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Q4FY22 Result Update

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Change in Estimates

	Current		Previous	
	FY23E	FY24E	FY23E	FY24E
Rating	BUY		BUY	
Target Price	3,340		3,340	
Sales (Rs. m)	62,824	74,240	62,375	73,500
% Chng.	0.7	1.0		
EBITDA (Rs. m)	13,993	17,296	13,834	17,035
% Chng.	1.2	1.5		
EPS (Rs.)	69.6	83.5	70.6	83.5
% Chng.	(1.4)	(0.1)		

Key Financials - Consolidated

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Sales (Rs. m)	45,770	52,995	62,824	74,240
EBITDA (Rs. m)	10,122	11,424	13,993	17,296
Margin (%)	22.1	21.6	22.3	23.3
PAT (Rs. m)	7,339	8,402	10,548	12,647
EPS (Rs.)	48.4	55.5	69.6	83.5
Gr. (%)	46.6	14.5	25.5	19.9
DPS (Rs.)	-	-	-	-
Yield (%)	-	-	-	-
RoE (%)	18.4	14.7	16.0	16.6
RoCE (%)	19.2	15.8	17.4	19.2
EV/Sales (x)	8.3	7.1	5.9	4.9
EV/EBITDA (x)	37.3	33.0	26.3	20.9
PE (x)	54.3	47.4	37.8	31.5
P/BV (x)	7.5	6.5	5.6	4.9

Key Data

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52-W High / Low	Rs.3,535 / Rs.2,334
Sensex / Nifty	54,209 / 16,240
Market Cap	Rs.399bn/ \$ 5,143m
Shares Outstanding	152m
3M Avg. Daily Value	Rs.612.7m

Shareholding Pattern (%)

Promoter's	46.74
Foreign	16.44
Domestic Institution	25.33
Public & Others	11.49
Promoter Pledge (Rs bn)	-

Stock Performance (%)

	1M	6M	12M
Absolute	(10.0)	(8.4)	(4.1)
Relative	(5.1)	0.8	(11.2)

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P.I. Industries (PI IN)

Rating: BUY | CMP: Rs2,630 | TP: Rs3,340

In-line quarter; Guidance remains strong for FY23

Quick Pointers:

- CSM/domestic revenue growth of 11%/47% YoY respectively
- Revenue growth guidance of 18-20% in FY23

PI Industries (PI) 4QFY22 results were in line with our and consensus estimates. Revenue/EBITDA/PAT grew 17%/34%/14% YoY. Key highlights are: (a) CSM revenue grew 11% YoY to Rs11.1bn (FY22 +20% YoY to Rs39.9bn); although on a higher base; (b) domestic revenue grew 47% YoY to Rs2.8bn (FY22 +4% YoY to Rs13.0bn); (c) Growth of 17% YoY in 4QFY22 was largely driven by volume/price growth of 10%/7% YoY respectively (FY22 Volume/Price growth of 13%/3% YoY); (d) Gross margins improved by 200bps YoY to 44.1% YoY which negated the inflated RM cost and lower export benefits; (e) CSM order book remains steady at USD1.4bn, flat sequentially; (h) launched 4/9 new products in domestic/exports market during FY22. Going forward, PI has guided for 18-20% YoY growth in revenues with margins likely to improve from current levels primarily led by strong enquiries in the CSM business and new launches in the domestic segment. We broadly maintain FY23/FY24 EPS. We expect PI to report revenue/PAT CAGR of 18%/23% (FY11-22, 20%/26%) over FY22-24E. Maintain BUY with unchanged TP of INR3,340 based on 40x FY24 EPS.

Healthy revenue growth despite higher base of last year: Consolidated revenue was up 17% YoY to Rs13.9bn (PLe Rs13.9bn) largely driven by 10%/7% volume/price growth in 4QFY22 (FY22; 13%/3% YoY growth in volume/Price). CSM grew 11% YoY to Rs11.1bn (FY22, +20% YoY to Rs39.9bn) on high base largely driven by strong volume and price growth across key products. Domestic revenue was up 47% YoY to Rs2.8bn (FY22,+4% YoY to Rs13.0bn) primarily aided by healthy response to newly launched product Awkira and supported by price hikes in the recent past. Inflationary raw material cost scenario coupled with lower export incentives offset by favorable product mix and price hikes led to stable margins. Gross margins were up 200bps YoY to 44.1% in 4QFY22. PI has taken price hikes in both CSM and domestic business which is likely to be reflected in the subsequent quarters. Higher other expenses up 17% YoY (FY22 up 31% YoY) led by higher freight cost and one-time cost pertaining to several strategic initiatives and Covid-19 related expenses. EBITDA margin expanded by 290bps YoY to 21.9% (PLe 20.3%). While, higher tax outgo with tax rate at 24% as against 19% in base quarter has resulted into PAT growth of 14% YoY to INR2.0bn (PLe Rs2.1bn).

