

TRANSPORT CORPORATION OF INDIA LTD.

RECOMMENDATION: BUY

MARKET PRICE: Rs.612.20 (As on 26th Apr 2023)

TARGET PRICE: Rs.766.00



FACE VALUE: Rs.2

BSE CODE: 532349

NSE CODE: TCI





ABOUT THE COMPANY

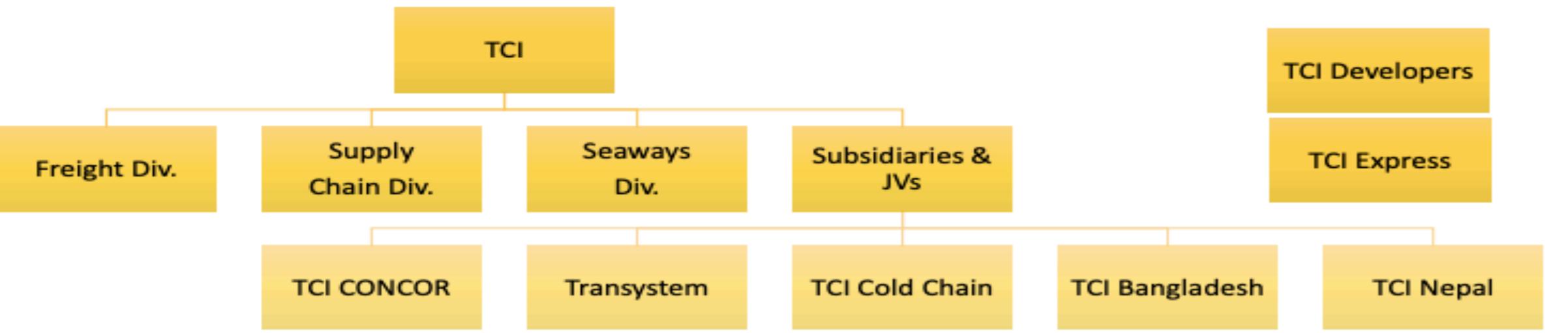
Incorporated in 1958, as a "One Man, One Truck, One Office" company, Transport Corporation of India Ltd. has progressed within its division both internally and externally across boundaries to serve businesses among various industry verticals by being an intrinsic part of the customers' logistics process. Equipped with highly advanced modern technology, encompassing various walks of life and fields of work and innovative business solutions, TCI is a flag bearer in the arena of logistics for trade and commerce, and is fully poised to leverage the new age technology to reach even newer horizons.

It is India's leading integrated multimodal logistics and supply chain solutions provider. As "Leaders in Logistics", TCI continuously strives to better existing systems, processes and productivity. With expertise spanning over six decades and infrastructure comprising an extensive network of 1400+ company owned offices, 12 million sq. ft. of warehousing space, a strong team of 6000+ trained employees and a strong foundation, TCI group has expanded boundaries to offers seamless multimodal transportation solutions in both Indian and International markets.



