3 | 9.6 |
| SITOWISE GROUP PLC | 2.58 | 90 | 162 | 0.93 | 0.86 | 0.81 | 9.9 | 7.4 | 6.7 | 26.7 | 13.6 | 10.5 |
| Average sub-group | | | | 1.29 | 1.22 | 1.16 | 9.4 | 8.4 | 7.9 | 15.3 | 12.6 | 11.4 |
| Nordic Retail peers | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HENNES & MAURITZ AB | 135.90 | 19,497 | 24,112 | 1.18 | 1.16 | 1.12 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 6.5 | 16.2 | 14.4 | 13.4 |
| AXFOOD AB | 283.60 | 5,502 | 6,816 | 0.86 | 0.83 | 0.80 | 10.0 | 9.3 | 8.8 | 21.1 | 18.5 | 17.2 |
| XXL ASA | 9.87 | 73 | 323 | 0.53 | 0.49 | 0.46 | 9.9 | 5.2 | 4.1 | nm | nm | 15.5 |
| CLAS OHLSON AB | 318.20 | 1,890 | 1,962 | 1.77 | 1.68 | 1.62 | 10.3 | 9.8 | 9.6 | 16.3 | 15.4 | 14.7 |
| TOKMANNI GROUP CORP | 10.61 | 622 | 1,439 | 0.83 | 0.79 | 0.76 | 6.2 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 13.9 | 12.0 | 10.9 |
| EUROPRIS ASA | 86.40 | 1,206 | 1,577 | 1.32 | 1.26 | 1.20 | 8.1 | 7.1 | 6.6 | 14.7 | 12.0 | 10.6 |
| KID ASA | 152.80 | 527 | 659 | 1.99 | 1.84 | 1.73 | 7.4 | 6.6 | 6.1 | 14.2 | 11.6 | 10.4 |
| BYGGMAX GROUP AB | 51.00 | 268 | 473 | 0.87 | 0.82 | 0.78 | 5.7 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 17.8 | 13.4 | 11.6 |
| MATAS A/S | 132.60 | 674 | 1,158 | 0.99 | 0.93 | 0.88 | 6.8 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 13.9 | 11.1 | 9.9 |
| BILIA AB-A SHS | 129.30 | 1,098 | 1,577 | 0.50 | 0.47 | 0.45 | 8.0 | 7.2 | 6.8 | 14.5 | 11.9 | 10.8 |
| ELEKTRO IMPORTOREN AS | 15.50 | 66 | 107 | 0.64 | 0.58 | 0.53 | 5.3 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 12.3 | 9.2 | 7.6 |
| Average sub-group | | | | 1.04 | 0.99 | 0.94 | 7.7 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 15.5 | 12.9 | 12.1 |
| Total peer group | | | | 1.20 | 1.13 | 1.08 | 8.7 | 7.7 | 7.2 | 15.4 | 12.7 | 11.7 |



ITAB Shop Concept peer group valuation and performance comparison (continued)

