



←
\leftarrow

Bloomberg	EXID IN
Equity Shares (m)	850
M.Cap.(INRb)/(USDb)	327 / 3.7
52-Week Range (INR)	535 / 328
1, 6, 12 Rel. Per (%)	4/-4/-23
12M Avg Val (INR M)	1331

Financials & Valuations (INR b)

Y/E MARCH	FY25E	FY26E	FY27E
Net Sales	165.9	178.0	194.6
EBITDA	18.9	21.4	23.6
Adj. PAT	10.8	12.3	13.5
Adj. EPS (INR)	12.7	14.5	15.8
EPS Gr. (%)	2.3	14.7	9.0
BV/Sh. (INR)	169.9	181.4	194.0
Ratio			
RoE (%)	7.5	8.0	8.2
RoCE (%)	7.8	8.3	8.5
Payout (%)	15.8	20.6	20.5
Valuations			
P/E (x)	29.2	25.5	23.4
P/BV (x)	2.2	2.0	1.9
Div Yield (%)	0.5	0.8	0.9
FCF Yield (%)	2.8	3.5	3.8

Shareholding pattern (%)

As On	Jun-25	Mar-25	Jun-24
Promoter	46.0	46.0	46.0
DII	17.4	17.2	17.9
FII	11.5	11.6	13.7
Others	25.1	25.3	22.4

FII Includes depository receipts

CMP: INR385 TP: INR379 (-1%) Neutral

Margin improvement led by cost control

Replacement, solar and industrial UPS are key growth drivers

- **EXID's 1QFY26 PAT of INR3.2b came in ahead of our estimate of INR2.8b, aided by better-than-expected margins even as revenue was in line.**
- While the market appears to be upbeat on EXID's lithium-ion foray, we remain cautious about the returns from the business. Besides, the stock at ~25.5x/23x FY26/27E EPS appears fairly valued. Reiterate Neutral with a TP of INR379 (based on 20x Jun'27E EPS).

Better-than-expected operational performance

- Standalone revenue grew 4.6% YoY to INR 45.1b (in line), while EBITDA/adj. PAT rose ~11%/15% YoY to INR 5.5b/INR3.2b (est. INR5.1b/INR2.8b).
- Solar business proved to be the fastest-growing segment, supported by various government programs.
- 2W and 4W replacement segments remained buoyant, with double-digit growth in the mobility business.
- Industrial UPS posted strong growth amid increasing demand for critical power backup solutions in several sectors. Industrial infrastructure also improved YoY as order inflow and execution picked up in sectors like power, railways, tractions, etc.
- Auto OEM business continued to be impacted by lower demand from vehicle manufacturers in both PV and 2W segments. Automotive exports also declined amid geopolitical disruptions.
- Gross margin remained largely flat YoY (down 40bp QoQ) at 30.8% (in line).
- Employee expenses came in much lower than our estimate at 3.4% (down 280bp YoY/290bp QoQ). Even other expenses were about 30bp lower than our estimate at 12.6% of revenue.
- As a result, EBITDA margin improved 70bp YoY to 12.2% (vs. est. 11.4%).
- Adj. PAT at INR3.2b came in ahead of our estimate of INR2.8b.
- EXID invested INR3b in 1Q and additional INR1b in Jul'25 in the Exide Energy Solutions project site. Total equity investment till date stands at INR37b. Equipment installation and construction work are nearing completion and production is expected to begin toward FY26 end.

From the Press Release

- Total sales growth was marginal in 1Q due to a slowdown in manufacturing sector growth, decline in most of the auto OEM segments and lower international business due to global tariff uncertainties. The auto replacement, solar and industrial UPS verticals showed promising doubledigit growth.
- The near-term outlook remains positive, supported by an improved product mix, innovative products and cost efficiencies in manufacturing facilities.
- Construction for the lithium-ion cell manufacturing project is progressing rapidly, with the team focusing on timely completion. Commercial operations are targeted to begin in FY26.



Valuation and view

■ Given the significant imminent risk to its core business, EXID has forayed into the manufacturing of lithium-ion cells in partnership with S-Volt at a total investment of INR60b in two phases. While the market appears to be upbeat on EXID's lithium-ion foray, we remain cautious about the returns from the business. Besides, the stock at ~25.5x/23x FY26/27E EPS appears fairly valued. Reiterate Neutral with a TP of INR379 (based on 20x Jun'27E EPS).

