

Reco/View: **POSITIVE**

CMP: **Rs. 220**

Upside Potential: **25%**



**VIEWPOINT**

Result Update - Q3FY2026

**SECTOR**

Consumer Goods

**COMPANY DETAILS**

Market cap:	Rs. 6,743 cr
52-week high/low:	Rs. 355/209
NSE volume: (No of shares)	3.2 lakh
BSE code:	543253
NSE code:	BECTORFOOD
Free float: (No of shares)	15.6 cr

Source: NSE, BSE, Mirae Asset Sharekhan Research

**SHAREHOLDING (%)**

Promoters	49.0
FII	13.4
DII	23.6
Others	14.0

Source: NSE, BSE, Mirae Asset Sharekhan Research

**PRICE CHART**



Source: NSE, BSE, Mirae Asset Sharekhan Research

**PRICE PERFORMANCE**

(%)	1m	3m	6m	12m
Absolute	-0.7	-18.9	-21.6	-15.4
Relative to Sensex	-1.3	-17.8	-24.6	-25.6

Source: Mirae Asset Sharekhan Research, Bloomberg

**Quick Snapshot**

- Q3FY26 consolidated revenue grew 8.4% y-o-y, OPM rose 35 bps y-o-y to 12.8% and PAT increased by 10.1% y-o-y.
- Management eyes low-to-mid-teens growth in FY27, driven by mid-high teens growth in exports and bakery and low teens growth in QSR and domestic biscuits.
- OPM to reach 14% by H1FY27 led by a better mix, operating efficiencies and optimization of raw material imports to offset impact of suspended export incentives, with slight improvement expected in gross margins as well.
- Stock trades at 47x/36x/29x its FY26E/FY27E/FY28E EPS, respectively. We stay Positive on the stock with an upside of 25% in 12 months.

**Result overview**

- Revenue grew 8.4% y-o-y to Rs. 533 crore, driven by 13.1% y-o-y growth in the bakery segment to Rs. 198 crore led by English Oven brand, while biscuits segment delivered 5.5% y-o-y growth to Rs. 325 crore impacted by GST 2.0 transition as well as continued uncertainty due to punitive tariffs. Revenue missed our expectation of Rs. 564 crore.
- Gross margins were flat y-o-y at 45%, while OPM rose by 35 bps y-o-y to 12.8% led by better mix and operating efficiencies.
- Operating profit increased 11.4% y-o-y to Rs. 68 crore. However, higher depreciation charges (up 16% y-o-y) led to just 10.1% y-o-y growth in PAT to Rs. 38 crore.
- 9MFY26 revenue grew 9.1% y-o-y to Rs. 1,558 crore, OPM declined by 113 bps y-o-y to 12.6% and adjusted PAT fell by 3.1% y-o-y to Rs. 106 crore.
- Board declared an interim dividend of Rs. 0.6 per share for FY26.

**Our Call**

MBFSL plans to grow its biscuit business with a focus on transforming itself into a pan-India biscuits player and gain market share in key domestic and global markets, while bakery business will focus on expanding its retail as well as B2B presence. MBFSL aims to sustain its double-digit revenue growth trajectory through its multi-pronged strategy and capacity additions across businesses, while Project Impact 1.0 will aid margins rise in the coming years. The stock trades at 47x/36x/29x its FY26E/FY27E/FY28E earnings, respectively. We maintain Positive view on the stock with a potential upside of 25% over the next 12 months.

**Key Risks**

Stiff competition from top players or new entrants in the space and a significant rise in raw material prices would be key risks to earnings estimates.

**Valuation (Consolidated)**

	Rs cr				
Particulars	FY24	FY25	FY26E	FY27E	FY28E
Revenue	1,624	1,874	2,056	2,349	2,696
OPM (%)	14.9	13.4	12.8	14.2	14.8
Adjusted PAT	140	143	143	187	236
Adjusted EPS (Rs.)	4.8	4.7	4.7	6.1	7.7
P/E (x)	46.0	47.0	47.1	36.0	28.6
P/B (x)	9.7	5.8	5.3	4.7	4.1
EV/EBIDTA (x)	27.1	26.3	25.2	19.5	16.0
RoNW (%)	23.2	15.7	11.7	13.8	15.3
RoCE (%)	24.7	17.8	14.1	16.7	19.1

Source: Company; Mirae Asset Sharekhan estimates

## Concall highlights

### • Biscuits

- o Segment performed well during Diwali with its gifting portfolio growing 20% driven by the introduction and scaling up of Golden Bites, Fruit and Nut, and Pista Almond Cookies.
- o MBFSL successfully collaborated with Blinkit during Christmas where in its flagship Danish Butter Cookie tins penetrated over 3 lakh households and generated brand goodwill.
- o To compete in domestic biscuits, MBFSL plans deeper penetration within 400km of its Punjab and Indore plants, investing in distribution, and launching differentiated premium products.
- o Significant spike in commodity prices, including palm oil, in late 2024, negatively impacted domestic biscuit profitability and margins.
- o In FY27, biscuit exports are expected to deliver mid-high teens growth driven by new trade agreements and product capabilities, while the domestic biscuit business aims for low teens growth with sequential improvement expected as GST impacts turn positive.

