

COMPANY UPDATE

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EV/Mobility Team

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▶ AT A GLANCE

BUY		
Target price	KRW165,000	35.6%
Current price	KRW121,700	
Market cap	KRW13.7t/USD9.6b	
Shares (float)	112,582,792 (36.6%)	
52-week high/low	KRW151,200/KRW57,800	
Avg daily trading value (60-day)	KRW53.9b/USD37.7m	

▶ ONE-YEAR PERFORMANCE

	1M	6M	12M
S-Oil (%)	10.4	24.6	101.8
Vs Kospi (%pts)	42.7	5.3	0.6

▶ KEY CHANGES

(KRW)	New	Old	Diff
Recommend.	BUY	BUY	
Target price	165,000	150,000	10.0%
2026E EPS	20,440	16,478	24.0%
2027E EPS	11,218	8,301	35.1%

▶ SAMSUNG vs THE STREET

No of estimates	17
Target price	159,000
Recommendation	3.9
※ Rating: 4 < → BUY, 3 = HOLD, 2 > → SELL	



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S-Oil (010950)

2Q review; Supply-disruption tailwinds grow

- S-Oil reported a 2Q operating profit of KRWo.97t (down 22% q-q), edging consensus by 1%, despite smaller q-q inventory valuation gains.
- We revise up our 2026-2027 ROE estimates and raise our target price to KRW165,000. Disruptions in fossil fuel supply are increasingly benefiting lubricants as well as refined products. S-Oil stays as our sector top pick.

WHAT'S THE STORY?

View—to keep enjoying solid earnings amid supply disruptions: We revise up our 2026-2027 ROE estimates and increase our target price from KRW150,000 to KRW165,000. With geopolitical conflicts in the Middle East unresolved, supply shortages are worsening not only for refined products but also for lubricants. Accordingly, the negative inventory effect (from lower crude prices) from 3Q26 should be negated by the recent surges in Asian refining margins and strong lubricant margins. Even after the Iran war ends, disruptions in fossil fuel supply are likely to continue for some time. We keep S-Oil as our sector top pick.

2Q review—results meet consensus: S-Oil reported a 2Q operating profit of KRWo.97t (down 22% q-q), in line with consensus (KRWo.96t; FnGuide). While the refining and petrochemical units fell short of our expectation, the lube base oil unit beat significantly.

- **Refining unit:** S-Oil's refining unit saw an operating profit of KRWo.53t in 2Q (down 49% q-q). Based on the landed costs of imported crude, inventory valuation gains fell more than anticipated, declining KRW524b q-q from KRW530b in 1Q to KRW60b in 2Q. Excluding OSP, the lag effect diminished significantly (down USD38.8/bbl q-q from USD22.5/bbl in 1Q to -USD16.3/bbl in 2Q), but spot refining margins expanded sharply (up USD20.6/bbl q-q from USD23.2/bbl in 1Q to USD43.8/bbl in 2Q).

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SUMMARY 2Q RESULTS

(KRWb)	2Q26	Chg		Diff (%)	
		(% y-y)	(% q-q)	Samsung	Consensus
Sales	11,343.5	40.9	26.8	-15.9	-5.9
Operating profit	965.0	nm	-21.6	-6.8	1.0
Pre-tax profit	705.5	nm	-28.8	-15.8	-17.5
Net profit	514.6	nm	-28.6	-15.6	-28.8
Margins (%)					
Operating profit	8.5				
Pre-tax profit	6.2				
Net profit	4.5				

Source: Company data, FnGuide, Samsung Securities estimates

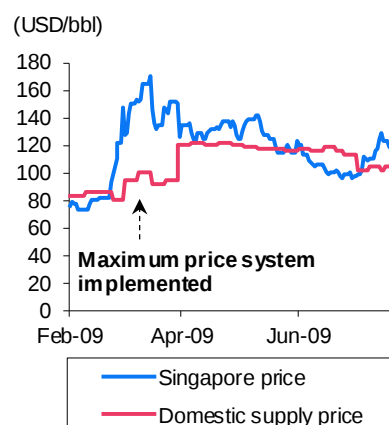
VALUATION SUMMARY

	2025	2026E	2027E
Valuation (x)			
P/E	54.7	6.0	10.8
P/B	1.1	1.3	1.2
EV/EBITDA	15.0	3.9	4.9
Div yield (%)	0.4	2.1	1.4
EPS growth (% y-y)	nm	1,246.9	-45.1
ROE (%)	2.0	23.7	11.1
Per-share data (KRW)			
EPS	1,518	20,440	11,218
BVPS	76,339	96,257	105,293
DPS	330	2,500	1,700

