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公司报告: 伟仕佳杰 (00856 HK)



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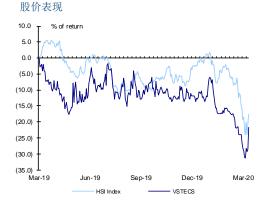
Solid Long-Term IT Services Growth, Maintain "Buy"

稳健的长期IT服务增长,维持"买入"

- VSTECS' shareholders' profit reached HK\$810 million in 2019, up 9.3% YoY. Total revenue increased by 6.0% YoY to HK\$66,210 million and all segments recorded positive growth. Mobility & digital devices/ components/ cloud & big data analytics/ network & data security increased by 3.3%/ 11.8%/ 3.9%/ 10.1%, respectively. Gross margin remained flat as 4.5% while operating expenses have been well controlled and SG&A expenses to revenue ratio was slightly down 0.1 ppts YoY to 2.6%. The Company proposed final dividend of HK\$0.167 per share, up 10.0% YoY, maintaining dividend payout ratio at 30%.
- Positive on the Company's long-term growth despite of turbulence in the near term. According to the management, the Company's revenue was down by around 8% YoY to HK\$9.1 billion in Jan.-Feb. 2020 due to the impact of the COVID-19 outbreak. However, we believe that demand for IT devices and services will not disappear and is likely to be postponed to the rest of the year. In addition, rapid growth of Cloud Computing, big data and 5G will yield growth opportunities to the Company.
- Maintain investment rating as "Buy" but revise down TP to HK\$4.50. The new TP represents 7.3x, 6.4x and 5.6x 2020, 2021 and 2022 PER, respectively. Main risks include intense competition among the IT services industry and continuing spread of the COVID-19 virus.
- **伟仕佳杰 2019 年股东净利达到 810 百万港元,同比上升 9.3%。**总收入同比增长 6.0%至 66,210百万港元,所有分部均录得正增长。移动终端/配件/云计算及大数据分析/网络及信 息安全业务分别同比上升 3.3%/ 11.8%/ 3.9%/ 10.1%。毛利率同比持平为 4.5%, 经营费 用管控良好且销售和行政管理占收入比同比下降 0.1 个百分点至 2.6%。公司宣派每股 0.167 港元的末期股息,同比上升 10%且派息率维持 30%。
- 尽管短期波动,但长期增长看好。根据管理层,受到新冠病毒爆发的影响,公司 2020 年 1-2 月收入同比下降约 8%至 91 亿港元。然而,我们认为 IT 设备和服务的需求并不会消失 并可能延后至今年剩下时间。此外,云计算、大数据及 5G 的快速发展会给公司带来增长 机会。
- 维持投资评级为"买入"但下调目标价至 4.50 港元。新目标价分别相当于 7.3 倍/ 6.4 倍/ 5.6 倍 2020/ 2021/ 2022 年市盈率。主要风险包括 IT 服务行业竞争加剧和新冠病毒的持续传 播。

Rating:	Buy Maintained
评级:	买入 (维持)
6-18m TP 目标价: Revised from 原目标价:	HK\$4.50 HK\$5.22
Share price 股价:	HK\$3.500

Stock performance



Change in Share Price	1 M	3 M	1 Y
股价变动	1 个月	3个月	1年
Abs. % 绝对变动 %	(5.4)	(10.5)	(24.2)
Rel. % to HS Index 相对恒指变动 %	7.1	5.1	(6.7)
Avg. Share price(HK\$) 平均股价(港元)	3.4	3.7	3.9

