

CMP: Rs 404
Target Price: Rs 485
Potential Upside: 20%
Absolute Rating: BUY

Godrej Consumer Products

Relative to sector: **Outperformer**

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Relative Performance



Source: Bloomberg, ENAM Research

Stock data

No. of shares : 324 mn

Market cap : Rs 130.7 bn

52 week high/low : Rs 464/ Rs 325

Avg. daily vol. (6mth) : 274,400 shares

Bloomberg code : GCPL IB

Reuters code : GOCP.BO

Shareholding (%)		Jun-11	QoQ chg
Promoters	:	67.3	0.0
FIIs	:	19.3	(0.2)
MFs / UTI	:	1.8	0.5
Banks / Fls	:	0.4	(0.0)
Others		11 2	(0.3)

OUTSTANDING GROWTH ACROSS THE BUSINESSES

Godrej Consumer Products (GCPL) reported consol. revenue of Rs 11.9 bn (\$\frac{1}{2}3\%), EBITDA of Rs 2.1 bn (\$\frac{1}{2}5\%) and adj. PAT of Rs 1.5 bn (\$\frac{1}{2}2\%) in Q2FY12 — in-line with our expectations. Reported PAT, however, declined 3% to Rs 1.3 bn due to forex MTM losses of Rs 165 mn. The EBITDA expansion of 240 bps in int'l operations and continued strong traction in the domestic biz have been the key highlights during the qtr. We have fine-tuned our EPS ests upwards for FY12E & FY13E by 4% & 2% resp. The stock currently trades at 20x 1-yr-fwd EPS, lower than its 5-yr upper quartile range of 22x. We maintain our Buy Rating on GCPL with a revised TP of Rs 485 (22x FY13E EPS).

Key highlights

- Domestic biz (65% of consol. rev) on a firm footing with rev growth of 24% YoY led by 32% rev growth in soaps (vol growth of 19%) and 29% rev growth in Household insecticide (vol growth of 26%) ahead of their respective category growth. Hair color grew 15% (vol growth of ~7-8%). The strong sales momentum in soaps & HI segments could be attributed to new launches, higher promotions, distribution synergy due from Godrej Sara Lee JV acquisition and increasing rural distribution. The management has indicated towards higher Ad spends to support its brands and new launches.
- Operating margins for GCPL improved 24 bps YoY and 330 bps QoQ to 17.6% in Q2. This was helped by lower palm oil prices and price hike taken by the company. However, depreciation of rupee and rebound in Palm oil prices pose risk to gross margins in the soaps segment. Our FY12E EBITDA margin of 17.4% is 20bps lower than FY11 EBITDA margin.

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Financial Summary (Consolidated)

	Net Sales	Adj. PAT	Consensus	EPS	Change	P/E	RoE	RoCE	EV/EBITDA	DPS
Y/E Mar	(Rs mn)	(Rs mn)	EPS* (Rs)	(Rs)	YoY (%)	(x)	(%)	(%)	(x)	(Rs)
2010	20,437	3,389	-	11.0	60	-	44.5	46.9	-	4.6
2011	36,461	4,746	-	14.7	33	-	35.4	27.8	-	4.5
2012E	46,685	5,715	17.9	17.7	20	22.9	30.1	20.1	17.6	5.8
2013E	57,663	7,145	21.9	22.1	25	18.3	31.0	22.5	14.0	6.8

Source: *Consensus broker estimates, Company, ENAM estimates

Result Update

	Quarter ended					12 months ended			
(Rs mn)	Sep-11	Sep-10	% Chg	Jun-11	% Chg	Mar-12E	Mar-11	% Chg	
Net Sales	11,860	9,615	23.3	9,978	18.9	46,685	36,461	28.0	
EBITDA	2,088	1,670	25.1	1,428	46.2	8,557	6,793	26.0	
Other income	220	120	83.0	214	2.4	350	273	28.1	
PBIDT	2,308	1,790	29.0	1,642	40.5	8,907	7,066	26.1	
Depreciation	159	151	5.9	159	0.2	593	499	18.9	
Interest	241	89	171.2	192	25.5	891	519	71.6	
PBT	1,908	1,550	23.0	1,291	47.7	7,422	6,048	22.7	
Tax	432	338	27.7	305	41.4	1,707	1,302	31.1	
Adjusted PAT	1,476	1,212	21.7	986	49.7	5,715	4,746	20.4	
Extra ordinary income/ (exp.)	(199)	99	(301.6)	1,407	(114.1)	1,200	402	198.9	
Reported PAT	1,277	1,311	(2.6)	2,393	(46.6)	6,915	5,147	34.4	
No. of shares (mn)	324	324	-	324	-	324	324	-	
EBITDA margin (%)	17.6	17.4	-	14.3	-	18.3	18.6	-	
PBIDT margin (%)	19.5	18.6	-	16.5	-	19.1	19.4	-	
EPS - annualized (Rs.)	18.2	15.0	21.7	12.2	49.8	17.7	14.7	20.4	

