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UltraTech Cement

Strong margin performance

We maintain BUY on UltraTech (UTCEM) with an unchanged target price of INR 7,295 (16x Mar'24E consolidated EBITDA). We continue to like the company for its strong growth and margin outlook and balance sheet management. UTCEM's Q1FY23 consolidated EBITDA came in ~10/15% ahead of ours/consensus numbers. Due to elevated fuel prices, UTCEM's consolidated EBITDA/APAT in Q1FY23 fell 6/7% YoY (despite 28% revenue growth). While unitary EBITDA fell 20% YoY, it rebounded 11% QoQ to a healthy INR 1,236/MT. UTCEM cautioned that its fuel cost has not yet peaked out. It will be adding ~40mn MT capacity during FY23-25E, expanding its grey capacity to 154mn MT by the end of FY25E. It also expects to double its green power share to 36% in FY25, vs 18% currently.

- Q1FY23 performance: EBITDA came in ~10/15% ahead of ours/consensus numbers on NSR beat. Grey sales volume fell 10% QoQ, but went up 16% YoY (on a low base of last year). NSR firmed up 6/10% QoQ/YoY on healthy pricing gains. White cement and putty revenue rose 38% YoY (-8% QoQ). RMC revenue firmed up 77/6% YoY/QoQ. Blended opex inflated 5/22% QoQ/YoY (in line with our estimate). Input cost went up 4% QoQ (on fuel price increase), while fixed cost was up 9% QoQ (in line with volume loss). Unitary EBITDA expanded 11% QoQ (down 20% YoY) to INR 1,236 per MT. Cost inflation pulled down consolidated EBITDA/APAT by 6/7% YoY (despite 28% revenue growth). Consolidated net debt increased 35% QoQ amid ongoing expansion.
- Con call KTAs, other updates and outlook: UTCEM guided June-22 exit price is down ~3-5% vs Q1FY23 due to the onset of monsoon. It expects its energy cost to continue to rise QoQ for 2-3 quarters. UTCEM will spend ~INT 60bn in Capex in FY23E, which also includes phase-2 Capex. It plans to add 16.7mn MT capacity by FY23 end and another ~23mn MT (across north, central, east and south by FY25E). It is targeting grey capacity of 154mn MT by FY25. UTCEM is also aggressively expanding its green power capacities with a target of ~36% share by FY25 (Q1FY23 19%). We maintain our FY23/24E estimates as well as target price on the stock.

Consolidated quarterly/annual financial summary

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YE Mar (INR bn)	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22	YoY (%)	Q4 FY22	QoQ (%)	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Sales (mn MT)	25.0	21.5	16.3	27.7	(9.6)	82.5	86.4	94.0	101.5	113.5
NSR (INR/MT)	6,056	5,495	10.2	5,694	6.3	5,142	5,175	5,595	5,987	5,987
EBITDA(INR/MT)	1,236	1,536	(19.5)	1,110	11.4	1,137	1,338	1,225	1,013	1,138
Net Sales	151.6	118.3	28.2	157.7	(3.8)	424.3	447.3	526.0	607.7	679.4
EBITDA	30.9	33.1	(6.4)	30.7	0.7	93.8	115.7	115.1	102.8	129.1
APAT	15.8	17.0	(7.0)	14.8	7.2	38.7	55.8	56.7	46.4	72.9
AEPS (INR)	54.9	59.0	(7.0)	51.2	7.2	134.0	193.3	196.3	160.7	252.5
EV/EBITDA (x)						21.7	16.7	16.5	18.4	14.3
EV/MT (INR bn)						17.2	16.3	15.7	14.3	13.3
P/E (x)						48.0	33.3	32.8	40.0	25.5
RoE (%)						10.6	13.4	12.0	8.9	12.8
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Source: Company, HSIE Research

BUY

CMP (as on 22	INR 6,459	
Target Price		INR 7,295
NIFTY		16,719
KEY CHANGES	OLD	NEW
Rating	BUY	BUY
Price Target	INR 7,295	INR 7,295
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EBITDA %	0.0	0.0

KEY STOCK DATA

Bloomberg code	UTCEM IN
No. of Shares (mn)	289
MCap (INR bn) / (\$ mn)	1,964/25,054
6m avg traded value (INI	R mn) 3,106
52 Week high / low	INR 8,269/5,157

STOCK PERFORMANCE (%)

	3 M	6 M	12M
Absolute (%)	(4.2)	(12.2)	(13.4)
Relative (%)	(2.3)	(7.2)	(19.5)

SHAREHOLDING PATTERN (%)

