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Egypt Valuation Repertoire

1. Today's Trading Playbook

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KEY THEMES

We just published this morning **our outlook for 2022 under our STAND**Point series. In the strategy note titled "Egypt Valuation Repertoire", we lay down our outlook for 2022 in five sections:

2. Top News & Analysis



- **FOREWORD**, where we take a look back at 2021 before introducing our "P²C²" Matrix and explain our investment and risk rating systems. We also show case how well our 2021 long and short ideas outperformed, generating an average return of 17.9% per idea. Lastly, we look back at how different asset classes performed in 2021 and the prior 20 years.
- **MACRO**View, where we analyze the macro picture globally in brief and locally in detail, ending up with the country's economic KPIs and our macro estimates.
- **STOCK**View, where we revisit our factor-based analysis of Egyptian stocks, covering characteristics such as style, quantitative, beta, trading liquidity, and volatility.
- **VALUATION**Repertoire, where we summarize our top picks for the market in 2022 with 15 top stock picks one by one.



- **MARKET** in Figures, where we summarize the market performance and key KPIs in figures to focus on certain aspects such as trading statistics, category performance in 2021, and investor trading activity by type and nationality.

POSITIVE

15 top stock picks: ABUK, BINV, CICH, COMI, PHAR, SWDY, FAIT/FAITA, IDHC, WCDF, MICH, EGSA, OLFI, ORAS, ORWE, and ETEL.

Now, on to the top news and analysis for the day.

2. TOP NEWS & ANALYSIS

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MACRO NEWS

Egypt will receive an USD368mn loan from the Arab Monetary Fund (AMF) to help strengthen its financial position and meet "emergency needs" amid challenges caused by the ongoing pandemic. (AMF)

The General Authority for Supply Commodities purchased 420,000 tons of wheat for March delivery in an international tender last week — more than 40% of it from conflict-threatened Ukraine, with the rest coming from Russia and Romania. (Nasdag)

CORPORATE NEWS

Abu Qir Fertilizers' [ABUK] H1 2021/22 preliminary figures showed net earnings of EGP3.2bn (+114% y/y). Strong earnings growth came on the back of: (1) 54% y/y higher top line of EGP6.2bn. (2) 23pp improvement in GPM to 62%. Such performance leap was due to: (1) Global nitrogen fertilizers rally, where urea prices crossed the USD900/ton mark. (2) Hiking local subsidized fertilizer's prices late November 2021, which partially offset the impact of the 28% natural gas price hike undertaken early November 2021. (3) A relatively weak base in H1 2020/21. We expect ABUK's strong performance to continue in the second half of 2021/22, albeit at a lighter pace than the one we have seen in Q2 2021/22 since global urea prices are bound to correct gradually as the winter season concludes. (Company disclosure)

Elsewedy Electric [SWDY] consortium with "El Gharably" and "Egyptian Railways for Track Renewal and Maintenance Company" submitted the lowest price for two tenders related to the renewal and renovation works for some railways. The contract was not signed yet nor the final letter of awards, so the company didn't disclose the size of the project. (company disclosure)





Orascom Investment Holding [OIH] has announced the sale of its stake at Pakistani Transworld for USD35mn. (Company disclosure)

General Company for Ceramic and Porcelain Products [PRCL] reported its preliminary figures for H1 2021/22. PRCL reported net losses of EGP28.5mn vs. net losses of EGP21.9mn a year earlier. Meanwhile, top line slipped to EGP104.5mn (-7% y/y). We note that, PRCL's GPM dropped to 3% in H1 2021/22 vs. 12% a year earlier. (Company disclosure)

Makadi Heights for Tourism Development, a subsidiary of Orascom Development Egypt [ORHD], received a letter from the Egyptian Tourism Development Authority (TDA) regarding reducing a land plot area. TDA informed Makadi Height for a reduction of 1.75mn sqm. ORHD intends to file a formal petition requesting reconsideration of the TDA's decision to preserve the company's rights. (Company disclosure)

Cairo for Investment & Real Estate Development [CIRA] reported net income after minority of EGP100mn (-15.4% y/y) in Q1 2021/22 on lower GPM of 53% (-9pp y/y) and higher financing cost (+53.3% y/y). Revenues, however, upped 16.2% y/y to EGP430mn during the same period. (Company disclosure)

