

Arabian Centres Co. (Cenomi Centers Co.)

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Higher finance costs drive an 18% YoY profit decline but still comes ahead of consensus estimates

Last Price: SAR 16.1 | YoY Performance: -21.5%

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Arabian Centres Co. (Cenomi) reported a 2Q26 net profit of SAR 385.7 mn, down 18.4% YoY, mainly due to higher finance cost of SAR 221.2 mn, up 49.6% YoY and 10.4% lower gains on investment properties of around SAR 251.2 mn.
- The result came ahead of our estimate - due to a record low SAR 7.7mn impairment charge and higher than anticipated fair value gains on investment properties relative to our model assumptions.
- Revenue came in at SAR 569.4 mn, down 2.3% YoY, broadly in line with our SAR 590.9 mn estimate. The decline in revenue is attributed to portfolio changes in the comparable period. However, on a like-for-like basis, revenue increased 0.5%, supported by leasing activity (693 leases signed and 59 new brands onboarded in 2Q26) and a 11.6% increase in footfall to 35.3 mn visitors. Gross margin clocked in at 83.2%, compared to 84.0% in 2Q25.
- Operating profit came in at SAR 615.4 mn, down 3.1% YoY but 36.6% above our SAR 450.5 mn estimate. The beat was driven by a sharp drop in impairment losses on accounts receivable, down 89.5% YoY to SAR 7.7 mn (the lowest since 2Q23) from SAR 73.9 mn a year ago, alongside higher than anticipated fair value gains on investment properties relative to our model assumptions.
- Finance cost for the 2Q26 came in at SAR 221.2 mn compared to SAR 147.8 mn in 2Q25 driven by capex requirements. Resultantly, net profit for the quarter declined to SAR 385.7 mn, down 18.4% YoY.
- On development front, Westfield Jeddah construction has been completed, with the occupancy certificate issued and transitioned to operational stage as of 30 July 2026. Pre-leasing is close to ~96%, with the majority of units handed over to tenants for fit-out phase. Westfield Riyadh structural works have been completed, with pre-leasing reaching 94%. The project remains on track to transition into the operational phase in 4Q26.
- Based on our last update, we have an 'Overweight' rating on the stock with a target price of SAR 23.2/share, implying upside of 44.0%. The stock is trading at a 2026e P/E of 6.9x.

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Bloomberg Code	CENOMICE AB
Last Price (SAR)	16.1
No of Shares (mn)	475.0
Market Cap bn (SAR/USD)	7.6 / 2.0
52-week High / Low (SAR)	23.5 / 15.5
12-month ADTV (mn) (SAR/USD)	17.4 / 4.7
Free Float (%)	66.8
Foreign Holdings (%)	9.7

Relative Price Performance

Source: Bloomberg, anbc research
Last price as of July 05th, 2026

Financials (SAR mn)	2Q26A	2Q26E*	Var (%)	2Q25A	YoY (%)	1Q26A	QoQ (%)
Revenue	569.4	591	-3.6	583	-2.3	582.5	-2.2
Cost of Revenues (COGS)	95.4	95	0.2	93	2.4	94	1.9
Gross Profit	474	496	-4.4	489	-3.1	488.9	-3.0
Gross Margin (%)	83.2	83.9		84.0		83.9	
Operating Expenses	-141	45	nm	-146	-3.0	53	nm
Operating Profit	615	451	36.6	635	-3.1	436.1	41.1
Operating Margin (%)	108.1	76.3		109.0		74.9	
Net Profit**	386	215	79.5	473	-18.4	202.5	90.5
Net Margin (%)	67.7	36.4		81.2		34.8	
EPS (SAR)	0.8	0.5		1.0		0.4	

*anbc estimate **Adjusted for NCI
Source: Company Financials, anbc research

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