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Q3FY19 Result Update

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Change in Estimates

	Cur	rent	Prev	/ious
	FY20E	FY21E	FY20E	FY21E
Rating	HC	DLD	В	UY
Target Price	2	34	4	00
Sales (Rs. m)	9,110	9,927	10,897	12,210
% Chng.	(16.4)	(18.7)		
EBITDA (Rs. m)	2,029	2,178	2,703	3,015
% Chng.	(24.9)	(27.8)		
EPS (Rs.)	29.2	31.5	40.0	45.1
% Chng.	(27.0)	(30.2)		

Key Financials

	FY18	FY19E	FY20E	FY21E
Sales (Rs. m)	7,944	8,426	9,110	9,927
EBITDA (Rs. m)	1,927	1,898	2,029	2,178
Margin (%)	24.3	22.5	22.3	21.9
PAT (Rs. m)	1,072	864	1,021	1,101
EPS (Rs.)	30.7	24.7	29.2	31.5
Gr. (%)	64.0	(19.4)	18.2	7.9
DPS (Rs.)	1.5	2.0	2.5	2.5
Yield (%)	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.3
RoE (%)	13.1	8.3	9.1	9.0
RoCE (%)	12.4	10.7	10.7	10.9
EV/Sales (x)	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7
EV/EBITDA (x)	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.4
PE (x)	6.5	8.1	6.8	6.3
P/BV (x)	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5

Key Data	SCHA.NS SCAND IN
52-W High / Low	Rs.523 / Rs.182
Sensex / Nifty	35,809 / 10,724
Market Cap	Rs.7bn/ \$ 97m
Shares Outstanding	35m
3M Avg. Daily Value	Rs.6.9m

Shareholding Pattern (%)

Promoter's	46.68
Foreign	4.24
Domestic Institution	16.32
Public & Others	32.76
Promoter Pledge (Rs bn)	-

Stock Performance (%)

	1M	6M	12N
Absolute	(7.7)	(41.7)	(58.6)
Relative	(6.4)	(38.4)	(60.4)

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Rating: HOLD | CMP: Rs199 | TP: Rs234

Focus on cash flow mars growth

Key highlights

- Focus on cash flow management and tightening credit terms results in exceptional adjustment of Rs227mn on account of sales return.
- Top-line growth guidance has been revised downwards to low single digits from 13-14%. EBITDA margin is likely to compress 100-200 bps in FY19.
- The Chetana acquisition has been terminated with mutual agreement.
- Chhaya Prakashini's Rs640mn payout for the balance 26% stake is expected to be complete by Feb 2019.

S Chand's standalone/consolidated sales declined 94.0% YoY/93.2% YoY to Rs28mn/Rs46mn respectively as the process of improving credit terms with channel partners led to unexpected sales return (Rs350mn) coupled with postponement of certain schemes/discounts to 4QFY19 (partial revenue spillover expected). Standalone/consolidated EBITDA losses stood at Rs277mn/Rs852mn. Locking in paper prices at 5-6% higher vis-à-vis an increase of 15-16% witnessed in the market partially curbed EBITDA losses. However, losses at the bottom line level expanded to Rs320mn/815mn at the standalone/consolidated level.

Downward revision of estimates: We cut our topline estimates by 6.6%/16.4%/18.7% in FY19E/FY20E/21E as renewed focus on cash flow management is expected to result in flattish volumes. Channel cleansing is expected to eliminate dealers/distributors with elongated payment cycle from the system hurting growth in the interim. Further, with Chetana's acquisition being called off (estimates were baked in) we now exclude that from our projections. In line with a cut in our top line estimates, we trim down our EBITDA estimates by 15.2%/24.9%/27.8% for FY19E/FY20E/FY21E.

Focus on FCF generation a welcome move but challenges galore: While plan to improve FCFF by focusing on improvement in working capital (S Chand's OCF/EBITDA multiple stood at 0.2x in FY18) is a welcome step we believe it will be challenging to improve CF metrics considering stiff competition and prevalence of push model in the CBSE/ICSE market. Reduction of titles and factoring (still in exploration) are some of the measures the company is evaluating currently. Given the challenges evident in FCFF generation & reduction in estimates we cut our target multiple to 8x (10x earlier) and downgrade our rating to HOLD (BUY earlier) with a TP of Rs234 (Rs400 earlier).

Concall highlights: 1) Volumes are expected to be flattish in FY19, growth will be driven by realization 2) Postponement of certain schemes/discounts is expected to result in spillover in 4QFY19 3) Net working capital stood at 224 days 4) As of Dec net debt is Rs2bn. By end of FY19, the debt level is expected to come down to Rs1.2-1.5bn. 5) There was a sales return of Rs350mn 6) EBITDA margins to compress 100-200bps in FY19E. However, in FY20E margins are expected to show improvement.

