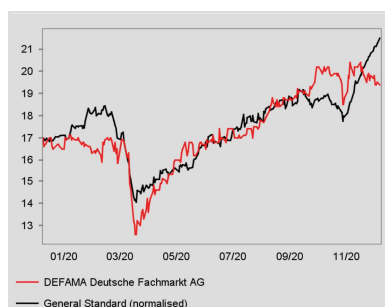


Buy EUR 22.90 Price EUR 19.40 Upside 18.0 %	Value Indicators: EUR NAV (WRe) 22e: 23.15 FFO-Yield 22e: 22.64	Warburg ESG Risk Score: 2.3 ESG Score (MSCI based): 3.0 Balance Sheet Score: 3.8 Market Liquidity Score: 0.0	Description: Commercial real estate company focused on retail parks in Northern and Eastern Germany
	Market Snapshot: EUR m Market cap: 85.75 No. of shares (m): 4.42 Freefloat MC: 55.74 Ø Trad. Vol. (30d): 36.09 th	Shareholders: Freefloat 65.0 % MSC Invest GmbH 29.0 % Geminus GmbH 4.0 % Supervisory board 2.0 %	Key Figures (WRe): 2020e LTV: 52.1 % Equity Ratio: 19.2 %

Release of long-term targets and guidance for 2021

- DEFAMA released some detail on its **long-term targets** yesterday (07.12.2020). The portfolio value is expected to grow from a current EUR 168m to a range of EUR 260-300m by the end of 2025 which is an estimated growth rate of 9-12% p.a. This is in line with the existing management target to increase the portfolio volume by EUR 15-20m p.a. and considers some valuation uplifts, in our view. As DEFAMA was very successful with its acquisitions in 2019 and 2020 and has exceeded this target, the LT-target could offer some upside potential. Annualised rents are expected to increase to EUR 24m with an annualised FFO of EUR 11m (Target 2020 ~EUR 7m). As a consequence, the FFO margin should slightly increase from ~40-41% to EUR 45%. According to the CEO, these targets are achievable without a capital increase.
- Secondly, management **confirmed its guidance for 2020** for FFO of EUR 5.7m (FFOPS EUR 1.30) and net profit (German GAAP) of EUR 2.5m. These targets offer some upside, in our view, especially on FFO-level (WRe: EUR 5.86m).
- Thirdly, DEFAMA gave already **guidance for 2021**. This is in our view a sign of a high visibility of the positive growth effects in the existing portfolio and should already consider some good prospects for acquisitions. In 2021, DEFAMA targeted an FFO of EUR 7.1m (WRe: EUR 7.29m) and net profit growth of 24% to EUR 3.1m (WRe: EUR 3.12m). Both targets are conservative in our view. The portfolio growth should be supported by additional liquidity of EUR 2m from negotiation of existing loans.
- The annualised FFO-target of EUR 8m for 2021 offers an attractive FFO-yield of more than 9%.
- The announcement of long-term targets shows the management's confidence in the growth investment case of DEFAMA. We stick to our Buy recommendation.



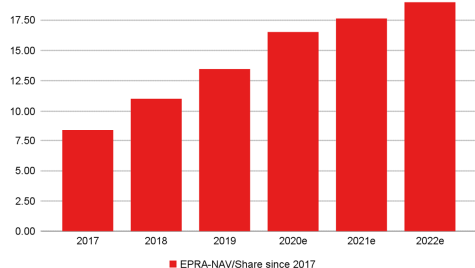
Rel. Performance vs General

1 month:	-19.2 %
6 months:	-10.7 %
Year to date:	-8.1 %
Trailing 12 months:	-11.6 %

Company events:

