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From restructuring to repowering

- Solid 3Q25: the first evidence for SCGD's restructuring success
- Margins still improve further despite revenue declined
- Maintain BUY and a TP of THB6.0. Strong Buy on solid growth.

Solid as a rock for 3Q25 net profit

SCGD reported a strong 3Q25 net profit of THB304m, up 37% q-q and 61% y-y, beating our expectation by 5% but the market's forecast by 15%. Core net profit was THB289m, up 2% q-q and 53% y-y, reflecting better bottom line despite the revenue drop to THB5.6b (-10% y-y, -2% q-q). Core EBITDA rose to THB902m, up from THB803m in 2Q25 and THB766m in 3Q24 due to improving margin.

Margins on the uptrend, visibly and notably

After having incurred significant restructuring expenses in 4Q24-2Q25, SCGD finally reached a harvesting time to see strong profitability on the leaner cost structure and better revenue mix to be ready for the upcoming revenue growths particularly in Vietnam. Margins are now on the visibly improving trend, likely to improve further from the already high 16% EBITDA margin (13.9% in 2Q25 and 12.3% in 3Q24) and 5.3% net profit margin (4.9% in 2Q25 and 3.1% in 3Q24) in 3Q25.

Vietnam as an export hub for growth

As of Sep-25, the cost structure of SCGD's production base in Vietnam has already achieved a handsome target, reaching the cost competitiveness level that even is below China's level. Armed with the cost competitiveness, we believe the Vietnam's production base would position SCGD well to be the export hub for ASEAN market, including both ceramics and sanitary products. While revenue contribution may not reach 1/3 of SCGD's total revenue soon, we however project Vietnam's EBITDA contribution to rise to 1/3 of SCGD's total EBITDA by 2027, up from 15% currently. In 3Q25, ceramics sales volumes for Vietnam's domestic market rose by 8.7% y-y to 11.3m sqm with export revenue rising to 33% from new markets in Eastern Europe.

Cost savings and efficiency improvement are key

Gross profit margin remained high at 28.2% in 3Q25 vs 28.3% in 2Q25 and 26.0% in 3Q24, driven by 1) SCGD's relentless efforts to lower energy cost via renewable and biomass (+THB37m); 2) superior product mix of ceramics-cum-glaze porcelain capacity; 3) higher High-Value Added portion at 41% of sales in 3Q25 (vs 36% in 3Q24); 4) raw material cost saving (+THB21m); 5) financing cost (+THB33m); and working capital reduction (+THB29m).

One of the best plays on Vietnam's growth heyday

We maintain BUY and a TP of THB6.0 and expect its share price to rise further mainly from earnings growths in Vietnam and Thailand, which together account for ¾ of SCGD's EBITDA. SCGD still stands as one of the best plays for Vietnam's growth, evidenced in 3Q25 results, to ride on Vietnam's property market recovery.

ESG Rating : A

CG Rating: ΔΔΔΔΔ

BUY	
Target Price 12M (THB)	6.00
VS. BB Consensus TP (%)	-4.2%
Share Price (THB)	4.90
Upside/Downside	+22.4%

Share Data

Market Cap (THB m)	8,085.00
Par (THB)	10.00
Free Float (%)	26.60
Issued shares (m shares)	1,650

Financial forecast

YE Dec (THB m)	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	25,563	27,514	29,010	30,316
Net profit	810	1,095	1,290	1,475
Core net profit	810	1,095	1,290	1,475
vs Consensus (%)	-	6.7	14.2	18.2
Net profit growth (%)	147.1	35.2	17.8	14.3
Core net profit growth (%)	147.1	35.2	17.8	14.3
EPS (THB)	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
Core EPS (THB)	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
Chg from previous (%)		0.00	0.00	0.00
DPS (THB)	0.38	0.20	0.23	0.27
P/E (x)	9.78	7.38	6.27	5.48
P/BV (x)	0.41	0.41	0.39	0.37
ROE (%)	4.17	5.65	6.42	6.98
Dividend yield (%) Source: Financial Statemen	12.78	24.61	20.89	18.28

Share Price Performance (%)

	1M	3M	6M	YTD
Stock	(0.81)	21.29	21.29	2.08
Market	(4.17)	11.54	6.21	8.00
12M High/Low	(THB)		7.	10 / 3.48



Major Shareholders (%) as of 13 Aug 25

SCGHeritage Co.,Ltd 73.39

Company Profile

Business of tiles for floors and walls both in Thailand and other countries, Business of bathroom products in Thailand, and Business of industrial estate services.

