

# Petronet LNG

Estimate change



TP change



Rating change



|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Bloomberg             | PLNG IN     |
| Equity Shares (m)     | 1500        |
| M.Cap.(INRb)/(USDb)   | 416.5 / 4.7 |
| 52-Week Range (INR)   | 350 / 266   |
| 1, 6, 12 Rel. Per (%) | -2/-16/-21  |
| 12M Avg Val (INR M)   | 743         |

## Financials & Valuations (INR b)

| Y/E March      | FY26E | FY27E | FY28E |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Sales          | 476.4 | 502.0 | 507.9 |
| EBITDA         | 48.1  | 66.6  | 58.7  |
| Adj. PAT       | 33.3  | 46.7  | 39.6  |
| Adj. EPS (INR) | 22.2  | 31.1  | 26.4  |
| EPS Gr. (%)    | -15.3 | 40.3  | -15.1 |
| BV/Sh.(INR)    | 142.9 | 162.1 | 178.5 |

## Ratios

|            |      |      |      |
|------------|------|------|------|
| Net D:E    | -0.4 | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| RoE (%)    | 16.3 | 20.4 | 15.5 |
| RoCE (%)   | 16.8 | 20.0 | 15.0 |
| Payout (%) | 38.2 | 38.2 | 38.2 |

## Valuation

|                |      |     |      |
|----------------|------|-----|------|
| P/E (x)        | 12.5 | 8.9 | 10.5 |
| P/BV (x)       | 1.9  | 1.7 | 1.6  |
| EV/EBITDA (x)  | 6.9  | 5.0 | 6.0  |
| Div. Yield (%) | 3.0  | 4.3 | 3.6  |

## Shareholding pattern (%)

| As On    | Sep-25 | Jun-25 | Sep-24 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| Promoter | 50.0   | 50.0   | 50.0   |
| DII      | 11.7   | 10.9   | 11.8   |
| FII      | 28.0   | 29.0   | 27.3   |
| Others   | 10.3   | 10.1   | 10.9   |

FII includes depository receipts

**CMP: INR278**

**TP: INR390 (+40%)**

**Buy**

## Stable 2Q performance; volume recovery crucial

- PLNG's 2QFY26 revenue/EBITDA came in line with our estimate at INR110b/11.2b. The company booked additional provisions of INR1.3b against UoP dues during the quarter. UoP trade receivables of INR289m were waived off during 2Q. EBITDA adjusted for UoP provisioning and waiver stood 10% above our estimate. Reported PAT was in line at INR8.1b, aided by higher-than-expected other income.
- Total volumes came in line with our estimate at 228tbttu. Dahej utilization was in line with our estimates, while Kochi utilization stood 12% above est. We note that spot LNG prices dipped QoQ in 2Q, averaging USD11.8/mmbtu (USD12.4 in 1Q).
- The 5mmtpa capacity expansion at the Dahej terminal is now expected to be operational by the end of Mar'26, reflecting a delay of about three months. Considering this delay and the recent softness in service volumes, we revise our FY26 volume assumption for the Dahej terminal to 16.9mmtpa (from 17.1mmtpa earlier), leading to a 9% reduction in our FY26 PAT estimate.
- According to our DCF analysis (WACC: 10.5%), at CMP, PLNG is pricing in an unrealistic scenario of a 20% decline in tariffs at the Dahej and Kochi terminals in FY28, with no tariff hike thereafter and 0% terminal growth. At 8.9x FY27E P/E and a ~4.3% dividend yield, we believe valuations are inexpensive. We reiterate our BUY rating with a DCF-based TP of INR390.

## Key highlights from the management commentary

- Kochi terminal reported record-high utilization during the quarter, driven by BPCL's Kochi refinery starting cargo imports.
- **Update on Dahej petchem expansion:** As of 10 Nov'25, more than INR6b of capex has been incurred on this project.
- **Gopalpur terminal:** Land has been acquired, and the revised Environmental Clearance (EC) has been resubmitted. The company is expecting the clearance soon (no timeline shared).
- Regas revenue contribution stood at INR7.5b. In 2Q, inventory gain stood at INR410m. Trading gains were nil during the quarter.

## UoP provisioning and waiver weigh on 2Q performance

- PLNG's 2QFY26 revenue was in line with our estimate at INR110b.
- EBITDA fell 7% YoY to INR11.2b (4% below our estimate).
  - The company booked additional provisions of INR1.3b against UoP dues during the quarter. UoP trade receivables of INR289m were waived off during 2Q. **EBITDA adjusted for UoP provisioning and waiver stood 10% above the estimate.**
- Reported PAT was in line with our estimate at INR8.1b, down 5% YoY, supported by higher-than-expected other income.
  - **PAT adjusted for UoP provisioning, and the waiver stood 23% above the estimate.**

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- Spot LNG prices fell QoQ in 2Q, averaging USD11.8/mmbtu (USD12.4 in 1Q).
- Operational performance:
  - Total volumes came in line with our estimate at 228tbtu. No spot volumes were recorded during the quarter.
  - Dahej utilization was in line with our estimates, while Kochi utilization stood 12% above our estimates.
- **As of Sep'25**, provisions on UoP dues stood at INR7.4b.
- UoP dues of INR13.9b (net of provision: INR6.6b) were included in trade receivables as of Sep'25. PLNG has obtained bank guarantees from some customers to recover UoP charges. While some customers have not given balance confirmations toward these dues, management is confident of recovering such charges.
- The Board declared an interim dividend of INR7/sh (FV: INR10/sh).