- **Petrochemical unit:** The petrochemical unit turned to an operating loss of KRW44.8b (down by KRW70.3b q-q), primarily due to a reversal in inventory valuation—shifting from a KRW87b gain in 1Q to a KRW15b loss in 2Q. While benzene spreads widened 13% q-q from USD120/bbl to USD135/bbl, PO spreads tightened by 9% q-q from USD561/bbl to USD512/bbl and PX spreads contracted by 8% q-q from USD263/bbl to USD243/bbl.
- **Lube base oil unit:** Operating profit at the lube base oil unit jumped 187% q-q to KRW477.4b in 2Q. Due to an inherent time lag (approximately 3 months) between raw material price changes and product price adjustments, selling prices reflected the oil price surge over March-April, while costs reflected lower prices from May-June—maximizing profitability. Higher selling prices also added about KRW120b in inventory valuation gains. Additionally, supply disruptions originating from the Middle East have led to tighter market conditions.

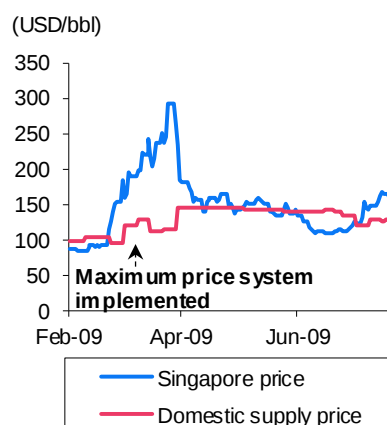
3Q preview—operating profit to beat consensus: We now expect S-Oil to post a 3Q operating profit of KRW813b (down 25% q-q), beating consensus (KRW623.8b; FnGuide) by 28%. Refining, petrochemical, and lube base oil operating profits are estimated at KRW509.8b (down 4% q-q), -KRW29.6b (KRW15.2b improved q-q), and KRW332.5b (down 30% q-q), respectively. The refining unit should turn to inventory valuation losses of KRW698.1b (vs inventory valuation gains of KRW6b in 2Q), but this negative impact should be offset by two positive factors: 1) a favorable lag effect reversal (up USD13.2 q-q; from -USD16.3/bbl to -US3.2/bbl); and 2) a further rise in spot refining margins (up USD3.8 q-q; from USD43.9/bbl to USD47.7/bbl). The petrochemical unit is expected to remain in the red due to persistently weak spreads. The lube base oil profit is forecast to decline as positive inventory effects fade, despite continued tight supply conditions.

Gasoline: Singapore price vs S-Oil's domestic supply price



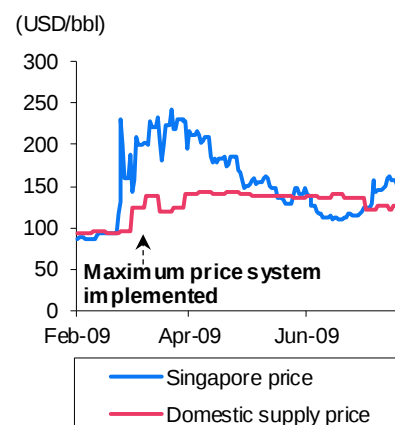
Source: Petronet, Opinet, Samsung Securities

Diesel: Singapore price vs S-Oil's domestic supply price



Source: Petronet, Opinet, Samsung Securities

Kerosene: Singapore price vs S-Oil's domestic supply price



Source: Petronet, Opinet, Samsung Securities

S-Oil: Quarterly results

(KRWb)	2Q26P	1Q26	1Q25	Consensus	Samsung	Diff (%)			
						(% q-q)	(% y-y)	Consensus	Samsung
Sales	11,343	8,943	8,991	12,061	13,488	26.8	26.2	-5.9	-15.9
Operating income	965	1,231	-22	955	1,036	-21.6	Turned pos	1.0	-6.8
Pre-tax income	705	991	-67	855	838	-28.8	Turned pos	-17.5	-15.9
Net income	515	721	-45	722	610	-28.6	Turned pos	-28.8	-15.6
Attributable to parent	515	721	-45	637	610	-28.6	Turned pos	-19.2	-15.6
Margins (%)									
Operating income	8.5	13.8	-0.2	7.9	11.7				
Pre-tax income	6.2	11.1	-0.7	7.1	9.1				
Net income	4.5	8.1	-0.5	6.0	6.7				
Attributable to parent	4.5	8.1	-0.5	5.3	6.7				

