

Biuro maklerskie

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buy

retail

previous recommendation: buy1

Market price²: 4,45

Target price: 5,57

VRG Group is getting back on both feet again

VRG summary of report

VRG Group comprises five brands across two segments: the jewelry segment represented by W.KRUK, and the apparel segment traditionally associated with men's formal fashion — Vistula, Bytom, Wólczanka — as well as the women's fashion brand Deni Cler. In our view, the jewelry retal chain W.KRUK is by far the most significant source of value for VRG. Not only does it deliver strong financial results, but it also holds further growth potential. This segment is expected to be reinforced soon by the acquisition of the Lilou chain. The apparel segment has been struggling since the outbreak of the pandemic due to weakened demand for formal wear, and in recent years also due to a series of strategic missteps. However, after abandoning the misguided strategy, the clouds are startting to lift and there is now a real chance that this segment will once again contribute positively and sustainably to VRG Group's overall performance.

We resume coverage of VRG with a "Buy" recommendation and a target price of PLN 5.57 per share, implying an upside potential of 25.2%.

Although VRG is often associated with its apparel segment, since 2023 the jewelry business has taken the lead in Group sales. In 2024, it accounted for 56% of total revenue, and we expect its share to continue growing — both organically and through the planned acquisition of Lilou. With an extensive physical store network, W.KRUK may soon reach its expansion ceiling in Poland, which prompted its entry into Hungary in 2023. Following the opening of 11 stores, the Management Board plans further expansion, and in the long term, we see potential for entering additional CEE markets.

We initially view the acquisition of Lilou — a 43-store chain targeting younger customers with lower price points — positively. Management sees strong growth potential for the brand, including network expansion. However, due to the early stage of the transaction, we do not yet include it in our valuation. In our view, the deal could justify an upward revision of VRG's valuation in the future.

We do not expect the apparel segment to catch up with the jewelry business. Our forecasts do not assume a return to pre-pandemic performance within the projection horizon. Nevertheless, even a modest but sustainable recovery in apparel, combined with continued growth in jewelry, offers a solid opportunity for VRG's overall results to improve.

Both segments benefit from the current favorable consumer environment. We assume consumer strength will persist, supported by low inflation, rising wages, a strong labor market, and falling interest rates.



Max/min 52 w eeks (PLN)		4,	60 / 3,00		
Shares issued (m)			234,456		
Market cap. (m PLN)			1 043,3		
EV (m PLN)	1 157,6				
Free float (m PLN)			250,5		
Average turnover (m PLN)			0,38		
Main shareholder	Shareholders' Agreement: Jan Kolański Colian Holding sp. z o.o. Colian Developer sp. z o.o. Colian sp. z o.o. Kolański Foundation Fundacja Rodzinna				
% of shares, % of votes	42,58%; 42,58%				
	1 m	3 m	12 m		
Price change	4,5%	22,3%	29,4%		
WIG change	-3,5%	4,9%	32,1%		

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Sales EBIT	EBIT	EBIT DA (MSSF16)	adjusted	Profit	Net	EPS	CEPS	BVPS	P/E	P/BV	DY (%)	EV**/adjusted	ROE (%)	
			EBITDA*	before tax	profit						(, , ,	EBITDA*		
2024	1 375,0	126,8	261,1	143,9	111,9	87,8	0,37	0,52	4,53	11,88	0,98	2,0%	9,1	8,5%
2025f	1 484,1	143,0	280,3	158,3	126,3	101,2	0,43	0,60	4,97	10,31	0,90	0,0%	8,1	9,1%
2026f	1 603,3	154,6	298,3	172,9	141,3	114,4	0,49	0,66	5,37	9,12	0,83	1,9%	7,5	9,4%
2027f	1 728,4	164,3	313,9	184,1	152,3	123,4	0,53	0,71	5,80	8,46	0,77	2,2%	7,0	9,4%

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^{**} Debt for EV purposes excluding lease liabilities related to retail and office space

^{1 -} previous recommendation issued on July 5, 2023

^{2 -} market price for September 11, 2025 17:00



BM Banku Millennium recommendation for the last 12 months

Company	Recommen- dation	Date of the recommenda- tion	Market price on the day the recommendatio	Target price	Author
IFIRMA	Neutral	24-Sep-24	22,80	20,80	Sew eryn Żołyniak
Ambra	Accumulate	01-Oct-24	26,10	30,40	Grzegorz
IMS	Buy	07-Oct-24	3,54	4,50	Łukasz Bugaj
Mostostal Zabrze	Buy	06-Dec-24	5,10	6,10	Adam Zajler
Ambra	Accumulate	12-Mar-25	22,70	25,90	Grzegorz
Mostostal Zabrze	Buy	27-Mar-25	5,68	6,80	Adam Zajler
IFIRMA	Accumulate	09-Apr-25	22,90	25,40	Sew eryn Żołyniak
IMS	Buy	21-May-25	3,75	4,60	Łukasz Bugaj
IFIRMA	Accumulate	29-May-25	26,35	29,70	Sew eryn Żołyniak
Ambra	Accumulate	29-May-25	20,90	24,90	Grzegorz
IMS	Buy	11-Jun-25	3,73	4,50	Łukasz Bugaj
Mostostal Zabrze	Buy	18-Jun-25	5,96	7,60	Adam Zajler
VRG	Buy	12-Sep-25	4,45	5,57	

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Structure of BM Banku Millennium recommendation for the last 12 months

	Number of recommendations	Share	
Buy	7	54%	
Buy Accumulate	5	38%	
Neutral	1	8%	
Reduce	0	0%	
Sell	0	0%	

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EV - market valuation of the company + net interest debt

EBIT - operating profit

EBITDA - operating profit + depreciation

WNB - result on banking activity
P/E - ratio of the share price to the net profit per share
P/BV - ratio of the share price to the book value per share

ROE - return on equity

ROA - return on assets EPS - net profit per share

CEPS - net profit and depreciation per share

BVPS - book value per share

DPS - dividend per share NPL - non performing loans

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