

29 June 2018 **Sector update**

Benelux REITs

Dutch REITs could become collateral damage

With the presentation of Dutch government tax plans approaching, our worst case becomes base case. We see limited time left to lobby for a special listed REIT regime that is likely to enjoy low political priority. The potential changes to the Dutch tax regime could result in collateral damage for REITs owning Dutch real estate, with listed Netherlands-based real estate becoming liable for corporate income tax. This is tied to the cancellation of Dutch dividend withholding tax (WHT), with this positive offset likely limited to a small group of shareholders. We believe the negative impact should be priced in and downgrade NSI to HOLD (from Buy) and Vastned to SELL (from Hold). Wereldhave remains at Hold due to already depressed pricing, and we lower our ING RE Valuation model based TPs to reflect the increased risk. We maintain ECP at BUY, given no Dutch exposure and tax impact and potential benefit from scrapping the dividend WHT.

Why collateral damage? The Dutch government seems determined to cancel the dividend WHT, but needs to maintain a tax base for Dutch real estate assets currently enjoying a 0% rate in the FBI tax structure. FBI status is not uniquely for listed real estate companies (Dutch REIT) but is a broader regime that offers a tax-efficient way to invest in real estate but also other asset types. For unlisted real estate held in FBIs, there is an option to restructure into another tax efficient vehicle, while this is not an option for listed FBIs that need to fulfil separate requirements for their listing.

What has happened recently? Dutch state secretary of finance Mr Snel confirmed on 7 June that the likely changes could lead to different treatment for listed vs non-listed real estate companies and a heavier tax burden on listed Dutch real estate. This would be through corporation tax at 21% post 2020. The dialogue with the sector is ongoing, but we rate chances of achieving 'special status' for listed Dutch real estate before September, when government tax plans will be announced, as low.

What is the cash flow impact in 2020? Impact would be proportional to the exposure of Dutch real estate revenues and profits, as well as the potential for mitigating Dutch fiscal profits through depreciation and costs. We find that the tax impact ranges from c.6% to 10% of Dutch gross rents and up to 15% of the Dutch contribution to FFO. Given its 100% exposure to The Netherlands, NSI is most impacted. While no immediate dividend cuts are foreseen, for NSI, Vastned and Wereldhave the tax impact would strongly impact DPS growth. We see a negligible cash flow impact on ECP. In Belgium, companies that have large Dutch exposure are Xior (not FBI), WDP (FBI), Montea and Retail Estates. The highest impact for a Belgian company is on WDP with a <3% impact on EPRA Earnings.

Worst case becomes base case. We believe investors will move from wait-and-see to conservative mode. A dedicated listed REIT regime seems a big ask given its low importance politically, although there is still time to lobby.

Key changes and forecasts

	Rat	ting	Target price (€)		Market	Pay-out ratio	EPRA EPS
	Old	New	Old	New	Cap (€m)	2020F (%)	Impact (%)
ECP	BUY	BUY	43	40	1,807	90%	0
NSI	BUY	HOLD	39.2	35.5	658	82%	14
Vastned	HOLD	SELL	43	38	736	92%	7
Wereldhave	HOLD	HOLD	43.4	34	1,346	85%	8

Source: ING estimates

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Why the Dutch REIT is under threat

This note is based on the assumption that Dutch real estate assets held in FBI structures will start falling under the normal corporate income tax regime as of 1 January 2020, when the government introduces and implements this element from the 2019 Tax Plan. While there is still a chance of putting in place a proper Dutch listed REIT regime in line with surrounding countries such as Belgium, France, and the UK, this is not our base case. We believe there is a potential lack of political urgency to devote resources to fixing the potential unbalanced treatment of Dutch listed FBIs vs unlisted structures and foreign competitors. In a potentially even less likely scenario, the Dutch government falls or fails to push through its tax plan, thereby not cancelling the dividend WHT and also keeping Dutch real estate assets in FBIs tax exempt.

Listed FBIs (Dutch REITs) to become collateral damage

Since the Dutch government's preliminary plans ("regeerakkoord") were presented in October 2017 – including the abolition of the dividend withholding tax and related plans to reclaim the lost tax base by, amongst others, disallowing Dutch real estate to be held in FBIs – any presentation of the final plans has yet to become available. Final plans are expected in September, as part of a larger package (the 'Tax Plan 2019') presented traditionally on the third Tuesday of September (18 September, or 'Prinsjesday').

However, on **7 June** the parliamentary committee on finance ("Vaste commissie voor Financien") including the government minister responsible for taxes (State Secretary of Finance Mr Snel) discussed questions on the treatment of the listed real estate sector.

Key statements include a **confirmation that the current proposals for the end of Dutch real estate in the FBI regime could end up negatively for the listed real estate sector** with a higher tax burden than the non-listed sector – it could be liable for corporation tax, with few current options to restructure legally to ensure operating in a legal level playing field.

The State Secretary also stated it would be difficult to find a tailor-made solution for listed real estate within the existing and proposed Dutch tax framework, ironically citing problems in the European context. This is while Dutch lawmakers, through the contemplated changes (and lack of contingency plans specifically designed for listed real estate), would remove The Netherlands from the majority group of EU countries that have a dedicated listed REIT regime (including countries that have no dividend withholding tax, like the UK). In our view, the Dutch government could easily reintroduce dividend withholding tax for Dutch listed REITs, similar to the UK that has a listed REIT regime and taxed REIT dividends but no 'regular dividend WHT'.

On 18 September ('Prinsjesdag') the government will present its budget and 2019 tax plan outlining its overall plans in more detail. The FBI issue will be a minor part of all changes proposed in the Tax Plan. Even while wiggle room remains post presentation, the political desire to make substantial changes for listed REITs is likely to be low. This is also due to the fact that the Tax Plan is a combination of multiple law changes, in which the Dutch real estate question is only a minor part. The Dutch parliament (where the government has a slim majority) can also propose amendments.

Final plan approval in Dutch senate

While laws can be blocked in the Dutch senate ("1e kamer"), senators have no right to propose amendments, and can only reject the entire package. Through a quirky system the Dutch senate is indirectly voted for, by first voting for a 'provincial council' (May 2019, 570 seats) which then within 3 months votes for the 75 members of the Senate. If the government is faced with a minority in the senate, tax plan approval might become

Dutch listed real estate assets to become collateral damage in the broader tax plan

The government confirmed that in the current situation the tax burden on listed Dutch real estate assets will likely be higher than non-listed, with no real likelihood of a tailor-made solution being ready or possible

Dutch Senate election offers low probability for a tax plan stumble

We believe listed real estate should be stimulated by the Dutch government, given the generally high(er) quality of management and assets, long term orientation & low cost while providing more efficient access to an important asset class for people who need to provide for their own pensions

Dutch REITs (Dutch listed real estate FBIs) need to retroactively receive confirmation of their tax status each year. The FBI is not uniquely designed for real estate and/or listed companies more than an administrative action. While the Senate is supposed to mainly check whether laws already approved by parliament comply with the constitution or contain intrinsic flaws or will face execution issues, it can be used for political reasons if the stakes are high.

