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CMP: ₹ 429

Target: ₹ 520 (21%) Target Period: 12 months

May 28, 2020

Health & hygiene new buzzwords...

Dabur India (DIL) posted a dismal set of numbers with a 12.3% decline in sales & 24.2% dip in earnings. The results were impacted by a sharp dip in sales in March impacted by the lockdown. Though India business volume fell 14.6% in Q4, even January-February volumes were growing at a slower pace of 4.6% due to continued liquidity problems with trade channel. Gross margins contracted 70 bps, employee spend to sales increased 100 bps, A&P spend to sales increased 80 bps, resulting in 260 bps contraction in operating margins and 23% fall in operating profit. Health supplement (Chyawanprash, honey, glucose) sales declined 9.5%. Hair care, home care, oral care & skin categories witnessed 20.2%, 15.8%, 18.4% & 24.2% contraction in sales during the quarter. Further, foods (juices) category also saw a 20.6% dip in sales given disruption in pre-season sales.

Health supplement to drive volume growth

With increasing health consciousness, some products with immunity booster proposition like Chyawanprash, Honey & OTC products are gaining traction. Further, the company also launched five new products in the healthcare space along with immunity booster kit. DIL posted 400% surge in Chyawanprash demand & 80% growth in honey in the last few months inducing it to expand capacity of these products to meet the current demand. We believe health supplement would be driving the growth and could see structural demand improvement given increasing consumer awareness about health & immunity. The company, with strong product portfolio & new launches is best positioned to leverage the opportunity. This is also important in the context that two bigger categories hair care & foods (contributes 14% & 11% to sales, respectively) are witnessing saturation.

Strong pipeline of new launches

The company launched several new products in the home & personal care (HPC) category, specifically hand sanitisers, air sanitisers, surface cleaners, veggie wash & disinfectant. With the surge in demand for these products, DIL expects to generate revenue of ₹ 100 crore in Q1 itself. We believe sanitisers & disinfectants could become much bigger categories in the next two years given increasing preference for hygiene. Though more than 400 sanitiser brands have been launched in last two months, Dabur, with its brand saliency, would have an advantage. We see it grabbing decent market share. Further, DIL is also concentrating on fruit drinks category (three new launches) given nectars & juices have been witnessing slower growth and opportunity is much larger in fruit drinks. The new launches contributing 3-4% of topline (compared to 1.5% earlier) would be vital in driving growth.

Valuation & Outlook

DIL seems to be trying to convert adverse circumstances into opportunity by leveraging Dabur brand in hygiene & healthcare themes. We expect flat sales growth in FY21 and strong 16% recovery in FY22E considering its strong rural presence (targeting direct reach of 60,000 villages) that may see higher growth with migrants moving back and increase in government welfare spend. We maintain **BUY** with a target price of ₹ 520/share.



BUY

Amount
75,529.5
471.8
3,611.6
72,389.7
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Key Highlights

- Most of the categories witnessed double digit decline due to 10-15 days loss of sales in March
- Juices segment declined 20% YoY due to opportunity lost in preseasonal channel sales
- Earnings declined sharply by 24% due to revenue decline, margin contraction & ₹ 20 crore impairment loss on investment
- Maintain BUY with revised target price of ₹ 520/share (earlier ₹ 550/ share)

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Key Financial Summary						
Key Financials	FY18	FY19	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	CAGR (FY20-22E)
Net Sales	7748.3	8533.1	8703.6	8759.8	10153.7	8.0%
EBITDA	1617.4	1739.6	1792.4	1823.6	2129.4	9.0%
EBITDA Margin %	20.9	20.4	20.6	20.8	21.0	
Net Profit	1357.7	1446.3	1447.9	1556.2	1814.7	12.0%
EPS (₹)	7.71	8.19	8.19	8.81	10.27	
P/E	55.8	52.5	52.5	48.8	41.9	
RoNW %	23.8	25.7	21.9	22.5	24.8	
RoCE (%)	26.2	29.6	26.1	25.7	28.3	

