

GNAM Investment Competition

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PI INDUSTRIES LTD.

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PI Industries – Executive Summary

| Current Price | ₹ 863 |
|----------------|--------|
| Target Price | ₹ 1006 |
| Recommendation | BUY |
| Upside | 17% |

Annual Ratios (%)

PI boasts of a unique business model—a strong R&D -led custom synthesis business (59% of revenues), and an equally compelling domestic agro -chemicals business (41% of revenues), largely built by in –licensing arrangements with major global agro-chemicals innovators.

•CSM Exports Robust Growth with entry into Pharma in FY17

•Domestic Agri input improving on account of good monsoons

•Strong Product Line with 4 new launches

Potential Growth in generic products

| | 1-Year | 3-Years | 5-Years | |
|---------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|
| Growth | - | - | - | |
| Revenue | 9.01 | 22.40 | 23.62 | |
| Net Profit | 28.24 | 47.96 | 37.10 | |
| EPS | 27.72 | 47.36 | 31.63 | |
| Book Value | 30.18 | 29.77 | 36.21 | |
| Average | - | - | | |
| Operating Margin | 20.64 | 19.32 | 17.79 | |
| Net Margin | 13.59 | 11.89 | 10.84 | |
| RONW | 30.54 | 30.78 | 30.91 | |
| ROI | 35.75 | 37.07 | 33.83 | |
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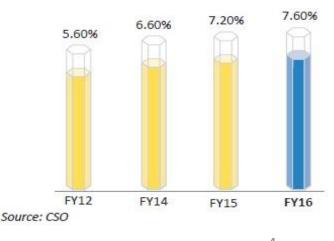
Shortlisting Methodology (Funnel)

| | 7836 | •All companies Listed in BSE & NSE •Source: Prowess Dx | |
|---|--|--|--|
| | 1946 | Actively traded companies. Financial statement available for last 5 years | |
| | 24 | Pitroski F Score (9 point score) Internal Growth Indicator score (11 point score) | |
| Based on current market cap and valuation. Diversified sectors | | | |
| | PI Industries : Based on strong fundamental and very positive growth outlook. High profit margins and macro factors in favour 3 | | |



The India Story

- Indian economy is on the verge of paradigm shift with GDP growth at >7%*
- The forecast of good monsoon on the back of the increased rural thrust of the union budget 2016 shall help strengthen the rural activities and consumption cycle.
- Government Schemes favouring farmers
 - Soil Health Card Scheme
 - Crop Insurance Scheme
 - Direct Benefit Transfer of Fertilizer Subsidies



*IMF Economic Outlook



Agro Chemical Industry

- Global market for agrochemicals stood at \$207bn in calendar year 2014 and will grow at a CAGR of 3.2% to reach \$250.5bn by 2020.
- Industry Growth Drivers:
 - Increased demand for food grains
 - Future export growth prospects: Agrochemicals worth USD 4.1 billion are expected to go off-patent by 2020.
 Agrochemicals going off-patent, 2016-2020 (USD Billion)
 - Low consumption level
 - (India has the lowest pesticide consumption)
 - Wastage of Agri output & Low farm productivity
 - Sustained government support
- Challenges for industry:
 - Heavy dependence on Monsoon
 - High R&D costs

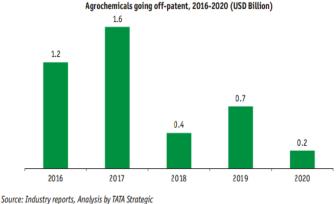


Figure 3: Growth opportunities in Generic Products

- Low awareness of agrochemicals and using them judiciously
- Threat from Genetically Modified seeds, as they possess self-immunity impact the business of agrochemicals.



PI Industries Ltd.

- Incorporated in 1947, PI Industries Limited is an Agri Input & Custom Synthesis & Manufacturing company in India. Employee strength of 18000.
- Multi-locational manufacturing facilities, including Jambusar SEZ
- Equipped with R&D facilities, accredited for GLP and 'Norms on OECD Principles' by (NGCMA), in Udaipur
- Pan-India presence through a vast distribution network with over 10,000 distributors
- 3 subsidiaries, including PI Japan that carries out marketing activities and PI Life Science which is focused on only custom synthesis services without manufacturing
- Strong Financial Growth with a Revenue CAGR of ~23.5% from FY12 to FY16

Integrated entity with a non-compete approach driven by respect for intellectual property

