

# **Aapico Hitech**

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# กำไรหลักไตรมาส 4/65 ดีกว่าคาดมาก

# กำไรหลักดีกว่าเราคาด 89%

AH รายงานกำไรสุทธิไตรมาส 4/65 ที่ 411 ล้านบาท เติบโต 248% YoY แต่ ลดลง 32% QoQ หากไม่รวมขาดทุนจากอัตราแลกเปลี่ยน 237 ล้านบาทและ การได้รับชำระคืนค่าธรรมเนียมทางกฎหมายหลังจากชนะคดี 57 ล้านบาทหลัง ชนะคดี กำไรหลักจะอยู่ที่ 591 ล้านบาท เติบโต 296% YoY และ 39% QoQ ซึ่ง ดีกว่าที่เราคาด 89% (และดีกว่าตลาดคาด 63%) จากรายได้และอัตรากำไร ขั้นต้นที่สูงกว่าคาด ทั้งนี้ AH จะจ่ายเงินปันผลต่อหุ้นที่ 0.96 บาทสำหรับผล การดำเนินงานในปี 2565 คิดเป็นอัตราผลตอบแทนจากเงินปันผลที่ 5.3% (จะ ขึ้นเครื่องหมาย XD ในวันที่ 14 มี.ค.)

# ประเด็นสำคัญจากผลประกอบการ

กำไรหลักที่เติบโตอย่างแข็งแกร่งหนุนมาจากรายได้ในไตรมาส 4/65 ที่ 7,792 ล้านบาท เติบโต 35% YoY และ 7% QoQ (สูงกว่าเราคาด 6%) ยอดขายธุรกิจ OEM เติบโต 39% YoY และ 5% QoQ - ผลบวกจากคำสั่งซื้อ ที่มากขึ้นจากกลุ่มลูกค้าเดิม โมเดลใหม่ๆ และสินค้าใหม่ๆ ดังนั้นการเติบโต รายได้ OEM ของ AH จึงสูงกว่าการขยายตัวของอุตสาหกรรมยานยนต์ไทยที่ เติบโต 10% YoY และ 5% QoQ รายได้โชว์รูมรถยนต์ปรับตัวขึ้น 26% YoY และ 12% QoQ หนุนจากการเปิดโชว์รูมใหม่ๆ รถ Ford รุ่นใหม่ และการ ยกเว้นภาษีการขายและบริการ (SST) ของประเทศมาเลเซีย

อัตรากำไรขั้นตันอยู๋ที่ 13.0% ขึ้นจาก 10.0% ในไตรมาส 4/64 และ 11.1% ใน ไตรมาส 3/65 หนุนจากการผลิตที่มากขึ้นและการปรับเงื่อนไขต้นทุนกับลูกค้า ในประเทศโปรตุเกส

# ແບວໂບ້ນ

กำไรหลักไตรมาส 1/66 คาดอยู่ที่ 595 ล้านบาท เติบโต 47% YoY (ทรงตัว QoQ) แม้ไตรมาส 4/65 ที่ผ่านมาจะทำกำไรได้สูงกว่าปกติ เรายังคาดว่า ไตรมาส 1/66 อย่างน้อยน่าจะใกล้เคียงกัน โดยปกติไตรมาสแรกจะเป็น ไตรมาสที่แข็งแกร่ง จากการมีวันหยุดน้อยและแรงหนุนจากผู้ผลิตรถยนต์ ญี่ปุ่นก่อนปิดงบปี (สิ้นเดือน มี.ค.) นอกจากนี้การยกเว้นภาษีการขายและ บริการ (SST) ของประเทศมาเลเซียจะหนุนยอดขายในโชว์รูมในไตรมาส 1/66 (ต้องจองภายในสิ้นเดือน มิ.ย. 2565 และจดทะเบียนให้เสร็จภายใน สิ้นเดือน มี.ค. 2566)

# สิ่งที่เปลี่ยนแปลง

จากผลไตรมาส 4/65 ที่แข็งแกร่งของ AH เราปรับประมาณการกำไรหลัก ปี 2566 ขึ้นจาก 1,686 ล้านบาทไปเป็น 1,838 ล้านบาท เติบโต 8% YoY หนุน จากคำสั่งซื้อใหม่ๆและโชว์รูมใหม่ในประเทศมาเลเซีย

## คำแนะนำ

เราคงคำแนะนำ "ซื้อ" ราคาเป้าหมาย ณ สิ้นปี 2566 ที่ 45 บาท เราคาดการ เติบโตในช่วงปี 2566 จะหนุนจากคำสั่งซื้อ Ford ใหม่ๆ ที่เริ่มแล้วในประเทศ ไทยในปี 2565 และจะเริ่มในต่างประเทศในปี 2566 Sector: Automotive OVERWEIGHT