### Valuation and view

- As per our DCF analysis (WACC: 10.5%), at CMP, PLNG is pricing in an unrealistic scenario of a 20% decline in tariffs at the Dahej and Kochi terminals in FY28, with no tariff hike thereafter and 0% terminal growth. At 8.9x FY27E P/E and a ~4.3% dividend yield, we believe valuations are inexpensive.
- Our DCF-based TP of INR390 (WACC: 10.5%, TG = 2%) assumes a 10% tariff cut in FY28, followed by a 4% rise for both the terminals. While we have incorporated the full capex for the petchem plant, we value it conservatively at 0.5x FY29E P/B and discount this back to FY27.

### Standalone – Quarterly Earnings

|                        |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              | (INR b)   |            |           |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| Y/E March              | FY25         |              |              |              |              | FY26         |              |              |              |           | Var        | YoY       |
|                        | 1Q           | 2Q           | 3Q           | 4Q           | 1Q           | 2Q           | 3QE          | 4QE          | 2QE          | (%)       | (%)        | QoQ       |
| <b>Net Sales</b>       | <b>134.2</b> | <b>130.2</b> | <b>122.3</b> | <b>123.2</b> | <b>118.8</b> | <b>110.1</b> | <b>120.9</b> | <b>128.8</b> | <b>113.6</b> | <b>-3</b> | <b>-15</b> | <b>-7</b> |
| YoY Change (%)         | 15.1         | 3.9          | -17.1        | -10.7        | -11.4        | -15.5        | -1.2         | 4.5          | -12.8        |           |            |           |
| <b>EBITDA</b>          | <b>15.6</b>  | <b>12.0</b>  | <b>12.5</b>  | <b>15.1</b>  | <b>11.6</b>  | <b>11.2</b>  | <b>11.8</b>  | <b>14.0</b>  | <b>11.6</b>  | <b>-4</b> | <b>-7</b>  | <b>-4</b> |
| Margin (%)             | 11.7         | 9.2          | 10.2         | 12.3         | 9.8          | 10.1         | 9.8          | 10.8         | 10.2         |           |            |           |
| Depreciation           | 1.9          | 2.0          | 2.1          | 2.1          | 2.1          | 2.1          | 2.2          | 2.2          | 2.0          |           |            |           |
| Interest               | 0.7          | 0.7          | 0.7          | 0.6          | 0.6          | 0.6          | 0.6          | 0.6          | 0.6          |           |            |           |
| Other Income           | 2.2          | 2.0          | 2.0          | 2.0          | 2.4          | 2.4          | 1.4          | 1.4          | 1.5          |           |            |           |
| <b>PBT</b>             | <b>15.2</b>  | <b>11.4</b>  | <b>11.7</b>  | <b>14.5</b>  | <b>11.4</b>  | <b>10.8</b>  | <b>10.3</b>  | <b>12.6</b>  | <b>10.5</b>  | <b>3</b>  | <b>-5</b>  | <b>-5</b> |
| Rate (%)               | 24.9         | 25.7         | 25.8         | 26.0         | 25.1         | 25.6         | 25.2         | 19.4         | 25.2         |           |            |           |
| <b>Reported PAT</b>    | <b>11.4</b>  | <b>8.5</b>   | <b>8.7</b>   | <b>10.7</b>  | <b>8.5</b>   | <b>8.1</b>   | <b>7.7</b>   | <b>10.2</b>  | <b>7.8</b>   |           |            |           |
| YoY Change (%)         | 44.5         | 3.6          | -27.2        | 45.1         | -25.5        | -4.9         | -11.0        | -5.1         | -7.4         |           |            |           |
| Margin (%)             | 8.5          | 6.5          | 7.1          | 8.7          | 7.2          | 7.3          | 6.4          | 7.9          | 6.9          |           |            |           |
| <b>Key Assumptions</b> |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |           |            |           |
| Total Volumes (Tbtu)   | 262.0        | 239.0        | 228.0        | 205.0        | 220.0        | 228.0        | 229.4        | 235.7        | 227.5        | <b>0</b>  | <b>-5</b>  | <b>4</b>  |
| Dahej utilization (%)  | 112%         | 102%         | 96%          | 85%          | 94%          | 95%          | 97%          | 100%         | 96%          | <b>-1</b> | <b>-6</b>  | <b>2</b>  |
| Kochi utilization (%)  | 22%          | 22%          | 24%          | 25%          | 21%          | 27%          | 24%          | 23%          | 24%          | <b>12</b> | <b>21</b>  | <b>31</b> |