S/A Quarterly Performan	ice											(INR M)
Y/E March		FY	25			FY2	:6E		FY25	FY26E	1QE	Var (%)
	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2QE	3QE	4QE	F123	FIZOE	IQE	
Net Sales	43,128	42,673	38,486	41,594	45,098	44,807	43,105	45,037	165,881	178,046	44,421	1.5
Growth YoY (%)	5.9	3.9	0.2	3.7	4.6	5.0	12.0	8.3	3.5	7.3	3.0	
RM cost (%)	69.3	68.5	68.0	68.8	69.2	69.0	68.5	68.5	68.7	68.8	69.2	
Employee cost (%)	6.1	6.3	6.8	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5	
Other Exp(%)	13.1	13.9	13.5	13.7	12.6	12.6	13.0	12.8	13.6	12.8	12.9	
EBITDA	4,943	4,836	4,486	4,667	5,482	5,332	5,129	5,503	18,931	21,447	5,064	8.3
EBITDA Margin(%)	11.5	11.3	11.7	11.2	12.2	11.9	11.9	12.2	11.4	12.0	11.4	
Change (%)	14.4	0.1	2.0	-9.6	10.9	10.3	14.4	17.9	1.2	6.6	2	
Non-Operating Income	142	528	132	161	182	398	144	167	962	891	165	
Interest	87	103	120	130	91	130	127	157	439	505	125	
Depreciation	1,257	1,270	1,244	1,268	1,276	1,290	1,350	1,385	5,039	5,301	1,300	
PBT after EO Exp	3,741	3,991	3,253	3,430	4,297	4,310	3,796	4,128	14,415	16,532	3,804	13.0
Effective Tax Rate (%)	25.3	25.4	24.7	25.8	25.4	25.6	24.8	25.3	0.0	25.3	25.1	
Adj. PAT	2,796	2,978	2,450	2,546	3,205	3,207	2,855	3,083	10,769	12,349	2,849	12.5
Change (%)	15.6	3.8	2.0	-10.3	14.6	7.7	16.5	21.1	2.3	14.7	1.9	
Key performance indicate	ors											
Cost Break-up												
RM(%)	69.3	68.5	68.0	68.8	69.2	69.0	68.5	68.5	68.7	68.8	69.2	0bp
Employee cost (%)	6.1	6.3	6.8	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5	-40bp
Other Exp(%)	13.1	13.9	13.5	13.7	12.6	12.6	13.0	12.8	13.6	12.8	12.9	-30bp
Gross Margin (%)	30.7	31.5	32.0	31.2	30.8	31.0	31.5	31.5	31.3	31.2	30.8	0bp
EBITDA Margin(%)	11.5	11.3	11.7	11.2	12.2	11.9	11.9	12.2	11.4	12.0	11.4	80bp
EBIT Margin(%)	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.2	9.7	9.9	9.1	9.5	8.4	9.6	8.8	90bp



Key exhibits

Exhibit 1: Trends in revenue and growth

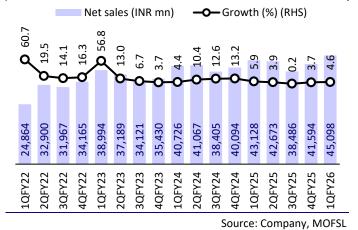
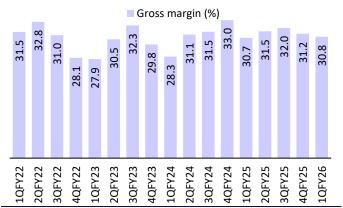
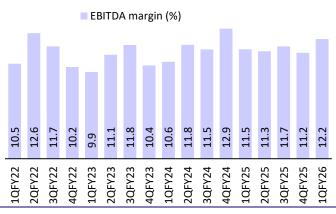


Exhibit 2: Trend in gross margin



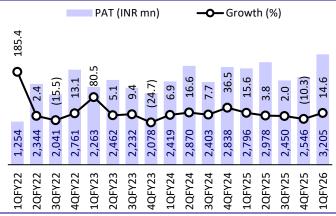
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 3: Trend in EBITDA margin



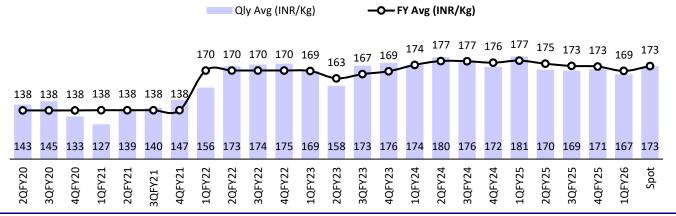
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 4: Trend in PAT and growth



Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 5: Lead price has remained stable in the recent past



