August 2, 2023

| Q1FY24 Result Update |  |  |  |  |
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| $\checkmark$ Change in Estimates \| $\downarrow$ Target \| $\square$ Reco |  |  |  |  |
| Change in Estimates |  |  |  |  |
|  | Current |  | Previous |  |
|  | FY24E | FY25E | FY24E | FY25E |
| Rating | ACCUMULATE |  | ACCUMULATE |  |
| Target Price | 3,240 |  | 3,242 |  |
| Sales (Rs. m) | 4,54,812 | 5,39,873 | 4,53,087 | 5,23,081 |
| \% Chng. | 0.4 | 3.2 |  |  |
| EBITDA (Rs.m) | ) 55,191 | 66,330 | 57,354 | 66,687 |
| \% Chng. | (3.8) | (0.5) |  |  |
| EPS (Rs.) | 43.2 | 52.6 | 45.5 | 53.8 |
| \% Chng. | (4.9) | (2.3) |  |  |

Key Financials - Standalone

| Y/e Mar | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sales (Rs. bn) | 273 | 383 | 455 | 540 |
| EBITDA (Rs. bn) | 33 | 48 | 55 | 66 |
| $\quad$ Margin (\%) | 12.3 | 12.6 | 12.1 | 12.3 |
| PAT (Rs. bn) | 22 | 34 | 38 | 47 |
| EPS (Rs.) | 25.1 | 38.1 | 43.2 | 52.6 |
| Gr. (\%) | 120.0 | 51.9 | 13.5 | 21.6 |
| DPS (Rs.) | 4.0 | 7.5 | 10.0 | 13.0 |
| $\quad$ Yield (\%) | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| RoE (\%) | 26.4 | 31.7 | 28.8 | 28.4 |
| RoCE (\%) | 22.7 | 27.0 | 25.3 | 25.3 |
| EV/Sales (x) | 9.9 | 7.0 | 5.9 | 4.9 |
| EV/EBITDA (x) | 80.5 | 55.6 | 48.6 | 40.3 |
| PE (x) | 118.8 | 78.2 | 68.9 | 56.6 |
| P/BV (x) | 28.3 | 22.1 | 18.0 | 14.5 |


| Key Data | TITN.BO \| TTAN IN |
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| 52-W High / Low | Rs.3,211 / Rs.2,269 |
| Sensex / Nifty | $65,783 / 19,527$ |
| Market Cap | Rs.2,643bn/ $\$ 32,003 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| Shares Outstanding | 888 m |
| 3M Avg. Daily Value | Rs.2774.37m |

Shareholding Pattern (\%)

| Promoter's |  | 52.90 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Foreign | 18.54 |  |
| Domestic Institution | 10.64 |  |
| Public \& Others |  | 17.93 |
| Promoter Pledge (Rs bn) |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Stock Performance (\%) |  |  |
|  | 1 M | 6 M |
| Absolute | $(2.3)$ | 29.0 |
| Relative | $(3.9)$ | 17.5 |

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# Titan Company (TTAN IN) 

Rating: ACCUMULATE | CMP: Rs2,977 | TP: Rs3,240

## Refueling for sustained growth

## Quick Pointers:

- Jewellery demand remains strong in July; FY24 EBIT margin guidance maintained at 12-13\%
- Jewellery margin hit due to rationalization of physical gold premium, brand building and customer activation and diamond inventory gains in 1Q23


#### Abstract

We cut our FY24/FY25 EPS estimates by $4.9 \% / 2.3 \%$ as we cut EBIT margins in Jewellery by 50bps to 12.3\% (lower end of TTAN guidance of 12-13\% band) and 50bps each in watches and Eyewear. we believe TTAN is investing for future growth which is reflected in rationalization of physical gold premium, increased advertising and consumer activations and exchange schemes in a tough demand environment, which bodes well for long term growth. Demand trends in July remain strong across segments which gives us confidence of pick up in margins in coming quarters.