	Mar-22	Jun-22
Promoters	60.00	59.96
FIs & Local MFs	16.39	18.16
FPIs	14.03	13.12
Public & Others	9.62	8.76
Pledged Shares	-	-
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Source : BSE

Pledged shares as % of total shares

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SRF

Capacity addition cycle continues

We retain our ADD rating on SRF, with a target price of INR 2,550, on the back of (1) continued healthy performance from speciality chemicals business; (2) strong balance sheet; and (3) deployment of Capex for high-growth speciality chemicals business over the next 3-4 years to tap opportunities emerging from agrochemical and pharma industries. EBITDA/APAT were 9/6% above our estimates, owing to an 8% rise in revenue, lower-than-expected raw material cost and finance cost, offset by lower-than-expected other income and higher-than-expected tax outgo.

- Chemicals business (CB): Revenue/EBIT jumped 55/134% YoY to INR 17/5bn in Q1. The fluorochemicals business performed extremely well on account of higher sales volumes in the refrigerants, pharma propellants and blends segments with better sales realisations, especially from the export markets. Growth in the quarter was also backed by robust demand for flagship products and downstream derivatives in the speciality chemicals business.
- Packaging films business (PFB): Revenue/EBIT jumped 44/25% YoY to INR 15/3bn. In Q1, PFB witnessed a slight slowdown in demand for BOPET and BOPP films, which impacted the overall margins. The company foresees strong headwinds for the business with weak global demand and inventory losses in the short term.
- Capex: The Board has approved a project to set up a 1,000mtpa facility, to produce an agrochemical intermediate at Dahej at a cost of INR ∼2.5bn. The Board has also approved a project for capacity expansion of a pharma/agrochem intermediate product at Dahej at a cost of INR ∼0.7bn. The Board has also approved a project for capacity expansion of belting fabrics operations at its technical textiles business unit in Viralimalai, from 1,100 metric tons per month (MTPM) to 1,800 MTPM, at a projected cost of INR 1.6bn, to be spent over a period of three years.
- Change in estimates: We raise our FY23/24 EPS estimates by 18.2/8.5% to INR 83.0/92.5 to account for an increased revenue assumption and the incorporation of annual report FY22.
- DCF-based valuation: Our target price is INR 2,550 (WACC 11%, terminal growth 5.5%). The stock is trading at 24.8x FY24E EPS.

Financial summary (consolidated)

	Q1	Q4	QoQ	Q1	YoY	EV01	E3/00	EV/22E	EV04E	EVOLE
INR mn	FY23	FY22	(%)	FY22	(%)	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E	FY25E
Net Sales	38,947	35,494	9.7	26,994	44.3	82,954	1,23,128	1,50,265	1,70,108	1,91,620
EBITDA	10,198	9,366	8.9	6,644	53.5	21,333	31,032	40,076	44,629	51,635
APAT	6,080	6,057	0.4	3,953	53.8	11,635	18,285	24,602	27,404	31,840
AEPS (INR)	20.5	20.4	0.4	13.3	53.8	39.3	61.7	83.0	92.5	107.4
P/E (x)						58.4	37.2	27.6	24.8	21.3
EV/EBITDA(x)						32.9	22.8	17.8	16.0	13.7
RoE (%)						19.7	23.7	25.8	23.6	22.7

Source: Company, HSIE Research

Change in estimates (consolidated)

Y/E Mar	FY23E Old	FY23E New	% Ch	FY24E Old	FY24E New	% Ch				
EBITDA (INR mn)	34,292	40,076	16.9	40,976	44,629	8.9				
Adj. EPS (INR/sh)	70.2	83.0	18.2	85.2	92.5	8.5				

Source: Company, HSIE Research

ADD

CMP (as on 22	INR 2,292	
Target Price		INR 2,550
NIFTY		16,719
KEY CHANGES	OLD	NEW
Rating	ADD	ADD
Price Target	INR 2,330	INR 2,550
EPS %	FY23E	FY24E
	+18.2%	+8.5%

KEY STOCK DATA

Bloomberg code	SRF IN
No. of Shares (mn)	296
MCap (INR bn) / (\$ mn)	679/9,124
6m avg traded value (INI	R mn) 1,911
52 Week high / low	INR 2,773/1,514

STOCK PERFORMANCE (%)

	3M	6 M	12M
Absolute (%)	(8.0)	(7.5)	44.8
Relative (%)	(6.0)	(2.5)	38.7

SHAREHOLDING PATTERN (%)

	Mar-22	Jun-22
Promoters	50.73	50.73
FIs & Local MFs	8.71	9.36
FPIs	19.60	19.21
Public & Others	20.96	20.70
Pledged Shares	0.00	0.00
Source : BSE		

