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## Ad Market Share

Total Ad Market - Turkey (Est)


Newspapers - Turkey (Est)


- Dogan Gazetecilik slightly outperformed the market in newspaper advertising, mainly thanks to Posta title.
- Expectedly, cover price increases in the last 12 months average, reaching 41-50\%, caused circulations to decline.

| Market Shares | FY08 | FY09 | Ch YOY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CIRCULATION MARKET SHARE | 26,3\% | 24,7\% | -1,6\% |
| Doğan Gazetecilik Daily Average |  |  |  |
| Circulation (000 units) | 1.342 | 1.181 | -12\% |
| \%Milliyet | 227 | 203 | -11\% |
| POSTA | 632 | 541 | -14\% |
| FRadikal | 43 | 40 | -6\% |
| CHANATIK | 233 | 202 | -13\% |
| dranan | 207 | 194 | -6\% |
| Nationwide average circulation (000 units) | 5.106 | 4.782 | -6,3\% |

[^0]- In advertising revenues, Posta outperformed the market in FY09, while the remaining titles moved parallel to the market.
- Copy prices raised mainly in 2Q09 in all titles, reaching up to 50\% for selected titles.

Weighted average cover price increases reached \%44 yoy in all titles by December 2009.

- Cost cutting measures and cover price increases helped EBITDA to recover from a loss in 1H09 to a profit in FY09.
- Chief Editor change in Milliyet in October 2009
- Marketing and image campaigns for Milliyet title accelerated in 4Q09.
- Total 8.833.140 TL of tax settlement is concluded with the Tax Authority. Currently, there is 948.012 TL tax issues in legal process.


Page view
(million)



News, blogging, video

Auto Classifieds*

[^1]Page view
(million)


Page view (million)


Monthly Unique
Visitors (million)


Real Estate Classifieds

News, blogging, video

## Summary Results

|  | \%Ch. |  |  |  | 4Q09 | $\begin{gathered} \text { \%Ch. } \\ \text { 4Q09/08 } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY08 | FY09 | FY09/08 | 4Q08 |  |  |
| Sales | 341.353 | 350.364 | 3\% | 83.183 | 91.303 | 10\% |
| Cost of sales | 231.755 | 230.046 | -1\% | 71.216 | 55.958 | -21\% |
| Gross profit | 109.599 | $120.318{ }^{\text {F }}$ | 10\% | 11.968 | 35.345 | 195\% |
| Operatingexpenses | 121.643 | 122.760 | 1\% | 24.851 | 36.712 | 48\% |
| Ebit* | -12.044 | -2.442 ${ }^{\text {F }}$ | -80\% | -12.883 | -1.368 | -89\% |
| Ebit Margin | -3,5\% | -0,7\% |  | -15,5\% | -1,5\% |  |
| Ebitda | -43 | 6.696 | NA | -9.914 | 509 | NA |
| Ebitda Margin | 0,0\% | 1,9\% |  | -11,9\% | 0,6\% |  |
| Net Profit | -753 | -16.255 | NA | -15.709 | -10.323 | -34\% |
| Net Profit Margin | -0,2\% | -4,6\% |  | -18,9\% | -11,3\% |  |
| Amortised cost valuation income | 4.292 | 1.709 | -60\% | 790 | 351 | -56\% |
| Depreciation \& amortisation | 7.709 | 7.428 | -4\% | 2.180 | 1.525 | -30\% |
| \%Milliyet Fradikal | POSTA |  | CHANAT | T16 | $\bigcirc$ |  |

[^2]Circulation revenues are up 33\% in FY09, thanks to raises in copy prices.

| Revenues (TL '000) | FY08 | FY09 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY09/08 } \\ & \text { Ch (\%) } \end{aligned}$ | 4Q08 | 4Q09 | $\begin{gathered} \text { 4Q09/08 } \\ \text { Ch (\%) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Circulation Revenues |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenue (TL '000) Circulation (000) (daily average sales) | 126.397 <br> 1.342 | 167.587 <br> 1.181 | $\begin{gathered} 33 \% \\ -12 \% \end{gathered}$ | $33.050$ <br> 1.316 | $43.371$ <br> 1.150 | $\begin{gathered} 31 \% \\ -13 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Advertisement Revenues |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenue (TL '000) <br> Internet Revenues | 192.728 | 164.129 | -15\% | 43.910 | 42.897 | -2\% |
| Revenue (TL '000) Other Revenues | 16.893 | 14.137 | -16\% | 4.719 | 3.845 | -19\% |
| Service and other (TL '000) | 5.336 | 4.512 | -15\% | 1.504 | 1.191 | -21\% |
| Total Revenues | 341.353 | 350.365 | 3\% | 83.183 | 91.303 | 10\% |