We expect TTAN is creating multiple growth levers led by 1) jewellery segment gains due to network expansion, regional thrust and higher growth in sub brands like Mia, Zoya and Caratlane 2) Omni-channel strategy across jewellery, watches and eyewear 3) new growth drivers like Caratlane, Titan Eye+, Taneira and 4) strong growth in wearables with smartwatch in mass segment. TTAN is an emerging lifestyle play with presence in Jewellery, Watches, Wearables, Dress Material, Fragrances and Handbags which will help sustain premium valuations. TTAN trades at 56.6x FY25E EPS with 17.7\% EPS CAGR over FY23-25. We assign DCF based target price of Rs3240 (Rs3242 earlier). Retain Accumulate.

Standalone Revenues grew $24.4 \%$ YoY to Rs111.5bn. Gross margins contracted by 338bps YoY/190bps QoQ to 21.0\%. EBITDA declined by 5.2\% YoY to Rs11bn Margins contracted by 309bps YoY/86bps QoQ to 9.9\%. Adj. PAT declined by 2\% YoY to Rs7.8bn. CaratLane clocked Revenue/PBT of Rs6.4bn/Rs140mn.

Jewellery revenues grew by 25.8\% YoY to Rs100.1bn; EBIT declined by 2.7\% YoY to Rs10bn; margins contracted by 293bps YoY to $10 \%$. Ex bullion sales, margins declined 250bps YoY to 11.0\%. Studded ratio was unchanged at 26\%. Tanishq added 10 stores, taking total count to 433 stores. Average ticket sizes grew 6\% YoY. Buyer growth was $\sim 14 \%$ YoY while new buyer proportion at $\sim 46 \%$ remained healthy. Wedding segment grew $\sim 26 \%$ YoY and contributed $20 \%$ to sales. International expansion continues with focus shifting to non- Indian diaspora catchments with a target to achieve 25 stores by FY24.

Watches and Wearables revenues grew by 13.4\% YoY to Rs8.9bn; EBIT declined by $1 \%$ YoY to Rs1bn; margins contracted by 166 bps YoY to $11.5 \%$. Premium brands continued their strong performance with brand Titan and Helios, growing at $\sim 17 \% / \sim 38 \%$ respectively. Wearables growth at $\sim 81 \%$ YoY in 1Q.

Eyewear revenues grew by 10.9\% YoY to Rs2bn; EBIT declined by 2.8\% YoY to Rs350mn; margins contracted by 243bps YoY to 17.2\%. Added 5 new stores in 1Q24, reached total count to 908 stores. International brands grew ahead of house brands while Lenses \& Sunglasses grew ahead of Frames.

Fragrances grew 12\% while women handbags grew 14\%, Taneira sales grew 81\% as it added 6 stores during the quarter.

Key Concall Highlights: 1) Jewellery demand in April/May was subdued amid volatility in gold prices, while June saw robust demand led by stable gold prices which has sustained in July as well. 2) Eastern markets such as Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh saw good demand traction for wedding jewellery 3) Gold exchange program contribution came at $50 \%$ in 1Q with Non-Tanishq/Tanishq gold contributing 35\%/15\% vs normalized 30\%/10\% 4) Wearables remains a key growth driver with Fastrack launching new smart watches in the range of Rs1.5-4k 7) Capital employed for Jewellery was higher amid Gold on Lease contribution down to $27 \%$, while Watches capital employed is expected to remain higher in 2Q24 with inventory build-up in anticipation of upcoming festive season. 8) TEAL \& Caratlane are performing well with growth to be funded by internal cash generation and borrowings 9) International market is performing as per expectations even as operating cost remain higher than Indian stores. Exploring new markets such as Australia \& Singapore. Plan to open $5 / 13$ stores in US/GCC taking store count to 25 in FY24 10) Jewellery margin is likely to be $12-13 \%$ for FY24 led by improved geographical/ product mix with focus on high value studded jewellery

