Retail Equity Research Tata Steel Limited

Metals & Mining

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KEY CHANGES:

Strong quarter; Outlook promising

Tata Steel is a leader in the global steel industry with operations spanning over 26 countries with key operations in India, Netherlands and United Kingdom. Tata steel primarily caters to customers in automotive, construction, engineering, energy and power sectors.

TARGET

- Consolidated revenue grew 6.8% QoQ (+109.5% YoY) led by favorable spot prices and improved realizations. Exports rose 16% of total sales compensating softness in domestic markets.
- EBITDA grew 13.8%QoQ as margin expanded 180bps QoQ to 30.2%, on higher steel prices and beneficial inventory changes.
- We expect robust domestic demand recovery post pandemic accompanied by further deleveraging efforts and efficient capital allocation ensuring liquidity. We remain positive on the stock and reiterate our BUY rating on the stock with a revised target price of Rs. 1,745 using SOTP valuation.

European business helps growth momentum

Revenue for Q1FY22 rose 6.8% QoQ to Rs. 53,372cr (+109.5% YoY) due to growing European business (+12.6% QoQ to Rs. 19,441cr) with elevated spot steel prices. Domestic operations was backed by improved prices and realization offsetting lower deliveries upon partial lockdowns impacting steel consuming sectors with temporary shutdowns. Production was at 7.88mn tons (vs. 8.02mn tons in Q4FY21 and 5.54mn tons in Q1FY21) mildly impacted due to seasonality and second wave of COVID. Resultantly, India revenue fell 1.9% QoQ to Rs. 20,798cr (+122.7% YoY upon low base), as apparent steel consumption shrank 14.8% QoQ. Bamnipal Steel revenue climbed up 7.3% QoQ to Rs. 7,858cr, while Other Indian operations surged 7.9% QoQ to Rs. 4,112cr.

EBITDA unharmed on favorable pricing

Company recorded highest ever quarterly consolidated EBITDA of Rs. 16,111cr (+13.6% QoQ) with a margin of 30.2%, up 180bps QoQ with reduced other expenses (-2.9% QoQ) and favorable inventory changes as a % of sales (+8.9pps YoY, +2.9pps QoQ) partially offset by higher raw material costs (+23.5% QoQ) and staff costs (+5.0% QoQ). Resultantly, net profit rose to Rs. 8,097cr vs. Rs. 4,417cr loss in Q1FY21.

Key concall highlights

- The company has accelerated capex allocation for expanding Kalinganagar already spent Rs. 2,000cr; Expected capex for FY22 is at Rs. 10-12kcr.
- 6 MTPA pellet plant and 2.2mn CRM complex are expected to be commissioned by H1FY22.
- Pioneered launch of India's first rate ferrous scrap product "Tata Ferroshot" substitute for high quality scrap & coke.
- Global steel demand is expected to rise by 5.8% in CY21 upon economic recovery and progressive COVID-19 vaccination across regions.
- Volume guidance for Domestic and Europe businesses at ~1mn ton for the year.
 Q1FY22 debt repayments is at Rs. 5,894cr while gross debt dropped to Rs. 84,3237cr and net debt to Rs. 73,973cr; FCFs amounted to Rs. 3,553cr.

Valuation

Company aims to focus on expansion by doubling production capacities led by improved capex to gain further traction in domestic operations. Solid financial position/free cash flows coupled with deleveraging benefits to supplement liquidity sustenance and strengthen future prospects. Hence, we reiterate our BUY rating on the stock with revised target price of Rs. 1,745 using SOTP valuation.

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Q1FY22 RESULT UPDATE

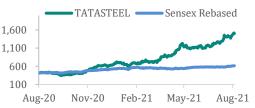
12 Months Investment periodRating as per Large CapCMP Rs. 1,504TARGET Rs. 1,745RETURN 16%(Closing: 17-08-21)

RATING 📛

EARNINGS

Company Data			
Market Cap (cr)	Rs. 180,389		
Enterprise Value (cr)	R	s. 244,187	
Outstanding Shares (cr)		120.0
Free Float			66.0%
Dividend Yield			1.7%
52 week high			Rs. 1,535
52 week low			Rs. 343
6m average volume (lacs)		9.5
Beta		1.1	
Face value		Rs. 10	
Shareholding %	Q3FY21	Q4FY21	Q1FY22
Promoters	34.4	34.4	34.4
FII's	16.9	18.6	21.9
MFs/Insti	26.1	25.4	19.4
Public	17.9	17.1	17.3
Others	4.7	4.5	7.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
Promoters' pledge	3.4	1.6	1.6
Price Performance	3 Month	6 Month	1 Year
Absolute Return	30.7%	115.8%	253.8%
Absolute Sensex	12.5%	7.9%	46.6%
Relative Return*	18.1%	107.9%	207.2%