The case for listed real estate not well understood

Political understanding and the will to address the needs of the (for now) small Dutch listed real estate sector seems to be low and unlikely to change soon. This while we believe listed real estate is a very (tax) transparent way of real estate ownership, managed with low costs to investors compared to unlisted real estate. Further long term benefits of a well-structured REIT regime (also vs unlisted funds) include the side-effects of a long term focus and investing through the cycle with lower financial leverage. These include the continued investments in the infrastructure of the country through property upgrades and new construction, bringing a real contribution to the economy. This while a REIT regime is supposed to be neutral for the fiscal budget when applied in line with comparable EU countries reinstating a dividend withholding tax specifically for listed REITs.

We find this lack of attention even more surprising given a tendency for more pension planning at the personal level and the higher number of self-employed people who are fully dependent on individual pension planning. We believe the government should allow and stimulate defensive and long term investments in an asset class that makes up an increasing part of pension allocations in a low interest rate world. This would help individuals achieve a stable and inflation-linked pension income. (We believe that in Belgium the successful special REIT regime is heavily used by individuals for pension purposes).

In addition an attractive REIT regime will attract 'new entrants', bringing into the regime currently less dependably taxed property. This will deliver dependable recurrent and sizeable tax income for the government in an internationally recognized and investable vehicle, also improving access to foreign capital for Dutch real estate.

What is a Dutch listed REIT or FBI?

Currently the Dutch REITs all apply for FBI status with each tax filing, confirmed by the tax authorities annually on a backward looking basis. No upfront ruling will be given to qualify a company as an FBI. The FBI (literally translated as: "fiscal investment vehicle") regime is not exclusively for listed companies or real estate and a company can be an FBI as long as it pays out all its fiscal profits and its main purpose is investing capital (while meeting several other requirements). Both listed and unlisted real estate FBIs pay 0% corporate income tax. When referring to Dutch REITs we mean specifically the listed Dutch real estate FBIs that could own Dutch real estate (NSI), foreign real estate (ECP) or both (Vastned, Wereldhave). Some but not all Belgian owners of Dutch real estate have FBI status for their Dutch assets (WDP, Cofinimmo for healthcare assets only) while Retail Estates and Xior Student Housing don't have FBI status (Xior doesn't meet certain FBI shareholder requirements). Montea is still waiting for retroactive confirmation of its Dutch FBI status for the past 3 years, while it has reported results as if it was (figures 1, 2 and 3 below).

Three linked elements: Dividend withholding tax, FBI status and corporate income tax

The key linked elements for the Dutch listed real estate companies are:

1) Dividend Withholding Tax (WHT), as an integral part of the '2019 Tax Plan' the government plans to abolish the tax, despite somewhat successful political opposition from Dutch left wing parties influencing public opinion against this 'gift to the rich'.

- **2) FBI status**, likely to lapse in 2020 for Dutch real estate in our most likely scenario as the government needs to maintain a tax base (otherwise 0% tax overall on Dutch real estate).
- **3) Corporation tax**, Dutch real estate income will likely be taxed at the corporate tax rate, which will be 22.5% in 2020 and 21% post 2020.

All elements are part of a larger overhaul of the Dutch tax regime and (2) and (3) will be dependent on (1) being implemented.

Worst case becomes base case

We see as the most likely outcome that the Dutch listed FBIs will be entering 2019 (post September 2018 presentation of government tax plans) with the most probable scenario being that they will become taxed on Dutch earnings in a year's time and with little time to convince the government of the benefits and long term pay-off of a dedicated REIT regime. On the shareholder level some negative impact may be mitigated by the removal of dividend WHT (for ECP a net positive, given lack of Dutch earnings)

The best case scenario is that Dutch lawmakers will see the upside of a specific Dutch regime for listed real estate companies in time. This would maintain shareholder level taxes at a similar level as today, maintaining the tax base and level playing field in Europe as well as achieving the above-mentioned benefits of listed REITs.

Financial impact

The shareholder level financial impact will be proportional to the amount of Dutch fiscal profits, determined mostly by rental income, management costs, leverage & cost of debt and fiscal depreciation of assets. The level of depreciation (as a % of GAV) is the most important driver in our view. We find that the tax impact ranges from c.6% to 10% of Dutch gross rents or 10-15% of the Dutch contribution to FFO. The resulting overall impact ranges from 0% if assets were already taxed to 15% for NSI with 100% Dutch assets currently paying 0% income tax.

Depreciation and cost to manage the tax load down

Dutch assets taxed at 21% post 2020, but 0-15% impact on EPS

Companies can manage the Dutch tax load through a variety of drivers, but 2 important ones are:

- Tax depreciation of assets: Property can be depreciated from fiscal value (based on historic cost) to their WOZ Value (government assigned value for municipal property taxes). This could be a 1-2% charge on market values. Relatively new portfolios or historically strongly impaired assets could benefit from higher depreciation potential (e.g. WDP or NSI)
- 2) Costs: loans and management: Companies can charge higher rates on intercompany loans. We estimate that companies could increase internal lending rates by at least 75-100bp (with potentially more possible). Other types of cost could be assigned to the Dutch structure, thus lowering fiscal profits.

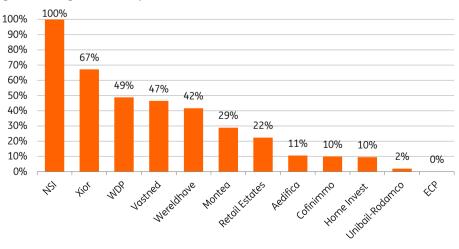
As well as assigning higher costs, increasing leverage in the Dutch entity could also work. The Anti-tax Avoidance Directive (ATAD) limits interest deductibility to 30% of EBITDA. In the current low rate environment this does not affect REITs (a preliminary analysis suggests that at rates below c.2.5% the LTV limit would be 60-70%). However, if rates were to be 4.0% then this limit on interest deductibility would move to c.40% LTV

On a Dutch gross rent basis Figure 1 shows the ranking in our coverage for Dutch exposure in terms of 2017 or 2018 expected gross rents, the key determinant for the impact of the tax changes.

ATAD will limit interest deductibility from fiscal profits

At higher interest rates the





Source: Company data, ING estimates.

For ease of comparison and due to data availability we look at 'top line tax pressure'. Based on the available information and company feedback we believe the effective tax

pressure would be between 6-10% on the top line, depending on operating margins, costs being attributed to Dutch earnings, leverage and tax depreciation.