Exhibit 1: Revenue grew by $24.4 \%$ YoY; Margins contract by 86bps QoQ

| Y/e March (Rs mn) | 1QFY24 | 1QFY23 | YoY gr. (\%) | 4QFY23 | FY23 | FY22 | YoY gr. (\%) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 111,450 | 89,610 | 24.4 | 97,040 | 3,82,700 | 2,72,100 | 40.6 |
| Gross Profit | 23,400 | 21,840 | 7.1 | 22,220 | 92,240 | 65,520 | 40.8 |
| \% of NS | 21.0 | 24.4 | (3.4) | 22.9 | 24.1 | 24.1 | 0.0 |
| Advt \& Sales Pro | 2,070 | 1,710 | 21.1 | 1,920 | 7,390 | 4,740 | 55.9 |
| \% of NS | 1.9 | 1.9 |  | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.7 |  |
| Total Expenses | 100,420 | 77,970 | 28.8 | 86,600 | 3,35,000 | 2,39,310 | 40.0 |
| \% of NS | 90.1 | 87.0 |  | 89.2 | 87.5 | 87.9 |  |
| EBITDA | 11,030 | 11,640 | (5.2) | 10,440 | 47,700 | 32,790 | 45.5 |
| Margins \% | 9.9 | 13.0 | (3.1) | 10.8 | 12.5 | 12.1 | 0.4 |
| Depreciation | 990 | 870 | 13.8 | 950 | 3,640 | 3,470 | 4.9 |
| Interest | 790 | 550 | 43.6 | 740 | 2,400 | 1,950 | 23.1 |
| Other Income | 990 | 440 | 125.0 | 1,040 | 2,990 | 2,460 | 21.5 |
| PBT | 10,240 | 10,660 | (3.9) | 9,790 | 44,650 | 29,830 | 49.7 |
| Tax | 2,470 | 2,730 | (9.5) | 2,450 | 11,320 | 7,520 | 50.5 |
| Tax rate \% | 24.1 | 25.6 |  | 25.0 | 25.4 | 25.2 |  |
| Adjusted PAT | 7,770 | 7,930 | (2.0) | 7,340 | 33,330 | 22,310 | 49.4 |

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 2: Strong double digit across businesses, business investments and growth push impacts margins

| (Rs m) | 1QFY22 | 2QFY22 | 3QFY22 | 4QFY22 | 1QFY23 | 2QFY23 | 3QFY23 | 4QFY23 | 1QFY24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Sales | 32,640 | 71,910 | 95,330 | 73,050 | 89,800 | 87,540 | 109,070 | 97,440 | 111,770 |
| Watches | 2,920 | 6,870 | 7,080 | 6,220 | 7,850 | 8,290 | 8,110 | 8,710 | 8,900 |
| YoY Growth | 289.3\% | 71.8\% | 28.7\% | 12.1\% | 168.8\% | 20.7\% | 14.5\% | 40.0\% | 13.4\% |
| Jewellery | 28,910 | 62,980 | 86,170 | 65,070 | 79,560 | 76,850 | 98,330 | 86,310 | 100,080 |
| YoY Growth | 62.1\% | 64.1\% | 30.8\% | 1.3\% | 175.2\% | 22.0\% | 14.1\% | 32.6\% | 25.8\% |
| Eyewear | 670 | 1600 | 1560 | 1,340 | 1830 | 1670 | 1,740 | 1,650 | 2030 |
| YoY Growth | 123.3\% | 70.2\% | 25.8\% | 5.0\% | 173.1\% | 4.4\% | 11.5\% | 23.1\% | 10.9\% |
| Others | 140 | 460 | 520 | 420 | 560 | 730 | 890 | 770 | 760 |
| YoY Growth | 250.0\% | 100.0\% | 44.4\% | 23.0\% | 300.0\% | 58.7\% | 71.2\% | 83.3\% | 35.7\% |
| Total EBIT | 1,220 | 9,210 | 13,730 | 7,330 | 11,560 | 12,360 | 13,400 | 10,640 | 11,090 |
| Watches | -560 | 920 | 820 | -100 | 1,030 | 1,230 | 890 | 980 | 1,020 |
| YoY Growth | -65.9\% | -2400.0\% | 43.9\% | -121.7\% | 283.9\% | 33.7\% | 8.5\% | 1080\% | -1.0\% |
| EBIT Margin | -19.2\% | 13.4\% | 11.6\% | -1.6\% | 13.1\% | 14.8\% | 11.0\% | 11.3\% | 11.5\% |
| Jewellery | 2,070 | 7,930 | 12,600 | 7,670 | 10,270 | 11,030 | 12,360 | 9,970 | 9,990 |
| YoY Growth | -483.3\% | 178.2\% | 67.6\% | 9.1\% | 396.1\% | 39.1\% | -1.9\% | 30.0\% | -2.7\% |
| EBIT Margin | 7.2\% | 12.6\% | 14.6\% | 11.8\% | 12.9\% | 14.4\% | 12.6\% | 11.6\% | 10.0\% |
| Eyewear | -130 | 370 | 340 | -80 | 360 | 280 | 320 | 20 | 350 |
| YoY Growth | -58.1\% | 311.1\% | 54.5\% | -134.8\% | -376.9\% | -24.3\% | -5.9\% | 125.0\% | -2.8\% |
| EBIT Margin | -19.4\% | 23.1\% | 21.8\% | -6.0\% | 19.7\% | 16.8\% | 18.4\% | 1.2\% | 17.2\% |
| Others | (160) | (10) | (30) | (160) | (100) | (180) | (170) | (330) | (270) |