Source: SETSMART, SET

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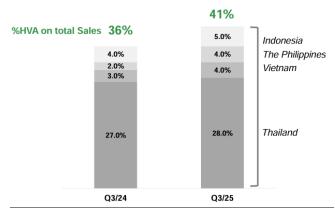


Exhibit 1: Summary of 3Q25/9M25 operations

	3Q24	2Q25	3Q25		9M24	9M25	chg.	2025E	
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q%)	(y-y%)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y%)	(THB m)
Revenue	6,235	5,770	5,638	(2.3)	(9.6)	19,585	17,368	(11.3)	27,514
Operating costs	(5,599)	(5,065)	(4,866)	(3.9)	(13.1)	(17,486)	(15,204)	(13.0)	(24,707)
EBITDA	637	705	772	9.4	21.2	2,099	2,164	3.1	2,807
EBITDA margin (%)	10.2	12.2	13.7	nm	nm	10.7	12.5	nm	10.2
Depn & amort.	(394)	(397)	(405)	1.9	2.7	(1,183)	(1,198)	1.3	(1,514)
EBIT	243	308	367	19.1	51.3	917	965	5.3	1,293
Interest expense	(119)	(103)	(92)	(10.7)	(22.8)	(379)	(302)	(20.3)	(473)
Interest & invt inc	-	-	-	na	na	-	-	na	-
Other income	130	97	131	34.8	0.7	431	349	(19.0)	550.3
Associates' contrib	1	1	2	na	na	3	3	na	3.6
Exceptionals	-	-	-	na	na	-	-	na	-
Pretax profit	254	303	407	34.5	60.5	971	1,015	4.6	1,374
Tax	(57)	(79)	(100)	25.4	74.1	(226)	(267)	18.1	(270)
Tax rate (%)	22.5	26.2	24.5	na	na	23.3	26.3	na	19.6
Minority interests	(8)	(1)	(3)	na	na	(15)	(5)	na	(9.2)
Net profit	189	223	304	36.8	61.1	730	744	1.8	1,095
Non-recurring	-	60	(15)	na	na	-	66	na	-
Core net profit	189	283	289	2.1	52.9	730	810	10.9	1,095
EPS (THB)	0.11	0.13	0.18	36.8	61.1	0.44	0.45	1.8	0.66
Core EPS (THB)	0.11	0.17	0.18	2.1	52.9	0.44	0.49	10.9	0.66

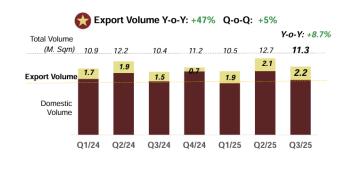
Sources: SCGD; Globlex Research

Exhibit 2: % HVA on total sales



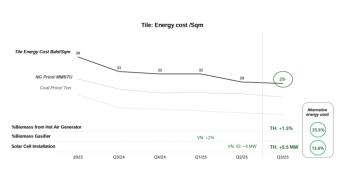
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Exhibit 4: PRIME Vietnam Export Sales Rose continuously



Sources: SCGD; Globlex Research

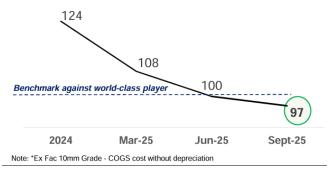
Exhibit 3: Tile Cost



Sources: SCGD; Globlex Research

Exhibit 5: Prime's Glazed porcelain total cost (Vietnam)

PRIME's Glazed Porcelain Total Cost Index*



Sources: SCGD; Globlex Research







Balance sheet (THB m)					
Year ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Current assets					
Cash & ST investment	5,203	4,204	6,631	9,688	12,944
Account receivable	4,449	3,760	3,018	2,236	1,419
Inventories	7,542	7,091	7,696	8,101	8,438
Others	5,524	5,473	5,511	5,541	5,566
Non-current assets					
Net fixed assets	11,621	12,147	10,632	9,118	7,604
Others	7,313	7,149	7,149	7,149	7,149
Total Assets	41,651	39,823	40,638	41,833	43,120
Current liabilities					
Account payable	3,768	3,578	3,883	4,087	4,257
ST borrowing	14,395	13,292	13,292	13,292	13,292
Others	286	324	348	367	384
Long-term liabilities					
Long-term debts	609	578	578	578	578
Others	1,280	1,346	1,346	1,346	1,346
Total liabilities	20,339	19,117	19,447	19,670	19,857
Paid-up capital	16,500	16,500	16,500	16,500	16,500
Retained earnings	11,281	11,556	12,031	12,993	14,081
Others	(8,084)	(8,926)	(8,926)	(8,926)	(8,926)
Minority interest	1,615	1,576	1,585	1,596	1,608
Shareholders' equity	21,312	20,706	21,190	22,163	23,263