AGRI INPUT

- Agri input products offered include agro chemicals, specialty fertilizers and plant nutrients under our own brands under the following models:
- In-licensing of newly launched / patented molecules by innovators
- Manufacture and marketing of branded generic agri input products
- Selectively partnering with multinationals for co-marketing

CUSTOM SYNTHESIS

- Offer custom synthesis and contract manufacturing services for global innovators.
- Focus on molecules which are patented; in early stages of their life cycles; of high/medium value and low volume; involve complex chemistries & have scope for growth on successful commercialization by innovators
- Entered into Research collaboration with Sony Corporation & Hokkaido University of Japan for joint research
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Key Strengths

- 1. Differentiated business model
- Long-term Relationship & reputation of trust and reliability with global innovators
- 3. Brand building capabilities and brand recognition
- Wide distribution network and clear distribution policies
- 5. End-to-end capabilities in custom synthesis
- 6. Entry / exit barriers in our business
- 7. Experienced management team

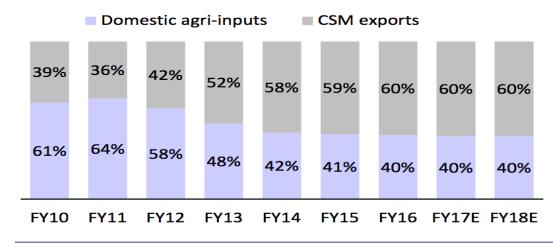


Pl Industries Ltd.

- **Domestic Agri Inputs** offering plant protection products, and specialty plant nutrient products and solutions. PI has a strong rural reach and brand equity, with millions of Indian farmers duly backed by a robust pipeline of products for sustained growth in the sector.
- Pl's top eight products include Nominee Gold, Keefun, Biovita X, Foratox, Osheen, Melsa, Vibrant and Carina



• **Custom Synthesis & Manufacturing (CSM)** - for contract research and production of agro-chemicals, intermediates and other niche fine chemicals for global innovators. The business, backed with a strong R&D support, works to develop and commercialize products based on newly discovered chemistries with reputed MNC innovators.





Valuation

Assumptions

- PI Industries growth has been about 23.5% CAGR over the last 5 years. In our analysis we have considered a conservative figure of 18% growth for the next 10 years.
- Beta value is 0.63 considering 1 year of market volatility (as per Economic Times).
- CapEx in FY16 was high due to commissioning of new plants in Jambusar SEZ. This is further expected to decline over the next years.
- **Terminal Growth rate of 6%**: India being predominantly agrarian economy with agriculture being the major contributor to the national GDP, we expect the growth to remain

| Particulars | Amount (INR mn.) |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| WACC | 12.37% |
| COE | 13.47% |
| Beta | 0.63 |
| D/E Ratio | 0.13 |
| Cost of Debt | 10% |
| Total DCF for 10 years | 44,064 |
| Discounted Terminal value* | 93,834 |
| Total Value | 1,37,898 |
| Number of shares (in millions) | 137 |
| Value per share (INR) | 1,006 |



Peer Comparison

- PI Industries has the highest ROCE 34.96 .Higher ROCE indicates company is effectively utilising the Capital Employed to generate better returns in comparison to its peers.
- PI Industries has low Dividend Yield 0.36 because PI industries is heavily investing their profits in Capex. (New Plants set up in in Jambasur and R&D facility expansion in Udaipur)
- PI Industries P/E & P/B ratio clearly reflects investor confidence in the Company's expansion and diversification (Intermediaries pharma) strategy

| Particulars | PI Industries | Bayer CropScien | Rallis India | Monsanto India |
|---|---------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Enterprise value (EV) | 1,19,214.08 | 1,42,726.53 | 39,847.04 | 38,775.37 |
| Enterprise value to EBIDTA (EV/EBIDTA) | 25.52 | 28.84 | 18.82 | 32.54 |
| Price to Earnings (PE) | 37.79 | 50.10 | 33.90 | 39.92 |
| Price to Book (PB) | 10.25 | 8.59 | 4.94 | 9.78 |
| Dividend Yield | 0.36 | 0.40 | 1.13 | -1.28 |
| ROCE | 34.96 | 24.01 | 20.44 | 26.72 |



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Conclusion

- DCF valuation indicates that stock has an upside 17 %.
- PEER comparison also reveals there is a momentum for PI industries.