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Fig 2 Effective tax rate on GRI, ING assumption

Source: ING estimates

Higher leverage applied by WDP and higher current depreciation potential generated by the recently constructed portfolio drives down the effective tax burden for WDP. We believe most Dutch companies could achieve slightly lower effective tax rates as indicated above when optimising the potential future taxes.

The resulting impact on EPRA Earnings, is roughly proportional to the Dutch income base on effective tax rate. Belgian REITs that operate through an FBI in the Netherlands usually already pay a 5% dividend tax 'roerende voorheffing' or 5% withholding tax on Dutch profits upstreamed to Belgium, causing a current tax burden at the corporate level on the 'GVV + FBI' structures as applied by WDP, Montea and Cofinimmo. This is in line with investment in foreign assets by Dutch FBIs.

HIB, Aedifica and Xior already operate on a taxed basis in the Netherlands, either due to costs of tax structuring, size or regulatory impediments (such as shareholder limitations). Cofinimmo has an FBI for its healthcare assets, but not the pub SLB portfolio

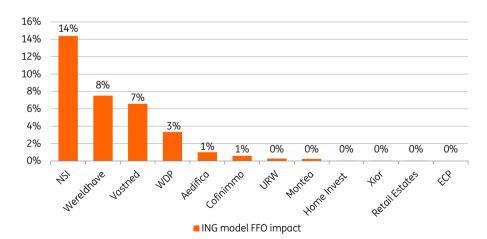


Fig 3 Indicative impact on cash flow (EPRA earnings)

Source: ING estimates

Belgian companies that do not have an FBI structure in place (already paying CIT) like Xior show up as not impacted (0%).

At the shareholder level, the corporate income tax impact could be partly compensated by the abolition of the 15% Dutch dividend WHT

At current interest rates no issues with ATAD with LTV limits of 60-70% for 'Interest deductible' <30% of EBITDA. If cost of debt were to go up to 4% then LTVs of 40% and higher would become less tax efficient

Corporate income tax potentially offset by lower shareholder level tax

At the shareholder level, the corporate income tax impact could be compensated for by the abolition of the 15% Dutch withholding tax. Ironically again, Dutch citizens mostly don't pay WHT anyway due to the deductibility of dividend WHT against income taxes. For certain foreign investors it might prove a valuable offset

For ECP, the scenario is potentially positive. The lack of Dutch assets means almost no impact on the P&L while foreign shareholders can now take a cash dividend without being taxed. On the other hand, when taking a stock dividend the double taxation for example for Belgian investors could already be avoided the impact of this advantage should be mostly in the 'publicity'

Potential future impact of ATAD if rates go up

Even with the new Anti Tax-Avoidance Directive (ATAD) we see at current interest rates few problems with the cap on tax deductibility. It will likely limit tax structuring only above LTVs of c.60-70% (depending on cost structures). At higher interest rates, for example 4%, this limit could be much closer to 40% LTV, something to monitor if and when rates go up.

With very low asset yields, the impact will grow as 'EBITDA yields' are low and hence the tax shield becomes lower.

Key dates

18 September: Presentation of the government budget and 2019 Tax Plan.

Post 18 September: Parliament debates the entire package, with likely limited attention to what happens to listed FBIs owning Dutch real estate.

1 January 2020: Plan becomes effective and listed Dutch real estate will become liable for corporate income tax.

REIT Status?

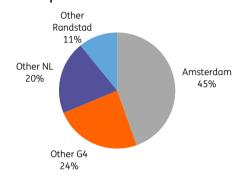
We believe there is a potential impact on the REIT status or investability of the company for investors restricted to investing in pure REITs. With the exception of NSI, it seems likely that the other 3 will maintain FBI & "REIT" status having at least partial tax-exempt status for corporate income tax. We believe all companies would still qualify for EPRA index eligibility, the most important feature.

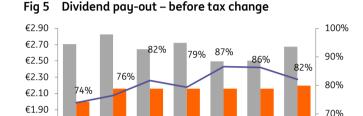
NSI: downgrade to HOLD, TP €35.5

Exposure: 100% Dutch gross rent

NSI is the company most impacted by the potential changes in the Dutch tax system, with a hypothetical hit to EPRA Earnings of 10-15% (mostly depending on the level of fiscal asset depreciation at 1.5-2%) We believe the market is currently underestimating the potential fallout of the government's desire to cancel the dividend withholding tax and move Dutch real estate assets to regular CIT.

Fig 4 2017 GRI split - 100% NL





2017

DPS (€)

2018F

2019F

2020F

Payout ratio (rhs)

EPS adj (€) D Source: Company data, ING estimates

2015

2016

2014

€1.70

€1.50

Annualised
Source: Company data

Cash impact:

We expect NSI to be able to maintain depreciation for over 10 years at a level of 1.5-2% of GAV (fair market value, which might differ substantially from the tax value of its assets). This is due to significant headroom between fiscal property values (based on historic cost) and the WOZ values. This mitigates FFO impact to 10-15% downside.

Dividend:

On our numbers NSI has just enough headroom on 2020 EPS to maintain its current dividend, but a 10-15% lower EPS will strongly limit the potential for dividend increases.

Upside & downside:

While being hit the most on cash flows, operating outside of the FBI/REIT regime will free NSI from restrictions on 'service income' from its flex offices (HNK), including on letting out meeting rooms to non-tenants and other services. Also it can more freely approach redevelopment projects where office transformations with, for example, a residential component are now problematic (the FBI rules restrict NSI when developing for own account). We believe the potentially increased tax burden warrants a shorter term 'wait-and-see' approach on NSI shares while we remain long-term positive about its fundamental outlook. We downgrade to HOLD and lower our TP to €35.5

Fig 6 NSI – Key financials

Year to December	2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
EPS adj (€)	2.64	2.72	2.50	2.50	2.67
P/E (x)	11.4	11.7	14.4	14.3	13.4
EPRA NAV per share (€)	34.6	36.7	38.8	40.5	42.0
P/EPRA NAV (%)	0.87	0.87	0.92	0.89	0.85
DPS (€)	2.16	2.16	2.16	2.16	2.20
Dividend yield (%)	7.1	6.8	6.0	6.0	6.1
RoE (%)	-3.2	13.1	11.0	9.6	8.9
LTV (%)	44.1	37.1	36.4	35.1	33.7
Net implied yield (%)	7.1	6.6	6.2	6.6	7.0
Implied EBITDA yield (%)	6.2	5.8	5.4	5.7	6.1