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 3: LTL growth at 22\%, studded share at 26\%

|  | 1QFY22 | 2QFY22 | 3QFY22 | 4QFY22 | 1QFY23 | 2QFY23 | 3QFY23 | 4QFY23 | 1QFY24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Jewellery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Volume Gr \% | 124 | 101 | 47 | -7 | 170 | 3 | 1 | 10 | NA |
| Studded Share \% | 22 | 30 | 26 | 30 | 26 | 32 | 26 | 33 | 26 |
| Sales Gr \% | 62.1\% | 64.1\% | 30.8\% | 1.3\% | 175.2\% | 22.0\% | 14.1\% | 32.6\% | 25.8\% |
| Tanishq |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Gr \% | 115 | 75 | 37 | 1 | 202 | 13 | 14 | 25 | 22 |
| LTL Growth \% | 117 | 66 | 31 | 4 | 195 | 9 | 9 | 19 | 22 |
| Stores | 358 | 368 | 382 | 389 | 395 | 403 | 411 | 423 | 433 |
| Area (sq. Ft) | 13,80,000 | 14,20,000 | 14,70,000 | 15,00,000 | 15,30,000 | 1,570,000 | 1,640,000 | 1,740,000 | 1,800,000 |

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 4: Watches sales up $13.4 \%$, strong growth witnessed across brands (ex Fastrack)

|  | 1QFY22 | 2QFY22 | 3QFY22 | 4QFY22 | 1QFY23 | 2QFY23 | 3QFY23 | 4QFY23 | 1QFY24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Watches |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Growth \% | 291.3 | 71.8 | 28.7 | 12.1 | 168.8 | 20.7 | 14.5 | 40.0 | 13.4 |
| Volume Growth \% | 466 | 67 | 21 | -1 | 109 | 1 | 3 | 31 | NA |
| World Of Titan |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Growth \% | 86 | 79 | 24 | 15 | 241 | 31 | 14 | 18 | 8 |
| LTL Sales growth \% | 91 | 78 | 22 | 13 | 227 | 26 | 8 | 11 | 2 |
| Stores | 509 | 513 | 520 | 544 | 570 | 577 | 601 | 622 | 636 |
| Helios |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Growth \% | 73 | 69 | 43 | 35 | 278 | 46 | 32 | 45 | 33 |
| LTL Sales growth \% | 78 | 51 | 30 | 14 | 227 | 27 | 11 | 21 | 13 |
| Stores | 106 | 112 | 126 | 136 | 151 | 165 | 182 | 198 | 207 |
| Fastrack |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Growth \% | 63 | 51 | 9 | -9 | 230 | 26 | 19 | 11 | -4 |
| LTL Sales growth \% | 80 | 52 | 11 | -5 | 231 | 26 | 18 | 8 | -11 |
| Stores | 166 | 164 | 163 | 163 | 161 | 163 | 170 | 185 | 188 |
| LFS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Growth \% | 323 | 103 | 35 | 8 | 358 | 63 | 20 | 42 | 33 |
| LTL Sales growth \% | 324 | 102 | 33 | 3 | 338 | 52 | 25 | 37 | 13 |