Other highlights

Product commercialization in CSM: PI commercialized 9 new molecules during FY22, while 6-7 more products are planned to commercialize in FY23. PI has more than 40 products at different stages of scale up in the CSM segment. Further, the R&D pipeline has more than 20% of the products from the non-agrochemical segment.

New product launches in domestic market: PI launched 4 new products (2 new 9(3) products) (Insecticide for rice and three specialty fungicide focused on horticulture/rice crop) during FY22. While the Company has 15 products at different development stages.

Aggressively pursuing horticulture under 'Jivagro' brand- launched 13 new products in FY22; with 5 new innovative products to be launched in FY23.

Order book: CSM order book position stood at USD1.4bn, flat QoQ.

Capex: Spent Rs3.2bn in FY22 and is expected to incur ~Rs5bn in FY23 largely towards investing in new technology and maintenance capex.

Cash balance: PI has cash (net of debt) of INR21.6bn. It includes QIP money of INR19.7bn which are invested in liquid funds.

RM Inventory on the higher side at Rs14.2bn, up 35% YoY in order to avert supply chain disruptions and meet customer supply schedules.

Pharma acquisition: PI is exploring opportunity for in-organic growth both into the domestic as well into the exports market which is expected to close in 3-4quarters.

Guidance: PI Industries remains confident to achieve revenue growth of 18-20% for FY23. Despite cost related headwinds, the company has taken price hikes both in the domestic and CSM segment to pass on the inflated cost which should support margins going forward. Tax rate is likely to remain in the range of 18-19% for FY23E.

Exhibit 1: Q4FY22 Result Overview (Rs mn)

Y/e March	4QFY22	4QFY21	YoY gr. (%)	3QFY21	QoQ gr. (%)	FY22	FY21	YoY gr. (%)
Revenues	13,952	11,971	16.5	13,563	2.9	52,995	45,770	15.8
Raw material	7,804	6,930	12.6	7,267	7.4	29,228	25,712	13.7
Staff costs	1,140	1,096	4.0	1,254	(9.1)	4,804	4,169	15.2
Others	1,958	1,671	17.2	2,077	(5.7)	7,539	5,767	30.7
Total expenditure	10,902	9,697	12.4	10,598	2.9	41,571	35,648	16.6
EBITDA	3,050	2,274	34.1	2,965	2.9	11,424	10,122	12.9
Depreciation	536	448	19.6	503	6.6	2,018	1,748	15.4
EBIT	2,514	1,826	37.7	2,462	2.1	9,406	8,374	12.3
Less: Interest Expense	27	44	(38.6)	33	(18.2)	128	282	(54.6)
Add: Other income	200	442	(54.8)	260	(23.1)	1,014	1,249	(18.8)
Profit Before Tax	2,687	2,224	20.8	2,689	(0.1)	10,292	9,341	10.2
Less: Provision for Tax	649	425	52.7	466	39.3	1,890	2,002	(5.6)
Less: Minority Interest	6	-1	NA	3	100.0	-	-	NA
Adjusted Profit	2,044	1,798	13.7	2,226	(8.2)	8,402	7,339	14.5
Add: Exceptional items	-	-	NA	-	NA	-	-	NA
Reported profit	2,044	1,798	13.7	2,226	(8.2)	8,402	7,339	14.5
Minority interest								
No. of Diluted shares outstanding (mn)	152	152		152		152	152	
Adjusted Diluted EPS	13.5	11.9	13.7	14.7	(8.2)	55.5	48.4	14.5
As % of net revenues								
Raw material	55.9	57.9		53.6		55.2	56.2	
Staff expenses	8.2	9.2		9.2		9.1	9.1	
Other expenses	14.0	14.0		15.3		14.2	12.6	
EBITDA	21.9	19.0		21.9		21.6	22.1	
Net profit	14.7	15.0		16.4		15.9	16.0	

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 2: Quarterly CSM Revenue and Growth Trend

