(Scale All Share (Ref.), Health Care, APPH GR)



Buy EUR 19.40		Value Indicators: DCF:		Warburg ESG Risk Score: ESG Score (MSCI based): Balance Sheet Score: Market Liquidity Score:	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a.	Description: Speciality Pharma company healthcare service provider strong sales force	
		Market Snapshot:	EUR m	Shareholders:		Key Figures (WRe):	2023e
		Market cap:	27.9	Freefloat	63.00 %	Beta:	1.5
Price	EUR 3.28	No. of shares (m):	8.5	Paragon Partners	37.00 %	Price / Book:	1.0 x
Upside	491.5 %	EV:	17.1			Equity Ratio:	71 %
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Restructuring more extensive than expected; Q3 figures in line

FY end 31.12.	Q3 2023	Q3 2022	yoy	Q3 2023	Delta	9M 2023	9M 2022	yoy	9M 2023	Delta
(in EUR m)	reported	reported	%	WRe	%	reported	reported	%	WRe	%
Sales	7.8	15.0	-48.0%	8.0	-2.5%	27.1	43.1	-37.1%	27.1	0.0%
- Single Pills	5.8	9.6	-39.6%	5.5	5.5%	17.9	27.3	-34.4%	17.5	2.3%
EBITDA	-3.1	1.7	na	-2.6	19.2%	-7.0	4.9	na	-6.6	6.1%
⊞IT	-3.6	1.2	na	-3.2	12.5%	-8.5	3.6	na	-8.1	4.9%

Source: WR, Company data

- Apontis released 9M figures that were in line with our updated expectations.
- The company also issued a new guidance for FY 2023: Apontis is now aiming for sales of EUR 36.1m and an EBITDA of EUR -8.1m. This does not include restructuring costs of between EUR 5m and 8m.
- The effects of the Covid pandemic led to the permanent loss of 20% of sales contacts, rendering the active sales force inefficient. To counteract this, Apontis will now downsize its salesforce and refocus its marketing efforts away from promoting the Single Pill concept in person-to-person engagements but will instead focus on targeted Single Pill-specific campaigns and on high-profile doctors. In addition, the interaction with health insurers will be intensified. To implement these measures, management has been reshuffled.
- Apontis plans to launch two new Single Pills in Q4 2023 and at least four new Single Pills in 2024, in line with our expectations.
- Apontis expects these restructuring efforts to cost between EUR 5m and EUR 8m, which is significantly higher than our estimate of EUR 4m and should lead to sustainable savings of EUR 6m-7m per year. We had modelled sustainable savings of EUR 3m each year going forward. This is clearly an improvement in the company's earnings prospects. For 2023, we will have to adjust our EBITDA estimates downwards to account for the higher restructuring costs.
- The scope of the restructuring programme is surprising but welcome as Apontis adopts a new, more efficient sales infrastructure. The next important data point will be the 2024 guidance.

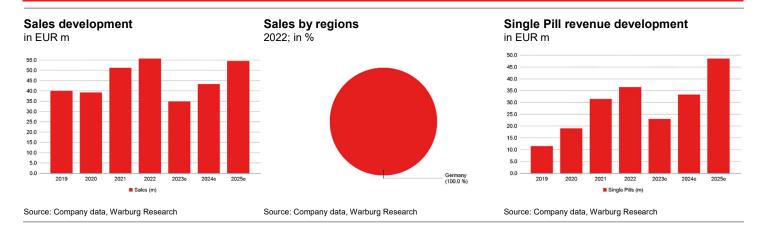


Rel. Performance vs Scale All	Share
1 month:	-15.9 %
6 months:	-45.5 %
Year to date:	-49.4 %
Trailing 12 months:	-34.8 %

Company events:

