

Tata Consumer Products (TATACONS)-ADD

Q2FY26 Result Update

Current Market Price (CMP) Rs.1179	Fair Value (FV) Rs.1175
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Rationale:

- TCPL reported 14%/~18% UVG/value growth for the India branded business.
- 12%/16% value growth in Tea/Salt (volume 5%/9%).
- 27% growth in ‘growth businesses’, as NourishCo/Sampann registered 25%/40% growth yoy.
- India business EBITDA margins rebounded to ~15% (+180 bps yoy), as tea prices moderated yoy.
- TCPL expects consolidated EBITDA margins to reach ~15%+ by 4Q.
- We trim estimates, roll over and revise FV to Rs1,175 (from Rs1,150), valuing TCPL at 50X Dec-27E PE (unchanged).
- We expect earnings to grow by 26.4% in FY27E & grow by 19.0% in FY28E.
- Stock is currently trading at valuation of 50.2x P/E FY28E EPS.

👍 Positives:

- A Consolidated revenues grew 17.8% yoy to Rs4970 cr (2.2% beat).
- India branded underlying volume growth (UVG) was 14%.
- India beverages revenue grew ~16% yoy, led by tea revenue/ volume growth of 12%/5% yoy (KIE: 12%/6%).
- Outlook positive across businesses, except for US tariff-related uncertainty.

👎 Negatives:

- TCPL moderated consolidated EBITDA margin guidance to 15%+ by Q4FY26E



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Holding Period: 12 months

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