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02/27/21 - BCP Research: Tilray Inc (TLRY) - 4Q20 Results, Improved - Maintain 'Positive-Outright' on TLRY '23s

Summary: Tilray Inc (Tilray), a fully-integrated Canadian cannabis company, released positive 4Q20 results, showing y/y and q/q revenue improvements, refle...

02/27/21 - BCP Research: Bank of Georgia (GEBGG --- Ba3/-/BB-) --- 4Q20 Financial Results --- Sequentially Softer

Summary: On February 25, 2021, Bank of Georgia (Ba3/-/BB-), a leading private bank of the Republic of Georgia, released its 2020 financial results with net...

02/27/21 - BCP Research: Georgia Capital (GEOCAP --- B2/B/-) --- 4Q20 Financial Results --- Further Improved Leverage

Summary: On February 24, 2021, Georgia Capital (B2/B/-), a UK-listed diversified investment company with a sole focus on investments in the Republic of Geo...

02/26/21 - BCP Research: thoughts on extension of Argent Central Bank F/X regulations

Summary: Yesterday, the Argentine Central Bank (BCRA) extended the debt renegotiation framework for corporates, aka Communication 7106, to December 31. Rec...

02/26/21 - BCP Research: VTB (VTB --- Baa3/BBB-/-) --- 4Q20 IFRS Results --- Well Below the Bloomberg Estimate

Summary: On February 25, 2020, VTB (Baa3/BBB-/-), Russia's second largest bank, reported 4Q20 financial results: the bank's RUB 16 billion net profit was 4...

02/25/21 - BCP Research: LATAM High Yield Non Bank Financials - January Monthly Report

Summary: As mentioned in previous reports, we see local MXN cebures monthly reports as an alternative proxy to track collections and insight on loan perfor...

02/25/21 - BCP Research: Aegea (AEGEBZ: Ba2/-/BB) 4Q20 Results - Soft

Summary: Brazilian private water and sewage utility company, Aegea, released soft 4Q20 earnings. Revenue decreased 1% y/y to R\$607mm as tariff increases an...

02/25/21 - BCP Research: Gran Tierra Energy (GTE -/B-/CCC): relatively improved 4Q20 results

Summary: Colombian oil and gas upstream company Gran Tierra reported relatively improved 4Q20 results. Production decline finally reversed, recovering 14% ...

02/25/21 - BCP Research: CYDSA (CYDSA -/BB/BB+) 4Q20 Earnings - Stable

Summary: Mexican salt and chemical producer, CYDSA, reported stable 4Q20 earnings. Revenue increased by 3% q/q driven by stable consumer and industrial sal...

02/24/21 - BCP Research: Enjoy (ENJOY: /CCC+/CCC+) - Recent News Flow and Potential Merger

Summary: Chilean casino operator ENJOY news flow has been active to start the year as we try to track down recent events. With COVID19 cases picking up to ...



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02/24/21 - BCP Research: Digicel (DLLTD) - 3Q21 Results, Impressive - Maintain 'Positive' on DL 23s

Summary: Caribbean telecom provider Digicel released strong 3Q21 (ending 12/31/20) results, reporting increased revenue, EBITDA, subscribership and ARPU o...

02/24/21 - BCP Research: TV Azteca (TZA -/-/C) 4Q20 Earnings - Beat Estimates, Upgrading to Positive

Mexican broadcaster, TV Azteca, reported positive 4Q20 earnings beating our estimates. Revenue was 4% lower y/y from the soft advertising environment yet i...

02/24/21 - BCP Research: Banco BTG (BTGPBZ - Ba2/ - /BB-) 4Q20 - Strong Results Finishing Off a Strong Year

Summary: Banco BTG (BTGPBZ) reported strong 4Q20 results. The company made the most out of a turbulent year posting solid growth trends across the board de...

02/24/21 - BCP Research: CSN (CSNABZ B2/-/B+) 4Q20 Earnings - Strong

Summary: Brazilian steel and iron ore producer, CSN, reported strong 4Q20 earnings. Steel revenue increased q/q primarily from higher steel prices as domes...

02/23/21 - BCP Research: Province of Entre Rios (ENTRIO -/D/D) thoughts on restructuring offer

Summary: Yesterday, the Province of Entre Rios announced the formal launch of its exchange offer for the 25s. Reportedly, the offer is backed by the Ad Hoc...

