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We are discontinuing coverage

We are discontinuing our coverage of Hexicon as the company has terminated the research service agreement. Consequently, we will no longer be giving a target price (prev. 0.20) or recommendation (prev. Sell) for the stock. Hexicon possesses a large and diversified project portfolio with clear opportunities to create value at a relatively low cost, as projects are intended to be divested before the capital-intensive construction phase. However, scaling up growth has been slow, though successful divestments of larger projects have the potential to change this in the coming years. In our view, Hexicon's shareholders should pay particular attention to the company's ability to develop and divest its project portfolio, as this has a clear impact on how quickly the company can reach positive cash flow. Furthermore, debt levels are very high, and the company requires immediate liquidity solutions. As a result, we believe that shareholders should closely follow the company's plans to resolve its financial position going forward.

Investment story relies on successful development of the project portfolio

Hexicon's business model is divided into two business areas: project development and technology. The technology division is focused on developing TwinWind, a floating wind turbine foundation that the company intends to commercialize and license for future floating wind projects. Given the early stage of this technology, we believe Hexicon's path to cash flow neutrality hinges largely on the successful development and divestment of its project portfolio. Hexicon concentrates on the early-stage development of floating offshore wind projects, with the objective of divesting them before the construction phase. Although Hexicon has successfully developed and divested some projects in recent years, progress has been slow, resulting in limited revenues and negative cash flows. We believe that Hexicon possesses the scalability to achieve good profitability and positive cash flows once it divests more projects, leading to more frequent milestone payments and,

consequently, higher revenue levels.

Revenue growth is the key value driver but the uncertainty remains high

Hexicon is currently in an investment phase with negative cash flow. In our view, the key factors for reducing investment risk include securing sufficient capital and enhancing growth. On the capital side, Hexicon's recent divestments of two Italian projects are expected to add 27 MSEK to its strained cash position (5.3 MSEK at the end of Q1). However, with a high cash burn rate and a 75 MSEK credit facility due by June 2025, additional capital is needed very soon. While we expect further divestments to be part of the financial solution, the likely structure of smaller upfront payments with larger milestone payments means that divestments will probably not be the only solution. As a result, we anticipate that Hexicon will seek funding through an equity issue, as high debt levels (net debt Q1'25: ~755 MSEK) make further debt financing unviable. On the growth side, we see revenue growth from project divestments as the main driver for reaching the necessary scale for positive cash flows. This includes, in particular, the largescale MunmuBaram project, as well as other projects that are closest to FID, such as Mareld. However, given the uncertainties surrounding the size, pricing, and structure of future divestments, the risks remain high.

We are discontinuing coverage of the stock

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Recommendation

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(prev. Sell)









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Business risk





	2024	2025e	2026 e	2027 e
Revenue	9.8	193.1	656.2	794.9
growth-%	72%	1871%	240%	21%
EBIT adj.	-91.4	71.8	513.4	599.2
EBIT-% adj.	-932.7 %	37.2 %	78.2 %	75.4 %
Net Income	-258.3	-10.8	443.9	565.3
EPS (adj.)	-0.71	-0.03	1.22	1.55

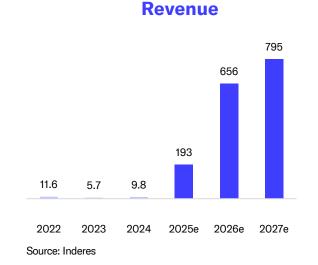
P/E (adj.)	neg.	neg.	0.2	0.1
P/B	neg.	neg.	0.5	0.1
Dividend yield-%	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
EV/EBIT (adj.)	neg.	12.5	1.1	0.2
EV/EBITDA	neg.	10.5	1.0	0.2
EV/S	79.4	4.7	0.8	0.2

Source: Inderes

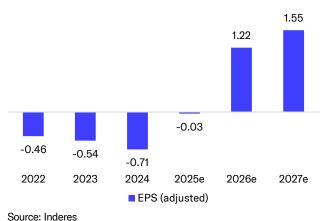
Guidance

(Hexicon does not provide any guidance)









Value drivers

- Value of Hexicon's project development portfolio
- Proprietary TwinWind technology with patents in over 20 countries
- Organization's expertise and experience in floating offshore project development
- Market knowledge and global network of partners
- The floating offshore market is expected to grow substantially during this decade

