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# **BYD Electronics (285 HK)**

## **Outlook intact despite NT headwinds; Maintain BUY**

We spoke to BYDE mgmt. post 1H21 results, and we believe share gain in Xiaomi /iPad OEM, smart/automobile products and e-cigarette ramp remain on track in 2H21E despite near-term headwinds on chip shortage. We trimmed FY21/22/23E EPS by 32%/12%/2% mainly to reflect margin impact due to chip shortage and lower mask sales. We expect 4Q21E earnings will rebound at 32% YoY (vs -55%/ -54% in 3Q/2Q21E) as GPM will normalize in 4Q21E. We remain positive on BYDE as the major beneficiary of industry consolidation, Apple/Xiaomi's supplier diversification and expansion into fast-growing e-cigarette market. Maintain BUY with new STOP-based TP of HK\$49.5, implying 16.4x FY22E P/E.

- 1H21 weakness on chip shortage and slow high-end demand; Android flagship/iPad to ramp in 4Q21E. Despite 42% revenue growth in 1H21, net profit declined 34% YoY mainly due to lower GPM on chip shortage, mask impact and weak high-end demand. BYDE stated conservative FY21E guidance of RMB95-100bn revenue (vs prior RMB100bn) given uncertainty on ongoing chip shortage. For 2H21E, we expect revenue growth will accelerate to 22%/30% YoY in 3Q/4Q21E (vs +8% in 2Q21), driven by Android flagship launches and iPad ramp in 2H21E. As for GPM, given high base with mask sales in 1Q-3Q20 (GPM: 12-17%), we expect GPM will improve QoQ to 7.2%/10.4% in 3Q/4Q21E (vs 6.9% in 1H21), and earnings growth will resume at 32% YoY in 4Q21E after 55% YoY decline in 3Q21E.
- e-cigarette progress on track; More share gain in Apple components. Mgmt. stated that 40 automated production line for e-cigarette products have been installed, and total shipment can reach 4mn per day at full utilization in 2022E. BYDE believed recent tighter regulations on e-cigarette industry will raise entry barrier and benefit industry leaders with strong R&D capability. We conservatively estimate e-cigarette sales of RMB1.5bn/2.4bn in FY21/22E. In addition, we expect BYDE to continue share gain in Apple's components (e.g. glass) in FY22E, following rapid expansion into iPad OEM and watch components in FY21E.
- Promising outlook; Reiterate BUY with new TP HK\$49.5. We maintain our positive view on BYDE's product roadmap, share gain in major brands and expansion into e-cigarette markets. Our new SOTP-based TP of HK\$49.5 implies an undemanding valuation of 16.4x FY22E P/E. Catalysts include faster share gain, e-cigarette progress and Xiaomi/Apple launches.

### **Earnings Summary**

(YE 31 Dec)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E
Revenue (RMB mn)	53,028	73,121	97,307	117,744	147,850
YoY growth (%)	29.2	37.9	33.1	21.0	25.6
Net income (RMB mn)	1,598	5,441	3,937	5,643	7,306
EPS (RMB)	0.71	2.41	1.75	2.50	3.24
YoY growth (%)	(25.5)	240.6	(27.6)	43.3	29.5
Consensus EPS (RMB)	NA	NA	1.96	2.57	3.15
P/E (x)	41.6	12.2	16.9	11.8	9.1
Р/В (х)	5.7	4.4	3.8	3.2	2.6
Yield (%)	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.1
ROE (%)	9.4	24.9	15.5	18.5	19.7
Net gearing (%)	Net cash				

Source: Company data, Bloomberg, CMBIS estimates



## **BUY (Maintain)**

Target Price	HK\$49.5
(Previous TP	HK\$55.0)
Up/Downside	+39%
Current Price	HK\$35.5

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#### Stock Data

Mkt. Cap. (HK\$mn)	79,989
Avg. 3mths t/o (HK\$mn)	384.25
52W High/Low (HK\$)	63.10/ 31.95
Total Issued Shares (mn)	2,253
Source: Bloomberg	

#### Shareholding Structure

Golden Link Worldwide Ltd	65.76%
Gold Dragonfly Ltd	4.98%
China Southern Fund	1.19%
Source: Bloomberg	

#### Share Performance

	Absolute	Relative
1-mth	-9.7%	-9.4%
3-mth	-30.4%	-21.6%
6-mth	-17.9%	-8.1%
Source: Bloomberg		

