

# **BIOMAXIMA**

#### ANALYTICAL REPORT - SUMMARY

We are maintaining our BUY rating on BIOMAXIMA shares lowering our target price to PLN 20.2/share. We are lowering our 2024 earnings forecasts due to a lack of major contracts that could improve earnings already in Q3'24. We expect the prolonged process of contracting new production capacity to affect the pace at which new contracts are signed, which is why we have also lowered our long-term assumptions.

In Q3'24, we expect revenue to be maintained at around PLN 11m, which has been the standard quarterly result since the pandemic. In our previous recommendation, we assumed that sales of Minimum Inhibitory Concentration (MIC) tests would take off towards the end of the quarter, which was expected to help the company win new attractive contracts and increase sales volume. Currently, there is no information on the launch of this division, so we assume that any orders of this range will build sales from 2025 onwards.

In our opinion, the prolonged process of contracting new production capacity will affect the company's profitability, as it already has to cover the costs of maintaining the new production facility at partial occupancy. The longer this situation lasts, the longer the company will be burdened with higher costs and forced to rely on bank financing.

We see opportunities for significant growth of the company and high growth rates of results in the following periods. However, this will involve the acquisition of new customers. The company maintains the assumption that it will generate between 45 to 75 million PLN in revenue surplus compared to 2023, or at least 91.8 million PLN. In our view, this is a very ambitious plan and we take an even more conservative approach to it than in our previous recommendation. We estimate that revenues will reach PLN 84.6m in 2026, and will not cross the announced mark until 2028. An opportunity to prove the forecasts is the launch of sales of MIC tests and products for which the company is waiting for patents to be granted.

# BUY

(PREVIOUS: BUY)

#### **TARGET PRICE 20.2 PLN**

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Target price [PLN]	20.2
DCF valuation [PLN]	17.9
Peer valuation [PLN]	27.0
Price upside/downside	44.5%
Cost of capital	14.3%
Price [PLN]	14.0
Market cap [PLNm]	60.3
No. of shares [mn]	4.2
Max. price 6M [PLN]	19.7
Min. price 6M [PLN]	13.2
Rate of return 3M	-13.9%
Rate of return 6M	-0.4%
Rate of return 9M	-8.6%
Shareholders (% of votes):	
Shareholder agreement: Łukasz Urban,	
Andrzej Mikosz with TriCar Services LTD, Krzysztof Mikosz, Mariusz Nowak	28.9%
Others	71.1%

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	2021	2022	2023	2024P	2025P	2026P
Revenues [PLNm]	79.1	143.9	46.8	52.4	74.7	84.6
EBIT [PLNm]	13.7	34.9	0.7	2.3	8.6	11.1
EBITDA [PLNm]	15.3	36.9	3.2	5.5	11.9	14.6
Net income [PLNm]	10.2	28.9	0.6	1.4	6.7	8.4
P/E	5.9	2.1	99.8	41.0	8.7	6.9
P/BV	2.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	0.9
EV/EBIT	5.5	1.4	96.0	31.1	8.0	5.6
EV/EBITDA	4.9	1.3	21.7	12.9	5.8	4.3
DPS	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
DY	1.8%	3.2%	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%





Valuation	summary
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	Share	Valuation
DCF valution	75%	17.9
Peer valuation	25%	27.0
Target price [PLN]	20	.2

Source: BDM S.A.

DCF va	luati	ion
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	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033
Revenues [PLNm]	52.4	74.7	84.6	90.8	96.9	103.0	108.8	114.4	118.4	122.5
EBIT [PLNm]	2.3	8.6	11.1	12.5	14.1	15.4	16.6	17.7	17.9	18.3
Tax rate	21.8%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%	19.0%
Tax on EBIT [PLNm]	0.5	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.5
NOPLAT [PLNm]	1.8	7.0	9.0	10.1	11.4	12.5	13.5	14.4	14.5	14.9
Amortization [PLNm]	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.2
CAPEX [PLNm]	-2.0	-2.2	-1.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.2	-1.2	-0.9	-0.8	-0.8
Working capital movement [PLNm]	-2.8	-5.7	-3.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-1.9	-1.8	-1.3	-1.3
FCF [PLNm]	0.3	2.5	8.1	9.8	10.9	12.0	13.0	14.0	14.7	14.9
DFCF [PLNm]	0.3	2.1	6.2	6.6	6.4	6.2	5.9	5.5	5.1	4.5
Total DFCF [PLNm]	48.8									

Terminal value [PLNm] 124.1 37.5 Discounted terminal value [PLNm] Enterprise value [PLNm] 86.4 Net debt 2022 [PLNm] 11.4 Equity value [PLNm] 75.0 Number of shares [mn] 4.2 Value per share [PLN] 17.9

Terminal growth rate: 2.0%

WACC calculation

WACC calculation										
	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033
Risk-free rate	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%
Risk premium	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%
Beta	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Credit premium	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%
Cost of equity	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%	14.3%
Contribution of equity	82.7%	85.9%	90.5%	94.6%	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cost of debt after tax	5.6%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%	5.8%
Contribution of debt	17.3%	14.1%	9.5%	5.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
WACC	12.8%	13.1%	13.5%	13.8%	14.2%	14.2%	14.2%	14.2%	14.3%	14.3%

Source: BDM S.A.

