

Ratnamani Metals & Tubes Ltd.

Order book moderates

In Q3 FY24, Ratnamani Metals & Tubes Limited (RMTL) posted revenue growth of 14% on a YoY and 11% on a QoQ basis. The Company's EBITDA margin declined by 218 Bps on a YoY and 571 bps on a QoQ basis due to a blend of lower margin orders book of water and oil & gas projects. As expected, the EBITDA margin for H2FY24 will be relatively lower than H1FY24. We hold the perspective that RMTL has the capability to maintain its EBITDA margin in the range of ~17-18% for FY24. The new order bookings moderated as order book declined due to a slowdown in projects on account of upcoming elections.

Order book mix

As of Q3 FY24, RMTL has an order book worth Rs. 24,990 Mn (down by 16% on a QoQ and 19% on a YoY basis), which includes Rs. 6,370 Mn worth of export orders and Rs. 18,620 Mn worth of domestic orders. In SS pipes and CS pipes, the order book stands at Rs. 6,200 Mn and Rs. 18,790 Mn, respectively. The pace of new order bookings slowed down as the order book contracted, primarily due to a slowdown in projects on account of upcoming elections.

Segmental performance

Steel Tubes & Pipes saw a topline growth of 13% on a YoY basis, and its operating profit degrew marginally by 1% due to a lower margin order book. Operating margin declined by 218 Bps on a YoY basis.

Bearing Rings segment, which they operate through their subsidiary (Ravi Technoforge), has showcased strong growth on the topline by 42% on a YoY basis. This segment saw significant improvement in operating profits, which jumped 94% on a YoY basis. Operating margin improved by 205 Bps on a YoY basis.

View & Valuation

We have revised our estimates and maintained a NEUTRAL rating on Ratnamani Metals & Tubes Ltd with a target price of Rs. 3,136 (32x FY25E earnings).

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NEUTRAL

CMP Rs. 3,020

TARGET Rs. 3,136 (+3.8%)

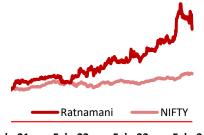
Company Data

Bloomberg Code	RMT IN
MCAP (Rs. Mn)	2,11,790
O/S Shares (Mn)	70
52w High/Low	3,924 / 1,916
Face Value (Rs.)	2
Liquidity (3M) (Rs. Mn)	256

Shareholding Pattern %

	Dec 23	Sep 23	Jun 23
Promoters	59.77	59.77	59.77
FIIs	12.77	12.87	12.79
DIIs	16.28	16.47	16.45
Non- Institutional	11.17	10.87	10.99

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Source: Keynote Capitals Ltd.

Key Financial Data

(Rs. Bn)	FY23	FY24E	FY25E
Revenue	45	53	61
EBITDA	8	9	10
Net Profit	5	6	7
Total Assets	38	44	51
ROCE (%)	22%	21%	20%
ROE (%)	21%	21%	20%

Source: Company, Keynote Capitals Ltd.

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Q3 FY24 Result Update

Result Highlights (Rs. Mn)

Particulars	Q3 FY24	Q3 FY23	Change % (Y-o-Y)	Q2 FY24	Change % (Q-o-Q)	9M FY24	9M FY23	Change % (Y-o-Y)	FY23
Revenue from Operation	12,573	10,987	14%	11,312	11%	35,634	29,753	20%	44,744
Gross Profit	4,205	3,904	8%	4,372	-4%	12,587	9,923	27%	15,287
Gross Profit %	33.4%	35.5%	-209 Bps	38.7%	-521 Bps	35.3%	33.4%	197 Bps	34%
Employee Cost	651	566	15%	605	8%	1,926	1,486	30%	2,092
Other Expenses	1,551	1,348	15%	1,318	18%	4,147	3,689	12%	5,441
EBITDA	2,003	1,991	1%	2,449	-18%	6,515	4,748	37%	7,754
EBITDA %	15.9%	18.1%	-218 Bps	21.6%	-571 Bps	18.3%	16.0%	232 Bps	17%
Depreciation	247	204	21%	236	5%	726	581	25%	833
EBIT	1,756	1,787	-2%	2,213	-21%	5,789	4,168	39%	6,920
EBIT %	14.0%	16.3%	-229 Bps	19.6%	-559 Bps	16.2%	14.0%	224 Bps	15%
Interest	127	77	65%	108	17%	334	173	93%	312
OI	152	74	106%	107	42%	344	261	32%	327
PBT	1,781	1,784	0%	2,211	-19%	5,799	4,256	36%	6,935
Tax Expenses	453	443	2%	568	-20%	1,479	1,059	40%	1,813
PAT	1,328	1,341	-1%	1,643	-19%	4,320	3,197	<i>35%</i>	5,105
EPS	18.94	19.13	-	23.45	-	61.63	45.62	-	73.09