**Exhibit 1: PLNG – DCF valuation**

| PLNG - DCF Valuation | FY25   | FY26E  | FY27E  | FY28E  | FY29E  | FY30E  | FY31E  | FY32E  |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| PLNG EBITDA (INRm)   | 55,241 | 48,082 | 66,569 | 58,711 | 63,278 | 67,974 | 74,428 | 79,846 |
| Depreciation         | 8,062  | 8,609  | 8,765  | 9,587  | 10,546 | 11,612 | 12,130 | 12,080 |
| EBIT                 | 47,179 | 39,473 | 57,804 | 49,124 | 52,732 | 56,362 | 62,298 | 67,766 |
| Tax rate (%)         | 26     | 26     | 26     | 26     | 26     | 26     | 26     | 26     |
| Capital expenditure  | 14,518 | 35,000 | 40,000 | 50,000 | 45,000 | 30,000 | 10,000 | 2,000  |
| Change in WC         | 1,730  | -886   | 1,441  | -606   | 849    | 1,310  | 501    | 353    |
| FCFF (INRm)          | 26,930 | 3,876  | 10,348 | -3,243 | 3,946  | 22,253 | 47,998 | 60,166 |
| Year                 |        | 0      | 1      | 2      | 3      | 4      | 5      | 6      |
| Discount factor      |        | 0.98   | 0.88   | 0.80   | 0.72   | 0.65   | 0.59   | 0.54   |
| PV(FCFF; INR m)      |        | 3,780  | 9,133  | -2,590 | 2,852  | 14,555 | 28,410 | 32,227 |

Source: Company, MOFSL

**Exhibit 2: PLNG – one-year forward DCF valuation**

| DCF Valuation                          |          |
|----------------------------------------|----------|
| Terminal cash flow (INRm)              | 60,166   |
| Terminal growth rate                   | 2.0%     |
| Terminal value (INRm)                  | 7,25,261 |
| PV (Terminal Value)                    | 3,88,470 |
| PV of cash flows                       | 88,366   |
| Enterprise value (INRm)                | 4,76,836 |
| Net debt (INRm)                        | -86,035  |
| Equity value (INRm)                    | 5,62,871 |
| Fair value (INR)                       | 375      |
| Add: Petrochemical complex at 0.5x P/B | 15       |
| Target price (INR)                     | 390      |

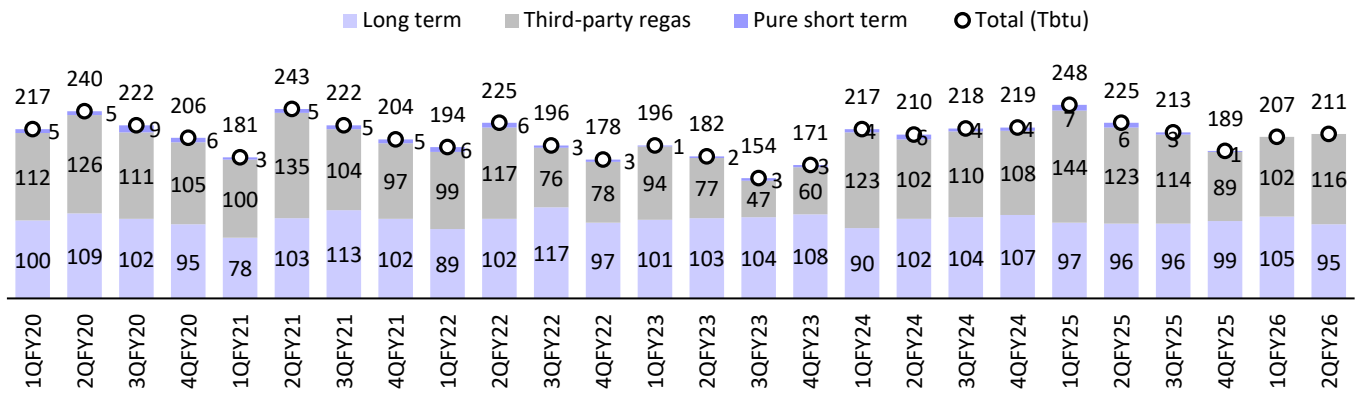
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**Exhibit 3: PLNG – key assumptions**

