## **Brigade Enterprises**

# 3Q earnings disappoint, office demand strong; Reiterate Buy

#### 3Q earnings below expectation; Reiterate Buy

Brigade reported disappointing 3Q earnings at Rs104mn (against our expectation of Rs170mn) primarily due to higher interest costs and lower revenue recognition. Positively EBIDTA margin saw sharp rebound. We reiterate our Buy rating with a lower PO of Rs100 (-9%) with potential upside of 40% from current levels. We have cut our PO to factor in a delay in residential launches and six month delay in completion of its retail mall project. We continue to like the stock given strong rental growth visibility and good pipeline of residential launches in FY13.

#### Aggressive residential launches ahead

Brigade continues to aggressively look at new residential launches with another 5mn sq ft lined up over the next 6 months. It has seen strong response to its launches in last 18months with 60% of the inventory pre sold. But the benefit of these launches will start reflecting in revenues only from 2HFY13. We have cut our earnings estimate for FY12-14 by 4-25% to factor in higher interest cost and have also pushed the revenue recognition from new residential projects by 6 months to reflect the delay in launches.

#### Solid demand for its commercial assets

Brigade's commercial projects in Bangalore have seen strong traction on leasing with its Summit project 95% leased and vacancy in WTC reducing to 35%. The benefit of the strong leasing should reflect in earnings from FY13. It has managed to sell 30% of its inventory in WTC with the latest transaction at Rs7000/sq ft against our estimate of Rs6000/sq ft. The retail mall (pre leased 85%) is expected to start operations from 4Q with rental accrual expected from 2QFY13.

#### Debt remains under control

The debt has remained flat in FY12 at Rs8bn given strong inflow from residential and commercial sale. Brigade expects to reduce debt by over 25% in FY13.

#### Estimates (Mar)

Free Cash Flow Yield'

(Rs)	2010A	2011A	2012E	2013E	2014E
Net Income (Adjusted - mn)	470	815	766	986	1,173
EPS	4.22	10.70	6.82	8.79	10.45
EPS Change (YoY)	-45.4%	153.2%	-36.2%	28.8%	19.0%
Dividend / Share	1.20	1.50	1.36	1.76	2.09
Free Cash Flow / Share	(22.37)	(16.02)	10.44	11.70	4.00
Valuation (Mar)					
	2010A	2011A	2012E	2013E	2014E
P/E	17.03x	6.73x	10.54x	8.19x	6.88x
Dividend Yield	1.67%	2.08%	1.90%	2.44%	2.91%
EV / EBITDA*	20.83x	9.93x	8.59x	5.90x	5.62x

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#### Stock Data

Price	Rs71.95
Price Objective	Rs100.00
Date Established	8-Feb-2012
Investment Opinion	C-1-7
Volatility Risk	HIGH
52-Week Range	Rs37.65-Rs111.00
Mrkt Val / Shares Out (mn)	US\$164 / 112.3
Market Value (mn)	Rs8,077
Average Daily Volume	80,555
BofAML Ticker / Exchange	XBDGF / NSI
Bloomberg / Reuters	BRGD IN / BRIG.NS
ROE (2012E)	6.7%
Net Dbt to Eqty (Mar-2011A)	79.3%
Est. 5-Yr EPS / DPS Growth	24.0% / 11.7%
Free Float	42.5%

## Key Changes

(Rs)	Previous	Current
Price Obj.	110.00	100.00
2012E EPS	9.16	6.82
2013E EPS	10.90	8.79
2014E EPS	10.92	10.45
2012E EBITDA (m)	2,137.3	1,857.3
2013E EBITDA (m)	2,949.8	2,704.9