| Security Name | P/E | | | FCF Yie | eld | | P/BV | RoE | Div.Y | Perforr | nance (% | b) |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|---------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|---------|----------|-----------|
| | +1y | +2y | +3y | +1y | +2y | +3y | +1y | +1y | +1y | -1m | -3m | -12m |
| ITAB (DCAR est) | 11.1 | 8.5 | 6.9 | 6.0% | 10.9% | 13.8% | 132% | 6.8% | 1.9% | -3.6 | 10.6 | -11.9 |
| ITAB SHOP CONCEPT AB | 12.2 | 8.7 | 6.8 | -38.8% | 9.1% | 12.0% | 130% | 9.7% | 1.0% | -3.6 | 10.6 | -11.9 |
| SME Industrial peers | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALLIGO AB | 14.8 | 9.4 | - | 5.5% | 12.5% | 14.1% | 141% | 11.2% | 3.2% | -1.6 | -16.8 | -23.3 |
| ALIMAK AB | 20.1 | 17.2 | 15.8 | 6.0% | 6.2% | 6.7% | 196% | 10.1% | 2.4% | 4.3 | 7.1 | 27.3 |
| BERGMAN & BEVING AB | 27.2 | 24.0 | 23.1 | 4.9% | 6.6% | 4.7% | 399% | 14.6% | 1.5% | -7.7 | -2.9 | -3.0 |
| COOR SERVICE MGMT | 13.1 | 10.1 | 8.6 | 14.2% | 14.9% | 16.1% | 265% | 19.0% | 5.1% | 7.8 | 22.0 | -10.8 |
| ELANDERS AB-B | 10.8 | 5.9 | 5.0 | nm | nm | nm | 52% | 3.9% | 3.4% | -5.1 | -11.4 | -41.9 |
| FAGERHULT AB | 16.0 | 13.0 | 11.5 | 0.0% | 8.1% | 10.8% | 100% | 6.1% | 3.5% | 0.8 | 2.3 | -37.7 |
| FASADGRUPPEN AB | 7.7 | 5.1 | 3.8 | 18.1% | 15.8% | 21.2% | 64% | 9.8% | 3.0% | 6.3 | 62.1 | -51.7 |
| GREEN LANDSCAPING AB | 14.8 | 11.6 | 10.4 | 13.5% | 13.3% | 16.7% | 187% | 13.4% | 0.0% | 0.5 | 1.0 | -20.3 |
| INWIDO AB | 18.1 | 15.4 | 13.8 | 5.2% | 6.6% | 6.6% | 202% | 11.5% | 2.9% | -1.1 | 3.0 | 41.3 |
| MOMENTUM GROUP AB | 37.2 | 32.2 | 29.7 | 3.1% | 4.8% | 4.9% | 911% | 26.0% | 0.9% | -8.1 | 0.9 | -3.4 |
| NETEL HOLDING AB | 5.7 | 4.3 | 3.5 | 12.8% | 15.5% | 22.5% | 43% | 7.5% | 4.0% | 8.6 | -8.9 | -40.9 |
| NEDERMAN HOLDING AB | 16.7 | 13.9 | 11.4 | 6.6% | 7.9% | 9.1% | 211% | 13.2% | 2.2% | -7.0 | -13.4 | -19.0 |
| NOTE AB | 17.5 | 15.2 | 13.9 | 4.7% | 5.2% | 6.0% | 293% | 16.2% | 0.0% | 7.9 | 0.2 | 23.2 |
| OEM INTL AB | 29.5 | 26.4 | 24.1 | 2.7% | 3.1% | 3.4% | 690% | 23.8% | 1.4% | -2.3 | -4.3 | 15.9 |
| PRICER AB-B | 6.5 | 4.5 | 4.2 | nm | nm | nm | 68% | 11.7% | 0.0% | -17.5 | -36.3 | -63.6 |
| SCANFIL OYJ | 15.0 | 13.5 | 12.8 | 4.7% | 6.9% | 6.9% | 199% | 14.2% | 2.5% | 15.3 | 7.4 | 32.5 |
| SITOWISE GROUP PLC | 56.0 | 14.4 | 9.5 | 9.2% | 13.8% | 16.6% | 79% | 0.5% | 0.0% | -3.8 | -6.0 | -15.4 |
| Average sub-group | 19.2 | 13.9 | 12.6 | 7.4% | 9.4% | 11.1% | 241% | 12.5% | 2.1% | -0.2 | 0.3 | -11.2 |
| Nordic Retail peers | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HENNES & MAURITZ AB | 19.4 | 16.8 | 15.4 | 7.1% | 8.6% | 9.4% | 499% | 24.9% | 5.1% | -1.5 | 0.3 | -19.3 |
| AXFOOD AB | 24.4 | 21.1 | 19.1 | 8.6% | 8.9% | 9.3% | 849% | 34.5% | 3.2% | 0.9 | 22.2 | 0.3 |
| XXL ASA | nm | nm | 7.2 | nm | nm | nm | 33% | neg | 0.0% | 0.1 | -19.0 | -83.7 |
| CLAS OHLSON AB | 20.1 | 19.0 | 17.8 | 4.2% | 4.8% | 5.2% | 685% | 37.7% | 2.5% | 21.8 | 32.0 | 80.8 |
| TOKMANNI GROUP CORP | 11.7 | 9.2 | 7.9 | 3.3% | 9.5% | 11.6% | 227% | 19.4% | 6.3% | -4.3 | -15.6 | -20.8 |
| EUROPRIS ASA | 17.1 | 13.1 | 11.3 | 5.8% | 6.6% | 7.6% | 324% | 19.6% | 4.1% | 7.4 | 0.4 | 19.1 |
| KID ASA | 16.5 | 12.9 | 11.3 | 12.3% | 13.7% | 14.4% | 401% | 24.8% | 5.3% | 3.1 | 0.1 | 5.8 |
| BYGGMAX GROUP AB | 15.0 | 10.8 | 8.9 | 6.9% | 6.0% | 7.0% | 118% | 8.1% | 2.6% | -2.7 | -3.7 | 42.3 |
| MATAS A/S | 12.2 | 9.5 | 8.1 | 11.2% | 15.0% | 17.3% | 126% | 9.8% | 2.0% | -2.8 | -2.5 | 9.0 |
| BILIA AB-A SHS | 12.9 | 9.6 | 8.6 | 19.2% | 21.0% | 22.1% | 224% | 16.8% | 4.9% | 2.2 | -3.4 | -11.3 |
| ELEKTRO IMPORTOREN AS | 19.9 | 10.8 | 8.1 | 5.2% | 5.0% | 11.8% | 110% | 5.7% | 0.0% | 8.0 | 23.0 | 52.7 |
| Average sub-group | 16.9 | 13.3 | 11.3 | 8.4% | 9.9% | 11.6% | 327% | 20.1% | 3.3% | 2.9 | 3.1 | 6.8 |
| Total peer group | 18.4 | 13.7 | 12.1 | 7.8% | 9.6% | 11.3% | 274% | 15.2% | 2.6% | 1.0 | 1.4 | -4.4 |

Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company

DCF valuation

ITAB's historical FCF generation has been volatile, mainly related to the large working capital swings. Looking at FCF to sales between 2011 and 2024, the average FCF margin was 3.6%, with an annual variation range from -5.9% to +12.1% when we include working capital changes in FCF. However, if for the same period we look at FCF excluding working capital changes, the average was 3.8%, i.e. marginally higher, but more interestingly the annual range narrows to -1.5% to +6.9%, indicating solid FCF generation relative to sales, with working capital movements largely balancing themselves out over time.

