## Strong performance continues

Stylam Industries has been an outlier in the home décor space in FY23 with revenue growth (+44\%) and margins seeing an improvement. Sales/Ebitda/Pat grew 22\%/22\%/30\% CAGR from FY17-23.

## Key business highlights

- The company reported a $27 \%$ volume growth for FY23 and $17 \%$ growth for the quarter in the laminates segment.
- The exports revenue grew $52 \%$ for FY23 \& grew $36 \%$ for the quarter.
- The domestic revenue grew by 32\% for FY23 \& grew 25\% QoQ. The company has done extremely well in the domestic markets growing its revenue at $23 \%$ in the last 6 years.
- Solid acrylic sheets reported an improvement in the performance recording sales of Rs 9 crores ( 7.5 crores in Q3FY23).


## Key Financial Highlights

- Revenue at INR $2383 \mathrm{Mn},+1.2 \%$ qoq/+32\% yoy
- EBITDA (excl OI) at INR $405.2 \mathrm{Mn},+2.9 \%$ qoq/+105\% yoy
- EBITDA margin at $17.11 \%$ vs $16.82 \%$ vs $11.02 \%$ in Q3FY23/Q4FY22
- PAT at INR $268 \mathrm{Mn},+11.5 \%$ qoq/+64.3\% yoy
- EPS at INR 15.8 vs 14.2/9.6 in Q3FY23/Q4FY22

| Financial Summary |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Y/E Mar (Rs mn) | FY2 1 | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY2 5E |
| Net sales | 4,795 | 6,593 | 9,521 | 11,387 | 13,804 |
| EBIDTA | 990 | 1,036 | 1,548 | 1,948 | 2,397 |
| Margins (\%) | 20.7 | 15.7 | 16.3 | 17.1 | 17.4 |
| Adjusted net profit | 553 | 610 | 960 | 1,167 | 1,466 |
| EPS (Rs) | 32.6 | 36.0 | 56.6 | 68.9 | 86.5 |
| P/E (x) | 37 | 33 | 21 | 17 | 14 |
| EV/EBITDA (x) | 21 | 20 | 13 | 10 | 8 |
| RoCE (\%) | 25.13 | 21.08 | 30.04 | 27.99 | 28.07 |
| RoE (\%) | 21.32 | 19.30 | 23.29 | 22.07 | 21.71 |



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## Concall Highlights:

- Revenue Guidance: The company is extremely upbeat about the growth that can be achieved in the next couple of years. Management expects atleast $20 \%$ growth in revenue over FY23 backed by increase in laminates capacity, capacity utilisation, increase in the share of value added products (within laminates segment) and solid acrylic surfaces scaling up. The brand acceptability \& visibility in domestic markets has gone up dramatically.
- Margin Guidance: Management expects the operating margins to increase by $\sim 100$ bps atleast in FY24 due to improvement in product mix.
- Capex Announcement: The company has announced a capacity addition in laminates segment to the tune of Rs 150 crores. The expansion will be at the same location of the existing plant. Currently the company is expecting to fund the capex majorly via internal accruals. The details on the volume addition would be available in the next concall. The capacity addition will be majorly for the export market where newer sizes and value added products will be sold. Management expects atleast $2.5 \times / 3 x$ asset turnover.
- Solid Acrylic Surface: Sales of Rs 9 crores in Q4 (Rs 7.5 crores in Q2) and expects it to ramp up significantly in the next 2 years. The company has already started exporting to USA \& gulf countries. The distribution network is already been set up. Atleast $\sim 50$ crores of revenue should be generated from this segment in FY24 (FY23-23 crores). Representations have been filed with the Government for levy of anti-dumping duty on import of acrylic surfaces. Maximum potential turnover is Rs 400 crores.
- Domestic market: The company has done extremely well in the domestic market where the revenue grew 23\% CAGR from FY17-23. A lot of investments has been done in the sales team in the past 2 years and even loyalty programs have been introduced to onboard architects and contractors. Region wise South India has been growing the fastest (+40\% YoY).
- Capacity Utilisation: For FY23, capacity utilisation is at ~81\%.
- Working capital: Improvement in WC days in FY23 at 94 days (FY22 - 106 days). Expects further improvement going forward.
- Demand Scenario: The company has not indicated any kind of softness in the demand. Indian players are being preferred globally because of their cost competitiveness and quality. They have now successfully penetrated USA which was the geography they were trying since last few quarters.


## Valuation \& Outlook

Stylam has been an outlier in the home décor space where the revenue growth (+44\%) has been significantly higher than its peers and margins also seeing an improvement. The company is taking the right steps to continue its growth trajectory and we remain optimistic about the business. Downside risk to our estimates is the possibility recession in western countries therefore recommend the investors should ACCUMULATE* the stock for a *target price of Rs 1,643 valuing the company at 19x FY25E EPS of Rs 86.5.* At CMP of Rs 1205, the company is trading at 17x FY24E EPS of Rs 69 and 14x FY25E EPS of Rs 86.5.