Exhibit 1: Q3FY19 Result Overview (Rs m)

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Y/e March	Q3FY19	Q3FY18	YoY gr (%)	Q2FY19	QoQ gr (%)	Q3FY19	Q3FY18	YoY gr (%)	Q2FY19	QoQ gr (%)
Net Sales	28	461	(94.0)	131	(78.7)	46	680	(93.2)	106	(56.5)
Expenditure										
Raw Materials	(52)	319	NM	102	NM	(10)	365	NM	71	NM
% of Net sales	NM	69.1		78.0		(21.7)	53.7		67.3	
Personnel	146	133	9.9	140	3.9	403	362	11.4	367	9.9
% of Net sales	522.8	28.7		107.3		NM	53.2		345.9	
Selling , dist & Other Exp	211	134	58.3	184	14.9	504	320	57.4	443	13.9
% of Net sales	758.6	29.0		140.8		NM	47.1		417.3	
Total Expenditure	305	585	(47.9)	426	(28.4)	898	1,048	(14.3)	881	1.9
EBITDA	(277)	(124)	NM	(295)	NM	(852)	(368)	NM	(775)	NM
Margin (%)	NM	NM		NM		NM	NM		NM	
Depreciation	9	8	15.0	9	1.5	67	47	42.9	55	20.7
EBIT	(286)	(132)	NM	(305)	NM	(918)	(415)	NM	(831)	NM
Interest	25	16	49.3	19	26.8	71	47	50.7	57	23.9
Other Income	37	56	(32.9)	41	(9.3)	32	29	10.5	17	88.0
Exceptional items	226	-	NM	-	NM	226	-	NM	-	NM
PBT	(499)	(92)	NM	(283)	NM	(1,193)	(441)	NM	(875)	NM
Тах	(180)	(35)	NM	(103)	NM	(378)	(259)	NM	304	NM
Tax Rate (%)	NM	NM		NM		31.7	58.6		(34.7)	
Reported PAT	(320)	(58)	NM	(180)	NM	(815)	(259)	NM	(571)	NM

Source: Company, PL

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Financials

Income Statement (Rs m)

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Y/e Mar	FY18	FY19E	FY20E	FY21E	Y/e Mar	FY18	FY19E	FY20E	FY21E
Net Revenues	7,944	8,426	9,110	9,927	Non-Current Assets				
YoY gr. (%)	20.5	6.1	8.1	9.0					
Cost of Goods Sold	3,245	3,325	3,635	3,978	Gross Block	2,204	2,554	2,904	3,254
Gross Profit	4,699	5,101	5,475	5,949	Tangibles	1,307	1,657	2,007	2,357
Margin (%)	59.2	60.5	60.1	59.9	Intangibles	897	897	897	897
Employee Cost	1,386	1,552	1,715	1,895					
Other Expenses	650	809	865	943	Acc: Dep / Amortization	436	664	927	1,216
					Tangibles	233	354	505	681
EBITDA	1,927	1,898	2,029	2,178	Intangibles	202	310	422	534
YoY gr. (%)	16.2	(1.5)	6.9	7.3					
Margin (%)	24.3	22.5	22.3	21.9	Net fixed assets	1,768	1,890	1,977	2,038
					Tangibles	1,074	1,303	1,502	1,675
Depreciation and Amortization	193	229	263	289	Intangibles	695	587	475	363
EBIT	1,734	1,669	1,767	1,889	Capital Work In Progress	68	68	68	68
Margin (%)	21.8	19.8	19.4	19.0	Goodwill	3,374	3,374	3,374	3,374
					Non-Current Investments	338	343	348	353
Net Interest	240	243	262	262	Net Deferred tax assets	220	220	220	220
Other Income	127	60	60	60	Other Non-Current Assets	135	135	135	135
Profit Before Tax	1,622	1,202	1,564	1,687	Current Assets				
Margin (%)	20.4	14.3	17.2	, 17.0	Investments	468	468	468	468
0 ()					Inventories	1,562	1,662	2,121	2,366
Total Tax	539	337	532	573	Trade receivables	6,312	6,233	6,614	7,071
Effective tax rate (%)	33.2	28.0	34.0	34.0	Cash & Bank Balance	665	1,337	1,344	1,480
					Other Current Assets	134	134	134	134
Profit after tax	1,083	865	1,033	1,113	Total Assets	15,162	15,981	16,920	17,825
Minority interest	0	(15)	-	-					
Share Profit from Associate	(12)	(19)	(12)	(12)	Equity				
					Equity Share Capital	175	175	175	175
Adjusted PAT	1,072	864	1,021	1,101	Other Equity	9,822	10,616	11,549	12,563
YoY gr. (%)	92.2	(19.4)	18.2	7.9	Total Networth	9,997	10,791	11,724	12,738
Margin (%)	13.5	10.2	11.2	11.1					
Extra Ord. Income / (Exp)	-	-	-	-	Non-Current Liabilities				
					Long Term borrowings	266	936	936	936
Reported PAT	1,072	864	1,021	1,101	Provisions	-	-	-	-
YoY gr. (%)	92.2	(19.4)	18.2	7.9	Other non current liabilities	84	88	91	95
Margin (%)	13.5	10.2	11.2	11.1					
					Current Liabilities				
Other Comprehensive Income	1	3	-	-	ST Debt / Current of LT Debt	1,448	1,448	1,448	1,448
Total Comprehensive Income	1,073	866	1,021	1,101	Trade payables	2,110	2,193	2,246	2,176
Equity Shares O/s (m)	35	35	35	35	Other current liabilities	1,211	480	429	387
EPS (Rs)	30.7	24.7	29.2	31.5	Total Equity & Liabilities	15,162	15,981	16,920	17,825

