

Italy - Food and Beverage

Online wine seller valued 2.2x sales

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SECTOR NEWS

RIC: ITWB.MI BBG: IWB IM The consolidation process in the industry goes on: Campari buys 49% of Tannico for \leqslant 23m, valuing the prey 2.2x Sales₁₉. The transaction multiple entails a further unexpressed upside potential for IWB and corroborates it is following the correct strategy.

Rating:

Buy

Price Target: € 20.00

Upside/(Downside): 28.6%

Last Price: € 15.55 Market Cap.: € 115.6

1Y High/Low: € 16.25/€ 10.70

Free Float: 78.0%

Major shareholders:

Otus Capital Management	10.2%
Provinco Srl	9.1%
IPOC Srl	8.7%
Praude Assett Management	6.3%



Stock price performance						
	1M	3M	12M			
Absolute	17.4%	14.3%	31.8%			
Rel.to AIM Italia	6.5%	8.1%	35.2%			
Rel.to EU Sector	12.2%	14.5%	34.3%			

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Campari pays € 23m for Tannico, 2.2x Sales₁₉

Established in 2013, Tannico is the domestic market leader in online sales of wines and premium spirits, with a market share in excess of 30%. With more than 7m unique visitors in the last 12 months, its selling proposition comprises of 14,000 wines from over 2,500 domestic and international wineries. In addition to wines, it sells high-end spirits. Originally operating as a pure B2C player, Tannico has progressively expanded into B2B, offering professional operators value-added services such as assortment and warehouse management as well as tailored delivery solutions, selling over 1.5m bottles last year to more than 100k customers within 24h in Italy and 2 weeks in the USA. 2019 revenues reached € 20.6m, 50% CAGR₁₆₋₁₉ with a strong acceleration in Q1-20, sustained by the COVID19 emergency, approximately reaching break-even at EBITDA. Since 2017, Tannico has expanded its footprint to more than 20 markets, including USA, Germany, UK, and France. Tannico had € 1.6m net cash as of Dec-19. The consideration for the 49% stake is € 23.4m, 2.2x Sales₁9.

IWB € 13.4m online sales represent a possible further boost for B2B

In 2019 IWB online revenues reached € 13.4m, o/w 70% outside Italy, 25% CAGR₁₇₋₁₉, representing almost 9% of total sales. In the recent months, due to the acceleration driven by the plague spread, online revenues increased double digit, paving the way of a further consolidation in this trend. The additional expansion of IWB internet channel could pass via the penetration into the B2B, namely restaurants and hotels. This possible segmentation entails really tiny investments on a platform fully operational and already with a positive profitability. This move would goes in the direction of the disintermediation of traditional wine distributors, to the advantage of large and bold producers. All for almost zero execution risk and significant upside.

Once again, transaction multiple highlights IWB current undemanding valuation. The purchase of Tannico by Campari, a sector player not a PE or VC, confirms IWB strategy is going in the right direction. In addition, it underlines shares continue to trade at unjustified, undemanding multiples: 6.6x and 5.6x EBITDA₂₀₋₂₁ vs. 7.5x and 7.1x of Hawesko and 15.5x and 13.9x of wine producers. IWB stays focused on cost control and external growth opportunities: IWB is still actively on the buy side, searching targets that display economic and balance sheet solidity, business structure coherence similar to IWB and presence in adjacent channels, to leverage on dimension and reach. In addition, on the back of the sector resiliency and renewed M&A excitement, the possibility of IWB being a target for a player aimed at exploiting synergies with the online and logistic platforms and client/product portfolio. Buy reiterated, 28.6% upside.

IWB, key financials and ratios

€m	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Sales	149.9	157.5	165.1	168.1	171.8
EBITDA adj.	14.6	18.1	19.3	20.9	22.2
EBITDA	13.4	16.3	19.3	20.9	22.2
EBIT adj.	11.1	13.5	14.5	16.1	17.5
EBIT	9.9	11.7	14.5	16.1	17.5
Net profit adj.	7.2	9.2	9.7	11.0	12.1
Net profit	6.4	7.9	9.7	11.0	12.1
NFP (cash)/debt	3.4	10.7	11.3	2.4	(9.0)
EPS adjusted FD	0.98	1.24	1.32	1.49	1.63
EPS adj. FD growth	-11.1%	26.9%	6.1%	12.8%	9.6%
DPS ord. €/s	0.40	0.50	0.41	0.47	0.51
Dividend yield	2.6%	3.2%	2.6%	3.0%	3.3%
Free Cash Flow Yield	3.4%	8.9%	2.7%	10.3%	12.8%
PER x	12.0	9.7	11.9	10.5	9.6
PCF x	12.4	61.5	60.7	53.4	50.4
EV/Sales x	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
EV/EBITDA x	6.2	5.5	6.6	5.6	4.8
EV/EBIT	8.2	7.4	8.8	7.3	6.1



