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Recommendation: Buy

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Sector: Consumer Discretionary

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Gabriel India Ltd.

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Gabriel India Limited is enhancing its market position through strategic initiatives, including acquiring assets from Motherson Marelli Auto Suspension Parts, boosting its suspension capabilities. The company focuses on domestic dominance, exports, M&A;, and technology advancement. Plans include doubling sunroof production by 2025 and targeting 10% export revenue. Despite challenges in the EV sector and sunroof competition, Gabriel India is poised for growth with strong customer relationships and technological advancements.

Sales		Profit & Lo	Profit & Loss		Profitability Matrix	
Current Year	3571 Cr	Operating Profit(Year)	313 Cr	Operating Profit Margin	8.77 %	
Previous Year	2972 Cr	Operating Profit(Quarter)	78.4 Cr	EBITDA Margin	8.68 %	
Current Quarter	924 Cr	PAT (Year)	184 Cr	Net Profit Margin	5.50 %	
Previous Quarter	924 Cr	PAT (Quarter) 54.0 Cr		EPS	14.7	
Revenue (QYoY)	814 Cr					
Valuation Matrix		Growth(Yo	Growth(YoY)		Growth(QoQ)	
Trailing P/E	40.7	Sales Growth	10.9 %	Sales Growth	0.0 %	
PEG Ratio	2.89	PAT Growth	39.39 %	Sales Growth QYoY	13.51 %	
EV/EBITDA	24.8	EPS Growth	13.95 %	PAT Growth	2.47 %	
P/B	7.97	Dividend Yield	0.71	PAT Growth QYoY	25.58 %	
Capital Allocation		Holdings	Holdings		Leverage	
RoE	19.6 %	Promoter	55.0 %	Debt/Equity	0.01	
RoA	12.1 %	FII	5.33 %	Debt	9.44 Cr	
RoCE	26.7 %	DII	13.5 %	Market Cap	8577 Cr	
RoIC	22.9 %	Public	26.2 %	Enterprise value	8542 Cr	
		No of Shares	14.4 Cr	Cash Equivalents	44.6 Cr	

source : Company filings

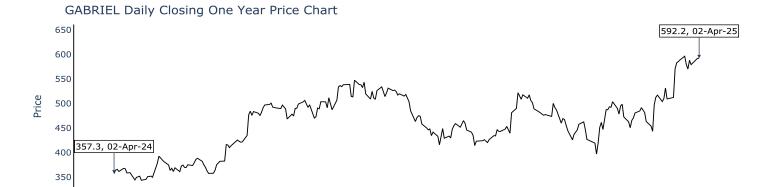
Company's Overview Based on Recent Concall and Performance:

Gabriel India Limited has recently undertaken significant strategic initiatives to bolster its market position and expand its product offerings. The company has acquired assets from Motherson Marelli Auto Suspension Parts Private Limited, enhancing its capabilities in the suspension market. This acquisition adds a new product line of gas springs and increases the production capacity by 3.2 million shock absorbers and 1 million gas spring units. Additionally, Gabriel India has entered into a technology assistance agreement with Marelli Suspension Systems Italy to advance its suspension offerings for future OEM requirements. These moves are expected to drive the company's growth trajectory and improve its market position.

The company's business strategies focus on four pillars: domestic dominance, export focus, mergers and acquisitions (M&A;), and technology advancement. Gabriel India is actively working on speeding up acquisitions to enhance its export mix and bridge technology gaps. The company is also exploring synergies in the suspension segment and considering diversification into different product ranges, such as e-bikes and industrial products. This strategic focus aims to improve the company's product mix and market segment profile, ensuring a better resource allocation to expedite growth initiatives.

Looking ahead, Gabriel India is optimistic about its future growth and scaling prospects. The company plans to double its sunroof production capacity by the end of the calendar year 2025 to meet growing customer demands. The sunroof business has experienced strong demand, driven by rising volumes and customer preference for sunroof products. The company is also targeting a 10% export revenue contribution, with ongoing efforts to improve export opportunities and explore new markets. Gabriel India's focus on technology and product development, particularly in the e-bike segment, is expected to yield positive results, with the team actively working with multiple customers in Europe.

While the company's strategic initiatives and growth prospects are promising, there are areas for improvement. The competitive landscape in the sunroof business is intensifying, which may impact margins and return on capital employed (ROCE) in the long run. Additionally, the transition phase in the electric vehicle (EV) industry, with changes in subsidy programs, poses challenges to maintaining growth momentum. However, Gabriel India's proactive approach to addressing these challenges, coupled with its strong business pipeline and customer relationships, positions it well for continued success. The company's ability to leverage its recent acquisitions and technological advancements will be crucial in sustaining its growth trajectory and achieving its strategic objectives.