Source: Company, MOFSL



Valuation and view

- EXID continues to enjoy a strong position in the LAB industry: EXID remains a market leader across all key segments in the lead acid battery (LAB) industry, except telecom. In the Auto OEM segment, EXID has a dominant presence in both 2Ws and 4Ws. Even in the replacement battery segment, it largely is a duopoly market, with EXID being the market leader. It also has a strong position in both the UPS and invertor segments. Apart from this, it is a dominant player in power and traction batteries. It has the largest distribution network in India with 115k channel partners. Through digitization initiatives, it is now able to give on-the-spot warranty resolutions, which is one of the USPs for the company.
- EV transition remains the real risk for LAB in the long run: The transition to electrification globally as well as in India is emerging as a big risk for LAB players in the long run. The only saving grace for Indian players in the near term is the fact that EV transition is picking up pace in 2Ws and 3Ws only at present, and for PVs, it is likely to take a bit longer. However, lithium-ion batteries are now increasingly finding applications in various industrial use cases, including in telecom, traction, UPS, etc.
- Foray into lithium-ion will have its own challenges: Given the significant imminent risk to its core business, EXID has forayed into the manufacturing of lithium-ion cells in partnership with S-Volt at a total investment of INR60b in two phases. Further, EXID recently announced that it has secured a non-binding partnership with Hyundai-Kia for localization of LFP cells for one of their global platforms to be produced in India. While EXID can fund this venture through its internal accruals without needing any major funding requirements for this phase, we believe the company's foray into lithium-ion cell manufacturing is likely to see multiple challenges in the coming years, as: 1) most domestic PV OEMs either have their own lithium-ion manufacturing plans or have existing tie-ups, limiting EXID's potential addressable market in this space; 2) the current partnership with Hyundai is non-binding, and hence we need to wait to understand whether this eventually moves into a binding partnership; 3) EXID is setting up a greenfield in this segment without prior experience; we expect its facility to take at least a couple of years to stabilize operations as it goes through its testing and validation phase initially for interested OEMs; 4) EXID is not participating in PLI, which would limit its competitiveness relative to peers that qualify for the same; 5) given the lithium-ion cell manufacturing is a lowmargin business globally, we expect this business to be return-dilutive for EXID in the long run, even if this venture is successful; 6) given the significant capital commitment required and doubts about the sustainability of this technology in the long run, we believe the outcome of this venture remains highly uncertain at this stage.
- Valuation and view: While the market appears to be upbeat on EXID's lithiumion foray, we remain cautious about the returns from the business. Besides, the stock at ~25.5x/23.4x FY26/27E EPS appears fairly valued. Reiterate Neutral with a TP of INR379 (based on 20x June'27E EPS).

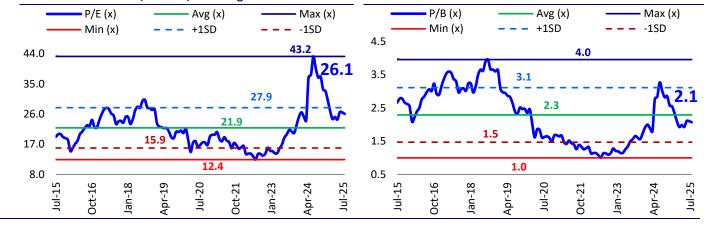


Exhibit 6: Our revised estimates

(INR m)		FY25E			FY26E			
	Rev	Old	Chg (%)	Rev	Old	Chg (%)		
Net Sales	178,046	178,046	0.0	194,609	194,609	0.0		
EBITDA Margin (%)	12.0	12.0	0bp	12.1	12.0	10bp		
PAT	12,349	12,182	1.4	13,464	13,247	1.6		
EPS (INR)	14.5	14.3	1.4	15.8	15.6	1.6		

Source: MOFSL

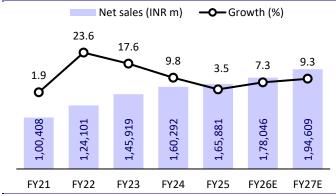






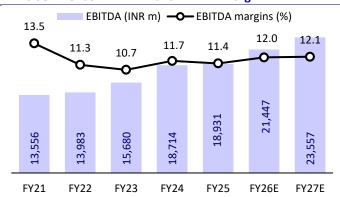
Story in charts

Exhibit 8: Trends in revenue and growth



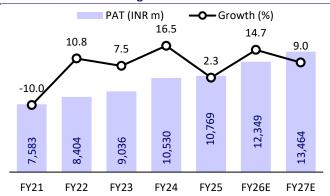
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 9: Trends in EBITDA and EBITDA margin



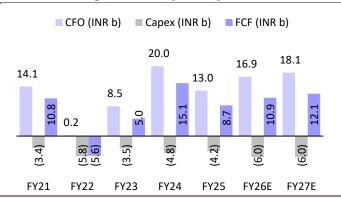
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 10: PAT and PAT growth trends



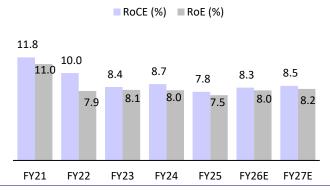
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 11: Strong FCF driven by healthy CFO



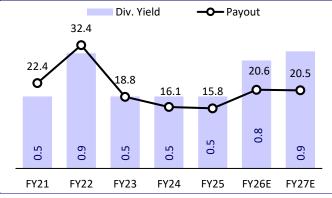
Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 12: Trend in return ratios