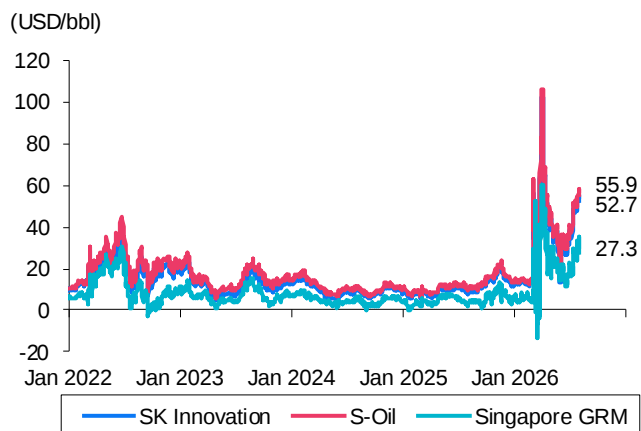
Source: Company data, FnGuide, Samsung Securities estimates

S-Oil: Quarterly results, by division

(KRWb)	2Q26P	1Q26	1Q25	Chg (% q-q)	Chg (% y-y)
Sales	11,343	8,943	8,991	26.8	26.2
Refining	9,029	7,101	7,072	27.1	27.7
Petrochemical	1,013	1,104	1,128	-8.3	-10.2
Lube base oil	1,302	737	791	76.6	64.7
Operating income	965	1,231	-22	-21.6	Turned pos
Refining	532	1,039	-57	-48.8	Turned pos
Petrochemical	-45	25	-75	Turned neg	Remained neg
Lube base oil	477	167	110	186.6	335.0
Pre-tax income	705	991	-67	-28.8	Turned pos
Net income	515	721	-45	-28.6	Turned pos
Margins (%)					
Operating income	8.5	13.8	-0.2		
Refining	5.9	14.6	-0.8		
Petrochemical	-4.4	2.3	-6.6		
Lube base oil	36.7	22.6	13.9		
Pre-tax income	6.2	11.1	-0.7		
Net income	4.5	8.1	-0.5		

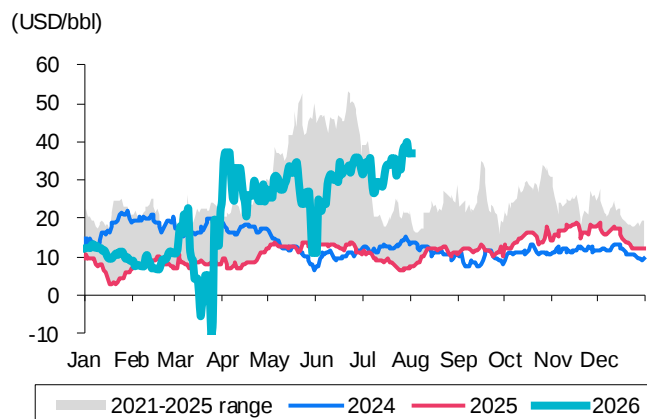
Source: Company data, Samsung Securities

Mixed margin at Korean refiners vs Singapore GRM



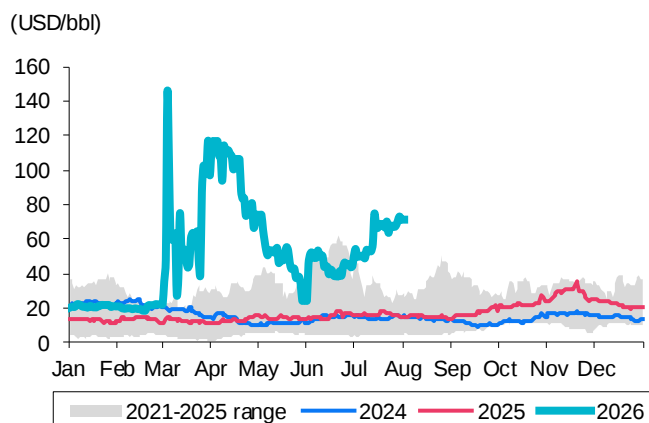
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Gasoline: Spot refining margin vs Dubai oil