Source: Company data, ING estimates

60%

Fig 7 NSI – Key forecasts and financials

	2015	2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
	2013	2010	2017	20101	20191	- 2020F
Profit and loss (€m)						
Gross rents	113.8	94.6	89.1	82.4	82.8	85.5
Net rents	91.3	74.3	74.5	65.9	67.2	70.2
Margin (%)	80	79	84	80	81	82
Net financing expenses	(20.3)	(18.2)	(12.2)	(11.6)	(12.0)	(11.7)
EBITDA	84.4	64.4	65.2	57.6	58.1	61.0
EBITDA margin (%)	74	68	73	70	70	71
Total revaluation of investments	0.4	(54.8)	27.4	32.5	25.6	19.4
Realized disposal result	5.2	(4.4)	5.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net financing expenses	(20.3)	(18.2)	(12.2)	(11.6)	(12.0)	(11.7)
Net result	69.7	(9.1)	91.6	78.3	71.5	68.6
Share of INTO profits	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Direct result (FFO)	50.6	47.3	49.4	45.8	46.0	49.1
Indirect result	13.2	(65.2)	42.2	32.5	25.6	19.4
Per share data (€)						
EPRS EPS	2.83	2.64	2.72	2.50	2.50	2.67
Indirect result per share	0.74	(3.64)	2.33	1.77	1.39	1.06
Dividend per share attributed	0.27	0.27	2.16	2.16	2.16	2.20
Recurring cash flow per share	0.33	0.30	2.50	2.28	2.28	2.46
IFRS NAV per share	36.9	33.8	36.6	38.7	40.5	42.0
EPRA NAV per share	38.35	34.64	36.7	38.8	40.5	42.0
Balance sheet (€m)						
Investment properties	1,203	1,160	1,101	1,149	1,175	1,194
Cash	22	2	7	7	3	2
Total assets	1,289	1,166	1,118	1,167	1,189	1,207
Total shareholders' equity	661	604	673	711	743	771
Net debt	542	512	408	418	412	403
LTV (%)	45	44	37	36	35	34
RoE (%)	8.5	-3.2	13.1	11.0	9.6	8.9
Cash flow statement (€m)						
Total investment result	69.7	3.8	92.9	78.3	71.5	68.6
Revaluation effects	(0.4)	4.8	(28.3)	(32.5)	(25.6)	(19.4)
Cash flow from operations	55.8	40.4	52.8	45.8	46.0	49.1
Cash flow from investments	(26.0)	36.8	86.3	(15.8)	0.0	0.0
Dividend paid	(44.3)	(38.7)	(23.2)	(39.7)	(39.7)	(40.3)
Cash flow from financing	13.9	(100.9)	(140.8)	(29.7)	(49.7)	(50.3)
Net cash flow	43.7	(23.7)	(1.7)	0.4	(3.7)	(1.2)
Cash on balance sheet	22.3	2.1	6.8	7.2	3.5	2.3

Fig 8 NSI: ING RE valuation

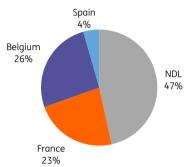
(€m)	2018F	2019F	2020F	2021F	2022F
Direct operating result	57	58	61	65	67
Net indirect property result	32	26	19	0	0
Total return	90	83	80	65	67
Capital employed	1,129	1,155	1,174	1,174	1,174
Average capital employed	1,105	1,142	1,165	1,174	1,174
ROIC (%)	8.1	7.3	6.9	5.5	5.7
WACC (%)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
ROIC-WACC (%)	1.1	0.3	-0.1	-1.5	-1.3
Value creation	12.5	3.5	-1.3	-17.6	-15.1
EOY # shares (m)	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4
Value creation per share (€)	0.7	0.2	-0.1	-1.0	-0.8
Discount factor	0.0	0.5	1.5	2.5	3.5
PV per share (€)	0.68	0.19	-0.06	-0.81	-0.65
NPV of value creation 2018 - 2022 (€) 1Q18 EPRA NAV per share (€) Dividend paid (€) Fair value per share (€)	-0.65 37.2 -1.12 35.5				

Vastned: downgrade to SELL, TP €38

Exposure: 47% Dutch gross rent

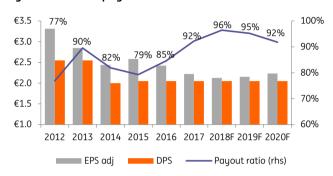
With almost half of income tied to Dutch real estate, Vastned is the second worst hit company in our coverage. On 2017 data 47% of gross rents came from the Netherlands (annualised rents at FY17). We note that the Rokin/Kalverstraat asset (c.8% of the total portfolio) recently relet to Uniqlo already sits outside the FBI regime, limiting the change in the tax position vs the current already partly taxed situation.

Fig 9 2017 GRI split (annualised)



Source: Company data

Fig 10 Dividend pay-out on EPRA EPS



Source: Company data, ING estimates

Cash impact:

We estimate the change in tax position for Vastned to be c.7% of EPRA EPS for 2020. As Vastned already pays a small amount of income taxes (we estimate c.€0.5m on a recurring basis for Dutch assets, see above) the change is a little lower than for REITs paying no tax at all in the current situation

Dividend: no growth

On our numbers also Vastned has just enough headroom on 2020 EPS to maintain its current dividend, but a 8% lower EPS will also strongly limit the potential for dividend increases and keep dividend pay-out levels at elevated (too high) levels. While we normally would promote adhering to a pay-out ratio of c.80%, we see the low capex nature of its prime high street assets as an sufficient reason to be able to pay-out 80-90% of FFO.

Pros and Cons:

Being the third worst hit, we see little upside for Vastned from the current situation. With key shareholders being Dutch individuals, the abolition of Dutch dividend WHT will offer little relief on the shareholder level (Van Herk owns 25-30% of the shares). The recent failure to acquire the minority in Vastned Retail Belgium and being priced at the top end of EU retail REITs on cash flow suggests more downside for the share price and we downdgrade Vastned to SELL

Fig 11 Vastned - Key financials

Year to December	2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
Cash EPS adj (€)	2.42	2.22	2.13	2.15	2.23
P/E (x)	15.5	18.0	18.8	18.6	17.9
EPRA NAV per share (€)	43.6	47.0	46.8	47.1	46.4
P/EPRA NAV (%)	0.86	0.85	0.86	0.85	0.86
DPS (€)	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Dividend yield (%)	5.5	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1
RoE (%)	3.4	11.0	3.8	4.6	2.8
LTV (%)	41.6	38.6	36.4	35.9	35.8
Net implied yield (%)	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.4
Implied EBITDA yield (%)	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.8

