

## **Society Pass Inc.**

Reports weaker Q3, but we believe growth over the next year and 2 IPOs to drive stock much higher. Lowering P/T to \$16.

#### COMPANY UPDATE

#### **Rating: BUY**

Ticker: SOPA

Price: \$0.91

Target: \$16 (from \$19) **Q3 weaker:** Society Pass recently (on November 15) reported its fiscal Q3 2024 (ending September) results. Revenue was \$1.7 million (-26% y-o-y), compared to our estimates of \$2.0 million and consensus of \$2.5 million. EPS was \$(0.48), compared to our estimates of \$(0.62) and consensus of \$(0.59). There was no Q3 guidance.

**No guidance:** The company has not provided any financial guidance, and has not updated its expectations to have 2 IPO spinoffs in 2024.

**Adjusting estimates:** We are adjusting our 2024 estimates for revenue to \$7 million, from \$8 million, and for EPS to \$(2.54) from \$(2.92). We are adjusting our 2025 estimates for revenue to \$10 million, from \$13 million, and for EPS to \$(0.98) from \$(1.73).

**Focused on loyalty platform:** The company's ecosystem of technologyenabled companies synergistically work together to transform how consumers and merchants interact with one another. Its key focus is on generating customer loyalty, ease of transaction for consumers, and revenues for merchants. As more merchants and consumers in SEA register on its Society Pass platform, more transaction data is generated, and thus presenting more opportunities for creating loyalty from consumers to merchants.

Lifestyle platform: The company has developed an online lifestyle platform in Vietnam under its own brand name of "Leflair" to enable consumers to purchase high-end brands in many categories. Using the company's smart search engine, consumers search or review their favorite brands among hundreds of choices in various categories, including Apparel, Bags & Shoes, Accessories, Health & Beauty, Home & Lifestyle, International, Women, Men and Kids & Babies categories.

Market opportunities: We believe that continued strong economic expansion, robust population growth, rising level of urbanization, the emergence of the middle class, and the increasing rate of adoption of mobile technology provide large and fast growing market opportunities for Society Pass and other technology companies in Southeast Asia (SEA).

**2 IPOs planned:** In October 2023, the company announced plans to spinoff two of its businesses in IPOs in 2024, its digital advertising ecosystem, Thoughtful Media Group Inc., and its online travel platform, NusaTrip Inc. We believe that these IPOs will drive significant value to Society Pass's shareholders and will be key catalysts for the company in 2024 or 2025.

**Positive high risks versus high rewards:** Overall, concerns outweighed by growth prospects and valuation. Society Pass's main products still has long commercialization challenges ahead, but we believe the ~billion dollars market potential presents high rewards for the risks.

Valuation attractive: We are maintaining our BUY rating, but lowering our 12-month price target to \$16 from \$19, based on a NPV analysis, representing significant upside from the current share price. We believe this valuation appropriately balances out the company's high risks with its high growth prospects and large upside opportunities.

#### **Company Description**

Society Pass, based in Singapore, is building the next generation data-driven loyalty, fintech, and e-commerce digital platform in Southeast Asia (SEA).

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#### Stock Data

Exchange:	NasdaqCM
52-week Range:	0.73 - 5.10
Shares Outstanding (million):	4
Market cap (\$million):	\$4
EV (\$million):	\$0
Debt (\$million):	\$0
Cash (\$million):	\$4
Avg. Daily Trading Vol. (\$million):	\$0.2
Float (million shares):	2
Short Interest (million shares):	~0
Dividend, annual (yield):	\$0 (NA%)

#### Revenues (US\$ million)

	2024E (Cur.)	2024E (Old)	2025E (Cur.)	2025E (Old)
Q1 Mar	1.8A		2.5E	2.7E
Q2 Jun	1.7A		2.5E	2.9E
Q3 Sep	1.7A	2.0E	2.5E	3.0E
Q4 Dec	1.8E	2.5E	2.5E	4.4E
Total	7.0E	8.0E	10.0E	13.0E
EV/Revs	N/A		N/A	

#### Earnings per Share (pro forma)

	2024E	2024E	2025E	2025E
	(Cur.)	(Old)	(Cur.)	(Old)
Q1 Mar	(1.21)A		(0.20)E	(0.68)E
Q2 Jun	(0.73)A		(0.30)E	(0.46)E
Q3 Sep	(0.48)A	(0.62)E	(0.23)E	(0.30)E
Q4 Dec	(0.33)E	(0.50)E	(0.25)E	(0.31)E
Total	(2.54)E	(2.92)E	(0.98)E	(1.73)E
P/E	N/A		N/A	

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:15 reverse stock split in May 2024

#### **Important Disclosures**

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#### **OVERVIEW**

- Society Pass recently (on November 15) reported its fiscal Q3 2024 (ending September) results.
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- EPS was \$(0.48), compared to our estimates of \$(0.62) and consensus of \$(0.59).
- There was no Q3 guidance.
- The company did not provide forward guidance.
- We are adjusting our 2024 estimates for revenue to \$7 million, from \$8 million, and for EPS to \$(2.54) from \$(2.92).
- We are adjusting our 2025 estimates for revenue to \$10 million, from \$13 million, and for EPS to \$(0.98) from \$(1.73).