คำแนะนำพื้นฐาน: ซื้อ เป้าหมายพื้นฐาน: 45.00 บาท ราคา (28/2/66): 29.00 บาท

#### **Key statistics**

Market cap	В	8t10.3bn	USD0.3bn
12-mth price range	Bt19.4	4/Bt35.8	
12-mth avg daily volume		Bt66m	USD1.9m
# of shares (m)		355	
Est. free float (%)		53.5	
Foreign limit (%)		49.0	
Share price perf. (%)	1M	3M	12M
Relative to SET	(7.3)	(17.0)	31.5
Absolute	(10.8)	(17.1)	27.8

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FY Ended 31 Dec	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E
Revenues (Btm)	27,967	30,250	30,499	31,093
Net profit (Btm)	1,824	1,838	1,942	2,071
EPS (Bt)	5.14	5.18	5.47	5.84
EPS growth (%)	+78.1%	+0.8%	+5.7%	+6.7%
Core profit (Btm)	1,704	1,838	1,942	2,071
Core EPS (Bt)	4.80	5.18	5.47	5.84
Core EPS growth (%)	+112.3%	+7.9%	+5.7%	+6.7%
PER (x)	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.0
PBV (x)	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7
Dividend (Bt)	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.9
Dividend yield (%)	5.3	5.9	6.2	6.6
ROE (%)	20.1	18.0	16.9	16.2

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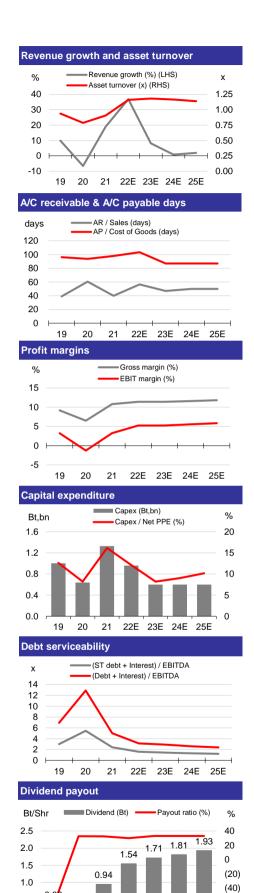
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# **AH: Financial Tables - Year**

PROFIT & LOSS (Btm)	2021	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E
Revenue	20,433	27,967	30,250	30,499	31,093
Cost of sales and services	(18,225)	(24,777)	(26,799)	(26,959)	(27,422)
Gross profit	2,208	3,191	3,451	3,540	3,672
SG&A	(1,540)	(1,723)	(1,864)	(1,849)	(1,854)
EBIT	668	1,467	1,587	1,692	1,818
Interest expense	(346)	(342)	(318)	(306)	(296)
Other income/exp.	326 <b>649</b>	327 <b>1,452</b>	363 <b>1,632</b>	366	373 <b>1,895</b>
EBT Corporate tox	(113)	(177)	(266)	<b>1,752</b> (286)	(309)
Corporate tax After-tax net profit (loss)	<b>535</b>	1,275	1,366	1,466	1,586
Minority interest	(13)	(23)	(28)	(28)	(28)
Equity earnings from affiliates	281	452	500	504	513
Extra items	222	120	0	0	0
Net profit (loss)	1,024	1,824	1,838	1,942	2,071
Reported EPS	2.89	5.14	5.18	5.47	5.84
Fully diluted EPS	2.89	5.14	5.18	5.47	5.84
Core net profit	<b>802</b> 2.26	<b>1,704</b> 4.80	<b>1,838</b> 5.18	<b>1,942</b> 5.47	<b>2,071</b> 5.84
Core EPS EBITDA	1,699	2,621	2,782	2,963	3,165
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KEY RATIOS	19.0	36.9	8.2	0.8	1.9
Revenue grow th (%) Gross margin (%)	10.8	11.4	0.2 11.4	11.6	11.8
EBITDA margin (%)	8.3	9.4	9.2	9.7	10.2
Operating margin (%)	3.3	5.2	5.2	5.5	5.8
Net margin (%)	5.0	6.5	6.1	6.4	6.7
Core profit margin (%)	3.9	6.1	6.1	6.4	6.7
ROA (%)	4.5	7.6	7.2	7.4	7.6
ROCE (%)	5.9	10.5	10.0	10.0	10.1
Asset turnover (x)	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1
Current ratio (x)	0.7 0.9	0.8 0.8	0.9 0.7	1.0 0.6	1.2 0.5
Gearing ratio (x) Interest coverage (x)	1.9	4.3	5.0	5.5	6.1
	1.5	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
BALANCE SHEET (Btm) Cash & Equivalent	690	767	313	801	1,003
Accounts receivable	2,237	4,330	3,895	4,178	4,259
Inventory	3,031	3,784	4,259	4,432	4,508
PP&E-net	8,222	7,913	7,317	6,646	5,899
Other assets	8,543	8,675	9,879	10,549	12,342
Total assets	22,722	25,469	25,664	26,606	28,011
Accounts payable	4,884	7,010	6,388	6,426	6,536
ST debts & current portion	3,756	3,850	3,644	3,544 3,818	3,544
Long-term debt Other liabilities	4,418 850	3,992 687	4,118 359	334	3,718 313
Total liabilities	13,908	15,540	14,509	14,122	14,111
Paid-up capital	355	355	355	355	355
Share premium	2,164	2,164	2,164	2,164	2,164
Retained earnings	5,960	7,058	8,290	9,591	10,979
Shareholders equity	8,513	9,611	10,809	12,110	13,498
Minority interests	302	318	346	374	402
Total Liab.&Shareholders' equity	22,722	25,469	25,664	26,606	28,011
CASH FLOW (Btm)					
Net income	1,024	1,824	1,838	1,942	2,071
Depreciation and amortization	1,031	1,154	1,195	1,271	1,347
Change in w orking capital	939 305	(720)	(662)	(418)	(47) (1,744)
FX, non-cash adjustment & others  Cash flows from operating activities	<b>3,299</b>	(210) <b>2,047</b>	(916) <b>1,455</b>	(633) <b>2,162</b>	1,627
Capex (Invest)/Divest	(1,328)	(958)	(600)	(600)	(600)
Others	537	185	(384)	(33)	(41)
Cash flows from investing activities	(791)	(773)	(984)	(633)	(641)
Debt financing (repayment)	(1,708)	(423)	(319)	(400)	(100)
Equity financing	0	0	0	0	0
Dividend payment	(215)	(372)	(607)	(641)	(684)
Others	537	185	(384)	(33)	(41) (794)
Cash flows from financing activities	<b>(2,277)</b> 231	<b>(1,143)</b> 132	<b>(925)</b>	<b>(1,041)</b> 488	<b>(784)</b>
Net change in cash			(454)		202
Free cash flow (Btm)	1,971 5.56	1,089	855 2.41	1,562	1,027
FCF per share (Bt)	5.56	3.07	2.41	4.40	2.90