Financial Snapshot

| Stylam Industries Particulars (Rs Mns) | Q4FY23 | Q4FY22 | $\begin{array}{r} \text { YoY } \\ \text { Growth } \end{array}$ | Q3FY23 | $\begin{array}{r} \text { QoQ } \\ \text { Growth } \end{array}$ | FY23 | FY22 | $\begin{array}{r} \text { YoY } \\ \text { Growth } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue from operations | 2,368.26 | 1,796.85 | 31.8\% | 2,339.79 | 1.2\% | 9,521.34 | 6,593.47 | 44\% |
| Other income | 6.99 | 69.96 | -90.0\% | 2.33 | 200.0\% | 14.43 | 79.71 | -82\% |
| Total Income | 2,375.2 | 1,866.8 |  | 2,342.1 |  | 9,535.77 | 6,673.18 | 43\% |
| Cost of goods sold | 1296.456 | 1,071.59 | $21.0 \%$ | 1,306.84 | -0.8\% | 5,310.09 | 3,755.12 | 41\% |
| Employee Benefit expenses | 185.93 | 141.33 | $31.6 \%$ | 179.22 | 3.7\% | 687.55 | 547.81 | 26\% |
| Other Expenses | 480.657 | 385.92 | 24.5\% | 460.08 | 4.5\% | 1,975.65 | 1,254.60 | 57\% |
| EBITDA (excl other income) | 405.2 | 198.0 | 104.6\% | 393.7 | 2.9\% | 1,548.05 | 1,035.94 | 49\% |
| Less: Depreciation | 44.146 | 56.41 | -21.7\% | 38.00 | 16.2\% | 199.94 | 232.56 |  |
| PBIT | 361.1 | 141.6 |  | 355.7 |  | 1,348.11 | 803.38 |  |
| Less: Interest cost | 5.66 | 21.30 | -73.4\% | 40.85 | -86.2\% | 81.86 | 78.30 |  |
| PBT (before exceptional) | 362.4 | 190.3 |  | 317.1 |  | 1,280.68 | 804.79 |  |
| Exceptional | - | - |  | - |  | - | - |  |
| PBT (after exceptional) | 362.4 | 190.3 | 90.5\% | 317.1 | 14.3\% | 1,280.68 | 804.79 | 59\% |
| Less: Tax | 94.54 | 25.68 |  | 76.83 |  | 320.86 | 194.64 |  |
| PAT | 267.9 | 164.6 | 62.8\% | 240.3 | $11.5 \%$ | 959.82 | 610.15 | 57\% |
| EPS | 15.8 | 9.6 | 64.3\% | 14.2 | $11.5 \%$ | 56.63 | 36.00 | 57\% |
| Gross Margins | 45.26\% | 40.36\% |  | 44.15\% |  | 44.23\% | 43.05\% |  |
| EBITDA Margins | 17.11\% | 11.02\% |  | 16.82\% |  | 16.26\% | 15.71\% |  |
| Net profit Margin | $11.28 \%$ | 8.82\% |  | 10.26\% |  | 10.07\% | 9.14\% |  |
| Sheets sold (in Mns) Laminates | 2.7 | 2.3 | 17\% | 3.01 | -10\% | 11.64 | 9.2 | 27\% |
| Average Realisation Laminates | 834 | 781 | 7\% | 754 | 11\% | 797 | 716 | 11\% |

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| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| P\&L (Rs mn) | FY2 1 | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| Net Sales | 4,795 | 6,593 | 9,521 | 11,387 | 13,804 |
| Total Operating Expenses | 2,465 | 3,755 | 5,310 | 6,263 | 7,592 |
| Employee Cost | 383 | 548 | 688 | 756 | 847 |
| Other Expenses | 957 | 1,255 | 1,976 | 2,420 | 2,968 |
| Operating Profit | 990 | 1,036 | 1,548 | 1,948 | 2,397 |
| Depreciation | 231 | 233 | 200 | 239 | 346 |
| PBIT | 759 | 803 | 1,348 | 1,709 | 2,050 |
| Other income | 11 | 80 | 14 | 40 | 40 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interest | 60 | 78 | 82 | 182 | 123 |
| PBT | 710 | 805 | 1,281 | 1,567 | 1,968 |
| Profit before tax (post |  |  |  |  |  |
| exceptional) | 710 | 805 | 1,281 | 1,567 | 1,968 |
| Provision for tax | 157 | 195 | 321 | 400 | 502 |
| Reported PAT | 553 | 610 | 959.8 | 1,167 | 1,466 |
| MI | - | - | - | - | - |
| Net Profit | 553 | 610 | 960 | 1,167 | 1,466 |