Group Overview













7000+ Employees Strength



1,500+ IT Enabled Own Offices



12,000+ Trucks in Operations









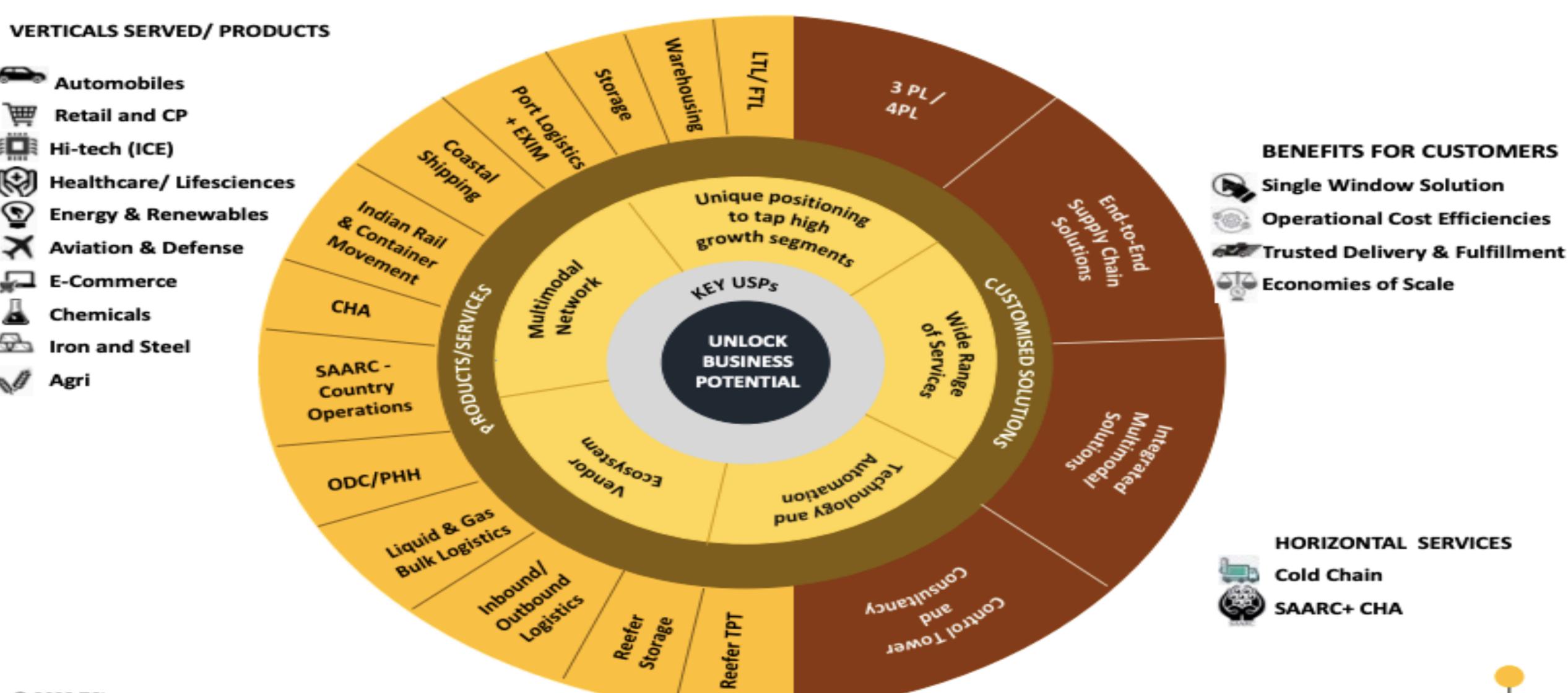






Wide Range of Customized Services







Multimodal Network

Rail



Own Trains: 3 AFTO (Trains)

- High End CBU Logistics
- End-to-End container movement
- Cross Border movement

Full rake movements 1009(9M 2021-22) 1353(9M 2022-23)

Coastal



LEADERS IN LOGISTICS

Ship Deployed :6

DWT: 79,000 GP containers: 8000+

ISO TTR - 650+

Containers management



- Intl/Exim
- Baffle/ISO
- Marine

TEUs handled: 102807(9M 2021-22) 96835 (9 M 2022-23)

Yards & Terminals



No. of Yards & Terminals managed /Operated

> Yards: 55 Terminals:60



Unique Positioning to incubate High Growth Segments 🔻 TCI





WHY are these high growth segments?