Source: Company, Keynote Capitals Ltd.

Segmental Highlights (Rs. Mn)

Particulars	Q3 FY24	Q3 FY23	Change % (Y-o-Y)	Q2 FY24	Change % (Q-o-Q)	9M FY24	9M FY23	Change % (Y-o-Y)	FY23
Revenue									
Steel Tubes & Pipes	11,986	10,574	13%	10,716	12%	33,818	29,340	15%	43,700
Bearing Rings	587	413	42%	596	-2%	1,816	413	340%	1,044
Operating Profit									
Steel Tubes & Pipes	1,799	1,818	-1%	2,231	-19%	5,835	4,327	35%	7,087
Bearing Rings	45	23	94%	26	74%	124	23	433%	61
Operating Profit %									
Steel Tubes & Pipes	15%	17%	-218 Bps	21%	-580 Bps	17%	15%	251 Bps	16%
Bearing Rings	8%	6%	205 Bps	4%	336 Bps	7%	6%	120 Bps	6%

Source: Company, Keynote Capitals Ltd.



Financial Statement Analysis

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Income Statement					
Y/E Mar, Rs. Mn	FY22	FY23	FY24E	FY25E	FY26E
Net Sales	31,388	44,744	52,775	60,691	69,795
Growth %		43%	18%	15%	15%
Raw Material Expenses	21,039	29,457	34,304	40,056	46,065
Employee Expenses	1,591	2,092	2,797	3,217	3,699
Other Expenses	3,811	5,441	6,333	6,979	7,677
EBITDA	4,947	7,754	9,341	10,439	12,354
Growth %		57%	20%	12%	18%
Margin%	16%	17%	18%	17%	18%
Depreciation	802	833	1,031	1,106	1,136
EBIT	4,145	6,920	8,310	9,332	11,217
Growth %		67%	20%	12%	20%
Margin%	13%	15%	16%	15%	16%
Interest Paid	214	312	417	417	417
Other Income & exceptional	378	327	350	350	350
PBT	4,309	6,935	8,243	9,266	11,151
Tax	1,083	1,813	2,061	2,316	2,788
PAT	3,226	5,123	6,182	6,949	8,363
Others (Minorities, Associate	s) 0	-18	-40	-46	-53
Net Profit	3,226	5,105	6,142	6,903	8,310
Shares (Mn)	70.1	70.1	70.1	70.1	70.1
Adj. EPS	46	73	88	98	119

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Balance Sheet Y/E Mar, Rs. Mn	FY22	FY23	FY24E	FY25E	FY26E
Cash, Cash equivalents & Bank	438	341	1,955	5,049	9,011
Current Investments	1,085	1,351	1,351	1,351	1,351
Debtors	6,008	10,092	11,611	13,352	15,355
Inventory	11,120	12,592	14,751	17,224	19,808
Short Term Loans & Advances	2	814	814	814	814
Other Current Assets	995	139	139	139	139
Total Current Assets	19,647	25,330	30,620	37,929	46,478
Net Block & CWIP	9,814	12,229	13,198	12,592	11,955
Long Term Investments	0	0	0	0	0
Other Non-current Assets	163	244	244	244	244
Total Assets	29,625	37,803	44,062	50,765	58,677
Creditors	3,145	3,742	4,740	5,529	6,324
Provision	103	367	367	367	367
Short Term Borrowings	0	958	958	958	958
Other Current Liabilities	2,410	3,540	3,540	3,540	3,540
Total Current Liabilities	5,657	8,608	9,606	10,395	11,190
Long Term Debt	963	572	572	572	572
Deffered Tax Liabilities	420	700	700	700	700
Other Long Term Liabilities	102	1,163	1,163	1,163	1,163
Total Non Current Liabilities	1,485	2,435	2,435	2,435	2,435
Paid-up Capital	93	140	140	140	140
Reserves & Surplus	22,390	25,899	31,120	36,988	44,051
Shareholders' Equity	22,483	26,039	31,260	37,128	44,191
Non Controlling Interest	0	721	761	807	860