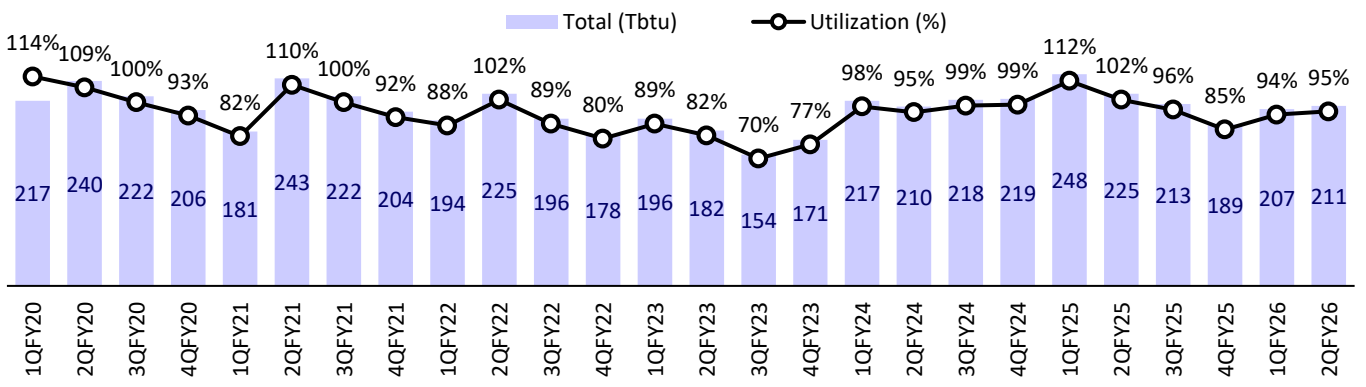
| Key assumptions                 | FY25 | FY26E | FY27E | FY28E | FY29E | FY30E | FY31E | FY32E |
|---------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Volume sold (mmtpa)</b>      |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Dahej terminal                  | 17.3 | 16.9  | 18.3  | 18.9  | 19.5  | 20.1  | 20.6  | 21.2  |
| Terminal utilization            | 99%  | 97%   | 81%   | 84%   | 87%   | 89%   | 92%   | 94%   |
| Kochi terminal                  | 1.2  | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.7   | 1.9   | 2.1   | 2.4   |
| Terminal utilization            | 23%  | 24%   | 25%   | 29%   | 34%   | 38%   | 43%   | 47%   |
| Total                           | 19.5 | 19.0  | 20.3  | 21.2  | 22.0  | 22.9  | 23.7  | 24.5  |
| <b>Regas tariff (INR/mmbtu)</b> |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Dahej terminal                  | 63.7 | 66.9  | 70.2  | 63.2  | 65.7  | 68.3  | 71.1  | 73.9  |
| YoY increase/(decrease)         | 5%   | 5%    | 5%    | -10%  | 4%    | 4%    | 4%    | 4%    |
| Kochi terminal                  | 89.3 | 93.8  | 98.5  | 88.6  | 92.2  | 95.8  | 99.7  | 103.7 |
| YoY increase/(decrease)         | 5%   | 5%    | 5%    | -10%  | 4%    | 4%    | 4%    | 4%    |

Source: Company, MOFSL

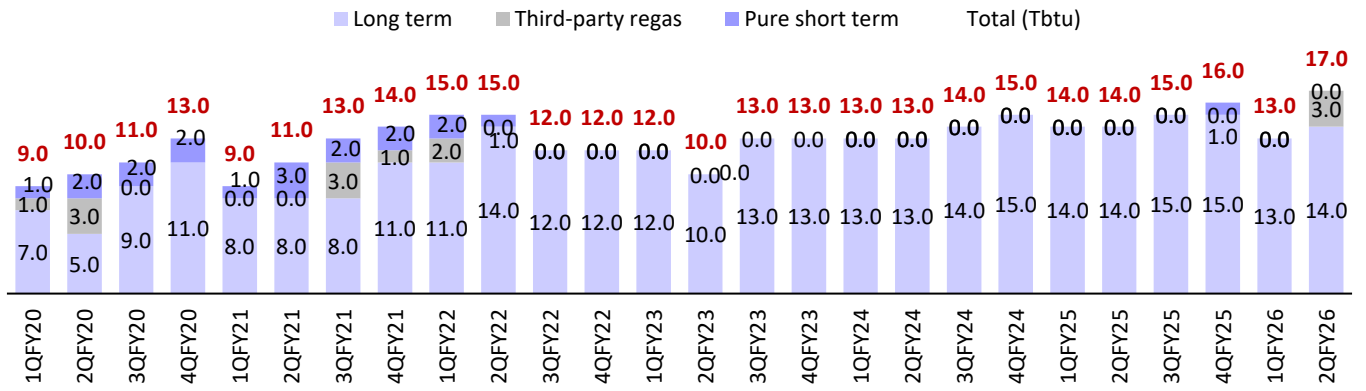
**Exhibit 1: Dahej – total volumes at 211Tbtu, down 6% YoY**



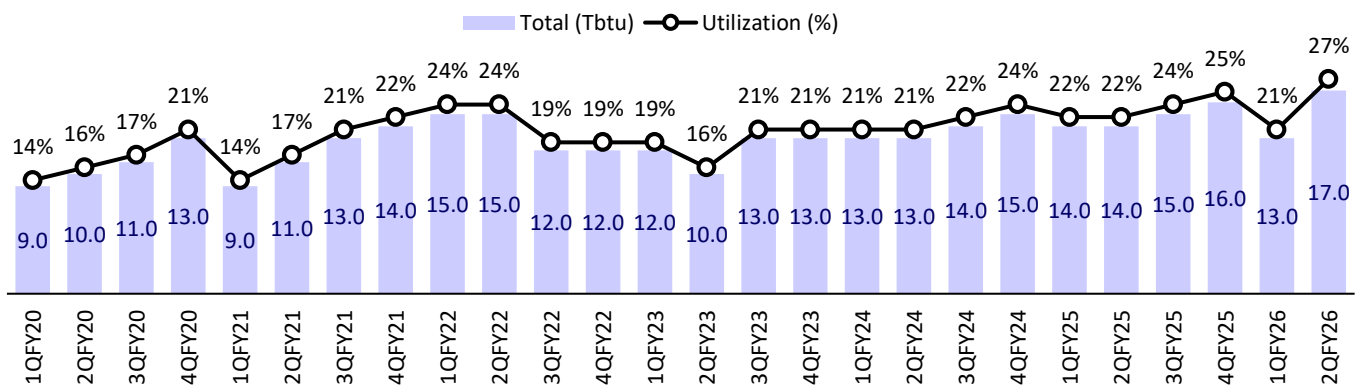
**Exhibit 2: Dahej terminal utilization at 95% in 2QFY26**