- Supply chain disruption in China
- & Europe
- 2. Chemicals flow into Pharma through APIs.
- India is preferred manufacturing destinations for chemicals (all MNCs are present here).
- 4. Maturing SCs

- 1. 16% of GDP in farm & food sector 2. Consumption linked sector with shorter cycles
- Global Renewable energy market projected to reach \$1,977.6 billion by 2030
- Boom in "green" energy
- Increased shift from fossil fuels to renewable energy
- Growth in the organized food delivery and ecommerce segments.
- Market maturing to quality vs cost
- 1. BBIN & CMLV countries.
- 2. Increasing SC linkages in neighboring countries
- 3. Look East Policy with Govt investment into projects

TCI's approach to these high growth segments

- 1. Multimodal solution for movement of Haz. and Non-Haz. bulk liquid and dry chemicals.
- Own strategic assets- ISO Tanks, Gas Tankers, Dry Bulk Containers.
- Responsible Care, ITCO, PESO and Drugs License
- 4. Chemical & GDP compliant warehouses.

- Multimodal solutions comprising last mile deliveries.
- 3PL Solutions, Yard management, OBL, WH
- Offers hub-spoke solutions.
- 1. End-to-End multimodal through Rail.
- Import clearance and Warehousing
- Last Mile and Storage

- Dedicated team under JV with Mitsui
- Quality operations with `cold & dry solutions
- 150 +fleet (90 Own), 13000+ Pallet position.

- Own Subsidiaries in Nepal and Bangladesh.
- 2. Offices at all major borders and capital cities,
- 3. End-to-End multimodal through Road and Rail.
- 4. AEO, IATA, CHA, Courier Licenses.





Technology Driven Operations



SECURITY & BUSINESS CONTINUITY

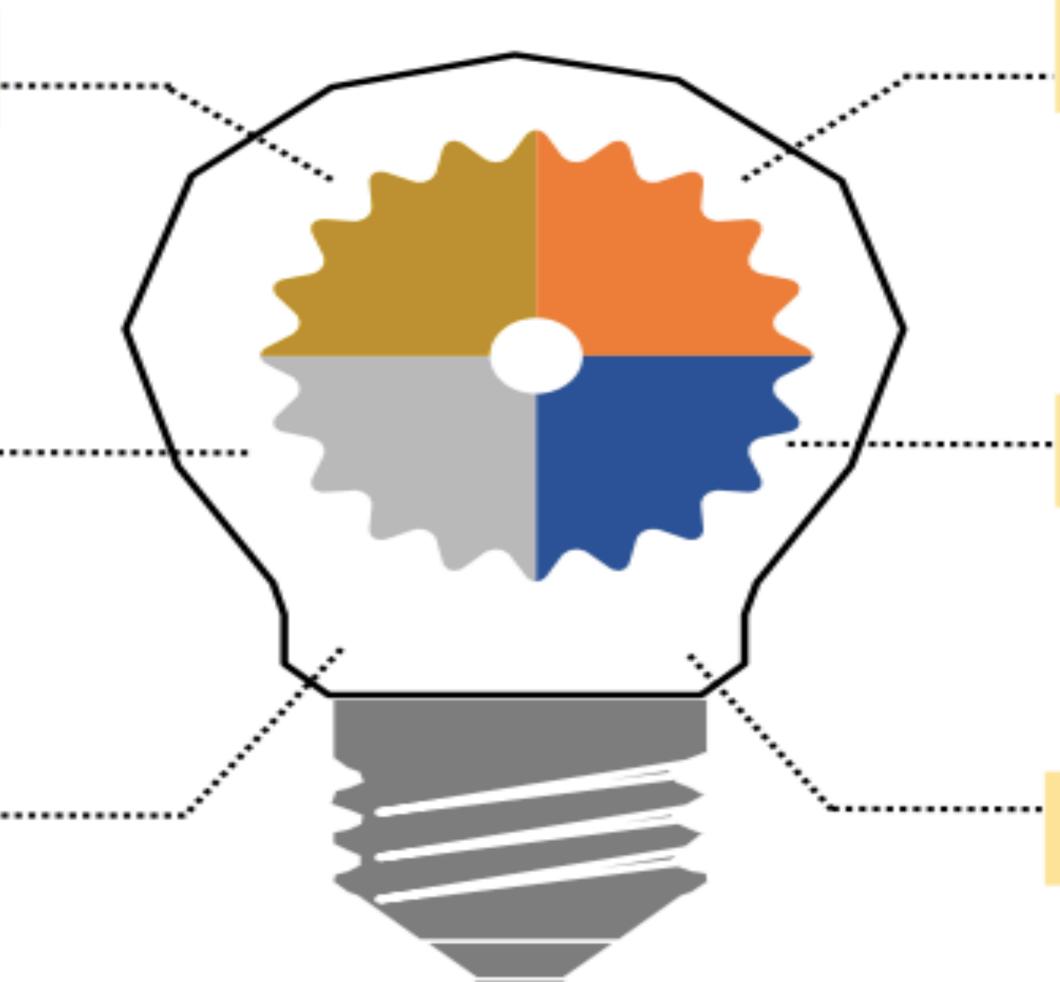
- Endpoint Detection and Response
- Advance Threat Protection
- Network & Web Application Firewall
- SSL, Security Protocols & Policies
- High Availability Disaster Recovery
- Secure code Repository