#### **ADDITIONAL DETAILS**

- Gross profit for the quarter was \$0.4 million, compared with our estimate of \$0.6 million.
- Gross margin for the quarter was 22%, versus our expectation of 28% and 25% last year.
- Operating expenses were \$1.5 million, versus our expectation of \$2.5 million.
- Operating loss was \$1.2 million, versus our expectation of a loss of \$2.0 million.
- Net loss was \$1.4 million, versus our expectation of a loss of \$2.0 million.
- In May 2024, the company effected a 1:15 reverse stock split.

In October 2023, Raynauld Liang was appointed as the new Chief Executive Officer of the company. Yee Siong Tan was appointed as the Chief Financial Officer of the company replacing Mr. Liang. Dennis Nguyen resigned as a director of the company, and as the Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer of the company due to personal reasons.

In October 2023, the company announced plans to spinoff two of its businesses in IPOs in 2024, its digital advertising ecosystem, Thoughtful Media Group Inc., and its online travel platform, NusaTrip Inc.

In July 2023, the company entered into an agreement to acquire 95% of PT Inetindo Info ("Inetindo"), a wholly subsidiary of Story-Limited ("Story-I"). Inetindo is a leading Indonesia-based Apple Premium Reseller and Authorised Education Partner as well as an electronic gaming retailer for several different gaming companies. The purchase price is ~\$1.9 million and the deal is expected to close by September 2023. Operating in Indonesia since 2010, Inetindo employs approximately 300 employees and operates 26 "Story-I" branded Apple stores in 9 cities across Indonesia. As an Apple Authorised Education Partner and Apple Authorised Service Provider, Inetindo sells Apple devices and solutions to leading international schools and tertiary institutions and repairs Apple products at its service centres. Inetindo has annual revenue of ~\$30 million.

This deal was supposed to close in September 2023, but did not yet closed and there are some uncertainties about this deal being completed. This deal was formally terminated in April 2024.

The company's balance sheet had \$4 million in cash and no debt, compared with \$1 million in cash and no debt at the end of June. In October 2023, the company announced a new \$40 million equity line of credit with Strattners FZCO.



Exhibit 1: Society Pass (SoPa) Corporate Overview



Operating in SEA (Vietnam, Indonesia, Philippines, Singapore, and Thailand), SoPa is an acquisition–focused fintech and e-commerce holding company operating 6 inter-connected verticals (loyalty, lifestyle, f&b delivery, telecoms, digital advertising, and travel) connecting millions of consumers and thousands of merchants in SEA

<b>+3,300,000</b> Reg Consumers	• .		\$\$ 5.64 mn 2 Group Revenues	+94,000 Facebook Follwers (SoPa only)	+128,000 LinkedIn Followers (SoPa only)
<b>+2,300</b> Twitter Followers (SoPa only)	+100 Instagram Followers (SoPa only)	<b>+17,00</b> 2021 Lifest	yle 2021 F&B Deli	very 2021 Travel	<b>+87,000,000</b> Youtube Subscribers



**Exhibit 2: Society Pass Products and Ecosystem** 

## Complementary, Integrated Ecosystem

SoPa opportunistically acquires attractively valued companies in Southeast Asia to synergistically generate additional revenue streams, optimise efficiencies for merchants, and more cost effectively aggregate consumers and merchants through synchronised marketing campaigns. SoPa's ecosystem allows for:

- More revenue generation for merchants leads to creation of customer loyalty;
- · More customer loyalty creation leads to more consumers for merchants; and
- More consumers for merchants leads to greater revenues for merchants.
- → VIRTUOUS CYCLE OF REVENUE GENERATION AND LOYALTY CREATION





#### **Exhibit 3: Society Pass's Investment Summary**



## **Investment Highlights**

### Powerful and Integrated Ecosystem

- 6 unique verticals (loyalty, lifestyle, F&B delivery, digital advertising, telecoms, and travel) create a highly synergistic ecosystem, generating additional sales channels, and onboarding increasingly greater numbers of consumers and merchants
- Integrated technology platform and operational efficiencies drives value creation for SoPa ecosystem
- . Multi-faceted revenue model comprises of e-commerce revenues, delivery fees, brokerage fees, SaaS revenues

### Unique Loyalty Program (Expected Launch in 3Q 2023)

- Society Points replace cash discounting and create permanent customer stickiness
- As Society Points are merchant/location agnostic, they can be earned and redeemed across different business
  units within SoPa ecosystem
- Society Pass is an additional marketing channel for merchants on SoPa ecosystem to onboard more customers
  and generate more revenues in a cost efficient manner for their individual businesses

#### **Attractive Markets**

- Ample attractively valued, regional acquisition opportunities allow Society Pass to quickly and more
  efficiently build consumer/merchant scale and expand service offerings
- SEA, particularly Vietnam, Indonesia, Philippines, Singapore and Thailand, boasts one of the fastest growing
  economies in the world and the VIP countries comprise over 80% of SEA's population
- SEA possesses fast growing middle class, favorable demographics and quick adoption of mobile technology

## Experienced Management Team

- Senior executives possess +150 years of on-the-ground, operational, marketing, software development, legal
  and financial experience in local Asia markets and intimate knowledge of international capital markets
- Female led and female manaaged: +50% of SoPa employees are female
- CEO, CFO, CMO, COO and CTO possess solid track records of building companies and creating value for shareholders and other stakeholders



#### **Exhibit 4: Society Pass Loyalty Platform**



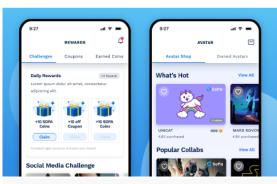


## **Society Pass**





Discover Society Pass here!