Source: Bloomberg, Guotai Junan International

Year End	Turnover	Net Profit	EPS	EPS	PER	BPS	PBR	DPS	Yield	ROE	
年结	收入	股东净利	每股净利	每股净利变动	市盈率	每股净资产	市净率	每股股息	股息率	净资产收益率	
12/31	(HK\$ m)	(HK\$ m)	(HK\$)	(∆ %)	(x)	(HK\$)	(x)	(HK\$)	(%)	(%)	
2018A	62,482	741	0.516	2.6	6.8	3.462	1.0	0.155	4.4	15.0	
2019A	66,210	810	0.570	10.5	6.1	3.981	0.9	0.167	4.8	15.1	
2020F	70,602	882	0.621	8.9	5.6	4.416	0.8	0.186	5.3	14.8	
2021F	77,158	994	0.700	12.7	5.0	4.906	0.7	0.210	6.0	15.0	
2022F	84,573	1,150	0.810	15.7	4.3	5.473	0.6	0.243	6.9	15.6	
Shares in iss	ue (m) 总股数	(m)		1,420.3	Major s	hareholder 大股	东			Li Jialin 41.0%	
Market cap. (HK\$m)市值(HK\$ m)		4,971.1	Free flo	oat (%) 自由流通	自比率 (%)			41.5	
3 month aver	age vol. 3 个月	平均成交股数('00	00)	1,495.1	.1 FY20 Net gearing (%) FY20 净负债/股东资金 (%)				84.5%		
52 Weeks hig	h/low (HK\$) 52	周高/低 (HK\$)		4.790 / 2.750	FY20 Est. NAV (HK\$) FY20 每股估值(港元)				5.0		

Source: the Company, Guotai Junan International.



2019 Annual Results Review

VSTECS (the "Company") recorded revenue of HK\$66,210 million in 2019, up 6.0% YoY. Revenue growth slightly missed our expectation and market consensus, partly due to negative impact from the China-U.S. trade war. By business, revenue of mobility & digital devices business increased by 3.3% YoY to HK\$26,981 million and accounted for 40.8% of total revenue. Revenue rose by 10.5% YoY in 2H2019, showing a rise in consumption demand for digital devices. Components business recorded sales of HK\$12,616 million, up 11.8%, contributing 19.1% of total revenue. Sales of storage devices became a main driver due to the fast growing monitoring devices market. In respect to IT services for enterprises, revenue of cloud and big data analytics business increased by 3.9% YoY to HK\$16,919 million, and network and data security was up by 10.1% YoY to HK\$9,694 million. In 2H2019, revenue from cloud and big data decreased by 1.0% on a high base while revenue from network and data security rose by 6.6% YoY. Broken down by region, revenue from North Asia increased 5.4% YoY and in Southeast Asia achieved YoY growth of 8.1%, thanks to the Company's overseas expansion strategy.

Shareholders' profit increased 9.3% YoY to HK\$810 million in 2019. Overall gross margin improved remained flat at 4.5%, as the proportion of the four segments was similar to that in 2018. S&D expenses increased by 3.5% YoY to HK\$1,125 million and administrative expenses increased by 4.2% YoY to HK\$618 million. Operating expenses have been well controlled and SG&A expenses to revenue ratio was slightly down 0.1 ppts YoY to 2.6%. By the end of Dec. 2019, total working capital days increased by 1 day YoY to 53 days, of which accounts receivables days and inventory days decreased by 1.6 days and 2.8 days, respectively. The Company proposed final dividend of HK\$0.167 per share, up 10.0% YoY and maintaining dividend payout ratio at 30%.

Table-1: VSTECS's 2019 Revenue Breakdown

HK\$ million	20	18	20 ²	19	ΥοΥ
	Value	% of total	Value	% of total	101
By business					
Mobility & digital devices	26,114	41.8%	26,981	40.8%	3.3%
Components products	11,287	18.1%	12,616	19.1%	11.8%
Cloud and big data analytics	16,279	26.1%	16,919	25.6%	3.9%
Network and data security	8,802	14.1%	9,694	14.6%	10.1%
By region					
North Asia	49,379	79.0%	52,050	78.6%	5.4%
Southeast Asia	13,103	21.0%	14,160	21.4%	8.1%
Total revenue	62,482	100.0%	66,210	100.0%	6.0%

Source: the Company, Guotai Junan International.

Table-2: VSTECS's 2019 Results Review

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HK\$ million	2018	2019	YoY	2H18	2H19	YoY
Revenue	62,482	66,210	6.0%	34,539	36,178	4.7%
Cost of sales	(59,672)	(63,242)	6.0%	(32,983)	(34,641)	5.0%
Gross profit	2,810	2,968	5.6%	1,556	1,537	-1.2%
Other income and gains	14	36	164.7%	9	29	206.6%
Selling and distribution expenses	(1,087)	(1,125)	3.5%	(632)	(612)	-3.1%
Administrative expenses	(593)	(618)	4.2%	(336)	(287)	-14.6%
Operating profit	1,143	1,260	10.2%	597	666	11.4%
Finance costs	(240)	(296)	23.0%	(120)	(164)	35.8%
Share of associates' profits	50	50	0.5%	25	31	24.1%
Share of JV's losses	(6)	(5)	-9.1%	(3)	(2)	-7.2%
Profit before tax	947	1,010	6.6%	499	530	6.3%



