

# Malaysia Results Review

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# **Buy** (Maintained)

MYR1.92 (15.7%) Target Price (Return): Price: MYR1.66 Market Cap: USD1.959m Avg Daily Turnover (MYR/USD) 4.33m/1.05m

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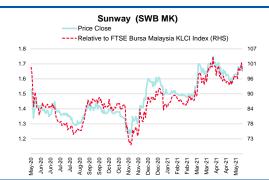
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# **Share Performance (%)**

	YTD	1m	3m	6m	12m
Absolute	3.1	1.2	11.4	27.7	8.5
Relative	6.1	3.1	11.6	28.9	(1.3)
52-wk Price low	/high (MYR)	)		1.23	- 1.75



Source: Bloomberg

# **Sunway** (SWB MK)

## Strong Property Sales In 1Q21; Keep BUY

• BUY, with a lower TP of MYR1.92 from MYR1.95, 16% upside with c.1% yield. Sunway's 1Q21 results missed expectations, mainly due to weak performance from the property development and property investment divisions. As expected, 1Q property sales were very strong at MYR1.16bn, driven mainly by projects in Singapore. We think management may potentially revise up its sales target from the current MYR1.6bn in the next quarter. The potential disposal of its minority stake in Sunway Healthcare remains a share price catalyst over the near term.

- 1Q21 results. Earnings from Sunway's property development and property investment earnings were weak, as progress billings were slower during the quarter and property investment was affected by the loss of income after the disposal of The Pinnacle Sunway in 4Q20. Note that, 4Q20 development earnings were boosted by the balance of development profits from projects in Singapore and China. At the meantime, the hospitality assets continued to be under pressure due to lower occupancy rates. The healthcare division was partly affected by MCO 2.0 during the quarter, and hence Sunway Medical Centre reported lower revenue, while performance of Sunway Medical Centre Velocity remained stable with an operating loss of MYR4.2m (vs -MYR3.9m in 4Q20).
- Strong property sales in 1Q21 as expected. New property sales hit MYR1.16bn in 1Q21 (vs MYR357m in 4Q20), of which MYR865m was from Parc Central Tampines and Ki Residences in Singapore. Both projects are now 74% and 47% sold. Locally, Sunway Belfield, which contributed MYR164m sales, has received a take-up rate of 86% for Tower One. Tower Two, which was launched in March, is now 50% sold.
- Potential upward revision in full-year sales. In view of the strong sales in 1Q, we believe management may potentially revise up its full-year sales target from the current MYR1.6bn. In the pipeline, Sunway is looking in the coming months to launch Sunway ARTESSA condominiums in Wangsa Maju and Sunway Damansara Hill, while monitoring the current market conditions given rising new COVID-19 cases recently.
- Expect 2Q earnings to be weaker. Given the imposition of MCO 3.0, we expect 2Q21 earnings to be much weaker, particularly for the property investment segment. We cut our FY21-23F earnings by 32-39%. As a results of strong property sales, unbilled sales rose to MYR3.3bn from MYR2.4bn as at 4Q20, while its outstanding construction orderbook remained steady at MYR5.0bn (vs MYR5.1bn as at 4Q20).
- Lower TP. As we impute our latest TP for Sunway REIT (SREIT MK, NEUTRAL, TP: MYR1.44) and Sunway Construction (SCGB MK, BUY, TP: MYR2.03), our SOP-based TP falls slightly to MYR1.92. Our valuation comprises a 40% discount to RNAV for the property business, 15x P/E for the trading division, and 32x for the healthcare segment.

Forecasts and Valuation	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Total turnover (MYRm)	4,780	3,833	4,119	4,502	5,211
Recurring net profit (MYRm)	693	461	320	371	466
Recurring net profit growth (%)	17.2	(33.4)	(30.7)	16.0	25.6
Recurring EPS (MYR)	0.14	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.09
DPS (MYR)	0.10	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04
Recurring P/E (x)	11.79	18.52	26.99	23.50	18.91
P/B (x)	0.97	0.90	0.88	0.87	0.86
Dividend Yield (%)	6.0	0.7	0.9	1.8	2.4
Return on average equity (%)	9.1	4.0	3.3	3.8	4.6
Net debt to equity (%)	36.2	50.7	54.4	59.5	47.5

Source: Company data, RHB

# **Financial Exhibits**

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### Valuation basis

40% discount to property RNAV, 15x P/E for trading/building material division, 32x P/E for healthcare division, and 10% holding co discount