29,625

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Cash Flow					
Y/E Mar, Rs. Mn	FY22	FY23	FY24E	FY25E	FY26E
Pre-tax profit	4,309	6,917	8,243	9,266	11,151
Adjustments	725	991	1,098	1,173	1,203
Change in Working Capital	-6,645	-3,326	-2,679	-3,426	-3,791
Total Tax Paid	-1,220	-1,496	-2,061	-2,316	-2,788
Cash flow from operating					
Activities	-2,830	3,087	4,601	4,696	5,775
Net Capital Expenditure	-1,437	-1,377	-2,000	-500	-500
Change in investments	5,394	-803	0	0	0
Other investing activities	221	103	350	350	350
Cash flow from investing activities	4,178	-2,077	-1,650	-150	-150
Equity raised / (repaid)	0	0	0	0	0
Debt raised / (repaid)	-508	-284	0	0	0
Dividend (incl. tax)	-654	-654	-921	-1,036	-1,247
Other financing activities	-184	-222	-417	-417	-417
Cash flow from financing activities	-1,345	-1,161	-1,338	-1,452	-1,663
Net Change in cash	2	-151	1,614	3,094	3,962

Valuation Ratios					
	FY22	FY23	FY24E	FY25E	FY26E
Per Share Data					
EPS	46	73	88	98	119
Growth %		58%	20%	12%	20%
Book Value Per Share	321	382	457	541	643
Return Ratios					
Return on Assets (%)	12%	15%	15%	15%	15%
Return on Equity (%)	15%	21%	21%	20%	20%
Return on Capital Employed (%)	14%	22%	21%	20%	20%
Turnover Ratios					
Asset Turnover (x)	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Sales / Gross Block (x)	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.7
Working Capital / Sales (%)	42%	34%	36%	40%	45%
Receivable Days	58	66	75	75	75
Inventory Days	143	147	145	146	147
Payable Days	38	41	42	44	44
Working Capital Days	163	172	178	177	177
Liquidity Ratios					
Current Ratio (x)	3.5	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.2
Interest Coverage Ratio (x)	21.2	23.2	20.8	23.2	27.8
Total Debt to Equity	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Debt to Equity	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.2
Valuation					
PE (x)	37.6	40.6	34.2	30.4	25.2
Earnings Yield (%)	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%
Price to Sales (x)	3.9	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.0
Price to Book (x)	5.4	8.0	6.7	5.7	4.7
EV/EBITDA (x)	24.7	26.9	22.6	20.2	17.1
EV/Sales (x)	3.9	4.7	4.0	3.5	3.0

Source: Company, Keynote Capitals Ltd.

Total Equity & Liabilities



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Date	Rating	Market Price at Recommendation	Upside/Downside
4 th August 2022	NEUTRAL	1,779	+2.5%
12 th August 2022	NEUTRAL	1,730	+5.4%
11 th November 2022	NEUTRAL	1,919	+8.4%
13 th February 2023	NEUTRAL	2,098	+5.9%
12 th May 2023	NEUTRAL	2,389	+7%
9 th August 2023	BUY	2,575	+15.1%
6 th November 2023	NEUTRAL	2,892	+7.6%
14 th February 2024	NEUTRAL	3,020	+3.8%

Rating Methodology

Rating	Criteria
BUY	Expected positive return of > 10% over 1-year horizon
NEUTRAL	Expected positive return of > 0% to < 10% over 1-year horizon
REDUCE	Expected return of < 0% to -10% over 1-year horizon
SELL	Expected to fall by >10% over 1-year horizon
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