CONFIGURATION & INTEGRATION

- GPS & GIS Services
- Location & Route Geofencing
- API's
- IOT Devices RFID, Temperature Sensors, Barcode, Scanner

IT INFRASTRUCTURE & DATABASE

- Cloud Computing Services and Servers
- Data warehousing
- Communication Tools
- WhatsApp Business
- Version Control and Repository System



VALUE BASED RELATIONSHIP

- Customer Relationship
 Management
- Supplier Relationship Management
- Order Management System

DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEMS

- Logistic Control Tower
- Business Intelligence Tool
- Route Planning & Optimization
- Security Operation Center

OPERATIONS

- Enterprise Resource Planning
- Fleet & Tyre Management System
- Workforce Management System
- Procurement Management System
- GST, E-way, E-Invoice



TCI Freight Division: Core competencies and



- capabilities
- One of India's premier organized freight services provider with pan India presence & to SAARC
- 700 IT Enabled Owned offices, 25 Strategic Hubs
- Truck under Operation: 4500+:Owned: 120

- On demand use of Foldable Large Containers (FLCs) to safeguard goods.
- Single window Key Account Management (KAM) solutions for managing information flow and tracking.



Services

- Provides full truck load (FTL), less than truck load (LTL)
- Customized Solutions
- ODC and Project Heavy Haul



IT Capabilities

- Mobile App controlled loading, unloading and dispatch of goods.
- Centralized vehicle tracking through geofenced system and customer service by quick response team.



WH/ DC

TCI Supply Chain Division: Core competencies and capabilities



E-fulfillment centers

Yards

Cross-docking

Multimodal

3PL, 4PL

IBL, OBL

Control Tower

- Integrated Logistics & Supply Chain Solutions from conceptualization to execution
- Vehicles under Operation: 4000 + Owned: 1000
- Yards managed: 55
- IBL Pickup per day: 5000+
- 100+ trains operated per month
- Managing diverse logistics operations for the mobility sector (passenger, industrial, Agri)

Strong Distribution Network Optimization capabilities









Healthcare

Chemical

Hi-tech

Retail &CP

Auto



TCI Seaways Division: Core competencies and



capabilities

Reach & Services

- One of the leading multimodal coastal players having presence along the Western, Eastern & Southern ports of India
- Expertise in coastal shipping services, container & bulk cargo movements, and transportation services
- First-mile and last-mile connectivity via rail & road
- Multi-modal solutions with reduced carbon footprint (Green logistics)







Owns 8000+ marine containers (multipurpose)

