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Maha Energy

Production grew in January

Slight increase in production from December

Despite decreased production at Papa Terra, Maha's largest asset, due to the scheduled shut-down, total production increased slightly from December's 2,375 boepd and Q4's 2,217 boepd to 2,415 boepd for January. As a comparison, the average was around 2,500 boepd in H2 2022 – the period just before Maha divested Maha Brazil and consolidated Papa Terra and Peroa. The interventions at Papa Terra are expected to limit the production capacity until mid-April.

EGM called in a bid to get on 3R's board

Maha has also called for an extraordinary shareholders' meeting in 3R (in which Maha owns 5% of the shares) to reduce the number of directors from seven to five and to elect Paulo Thiago Mendonca and Fabio Vessel, respective chair and board member at Maha, to 3R's board of directors.

EGM important step in the reshaping of 3R

The EGM is an important step in Maha's proposal to carve out 3R's onshore oil assets, which it would then combine with PetroRecôncavo, a separately listed company. Together with 3R's board, Maha intends to present a business combination proposal to PetroRecôncavo no later than 28 February. It then aims to finalise and execute definite agreements during Q2, with the intention of closing the transaction during Q3. The EGM and the completed proposal to PetroRecôncavo should prove catalysts for the Maha share price.

Change in estimates					
	23e	24e	25e		
Total revenues	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
EBITDA, adj.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
EPS, adj.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		

Upcoming events	
Q4 - report	26 February 2024
Q1 - report	28 May 2024

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Company facts (L	JSDm)
Number of shares	178m
Market capitalization	132
Net debt	-105
EV	26
Free float	72%
Daily trading volume, a	average 264k
Bloomberg Ticker	MAHAA SS EQUITY

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Forecasts (USDm)				
	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Total revenues	12	6	4	4
Revenue growth	-82%	-54%	-36%	0%
EBITDA, adj.	0	-1	20	23
EBIT, adj.	-3	-6	18	21
EPS, adj.	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
EPS growth, adj.	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	13%
BV/share	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.1
EBIT margin	Neg.	Neg.	>100%	>100%
ROE, adj.	Neg.	Neg.	9.6%	9.8%
ROCE, adj.	Neg.	Neg.	9.4%	9.6%
EV/Sales	11.7x	4.7x	7.3x	7.3x
EV/EBITDA	Neg.	-19.3x	1.3x	1.1x
EV/EBIT	Neg.	-4.6x	1.4x	1.2x
P/E, adj.	-7.1x	-15.7x	8.1x	7.1x
FCF yield	-9%	-11%	-7%	-7%
Net debt / EBITDA	-63.6x	40.1x	-2.2x	-1.6x

Value and risk	
Fair value	SEK 16.0 - 17.0
Share price	SEK 7.7
Risk level	High



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Transactions 12m		✓

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