

Earnings outperformed estimates supported by resilient prices and non-operating gains from assets disposals.

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- **The company's revenue** posted SAR 354.9mn, reflecting a 2% Y/Y decline and a 4% Q/Q increase, exceeding our estimate by 6.1%. Average selling prices (ASPs) came in at SAR 182.7/tonne, down 2.6% Y/Y and 2.5% Q/Q, but 2.6% above our forecast of SAR 178.1/tonne. Sales volumes remained broadly flat on a yearly basis but recovered 7% Q/Q to 1.94MT, indicating a sequential improvement in demand.
- **Gross profit** came in at SAR 150.2mn, declining 4% Y/Y and 3% Q/Q, but exceeding our estimate of SAR 140.0mn by 7%. On a cost-per-tonne (CPT) basis, the company reported approx. SAR 105/tonne, down 1% Y/Y and up 3% Q/Q, broadly in line with our estimate of SAR 103/tonne. As such, the upside to gross profit versus our forecast was primarily driven by stronger-than-expected ASPs rather than lower production costs. Gross margin contracted by 102bps Y/Y and 323bps Q/Q.
- **Operating profit** came in at SAR 123.1mn, declining 8.2% Y/Y and 6.9% Q/Q, but 4.2% above our estimate of SAR 118.2mn. Operating margin contracted by 231bps Y/Y and 424bps Q/Q to 34.7%, primarily reflecting higher SG&A expenses, which more than offset the benefit from stronger-than-expected revenue.

AJBC view and valuation: Yamama Cement reported solid results, underscoring the company's strong competitive position despite the ongoing slowdown in the sector. The company's average selling prices (ASPs) remained resilient, highlighting continued pricing discipline in its core market. Although ASPs edged lower on a quarterly basis, the current pricing levels remain robust and continue to support healthy profitability. With the largest market share in the sector (16.1% on a Q2-26 TTM basis), industry-leading profitability, and an attractive P/E of 8.9x, we believe Yamama Cement remains well positioned to outperform its peers. Thus we retain our **"Overweight"** recommendation on the stock with a TP of **SAR 31.0/share**.

Results Summary

SAR mn	Q2-25	Q1-26	Q2-26	Change Y/Y	Change Q/Q	Deviation from AJBC Estimates
Revenue	362.4	339.8	355.0	-2.0%	4.5%	6.1%
Gross Profit	157.0	154.7	150.2	-4.4%	-2.9%	6.5%
Gross Margin	43.3%	45.5%	42.3%	-	-	-
EBIT	134.1	132.3	123.1	-8.2%	-6.9%	4.2%
Net Profit	121.0	143.9	121.5	0.4%	-15.5%	10.2%
EPS	0.60	0.71	0.60	-	-	-

Source: Company Reports, Aljazira Capital Research

Recommendation **Overweight**

Target Price (SAR) **31.0**

Upside / (Downside)* **39.0%**

Source: Tadawul *prices as of 2nd August, 2026

Key Financials

SARmn (unless specified)	FY23	FY24	FY25
Revenues	935	1,173	1,423
Growth %	-8.55%	25.43%	21.33%
Gross profit	335	529	534
EBIT	264	444	419
Net Income	304	421	483
Growth %	-14.49%	38.28%	14.78%
EPS	1.50	2.08	2.38
DPS	1.00	1.00	1.00

Source: Company reports, Aljazira Capital Research

Key Ratios

	FY23	FY24	FY25
Gross Margin	35.86%	45.10%	37.49%
Operating Margin	28.18%	37.82%	29.42%
Net Margin	46.58%	53.16%	42.64%
P/E	22.9	17.1	9.8
P/B	1.5	1.5	1.0
EV/EBITDA	22.6	12.3	7.0
Dividend Yield	2.90%	2.82%	4.29%

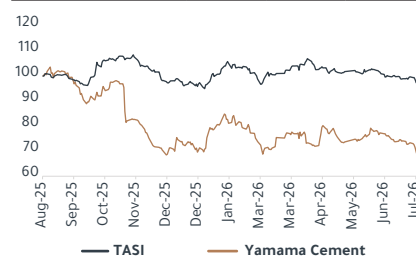
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Key Market Data

Market Cap(bn)	4.6
YTD%	4.33%
52 week (High)/(Low)	34.5/22.13
Share Outstanding (mn)	202.5

Source: Company reports, Aljazira Capital Research

Price Performance



Source: Tadawul, Aljazira Capital Research

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