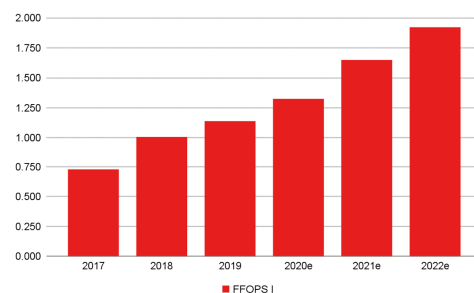
FY End: 31.12. in EUR m	CAGR (19-22e)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Rental income		3.44	5.83	9.09	11.21	13.85	16.67	19.13
Change yoy		240.6 %	69.5 %	55.9 %	23.3 %	23.5 %	20.4 %	14.8 %
EBIT		1.67	2.67	3.59	4.50	5.48	6.80	7.73
FFO I		1.59	2.58	3.65	4.62	5.86	7.29	8.50
FFO I-margin		46.2 %	44.3 %	40.1 %	41.2 %	42.3 %	43.7 %	44.4 %
EBT		1.11	1.77	2.25	2.78	3.38	4.18	4.71
Net income		0.89	1.36	1.68	2.06	2.52	3.12	3.52
EPS		0.25	0.38	0.46	0.51	0.57	0.71	0.80
FFOPS I		0.54	0.73	1.01	1.14	1.32	1.65	1.92
DPS		0.20	0.34	0.40	0.45	0.50	0.55	0.60
Dividend Yield		3.8 %	3.8 %	3.4 %	2.9 %	2.6 %	2.8 %	3.1 %
Book Value / Share		3.00	3.18	4.10	5.50	5.56	5.72	5.92
P / E		20.9 x	23.2 x	25.0 x	30.1 x	34.1 x	27.5 x	24.3 x
Price / Book		1.4 x	2.8 x	2.6 x	2.5 x	3.5 x	3.4 x	3.3 x
P / NAVPS		1.0 x	1.1 x	1.2 x	1.3 x	1.3 x	1.2 x	1.1 x
FFO I-Yield		10.4 %	8.2 %	8.7 %	7.5 %	6.8 %	8.5 %	9.9 %
ROE		10.9 %	12.4 %	12.3 %	10.2 %	10.3 %	12.5 %	13.7 %
LTV		38.9 %	55.7 %	59.9 %	50.7 %	52.1 %	54.9 %	56.5 %
Guidance:	2020e: FFO of least EUR ~5.7m, Net profit (HGB) of EUR 2.5m							

EPRA-NAV per share development in EUR



Source: Warburg Research

FFO per share development in EUR



Source: Warburg Research

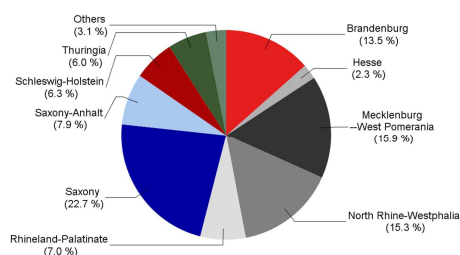
Company Background

- Founded in 2014 and headquartered in Berlin, DEFAMA focuses on the acquisition, ownership and management of retail parks in German small and medium-sized cities, predominantly in Northern and Eastern Germany.
- The investment strategy is to "buy and hold" assets with high occupancy and minor capex needs for a purchase price of ~10x annual rent.
- Investment volumes are EUR 1 - 5 million per asset. Anchor tenants are nationwide retailers.

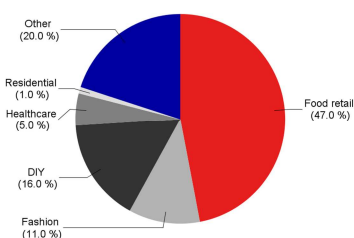
Competitive Quality

- Real estate competence: founder, major shareholder and CEO Matthias Schrade, previously oversaw as a board member responsible for acquisitions for a non-listed real estate company based in Munich.
- Unique focus: the company competes for assets that are too large for individual investors and too small for institutional investors and can "buy low".
- Strong access to local public banks networks, for whom real estate financings for DEFAMA projects are large and important deals. They in turn know smaller tenants well.
- Focus on leading centers in smaller cities ("big fish in a small pond").

Geographical breakdown of rental income % of total rental income



Rental income by sector % of rental income



Source: Warburg Research

Valuation							
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
P / E	20.9 x	23.2 x	25.0 x	30.1 x	34.1 x	27.5 x	24.3 x
P / NAVPS	1.0 x	1.1 x	1.2 x	1.3 x	1.3 x	1.2 x	1.1 x
Price / Book	1.4 x	2.8 x	2.6 x	2.5 x	3.5 x	3.4 x	3.3 x
P / FFOPS I	9.6 x	12.2 x	11.5 x	13.4 x	14.6 x	11.8 x	10.1 x
FFO I-Yield	10.4 %	8.2 %	8.7 %	7.5 %	6.8 %	8.5 %	9.9 %
ROE	10.9 %	12.4 %	12.3 %	10.2 %	10.3 %	12.5 %	13.7 %
Equity Ratio	32 %	21 %	19 %	24 %	19 %	17 %	16 %