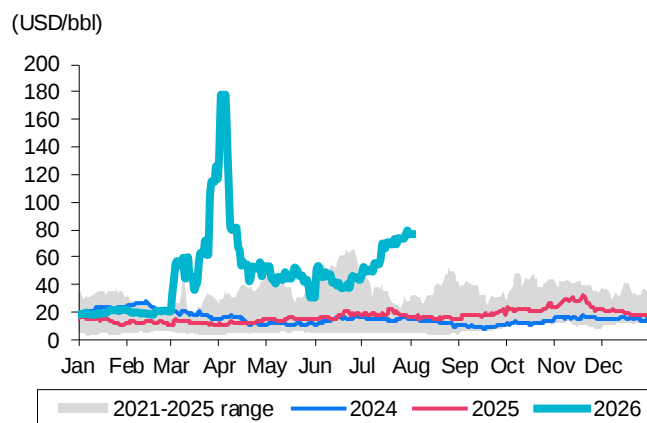
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Kerosene: Spot refining margin vs Dubai oil



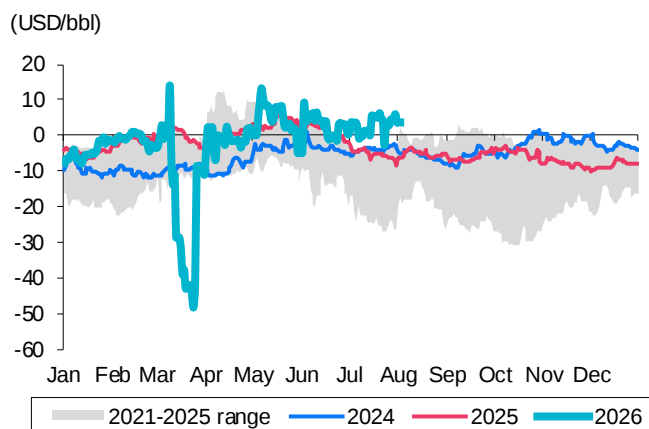
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Diesel: Spot refining margin vs Dubai oil



