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CMP: ₹780

Target: ₹900

Tata Consumer Products reported consolidated revenue growth of 14% YoY (12% in constant currency) to ₹ 36,187 million during Q4-FY23 as compared

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## Q4-FY23 Result Update

increases to mitigate inflationary pressures.

target price of ₹900 per share.

to ₹31,754 million during Q4-FY22. The growth was driven by growth in both branded and Non-branded business. Geographically, India business registered strong growth of 15% while international business grew 6% (constant currency); on a like-to-like basis 1% (excluding acquisitions).
The company reported EBITDA of ₹5,117 million in Q4-FY23 as against ₹4,443 million in Q4-FY22, an improvement in margins by 15 basis points. The profit after tax was recorded at ₹2,658 million during Q4-FY23 as against ₹2,459 million in Q4-FY23.
The India business of the company grew 15% in the quarter with India Beverages business growing at 8%, with tea volumes returning to growth, up 3% YoY. India Foods business continued its strong trajectory, with volumes up by 8% in the quarter. The Salt business margin was almost back to the normative range
The International business recorded 11% revenue growth (1% ex acquisitions in constant currency). The EBITDA margins in international business was lower by 1% mainly due to commodity/input cost inflation and lag in price increases. The company has started to take price action in international business which is expected to fully flow through in subsequent quarter.
On company's performance of its JVs and subsidiaries, The subsidiary NourishCo business has recorded a strong revenue growth of 79% during the quarter. The growth was broadbased across products and geographies. The Vietnam business revenue for the quarter grew 13% (in Constant Currency) led by extractions business. The plantations business recorded 11% revenue growth. The Starbuskcs JV revenue for the quarter grew 48% YoY, bringing FY23 growth to 71%, albeit on a lower base. The company has added 71 new stores and entered 15 new cities during the year.
In terms of growth outlook, the company is consistently aims at progressing on investing and growing its brands, expanding its sales & distribution reach across channels. India Foods business should continue to see share gains and volume growth. The company also aims to focus on new engines of growth in ready-to-dripk. Soulfull, Sampann and the ready-to-eat, ready to cook portfolio. In U.S. business the company has already started taking price

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Tata Consumer with its presence in high growing categories supported by consumption shift to packaged food. Moreover, tailwinds of at-home consumption should continue to aid growth. Higher volume traction in India business, digitization across the supply chain coupled with synergy benefits in upcoming periods are the key growth drivers. We continue to remain positive on the stock and maintain our rating to **BUY** on the stock with a revised

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### **Consolidated Financials:**

(In ₹ mn)	Q4-FY23	Q4-FY22	Chg	FY23	FY22	Chg
Net Sales	36,187	31,754	14.0%	1,37,832	1,24,254	10.9%
Operating Expense	31,071	27,311	13.8%	1,19,267	1,07,066	11.4%
EBITDA	5,117	4,443	15.2%	18,565	17,188	8.0%
Other Income	553	474	16.7%	1,689	1,401	20.6%
Depreciation	829	721	14.9%	3,041	2,780	9.4%
EBIT	4,841	4,196	15.4%	17,213	15,808	8.9%
Interest	277	164	68.6%	872	727.8	19.8%
PBT	4,565	4,032	13.2%	16,341	15,081	8.4%
Tax	1,045	953	9.6%	4,470	3,770	18.6%
Exceptional Items	(64)	(187)		1,595	(521)	
PAT	3,456	2,892		13,465	10,790	24.8%
Minority /Other Adj.	(798)	(433)		(540)	(924)	
Consolidated PAT	2,658	2,459	8.1%	12,925	9,866	31.0%
Margins	Q4-FY23	Q4-FY22	ChgBPS	FY23	FY22	ChgBPS
Operating Margin %	14.1%	14.0%	15	13.5%	13.8%	-36
Net Margin %	7.3%	7.7%	-40	9.4%	7.9%	144

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### **Consolidated Financials:**

(In ₹ mn)	FY-22	FY-23	FY-24E	FY-25E
Net Sales	1,24,254	1,37,832	1,52,378	1,69,269
Operating Expense	1,07,066	1,19,267	1,31,045	1,43,879
EBITDA	17,188	18,565	21,333	25,390
Other Income	1,401	1,689	1,718	1,908
Depreciation	2,780	3,041	3,208	3,564
EBIT	15,808	17,213	19,843	23,735
Interest	728	872	675	709
Misc. items	(521)	1,595	-	-
PBT	14,560	17,936	19,167	23,026
Tax	3,770	4,470	4,777	5,739
Minority Interest	(1,432)	(1,428)	-	-
PAT	9,358	12,038	14,390	17,287
Margins	FY-22	FY-23	FY-24E	FY-25E
Sales Growth %	7.1%	10.9%	10.6%	11.1%
Operating Margin %	13.8%	13.5%	14.0%	15.0%
Net Margin %	7.5%	8.7%	9.4%	10.2%

(In ₹ mn)	FY-22	FY-23	FY-24E	FY-25E
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Equity Share Capital	926	929	929	929
Reserves & Surplus	1,50,493	1,61,838	1,76,228	1,93,515
Total Shareholder's Funds	1,51,419	1,62,767	1,77,157	1,94,444
Minority Interest	11,516	8,502	8,502	8,502
Long-Term Liabilities	2,419	2,061	2,061	2,061
Other Long-term Liabilities	6,331	6,904	6,904	6,904
Deferred Tax Liability	7,337	8,144	8,144	8,144
Short-term Liabilities	31,726	39,247	33,448	37,155
Total	2,10,749	2,27,625	2,36,216	2,57,210
<u>Assets</u>				
Net Fixed Assets	1,28,463	1,27,661	1,30,185	1,44,402
Long-Term L&A	1,908	125	125	125
Non Current Investments	5,993	8,930	8,930	8,930
Other Non-Current Assets	3,028	7,823	7,823	7,823
Current Asset	71,357	83,086	89,152	95,930
Total	2,10,749	2,27,625	2,36,216	2,57,210
Key Ratios	FY-22	FY-23	FY-24E	FY-25E
EPS (₹)	10.1	13.0	15.9	18.6
P/E (x)	77.4	60.2	49.2	41.9
P/B (x)	4.8	4.5	4.1	3.7
ROE	6.2%	7.4%	8.3%	8.9%

Source: Company, Anand Rathi Research

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### **Key Risks:**

- Increase in Raw Material Prices may put dent on the Margins.
- Slowdown in consumption.
- Increased competitiveness from new players.

## **Rating and Target Price history:**

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#### **TATACONSUM** rating history & price chart



Source: Bloomberg, Anand Rathi Research

NOTE: Prices are as on 3<sup>rd</sup> May-23 close.

### **TATACONSUM** rating details

Date	Rating	Target Price (₹)	Share Price (₹)
15-Jan-2020	BUY	473	391
07-Feb-2020	BUY	473	397
22-May-2020	BUY	450	362
06-Nov-2020	BUY	620	504
30-Mar-2021	BUY	728	631
29-Jun-2021	HOLD	812	758
10-Nov-2021	BUY	980	840
11-Feb-2022	BUY	904	702
03-May-2023	BUY	900	780

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