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Income statement (€ m)	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Net Revenues	149.9	157.5	165.1	168.1	171.8
Purchasing	(87.2)	(91.2)	(94.5)	(95.5)	(97.1)
Services	(42.0)	(42.6)	(44.1)	(44.4)	(45.0)
Personnel	(8.3)	(7.7)	(8.2)	(8.3)	(8.4)
Other operating expenses	1.1	0.3	1.0	1.0	1.0
EBITDA adjusted	14.6	18.1	19.3	20.9	22.2
EBITDA	13.4	16.3	19.3	20.9	22.2
D&A	(3.5)	(4.6)	(4.8)	(4.8)	(4.7)
EBIT adjusted	11.1	13.5	14.5	16.1	17.5
EBIT	9.9	11.7	14.5	16.1	17.5
Financials	(1.1)	(1.2)	(1.1)	(1.1)	(1.0)
Extraordinary	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pre-Tax profit	8.7	10.5	13.4	15.1	16.5
Income taxes	(2.4)	(2.6)	(3.6)	(4.1)	(4.5)
Minorities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Profit adjusted	7.2	9.2	9.7	11.0	12.1
Net Profit	6.4	7.9	9.7	11.0	12.1
Balance sheet (€ m)	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Net Working Capital	(4.7)	(1.8)	(1.1)	(1.3)	(1.5)
Net Fixed Assets	101.8	102.5	108.1	107.4	105.2
Equity Investments	0.0	10.9	11.5	11.4	11.1
Other M/L Term A/L	(9.4)	(11.6)	(11.9)	(11.9)	(11.9)
Net Invested Capital	87.7	99.9	106.6	105.6	102.9
Net Financial Position	3.4	10.7	11.3	2.4	(9.0)
Minorities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Group's Shareholders Equity	84.3	89.2	95.3	103.2	111.9
Financial Liabilities & Equity	87.7	99.9	106.6	105.6	102.9
Cash Flow statement (€ m)	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Total net income	6.4	7.9	9.7	11.0	12.1
Depreciation	3.5	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.7
Other non-cash charges	(3.3)	1.1	0.3	(0.0)	0.0
Cash Flow from Oper. (CFO)	6.6	13.6	14.9	15.8	16.8
Change in NWC	0.4	(2.9)	(8.0)	0.2	0.2
FCF from Operations (FCFO)	7.0	10.7	14.1	16.0	17.0
Net Investments (CFI)	(4.0)	(2.8)	(11.0)	(4.1)	(2.2)
Free CF to the Firm (FCFF)	2.9	7.9	3.1	11.9	14.8
CF from financials (CFF)	5.6	(14.4)	(4.6)	(3.9)	(4.2)
Free Cash Flow to Equity (FCFE)	8.5	(6.5)	(1.5)	8.1	10.6
Financial ratios	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
EBITDA margin	9.0%	10.4%	11.7%	12.4%	12.9%
EBIT margin	6.6%	7.4%	8.8%	9.6%	10.2%
Net profit margin	4.2%	5.0%	5.9%	6.5%	7.0%
Tax rate	27.3%	24.8%	27.0%	27.0%	27.0%
Op NWC/Sales	-3.2%	-1.1%	-0.6%	-0.8%	-0.9%
Interest coverage x	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.08	0.07
Net Debt/Ebitda x	0.25	0.66	0.59	0.11	(0.40)
Debt-to-Equity x	0.04	0.12	0.12	0.02	(0.08)
ROIC	7.4%	8.4%	9.4%	10.4%	11.6%
ROCE	7.1% 7.4%	8.1% 8.3%	9.7% 9.8%	10.3%	10.6%
ROACE ROE	7.4%	9.1%	10.6%	10.5% 11.1%	10.9% 11.2%
Payout ratio	46.6%	46.9%	31.0%	31.0%	31.0%
Per share figures	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Final N. of shares # m	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.40
Average N. of shares # m	7.40 7.40	7.40 7.40	7.40 7.40	7.40 7.40	7.40
Final N. of shares (fully diluted) # m EPS reported €	0.86	7.40 1.07	7.40 1.32	7.40 1.49	7.40 1.63
EPS reported € EPS reported FD €	0.86	1.07	1.32	1.49	1.63
EPS reported FD € EPS adjusted FD €	0.88	1.07	1.32	1.49	1.63
EBITDA FD €	1.81	2.20	2.61	2.83	3.00
EBIT FD €	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.03
FCFO FD €	0.94	1.44	1.91	2.16	2.30
FCFF FD €	0.40	1.06	0.41	1.61	2.00
FCFE FD €	1.15	(0.88)	(0.20)	1.09	1.43
Dividend €	0.40	0.50	0.41	0.47	0.51





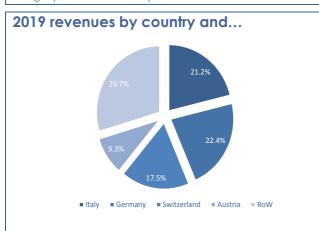
The company at a glance

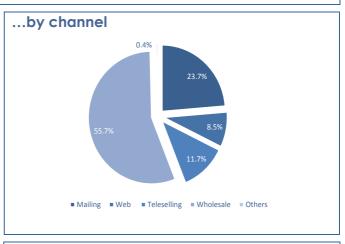
IWB (Italian Wine Brands) is the holding company of a leading producer and distributor in the Italian wine industry. The group operates through two channels: B2C and B2B.

