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Results Note

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Magna Prima	Price: RM0.91	
Below, new projects lined up	Market Capitalisation:	RM194.6m
Board: Main Board		
Sector: Construction (To be reclassified under Properties w.e.f. 1 March 2010)		
Stock Code: 7617		
Recommendation: REDUCE (maintain)		
Index Component/Constituent: -		

Key Stock Statistics

FYE Dec	2009F	2010F
Diluted EPS (sen)	9.1	9.9
P/E (x)	10.0	9.2
Dividend/Share (sen)	1.3	
NTA/Share (RM)	0.55	5
Book Value/Share (RM)	0.55	5
Issued Share Capital (m)	213.	8
52-week Share Price Range	1.01 - 0).443
No of Warrants (m)	86.2	2
Major Shareholders		
Fantastic Realty Sdn Bhd	15.4	%

Per Share Data					
FYE Dec	2008	2009	2010F	2011F	2012F
Book Value (RM)	0.53	0.57	0.68	0.80	0.93
Cash Flow (sen)	12.4	(27.3)	8.4	12.7	12.8
Basic EPS (sen)	12.6	3.1	12.2	13.3	14.4
Diluted EPS (sen)	9.4	2.2	9.1	9.9	10.6
Dividend (sen)	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.3
Payout Ratio (%)	9.9	40.3	10.2	9.4	8.7
Diluted PER (x)	9.7	41.2	10.0	9.2	8.6
P/Cash Flow (x)	7.3	(3.3)	10.9	7.2	7.1
P/Book Value (x)	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.0
Dividend Yield (%)	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.4
ROE (%)	26.5	5.6	19.5	18.0	16.6
Net Gearing (%)	48.5	46.5	30.0	12.0	(1.8)

P&L Analysis FYE Dec (RM m) 2009 2008 2010F 2011F 2012F Revenue 280.6 193.0 300.0 320.0 340.0 **Operating Profit** 37.1 14.9 36.3 39.5 42.7 Depreciation (1.0) (1.1) (1.1) (1.2) (1.2) Net Interest Inc/Exp 1.4 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 Pre-tax Profit 36.2 37.5 11.4 39.4 42.5 Net Profit 26.9 6.6 26.1 28.5 30.7 Core Net Profit 26.9 26.1 28.5 30.7 6.6 Operating Margin 13.2% 7.7% 12.1% 12.4% 12.6% Pre-tax Margin 13.4% 5.9% 12.1% 12.3% 12.5% Net Margin 9.6% 3.4% 8.7% 8.9% 9.0% Effective Tax Rate 27.2% 41.7% 27.0% 27.0% 27.0%

Share Price Chart



4QFY09 Results Highlights and Analysis

YoY comparison			
FYE Dec (RM m)	4QFY08	4QFY09	Chg (%)
Revenue	80.6	13.7	(83.0)
Operating Profit	16.6	2.1	(87.3)
Depreciation	(0.3)	(0.3)	5.0
Net Interest Inc/Exp	0.1	0.3	286
Pre-tax Profit	16.2	1.2	(92.3)
Net Profit	12.2	0.2	(98.0)
Core Net Profit	12.2	0.2	(98.0)
Operating Margin (%)	20.6%	15.4%	
Pre-tax Margin (%)	20.1%	9.1%	
Net Margin (%)	15.1%	1.8%	
Effective Tax Rate (%)	24.1%	72.3%	

Yoy, 4QFY09 revenue and net profit declined 83.0% and 98.0%. With contribution mostly from the U1 project in Shah Alam and new projects pending land acquisitions, 4QFY09 revenue and net profit declined by 83.0% and 98.0%, respectively. The new management team were also focused on consolidating operations, executing the various proposed land acquisitions, and new project planning to drive future profits. In the quarter, the construction division recorded an operating loss of RM0.7m while the property development division posted an operating profit of RM2.0m.

QoQ comparison			
FYE Dec (RM m)	3QFY09	4QFY09	Chg (%)
Revenue	45.3	13.7	(69.8)
Operating Profit	(0.3)	2.1	(708.3)
Depreciation	(0.3)	(0.3)	0.0
Net Interest Inc/Exp	0.1	0.3	257.8
Pre-tax Profit	(1.7)	1.2	172.6
Net Profit	(2.1)	0.2	111.4
Core Net Profit	(2.1)	0.2	111.4
Operating Margin (%)	-0.8%	15.4%	
Pre-tax Margin (%)	-3.8%	9.1%	
Net Margin (%)	-4.7%	1.8%	
Effective Tax Rate (%)	-53.6%	72.3%	

Qoq, 4QFY09 revenue declined by 69.85 but net profit increased by 111.4%. Lower construction and property billings as well as losses posted by a project contributed to the net loss of RM2.1m in 3QFY09. In comparison therefore 4QFY09 net profit grew by 111.4%.

YoY comparison

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FYE Dec (RM m)	12MFY08	12MFY09	Chg (%)
Revenue	280.6	193.0	(31.2)
Operating Profit	37.1	12.6	(66.1)
Depreciation	(1.0)	(1.1)	5.0
Net Interest Inc/Exp	1.4	(0.1)	(106.0)
Pre-tax Profit	37.5	11.4	(69.5)
Net Profit	26.9	6.7	(75.0)
Core Net Profit	26.9	6.7	(75.0)
Operating Margin (%)	13.2%	6.5%	
Pre-tax Margin (%)	13.4%	5.9%	
Net Margin (%)	9.6%	3.5%	
Effective Tax Rate (%)	27.2%	41.7%	

Yoy, 12MFY09 revenue and net profit declined by 31.2% and 75.0%. 12MFY09 revenue declined by 31.2% mainly due to lower property development (-23.5%) and construction (-50.8%) billings. However, the lower construction operating profit of RM8.3m versus RM31.9m as well as a significantly higher tax rate (due to certain expenses not deductible for tax purposes) contributed mainly to the 75.0% decline in net profit. A DPS of 4.0 sen (versus our forecast of 5.0 sen and equivalent to 1.0 sen adjusted for the 1-into-4 split) has been declared.

Outlook, forecasts & recommendation

12MFY09 net profit below our forecast of RM9.5m, FY10-11 forecasts maintained. 12MFY09 net profit of RM6.7m is 29.5% below our forecast of RM9.5m. However, new projects are expected to drive profits in FY10-13. Management listed 5 new projects which are scheduled to be launched from 2QFY10:-

 Magna City, an integrated development in Jalan Kuching;

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- A gated & guarded residential project in Section 16, Shah Alam;
- A residential project in Bandar Selayang;
- A lifestyle commercial project in Section 5, Petaling Jaya; and
- One Sierra, a mixed development project in Bandar Selayang.

Development of the Jalan Ampang land where the Lai Meng Primary School and Lai Meng Kindergarten are currently located will only start after the new school in Bukit Jalil is completed in 3 years.

Given the buoyant property demand and high profit margins, profit prospects are good. We maintain our FY10-11 forecasts. FY12 estimates are also introduced. Target price of RM0.64 based on CY10 PE of 7x is also maintained. Stock price has also done well in recent months. At current level, we maintain our REDUCE call.

Equity Rating Structure and Definitions

BUY TRADING BUY (TR BUY)	Total return is expected to exceed +15% over a 12-month period Total return is expected to exceed +15% over a 3-month period due to short-term positive development, but fundamentals are not strong enough to warrant a Buy call. This is to cater to investors who are willing to take on higher risks
ADD	Total return is expected to be between 0% to +15% over a 12-month period
REDUCE	Total return is expected to be between 0% to -15% over a 12-month period
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