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 5: Eyewear grew at 4 year CAGR of 8.1\%

| Eyewear | 1QFY22 | 2QFY22 | 3QFY22 | 4QFY22 | 1QFY23 | 2QFY23 | 3QFY23 | 4QFY23 | 1QFY24 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sales Gr \% | 74 | 69 | 19 | -4 | 180 | 12 | 14 | 22 | 13 |
| LTL Growth \% (Titan Eye+) | 47 | 59 | 10 | -13 | 185 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 3 |
| Stores | 605 | 629 | 682 | 733 | 786 | 822 | 858 | 901 | 908 |
| Area (sq Ft) | $3,89,000$ | $4,00,000$ | $4,28,000$ | $4,55,000$ | $4,81,000$ | $5,04,000$ | 525,000 | 559,800 | 564,600 |

Source: Company PL

Exhibit 6: Tanishq is expanding International presence


Source: Company, PL

## Financials

Income Statement (Rs m)

| Y/e Mar | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Revenues | 2,72,780 | 3,83,260 | 4,54,812 | 5,39,873 |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 32.0 | 40.5 | 18.7 | 18.7 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | 2,06,580 | 2,90,460 | 3,45,205 | 4,09,504 |
| Gross Profit | 66,200 | 92,800 | 1,09,607 | 1,30,369 |
| Margin (\%) | 24.3 | 24.2 | 24.1 | 24.1 |
| Employee Cost | 11,430 | 13,620 | 15,896 | 18,871 |
| Other Expenses | 9,690 | 14,070 | 18,682 | 22,222 |
| EBITDA | 33,470 | 48,260 | 55,191 | 66,330 |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 89.0 | 44.2 | 14.4 | 20.2 |
| Margin (\%) | 12.3 | 12.6 | 12.1 | 12.3 |
| Depreciation and Amortization | 3,470 | 3,640 | 4,218 | 4,743 |
| EBIT | 30,000 | 44,620 | 50,973 | 61,587 |
| Margin (\%) | 11.0 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 11.4 |
| Net Interest | 1,950 | 2,400 | 2,598 | 2,858 |
| Other Income | 1,780 | 2,990 | 2,926 | 3,650 |
| Profit Before Tax | 29,830 | 45,210 | 51,302 | 62,378 |
| Margin (\%) | 10.9 | 11.8 | 11.3 | 11.6 |
| Total Tax | 7,520 | 11,320 | 12,825 | 15,594 |
| Effective tax rate (\%) | 25.2 | 25.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 |
| Profit after tax | 22,310 | 33,890 | 38,476 | 46,783 |
| Minority interest | - | - | - | - |


| Share Profit from Associate | - | - | - | - |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Adjusted PAT | $\mathbf{2 2 , 3 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 3 , 8 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 8 , 4 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 , 7 8 3}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 120.0 | 51.9 | 13.5 | 21.6 |
| Margin (\%) | 8.2 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 8.7 |
| Extra Ord. Income / (Exp) | $(510)$ | - | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Reported PAT | 21,800 | $\mathbf{3 3 , 8 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 8 , 4 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 , 7 8 3}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 148.6 | 55.5 | 13.5 | 21.6 |
| Margin (\%) | 8.0 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 8.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Comprehensive Income | $(50)$ | $(460)$ | - | - |
| Total Comprehensive Income | 21,750 | 33,430 | 38,476 | 46,783 |
| Equity Shares O/s (m) | 890 | $\mathbf{8 9 0}$ | 890 | 890 |
| EPS (Rs) | $\mathbf{2 5 . 1}$ | $\mathbf{3 8 . 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 . 2}$ | $\mathbf{5 2 . 6}$ |