*over or under performance to benchmark index



Consolidated (cr)	FY21A	FY22E	FY23E
Sales	156,294	203,657	203,535
Growth (%)	4.9	30.3	(0.1)
EBITDA	30,504	57,706	43,760
EBITDA Margin (%)	19.5	28.3	21.5
Adj. PAT	9,933	32,127	21,421
Growth (%)	53.1	223.5	(33.3)
Adj. EPS	81.5	267.8	178.5
Growth (%)	64.8	228.5	(33.3)
P/E	10.0	5.6	8.4
P/B	1.3	1.7	1.5
EV/EBITDA	5.9	4.2	5.3
ROE (%)	12.0	31.0	17.4
D/E	1.1	0.7	0.5





Quarterly Financials (Consolidated)

Profit & Loss Account

	Q1FY22	Q1FY21	YoY Growth %	Q4FY21	QoQ Growth %
Revenue	53,372	25,475	109.5	49,977	6.8
EBITDA	16,111	539	n.m.	14,184	13.6
EBITDA margins	30.2	2.1	2810bps	28.4	180bps
Depreciation	2,325	2,175	6.9	2,392	(2.8)
EBIT	13,786	(1,635)	n.m.	11,792	16.9
Interest	1,811	2,006	(9.7)	1,866	(2.9)
Other Income	162	188	(13.7)	272	(40.4)
Exceptional Items	(182)	58	n.m.	(991)	81.6
PBT	12,077	(3,381)	n.m.	9,357	29.1
Tax	2,308	1,268	82.1	2,195	5.2
Share of profit from Associate	122	15	715.1	150	(18.7)
Minority Interest	(861)	232	n.m.	(518)	(66.4)
Reported PAT	8,907	(4,417)	n.m.	6,644	34.1
Adjustments	182	(58)	n.m.	991	(81.6)
Adj. PAT	9,089	(4,475)	n.m.	7,635	19.0
No. of shares	120.0	114.5	4.8	114.6	4.7
Adj. EPS (Rs.)	75.8	(39.1)	n.m.	66.6	13.7

Change in Estimates

	Old est	timates	New es	timates	Cha	nge %
Year / Rs. cr	FY22E	FY23E	FY22E	FY23E	FY22E	FY23E
Revenue	161,875	173,968	203,657	203,535	25.8	17.1
EBITDA	27,923	26,982	57,706	43,760	106.7	62.2
Margins (%)	17.3	15.5	28.3	21.5	1,100bps	600bps
Adj. PAT	9,590	9,412	32,127	21,421	235	127.6
Adj. EPS	79.2	77.7	267.8	178.5	238.2	129.7

Sum-of-the parts Valuation

Particulars	Basis	Multiple	Year	Value (Rs. cr.)	Value/share (Rs.)
India	EV/EBITDA	7.5x	FY23E	172,467	1,438
Europe	EV/EBITDA	5.0x	FY23E	39,227	327
Others	EV/EBITDA	6.0x	FY23E	77,515	646
Enterprise Value				289,208	2,411
Net Debt				(76,641)	(639)
Minority Interest				(3,270)	(27)
Equity Value				209,297	1,745

PROFIT & LOSS

Y.E March (Rs. cr)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21A	FY22E	FY23E
Revenue	157,669	148,972	156,294	203,657	203,535
% change	18.5	(5.5)	4.9	30.3	(0.1)
EBITDA	29,383	17,828	30,504	57,706	43,760
% change	34.2	(39.3)	71.1	89.2	(24.2)
Depreciation	7,342	8,708	9,234	9,562	9,433
EBIT	22,042	9,120	21,271	48,144	34,326
Interest	7,660	7,581	7,607	7,664	7,376
Other Income	1,524	(2,920)	180	1,500	1,736
PBT	15,906	(1,380)	13,844	41,981	28,687
% change	(24.7)	(108.7)	(1102.8)	203.2	(31.7)
Tax	6,718	(2,553)	5,654	10,789	7,373
Tax Rate (%)	42.2	184.9	40.8	25.7	25.7
Reported PAT	10,218	1,557	8,889	32,127	21,421
Adj*	121	4,930	1,043	-	-
Adj PAT	10,339	6,486	9,933	32,127	21,421
% change	169.6	(37.3)	53.1	223.5	(33.3)
No. of shares (cr)	114.6	131.2	121.8	120.0	120.0
Adj EPS (Rs.)	90.2	49.4	81.5	267.8	178.5
% change	143.8	(45.2)	64.8	228.5	(33.3)
DPS (Rs.)	13.0	10.0	25.0	22.0	18.0
CEPS (Rs.)	156.3	115.8	157.3	347.5	257.2

