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# **MM Forgings**

# Continuing to expect strong domestic, export growth; retaining a Buy

With recovery anticipated domestically and in exports, we expect MM Forging to post good growth in the next two years. Recently introduced products, higher machining content and strong volume growth would lead to margin expansion. Accordingly, we maintain a Buy, at a target price of Rs697 (15x FY23e).

**Strong domestic growth, with greater machining content expected.** We expect very strong growth in domestic M&H CVs, driven by anticipated replacement demand assuming no further lockdowns, and strong exports. The company is reasonably confident about export growth, given the strong momentum in Class-5 and -8 trucks in the US. Accordingly, we expect strong growth. Also, with more products from more press lines, we expect machining content to go up 55% from 52% now.

**Profitability to increase.** With strong volume growth driven by operating leverage and greater machining content, we expect margin expansion in FY22 and FY23. We expect a 17.6% margin in FY22, and 18.1% in FY23.

**Valuation.** We expect revenue over FY21-23 to clock a 25% CAGR to Rs11.3bn, with the margin at 18%. Accordingly, we expect Rs1bnearnings, leading to a Rs46 EPS. We maintain a Buy recommendation at a TP of Rs697 (15x FY23e).

Risk. Less-than-estimated volume growth

Rating: Buy
Target Price: Rs.697
Share Price: Rs.602

Key data	MMFG IN / MMFO.NS
52-week high / low	Rs.624 / 172
Sensex / Nifty	52574 / 15747
3-m average volume	\$0.1m
Market cap	Rs.15bn / \$196.1m
Shares outstanding	24m

Shareholding pattern (%)	Mar'21	Dec'20	Sep'20
Promoters	56.3	56.3	56.3
- of which Pledged	-	-	-
Free float	43.7	43.7	43.7
- Foreign Institutions	0.9	0.4	0.0
- Domestic Institutions	21.1	21.2	21.9
- Public	21.7	22.0	21.8

Estimates revision (%)	FY22	FY23
Revenue	0.5	1.5
EBITDA	4.0	8.1
PAT	2.8	10.9



Source:	Bloomberg
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Key financials (YE Mar)	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22e	FY23e
Sales (Rs m)	9,039	7,273	7,256	9,088	11,304
Net profit (Rs m)	813	462	466	765	1,122
EPS (Rs)	34	19	19	32	46
P/E (x)	18	31	31	19	13
EV / EBITDA (x)	11	14	15	12	9
P/BV (x)	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.4
RoE (%)	18.6	9.8	9.3	14.0	18.3
RoCE (%)	9.7	5.6	5.3	7.7	10.2
Dividend yield (%)	1.9	1.1	0.8	1.8	2.6
Net debt/equity (x)	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5
Source: Company, Anand Rathi Res	earch				



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# Quick Glance - Financials and Valuations

### Fig 1 – Income statement (Rsm)

Year-end: Mar	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22e	FY23e
Net revenues	9,039	7,273	7,256	9,088	11,304
Growth (%)	46	-20	-0	25	24
RM cost	4,088	3,339	3,469	4,180	5,200
Employee cost	875	828	765	945	1,176
Other expenses	2,343	1,854	1,809	2,363	2,882
Direct costs	7,307	6,021	6,044	7,488	9,258
EBITDA	1,732	1,252	1,213	1,599	2,046
EBITDA margins (%)	19.2	17.2	16.7	17.6	18.1
- Depreciation	544	532	567	620	670
Other income	158	185	216	241	266
Interest expenses	261	331	312	319	319
PBT	1,086	574	549	901	1,323
Effective tax rates (%)	25	19	15	15	15
Net income	814	462	466	765	1,122
Adjusted income	813	462	466	765	1,122
WANS	24	24	24	24	24
FDEPS (Rs/sh)	34	19	19	32	46

# Fig 3 – Cash-flow statement (Rsm)

Year-end: Mar	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22e	FY23e
PBT	1,086	574	549	901	1,323
+ Non-cash items	545	532	567	620	670
Oper.prof. before WC	1,631	1,107	1,117	1,521	1,992
- Incr./(decr.) in WC	-941	1,422	-849	-622	584
Others incl. taxes	-272	-112	-83	-137	-200
Operating cash-flow	417	2,417	184	762	2,376
- Capex (tang.+intang.)	-2,892	-876	-301	-1,000	-1,000
Free cash-flow	-2,475	1,541	-116	-238	1,376
Acquisitions					
- Div.(incl. Buyback& taxes)	-326	-185	-121	-306	-449
+ Equity raised	-	-	-	-	-
+ Debt raised	2,698	-1,392	410	-	-
- Fin investments	-	-	-	-	-
- Misc. (CFI + CFF)	178	64	-46	-0	-0
Net cash-flow	76	28	127	-544	927
Source: Company, Anand Rathi Re	search				