FY End: 31.12. in EUR m	CAGR (22-25e)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Sales	-0.7 %	40.0	39.2	51.2	55.7	34.9	43.3	54.6
Change Sales yoy		241.3 %	-2.0 %	30.5 %	8.8 %	-37.3 %	24.0 %	26.0 %
Gross profit margin		72.4 %	63.8 %	66.0 %	62.8 %	63.6 %	67.2 %	73.4 %
EBITDA	28.7 %	-1.7	1.0	2.4	5.6	-10.4	2.7	11.9
Margin		-4.2 %	2.7 %	4.7 %	10.0 %	-29.9 %	6.3 %	21.8 %
EBIT	28.5 %	-2.2	-0.6	0.7	3.8	-12.7	-0.1	8.0
Margin		-5.6 %	-1.6 %	1.3 %	6.8 %	-36.5 %	-0.3 %	14.7 %
Net income	29.0 %	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	2.7	-13.2	-0.6	5.7
EPS	29.3 %	-2.39	-1.20	-0.09	0.31	-1.56	-0.07	0.67
EPS adj.	29.3 %	-2.14	-1.20	-0.09	0.31	-1.56	-0.07	0.67
DPS	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dividend Yield		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
FCFPS		-1.28	0.80	0.21	0.91	-2.80	-0.45	1.00
FCF / Market cap		n.a.	n.a.	1.0 %	7.8 %	-85.3 %	-13.7 %	30.4 %
EV / Sales		n.a.	n.a.	2.9 x	1.2 x	0.5 x	0.5 x	0.2 x
EV / EBITDA		n.a.	n.a.	62.4 x	11.6 x	n.a.	7.9 x	1.1 x
EV / EBIT		n.a.	n.a.	225.5 x	17.1 x	n.a.	n.a.	1.7 x
P/E		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37.4 x	n.a.	n.a.	4.9 x
P / E adj.		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37.4 x	n.a.	n.a.	4.9 x
FCF Potential Yield		n.a.	n.a.	0.9 %	6.8 %	-61.1 %	12.7 %	75.7 %
Net Debt		7.9	8.2	-27.4	-33.7	-10.8	-6.6	-14.6
ROCE (NOPAT)	.,	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	23.5 %	n.a.	n.a.	29.6 %
Guidance:	none available	е						



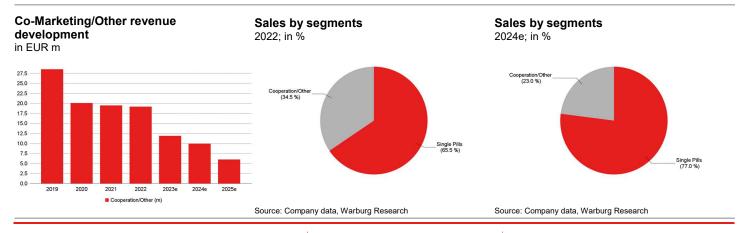


Company Background

- APONTIS Pharma is a specialty pharma company offering services to healthcare providers. It became independent from the UCB Group in 2018, is headquartered in Monheim am Rhein, Germany, and had 1755 employees in 2022.
- APONTIS is focused on developing and marketing "Single Pills" which are innovative combination products to treat cardiovascular diseases.
- The company has a highly motivated sales force (some 120 of 175 employees), that thoroughly engages with medical practitioners and offers them a wide variety of support.
- Co-Marketing: APONTIS engages in the joint marketing of medications from partners to expand its product portfolio thereby fully leveraging its sales force.

Competitive Quality

- APONTIS has a first-mover advantage and is engaged in the growing Single-Pill market segment for cardiovascular diseases, mainly hypertension. In Germany alone this product category has est. revenues of EUR 3.3bn p.a.
- Single Pills represent an innovation in a market stifled by lack of novel therapies. With a potential for better health outcomes, these products will allow APONTIS to achieve premium prices and attractive market shares.
- APONTIS employs a well-connected, motivated and effective sales force (Top 5 in GER) which fosters strong relationships with doctors and cardiologists to bring their products into the field and improve patient health.
- The company has a lean business model focusing on the marketing and sales with a low R&D and production footprint. This will allow APONTIS to scale their business with highly attractive unit economics.





