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# Sweet spot ahead of a year end rally

- Small-mid-cap stocks poised for an eventful 4Q
- Focus shifts to value plays ahead of "Value Unlock" package
- · Revisiting technology and industrial stocks

The pullback before the year-end rally. We maintain our STI year-end target of 4,430, underpinned by MAS equity market support measures, attractive forward dividend yield of c.4.6% and 1.4x P/B, sustained net global liquidity inflow, and favourable seasonal behaviour ahead. Key support levels are at 4,250 and 4,175. An oversold market breadth sets the market for a potential year-end rally, with small-mid-caps (SMCs) to benefit from further MAS support measures. Any positive progess in US-China trade talks before the 10-Nov deadline could catalyse regional market rallies.

An eventful 4Q awaits small-mid-cap stocks. The recent pullback in SMCs presents an opportunity to add ahead of anticipated 4Q momentum, supported by 1) the deployment of the first tranche of EQDP managers; 2) enhanced GEMS scheme; 3) forthcoming "Value Unlock" package; and 4) details on the second tranche of EQDP managers. Potential EQDP beneficiaries within the iEdge SG Next 50 indices should screen favourably, including SIA Eng, IFAST, UMS, Frencken, ComfortDelGro and NetLink. Meanwhile, initiatives designed to improve the visibility of small caps could spotlight 'gems' like Nam Cheong, Valuetronics, Haw Par, and F&N.

**Turning focus to value stocks ahead of a "Value Unlock" package.** Value plays should stay supported by the forthcoming MAS "Value Unlock" packagez. We see value plays beyond stocks merely trading at low valuations, with three 'expressions': 1) stocks with value-unlocking potential (SingLand, UOL, CityDev, F&N), 2) quality stocks with low visibility and/or valuations (ComfortDelGro, Nam Cheong, Haw Par), and 3) stocks with scope to improve returns through active capital management (SIA Eng, Raffles Med, Valuetronics).

Revisiting technology and industrial stocks. Industrial and tech names outperformed following the September FOMC meeting. Our industrial picks, anticipated to deliver growth rates above the sector average, include SIA Eng, SATS, Yangzijiang, and Seatrium. Our top tech pick is UMS, followed by Frencken. While the uncertain US inflation outlook has paused the SREIT rally and placed investors in a data-watching mode, we remain as buyers on pullback on SREITs. Picks are MPACT, MLT, LREIT.

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#### **Key Indices**

	Current	% Chng
FS STI Index	4,323.12	0.5%
FS Small Cap Index	290.32	0.5%
SGD Curncy	1.29	0.0%
Daily Volume (m)	1,644	
Daily Turnover (SGDmn)	1,538	
Daily Turnover (USDmn)	1,193	
Source: Bloomberg		

#### **Market Key Data**

(%)	EPS Gth	Div Yield
2024	0.0	4.4
2025F	6.8	4.5
2026F	3.3	4.5
(x)	PER	EV/EBITDA
2024	15.2	18.2
2025F	15.2	17.4
2026F	14.3	16.1

#### **STOCKS**

	Price LCY	Mkt USD	12-mth Target LCY	Pen 3 mth		nce (%) Rating
iFAST Corporation	8.88	2,092	10.00	31.6	20.5	BUY
UMS Integration	1.38	761	1.84	3.8	27.8	BUY
NetLink NBN Trust	0.945	2,857	0.98	6.8	2.7	BUY
<u>ComfortDelGro</u>	1.44	2,421	1.80	0.0	(3.4)	BUY
<u>City Developments</u>	6.93	4,804	9.00	32.9	28.0	BUY
Yangzijiang Shipbuilding	3.28	10,016	3.80	45.8	31.7	BUY
SATS Ltd	3.45	3,990	3.80	12.4	(6.0)	BUY
Seatrium Limited	2.42	6,359	2.96	19.2	35.2	BUY
Raffles Medical	0.985	1,412	1.32	(1.5)	7.7	BUY
Mapletree Pan Asia Commercial	1.44	5,894	1.60	14.5	(5.1)	BUY
Mapletree Logistics Trust	1.26	4,980	1.55	8.4	(13.2)	BUY
LendLease Global Commercial REIT	0.63	1,206	0.75	20.0	2.4	BUY
Nam Cheong*	0.72	221	1.05	51.6	63.6	NR
<u>F &amp; N</u> *	1.50	1,694	1.93	16.3	10.3	NR
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Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Closing price as of 1 Oct 2025. \* Potential TP