Source: Company, MOFSL

Exhibit 13: Dividend yield and dividend payout (%) trends



Source: Company, MOFSL



Financials and valuations

Income Statement Y/E March	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25	FY26E	(INR M
Total Income	98,567	100,408	124,101	145,919	160,292	165,881	178,046	194,609
Change (%)	-6.9	1.9	23.6	17.6	9.8	3.5	7.3	9.3
EBITDA	13,651	13,557	13,984	15,681	18,715	18,932	21,448	23,558
EBITDA Margins (%)	13.8	13.5	11.3	10.7	11.7	11.4	12.0	12.1
Change (%)	-3.3	-0.7	3.1	12.1	19.3	1.2	13.3	9.8
Depreciation	3,626	3,794	4,131	4,558	4,975	5,039	5,301	5,787
EBIT	10,025	9,763	9,852	11,123	13,740	13,893	16,147	17,771
Interest Charges	94	238	394	295	486	439	505	580
Other Income	639	654	805	1,324	845	962	891	835
EO Exp/(Inc)	217		(46,938)	- 1,324		-	- 031	-
PBT	10,352	10,179	57,199	12,151	14,099	14,415	16,532	18,024
Tax	2,097	2,596	10,356	3,115	3,569	3,646	4,182	4,560
Effective Rate (%)	20.3	25.5	18.1	25.6	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.3
Rep. PAT	8,255	7,583	46,843	9,036	10,530	10,769	12,349	13,464
<u> </u>	-2.2	-8.1	517.8	-80.7	16.5	2.3	14.7	9.0
Change (%)			8,404					13,464
Adj. PAT	8,428 9.4	7,583		9,036	10,530	10,769	12,349	
Change (%)	9.4	-10.0	10.8	7.5	16.5	2.3	14.7	9.0
Balance Sheet								(INR M)
Y/E March	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25	FY26E	FY27E
Share Capital	850	850	850	850	850	850	850	850
Reserves	62,111	68,085	105,131	111,248	130,522	143,573	153,373	164,074
Net Worth	62,961	68,935	105,981	112,098	131,372	144,423	154,223	164,924
Loans	0	0	0	2,708	3,856	3,752	3,752	3,752
Deferred Tax Liability	1,019	771	-654	-1,160	-137	108	108	108
Capital Employed	63,980	69,706	105,327	113,646	135,092	148,283	158,082	168,784
Application of Funds								
Gross Fixed Assets	36,039	42,740	48,245	53,473	58,005	62,447	68,447	74,447
Less: Depreciation	12,645	16,361	20,509	24,970	29,353	33,687	38,988	44,775
Net Fixed Assets	23,394	26,379	27,736	28,503	28,652	28,759	29,458	29,671
Capital WIP	2,969	2,008	3,124	1,009	2,017	1,375	1,375	1,375
Investments	21,148	31,012	60,773	63,477	86,258	99,766	105,706	115,206
Curr.Assets	34,911	36,889	41,352	46,362	51,600	58,291	59,104	63,586
Inventory	21,923	23,462	24,647	29,891	32,493	38,274	36,585	39,988
Sundry Debtors	8,154	8,874	11,945	12,745	12,650	15,772	14,634	15,995
Cash & Bank Balance	1,449	825	1,536	681	2,174	1,113	3,007	2,271
Loans & Advances	322	383	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Current Assets	3,064	3,345	3,223	3,045	4,282	3,132	4,878	5,332
Current Liab. & Prov.	18,441	26,582	27,657	25,705	33,435	39,908	37,560	41,054
Sundry Creditors	10,361	16,483	16,268	15,360	23,199	28,431	21,951	23,993
Other Liabilities	4,478	6,856	8,191	6,962	6,456	6,794	11,707	12,796
Provisions	3,602	3,244	3,198	3,383	3,780	4,683	3,902	4,265
Net Current Assets	16,470	10,307	13,695	20,657	18,165	18,383	21,543	22,532
Application of Funds	63,980	69,705	105,327	113,646	135,092	148,283	158,083	168,784
Application of Fullus	03,380	03,703	103,327	113,040	133,032	170,203	130,003	100,704