Source: Company data, ING estimates

Fig 12 Vastned – Key estimates & financials

	2015	2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
Profit and loss (€m)						
Gross rents	93	89	77	75	75	76
Net rents	83	79	70	68	67	68
Margin (%)	89.0	88.4	90.1	89.7	89.7	89.7
EBITDA	74.4	70.5	61.7	59.7	59.2	59.9
EBITDA margin (%)	80%	79%	80%	79%	79%	79%
Total value movement investment properties	29	(20)	62	(7)	0	(15)
Net direct financing expenses	(27)	(20)	(16)	(16)	(15)	(14)
Investment result before tax	76	31	108	37	44	31
Investment result after taxes	71	34	105	36	44	28
Result after tax from discontinued operations	0	0	2	0	0	0
Total direct result	54	50	46	43	44	45
Total indirect result	17	(17)	61	(7)	0	(17)
Per share data (€)		` ,		. ,		, ,
EPS - Direct result per share	2.58	2.42	2.22	2.13	2.15	2.23
Indirect result per share	0.86	(1.03)	2.89	(0.37)	0.00	(0.93)
Total result per share	3.44	1.39	5.11	1.76	2.15	1.30
Dividend per share	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
EPRA NAV per share	44.4	43.6	47.0	46.8	47.1	46.4
Balance sheet (€m)						
Investment properties	1,648	1,615	1,526	1,470	1,470	1,455
Total assets	1,654	1,624	1,598	1,547	1,546	1,531
Equity group share	817	804	839	837	843	833
Equity minority interests	84	87	95	96	97	97
Net debt	692	637	634	583	576	571
Total liabilities	753	732	664	614	607	601
RoE (%)	8.8	3.4	11.0	3.8	2.8	0.0
LTV	41	42	39	36	36	36
Cash flow statement (€m)						
Total Investment result	71	34	107	36	44	28
Cash flow from operations	55	47	45	44	44	43
Cash flow from property	(82)	9	87	49	0	0
Cash flow from finance	18	(57)	(131)	(117)	(44)	(43)
Net movement in cash & equivalents	(10)	(1)	1	(24)	(1)	(0)
Closing cash balance	3	1	2	8	7	7

Fig 13 Vastned: ING RE valuation

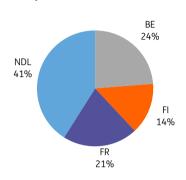
(€m)	2018F	2019F	2020F	2021F	2022F
Direct operating result	54	54	55	55	56
Net indirect property result	-17	0	-18	12	13
Total return	37	54	37	68	69
Capital employed	1,396	1,395	1,377	1,388	1,399
Average capital employed	1,424	1,395	1,386	1,382	1,393
ROIC (%)	2.6	3.9	2.7	4.9	4.9
WACC (%)	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9
ROIC-WACC (%)	-3.3	-2.1	-3.3	-1.0	-1.0
Value creation	-46.0	-28.8	-44.9	-14.2	-14.1
EOY # shares (m)	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2
Value creation per share (€)	-2.5	-1.6	-2.5	-0.8	-0.8
Discount factor	0.0	0.5	1.5	2.5	3.5
PV per share (€)	-2.53	-1.54	-2.26	-0.68	-0.63
NPV of value creation 2018-22 (€) EPRA NAV 1H17 per share (€) Dividend paid (€) Fair value per share (€)	-7.6 47.0 -1.41 38				

Wereldhave - Hold, TP E34

Exposure: 41% Dutch gross rent

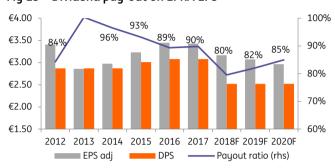
Wereldhave has the third largest headline exposure (close to Vastned's 47%) and as far as we understand currently pays no regular income tax, making the full Dutch exposure liable for income tax.

Fig 14 2017 GRI split



Annualised Source: Company data

Fig 15 Dividend pay-out on EPRA EPS



Source: Company data, ING estimates

Cash impact:

We understand from Wereldhave that depreciation, one of the key drivers of the tax base, might be lower than, for example, for NSI. With likely more limited depreciation due to lower headroom between fiscal values and WOZ values (we estimate 15%) annual depreciation could be closer to 1%, we see an EPRA Earnings impact of 8%, the second highest after NSI. Potentially mitigating the lower depreciation could be offsetting internal cost transfers on loans to the Dutch business unit.

Dividend: headroom shrinking:

While Wereldhave recently announced a dividend cut to create more headroom and not overpay on dividends from its capex adjusted cash flow, this hit to cash flows will again close a significant part of the gap.

Pros and Cons:

Like Vastned, we see limited upside from the cancellation of the dividend WHT, as only an unknown but potentially relatively small part of foreign shareholders will benefit from the dividend WHT cut. We do not downgrade Wereldhave to sell as we believe the current dividend is safe for the coming 2 years (excluding large portfolio mutations), and the worst has already been priced in. We lower our estimates to reflect the higher risk on: the Dutch tax situation, French secondary mall yields & rental income and the risk of further impairments on It is, considering the increased competition in Helsinki retail and long term wish to divest the asset.

Fig 16 Wereldhave - Key financials

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2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
3.45	3.43	3.17	3.07	2.96
12.9	12.0	10.5	10.8	11.2
51.4	50.0	48.1	45.3	43.0
0.86	0.83	0.69	0.73	0.77
3.08	3.08	2.52	2.52	2.52
6.9	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6
5.1	3.5	0.8	-1.0	0.1
39	40	40	41	41
5.6	5.6	6.2	6.0	6.0
6.1	7.2	9.3	10.1	9.2
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Source: Company data, ING estimates

Fig 17 Wereldhave – Key estimates & financials

	2015	2016	2017	2018F	2019F	2020F
Profit and loss (€m)						
Gross rents	207	230	223	217	212	208
Total revenues	245	268	264	256	252	247
Net rental income	185	201	195	189	186	182
Net rent margin (%)	89	88	87	87	88	88
Valuation results	(16)	(18)	(16)	(16)	(16)	(16)
Results on disposals	169	184	179	173	170	167
General costs	81.5	79.9	80.2	79.7	80.2	80.3
Operational result	(38)	(25)	(27)	(31)	(32)	(33)
Total finance expenses	(5)	(30)	(65)	(106)	(134)	(112)
Total result	104	121	84	35	4	21
WHA group share	89	101	68	15	(18)	1
Direct result WHA share	122	139	138	128	124	119
Indirect result WHA share	(33)	(38)	(70)	(113)	(142)	(118)
Per share data -group (€)	, , ,	(= -/-	` ',	,	, ,	` '
Total result	2.35	2.50	1.68	0.37	-0.45	0.03
Direct result (EPS)	3.23	3.45	3.43	3.17	3.07	2.96
Indirect result	-0.88	-0.95	-1.75	-2.80	-3.52	-2.94
Dividend	3.01	3.08	3.08	2.52	2.52	2.52
EPRA NAV per share	52.1	51.4	50.0	48.1	45.3	43.0
Balance sheet (€m)						
Investment properties	3,655	3,696	3,643	3,514	3,405	3,319
Total fixed assets	3,797	3,858	3,800	3,671	3,562	3,475
Total current assets	123	90	124	133	137	138
Total assets	3,920	3,948	3,924	3,804	3,699	3,613
Equity - group share	2,015	1,979	1,929	1,852	1,740	1,648
Minority interest	173	182	188	199	212	224
Total equity	2,188	2,161	2,117	2,050	1,952	1,872
Long term liabilities	1,393	1,641	1,632	1,578	1,572	1,565
Short term liabilities	339	146	175	175	175	175
Total equity and liabilities	3,920	3,948	3,924	3,803	3,699	3,613
LTV	. 38	. 39	40	40	41	41
RoE	4	5	4	1	- 1	0
Cash flow statement (€m)						
Cash flow from operations	130.5	152.6	138.9	141.0	137.2	133.1
Cash flow from investing	(517.0)	(105.9)	(68.2)	35.0	(25.0)	(25.0)
Cash flow from financing	(302.9)	43.7	97.8	167.0	107.7	107.7
Increase/decrease in cash	(83.6)	3.0	(27.1)	9.0	4.5	0.4
Cash balance beginning of period	119.2	37.7	40.7	13.6	22.5	27.1
Cash & bank balances EOP	33.5	40.7	13.6	22.5	27.1	27.4