Risk factors

- Delays in development projects or failure of projects to reach FID
- Inability to sell projects on favorable terms or at an appropriate time
- Deterioration in the market value of the project portfolio
- High debt level, somewhat mitigated by the loan structure
- Failure of TwinWind technology to achieve commercial viability

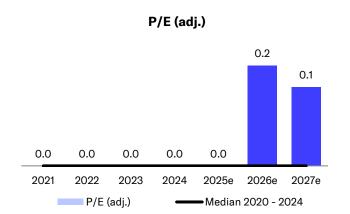
Valuation	2025 e	2026 e	2027 e
Share price	0.20	0.20	0.20
Number of shares, millions	363.8	363.8	363.8
Market cap	71	71	71
EV	899	549	124
P/E (adj.)	neg.	0.2	0.1
P/E	neg.	0.2	0.1
P/B	neg.	0.5	0.1
P/S	0.4	0.1	0.1
EV/Sales	4.7	0.8	0.2
EV/EBITDA	10.5	1.0	0.2
EV/EBIT (adj.)	12.5	1.1	0.2
Payout ratio (%)	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
Dividend yield-%	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

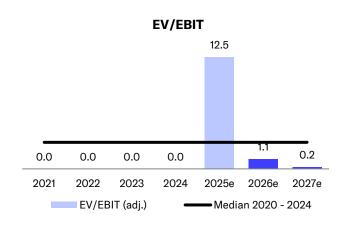
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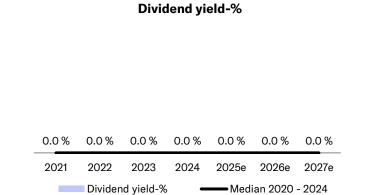
Valuation table

Valuation	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026 e	2027 e	2028e
Share price	3.00	1.46	0.69	0.13	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20
Number of shares, millions	315.3	363.8	363.8	363.8	363.8	363.8	363.8	363.8
Market cap	1091	530	252	47	71	71	71	71
EV	803	524	421	778	899	549	124	-106.5
P/E (adj.)	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	0.2	0.1	0.3
P/E	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	0.2	0.1	0.3
P/B	3.4	2.6	>100	neg.	neg.	0.5	0.1	0.1
P/S	47.2	45.8	44.1	4.8	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
EV/Sales	34.8	45.3	73.6	79.4	4.7	0.8	0.2	neg.
EV/EBITDA	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	10.5	1.0	0.2	neg.
EV/EBIT (adj.)	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	12.5	1.1	0.2	neg.
Payout ratio (%)	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
Dividend yield-%	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

Source: Inderes







Peer group valuation

Peer group valuation	Market cap	EV	EV/	EBIT	EV/E	BITDA	EV/S		P	/E	Dividend	l yield-%	P/B
Company	MEUR	MEUR	2025e	2026e	2025e	2026e	2025e	2026e	2025e	2026e	2025e	2026e	2025e
Eolus Vind	120	160	3.7	5.3	3.7	5.1	0.5	0.7	3.8	5.3	4.7	5.2	0.7
Arise	150	225	12.9	7.7	9.1	6.2	4.2	3.8	9.5	6.4	4.1	4.0	0.8
PNE	1172	2000	41.0	31.5	23.5	19.0	6.7	5.9	64.3	46.4	0.3	0.3	5.5
Enersense	37	59	2.2	5.1	1.7	2.9	0.2	0.2	2.3	10.3			1.0
Hexicon (Inderes)	7	83	12.5	1.1	10.5	1.0	4.7	0.8	-6.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.2
Average			14.9	12.4	9.5	8.3	2.9	2.6	20.0	17.1	3.1	3.2	2.0
Median			8.3	6.5	6.4	5.6	2.3	2.3	6.6	8.3	4.1	4.0	0.9
Diff-% to median			51%	-84%	64%	-82%	99%	-63%	-199%	-98%	-100%	-100%	-128%