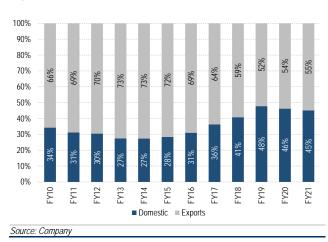
### Fig 5 - Price movement



Year-end: Mar	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22e	FY23e
Share capital	241	241	241	241	241
Networth	4,362	4,704	5,004	5,462	6,135
Debt	6,306	4,913	5,323	5,323	5,323
Minority interest	-	-	-	-	-
DTL/(Assets)	186	298	309	309	309
Capital employed	10,855	9,916	10,636	11,094	11,768
Net tangible assets	5,881	6,616	6,350	6,730	7,060
CWIP (tang. &intang.)	392	-	-	-	
Investments (financial)	49	49	49	49	49
Current assets (ex cash)	4,131	2,988	4,361	5,051	4,516
Cash	1,716	1,744	1,871	1,327	2,254
Current liabilities	1,313	1,481	1,994	2,062	2,112
Working capital	2,818	1,507	2,367	2,989	2,404
Capital deployed	10,855	9,916	10,636	11,094	11,768

## Fig 4 – Ratio analysis

Year-end: Mar	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22e	FY23e
P/E (x)	17.9	31.4	31.2	19.0	12.9
EV / EBITDA (x)	11.0	14.1	14.8	11.6	8.6
EV / Sales (x)	2.1	2.4	2.5	2.0	1.6
P/B (x)	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.4
RoE (%)	18.6	9.8	9.3	14.0	18.3
RoCE (%) - after tax	9.7	5.6	5.3	7.7	10.2
RoIC (%) - after tax	12.0	6.7	6.5	17.1	24.7
DPS (Rs / sh)	11.2	6.4	5.0	10.6	15.5
Dividend yield (%)	1.9	1.1	0.8	1.8	2.6
Dividend payout (%) - incl. DDT	40.0	40.0	25.9	40.0	40.0
Net debt / equity (x)	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5
Receivables (days)	33	6	62	62	35
Inventory (days)	167	140	177	250	250
Payables (days)	43	76	103	105	105
CFO: PAT %	51.3	522.7	39.6	99.7	211.7
Source: Company, Anand Rathi Researd	ch				