Company Specific Items							
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
EPRA-NAV/Share since 2017	5.14	8.42	11.02	13.46	16.51	17.63	18.97
Vacancy Rate	2.7 %	2.7 %	4.3 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %

Consolidated profit and loss

In EUR m	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Total Sales	3.44	5.83	9.09	11.21	13.85	16.67	19.13
Rental income	3.44	5.83	9.09	11.21	13.85	16.67	19.13
Change yoy	240.6 %	69.5 %	55.9 %	23.3 %	23.5 %	20.4 %	14.8 %
Property operating costs	0.60	1.24	2.21	2.63	3.05	3.42	3.83
Property management costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rental profit	2.84	4.58	6.87	8.57	10.80	13.25	15.31
Income from property sales	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other revenues	0.11	0.12	0.08	0.07	0.11	0.13	0.15
Gross profit	2.95	4.70	6.95	8.64	10.91	13.39	15.46
Administration expenses	0.38	0.35	0.70	0.70	0.69	0.83	0.96
Personnel expenses	0.20	0.47	0.72	1.04	1.40	1.58	1.80
Other operating income/expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unfrequent items	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
EBITDA	2.36	3.89	5.53	7.04	8.82	10.97	12.70
Valuation result	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Depreciation of fixed assets	0.69	1.22	1.95	2.55	3.34	4.17	4.97
EBITA	1.67	2.67	3.59	4.50	5.48	6.80	7.73
Amortisation of intangible assets/Goodwill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
EBIT	1.67	2.67	3.59	4.50	5.48	6.80	7.73
Interest income	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Interest expenses	0.56	0.90	1.34	1.73	2.10	2.62	3.02
Other financial income (loss)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Financial result	-0.56	-0.90	-1.34	-1.72	-2.10	-2.62	-3.02
EBT	1.11	1.77	2.25	2.78	3.38	4.18	4.71
<i>Margin</i>	<i>32.2 %</i>	<i>30.4 %</i>	<i>24.8 %</i>	<i>24.8 %</i>	<i>24.4 %</i>	<i>25.1 %</i>	<i>24.6 %</i>
Total taxes	-0.22	-0.41	-0.55	-0.71	-0.71	-0.71	-1.18
thereof cash taxes	-0.22	-0.41	-0.55	-0.71	-0.85	-1.04	-1.18
Net income from continuing operations	0.89	1.36	1.70	2.07	2.53	3.13	3.53
Income from discontinued operations (net of tax)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Net income before minorities	0.89	1.36	1.70	2.07	2.53	3.13	3.53
Minority interest	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Net income	0.89	1.36	1.68	2.06	2.52	3.12	3.52
Number of shares, average	2.92	3.55	3.62	4.05	4.42	4.42	4.42
FFO (II)	1.59	2.58	3.65	4.62	5.86	7.29	8.50
<i>FFO I-margin</i>	<i>46.2 %</i>	<i>44.3 %</i>	<i>40.1 %</i>	<i>41.2 %</i>	<i>42.3 %</i>	<i>43.7 %</i>	<i>44.4 %</i>
FFOPS I	0.54	0.73	1.01	1.14	1.32	1.65	1.92
EPS	0.25	0.38	0.46	0.51	0.57	0.71	0.80
EPS adj.	0.25	0.38	0.43	0.47	0.57	0.71	0.80

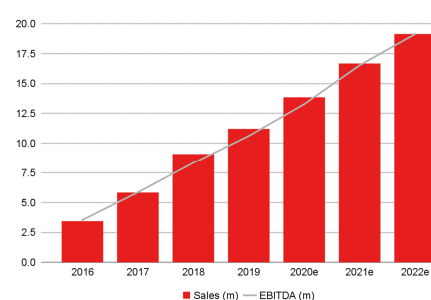
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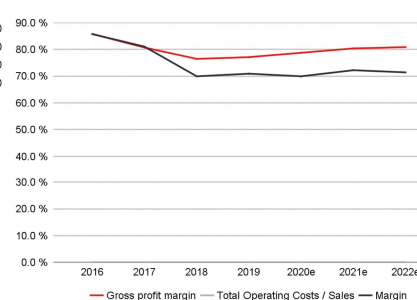
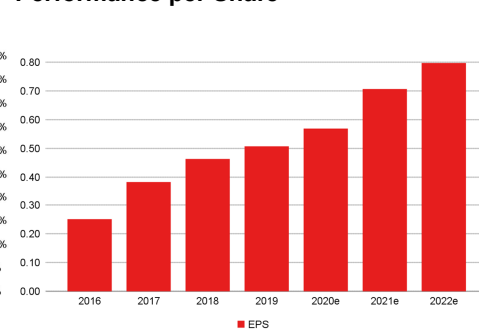
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Property operating costs / Rental Income	17.3 %	21.4 %	24.4 %	23.5 %	22.0 %	20.5 %	20.0 %
Operating Leverage (Real Estate)	1.3 x	2.3 x	2.5 x	5.4 x	5.4 x	6.1 x	7.9 x
Rental profit / interest expenses	5.1 x	5.1 x	5.1 x	5.0 x	5.1 x	5.1 x	5.1 x

