# **ERWE Immobilien AG**

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# Prel. 2020 figures and strong growth in gross rental income

**Prel. 2020 figures:** Yesterday evening, 16.03, ERWE published its preliminary 2020 figures. The company was able to increase its gross rental income by more than 60% to EUR 5.6m, thus exceeding our expectations (FMRe: EUR 4.9m). The successful leases in Krefeld (fully let) and Lübeck, as well as the newly acquired Kupferpassage Coesfeld in spring 2020, were key contributors to this growth. However, net income before minority interests fell significantly year-on-year (2019: EUR 8.7m) to EUR 0.1m, well below our estimates (FMRe 2020: EUR 2.5 million). The company points out that the main reason for this is value adjustments to existing properties, which was driven by the pandemic and the associated restrictions on public life and affected retail and hotel properties, especially those in Speyer.

ERWE also reported a slight decline in NAV from EUR 4.22 in 2019 to EUR 4.12 by the end of 2020 (FMRe: EUR 4.59). From 2021, the company will change its reporting and instead of the NAV will now report the so-called NRV (Net Reinstatement Value), as recommended by EPRA (European Public Real Estate Association). This ratio assumes that the company will never sell assets and therefore represents the value required to rebuild the entity. ERWE's NRV has improved from EUR 4.77 in 2019 to EUR 4.87 in 2020.

**Guidance 2021:** ERWE announced that it expects further growth in revenue from real estate in 2021, indicating a range of EUR 7.8-8.5m. This would mean a growth of around 40-50% compared to 2020.

The full report will be published on 30.03. and we will adjust our model and estimates accordingly once the detailed results are available. We still see significant upside potential (currently: +27%) for ERWE Immobilien, as the company is growing rapidly, which can be seen from the significant growth in results from property management. Hence, we confirm our BUY recommendation and a price target of EUR 4.80.

FY End: 31.12.; in Euro CAGR (19-22e) 2022e 2018 2021e 2017 2019 2020e NOI 77.0% 1.2 1.4 29 54 76 **EBIT** 1.3% 9.5 11.5 8.9 10.9 12.0 Net profit -25.1% 4.5 8.3 2.0 2.2 3.5 EPS (EUR) -25.1% 0.44 0.50 0.12 0.13 0.21 **NAVPS** 4.5% 4.03 4.22 4.59 4.78 5.05 Net Debt 36.3% 39.2 67.3 105.4 143.8 170.3 ΕV 75.3 101.4 165.6 187.9 213.3 -EV/Sales 74 2 34 5 28.2 65.3 56.8 FV/FBIT 8.0 88 18.5 17 2 17 8 4.1 5.8 13.2 14.2 Net Debt/EBITDA 11.8 Source: ERWE Immobilien. FMR

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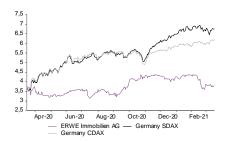
**BUY** 

Before: BUY

Target price EUR 4.80 (4.80) Share price\* EUR 3.78 (27%)

\*last XETRA closing price

| Change    | 2020e | 2021e | 2022e |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|
| NOI       | -     | -     | -     |
| EBIT      | -     | -     | -     |
| NAV/share |       | _     |       |



#### **Basic share data**

| Number of shares (millions) | 16.6 |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Free float (in %)           | 21%  |
| Market Cap (in EUR)         | 62.  |
| Trading vol. (Ø 30 days)    | 1.6T |
| High (Euro, 52 weeks)       | 4.52 |
| Low (Euro, 52 weeks)        | 3.02 |

## Shareholder structure

| Familie Harloff   | 33.7%  |
|-------------------|--------|
|                   |        |
| Familie Weitzel   | 33.7%  |
| Elbstein AG       | 11.4%  |
| Eroo Float others | 21 20/ |

#### Company calendar

| FY 2020 report | 30.03.2021 |
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# **Appendix**