	Q4FY20	Q4FY20E	Q4FY19	YoY (%)	Q3FY20	QoQ (%)	Comments
							Net sales declined 12.3% during the quarter with
Net Sales	1,865.4	2,265.5	2,128.2	-12.3	2,353.0	-20.7	operations coming to a complete standstill in the last 10 days of the lockdown
Raw Material Expenses	949.6	1,128.3	1,069.3	-11.2	1,174.5	-19.1	
Employee Expenses	230.1	229.0	241.9	-4.9	244.8	-6.0	
SG&A Expenses	100.2	160.2	97.8	2.5	203.5	-50.7	
Other operating Expenses	233.2	249.4	262.0	-11.0	237.4	-1.8	
EBITDA	352.3	497.5	457.2	-23.0	492.9	-28.5	
							Operating margins contracted 260 bps mainly on
EBITDA Margin (%)	18.9	22.0	21.5	-260 bps	20.9	-206 bps	account of sustained A&P spend & negative operating
							leverage
Depreciation	58.8	54.4	46.2	27.3	54.4	8.1	
Interest	8.6	12.9	12.4	-31.0	10.5	-18.4	
Other Income	75.8	75.5	66.1	14.7	74.5	1.8	
Exceptional items	20.0	0.0	75.3	N.A.	20.0	N.A.	
PBT	340.6	506.8	389.3	-12.5	482.5	-29.4	
Tax Outgo	58.7	100.6	17.8	229.9	83.5	-29.7	
PAT	281.6	406.2	371.5	-24.2	399.0	-29.4	Net profit declined due to lower operating profit & ₹ 2 crore impairment loss on investments
Key Metrics YoY growth (%)							
Volume Growth	-14.6		4.3		5.6		
Standalone sales growth	-17.1		5.9		5.0		
Subsidiary's sales growth	2.7		1.2		13.1		

Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research

Exhibit 2: Change	in estimate	es					
	FY21E				FY22E		
(₹ Crore)	Old	New	% change	Old	New	% change	Comments
Sales	10,001.2	8,759.8	-12.4	10,961.0	10,153.7	-7.4	We revise our estimates downward after operations impacted due to lockdown situation in the country in April-May
EBITDA	2083.3	1823.6	-12.5	2290.4	2129.4	-7.0	
EBITDA Margin (%)	20.8	20.8	-1 bps	20.9	21.0	8 bps	
PAT	1780.4	1556.2	-12.6	1956.7	1814.7	-7.3	
EPS (₹)	10.1	8.81	-12.6	11.1	10.27	-7.3	

Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research

		Current				Earlier		Comments
	FY18	FY19	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	FY21E	FY22E	
Std. Sales (₹ crore)	5,609.1	6,273.2	6,309.8	6,359.7	7,513.6	7,304.2	7,994.3	We revise our estimates downwards due to sales disruption in India & other geographies
Subs. Sales (₹ crore)	2,139.3	2,259.9	2,393.8	2,400.1	2,640.1	2,697.0	2,966.7	
RM exp. To sales %	49.6	50.5	50.1	49.8	49.7	49.7	49.6	
Adex to sales %	7.8	7.1	8.0	8.0	7.8	8.0	8.0	
Interest Cost (₹ crore)	53.1	59.6	49.5	38.9	40.2	55.9	57.9	