Source: Refinitiv / Inderes

Income statement

Income statement	2022	2023	2024	Q1'25	Q2'25e	Q3'25e	Q4'25e	2025e	2026 e	2027e	2028e
Revenue	11.6	5.7	9.8	5.6	31.1	38.9	118	193	656	795	597
EBITDA	-125.6	-167.4	-73.3	-16.6	7.3	9.2	86.0	85.9	542	635	320
Depreciation	-35.5	-23.0	-18.1	-3.1	-3.5	-3.5	-4.0	-14.1	-28.6	-35.5	-40.7
EBIT (excl. NRI)	-161.1	-190.4	-91.4	-19.7	3.8	5.7	82.0	71.8	513	599	280
EBIT	-161.1	-190.4	-91.4	-19.7	3.8	5.7	82.0	71.8	513	599	280
Share of profits in assoc. compan.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net financial items	-9.7	-8.2	-167.3	-18.0	-20.0	-25.0	-28.0	-91.0	-69.5	-33.8	-6.6
PTP	-170.8	-198.6	-258.7	-37.7	-16.2	-19.3	54.0	-19.2	444	565	273
Taxes	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	4.2	-11.9	-7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Minority interest	3.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net earnings	-166.9	-198.0	-258.3	-37.7	-16.2	-15.0	42.1	-26.8	444	565	273
EPS (adj.)	-0.46	-0.54	-0.71	-0.10	-0.04	-0.04	0.12	-0.07	1.22	1.55	0.75
EPS (rep.)	-0.46	-0.54	-0.71	-0.10	-0.04	-0.04	0.12	-0.03	1.22	1.55	0.75
Key figures	2022	2023	2024	Q1'25	Q2'25e	Q3'25e	Q4'25e	2025 e	2026 e	2027 e	2028 e
Revenue growth-%	-49.9 %	-50.6 %	71.5 %	1020.0 %	3350.0 %	923.9 %	2456.0 %	1870.8 %	239.8 %	21.1 %	-24.9 %
Adjusted EBIT growth-%		18.2 %	-52.0 %	-1.0 %	-114.2 %	-117.5 %	-789.0 %	-178.6 %	614.9 %	16.7 %	-53.4 %
EBITDA-%	-1085.1 %	-2929.6 %	-748.0 %	-296.4 %	23.5 %	23.8 %	73.1 %	44.5 %	82.6 %	79.8 %	53.7 %
Adjusted EBIT-%	-1391.8 %	-3332.2 %	-932.7 %	-351.8 %	12.2 %	14.8 %	69.7 %	37.2 %	78.2 %	75.4 %	46.8 %
Net earnings-%	-1442.1 %	-3465.4 %	-2635.7 %	-673.2 %	-52.2 %	-38.6 %	35.8 %	-13.9 %	67.6 %	71.1 %	45.7 %

Source: Inderes

Full-year earnings per share are calculated using the number of shares at year-end.

Balance sheet

Assets	2023	2024	2025e	2026 e	2027e
Non-current assets	365	472	551	632	706
Goodwill	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9
Intangible assets	146	174	201	209	216
Tangible assets	49.4	30.5	32.4	56.0	73.5
Associated companies	156	248	298	348	398
Other investments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other non-current assets	1.8	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6
Deferred tax assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current assets	137	128	163	315	423
Inventories	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other current assets	15.4	105	105	105	105
Receivables	0.0	0.0	38.6	144	238
Cash and equivalents	121	23.0	19.3	65.6	79.5
Balance sheet total	502	599	714	947	1129

Source: Inderes

Liabilities & equity	2023	2024	2025 e	2026e	2027e
Equity	1.2	-285.0	-295.8	148	713
Share capital	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
Retained earnings	-576.4	-825.3	-836.1	-392.3	173
Hybrid bonds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revaluation reserve	-4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other equity	579	538	538	538	538
Minorities	-0.7	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Non-current liabilities	129	623	477	325	120
Deferred tax liabilities	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
Provisions	33.2	35.7	35.7	35.7	35.7
Interest bearing debt	73.5	569	424	272	66.4
Convertibles	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other long term liabilities	18.7	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8
Current liabilities	371	261	533	473	296
Interest bearing debt	306	184	424	272	66.4
Payables	6.4	6.7	38.6	131	159
Other current liabilities	58.5	70.3	70.3	70.3	70.3
Balance sheet total	502	599	714	947	1129

