

# **Vivid Games SA**

# Analytical report

New CEO, new strategy - new Vivid Games?

For the first three quarters of 2022, Vivid Games generated revenues close to our forecasts. In the third quarter alone, sales were positively influenced by a one-off event (sale of BidLogic technology). The sales results allowed us to look with optimism at the chance to implement the strategy announced by the Company in November 2021. However, in the fourth quarter, along with the decrease in the USD exchange rate, changes in visibility in the App Store and lower consumer spending, the Company's revenues began to decrease significantly.

Revenue declines (excluding one-off events) were greater than expenditures on user acquisition (30.2% vs. 25.4%), which **resulted in the loss of profitability at all operating levels in Q4.** Finally, Vivid Games ended the year with results much better than in 2021 (revenue increased by 49% y/y, and net profit amounted to PLN 0.69 million compared to a net loss a year earlier), nevertheless, expectations after good 3 quarters of 2022 were much higher.

We also negatively view the preliminary estimates of revenue and net loss in Q1 2023 and the Company's cash position. At the end of March, Vivid Games had only 70k PLN in cash. Thus, the funds received from the sale of the BidLogic technology were spent on the Company's current operations, unfortunately without a clearly positive effect.

Finally, we lower our valuation to PLN 1.05 (from PLN 1.09) per 1 share at the end of 2023, still seeing the potential for an increase in the price relative to current quotations.

| PLN thd       | 2022   | 2023E  | 2024E  | 2025E  | 2026E  | 2027E  |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Sales         | 38 295 | 25 975 | 32 041 | 38 267 | 44 062 | 50 156 |
| EBITDA        | 4 985  | 5 599  | 2 620  | 4 347  | 4 607  | 6 806  |
| EBITDA margin | 13,0%  | 21,6%  | 8,2%   | 11,4%  | 10,5%  | 13,6%  |
| EBIT          | 1 113  | 2 467  | -512   | 1 215  | 1 475  | 3 674  |
| Net income    | 690    | 1 998  | -264   | 1 134  | 1 345  | 3 126  |
| Equity        | 7 314  | 9 312  | 9 048  | 10 182 | 11 527 | 14 653 |
| Debt          | 2 730  | 224    | 224    | 224    | 224    | 228    |
| P/E           | 38,23  | 13,21  | -99,92 | 23,27  | 19,63  | 8,44   |
| P/BV          | 3,61   | 2,83   | 2,92   | 2,59   | 2,29   | 1,80   |
| EV/EBITDA     | 4,75   | 4,67   | 9,99   | 6,02   | 5,68   | 3,85   |
| EPS           | 0,02   | 0,06   | -0,01  | 0,04   | 0,04   | 0,10   |

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| Key data                    |              |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Target price [PLN]          | 1,05         |
| DCF Valuation [PLN]         | 1,20         |
| Comparative Valuation [PLN] | 0,78         |
| Market price [PLN]          | 0,82         |
| Growth/decrease potential [ | %] 28,8%     |
| Market cap [mln PLN]        | 26,4         |
| Free float [%]              | 50,0%        |
| Industry                    | mobile games |
| WSE code                    | VVD          |
| Bloomberg code              | VVD PW       |

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#### Company profile

A modern gaming studio that designs, produces and publishes games for portable and stationary consoles, PC and Mac computers, and smartphones - which are the most dynamically developing sector of the market.

Source: www.gpw.pl

| Shareholders:         | [%]   |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Wojczakowski Jarosław | 22,5% |
| Kościelny Remigiusz   | 16,3% |
| Sominka Paweł         | 7,8%  |
| Aleksandra Kościelna  | 6,2%  |

| Growth factors            | Risk factors      |  |
|---------------------------|-------------------|--|
| KF 2 revenue revival      | low profitability |  |
| data analytics investment | high costs of UA  |  |
| decrease of debt          | economic downturn |  |
|                           | USD depreciation  |  |



Source: DM Banku BPS SA calculations

### **Basic definitions**

**CAPEX** (capital expenditures) - investment expenditures on product development, system implementation (including intangible assets) or tangibles assets in the part in which the capital is intended to maintain the company's current ability to generate income.

**DCF** (discounted cash flows) - discounted cash flows; all future cash flows are estimated and discounted in order to determine their present value. The value of the discount rate used corresponds to the cost of capital and includes an assessment of the risk related to future cash flows.

**DFCFF** - Discounted FCFF (Free Cash Flows to Firm).

EBIT (earnings before interest and taxes) - operating income i.e. the income before deduction of taxes and interest.

**EBITDA** (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) - the company's operating profit before deducting interest on interest-bearing liabilities (loans, bonds), taxes, amortization and depreciation of tangible and intangible assets; here EBITDA = operating income + amortization of tangible fixed assets + depreciation of intangible assets.

