

Mphasis Limited

CMP Rs. 169.0 BUY QE Jan 09 Result Review

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For the quarter ended January 2009, Mphasis reported a topline & bottomline growth of 58% & 270% respectively. For the reported period of one month (October 2008), Mphasis has delivered a topline & bottomline growth of 50% & 237% respectively. For the 7-month period for the current fiscal, Mphasis has reported a topline & profit growth of 41% & 111% respectively. For the 6-month ending September 2008, sales & profits grew at 39% & 88% respectively. This reflects the extent of tremendous improvement in the growth rate itself for Mphasis. The results are extremely good even if one considers that this relatively under-hedged company gained on account of the soft INR. What we perceive is that there has been a sharp improvement in the revenues as well as margins of the Applications division as well as the ITO division. Debtor days & other data points have been consistent & there is no noteworthy change.

Mphasis had changed the quarter and financial year to November-October with effect from 1 November 2008 to align to the financial year of HP, consequent to the merger of EDS with HP.

Mphasis has been doing Rs. 700 Mn. profit per month for the last 4 months now. Assuming even a steady state scenario on the business as well as currency movement, the company should do ~ Rs. 8000 Mn. profit for the full year (after assuming a higher tax rate), or say roughly Rs. 37 EPS. Please note that this is a relatively high growth company with a much better visibility. Business through HP-EDS constituted ~45% of the overall revenues. The opportunity of further outsourcing from HP Parent (excl EDS) is still untapped. With Mr. Ganesh lyer, Ex-President HP India joining Mphasis as CEO, it is only time that this new revenue stream start flowing in from HP parent. So the company may do even better in the coming quarters and is a prime candidate for some re-rating as well. At just 4.5 PE it is certainly very cheap. We maintain BUY.

| | Data Points | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| Revenues by Vertical / Industry | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
| Banking & Financial Services | 43% | 44% | 40% |
| Technology & OEMs | 25% | 23% | 23% |
| Telecom | 9% | 11% | 14% |
| Manufacturing & Retail | 13% | 12% | 14% |
| Logistics, Airlines & Transportation | 5% | 6% | 6% |
| Healthcare & Pharma | 5% | 4% | 3% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% |

| Revenues by Geography | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| USA | 67% | 69% | 71% |
| Europe | 22% | 19% | 19% |
| Asia Pacific | 4% | 4% | 5% |
| India & Middle East | 7% | 7% | 6% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% |

| Revenues by Project Type | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Time and Material | 94% | 94% | 97% |
| Fixed Price | 6% | 6% | 3% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% |

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| Revenues by Service Type | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Application Maintenance & Other Services | 34% | 34% | 36% |
| Application Development | 31% | 30% | 29% |
| Customer Service | 8% | 10% | 11% |
| Service / Technical Help Desk | 8% | 8% | 8% |
| Transaction Processing Service | 5% | 6% | 6% |
| Infrastructure Management Services | 10% | 8% | 6% |
| Knowledge Processes | 4% | 4% | 5% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% |

| Revenues by Delivery Location | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Onsite | 28% | 26% | 22% |
| Offshore | 72% | 74% | 78% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% |

| Group - Client Concentration | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Revenues from Top Client | 15% | 15% | 12% |
| Revenues from Top 5 Clients | 36% | 33% | 32% |
| Revenues from Top 10 Clients | 50% | 48% | 48% |
| Clients Contributing more than: | | | |
| \$ 1 million Revenues | 95 | 94 | 85 |
| \$ 5 million Revenues | 31 | 32 | 27 |
| \$ 10 million Revenues | 21 | 18 | 15 |
| \$ 20 million Revenues | 7 | 8 | 7 |
| Receivables Days | 43 | 41 | 42 |

| Number of Employees | QE Jan 09 | QE Oct 08 | QE Jan 08 |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Onsite | | | |
| - Applications | 1,581 | 1,519 | 1,177 |
| - BPO | 116 | 118 | 89 |
| <u>Offshore</u> | | | |
| - Applications | 9,648 | 9,072 | 9,411 |
| - BPO | 13,840 | 13,854 | 12,257 |
| - ITO | 4,779 | 4,232 | 3,597 |
| Total | 29,964 | 28,795 | 26,531 |