Balance Sheet Abstract (Rs m)

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Cash Flow (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	FY18	FY19E	FY20E	FY21E
PBT	1,622	1,202	1,564	1,687
Add. Depreciation	193	229	263	289
Add. Interest	225	243	262	262
Less Financial Other Income	127	60	60	60
Add. Other	(30)	2	(8)	(8)
Op. profit before WC changes	2,009	1,675	2,081	2,229
Net Changes-WC	(1,117)	(669)	(838)	(815)
Direct tax	(502)	(337)	(532)	(573)
Net cash from Op. activities	389	670	711	841
Capital expenditures	(397)	(350)	(350)	(350)
Interest / Dividend Income	-	-	-	-
Others	(214)	(5)	(5)	(5)
Net Cash from Invt. activities	(610)	(355)	(355)	(355)
Issue of share cap. / premium	3,318	-	-	-
Debt changes	(2,235)	670	-	-
Dividend paid	(44)	(70)	(87)	(87)
Interest paid	(225)	(243)	(262)	(262)
Others	(264)	-	-	-
Net cash from Fin. activities	551	357	(350)	(350)
Net change in cash	329	672	7	137
Free Cash Flow	(37)	320	361	491
Source: Compony Date DL Bases	. ,	320	301	

Key Financial Metrics				
Y/e Mar	FY18	FY19E	FY20E	FY21E
Per Share(Rs)				
EPS	30.7	24.7	29.2	31.5
CEPS	36.2	31.2	36.7	39.7
BVPS	285.8	308.5	335.2	364.2
FCF	(1.1)	9.1	10.3	14.0
DPS	1.5	2.0	2.5	2.5
Return Ratio(%)				
RoCE	12.4	10.7	10.7	10.9
ROIC	9.0	8.7	8.0	8.1
RoE	13.1	8.3	9.1	9.0
Balance Sheet				
Net Debt : Equity (x)	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Net Working Capital (Days)	193	175	175	180
Valuation(x)				
PER	6.5	8.1	6.8	6.3
P/B	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
P/CEPS	5.5	6.4	5.4	5.0
EV/EBITDA	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.4
EV/Sales	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7
Dividend Yield (%)	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.3

Source: Company Data, PL Research

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Quarterly Financials (Rs m)

Y/e Mar	Q4FY18	Q1FY19	Q2FY19	Q3FY19
Net Revenue	2,511	189	131	28
YoY gr. (%)	22.0	(35.8)	(24.7)	(94.0)
Raw Material Expenses	1,111	169	102	(52)
Gross Profit	1,401	20	29	80
Margin (%)	55.8	10.5	22.0	286.9
EBITDA	1,084	(226)	(295)	(277)
YoY gr. (%)	(977.2)	(120.8)	-	-
Margin (%)	43.2	(119.7)	(226.1)	(994.4)
Depreciation / Depletion	8	9	9	9
EBIT	1,076	(235)	(305)	(286)
Margin (%)	42.8	(124.6)	(233.1)	(1,027.7)
Net Interest	24	21	19	25
Other Income	109	46	41	37
Profit before Tax	1,162	(209)	(283)	(274)
Margin (%)	46.3	(111.0)	(216.4)	(981.8)
Total Tax	415	(69)	(103)	(180)
Effective tax rate (%)	35.8	32.8	36.5	65.7
Profit after Tax	746	(141)	(180)	(94)
Minority interest	-	-	-	-
Share Profit from Associates	-	-	-	-
Adjusted PAT	746	(141)	(180)	(94)
YoY gr. (%)	29.4	78.0	76.2	62.9
Margin (%)	29.7	(74.6)	(137.4)	(337.1)
Extra Ord. Income / (Exp)	-	-	-	-
Reported PAT	746	(141)	(180)	(94)
YoY gr. (%)	29.4	78.0	76.2	62.9
Margin (%)	29.7	(74.6)	(137.4)	(337.1)
Other Comprehensive Income	1	-	2	(2)
Total Comprehensive Income	747	(140)	(178)	(96)
Avg. Shares O/s (m)	35	35	35	35
EPS (Rs)	21.4	(4.0)	(5.1)	(2.7)

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Recommendation History

No.	Date	Rating	TP (Rs.) Share Price (Rs.)	
1	4-Dec-18	BUY	400 221	
2	7-Jan-19	BUY	400 214	

Analyst Coverage Universe

Sr. No.	CompanyName	Rating	TP (Rs)	Share Price (Rs)
1	Dish TV India	NR	-	74
2	Entertainment Network (India)	BUY	776	548
3	Music Broadcast	BUY	405	288
4	Navneet Education	BUY	157	106
5	S Chand and Company	BUY	400	214
6	Zee Media Corporation	BUY	38	22

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