# Sector – Tea & Coffee

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#### **Q3FY24** Performance

- Consolidated revenue from operations grew 9.5% YoY to ₹3,804crs driven by growth across all businesses. 4 year revenue CAGR stood at 11% in O3FY24
- > Consolidated EBITDA grew 26% YoY to ₹527crs. EBITDA margin expanded 190bps, mainly driven by an improvement in profitability across businesses.
- Profit before exceptional item (cost related to amalgamation, acquisition and reorganization) for the guarter at ₹513crs was higher by 27%. Consolidated net profit declined ~14% YoY to ~₹316crs due to exceptional items and lower share of profits from associates and joint ventures.1.2%
- EBITDA margin expansion was on account of pricing interventions in most of ≻ international markets, softening of commodity costs, and strong operating cost controls. However, it partly offset by adverse performance of JV's & Associates.
- For the guarter, the India Packaged Beverages business delivered 8% revenue (₹1,311crs) growth and 2% volume growth.
- Following all the necessary regulatory approvals, the merger of Tata Coffee with Tata Consumer Products has become effective from 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2024.

#### Key takeaways from Q3FY24 result

#### > India Tea + Foods Business:

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- India beverages revenues grew 8% YoY, with tea volume growth of 2% YoY. The India business EBITDA grew 22% YoY. EBITDA margin expanded 170bps to 17.4%. The company continued to retain market leadership in tea in the E-commerce channel for the 33rd consecutive month. Coffee source: Company, Way2Wealth Research continued its strong performance with a revenue growth of 32% YoY. Premium and sub-premium segments outperformed popular and economy brands.
- The India Foods business delivered 13% revenue growth and 5% volume 0 growth. The salt portfolio continued its strong momentum and recorded 6% revenue growth driven by volume growth of 5% and premiumisation. The value added salts grew 23% YoY in Q3FY24. Salt also saw its highest ever quarterly volume market share in Q3FY24 with categories like pulses and POha registering their highest ever sales.
- Tata Sampann portfolio recorded a growth of 40% YoY, with robust 0 volume growth. The 4-year revenue CAGR for Tata Sampann in Q3FY24 stands at 29%. Dry fruits has yet another quarter of strong growth of ~70%
- NourishCo (ready to drink) business, recorded strong revenue growth of 0 24% to ₹159crs. Both, Value business (Tata Gluco+ and Tata Copper+) as well as Premium business (Himalayan) grew strongly during the quarter. Profitability improved significantly YoY led by cost controls and operating leverage. Water (Tata Copper+, 35-40% mix) witnessed strong growth of 50% n O3
- > Tata Coffee (inc Vietnam ex EOC) (58% subsidiary) Revenue for the guarter grew 3% YoY constant currency led by the plantation business. The plantations business recorded a revenue decline of 44%, primarily led by higher coffee realisation. Overall revenue for extraction business declined 3% YoY; however margins saw a significant improvement.
- The merger of Tata Coffee with Tata Consumer Products (TCPL) is completed  $\triangleright$ with effective date being 1st Jan 2024. This is in line with company's strategic priority to unlock synergies while simplifying and streamlining businesses.

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#### View – Accumulate on Dips

Nifty	21,664
Sensex	71,236
M.CAP (₹ crs)	₹1,07,666
52 Week H/L (₹)	₹1216/₹685
NSE Code	TATACONSUM
BSE Code	500800
Bloomberg Code	TATACONS: IN

**Important Statistics** 

Shareholding pattern (%)	Dec'23
Promoter	33.56
FIIs	25.51
DIIs	16.89
Public &Others	24.03

## **Relative Performance**

3Yr

86

43

38

5 Yr

508

101

98

1 Yr

58

21

18

Return (%)

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### > International Business:

- International business recorded 6% revenue growth constant currency terms with EBITDA growth of 16% CC. EBITDA margin expanded 130bps to 12.7%, mainly driven by softening of input costs
- EBITDA for the non-branded business grew 54% (CC). EBITDA margin expanded 520bps mainly due to better realisation
- UK business saw revenue growth of 14% CC terms. Brands like Good Earth, and teapigs continue to deliver strong growth.
- USA coffee (EOC) revenue declined 8% YoY in CC terms and revenue for Canada region was flat YoY.