Profit & loss (THB m)					
Year ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	28,312	25,563	27,514	29,010	30,316
Cost of goods sold	(20,094)	(17,466)	(18,956)	(19,953)	(20,782)
Gross profit	8,219	8,097	8,558	9,057	9,534
Operating expenses	(5,584)	(5,544)	(5,750)	(6,034)	(6,306)
Operating profit	2,634	2,553	2,807	3,023	3,228
EBIT	1,095	979	1,293	1,509	1,714
Depreciation	(1,540)	(1,574)	(1,514)	(1,514)	(1,514)
EBITDA	2,634	2,553	2,807	3,023	3,228
Non-operating income	380	578	550	580	606
Other incomes	380	578	550	580	606
Other non-op income	0	0	0	0	0
Non-operating expense	(548)	(493)	(473)	(473)	(473)
Interest expense	(548)	(493)	(473)	(473)	(473)
Other non-op expense	0	0	0	0	0
Equity income/(loss)	1	4	4	4	4
Pre-tax Profit	928	1,068	1,374	1,619	1,850
Extraordinary items					
Current taxation	(454)	(249)	(270)	(318)	(363)
Minorities	(147)	(8)	(9)	(11)	(12)
Net Profit	328	810	1,095	1,290	1,475
Core net profit	328	810	1,095	1,290	1,475
EPS (THB)	0.20	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
Core EPS (THB)	0.20	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
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Key ratios	0000	0004	22255	00005	
Year ending Dec Growth (%YoY)	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Sales	(19.6)	(9.7)	7.6	5.4	4.5
	20.9	(3.1)	10.0	7.7	6.8
Operating profit EBITDA	20.9	` '	10.0	7.7 7.7	6.8
Net profit	177.8	(3.1) 147.1	35.2	7.7 17.8	14.3
Core net profit	177.8	147.1	35.2	17.8	14.3
EPS	137.3	147.1	35.2	17.8	14.3
Core EPS	137.3	147.1	35.2 35.2	17.8	14.3
Profitability (%)	137.3	147.1	35.2	17.0	14.3
Gross margin	29.0	31.7	31.1	31.2	31.4
Operation margin	9.3	10.0	10.2	10.4	10.6
EBITDA margin	9.3	10.0	10.2	10.4	10.6
Net margin	1.2	3.2	4.0	4.4	4.9
ROE	1.8	4.2	5.7	6.4	7.0
ROA	0.8	2.0	2.7	3.1	3.5
Stability	0.6	2.0	2.1	3.1	3.3
Interest bearing debt/equity (x)	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
Net debt/equity (x)	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0
Interest coverage (x)	2.0	2.0	2.7	3.2	3.6
Interest & ST debt coverage (x)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Cash flow interest coverage (x)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Current ratio (x)	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6
Quick ratio (x)	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8
Net debt (THB m)	9,801.4	9,666.0	7,239.1	4,181.3	925.9
Activity	0,001.4	0,000.0	7,200.1	4,101.0	020.0
Asset turnover (X)	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.4
Days receivables	57.3	53.7	40.0	28.1	0.0
Days inventory	137.0	148.2	148.2	148.2	0.0
Days payable	68.4	74.8	74.8	74.8	0.0
Cash cycle days	125.9	127.1	113.5	101.6	0.0

Cash flow (THB m)					
Year ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Operating cash flow	1,883	2,620	2,309	2,550	2,714
Net profit	328	810	1,095	1,290	1,475
Depre.& amortization	1,540	1,574	1,514	1,514	1,514
Change in working capital	1,142	932	428	571	641
Others	(1,126)	(696)	(728)	(825)	(916)
Investment cash flow	(3,485)	(560)	2,996	3,336	3,592
Net CAPEX	(1,726)	(2,099)	(50)	(50)	(50)
Change in LT investment	(1,760)	1,539	3,046	3,386	3,642
Change in other assets	0	0	0	0	0
Free cash flow	(1,602)	2,059	5,305	5,887	6,306
Financing cash flow	4,989	(3,059)	(2,878)	(2,829)	(3,051)
Change in share capital	8,146	(13)	0	0	0
Net change in debt	(1,356)	(39)	9	11	12
Dividend paid	(247)	(986)	(620)	(328)	(387)
Others	(1,553)	(2,021)	(2,268)	(2,511)	(2,676)
Net cash flow	3,387	(1,000)	2,427	3,058	3,255
Per share (THB)					
EPS	0.20	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
Core EPS	0.20	0.49	0.66	0.78	0.89
CFPS	2.55	1.45	1.59	1.71	1.82
BVPS	24.90	11.59	11.88	12.47	13.12
Sales/share	35.80	15.49	16.68	17.58	18.37
EBITDA/share	3.33	1.55	1.70	1.83	1.96
DPS	0.15	0.38	0.20	0.23	0.27
Valuation					
P/E (x)	50.34	9.78	7.38	6.27	5.48
P/BV (x)	0.84	0.41	0.41	0.39	0.37
Dividend yield (%)	66.68	12.78	24.61	20.89	18.28
Divdend payout ratio (%)	75.50	76.50	30.00	30.00	30.00





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