## Fig 6 - Revenue-mix trend

# Result highlights

(Rsm)	Q2 FY19	Q3 FY19	Q4 FY19	Q1 FY20	Q2 FY20	Q3 FY20	Q4 FY20	Q1 FY21	Q2 FY21	Q3 FY21	Q4 FY21
Net sales	2,163	2,418	2,331	2,078	1,720	1,747	1,564	729	1,402	2,133	2,850
Y/Y %	61.0	65.7	18%	5.9	-20.5	-27.7	-82%	-65%	-18%	22%	82%
Other operating Income	82	27	12	65	72	14	13	34.65	70.42	28.29	8.44
Income	2,245	2,446	2,343	2,143	1,792	1,762	1,577	764	1,473	2,162	2,858
Y/Y %	58.3	60.8	17.4	6.8	-20.2	-28.0	-32.7	-64.3	-17.8	22.7	81.3
Q/Q %	11.9	8.9	17.4	-8.5	-16.4	-1.7	-10.5	-51.5	92.8	46.8	32.2
Decr. /(Incr.) in stock-in-trade and WIP	(113)	(14)	(30)	(303)	(90)	309	236	112.85	(18.30)	(92.90)	152.54
Raw materials & components	1,074	1,160	1,100	1,204	868	571	544	289.77	723.53	1,111.85	1,190.11
Purchase of traded goods							-	-			
RM cost	962	1,146	1,070	901	778	881	780	403	705	1,019	1,343
as % of sales	42.8	46.9	45.6	42.0	43.4	50.0	49.5	52.7	47.9	47.1	47.0
Gross margins (%)	57.2	53.1	54.4	58.0	56.6	50.0	50.5	47.3	52.1	52.9	53.0
Gross profit	1,283	1,300	1,274	1,242	1,014	881	797	361	768	1,143	1,515
Employee cost	223	229	235	248	199	197	183	115.57	149.39	231.28	268.72
Emp cost/sales (%)	9.9	9.3	10.0	11.6	11.1	11.2	11.6	15.1	10.1	10.7	9.4
Y/Y (%)	36.6	40.1	32.2	31.6	-10.7	-13.8	-22.3	-53.4	-24.9	17.5	47.1
Depreciation	138	138	132	140	130	130	132	130.00	130.00	140.00	167.33
Other expenditure	415	401	406	370	302	230	241	96.19	210.49	369.61	436.73
Power and Fuel	211	206	199	219	187	156	150	79.70	157.35	213.79	245.28
Other expenses as % of sales	27.9	24.9	25.8%	27.5	27.3	21.9	24.8	23.0	25.0	27.0	23.9
Expenditure	1,948	2,120	2,042	1,878	1,596	1,593	1,485	824	1,352	1,974	2,461
Y/Y %	58.3	61.8	19.1	7.9	-18.1	-24.8	-27.3	-56.1	-15.3	23.9	65.7
EBITDA	434	463	433	405	326	299	223	70	250	328	565
EBITDA margins %	19.3	18.9	18.5	18.9	18.2	16.9	14.2	9.1	17.0	15.2	19.8
Y/Y %	48.4	46.8	12.1	0.6	-24.9	-35.6	-48.4	-82.7	-23.2	9.9	152.6
0/0%	8.0	6.8		-6.5	-19.5	-8.4	-25.1	-68.7	258.1	31.1	72.1
Operating Profit/EBIT	297	326	301	265	196	169	91	(60)	120	188	397
EBIT margins %	13.2	13.3	12.9	12.4	10.9	9.6	5.8	-7.9	8.2	8.7	13.9
Y/Y %	58	55	7	0	-34	-48	-70	-123	-39	12	336
Other non-operating income	31	61	46	31	47	50	56	80.39	45.73	64.75	25.05
Interest expense (net)	52	85	88	93	95	70	72	69.75	84.48	77.77	80.22
Profit after interest before exceptional items and tax	275	302	260	203	148	149	76	(49)	82	175	342
Exceptional items	-	-	0	-	-						
Profit before tax	275	302	260	203	148	149	76	-49.46	82	175	342
Total tax expense	63	63	85	40	26	36	10	-	18	25	41
Effective tax rate %	22.7	20.7	32.6	19.6	17.7	24.1	13.4	0.0	21.5	14.3	11.9
Net profit after tax	213	240	175	163	122	113	65	(49)	64	150	301
Net profit margins %	9.5	9.8	7.5	7.6	6.8	6.4	4.1%	-6.5%	4.4%	6.9%	10.5%
Y/Y %	53.3	58.3	-36.0	-12.1	-42.8	-53.0	-62.7	-130.3	-47.3	33.2	360.9
0/0 %	14.6	12.8	-27.0	-6.9	-25.4	-7.4	-42.0	-175.6	-229.5	134.3	100.8
Basic/Diluted EPS (reported)	8.8	9.9	7.3	6.8	5.0	4.7	2.7	(2.05)	2.65	6.22	12.48
Source: Company											

# Valuations

We expect revenue over FY21-23 to clock a 25% CAGR to Rs11.3bn, with the margin at 18%. Accordingly, we expect earnings of Rs1bn, leading to an EPS of Rs46. We maintain a Buy recommendation at a TP of Rs697 (15x FY23e).

Fig 8 – Change in estimates										
	Old estimates		New estima	ites	Change (%)					
(Rs m)	FY22	FY23	FY22	FY23	FY22	FY23				
Revenue	9,044	11,137	9,088	11,304	0.5	1.5				
EBITDA	1,537	1,893	1,599	2,046	4.0	8.1				
Adj. PAT	744	1,012	765	1,122	2.8	10.9				
EPS (Rs)	31	42	32	46	2.8	10.9				
Source: Anand Rati	hi Research									

Fig 9 – One-year-forward standard deviation of PE



Source: Bloomberg, Anand Rathi Research

### Risk

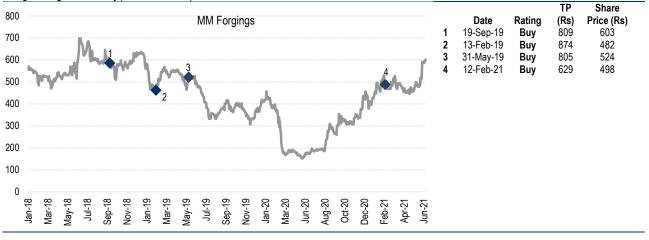
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