### Key drivers

New property sales, disposal of investment properties

### Key risks

Weaker-than-expected market conditions

### **Company Profile**

A well-known developer in the Klang Valley. Its flagship project - Bandar Sunway is a well-established integrated township. The company has successfully transformed a mining land to a matured residential and commercial cluster

Financial summary (MYR)	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Recurring EPS	0.14	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.09
EPS	0.16	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.09
DPS	0.10	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04
BVPS	1.71	1.85	1.88	1.90	1.93
Return on average equity (%)	9.1	4.0	3.3	3.8	4.6
Return on average assets (%)	3.4	1.6	1.5	1.7	2.1

Valuation metrics	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
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P/B (x)	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Dividend Yield (%)	6.0	0.7	0.9	1.8	2.4
EV/EBITDA (x)	15.81	48.94	51.49	42.14	30.77

Income statement (MYRm)	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Total turnover	4,780	3,833	4,119	4,502	5,211
Gross profit	1,318	804	796	935	1,090
EBITDA	789	298	296	381	489
Depreciation and amortisation	(224)	(47)	(108)	(117)	(114)
Operating profit	565	251	188	264	375
Net interest	88	28	5	(15)	(30)
Pre-tax profit	914	509	450	515	647
Taxation	(78)	(102)	(90)	(103)	(129)
Reported net profit	767	360	320	371	466
Recurring net profit	693	461	320	371	466

Cash flow (MYRm)	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Change in working capital	(153)	(514)	(3)	(132)	(350)
Cash flow from operations	916	(18)	481	405	255
Capex	(2,205)	0	(743)	(797)	0
Cash flow from investing activities	(2,659)	(529)	(637)	(635)	1,418
Dividends paid	(494)	(60)	(78)	(157)	(212)
Cash flow from financing activities	(563)	(1,380)	(175)	(254)	(307)
Cash at beginning of period	5,134	5,889	2,269	1,871	1,317
Net change in cash	(2,306)	(1,926)	(332)	(484)	1,365
Ending balance cash	2,829	3,963	1,937	1,387	2,682

Balance sheet (MYRm)	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Total cash and equivalents	5,889	2,269	1,871	1,317	2,266
Tangible fixed assets	12,878	13,632	14,267	14,948	13,630
Intangible assets	331	351	351	351	351
Total other assets	77	65	246	379	500
Total assets	23,558	21,119	21,622	22,064	22,433
Short-term debt	7,417	5,132	5,132	5,132	5,132
Total long-term debt	2,154	2,374	2,512	2,649	2,447
Total liabilities	13,384	10,788	11,008	11,196	11,259
Shareholders' equity	8,392	9,535	9,776	9,990	10,243
Minority interests	631	797	838	879	931
Total equity	10,174	10,332	10,614	10,869	11,174
Total liabilities & equity	23,558	21,119	21,622	22,064	22,433

Key metrics	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21F	Dec-22F	Dec-23F
Revenue growth (%)	(11.6)	(19.8)	7.5	9.3	15.8
Recurring net profit growth (%)	17.2	(33.4)	(30.7)	16.0	25.6
Recurrent EPS growth (%)	16.0	(36.4)	(31.4)	14.8	24.3
Gross margin (%)	27.6	21.0	19.3	20.8	20.9
Recurring net profit margin (%)	14.5	12.0	7.8	8.2	8.9
Dividend payout ratio (%)	64.4	16.7	24.4	42.5	45.6

