

Vale Indonesia

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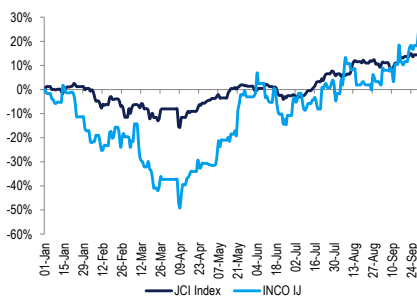
Company update | Metals | INCO IJ | 29 October 2025

Stock Data

Target price	Rp5,200
Prior TP	Rp5,200
Current price	Rp4,540
Upside/downside	+15%
Shares outstanding (mn)	10,540
Market cap (Rp bn)	47,851
Free float	20%
Avg. 6m daily T/O (Rp bn)	53

Price Performance

	3M	6M	12M
Absolute	20.7%	80.9%	13.8%
Relative to JCI	13.5%	59.9%	6.4%
52w low/high (Rp)	1,840 – 4,540		



Major Shareholders

Mineral Industri Indonesia (MIND ID)	34.2%
Vale Canada Limited	34.1%
Sumitomo Metal mining	11.5%

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3Q25 results: optically below; but pick-up in 4Q shall result on in-line FY

- INCO reported US\$52mn NP in 9M25 (-10% yoy), which came optically below ours/consensus forecast at 64%/61%, respectively.
- However, 3Q25 NP stood at US\$27mn (vs. US\$1mn in 2Q25), driven by nickel-ore sales and higher matte payability (from 78% to 82%).
- We maintain our NP estimates for now as we await details from earnings call; Maintain Buy rating with unchanged TP of Rp5,200/share.

3Q25/9M25 review: optically below but in-line with consensus

INCO reported US\$52mn NP in 9M25 (-10% yoy) which came optically below ours/consensus estimates at 64%/61%, respectively. We think the result shall be seen as in-line given the additional ore sales in 4Q25F, which shall improve INCO's overall profitability and NP. Albeit, such improvement in ore sales would be partially offset by lower nickel-matte sales volume due to scheduled furnace maintenance. 3Q25 NP stood at US\$27mn, a significant improvement qoq (2Q25: US\$1mn NP), driven by higher nickel-matte payability (from 78% to 82%) which was effective per 3Q25, in addition to nickel-ore sales of c.750kt in 3Q25 after obtaining RKAB quota of 2.2mn wmt in Jul25. Revenue improved by +27% qoq as a result, while GP also improved to US\$43mn (vs US\$11mn in 2Q25). Opex was relatively flattish qoq at US\$9mn while there are no extraordinary items below operating line, leading to an NP achievement of US\$27mn.

Segmental: first quarter of significant nickel ore sales

INCO delivered c.750k wmt of nickel ore in 3Q25 with an ASP of US\$51.6/wmt which marks the first quarter of significant nickel-ore sales for INCO after obtaining 2.2mn wmt quota in Jul25. Nickel-matte sales volume improved by +9% qoq to 19.6kt with an ASP of US\$12.3k/t, or equivalent to 82% matte payability, in-line with the new agreement between INCO and offtake buyers. Production cash costs also slightly improved by 1% qoq to US\$9.3k/t thanks to lower fuel & coal prices. As there was no breakdown yet between nickel-ore and matte cash-costs, we estimated INCO's nickel-ore cash costs ex-royalty of US\$10.5/wmt or around US\$18/wmt (including royalty) in 3Q25.

Maintain Buy rating with unchanged TP of Rp5,200/share

We maintain our Buy rating with an unchanged TP of Rp5,200/share, as we think the result shall be seen as in-line given potential ore sales in 4Q25F, albeit it shall be offset by lower nickel-matte sales volume due to scheduled maintenance in the next quarter. Downside risks are RKAB quota approval, execution risks, and lower ore premium.