- Society Pass offers an universal, open loop loyalty platform to create permanent customer loyalty, generate revenues for merchants, and replace cash discounting.
- Registration: Hassle free creation of profile for smooth registration; Every email address is verified.
- Home screen: Buy SOPA points bundle; Redeem points for coupons; Refer your friends and earn SOPA points; View your wallet balance; Change your profile and settings.
- Buy SOPA points bundle: Select from several SOPA points bundles; Integration to Stripe payment gateway; Store multiple credit cards; Real-time settlement.
- Redeem points for coupons: Select from variety of coupon offerings; Redeem coupons using SOPA points; Coupon with unique code generated in app; Use coupon in business unit website/app.
- Refer friends and earn: SOPA points Share unique referral code with your friends;
   Select from multiple channels and social media; Send referral your code and SOPA app link; Earn SOPA points when your friend install and registers app.
- View your wallet balance: Drill down to individual transactions.
- Change your profile and settings: Complete your profile to purchase SOPA points;
   Adjust app behaviour and settings to your preference

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## **Society Pass**

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#### Consumers:

- Earn/redeem Society Points at ANY MERCHANT in ANY COUNTRY on SoPa
- ecosystem and pay for goods/services in-store or online, app or via website
- Redeem Society Points for **other** good/services
- Redeem digital offers in-store and online, app or via website
- Register, login, view/update profiles, view Society Point balance/transaction history, receive promotions and notifications
- View products of other SoPa ecosystem business units

SoPa Loyalty generates more revenues for merchants by retaining existing customers, attracting new customers, reducing customer turnover and syncing customer data in real-time, personalised marketing campaigns.

#### Merchants:

- Adjust level of issuance of Society Points based on marketing campaign
- Redeem Society Points for cash with funds wired directly to their accounts collect customer information and track customer activity
- Easy-to-set-up direct marketing (send emails and push notifications)
- Multi-location and multi-language support
- Send personalised messages directly to customers' SoPa Loyalty screen
- Search transaction history

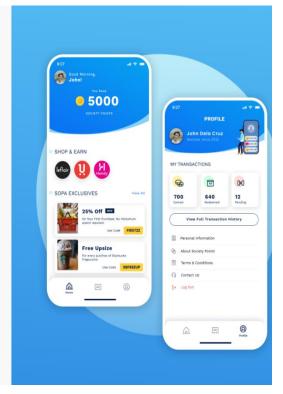




Exhibit 5: Q3 2023 Financial Report (as of November 15, 2023)

## Society Pass Inc's (Nasdaq: SOPA) 9 Mths 2023 Financials: Revenues Increased 117% yoy; Gross Profit Margin Improved to 28.1%; Cash Operating Expenses Declined 32.6% yoy

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#### Summary Points:

 With cash on hand of \$8.2 million (approximately \$0.26 per share) and book value of \$9.9 million (approximately \$0.32 per share) as of 30 September 2023, SoPa is well capitalised for continuing acquisitions of SEA companies in its digital advertising, travel, lifestyle, telecommunications, and loyalty/fintech verticals for the rest of 2023 and 2024.

• 9 months 2023 revenues grew 117.0% year on year (from \$2,994,416 in 9 months 2022 to \$6,498,878 in 9 months 2023).

 3Q 2023 revenues grew 10.7% year on year (from \$2,050,264 in 3Q 2022 to \$2,269,066 in 3Q 2023).

• 3Q 2023 revenues grew 3.7% quarter on quarter (from \$2,187,232 in 2Q 2023 to \$2,269,066 in 3Q 2023).

• 9 months 2023 gross profit grew 523.2% year on year (from \$293,004 in 9 months 2022 to \$1,825,960 in 9 months 2023).

• 3Q 2023 gross profit grew 82.7% year on year (from \$307,935 in 3Q 2022 to \$562,564 in 3Q 2023).

• 3Q 2023 gross profit declined 2.5% quarter on quarter (from \$577,159 in 2Q 2023 to \$562,564 in 3Q 2023).

 9 months 2023 gross profit margin grew to 28.1% in 9 months 2023 from 9.8% in 9 months 2022.

3Q 2023 gross profit margin grew to 24.8% in 3Q 2023 from 15.0% in 3Q 2022.

3Q 2023 gross profit margin declined to 24.8% in 3Q 2023 from 26.4% in 2Q 2023.

 While 9 months 2023 revenues grew 117.0% year on year, 9-month 2023 cash operating expenses declined 32.6% year on year (from \$15,275,821 in 9 months 2022 to \$10,295,103 in 9 months 2023).

 While 3Q 2023 revenues grew 10.7% year on year, 3Q 2023 cash operating expenses declined 54.6% year on year (from \$7,426,684 in 3Q 2022 to \$3,368,443 in 3Q 2023).