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Bandhan Bank

Near-term stress management crucial

Despite a strong rebound in advances (+20% YoY), Bandhan reported a ~14% miss on account of soft NIMs (8%) and lower other income (-66% YoY). Incremental growth was led by non-EEB businesses, in line with the bank's strategy to drive portfolio diversification (FY25 targeted Group EEB share of portfolio at 26%). Gross slippages were elevated (~5.4%), stemming from the EEB portfolio due to Assam floods/restructuring resulting in a 79bps QoQ increase in GNPA. We remain watchful of the asset quality and the impact of a shift in portfolio mix on the bank's steady-state return metrics. We reduce our FY23E /FY24E estimates to factor in lower other income and higher credit costs. Maintain BUY with a revised target price of INR396 (2.7x Mar-24 ABVPS).

- EEB portfolio impacted; non-MFI drives disbursements: Disbursals in the EEB-Group portfolio were impacted by regulatory changes and clocked in sequentially lower (-63% QoQ), resulting in a 9% YoY loan de-growth. The non-EEB book, however, maintained momentum, led by mortgage and commercial banking, in line with the bank's stated diversification strategy. The share of non-EEB Group portfolio stood at ~56% (FY25 target: 26%).
- Stress pool still elevated in different buckets: GNPA/NNPA deteriorated sequentially to 7.3%/1.9% on account of higher gross slippages (5.4%) from the EEB portfolio, including delinquencies from restructured accounts that are now out of moratorium. The total stress pool (SMA-2 + restructured + GNPA) increased 100bps sequentially (18.5% of loans) with just 57% of the restructured borrowers making part payments. The management expects the buckets (61-90 dpd bucket increased 370bps) to normalise in line with improving collection efficiencies through the rest of FY23.
- Diversification strategy on track; near-term recoveries crucial: The bank's strategy to foray into other retail and commercial banking businesses is on track. While we appreciate the need for loan book diversification for greater franchise stability, we believe this could set a new normal for steady-state return metrics. We are watchful of the repayment trends flowing in from the restructured book to gain incremental confidence on asset quality.

Financial summary

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(INR bn)	Q1FY23	Q1FY22	<i>YoY</i> (%)	Q4FY22	QoQ (%)	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
NII	25.1	21.1	18.9%	25.4	-1.0%	75.6	87.1	102.7	117.2
PPOP	18.2	18.7	-2.7%	25.2	-27.8%	68.6	80.1	88.5	98.0
PAT	8.9	3.7	137.6%	19.0	-53.4%	22.1	1.3	39.7	50.2
EPS (INR)	5.5	2.3	137.1%	11.8	-53.4%	13.7	0.8	24.6	31.1
ROAE (%)						13.5	0.7	20.8	21.8
ROAA (%)						2.1	0.1	2.6	2.8
ABVPS (INR)						90.3	98.2	120.6	147.7
P/ABV (x)						3.2	2.9	2.4	1.9
P/E (x)						20.9	366.5	11.6	9.2

Change in estimates

(IND less)	FY23E			FY24E		
(INR bn)	Old	New	Change	Old	New	Change
Net advances	1,123	1,121	-0.2%	1,341	1,338	-0.2%
NIM (%)	7.5	7.5	0 bps	7.3	7.3	-1 bps
NII	102.8	102.7	-0.1%	117.5	117.2	-0.3%
PPOP	89.0	88.5	-0.6%	99.0	98.0	-0.9%
PAT	41.3	39.7	-4.0%	51.7	50.2	-2.9%
Adj. BVPS (INR)	120.5	120.6	0.1%	147.9	147.7	-0.1%

Source: Company, HSIE Research

BUY

CMP (as on 2	INR 286	
Target Price		INR 396
NIFTY		16,719
KEY CHANGES	OLD	NEW
Rating	BUY	BUY
Price Target	INR 404	INR 396
EPS %	FY23E	FY24E
	-4%	-2.9%
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KEY STOCK DATA

Bloomberg code	BANDHAN IN
No. of Shares (mn)	1,611
MCap (INR bn) / (\$ mn)	461/6,191
6m avg traded value (IN	IR mn) 2,822
52 Week high / low	INR 350/230

STOCK PERFORMANCE (%)

	3 M	6M	12M
Absolute (%)	(13.4)	(3.2)	(6.2)
Relative (%)	(11.4)	1.8	(12.3)

SHAREHOLDING PATTERN (%)