B2C's activity deals with the production and distribution of wine through distance selling channels such as mailing, telesales or internet, addressed to end consumers in Italy, the UK, Germany, Switzerland, Holland, Austria, France and the USA. B2C division boasts a catalogue of over 140 different wines and spumanti and 130 traditional Italian food products. Since the group does not own any vineyards, raw materials (grapes, must and bulk wine) are procured from Italian vineyards and wine producers and then they are processed in the group's two proprietary wineries.

B2B is focused on sale and distribution in the international markets to mass retailers where it distributes both privately labelled and branded products. Both the bottling and the logistic activity are outsourced in order to make the supply operations faster, leaner and more efficient.

Sales reached € 157.5m in 2019, +5.1% YoY. The figure was characterised once again by a strong performance in B2B and mixed results in B2C: B2B division up by 13.6% and B2C down by 3.9%. EBITDA adjusted for non-recurring items was € 18.1m, with 11.5% margin (incl. IFRS 16 effect).





Shareholder structure # m Provinco 9.08% 0.67 **IPOC** 8.69% 0.64 Raphael Dal Bo 2.84% 0.21 Treasury Shares 1.36% 0.10 Free Float, o/w 78.0% 5.78 Otus Capital Management 10.20% 0.76 Praude Asset Management 6.33% 0.47 4.27% 0.32 Axxion SA Total 100.0% 7.40 Source: company data

	1D	1W	1M	3M	6M	YTD
Baron de Ley SA	5.1	5.1	4.0	(3.7)	(5.1)	(5.5)
Concha y Toro Winery Inc	0.5	4.3	(5.4)	(3.1)	(13.5)	(14.5)
Lanson BCC SA	2.0	0.0	(4.6)	(11.9)	(16.1)	(21.2)
Laurent Perrier SA	0.5	4.2	9.7	2.9	(1.2)	(4.1)
Masi Agricola SpA	0.4	(0.4)	3.0	(1.7)	(26.5)	(24.2)
Schloss Wachenheim AG	2.1	0.7	16.7	8.5	(8.7)	(9.0)
Treasury Wine Estates Ltd	0.8	10.6	8.5	6.8	(37.9)	(34.2)
Vranken Pommery Mon	0.4	5.3	(1.8)	(24.4)	(32.0)	(29.9)
Wine producers median	0.6	4.3	3.5	(2.4)	(14.8)	(17.8)
Hawesko Holding AG	4.1	(9.0)	(7.0)	7.4	(17.2)	(13.9)
Naked Wines PLC	(0.1)	(6.8)	10.6	77.7	89.4	76.1
Wine distributors median	(0.1)	(6.8)	10.6	77.7	89.4	76.1
IWB	(1.9)	1.6	17.4	14.3	29.6	22.0

Price & EV multiples x	PER FY1	PER FY2	PER FY3	EBITDA FY1	EBITDA FY2	EBITDA FY3	EBIT FY1	EBIT FY2	EBIT FY3
Baron de Ley SA	16.7	18.8	n.a.	7.0	6.1	n.a.	9.3	8.0	n.a.
Concha y Toro Winery Inc	16.0	13.9	14.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Lanson BCC SA	14.9	16.5	14.1	27.7	30.0	26.6	38.5	43.1	36.9
Laurent Perrier SA	20.3	23.4	23.7	15.0	16.7	17.1	17.4	19.6	20.3
Masi Agricola SpA	n.s.	19.2	n.a.	16.3	8.7	n.a.	89.9	12.4	n.a.
Schloss Wachenheim AG	15.4	14.7	11.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Treasury Wine Estates Ltd	21.7	19.0	16.3	11.9	11.1	9.8	15.1	13.6	11.5
Vranken Pommery Mon. SA	22.8	62.6	35.8	25.0	26.6	23.8	45.2	41.5	35.9
Wine producers median	16.7	18.9	15.2	15.7	13.9	20.5	27.9	16.6	28.1
Hawesko Holding AG	15.5	14.3	13.0	7.5	7.1	5.9	12.2	11.4	10.2
Naked Wines PLC	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	44.0	26.6	n.s.	n.s.	43.6
Wine distributors median	15.5	14.3	13.0	7.5	25.6	16.3	12.2	11.4	26.9
IWB	11.9	10.5	9.6	6.6	5.6	4.8	8.8	7.3	6.1

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03/03/2020	U.R.	BUY
08/01/2020	€19.20	BUY
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