- While 3Q 2023 revenues grew 3.7% quarter on quarter, 3Q 2023 cash operating expenses increased 15.1% quarter on quarter (from \$2,927,505 in 2Q 2023 to \$3,368,443 in 3Q 2023).

• 9 months 2023 digital advertising revenues represent 70.5% of total revenues and grew 278.0% year on year from (\$1,211,428 in 9 months 2022 to \$4,579,429 in 9 months 2023).

3Q 2023 digital advertising revenues represent 78.7% of total revenues and grew
 47.3% year on year from (\$1,211,428 in 3Q 2022 to \$1,784,695 in 3Q 2023).

• 3Q 2023 digital advertising revenues represent 78.7% of total revenues and grew 18.1% quarter on quarter from (\$1,510,960 in 2Q 2023 to \$1,784,695 in 3Q 2023).

• 9 months 2023 travel revenues represent 22.1% of total revenues and grew 704.2% year on year from (\$178,206 in 9 months 2022 to \$1,433,133 in 9 months 2023).

 3Q 2023 travel revenues represent 17.2% of total revenues and grew 119.1% year on year from (\$178,206 in 3Q 2022 to \$390,384 in 3Q 2023).

• 3Q 2023 travel revenues represent 17.2% of total revenues and declined 29.8% quarter on quarter from (\$556,042 in 2Q 2023 to \$390,384 in 3Q 2023).

 Since inception, SoPa has onboarded approximately 3.7 million registered consumers, approximately 650,000 registered merchants/brands and approximately 10,000 influencers onto its ever-expanding next generation digital ecosystem and loyalty platform in SEA.

 SoPa operates five verticals in SEA: digital advertising, travel, lifestyle, fintech/loyalty, and telecoms.

 SoPa operates in five SEA countries: Singapore, Vietnam, Indonesia, Philippines and Thailand.



#### Exhibit 6: Society Pass Revenue By Product (2023 and 2024)

			Three M	onths ended Se	ptember 30, 2024		
	Online F&B and Groceries Deliveries	Digital Marketing	Online Ticketing and reservation	e-Commerce	Telecommunication Reseller	Corporate	Total
Revenue from external							
customers							
Sales – online ordering	_	_	_	4,931	_	_	4,931
Sales – digital marketing	_	1,461,480	_	_	_	_	1,461,480
Sales - online ticketing and							
reservation	_	_	208,873	_	_	_	208,873
Sales – data	_	_	_	_	106	_	106
Software sales	_		504		_	_	504
Total revenue		1,461,480	209,377	4,931	106		1,675,894

			Three Me	onths ended Se	ptember 30, 2023		
	Online F&B and Groceries Deliveries	Digital Marketing	Online Ticketing and reservation	e-Commerce	Telecommunication Reseller	Corporate	Total
Revenue from external							
customers							
Sales – online ordering	6,415	_	_	80,786	_	_	87,201
Sales – digital marketing	_	1,689,189	95,506	_	_	_	1,784,695
Sales - online ticketing and							
reservation	_	_	390,384	_	_	_	390,384
Sales – data	_	_	_	_	23,648	_	23,648
Software sales	_	_	3,809	_	_	_	3,809
Total revenue	6,415	1,689,189	489,699	80,786	23,648		2,269,066

			Year	r ended Decem	ber 31, 2023		
	Online		Online				
	F&B and		Ticketing				
	Groceries	Digital	and		Telecommunication	Merchant	
	Deliveries	Marketing	reservation	e-Commerce	Reseller	POS	Total
Revenue from external							
customers							
Sales – online ordering	98,004	_	_	414,120	_	_	512,124
Sales – digital marketing	_	5,326,664	639,947	_	_	_	5,966,611
Sales - online ticketing							
and reservation	_	_	1,606,800	_	_	_	1,606,800
Sales – data	_	_	_	_	24,018	_	24,018
Software sales	_	51,450	9,887	_	_	745	62,082
Hardware sales							
Total revenue	98,004	5,378,114	2,256,634	414,120	24,018	745	8,171,635



Exhibit 7: Society Pass Announced Plans to Spinout Two Companies (on October 10, 2023)

# Society Pass Inc. (Nasdaq: SOPA) Announces Plans to Spinout Two Profitable Business Units Into New Publicly-Traded Companies via Nasdaq IPOs in 2024

Society Pass Incorporated

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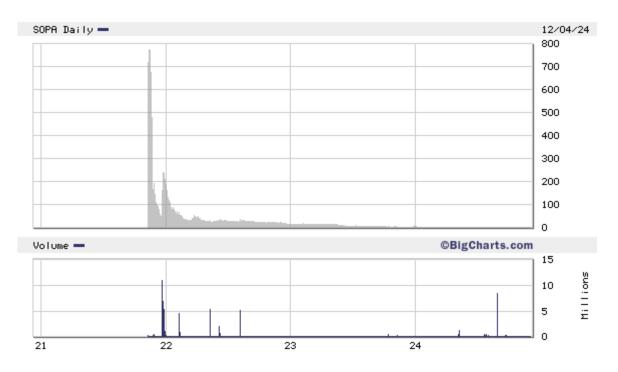
Pass Inc. (Nasdaq: SOPA) ("SoPa" or the "Company"), Southeast Asia's ("SEA") next
generation, data-driven, loyalty, fintech and e-commerce ecosystem, announces
that its Board of Directors, together with its financial and legal advisors, have
evaluated a comprehensive range of strategic restructuring options to unlock
shareholder value. As a result of these discussions, SoPa will pursue a spinout and
initial public offering on Nasdaq in 2024 for its digital advertising ecosystem,
Thoughtful Media Group Inc ("TMG"), and for its online travel platform, NusaTrip
Inc ("NusaTrip").