Summary

Dividend-%

Source: Inderes

Income statement	2022	2023	2024	2025 e	2026e	Per share data	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e
Revenue	11.6	5.7	9.8	193.1	656.2	EPS (reported)	-0.46	-0.54	-0.71	-0.03	1.22
EBITDA	-125.6	-167.4	-73.3	85.9	542.0	EPS (adj.)	-0.46	-0.54	-0.71	-0.03	1.22
EBIT	-161.1	-190.4	-91.4	71.8	513.4	OCF / share	-0.50	-0.27	-0.41	0.15	1.45
PTP	-170.8	-198.6	-258.7	-3.2	443.9	OFCF / share	-0.79	-0.38	-0.51	-0.10	1.15
Net Income	-166.9	-198.0	-258.3	-10.8	443.9	Book value / share	0.56	0.01	-0.78	-0.81	0.41
Extraordinary items	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Dividend / share	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Balance sheet	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026 e	Growth and profitability	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026 e
Balance sheet total	451.6	501.6	599.2	713.6	946.7	Revenue growth-%	-50%	-51%	72%	1871%	240%
Equity capital	199.3	1.2	-285.0	-295.8	148.1	EBITDA growth-%	175%	33%	-56%	-217%	531%
Goodwill	11.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	EBIT (adj.) growth-%	224%	18%	-52%	-179%	615%
Net debt	3.9	258.6	730.8	827.8	478.1	EPS (adj.) growth-%	182%	19%	30%	-96%	-4201%
						EBITDA-%	-1085.1 %	-2929.6 %	-748.0 %	44.5 %	82.6 %
Cash flow	2022	2023	2024	2025 e	2026 e	EBIT (adj.)-%	-1391.8 %	-3332.2 %	-932.7 %	37.2 %	78.2 %
EBITDA	-125.6	-167.4	-73.3	85.9	542.0	EBIT-%	-1391.8 %	-3332.2 %	-932.7 %	37.2 %	78.2 %
Change in working capital	-55.6	67.4	-77.1	-6.7	-13.1	ROE-%	-63.5 %	-193.5 %	183.0 %	3.7 %	-607.6 %
Operating cash flow	-181.1	-99.8	-150.3	56.1	528.9	ROI-%	-52.4 %	-56.8 %	-21.5 %	14.1 %	82.6 %
CAPEX	-101.5	-33.2	-32.6	-43.6	-59.6	Equity ratio	44.1 %	0.2 %	-47.6 %	-41.4 %	15.6 %
Free cash flow	-287.8	-138.1	-185.2	-37.5	419.2	Gearing	2.0 %	21424.1 %	-256.5 %	-279.9 %	322. 9 %
Valuation multiples	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026 e						
EV/S	45.3	73.6	79.4	4.7	0.8						
EV/S EV/EBITDA											
EV/EBIT (adj.)	neg.	neg.	neg.	10.5 12.5	1.0 1.1						
	neg.	neg.	neg.								
P/E (adj.)	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	0.2						
P/B	2.6	>100	neg.	neg.	0.5						

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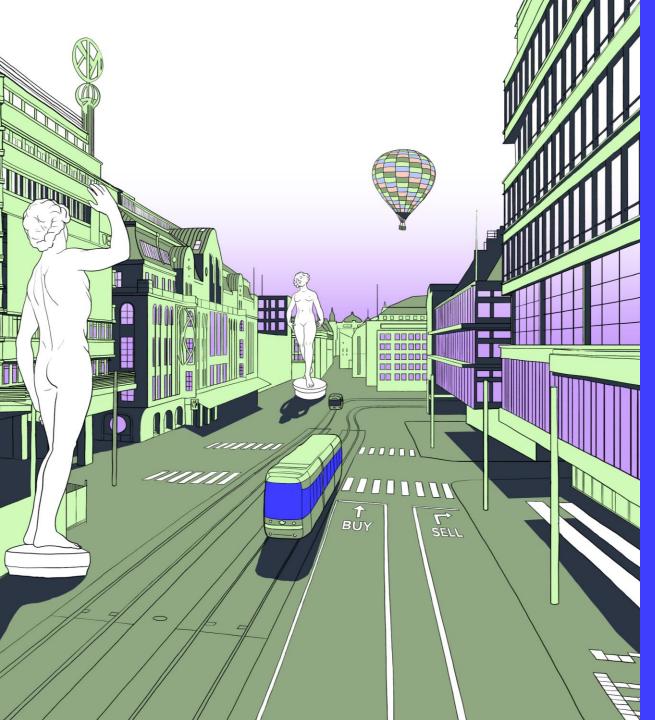
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2024-05-30	Reduce	0.56 SEK	0.53 SEK
2024-08-22	Reduce	0.50 SEK	0.48 SEK
2024-10-10	Reduce	0.23 SEK	0.25 SEK
2024-12-02	Sell	0.14 SEK	0.17 SEK
2025-02-20	Sell	0.14 SEK	0.16 SEK
2025-03-27	Sell	0.20 SEK	0.25 SEK
2025-05-30	Sell	0.20 SEK	0.27 SEK
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