Given its cash flow generation profile, ITAB's prospects look attractive to us, even in a conservative DCF calculation. Our DCF base case assumes:

A 2024–27e revenue CAGR of 32.5%, and a 2028–31e CAGR of 2.4%, falling to 1.2% over 2032–36e, and 1.0% growth in the terminal period.



- Average EBITDA margins of 10.9% for 2024–27e, 11.4% for 2028–36e and 10.3% in the terminal period, in line with the mid-range of the company's target for an EBIT margin of 7–9% during our forecast period.
- Depreciation and amortisation of 3.5% for 2024–27e, in line with its historical average of 3.8% in 2018–24, declining to an average 3.3% of sales over 2028–2036e in the terminal period, with normalised capex-to-sales in line with depreciation and amortisation for 2028–36e, and the terminal period adjusted for the impact of financial leases. Our finance costs assume a normalisation to the low gearing and we assume a normalised tax rate of 27.0–28.0%, and net working capital-to-sales of a ~15%.
- A WACC of 8.4%, assuming a 10.1% cost of equity, a 5.4% cost of debt, and an adjusted beta of 1.00.

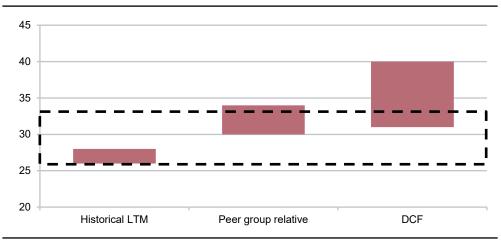
These assumptions yield a fair DCF value range of SEK31.40–40.10/share based on WACCs of 7.7–9.0%, with a mid-point of SEK35.30/share based on a WACC of 8.4%.

Our fair value reiterated at SEK26-33

Our SEK26–33 fair value reflects the HMY acquisition and potential for the coming years, including front-end loaded risks as is usual for larger mergers, in creating a European market leader in the retail fittings segment.

In our view, our updated DCF of SEK31–40 more fully reflects the potential in a successful completion and full realisation of the indicated cost and revenue synergies with the lower end of the DCF range supporting our high end of the fair value range, with ITAB's historical LTM valuation multiples (SEK26–28) and peer group relative valuation (SEK30–33) within our fair value range. Note our valuation methodology does not include uncompleted value-creating acquisitions or undisclosed capital allocation.

ITAB fair value range (SEK)



Source: DNB Carnegie



Risks

Any investment in securities involves risks linked to economic activity, financial market performances, taxation, and political involvement, as well as accounting and regulatory changes. In addition, we see the following risks.

Risks related to ITAB's operations, includes exposure to risks related to changes in the retail market, geopolitical circumstances and macroeconomic factors.

Economic downturn. A weakening of the European (or global) economy or a rise in geopolitical tensions could hurt the market environment, change the competitive landscape and make retail clients less willing to invest in upgrading existing and open new stores.

Market risk. ITAB provides products and solutions in numerous markets. Demand correlates with the general economic environment of each country. Uncertainty remains around what the market effect will be related to high cost inflation and weak consumer confidence in general, with the effect potentially being the risk of a weaker retail market and ITAB's customers less willing to invest.

Currency risk. ITAB is exposed to FX risk mainly from a translation perspective.

New customer demands. It is crucial for ITAB to be able to predict and adapt to the changing preferences and behaviour of consumers, and in turn customers, in a timely manner, to be able to retain its current customers and attract new ones.

New types of solutions required by the clients. ITAB's production facilities have had to be transformed from mainly working with fewer large volume orders for the roll-out of completely new stores to having more flexible production with more, but smaller, orders for more project-based store remodelling.

Supply-chain risk. ITAB's production is dependent on raw materials and components, which exposes ITAB to risks related to price variations and supply disruptions for such raw materials and components that are needed for ITAB's operations, which may affect ITAB's production costs.

IT security. ITAB is exposed to risks related to IT systems and cybersecurity. ITAB's business and operations are particularly dependent on the reliability, function and continued development of ITAB's IT systems regarding data communication and enterprise systems that the Group uses for the workflow, from order to delivery.

Customer risk. Historically, ITAB has had low credit losses. Any increase could harm the company's financial position and results. The customer concentration is relatively low, with its largest customer in 2024 representing about 10% of group net sales.

Competitive landscape. ITAB's markets are competitive and fragmented in such a way that it competes directly with other companies that offer shop solutions and concepts as well as with companies that provide such products and services that it also provides and develops. For example, entrance and exit systems, checkouts and lighting, and digital solutions for physical stores, such as digital queuing systems in physical stores.

Acquisitions. Acquisitions expose ITAB to several risks and uncertainties including that expected advantages of an acquisition turn out to be more difficult and costlier to realise with the HMY acquisition in 2025 being the largest completed by ITAB with full realisation of suggested deal synergies not seen until 2027.

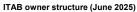
Sustainability. ITAB's customers are increasingly demanding sustainable manufacturing processes, good working conditions and sustainable choices of materials and raw materials.