Thailand-based TMG, the premier digital advertising network in SEA, operates in Thailand, Vietnam, Indonesia, and Philippines and connects advertisers/brands /merchants with over 10,000 influencers to targeted audiences in SEA via its social media-focused advertising ecosystem. TMG delivers significant returns on investment on advertising spend for its clients by more efficiently and effectively generating additional revenues across thousands of creator channels in industries such as fashion & beauty, lifestyle, video games, cooking, automotive, travel, luxury, and sports.

Nusatrip, a leading Indonesia-based online travel agency, offers a comprehensive range of airlines and hotels on its travel platform for corporate and retail customers across SEA. With its first mover advantage, NusaTrip has onboarded over 1.2 million registered users, over 500 airlines and over 650,000 hotels around the world as well as connected with over 80 million unique visitors. Initially only focused on the Indonesian market, NusaTrip has expanded to other SEA countries to become a first-choice travel provider throughout SEA.



Exhibit 8: Society Pass Inc. Stock Price (since IPO November 9, 2021)



<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:15 reverse stock split in May 2024

Source: https://bigcharts.marketwatch.com/

Exhibit 9: Consensus Expectations (as of November 15, 2024)

	Revenue (mils) 2024E	<u>2025E</u>		<b>EPS</b> 2024E	<u>2025E</u>
Q1 Mar	\$1.8A		Q1 Mar	\$(1.21)A	
Q2 Jun	\$1.7A		Q2 Jun	\$(0.73)A	
Q3 Sep	\$2.5E		Q3 Sep	\$(0.59)E	
Q4 Dec	\$3.4E		Q4 Dec	\$(0.44)E	
Total	\$9.4E	\$16.2E	Total	\$(2.82)E	\$(1.17)E

<sup>\*</sup>Quarterly estimates may not add to annual estimates due to variations in contributing estimates and rounding.

Source: Company report, LSEG, and Ascendiant Capital Markets estimates

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:15 reverse stock split in May 2024



