

# TORRENT POWER LIMITED

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**Price:** 1,500

**Recommendation:** Buy **Industry:** Integrated Power

**Sector:** Utilities

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Torrent Power Limited is advancing its market presence through strategic initiatives and a robust CAPEX plan focused on renewable energy and infrastructure. With a CAPEX guideline of 2,000 crores for the next fiscal year, the company is committed to strengthening core operations and exploring growth avenues. A pipeline of 19,000 crores in renewable projects and a green hydrogen pilot in Uttar Pradesh highlight its innovation and sustainability efforts, positioning it for future growth.

Sales		Profit & Loss		Profitability Matrix		
Current Year	22013 Cr	Operating Profit(Year)	4463 Cr	Operating Profit Margin	20.3 %	
Previous Year	18836 Cr	Operating Profit(Quarter)	923 Cr	EBITDA Margin	19.27 %	
Current Quarter	4746 Cr	PAT (Year)	1718 Cr	Net Profit Margin	8.61 %	
Previous Quarter	5288 Cr	PAT (Quarter)	369 Cr	EPS	46.5	
Revenue (QYoY)	4681 Cr					
Valuation Matrix		Growth(Yo	Y)	Growth(QoQ)		
Trailing P/E	33.6	Sales Growth	13.0 %	Sales Growth	-10.25 %	
PEG Ratio	2.29	PAT Growth	-15.58 %	Sales Growth QYoY	1.39 %	
EV/EBITDA	16.5	EPS Growth	24.33 %	PAT Growth	-20.47 %	
P/B	5.67	Dividend Yield	1.07	PAT Growth QYoY	-3.91 %	
Capital Allocation		Holdings		Leverage		
RoE	14.9 %	Promoter	51.1 %	Debt/Equity	0.69	
RoA	6.23 %	FII	9.93 %	Debt	9166 Cr	
RoCE	15.1 %	DII	21.2 %	Market Cap	75585 Cr	
RoIC	13.0 %	Public	9.42 %	Enterprise value	84448 Cr	
		No of Shares	50.4 Cr	Cash Equivalents	304 Cr	

source : Company filings

# **Company's Overview Based on Recent Concall and Performance:**

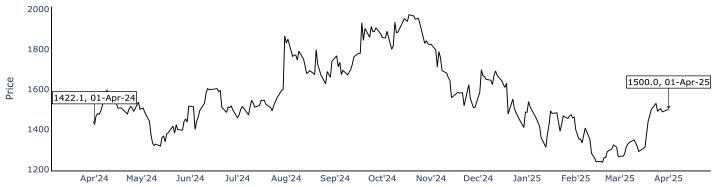
In the recent conference call, Torrent Power Limited outlined several strategic initiatives and business strategies aimed at enhancing its operational efficiency and expanding its market presence. The company has committed to a significant capital expenditure (CAPEX) plan, with a focus on renewable energy projects and infrastructure development. For the next fiscal year, Torrent Power plans to maintain a CAPEX guideline of approximately 2,000 crores, with 250 crores allocated to franchisee operations and 1,750 crores dedicated to license distribution business. This strategic allocation underscores the company's commitment to strengthening its core operations while exploring new growth avenues.

Torrent Power is actively pursuing diversification through its renewable energy projects, with a pipeline of 19,000 crores in renewable energy projects set to be executed over the next two to three years. The company has also embarked on a pilot project for green hydrogen blending with CNG in Uttar Pradesh, marking one of the largest private sector blending projects in India. This initiative reflects Torrent Power's commitment to innovation and sustainability, positioning it as a leader in the transition to cleaner energy sources. The company is also exploring opportunities in the merchant power market, leveraging its strong balance sheet to secure funding for these ventures.

Looking ahead, Torrent Power is poised for significant growth, with plans to invest 35,000 to 40,000 crores in CAPEX over the next five years. The company generates approximately 2,000 crores in free cash flows annually, which will be used to fund 30% of the equity required for these projects. The remaining funding will be sourced through a mix of internal accruals and external debt, ensuring a balanced approach to capital allocation. The company's strategic focus on renewable energy and infrastructure development positions it well for future growth, with a strong pipeline of projects set to drive long-term value creation.