### 12-mth Price Performance



Source: Bloomberg

### Auditor: Ernst & Young

#### **Related reports:**

2021

- 1. CMBI Tech Corporate Day takeaways 16 Jun 2021
- 2. Expect margin pressure to ease
- ahead; Maintain BUY 30 Apr 2021
  FY20 in-line; Reiterate BUY with multiple drivers ahead - 31 Mar



## **1H21 Results review**

### Figure 1: 1H21 results review

					СМВІ	%	Consensus	%
RMB mn	1H20	2H20	1H21	YoY	FY21E	Track	FY21E	Track
Revenue	31,386	41,735	44,531	42%	102,033	44%	102,413	43%
Gross profit	4,100	5,529	3,061	-25%	10,664	29%	9,454	32%
Operating profit	2,587	3,218	1,043	-60%	5,766	18%	4,571	23%
Net profit	2,473	2,969	1,643	-34%	5,756	29%	4,629	35%
EPS (RMB)	1.10	1.32	0.73	-34%	2.55	29%	2.06	35%
Gross margin	13.1%	13.2%	6.9%	0.2ppt	10.5%		9.2%	
Operating margin	8.2%	7.7%	2.3%	-0.5ppt	5.7%		4.5%	
Net margin	7.9%	7.1%	3.7%	-0.8ppt	5.6%		4.5%	

Source: Company data, Bloomberg, CMBIS estimates

## Figure 2: Quarterly results review

RMB mn	1Q20	2Q20	3Q20	4Q20	1Q21	2Q21	YoY	QoQ
Revenue	8,564	22,822	20,131	21,604	19,890	24,641	8%	24%
Gross profit	1064	3035	3386	2143	1282	1779	-41%	39%
Net profit	657	1815	1862	1107	808	835	-54%	3%
EPS (RMB)	0.29	0.81	0.82	0.49	0.36	0.37	-54%	3%
Gross margin	12.4%	13.3%	16.8%	9.9%	6.4%	7.2%	-6.1 ppt	0.8 ppt
Net margin	7.7%	8.0%	9.2%	5.1%	4.1%	3.4%	-4.6 ppt	-0.7 ppt
Revenue (YoY)	-17.6%	77.1%	33.2%	47.7%	132.2%	8.0%		
Gross profit (YoY)	27.1%	325.3%	219.2%	59.3%	20.4%	-41.4%		
Net profit (YoY)	69.4%	869.5%	312.5%	93.8%	22.9%	-54.0%		

Source: Company data, Bloomberg, CMBIS estimates

## **Earnings Revision**

## Figure 3: Earnings revision

DMD mm		New			Old			Change (%)		
RMB mn Revenue Gross Profit Operating Profit Net profit EPS (RMB) Gross Margin	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E	
Revenue	97,307	117,744	147,850	102,033	122,932	151,077	-5%	-4%	-2%	
Gross Profit	7,768	10,701	13,985	10,664	12,279	14,788	-27%	-13%	-5%	
Operating Profit	3,165	5,250	7,139	5,766	6,501	7,687	-45%	-19%	-7%	
Net profit	3,937	5,643	7,306	5,756	6,404	7,448	-32%	-12%	-2%	
EPS (RMB)	1.75	2.50	3.24	2.55	2.84	3.31	-32%	-12%	-2%	
Gross Margin	8.0%	9.1%	9.5%	10.5%	10.0%	9.8%	-2.5 ppt	-0.9 ppt	-0.3 ppt	
Operating Margin	3.3%	4.5%	4.8%	5.7%	5.3%	5.1%	-2.4 ppt	-0.8 ppt	-0.3 ppt	
Net Margin	4.0%	4.8%	4.9%	5.6%	5.2%	4.9%	-1.6 ppt	-0.4 ppt	0 ppt	