Main reasons of the decrease in newspaper costs by 7\% are the decline in circulation and average number of pages and 9\% decline in newsprint costs per ton in USD terms. Newsprint costs decreased by $39 \%$ in quarterly basis mainly caused by the decrease in paper costs per ton in USD terms by $33 \%$ and devaluation of USD against TL by $3 \%$.

| Costs | FY08 | FY09 | $\begin{gathered} \text { FY09/08 } \\ \text { Ch (\%) } \end{gathered}$ | 4Q08 | 4Q09 | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { 4Q09/08 } \\ \text { Ch (\%) } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cost of Sales (TL '000) | 231.755 | 230.046 | -1\% | 71.216 | 55.958 | -21\% |
| Newsprint costs* | 121.591 | 113.492 | -7\% | 37.863 | 23.164 | -39\% |
| Printing \& other costs | 110.164 | 116.554 | 6\% | 33.353 | 32.794 | -2\% |
| Operating Expenses (TL '000) | 121.643 | 122.760 | 1\% | 24.851 | 36.712 | 48\% |
| General \& Administrative Expenses | 25.406 | 27.222 | 7\% | 5.322 | 7.647 | 44\% |
| Sales \& Marketing Expenses | 96.237 | 95.538 | -1\% | 19.528 | 29.065 | 49\% |
| Total Costs | 353.398 | 352.806 | 0\% | 96.067 | 92.671 | -4\% |

Increase in sales \& marketing expenses in the last quarter is mainly due to promotion campaigns for Posta and Milliyet titles and related advertising and distribution. Personnel expenses mainly caused general \& administative expenses to rise.

## Profitability

| (TL '000) | FY09/08 |  |  |  | 4Q09/08 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Profitability | FY08 | FY09 | Ch (\%) | 4Q08 | 4Q09 | Ch (\%) |
| EBIT | (12.044) | (2.442) | -80\% | (12.884) | (1.368) | -89\% |
| Other Income/(Expense) - net | (4.187) | (9.600) | NA | (9.223) | (7.864) | -15\% |
| Financial Income/(Expense) - net | 7.026 | (4.376) | NA | (5.660) | (1.399) | -75\% |
| Minority | (24) | (132) | NA | (2) | (130) | NA |
| Profit before tax | (9.229) | $(16.549)^{\prime}$ | 79\% | (27.769) | $(10.761)^{\text {r }}$ | -61\% |
| Taxation | 8.476 | 293 | -97\% | 12.060 | 438 | -96\% |
| - Corporate tax | (3.040) | (2.276) | -25\% | 725 | 269 | -63\% |
| - Deferred tax | 11.516 | 2.569 | -78\% | 11.336 | 170 | -99\% |
| Net Income | (753) | (16.255) | NA | (15.709) | (10.323) | -34\% |

## Investment \& Financing

| Investments \& Financing (TL '000) | FY08 | FY09 | ch\% |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | 16.218 | 1.231 | $-92,4 \%$ |
| S.T. BANK BORROWINGS | 1.061 | 20.015 | NA |
| L.T. BANK BORROWINGS | - | - | NA |
| NET CASH / (NET DEBT) | 15.157 | $(18.784)$ | NA |
| INVESTMENTS | 2.411 | 1.603 | $-34 \%$ |

- Total advertising market is expected to recover in 2010.
- Posta title with its high reach in total readers is likely to continue outperform in 2010.
- Milliyet title have recovered circulations in 4Q09 significantly. This is likely to have a positive impact on 2010 ad growth.
- Marketing and promotion campaigns will be accelerated parallel to the recovery in the market.
- Operational profitability is expected to normalize further within 2010.


[^0]:    * Vatan was acquired as of March 2008. However, for presentation purposes, circulation figures reflect 12 month averages.

[^1]:    * arabam.com internet traffic statistics as of 2007 and 2008 are derived from the data channeled from milliyet.com.tr

[^2]:    * EBIT figures are based on reported balances before other income lexpenses and financial income lexpenses