Income tax	(206)	(200)	-3.2%	(120)	(112)	-6.5%
Shareholders' profit	741	810	9.3%	379	418	10.3%
Gross margin	4.5%	4.5%	0.0 ppt	4.5%	4.2%	-0.3 ppts
Operating margin	1.8%	1.9%	0.1 ppts	1.7%	1.8%	0.1 ppts
Net margin	1.2%	1.2%	0.0 ppt	1.1%	1.2%	0.1 ppts

Source: the Company, Guotai Junan International.

Earnings Forecasts Assumptions and Revisions

Still positive on the Company's long-term growth. VSTECS was negatively affected by the COVID-19 outbreak in Jan. and Feb. 2020. According to the management, the Company's revenue dropped by around 8% YoY to HK\$9.1 billion and revenue dropped by around 11% YoY in China during the period. The suspension of procurement by governments and enterprises, as well as limited logistics networks in China led to the sales decline. However, the Company's operations have started to gradually return back to normal from this week, and the domestic market is expected to grow in April. However, the Southeast Asia market may be affected by the spread of the pandemic in March and April as several cities have taken lockdown measures. In our view, the pandemic may impact the Company's business in the short term but demand for IT devices and services will not disappear. In the consumer market, rising demand to work from home and online education services is expected to support sales of mobility and digital devices. In the enterprise market, the rapid growth of cloud computing, big data and the AI market is expected to continue in the coming years and more enterprises will choose cloud and big data service and update their systems, which yields opportunities to the Company as a leading technology integration service provider in the Asia-Pacific region. In addition, we believe the upcoming era of 5G will provide a large market, with significant demand for device replacements and upgrades. Therefore we are positive on the Company's solid long-term growth trend despite turbulence in the near term.

Revise earnings forecasts assumptions in 2020-2021. We lower revenue forecasts by 7.2% and 9.1% to HK\$70,602 million and HK\$77,158 million in 2020 and 2021, respectively. Gross margin and operating margin has been stable but were lower than our previous expectation. We revise down shareholders' profit by 14.6% and 19.3% in 2020 and 2021, respectively. New shareholders' profit forecasts amounts to HK\$882 million, HK\$994 million and HK\$1,150 million in 2020-2022, respectively.

		New			Old			Change	
HK\$ million	2020F	2021F	2022F	2020F	2021F	2022F	2020F	2021F	2022F
Revenue	70,602	77,158	84,573	76,089	84,856	n.a.	-7.2%	-9.1%	n.a.
-Mobility digital	28,600	30,602	32,744	28,281	32,241	n.a.	1.1%	-5.1%	n.a.
-Components	12,994	13,514	13,973	14,478	14,623	n.a.	-10.2%	-7.6%	n.a.
-Cloud and big data	18,441	21,208	24,601	22,091	25,405	n.a.	-16.5%	-16.5%	n.a.
-Network and data	10,567	11,835	13,255	11,239	12,588	n.a.	-6.0%	-6.0%	n.a.
Gross profit	3,248	3,549	3,975	3,728	4,243	n.a.	-12.9%	-16.3%	n.a.
Operating profit	1,346	1,500	1,710	1,570	1,851	n.a.	-14.3%	-19.0%	n.a.
Shareholders' profit	882	994	1,150	1,032	1,232	n.a.	-14.6%	-19.3%	n.a.
EPS (HK\$)	0.621	0.700	0.810	0.725	0.866	n.a.	-14.4%	-19.2%	n.a.
Gross margin	4.6%	4.6%	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%	n.a.	-0.3 ppts	-0.4 ppts	n.a.
% SG&A of turnover	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	2.9%	2.8%	n.a.	-0.2 ppts	-0.1 ppts	n.a.
Operating margin	1.9%	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%	2.2%	n.a.	-0.2 ppts	-0.3 ppts	n.a.
Net margin	1.2%	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%	n.a.	-0.2 ppts	-0.2 ppts	n.a.