Application of Funds
E: MOFSL Estimates



Financials and valuations

Ratios								
Y/E March	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25	FY26E	FY27E
Basic (INR)								
EPS	9.9	8.9	9.9	10.6	12.4	12.7	14.5	15.8
Cash EPS	14.2	13.4	14.7	16.0	18.2	18.6	20.8	22.6
Book Value per Share	74.1	81.1	124.7	131.9	154.6	169.9	181.4	194.0
DPS	4.1	2.0	3.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.3
Payout (Incl. Div. Tax) %	41.3	22.4	32.4	18.8	16.1	15.8	20.6	20.5
Valuation (x)								
P/E	37.3	41.5	37.4	34.8	29.9	29.2	25.5	23.4
Cash P/E	26.1	27.6	25.1	23.1	20.3	19.9	17.8	16.3
EV/EBITDA	21.4	20.9	18.0	16.1	12.3	11.5	9.8	8.5
EV/Sales	3.0	2.8	2.0	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.0
Price to Book Value	5.0	4.6	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9
Dividend Yield (%)	1.1	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.9
Profitability Ratios (%)								
RoE	13.4	11.0	7.9	8.1	8.0	7.5	8.0	8.2
RoCE	13.8	11.8	10.0	8.4	8.7	7.8	8.3	8.5
RoIC	21.4	19.6	21.3	18.7	22.0	22.9	25.7	27.1
Turnover Ratios								
Debtors (Days)	30	32	35	32	29	35	30	30
Inventory (Days)	81	85	72	75	74	84	75	75
Creditors (Days)	38	60	48	38	53	63	45	45
Working Capital (Days)	73	58	60	68	50	56	60	60
Gross Fixed Asset Turnover (x)	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6
Leverage Ratio								
Net Debt/Equity (x)	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash Flow Statement								(INR M)
Y/E March	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25	FY26E	FY27E
OP/(Loss) before Tax	10,352	10,179	57,199	12,151	14,099	14,415	16,146	17,770
Interest/Dividends Received	-429	-362	-225	-233	-237	-212	891	835
Depreciation & Amortisation	3,626	3,794	4,131	4,558	4,975	5,039	5,301	5,787
Direct Taxes Paid	-2,494	-2,721	-10,472	-3,212	-3,707	-3,726	-4,182	-4,560
(Inc)/Dec in Working Capital	-2,155	3,044	-3,479	-4,538	4,874	-2,637	-1,220	-1,724
Other Items	237	200	-46,951	-242	-38	100	0	0
CF from Oper. Activity	9,137	14,134	205	8,484	19,965	12,979	16,935	18,107
(Inc)/Dec in FA+CWIP	-4,646	-3,384	-5,783	-3,493	-4,844	-4,245	-6,000	-6,000
Free Cash Flow	4,491	10,750	-5,579	4,991	15,122	8,735	10,935	12,107
(Pur)/Sale of Invest.	1,397	-9,385	8,537	-5,385	-11,328	-7,558	-5,986	-9,500
CF from Inv. Activity	-3,249	-12,769	2,754	-8,878	-16,172	-11,803	-11,986	-15,500
Interest Rec./(Paid)	-100	-289	-549	-461	-601	-539	-505	-580
Dividends Paid	-4,986	-1,700	-1,698	0	-2,848	-1,596	-2,550	-2,763
CF from Fin. Activity	- 5,086	-1,700 - 1,989	-1,098 - 2,247	- 461	-2,848 - 2,301	-1,390 - 2,239	-2,330 - 3,055	-2,703 - 3,343
Inc/(Dec) in Cash	802	-623	711	-855	1,493	-1,062	1,894	-3,343
Add: Beginning Balance	647	1,449	826	1,536	681	2,174	1,113	3,007
		826		681		1,113		
Closing Balance	1,449	826	1,536	091	2,174	1,113	3,007	2,271

E: MOFSL Estimates

Investment in securities market are subject to market risks. Read all the related documents carefully before investing



Explanation of Investment Rating						
Investment Rating	Expected return (over 12-month)					
BUY	>=15%					
SELL	<-10%					
NEUTRAL	< - 10 % to 15%					
UNDER REVIEW	Rating may undergo a change					
NOT RATED	We have forward looking estimates for the stock but we refrain from assigning recommendation					

*In case the recommendation given by the Research Analyst is inconsistent with the investment rating legend for a continuous period of 30 days, the Research Analyst shall be within following 30 days take appropriate measures to make the recommendation consistent with the investment rating legend. Disclosures

The following Disclosures are being made in compliance with the SEBI Research Analyst Regulations 2014 (herein after referred to as the Regulations).

Motilal Oswal Financial Services Ltd. (MOFSL) is a SEBI Registered Research Analyst having registration no. INH000000412. MOFSL, the Research Entity (RE) as defined in the Regulations, is engaged in the business of providing Stock broking services, Depository participant services & distribution of various financial products. MOFSL is a listed public company, the details in respect of which are available on www.motilaloswal.com. MOFSL (erstwhile Motilal Oswal Securities Limited - MOSL) is registered with the Securities & Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and is a registered Trading Member with National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE), Multi Commodity Exchange of India Limited (MCX) and National Commodity & Derivatives Exchange Limited (NCDEX) for its stock broking activities & is Depository participant with Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL),NERL, COMRIS and CCRL and is member of Association of Mutual Funds of India (AMFI) for distribution of financial products and Insurance Regulatory & Development Authority of India (IRDA) as Corporate Agent for insurance products. Details of associate entities of Motilal Oswal Financial Services Limited are available on the website at http://onlinereports.motilaloswal.com/Dormant/documents/List%20of%20Associate%20companies.pdf