| Balance Sheet (Rs mn) | FY2 1 | FY22 | FY23 | FY24E | FY25E |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Equity capital | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 |
| Reserves | 2,510 | 3,076 | 4,036 | 5,203 | 6,669 |
| Net worth | 2,595 | 3,161 | 4,121 | 5,288 | 6,754 |
| Non Current Liabilites | 426 | 230 | 180 | 318 | 281 |
| Current Liabilites | 1,051 | 1,498 | 1,080 | 1,938 | 1,988 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 4,071 | 4,889 | 5,381 | 7,362 | 8,752 |
| Non Current Assets | 1,933 | 1,830 | 1,889 | 3,426 | 3,183 |
| Fixed Assets | 1,878 | 1,787 | 1,846 | 3,380 | 3,135 |
| Goodwill | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non Current Investments | 14 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| Deferred Tax Asset | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other Financial Assets | 14 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Other Non Current Assets | 27 | 16 | 15 | 18 | 20 |
| Current Assets | 2,138 | 3,059 | 3,492 | 5,064 | 6,400 |
| Current investments |  |  |  |  |  |
| Inventories | 718 | 1,329 | 1,598 | 2,025 | 2,331 |
| Trade Receivables | 986 | 1,188 | 1,258 | 2,025 | 2,331 |
| Cash and Bank Balances | 151 | 87 | 267 | 591 | 1,253 |
| Short Term Loans and Advances | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Other Current Assets | 282 | 456 | 366 | 420 | 483 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 4,071 | 4,889 | 5,381 | 7,362 | 8,752 |

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| Cash Flow St. (Rs. mn) | FY2 1 | FY22 | FY2 3 | FY24E | FY25E |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Profit | 553 | 610 | 960 | 1,167 | 1,466 |
| Add: Dep. \& Amort. | 231 | 233 | 200 | 239 | 346 |
| Cash profits (Inc)/Dec in | 785 | 843 | 1,160 | 1,406 | 1,812 |
| Sundry debtors | (113) | (201) | (71) | (767) | (305) |
| Inventories | (51) | (611) | (269) | (427) | (305) |
| Other financial assets | (13) | 10 | (2) | (2) | (3) |
| Other Current Assets | (37) | (174) | 90 | (55) | (63) |
| Current Liab and Provisions | (77) | (39) | (2) | 5 | 8 |
| Sundry Creditors | 160 | 65 | (182) | 567 | 146 |
| Change in working capital | (131) | (949) | (437) | (678) | (522) |
| CF from Oper. activities | 654 | (106) | 595 | 710 | 1,127 |
| CF from Inv. activities | (47) | (139) | (131) | $(1,773)$ | (101) |
| CF from Fin. activities | (5 17 ) | 181 | (284) | 450 | (267) |
| Cash generated/(utilised) | 90 | (65) | 181 | 324 | 662 |
| Cash at start of the year | 61 | 151 | 87 | 267 | 591 |
| Cash at end of the year | 151 | 87 | 268 | 591 | 1,253 |
| Ratios | FY2 1 | FY22 | FY2 3 | FY24E | FY25E |
| OPM | 20.65\% | 15.71\% | 16.26\% | 17.11\% | 17.36\% |
| NPM | 11.51\% | 9.14\% | 10.07\% | 10.22\% | 10.59\% |
| Tax Rate | 22.08\% | 24.19\% | 25.05\% | 25.50\% | 25.50\% |
| Growth Ratios (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 3.76\% | 37.50\% | 44.41\% | 19.59\% | 21.22\% |
| Operating Profit | 24.37\% | 4.60\% | 49.43\% | 25.84\% | 23.03\% |
| PBIT | 45.68\% | 13.39\% | 59.13\% | 22.34\% | 25.59\% |
| PAT | 553 | 610 | 960 | 1,167 | 1,466 |
| Per Share (Rs.) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Earnings (EPS) | 32.6 | 36.0 | 56.6 | 68.9 | 86.5 |
| Cash Earnings (CPS) | 13.7 | 13.7 | 11.8 | 14.1 | 20.4 |
| Dividend | - | 2.5 | - | - | - |
| Book Value | 153 | 187 | 243 | 312 | 399 |
| Valuation Ratios |  |  |  |  |  |
| P/E(x) | 36.93 | 33.47 | 21.28 | 17.50 | 13.93 |
| P/B(x) | 7.87 | 6.46 | 4.96 | 3.86 | 3.02 |
| EV/EBIDTA(x) | 20.90 | 20.26 | 13.26 | 9.55 | 7.64 |
| Div. Yield(\%) | 0.00 | 0.21 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

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