Source: Company Data, PL Research

| Y/e Mar | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Non-Current Assets |  |  |  |  |
| Gross Block | 17,610 | 19,430 | 21,706 | 24,427 |
| Tangibles | 16,220 | 17,820 | 19,880 | 22,353 |
| Intangibles | 1,390 | 1,610 | 1,826 | 2,074 |
| Acc: Dep / Amortization | 7,130 | 8,400 | 9,934 | 11,626 |
| Tangibles | 6,090 | 7,130 | 8,449 | 9,926 |
| Intangibles | 1,040 | 1,270 | 1,485 | 1,700 |
| Net fixed assets | 10,480 | 11,030 | 11,773 | 12,801 |
| Tangibles | 10,130 | 10,690 | 11,432 | 12,427 |
| Intangibles | 350 | 340 | 341 | 374 |
| Capital Work In Progress | 710 | 1,270 | 1,387 | 1,516 |
| Goodwill | - | - | - |  |
| Non-Current Investments | 14,170 | 16,900 | 18,319 | 19,895 |
| Net Deferred tax assets | 1,360 | 1,440 | 1,817 | 2,157 |
| Other Non-Current Assets | 10,860 | 13,380 | 14,971 | 16,902 |
| Current Assets |  |  |  |  |
| Investments | 150 | 21,430 | 28,485 | 36,646 |
| Inventories | 1,27,870 | 1,49,520 | 1,73,557 | 2,02,141 |
| Trade receivables | 4,950 | 9,080 | 10,577 | 12,704 |
| Cash \& Bank Balance | 10,490 | 7,920 | 12,862 | 25,780 |
| Other Current Assets | 8,520 | 11,010 | 13,190 | 15,116 |
| Total Assets | 2,01,370 | 2,50,880 | 2,96,032 | 3,56,456 |
| Equity |  |  |  |  |
| Equity Share Capital | 890 | 890 | 890 | 890 |
| Other Equity | 92,840 | 1,19,050 | 1,46,125 | 1,81,338 |
| Total Networth | 93,730 | 1,19,940 | 1,47,015 | 1,82,228 |
| Non-Current Liabilities |  |  |  |  |
| Long Term borrowings | - | - | - |  |
| Provisions | 1,790 | 2,140 | 2,543 | 3,505 |
| Other non current liabilities | 10,260 | 13,590 | 12,450 | 13,953 |
| Current Liabilities |  |  |  |  |
| ST Debt / Current of LT Debt | 53,860 | 62,800 | 73,321 | 85,084 |
| Trade payables | 10,550 | 9,650 | 12,373 | 14,743 |
| Other current liabilities | 31,180 | 42,760 | 48,330 | 56,943 |
| Total Equity \& Liabilities | 2,01,370 | 2,50,880 | 2,96,032 | 3,56,456 |


| Cash Flow (Rs m) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Y/e Mar | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| PBT | 29,830 | 44,650 | 51,302 | 62,378 |
| Add. Depreciation | 3,470 | 3,640 | 4,218 | 4,743 |
| Add. Interest | 1,810 | 1,950 | 2,400 | 2,598 |
| Less Financial Other Income | 1,780 | 2,990 | 2,926 | 3,650 |
| Add. Other | $(2,090)$ | 820 | $(3,565)$ | (798) |
| Op. profit before WC changes | 33,020 | 51,060 | 54,354 | 68,921 |
| Net Changes-WC | $(12,000)$ | $(35,670)$ | $(17,149)$ | $(19,755)$ |
| Direct tax | $(7,520)$ | $(11,320)$ | $(12,825)$ | $(15,594)$ |
| Net cash from Op. activities | 13,500 | 4,070 | 24,380 | 33,572 |
| Capital expenditures | $(3,360)$ | $(4,750)$ | $(5,078)$ | $(5,901)$ |
| Interest / Dividend Income |  |  |  |  |
| Others | $(1,100)$ | $(2,470)$ | (558) | (586) |
| Net Cash from Invt. activities | $(4,460)$ | $(7,220)$ | $(5,636)$ | $(6,486)$ |
| Issue of share cap. / premium | (559) | (460) | $(2,502)$ |  |
| Debt changes | 2,250 | 9,650 | - |  |
| Dividend paid | $(3,551)$ | $(6,660)$ | $(8,900)$ | $(11,570)$ |
| Interest paid | $(1,810)$ | $(1,950)$ | $(2,400)$ | $(2,598)$ |
| Others |  | - | - | - |
| Net cash from Fin. activities | $(3,670)$ | 580 | $(13,802)$ | $(14,168)$ |
| Net change in cash | 5,370 | $(2,570)$ | 4,942 | 12,918 |
| Free Cash Flow | 10,140 | (680) | 19,302 | 27,671 |