DCF model														
	Detaile	d forecas	t period				٦	Γransition	al period					Term. Value
Figures in EUR m	2023e	2024e	2025e	2026e	2027e	2028e	2029e	2030e	2031e	2032e	2033e	2034e	2035e	
Sales	34.9	43.3	54.6	67.1	82.5	94.9	103.4	109.7	115.1	117.4	119.8	122.2	124.6	
Sales change	-37.3 %	24.0 %	26.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	15.0 %	9.0 %	6.0 %	5.0 %	2.0 %	2.0 %	2.0 %	2.0 %	2.0 %
EBIT	-12.7	-0.1	8.0	15.0	19.0	21.8	23.8	25.2	26.5	27.0	27.6	28.1	24.9	
EBIT-margin	-36.5 %	-0.3 %	14.7 %	22.4 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	23.0 %	20.0 %	
Tax rate (EBT)	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	24.0 %	
NOPAT	-9.7	-0.1	6.1	11.4	14.4	16.6	18.1	19.2	20.1	20.5	20.9	21.4	18.9	
Depreciation	2.3	2.8	3.9	5.4	5.0	5.7	6.2	6.6	6.9	7.0	4.8	3.7	3.7	
in % of Sales	6.7 %	6.6 %	7.1 %	8.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	4.0 %	3.0 %	3.0 %	
Changes in provisions	-1.0	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	
Change in Liquidity from														
- Working Capital	-0.1	0.0	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
- Capex	9.1	7.6	3.1	4.0	5.0	5.7	6.2	6.6	6.9	7.0	4.8	3.7	3.7	
Capex in % of Sales	26.0 %	17.5 %	5.7 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	6.0 %	4.0 %	3.0 %	3.0 %	
- Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Free Cash Flow (WACC Model)	-17.4	-4.4	7.3	13.5	15.1	17.2	18.5	19.5	20.4	20.6	21.0	21.5	19.1	19
PV of FCF	-17.2	-4.0	5.9	9.8	9.9	10.1	9.8	9.3	8.8	8.0	7.3	6.8	5.4	61
share of PVs		-11.70 %						64.97	7 %					46.73 %

Model parameter				Valuation (m)							
Derivation of WACC:		Derivation of Beta:		Present values 2035e	70						
				Terminal Value	61						
Debt ratio	0.00 %	Financial Strength	1.30	Financial liabilities	0						
Cost of debt (after tax)	4.6 %	Liquidity (share)	2.00	Pension liabilities	3						
Market return	8.25 %	Cyclicality	1.20	Hybrid capital	0						
Risk free rate	2.75 %	Transparency	1.50	Minority interest	0						
		Others	1.50	Market val. of investments	0						
				Liquidity	36	No. of shares (m)	8.5				
WACC	11.00 %	Beta	1.50	Equity Value	165	Value per share (EUR)	19.37				

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	Terminal (Growth								Delta EBIT	-margin					
WACC	1.25 %	1.50 %	1.75 %	2.00 %	2.25 %	2.50 %	2.75 %	Beta	WACC	-1.5 pp	-1.0 pp	-0.5 pp	+0.0 pp	+0.5 pp	+1.0 pp	+1.5 pp
12.0 %	16.95	17.08	17.22	17.36	17.51	17.67	17.83	1.68	12.0 %	16.17	16.57	16.96	17.36	17.76	18.15	18.55
11.5 %	17.84	17.99	18.15	18.31	18.49	18.67	18.87	1.59	11.5 %	17.06	17.47	17.89	18.31	18.73	19.15	19.57
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10.8 %	19.34	19.53	19.73	19.94	20.17	20.40	20.66	1.45	10.8 %	18.57	19.03	19.48	19.94	20.40	20.86	21.32
10.5 %	19.90	20.10	20.32	20.55	20.79	21.05	21.33	1.41	10.5 %	19.13	19.60	20.08	20.55	21.02	21.50	21.97
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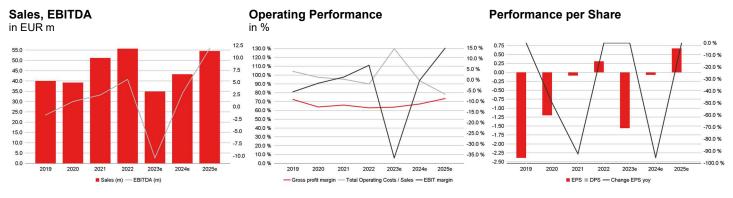
Valuation							
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Price / Book	n.a.	n.a.	4.3 x	2.3 x	1.0 x	1.0 x	0.8 x
Book value per share ex intangibles	-11.01	-11.29	3.16	3.05	0.72	0.10	0.87
EV / Sales	n.a.	n.a.	2.9 x	1.2 x	0.5 x	0.5 x	0.2 x
EV / EBITDA	n.a.	n.a.	62.4 x	11.6 x	n.a.	7.9 x	1.1 x
EV / EBIT	n.a.	n.a.	225.5 x	17.1 x	n.a.	n.a.	1.7 x
EV / EBIT adj.*	n.a.	n.a.	225.5 x	17.1 x	n.a.	n.a.	1.7 x
P / FCF	n.a.	n.a.	100.0 x	12.8 x	n.a.	n.a.	3.3 x
P/E	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37.4 x	n.a.	n.a.	4.9 x
P / E adj.*	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37.4 x	n.a.	n.a.	4.9 x
Dividend Yield	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
FCF Potential Yield (on market EV)	n.a.	n.a.	0.9 %	6.8 %	-61.1 %	12.7 %	75.7 %
*Adjustments made for: -							



