Market data as on May 4, 2007

| INDICES |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | $\%$ chg |
|  |  | (DoD) |
| BSE Sensex | 13934 | $(1.02)$ |
| S\&P CNX Nifty | 4117 | 4.45 |
| BSE 100 | 7006 | $(0.66)$ |
| BSE 200 | 1682 | $(0.60)$ |
| Instanex Skindia DR | 2489 | 0.03 |
| Mindex | 5916 | $(0.89)$ |
|  |  |  |


| OVERSEAS MaRKETS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \% chg <br> (DoD) |
| Dow Jones | 13265 | 0.18 |
| Nasdaq Comp. | 2572 | 0.26 |
| S\&P 500 | 1506 | 0.21 |
| Hang Seng | 20841 | 0.77 |
| Nikkei | 17395 | 0.69 |
| ADVANCES/DECLINES (BSE) |  |  |
| Group | A B1 | B2 |
| Advances | 84275 | 386 |
| Declines | 121421 | 444 |
| Unchanged | 114 | 21 |
| FII TURNOVER (BSE+NSE)* (Rs mn) |  |  |
| Bought <br> 27,535 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sold } \\ 26,973 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Net } \\ & 562 \end{aligned}$ |
| NEw HighS AND Lows (BSE) |  |  |
| Group | A B1 | B2 |
| Highs | 1611 | 20 |
| Low | 2 | 5 |

Currency
US\$1 = Rs40.86

* FII turnover (BSE + NSE) as on May 3, 2007


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## Highlights

## Sector/event

FMCG:
Procter \& Gamble
(PGHH) - Q3FY07
results review


#### Abstract

Impact PGHH witnessed deceleration in Q3FY07 branded sales growth after six consecutive quarters of strong double-digit growth. Sales growth dropped to $8.9 \%$ YoY led by a $3.8 \%$ YoY decline in healthcare sales on higher Q3FY06 base, when sales grew $27 \%$ YoY. Despite deterioration in revenue mix due to higher growth in the less profitable hygiene business, OPM expanded 304bps YoY to $26.7 \%$ on account of decline in overheads. Operating profit increased 22.8\% YoY to Rs329mn and recurring net profit grew $16.4 \%$ YoY to Rs 214 mn due to higher effective tax rate. Although operations of the new unit in the tax-exempt location at Himachal Pradesh commenced in the quarter, a meaningful impact is likely to materialise from FY08E only. While we maintain HOLD on the stock, which is currently trading at FY08E P/E of 17x, any decline in the stock should be used as an opportunity to Buy.


## News Snippets

## Sectoral

- The Government has proposed to remove loopholes in foreign direct investment norms that allow foreigners to own stakes in Indian companies higher than sectoral caps. (The Economic Times)


## Corporate

- Air Deccan's original investor, Lachmandas Ladhani, who holds $\sim 11 \%$ stake in the company, is reported to be in the exit mode. (The Economic Times)
- Even as Hindalco is looking to raise US\$3.1bn in loans to buy Novelis Inc., it has convinced Novelis' lenders not to press for immediate repayment of US\$2.4bn in loans and bonds. (Mint)
- Tata Sons seems to be hiking stakes in some of its key group companies such as Tata Power, Tata Steel, Tata Tea and Tata Teleservices (Maharashtra) following instances of hostile takeovers of major industrial houses world over. (The Financial Express)
- Reliance Industries is likely to appeal against the Bombay High Court order that restrained it from selling half the intended gas output from its KG-D6 block to parties other than those owned by the Anil Ambani Group. (The Financial Express)


## Market movement over last fortnight



Advances \& Declines ratio (BSE)



Volumes in Rs mn (BSE and NSE)

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## Procter \& Gamble (Hold)

Q3FY07 RESULTS REVIEW

Transient blip
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Procter \& Gamble Hygiene and Healthcare (PGHH) witnessed deceleration in Q3FY07 branded sales growth, after six consecutive quarters of strong double-digit growth. Sales growth dropped to $8.9 \%$ YoY led by a $3.8 \%$ YoY decline in healthcare sales on the higher base of Q3FY06, when sales grew $27 \%$ YoY. Despite deterioration in revenue mix due to higher growth in the less profitable hygiene business, OPM expanded 304bps YoY to $26.7 \%$ on account of decline in overheads. Operating profit increased $22.8 \%$ YoY to Rs329mn and recurring net profit grew $16.4 \%$ YoY to Rs214mn due to higher effective tax rate. Although operations of the new unit in the tax-exempt location at Himachal Pradesh commenced in the quarter, a meaningful impact is likely to materialise from FY08E only. While we maintain HOLD on the stock, which is currently trading at FY08E P/E of 17x, any decline in the stock should be used as an opportunity to Buy.

Table 1: Valuation summary

|  |  | Y/E <br> June | EPS <br> $(R s)$ | P/E <br> $(\mathbf{x})$ | EV/E <br> $(\mathbf{x})$ |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Price (03/05/07) (Rs) | 768 | 2004 | 30.0 | 25.7 | 16.9 | BSE Sensex | 13934 |
| 52 Week Range | $1005 / 628$ | 2005 | 28.6 | 27.0 | 16.5 | Market Cap. (Rs bn) | 25.0 |
| Dividend FY07E (Rs/sh) | 28 | 2006 E | 32.2 | 23.9 | 16.9 | Market Cap. (US\$ mn) | 564.8 |
| Dividend yield (\%) | 3.7 | 2007E | 36.3 | 21.2 | 14.6 | Shares Out. (mn) | 32.5 |
| Face value (Rs) | 10.0 | 2008E | 44.8 | 17.2 | 12.0 | Free float (\%) | 31.0 |

Source: Company data, i-SEC Research

- Deceleration in sales growth led by healthcare segment. After six consecutive quarters of double-digit growth, PGHH's branded sales growth dropped to $8.9 \%$ YoY. This was due to a sharp deceleration in healthcare business sales, which declined $3.8 \%$ YoY to Rs511mn in Q3FY07 on the high base of Q3FY06, when the segment sales grew $27.4 \%$ YoY. On the other hand, the feminine hygiene segment sustained strong growth momentum, increasing 20.3\% YoY to Rs713mn led by growth of its topend (Whisper Ultra and Whisper Maxi) as well as bottom-end (Whisper Choice) segments.