#### **October Market Outlook**

#### The pullback before the year-end rally

We maintain our STI year-end target of 4,430, pegged to 13.8x (+0.5SD) FY26F PE. Singapore equities continue to offer a haven amidst tariff and geopolitical uncertainties. We foresee the benchmark underpinned by five key factors: (1) MAS support measures aimed at strengthening the competitiveness of Singapore's equities market; (2) an attractive dividend yield of c.4.5%/4.7% over FY25F/FY26F; (3) a P/B of 1.4x, which remains attractive among global

developed markets; (4) sustained net global liquidity inflow that rose to c.USD1.68bn as at 17 September; (5) and seasonal behaviour, suggesting a possible basing in Oct before *entering a typically stronger seasonal period from November to April*.

We expect the recent pullback from 4,375 to find support at 4,250 (23.6% retracement, considered more likely) or 4,175 (38.2% retracement, considered less likely).





Source: DBS

The Singapore market's McClellan Oscillator, a measure of short-term market breadth, retreated to an oversold level of

-25 in late September. This positions the stock market for a potential broader rally heading into year-end.

#### Singapore market: McClellan Oscillator fell to oversold level in late September



Source: DBS





We maintain a positive outlook on the small-mid-cap space, anticipating the following key developments in 4Q: (1) Capital deployment by the first tranche of EQDP asset managers, along with forthcoming details on the second tranche of asset managers; (2) an enhanced GEMS research scheme, designed to improve visibility for under-researched small caps; and (3) potential details on a "Value Unlock" package for SMCs.

Regarding macroeconomic developments, investors will be closely monitoring any news concerning US-China trade talks ahead of the scheduled 10 November deadline for the 90-day tariff extension. Any developing news suggesting a positive trade negotiation outcome could serve as a catalyst to trigger a rally in regional markets.

# October key events – MAS policy meeting and China's Plenum in focus

Our FX strategist anticipates the possibility of a third easing of the Singapore Dollar Nominal Effective Exchange Rate (SGD NEER) policy band's slope during the MAS's October

policy review. August's core inflation print of 0.3%, which fell below the official 0.5%-1.5% forecast range, represents one of two reasons supporting this easing. Further declines in GDP growth, falling below the 2%-3% medium-term potential, would likely solidify the case for easing. A weaker SGD could have implications for stocks with higher FX and/or global exposures, e.g., SIA, SATS, Venture, AEM Holdings, and UMS.

Markets will be paying close attention to China's Fourth Plenum (20-23 Oct). Clear five-year plans to bolster domestic demand, ensure technological self-sufficiency, advance fiscal reforms, and/or stabilise the property sector would be regarded as positives. Three stocks with significant China exposure would also be keenly watched as trade talks and developments unfold: A thawing of US-China trade tensions is positive for HPH Trust, re-emerging tariff volatility should underpin DFI Retail as a defensive play, and Yangzijiang remains as a buy-on-dip opportunity, given its strong four years of revenue coverage and an orderbook exceeding SGD20bn.

#### Stocks to watch alongside key events in October

Company	Price 25 Sep 2025 (LCY)	12-mth Target price (LCY)	12-mth Target return	Mkt cap (SGD'mn)	Rcmd	EPS growth 25 (%)	EPS growth 26 (%)	PE ratio 25 (x)	Div yield 25 (%)	Net debt/equity 25	P/BV 25 (x)
Stocks with higher FX / global exposures											
SIA	6.520	6.50	0%	19,386	HOLD	-45.0	23.0	21.0	3.5	0.2	1.3
SATS	3.410	3.80	11%	5,071	BUY	0.5	23.9	19.0	1.8	1.1	1.8
Venture	14.010	13.60	-3%	4,052	HOLD	-6.3	8.3	17.8	5.7	cash	1.4
AEM Holdings	1.870	2.10	12%	589	BUY	-21.6	188.8	64.3	-	cash	1.2
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HPHT (USD)	0.205	0.22	7%	2,300	BUY	-6.5	-10.4	23.1	7.5	0.4	0.6
DFI Retail (USD)	3.160	3.90	23%	5,504	BUY	34.5	6.8	15.9	17.8	cash	n.m.
Yangzijiang	3.320	3.80	14%	13,116	BUY	23.8	10.5	8.9	4.4	cash	2.3

Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Based on 25 September closing prices

#### Implications of a divided Fed

#### US fund funds rate projection

	Number	of rate cuts
	2025	2026
DBS forecast	3	1
Mid-pt of Fed dot plot	3	1
Fed funds futures	3	3

Source: DBS

The 25bps rate cut at the September FOMC meeting conveyed the message that this was not the commencement of an aggressive series of cuts. Policymakers are endeavouring balance a weakening job market against tariff-related inflation risks. The Fed's dot plot now indicates an additional two 25bps cuts by the end of this year, with a further 25bps cut projected for 2026. In contrast, markets continue to price in a more aggressive three cuts next year. A wide dispersion was observed on the Fed's dot plot for 2026, signalling an uncertain interest rate outlook.





DBS Economics Research maintains a 3.5% terminal Fed funds rate, which implies three more rate cuts are anticipated (two this year, one next year) before the rate cut cycle stalls. Inflation could surprise to the upside due to (1) tariff pass-through, (2) labour market tightness owing to immigration crackdowns, (3) stimulatory impact of tax cuts, (4) massive energy demand driven by Al-related spending, (5) strong household and corporate balance sheets, and (6) booming equity market.

The uncertain interest rate outlook for the coming year has introduced a layer of uncertainty for SREITs, a sector that

has performed well in recent months in anticipation of a resumption in the current rate cut cycle. Our earlier view for the FTSE ST REITs Index to rise to 717 (150% Fibonacci extension) was achieved before pulling back post-FOMC meeting. While we foresee a near-term pause, we remain buyers on pullbacks to either 695 (23.6% retracement) or 680 (38.2% retracement). This stance is supported by the sector yield spread between REITs and the MAS 10Y yield, which remains an attractive 4%. Our REITs picks on pullback are: (1) Alpha picks MPACT, MLT, and ESR REIT that offer c.6% yield and (2) SMC-sensitive rate plays Suntec REIT and LREIT.

#### **FTSE ST REITs Index**



Source: DBS

Banks **UOB** and **OCBC**, which have been underperforming the STI since March, are likely to remain range-bound. UOB's shares currently trade at a 5%/5.3% FY25F/FY26F yield, with a projected trading range of SGD33.7 to

SGD35.7. OCBC's shares currently trade at a 5.2%/5.3% FY25/FY26F yield, with a projected trading range of SGD16.1 to SGD16.94.



#### REITs take a pause, buy on pullback; banks remain range-bound

Company	Price 25 Sep 2025 LCY	12-mth Target price LCY	12mth Target return	Mkt cap (SGD'mn)	Rcmd	EPS growth 25 (%)	EPS growth 26 (%)	PE ratio 25 (x)	Div yield 25 (%)	Net debt/equity 25	P/BV 25 (x)
					REITs						
MPACT	1.410	1.50	6%	7,412	BUY	-13.6	0.0	19.9	5.3	0.4	0.8
MLT	1.250	1.55	24%	6,318	BUY	28.4	0.0	19.7	5.7	0.4	1.0
ESR REIT	2.790	3.20	15%	2,246	BUY	43.3	2.9	16.2	7.9	0.5	1.1
Suntec REIT	1.310	1.40	7%	3,827	BUY	1.6	4.5	22.2	4.8	0.4	0.6
LendLease REIT	0.615	0.75	22%	1,490	BUY	-68.6	223.4	63.2	5.9	0.4	0.8
Banks											
UOB	34.360	33.90	-1%	57,438	HOLD	-8.6	6.1	10.2	5.0	0.0	1.1
OCBC	16.260	15.80	-3%	73,156	HOLD	-5.0	2.2	10.1	5.3	0.0	1.2

Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Based on 25 September closing prices

# New benchmarks for Singapore small-mid-caps

SGX launched the iEdge Singapore Next 50 Indices last month. These indices are designed to track the next 50 largest Mainboard companies, excluding the top 30 by market capitalisation. They offer investors a new perspective on Singapore's next tier of large, sizeable names, defined as those with market capitalisation

exceeding SGD100mn. The index suite comprises two variants: the iEdge Singapore Next 50 Index (free-float market cap weighted) and the iEdge Singapore Next 50 Liquidity Weighted Index (liquidity-weighted). Both variants are subject to a 5% weightage cap, share the same 50 constituents, but differ in their allocation weights.

# Sector comparison - iEdge SG Next 50 indices vs. the STI Index & FTSE SMID Index

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Sector	STI Index	FTSE ST	Next 50	
50001	Stringex	SMID Index	Index	Next 50 Liquidity
REITs	11.1%	43.0%	44.5%	36.0%
Financials	54.0%	4.1%	9.9%	11.1%
Industrials	17.4%	22.5%	15.2%	19.9%
Cons Stap	2.5%	6.7%	8.0%	9.1%
Comm Svcs	7.8%	3.3%	6.6%	4.6%
Real Estate	5.2%	7.5%	2.7%	4.3%
Info Tech	0.9%	5.0%	3.1%	5.5%
Materials	-	2.2%	5.6%	3.0%
Health Care	-	1.1%	3.0%	4.2%
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Energy	-	0.5%	1.4%	2.4%

Source: DBS, Bloomberg



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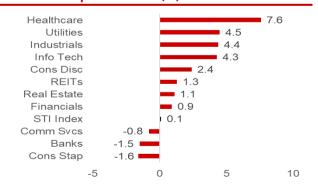
The possibility of structuring ETFs based on these indices is a significant positive development. This should attract greater investor interest in small-mid-caps by leveraging robust passive fund inflows into the Singapore market and complementing the EQDP. This is particularly relevant given 1) the current lack of SGX-listed ETFs focused on Singapore SMCs, and 2) the positioning of these indices as a yield play, with >5% headline dividend yield and >50% of revenues derived from Singapore. Inclusion under these indices should further underpin interest in SMCs – especially those floated as potential EQDP beneficiaries – alongside further EQDP progress in the coming quarter(s).

- Robust earnings growth SIA Eng, iFAST, UMS
   Integration, and Frencken
- Resilient yield with low debt ComfortDelGro and NetLink NBN

# September market review – SMCs extend lead as STI holds flat

The STI delivered a flat 0.1% MTD return (as of 25 Sep) in September, following two consecutive months of strong performance (Aug: 2.3%, Jul: 5.3%). Among the large-caps, industrial companies **Yangzijiang** and **ST Engineering** outperformed, both achieving price returns of more than 10%. The resumption of the Fed's easing cycle with a 25bps rate cut in September also provided support to **REITs**, while simultaneously weighing on index heavyweight **banks**.

#### MTD sectoral performance (%)



Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Based on 25 Sep closing

**UOL**'s 5% MTD return further highlights the market's sustained interest in the value-unlocking theme. Conversely, the legal overhang stemming from the cooking oil shortage case continues to exert pressure on **Wilmar**, the largest constituent of the consumer staples sector.

The spotlight remains firmly on small-mid-caps, as they extended their 2H25 outperformance over the STI due to ongoing tailwinds (e.g., EQDP, enhanced GEMS scheme, and newly launched iEdge Singapore Next 50 Indices). **AEM Holdings** was the key outperformer, driven by positive developments in the Nvidia-Intel tie-up. Other SMCs that performed well include **SIA Eng** and **iFAST**, both identified as potential EQDP candidates and included in the Next 50 Indices.