	Mar-22	Jun-22
Promoters	40.0	40.0
FIs & Local MFs	18.1	20.7
FPIs	34.3	35.6
Public & Others	7.6	3.7
Pledged Shares	0.0	0.0
Source : BSE		

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Mphasis

Steady performance

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- Q1FY23 highlights: (1) Revenue came in at USD 436mn, +2.0/+22.1% QoQ/YoY (CC terms), led by growth of +2.4/+28.3% QoQ/YoY (CC terms) in the direct business (94% of revenue) while DXC (5% of revenue) declined 6.7% QoQ (CC terms). (2) EBITM stood at 15.3% (vs. our estimate of 15.5%), +9bps QoQ and -61bps YoY supported by higher utilisation. (3) Deal wins in direct international, at USD 302mn, declined 13% QoQ (up 18% YoY excluding a large deal of USD 250mn won in Q1FY22) and included one USD 50mn+ deal; 84% of these were in next-gen services. (4) MPHL added a billable headcount of 941 in Q1FY23 and onsite/offshore utilisation improved by 100/200bps QoQ respectively. (5) Top-5/10 clients grew +3.1/2.5% QoQ in Q1 and the company added one client in the USD 150mn+ category.
- Outlook: We have factored in +14.3/13.1% growth in revenue, based on growth in the direct business at +17.2/14.5% and DXC channel at -24.1/-13.1% for FY23/24E respectively; further, we have factored in EBITM at 15.2/15.5% for FY23/24E, resulting in an EPS CAGR of 16% over FY22-24E.

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YE March (INR bn)	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22	YoY (%)	Q4 FY22	QoQ (%)	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Revenue (USD mn)	436	363	20.1	431	1.2	1,240	1,309	1,593	1,820	2,059
Net Sales	32.78	25.24	29.8	31.24	4.9	88.44	97.22	119.62	142.10	162.63
EBIT	4.97	4.05	22.7	4.71	5.7	14.19	15.61	18.27	21.66	25.15
APAT	3.92	3.17	23.7	3.58	9.6	11.42	12.17	14.46	16.83	19.62
Diluted EPS (INR)	20.9	16.9	23.7	19.1	9.6	61.1	65.0	77.3	90.0	104.9
P/E (x)						37.3	35.0	29.4	25.3	21.7
EV / EBITDA (x)						24.7	22.3	19.1	16.0	13.7
RoE (%)						20.6	19.7	21.5	23.0	24.2

Source: Company, HSIE Research, Consolidated Financials

Change in Estimates

Change in Estimates						
YE March (INR bn)	FY23E	FY23E	Change	FY24E	FY24E	Change
TE March (INK bh)	Old	Revised	%	Old	Revised	%
Revenue (USD mn)	1,850	1,820	(1.6)	2,090	2,059	(1.5)
Revenue	143.96	142.10	(1.3)	165.07	162.63	(1.5)
EBIT	21.88	21.66	(1.0)	25.51	25.15	(1.4)
EBIT margin (%)	15.2	15.2	5bps	15.5	15.5	1bps
APAT	16.91	16.83	(0.5)	19.89	19.62	(1.3)
EPS (INR)	90.4	90.0	(0.5)	106.3	104.9	(1.3)

Source: Company, HSIE Research

CMP (as on 22 Jul 2022)		INR 2,276
Target Price		INR 2,940
NIFTY		16,719
KEY CHANGES	OLD	NEW
Rating	BUY	BUY
Price Target	INR 2,975	INR 2,940
EPS %	FY23E	FY24E
E1 3 /0	-0.5	-1.3

KEY STOCK DATA

Bloomberg code	MPHL IN
No. of Shares (mn)	188
MCap (INR bn) / (\$ mn)	428/5,754
6m avg traded value (INI	R mn) 1,502
52 Week high / low	INR 3,660/2,071

STOCK PERFORMANCE (%)

	3 M	6 M	12M
Absolute (%)	(21.4)	(24.7)	(4.2)
Relative (%)	(19.4)	(19.7)	(10.3)

SHAREHOLDING PATTERN (%)

	Mar-22	Jun-22
Promoters	55.80	55.72
FIs & Local MFs	17.78	17.88
FPIs	21.09	20.48
Public & Others	5.33	5.92
Pledged Shares	0.00	0.00
Source : BSE		

Pledged shares as % of total shares

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Rating Criteria

BUY: >+15% return potential
ADD: +5% to +15% return potential
REDUCE: -10% to +5% return potential
SELL: > 10% Downside return potential

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Krishnan ASV	Bandhan Bank	PGDM	NO
Deepak Shinde	Bandhan Bank	PGDM	NO
Neelam Bhatia	Bandhan Bank	PGDM	NO
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