### • Bakery

- o Expanded English Oven brand in Hyderabad, marking a strategic entry into a key growth region.
- o Quick commerce (q-com) is a competitive platform, but MBFSL has an early start and a strong share, with English Oven contributing 33-34% of revenues and doubling its contribution over the last 12 months.
- o It launched Aloo Kulcha and Truly clean Natur-Baked- Italian sourdough bread.
- o MBFSL will focus on scaling up its ready-to-eat-desserts under the frozen range to enable English Oven to participate beyond breakfast and snacking. The company has new key launches in pipeline for the coming quarters.
- o English Oven to continue its robust, high-teens growth trajectory, with plans to add one or two more cities in FY27 and achieve pan India presence within two years.
- Exports and Bakery B2B together contribute 45-47% of total revenue.
- MBFSL did not benefit from lower raw material prices in Q3FY26 due to hedging until March.
- Suspended export incentives hit overall revenues by ~1%. To offset the impact of suspended export incentives, MBFSL plans to import duty-free raw materials for its exports. The optimization of these raw material imports is expected to take four to five months.
- Management indicated that GST 2.0 reforms led to transitional inventory impact, but the company passed on full benefits to consumers through MRP reductions and increased grammages, enhancing value for consumers.
- Reduction in punitive tariffs from 50% to 18% in the proposed India-US trade agreement would enable MBFSL to regain momentum, strengthen exports, and add significant value to the business.

### • Capacity addition

- o Kolkata plant was commissioned in January 2026, marking MBFSL's entry in the east.
- o Khopoli plant, targeted for commissioning in the next few months, will have a capacity of ~132,000 breads per day and 1 million buns per day, with asset turnover expected to reach 2x-2.5x in two to three years.
- o MBFSL is investing in an expanded new plant in Bangalore in FY27 to address capacity constraints and service new customers in the South.
- o These capacity additions would aid in strengthening market presence, improve supply chain efficiencies and support sustained growth through deeper regional penetration.

**Results (Consolidated)**

Particulars	Rs cr				
	Q3FY26	Q3FY25	Y-o-Y %	Q2FY26	Q-o-Q %
<b>Net revenue</b>	<b>533.3</b>	<b>492.1</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>551.4</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
Raw materials	293.3	270.3	8.5	307.8	-4.7
Employee costs	75.2	68.7	9.4	76.9	-2.3
Other expenditure	96.5	91.7	5.2	97.4	-0.9
Total expenditure	464.9	430.7	7.9	482.1	-3.6
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>68.4</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>69.3</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
Other income	6.9	7.0	-0.7	6.6	4.8
Interest expenses	2.3	2.5	-8.9	3.3	-31.0
Depreciation	22.6	19.4	16.2	23.7	-4.8
<b>Profit Before Tax</b>	<b>50.5</b>	<b>46.5</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>48.9</b>	<b>3.3</b>
Tax	12.4	11.9	4.4	12.3	0.7
<b>Reported PAT</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>34.6</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>4.2</b>
Adjusted EPS (Rs)	6.2	5.6	10.1	6.0	4.2
			<b>bps</b>		<b>bps</b>
GPM (%)	45.0	45.1	-6	44.2	83
OPM (%)	12.8	12.5	35	12.6	26
NPM (%)	7.1	7.0	11	6.6	51
Tax rate (%)	24.6	25.6	-101	25.2	-64

Source: Company; Mirae Asset Sharekhan Research

**Segment-wise revenue**

Particulars	Rs cr				
	Q3FY26	Q3FY25	Y-o-Y %	Q2FY26	Q-o-Q %
Biscuit segment	325.0	308.0	5.5	350	-7.1
Bakery segment	198.0	175.0	13.1	194	2.1
Others	10.0	9.1	9.7	7.4	34.8
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>533.3</b>	<b>492.1</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>551.4</b>	<b>-3.3</b>

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**Additional Data**
**Top 10 shareholders**

Sr. No.	Holder Name	Holding (%)
1	Canara Robeco AMC Ltd.	4.34
2	Axis AMC Ltd.	3.49
3	SBI Funds Management Ltd.	3.26
4	Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Ltd.	3.06
5	Invesco Asset Management India Pvt. Ltd.	2.55
6	Vanguard Group Inc.	2.08
7	Republic of Singapore	1.66
8	Emirate of Abhu Dhabi United Arab Emirates	1.52
9	PGIM India Asset Management Pvt. Ltd.	1.33
10	Prudential PLC	1.26

Source: Bloomberg

**Key management personnel**

Name	Designation
Ashish Agarwal	Chairman
Anoop Bector	Managing Director
Ishaan Bector	Whole Time Director
Manu Talwar	Chief Executive Officer
Atul Sud	Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

Source: Company Website

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