Source: Company data, RHB



# **Results At a Glance**

Figure 1: Quarterly results

FYE Dec (MYR mil)	1Q20	4Q20	1Q21	QoQ (%)	101 (%)	Comments
Turnover	971.4	1,278.0	1,016.7	(20.4)	4.7	
Prop dev	139.2	184.3	97.2	(47.3)	(30.2)	QoQ drop in revenue was due to slower progress billings.
Prop invt	134.3	46.1	58.7	27.4	(56.3)	The leisure business benefited from higher numbers of visitor to the theme park, but travel restrictions have nonetheless hit the hospitality business.
Construction	218.0	424.6	321.4	(24.3)	47.4	
Trading & Manufacturing	194.2	245.8	224.5	(8.7)	15.6	
	74.1	109.8	77.2		4.2	
Quarry				(29.6)		Devenue was law as OoO as contribution from Sunuev
Healthcare	149.2	178.0	170.6	(4.1)	14.4	Revenue w as low er QoQ, as contribution from Sunw ay Medical Centre w as affected by MCO 2.0.
Investment holdings	1.7	1.4	1.1	n.m.	n.m.	,
Others	60.7	88.1	66.0	(25.0)	8.9	
EBIT	44.7	46.0	49.1	6.6	9.7	
EBIT Margin (%)	4.6%	3.6%	4.8%			
Prop dev	26.1	42.2	13.1	(68.9)	(49.7)	4Q20 EBIT was boosted by the full recognition of the balance of development profits for one of the Singapore and China property projects, as well as a gain on land disposal of MY R7.7m (Pinnacle Sunway).
Prop invt	29.7	(48.9)	(14.3)	(70.8)	(148.1)	The larger LBIT was mainly due to fair value loss from revaluation of investment properties and impairment of assets w hich amounted to MYR47.9m and MYR12.3m, but partially offset by gain on disposal of Pinnacle Sunway (MYR16.7m).
Construction	19.8	36.1	26.3	(27.3)	32.8	
Trading & Manufacturing	2.1	12.4	13.0	4.7	505.7	
Quarry	2.3	5.3	2.6	(51.6)	10.9	
Healthcare	(0.9)	25.2	17.1	(32.0)	(1987.3)	
Investment holdings	(34.6)	(21.2)	(13.8)	n.m.	(60.3)	
Others	0.2	14.0	5.0	(63.8)	2002.5	
Exceptional items	0.0	47.2	0.0	n.m.	n.m.	
Finance cost	24.5	44.1	14.5	(67.2)	(40.8)	
Asso & jv	38.6	161.6	23.6	(85.4)	(38.8)	
Other Income	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.m.	n.m.	
Pretax profit	107.8	251.7	87.2	(65.4)	(19.1)	
PBT margin (%)	11.1%	19.7%	8.6%			
Tax	(17.5)	(44.8)	(16.8)	(62.5)	(4.1)	
Tax (%)	16.2%	17.8%	19.3%			
PAT	90.3	207.0	70.4	(66.0)	(22.1)	
M	(12.0)	(13.9)	(11.9)	(14.2)	(0.7)	
Net profit	78.3	193.1	58.5	(69.7)	(25.3)	
Core net profit	78.3	240.3	58.5	(75.7)	(25.3)	Below expectations.
Net margin (%)	8.1	18.8	0.0			
EPS (sen)	1.4	3.8	1.0			
NTA (RM)	1.73	1.95	1.96			
DPS (sen)	0.0	1.5	0.0			
EBIT margin:						
Prop dev	18.7%	22.9%	22.9%			
Prop invt		-106.2%	-106.2%			
Construction	9.1%	8.5%	8.5%			
Trading & Manufacturing	1.1%	5.0%	5.0%			
Quarry	3.1%	4.8%	4.8%			
Healthcare	-0.6%	14.1%	14.1%			
Investment holdings	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.			
Others	0.4%	15.8%	15.8%			