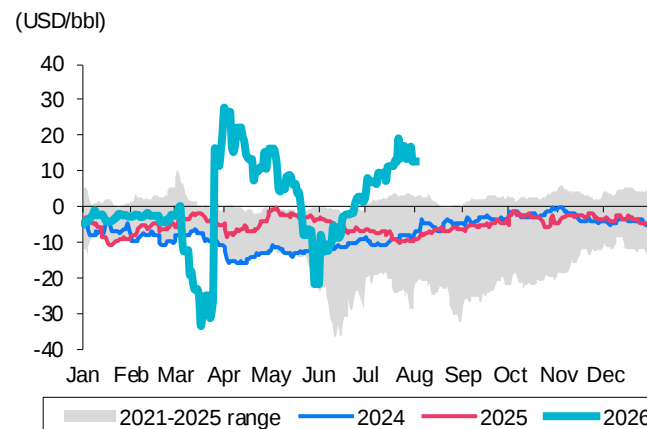
Source: Petronet, Samsung Securities

Bunker-C: Spot refining margin vs Dubai oil



Source: Petronet, Samsung Securities

Naphtha: Spot refining margin vs Dubai oil



Source: Petronet, Samsung Securities

S-Oil: Results and forecasts

(KRWb)	1Q25	2Q25	3Q25	4Q25	1Q26	2Q26P	3Q26E	4Q26E	2024	2025	2026E	2027E
KRW/USD (average)	1,453	1,401	1,387	1,452	1,467	1,502	1,440	1,380	1,365	1,423	1,447	1,380
Sales	8,991	8,049	8,415	8,793	8,943	11,343	10,359	8,683	36,637	34,247	39,328	34,328
Growth (% q-q)	0.8	-10.5	4.6	4.5	1.7	26.8	-8.7	-16.2				
Growth (% y-y)	-3.4	-15.9	-4.8	-1.4	-0.5	40.9	23.1	-1.2	2.5	-6.5	14.8	-12.7
Refining	7,072	6,260	6,694	6,979	7,101	9,029	8,422	6,984	28,805	27,005	31,536	25,100
Petrochemical	1,128	1,034	1,016	1,056	1,104	1,013	872	790	4,703	4,234	3,779	5,781
Lube base oil	791	755	705	757	737	1,302	1,066	909	3,130	3,007	4,013	3,447
Operating income	-22	-344	229	372	1,231	965	813	628	422	236	3,637	2,285
Growth (% q-q)	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	62.3	231.0	-21.6	-15.8	-22.7				
Growth (% y-y)	Turnedneg	Turnedneg	Turnedpos	67.3	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	254.5	68.8	-68.8	-44.2	1,443.4	-37.2
Refining	-57	-441	115	184	1,039	532	510	385	-273	-199	2,467	1,294
Growth (% q-q)	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	59.2	465.2	-48.8	-4.2	-24.4				
Growth (% y-y)	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	26.8	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	341.4	109.6	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Totumpos	-47.5
Petrochemical	-75	-35	-20	-14	25	-45	-30	-38	127	-143	-87	61
Growth (% q-q)	Remainedneg	Remainedneg	Remainedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	Turnedneg	Toremainneg	Toremainneg				
Growth (% y-y)	Turnedneg	Turnedneg	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	Remainedneg	Toremainneg	Toremainneg	-33.2	Turnedneg	Toremainneg	Totumpos
Lube base oil	110	132	134	202	167	477	332	280	568	578	1,257	930
Growth (% q-q)	-2.9	20.1	1.4	51.5	-17.7	186.6	-30.4	-15.6				
Growth (% y-y)	-29.5	-9.6	-13.1	79.1	51.8	262.3	148.8	38.6	-29.9	1.6	117.6	-26.0
Pre-tax income	-67	-106	81	265	991	705	943	631	-333	173	3,271	1,870
Growth (% q-q)	Remainedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	225.7	472.3	-28.8	33.7	-33.1				
Growth (% y-y)	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	1,057.4	137.7	Turnedneg	-23.8	Totumpos	88.7
Net income	-45	-67	63	225	721	515	688	460	-193	177	2,383	1,308
Growth (% q-q)	Remainedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	256.1	307.5	-28.6	33.7	-33.1				
Growth (% y-y)	Turnedneg	Remainedneg	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	Turnedpos	988.2	104.4	Turnedneg	6.5	Totumpos	81.4
Attributable to parent	-45	-67	63	225	721	515	688	460	-193	177	2,383	1,308
Margins (%)												
Operating income	-0.2	-4.3	2.7	4.2	13.8	8.5	7.8	7.2	1.2	0.7	9.2	6.7
Refining	-0.8	-7.0	1.7	2.6	14.6	5.9	6.1	5.5	-0.9	-0.7	7.8	5.2
Petrochemical	-6.6	-3.4	-2.0	-1.4	2.3	-4.4	-3.4	-4.8	2.7	-3.4	-2.3	1.1
Lube base oil	13.9	17.5	19.0	26.7	22.6	36.7	31.2	30.9	18.2	19.2	31.3	27.0
Pre-tax income	-0.7	-1.3	1.0	3.0	11.1	6.2	9.1	7.3	-0.9	0.5	8.3	5.4
Net income	-0.5	-0.8	0.8	2.6	8.1	4.5	6.6	5.3	-0.5	0.5	6.1	3.8