Quarterly & Segmental Analysis

| Earnings Statement | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|------------|----------|
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | QE Jan 09 | QE Jan 08 | Y-Y(%) | 7ME Oct 08 | 7ME Oct 07 | Y-Y(%) |
| Net Revenues | 9,776.6 | 6,183.3 | 58.11% | 19,065.2 | 13,522.3 | 40.99% |
| Cost of Revenues | 6,117.6 | 4,597.4 | 33.07% | 14,254.6 | 10,257.5 | 38.97% |
| Gross Profit | 3,659.0 | 1,585.9 | 130.72% | 4,810.6 | 3,264.8 | 47.35% |
| Selling Expenses | 415.9 | 184.9 | 124.93% | 727.7 | 589.5 | 23.44% |
| General & Admin Expenses | 1,137.2 | 784.2 | 45.01% | 1,192.3 | 992.2 | 20.17% |
| Provision for Doubtful debts | 0.0 | 9.1 | -100.00% | 11.3 | 12.6 | -10.32% |
| Total Expenditure | 7,670.7 | 5,575.6 | 37.58% | 16,185.9 | 11,851.8 | 36.57% |
| Operating Profit | 2,105.9 | 607.7 | 246.54% | 2,879.3 | 1,670.5 | 72.36% |
| OPM (%) | 21.54% | 9.83% | 119.17% | 15.10% | 12.35% | 22.25% |
| Forex Gain/(Loss) | 30.9 | (35.4) | -187.29% | 163.9 | (241.4) | -167.90% |
| Other Income | 33.6 | 19.7 | 70.56% | 53.9 | 58.8 | -8.33% |
| PBT | 2,170.4 | 592.0 | 266.62% | 3,097.1 | 1,487.9 | 108.15% |
| Tax | 70.2 | 24.9 | 181.93% | 142.7 | 88.1 | 61.98% |
| PAT Before MI | 2,100.2 | 567.1 | 270.34% | 2,954.4 | 1,399.8 | 111.06% |
| Minority Interest | 0.0 | 0.0 | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.00% |
| PAT | 2,100.2 | 567.1 | 270.34% | 2,954.4 | 1,399.8 | 111.06% |
| EPS | 10.0 | 2.7 | 272.12% | 14.1 | 5.6 | 151.88% |
| Ratio Analysis | | | | | | |
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | QE Jan 09 | QE Jan 08 | Y-Y(bps) | 7ME Oct 08 | 7ME Oct 07 | Y-Y(bps) |
| GPM (%) | 37.43% | 25.65% | 1,177.8 | 25.23% | 24.14% | 108.9 |
| OPM (%) | 21.54% | 9.83% | 1,171.2 | 15.10% | 12.35% | 274.9 |
| PBT (%) | 22.20% | 9.57% | 1,262.6 | 16.24% | 11.00% | 524.1 |
| PAT (%) | 21.48% | 9.17% | 1,231.0 | 15.50% | 10.35% | 514.5 |
| Tax Rate (%) | 3.23% | 4.21% | (97.2) | 4.61% | 5.92% | (131.4) |