Financial Summary (US\$ mn)	2023A	2024A	2025F	2026F	2027F
Revenue	1,232	950	1,015	1,325	1,785
EBITDA	499	238	261	468	837
Net profit	274	58	81	182	398
EPS growth	37%	-79%	41%	123%	119%
ROE	9%	2%	2%	4%	8%
PER (x)	10.0	47.6	33.8	15.1	6.9
EV/EBITDA (x)	4.1	8.8	9.5	6.3	4.0
Dividend yield	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%
IPS vs. consensus			95%	116%	158%

Source: Company, Indo Premier

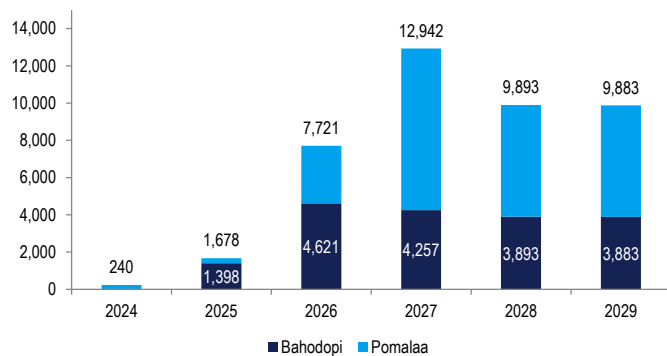
Share price closing as of: 29 October 2025

Fig. 1: 3Q25/9M25 financial data summary

INCO 9M25 results	9M25	9M24	% yoy	3Q25	3Q24	% yoy	2Q25	% qoq	IPS FY25F	% of IPS	Cons FY25F	% of cons
Revenues	705	709	0%	279	230	21%	220	27%	1,015	70%	988	71%
Cost of revenues	(632)	(628)	1%	(235)	(211)	11%	(210)	12%	(901)	70%	(864)	73%
Gross profit	73	80	-8%	43	19	133%	11	307%	114	65%	124	59%
Gross profit margin (%)	10%	11%		16%	8%		5%		11%		13%	
Operating expenses	(25)	(22)	14%	(9)	(8)	15%	(8)	19%	(31)	80%	(27)	92%
EBIT	49	59	-17%	34	11	221%	3	1039%	83	59%	97	50%
EBIT margin (%)	7%	8%		12%	5%		1%		8%		10%	
Depreciation & amortization	123	125	-2%	42	42	0%	40	6%	178	69%	172	71%
EBITDA	172	184	-7%	76	53	45%	43	79%	261	66%	269	64%
EBITDA margin (%)	24%	26%		27%	23%		19%		26%		27%	
Finance income	22	27	-21%	6	9	-31%	8	-18%	28	76%		N/A
Finance costs	(6)	(6)	2%	(2)	(2)	-14%	(2)	-3%	(9)	66%		N/A
Other inc. (exp.)	14	(13)	-204%	0	5	-97%	(1)	-122%	14	98%		N/A
Profit before tax	78	67	17%	39	22	74%	8	388%	116	67%	115	68%
Income tax	(20)	(12)	63%	(9)	(5)	75%	(4)	108%	(26)	77%		N/A
Tax rate (%)	25%	18%		22%	22%		52%		22%			
Minorities & PNBP	(6)	4	-261%	(3)	4	-183%	(3)	8%	(9)	64%		N/A
Net profit	52	58	-10%	27	21	29%	1	2538%	81	64%	85	61%
Net margin (%)	7%	8%		10%	9%		0%		8%			
Core profit	42	69	-39%	27	17	57%	1	1887%	71	60%		

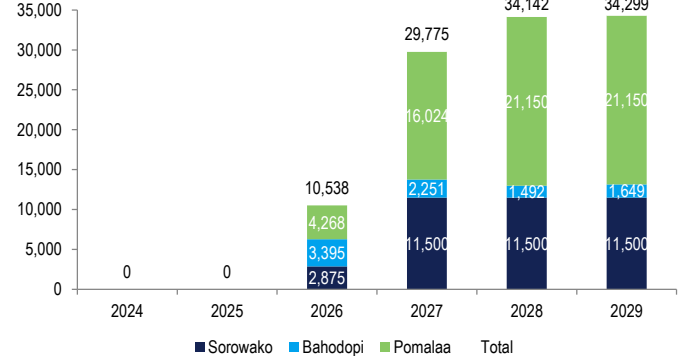
Source: Bloomberg, Company data, Indo Premier estimates