#### SMCs extend their 2H25 outperformance



Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Based on 25 Sep closing



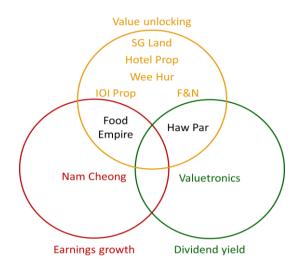
# **Equity themes**

#### An eventful 4Q awaits small-mid-cap stocks

Small-mid-cap stocks are poised to carry their positive momentum into the year-end. Several factors are converging to deepen liquidity and improve visibility for this market segment: Capital deployment by the first tranche of fund managers under the EQDP, the enhanced GEMS research scheme, and the upcoming "Value Unlock" package. Further details on the second tranche of EQDP managers – including their strategies and deployment methods – are expected to inject additional vibrancy to the market.

We therefore view the recent pullback in SMCs as an opportunity to increase exposure. We maintain our strategy of adhering to companies with sound fundamentals, valuations, and compelling narratives, while remaining cognisant that many SMCs have already seen price appreciation in anticipation of the EQDP. Potential EQDP candidates that are relatively well covered and included under the new iEdge Singapore Next 50 Indices, such as SIA Eng, IFAST, UMS Integration, Frencken, NetLink NBN, and ComfortDelGro, should continue to feature favourably based on conventional growth and income metrics.

#### **DBS Equity Explorers and themes**



Source: DBS

There is also scope for this screening to broaden over time and include less covered but high-quality companies, especially with the rollout of the enhanced GEMS scheme and the forthcoming "Value Unlock" package designed to improve market presence and visibility for smaller cap stocks. This broadening scope includes companies highlighted by DBS Group Research's Equity Explorers, such as Nam Cheong for earnings growth, Valuetronics for income generation, and Haw Par Corp as well as F&N as 'value-up' plays with >10% upside to their fair values.

#### **Potential EQDP beneficiaries**

Company	Price 25 Sep 2025 (SGD)	12-mth Target price (SGD)	12-mth Target return	Mkt cap (SGD'mn)	Rcmd	EPS growth 25 (%)	EPS growth 26 (%)	PE ratio 25 (x)	Div yield 25 (%)	Net debt/equity 25	P/BV 25 (x)
Growth stocks											
SIA Eng	3.550	3.50	-1%	3,976	BUY	15.7	21.7	23.4	2.5	cash	2.2
iFAST	8.880	10.00	13%	2,646	BUY	49.3	23.6	26.4	0.9	cash	6.7
<b>UMS</b> Integration	1.420	1.84	29%	1,009	BUY	16.6	20.6	21.3	3.5	cash	2.3
Frencken	1.420	2.03	43%	606	BUY	13.4	6.2	14.4	2.1	cash	1.3
	Resilient yields with low debt										
ComfortDelGro	1.480	1.80	22%	3,206	BUY	9.7	9.9	13.9	5.8	0.1	1.2
NetLink NBN	0.945	0.98	4%	3,683	BUY	3.3	-0.8	37.4	5.7	0.3	1.6

Source: DBS, Bloomberg. Based on 25 September closing prices





# Position in value plays ahead of "Value Unlock" package

Value plays are expected to remain well supported heading into the upcoming "Value Unlock" package. With further details anticipated by year-end, this initiative aims to assist

companies in several ways: 1) building stronger capabilities to achieve their strategic and communication objectives, 2) amplifying their market presence through enhanced communications, and 3) fostering communities and collaborative networks.

#### Three elements of the "Value Unlock" package

Element	Purpose	Remarks
Build capabilities	Strengthen boards' strategic and communication abilities to link plans to value creation	- MAS reviewing rules on forward-looking disclosures: Reducing legal concerns while improving investor understanding - Task force on shareholder value enhancement: Learning from successful models in Japan, Korea, and Thailand - SID partnerships for director development: Practical skills programmes with industry experts
Amplify communications	Increase investor visibility and understanding of capital management and growth paths	- SGX new index beyond STI: Broadening market recognition and investor access for mid-caps and smaller companies - Enhanced platforms for smaller companies: Focusing on improving market presence for smaller caps - Value Unlock package announcement: A package designed to enhance returns through capital management and dividend distributions
Foster communities	Create peer networks and collaborations to share playbooks and accelerate adoption	- Government-led task force coordination: Seeking additional strategies for market-wide implementation - SID Chairpersons' Guild launch: A peer learning network for board chairs to share best practices - Cross-regulatory collaboration: A coordinated approach across market infrastructure, regulation, and director education

Source: DBS, MAS, News media outlets

We think there is more to 'value-up' plays than merely stocks trading at low valuations. We identify three potential expressions of the 'value-up' trade: Stocks with 1) value-unlocking corporate actions, 2) sound fundamentals but

currently trading with low visibility and/or at low valuations, and 3) the scope to improve shareholder returns through active capital management (e.g., share buybacks) and/or higher dividend payouts.