	Q4FY19	Q1FY20	Q2FY20	Q3FY20	Q4FY20	Q1FY21	Q2FY21	Q3FY21	Q4FY21	Q1FY22	Q2FY22	Q3FY22	Q4FY22
CSM Revenue	6,010	5,010	6,390	6,440	6,830	6,140	7,990	9,020	10,060	8,070	9,930	10,760	11,142
Growth YoY (%)	39.0	70.3	58.4	19.3	13.6	22.6	25.0	40.1	47.3	31.4	24.3	19.3	10.8

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 3: Quarterly Domestic Revenue and Growth Trend

	Q4FY19	Q1FY20	Q2FY20	Q3FY20	Q4FY20	Q1FY21	Q2FY21	Q3FY21	Q4FY21	Q1FY22	Q2FY22	Q3FY22	Q4FY22
Domestic Revenue	2,038	2,531	2,684	2,058	1,722	4,461	3,587	2,601	1,911	3,868	3,610	2,803	2,810
Growth YoY(%)	5.7	(18.7)	(16.0)	22.9	(15.5)	76.3	33.6	26.4	11.0	(13.3)	0.6	7.8	47.0

Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 4: Quarterly EBITDA & EBITDA Margin

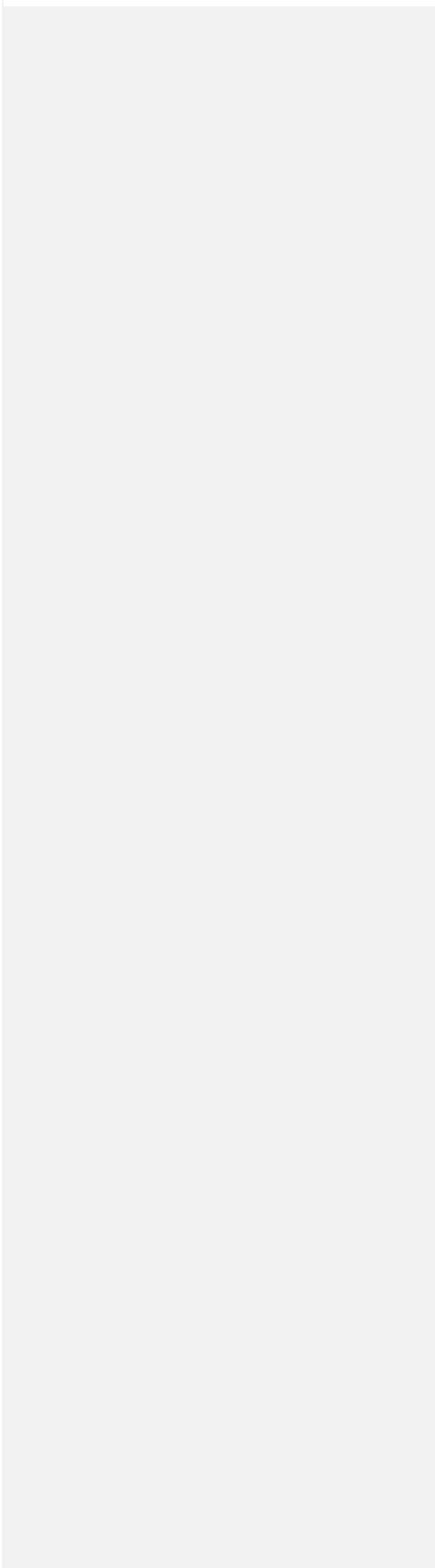
	Q4FY19	Q1FY20	Q2FY20	Q3FY20	Q4FY20	Q1FY21	Q2FY21	Q3FY21	Q4FY21	Q1FY22	Q2FY22	Q3FY22	Q4FY22
EBITDA (INR Mn)	1,735	1,514	1,925	1,865	1,863	2,292	2,801	2,755	2,274	2,489	2,920	2,965	3,050
EBITDA Margin(%)	21.6	20.1	21.2	21.9	21.8	21.6	24.2	23.7	19.0	20.8	21.6	21.9	21.9

Source: Company, PL

**Exhibit 5: Quarterly CSM Order book and Quarterly Growth Trend**

	Q4FY19	Q1FY20	Q2FY20	Q3FY20	Q4FY20	Q1FY21	Q2FY21	Q3FY21	Q4FY21	Q1FY22	Q2FY22	Q3FY22	Q4FY22
CSM Order book (USD Mn)	1,350	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,400	1,400	1,400
Growth QoQ (%)	3.8	3.7	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	(6.7)	-	-