**Exhibit 3: Kochi – total volumes at 17Tbtu, up 21% YoY**



**Exhibit 4: Kochi terminal utilization at 27% in 2QFY26**



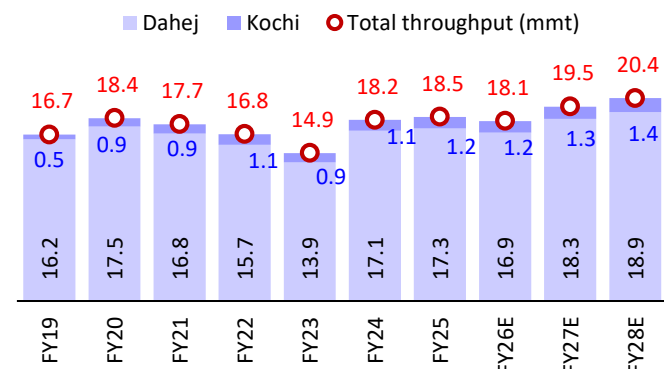
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## Highlights from the management commentary

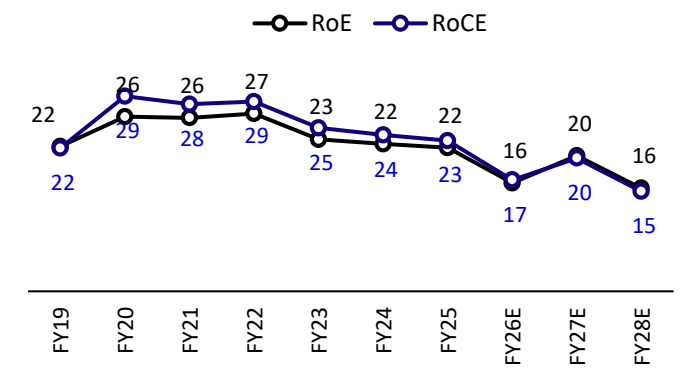
- **Dahej terminal expansion:** 5mmtpa capacity shall be operational by end-Mar'26 (a three-month delay).
  - As of 10 Nov'25, INR4.5b capex has been incurred on this project.
- **Update on Dahej petchem expansion:**
  - As of 10 Nov'25, INR6b+ capex has been incurred on this project.
- **Gopalpur terminal:**
  - Land has been acquired, and revised EC (Environmental Clearance) has been resubmitted. The company is expecting the clearance soon (no timeline shared).
- **Kochi terminal** achieved the highest ever utilization during the quarter.
  - BPCL's Kochi refinery has started importing cargoes at the Kochi terminal, leading to an improvement in utilization. This trend is expected to continue.
  - KMBPL to be connected to NGG by the end of FY26. Lower LNG prices and pipeline connectivity shall increase terminal utilization in FY27.
- **FY26 Capex guidance:** 50b (petchem majorly). The company has incurred INR5.3b in 1HFY26. The annual capex guidance stands, given that Gopalpur terminal's EC is received promptly.
- **Regas revenue stood at INR7.5b.** There were no trading gains during the quarter. Inventory gains stood at INR410m.
- Gorgon's volumes at Dahej totalled 7tbtu YTD.
- **UoP dues:**
  - Provision reversal shall happen in 4Q. The company expects provision reversal of ~INR6-6.5b.
  - Provision split:
    - CY22: INR5.2b
    - CY23: INR2b
    - CY24: INR120m

**Exhibit 5: Volume snapshot**



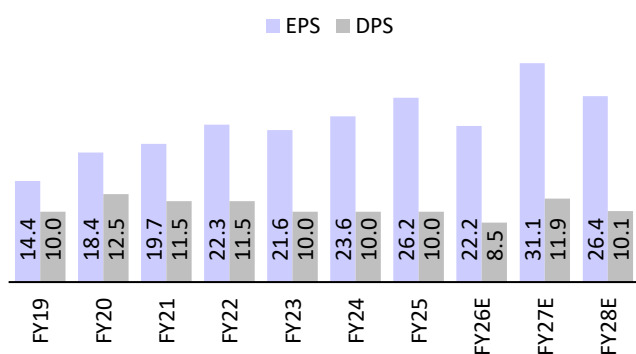
Source: Company, MOFSL

**Exhibit 6: Return ratios profile**



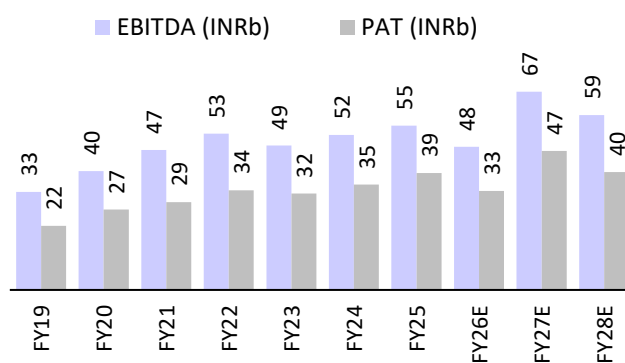
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**Exhibit 7: Payout ratios**