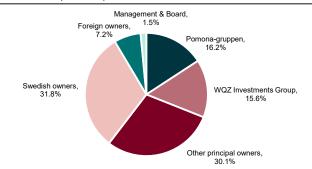
Own reputation. ITAB is dependent on its good reputation to access its customer base.

Legal risks. The Group has implemented a Code of Conduct that regulates zero-tolerance of all forms of bribery and corruption.

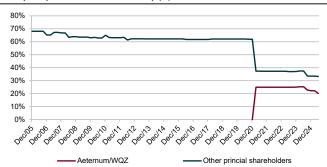
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ITAB principal shareholders ownership (%)



Source: DNB Carnegie (compliation) & Holdings

ITAB Shop Concept owner structure (June 2025)

| 15 largest owners | Shares | Capital % | Chg 2025 |
|----------------------------|-------------|-----------|------------|
| Pomona-gruppen | 40,018,440 | 15.68 | 0 |
| WQZ Investments Group | 38,527,381 | 15.09 | -4,631,719 |
| Petter Fägersten | 26,262,112 | 10.29 | 4,500 |
| Stig-Olof Simonsson | 20,335,800 | 7.97 | 0 |
| Anna Benjamin | 14,864,205 | 5.82 | 0 |
| Aeternum Capital AS | 12,957,510 | 5.08 | 2,600,000 |
| Svolder | 11,499,877 | 4.50 | -1,616,203 |
| Handelsbanken Fonder | 10,391,220 | 4.07 | 278,814 |
| Lannebo Kapitalförvaltning | 5,195,146 | 2.04 | -24,178 |
| Nordea Funds | 3,853,779 | 1.51 | -4,600 |
| Avanza Pension | 3,669,953 | 1.44 | 124,786 |
| Kennert Persson | 2,882,200 | 1.13 | 0 |
| Alcur Fonder | 2,869,365 | 1.12 | 784,448 |
| Fjärde AP-fonden | 2,682,000 | 1.05 | 280,000 |
| Anders Moberg | 2,500,000 | 0.98 | 510,000 |
| Other | 115,242,267 | 45.14 | |
| Total outstanding | 255,275,518 | | |

| Board of Directors | Shares | Capital % | Chg 2025 |
|--------------------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| Anders Moberg [Chairman] | 2,500,000 | 0.98 | 510,000 |
| Lars Kvarnsund | 25,012 | 0.01 | 10,000 |
| Petter Fägersten | 26,262,112 | 10.29 | 0 |
| Amelie De Geer | 34,498 | 0.01 | 0 |
| Madeleine Persson | 20,000 | 0.01 | 0 |
| Fredrik Rapp | 40,018,440 | 15.68 | 0 |
| Peder Strand | 38,527,381 | 15.09 | 0 |
| Kerstin Andersson | 4,444 | 0.00 | 0 |

| Group management | Shares | Capital % | Chg 2025 |
|--|---------|-----------|----------|
| Andréas Elgaard [CEO] | 726,005 | 0.28 | 26,005 |
| Ulrika Bergmo Sköld [CFO] | 177,308 | 0.07 | 73,828 |
| Jan Andersson [SVP Nordic] | 225,000 | 0.09 | 75,000 |
| Andrea Ciotti [SVP South Europe] | 42,000 | 0.02 | 22,000 |
| Roy French [SVP UK & Baltics] | 0 | 0.00 | 0 |
| Nick Hughes [Chief Commercial Officer] | 63,000 | 0.02 | 33,000 |
| Mikael Nadelmann [Chief Operating Officer] | 0 | 0.00 | 0 |
| Frida Karlsson [General Counsel] | 0 | 0.00 | 0 |
| Petra Axelsson [SVP Sustainability & People] | 0 | 0.00 | 0 |
| Klaus Schmid [SVP Central Europe] | 16,800 | 0.01 | 8,800 |