Sales, EBITDA

in EUR m

**Operating Performance**

in %

**Performance per Share**

Source: Warburg Research

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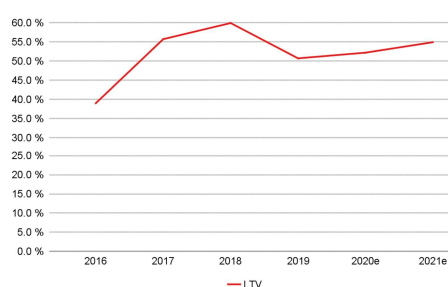
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Consolidated balance sheet

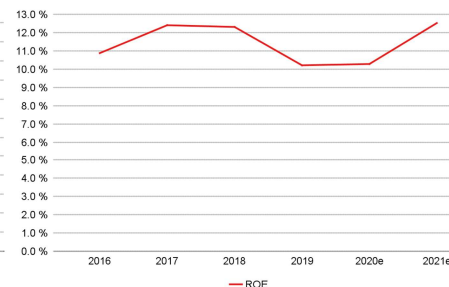
In EUR m	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Assets							
Goodwill and other intangible assets	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03
thereof other intangible assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
thereof Goodwill	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03
Property, plant and equipment	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
Investment properties	31.41	51.96	81.10	93.14	104.30	120.13	135.16
Financial assets	0.05	0.24	0.26	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.70
Other long-term assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fixed assets	31.50	52.24	81.44	94.98	106.14	121.98	137.01
Inventories	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Accounts receivable	0.12	0.22	0.51	0.00	0.44	0.44	0.44
Liquid assets	1.46	2.49	2.80	6.98	22.78	27.61	27.68
Other short-term assets	1.97	0.83	0.59	-2.56	-18.80	-23.63	-23.70
Current assets	1.75	3.17	4.34	9.29	24.14	28.97	29.03
Total Assets	33.25	55.41	85.79	104.28	130.28	150.95	166.04
Liabilities and shareholders' equity							
Subscribed capital	3.55	3.55	3.90	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42
Capital reserve	6.15	6.15	10.03	17.31	17.31	17.31	17.31
Retained earnings	0.94	1.59	2.06	2.56	2.86	3.55	4.43
Other equity components	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Shareholders' equity	10.64	11.29	15.99	24.29	24.60	25.29	26.16
Minority interest	0.00	0.10	0.38	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39
Provisions	0.20	0.36	1.01	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43
thereof provisions for pensions and similar obligations	0.10	0.18	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21
Financial liabilities (total)	20.83	43.07	67.79	76.52	101.92	121.83	135.98
thereof short-term financial liabilities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Accounts payable	0.08	0.19	0.30	0.51	0.51	0.51	0.51
Other liabilities	1.51	0.51	0.70	2.54	2.83	2.89	2.97
Liabilities	22.61	44.13	69.79	79.99	105.69	125.66	139.88
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	33.25	55.41	85.79	104.28	130.28	150.95	166.04

