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### Outperform Downgraded

#### Market Data: Aug, 10

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Closing Price (HK\$)	8.41
Price Target (HK\$)	9.40
HSCEI	10,943
HSCCI	4,274
52-week High/Low (HK\$)	9.25/4.41
Market Cap (USD Mn)	1,423
Market Cap (HK\$ Mn)	11,173
Shares Outstanding (Mn)	1,329
Exchange Rate (RMB-HK\$)	1.15

#### Price Performance Chart:



#### Source: Bloomberg

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# Managing expectation

### COLOUR LIFE SERVICES GROUP (1778:HK)

#### Financial summary and valuation

	2016	2017	2018E	2019E	2020E
Revenue (Rmbm)	1,342	1,629	3,104	3,950	4,285
YoY (%)	62%	21%	91%	27%	8%
Net income (Rmbm)	188	321	521	656	724
YoY (%)	11%	71%	62%	26%	10%
EPS (Rmb)	0.19	0.32	0.40	0.50	0.55
ROE (%)	12.3%	17.6%	23.3%	23.8%	21.8%
Net gearing (%)	0%	4%	6%	4%	4%
Dividend yield (%)	1.2%	1.8%	1.6%	2.0%	2.2%
PE (x)	36	21	17	13	12
PB (x)	4	4	4	3	3

Core EPS is calculated as if all non-recurring items are excluded. P/E is calculated as closing price divided by each year's core EPS.

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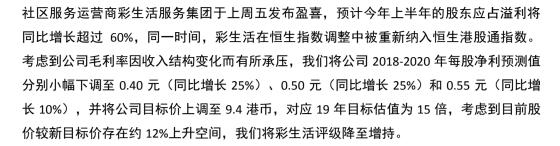
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彩生活于 2018 年一季度完成从母公司民营开发商花样年收购万象美物业管理 100%股 权,其业绩贡献将从 2018 年二季度开始体现。根据公司公告,万象美物业于 2017 年前 10 个月实际实现利润 2.35 亿元,并估算于 2017 年全年实现利润 2.82 亿元,毛利率和净 利率分别达 33%和 19%。根据万象美物业的收入和管理面积,我们估算其平均物业管理 费为 6.0 元/平米/月,相比彩生活平均物业管理费约为 1.0 元/平米/月,因此我们认为此 次收购可为彩生活进军高端市场奠定基础。但由于万象美贡献的约 2000 万平米管理面积 均实施包干制管理(相比酬金制下毛利率为 100%),预计彩生活毛利率可能有所承压。

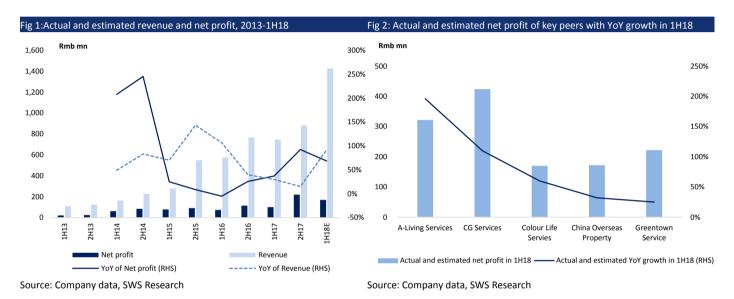
上周五同一时间,恒生指数公司发布了新一季的恒指季检结果,其中彩生活被纳入恒生 港股通指数,同时碧桂园服务被纳入恒生中型股指数,均有望于 9 月初进入港股通交易 名单。此前,彩生活在年初被深交所调出港股通交易名单,于 3 月初正式起效,因此其 内地投资者持股比例从 5.27%持续回落至当前的 3.14%,而此次重返港股通也将为内地投 资者重新开启交易渠道。

彩生活股价年初至今大幅反弹 65%(相比同期恒生国企指数下跌 7%),目前估值为 13 倍 19 年 PE,相比同期板块平均估值为 19 倍 19 年 PE,其中绿城服务目前估值为 26 倍 19 年 PE,中海物业估值为 18 倍 19 年 PE。我们看好该公司受益于万象美物业今年二季度开 始并表带来的业绩贡献,尽管收入结构变化可能使其毛利率有所承压。我们将公司 2018-2020 年每股净利预测值分别小幅下调至 0.40 元(同比增长 25%)、0.50 元(同比增长 25%)和 0.55 元(同比增长 10%),并将公司目标价从 8.0 港币上调至 9.4 港币,对应 19 年目标估值为 15 倍,因考虑到彩富人生等理财增值服务在整体去杠杆环境下可能隐含一 定风险。目前股价较新目标价存在 12%上升空间,我们将彩生活评级由买入降至增持。