Fig 18 ING RE valuation

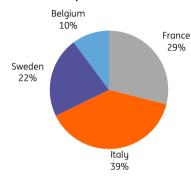
(€m)	2018F	2019F	2020F	2021F	2022F
Direct operating result	159	155	153	152	154
Net indirect property result	-114	-143	-119	-35	18
Total return	45	12	33	117	171
Capital employed	3,333	3,210	3,112	3,072	3,085
Average capital employed	3,403	3,272	3,161	3,092	3,078
ROIC (%)	1.3	0.4	1.0	3.8	5.6
WACC (%)	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4
ROIC-WACC (%)	-5.1	-6.1	-5.4	-2.7	-0.9
Value creation	-174.3	-198.1	-170.4	-82.3	-26.7
EOY # shares (m)	40.3	40.3	40.3	40.3	40.3
Value creation per share (€)	-4.3	-4.9	-4.2	-2.0	-0.7
Discount factor	0.0	0.5	1.5	2.5	3.5
PV per share (€)	-4.3	-4.8	-3.9	-1.7	-0.5
NPV of value creation 2017-22 (€) EPRA NAV 2017 per share (€) Dividend paid (€) Fair value per share (€)	-15.2 50.0 -0.8 34.0				

ECP - maintain BUY, lower TP to €40

Exposure: no Dutch rent exposure

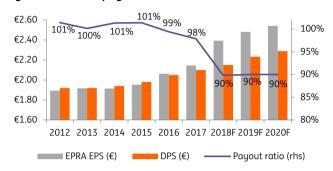
ECP is a Dutch listed real estate FBI but owns no Dutch based real estate assets that will become taxed.

Fig 19 Pro forma GRI split*



* PF announced acquisitions and disposals Source: ING Estimate

Fig 20 Dividend pay-out on EPRA EPS



Source: Company data, ING estimates

Impact:

ECP will likely remain an FBI (and keep its REIT status) given the advantageous treatment of foreign earnings within the structure and unchanged treatment of non-Dutch assets within FBIs. ECP will potentially lose some offset potential of foreign paid withholding taxes, but this impact should be relatively insignificant

Dividend impact:

As ECP has no meaningful cash flow impact from the FBI changes, the only change we see is that the company could lower its pay-out ratio more in line with industry practice (to 90%) while still growing its dividend, helped by its net portfolio expansion through acquisitions and developments, funded at very low cost.

Pros and Cons:

For ECP the potentially small positive impact is larger than potential negatives: with no Dutch real estate, the share will become more attractive for foreign shareholders currently liable for Dutch dividend withholding tax. For Belgian shareholders the double taxation on ECP dividends will potentially disappear. We lower our TP to reflect the increased risk perception on Italian assets and generally growing impact of e-commerce on retail assets, where we believe that on a relative basis vs its peers ECP is well positioned, especially in Italy, with low e-commerce penetration. This also incorporates our view that some of ECP's French secondary retail assets should be disposed of, if necessary at a discount to book values. This impacts our 5-year value creation outlook (while we believe this is already priced in).

Fig 21 Vastned – Key financials

Year to December	FY 15/16	FY 16/17	FY 17/18F	FY 18/19F	FY 19/20F
EPRA EPS (€)	2.06	2.15	2.39	2.48	2.54
P/E (x)	19.4	17.1	15.2	14.6	14.3
EPRA NAV per share (€)	42.5	45.6	45.6	45.3	44.6
P/EPRA NAV (%)	0.94	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.81
DPS (€)	2.05	2.10	2.15	2.23	2.29
Dividend yield (%)	5.1	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.3
RoE (%)	14.1	10.6	5.2	6.5	5.7
LTV (%)	39	40	42	40	40
Net implied yield (%)	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.8
Implied EBITDA yield (%)	4.5	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.2

Source: Company data, ING estimates

Fig 22 ECP – Key estimates & financials

	FY 14/15	FY 15/16	FY 16/17	FY 17/18F	FY 18/19F	FY 19/20F
Profit & loss (€m)						
Rental income	173.9	188.2	197.7	214.6	221.6	226.5
Net property income	145.5	155.4	163.0	176.4	182.3	186.4
Gross/net margin (%)	83.7	82.6	82.5	82.2	82.3	82.3
Company expenses	(12.3)	(14.6)	(12.4)	(13.3)	(14.6)	(14.9)
Direct investment expenses	(4.0)	(4.4)	(4.3)	(4.0)	(4.5)	(3.5)
EBITDA	133.6	141.4	146.3	159.1	163.2	168.0
EBITDA margin (%)	77	75	74	74	74	74
Interest cost	(45.8)	(38.7)	(39.3)	(40.8)	(39.5)	(39.1)
Investment revaluation	128.0	180.0	183.4	7.2	8.0	(17.2)
Fair value change derivatives	(1.4)	(44.7)	52.5	9.5	0.0	0.0
Result before taxation	201.3	233.9	342.9	135.3	132.0	112.0
Result after taxation	167.8	207.4	260.8	113.0	130.0	115.0
EPRA earnings (FFO)	83.8	98.4	103.8	117.4	123.6	128.8
Total indirect result	81.1	104.6	152.7	(8.3)	1.9	(17.3)
Per share data (€)						
EPRA Earnings per share (FFO)	1.95	2.06	2.15	2.39	2.48	2.54
Indirect result per share	1.89	2.19	3.16	(0.17)	0.04	(0.34)
EPRA NAV per share	39.0	42.5	45.6	45.6	45.3	44.6
Dividend per share	1.98	2.05	2.10	2.15	2.23	2.29
Balance sheet (€m)						
Investment properties	2,821	3,276	3,451	3,447	3,475	3,458
Total fixed assets	2,871	3,374	3,646	3,674	3,632	3,615
Total current assets	241	177	211	282	315	302
Total assets	3,112	3,551	3,857	3,956	3,947	3,917
Total current liabilities	137	262	360	480	480	480
Total fixed liabilities	1,317	1,497	1,523	1,489	1,455	1,422
Total liabilities	1,454	1,759	1,884	1,969	1,935	1,902
Total equity	1,658	1,792	1,974	1,987	2,011	2,015
RoE (%)	10	14	11	5	6	6
LTV (%)	35	39	40	42	40	40
Cash flow statement (€m)						
Total investment result	167.8	207	261	113	130	115
Cash flow from operations	79.2	87	86	97	124	129
Cash flow from investing	(80.6)	(314)	(175)	(114)	50	0
Cash flow from financing	85.2	182	44	(13)	(140)	(141)
Net cash flow	83.8	(45)	(46)	(29)	33	(12)
Ending cash balance	169.1	124	78	48	81	69