MOFSL and its associate company(ies), their directors and Research Analyst and their relatives may; (a) from time to time, have a long or short position in, act as principal in, and buy or sell the securities or derivatives thereof of companies mentioned herein. (b) be engaged in any other transaction involving such securities and earn brokerage or other compensation or act as a market maker in the financial instruments of the company(ies) discussed herein or act as an advisor or lender/borrower to such company(ies) or may have any other potential conflict of interests with respect to any recommendation and other related information and opinions.; however the same shall have no bearing whatsoever on the specific recommendations made by the analyst(s), as the recommendations made by the analyst(s) are completely independent of the views of the associates of MOFSL even though there might exist an inherent conflict of interest in some of the stocks mentioned in the research report.

MOFSL and / or its affiliates do and seek to do business including investment banking with companies covered in its research reports. As a result, the recipients of this report should be aware that MOFSL may have a potential conflict of interest that may affect the objectivity of this report. Compensation of Research Analysts is not based on any specific merchant banking, investment banking or brokerage service transactions. Details of pending Enquiry Proceedings of Motilal Oswal Financial Services Limited are available on the website at https://galaxy.motilaloswal.com/ResearchAnalyst/PublishViewLitigation.aspx

A graph of daily closing prices of securities is available at www.nseindia.com, www.bseindia.com. Research Analyst views on Subject Company may vary based on Fundamental research and Technical Research. Proprietary trading desk of MOFSL or its associates maintains arm's length distance with Research Team as all the activities are segregated from MOFSL research activity and therefore it can have an independent view with regards to Subject Company for which Research Team have expressed their views.

Regional Disclosures (outside India) This report is not directed or intended for distribution to or use by any person or entity resident in a state, country or any jurisdiction, where such distribution, publication, availability or use would be contrary to law, regulation or which would subject MOFSL & its group companies to registration or licensing requirements within such jurisdictions. For Hong Kong:

This report is distributed in Hong Kong by Motilal Oswal capital Markets (Hong Kong) Private Limited, a licensed corporation (CE AYY-301) licensed and regulated by the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission (SFC) pursuant to the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Charlets (Hong Kong) "FRO". As per SEBI (Research Analyst Regulations) 2014 Motifal Oswal Securities (SEBI Reg. No. INH000000412) has an agreement with Motifal Oswal Capital Markets (Hong Kong) Private Limited for distribution of research report in Hong Kong. This report is intended for distribution only to "Professional Investors" as defined in Part I of Schedule 1 to SFO. Any investment or investment activity to which this document relates is only available to professional investor and will be engaged only with professional investors." Nothing here is an offer or solicitation of these securities, products and services in any jurisdiction where their offer or sale is not qualified or exempt from registration. The Indian Analyst(s) who compile this report is/are not located in Hong Kong & are not conducting Research Analysis in Hong Kong. For U.S.

Motilal Oswal Financial Services Limited (MOFSL) is not a registered broker - dealer under the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 act") and under applicable state laws in the United States. In addition MOFSL is not a registered investment adviser under the U.S. Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (the "Advisers Act" and together with the 1934 Act, the "Acts), and under applicable state laws in the United States. Accordingly, in the absence of specific exemption under the Acts, any brokerage and investment services provided by MOFSL, including the products and services described herein are not available to or intended for U.S. persons. This report is intended for distribution only to "Major Institutional Investors" as defined by Rule 15a-6(b)(4) of the Exchange Act and interpretations thereof by SEC (henceforth referred to as "major institutional investors"). This document must not be acted on or relied on by persons who are not major institutional investors. Any investment or investment activity to which this document relates is only available to major institutional investors and will be engaged in only with major institutional investors. In reliance on the exemption from registration provided by Rule 15a-6 of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") and interpretations thereof by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") in order to conduct business with Institutional Investors based in the U.S., MOFSL has entered into a chaperoning agreement with a U.S. registered broker-dealer, Motilal Oswal Securities International Private Limited. ("MOSIPL"). Any business interaction pursuant to this report will have to be executed within the provisions of this chaperoning agreement.

The Research Analysts contributing to the report may not be registered /qualified as research analyst with FINRA. Such research analyst may not be associated persons of the U.S. registered broker-dealer,

MOSIPL, and therefore, may not be subject to NASD rule 2711 and NYSE Rule 472 restrictions on communication with a subject company, public appearances and trading securities held by a research analyst account.

In Singapore, this report is being distributed by Motilal Oswal Capital Markets (Singapore) Pte. Ltd. ("MOCMSPL") (UEN 201129401Z), which is a holder of a capital markets services license and an exempt financial adviser in Singapore. This report is distributed solely to persons who (a) qualify as "institutional investors" as defined in section 4A(1)(c) of the Securities and Futures Act of Singapore ("SFA") or (b) are considered "accredited investors" as defined in section 2(1) of the Financial Advisers Regulations of Singapore read with section 4A(1)(a) of the SFA. Accordingly, if a recipient is neither an "institutional investor" nor an "accredited investor", they must immediately discontinue any use of this Report and inform MOCMSPL. In case of grievances for any of the services rendered by MOCMSPL.

write to grievances@motilaloswal.com.