| Interim figures | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|---------|
| ITAB Shop Concept | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DCAR estimates | 2024 | | | | 2025e | | | | | New | New | New | DCAR o | change | |
| SEKm | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2e | Q3e | Q4e | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e | | 2026e | 2027e |
| | | | • | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sales | 1,576 | 1,685 | 1,553 | 1,771 | 2,819 | 3,541 | 3,496 | 3,796 | 6,585 | 13,653 | 14,784 | 15,301 | -2% | -1% | -1% |
| Gross profit | 476 | 498 | 437 | 467 | 710 | 894 | 875 | 963 | 1,878 | 3,443 | 3,816 | 4,011 | | | |
| EBITDA adj | 223 | 212 | 154 | 172 | 293 | 345 | 331 | 396 | 761 | 1,365 | 1,570 | 1,767 | -1% | -1% | -1% |
| Depr & amort | -62 | -62 | -64 | -66 | -112 | -124 | -124 | -128 | -254 | -488 | -500 | -503 | | | |
| EBIT adj | 161 | 150 | 90 | 106 | 181 | 221 | 207 | 268 | 507 | 877 | 1,070 | 1,264 | -4% | -3% | -3% |
| IAC/One-offs | 0 | 0 | -21 | -27 | -55 | -50 | -30 | -15 | -48 | -150 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| EBIT rep | 161 | 150 | 69 | 79 | 126 | 171 | 177 | 253 | 459 | 727 | 1,070 | 1,264 | 0% | -3% | -3% |
| Net financials | -20 | -7 | 4 | 2 | -53 | -44 | -41 | -40 | -21 | -178 | -137 | -114 | | | |
| PTP | 141 | 143 | 73 | 81 | 73 | 127 | 136 | 213 | 438 | 550 | 932 | 1,150 | 0% | -4% | -3% |
| Tax / Minority | -41 | -48 | -30 | -8 | -36 | -36 | -42 | -58 | -127 | -171 | -249 | -310 | | | |
| Net profit | 100 | 95 | 43 | 73 | 37 | 91 | 94 | 156 | 311 | 378 | 684 | 840 | -1% | -2% | -1% |
| EPS (SEK) | 0.46 | 0.44 | 0.18 | 0.29 | 0.14 | 0.36 | 0.37 | 0.61 | 1.34 | 1.48 | 2.68 | 3.29 | -1% | -3% | -2% |
| DPS (SEK) | | | | | | | | | 0.00 | 0.45 | 0.80 | 1.00 | -1% | 1% | 0% |
| Sales growth (YOY) | 5% | 12% | 2% | 11% | 79% | 110% | 125% | 114% | 7% | 107% | 8% | 3% | -3 6 pp | 0.8 pp | 0.0 pp |
| Organic (YOY) | 5% | 12% | 4% | 10% | 8% | 9% | 9% | 9% | 8% | 9% | 3% | | | -0.3 pp | |
| Acquired (YOY) | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 71% | 106% | 120% | 109% | 0% | 101% | 6% | 0% | | | 0.0 pp |
| Gross margin | 30.2% | 29.6% | 28.1% | 26.4% | 25.2% | 25.3% | 25.0% | 25.4% | 28.5% | 25.2% | | | | | -0.2 pp |
| Adj EBITDA margin | 14.1% | 12.6% | 9.9% | 9.7% | 10.4% | 9.7% | 9.5% | 10.4% | 11.6% | 10.0% | | | | | 0.0 pp |
| Adj EBIT margin | 10.2% | 8.9% | 5.8% | 6.0% | 6.4% | 6.2% | 5.9% | 7.1% | 7.7% | 6.4% | 7.2% | | | | -0.1 pp |
| 0 | 0004 | | | | 0005 | | | | | | | | D04D | | |
| Geographic split Sales | 2024 Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | 2025e Q1 | Q2e | Q3e | Q4e | 2024 | 20250 | 2026e | 20270 | DCAR o | _ | 2027e |
| Northern Europe | 496 | 469 | 335 | 447 | 420 | 528 | 521 | 566 | 1.747 | 2,034 | | | 20256 | 20206 | 20276 |
| Central Europe | 292 | 332 | 316 | 371 | 435 | 546 | 540 | 586 | 1,311 | 2,004 | | , | | | |
| UK & Ireland | 183 | 160 | 192 | 181 | 221 | 278 | 274 | 298 | 716 | 1,070 | 1,159 | , | | | |
| Southern Europe | 314 | 367 | 372 | 427 | 1,221 | 1,534 | 1,514 | 1,644 | 1,480 | 5,914 | 6,403 | - | | | |
| Eastern Europe | 124 | 167 | 187 | 189 | 261 | 328 | 324 | 351 | 667 | 1,264 | 1,369 | , | | | |
| RoW | 167 | 190 | 151 | 156 | 261 | 328 | 324 | 351 | 664 | 1,264 | | , | | | |
| Total | 1,576 | 1,685 | 1,553 | 1,771 | 2,819 | 3,541 | 3,496 | 3,796 | | - | 14,784 | - | -2% | -1% | -1% |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Customer split | | 007 | 0.10 | | 4.500 | 1 00 1 | 1 000 | | | 7.005 | 7.007 | 0.440 | | | |
| Grocery | 888 | 887 | 913 | 995 | 1,500 | 1,884 | 1,860 | 2,020 | 3,683 | 7,265 | 7,867 | 8,142 | | | |
| Home improvement | 210 | 193 | 143 | 264 | 280 | 352 | 347 | 377 | 810 | 1,356 | | , | | | |
| Fashion | 143 | 195 | 172 | 134 | 284 | 357 | 352 | 382 | 644 | 1,375 | , | , | | | |
| Other | 335 | 410 | 325 | 378 | 755 | 948 | 936 | 1,017 | 1,448 | 3,657 | - | - | | | |
| Total | 1,576 | 1,685 | 1,553 | 1,771 | 2,819 | 3,541 | 3,496 | 3,796 | 6,585 | 13,653 | 14,784 | 15,301 | -2% | -1% | -1% |
| Financial KPIs | | | | | | | | | | | | | . <u></u> | | |
| FCF | 9 | -8 | 91 | 228 | -106 | 34 | 146 | 277 | 320 | 351 | 635 | 808 | 7% | 0% | 2% |
| FCF (LTM) | 630 | 479 | 381 | 320 | 205 | 247 | 302 | 351 | 320 | 351 | 635 | 808 | | | |
| Net debt (lease adj) | 96 | 199 | -392 | -969 | 2,618 | 2,584 | 2,438 | 2,161 | -969 | 2,161 | 1,639 | 1,034 | -1% | -2% | -3% |
| NID/EBITDA (adj) | 0.15 | 0.29 | -0.60 | -1.56 | 3.86 | 3.26 | 2.56 | 1.87 | -1.56 | 1.87 | 1.21 | 0.66 | | | |