BALANCE SHEET

Y.E March (Rs. cr)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21A	FY22E	FY23E
Cash	3,341	8,055	5,782	10,959	11,282
Accounts Receivable	11,811	7,885	9,540	12,321	12,619
Inventories	31,656	31,069	33,276	44,178	46,149
Other Cur. Assets	12,183	11,724	11,614	14,020	14,018
Investments	3,213	2,853	3,463	3,534	3,534
Gross Fixed Assets	169,002	179,014	185,548	199,397	214,815
Net Fixed Assets	118,451	128,421	127,533	130,929	135,993
CWIP	17,957	18,495	19,050	19,622	20,210
Intangible Assets	6,676	7,132	8,199	8,376	8,556
Def. Tax (Net)	2,384	2,996	3,423	3,423	3,423
Other Assets	25,911	31,790	23,606	23,750	23,901
Total Assets	233,582	250,419	245,487	271,111	279,685
Current Liabilities	50,232	42,476	61,375	68,354	67,680
Provisions	4,046	4,235	4,692	4,833	4,978
Debt Funds	91,415	113,677	82,424	72,424	62,424
Other Liabilities	16,599	13,868	19,488	19,440	19,388
Equity Capital	1,145	1,145	1,198	1,198	1,198
Reserves & Surplus	67,780	72,431	73,041	102,529	121,791
Shareholder's Fund	68,925	73,576	74,239	103,727	122,988
Minority Interest	2,364	2,587	3,270	2,334	2,227
Total Liabilities	233,582	250,419	245,487	271,111	279,685
BVPS (Rs.)	601	561	609	865	1,025

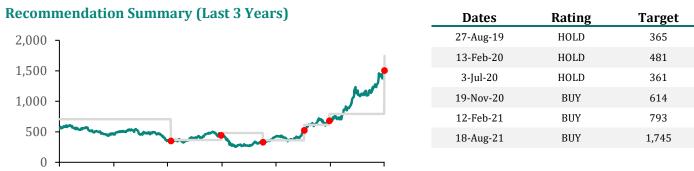
CASH FLOW

Y.E March (Rs. cr)	FY19A	FY20A	FY21A	FY22E	FY23E
Net inc. + Depn.	17,798	10,264	18,123	41,689	30,855
Non-cash adj.	8,607	8,343	26,158	9,696	7,355
Changes in W.C	(1,069)	1,562	46	(10,181)	(2,934)
C.F. Operation	25,336	20,169	44,327	41,204	35,276
Capital exp.	(8,624)	(10,012)	(6,534)	(13,849)	(15,418)
Change in inv.	(21,620)	(4,831)	(3,216)	(1,875)	-
Other invest.CF	342	313	427	(0)	-
C.F – Investment	(29,902)	(14,530)	(9,323)	(15,724)	(15,418)
Issue of equity	(6)	188	3,239	-	-
Issue/repay debt	8,518	8,636	(29,377)	(10,000)	(10,000)
Dividends paid	(1,452)	(1,772)	(2,917)	(2,639)	(2,160)
Other finance.CF	(7,733)	(8,746)	(8,035)	(7,664)	(7,376)
C.F – Finance	(673)	(1,695)	(37,090)	(20,304)	(19,535)
Chg. in cash	(5,239)	3,944	(2,086)	5,177	323
Closing cash	3,341	8,055	5,782	10,959	11,282

RATIOS

Y.E March	FY19A	FY20A	FY21A	FY22E	FY23E
Profitab. & Return					
EBITDA margin (%)	18.6	12.0	19.5	28.3	21.5
EBIT margin (%)	14.0	6.1	13.6	23.6	16.9
Net profit mgn.(%)	6.5	1.0	5.7	15.8	10.5
ROE (%)	14.8	2.1	12.0	31.0	17.4
ROCE (%)	13.5	4.8	13.3	27.0	18.3
W.C & Liquidity					
Receivables (days)	27.3	19.3	22.3	22.1	22.6
Inventory (days)	190.1	178.3	213.3	213.7	216.1
Payables (days)	130.4	122.7	166.5	142.5	134.9
Current ratio (x)	1.0	1.0	0.8	1.0	1.1
Quick ratio (x)	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Turnover & Leverage					
Gross asset T.O (x)	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.0
Total asset T.O (x)	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.7
Int. coverage ratio (x)	2.9	1.2	2.8	6.3	4.7
Adj. debt/equity (x)	1.3	1.5	1.1	0.7	0.5
Valuation					
EV/Sales (x)	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1
EV/EBITDA (x)	5.1	8.1	5.9	4.2	5.3
P/E (x)	5.6	5.5	10.0	5.6	8.4
P/BV (x)	0.8	0.5	1.3	1.7	1.5





Aug-18 Feb-19 Aug-19 Feb-20 Aug-20 Feb-21 Aug-21

Source: Bloomberg, Geojit research

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