02/23/21 - BCP Research: Ziraat (TCZIRA B2/-/B+) sound 4Q20, downgrading to Market Weight after rally

Summary: Turkey's state-owned and largest bank, Ziraat, reported sound 4Q20 results. Interest collected to accrued during the year was within the strongest...

02/23/21 - BCP Research: Grupo Televisa (TELVIS Baa1/BBB+/BBB+) 4Q20 Earnings - Stable

Summary: Mexico's largest broadcaster, Grupo Televisa, reported stable 4Q20 earnings. Total revenue decreased by 2% y/y mainly from other businesses such a...

02/23/21 - BCP Research: Usiminas (USIM Ba3/-/BB-) 4Q20 Earnings - Strong

Summary: Last week, Brazilian steel and mining company Usiminas released strong 4Q20 results. Revenue increased by 25% q/q driven by strong results in both...

02/22/21 - BCP Research: Petrobras (PETBRA Ba2/ BB-/ BB-) Government Interference Implications

Summary: CEO substitution in Petrobras, recently announced by president Jair Bolsonaro came as an unexpected major governmental interference in the nationa...

02/22/21 - BCP Research: Kosmos Energy (KOS Caa1/B+/B) improved 4Q20 results

Summary: African based oil and gas upstream company Kosmos Energy announced improved 4Q20 results. Revenue, excluding asset sales, grew 22% q/q as sales vo...



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02/22/21 - BCP Research: Petrobras (PETBRA Ba2/ BB-/ BB-) CEO Substitution - Governmental Interference Exceeding Expectations

Summary: Last Friday, Brazilian president Jair Bolsonaro announced the substitution of Petrobras' CEO Roberto Castello Branco for former military general J...

02/22/21 - BCP Research: Albaraka (ALBRK -/CCC-/-) relatively sound 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish sharia law bank Albaraka reported relatively sound 4Q20 results. Interest collected to accrued was strong during the year at 95%, and 93% ...

02/22/21 - BCP Research: FINDEP (FINDEP -/B+/BB-) 4Q20 Earnings - Positive

Summary: Mexican personal loan lender, FINDEP, reported positive 4Q20 earnings. Excl. the Mexico group lending portfolio sale, FINDEP's total portfolio wou...

02/22/21 - BCP Research: Turkcell (TCELLT -/BB-/BB-) neutral 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish telecommunication provider Turkcell reported neutral 4Q20 results. Revenue grew 3% q/q on higher fiber and fixed residential ARPU and high...

02/19/21 - BCP Research: Pemex (PEMEX Ba2/BBB/BB-) Additional Support Measures

Summary: Mexico's Govt. is looking to further reduce Pemex's tax burden for 2021 – a welcomed development. AMLO has even mentioned that taxes “took away” a...

02/19/21 - BCP Research: UNIFIN (UNIFIN -/BB-/BB) 4Q20 Earnings - Positive

Summary: Mexican leasing company, UNIFIN, reported positive 4Q20 earnings. The issuer mentioned 3% of the portfolio remains under support measures, an impr...

02/19/21 - BCP Research: Alpek (ALPEKA Baa3/BB+/BBB-) 4Q20 Earnings & New Issue Thoughts

Summary: Mexican petrochemical company, Alpek, reported stable 4Q20 earnings. Revenue increased by 5% q/q from higher EPS volumes after the Nova acquisitio...

02/18/21 - BCP Research: Nemak (TNEMAK Ba1/BB+/BBB-) 4Q20 Earnings - Strong

Summary: Mexican auto parts maker, Nemak, reported strong 4Q20 earnings as both revenue and EBITDA increased by 1% y/y and 13% y/y. Nemak's 4Q20 total volu...

02/18/21 - BCP Research: Grupo KUO (KUOBMM -/BB-/BB) 4Q20 Earnings - Strong

Summary: Mexican conglomerate, Grupo KUO, reported strong 4Q20 earnings. Total revenue was 12% higher y/y primarily from the DCT transmissions ramp-up with...

02/18/21 - BCP Research: Latina Offshore (LATOFF -/-/-) Corrected Pricing, move to Neutral

Summary: LATOFF is Latina Group's holdco. for two jack-up rigs in the Gulf of Mexico. The group is Latin America's largest geothermal driller with operatio...



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02/17/21 - BCP Research: Aurora Cannabis Inc (ACBCN) 2Q21 Results - Aggressive Guidance v. Robust Balance Sheet - Maintain 'Neutral'

Summary: Canadian-based cannabis producer, Aurora Cannabis Inc (Aurora) released 2Q21 (Dec. '20) results marked by a decline in volumes offset by improved ...