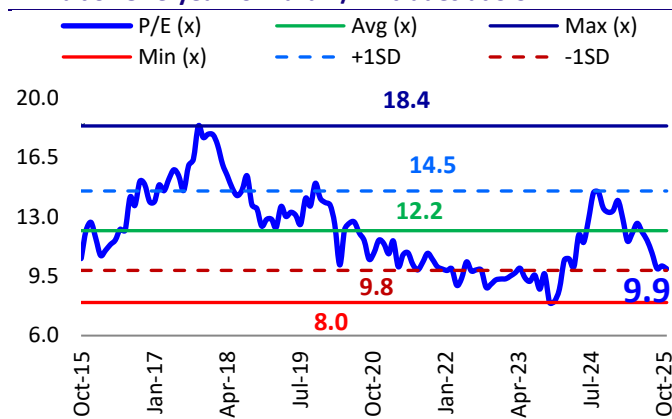
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**Exhibit 8: EBITDA/PAT snapshot**



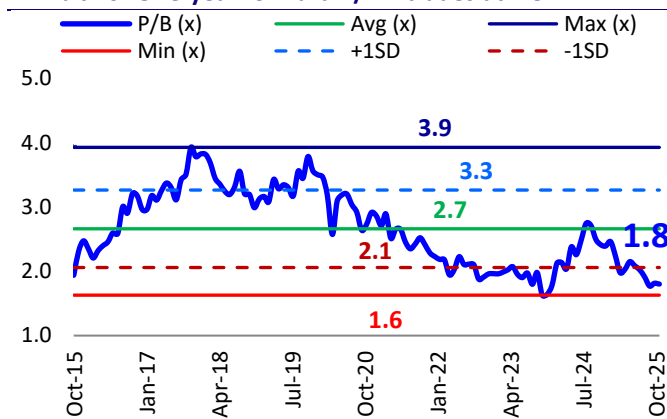
Source: Company, MOFSL

**Exhibit 9: One-year forward P/E – trades at 9.9x**



Source: Company, MOFSL

**Exhibit 10: One-year forward P/B – trades at 1.8x**



Source: Company, MOFSL

## Financials and valuations

### Standalone - Income Statement

(INR b)

| Y/E March                           | FY23         | FY24         | FY25         | FY26E        | FY27E        | FY28E        |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Total Income from Operations</b> | <b>599.0</b> | <b>527.3</b> | <b>509.8</b> | <b>476.4</b> | <b>502.0</b> | <b>507.9</b> |
| Change (%)                          | 38.8         | -12.0        | -3.3         | -6.6         | 5.4          | 1.2          |
| <b>EBITDA</b>                       | <b>48.6</b>  | <b>52.1</b>  | <b>55.2</b>  | <b>48.1</b>  | <b>66.6</b>  | <b>58.7</b>  |
| Margin (%)                          | 8.1          | 9.9          | 10.8         | 10.1         | 13.3         | 11.6         |
| Depreciation                        | 7.6          | 7.8          | 8.1          | 8.6          | 8.8          | 9.6          |
| <b>EBIT</b>                         | <b>40.9</b>  | <b>44.3</b>  | <b>47.2</b>  | <b>39.5</b>  | <b>57.8</b>  | <b>49.1</b>  |
| Int. and Finance Charges            | 3.3          | 2.9          | 2.6          | 2.4          | 2.9          | 4.2          |
| Other Income                        | 5.7          | 6.2          | 8.2          | 7.6          | 7.8          | 8.3          |
| <b>PBT after EO Exp.</b>            | <b>43.3</b>  | <b>47.6</b>  | <b>52.8</b>  | <b>44.7</b>  | <b>62.7</b>  | <b>53.2</b>  |
| Total Tax                           | 10.9         | 12.2         | 13.5         | 11.4         | 16.0         | 13.6         |
| Tax Rate (%)                        | 25.3         | 25.7         | 25.6         | 25.6         | 25.6         | 25.6         |
| <b>Reported PAT</b>                 | <b>32.4</b>  | <b>35.4</b>  | <b>39.3</b>  | <b>33.3</b>  | <b>46.7</b>  | <b>39.6</b>  |
| <b>Adjusted PAT</b>                 | <b>32.4</b>  | <b>35.4</b>  | <b>39.3</b>  | <b>33.3</b>  | <b>46.7</b>  | <b>39.6</b>  |
| Change (%)                          | -3.4         | 9.1          | 11.0         | -15.3        | 40.3         | -15.2        |
| Margin (%)                          | 5.4          | 6.7          | 7.7          | 7.0          | 9.3          | 7.8          |