Consolidated profit & loss							
In EUR m	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025
Sales	40.0	39.2	51.2	55.7	34.9	43.3	54.0
Change Sales yoy	241.3 %	-2.0 %	30.5 %	8.8 %	-37.3 %	24.0 %	26.0 %
Increase / decrease in inventory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Own work capitalised	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Sales	40.0	39.2	51.2	55.7	34.9	43.3	54.0
Material expenses	11.1	14.2	17.4	20.7	12.7	14.2	14.5
Gross profit	29.0	25.0	33.8	35.0	22.2	29.1	40.0
Gross profit margin	72.4 %	63.8 %	66.0 %	62.8 %	63.6 %	67.2 %	73.4 %
Personnel expenses	18.6	16.5	19.7	17.7	20.2	17.3	17.8
Other operating income	1.3	2.6	3.6	2.6	1.7	0.9	1.1
Other operating expenses	13.3	10.1	15.3	14.4	14.1	10.0	11.
Unfrequent items	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBITDA	-1.7	1.0	2.4	5.6	-10.4	2.7	11.9
Margin	-4.2 %	2.7 %	4.7 %	10.0 %	-29.9 %	6.3 %	21.8 %
Depreciation of fixed assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBITA	-1.7	1.0	2.4	5.6	-10.4	2.7	11.9
Amortisation of intangible assets	0.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.3	2.8	3.9
Goodwill amortisation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBIT	-2.2	-0.6	0.7	3.8	-12.7	-0.1	8.0
Margin	-5.6 %	-1.6 %	1.3 %	6.8 %	-36.5 %	-0.3 %	14.7 %
EBIT adj.	-2.2	-0.6	0.7	3.8	-12.7	-0.1	8.0
Interest income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Interest expenses	8.0	0.9	0.4	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5
Other financial income (loss)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBT	-3.1	-1.5	0.3	3.8	-13.2	-0.6	7.5
Margin	-7.7 %	-3.8 %	0.5 %	6.8 %	-38.0 %	-1.5 %	13.8 %
Total taxes	-0.7	-0.3	1.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	1.8
Net income from continuing operations	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	2.7	-13.2	-0.6	5.7
Income from discontinued operations (net of tax)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income before minorities	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	2.7	-13.2	-0.6	5.7
Minority interest	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	2.7	-13.2	-0.6	5.7
Margin	-6.0 %	-3.1 %	-1.4 %	4.8 %	-38.0 %	-1.5 %	10.5 %
Number of shares, average	1.0	1.0	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
EPS	-2.39	-1.20	-0.09	0.31	-1.56	-0.07	0.67
EPS adj.	-2.14	-1.20	-0.09	0.31	-1.56	-0.07	0.67
*Adjustments made for:							

Guidance: none available

Financial Ratios										
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e			
Total Operating Costs / Sales	104.2 %	97.3 %	95.3 %	90.0 %	129.9 %	93.7 %	78.2 %			
Operating Leverage	n.a.	36.6 x	n.a.	53.1 x	n.a.	-4.1 x	n.a.			
EBITDA / Interest expenses	n.m.	1.2 x	6.0 x	116.3 x	n.m.	5.4 x	23.8 x			
Tax rate (EBT)	22.1 %	19.0 %	377.2 %	29.9 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	24.0 %			
Dividend Payout Ratio	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %			
Sales per Employee	n.a.	201,231	259,898	320,115	194,972	235,279	291,739			