Fig. 2: INCO's saprolite ore sales volume guidance



Source: Bloomberg, Indo Premier

Fig. 3: INCO's limonite ore sales volume guidance



Source: Bloomberg, Indo Premier

Fig. 4: Peers valuation table

Ticker	Company	Rating	Target price (Rp/share)	P/E			EV/EBITDA			Dividend yield (%)		
				25F	26F	27F	25F	26F	27F	25F	26F	27F
ADMR IJ	Alam Tri Minerals	Buy	1,300	9.5	6.2	4.8	9.9	7.5	6.1	N/A	N/A	N/A
ANTM IJ	Aneka Tambang	Buy	3,900	10.9	12.1	13.0	6.8	7.9	8.4	4.7%	6.9%	6.2%
HRUM IJ	Harum Energy	Buy	1,050	12.3	11.0	8.5	5.6	3.9	1.7	N/A	N/A	N/A
INCO IJ	Vale Indonesia	Buy	5,200	33.8	15.1	6.9	9.5	6.3	4.0	N/A	N/A	N/A
MBMA IJ	Merdeka Battery Materials	Buy	560	187.9	22.8	12.5	24.5	9.4	6.4	N/A	N/A	N/A
MDKA IJ	Merdeka Copper Gold	Buy	2,400	N/A	N/A	44.8	13.1	7.4	5.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
NCKL IJ	Trimegah Bangun Persada	Buy	1,100	8.0	7.6	7.5	6.7	6.4	6.1	2.6%	3.7%	4.0%

Source: Bloomberg, Company Data, Indo Premier estimates

Income Statement (US\$ mn)	2023A	2024A	2025F	2026F	2027F
Net revenue	1,232	950	1,015	1,325	1,785
Cost of sales	(885)	(842)	(901)	(1,015)	(1,133)
Gross profit	347	108	114	310	652
SG&A Expenses	(22)	(38)	(31)	(37)	(41)
Operating profit	325	70	83	273	610
Net interest	26	29	19	(14)	(44)
Others	2	(25)	14	0	0
Pre-tax income	353	74	116	259	567
Income tax	(78)	(16)	(26)	(57)	(125)
Minority interest	0	0	0	0	0
Profit-sharing payment	0	0	(9)	(20)	(44)

Source: Company, Indo Premier

Cash Flow Statement (US\$ mn)	2023A	2024A	2025F	2026F	2027F
Net income	244	15	174	62	372
Depr. & amortization	174	168	178	195	226
Changes in working capital	75	67	(5)	(34)	(34)
Others	0	0	0	0	0
Cash flow from operating	492	250	347	222	564
Capital expenditure	(319)	(448)	(727)	(809)	(966)
Others	(47)	63	25	100	56
Cash flow from investing	(366)	(384)	(702)	(709)	(911)
Loans	3	(1)	144	350	250
Equity	(0)	111	0	0	0
Dividends	(60)	(1)	(35)	0	0
Others	0	0	0	0	0
Cash flow from financing	(57)	110	110	350	250
Changes in cash	69	(24)	(246)	(137)	(96)

Key Ratios	2023A	2024A	2025F	2026F	2027F
Gross margin	28%	11%	11%	23%	37%
Operating margin	26%	7%	8%	21%	34%
Pre-tax margin	29%	8%	11%	20%	32%
Net margin	22%	6%	8%	14%	22%
ROA	9%	2%	2%	4%	8%
ROE	9%	2%	2%	4%	8%
Acct. receivables TO (days)	12.1	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3
Inventory TO (days)	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
Payable TO (days)	6.3	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Debt to equity	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Interest coverage ratio (x)	32.2	9.4	9.0	9.5	11.9
Net gearing	(0.3)	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.1	0.2

Source: Company, Indo Premier