#### > Commodity Movement:

- Arabica prices for the quarter saw a sharp uptick from last quarter's lows on the back of tight global supplies. Prices continued to inflate into the new year.
- Robusta prices followed a similar trajectory. There was a steep uptick in prices towards the end of the quarter continuing into Jan'24. Averages prices for the quarter are over 30% higher YoY.
- $\circ$   $\,$  North India tea prices remained stable YoY while South India tea prices were lower by 10% YoY  $\,$

#### > Tata Starbucks (JV):

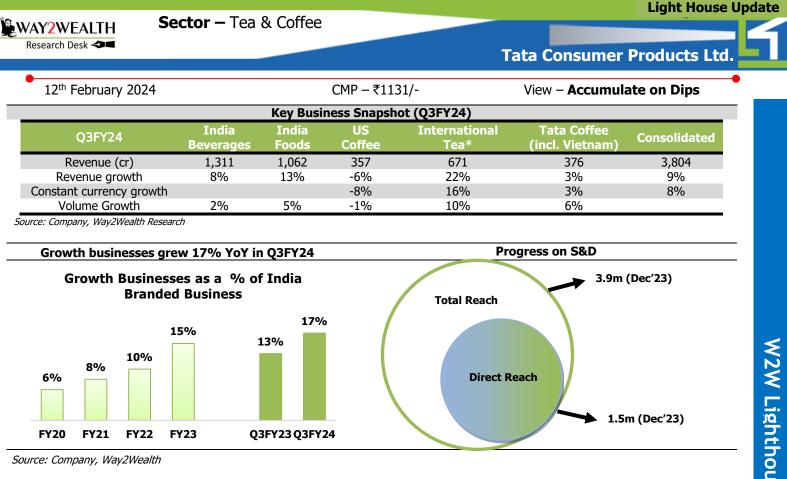
• Revenue for the quarter grew 7% YoY and added 22 net new stores during the quarter taking net new stores added to 59 in 9MFY24 (total stores 392).

#### > Others:

- $_{\odot}$  Company expanded its total reach to 3.9mn outlets as of Dec'23.
- Modern trade & e-commerce recorded good momentum and continue to be instrumental to growth agenda.
- Recently the company has announced two acquisitions- Capital Foods and Organic India, which will enable to expand the total addressable market into high-growth, high-margin spaces. Both these businesses are gross margin accretive, and see potential to drive significant revenue and cost synergies over the medium term.

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#### Risks

- > Inflation in raw material prices
- Slowdown in the economy

#### View

In Q3FY24, the company has delivered another strong quarter of top line growth with significant EBITDA margin expansion. India and International branded business grew in double-digits during the quarter.

TCPL's tea and salt brands occupy leadership positions in their respective categories. Focus on new growth engines such as Tata Sampann, NourishCo, Tata Soulfull and the ready- to-eat/ready-to-consume business (Tata Smartfoodz); and rapidly scaling up its distribution network along with digitization prowess across the supply chain will drive the next leg of growth. **Given quality play, at the current price of ₹1131 it is trading at a premium valuation (P/E 99.2x to TTM EPS of ₹11.4) We continue to maintain our positive on stock and advice investors to Accumulate on dips for the long term.** 

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### **Quarterly Performance**

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	Q3FY24	Q3FY23	VAR	Q2FY24	VAR	9MFY24	9MFY23	VAR
Net Sales	3803.9	3474.6	9.5%	3733.8	1.9%	11278.9	10164.4	11.0%
Other Operating Income	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-
Total Operating Income	3803.9	3474.6	9.5%	3733.8	1.9%	11278.9	10164.4	11.0%
Other Income	59.6	48.9	21.8%	89.8	-33.7%	207.2	113.6	82.4%
TOTAL INCOME	3863.5	3523.5	9.7%	3823.6	1.0%	11486.1	10278.0	11.8%
Total Raw Material Cost	2137.8	2032.0	5.2%	2146.9	-0.4%	6448.0	5900.3	9.3%
Cost of Raw Material & Components Consumed	1345.2	1350.5	-0.4%	1348.9	-0.3%	4164.0	4038.3	3.1%
(Increase)/ Decrease in Inventories	56.2	-24.0	-334.5%	-8.6	-757.7%	86.4	-214.4	-140.3%
Purchase of Traded Goods	736.4	705.5	4.4%	806.6	-8.7%	2197.6	2076.5	5.8%
Total Raw Material Cost % to Sales	56.2%	58.5%	-3.9%	57.5%	-2.3%	57.2%	58.0%	-1.5%
Employee Cost	317.4	283.0	12.2%	304.2	4.4%	917.3	834.3	10.0%
Employee Cost % to Sales	8.3%	8.1%	2.4%	8.1%	2.4%	8.1%	8.2%	-0.9%
Other Expenses	776.3	705.9	10.0%	745.6	4.1%	2259.1	2085.0	8.3%
Other Expenses % of Sales	20.4%	20.3%	0.5%	20.0%	2.2%	20.0%	20.5%	-2.4%
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	3231.5	3020.9	7.0%	3196.7	1.1%	9624.4	8819.6	9.1%
EBIDTA	572.4	453.7	26.2%	537.1	6.6%	1654.5	1344.8	23.0%
EBIDTA Margin %	15.0%	13.1%		14.4%		14.7%	13.2%	
Finance Costs	33.2	23.7	40.2%	27.6	20.4%	87.0	59.5	46.2%
PBDT	598.8	478.9	25.0%	599.4	-0.1%	1774.7	1398.9	26.9%
Depreciation, Ammortization & Impairment	85.5	75.2	13.8%	93.9	-9.0%	261.4	221.2	18.2%
PBT before Exceptional Items	513.3	403.8	27.1%	505.4	1.6%	1513.3	1177.7	28.5%
Exceptional Items	-91.5	78.6	-216.5%	14.6	-726.9%	-71.8	-8.7	726.8%
PBT after Exceptional Items	421.7	482.3	-12.6%	490.8	-14.1%	1585.1	1186.3	33.6%
Tax	106.2	112.9	-5.9%	131.7	-19.4%	368.8	342.5	7.7%
Tax Rate %	25.2%	23.4%	7.6%	26.8%	-6.1%	23.3%	28.9%	-19.4%
Reported Profit After Tax	315.5	369.5	-14.6%	359.1	-12.1%	1216.3	843.8	44.1%
Minority Interest After NP	-14.0	5.0	-379.3%	4.7		-14.0	5.0	-379.3%
Net Profit after Minority Interest & P/L Asso.Co.	301.5	364.4	-17.3%	363.8	-17.1%	1214.2	873.4	39.0%
PAT Margin %	7.9%	10.5%		9.7%		10.8%	8.6%	
EPS	3.00	3.79	-20.8%	3.64		10.05	10.12	-0.7%
Equity	92.9	92.9		92.9		92.9	92.9	
Face Value	1.0	1.0		1.0		1.0	1.0	