| in mEUR   | 2018  | 2019   | 2020e  | 2021e | 20226 |
|---|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| Earnings from property lettings                 | 1.2   | 1.4    | 2.9    | 5.4   | 7.6   |
| yoy change                                      |       | 18.4%  | 113.6% | 86.7% | 39.1% |
| Gross rental revenue                            | 2.8   | 3.5    | 4.9    | 7.6   | 9.9   |
| yoy change                                      |       | 25.9%  | 42.6%  | 53.2% | 30.9% |
| Expenses from property lettings                 | -1.6  | -2.1   | -2.0   | -2.1  | -2.3  |
| yoy change                                      |       | 31.4%  | -3.5%  | 5.0%  | 10.0% |
| Cost of operations                              | -2.4  | -4.9   | -8.5   | -9.1  | -9.7  |
| yoy change                                      |       | 102.5% | 74.3%  | 7.7%  | 6.5%  |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties | 9.6   | 12.6   | 11.9   | 11.9  | 11.3  |
| yoy change                                      |       | 30.9%  | -5.0%  | 0.0%  | -5.0% |
| Other operating income                          | 1.1   | 0.8    | 0.9    | 1.0   | 1.1   |
| yoy change                                      |       | -24.6% | 10.0%  | 10.0% | 10.0% |
| EBIT  | 9.5   | 11.5   | 8.9    | 10.9  | 12.0  |
| yoy change                                      |       | 21.9%  | -22.7% | 22.4% | 9.8%  |
| Financial result                                | -2.1  | -3.3   | -6.5   | -7.1  | -6.4  |
| as % of EBIT                                    | 22.0% | 28.7%  | 72.4%  | 65.1% | 53.4% |
| EBT   | 7.4   | 8.2    | 2.5    | 3.8   | 5.6   |
| yoy change                                      |       | 11.4%  | -70.1% | 55.0% | 46.8% |
| Taxes on income                                 | -2.5  | 0.5    | 0.0    | -1.1  | -1.7  |
| as % of EBT                                     | 33.4% | -5.9%  | 0.0%   | 30.0% | 30.0% |
| Consolidated net income                         | 4.9   | 8.7    | 2.5    | 2.7   | 3.9   |
| yoy change                                      |       | 77.2%  | -71.7% | 8.5%  | 46.8% |
| Minorities                                      | -0.4  | -0.4   | -0.4   | -0.4  | -0.4  |
| Net income attributable to shareholders         | 4.5   | 8.3    | 2.0    | 2.2   | 3.5   |
| Number of shares                                | 10.3  | 16.6   | 16.6   | 16.6  | 16.6  |
| EPS   | 0.44  | 0.50   | 0.12   | 0.13  | 0.21  |

Source: ERWE Immobilien AG, FMR



| in mEUR   | 2018                         | 2019                 | 2020e                | 2021e                | 2022e                |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Assets  |                              |                      |                      |                      |                      |
| Non-current assets  | 106.8                        | 139.6                | 186.4                | 231.6                | 269.1                |
| as % of total assets  | 84.0%                        | 85.8%                | 87.7%                | 96.4%                | 98.4%                |
| Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets   | 0.2                          | 1.5                  | 1.9                  | 2.5                  | 3.3                  |
| Investment properties   | 101.9                        | 131.9                | 178.1                | 222.6                | 259.3                |
| Interest in at-equity companies   | 4.6                          | 6.2                  | 6.4                  | 6.4                  | 6.4                  |
| Current assets  | 20.3                         | 23.0                 | 26.1                 | 8.6                  | 4.3                  |
| as % of total assets  | 16.0%                        | 14.2%                | 12.3%                | 3.6%                 | 1.6%                 |
| Trade receivables and other receivables   | 0.2                          | 0.3                  | 0.3                  | 0.3                  | 0.3                  |
| Other receivables   | 0.0                          | 0.6                  | 0.6                  | 0.4                  | 0.3                  |
| Other financial assets  | 0.0                          | 1.9                  | 0.0                  | 0.0                  | 0.0                  |
| Other assets  | 1.0                          | 1.0                  | 1.0                  | 1.1                  | 1.1                  |
| Income tax receivables  | 0.0                          | 0.1                  | 0.0                  | 0.0                  | 0.0                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | 19.2                         | 19.1                 | 24.1                 | 6.7                  | 2.6                  |
| Total Assets  | 127.1                        | 162.6                | 212.5                | 240.2                | 273.4                |
| Shareholder's equity and liabilities  Total equity as % of total assets   | <b>49.6</b> 39.0%            | <b>58.3</b> 35.8%    | <b>60.7</b> 28.6%    | <b>63.4</b> 26.4%    | <b>67.3</b> 24.6%    |
| Share capital   | 16.6                         | 16.6                 | 16.6                 | 16.6                 | 16.6                 |
| Capital reserve   | 11.0                         | 11.0                 | 11.0                 | 11.0                 | 11.0                 |
| Revenue reserves  | 14.4                         | 14.4                 | 14.4                 | 14.4                 | 14.4                 |
| Accumulated net profit  | 4.5                          | 12.7                 | 14.8                 | 17.0                 | 20.5                 |
| Equity allocatable to shareholders  | 46.5                         | 54.7                 | 56.7                 | 58.9                 | 62.4                 |
| Non-controlling interest  | 3.1                          | 3.6                  | 4.0                  | 4.5                  | 4.9                  |
| Non-current liabilities   | 57.2                         | 87.6                 | 87.1                 | 103.1                | 124.6                |
| as % of total assets  | 45.0%                        | 53.9%                | 41.0%                | 43.0%                | 45.6%                |
| Financial debt  | 41.5                         | 69.7                 | 68.3                 | 82.0                 | 100.0                |
| Landan Bakilida   | 0.0                          | 2.6                  | 2.6                  | 2.7                  | 2.8                  |
| Leasing liabilities   | 45.7                         | 15.3                 | 15.3                 | 15.8                 | 16.3                 |
| •   | 15.7                         |                      |                      |                      |                      |
| Deferred tax liabilities  | 20.3                         | 16.7                 | 64.7                 | 73.6                 | 81.5                 |
| Deferred tax liabilities  |                              | <b>16.7</b> 10.3%    | <b>64.7</b> 30.4%    | <b>73.6</b> 30.6%    | <b>81.5</b> 29.8%    |
| Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities  as % of total assets   | 20.3                         |                      |                      |                      |                      |
| Leasing liabilities  Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities  as % of total assets  Financial debt  Trade paybles | <b>20.3</b> 16.0%            | 10.3%                | 30.4%                | 30.6%                | 29.8%                |
| Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities  as % of total assets  Financial debt                                     | <b>20.3</b> 16.0% 16.8       | 10.3%<br>13.7        | 30.4%<br>61.2        | 30.6%<br>68.5        | 29.8%<br>72.9        |
| Current liabilities as % of total assets Financial debt Trade paybles   | 20.3<br>16.0%<br>16.8<br>2.1 | 10.3%<br>13.7<br>0.9 | 30.4%<br>61.2<br>1.1 | 30.6%<br>68.5<br>1.7 | 29.8%<br>72.9<br>3.0 |