Sources: Company data, CMBIS estimates

## Figure 4: CMBIS estimates vs consensus

DMD mm	CMBIS				Consensus			Diff (%)		
RMB mn	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E	FY21E	FY22E	FY22E	FY21E	FY22E -6% -8% -6% -1% -3% -0.2 ppt	FY23E	
Revenue	97,307	117,744	147,850	102,128	124,760	145,429	-5%	-6%	2%	
Gross Profit	7,768	10,701	13,985	9,280	11,581	13,276	-16%	-8%	5%	
Operating Profit	3,165	5,250	7,139	4,345	5,588	7,110	-27%	-6%	0%	
Net profit	3,937	5,643	7,306	4,410	5,720	6,952	-11%	-1%	5%	
EPS (RMB)	1.75	2.50	3.24	1.96	2.57	3.15	-11%	-3%	3%	
Gross Margin	8.0%	9.1%	9.5%	9.1%	9.3%	9.1%	-1.1 ppt	-0.2 ppt	0.3 ppt	
Operating Margin	3.3%	4.5%	4.8%	4.3%	4.5%	4.9%	-1 ppt	0 ppt	-0.1 ppt	
Net Margin	4.0%	4.8%	4.9%	4.3%	4.6%	4.8%	-0.3 ppt	0.2 ppt	0.2 ppt	

Source: Company data, CMBIS estimates



## Figure 5: Revenue breakdown

RMB mn	FY19	FY20	1H21	2H21E	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E
Assembly	26,847	31,152	30,471	32,029	62,500	74,000	92,000
ҮоҮ	53%	16%	208%	51%	101%	18%	24%
Component (metal/glass/plastic)	18,562	17,576	7,110	8,642	15,752	17,808	20,438
ҮоҮ	3%	-5%	-17%	-4%	-10%	13%	15%
Metal	13,000	10,996	5,476	2,611	8,087	6,736	6,996
Plastic	3,512	4,566	1,415	2,375	3,789	3,032	3,032
Glass/ceramic	1,500	3,000	1,725	3,975	5,700	5,985	7,781
Masks	-	12,100	446	643	1,089	484	212
ҮоҮ			-95%	-82%	-91%	-56%	-56%
E-cigarette	-	1,000	200	1,300	1,500	2,400	4,080
					50%	60%	70%
New intelligent	6,025	9,476	5,014	8,726	13,740	19,236	25,969
ҮоҮ	39%	57%	38%	49%	45%	40%	35%
Auto intelligent	1,594	1,817	1,290	1,436	2,726	3,816	5,151
ҮоҮ	34%	14%	90%	26%	50%	40%	35%
Total	53,028	73,121	44,531	51,476	97,307	117,744	147,850
ҮоҮ	29%	38%	42%	26%	33%	21%	26%

Source: Company data, CMBIS estimates

## Figure 6: P&L forecast by interim

RMB mn	FY19	FY20	1H21	2H21E	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E
Revenue	53,028	73,121	44,531	52,776	97,307	117,744	147,850
YoY	29.2%	37.9%	41.9%	26.5%	33.1%	21.0%	25.6%
Cost of sales	(49,071 )	(63,492)	(41,470)	(48,069)	(89,539)	(107,04 3)	(133,86 6)
Gross profit	3,957	9,629	3,061	4,707	7,768	10,701	13,985
GPM (%)	7%	13%	7%	9%	8%	9%	9%
YoY	-5.1%	143.3%	-47.4%	-32.7%	-19.3%	37.8%	30.7%
SG&A	(876)	(910)	(1,033)	(378)	(905)	(977)	(1,227)
% of rev	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
R&D	(2,088)	(2,913)	325	(2,207)	(3,698)	(4,474)	(5,618)
% of rev	4%	4%	(1%)	4%	4%	4%	4%
Operating profit	994	5,806	(118)	2,123	3,165	5,250	7,139
OPM (%)	2%	8%	(0%)	4%	3%	4%	5%
YoY	-45%	484%	-103%	-48%	-45%	66%	36%
Net profit	1,598	5,441	1,643	2,294	3,937	5,643	7,306
NPM (%)	3%	7%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%
YoY	-26%	241%	-34%	-23%	-28%	43%	29%

Source: Company data, CMBIS estimates

## Figure 7: P&L forecast by interim

RMB mn	1Q20	2Q20	3Q20	4Q20	1Q21	2Q21	3Q21E	4Q21E
Revenue	8,564	22,822	20,131	21,604	19,890	24,641	24,641	28,135
Gross profit	1064	3035	3386	2143	1282	1779	1774	2933
Net profit	657	1815	1862	1107	808	835	835	1459
EPS (RMB)	0.29	0.81	0.82	0.49	0.36	0.37	0.37	0.65
Growth (YoY)								
Revenue	-18%	77%	33%	48%	132%	8%	22%	30%
Gross profit	27%	325%	219%	59%	20%	-41%	-48%	37%
Net profit	69%	869%	312%	94%	23%	-54%	-55%	32%
<u>Margin</u>								
Gross margin	12.4%	13.3%	16.8%	9.9%	6.4%	7.2%	7.2%	10.4%
Net margin	7.7%	8.0%	9.2%	5.1%	4.1%	3.4%	3.4%	5.2%

Source: Company data, CMBIS estimates



## Valuation

## **Reiterate BUY with new TP HK\$49.5**

We maintain Buy with new TP HK\$ 49.5, to reflect EPS revision and rollover to FY22E P/E. We derive our TP based on SOTP valuation to reflect BYDE's business diversification with different growth profiles and visibility.