#### **FINANCIAL MODEL**

Society Pass Inc

Society Pass Inc.																				
Income Statement (\$USD mils)	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	2022	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23	2023	Mar-24	Jun-24	Sep-24	Dec-24	2024	Mar-25	Jun-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	2025
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E
Total Revenue	0.4	0.5	2.1	2.6	5.6	2.0	2.2	2.3	1.7	8.2	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	7.0	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	10.0
Cost of Revenues	0.5	0.5	1.7	2.0	4.7	1.4	<u>1.6</u>	1.7	1.0	<u>5.7</u>	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3	5.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	5.0
Gross Profit	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.3	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	2.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	1.8	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	5.0
Research & development	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Sales and marketing	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6
General & administrative	5.8	7.3	9.9	7.4	30.6	6.0	3.9	4.5	5.5	19.8	3.2	2.5	1.5	1.6	8.8	1.8	2.3	2.0	2.1	8.1
Restructuring and other	0.5		0.3	2.7	3.5					0.0					0.0					0.0
Total operating expenses	6.6	7.6	10.4	10.5	35.1	6.1	4.0	4.7	5.6	20.4	3.4	2.6	1.5	1.7	9.2	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.3	8.8
Operating income (loss)	(6.6)	(7.6)	(10.1)	(9.8)	(34.2)	(5.5)	(3.4)	(4.1)	(5.0)	(18.0)	(2.9)	(2.2)	(1.2)	(1.2)	(7.4)	(8.0)	(1.2)	(0.9)	(1.0)	(3.8)
Interest income (expense)	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.1
Other income (expense)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.2	(0.7)	(0.3)	0.0	0.2	(0.1)	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income before income taxes	(6.5)	(7.5)	(10.0)	(9.8)	(33.8)	(5.3)	(3.3)	(3.9)	(5.6)	(18.1)	(2.8)	(1.9)	(1.3)	(1.2)	(7.3)	(0.8)	(1.2)	(0.9)	(1.0)	(3.9
Income taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income (loss)	(6.5)	(7.5)	(10.0)	(9.8)	(33.8)	(5.3)	(3.3)	(3.9)	(5.7)	(18.1)	(2.8)	(1.9)	(1.4)	(1.2)	(7.4)	(0.8)	(1.2)	(0.9)	(1.0)	(3.9
Nonrecurring/noncash adjustme	nte				0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net income (pro forma)	(6.5)	(7.5)	(10.0)	(9.8)	(33.8)	(5.3)	(3.3)	(3.9)	(5.7)	(18.1)	(2.8)	(1.9)	(1.4)	(1.2)	(7.4)	(0.8)	(1.2)	(0.9)	(1.0)	(3.9
EBITDA																				
Shares, Basic	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.2	1.9	2.3	2.7	2.9	3.7	2.9	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.0
Shares, Diluted	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.2	1.9	2.3	2.7	2.9	3.7	2.9	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.0
EPS Basic (pro forma)	(\$4.49)	(\$4.62)	(\$5.90)	(\$5.60)	(\$20.75)	(\$2.93)	(\$1.77)	(\$2.03)	(\$2.63)	(\$9.39)	(\$1.21)	(\$0.73)	(\$0.48)	(\$0.33)	(\$2.54)	(\$0.20)	(\$0.30)	(\$0.23)	(\$0.25)	(\$0.98
EPS Diluted (pro forma)	(\$4.49)	(\$4.62)	(\$5.90)	(\$5.60)	(\$20.75)	(\$2.93)	(\$1.77)	(\$2.03)	(\$2.63)			(\$0.73)	(\$0.48)	(\$0.33)	(\$2.54)	(\$0.20)	(\$0.30)	(\$0.23)	(\$0.25)	(\$0.98
Margins																				
Gross margin	-3%	0%	15%	26%	17%	34%	26%	25%	39%	30%	27%	27%	22%	28%	26%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
Research & development	4%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		1%	1%	19
Sales and marketing	44%	51%	10%	13%	18%	6%	5%	10%	7%	7%	7%	8%	2%	5%	6%	9%	5%	5%	5%	69
General & administrative	1312%	1472%	484%	282%	542%	293%	177%	196%	327%	242%	176%	144%	89%	90%	126%	70%	90%	80%	85%	819
Operating margin		-1526%	-493%	-373%	-606%	-267%	-156%		-296%	-220%	-157%	-126%	-70%	-68%	-106%	-30%		-36%	-41%	-389
Tax rate, GAAP	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	-4%	0%	-1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	09
Net margin		-1504%	-486%	-370%	-600%	-259%	-152%		-338%	-222%	-154%	-113%	-82%	-69%	-105%	-31%		-37%	-42%	-39%
Y/Y % change																				ĺ
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Total Revenue	4582% 68%	-100%	2354% -506%	530% -2566%	984% -607%	359% -4739%	338% -418331%	11% 83%	-37% -4%	45% 155%	-10% -28%	-22% -20%	-26% -35%	5% -25%	-15% -27%	35% 154%	46% 169%	49% 242%	43% 158%	1779
Gross margin																				
Research & development	-80%	-11%	14%	-17%	-24%	-81%	9%	-17%	10%	-24%	-76%	2%	-1%	28%	5%	-57%	0%	0%	0%	719
Sales and marketing	21689%	514%	396%	39%	205%	-33%	-61%	11%	-67%	-42%	-3%	46%	-83%	-22%	-31%	77%		210%	43%	519
General & administrative	-83%	26%	35%	-25%	-9%	-80%	-35%	15%	23%	-35%	-84%	-24%	-40%	6%	-56%	-80%	29%	-11%	6%	-79
Operating income (loss)	201%	76%	20%	-49%	0%	-17%	-55%	-59%	-50%	-47%	-47%	-37%	-72%	-76%	-59%	-74%		-23%	-14%	-48%
Net income (loss)	138%	73%	18%	-49%	-3%	-19%	-56%	-61%	-42%	-46%	-46%	-42%	-64%	-79%	-59%	-73%	-40%	-34%	-14%	-47%
EPS Diluted (pro forma)	-20%	-47%	-61%	-72%	-62%	-35%	-62%	-66%	-53%	-55%	-59%	-59%	-76%	-88%	-73%	-83%	-59%	-52%	-22%	-61%

Source: Company reports and Ascendiant Capital Markets estimates.

\*Reflects a 1-for-15 Reverse Stock Split in May 2024



Society Pass Inc.