EV (Enterprise Value) - total enterprise value; here EV = current stock market capitalization + net debt.

EV / EBITDA - the ratio is calculated by dividing the present value of the enterprise (EV) by the value of EBITDA.

FCFF (Free Cash Flow to Firm) - free cash flows for owners of equity capital and creditors, which can be defined as flows resulting from the company's operating and investment activities, after all financial expectations of capital donors, i.e. all parties financing the company, have been settled.

WSE - Warsaw Stock Exchange.

**NOPLAT** - net operating result less adjusted taxes; here NOPLAT = EBIT \* (1 - tax rate).

P / BV (price / book value) - the ratio is calculated by dividing the current capitalization of a listed company by the book value of its equity, which is provided in the company's balance sheet.

P/E (price earnings ratio) - stock exchange ratio. It is calculated by dividing the market price of one share by the net profit per share.

PV TV - Present Value, ie the residual value (TV) discounted at the present moment.

CR - current report.

SB - Supervisory Board.

TV (Terminal Value) - residual value; enterprise value after the forecast period; here estimated with the help of the Gordon model.

**WACC** - weighted average cost of capital; financial indicator informing about the average relative cost of capital engaged in financing the enterprise. zaangażowanego w finansowanie przedsiębiorstwa.

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| VIVID GAMES        | nd             | 1,25         | 1,17         | Analysis of results    | 13.05.2022    | Łukasz Bryl,Tomasz Czarnecki |
| PROTEKTOR          | nd             | 3,6          | 2,8          | Analytical report      | 13.05.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
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| MONNARI TRADE      | nd             | 5,5          | 3,5          | Analytical report      | 18.05.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| VIVID GAMES        | nd             | 1,29         | 1,26         | Analysis of results    | 26.05.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| MONNARI TRADE      | nd             | 6,21         | 3,87         | Analysis of results    | 31.05.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| NTT SYSTEM         | nd             | 7,92         | 4,28         | Analysis of results    | 31.05.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| UNIBEP             | nd             | 11           | 8,1          | Analysis of results    | 31.05.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| PROTEKTOR          | nd             | 3,6          | 2,83         | Analysis of results    | 01.06.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| JSW                | BUY            | 74           | 38,7         | Analytical report      | 12.09.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| UNIBEP             | nd             | 10           | 7,2          | Analytical report      | 20.09.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| VIVID GAMES        | nd             | 1,07         | 1,03         | Analytical report      | 29.09.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| SNIEZKA            | HOLD           | 67           | 64,2         | Analytical report      | 29.09.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| NTT SYSTEM         | nd             | 7,03         | 3,95         | Analytical report      | 04.10.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| PROCHEM            | nd             | 30           | 34,8         | Analytical report      | 05.10.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| PROTEKTOR          | nd             | 2,9          | 2,6          | Analytical report      | 12.10.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| MONNARI TRADE      | nd             | 6,74         | 3,87         | Analytical report      | 21.10.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| PROCHEM            | nd             | 30           | 35           | Analysis of results    | 15.11.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| UNIBEP             | nd             | 10           | 8,84         | Analysis of results    | 18.11.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| VIVID GAMES        | nd             | 1,09         | 1,05         | Analysis of results    | 29.11.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| MONNARI TRADE      | nd             | 7,20         | 4,85         | Analysis of results    | 01.12.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| NTT SYSTEM         | nd             | 7,50         | 4,12         | Analysis of results    | 02.12.2022    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| PROTEKTOR          | nd             | 2,90         | 2,19         | Analysis of results    | 06.12.2022    | Artur Wizner                 |
| MONNARI TRADE      | BUY            | 8,63         | 4,82         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| PROTEKTOR          | HOLD           | 2,70         | 2,36         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| ESOTIQ & HENDERSON | BUY            | 47,23        | 29,2         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| COCCODRILLO        | BUY            | 26,77        | 17,75        | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| WITTCHEN           | BUY            | 40,83        | 27           | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| VRG                | BUY            | 5,07         | 3,3          | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| WOJAS              | BUY            | 11,75        | 7,96         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| LPP                | HOLD           | 9328,17      | 9430         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| CCC                | SELL           | 27,57        | 35,43        | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| SILVANO GROUP      | BUY            | 14,14        | 5,45         | Analytical report      | 13.03.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| SNIEZKA            | BUY            | 83,00        | 71,6         | Analytical report      | 17.03.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| JSW                | BUY            | 71,00        | 45,78        | Analytical report      | 05.04.2023    | Artur Wizner                 |
| NTT SYSTEM         | nd             | 7,90         | 5            | Analytical report      | 12.04.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |
| VIVID GAMES        | nd             | 1,05         | 0,82         | Analytical report      | 05.05.2023    | Łukasz Bryl                  |