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		As at the date of this a	announcement	Upon the issue of Pl	acing Shares	Upon the issue of Placing Shares and Consideration Shares		
Shareholder		Number of Shares (mn)	%	Number of Shares (mn)	%	Number of Shares (mn)	%	
Fantasia		721	72.41%	721	66.57%	952	72.46%	
Zengjie, Baby		1	0.13%	1	0.12%	1	0.10%	
	Sub-total	722	72.54%	722	66.70%	954	72.56%	
Placees				87	8.06%	87	6.64%	
Public shareholders		273	27.46%	273	25.25%	273	20.80%	
	Total	996	100%	1,083	100%	1,314	100%	

Source: Company data, SWS Research

(msqm)	Residential properties	Commercial properties	Sub-total
Revenue-bearing GFA	10.8	12.1	22.9
Undelivered GFA	14.7	5.3	19.9
Sub-total	25.5	17.3	42.9
	Unregistered GFA		21.2
	Total GFA		64.1

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Fig 5: Potential stock list eligible for Hong Kong Stock Connect after Hang Seng Index review									
Code	Company name	Company name	Hang Seng Index	Closing price (HK\$)	HK Circulation mkt cap (HK\$ bn)	GIS I			
1833.HK	平安好医生	Ping An Healthcare And Technology	MidCap	47.00	50.2	Health care			
6098.HK	碧桂园服务	Country Garden Services	MidCap	12.84	32.1	Real estate			
0054.HK	合和实业	Hopewell	MidCap	27.60	24.0	Industrial			
1233.HK	时代中国控股	Times China	MidCap	10.28	18.9	Real estate			
0612.HK	中国投资基金公司	China Investment Fund International	SmallCap	13.54	16.5	Finance			
0520.HK	呷哺呷哺	Xiabuxiabu Catering Management (China)	SmallCap	15.24	16.4	Consumer Discretionary			
1717.HK	澳优	Ausnutria Dairy	SmallCap	11.00	14.7	Consumer Staples			
2362.HK	金川国际	Jinchuan Group International Resources	SmallCap	1.15	14.5	Materials			
0059.HK	天誉置业	Skyfame Realty	SmallCap	5.48	14.4	Real estate			
6100.HK	有才天下猎聘	Wise Talent Information Technology	SmallCap	27.60	13.7	Industrial			
1686.HK	新意网集团	Sunevision	SmallCap	5.67	13.2	Information Technology			
3613.HK	同仁堂国药	Beijing Tong Ren Tang Chinese Medicine	SmallCap	15.56	13.0	Health care			
3669.HK	永达汽车	China Yongda Automobiles Services	MidCap	6.96	12.8	Consumer Discretionary			
1778.HK	彩生活	Colour Life Services	SmallCap	8.41	11.2	Real estate			
1608.HK	伟能集团	Vpower Group International	SmallCap	3.77	9.7	Industrial			
1558.HK	东阳光药	Yichang Hec Changjiang Pharmaceutical	SmallCap	38.25	8.6	Health care			
1916.HK	江西银行	Jiangxi Bank	SmallCap	6.40	8.6	Finance			
3306.HK	江南布衣	Jnby Design	SmallCap	16.54	8.6	Consumer Discretionary			
0631.HK	三一国际	Sany Heavy Equipment International	SmallCap	2.70	8.2	Industrial			
0989.HK	广泽国际发展	Ground International Development	SmallCap	1.47	7.8	Real estate			
2662.HK	承兴国际控股	Camsing International	SmallCap	6.55	7.1	Information Technology			
1086.HK	好孩子国际	Goodbaby International	SmallCap	4.10	6.8	Consumer Discretionary			
3309.HK	希玛眼科	C-Mer Eye Care	SmallCap	6.48	6.7	Health care			
2003.HK	维信金科	Vcredit	SmallCap	13.08	6.6	Finance			
6166.HK	中国宏泰发展	China VAST Industrial Urban Development	SmallCap	3.56	5.9	Real estate			
0419.HK	华谊腾讯娱乐	Huayi Tencent Entertainment	SmallCap	0.40	5.3	Health care			
1806.HK	汇付天下	Huifu Payment	SmallCap	3.94	4.9	Information Technology			