Nainesh Rajani

Email: nainesh.rajani@motilaloswal.com

Contact: (+65) 8328 0276

Specific Disclosures

- Research Analyst and/or his/her relatives do not have a financial interest in the subject company(ies), as they do not have equity holdings in the subject company(ies). MOFSL has financial interest in the subject company(ies) at the end of the week immediately preceding the date of publication of the Research Report: Yes. Nature of Financial interest is holding equity shares or derivatives of the subject company
- Research Analyst and/or his/her relatives do not have actual/beneficial ownership of 1% or more securities in the subject company(ies) at the end of the month immediately
 - preceding the date of publication of Research Report.

 MOFSL has actual/beneficial ownership of 1% or more securities of the subject company(ies) at the end of the month immediately preceding the date of publication of Research Report:No
- Research Analyst and/or his/her relatives have not received compensation/other benefits from the subject company(ies) in the past 12 months. MOFSL may have received compensation from the subject company(ies) in the past 12 months.
- Research Analyst and/or his/her relatives do not have material conflict of interest in the subject company at the time of publication of research report.
- MOFSL does not have material conflict of interest in the subject company at the time of publication of research report.
- Research Analyst has not served as an officer, director or employee of subject company(ies).
- 6 MOFSL has not acted as a manager or co-manager of public offering of securities of the subject company in past 12 months.
- MOFSL has not received compensation for investment banking /merchant banking/brokerage services from the subject company(ies) in the past 12 months.

 MOFSL may have received any compensation for products or services other than investment banking or merchant banking or brokerage services from the subject company(ies)
- 8. in the past 12 months.
- MOFSL may have received compensation or other benefits from the subject company(ies) or third party in connection with the research report.
- MOFSL has not engaged in market making activity for the subject company.

The associates of MOFSL may have:

9 5 August 2025



financial interest in the subject company

actual/beneficial ownership of 1% or more securities in the subject company at the end of the month immediately preceding the date of publication of the Research Report or date of the public appearance. received compensation/other benefits from the subject company in the past 12 months any other potential conflict of interests with respect to any recommendation and other related information and opinions.; however the same shall have no bearing whatsoever on the specific

recommendations made by the analyst(s), as the recommendations made by the analyst(s) are completely independent of the views of the associates of MOFSL even though there might exist an inherent conflict of interest in some of the stocks mentioned in the research report.

acted as a manager or co-manager of public offering of securities of the subject company in past 12 months

be engaged in any other transaction involving such securities and earn brokerage or other compensation or act as a market maker in the financial instruments of the company(ies) discussed herein or act as an advisor or lender/borrower to such company(ies)

received compensation from the subject company in the past 12 months for investment banking / merchant banking / brokerage services or from other than said services. Served subject company as its clients during twelve months preceding the date of distribution of the research report.

The associates of MOFSL has not received any compensation or other benefits from third party in connection with the research report

Above disclosures include beneficial holdings lying in demat account of MOFSL which are opened for proprietary investments only. While calculating beneficial holdings, It does not consider demat accounts which are opened in name of MOFSL for other purposes (i.e holding client securities, collaterals, error trades etc.). MOFSL also earns DP income from clients which are not considered in above disclosures. Analyst Certification

The views expressed in this research report accurately reflect the personal views of the analyst(s) about the subject securities or issues, and no part of the compensation of the research analyst(s) was, is, or will be directly or indirectly related to the specific recommendations and views expressed by research analyst(s) in this report. Terms & Conditions:

This report has been prepared by MOFSL and is meant for sole use by the recipient and not for circulation. The report and information contained herein is strictly confidential and may not be altered in any way, transmitted to, copied or distributed, in part or in whole, to any other person or to the media or reproduced in any form, without prior written consent of MOFSL. The report is based on the facts, figures and information that are considered true, correct, reliable and accurate. The intent of this report is not recommendatory in nature. The information is obtained from publicly available media or other sources believed to be reliable. Such information has not been independently verified and no guaranty, representation of warranty, express or implied, is made as to its accuracy, completeness or correctness. All such information and opinions are subject to change without notice. The report is prepared solely for informational purpose and does not constitute an offer document or solicitation of offer to buy or sell or subscribe for securities or other financial instruments for the clients. Though disseminated to all the customers simultaneously, not all customers may receive this report at the same time. MOFSL will not treat recipients as customers by virtue of their receiving this report.