Source: ERWE Immobilien AG, FMR



| Cash flow statement                                  |       |       |       |       |       |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| in mEUR  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020e | 2021e | 2022e |
| EBT  | 7.4   | 8.2   | 2.5   | 3.8   | 5.6   |
| Depreciation   | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   |
| Fair Value adjustments                               | -9.6  | -12.6 | -11.9 | -11.9 | -11.3 |
| At-Equity valued companies                           | 0.0   | -1.6  | 0.2   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Net Working Capital                                  | 1.4   | -0.6  | 3.1   | 3.3   | 6.1   |
| Interest and taxes                                   | -1.3  | -3.1  | -0.1  | 0.5   | 0.6   |
| CF from operating activities                         | -1.4  | -6.2  | 0.5   | 3.1   | 7.6   |
| Non-current assets                                   | 0.5   | 0.0   | 5.5   | 4.0   | 3.5   |
| Investment in investment properties                  | -13.5 | -14.7 | -46.2 | -44.5 | -36.7 |
| Investments in PPE                                   | -0.1  | -0.6  | -0.7  | -1.0  | -1.2  |
| Investments in equity instruments of other companies | -3.8  | -0.1  | -0.2  | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| CF from investing activities                         | -17.0 | -15.4 | -41.6 | -41.6 | -34.4 |
| Capital deposits                                     | 18.0  | -0.6  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Repayment of finance lease liabilities               | 0.0   | -0.2  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Taking up of financial debt                          | 17.0  | 51.1  | 46.2  | 21.1  | 22.6  |
| Repayment of financial debt                          | -2.3  | -28.8 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| CF from financing activities                         | 32.6  | 21.5  | 46.2  | 21.1  | 22.6  |
| Change in cash and cash equivalents                  | 14.3  | -0.1  | 5.1   | -17.4 | -4.2  |
| Cash at the start of the period                      | 4.9   | 19.2  | 19.1  | 24.1  | 6.7   |
| Cash at the end of the period                        | 19.2  | 19.1  | 24.1  | 6.7   | 2.6   |

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| Date       | Recommendation | Share price at publication date | Price target |
|------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| 30.09.2020 | BUY            | 3.78                            | 4.50         |
| 09.10.2020 | BUY            | 4.14                            | 4.50         |
| 16.11.2020 | BUY            | 4.36                            | 4.80         |
| 18.12.2020 | BUY            | 4.16                            | 4.80         |
| 17.03.2021 | BUY            | 3.78                            | 4.80         |

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