

Borussia Dortmund GmbH & Co. KGaA

H1 results without surprises, limited impact of coronavirus

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Buy 12.00 EUR

Close 28/02/2020	7.69 EUR
Bloomberg: BVB GY	WKN: 549309
Sector	Media

Share price performance

52 week high / low	9.93 / 7.01 EUR
YTD	-12.7%
12 months	-1.5%



Share data

Market Cap (m EUR)	707.0
No. of shares (m)	92.0
Free float	60.8%
Trading vol. Ø (m EUR)	2.4

Next event

Quarterly Results	15/05/2020
Quality hesults	13/03/2020

Following the recently published preliminary figures, the results for H1 2019/20 were without surprises. Total operating proceeds came to € 297.4 m (prev. year: € 256.0 m) and EBITDA reached € 54.7 m (prev. year: € 57.6 m). As expected, BVB did not adjust its 2019/20 outlook, as the full year results will depend on the transfer deals that are expected in the summer transfer period (May-August).

LIMITED POTENTIAL IMPACT FROM CORONAVIRUS

- Regarding the impact of the coronavirus, we currently see limited risk for BVB. According to the DFL, no postponements or cancellations of matches are planned at present. However, the BVB is also insured in the event of a match being cancelled, so that the possible financial impact is limited. There should be no negative effects on the year as a whole in the event of game postponements. We only see some risks in Catering segment, due to potentially lower visitor numbers; however, this segment is rather small (~ 6% of group sales).
- The most important segments, i.e. Transfer Deals, TV Marketing and Advertising, should not be affected by the virus.
- Although the macroeconomic environment has thwarted the positive price momentum triggered by the recent strong newsflow, the key reasons for our BUY rating remain unchanged. We expect both H2 and the FY to be stronger given the strong sporting performance to date and the upcoming summer transfer season. Especially the latter should be a strong catalyst, considering that it takes place before the European Championship.
- The new contracts with Evonik and 1&1 should generate roughly € 10 m p.a. from FY 2020/21 onwards.
- The current share price level largely reflects the market value of the team but is ignoring the brand value.

in m EUR	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20e	2020/21e	2021/22e
Sales	536.1	489.6	508.1	483.1	497.8
EBITDA	126.7	116.0	108.5	131.9	107.3
EBITDA margin	23.6%	23.7%	21.4%	27.3%	21.6%
Net financial debt	-16.1	-10.7	-12.0	-36.3	-204.2
Free cash flow	27.6	1.1	13.4	29.9	222.9
EPS (in EUR)	0.31	0.19	0.20	0.40	0.27
DPS (in EUR)	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
Dividend yield	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%
EV/sales	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.0
EV/EBITDA	5.9	6.0	6.4	5.1	4.7
P/E	26.7	40.3	38.5	19.1	28.4

Source: Company information, Bankhaus Lampe Research estimates

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Date of publication	Price at recommendation	Rating	Price target
06/08/2019	9.09 EUR	Buy	12.00 EUR

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