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Issue Offer

Total issue size: INR 4,000 Mn (12.5 Mn shares) - OFS of INR 1,600 Mn (5 Mn shares) and a Fresh Issue of INR 2,400 Mn (7.5 Mn shares).

Issue Summary

Price Band (INR)	304-320
Face Value (INR)	10
Implied Market Cap (INR mn)	14,886
Market Lot	46
Issue Opens on	16 March, 2026
Issue Close on	18 March, 2026
No. of share pre-issue	3,90,18,750
No. of share post issue	4,65,18,750
Listing	NSE / BSE

Issue Break-up (%)

QIB Portion	≤ 50
Retail Portion	≥ 35
NII Portion	≥ 15

Book Running Lead Managers

Equirus Capital Private Ltd
Motilal Oswal Investment Advisors Ltd

Registrar

MUFG Intime India Private Ltd

Shareholding Pattern

	Pre-Issue	Post-Issue
Promoters	98.33%	71.73%
Public & Others	1.67%	28.27%

Objects of the issue

Exp. Amt (INR Mn.)

Repayment or pre-repayment of all or a portion of certain outstanding borrowings availed by the Company. 1700.00

General Corporate Purposes

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Incorporated in 1985, GSP Crop Science Limited operates in the agro chemical sector. It manufactures insecticides, herbicides, fungicides and plant growth regulators. They provide customers with crop protection solutions designed to support farmers in maximizing productivity and achieving optimal agricultural output by offering formulations (active ingredients and additives) and technicals (concentrated active ingredients) for effective pest, weed, and disease control. The company's research and development efforts over the years have led to being granted 102 patents, and also have 108 patent applications under process as of March 10, 2026. The company's international business is spread across 37 countries.

Investment Rationale:

Increasing Focus on Patented Products Driving Margin Expansion: Patented products typically offer stronger pricing power, reduced competitive intensity, and longer product lifecycles compared to generic offerings. The company's revenue from the sale of patented products has increased from 5.83% in FY23 to 17.10% in H1 FY26. This shift will help the company expand its EBITDA margins. They have been granted 102 patents and have 108 patent applications under process.

Backward Integration to strengthen supply chain: The company currently heavily relies on import of raw materials from China, which account for 42.08% of purchases, as of H1 FY26. The company is working towards increasing backward integration by manufacturing intermediates that are used in the production of technical-grade products. This move is expected to provide greater control over the supply chain and ensure a more reliable availability of key raw materials. In addition, backward integration will allow the company to maintain better control over the quality and consistency of raw materials, which is critical for maintaining product standards.

Diversified Product Portfolio Strengthening Market Position: The company offers a diversified portfolio. It operates across both Formulations and Technicals, supported by strong R&D and manufacturing capabilities. As of September 30, 2025, it had 524 product registrations, reflecting its focus on product development and regulatory approvals. Most products are manufactured in-house, ensuring better quality control and operational efficiency. A strong domestic distribution network and branded portfolio further support its presence across both B2B and B2C markets.

Valuation & Outlook: GSP Crop Science Ltd is well positioned to deliver steady revenue growth and gradual margin improvement in the long term due to rising global demand for agrochemicals, increasing exports, and a shift toward higher-value products. Further growth is expected to come from new product launches, stronger R&D capabilities, and backward integration initiatives. Additionally, the commissioning of a new manufacturing unit in Dahej and expansion in global markets could support both volume growth and operating leverage. **At the upper band of INR 320, the issue is valued at a P/E ratio of 9.19x, based on annualized PAT of FY26 EPS of INR 34.84. We are recommending a "Subscribe" rating for this issue.**

Financial Summary:

Particulars (INR Mn)	FY23	FY24	FY25	H1FY26
Revenue	12,033	11,522	12,874	8,443
<i>Growth (% YoY)</i>		<i>(4.3%)</i>	<i>11.7%</i>	
EBITDA	813	1,304	1,640	1,389
<i>Margins</i>	<i>6.8%</i>	<i>11.3%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>	<i>16.5%</i>
PAT	176	555	814	811
<i>Margins</i>	<i>1.5%</i>	<i>4.8%</i>	<i>6.3%</i>	<i>9.6%</i>
Debt	2,813	1,951	2,632	2,925

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BUY	>20%
ACCUMULATE	12% to 20%
HOLD	5% to 12%
NEUTRAL	-5% to 5%
REDUCE	-5% to -12%
SELL	<-12%

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