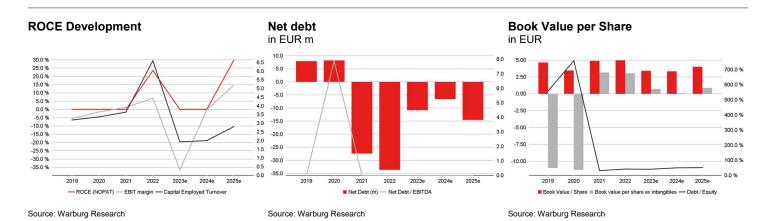
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Consolidated balance sheet							
In EUR m	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025
Assets							
Goodwill and other intangible assets	15.7	14.8	14.7	16.1	22.8	27.5	26.6
thereof other intangible assets	6.9	5.4	3.9	5.5	5.6	4.9	3.4
thereof Goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Property, plant and equipment	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3
Financial assets	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	8.0	8.0	0.8
Other long-term assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fixed assets	16.3	15.5	15.5	17.0	23.7	28.5	27.7
Inventories	4.2	2.9	4.6	3.2	2.0	2.5	3.1
Accounts receivable	1.1	1.2	2.9	2.4	1.5	1.8	2.3
Liquid assets	7.4	8.1	29.8	36.3	12.5	8.7	17.2
Other short-term assets	1.6	2.0	1.3	1.0	8.0	0.9	1.0
Current assets	14.2	14.2	38.6	42.9	16.8	13.9	23.6
Total Assets	30.6	29.7	54.2	59.8	40.5	42.4	51.3
Liabilities and shareholders' equity							
Subscribed capital	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Capital reserve	6.8	6.8	36.3	34.6	34.6	34.6	34.6
Retained earnings	-2.4	-3.3	-4.1	-1.4	-14.6	-15.3	- 9.5
Other equity components	0.3	0.0	8.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Shareholders' equity	4.6	3.5	41.5	42.1	28.9	28.3	34.0
Minority interest	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total equity	4.6	3.5	41.5	42.1	28.9	28.3	34.0
Provisions	8.1	7.1	9.0	11.5	7.7	9.2	11.3
thereof provisions for pensions and similar obligations	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.7	1.7	2.1	2.6
Financial liabilities (total)	13.2	14.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Short-term financial liabilities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accounts payable	3.1	3.3	3.0	5.4	3.4	4.2	5.2
Other liabilities	1.5	1.9	0.7	8.0	0.5	0.6	0.8
Liabilities	25.9	26.3	12.7	17.7	11.6	14.0	17.3
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	30.6	29.7	54.2	59.8	40.5	42.4	51.3

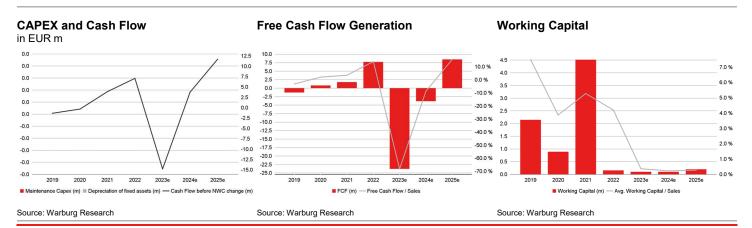
Financial Ratios							
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Efficiency of Capital Employment							
Operating Assets Turnover	18.1 x	42.1 x	11.2 x	277.7 x	152.7 x	138.5 x	109.9 x
Capital Employed Turnover	3.2 x	3.4 x	3.6 x	6.6 x	1.9 x	2.0 x	2.8 x
ROA	-14.6 %	<i>-</i> 7.7 %	-4.7 %	15.7 %	-55.8 %	-2.2 %	20.6 %
Return on Capital							
ROCE (NOPAT)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	23.5 %	n.a.	n.a.	29.6 %
ROE	- 41.0 %	-29.6 %	-3.2 %	6.4 %	-37.3 %	-2.2 %	18.4 %
Adj. ROE	-36.6 %	-29.6 %	-3.2 %	6.4 %	-37.3 %	-2.2 %	18.4 %
Balance sheet quality							
Net Debt	7.9	8.2	-27.4	-33.7	-10.8	-6.6	-14.6
Net Financial Debt	5.8	6.0	-29.8	-36.3	-12.5	-8.7	-17.2
Net Gearing	171.2 %	237.5 %	-66.0 %	-80.0 %	-37.4 %	-23.3 %	-42.8 %
Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA	n.a.	572.3 %	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Book Value / Share	4.6	3.5	4.9	5.0	3.4	3.3	4.0
Book value per share ex intangibles	-11.0	-11.3	3.2	3.1	0.7	0.1	0.9





