# **Company Note** 2nd of April, 2025

# TACIRLER INVESTMENT

### **Tüpraş Refining Margins**

Tüpraş announced its product margins for March. Accordingly, within middle distillates, the diesel margin declined by 21% MoM to \$15.5/bbl, while the jet fuel margin fell by 13% MoM to \$13.8/bbl. Among light distillates, the gasoline margin dropped by 19% MoM to \$11.7/bbl, and the fuel oil margin was recorded at negative \$6.4/bbl. All product margins decreased on a monthly basis, and except for fuel oil, margins came in below their 5-year averages. Due to a high base, diesel, jet fuel, and gasoline margins contracted on a yearly basis, while the fuel oil margin improved YoY. Given the monthly declines, we consider the data as slightly negative. We have a Buy recommendation for Tüpraş with a target price of TL 208.10.

#### Figure: Tüpraş Refining Margins (March 2025)

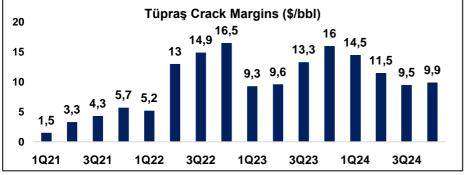
Product Cracks	March 25	March 24	y/y (%)	Feb 25	m/m (%)	2024	2025
Brent (USD/bbl)	72,6	85,5	-15%	75,2	-3%	81,2	75,7
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Diesel	15,5	23,8	-35%	19,6	-21%	26,6	17,3
Jet Fuel	11,7	23,1	-49%	14,4	-19%	21,2	12,6
Gasoline	13,8	18,0	-23%	15,9	-13%	25,4	14,5
Fuel Oil	-6,4	-15,3	n.m	-5,9	n.m.	-16,8	-7,7
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Source: Company Data, Tacirler Investment Research

**Product margins hovered around their 5-year averages, while monthly contractions were observed...** According to the data announced by Tüpraş for March, diesel, jet fuel, and gasoline margins contracted by 35%, 23%, and 49% YoY, respectively, due to the high base effect from last year. On a monthly basis, all product margins declined. Based on the data, all product margins except for fuel oil remained below their 5-year averages.

**Turkey Fuel Market, 1M25...** In the first month of 2025, diesel sales declined by 3% YoY to 1.9 million tons. Jet fuel sales increased by 29.3% YoY, reaching 0.4 million tons. Gasoline sales rose by 14.9% YoY to 0.4 million tons, while LPG sales fell by 2.2% YoY to 0.3 million tons.

**Table: Tüpraş Weighted Product Margin (\$/bbl)...** Tüpraş announced its net refinery margin expectation for 2025 as \$5–6/bbl, calculated by excluding all factors subject to inflation accounting. The company had revised its 2024 weighted product margin expectation to \$12/bbl during the year. It closed the year with an actual product margin of \$11.2/bbl.



Source: Company	Data. Tacirler	Investment Research

### TUPRS BUY

Target Price Return potential		ż	208.10TL 51%
Share Data Ticker: Share Price (28 March 20 Share price (52 week ran Market cap. (TL mn - US # of shares outstanding	<b>TUPRS TI</b> 138,00 117 / 179 265897,8 - 7040,7 1,927		
Free Float Avg. trading volume USD mn	<b>1M</b> 101,8	<b>3M</b> 85,4	49% <b>12M</b> 81,6
Price performance	1M	3M	Y-t-D
TL	13%	1%	3%
USD Rel. to BIST-100	9% 13%	-6% 5%	-4% 5%
TL mn	2022	2023	2024
Revenues EBITDA	916.751 103.202	991.203 138.950	810.386 50.704
Net Earnings	61.314	77.354	18.315
Valuation P/E P/BV EV/EBITDA	2022 11,3x 3,4x 4,4x	3,7x 2,9x 1,6x	4,5x 1,8x 2,1x
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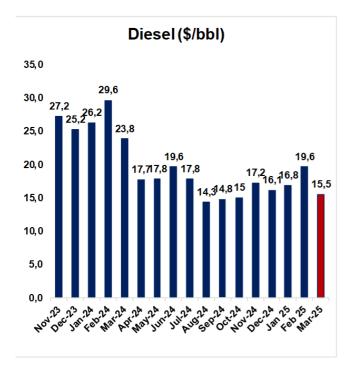
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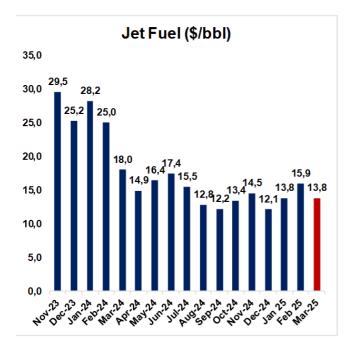
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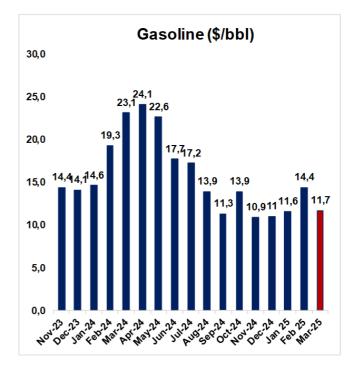
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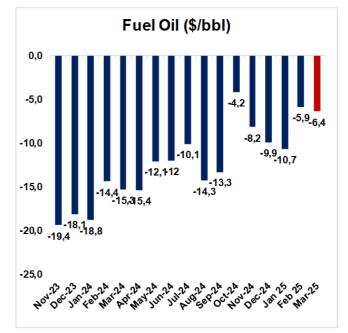
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