Our TP is based on weighted-average target P/E multiple of 16.4x FY21E EPS. We assign 10x P/E to its assembly EMS business and 15x P/E for component/e-cigarette business, in-line with TW/HK-listed peers. We assign lower 8x for mask business to reflect its near-term growth potential amid COVID-19 outbreak.

### Figure 8: BYDE – SOTP valuation

Business segment	% of FY22E Profit	FY22E EPS (RMB)	Target P/E
Assembly	19%	0.47	10x
Components	31%	0.77	15x
Masks	2%	0.04	8x
Others (smart, auto)	49%	1.23	20x
Total (RMB) /Implied P/E			16.4x
TP (HK\$)			49.5

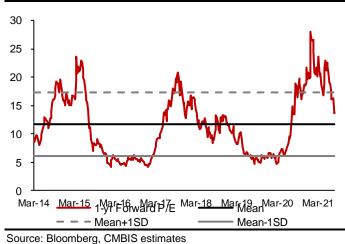
Sources: Company data, CMBIS estimates

### Figure 9: Peers' valuation

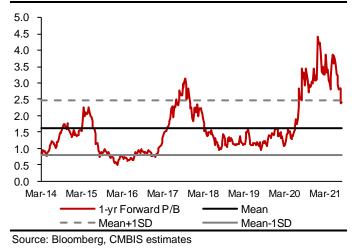
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			Сар	Price	TP	Down	P/E (x)		P/B (x)		ROE (%)	
Company	Ticker	Rating	(US\$ mn)	(LC)	(LC)	-side	FY21E	FY22E	FY21E	FY22E	FY21E	FY22E
BYDE	285 HK	Buy	10,284	35.50	49.5	39%	16.9	11.8	3.8	3.2	15.5	18.5
Tongda	698 HK	Buy	312	0.25	*0.56	na	3.1	3.2	0.2	0.2	7.7	7.8
AAC Tech	2018 HK	Hold	6,735	43.35	45.3	4%	25.8	15.1	2.1	1.7	8.0	11.5
TK Group	2283 HK	Buy	366	3.42	4.1	20%	5.3	7.4	2.2	1.5	41.7	21.3
Ju Teng	3336 HK	NR	247	1.60	na	na	9.4	8.0	0.3	0.3	3.1	3.6
Everwin	300115 CH	NR	3,173	17.07	na	na	20.9	14.8	2.7	2.3	12.6	16.5
Lens Tech	300433 CH	NR	18,167	23.60	na	na	17.2	13.5	2.5	2.2	14.6	16.0
Foxconn	2354 TT	NR	3,390	66.30	na	na	12.1	11.4	0.8	0.7	6.6	-
Catcher	2474 TT	NR	4,597	167.00	na	na	13.6	11.8	0.8	0.8	5.5	6.3
			Average				14.0	10.8	1.6	1.3	11.9	12.8