Source: Company data, Samsung Securities estimates

Income statement

Year-end Dec 31 (KRWb)	2024	2025	2026E	2027E	2028E
Sales	36,637	34,247	39,328	34,328	33,548
Cost of goods sold	35,411	33,204	34,770	31,236	30,454
Gross profit	1,226	1,043	4,559	3,092	3,094
Gross margin (%)	3.3	3.0	11.6	9.0	9.2
SG&A expenses	804	808	922	807	788
Operating profit	422	236	3,637	2,285	2,306
Operating margin (%)	1.2	0.7	9.2	6.7	6.9
Non-operating gains (losses)	-755	-62	-366	-415	-486
Financial profit	389	483	-113	-124	-316
Financial costs	833	678	410	416	392
Equity-method gains (losses)	6	4	4	4	4
Other	-317	128	153	122	218
Pre-tax profit	-333	173	3,271	1,870	1,820
Taxes	-139	-4	887	562	547
Effective tax rate (%)	41.9	-2.2	27.1	30.1	30.1
Profit from continuing operations	-193	177	2,383	1,308	1,273
Profit from discontinued operations	0	0	0	0	0
Net profit	-193	177	2,383	1,308	1,273
Net margin (%)	-0.5	0.5	6.1	3.8	3.8
Net profit (controlling interests)	-193	177	2,383	1,308	1,273
Net profit (non-controlling interests)	0	0	0	0	0
EBITDA	1,174	1,043	4,480	3,328	3,398
EBITDA margin (%)	3.2	3.0	11.4	9.7	10.1
EPS (parent-based) (KRW)	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916
EPS (consolidated) (KRW)	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916
Adjusted EPS (KRW)*	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916

Cash flow statement

Year-end Dec 31 (KRWb)	2024	2025	2026E	2027E	2028E
Cash flow from operations	1,468	3,942	3,727	1,984	2,206
Net profit	-193	177	2,383	1,308	1,273
Non-cash profit and expenses	1,328	1,054	1,598	1,498	1,397
Depreciation	741	791	830	1,031	1,082
Amortization	11	16	14	12	10
Other	576	247	755	455	305
Changes in A/L from operating activities	829	3,091	624	-268	73
Cash flow from investments	-3,027	-3,783	-1,043	-743	-584
Change in tangible assets	-3,038	-3,906	-1,150	-850	-815
Change in financial assets	-57	35	-13	12	2
Other	68	88	120	95	229
Cash flow from financing	1,539	-270	1,592	-275	-201
Change in debt	2,167	-68	1,689	-19	-3
Change in equity	0	0	0	0	0
Dividends	-189	-0	-97	-256	-198
Other	-439	-202	0	0	-0
Change in cash	-17	-111	4,306	975	1,425
Cash at beginning of year	1,963	1,946	1,835	6,141	7,116
Cash at end of year	1,946	1,835	6,141	7,116	8,542
Gross cash flow	1,135	1,231	3,981	2,806	2,670
Free cash flow	-1,574	36	2,577	1,134	1,391

Note: *Excluding one-off items

**Fully diluted, excluding one-off items

***From companies subject to equity-method valuation

Source: Company data, Samsung Securities estimates

Balance sheet

Year-end Dec 31 (KRWb)	2024	2025	2026E	2027E	2028E
Current assets	10,048	8,616	13,748	13,565	14,694
Cash & equivalents	1,946	1,835	6,141	7,116	8,542
Accounts receivable	2,171	2,005	2,122	1,661	1,474
Inventories	4,493	4,164	4,782	4,174	4,079
Other current assets	1,438	611	702	613	599
Fixed assets	14,403	17,941	18,261	18,056	17,777
Investment assets	203	188	201	188	186
Tangible assets	13,582	16,990	17,310	17,129	16,862
Intangible assets	149	150	136	124	115
Other long-term assets	470	614	614	614	614
Total assets	24,451	26,557	32,009	31,621	32,471
Current liabilities	11,657	12,211	13,320	11,903	11,682
Accounts payable	4,982	6,982	8,018	6,998	6,839
Short-term debt	3,355	2,173	2,173	2,173	2,173
Other current liabilities	3,320	3,056	3,130	2,732	2,670
Long-term liabilities	4,099	5,459	7,482	7,459	7,456
Bonds & long-term debt	3,791	5,032	7,032	7,032	7,032
Other long-term liabilities	308	427	450	427	424
Total liabilities	15,756	17,670	20,802	19,362	19,138
Owners of parent equity	8,696	8,887	11,206	12,258	13,333
Capital stock	292	292	292	292	292
Capital surplus	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332
Retained earnings	7,030	7,222	9,508	10,560	11,635
Other	42	43	75	75	75
Non-controlling interests' equity	0	0	0	0	0
Total equity	8,696	8,887	11,206	12,258	13,333
Net debt	6,001	6,065	3,441	2,452	1,025