06 domestic coastal ships with a total capacity of 77,957 DWT

Serves 7 of India out 13 pots





TCl's Joint Ventures

Figures in	Mn					
	9M FY23 (FY22)		TC/ CONCOR Multimodal Logistics Solutions	TCI COLD CHAIN	Transystem	
	₹ ₹	Revenue	2251 (3010)	456 (587)	4906 (4670)	
		Y-o-Y Growth	3.0% (-7.1%)	5.8% (62.5%)	42.5% (29.9%)	
	PAT	PAT	37.6 (56.1)	23.0 (27.60)	643 (540)	
	₹	Capital Employed	446 (419)	387 (336)	2931 (2924)	
	%	Strategic Partner's Share	49%	20%	51%	
	1 1 1 2 1 1	y Operational ghlights	Operates on asset- light model Building upon its capabilities of integrated multimodal logistics solutions	Cold chain services to cater temperature control Warehousing, Primary & secondary distribution requirements.	Focused on automotive logistics of Japanese clients	
TCI			Chemicals, Food Grains, Metals etc		Everything Logistics	

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Future Outlook



Figures In Mn.

- Demand momentum to continue in the coming quarter though at a slower pace than expected
- Headwinds of the global recession, distressed rural demand, and the impact on domestic manufacturing, commodity prices, and export sector due to the sudden reopening of China.
- Revenue and Profit growth of 10%-15%
- Estimated capex 110-125 Cr; Ship prices remained exorbitant

Actual	FY 23	FY 23
FY07 to	Budget	9M
FY22)		Actual

Total			
Others (W/H Equip, Wind Energy, IT etc.	1329	301	157
Trucks & Rakes	4716	650	360
Containers	1251	600	76
Ships	3210	900	0
Hub Centers & Small warehouses	5198	700	224

