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Scaling up capacity; strong order pipeline to drive growth...

About the stock: Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders (MDL) is the only public sector defence shipyard constructing destroyers & submarines. Currently, MDL has capacity of building 11 Submarines & 10 warships (including destroyers, frigates & other vessels) concurrently

- Order book stands at Rs 23,758 crore as of Dec-25

Investment Rationale:

- Current order backlog to be executed over next 2-2.5 years; new orders to drive growth from FY28E:** Company's revenue growth has moderated to ~11% YoY during 9MFY26 after witnessing strong growth over the last 4 years (~30% CAGR over FY21-25). This is mainly on account of depleting order-book (OB), which has come down gradually over the last 5-6 years (OB stands at Rs 23,758 crore as of Dec-25 vs FY21's end OB of Rs 49700 crore) At 1.9x TTM revenue, current OB mainly consist of contracts like P-17A frigates (~42% of total) and other including post commissioning contracts and refit orders etc. Major part of these contracts is expected to be concluded in the next 2-3 years, which would help company's revenue growth during FY26E-FY27E. However, we believe that revenue growth beyond FY27E is expected to surge again post the placement of large contracts like 3 additional submarines and 6 next generation submarines (expected to be placed in coming months). We estimate revenue growth at ~12% CAGR over FY25-28E
- Order pipeline remains robust; longer-term growth outlook intact:** Order pipeline remains strong for the company, considering the opportunities from both defence & commercial segments. Contracts like six next-generation submarines under P-751 (expected value ~Rs 99000 crore) and additional three Kalvari class submarines (expected order size Rs 30000 40000 crore) have already been cleared from govt and expected to be concluded in coming months. Other major contract like next-generation corvettes is also likely to be signed in coming months (MDL's associate company) - Goa Shipyard is L2 with share of ~Rs 13500 crore). Moreover, next-generation frigates (P-17B) & next generation destroyers (P-18) with an expected value ~₹ 1,55,000 crore are also to be finalised in the coming years. Management has also recently signed an MoU with Swan Defence where-in they would together bid for Landing Platform Dock. Company is also expanding its shipbuilding capacity by potentially setting up new facilities or partnering in projects at Tamil Nadu with an investment of ₹15,000 crore. We believe that these large naval defence projects (along with huge opportunity in commercial shipbuilding across both domestic and exports markets provide longer term order inflow visibility for MDL.

Rating and Target Price

- Current order-book would drive growth over the next 2-3 years. However, timely placement of large contracts like submarines, frigates, destroyers etc would drive growth from FY28E onwards
- We estimate revenue CAGR of 11.5% over FY25-28E with EBITDA margin sustaining at 18.5-19%. We recommend BUY on MDL with TP at ₹ 3060 per share (based on 35x FY28E EPS)

Key Financial Summary

(Rs crore)	FY23	FY24	FY25	3 Year CAGR (FY22-25)	FY26E	FY27E	FY28E	3 Year CAGR (FY25-28E)
Revenues	7,827	9,467	11,432	25.9	12,855	14,141	15,837	11.5
EBITDA	798	1,412	2,060	68.0	2,405	2,683	3,053	14.0
EBITDA margin (%)	10.2	14.9	18.0		18.7	19.0	19.3	
Net Profit	1,119	1,937	2,414	58.1	2,778	3,108	3,529	13.5
Diluted EPS (Rs)	55.5	96.0	59.8		68.9	77.0	87.5	
P/E (x)	44.5	25.7	41.3		35.9	32.0	28.2	
EV/EBITDA (x)	108.2	60.5	40.5		33.5	29.0	24.3	
RoCE (%)	29.6	38.9	38.6		35.6	32.6	30.7	
RoE (%)	23.5	31.0	30.4		28.0	25.6	24.1	

Source: Company, ICICI Direct Research



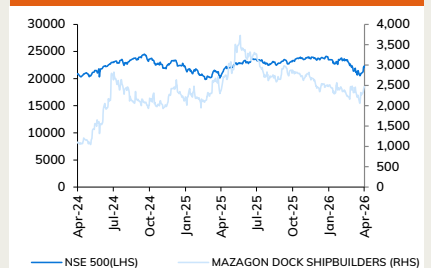
Particulars

Particular	Amount (Rs Crore)
Market Capitalisation	99,595
FY25 Debt	-
FY25 Cash	16,150
EV	83,445
52 Week H/L	3778 / 2057
Equity Capital	202
Face Value	5

Shareholding pattern

	Mar-25	Jun-25	Sep-25	Dec-25
Promoter	84.8	81.2	81.2	81.2
FII	2.3	2.6	2.0	1.8
DII	1.7	5.2	5.7	5.4
Others	11.2	11.0	11.2	11.6

Price Chart



Key risks

- Dependent on govt contracts
- High working capital requirement
- Availability of key raw materials

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