| Segmental Analysis | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|------------|----------|
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | QE Jan 09 | QE Jan 08 | Y-Y(%) | 7ME Oct 08 | 7ME Oct 07 | Y-Y(%) |
| Revenues | | | | | | |
| Application Services | 6,414.5 | 3,979.0 | 61.21% | 12,207.8 | 7,477.9 | 63.25% |
| BPO Services | 1,770.5 | 1,420.5 | 24.64% | 4,001.2 | 2,558.7 | 56.38% |
| ITO Services | 1,667.7 | 783.8 | 112.77% | 2,856.2 | 1,295.9 | 120.40% |
| Total | 9,852.7 | 6,183.3 | 59.34% | 19,065.2 | 11,332.5 | 68.23% |
| Profits | | | | | | |
| Application Services | 2,217.0 | 736.1 | 201.18% | 2,977.8 | 1,862.5 | 59.88% |
| BPO Services | 404.0 | 364.2 | 10.93% | 1,081.0 | 636.3 | 69.89% |
| ITO Services | 652.8 | 138.5 | 371.34% | 751.8 | 264.4 | 184.34% |
| Total | 3,273.8 | 1,238.8 | 164.27% | 4,810.6 | 2,763.2 | 74.10% |
| Capital Employed | | | | | | |
| Application Services | 5,416.8 | 4,291.2 | 26.23% | 7,284.8 | 6,572.8 | 10.83% |
| BPO Services | 5,236.3 | 4,710.5 | 11.16% | 4,429.7 | 3,591.2 | 23.35% |
| ITO Services | 1,790.5 | 659.8 | 171.37% | 1,683.8 | 570.6 | 195.09% |
| Total | 12,443.6 | 9,661.5 | 28.80% | 13,398.3 | 10,734.6 | 24.81% |
| YE March (%) | QE Jan 09 | QE Jan 08 | Y-Y(bps) | 7ME Oct 08 | 7ME Oct 07 | Y-Y(bps) |
| Margins | | | | | | |
| Application Services | 34.56% | 18.50% | 1,606.3 | 24.39% | 24.91% | (51.4 |
| BPO Services | 22.82% | 25.64% | (282.0) | 27.02% | 24.87% | 214.9 |
| ITO Services | 39.14% | 17.67% | 2,147.3 | 26.32% | 20.40% | 591.9 |
| Total | 33.23% | 20.03% | 1,319.3 | 25.23% | 24.38% | 84.9 |
| Business Mix | | | | | | |
| Application Services | 65.10% | 64.35% | 75.3 | 64.03% | 65.99% | (195.4 |
| BPO Services | 17.97% | 22.97% | (500.3) | 20.99% | 22.58% | (159.1 |

Financials

| Earnings Statement | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|---------------|-----------------|
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | FY07 | FY08 | 7ME Oct 08 | 12ME Oct 09E |
| Net Sales | 17,606.2 | 24,230.7 | 19,065.2 | 43,408.1 |
| Cost of Revenues | 13,187.7 | 18,735.7 | 14,254.6 | 14,254.6 |
| Selling Expenses | 918.4 | 952.7 | 727.7 | 1,846.6 |
| Genaral & Admin Exp. | 1,456.7 | 1,750.5 | 1,203.6 | 5,089.2 |
| Total Expenditure | 15,562.8 | 21,438.9 | 16,185.9 | 34,369.5 |
| Operating Profit | 2,043.4 | 2,791.8 | 2,879.3 | 9,038.6 |
| Other Income/Forex Gain | - 135.4 | - 215.1 | 172.4 | 16.4 |
| EBIT | 1,908.1 | 2,576.7 | 3,051.7 | 9,055.0 |
| Interest | (75.1) | 84.9 | - 45.4 | - 27.3 |
| PBT | 1,983.2 | 2,661.6 | 3,097.1 | 9,082.2 |
| Tax | 182.5 | 108.7 | 142.7 | 1,089.9 |
| PAT | 1,800.7 | 2,552.9 | 2,954.4 | 7,992.4 |

| Ratio Analysis | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|---------------|-----------------|
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | FY07 | FY08 | 7ME Oct 08 | 12ME Oct 09E |
| OPM (%) | 11.6% | 11.5% | 15.1% | 20.8% |
| EBITDA (%) | 10.8% | 10.6% | 16.0% | 20.9% |
| PBIT (%) | 10.8% | 10.6% | 16.0% | 20.9% |
| PAT (%) | 10.2% | 10.5% | 15.5% | 18.4% |
| EPS (Rs.) | 8.4 | 11.9 | 13.7 | 37.2 |
| P/E (x) | 20.2 | 14.2 | 12.3 | 4.5 |
| P/BV (x) | 3.6 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 1.8 |
| BVPS (Rs.) | 46.9 | 53.9 | 66.8 | 95.2 |
| Market Cap (Rs. Mn.) | 36,319.2 | 36,301.7 | 36,335.4 | 36,335.4 |
| M Cap/Sales (x) | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 0.8 |
| EV (Rs. Mn.) | 36,347.6 | 36,358.4 | 36,389.1 | 36,389.1 |
| EV/EBITDA (x) | 19.0 | 14.1 | 11.9 | 4.0 |
| EV/Sales (x) | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 0.8 |
| ROCE (%) | 18.9% | 22.2% | 21.2% | 44.1% |
| RONW (%) | 17.9% | 22.1% | 20.6% | 39.0% |
| Debtors T/o Days | 87.5 | 87.4 | 98.4 | 95.0 |
| Advances T/o Days | 31.3 | 44.5 | 37.5 | 40.0 |
| Creditors T/o Days | 41.0 | 45.6 | 47.3 | 35.0 |
| Working Cap T/o Days | 97.6 | 79.6 | 77.9 | 101.6 |
| Fixed Assets T/o (Gross) | 3.1 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 |
| DPS (Rs.) | 2.3 | 3.3 | 1.9 | 7.5 |
| Dividend Payout (%) | 27.5% | 27.8% | 14.2% | 20.2% |
| Dividend Yield (%) | 1.4% | 2.0% | 1.2% | 4.4% |