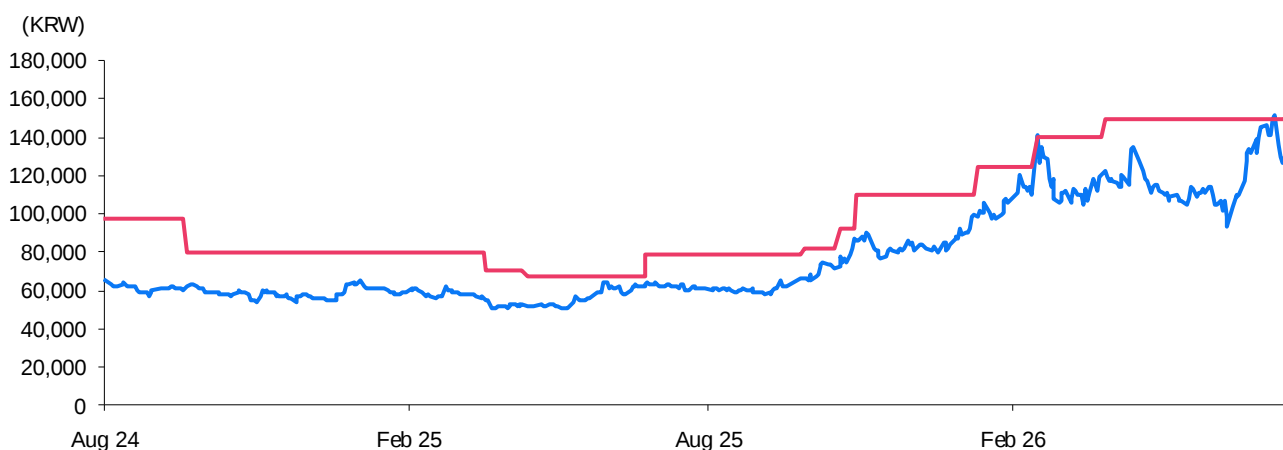
Financial ratios

Year-end Dec 31	2024	2025	2026E	2027E	2028E
Growth (%)					
Sales	2.5	-6.5	14.8	-12.7	-2.3
Operating profit	-68.8	-44.2	1,443.4	-37.2	0.9
Net profit	nm	nm	1,246.9	-45.1	-2.7
Adjusted EPS**	nm	nm	1,246.9	-45.1	-2.7
Per-share data (KRW)					
EPS (parent-based)	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916
EPS (consolidated)	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916
Adjusted EPS**	-1,656	1,518	20,440	11,218	10,916
BVPS	74,692	76,339	96,257	105,293	114,525
DPS (common)	125	330	2,500	1,700	1,700
Valuations (x)					
P/E***	n/a	54.7	6.0	10.8	11.1
P/B***	0.7	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1
EV/EBITDA	10.5	15.0	3.9	4.9	4.4
Ratios (%)					
ROE	-2.2	2.0	23.7	11.1	9.9
ROA	-0.8	0.7	8.1	4.1	4.0
ROIC	1.8	1.6	18.1	11.0	11.2
Payout ratio	-7.3	21.0	11.8	14.6	15.0
Dividend yield (common)	0.2	0.4	2.1	1.4	1.4
Net debt to equity	69.0	68.2	30.7	20.0	7.7
Interest coverage (x)	1.5	0.9	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Target price changes in past two years



Rating changes over past two years (adjusted share prices)

Date	2024/6/25	10/4	2025/4/3	4/28	7/9	10/13	11/3	11/13	2026/1/26	3/3	4/13	8/3
Recommendation	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY	BUY
Target price (KRW)	98000	80000	70000	67000	79000	82000	92000	110000	125000	140000	150000	165000
Gap* (average)	-34.27	-26.70	-25.77	-15.35	-22.55	-13.94	-14.35	-23.17	-15.34	-18.24	-21.07	
(max or min)**	-29.80	-18.38	-22.29	-4.93	-15.44	-8.66	-4.89	-9.55	-4.00	-24.79	0.80	

Note: * [(average, maximum, or minimum share price over duration of target price minus target price) / target price] x 100%

** Maximum/minimum share price if new target is higher/lower than market close on the business day prior to target price change

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Percentage of ratings in 12 months prior to 2026.06.30

BUY(85.5%)-HOLD(14.5%)-SELL(0%)

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