

VIP Industries

Margin pressure was an unexpected disappointment

Strong growth in revenue: For Q3FY2019, VIP Industries (VIP) posted a strong yoy growth of 27% in revenue to ₹430 cr mainly led by 30-35% volume growth. This growth was above our expectation of 21%. The company is garnering market share from the unorganized market specially from backpacks and new categories which is driving such strong growth in its top line.

Margins were under pressure: OPM were down at 8.8% on yearly basis which has come down from the peak level of 18.6% reported in Q1FY2019. Margin pressure was seen mainly due to ~10% rupee depreciation against dollar and rise in import duty on finished goods. The company has not been able to completely pass on cost hike especially at the lower priced categories like backpacks and Aristocrat. Margin pressure is expected to continue in coming 1-2 quarters.

PAT fell by12% yoy: Interest cost continued to remain very low at ₹0.7 cr. Depreciation increased to ₹4.4 cr mainly led by capex in its Bangladesh unit. Overall, PAT fell by 12% to ₹24 cr versus our expectation of 20% yoy growth.

Outlook and Valuation: While the growth in volume remains encouraging and is likely to sustain as the company is in sweet spot in a fast growing luggage industry. However, we have cut our margin assumption for next two years in view of competitive pricing pressure. Overall, we have cut our earnings estimates by ~10% for FY2019 and FY2020 and are expecting a CAGR of ~26/29% in revenue/ earnings over FY18-20E. The stock is trading at 33.1x our FY2020 earnings, post recent correction. Looking at the near term margin pressure, we now recommend ACCUMULATE with a target price of ₹542 (35x rolled over on average of FY2020E and FY2021E EPS).

Key Financials

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Y/E March (₹ cr)	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019E	FY2020E	FY2021E
Net Sales	1,252	1,410	1,804	2,255	2,751
% chg	2.9	12.6	28.0	25.0	22.0
Net Profit	85	127	161	209	255
% chg	28.2	48.8	26.8	30.3	21.7
OPM (%)	10.6	13.7	13.5	14.0	14.0
EPS (Rs)	6.0	9.0	11.4	14.8	18.0
P/E (x)	81.5	54.6	43.1	33.1	27.2
P/BV (x)	17.0	14.2	12.5	10.3	8.5
RoE (%)	20.9	25.9	29.0	31.1	31.1
RoCE (%)	29.1	36.9	41.4	44.5	44.9
EV/Sales (x)	5.5	4.8	3.8	3.1	2.5
EV/EBITDA (x)	51.7	35.3	28.3	21.8	17.8

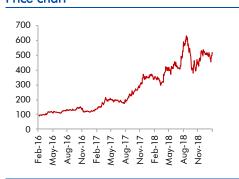
Source: Company, Angel Research

Accumulate	
CMP Target Price	₹490 ₹542
Investment Period	12 Months

Stock Info	
Sector	Luggage
Market Cap (₹ cr)	5,909
Net Debt (₹ cr)	-
Beta	1.4
52 Week High / Low	645/283
Avg. Daily Volume	1,58,893
Face Value (₹)	2
BSE Sensex	36,546
Nifty	10,943
Reuters Code	VIPI.BO
Bloomberg Code	VIP@IN

Shareholding Pattern (%)	
Promoters	53.5
MF / Banks / Indian Fls	14.7
FII / NRIs / OCBs	10.5
Indian Public / Others	21.3

Price chart



Source: capital line

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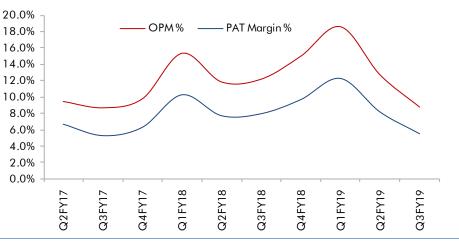


Exhibit 1: Quarterly results at a glance

Conso- ₹ cr	Q3FY18	Q3FY19	YoY %	Q2FY19	QoQ%	M9FY18	M9FY19	YoY %
Income from operation	340	430	27%	402	7%	1,054	1,351	28%
Total Expenditure	297	392	32%	351	12%	908	1,165	28%
Raw Material Consumed	46	88	89%	76	15%	117	232	98%
Stock Adjustment	-17	-73	338%	-54	34%	43	-85	-296%
Purchase of Finished Goods	136	215	58%	180	19%	383	541	41%
RM cost	166	229	38%	202	14%	544	689	27%
Employee Expenses	40	53	33%	49	9%	117	146	25%
Other Expenses	91	110	20%	100	10%	247	330	34%
As a % of sales							-	
Raw Material Consumed	13.7%	20.3%		19.0%		11.1%	17.2%	
Stock Adjustment	-4.9%	-16.9%		-13.5%		4.1%	-6.3%	
Purchase of Finished Goods	40.2%	49.9%		44.8%		36.4%	40.1%	
RM cost	49.0%	53.3%		50.3%		51.6%	51.0%	
Employee Expenses	11.9%	12.4%		12.2%		11.1%	10.8%	
Other Expenses	26.9%	25.5%		24.8%		23.4%	24.5%	
Total Expenditure	297	392	32%	351	12%	908	1,165	28%
Operating profit	41	38	-8%	51	-26%	139	185	33%
OPM %	12.2%	8.8%	-28%	12.7%	-31%	13.3%	13.7%	
Other Income	2	3	42%	2	34%	7	6	-8%
Interest		1		0		0	1	
PBDT	43	40	-8%	53	-25%	146	191	31%
Depreciation	3	4	30%	4	13%	9	12	28%
PBT	40	35	-11%	49	-28%	136	179	31%
Reported Profit After Tax	27	24	-12%	33	-28%	92	120	31%
Ratios								
Tax rate %	32.1%	32.8%		33.3%		32.8%	32.9%	
PAT Margin %	8.0%	5.5%		8.2%		8.8%	8.9%	

Source: Company

Exhibit 2: Margins off peak from Q1FY2019 level



Source: Company, Angel Research

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Risks to our estimates

- Volatility in foreign currency could impact the company's profitability (75% of its revenue comes from soft luggage, which is imported from China).
- With closure of many luggage units in China (owing to pollution concerns), the surviving suppliers have started taking price hikes which is could put pressure on its margins, unless price hike is taken.
- Increase in competition from unorganized players would impact overall growth of the company
- VIP's 25% sales comes from hard luggage segment and any increase in input cost (most of the key raw material is polypropylene and aluminum) could negatively impact profitability

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Ratings (Returns)	: Buy (> 15%)	Accumulate (5% to 15%)	Neutral (-5 to 5%)
	Reduce (-5% to -15%)	Sell (< -15%)	

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