Fig 23 ECP: ING RE valuation

(€m)	FY 17/18F	FY 18/19F	FY 19/20F	FY 20/21F	FY 21/22F
Direct operating result	158	163	168	172	176
Net indirect property result	-4	6	-14	29	60
Total return	154	169	154	201	236
Capital employed	3,531	3,487	3,473	3,503	3,562
Average capital employed	3,466	3,509	3,480	3,488	3,532
ROIC (%)	4.4	4.8	4.4	5.8	6.7
WACC (%)	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
ROIC-WACC (%)	-2.1	-1.7	-2.1	-0.8	0.2
Value creation	-72.6	-59.7	-73.3	-26.3	5.4
EOY # shares (m)	48.6	49.6	50.2	50.2	51.0
Value creation per share (€)	-1.5	-1.2	-1.5	-0.5	0.1
Discount factor	0.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	4.0
PV per share (€)	-1.49	-1.13	-1.29	-0.43	0.08
NPV of value creation 2018-22 (€) 3QFY17 EPRA NAV (€) Dividend paid (€) Fair value per share (€)	-4.5 44.8 40				

Valuation framework

We set our target prices for NSI, Wereldhave, ECP and Vastend using our ING Real Estate Valuation Model, basing our target price on the EPRA NAV and a five-year value-creation forecast as described in our, *Changing our valuation model* note of 29 July 2013.

Relative valuation

Below we show the relative valuation of key peers vs each other and key EU peers.

We see that overall Belgian and Dutch multiples peaked in 2015 when QE effects were extrapolated and share prices had a significant bounce. Belgian share prices however have developed more positively, mostly due to higher EPS and DPS growth.

Due to its strategic transformation, Vastned is now trading at an all-time high multiple of close to 19x EPRA Earnings. Also NSI has been rewarded with a strong multiple expansion on the back of management efforts to reconfigure the business as a Dutch concentrated office play focussed on the Randstad area.

Fig 24 EPRA EPS multiple

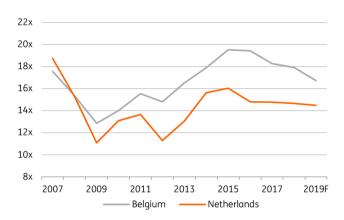
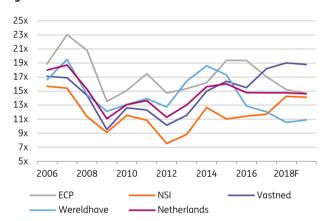


Fig 25 Dutch Listed FBI



Source: ING, based on yearly average share prices

Source: Company data, ING estimates

Wereldhave has already been trading at the low end of its historical range, only temporarily trading at 10-11x earnings levels in 2009 (while currently having substantially differing segment and geographical exposure). This is mostly due to worries about the impact of e-commerce on its assets, and weak results in the French portfolio. ECP has also suffered from related retail rent sustainability worries and the impact of Italian political issues (now c.40% of rents) while remaining more expensive than ECP on the back of a higher quality portfolio.

On a European Retail peer front we see strong convergence on cash flow multiples around 12x earnings (WHA at 11x) and discounts to NAV of 25-30%, driven by a higher yield demanded on most stocks compared with low initial yields.

Retail Estates is the exception on discount (or rather premium) to NAV due to its higher asset yields, leverage and pricing mostly based on dividend yield by 'Belgian dentists' (income focused Belgian private investors).

Fig 26 EU retail peers: Vastned most expensive

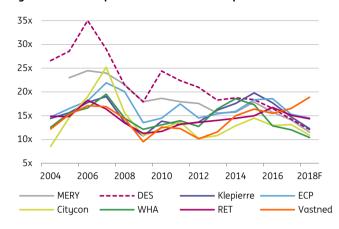
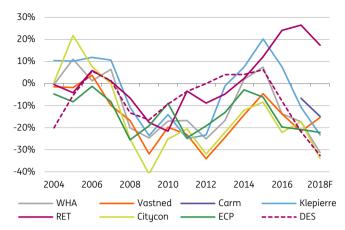


Fig 27 EU retail peers - discount to NAV

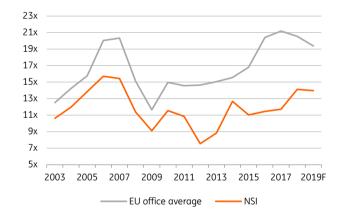


Source: Company data, ING estimates

For NSI we see the following trading history against its peer group of EU offices players. From 2003 to 2011 NSI traded at a 15-25% discount to the peer group, increasing to 40% from 2011 to 2017, while now we see a reversion back to discounts below 30% currently. While remaining a small player, and noting the temporary setback of the FBI tax impact, we believe NSI quite likely will continue to close the gap to its peers back to c.10-20% over coming years as its focused office strategy and value-add strategy show more results.

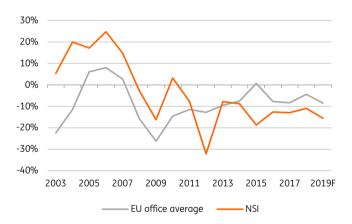
As a high dividend yield stock, NSI used to trade at a premium to NAV and, while we don't expect that to come back soon, we do see the high yielding nature of its assets as a driver for a further rerating once management has stabilised the company and started growing the dividends – obviously inhibited by potential tax issues.