NID/EBITDA (adj) 0.15 0.29 -0.60 Source: DNB Carnegie (estimates) & company data



| Profit & loss (SEKm) | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e |
|--|-----------------|------------|------------|-------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|------------|
| Sales | 6,031 | 6,064 | 5,323 | 6,087 | 6,868 | 6,139 | 6,585 | 13,653 | 14,784 | 15,301 |
| COGS | -4,423 | -4,441 | -3,906 | -4,727 | -5,286 | -4,420 | -4,707 | -10,210 | -10,968 | -11,290 |
| Gross profit | 1,608 | 1,623 | 1,417 | 1,360 | 1,582 | 1,719 | 1,878 | 3,443 | 3,816 | 4,011 |
| Other income & costs | -1,236 | -1,110 | -1,047 | -882 | -918 | -1,033 | -1,165 | -2,228 | -2,247 | -2,244 |
| Share in ass. operations and JV | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EBITDA | 372 | 513 | 370 | 478 | 664 | 686 | 713 | 1,215 | 1,570 | 1,767 |
| Depreciation PPE | -142 | -142 | -130 | -115 | -108 | -118 | -121 | -355 | -367 | -370 |
| Depreciation lease assets | 0 | -114 | -128 | -147 | -153 | -136 | -133 | -133 | -133 | -133 |
| Amortisation development costs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Amortisation other intangibles | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 |
| Impairments / writedowns EBITA | 230 | 257 | 112 | 21 6 | 403 | 432 | 459 | 727 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| Amortization acquisition related | 230 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 403 0 | 0 | 459 0 | 0 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| Impairment acquisition related | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EBIT | 230 | 257 | 112 | 216 | 403 | 432 | 459 | 727 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| Share in ass. operations and JV | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net financial items | -73 | -83 | -112 | -69 | -55 | -47 | -21 | -178 | -137 | -114 |
| of which interest income/expenses | -73 | -83 | -112 | -69 | -55 | -47 | -21 | -178 | -137 | -114 |
| of which interest on lease liabilities | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| of which other items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pre-tax profit | 157 | 174 | 0 | 147 | 348 | 385 | 438 | 550 | 932 | 1,150 |
| Taxes | -60 | -54 | -22 | -52 | -105 | -93 | -118 | -161 | -238 | -297 |
| Post-tax minorities interest | -7 | 0 | 1 | -8 | -20 | -12 | -10 | -11 | -11 | -13 |
| Discontinued operations | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | -53 | -7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net profit | 90 | 120 | -21 | 95 | 170 | 273 | 311 | 378 | 684 | 840 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | 380 | 497 | 578 | 644 | 704 | 686 | 761 | 1,365 | 1,570 | 1,767 |
| Adjusted EBITA | 238 | 241 | 320 | 382 | 443 | 432 | 507 | 877 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| Adjusted EBIT | 238 | 241 | 320 | 382 | 443 | 432 | 507 | 877 | 1,070 | 1,264 |
| Adjusted net profit | 95 | 109 | 187 | 202 | 198 | 273 | 346 | 484 | 684 | 840 |
| Sales growth Y/Y | -5.5% | 0.5% | -12.2% | 14.4% | 12.8% | -10.6% | 7.3% | 107.3% | 8.3% | 3.5% |
| EBITDA growth Y/Y | -41.8% | 37.9% | -12.2 % | 29.2% | 38.9% | 3.3% | 3.9% | 70.5% | 29.1% | 12.6% |
| EBITA growth Y/Y | -54.0% | 11.7% | -56.4% | 92.9% | 86.6% | 7.2% | 6.3% | 58.5% | 47.1% | 18.2% |
| EBIT growth Y/Y | -54.0% | 11.7% | -56.4% | 92.9% | 86.6% | 7.2% | 6.3% | 58.5% | 47.1% | 18.2% |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| EBITDA margin | 6.2% | 8.5% | 7.0% | 7.9% | 9.7% | 11.2% | 10.8% | 8.9% | 10.6% | 11.5% |
| EBITA margin | 3.8% | 4.2% | 2.1% | 3.5% | 5.9% | 7.0% | 7.0% | 5.3% | 7.2% | 8.3% |
| EBIT margin | 3.8% | 4.2% | 2.1% | 3.5% | 5.9% | 7.0% | 7.0% | 5.3% | 7.2% 25.5% | 8.3% |
| Tax rate | 38.2% | 31.0% | na | 35.4% | 30.2% | 24.2% | 26.9% | 29.2% | | 25.8% |
| Cash flow (SEKm) | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027e |
| EBITDA | 372 | 513 | 370 | 478 | 664 | 686 | 713 | 1,215 | 1,570 | 1,767 |
| Paid taxes | -60 | -54 | -22 | -52 | -105 | -149 | -89 | -161 | -238 | -297 |
| Change in NWC | 337 | 193 | 394 | -589 | 15 | 287 | -29 | -177 | -113 | -78 |
| Interests paid | -73 | -83 | -112 | -69 | -55 | -47 | -21 | -178 | -137 | -114 |
| Actual lease payments | 0 | -125 | -122 | -134 | -140 | -131 | -128 | -128 | -128 | -128 |
| Non cash adjustments | 103 | -26 | 181 | 59 | 76 | 40 | 158 | 209 | -52 | 61 |
| Discontinued operations | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | -53 | -7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 4 000 |
| Total operating activities | 500 | 239 | 689 | -299 | 402 | 679 | 496 | 605 | 901 | 1,099 |
| Capex tangible assets | -100 | -134 | -45 | -63 | -84 | -116 | -176 | -255 | -266 | -291 |
| Capitalised development costs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Capex - other intangible assets | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Acquisitions/divestments | -142 | 168 | 0 | -40 | -66 | 9 | 32 | -1,464 | 0 | 0 |
| Other non-cash adjustments | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 740 | 0 | 0 |
| Total investing activities | -242 | 34 | -45 | -103 | -150 | -107 | -144 | -1,719 | -266 | -291 |
| Dividend paid and received | -179 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -109 | -176 | 0 | -113 | -203 |
| Share issues & buybacks | 0 | 0 | 0 | 733 | 0 | -5 | 786 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Change in bank debt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other cash flow items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total financing activities | -179 | 0 | 0 | 733 | 0 | -114 | 610 | 0 | -113 | -203 |
| Operating cash flow | 500 | 239 | 689 | -299 | 402 | 679 | 496 | 605 | 901 | 1,099 |
| Free cash flow | 400 | 105 | 644 | -362 | 318 | 563 | 320 | 351 | 635 | 808 |
| 1 100 odoli liow | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net cash flow | 79 | 273 | 644 | 331 | 252 | 458 | 962 | -1,113 | 522 | 606 |
| | 79 79 | 273 284 | 644 638 | 331 318 | 252 239 | 458 453 | 962 957 | -1,113 -1,118 | 522 517 | 601 |
| Net cash flow | | | | | | | | | | |