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Key Income Statement Data (Mar)	2010A	2011A	2012E	2013E	2014E
(Rs Millions)					
Sales	3,842	5,481	6,057	8,041	8,342
Gross Profit	1,328	2,370	2,530	3,615	3,786
Sell General & Admin Expense	(571)	(772)	(727)	(965)	(1,488)
Operating Profit	560	1,407	1,553	2,218	2,353
Net Interest & Other Income	(90)	(168)	(532)	(848)	(723)
Associates	4	(2)	0	0	0
Pretax Income	474	1,237	1,021	1,370	1,630
Tax (expense) / Benefit	(4)	(422)	(255)	(384)	(456)
Net Income (Adjusted)	470	815	766	986	1,173
Average Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding	112	112	112	112	112
Key Cash Flow Statement Data					
Net Income	470	815	766	986	1,173
Depreciation & Amortization	206	200	304	487	487
Change in Working Capital	(232)	(1,364)	1,760	494	(60)
Deferred Taxation Charge	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other Adjustments, Net	(127)	(27)	(136)	(136)	(136)
Cash Flow from Operations	316	(377)	2,694	1,831	1,464
Capital Expenditure	(2,828)	(1,422)	(1,522)	(517)	(1,015)
(Acquisition) / Disposal of Investments	195	17	0	0	0
Other Cash Inflow / (Outflow)	89	91	136	136	136
Cash Flow from Investing	(2,544)	(1,314)	(1,386)	(381)	(878)
Shares Issue / (Repurchase)	0	0	0	0	0
Cost of Dividends Paid	(158)	(196)	(179)	(230)	(274)
Cash Flow from Financing	2,181	1,340	(179)	(1,730)	(1,274)
Free Cash Flow	(2,512)	(1,798)	1,172	1,313	449
Net Debt	7,263	8,781	7,652	6,432	6,120
Change in Net Debt	2,303	1,532	(1,130)	(1,219)	(312)
Key Balance Sheet Data					
Property, Plant & Equipment	10,849	12,239	13,456	13,487	14,015
Other Non-Current Assets	41	11	11	11	11
Trade Receivables	81	163	180	239	248
Cash & Equivalents	403	451	1,581	1,300	612
Other Current Assets	10,211	13,339	11,208	12,009	12,256
Total Assets	21,584	26,203	26,436	27,046	27,142
Long-Term Debt	7,666	9,232	9,232	7,732	6,732
Other Non-Current Liabilities	0	232	232	232	232
Short-Term Debt	NA 2.022	NA E ((0	NA F 21F	NA	NA
Other Current Liabilities	3,823	5,669	5,315	6,668	6,865
Total Liabilities Total Equity	11,489 10,096	15,133 11,070	14,779 11,657	14,633 12,414	13,829 13,313
Total Equity & Liabilities	21,585	26,203	26,436	27,046	27,142
1.2	21,505	20,203	20,430	27,040	27,142
<i>iQmethod</i> <sup>sss</sup> - Bus Performance*					
Return On Capital Employed	3.1%	4.8%	5.6%	7.7%	8.3%
Return On Equity	4.7%	7.7%	6.7%	8.2%	9.1%
Operating Margin	14.6%	25.7%	25.6%	27.6%	28.2%
EBITDA Margin	19.9%	29.3%	30.7%	33.6%	34.0%
<i>iQmethod</i> <sup>sm</sup> - Quality of Earnings*					
Cash Realization Ratio	0.7x	-0.5x	3.5x	1.9x	1.2x
Asset Replacement Ratio	13.7x	7.1x	5.0x	1.1x	2.1x
Tax Rate (Reported)	0.9%	34.1%	25.0%	28.0%	28.0%
Net Debt-to-Equity Ratio	71.9%	79.3%	65.6%	51.8%	46.0%
Interest Cover	6.2x	8.4x	2.9x	2.6x	3.3x
Key Metrics					

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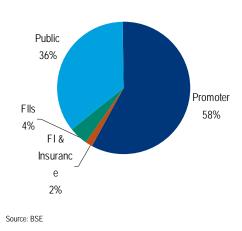
#### **Company Description**

Brigade is a Bangalore based real estate developer, primarily focused on development of large integrated enclaves. These enclaves are self contained urban neighborhood combining residential, social, business and commercial zones. It plans to enter the value housing also and has land bank across 7 cities in South India

#### **Investment Thesis**

We expect strong performance from the commercial assets of Brigade over next 12 months as all the assets will start generating lease rentals. While debt is elevated we believe it is well backed by the commercial assets. The recent launches in residential provide further visibility on earnings from FY13.High NAV visibility and a strong balance sheet provide further strength to our thesis. Hence, our Buy.