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Yearly Results

YEARLY RESULTS OF TRANSPORT CORPORATION OF INDIA (in Rs. Cr.)	MAR '22	MAR '21	MAR '20	MAR '19	MAR '18
Net Sales/Income from operations	3,256.68	2,802.39	2,717.84	2,753.65	2,346.13
Total Income From Operations	3,256.68	2,802.39	2,717.84	2,753.65	2,346.13
EXPENDITURE					
Employees Cost	169.98	145.49	157.22	140.17	124.48
Depreciation	113.02	92.81	82.49	77.44	68.65
Other Expenses	2,677.96	2,395.68	2,320.09	2,363.96	2,008.91
P/L Before Other Inc., Int., Excpt. Items & Tax	295.72	168.41	158.04	172.08	144.09
Other Income	19.91	25.47	20.12	19.51	18.18
P/L Before Int., Excpt. Items & Tax	315.63	193.88	178.16	191.59	162.27
Interest	12.83	26.70	34.32	37.38	32.21
P/L Before Exceptional Items & Tax	302.80	167.18	143.84	154.21	130.06
Exceptional Items		-13.06	-9.88	-0.67	22.42
P/L Before Tax	302.80	154.12	133.96	153.54	152.48
Tax	37.65	23.83	15.92	33.34	28.66
P/L After Tax from Ordinary Activities	265.15	130.29	118.04	120.20	123.82
Net Profit/(Loss) For the Period	265.15	130.29	118.04	120.20	123.82
Minority Interest	-3.21	-3.29	-0.83	-0.89	-0.64
Share Of P/L Of Associates	27.67	20.13	25.15	25.09	
Net P/L After M.I & Associates	289.61	147.13	142.36	144.40	123.17
Equity Share Capital	15.47	15.42	15.37	15.33	15.32
Reserves Excluding Revaluation Reserves	1,406.96	1,147.70	999.46	869.74	746.46
EPS BEFORE EXTRA ORDINARY					
Basic EPS	37.50	19.12	18.54	18.84	16.08
Diluted EPS	37.34	19.07	18.54	18.80	16.07
EPS AFTER EXTRA ORDINARY					
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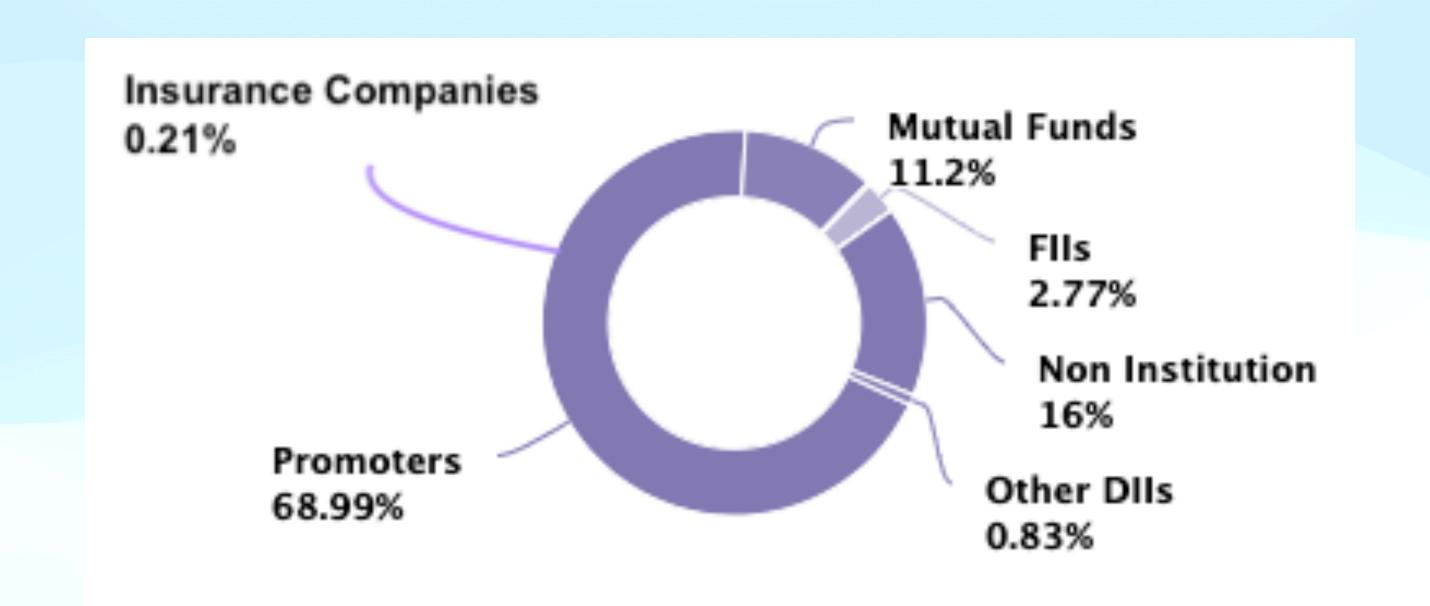