| Balance sheet (SEKm) | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Acquired intangible assets | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ther fixed intangible assets | 1,807 | 1,837 | 1,743 | 1,756 | 1,897 | 1,919 | 2,064 | 5,134 | 5,134 | 5,13 |
| apitalised development | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0,104 | 0 | 0,10 |
| angible assets | 1,048 | 988 | 837 | 904 | 985 | 915 | 917 | 2,081 | 2,027 | 1,99 |
| ease assets | 0 | 748 | 649 | 608 | 664 | 530 | 566 | 0 | 0 | .,00 |
| ther IB assets (1) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ther non-IB assets | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ixed assets | 2,855 | 3,573 | 3,229 | 3,268 | 3,546 | 3,364 | 3,547 | 7,215 | 7,161 | 7,12 |
| nventories (2) | 1,019 | 926 | 698 | 1,176 | 1,030 | 793 | 799 | 1,461 | 1,461 | 1,46 |
| eceivables (2) | 1,219 | 1,095 | 900 | 1,372 | 1,244 | 1,033 | 1,222 | 3,020 | 3,133 | 3,21 |
| repaid exp. & other NWC items (2) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 3 current assets (1) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ther current assets | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ash & cash equivalents (1) | 271 | 302 | 692 | 208 | 756 | 578 | 1,513 | 1,184 | 1,706 | 2,31 |
| urrent assets | 2,509 | 2,323 | 2,290 | 2,756 | 3,030 | 2,404 | 3,534 | 5,664 | 6,299 | 6,98 |
| otal assets | 5,364 | 5,896 | 5,519 | 6,024 | 6,576 | 5,768 | 7,081 | 12,879 | 13,460 | 14,11 |
| hareholders' equity | 1,698 | 1,748 | 1,607 | 2,654 | 3,012 | 3,049 | 4,128 | 4,410 | 4,980 | 5,61 |
| linorities | 128 | 128 | 118 | 128 | 157 | 159 | 134 | 160 | 171 | 18 |
| ther equity | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10- |
| otal equity | 1,826 | 1,876 | 1,725 | 2,782 | 3,169 | 3,208 | 4,262 | 4,570 | 5,151 | 5,80 |
| eferred tax | 0 | 0,070 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4,370 | 0,131 | 3,00 |
| B debt (1) | 2,375 | 2,057 | 1,784 | 817 | 1,155 | 623 | 544 | 3,345 | 3,345 | 3,34 |
| ther IB provisions (1) | 2,373 | 2,037 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 023 | 0 | 0,545 | 0,040 | 0,04 |
| ease libilities | 0 | 754 | 656 | 630 | 681 | 546 | 585 | 726 | 726 | 72 |
| ther non-IB liabilities | 0 | 7.54 | 0 | 0 | 001 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Γ liabilities | 2,375 | 2,811 | 2,440 | 1,447 | 1,836 | 1,169 | 1,129 | 4,071 | 4,071 | 4,07 |
| T IB debt (1) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ., |
| ayables (2) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ccrued exp. & other NWC items (2) | 1,163 | 1,209 | 1,354 | 1,795 | 1,571 | 1,391 | 1,690 | 4,238 | 4,238 | 4,23 |
| ther ST non-IB liabilities | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .,_0 |
| abilities - assets held for sale | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| urrent liabilities | 1,163 | 1,209 | 1,354 | 1,795 | 1,571 | 1,391 | 1,690 | 4,238 | 4,238 | 4,23 |
| otal equity and liabilities | 5,364 | 5,896 | 5,519 | 6,024 | 6,576 | 5,768 | 7,081 | 12,879 | 13,460 | 14,11 |
| | • | • | - | | • | | • | | | |
| et IB debt (=1) | 2,104 | 2,509 | 1,748 | 1,239 | 1,080 | 591 | -384 | 2,887 | 2,365 | 1,76 |