#### Chart 1: Shareholding as on Dec 2011



#### Stock Data

Price to Book Value



Brigade Enterprises

#### Table 1: NAV details

	Value (Rs m)	Value per share (Rs)	% of NAV (pre debt)
Residential	8,241	73	38.4%
Hospitality	2,300	20	10.7%
Commercial	10,925	97	50. <b>9</b> %
Gross NAV	21,466	191	
Less			
- Net debt	9,000	80	
Net NAV	12,466	111	
Assuming 10% discount to NAV	11,219	100	
Price Objective		100	
Source: BofA Merrill Lynch Global Research			

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#### Table 2: Earnings Snapshot

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Total operating income	4,094	3,842	5,481	6,057	8,041	8,342
-growth	-19%	-6%	43%	11%	33%	4%
EBITDA	739	677	1,517	1,721	2,569	2,704
-growth	-51%	-8%	124%	13%	49%	5%
Net Income	384	470	815	766	986	1173
-growth	-62%	22%	73%	-6%	29%	19%
Margins						
Gross margin	32%	35%	43%	42%	45%	45%
EBIDTA margin	18%	18%	28%	28%	32%	32%
Net Income margin	9%	12%	15%	13%	12%	14%

Source: BofA Merrill Lynch Global Research



## Price objective basis & risk Brigade Enterprises (XBDGF)

Our preferred valuation methodology is NAV, calculated by discounting the cash flows from each of the real estate projects. Our price objective of Rs100 is therefore based on our NAV of Rs111. We expect Brigade to trade at a discount of 10% to its NAV given high NAV visibility, good earnings momentum and low regulatory risk. Key assumptions underlying our NAV are WACC of 15.1%, capitalization rate of 11% and inflation of 5% from FY14E on both selling price and construction costs. On a P/E basis, at our PO of Rs100, the stock would trade at 11x FY13E earnings. Downside risks are lower-than-expected volume and delay in revival of demand for commercial real estate in Bangalore.

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	Brigade Enterprises	XBDGF	BRGD IN	Gagan Agarwal
	DLF Limited	XVDUF	DLFU IN	Abhishek Kiran Gupta
	Exide Indus Ltd	XEDRF	EXID IN	Sanjaya Satapathy
	Havells	HVLIF	HAVL IN	Sanjaya Satapathy
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IEUTRAL				
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Business Performance	Numerator	Denominator
Return On Capital Employed	NOPAT = (EBIT + Interest Income) * (1 - Tax Rate) + Goodwill	Total Assets – Current Liabilities + ST Debt + Accumulated Goodwill
	Amortization	Amortization
Return On Equity	Net Income	Shareholders' Equity
Operating Margin	Operating Profit	Sales
Earnings Growth	Expected 5-Year CAGR From Latest Actual	N/A
Free Cash Flow	Cash Flow From Operations – Total Capex	N/A
Quality of Earnings		
Cash Realization Ratio	Cash Flow From Operations	Net Income
Asset Replacement Ratio	Сарех	Depreciation
Tax Rate	Tax Charge	Pre-Tax Income
Net Debt-To-Equity Ratio	Net Debt = Total Debt, Less Cash & Equivalents	Total Equity
Interest Cover	EBIT	Interest Expense
Valuation Toolkit		
Price / Earnings Ratio	Current Share Price	Diluted Earnings Per Share (Basis As Specified)
Price / Book Value	Current Share Price	Shareholders' Equity / Current Basic Shares
Dividend Yield	Annualised Declared Cash Dividend	Current Share Price
Free Cash Flow Yield	Cash Flow From Operations – Total Capex	Market Cap. = Current Share Price * Current Basic Shares
Enterprise Value / Sales	EV = Current Share Price * Current Shares + Minority Equity + Net Deb	t + Sales
	Other LT Liabilities	
EV / EBITDA	Enterprise Value	Basic EBIT + Depreciation + Amortization
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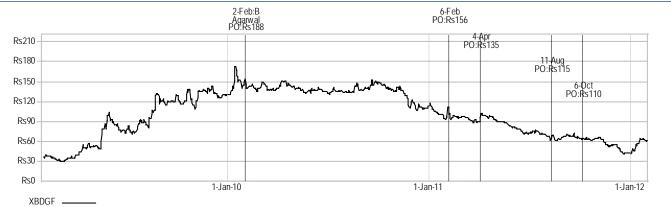
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Neutral	34	23.78%	Neutral	14	41.18%
Sell	38	26.57%	Sell	11	29.73%
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Coverage Universe	Count	Percent	Inv. Banking Relationships*	Count	Percent
Buy	2029	52.00%	Buy	1337	72.11%
Neutral	1009	25.86%	Neutral	657	71.34%
Sell	864	22.14%	Sell	487	60.20%

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