GLOBAL NEWS

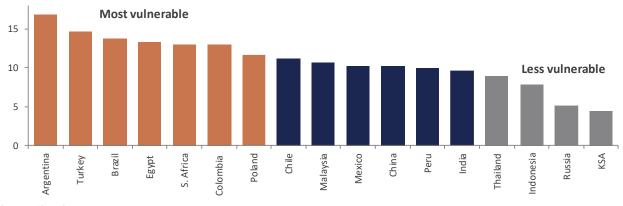
The U.S. Federal Reserve has kicked off 2022 with a clear message: rates will rise to contain surging inflation. The Federal Reserve on Wednesday signaled its intention to raise interest rates in March and reaffirmed plans to end its bond purchases that month in what U.S. central bank chief pledged will be a sustained battle to tame inflation. (Reuters)

Oil prices are showing signs of overheating as traders anticipate a severe shortage of oil this year: inventories are already low and there is little spare capacity to raise production in the short term. (Reuters)



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Sources: Bloomberg.

All EMs will be exposed to higher fed rates hikes, but according to Bloomberg ranking some countries are likely to be more exposed.



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Curre	Current equity market cap (EGPbn) 740.8				Equity turnover (EGPmn): Last, ytd avg.			648.7	1,178.6		
				daily chg.	ytd chg.					daily chg.	ytd chg.
A	7	EGX 30	11,499.85	(0.37%)	(3.76%)	>	7	Gold	1,791.53	(0.33%)	(2.06%)
	7	EGX 30 TR	4,540.39	(0.36%)	(3.74%)		7	Silver	22.47	(1.30%)	(3.58%)
	7	EGX 70 EWI	2,130.11	(0.46%)	(3.26%)	8	7	Brent Oil	90.03	0.77%	15.75%
	7	EGX 100 EWI	3,126.72	(0.47%)	(3.95%)		7	WTI	86.82	0.24%	15.44%
	7	DFMGI	3,220.37	1.01%	0.77%	•	7	Natural Gas	4.64	(25.95%)	24.37%
	7	ADSMI	8,766.13	0.37%	3.27%	EGP	7	USD/EGP	15.74	(0.16%)	(0.15%)
93233	7	TASI	12,179.32	(0.03%)	7.96%	€	7	EUR/USD	1.12	0.05%	(1.93%)
-	7	QE Index	12,508.64	0.22%	7.59%	£	7	GBP/USD	1.34	0.13%	(0.97%)
38	7	S&P 500	4,431.85	2.43%	(7.01%)	¥	7	USD/JPY	115.26	0.10%	(0.16%)
	7	Dow 30	34,725.47	1.65%	(4.44%)	н	7	6M TB yield	12.10	4	(63)
	7	NASDAQ	13,770.57	3.13%	(11.98%)		7	1Y TB yield	13.21	(0)	44
	7	VIX	27.66	(9.28%)	60.63%		7	10Y TB yield	14.71	(1)	32
\Diamond	7	STOXX 50	4,136.91	(1.15%)	(3.76%)	18	7	2Y TB yield	1.18	15	105
EM	7	MSCI Emerging	1,191.14	(0.08%)	(3.32%)		7	10Y TB yield	1.79	2	86
FM	7	MSCI Frontier	637.73	0.14%	(4.19%)		7	30Y TB yield	2.09	(2)	43

^{*} As of market close. Change in Treasuries is in basis points.

Source: Bloomberg, CBE.

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Find out how your favorite stocks compare to the rest of the market.

6. KEY DATES

DATE	TICKER	TYPE	EVENT
31-Jan-22	PACH	Cash dividend	Date for paying out a dividend of EGP0.75/share (1st installment).
31-Jan-22	ALCN	Cash dividend	Date for paying out a dividend of EGP0.787/share.
31-Jan-22	ORAS	Cash dividend	Date for paying out a dividend of USD0.2313/share.
3-Feb-22		MPC Meeting	Determining the CBE's policy rate.
3-Feb-22	EGTS	Lawsuit	A court session discussing legal disputes relevant to the company.
6-Feb-22	MOIN	Cash dividend	Payment date for a dividend of EGP0.125/share (2nd installment).
13-Feb-22	ELSH	BoD meeting	Discussing agenda.
15-Feb-22	EAST	Cash dividend	Payment date for a dividend of EGP0.60/share (2nd installment).
17-Feb-22	BIOC	EGM	Discussing the sale of some assets.
23-Feb-22	ODID	EGM	Discussing applying a reward system for employees.
26-Feb-22	SPMD	OGM	A board reshuffle.
26-Feb-22	SPMD	EGM	Amending Article No. 21 of the company's bylaws.