02/17/21 - BCP Research: Rumo (-/BB-/BB) 4Q20 Results - Weak Results

Summary: Brazilian rail logistics company, Rumo, posted weak 4Q20 earnings below consensus estimates. Revenue remained flat y/y at R\$1.7bn as higher sugar ...

02/17/21 - BCP Research: Cosan (CSANBZ: Ba2/BB-/BB) 4Q20 Sound Results

Summary: Brazilian agribusiness, fuel & natural gas distribution conglomerate, Cosan, posted sound 4Q20 results. Revenue increased 20% q/q and 8% y/y to R\$...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: Metinvest (METINV --- B3/B/BB-) --- 4Q20 Financial Results --- Expectedly Solid; Top Picks 'Outperform'

Summary: On February 16, 2021, Metinvest (B3/B/BB-) rather early posted expectedly solid 4Q20 financial results: revenue sequentially increased (+6% q/q to...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: CEMEX (CEMEX -/BB/BB-) 4Q20 Earnings - Strong

Summary: Mexican cement giant, Cemex released strong 4Q20 earnings as both revenue and EBITDA beat consensus. Total revenue was 9% higher y/y from double-d...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: Axtel (AXTEL Ba3/BB/BB-) 4Q20 Earnings - Mixed, Announced partial redemption of its 24 senior notes

Summary: Mexican telecom company, Axtel, reported mixed 4Q20 earnings. Both revenue and EBITDA decreased by 1% and 2% sequentially. The lower infrastrucur...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: America Movil (AMX A3/BBB+/A-) 4Q20 Earnings - Sound

Summary: Mexico's Telecom giant, America Movil, reported sound 4Q20 earnings. Though both revenue and EBITDA decreased q/q it was mainly from FX appreciati...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: Kaltex (KLTXMX -/CCC/CC) 4Q20 Earnings - In line with estimates, maintain Positive

Summary: Mexican textile company, Grupo Kaltex, reported soft 3Q20 earnings. Total revenue decreased by 9% y/y primarily from a 14% y/y decline in Mexico a...

02/16/21 - BCP Research: IRSA Propiedades Comerciales (IRCPAR -/CCC+/CCC) improved 2Q21 results

Summary: Argentine REIT IRSA Commercial Properties (IRCPAR) reported improved 2Q21 results (for the fiscal year ending June 2021). In real terms, revenue m...

02/12/21 - BCP Research: Copa Holdings S.A. (CPA) - 4Q20 Results, Positive - Anticipated Weakness Heading into 1Q21

Summary: International Panama-based airline, Copa released positive 4Q20 results, with RPMs down 76% y/y at an improved LF of 75%. Revenues increased sequ...



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02/12/21 - BCP Research: ODEA Bank (ODEABK Caa3/-/CCC+) soft 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish second tier bank ODEA reported soft 4Q20 results. Interest collected to accrued was weak during FY20 at 81%, and low on 4Q20 at 54%. NPLs ...

02/12/21 - BCP Research: Tupras (TUPRST B2/-/B+) weak 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish refiner Tupras reported weak 4Q20 results. Net refining margins reached a multiyear low, resulting in an EBITDA drop of 64% q/q and 62% y/...

02/11/21 - BCP Research: Lojas Americanas and B2W Digital - (LAMEBZ and BTOWBZ Ba1/BB/BB) - Initial Thoughts

Summary: Lojas Americanas, one of the largest retailers in Brazil, recently issued its first international bond. The company is a household name, with more...

02/11/21 - BCP Research: Province of Salta (SALTA -/D/Du) thoughts on restructuring offer - highest recovery among unsecured issues

Summary: On February 5, the Province of Salta announced a restructuring offer for its outstanding 24s. Surprisingly, the offer has the highest recovery val...

02/11/21 - BCP Research: YPF (YPFDAR - Caa3/CCC-/C) exchange results

Summary: Today, YPF announced the results of its exchange offer, having a participation of around US\$2.1bn. Since the participation of the 21s was 59.79%, ...

02/11/21 - BCP Research: Mexarrend (DOCUFO -/B/B+) Fully Covered Financing Gap, reiterate Market Outperform

Summary: Mexican leasing company Mexarrend, announced the signing of warehouse revolving credit facility with Credit Suisse for MXN\$3 bn (US\$150 mm). The r...