Key Financial Ratios

KEY FINANCIAL RATIOS OF TRANSPORT CORPORATION OF	MAR 22	MAR 21	MAR 20	MAR 19	MAR 18
INDIA (in Rs. Cr.)					
PER SHARE RATIOS	27.50	10.10	10 54	10.04	16.00
Basic EPS (Rs.)	37.50	19.12	18.54	18.84	16.08
Diluted EPS (Rs.)	37.34	19.07	18.54	18.80	16.07
Cash EPS (Rs.)	48.91	28.94	26.10	25.78	22.21
Book Value [ExclRevalReserve]/Share (Rs.)	188.51	152.83	134.01	117.03	100.09
Book Value [InclRevalReserve]/Share (Rs.)	188.51	152.83	134.01	117.03	100.09
Revenue from Operations/Share (Rs.)	421.16	363.48	353.76	359.19	306.37
PBDIT/Share (Rs.)	55.43	37.18	33.93	35.09	30.15
PBIT/Share (Rs.)	40.82	25.15	23.19	24.99	21.19
PBT/Share (Rs.)	39.16	19.99	17.44	20.03	16.98
Net Profit/Share (Rs.)	34.29	16.90	15.36	15.68	13.24
NP After MI And SOA / Share (Rs.)	37.45	19.08	18.53	18.84	16.08
PROFITABILITY RATIOS	10.10	40.00	0.50	0.77	0.04
PBDIT Margin (%)	13.16	10.23	9.59	9.77	9.84
PBIT Margin (%)	9.69	6.91	6.55	6.95	6.91
PBT Margin (%)	9.29	5.49	4.92	5.57	5.54
Net Profit Margin (%)	8.14	4.64	4.34	4.36	4.32
NP After MI And SOA Margin (%)	8.89	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.25
Return on Networth/Equity (%)	20.24	12.57	13.90	16.18	16.16
Return on Capital Employed (%)	20.48	14.59	14.68	17.03	12.77
Return on Assets (%)	15.85	8.46	8.45	8.93	8.81
Total Debt/Equity (X)	0.04	0.20	0.36	0.46	0.52
Asset Turnover Ratio (%)	1.72	161.16	161.45	170.40	167.85
LIQUIDITY RATIOS					
Current Ratio (X)	2.85	1.77	1.50	1.41	1.30
Quick Ratio (X)	2.82	1.75	1.49	1.40	1.29
Inventory Turnover Ratio (X)	0.00	393.75	412.95	517.68	708.55
Dividend Payout Ratio (NP) (%)	14.14	6.27	10.79	9.55	9.94
Dividend Payout Ratio (CP) (%)	10.17	3.85	6.83	6.22	6.38
Earnings Retention Ratio (%)	85.86	93.73	89.21	90.45	90.06
Cash Earnings Retention Ratio (%)	89.83	96.15	93.17	93.78	93.62
COVERAGE RATIOS					
Interest Coverage Ratios (%)	33.42	7.26	5.19	5.13	5.04
Interest Coverage Ratios (Post Tax) (%)	33.42	7.26	5.19	5.13	5.04
VALUATION RATIOS					
Enterprise Value (Cr.)	4,651.77	2,178.70	1,793.82	2,879.31	2,424.61
EV/Net Operating Revenue (X)	1.43	0.78	0.66	1.05	1.03
EV/EBITDA (X)	10.85	7.60	6.88	10.70	10.50
MarketCap/Net Operating Revenue (X)	1.42	0.70	0.53	0.90	0.87
Retention Ratios (%)	85.85	93.72	89.20	90.44	90.05
Price/BV (X)	3.24	1.69	1.41	2.78	2.68
Price/Net Operating Revenue	1.42	0.70	0.53	0.90	0.87
Earnings Yield	0.06	0.07	0.10	0.06	0.06



Shareholding Pattern an on Mar'23





Summary

- * On quarterly basis, the Company delivered fair performance in Q3 of FY'23, with Net Sales up by 15.40% i.e. Rs.966.70 crs in Dec'22 as compared to Rs.837.68 crs in Dec'21. However, the Net Profits increased by 4.69% i.e. Rs.85.78 crs in Dec'22 versus Rs.81.93 crs in Dec'21.
- * Considering sound financials and its consistent performance, the Company is available at a good price of Rs.612.20 with its 52 week low at Rs.555.25 and 52 week high at Rs.844.95.
- * In view of the Promoters holding majority stake around 68.99% as well as its healthy valuations, it is fair to assume that the Management is committed to growth of the Company.
- * In Public Shareholding as on Mar'23, the FIIs and the Other DIIs collectively stood with 3.60% stake. Whereas, the Mutual Fund Houses own 11.20% holdings in the Company.
- * Transport Corporation of India Ltd. is held by HDFC MF, TATA MF, LIC MF, BANDHAN MF, SUNDARAM MF and a few more.
- * On consolidated basis, the Company registered Return on Equity (ROE) and Return on Capital Employed (ROCE) around 20.24% & 20.48% respectively as on Mar'22.
- * For the year ending Mar'22, Transport Corporation of India Ltd. has declared an equity dividend of 300.00% i.e. Rs.6.00 per equity share. The Company has a good dividend track report and has consistently declared dividends for the last 5 years.



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