Source: Company data, RHB



Figure 2: RNAV estimate

		Remaining	Remaining		
Developments		Landbank (acre)	GDV (MYR m)	Effective stake	NPV @ 9%
Selangor/KL					
Sunway Damansara		21.70	2,235.30	60%	230.6
Sunway South Quay		29.90	2,486.70	100%	357.6
Sunway Monterez Sunway Semenyih		4.40 526.10	38.00 728.59	60% 70%	3.0 59.5
Sunway Semenyin Sunway Cheras		2.90	16.82	100%	1.7
Sunway Duta		3.16	120.00	60%	7.5
Sunway Resort City		7.7	660	100%	106.9
Sunway Velocity		2.20	1,983.98	85%	209.9
Sunway Velocity 2		5.50	1,360.00	50%	50.5
New land in Cochrane		6.59	1,150.00	100%	112.9
Sunway Tower KL 1		1.90	240.00	100%	22.2
Sunway Termuning		28.90	277.00	80%	17.3
Sg Long		28.90	277.00	80%	22.0
Mont Putra, Rawang Kelana Jaya		163.00 14.00	156.00 1,450.00	100% 100%	14.4 118.6
Subang industrial		4.20	52.00	70%	3.9
Sunway Belfield		4.53	1,100.00	100%	90.0
Sunway Kajang		5.28	460.00	60%	25.6
USJ 1		14.80	1,400.00	100%	114.5
Sunway Avila		2.30	270.00	55%	14.9
Sunway ARTESSA, Wangsa Maju		3.69	300.00	55%	13.5
Sunway Damansara Hill, Kota Damansara		9.46	544.00	60%	37.3
Cheras land		3.34	225.00	100%	19.9
Mutiara Bukit Jalil		11.80	800.00	100%	62.9
Dengkil (Emerald Tycoon)		74.50	796.60	100%	48.3
Perak		222.1	000.40	2001	101=
Sunway City Ipoh		336.4	928.40	96%	124.8
<b>Penang</b> Sunway Hills		80.70	849.00	100%	75.7
Sunway Mills Sunway Wellesley, Bukit Mertajam		51.47	710.47	100%	74.8
Paya Terubong		24.90	1,500.00	100%	145.8
Sunway Tunas , Balik Pulau		9.00	60.00	100%	6.3
Sunway Betong, Balik Pulau		19.87	110.00	100%	11.6
S'pore		. 0.01		. 5570	
Anchorvale Lane, Sengkang (Rivercove EC	)	5.19	1,560.00	30%	44.7
Ki Residences (Clementi)		8.56	3,410.00	30%	106.4
Canberra Link, Sembawang		4.46	1,643.00	35%	59.8
Parc Central, Tampines EC		6.16	2,650.50	35%	84.4
Johor					
Bukit Lenang		64.79	698.40	80%	54.3
Medini		632.80	10,616.00	60%	572.3
Pendas		1,079.07	18,000.00	60%	682.9
China		0.05	700.00	0001	20.5
Tianjin Phase 3 <b>India</b>		6.85	780.00	60%	39.5
India Sunway OPUS Grand India		23.80	702.36	50%	23.9
Sunway MAK Signature Residence		14.00	181.22	60%	7.7
(JV with M.A.K Builders)		. 4.00	.51.22	30 /0	
TOTAL		3,459.45	69,122.22		3,880.84
nvestment properties		Est. market value (MYR m)	Book value (MYR m)	Equity interest	Netsurplus (MYRm)
Monash University Campus		302.8	302.8	100%	(WITKIII)
Monash U Residence		239.0	239.0	100%	Ö
Sunway Geo Tower		168.0	111.0	100%	57.0
Sunway Hotel Georgetown		60.0	37.6	100%	22.4
Sunway Hotel Phnom Penh		19.0	19.0	53%	0
Sunway Hotel Hanoi		5.0	5.0	100%	0
Sunway Giza		50.0	50.0	60%	0
Sunway Velocity Mall		1,805.0	805.0	59%	590.0
Sunway Citrine Hub		42.0	42.0	60%	0.0
Sunway Geo Avenue		94.0	94.0	100%	0.0
Subtotal					4,550.24
Subtotal Shareholders' equity (ex cons. & healthcare	e)				9,812.40
Total	,				14,362.64
Discount to Property RNAV					40%
Discounted Property RNAV					8,617.58
Other divisions	Market value (MYR m)	Book value E (MYR m)	st. FY21 earnings (MYR m)	PE target (x)	Equity value surplus (MYR m)
40.9% Sunway REIT	2,017.1	1,479.0	( 115 111)	(*)	538.07
54.4% Sunway Construction	1,427.9	844.1			583.82
Healthcare	,		65	32	2,080.00
Others			60	15	900.00
			55		222.00
Total					12,719.47
ESOS proceeds					151.21
Warrants conversion @ MYR1.56					1,044.44
Total RNAV					13,915.13
Holding company discount					10%
Discounted RNAV					12,523.61
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Share base (mil) incl. warrants & ICPS TP (MYR)					6,525.86 1.92

Source: RHB

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# **Recommendation Chart**



Source: RHB, Bloomberg

Date	Recommendation	Target Price	Price
2021-04-19	Buy	1.95	1.64
2021-04-01	Buy	1.94	1.69
2021-03-16	Buy	1.88	1.64
2020-03-23	Buy	1.86	1.41
2019-11-22	Buy	2.00	1.78
2019-09-27	Buy	1.95	1.66
2019-08-28	Buy	1.85	1.59
2019-07-02	Buy	1.86	1.65
2019-04-01	Buy	1.85	1.67
2019-01-24	Buy	1.83	1.54

Source: RHB, Bloomberg

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12 months

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