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## Quercus TFI

## 2Q23 Results Preview

Quercus TFI will publish its 2Q23 results on 11 August. We expect net profit of PLN 3.5m (+8% q/q, +11% y/y).

**AuM** and yield: Average AuM were PLN 3.3bn in the quarter, which is 5% higher on a quarterly basis and -8% y/y. We estimate the gross management fee yield reached 1.49% in 2Q23 (vs. 1.5% in 1Q23 and 1.48% a year ago). Average assets at Xelion were approx. 5% higher q/q.

**Revenues**: As a result of the above factors, we estimate revenues from management fee have improved by 4% q/q. We also expect increase in others revenues (Xelion) by 4% q/q, but still down by 10% y/y.

**OPEX**: We expect a proportional increase in distribution costs and stable SG&A costs y/y.

We estimate that as of end of 2Q23 **conditional success fee** was approx. PLN 8.3m (up from PLN 6.8m as of the end of 1Q23).

**Summary of Financial Data** 

P&L	2Q22	1Q23	2Q23E	q/q	y/y	1H22	1H23E	y/y
Revenues	23.5	20.9	21.7	4%	-8%	51.3	42.6	-17%
Management fee	12.3	11.1	11.5	4%	-6%	26.1	22.6	-13%
Success fee	0.0	0.0	0.0			0.0	0.0	
Others	11.3	9.8	10.2	4%	-10%	25.2	20.0	-21%
OPEX	20.2	19.8	19.3	-3%	-4%	41.7	39.1	-6%
Distribution	9.9	8.8	9.2	5%	-7%	21.4	17.9	-16%
SG&A	10.3	11.1	10.1	-9%	-2%	20.2	21.2	5%
EBIT	3.4	1.1	2.5	132%	-26%	9.7	3.5	-63%
Net financial income	0.7	3.1	2.0			-0.1	5.1	
Gross profit	4.1	4.2	4.5	8%	9%	9.5	8.6	-10%

Tax	0.7	0.8	0.8			1.7	1.6	
Minorities	0.2	0.1	0.1			0.2	0.2	
Net profit	3.2	3.3	3.5	8%	11%	7.6	6.8	-11%
Key figures	2Q22	1Q23	2Q23E	q/q	y/y	1H22	1H23E	y/y
Average AuM (PLN m)	3 585	3 129	3 296	5%	-8%	3 914	3 217	-18%
AuM (eop, PLN m)	3 280	3 187	3 440	8%	5%	3 280	3 440	5%
AuM yield (gross)	1.48%	1.50%	1.49%			1.47%	1.50%	2%
Distribution / revenues	42%	42%	42%			42%	42%	
SG&A/ revenues	44%	53%	46%			39%	50%	
Effective tax rate	18.2%	19.0%	19.0%			17.5%	19.0%	

Source: Erste Group Research

**Opinion. Slightly positive.** Given expected profits in 1H23, current level of AuM and conditional success fee we estimate that Quercus should be able to report net profit of PLN 19-20m this year.

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