### Standalone - Balance Sheet

(INR b)

| Y/E March                           | FY23         | FY24         | FY25         | FY26E        | FY27E        | FY28E        |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Equity Share Capital                | 15.0         | 15.0         | 15.0         | 15.0         | 15.0         | 15.0         |
| Total Reserves                      | 134.3        | 154.6        | 178.8        | 199.4        | 228.2        | 252.7        |
| <b>Net Worth</b>                    | <b>149.3</b> | <b>169.6</b> | <b>193.8</b> | <b>214.4</b> | <b>243.2</b> | <b>267.7</b> |
| Total Loans                         | 0.0          | 0.0          | 0.0          | 10.0         | 20.0         | 42.0         |
| Deferred Tax Liabilities            | 7.0          | 6.2          | 5.9          | 5.9          | 5.9          | 5.9          |
| <b>Capital Employed</b>             | <b>156.4</b> | <b>175.8</b> | <b>199.8</b> | <b>230.3</b> | <b>269.1</b> | <b>315.6</b> |
| Gross Block                         | 110.6        | 115.4        | 150.2        | 180.9        | 217.5        | 261.8        |
| Less: Accum. Deprn.                 | 46.1         | 53.8         | 61.9         | 70.5         | 79.3         | 88.9         |
| <b>Net Fixed Assets</b>             | <b>64.5</b>  | <b>61.5</b>  | <b>88.4</b>  | <b>110.4</b> | <b>138.2</b> | <b>173.0</b> |
| Capital WIP                         | 11.3         | 15.5         | 16.4         | 20.8         | 24.2         | 29.8         |
| <b>Total Investments</b>            | <b>33.8</b>  | <b>21.7</b>  | <b>12.2</b>  | <b>12.2</b>  | <b>12.2</b>  | <b>12.2</b>  |
| Lease Liabilities                   | 30.7         | 26.0         | 21.8         | 21.8         | 21.8         | 21.8         |
| <b>Curr. Assets, Loans&amp;Adv.</b> | <b>114.6</b> | <b>152.0</b> | <b>151.0</b> | <b>152.1</b> | <b>162.1</b> | <b>168.6</b> |
| Inventory                           | 11.5         | 14.7         | 12.0         | 11.3         | 11.9         | 12.0         |
| Account Receivables                 | 38.4         | 36.3         | 32.7         | 30.5         | 32.2         | 32.5         |
| Cash and Bank Balance               | 56.8         | 74.1         | 91.0         | 96.0         | 103.0        | 108.8        |
| Cash                                | 0.6          | 17.2         | 7.8          | 5.2          | 4.3          | 1.9          |
| Bank Balance                        | 56.2         | 56.9         | 83.2         | 90.8         | 98.7         | 106.9        |
| Loans and Advances                  | 7.9          | 27.0         | 15.3         | 14.3         | 15.1         | 15.2         |
| <b>Curr. Liability &amp; Prov.</b>  | <b>37.1</b>  | <b>49.0</b>  | <b>46.5</b>  | <b>43.4</b>  | <b>45.8</b>  | <b>46.3</b>  |
| Account Payables                    | 16.4         | 28.6         | 25.6         | 23.9         | 25.2         | 25.5         |
| Other Current Liabilities           | 18.8         | 17.9         | 18.5         | 17.3         | 18.2         | 18.4         |
| Provisions                          | 1.9          | 2.4          | 2.4          | 2.2          | 2.4          | 2.4          |
| <b>Net Current Assets</b>           | <b>77.5</b>  | <b>103.0</b> | <b>104.5</b> | <b>108.7</b> | <b>116.3</b> | <b>122.3</b> |
| <b>Appl. of Funds</b>               | <b>156.4</b> | <b>175.8</b> | <b>199.8</b> | <b>230.3</b> | <b>269.1</b> | <b>315.6</b> |