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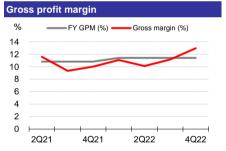
# **AH: Financial Tables - Quarter**

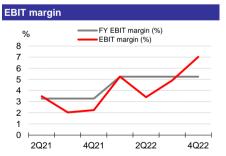
QUARTERLY PROFIT & LOSS (Btm)	4Q21	1Q22	2Q22	3Q22	4Q22
Revenue	5,770	6,730	6,145	7,300	7,792
Cost of sales and services	(5,192)	(5,985)	(5,523)	(6,486)	(6,782)
Gross profit	578	746	622	813	1,010
SG&A	(449)	(392)	(412)	(455)	(463)
EBIT	129	354	209	358	547
Interest expense	(82)	(81)	(77)	(86)	(98)
Other income/exp.	78	87	74	78	88
EBT	125	359	206	350	538
Corporate tax	(34)	(29)	(43)	(68)	(38)
After-tax net profit (loss)	91	330	163	282	500
Minority interest	(13)	(7)	(4)	(8)	(4)
Equity earnings from affiliates	72	82	122	152	95
Extra items	(31)	(4)	129	175	(180)
Net profit (loss)	118	402	410	601	411
Reported EPS	0.33	1.13	1.15	1.69	1.16
Fully diluted EPS	0.33	1.13	1.15	1.69	1.16
Core net profit	149	406	281	426	591
Core EPS	0.42	1.14	0.79	1.20	1.66
EBITDA	392	626	506	634	855
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KEY RATIOS					
Gross margin (%)	10.0	11.1	10.1	11.1	13.0
EBITDA margin (%)	6.8	9.3	8.2	8.7	11.0
Operating margin (%)	2.2	5.3	3.4	4.9	7.0
Net margin (%)	2.0	6.0	6.7	8.2	5.3
Core profit margin (%)	2.6	6.0	4.6	5.8	7.6
BV (Bt)	24.8	26.2	26.7	27.8	28.0
ROE (%)	5.5	18.4	18.1	25.7	17.2
ROA (%)	2.1	6.9	6.8	9.7	6.4
Current ratio (x)	0.7	0.7	0.8	8.0	0.8
Gearing ratio (x)	0.9	8.0	0.9	8.0	0.8
Interest coverage (x)	1.6	4.3	2.7	4.2	5.6
QUARTERLY BALANCE SHEET (Btm)					
Cash & Equivalent	690	684	826	796	767
Accounts receivable	2,237	3,163	3,250	3,932	4,330
Inventory	3,031	3,173	3,470	3,614	3,784
PP&E-net	8,222	8,017	7,989	8,012	7,913
Other assets	8,543	8,735	8,773	9,132	8,675
Total assets	22,722	23,772	24,308	25,485	25,469
Accounts payable	4,884	5,898	5,847	6,616	7,010
ST debts & current portion	3,756	3,625	3,217	3,735	3,850
Long-term debt	4,418	4,113	4,892	4,353	3,992
Other liabilities	850	833	882	926	687
Total liabilities	13,908	14,469	14,838	15,631	15,540
Paid-up capital	355	355	355	355	355
Share premium					
•	2,164 5.757	2,164	2,164	2,164	2,164
Retained earnings	5,757	6,159	6,402	6,797	7,246
Shareholders equity	8,513	8,997	9,156	9,528	9,611
Minority interests	302	306	314	326	318 35 460
Total Liab.&Shareholders' equity	22,722	23,772	24,308	25,485	25,469