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Fig 6: Community ecosystem								
Models	Services	Partners	Current achievements					
	Financial services	E-Wealth management	Colour Wealth Life contributed GMV of Rmb1.3bn in 4M18					
Cooperation model	Findricial services	E-Wealth management	Future cooperation with large financial institutions (Ping An, etc)					
cooperation model	Commodity services	JD.com	Online product supplier					
	commonly services	S.F. Express	Offline delivery provider					
			Daily order volume of more than 15,000 orders					
	Living services	E-Repair	Orders originating from households: public area = 95%: 5%					
			Revenue sources: 5% platform fee per order + 5% stake in E-Repair					
	Housing services	E-leasing	Platform of housing bank and leasing business					
Incubation model	Housing services	L-leasing	More than 20,000 self-occupied houses					
	Elevator maintenance	E-Elevator	Managed 70,000 elevators in total					
		E-Elevator	c.70% from third-party communities					
	Energy saving	E-Energy	Covered 1,600 communities in total					
	Parking management	E-Parking	Covered 1,000 communities in total					
Source: Company data, S	WS Research							

Fig 7: Comparable peers													
Company	Code	Market Cap	Rating	Target price		PE (x)			PB (x)		Dividend		ares mance
		(HK\$bn)		(HK\$)	17A	18E	19E	17A	18E	19E	yield	2017	2018
Greentown Service	2869 HK	21	Outperform	8.70	44	34	26	9	7	6	1.0%	133%	25%
China Overseas Property	2669 HK	9	Buy	3.15	29	22	18	10	8	6	1.5%	59%	30%
Colour Life Services	1778 HK	11	Outperform	9.40	21	17	13	4	4	3	2.0%	-10%	65%
Average					31	24	19	8	6	5	1.5%	61%	40%

Source: Bloomberg, Company data, SWS Research



# **Appendix, Financial statements**

g 1: Forecast Income Statement								
Rmbm)	2013A	2014A	2015A	2016A	2017A	2018E	2019E	2020E
evenue	233	389	828	1,342	1,629	3,104	3,950	4,285
ost of Sales	(89)	(79)	(373)	(756)	(898)	(1,892)	(2,407)	(2,594)
ross Profit	144	310	454	586	731	1,213	1,543	1,691
ther gains and losses	(10)	(12)	(27)	(31)	(5)	(10)	(12)	(13)
ther Income	4	4	14	20	53	62	59	64
elling and distribution expenses	(2)	(2)	(16)	(13)	(26)	(39)	(59)	(64)
dministrative expenses	(60)	(93)	(217)	(298)	(277)	(528)	(672)	(729)
penses recharged to communities under commission basis	17	20	47	66	67	124	158	171
perating profit	93	228	255	330	542	823	1,017	1,121
nance costs	(1)	(2)	(11)	(38)	(90)	(101)	(108)	(115)
sting expenses	(23)	(16)	0	0	0	0	0	0
thers	1	2	8	6	5	16	20	21
rofit before tax	71	212	252	298	457	737	929	1,027
come tax expense	(25)	(61)	(69)	(82)	(106)	(171)	(217)	(239)
rofit for the year	45	150	183	216	351	566	713	787
rofit for the year from discontinued operations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
rofit and total comprehensive income for the year	45	150	183	216	351	566	713	787
on-controlling interests	1	5	14	28	30	45	57	63
rofit attr to shareholders	44	146	168	188	321	521	656	724
ividends paid	-	66	84	90	121	156	197	217
Basic EPS	S 0.06	0.17	0.17	0.19	0.32	0.40	0.50	0.55
Diluted EPS	S 0.06	0.17	0.17	0.19	0.32	0.40	0.50	0.55
DPS	S	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.12	0.12	0.15	0.17