Conference Call Highlights

- Dabur reported 12.3% revenue growth with 17% decline in India sales and flat growth in international business. Domestic volumes contracted 14.6%. Operating profit declined 23% given margins dipped by 230 bps to 18.9% due to negative operating leverage. The company maintained its A&P spend during the quarter at ₹ 100 crore
- January-February saw 4.5% sales growth with similar volume growth in India business volumes. International business grew 8.4% during these months. The company lost ₹ 360 crore sales with a ₹ 115 crore adverse impact on earnings due to lockdown in Q4FY20
- The supply chain was completely shut for 10-15 days, which resulted in sales decline during the quarter. April & part of May also impacted the manufacturing and supply chain. The company is currently operating at ~80-90% of its last year's capacity levels. Further, the likelihood of this impact in Q1FY21 on revenues would be ₹ 400-450 crore. Profitability would also be negatively impacted by ₹ 60-80 crore
- The company would not change its strategy on eight power brands and would continue to invest on these brands through media spend
- New product contribution to sales has increased from 1.5% to 3.1%. With the strong pipeline of products, it is likely to further rise in future
- The company is witnessing strong demand in personal & home hygiene. It has launched Dabur hand sanitisers, Odonil air sanitisers, Dazzl surface cleaner, Fem hand wash, Dabur veggie wash, Dabur sanitise disinfectant spray. The management expect ₹ 100 crore sales in Q1FY21E from these products
- In healthcare category, the company has launched several immunity booster products like Tulsi Drops, Haldi Drops, Amla Juice and others. The company's flagship Brand Chyawanprash is witnessing 400% jump in demand and Honey has seen 80% growth in few months. The company is expanding capacities in both segments to meet the current demand
- The company is concentrating on fruit drinks given nectar & juices category is witnessing growth challenges (category declined 7%) and opportunity is much larger in fruit drinks (₹ 7500 crore category). The company launched Masala Sugarcane & Coconut water & Guava flavours in fruit drinks category. It is also launching PET bottle to facilitate 'Out of Home consumption'
- Down-trading will be a reality in rural India with migrants shifting from metro cities to villages. Rural contributes 45% of the sales. Moreover, low unit packs (LUP) are 15-18% of DIL business. Bulk packs are largely a phenomenon in pantry sales. Urban general trade is also witnessing growth in larger packs
- The company usually keeps 18 days inventory with trade. However, currently the trade channel is mostly out of stock merely keeping two to three days inventory. E-commerce sales have become 3% of the company's sales and are growing at 100%
- International sales were flat with Egypt, Hobi, Namaste witnessing robust growth of 14.3%, 47.9%, 11.3%, respectively. However, MENA region saw 7% decline in sales during the quarter. The company needs to increase its distribution reach in MENA region

Key Metrics

	Q4FY17	Q1FY18	Q2FY18	Q3FY18	Q4FY18	Q1FY19	Q2FY19	Q3FY19	Q4FY19	Q1FY20	Q2FY20	Q3FY20	Q4FY20
Hair Care	-4.0	-11.0	2.3*	16.7*	8.8*	18.8*	11.1*	24*	3*	12.1*	2.6*	0.4*	-20.2
Oral Care	9.0	1.5	22.8	23.0	11.0	17.3	3.9	10.0	8.2	11.4	4.4	8.5	-15.8
Health Supp.	5.0	-7.0	3.0	19.5	14.0	27.5	12.3	13.8	10.2	19.6	14.4	12.2	-9.5
Digestives	-5.0	4.0	11.7	19.3	7.2	21.6	10.8	22.5	11.9	18.2	10.2	15.9	-9.5
Skin Care	0.0	4.0	15.8	14.5	8.5	27.1	11.9	19.3	11.2	12.1	1.0	-0.3	-24.2
Home Care	-6.5	6.2	10.1	36.0	N.A.	17.4	10.9	8.9	16.2	10.9	7.0	2.5	-20.6
Foods	10.0	-8.3	11.7	0.0	-1.5	N.A.	2.3	11.1	-6.5	1.5	-5.0	-1.7	-18.4
отс	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.8	13.3	10.0	17.7	16.6	13.1	4.2	5.5	-20.6
Ethicals	NA	NA	NA	NA	10.3	23.4	6.1	17.4	9.7	15.9	7.2	2.7	-20.6