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Quarterly Financials (Rs m)

| Y/e Mar | Q2FY23 | Q3FY23 | Q4FY23 | Q1FY24 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net Revenue | $\mathbf{8 7 , 3 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 0 8 , 7 5 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 7 , 0 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 1 , 4 5 0}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 21.8 | 14.3 | 33.4 | 24.4 |
| Raw Material Expenses | 64,130 | 83,720 | 74,820 | 88,050 |
| Gross Profit | 23,170 | 25,030 | 22,220 | 23,400 |
| Margin (\%) | 26.5 | 23.0 | 22.9 | 21.0 |
| EBITDA | $\mathbf{1 2 , 3 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 , 3 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 , 4 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 , 0 3 0}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 29.4 | $(4.9)$ | 33.5 | $(5.2)$ |
| Margin (\%) | 14.1 | 12.2 | 10.8 | 9.9 |
| Depreciation / Depletion | 890 | 930 | 950 | 990 |
| EBIT | $\mathbf{1 1 , 4 5 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 , 3 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 4 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 4 0}$ |
| Margin (\%) | 13.1 | 11.4 | 9.8 | 9.0 |
| Net Interest | 500 | 610 | 740 | 790 |
| Other Income | 600 | 910 | 1,040 | 990 |
| Profit before Tax | $\mathbf{1 1 , 5 5 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 , 6 7 0}$ | 9,790 | $\mathbf{1 0 , 2 4 0}$ |
| Margin (\%) | 13.2 | 11.7 | 10.1 | 9.2 |
| Total Tax | 2,980 | 3,160 | 2,450 | 2,470 |
| Effective tax rate (\%) | 25.8 | 24.9 | 25.0 | 24.1 |
| Profit after Tax | $\mathbf{8 , 5 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 5 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 3 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 7 7 0}$ |
| Minority interest | - | - | - | - |
| Share Profit from Associates | - | - | - | - |
| Adjusted PAT | $\mathbf{8 , 5 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 5 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 3 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 7 7 0}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 33.7 | $(3.6)$ | 35.4 | $(2.0)$ |
| Margin (\%) | 9.8 | 8.7 | 7.6 | 7.0 |
| Extra Ord. Income / (Exp) | - | - | - | - |
| Reported PAT | $\mathbf{8 , 5 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 5 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 3 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 7 7 0}$ |
| YoY gr. (\%) | 33.7 | $(3.6)$ | 49.5 | $(2.0)$ |
| Margin (\%) | 9.8 | 8.7 | 7.6 | 7.0 |
| Other Comprehensive Income | $(260)$ | $(270)$ | 80 | $(10)$ |
| Total Comprehensive Income | $\mathbf{8 , 3 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 2 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 4 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 7 6 0}$ |
| Avg. Shares O/s (m) | 890 | 890 | 890 | 890 |
| EPS (Rs) | 9.6 | $\mathbf{1 0 . 7}$ | 8.2 | $\mathbf{8 . 7}$ |
| Source: Company |  |  |  |  |

Source: Company Data, PL Research


| Analyst Coverage Universe |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Sr. No. | Company Name | Roting | TP (Rs) | Share Price (Rs) |
| 1 | Asian Paints | BUY | 3,527 | 3,400 |
| 2 | Avenue Supermarts | Hold | 4,574 | 3,678 |
| 3 | Britannia Industries | Hold | 4,800 | 5,174 |
| 4 | Colgate Palmolive | Accumulate | 1,869 | 1,898 |
| 5 | Dabur India | Accumulate | 590 | 592 |
| 6 | Emami | Hold | 517 | 427 |
| 7 | Hindustan Unilever | Accumulate | 2,775 | 2,700 |
| 8 | ITC | Hold | 478 | 465 |
| 9 | Jubilant FoodWorks | Accumulate | 490 | 476 |
| 10 | Kansai Nerolac Paints | Hold | 328 | 320 |
| 11 | Marico | Hold | 581 | 574 |
| 12 | Mold-tek Packaging | Accumulate | 968 | 1,074 |
| 13 | Nestle India | Hold | 23,585 | 22,325 |
| 14 | Pidilite Industries | Accumulate | 2,664 | 2,649 |
| 15 | Restaurant Brands Asia | Accumulate | 146 | 112 |
| 16 | Titan Company | Accumulate | 3,242 | 3,088 |
| 17 | Westlife Foodworld |  | 932 | 898 |

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| Buy | $:>15 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Accumulate | $: 5 \%$ to $15 \%$ |
| Hold | $:+5 \%$ to $-5 \%$ |
| Reduce | $:-5 \%$ to $-15 \%$ |
| Sell | $:<-15 \%$ |
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