Source: Bloomberg, CMBIS estimates, \*TP under review

### Figure 10: 12M forward P/E band



## Figure 11: 12M forward P/B band





## **Financial Summary**

Income statement						Cash flow summary					
YE 31 Dec (RMB mn)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E	YE 31 Dec (RMB mn)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21E	FY22E	FY23E
Revenue	53,028					Profit before taxation	1,696	6,221	4,326	6,413	8,302
COGS	(49,071)	(63,492)	(89,539)	(107,04	(133,86	Depreciation	2,157	2,442	2,821	3,279	3,856
Gross profit	3,957	9,629	7,768	10,701	13,985	Change in working capital	(3,596)	(1,499)	(857)	(188)	(5,039)
						Others	(20)	(708)	(318)	(698)	(925)
Selling and marketing	(257)	(237)	(224)	(271)	(340)	Net cash from operating	237	6,455	5,972	8,806	6,193
Administrative	(619)	(673)	(681)	(706)	(887)						
R&D	(2,088)	(2,913)	(3,698)	(4,474)	(5,618)	Capex	(3,140)	(2,632)	(3,503)	(4,239)	(5,323)
Other operating exp.	-	-	-	-	-	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Operating profit	994	5,806	3,165	5,250	7,139	Net cash from investing	(3,140)	(2,632)	(3,503)	(4,239)	(5,323)
Financial cost	(31)	(71)	(71)	(71)	(71)	Dividend paid	(160)	(543)	(394)	(564)	(731)
Other income/(losses)	734	487	1,232	1,234	1,234	Other	(31)	(71)	(71)	(71)	(71)
Pre-tax profit	1,696	6,221	4,326	6,413	8,302	Net cash from financing	(191)	(614)	(465)	(636)	(802)
Тах	(99)	(779)	(389)	(770)	(996)	Net change in cash	(3,095)	3,209	2,004	3,932	69
Minority interest	-	-	-	-	-	Cash at beginning of the year	4,699	1,651	4,859	6,863	10,795
Net profit	1,598	5,441	3,937	5,643		<b>o o</b> ,	-	-	-	-	-
						Cash at the end of the year	1,651	4,859	6,863	10,795	10,864

YE 31 Dec (RMB mn)         FY19E         FY20E         FY21E         FY22E         FY23E         YE 31 Dec         FY19E         FY20E         FY21E	FY22F		
		FY23E	
Current assets 17,082 25,250 32,092 37,232 48,984 Sales mix (%)			
Cash & equivalents         1,651         4,859         6,863         10,795         10,864         Phone and PC components         35         24         16	15	14	
Account receivables 9,567 11,324 14,624 14,812 22,151 Assembly services 51 43 64	63	62	
Inventories 5,453 8,656 10,194 11,214 15,559 Masks - 17 1	0	0	
Short-term bank deposits New intelligent products 11 13 14	16	18	
Other current assets 411 411 411 411 411 Auto intelligent systems 3 2 3	3	3	
Growth (%)			
Non-current assets         9,950         10,123         10,744         11,616         12,950         Revenue         29.2         37.9         33.1	21.0	25.6	
PPE         8,617         8,808         9,491         10,450         11,917         Gross profit         (5.1)         143.3         (19.3)	37.8	30.7	
Deferred income tax         159         159         159         159         Operating profit         (45.4)         484.3         (45.5)	65.9	36.0	
Other non-current assets 1,173 1,156 1,094 1,007 873 Net profit (25.5) 240.6 (27.6)	43.3	29.5	
Total assets 27,032 35,374 42,836 48,848 61,933			
Profit & loss ratio (%)			
Current liabilities         10,399         13,860         17,841         18,861         25,504         Gross margin         7.5         13.2         8.0	9.1	9.5	
Deferred incomeOperating margin1.97.93.3	4.5	4.8	
Account payables         7,340         10,801         14,782         15,802         22,445         Net profit margin         3.0         7.4         4.0	4.8	4.9	
Tax payable 108 108 108 108 108			
Other current liabilities 2,951 2,951 2,951 2,951 2,951 Balance sheet ratio			
Net debt/total equity (x) Net cash	Net cash Net cash Net cash Net cash Net cash		
Non-current liabilities         639         639         639         639         Current ratio         (x)         1.6         1.8         1.8	2.0	1.9	
Deferred income         122         122         122         122         122         8         58         52         49	46	46	
Deferred tax liability         18         18         18         18         Inventory turnover days         38         41         38	37	37	
Total liabilities         11,038         14,498         18,479         19,500         26,143         Payable turnover days         57         52         52	52	52	
Share capital 4,052 4,052 4,052 4,052 4,052 <b>Profitability (%)</b>			
Reserves 12,937 17,836 21,379 26,458 33,033 ROE 9.4 24.9 15.5	18.5	19.7	
Minority interest ROA 5.9 15.4 9.2	11.6	11.8	
Shareholders' equity 16,989 21,888 25,431 30,510 37,085			
Total equity and liabilities 28,027 36,386 43,910 50,010 63,228 Per share data (RMB)			
EPS 0.71 2.41 1.75	2.50	3.24	
DPS 0.07 0.24 0.17	0.25	0.32	

Source: Company data, CMBIS estimates



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