Source: Company, PL



Financials

Income Statement (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Net Revenues	45,770	52,995	62,824	74,240
YoY gr. (%)	36.0	15.8	18.5	18.2
Cost of Goods Sold	25,712	29,228	34,471	40,568
Gross Profit	20,058	23,767	28,353	33,672
Margin (%)	43.8	44.8	45.1	45.4
Employee Cost	4,169	4,804	5,660	6,523
Other Expenses	5,767	7,539	8,700	9,853
EBITDA	10,122	11,424	13,993	17,296
YoY gr. (%)	41.0	12.9	22.5	23.6
Margin (%)	22.1	21.6	22.3	23.3
Depreciation and Amortization	1,748	2,018	2,364	2,665
EBIT	8,374	9,406	11,630	14,631
Margin (%)	18.3	17.7	18.5	19.7
Net Interest	282	128	202	136
Other Income	1,249	1,014	1,144	1,313
Profit Before Tax	9,341	10,292	12,571	15,809
Margin (%)	20.4	19.4	20.0	21.3
Total Tax	2,002	1,890	2,023	3,162
Effective tax rate (%)	21.4	18.4	16.1	20.0
Profit after tax	7,339	8,402	10,548	12,647
Minority interest	-	-	-	-
Share Profit from Associate	-	-	-	-
Adjusted PAT	7,339	8,402	10,548	12,647
YoY gr. (%)	61.0	14.5	25.5	19.9
Margin (%)	16.0	15.9	16.8	17.0
Extra Ord. Income / (Exp)	-	-	-	-
Reported PAT	7,339	8,402	10,548	12,647
YoY gr. (%)	61.0	14.5	25.5	19.9
Margin (%)	16.0	15.9	16.8	17.0
Other Comprehensive Income	-	-	-	-
Total Comprehensive Income	7,339	8,402	10,548	12,647
Equity Shares O/s (m)	152	152	152	152
EPS (Rs)	48.4	55.5	69.6	83.5

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Balance Sheet Abstract (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Non-Current Assets				
Gross Block	27,370	32,531	37,431	41,481
Tangibles	26,185	31,336	35,886	39,936
Intangibles	1,185	1,195	1,545	1,545
Acc: Dep / Amortization	5,988	8,006	10,370	13,034
Tangibles	5,988	8,006	10,370	13,034
Intangibles	-	-	-	-
Net fixed assets	21,382	24,525	27,062	28,447
Tangibles	20,197	23,330	25,517	26,902
Intangibles	1,185	1,195	1,545	1,545
Capital Work In Progress	2,875	1,145	1,213	1,214
Goodwill	-	-	-	-
Non-Current Investments	54	258	458	658
Net Deferred tax assets	(796)	(875)	(875)	(875)
Other Non-Current Assets	-	-	-	-
Current Assets				
Investments	7,079	8,547	8,547	8,547
Inventories	10,528	14,234	12,076	13,158
Trade receivables	7,035	8,687	10,369	12,260
Cash & Bank Balance	16,195	14,102	22,137	28,948
Other Current Assets	2,212	2,391	2,391	2,391
Total Assets	70,019	77,911	88,274	99,645
Equity				
Equity Share Capital	152	152	152	152
Other Equity	53,272	61,052	70,414	81,785
Total Network	53,424	61,204	70,566	81,936
Non-Current Liabilities				
Long Term borrowings	-	-	-	-
Provisions	-	-	-	-
Other non current liabilities	-	-	-	-
Current Liabilities				
ST Debt / Current of LT Debt	2,574	1,699	-	-
Trade payables	7,960	9,242	9,214	10,855
Other current liabilities	552	357	3,085	1,444
Total Equity & Liabilities	70,019	77,911	88,274	99,644

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Cash Flow (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
PBT	9,385	10,328	12,571	15,809
Add. Depreciation	1,748	2,018	2,364	2,665
Add. Interest	282	128	202	136
Less Financial Other Income	1,249	1,014	1,144	1,313
Add. Other	(1,216)	(160)	(1,144)	(1,313)
Op. profit before WC changes	10,199	12,314	13,993	17,296
Net Changes-WC	(1,303)	(5,276)	3,176	(2,973)
Direct tax	(1,647)	(1,751)	(2,023)	(3,162)
Net cash from Op. activities	7,249	5,287	15,146	11,161
Capital expenditures	(4,375)	(3,362)	(4,968)	(4,051)
Interest / Dividend Income	-	-	1,144	1,313
Others	(19,698)	2,258	(200)	(200)
Net Cash from Invt. activities	(24,073)	(1,104)	(4,024)	(2,938)
Issue of share cap. / premium	19,789	-	-	-
Debt changes	(1,786)	(720)	(1,699)	-
Dividend paid	(607)	(758)	(1,186)	(1,277)
Interest paid	(244)	(85)	(202)	(136)
Others	(248)	(210)	10,296	-
Net cash from Fin. activities	16,904	(1,773)	7,209	(1,412)
Net change in cash	150	2,410	18,331	6,811
Free Cash Flow	2,859	1,916	10,178	7,110