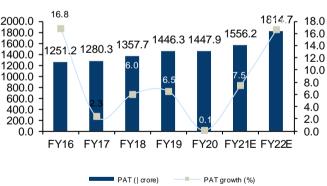
Exhibit 6: EBITDA margin to remain stable



Source: ICICI Direct Research, Company

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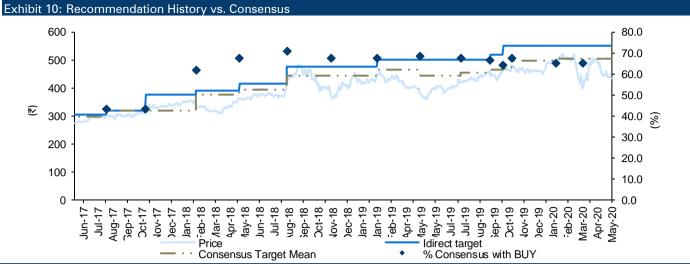




Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research

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	Sales	Growth	EPS	Growth	PE	EV/EBITDA	RoNW	RoCE
	(₹ cr)	(%)	(₹)	(%)	(x)	(x)	(%)	(%)
FY19	8533.1	10.1	8.2	6.2	52.5	43.4	25.7	29.6
FY20	8703.6	2.0	8.2	0.1	52.5	41.6	21.9	26.1
FY21E	8759.8	0.6	8.8	7.5	48.8	40.9	22.5	25.7
FY22E	10153.7	15.9	10.3	16.6	41.9	35.0	24.8	28.3



Source: Bloomberg, Company, ICICI Direct Research

Exhib	oit 11: Top 10 Shareholders				
Rank	Investor Name	Filing Date	% 0/S	Position (m)	Change (m)
1	Chowdhary Associates	31-Dec-19	12.3	217.9	0.0
2	Vic Enterprises Pvt	31-Dec-19	12.3	217.7	0.0
3	Gyan Enterprises Pvt	31-Dec-19	11.4	202.2	0.0
4	Puran Associates Pvt	31-Dec-19	10.7	189.2	0.0
5	Ratna Commercial Ent	19-Mar-20	8.9	157.7	0.0
6	Milky Invest & Tradi	31-Dec-19	6.0	106.1	0.0
7	Burmans Finvest Pvt	30-Jun-19	3.0	53.0	0.0
8	Life Insurance Corp	31-Dec-19	2.7	48.5	7.9
9	First State Investme	30-Sep-19	1.8	32.4	5.7
10	M B Finmart Pvt Ltd	31-Dec-19	1.5	26.5	0.0
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Source: Reuters, ICICI Direct Research

(in %)	Mar-19	Jun-19	Sep-19	Dec-19	Mar-20
Promoter	67.9	67.9	67.9	67.9	67.9
FI	18.2	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.4
DII	6.7	7.0	7.8	7.7	7.6
Others	7.2	7.3	6.7	6.9	7.1

Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research

ICICI Direct Research

Financial summary

Exhibit 13: Profit and los	s stateme	nt		₹ crore
(Year-end March)	FY19	FY20	FY21E	FY22E
Net Sales	8,533.1	8,703.6	8,759.8	10, 153.7
Growth (%)	10.1	2.0	0.6	15.9
Raw Material Expenses	4,309.0	4,360.2	4,360.8	5,049.3
Employee Expenses	937.9	947.7	902.3	1,045.8
Marketing Expenses	608.3	650.0	700.8	792.0
Administrative Expenses	560.2	0.0	657.0	751.4
Other expenses	378.0	953.3	315.4	385.8
Total Operating Expenditure	6,793.5	6,911.2	6,936.2	8,024.3
EBITDA	1,739.6	1,792.4	1,823.6	2,129.4
Growth (%)	7.6	3.0	1.7	16.8
Depreciation	176.9	220.5	221.2	229.8
Interest	59.6	49.5	38.9	40.2
Other Income	296.2	305.3	311.4	327.0
PBT	1,723.9	1,727.7	1,874.9	2,186.4
Others	75.3	100.0	0.0	0.0
Total Tax	278.6	279.7	318.7	371.7
PAT	1,446.3	1,447.9	1,556.2	1,814.7
Growth (%)	6.5	0.1	7.5	16.6
Adjusted EPS (₹)	8.2	8.2	8.8	10.3