Fig 28 NSI vs EU office peers: cash flow multiple



Peers are Cofinimmo, Befimmo, Gecina, Icade, Castellum, Fabege, Wihlborgs, Hemfosa, SPS, PSP, Axiare and Colonial Source: Company data, ING estimates

Fig 29 NSI vs Office peers: NAV discount



Peers are Cofinimmo, Befimmo, Gecina, Icade, Castellum, Fabege, Wihlborgs, Hemfosa, SPS, PSP, Axiare and Colonial Source: Company data, ING estimates

Fig 30 ING Benelux coverage: ratings & forecasts

	Segment	Rec	Price (€) 28-Jun-18	2018F (€m) Market cap	EV	Liquidity	LTV (%)	Average RoE 2013-2017	2016-2018F	12M Target price	Price return (%)	Total return (%)
Belgium				·.		<u> </u>				<u> </u>	· · · ·	
Aedifica	Healthcare	Hold	78.0	1,424	2,591	1.8	50	8	11	80	2.6	6.7
Ascencio	Retail Warehousing	Hold	53.0	350	597	0.17	40	9	11	61	15.1	21.6
Befimmo	Offices	Hold	51.9	1,340	2,535	1.4	44	8	8	53	2.1	8.8
Home Invest	Residential	Hold	88	289	587	0.1	55	9	8	92	5.0	8.8
Leasinvest	Mixed	Hold	96	474	1,020	0.1	56	10	10	96	0.4	5.5
Montea	Logistics	Hold	45.2	544	975	0.26	51	10	13	42	-7.1	-2.1
Retail Estates	Retail Warehousing	Buy	76.2	868	1,544	1.9	50	9	10	81	6.3	11.3
WDP	Logistics	Hold	108.6	2,390	4,304	3.9	55	15	17	94	-13.4	-9.0
Netherlands	-											
ECP	Shopping centres	Buy	36.3	1,807	3,367	5.0	40	10	7	40 (from 43)	18.5	24.7
NSI	Offices	Hold (prev: Buy)	35.85	658	1,076	1.4	36	-5	7	35.5 (from 39.2)	9.3	15.4
Vastned	High street shops	Sell (prev: Hold)	40.0	728	1,287	2.2	36	4	6	38 (from 43)	7.4	12.5
Wereldhave	Shopping centres	Hold	33.2	1,336	3,015	12.8	40	3	3	34 (from 43)	30.8	38.4
Average Belgium							48	9	10		1.9	6.8
Average Netherlands							37	5	8		20.5	26.7
Average coverage							42	9	10		7.2	11.9
Average office							38	8	10		8	12
Average retail							38	9	9		15	21

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Fig 31 NAV metrics and implied yields

	A 12 .	151657	(EDD 4) C				11417		13.04	Implied yield	
	2017F	d NAV per share 2018F	(EPRA) € 2019F	2017F	AV growth (%) 2018F	2019F	2016	remium / (discou 2017F	2018F	2018F (%) Net rental/EV	EBITDA/EV
Belgium		•			<u>.</u>	·		•			
Aedifica	56.2	62.4	72.4	14	11	16	43	39	25	5.6	5.0
Ascencio	54.9	56.8	58.8	5	3	3	15	-4	-7	6.5	6.0
Befimmo	57.0	57.2	56.7	3	0	-1	-1	-9	-9	4.7	4.3
Home Invest	68.4	68.4	72.3	0	0	6	44	28	28	4.2	3.9
Leasinvest	84.1	88.9	95.2	2	6	7	17	14	8	5.2	4.3
Montea	29.7	34.7	38.2	7	17	10	51	52	30	5.5	5.0
Retail Estates	61.3	65.2	69.3	3	6	6	31	24	17	5.6	5.3
WDP	58.3	68.9	78.3	14	18	14	60	86	58	5.0	4.8
Netherlands											
ECP	45.6	45.3	44.6	0	-1	-2	-20	-20	-20	5.5	5.0
NSI	36.7	38.8	40.5	6	6	4	-19	-2	-8	6.2	5.4
Vastned	47.0	46.8	47.1	8	0	1	-14	-15	-14	5.2	4.6
Wereldhave	50.0	48.1	45.3	-3	-4	-6	-14	-34	-31	6.2	9.3
Average Belgium (unweighted)				6	7	7	33	28	18	5.3	4.8
Average Netherlands (unw)				4	1	0	-10	-17	-18	5.6	5.8
Average coverage				8	5	5	9	7	0	5.0	4.5
Average office				9	5	5	-3	-3	-8	4.6	4.0
Average retail				5	2	1	-1	-10	-12	5.6	5.4

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Fig 32 Earnings metrics and dividend + pay out

										P	ayout ratio Divi	idend yield
		EPRA EPS		EPS	growth (%)		C	ash PER		DPS	(%)	(%)
	2017	2018F	2019F	2017	2018F	2019F	2017	2018F	2019F	2018F	2017F	2018F
Belgium	•	·		•			•	•	•	·		
Aedifica	3.24	4.28	5.20	3	32	21	24.1	18.2	15.0	3.21	99	4.1
Ascencio	4.04	4.24	4.44	3	5	5	13.1	12.5	11.9	3.45	85	6.5
Befimmo	3.74	3.71	3.11	2	-1	-16	13.9	14.0	16.7	3.45	92	6.6
Home Invest	3.08	3.06	3.37	16	-1	10	28.4	28.6	26.0	3.30	107	3.8
Leasinvest	5.57	5.59	6.27	-1	0	12	17.2	17.1	15.3	4.90	88	5.1
Montea	2.58	2.72	2.92	5	5	7	17.5	16.6	15.5	2.24	87	5.0
Retail Estates	5.13	5.14	5.40	17	0	5	14.8	14.8	14.1	3.80	74	5.0
WDP	5.60	6.09	6.58	6	9	8	19.4	17.8	16.5	4.80	86	4.4
Netherlands												
ECP	2.39	2.48	2.54	12	4	2	15.2	14.6	14.3	2.23	93	6.2
NSI	2.72	2.50	2.50	3	-8	0	13.2	14.4	14.3	2.16	79	6.0
Vastned	2.22	2.13	2.15	-8	-4	1	18.0	18.8	18.6	2.05	92	5.1
Wereldhave	3.43	3.17	3.07	0	-8	-3	9.7	10.5	10.8	2.52	73	7.6
Average Belgium (unweighted)				8	6	7	19.1	18.1	16.9		89	4.9
Average Netherlands (unw)				17	-27	3	13.0	2.4	3.5		79	6.2
Average coverage				14	8	8	21	16	15		89	4.8
Average office				15	13	8	24	21	19		92	4.4
Average retail				16	4	0	15	5	6		87	6.0

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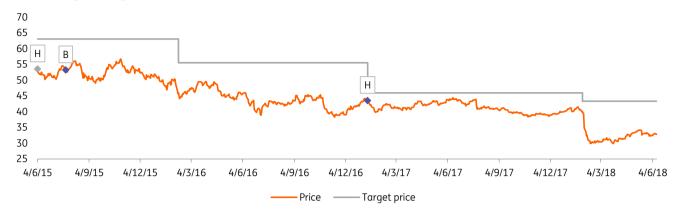
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