7. LATEST RESEARCH

DATE	PUBLISHED REPORT
30-Jan-22	STANDPoint - Egypt Valuation Repertoire — 2022 Outlook
12-Jan-22	QNB Alahli [QNBA] – Slow Earnings Pace Despite Assets Growth
10-Jan-22	MACROView – The Last Reading Ahead of a Cloudy Year
30-Dec-21	EGYPTCeramics – From Dusk to Dawn
26-Dec-21	Obour Land For Food Industries [OLFI] – A Play on Consumption Recovery
22-Dec-21	MACROView – The Return of the 'Vigilante'
14-Dec-21	MACROView – When "Bad" Inflation Clouds the Path of "Good" Inflation
9-Dec-21	MACROView – Another Retreat Until Further Notice
8-Dec-21	MACROView – For Stormy Days, Eyes on the Ball
7-Dec-21	EGYPTBanks – Takeoff Time
5-Dec-21	MACROView – Searching for Lost Momentum
21-Nov-21	TAKEStock – Nitrogen Fertilizers Local Price Hike
17-Nov-21	EFG Hermes Holding [HRHO] – Earnings Growth Skyrocketing ex-One-Offs
17-Nov-21	Orascom Construction [ORAS] – BESIX – Back on Track Again
15-Nov-21	B Investments Holding [BINV] – Growth Dented Across the Board – Take 2
15-Nov-21	Elsewedy Electric [SWDY] – A Quarter to Forget?
14-Nov-21	Misr Chemical Industries [MICH] – A Healthy Kick-off to a Promising Year
14-Nov-21	Abu Qir Fertilizers [ABUK] – A "One-of-a-Kind" Quarter
14-Nov-21	Commercial International Bank [COMI] – Elegant Earnings Growth on All Fronts
10-Nov-21	MACROView – The Calm Before the Storm, or Maybe Not
10-Nov-21	CI Capital Holding [CICH] – Record-Breaking Quarter
7-Nov-21	Crédit Agricole Egypt (CAE) [CIEB] – Earnings Recover on Lower Provisions
4-Nov-21	MACROView – Underlying Strength, but Gathering Headwinds
3-Nov-21	MACROView – Gathering Clouds
1-Nov-21	TAKEStock – Separating the Wheat from the Chaff
31-Oct-21	TAKEStock – Natural Gas Price Hike
19-Oct-21	MACROView – The Storm Is Gone but the Headwinds Persist
13-Oct-21	e-finance [EFIH] – An Eye-Opening IPO
10-Oct-21	MACROView – Walking a Tightrope
6-Oct-21	MACROView – On "Risk Control" Mode