Exhibit 15: Balance shee	et			₹ crore
(Year-end March)	FY19	FY20	FY21E	FY22E
Liabilities				
Equity Capital	176.6	176.7	176.7	176.7
Reserve and Surplus	5,455.0	6,429.0	6,748.3	7,149.3
Total Shareholders funds	5,631.7	6,605.8	6,925.0	7,326.0
Long Term Loans	30.6	167.6	67.6	67.6
Long Term Provisions	23.1	17.4	17.4	17.4
Minority Interest / Others	90.9	99.4	99.4	99.4
Total Liabilities	5,776.3	6,890.1	7,109.3	7,510.4
Assets				
Gross Block	3,224.6	3,696.5	3,846.5	3,996.5
Less: Acc Depreciation	1,223.4	1,443.8	1,665.0	1,894.8
Net Block	1,969.1	2,252.7	2,181.5	2,101.7
Capital WIP	63.8	146.6	166.6	186.6
Non- Current Investments	2,633.4	1,409.2	1,709.2	2,009.2
LT loans & advances	17.6	24.6	74.6	124.6
Other Non-current Assets	166.7	640.6	690.6	740.6
Current Assets				
Inventory	1,300.5	1,379.6	1,314.0	1,523.0
Debtors	833.6	813.9	827.3	959.0
Cash & Bank	328.2	811.4	647.8	512.3
ST Loans & Advances	11.0	13.1	11.3	13.1
Other Current Assets	1,112.9	1,862.4	2,032.4	2,202.4
Current Liabilities				
Creditors	1,455.4	1,482.2	1,484.3	1,720.5
ST Borrowings	498.2	304.2	324.2	344.2
Other CL	706.7	677.5	737.5	797.5
Net Current Assets	925.9	2,416.4	2,286.8	2,347.6
Miscellaneous Expenditure	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Assets	5,776.3	6,890.1	7,109,4	7,510.4

Exhibit 14: Cash flow statement ₹ crore (Year-end March) FY19 FY20 FY21E FY22E Profit before Tax 1,724.9 1,874.9 2,186.4 1,727.6 Add: Depreciation 220.5 221.2 229.8 176.9 -512.5 (Inc)/dec in Current Assets -127.1 -157.2 -116.1 Inc/(dec) in CL and Provisions 99.3 82.1 316.2 45.1 Others -384.6 -276.5 -279.9 -331.5 CF from operating activities 1,435.2 1,613.6 1,782.3 1,888.3 (Inc)/dec in Investments 317.5 -364.6 -350.0 -350.0 (Inc)/dec in Fixed Assets -225.0 -400.5 -170.0 -170.0 Others 244.4 248.2 0.0 0.0 336.9 -516.8 -520.0 CF from investing activities -520.0 0.1 Issue/(Buy back) of Equity 0.5 0.0 0.0 Inc/(dec) in loan funds -240.2 -396.8 -150.0 -50.0 -512.5 -1,237.0 -1,413.7 Dividend paid & dividend tax -1,324.7 Others -133.8 -38.9 -40.2 -323.8 CF from financing activities -1,888.2 -1,043.0 -1,425.8 -1,503.9 Net Cash flow -52.2 53.8 -135.5 -163.5 **Opening Cash** 89.2 37.7 91.5 -72.0 Miscellaneous adjustments 290.4 719.8 719.8 719.8 **Closing Cash** 328.2 811.4 647.8 512.3