Source: Company data, SWS Research

(Rmbm)	2013A	2014A	2015A	2016A	2017A	2018E	2019E	2020E
PP&E	24	68	167	181	169	321	409	444
nvestment properties	27	30	89	93	71	134	158	171
nterest in an associate & JV	2	2	7	9	69	31	40	43
ntangible assets	1	27	152	210	241	310	395	429
Others	67	264	715	1,078	1,219	1,403	1,976	1,769
Non-current assets	120	391	1,131	1,570	1,769	2,201	2,978	2,856
nventories	0	1	2	2	7	6	7	8
Trade receivables	50	153	179	271	382	560	713	774
Other receivables and prepayments	43	69	112	196	316	647	768	833
Payments on behalf of residents	44	86	170	260	407	690	878	952
Amounts due from customers for contract works	44	41	34	41	44	138	176	190
Amounts due from fellow subsidiaries	32	20	47	35	110	216	274	298
others	14	15	55	317	201	431	549	595
Financial assets at FVTPL			19	83	192	201	212	222
Restricted bank deposits	1	136	551	493	377	302	241	193
Bank balances and cash	146	687	419	755	857	952	1,158	1,290
Current assets	375	1,209	1,589	2,453	2,892	4,143	4,976	5,355
Fotal assets	494	1,600	2,719	4,023	4,661	6,343	7,954	8,211
ihare capital	0	79	79	79	79	79	79	79
Reserves	179	992	1,180	1,380	1,642	2,007	2,466	2,973
Majority interests	179	1,072	1,259	1,459	1,721	2,085	2,545	3,052
Non-controlling interests	5	16	41	74	106	149	208	271
Fotal equity	184	1,087	1,301	1,532	1,827	2,234	2,753	3,322
Deferred tax liabilities	1	7	54	74	80	129	162	179
Amount due to a non-controlling shareholder	1	2	1	10	2	1	0	0
Borrowings due after one year	0	0	290	499	271	298	327	360
Corporate bonds				388	536	536	536	536
Assets backed securities issued	7			237	185	185	185	185
ong-term payable to a previous joint venture partner						1,000	1,000	1,000
Non-current liabilities	8	9	345	1,208	1,074	1,148	1,211	1,261
Frade payables	21	26	80	114	221	420	535	577
Other payables and accruals	93	176	421	596	625	1,314	2,006	1,441
Receipts on behalf of residents	97	73	104	156	158	162	177	192
Amounts due to customers for contract works	3	8	17	17	14	53	67	72
Amount due to an associate	2	1	5	8	14	53	67	72
Other amounts due	40	8	35	41	36	158	201	216
Borrowings due within one year	0	128	303	162	454	522	600	691
Corporate bonds				14	16	16	16	16
Assets backed securities issued				38	43	43	43	43
Tax liabilities	46	84	108	137	179	221	279	308
Current liabilities	302	503	1,074	1,282	1,760	2,961	3,989	3,628
Fotal liabilities	311	512	1,418	2,490	2,834	4,109	5,201	4,889
Fotal equity and liabilities	494	1,600	2,719	4,023	4,661	6,343	7,954	8,211

(Rmbm)	2013A	2014A	2015A	2016A	2017A	2018E	2019E	2020E
Cash generated from operations	58	83	303	455	478	526	683	888
Income taxes paid	(13)	(26)	(65)	(82)	(106)	(171)	(217)	(239)
Net cash from operating activities	45	57	239	373	372	355	467	649
Acquisitions	(20)	(32)	(486)	(263)	(147)	(235)	(162)	(177)
Others	384	(306)	(415)	(498)	(548)	(658)	(664)	(671)
Net cash from investing activities	363	(338)	(901)	(761)	(695)	(893)	(827)	(848)
Interest paid	(0)	(2)	(11)	(241)	(271)	(288)	(307)	(330)
Net borrowing	(0)	128	465	67	64	245	230	205
Net proceeds in issue of new shares		750				1,358		
ssue of share upon exercise of share option	43		1	1				
Listing expense paid		(21)	(15)					
Proceeds from issue of corporate bonds				388	148			
Proceeds from issue of assets backed securities				237	(52)			
Dividend paid			(84)	(90)	(121)	(156)	(197)	(217)
Others	(330)	(34)	40	360	657	(525)	841	672
Net cash from financing activities	(287)	821	395	723	425	634	566	330
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	121	541	(268)	335	102	95	206	131
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	25	146	687	419	755	857	952	1,158
ash and cash equivalents at end of the year	146	687	419	755	857	952	1,158	1,290

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