Balance Sheet (\$USD mils)	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23	Mar-24	Jun-24	Sep-24	Dec-24	Mar-25	Jun-25	Sep-25	Dec-25
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Assets																
Cash and cash equivalents	31.0	28.0	23.0	18.9	13.8	10.8	8.2	3.6	1.6	0.8	4.2	3.2	0.9	(2.3)	(2.8)	(3.4)
Short term investments												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accounts receivable, net	0.0	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Inventory	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Contract assets			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Deferred income taxes						0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Prepaid expenses and other	5.8	4.5	4.1	2.8	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.3	1.9	3.0	3.9	4.0	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Total current assets	37.1	33.0	28.0	23.0	16.9	14.6	12.1	8.1	5.5	5.6	9.8	9.0	4.4	1.2	0.8	0.2
Property and equipment, net	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.1	(0.0)	(0.2)	(0.4)
Leases	0.8	0.7	0.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Intangibles, net	3.7	3.7	11.5	7.5	6.7	7.0	6.5	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
Deferred income tax												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total assets	41.6	37.5	40.7	32.7	26.1	24.0	20.7	16.4	13.3	13.0	17.0	16.0	11.2	7.8	7.2	6.4
Liabilities and stockholders' equity																
Accounts payable	0.2	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.9	3.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Accrued expenses	1.2	1.4	9.6	8.3	5.9	6.5	6.2	6.9	5.7	6.8	10.7	10.5	7.5	5.0	5.0	5.0
Contract liabilities	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Deferred revenue												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deferred income tax			0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Warrant liabilities												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Leases	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Short term debt		0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Total current liabilities	1.7	2.7	12.7	11.6	9.4	10.2	9.9	10.5	9.4	10.3	15.9	15.8	11.6	9.1	9.1	9.1
Deferred income taxes												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Warrant liabilities												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other long term liabilities												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Leases	0.5	0.4	0.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Deferred revenue												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Long term debt												0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total other liabilities	0.5	0.4	0.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Minority interest	(0.1)	(0.2)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.5)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)
Preferred stock	(3)	(5.2)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(5.5)	(0)	(5.7)	(0.0)	(5.5)	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Common stock	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.4
Additional paid-in capital	93.6	96.0	99.2	101.4	102.8	103.1	104.3	104.8	106.2	106.8	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7
Retained earnings	(53.9)	(61.4)	(71.4)	(81.1)	(86.4)	(89.7)	(93.6)	(99.3)				(107.3)	(108.1)	(109.2)	(110.1)	(111.2)
Other	(55.5)	(01.4)	(11.4)	(01.1)	(00.4)	(00.7)	(55.0)	(55.5)	(102.1)	(104.7)	(100.1)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Accumulated other comprehensive in	(0.1)	(0.0)	0.1	0.1	(0.3)	(0.2)	(0.3)	(0.2)	0.0	0.3	(0.7)	(0.7)	(0.7)	(0.7)	(0.7)	(0.7)
Total stockholders' equity	39.4	34.4	27.6	20.0	15.6	12.7	9.9	5.0	3.2	<u>0.3</u> 2.1	0.6	(0.7) (0.3)	(0.7)	(1.7)	(2.3)	(3.1)
Total ataakhaldara' aguity and liahi	li 41.6	37.5	40.7	32.7	26.1	24.0	20.7	16.4	13.3	13.0	17.0	16.0	11.2	7.8	7.2	6.4
Total stockholders' equity and liabi	41.0	37.3	40.7	32.1	∠0.1	<b>44.0</b>	20.7	10.4	13.3	13.0	17.0	10.0	11.2	7.6	1.2	0.4

**Balance Sheet Drivers** 

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23	Mar-24	Jun-24	Sep-24	Dec-24	Mar-25	Jun-25	Sep-25	Dec-25
	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Prepaid as % of total rev	1303%	912%	202%	105%	99%	84%	66%	138%	105%	176%	230%	230%	50%	50%	50%	50%
Inventory as % of total rev	60%	67%	12%	12%	11%	9%	37%	26%	21%	17%	18%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%
A/P as % of total rev	46%	181%	59%	49%	72%	79%	80%	101%	99%	104%	176%	176%	75%	75%	75%	75%
Accrued exp related as % of total rev	259%	284%	467%	315%	291%	297%	272%	410%	311%	396%	641%	600%	300%	200%	200%	200%
Activity Ratios																
A/R Days Sales Outstanding	10	9	25	32	38	51	51	72	65	41	41	50	50	50	50	50
Book & Cash Value (per share)																
Book Value per Share (diluted)	\$27.01	\$21.17	\$16.39	\$11.46	\$8.62	\$6.77	\$5.24	\$2.34	\$1.39	\$0.80	\$0.19	-\$0.09	-\$0.21	-\$0.44	-\$0.58	-\$0.76
Cash per Share (diluted)	\$21.22	\$17.26	\$13.63	\$10.84	\$7.62	\$5.77	\$4.33	\$1.69	\$0.69	\$0.31	\$1.46	\$0.85	\$0.23	-\$0.60	-\$0.69	-\$0.82
Net cash per Share (diluted)	\$21.22	\$17.22	\$13.51	\$10.82	\$7.60	\$5.76	\$4.32	\$1.68	\$0.68	\$0.31	\$1.32	\$0.74	\$0.12	-\$0.70	-\$0.80	-\$0.92
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Source: Company reports and Ascendiant Capital Markets estimates



Society Pass Inc.