# Company profile

AAPICO Hitech Plc (AH) was established in 1996 and listed on the Stock Exchange of Thailand in 2002. The company's main business initially was to design, produce, and install car assembly jigs and stamping dies and to manufacture OEM automotive parts, including floor parts, cross-members, pillars, brackets, clips, and fuel tanks for leading automobile assemblers in Thailand. AH has since started making chassis frame components, forged parts, machined parts, cast parts, plastic parts, and plastic fuel tanks to its manufacturing portfolio.

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Figure 1 : 4Q22 results

FY Ended 31 Dec (Btm)	4Q22	4Q21	YoY %	3Q22	QoQ %	2022	2021	YoY %	
Income Statement									
Revenue	7,792	5,770	35	7,300	7	27,967	20,433	37	
Cost of sales and services	(6,782)	(5,192)	31	(6,486)	5	(24,777)	(18,225)	36	<ul> <li>Sales were 6% above our</li> </ul>
SG&A	(463)	(449)	3	(455)	2	(1,723)	(1,540)	12	assumption
EBIT	547	129	324	358	53	1,467	668	120	
Interest expense	(98)	(82)	18	(86)	14	(342)	(346)	(1)	<ul> <li>GM was 13.0%; we had expecte</li> </ul>
Other income/exp.	88	78	13	78	13	327	316	3	only 10.8%
Equity earnings from affiliates	95	72	nm	152	nm	452	281	nm	
Extra items	(180)	(31)	nm	175	nm	120	222	nm	<ul><li>The SG&amp;A/sales ratio was 5.9%</li></ul>
EBT	538	125	331	350	54	1,452	638	128	we had assumed 7.1%
Corporate tax	(38)	(34)	11	(68)	(44)	(177)	(113)	56	
Minority interest	(4)	(13)	nm	(8)	nm	(23)	(13)	nm	<ul> <li>Core profit was 89% above our</li> </ul>
Net profit (loss)	411	118	248	601	(32)	1,824	1,014	80	estimate
Reported EPS	1.16	0.33	248	1.69	(32)	5.14	2.86	80	
Core net profit	591	149	296	426	39	1,704	792	115	
Key ratios									
Gross margin (%)	13.0	10.0		11.1		11.4	10.8		
EBITDA margin (%)	11.0	6.8		8.7		9.4	8.3		
EBIT margin (%)	7.0	2.2		4.9		5.2	3.3		
SG&A / Revenue (%)	5.9	7.8		6.2		6.2	7.5		
Tax rate (%)	7.0	27.2		19.4		12.2	17.8		
Net margin (%)	5.3	2.0		8.2		6.5	5.0		
Current ratio (x)	8.0	0.7		0.8		0.8	0.7		
Gearing ratio (x)	0.8	0.9		0.8		0.8	0.9		
Interest coverage (x)	5.6	1.6		4.2		4.3	1.9		
Balance Sheet									
Cash & Equivalent	767	690	11	796	(4)				
Total assets	25,469	22,722	12	25,485	(0)				
ST debts & current portion	3,850	3,756	2	3,735	3				
Long-term debt	3,992	4,418	(10)	4,353	(8)				
Total liabilities	15,540	13,908	12	15,631	(1)				
Retained earnings	7,246	5,757	26	6,797	7				
Shareholders equity	9,611	8,513	13	9,528	1				
Minority interests	318	302	6	326	(2)				
BV (Bt)	28.0	24.8	13	27.8	1				

Source: Bualuang Research estimates

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Score Range	Score Range	Description
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80 – 89		Very Good
70 – 79		Good
60 – 69		Satisfactory
50 – 59		Pass
Below 50	No logo given	N/A

Thailand's Private Sector Collective Action Coalition Against Corruption programme (Thai CAC) under Thai Institute of Directors

- companies that have **declared** their intention to join CAC, and
- · companies certified by CAC.

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