Consolidated cash flow statement							
In EUR m	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Net income	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	2.7	-13.2	-0.6	5.7
Depreciation of fixed assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortisation of goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortisation of intangible assets	0.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.3	2.8	3.9
Increase/decrease in long-term provisions	0.4	-1.1	1.4	1.6	-1.0	0.4	0.5
Other non-cash income and expenses	0.1	0.3	1.4	1.0	-2.8	1.1	1.5
Cash Flow before NWC change	-1.3	-0.3	3.9	7.1	-14.8	3.8	11.7
Increase / decrease in inventory	3.6	1.2	-3.3	2.1	1.2	-0.5	-0.6
Increase / decrease in accounts receivable	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.9	-0.3	-0.5
Increase / decrease in accounts payable	- 2.5	0.6	-0.6	2.4	-2.0	0.8	1.0
Increase / decrease in other working capital positions	0.0	0.1	3.5	-1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Increase / decrease in working capital (total)	1.1	1.9	-0.4	3.9	0.1	0.0	-0.1
Net cash provided by operating activities [1]	-0.2	1.5	3.4	11.0	-14.7	3.8	11.6
Investments in intangible assets	-1.0	-0.7	-1.7	-3.2	-9.0	-7.5	-3.0
Investments in property, plant and equipment	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Payments for acquisitions	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Financial investments	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income from asset disposals	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net cash provided by investing activities [2]	-1.4	-0.8	-1.8	-2.7	-9.1	-7.6	-3.1
Change in financial liabilities	0.0	0.0	-12.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Dividends paid	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Purchase of own shares	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
Capital measures	0.0	0.0	38.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	0.0	0.0	-5.6	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Net cash provided by financing activities [3]	0.0	0.0	20.1	-1.7	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Change in liquid funds [1]+[2]+[3]	-1.6	0.7	21.8	6.6	-23.8	-3.8	8.5
Effects of exchange-rate changes on cash	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash and cash equivalent at end of period	7.4	8.1	29.8	36.3	12.5	8.7	17.2

Financial Ratios							
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023e	2024e	2025e
Cash Flow							
FCF	-1.3	8.0	1.8	7.7	-23.8	-3.8	8.5
Free Cash Flow / Sales	-3.2 %	2.0 %	3.5 %	13.9 %	-68.1 %	-8.9 %	15.5 %
Free Cash Flow Potential	-1.0	1.3	1.4	4.4	-10.4	2.7	10.1
Free Cash Flow / Net Profit	53.4 %	-66.6 %	-244.3 %	290.2 %	179.5 %	604.8 %	148.0 %
Interest Received / Avg. Cash	0.0 %	0.1 %	0.0 %	0.2 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
Interest Paid / Avg. Debt	6.5 %	6.4 %	5.8 %	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Management of Funds							
Investment ratio	2.6 %	1.9 %	3.3 %	5.9 %	26.0 %	17.5 %	5.7 %
Maint. Capex / Sales	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
Capex / Dep	183.1 %	44.6 %	95.4 %	182.5 %	390.8 %	267.1 %	80.0 %
Avg. Working Capital / Sales	7.5 %	3.9 %	5.3 %	4.2 %	0.4 %	0.2 %	0.3 %
Trade Debtors / Trade Creditors	35.0 %	37.7 %	97.4 %	43.9 %	44.1 %	42.9 %	44.2 %
Inventory Turnover	2.6 x	4.9 x	3.8 x	6.6 x	6.4 x	5.7 x	4.7 x
Receivables collection period (days)	10	11	21	15	16	15	15
Payables payment period (days)	103	84	63	94	98	108	131
Cash conversion cycle (Days)	45	3	54	-23	-25	-28	-37





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APONTIS PHARMA	5	https://www.mmwarburg.com/disclaimer/disclaimer en/DE000A3CMGM5.htm

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INVESTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Investment recommendation: expected direction of the share price development of the financial instrument up to the given <u>price target</u> in the opinion of the analyst who covers this financial instrument.

-B-	Buy:	The price of the analysed financial instrument is expected to rise over the next 12 months.
-H-	Hold:	The price of the analysed financial instrument is expected to remain mostly flat over the next 12 months.
-S-	Sell:	The price of the analysed financial instrument is expected to fall over the next 12 months.
"_"	Rating suspended:	The available information currently does not permit an evaluation of the company.

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Rating	Number of stocks	% of Universe
Buy	156	73
Hold	45	21
Sell	6	3
Rating suspended	6	3
Total	213	100

WARBURG RESEARCH GMBH - ANALYSED RESEARCH UNIVERSE BY RATING ...

... taking into account only those companies which were provided with major investment services in the last twelve months.

Rating	Number of stocks	% of Universe
Buy	44	83
Hold	7	13
Sell	0	0
Rating suspended	2	4
Total	53	100

PRICE AND RATING HISTORY APONTIS PHARMA AS OF 09.11.2023



Markings in the chart show rating changes by Warburg Research GmbH in the last 12 months. Every marking details the date and closing price on the day of the rating change.



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