Table-3: Key Figure Revisions for VSTECS

Source: Guotai Junan International.

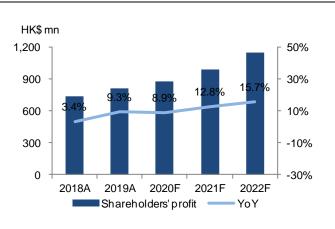


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Figure-1: VSTECS's Revenue and YoY Growth



Figure-2: VSTECS' Shareholders' Profit and YoY Growth

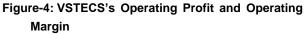


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Maintain investment rating as "Buy" but revise down target price to HK\$4.50. VSTECS achieved resilient results in a challenging macro environment in 2019. We are positive on the Company's cloud and big data business growth despite challenges in 1Q2020. We maintain "Buy" rating and new TP is equivalent to 7.3x, 6.4x and 5.6x 2020, 2021 and 2022 PER, respectively. We believe that the Company's valuation is attractive compared with its peers. Major risks include intense competition among the IT services industry and continuing spread of the COVID-19 virus.

Table-4:	Peers	Com	parison	Table
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														Gross	
Company					PE(x)			PB(K)		ROE(%)	D/Y(%)	Margin(%)	Market Cap
	Stock Code	Currency	Last price	19A	20F	21F	22F	19A	20F	21F	22F	20F	20F	20F	HKD mn
IT distribution and IT	r service														
Tech Data Corp	TECD US	USD	122.260	13.7	11.8	10.2	9.5	1.5	1.4	n.a.	n.a.	12.4	0.0	6.2	33,580
Synnex Technology	2347 TT	TWD	35.900	8.8	9.1	8.5	n.a.	1.2	1.0	1.0	n.a.	12.3	7.2	4.3	15,314
Digital China Holdings	861 HK	HKD	3.470	31.5	15.1	9.9	n.a.	0.6	0.6	0.6	n.a.	4.3	1.5	18.5	5,799
Vstecs Holdings	856 HK	HKD	3.500	6.1	5.6	n.a.	n.a.	0.9	0.8	0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	5,087
Changhong Jiahua	3991 HK	HKD	0.840	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1,222								
Simple Average				15.0	10.4	9.5	9.5	1.1	1.0	0.8	n.a.	9.7	2.9	9.7	
Weighted Average				13.5	10.9	9.7	9.5	1.3	1.2	0.9	n.a.	11.5	2.2	7.0	

Source: Bloomberg, Guotai Junan International.

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Figure-5: VSTECS's Historical Forward PER



Source: Bloomberg, Guotai Junan International.

Figure-6: VSTECS's Historical Forward PBR



Source: Bloomberg, Guotai Junan International.



Financial Statements and Ratios

	Income S	tatement			
Year end 31 Dec (HK\$ m)	2018A	2019A	2020F	2021F	2022F
Total Revenue	62,482	66,210	70,602	77,158	84,573
Cost of sales	(59,672)	(63,242)	(67,355)	(73,609)	(80,599)
Gross profit	2,810	2,968	3,248	3,549	3,975
Selling and distribution costs	(1,087)	(1,125)	(1,236)	(1,335)	(1,472)
Administrative expenses	(593)	(618)	(685)	(733)	(812)
Other income and gains	14	36	18	19	19
Operating Profit	1,143	1,260	1,346	1,500	1,710
Finance cost	(240)	(296)	(293)	(310)	(328)
Share of associates' profits	50	50	52	53	55
Share of a joint venture's loss	(6)	(5)	(5)	(4)	(4)
Profit Before Tax	947	1,010	1,099	1,239	1,434
Income Tax	(206)	(200)	(217)	(245)	(283)
profit After Tax	741	810	882	994	1,150
Non-controlling Interest	0	0	0	0	0
Shareholders' Profit / Loss	741	810	882	994	1,150
Basic EPS	0.516	0.570	0.621	0.700	0.810