Disclaimer

The report and information contained herein is strictly confidential and meant solely for the selected recipient and may not be altered in any way, transmitted to, copied or distributed, in part or in whole, to any other person or to the media or reproduced in any form, without prior written consent. This report and information herein is solely for informational purpose and may not be used or considered as an offer document or solicitation of offer to buy or sell or subscribe for securities or other financial instruments. Nothing in this report constitutes investment, legal, accounting and tax advice or a representation that any investment or strategy is suitable or appropriate to your specific circumstances. The securities discussed and opinions expressed in this report may not be suitable for all investors, who must make their own investment decisions, based on their own investment objectives, financial positions and needs of specific recipient. This may not be taken in substitution for the exercise of independent judgment by any recipient. Each recipient of this document should make such investigations as it deems necessary to arrive at an independent evaluation of an investment in the securities of companies referred to in this document (including the merits and risks involved), and should consult its own advisors to determine the merits and risks of such an investment. The investment discussed or views expressed may not be suitable for all investors. Certain transactions -including those involving futures, options, another derivative products as well as non-investment grade securities - involve substantial risk and are not suitable for all investors. No representation or warranty, express or implied, is made as to the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the information and opinions contained in this document. The Disclosures of Interest Statement incorporated in this document is provided solely to enhance the transparency and should not be treated as endorsement of the views expressed in the report. This information is subject to change without any prior notice. The Company reserves the right to make modifications and alternations to this statement as may be required from time to time without any prior approval. MOFSL, its associates, their directors and the employees may from time to time, effect or have effected an own account transaction in, or deal as principal or agent in or for the securities mentioned in this document. They may perform or seek to perform investment banking or other services for, or solicit investment banking or other business from, any company referred to in this report. Each of these entities functions as a separate, distinct and independent of each other. The recipient should take this into account before interpreting the document. This report has been prepared on the basis of information that is already available in publicly accessible media or developed through analysis of MOFSL. The views expressed are those of the analyst, and the Company may or may not subscribe to all the views expressed therein. This document is being supplied to you solely for your information and may not be reproduced, redistributed or passed on, directly or indirectly, to any other person or published, copied, in whole or in part, for any purpose. This report is not directed or intended for distribution to, or use by, any person or entity who is a citizen or resident of or located in any locality, state, country or other jurisdiction, where such distribution, publication, availability or use would be contrary to law, regulation or which would subject MOFSL to any registration or licensing requirement within such jurisdiction. The securities described herein may or may not be eligible for sale in all jurisdictions or to certain category of investors. Persons in whose possession this document may come are required to inform themselves of and to observe such restriction. Neither the Firm, not its directors, employees, agents or representatives shall be liable for any damages whether direct or indirect, incidental, special or consequential including lost revenue or lost profits that may arise from or in connection with the use of the information. The person accessing this information specifically agrees to exempt MOFSL or any of its affiliates or employees from, any and all responsibility/liability arising from such misuse and agrees not to hold MOFSL or any of its affiliates or employees responsible for any such misuse and further agrees to hold MOFSL or any of its affiliates or employees free and harmless from all losses, costs, damages, expenses that may be suffered by the person accessing this information due to any errors and delays This report is meant for the clients of Motilal Oswal only.

Investment in securities market are subject to market risks. Read all the related documents carefully before investing.

Registration granted by SEBI and certification from NISM in no way guarantee performance of the intermediary or provide any assurance of returns to investors.

Registered Office Address: Motilal Oswal Tower, Rahimtullah Sayani Road, Opposite Parel ST Depot, Prabhadevi, Mumbai-400025; Tel No.: 022 - 71934200 / 71934263; www.motilaloswal.com.

Correspondence Address: Palm Spring Centre, 2nd Floor, Palm Court Complex, New Link Road, Malad (West), Mumbai- 400 064. Tel No: 022 71881000. Details of Compliance Officer: Neeraj Agarwal, Email Id: na@motilaloswal.com, Contact No.:022-40548085.

Grievance Redressal Cell:

Contact Person	Contact No.	Email ID
Ms. Hemangi Date	022 40548000 / 022 67490600	query@motilaloswal.com
Ms. Kumud Upadhyay	022 40548082	servicehead@motilaloswal.com
Mr. Ajay Menon	022 40548083	am@motilaloswal.com

Registration details of group entities.: Motilal Oswal Financial Services Ltd. (MOFSL): INZ000158836 (BSE/NSE/MCX/NCDEX); CDSL and NSDL: IN-DP-16-2015; Research Analyst: INH000000412 . AMFI: ARN .: 146822. IRDA Corporate Agent – CA0579. Motilal Oswal Financial Services Ltd. is a distributor of Mutual Funds, PMS, Fixed Deposit, Insurance, Bond, NCDs and IPO products. Customer having any query/feedback/ clarification may write to query@motilaloswal.com. In case of grievances for any of the services rendered by Motilal Oswal Financial Services Limited (MOFSL) write to grievances@motilaloswal.com, for DP to dpgrievances@motilaloswal.com.

10 5 August 2025