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Quarterly Financials (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	Q1FY22	Q2FY22	Q3FY22	Q4FY22
Net Revenue	11,938	13,542	13,563	13,952
YoY gr. (%)	12.6	17.0	16.7	16.5
Raw Material Expenses	6,714	7,443	7,267	7,804
Gross Profit	5,224	6,099	6,296	6,148
Margin (%)	43.8	45.0	46.4	44.1
EBITDA	2,489	2,920	2,965	3,050
YoY gr. (%)	8.6	4.2	7.6	34.1
Margin (%)	20.8	21.6	21.9	21.9
Depreciation / Depletion	487	492	503	536
EBIT	2,002	2,428	2,462	2,514
Margin (%)	16.8	17.9	18.2	18.0
Net Interest	34	34	33	27
Other Income	277	277	260	200
Profit before Tax	2,245	2,671	2,689	2,687
Margin (%)	18.8	19.7	19.8	19.3
Total Tax	405	370	466	649
Effective tax rate (%)	18.0	13.9	17.3	24.2
Profit after Tax	1,840	2,301	2,223	2,038
Minority interest	32	(5)	3	(6)
Share Profit from Associates	-	-	-	-
Adjusted PAT	1,808	2,306	2,220	2,044
YoY gr. (%)	33.0	5.9	13.4	13.6
Margin (%)	15.1	17.0	16.4	14.7
Extra Ord. Income / (Exp)	-	-	-	-
Reported PAT	1,808	2,306	2,220	2,044
YoY gr. (%)	33.0	5.9	13.4	13.6
Margin (%)	15.1	17.0	16.4	14.7
Other Comprehensive Income	-	-	-	-
Total Comprehensive Income	1,808	2,306	2,220	2,044
Avg. Shares O/s (m)	152	152	152	152
EPS (Rs)	11.9	15.2	14.7	13.5

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Key Financial Metrics

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Per Share(Rs)				
EPS	48.4	55.5	69.6	83.5
CEPS	60.0	68.8	85.2	101.1
BVPS	352.6	403.9	465.7	540.8
FCF	18.9	12.6	67.2	46.9
DPS	-	-	-	-
Return Ratio(%)				
RoCE	19.2	15.8	17.4	19.2
ROIC	32.3	20.9	27.1	30.2
RoE	18.4	14.7	16.0	16.6
Balance Sheet				
Net Debt : Equity (x)	(0.4)	(0.3)	(0.4)	(0.5)
Net Working Capital (Days)	77	94	77	72
Valuation(x)				
PER	54.3	47.4	37.8	31.5
P/B	7.5	6.5	5.6	4.9
P/CEPS	43.9	38.2	30.9	26.0
EV/EBITDA	37.3	33.0	26.3	20.9
EV/Sales	8.3	7.1	5.9	4.9
Dividend Yield (%)	-	-	-	-

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Key Operating Metrics

Y/e Mar	FY21	FY22	FY23E	FY24E
Revenues				
CSM	32,446	39,259	47,503	57,004
Domestic	10,669	11,096	12,760	14,292

Source: Company Data, PL Research

Price Chart

Recommendation History



No.	Date	Rating	TP (Rs.)	Share Price (Rs.)
1	08-Apr-22	BUY	3,340	2,858
2	07-Feb-22	BUY	3,400	2,552
3	12-Jan-22	BUY	3,470	2,887
4	27-Dec-21	BUY	3,470	2,903
5	03-Aug-21	Accumulate	3,363	3,317
6	06-Jul-21	UR	-	2,976

Analyst Coverage Universe

Sr. No.	Company Name	Rating	TP (Rs)	Share Price (Rs)
1	Bayer Cropscience	BUY	5,350	4,823
2	Coromandel International	BUY	960	745
3	Dhanuka Agritech	BUY	870	755
4	Godrej Agrovet	Accumulate	614	526
5	Insecticides India	Hold	680	638
6	P.I. Industries	BUY	3,340	2,858
7	Rallis India	Hold	260	254
8	Sharda Cropchem	BUY	750	646
9	Sumitomo Chemical India	BUY	500	426
10	UPL	BUY	1,010	778

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Buy	: > 15%
Accumulate	: 5% to 15%
Hold	: +5% to -5%
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Sell	: < -15%
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