# Stocks to watch under the three 'value-up' categories

Categories	Stocks
Value-unlocking corporate actions	SingLand* / UOL: Stronger recurring income; Marina Square redevelopment CityDev: Potential dividends from divestment; Delfi Orchard redevelopment F&N*: Potential non-core divestment; corporate actions to improve liquidity
Trading at low visibility and/or valuations	ComfortDelGro: Attractive PEG vs. industrial peers; with stronger 2H25 Nam Cheong*: Trades at a 50%-70% discount to peers with single-digit PE Haw Par Corp*: Undervalued, highly profitable/cash-generative HoldCo
Scope to improve shareholder returns	SIA Eng: Scope to raise dividends given its significant net cash position Raffles Med: Refreshed capital management, higher dividend policy Valuetronics*: Strong net cash, 6% dividend yield, and share buybacks

Source: DBS \*Note: Non-rated Equity Explorers

# Three 'value-up' categories and stocks

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Value unlocking corporate actions												
UOL	7.830	8.80	12%	6,615	BUY	41.4	11.2	17.1	2.3	0.2	0.6	
CityDev	6.800	9.00	32%	6,075	BUY	nm	nm	nm	1.8	1.0	0.7	
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	Scope to improve shareholders' returns											
SIA Eng	3.550	3.50	-1%	3,976	BUY	15.7	21.7	23.4	2.5	cash	2.2	
Raffles Med	0.990	1.32	33%	1,840	BUY	8.3	7.9	27.3	2.5	cash	1.7	

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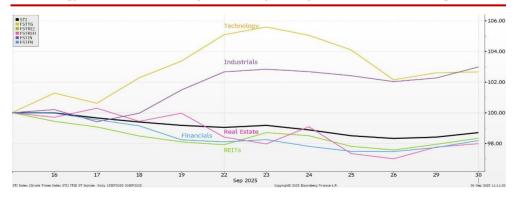
# **Revisiting technology and industrials**

The recent rally in SREITs came to a near-term pause following the Fed's dot plot suggesting only one rate cut next year. This development highlights the uncertain US

inflation outlook and places investors in a data-watching mode. We remain buyers on pullbacks for REITs.

Meanwhile, the industrials and technology sectors have outperformed over the past two weeks, subsequent to the September FOMC meeting.

# Technology and industrials outperformed post September FOMC meeting



Source: DBS

+24%/+10%).



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Stocks within the industrials sector under our coverage are forecast to deliver FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of -4%/+14.5%. Our picks in the industrial space that deliver above-sector growth rates are SIA Eng (FY26F/FY27F EPS growth of +22%/+18%), Seatrium (FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of +109%/+42%), SATS (FY26F/FY27F EPS growth of +1%/+27%) and Yangzijiang (FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of

Stocks within the technology sector under our coverage are forecast to deliver FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of - 9.7%/+18.3%. Our top pick in the technology space is **UMS Integration** (FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of +17%/+21%) followed by **Frencken** (FY25F/FY26F EPS growth of +13%/+6%).

# Industrial and technology sector picks

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# DBS Live more, Bank less

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DBS Group Research recommendations are based on an Absolute Total Return\* Rating system, defined as follows:

STRONG BUY (>20% total return over the next 3 months, with identifiable share price catalysts within this time frame)

BUY (>15% total return over the next 12 months for small caps, >10% for large caps)

HOLD (-10% to +15% total return over the next 12 months for small caps, -10% to +10% for large caps)

FULLY VALUED (negative total return, i.e., > -10% over the next 12 months)

SELL (negative total return of > -20% over the next 3 months, with identifiable share price catalysts within this time frame)

\*Share price appreciation + dividends

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