Source: Company, Way2wealth Research

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Segmental Performance									
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Particulars		Q3FY24	Q3FY23	VAR	Q2FY24	VAR	9MFY24	9MFY23	VAR
REVENUES					_		-		
India Business		2,374.9	2,165.3	9.7%	2,404.1	-1.2%	7,256.9	6,470.5	12.2%
	% Mix	62.3%	62.1%		64.2%		64.2%	63.5%	
International Business		1,028.4	929.9	10.6%	949.7	8.3%	2,872.9	2,605.4	10.3%
	% Mix	27.0%	26.7%		25.4%	6.2%	25.4%	25.6%	
Total Branded Business		3,403.31	3,095.27	10.0%	3,353.81	1.5%	10,129.87	9,075.91	11.6%
Non-Branded Business		410.56	391.3	4.9%	388.28	5.7%	1,175.9	1,114.8	5.5%
Total Segment Revenue		3,813.9	3,486.6	9.4%	3,742.1	1.9%	11,305.8	10,190.7	10.9%
Add : Other Unallocable Income		14.8	10.8	36.8%	14.9	-0.9%	57.6	31.9	80.7%
Less : Inter Segment Sales		24.7	22.8	8.3%	23.2	6.5%	67.5	15.6	332.0%
Net Revenue from Operations		3,803.9	3,474.6	9.5%	3,733.8	<b>1.9%</b>	11,295.9	10,207.0	10.7%
Profit/Loss Before Interest and	l Tax								
India Business		368.5	300.4	22.7%	330.6	11.5%	1,027.5	881.2	16.6%
	Margin %	10.8%	9.7%		9.9%		10.1%	9.7%	
International Business	<i>J</i>	108.8	88.4	23.0%	95.8	13.5%	320.4	252.6	26.8%
	Margin %	3.2%	2.9%		2.9%		3.2%	2.8%	
Total Branded Business	-	477.2	388.8	22.7%	426.4	11.9%	1,347.9	1,133.8	18.9%
Non-Branded Business		49.22	27.18	81.1%	57.11	-13.8%	156.3	96.6	61.8%
Total Segment Results		526.5	416.0	26.6%	483.5	8.9%	1,504.2	1,230.4	22.3%
Less : Interest		33.2	23.7	40.2%	27.6	20.4%	87.0	59.5	46.2%
Less: Other Un-allocable Expenditu	re	36.0	32.9	9.6%	8.8	309.3%	73.6	96.1	-23.4%
Add : Other Income		56.0	44.3	26.5%	58.3	-3.8%	169.7	102.8	65.0%
Less: Extra-Ordinary Income/Expense		(91.5)	78.6	-216.5%	14.6	-729.1%	(111.2)	165.8	-167.1%

421.7

482.3

-12.6%

490.9

-14.1%

1,402.1

1,343.5

4.4%

Source: Company, Way2wealth Research

Net Profit/Loss Before Tax

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