## Financials and valuations

### Ratios

| Y/E March                     | FY23        | FY24        | FY25        | FY26E       | FY27E       | FY28E       |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>Basic (INR)</b>            |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| <b>EPS</b>                    | <b>21.6</b> | <b>23.6</b> | <b>26.2</b> | <b>22.2</b> | <b>31.1</b> | <b>26.4</b> |
| Cash EPS                      | 26.7        | 28.8        | 31.6        | 27.9        | 36.9        | 32.8        |
| BV/Share                      | 99.6        | 113.1       | 129.2       | 142.9       | 162.1       | 178.4       |
| DPS                           | 10.0        | 10.0        | 10.0        | 8.5         | 11.9        | 10.1        |
| Payout (%)                    | 46.3        | 42.4        | 38.2        | 38.2        | 38.2        | 38.2        |
| <b>Valuation (x)</b>          |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| P/E                           | 12.9        | 11.8        | 10.6        | 12.5        | 8.9         | 10.5        |
| Cash P/E                      | 10.4        | 9.7         | 8.8         | 10.0        | 7.5         | 8.5         |
| P/BV                          | 2.8         | 2.5         | 2.2         | 1.9         | 1.7         | 1.6         |
| EV/Sales                      | 0.6         | 0.7         | 0.6         | 0.7         | 0.7         | 0.7         |
| EV/EBITDA                     | 7.4         | 6.6         | 5.9         | 6.9         | 5.0         | 6.0         |
| Dividend Yield (%)            | 3.6         | 3.6         | 3.6         | 3.0         | 4.3         | 3.6         |
| FCF per share                 | 9.7         | 26.9        | 19.6        | 1.7         | 6.6         | -3.4        |
| <b>Return Ratios (%)</b>      |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| RoE                           | 22.8        | 22.2        | 21.6        | 16.3        | 20.4        | 15.5        |
| RoCE                          | 24.6        | 23.5        | 22.7        | 16.8        | 20.0        | 14.9        |
| RoIC                          | 53.4        | 55.3        | 48.6        | 32.4        | 37.2        | 24.8        |
| <b>Working Capital Ratios</b> |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| Fixed Asset Turnover (x)      | 5.4         | 4.6         | 3.4         | 2.6         | 2.3         | 1.9         |
| Asset Turnover (x)            | 3.8         | 3.0         | 2.6         | 2.1         | 1.9         | 1.6         |
| Inventory (Days)              | 7           | 10          | 9           | 9           | 9           | 9           |
| Debtor (Days)                 | 23          | 25          | 23          | 23          | 23          | 23          |
| Creditor (Days)               | 10          | 20          | 18          | 18          | 18          | 18          |
| <b>Leverage Ratio (x)</b>     |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| Current Ratio                 | 3.1         | 3.1         | 3.2         | 3.5         | 3.5         | 3.6         |
| Interest Cover Ratio          | 12.4        | 15.3        | 18.3        | 16.4        | 19.7        | 11.6        |
| Net Debt/Equity               | -0.4        | -0.4        | -0.5        | -0.4        | -0.3        | -0.2        |

### Standalone - Cash Flow Statement

| Y/E March                    | FY23         | FY24         | FY25         | FY26E        | FY27E        | FY28E        |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| OP/(Loss) before Tax         | 43.3         | 47.6         | 52.8         | 44.7         | 62.7         | 53.2         |
| Depreciation                 | 7.6          | 7.8          | 8.1          | 8.6          | 8.8          | 9.6          |
| Interest and Finance charges | 3.3          | 2.9          | 2.6          | 2.4          | 2.9          | 4.2          |
| Direct Taxes Paid            | -12.4        | -12.4        | -13.4        | -11.4        | -16.0        | -13.6        |
| (Inc)/Dec in Wkg. Capital    | -15.9        | 5.9          | -1.7         | 0.9          | -0.7         | -0.2         |
| Others                       | -0.8         | -3.0         | -4.3         | -7.6         | -7.8         | -8.3         |
| <b>CF from Op. Activity</b>  | <b>25.2</b>  | <b>48.7</b>  | <b>44.0</b>  | <b>37.5</b>  | <b>49.9</b>  | <b>45.0</b>  |
| (Inc)/Dec in FA & CWIP       | -10.6        | -8.4         | -14.5        | -35.0        | -40.0        | -50.0        |
| <b>Free Cash Flow</b>        | <b>14.6</b>  | <b>40.3</b>  | <b>29.5</b>  | <b>2.5</b>   | <b>9.9</b>   | <b>-5.0</b>  |
| (Pur)/Sale of Investments    | 0.4          | 9.2          | -10.0        | 0.0          | 0.0          | 0.0          |
| Others                       | -1.2         | -11.4        | -7.4         | 0.0          | 0.0          | 0.0          |
| <b>CF from Inv. Activity</b> | <b>-11.4</b> | <b>-10.6</b> | <b>-31.9</b> | <b>-35.0</b> | <b>-40.0</b> | <b>-50.0</b> |
| Inc / (Dec) in Debt          | -0.2         | 0.0          | 0.0          | 10.0         | 10.0         | 22.0         |
| Interest paid                | -0.3         | -0.1         | -0.1         | -2.4         | -2.9         | -4.2         |
| Dividends Paid (incl.tax)    | -17.3        | -15.0        | -15.0        | -12.7        | -17.8        | -15.1        |
| <b>CF from Fin. Activity</b> | <b>-23.7</b> | <b>-21.5</b> | <b>-21.5</b> | <b>-5.1</b>  | <b>-10.8</b> | <b>2.7</b>   |
| <b>Inc / (Dec) in Cash</b>   | <b>-9.8</b>  | <b>16.6</b>  | <b>-9.4</b>  | <b>-2.6</b>  | <b>-0.9</b>  | <b>-2.4</b>  |
| Add: Opening Balance         | 10.5         | 0.6          | 17.2         | 7.8          | 5.2          | 4.3          |
| <b>Closing Balance</b>       | <b>0.6</b>   | <b>17.2</b>  | <b>7.8</b>   | <b>5.2</b>   | <b>4.3</b>   | <b>1.9</b>   |

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