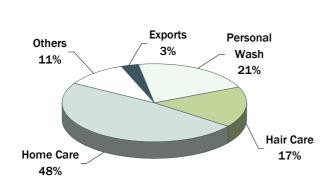
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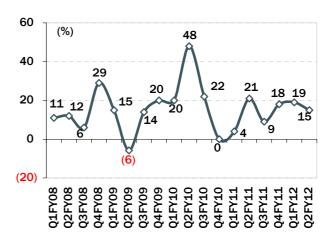
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- □ Int'l operations (35% of consol. rev) reported 24% growth in revenues to Rs 4.2 bn in Q2. EBITDA grew 72% YoY with EBITDA margins improving by 240 bps to 15.8%. This could be attributed to successful new product launches, mix improvement and cost management.
- Megasari (largest Int'l subsidiary, ~50% of Int'l biz revenues) witnessed 27% sales growth (20% growth in constant currency terms) through distribution expansion and NPD's. During the quarter, Stella car fresheners, Stella Bathroom and Mitu milk bath were launched in Indonesia. African subsidiary reported strong 47% growth (including Darling acquisition) in sales with ~28% organic growth. The Darling acquisition could lead to improvement in EBITDA margins in Africa, due to the better margin profile of its products and synergistic benefit to Kinky from Darling group. We expect the Darling group acquisition to contribute Rs 2.3 bn to FY12E sales with Rs 306 mn of profit contribution. The outlook for the international business, as a whole, remains strong and we expect revenues to grow by 39% in FY12E.
- □ Forex MTM losses of Rs 165 mn included: a) impact of import exposure in standalone entity to the tune of Rs 850 mn and b) impact of revaluation of inter company loans in the overseas subsidiaries to the tune of Rs 800 mn

Consol. revenue mix - FY11

Hair Colour: Sales growth

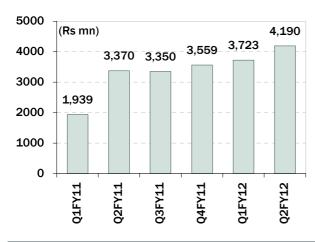


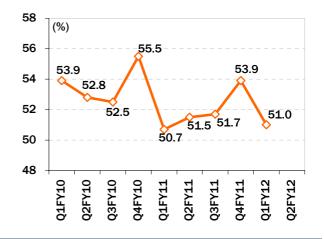


Source: Company

International biz revenues

Gross margins

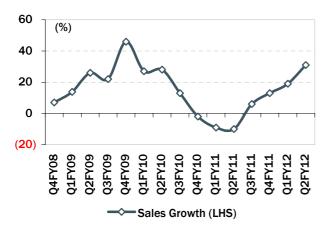


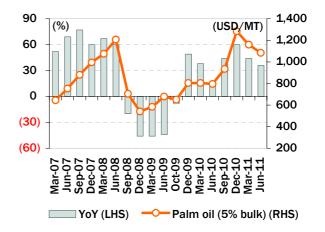


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Soaps: Sales growth

Palm oil prices

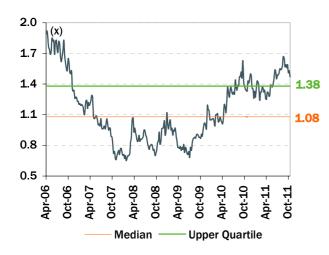


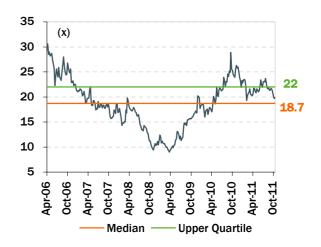


Source: Company, ENAM Research

GCPL P/E relative to Sensex P/E

GCPL - 1-yr rolling forward P/E





Source: ENAM Research, Bloomberg

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