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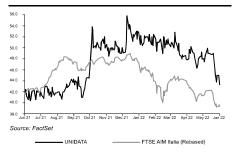
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Buy			
Recommendation unchan	ged		
Share price: EUR		43.30	
closing price as of 22/06/2022	?		
Target price: EUR		65.00	
Target Price unchanged			
Upside/Downside Potential			50.1%
Reuters/Bloomberg		UD.MI/UD IM	
Market capitalisation (EURm)			106
Current N° of shares (m)			2
Free float			24%
Daily avg. no. trad. sh. 12 mth	ı (k)		
Daily avg. trad. vol. 12 mth (k))		9.97
Price high/low 12 months		55.8	0 / 40.40
Abs Perfs 1/3/12 mths (%)		-9.79/-13.75/4.09	
Key financials (EUR)	12/21	12/22e	12/23
Sales (m)	37	45	57
EBITDA (m)	14	16	19
EBITDA margin	38.0%	35.4%	33.6%
EBIT (m)	9	10	10
EBIT margin	24.6%	22.4%	21.8%
Net Profit (adj.)(m)	8	7	
ROCE	19.5%	15.5%	16.5%
Net debt/(cash) (m)	2	(0)	(0
Net Debt/Equity	0.1	0.0	0.0
Debt/EBITDA	0.2	0.0	0.0
Int. cover(EBITDA/Fin. int)	high	55.8	higl
EV/Sales	3.8	2.4	1.9
EV/EBITDA	9.9	6.8	5.6
EV/EBITDA (adj.)	9.9	6.8	5.6
EV/EBIT	15.3	10.7	8.6
P/E (adj.)	16.7	15.3	11.9
P/BV	4.7 -2.1%	3.0 2.6%	0.9%
OpFCF yield	-2.1% 0.2%	0.2%	0.9%
Dividend yield EPS (adj.)	3.33	2.83	3.64
BVPS	11.90	14.63	18.18
DPS	0.10	0.10	0.10
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Uninvest 69%; Others 7%;



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Agreement to build a "green" Datacenter: good news

The facts: The company announced yesterday the signing of a JV with "Fondo Infrastrutture per la crescita – ESG" created and managed by Azimut (institutional fund) for the construction of a Tier IV data center in Rome with strong "green" credentials i.e. mostly powered by renewable energy. The data center power is of 16MW and the size is of 20k sqm. The prospective JV "UnicenterSpA" will be 25% owned by Unidata and 75% owned by the institutional fund. The initial financial commitments are of EUR 5.7m from Unidata and EUR 51.3m from the institutional fund which will be funded through a combination of equity or equity participation or equity-like instruments or leverage. The deal foresees the possibility to double the project size. Finally, Unidata will have the operating management of the infrastructure and to this purpose, once the closing will be signed, the two parties will sign a service agreement through which Unidata management services will be regulated at market conditions. The management fee will be on top of the 25% stake on prospective profits.

Our analysis: The announcement is a major step forward to build diversification blocks on top of the existing business plan. Profitability in data centers and cloud is very interesting and might be, we estimate, at around 40%.

Conclusion & Action: The deal is a very good news. When feasible we will do some number crunching and add the upside in due course. Rating and PT confirmed.



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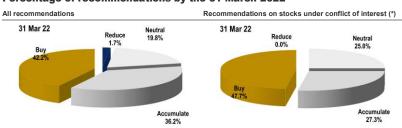
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