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VRL Logistics

BSE SENSEX S&P CNX 80,544 24,574

CMP: INR563 Buy

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Financials & Valuations (INR b)

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Y/E MARCH	2025	2026E	2027E
Sales	31.6	32.6	35.8
EBITDA	5.7	6.6	7.0
Adj. PAT	1.8	2.4	2.6
EBITDA Margin (%)	18.1	20.2	19.6
Adj. EPS (INR)	20.9	27.2	29.7
EPS Gr. (%)	106.5	30.1	9.0
BV/Sh. (INR)	124.0	136.2	148.9
Ratios			
Net D:E	0.4	0.2	0.1
RoE (%)	18.0	20.9	20.8
RoCE (%)	17.4	18.9	20.0
Payout (%)	71.7	55.1	57.3
Valuations			
P/E (x)	26.8	20.6	18.9
P/BV (x)	4.5	4.1	3.8
EV/EBITDA(x)	9.2	7.9	7.1
Div. Yield (%)	2.7	2.7	3.0
FCF Yield (%)	1.8	6.9	7.9

In-line performance

Earnings snapshot - 1QFY26

- VRL's revenue grew 2% YoY to ~INR7.4b (-8% QoQ), in line with our estimate.
- Volume dipped 13% YoY to 0.93m tonnes, while realization grew by 17% YoY to INR 7,852/tonne, driven by a price hike undertaken. Volume drop was mainly due to contract restructuring and the voluntary exit of certain low-margin contracts.
- EBITDA margins stood at 20.4% (+840bp YoY and -270bp QoQ) against our estimate of 21.3%. EBITDA margin continued to be robust despite volume pressure, driven by cost rationalization efforts. EBITDA grew 74% YoY to INR 1.5b in 1Q FY26 (in-line).
- Fuel costs were ~28.7% of total income in 1QFY25, which decreased to 25.4% in 1QFY26. Lorry charges dropped to 3.9% from ~7.4% of total income over the same period.
- Strong operating performance saw APAT increase to INR 500m in 1Q FY26 v/s INR 134m in 1Q FY25 (in-line).
- The Board approved a company-wide salary revision for the employees w.e.f. Aug'25. The said revision would hurt the overall profitability margin and is expected to be to the tune of ~2-3% of the revenue.

Y/E March (INR m)		FY25			FY26	FY25	FY26E	FY26	Var.
	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q			1QE	vs Est
Net Sales	7,272	7,995	8,252	8,090	7,443	31,609	32,558	7,385	1
YoY Change (%)	7.9	12.7	12.0	5.3	2.4	9.4	3.0	1.6	
EBITDA	869	1,331	1,664	1,866	1,516	5,730	6,583	1,573	(4)
Margins (%)	11.9	16.6	20.2	23.1	20.4	18.1	20.2	21.3	
YoY Change (%)	-14.7	44.9	76.3	77.1	74.5	45.6	14.9	81.0	
Depreciation	615	638	646	638	647	2,536	2,810	700	
Interest	226	224	241	258	262	948	888	225	
Other Income	148	25	57	25	65	255	300	70	
PBT before EO expense	176	493	835	996	672	2,500	3,185	718	
Extra-Ord expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
РВТ	176	493	835	996	672	2,500	3,185	718	
Tax	42	135	240	253	172	670	805	181	
Rate (%)	23.6	27.3	28.8	25.4	25.6	26.8	25.3	25.2	
Reported PAT	134	358	594	743	500	1,829	2,380	537	
Adj PAT	134	358	594	743	500	1,829	2,380	537	(7)
YoY Change (%)	-60.4	84.4	333.9	244.6	272.4	106.5	30.1	299.6	
Margins (%)	1.8	4.5	7.2	9.2	6.7	5.8	7.3	7.3	

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