Financial Ratios

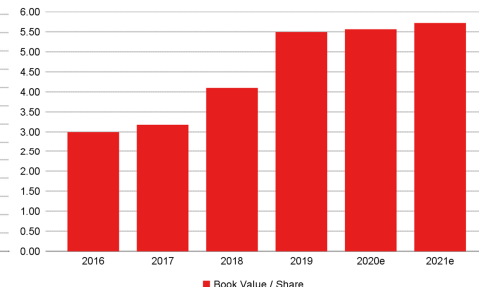
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Return on Capital							
ROA	3.5 %	3.1 %	2.4 %	2.2 %	2.1 %	2.2 %	2.2 %
ROE	10.9 %	12.4 %	12.3 %	10.2 %	10.3 %	12.5 %	13.7 %
FFO I / Equity	0.2 x	0.2 x	0.3 x	0.2 x	0.2 x	0.3 x	0.3 x
Solvency							
Net Debt	19.46	40.76	65.20	69.75	79.35	94.43	108.52
Net Financial Debt	19.37	40.58	64.99	69.54	79.14	94.22	108.30
Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA	8.2 x	10.4 x	11.7 x	9.9 x	9.0 x	8.6 x	8.5 x
LTV	38.9 %	55.7 %	59.9 %	50.7 %	52.1 %	54.9 %	56.5 %
Equity Ratio	32.0 %	20.5 %	19.1 %	23.7 %	19.2 %	17.0 %	16.0 %

LTV

Source: Warburg Research

ROE
in %

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Book Value per Share
in EUR

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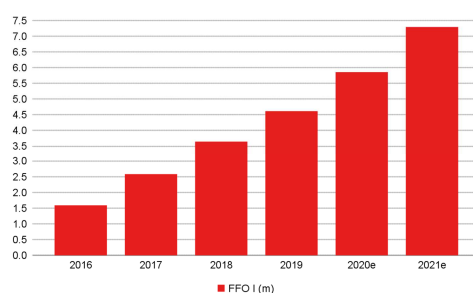
Consolidated cash flow statement

In EUR m	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Net cash provided by operating activities [1]	1.65	2.76	3.42	3.80	5.90	7.35	8.57
Net cash provided by investing activities [2]	-17.92	-21.95	-31.12	-16.09	-9.00	-20.00	-20.00
Net cash provided by financing activities [3]	14.02	20.23	28.01	16.47	18.90	17.48	11.50
Change in liquid funds [1]+[2]+[3]	-2.25	1.03	0.31	4.18	15.80	4.83	0.07
Effects of exchange-rate changes on cash	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cash and cash equivalent at end of period	1.46	2.49	2.80	6.98	22.78	27.61	27.68

Financial Ratios

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Cash Flow							
FFO (II)	1.59	2.58	3.65	4.62	5.86	7.29	8.50
FFOPS I	0.54	0.73	1.01	1.14	1.32	1.65	1.92
FFOPS I diluted	0.45	0.73	0.94	1.04	1.32	1.65	1.92
FFO I-Yield	10.4 %	8.2 %	8.7 %	7.5 %	6.8 %	8.5 %	9.9 %
FFO I-margin	46.2 %	44.3 %	40.1 %	41.2 %	42.3 %	43.7 %	44.4 %
Interest Paid / Avg. Debt	3.4 %	2.8 %	2.4 %	2.4 %	2.4 %	2.3 %	2.3 %
Management of Funds							
Capex/Investment Properties	-57.0 %	-42.3 %	-38.4 %	-17.3 %	-8.6 %	-16.6 %	-14.8 %
Avg. Working Capital / Sales	0.9 %	0.7 %	1.4 %	-1.3 %	-2.1 %	-0.4 %	-0.4 %
Dividend Payout Ratio	65.7 %	88.6 %	85.1 %	88.2 %	87.5 %	77.5 %	75.0 %

FFO



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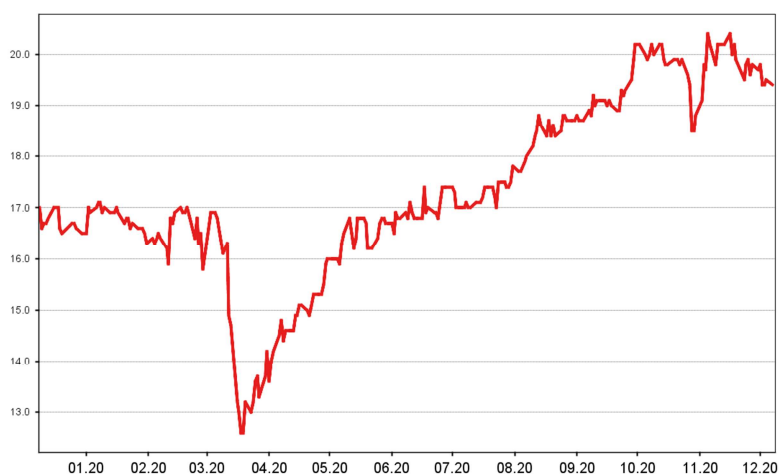
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