While Torrent Power's strategic initiatives and growth plans are promising, there are areas where the company could enhance its performance. The company could benefit from further diversifying its energy portfolio to mitigate risks associated with market fluctuations in the merchant power sector. Additionally, streamlining project execution timelines and addressing potential delays in project commissioning could enhance operational efficiency and improve investor confidence. Overall, Torrent Power's strategic focus on renewable energy and infrastructure development, coupled with its strong financial position, provides a solid foundation for future growth and value creation.

# TORNTPOWER Daily Closing One Year Price Chart



Name	Mar Cap (Rs. Cr.)	P/E	ROE	Sales(G) QoQ	Sales(G) QYoY	PAT(G) QoQ	PAT(G) QYoY
JSW Energy	91801.50	48.78	8.40%	-24.67%	-4.09%	-81.55%	-31.94%
Torrent Power	75585.46	33.55	14.90%	-10.24%	1.40%	-20.56%	-3.92%
NTPC	341468.07	15.59	13.62%	0.80%	5.21%	-4.02%	-1.80%
Power Grid Corpn	269019.91	17.26	19.00%	-0.40%	-2.74%	1.81%	-4.14%
Adani Power	194659.69	15.13	57.06%	2.49%	5.23%	-10.84%	7.38%

Aspect	Commentary		
Revenue	The company shows a robust revenue increase from the previous year, indicating strong market demand and effective sales strategies. However, a slight decline in quarterly revenue suggests potential seasonal fluctuations or market challenges that need addressing to maintain growth momentum.		
Profit & Loss	Operating profit remains strong, reflecting efficient cost management. However, a decline in quarterly PAT suggests potential operational challenges or increased expenses. The company should focus on optimizing operational efficiency to sustain profitability.		
Profitability Matrix	The company maintains healthy profit margins, with a strong operating profit margin indicating effective cost control. However, the net profit margin suggests room for improvement in managing non-operational expenses to enhance overall profitability.		
Valuation Matrix	The valuation metrics indicate a relatively high market valuation, with a trailing P/E suggesting investor confidence. However, the PEG ratio highlights the need for growth to justify current valuations. Strategic growth initiatives could enhance valuation metrics.		
Growth (YoY)	Year-over-year growth shows positive sales and EPS growth, indicating strong market performance. However, the decline in PAT growth suggests challenges in cost management or increased competition. Addressing these issues could improve overall growth.		
Growth (QoQ)	Quarter-over-quarter growth shows a decline in sales and PAT, indicating potential market challenges or seasonal effects. The company should focus on strategies to stabilize quarterly performance and mitigate any adverse market conditions.		
Capital Allocation	The company demonstrates effective capital allocation with strong returns on equity and capital employed. However, optimizing the return on assets could further enhance financial performance. Strategic investments in high-return projects could be beneficial.		
Holdings	The company's shareholding pattern shows a strong promoter holding, indicating confidence in the business. Institutional holdings suggest market trust, while public holding provides liquidity. Maintaining a balanced shareholding structure is crucial for stability.		
Leverage	The company's leverage is moderate, with a manageable debt-to-equity ratio. This indicates a balanced approach to financing, allowing for growth without excessive risk. Maintaining this balance is essential for financial stability and future investment opportunities.		

**Analyst viewpoint:** Torrent Power Limited presents a compelling investment opportunity driven by strategic enhancements in its operational framework and clear focus on growth through diversification. The company has outlined a robust capital expenditure plan, emphasizing renewable energy and infrastructure, thereby positioning itself to capture emerging market opportunities. A significant CAPEX of around 2,000 crores, with a strategic allocation towards expanding both core operations and renewable energy initiatives, bodes well for growth. The company's commitment to innovation is highlighted by its ongoing pilot project for green hydrogen blending in Uttar Pradesh, which underscores its strategic aim to lead the sector's shift towards sustainable energy solutions. Moreover, Torrent Power consistently generates approximately 2,000 crores in annual free cash flow, ensuring it has ample funds to support its planned investments.

Although Torrent Power's strategic growth plans are promising, particularly with a forecasted investment of 35,000 to 40,000 crores over the next five years, potential investors should note the slight quarterly slowdown as indicated by a decrease in quarterly sales and PAT. This mild revenue setback may arise from seasonal factors or market fluctuations, and addressing these challenges is crucial to maintaining steady growth. Therefore, while the company's strategic focus on renewable energy and strong market presence makes it an appealing buy for the short to mid-term, continued vigilance on operational efficiency and diversification would bolster investor confidence and sustain long-term value creation.

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NEUTRAL	>-10% to 15%
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