Cash Flow Statement (\$USD mils)					2022		Jun-23	•		2023	Mar-24					Mar-25				
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-I
Cash flow from operating activit																				
Net income	(6.6)	(7.6)	(10.1)	(9.8)	(34.0)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(3.9)	(5.5)	(18.1)	(2.8)	(1.9)	(1.4)	(1.2)	(7.4)	(8.0)	(1.2)	(0.9)	(1.0)	(3
Depreciation	0.8	8.0	0.8	0.9	3.3	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0
Amortization					0.0					0.0	0.1	(0.1)	0.0		0.0					0
Non-cash lease expense					0.0					0.0					0.0					0
Debt related amortization expens		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		(0.0)	0.0	(0.2)	(0.2)		(0.0)	(0.0)		(0.0)					0
Stock comp	1.9	2.4	1.9	2.2	8.3	1.9	0.4	1.1	0.6	4.0	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1
Deferred income taxes					0.0		(0.2)	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0
Change in fair value of warrant li	ability				0.0			(0.2)	0.2	0.0					0.0					0
Accrued interest	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0					0.0					0.0					0
Writedowns and impairments	0.5		0.3	2.7	3.5		0.0	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.1	(0.1)	0.2		0.2					0
Other gains/losses				(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)			(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.0)			(0.0)					0
Other	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0				0.1	0.1	0.5		(0.5)		(0.0)					0
Changes in operating assets and li	abilities:																			
Accounts receivable	0.0	(0.0)	0.5	(0.4)	0.2	0.1	(0.4)	(0.1)	0.2	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.5	0.2	(0.2)	0.4	(0.4)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0
Inventory	(0.0)	(0.1)	0.1	(0.1)	(0.1)	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0
Prepaid expenses & other curre	1.2	1.3	1.8	2.1	6.4	0.8	0.2	0.3	(8.0)	0.6	0.3	(1.3)	(0.5)	(0.2)	(1.6)	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	2
Contract assets			(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.3)	0.3	(0.2)	(0.2)	0.1	(0.4)	(0.0)		(0.3)					(
Contract liabilities	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.9	0.1	0.9	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	0.1	(0.3)	0.0	0.1	(0.2)		(0.0)					(
Income tax					0.0					0.0					0.0					
Other assets	0.1	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	(0.0)	0.4				0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Accounts payable	(0.1)	0.2	(1.1)	0.1	(0.9)	0.2	0.3	0.1	(0.4)	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.1	1.2	(1.2)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(1
Accrued expenses	0.3	0.2	0.3	(1.2)	(0.5)	(2.4)	0.3	(1.2)	0.7	(2.5)	(1.1)	1.8	2.7	(0.2)	3.2	(3.0)	(2.5)	0.0	0.0	(5
Deferred revenue				` ′	0.0	` ′		. ,		0.0	` ′			(- /	0.0	(/	( -/			C
Other liabilities	(0.6)	0.0	(0.8)	(0.2)	(1.5)	(0.1)	(0.1)	0.1	0.1	(0.1)	(0.2)	0.2	(0.0)	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Net cash (used in) provided by	(2.6)	(2.9)	(5.4)	(3.6)	(14.5)	(4.0)	(2.9)	(2.9)	(4.1)	(13.9)	(2.4)	(0.9)	2.0	(1.1)	(2.3)	(2.3)	(3.2)	(0.4)	(0.6)	(6
Cash flow from investing activit	ios																			
Purchases of property and equip	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.4)	(0.1)	(0.6)	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.1	(0.0)	(0.2)			(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0
Purchases of short-term investm		(0.0)	(0.4)	(0.1)	0.0	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.1	(0.0)	0.0			(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	0
Acquisitions	(0.2)		(0.7)	0.0	(0.9)		0.0	(0.2)	(0.0)	(0.2)					0.0					0
Other	0.0	0.0		0.0	(0.9) 1.6		0.0	0.0	(0.0)	0.0					0.0					0
Net cash used in investing activ	(0.2)	0.0 (0.0)	1.6 <b>0.5</b>	(0.1)	0.2	(0.2)	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.3)	0.0	0.0	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0
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Cash flow from financing activit	ies																			
Issuance of debt					0.0					0.0			0.4	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Repayment of debt	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)		(0.6)					0.0			(0.0)		(0.0)					0
Issuance of stock	10.8	(0.4)			10.4					0.0	(0.0)	0.3	1.1	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Proceeds from stock option exer	rcises	0.4			0.4					0.0					0.0					0
Other					0.0	(0.5)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.1)	(8.0)					0.0					0
Dividends and distributions					0.0					0.0					0.0					0
Cash provided by (used in) fina	10.5	(0.2)	(0.2)	0.0	10.2	(0.5)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.1)	(8.0)	(0.0)	0.3	1.5	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Effect of exchange rate on cash	(0.0)	0.1	0.1	(0.3)	(0.2)	(0.4)	0.1	0.4	(0.3)	(0.2)	0.3	(0.3)	(0.1)		(0.0)					(
Net increase (decrease) in cash	7.7	(3.0)	(5.0)	(4.0)	(4.3)	(5.2)	(2.9)	(2.6)	(4.6)	(15.3)	(2.1)	(0.8)	3.4	(1.1)	(0.6)	(2.3)	(3.2)	(0.4)	(0.6)	(6
Beginning cash and equivalents	23.3	31.0	28.0	23.0	23.3	19.0	13.8	10.9	8.3	19.0	3.7	1.7	0.9	4.3	3.7	3.2	0.9	(2.3)	(2.8)	3
Ending cash and equivalents	31.0	28.0	23.0	19.0	19.0	13.8	10.9	8.3	3.7	3.7	1.7	0.9	4.3	3.2	3.2	0.9	(2.3)	(2.8)	(3.4)	(3

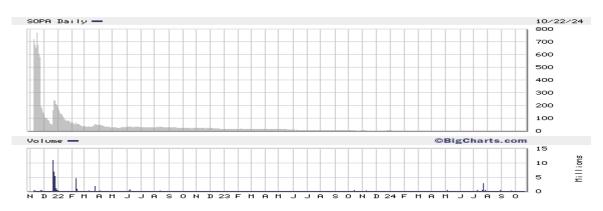
Source: Company reports and Ascendiant Capital Markets estimates



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#### **Society Pass Inc.**



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	Report Date		Price
Report	Date	Rating	Target
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2	8/16/2023	Buy	56.25
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