Sensivity analysis

	Terminal growth rate						Terminal growth rate					Beta		
		1.0%	2.0%	3.0%			1.0%	2.0%	3.0%			0.8	0.9	1.0
D-4-	0.8	18,9	19,9	21,0	Risk	8.5%	18,8	19,8	20,9	Risk	8.5%	21,8	19,8	18,0
Beta	0.9	17,1	17,9	18,8	premium	9.5%	17,1	17,9	18,8	premium	9.5%	19,9	17,9	16,2
	1.0	15,6	16,2	16,9		10.5%	15,7	16,3	17,0		10.5%	18,2	16,3	14,7

Source: BDM S.A.

#### Peer valuation

	P/E			EV/EBITDA		EV/EBIT			
	2024P	2025P	2026P	2024P	2025P	2026P	2024P	2025P	2026P
ABBOTT LABORATORIES	24.9	22.7	20.6	19.5	17.5	15.6	22.4	19.7	17.5
THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC	25.8	24.1	21.8	22.3	20.5	18.4	25.0	22.8	20.4
BIOMERIEUX	25.1	22.5	19.9	13.3	11.9	10.4	19.2	16.8	14.5
ROCHE HOLDING AG-GENUSSCHEIN	14.6	13.3	12.4	10.2	9.1	8.3	11.6	10.5	9.4
AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES INC	26.5	24.9	22.9	22.2	20.2	18.6	24.2	22.1	20.1
SIEMENS HEALTHINEERS AG	22.2	19.5	16.9	15.2	12.8	11.2	19.2	16.6	14.1
BECTON DICKINSON AND CO	18.0	16.4	15.0	14.6	12.8	10.9	16.9	14.4	12.8
QIAGEN N.V.	18.6	18.0	16.3	13.0	11.7	10.3	16.9	15.4	13.3
BIO-RAD LABORATORIES-A	35.4	31.8	28.8	20.9	18.4	16.3	28.9	24.4	21.4
QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INC	17.1	15.8	14.6	11.9	10.5	9.7	14.9	13.1	12.1
Median	23.6	21.0	18.4	14.9	12.8	11.0	19.2	16.7	14.3
BIOMAXIMA	41.0	8.7	6.9	12.9	5.8	4.3	31.1	8.0	5.6
Premium/discount	74%	-58%	-62%	-14%	-54%	-61%	62%	-52%	-61%
Valuation [PLN/share]	8.0	33.5	37.1	16.6	33.7	37.6	7.5	31.8	37.2
Year's contribution	33%	33%	33%	33%	33%	33%	33%	33%	33%
Average valuation [PLN/share]		26.2			29.3			25.5	
Multiple's contribution		33%			33%			33%	
Value per share [PLN]	27.0								

Source: BDM S.A.. Bloomberg

Main risks: 1. risk of delaying new product launches; 2. risk of increased competition; 3. risk of material availability and broken supply chains; 4. risk of customer concentration; 5. risk of not being able to retain or attract new qualified staff; 6. risk of loss of ISO quality certificates; 7. risk of excluding the possibility of valorisation of the prices of products and goods offered by the company in public procurement contracts; 8. risk of cooperation with ROSCO Diagnostica A/S; 9. currency risk; 10. risk of downturn in the laboratory diagnostics market; 11. risk of reduction in laboratory diagnostics funding



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rating	price target	previous rating	previous target price	report date	report date (hour)	price	WIG
Buy	20.2	Buy	22.9	06.11.2024*	07:15 CET	13.95	80 271.30
Buy	22.9	Buy	22.9	12.07.2024*	17:15 CEST	15.30	88 693,82
Buy	22.9	Buy	26.4	05.06.2024*	08:55 CEST	14.55	84 978.57
Buy	26.4	Buy	38.7	15.09.2023*	08:55 CEST	19.20	67 199.88
Buy	38.7			25.04.2023	08:50 CEST	24.80	62 642.50

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#### **Explanations of terminology:**

EBIT - earnings before interest and tax

 ${\sf EBITDA-earnings\ before\ interest.\ taxes.\ depreciation.\ and\ amortization}$ 

Net debt – interest bearing debt minus cash and equivalents

WACC - weighted average cost of capital

CAGR - cumulative average annual growth

EPS - earnings per share

DPS - dividend per share

CEPS - net profit plus depreciation per share

EV - market capitalization plus interest bearing debt minus cash and equivalents

EV/S - market capitalization / sales

EV/EBITDA – EV / sales

P/EBIT – market capitalization / EBIT

MC/S — market capitalization / sales

P/E — market capitalization / net profit

P/BV — market capitalization / book value

P/CE - market capitalization / net profit plus depreciation

ROE - net profit / equity

ROA - net income / assets

Gross margin - gross profit on sales / sales

EBITDA margin – EBITDA / sales EBIT margin – EBIT / sales

Net margin – net profit / sales

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	numbers	%	numbers	%
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Accumulate	2	29%	0	0%
Hold	1	14%	0	0%
Reduce	1	14%	0	0%
Sell	0	0%	0	0%

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