*calculated, Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research

Exhibit 16: Key ratios				₹ crore
(Year-end March)	FY19	FY20	FY21E	FY22E
Per share data (₹)				
Adjusted EPS	8.2	8.2	8.8	10.3
Cash EPS	9.2	9.4	10.1	11.6
BV	31.9	37.4	39.2	41.5
DPS	7.5	6.5	7.0	8.0
Cash Per Share	1.9	4.6	3.7	2.9
Operating Ratios (%)				
PBITDA Margin	20.4	20.6	20.8	21.0
PBT / Total Operating income	17.6	17.5	17.8	18.3
PAT Margin	16.9	16.6	17.8	17.9
Inventory days	55	54	54	54
Debtor days	35	34	34	34
Creditor days	61	62	61	61
Return Ratios (%)				
RoE	25.7	21.9	22.5	24.8
RoCE	29.6	26.1	25.7	28.3
RolC	27.3	28.2	27.4	30.2
Valuation Ratios (x)				
P/E	52.5	52.5	48.8	41.9
ev / Ebitda	43.4	41.6	40.9	35.0
EV / Net Sales	8.9	8.6	8.5	7.3
Market Cap / Sales	8.9	8.7	8.6	7.4
Price to Book Value	13.5	11.5	11.0	10.4
Solvency Ratios				
Debt/EBITDA	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Debt / Equity	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.
Current Ratio	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.9
Quick Ratio	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.3

Exhibit 17: ICICI Direct coverage universe (FMCG)																			
Sector / Company	CMP	TP		M Cap EPS (₹)				P/E (x)			Price/Sales (x)			RoCE (%)			RoE (%)		
	(₹)	(₹)	Rating	(₹ Cr)	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E
Colgate (COLPAL)	1,278	1,350	Hold	35,712	30.0	29.3	33.6	42.6	43.6	38.0	8.0	7.8	7.2	60.7	66.2	77.5	52.2	51.2	50.8
Dabur India (DABIND)	429	520	Buy	75,530	8.2	8.8	10.3	52.4	48.7	41.8	8.7	8.6	7.4	26.1	25.7	28.3	21.9	22.5	24.8
Hindustan Unilever (HINLEV)	1,998	2,250	Hold	468,000	31.2	33.5	41.3	64.0	59.6	48.3	12.2	11.6	9.7	82.5	24.4	30.3	85.7	20.2	25.0
ITC Limited (ITC)	192	230	Buy	225,942	12.8	12.0	13.7	15.0	16.0	14.1	4.7	4.9	4.3	30.4	27.0	28.3	24.1	20.7	21.7
Jyothy Lab (JYOLAB)	101	110	Hold	4,113	5.3	3.2	4.4	19.2	31.6	23.2	2.3	2.2	2.0	28.6	18.6	23.9	22.6	14.0	18.5
Marico (MARLIM)	323	300	Hold	36,513	8.1	7.8	9.5	40.0	41.2	34.1	5.0	5.2	4.4	41.0	40.1	46.9	34.5	33.8	40.3
Nestle (NESIND)	16,716	18,000	Hold	161,127	204.3	230.9	269.4	81.8	72.4	62.0	13.1	12.1	10.7	56.9	59.3	65.9	101.9	114.1	123.1
Tata Consumer Product (TATGLO)	368	440	Buy	33,433	5.0	8.7	10.9	73.7	42.4	33.8	3.5	3.2	3.0	6.9	7.9	8.8	4.6	5.9	7.1
VST Industries (VSTIND)	3,073	4,000	Buy	4,826	196.9	124.8	216.3	15.6	24.6	14.2	3.9	4.4	3.4	52.1	32.9	45.6	38.6	24.3	33.7
Varun Beverage (VARBEV)	594	580	Reduce	17,662	16.6	9.9	18.1	35.7	60.0	32.8	4.4	3.5	2.5	15.5	11.3	16.3	14.2	8.8	14.2

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