	Cash Flow S	Statement			
Year end 31 Dec (HK\$ m)	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F	2022F
PBT	947	1,010	1,099	1,239	1,434
Income tax	(255)	(244)	(218)	(246)	(285)
Adjust for depre.&amort.	35	45	65	61	58
Change in WC	(1,768)	(535)	(252)	(1,423)	(701)
Others	188	1,075	240	261	270
Cash from Operating Activities	(852)	1,350	934	(108)	775
Interest received	9	8	12	12	13
Purchase of PPE	(40)	(243)	(28)	(28)	(28)
Others	6	7	7	7	7
Cash from Investing Activities	(26)	(228)	(9)	(9)	(8)
Net bank borrowings	1,143	236	(175)	436	483
Interest paid	(240)	(296)	(293)	(310)	(328)
Dividend paid	(215)	(222)	(243)	(265)	(298)
Others	(25)	(20)	0	0	0
Cash from Financing Activities	662	(302)	(712)	(139)	(143)
Net Changes in Cash	(215)	820	214	(255)	625
Cash at Beg of Year	1,981	1,508	2,328	2,542	2,287
Foreign exchange effect	(258)	0	0	0	0
Cash at End of Year	1,508	2,328	2,542	2,287	2,911

Source: the Company, Guotai Junan International.

Balance Sheet		

2021F

580

324

1,067

151

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2,124

2,287

7,185

17,246

26,717

28,841

12.563

6,790

117

20,194

1,488

1,679

21,873

6.968

6,968

2021F

4.6%

1.9%

1.3%

3.6%

15.0%

1.3

4.9

86.0%

30.0%

0

24

2022F

550

324

1,120

175

1

2,170

2,911

8,272

18,053

29.236

31,406

13.756

7,273

135

21,950

1,488

27

1,683

23,633

7.773

7,773

2022F

4.7%

2.0%

1.4%

3.8%

15.6%

1.3

5.3

75.3%

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2020F

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324

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134

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6,932

14,964

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26,528

11.451

6,354

18,579

1,488

1,677

20,256

6.272

6,272

2020F

4.6%

1.9%

1.2%

3.4%

14.8%

1.3

4.7

84.5%

30.0%

0

21

103

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Year end 31 Dec (HK\$ m)

Goodwill

Others

Inventories

Total Assets

Property, plant and equipment

Interest in associates & JV

Total Non-current Assets

Cash & Cash Equivalents

Trade & other receivables

Total Current Assets

Trade & other payables

Short-term borrowings

Total Current Liabilities

Long-term Borrowings

Deferred tax liability

Total Liabilities

Minority Interest

Total Equity

Gross margin

Net margin

ROA

ROE

Operating margin

Current Ratio (x)

Net gearing (%) Interest coverage (x)

Dividend payout ratio (%)

Total Non-current Liabilities

Total Shareholders' Equity

Taxation Payable

Deferred tax assets

2018A

452

320

941

108

(5)

1,815

1,508

6,103

14,451

22,062

23,877

10.895

6,326

113

17,341

1,455

1.490

18,831

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Financial Ratios

2018A

4.5%

1.8%

1.2%

3.3%

15.0%

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30.0%

124.3%

31

2019A

650

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977

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(5)

2,069

2,328

5,986

14,554

22,867

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2019A

4.5%

1.9%

1.2%

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15.1%

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30.0%

100.6%

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95

VSTECS (00856 HK)

25 March 2020

Company Rating Definition

The Benchmark: Hong Kong Hang Seng Index

Time Horizon: 6 to 18 months

Rating		Definition
Buy	买入	Relative Performance>15%; or the fundamental outlook of the company or sector is favorable.
Accumulate	收集	Relative Performance is 5% to 15%; or the fundamental outlook of the company or sector is favorable.
Neutral	中性	Relative Performance is -5% to 5%; or the fundamental outlook of the company or sector is neutral.
Reduce	减持	Relative Performance is -5% to -15%; or the fundamental outlook of the company or sector is unfavorable.
Sell	卖出	Relative Performance <-15%; or the fundamental outlook of the company or sector is unfavorable.

Sector Rating Definition

The Benchmark: Hong Kong Hang Seng Index

Time Horizon: 6 to 18 months			
Rating		Definition	
Outperform	跑赢大市	Relative Performance>5%; or the fundamental outlook of the sector is favorable.	
Neutral	中性	Relative Performance is -5% to 5%; or the fundamental outlook of the sector is neutral.	
Underperform	跑输大市	Relative Performance<-5%; Or the fundamental outlook of the sector is unfavorable.	

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