Sep'24

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Name	Mar Cap (Rs. Cr.)	P/E	ROE	Sales(G) QoQ	Sales(G) QYoY	PAT(G) QoQ	PAT(G) QYoY
Samvardh. Mothe.	93055.02	22.54	11.80%	-0.52%	7.89%	-0.13%	61.97%
Gabriel India	8577.00	40.72	19.58%	0.02%	13.56%	2.43%	25.63%
Bosch	82630.87	40.84	15.97%	1.62%	6.19%	-1.39%	4.33%
Uno Minda	50526.44	53.60	18.89%	-1.43%	18.77%	-2.79%	20.21%
Exide Inds.	31586.00	39.78	7.05%	-9.74%	0.93%	-32.20%	-21.69%

Oct'24

Nov'24

Dec'24

Jan'25

Feb'25

Mar'25

Apr'25

Aspect	Commentary
Revenue	The company shows a robust revenue increase, with a year-on-year growth of 10.9%, indicating strong market demand and effective sales strategies. The quarter-on-quarter revenue remains stable, suggesting consistent performance. This stability is crucial for maintaining investor confidence and planning future expansions.
Profit & Loss	Operating profit and PAT have shown significant growth, with PAT increasing by 39.39% year-on-year. This indicates effective cost management and operational efficiency. The quarterly figures also reflect a positive trend, supporting the company's profitability and financial health.
Profitability Matrix	The company maintains healthy profitability margins, with an operating profit margin of 8.77% and a net profit margin of 5.50%. These figures suggest efficient cost control and pricing strategies, contributing to sustainable financial performance and shareholder value.
Valuation Matrix	The valuation metrics, including a trailing P/E of 40.7 and a PEG ratio of 2.89, suggest the company is valued at a premium, reflecting investor confidence in its growth prospects. The EV/EBITDA ratio of 24.8 indicates a strong market position and potential for future earnings growth.
Growth (YoY)	Year-on-year growth metrics are strong, with sales growth at 10.9% and PAT growth at 39.39%. This reflects the company's successful expansion strategies and market penetration, positioning it well for continued growth and competitive advantage in its industry.
Growth (QoQ)	Quarter-on-quarter growth is modest, with sales growth at 0.0% but PAT growth at 2.47%. This indicates stable revenue streams with slight improvements in profitability, suggesting effective cost management and operational efficiencies in the short term.
Capital Allocation	The company demonstrates strong capital allocation with a RoE of 19.6% and RoCE of 26.7%, indicating efficient use of equity and capital employed. This reflects the company's ability to generate returns on investments, enhancing shareholder value and financial stability.
Holdings	The promoter holding is strong at 55.0%, indicating confidence in the company's future. Institutional holdings are also significant, suggesting trust from financial institutions. The public holding of 26.2% provides liquidity and market interest, supporting stock performance.
Leverage	The company maintains a low debt-to-equity ratio of 0.01, indicating minimal leverage and financial risk. This conservative approach to debt management enhances financial stability and flexibility, allowing for strategic investments and growth opportunities without significant risk.

Analyst viewpoint: Gabriel India Limited presents an attractive investment opportunity with a strong outlook based on recent financial and strategic metrics. The company's impressive growth trajectory is evident with a 10.9% YoY increase in sales and a remarkable PAT growth of 39.39%, underscoring the effectiveness of its business strategies and market penetration. This solid performance, along with healthy profitability metrics, positions the company well for continued expansion in the short to mid-term. Furthermore, Gabriel's recent strategic acquisitions, particularly in enhancing its suspension capabilities through the acquisition of assets from Motherson Marelli, bolster its market dominance and technology advancement. The company's robust capital allocation, evidenced by a RoE of 19.6% and a minimal debt-to-equity ratio of 0.01, reflects strong financial stewardship and positions it for sustained growth.

Looking ahead, Gabriel's ambitious plans to double sunroof production capacity by 2025 and target a 10% export revenue ensure a positive growth outlook. The strategic focus on technology and product development, particularly in the emerging e-bike segment, provides an avenue for diversifying revenue streams and enhancing market presence. While the competitive landscape, especially in the sunroof business, may pose minor margin pressures, Gabriel's strategic initiatives, robust pipeline, and strong customer relationships are poised to capitalize on growth opportunities effectively. The company's proactive approach and strategic execution instill confidence in its capacity to navigate market challenges and enhance shareholder value in the forthcoming quarters.

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UNDER REVIEW	Rating may undergo a change
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