| et working capital (NWC) (=2) | 1,075 | 812 | 244 | 753 | 703 5,005 | 435 | 331 | 243 | 356 | 43 |
| capital employed (CE) | 4,201 | 4,687 | 4,165 | 4,229 | | 4,377 | 5,391 | 8,641 | 9,222 | 9,87 |
| apital invested (CI) | 3,930 | 4,385 | 3,473 | 4,021 | 4,249 | 3,799 | 3,878 | 7,457 | 7,516 | 7,56 |
| quity / Total assets | 34% | 32% | 31% | 46% | 48% | 56% | 60% | 35% | 38% | 419 |
| let IB debt / EBITDA | 5.7 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.9 | -0.5 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| er share data (SEK) | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027 |
| dj. no. of shares in issue YE (m) | 158.9 | 158.9 | 158.9 | 218.1 | 218.1 | 218.0 | 230.8 | 253.2 | 253.2 | 253.2 |
| iluted no. of Shares YE (m) | 162.0 | 162.0 | 162.0 | 218.1 | 219.6 | 219.4 | 232.0 | 255.3 | 255.3 | 255. |
| PS | 0.55 | 0.74 | -0.13 | 0.50 | 0.78 | 1.24 | 1.38 | 1.55 | 2.68 | 3.29 |
| PS adj. | 0.58 | 0.67 | 1.15 | 1.06 | 0.90 | 1.24 | 1.53 | 1.99 | 2.68 | 3.29 |
| EPS | 1.43 | 1.55 | 0.71 | 1.17 | 1.33 | 1.80 | 1.94 | 3.03 | 4.14 | 4.7 |
| PS . | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.50 | 0.75 | 0.00 | 0.45 | 0.80 | 1.0 |
| VPS | 10.7 | 11.0 | 10.1 | 12.2 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 17.9 | 17.4 | 19.7 | 22. |
| erformance measures | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| OE dj. ROCE pre-tax | 5.4% 5.7% | 7.0% 5.4% | -1.3% 7.2% | 4.5% 9.1% | 6.0% 9.6% | 9.0% 9.2% | 8.7% 10.4% | 8.9% 12.5% | 14.6% 12.0% | 15.9% 13.2% |
| dj. ROIC after-tax | 3.7% | 4.0% | 8.1% | 6.6% | 7.5% | 8.1% | 9.6% | 11.0% | 10.6% | 12.49 |
| <u> </u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| aluation | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025e | 2026e | 2027 |
| CF yield | 6.7% | 1.7% | 10.7% | -6.0% | 5.3% | 9.4% | 5.3% | 5.8% | 10.6% | 13.49 |
| ividend yield YE | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 4.5% | 6.2% | 0.0% | 1.9% | 3.5% | 4.39 |
| ividend payout ratio | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 64.4% | 60.3% | 0.0% | 28.9% | 29.9% | 30.29 |
| ividend + buy backs yield YE | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 4.5% | 6.6% | 0.0% | 1.9% | 3.4% | 4.39 |
| V/Sales YE | 0.63 | 0.72 | 0.71 | 0.71 | 0.53 | 0.55 | 0.70 | 0.65 | 0.57 | 0.5 |
| V/EBITDA YE | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 10.2 | 8.6 | 10.2 | 9.0 | 5.5 | 4.9 | 6.4 | 7.3 | 5.3 | 4. |
| V/EBITA YE | 16.5 | 17.1 | 33.7 | 19.9 | 9.0 | 7.8 | 10.0 | 12.2 | 7.8 | 6. |
| V/EBITA adj. YE | 16.0 | 18.2 | 11.8 | 11.2 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 9.1 | 10.1 | 7.8 | 6. |
| V/EBIT YE | 16.5 | 17.1 | 33.7 | 19.9 | 9.0 | 7.8 | 10.0 | 12.2 | 7.8 | 6. |
| /E YE | 17.4 | 14.6 | | | | 9.7 | 15.2 | 14.9 | 8.6 | 7. |
| | | | nm 10.2 | 26.8 12.6 | 14.2 | | | | | |
| /E adj. YE | 16.5 | 16.1 | 10.2 | 12.6 | 12.2 | 9.7 | 13.6 | 11.6 | 8.6 | 7. |
| /BV YE | 0.90 | 0.99 | 1.16 | 1.10 | 0.80 | 0.86 | 1.17 | 1.32 | 1.17 | 1.0 |
| hare price YE (SEK) | 9.66 | 10.8 | 11.8 | 13.4 | 11.0 | 12.1 | 20.9 | 23.1 | | |



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