| Balance Sheet | | | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|---------------|-----------------|
| YE March (Rs. Mn.) | FY07 | FY08 | 7ME Oct 08 | 12ME Oct 09E |
| Equity Capital | 2,149.1 | 2,148.0 | 2,150.0 | 2,150.0 |
| Reserves | 7,935.9 | 9,420.7 | 12,213.4 | 18,319.2 |
| Shareholders Funds | 10,085.0 | 11,568.8 | 14,363.4 | 20,469.3 |
| Borrowed Funds | 28.4 | 56.8 | 53.8 | 53.8 |
| Total Liabilities | 10,113.4 | 11,625.5 | 14,417.2 | 20,523.1 |
| Fixed Assets | 2,518.3 | 3,632.8 | 4,136.1 | 5,133.6 |
| Goodwill | 2,710.5 | 2,710.5 | 2,710.5 | 2,710.5 |
| Current Assets | | | | |
| Sundry Debtors | 4,221.6 | 5,804.4 | 8,811.9 | 11,298.0 |
| Loans & Advances | 1,508.3 | 2,955.6 | 3,356.9 | 4,757.1 |
| Cash & Bank Balance | 1,892.6 | 952.5 | 545.9 | 1,663.6 |
| Current Liabilities | | | | |
| Sundry Creditors | 1,975.3 | 3,025.9 | 4,239.6 | 4,162.4 |
| Provisions | 939.9 | 1,403.0 | 1,497.9 | 1,470.6 |
| Net Current Assets | 4,707.1 | 5,283.6 | 6,977.3 | 12,085.7 |
| Deferred Tax Assets | 177.4 | 260.1 | 344.5 | 344.5 |
| Total Assets | 10,113.4 | 11,625.5 | 14,417.2 | 20,523.1 |

| Cash Flow | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| Particulars | FY07 | FY08 | 7ME Oct 08 | 12ME Oct 09E |
| Opening Cash & Bank | 988.5 | 1,892.6 | 952.5 | 545.9 |
| Profit After Tax | 1,800.7 | 2,552.9 | 2,954.4 | 7,992.4 |
| Less : Invt Income | 1.8 | (4.0) | (8.5) | (16.4) |
| Depreciation | 1,692.6 | 1,329.2 | 1,116.1 | 1,821.8 |
| Deferred Taxation | 9.2 | (87.0) | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Others | 196.9 | 4.3 | (84.4) | 0.0 |
| Change in Working Cap | (857.7) | (1,516.5) | (2,100.3) | (3,990.6) |
| CF - Operating Activities | 2,843.4 | 2,278.8 | 1,877.3 | 5,807.1 |
| Change in Fixed Assets | (1,706.9) | (2,443.7) | (1,619.4) | (2,819.3) |
| Change in Investments | (5.3) | 261.5 | (510.3) | 0.0 |
| Investment Income | (1.8) | 4.0 | 8.5 | 16.4 |
| CF - Investing Activities | (1,714.0) | (2,178.2) | (2,121.2) | (2,802.9) |
| Increase in Equity | 337.1 | (239.7) | 329.9 | 0.0 |
| Changes in Borrowings | (8.5) | 28.4 | (3.0) | 0.0 |
| Dividend Paid | (553.9) | (829.3) | (489.6) | (1,886.6) |
| CF - Financing Activities | (225.3) | (1,040.7) | (162.7) | (1,886.6) |
| Net Change in Cash | 904.1 | (940.1) | (406.6) | 1,117.7 |
| Closing Cash & Bank Bal | 1,892.6 | 952.5 | 545.9 | 1,663.6 |

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