02/11/21 - BCP Research: Dr Peng Telecom & Media Group Co Ltd (CHEDRP Caa3/-/-) - Another Maturity Extension Proposed

Summary: On Feb 8, Dr Peng Telecom & Media Group Co Ltd ("Dr Peng") launched the second restructuring of its USD bond after an unsuccessful asset sale. In ...

02/10/21 - BCP Research: Klabin (KLAB - / /BB+/BB+) - Soft 4Q20 Results

Summary: Brazilian pulp and paper producer, Klabin, released soft 4Q20 results. Adj. EBITDA decreased 10% q/q to US\$205mm due to maintenance stoppage. We n...

02/10/21 - BCP Research: Gol (GOLLBZ B2/-/-): Upgrade New Sr. Sec'd 8% '26s to 'Outperform', 'Maintain Outright - Positive' on GOLLBZ 24 converts

Summary: We revisit our thoughts on Gol's US\$200 mm 8% 2026 notes, privately placed in Dec. '20, and now tradable with associated documentation also avail...

02/10/21 - BCP Research: TV Azteca (TZA -/-/B) Entering Grace Period

Summary: Yesterday, TV Azteca announced the early amortization of MXN\$1.2 bn of their MXN\$4.0 bn local CEBURES due 2022. Additionally, the issuer announced...



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02/09/21 - BCP Research: Vakif (VAKBN B2/-/B+) mixed 4Q20

Summary: Turkish state-owned bank Vakif released mixed 4Q20 results. NPLs increased 30bps q/q to a still comfortable 4.0%, or 4.5% excluding forbearances. ...

02/09/21 - BCP Research: Grupo Embotellador Atic (AJECBV: /B/B+) - Calling Remaining AJECBV '22 Bonds - Dropping Coverage

Summary: Peruvian bottler, Grupo Embotellador Atic ("ATIC") has announced plans to call the remainder of its AJECBV 6.5% '22 bonds. The company has tende...

02/09/21 - BCP Research: Isbank (ISCTR B3/-/B+) mixed 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish private bank Isbank reported mixed 4Q20 results. Interest collected to accrued ended the year at 91%, although having weakened in 4Q20. NP...

02/08/21 - BCP Research: YPF (YPFDAR - Caa3/CCC-/C) thoughts on the second amendment for the 21s

Summary: Early today, YPF announced a new amendment to its exchange offer, increasing the cash payment offered for the 21s to 40.8c, while reducing the nom...

02/04/21 - BCP Research: Turk Telekom (TURKTI -/BB-/BB-) strong 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish telecommunication provider TURKTI reported strong 4Q20 results, with both revenue and EBTDA beating BBG consensus by 4%. Revenue grew 4% q...

02/03/21 - BCP Research: Yapikredi (YKBNK B2/-/B+) mixed 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish private bank Yapikredi reported mixed 4Q20 results. At period-end, the bank reported strong ST liquidity of 3.5x its next twelve-months FC...

02/03/21 - BCP Research: Akbank (AKBNK B2/-/B+) sound 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish private bank Akbank reported sound 4Q20 results. FX liquidity buffer remained strong at nearly 5x upcoming short-term maturities, mainly c...

02/02/21 - BCP Research: Metinvest (METINV --- B3/B/BB-) --- November 2020 Report --- EBITDA Improved; 'Market Outperform'

Summary: Metinvest (B3/B/BB-) released its November 2020 report with revenue up 8% m/m to US\$941 mm on higher sales in both metallurgy and mining segments ...

02/02/21 - BCP Research: Grupo Cementos de Chihuahua (GCC -/BB+/BB+) 4Q20 Earnings - Solid

Summary: Mexican based cement issuer, Grupo Cementos de Chihuahua, reported solid 4Q20 earnings. Revenue increased y/y from double digit volume growth in M...

02/01/21 - BCP Research: TSKB (TSKBTI B3/-/B+) relatively weaker 4Q20 results

Summary: Turkish private development and investment bank TSKB, which is 51% owned by Isbank, reported relatively weaker 4Q20 results. Interest collected to...



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02/01/21 - BCP Research: YPF (YPFDAR - Caa3/CCC-/C) thoughts on new offer for the 21s

Summary: Today, YPF announced an amendment to its exchange offer, increasing the cash payment offered for the 21s to 28.3c from the previous 15.8c. In exch...



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