6-Oct-21	MACROView – The Tortuous Path to Recovery
19-Sep-21	TAKEStock – Consumer Staples (Food & Beverage) – All You Can Eat Festival
15-Sep-21	MACROView – Deciphering the Din of Battle
14-Sep-21	TAKEStock – Orascom Investment Holding [OIH] — Monetization at Play
9-Sep-21	MACROView – Hot Summer Winds
7-Sep-21	MACROView – The Global Blessing Windfall
6-Sep-21	MACROView – Tempered, But Cautious, Optimism
5-Sep-21	Misr Chemical Industries [MICH] – Nice While It Lasted
29-Aug-21	Orascom Construction [ORAS] – Recovery on Track Although Below Estimates
24-Aug-21	Abu Qir Fertilizers [ABUK] – When the Stars Align
18-Aug-21	EFG Hermes Holding [HRHO] – Solid Business, Strong Financial Growth
17-Aug-21	Elsewedy Electric [SWDY] – Impressive Set of Results
17-Aug-21	Commercial International Bank [COMI] – Adjustment Post Stock Dividend
16-Aug-21	B Investments Holding [BINV] – Growth Dented Across the Board
11-Aug-21	Crédit Agricole Egypt (CAE) [CIEB] – Non-Interest Income Heals Earnings Growth
10-Aug-21	MACROView – July's Feverous Inflation
9-Aug-21	CI Capital Holding [CICH] – Robust Exit Saves the Day
5-Aug-21	MACROView – The Sky Is No Blue
4-Aug-21	MACROView – Constrained Recovery
26-Jul-21	EFG Hermes Holding [HRHO] – FV and 12MPT Adjustment to Bonus Share Action
13-Jul-21	Commercial International Bank [COMI] – Tamed Credit Provisions Spur Annual Growth
8-Jul-21	MACROView – Inflation Edged Up, As Expected
8-Jul-21	MACROView – External Buffers Still Powering Ahead
6-Jul-21	MACROView – A Steady and Slow Recovery in the Making
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16-Jun-21	B Investments Holding [BINV] – Strong Financials, Growing Investments
14-Jun-21	Al-Shams Housing & Development [ELSH] – Earnings Flattened by Factoring Cost
10-Jun-21	MACROView – Inflation Risk Rising, but Still Within Target
8-Jun-21	TAKEStock – Telecom Egypt [ETEL] – Show Me the Dividends
6-Jun-21	MACROView – Further Enhancement
3-Jun-21	MACROView – Contraction Eased
23-May-21	Orascom Construction [ORAS] – Earnings Short of Our Estimates



23-May-21	CI Capital Holding [CICH] – Earnings Dented by One-off ESOP Expense
22-May-21	Commercial International Bank [COMI] – Earnings Growth Driven by Lower Provisions
20-May-21	Crédit Agricole Egypt (CAE) [CIEB] – Slowing Lending Inhibits Earnings Growth
20-May-21	EFG Hermes Holding [HRHO] – Recovery Signs; Back on Track
18-May-21	B Investments Holding [BINV] – Exits Kick Off, Unlocking Value
18-May-21	Elsewedy Electric [SWDY] – Financials promise a buoyant year ahead
17-May-21	Misr Chemical Industries [MICH] – Another Chapter of Strong Annual Growth
11-May-21	MACROView – Inflation Eased but Stage Still Set for a Pick-Up
9-May-21	MACROView – Stability Prevailed
6-May-21	MACROView – The Road to Recovery Gets Longer
18-Apr-21	MACROView – Challenges Remain Daunting
13-Apr-21	Crédit Agricole Egypt (CAE) [CIEB] – The Value Algorithm
12-Apr-21	Orascom Construction [ORAS] - Rich in Value
11-Apr-21	MACROView – Monthly Reading Pressured By Seasonality
6-Apr-21	MACROView – FX Assets Well Placed to Mitigate Potential Risks
6-Apr-21	MACROView – Still Downbeat
28-Mar-21	Taaleem Management Services [TALM] – Enriching the Education Sector
18-Mar-21	EFG Hermes Holding [HRHO] – Challenging Year, Yet Growth Continues
10-Mar-21	MACROView – Still Below the Target, but Global Headwinds Cloud the Horizon
8-Mar-21	MACROView – Buffers Grew Despite Signs of Unwelcome Tightening of Financial Conditions
7-Mar-21	Al-Shams Housing & Development [ELSH] – Making Hay While the Sun Shines
3-Mar-21	MACROView – Weak Demand Still Weighing on the Rebound Trajectory
2-Mar-21	MACROView – Commodity Supercycle: Real or Hype?
1-Mar-21	Commercial International Bank [COMI] – Earnings Beat Despite Higher Provisions
25-Feb-21	Elsewedy Electric [SWDY] – Strong Set of Results Driven by Turnkey
22-Feb-21	CI Capital Holding [CICH] – Got the Hit, Yet Better Than Expected
10-Feb-21	MACROView – Disinflation Continues Amid Acceleration in Global Commodity Prices
8-Feb-21	Misr Chemical Industries [MICH] – Annually Wild, Quarterly Tamed
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3-Feb-21	MACROView – A Fragile Improvement but Favorable Sentiment
3-Feb-21	MACROView – External Woes vs. Cautious Optimism
1-Feb-21	STANDPoint – Egypt 2021 Investing Playbook



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