Chart 1: Deceleration in branded sales growth


Source: Company data, i-SEC Research

Chart 2: Decline in healthcare sales on a high base


Source: Company data, i-SEC Research

- Decline in market share of cough lozenges. ACNielsen's retail sales data indicates that PGHH's market share in cough lozenges, one of the key categories in the company's healthcare business, declined sharply in the past year from $37 \%$ in Q3FY06 to 32\% in Q3FY07. We believe that the decline has led to the sales drop in the current quarter. On the other hand, the sanitary napkin category market share improved as against previous quarter's, to touch 44.7\% in March '07.

Chart 3: Sanitary napkins - Stable market share
Chart 4: Cough lozenges - Significant loss of market share


Source: ACNielsen


Source: ACNielsen

- Sharp decline in other expenses leads to margin expansion. Despite deterioration in revenue mix due to decline in sales of the highly profitable healthcare business, OPM improved 304bps YoY to $26.7 \%$ in Q3FY07. A sharp 983bps YoY decline in other expenses to $21.9 \%$ has more than offset the 697bps YoY increase in material cost as a percentage of sales. Operating profit grew $22.8 \%$ YoY to Rs329mn and PBT grew $19 \%$ YoY to Rs336mn. However, due to a 141bps YoY increase in effective tax rate to $36.3 \%$, recurring net profit grew $16.4 \%$ YoY to Rs 214 mn .
- Fiscal benefits from FY08E to boost earnings. PGHH's tax-exempt unit in Himachal Pradesh commenced operations in Q3FY07. However, meaningful impact from the unit would only be reflected in FY08E as PGHH plans to initially commence just incremental production that will constitute a small percentage of the company's total revenues. While we maintain HOLD on the stock, which is currently trading at FY08E P/E of 20x, any decline in the stock should be used as an opportunity to Buy.

Table 2: Q3FY07 results review

| (Rs mn, year ending June 30) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Q3FY07 | Q3FY06 | \% chg. <br> (YoY) | 9mFY07 | 9mFY06 | \% chg. (YoY) |
| Health and Hygiene Products sales | 1,229 | 1,129 | 8.9 | 4,140 | 3,608 | 14.7 |
| Contract Manufacturing sales | - | - | - | - | 931 | (100.0) |
| Net Sales | 1,229 | 1,129 | 8.9 | 4,140 | 4,538 | (8.8) |
| Total Expenses |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net material cost | 357 | 249 | 43.3 | 1,034 | 1,605 | (35.6) |
| Staff Costs | 79 | 66 | 19.5 | 284 | 258 | 9.9 |
| Advertising expenses | 140 | 133 | 5.0 | 477 | 416 | 14.9 |
| Royalty expenses | 56 | 55 | 1.3 | 207 | 186 | 11.6 |
| Operation and other expenses | 269 | 358 | (24.8) | 935 | 1,030 | (9.3) |
| Operating profit | 329 | 268 | 22.8 | 1,203 | 1,043 | 15.3 |
| Other Income | 34 | 30 | 12.1 | 108 | 131 | (18.0) |
| Interest | - | - | - | 0 | 1 | (90.9) |
| Depreciation | 27 | 16 | 70.4 | 66 | 58 | 14.1 |
| PBT | 336 | 282 | 19.0 | 1,245 | 1,116 | 11.5 |
| Tax | 122 | 98 | 23.8 | 366 | 342 | 7.2 |
| Extraordinary Income | - | 82 | (100.0) | 107 | 155 | (30.8) |
| Recurring Net Profit | 214 | 184 | 16.4 | 879 | 789 | 11.3 |
| Reported Profit | 214 | 265 | (19.4) | 771 | 930 | (17.0) |
| Ratios (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPM | 26.7 | 23.7 | 304 | 29.1 | 23.0 | 606 |
| PAT Margin | 17.4 | 16.3 | 113 | 21.2 | 17.4 | 383 |
| Effective Tax Rate | 36.3 | 34.9 | 141 | 29.4 | 30.6 | (118) |
| Material cost to sales | 29.0 | 22.1 | 697 | 25.0 | 35.4 | $(1,040)$ |
| Staff cost to sales | 6.4 | 5.8 | 57 | 6.9 | 5.7 | 117 |
| Advertisement to sales | 11.4 | 11.8 | (42) | 11.5 | 9.2 | 237 |
| Other expenditure to sales | 21.9 | 31.7 | (983) | 22.6 | 22.7 | (12) |

Source: Company data, i-SEC Research

## HT Media (Unrated)

## MEDIA

Q4FY07 Results review
Mixed bag
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HT Media's Q4FY07 results were below our expectations owing to the high marketing and promotional expenses incurred. Revenues and PAT were at Rs2.8bn and Rs 240 mn , a growth of $24 \%$ YoY and $656 \%$ YoY respectively. While advertisement revenues remained buoyant (growing 34\%), the launch of HT Media's business paper Mint and re-launch of Hindustan Times (HT) in Mumbai along with the tabloid Ht Café led to a margin decline. For the full year FY07, on a standalone basis, the company reported Rs10.8bn revenues and Rs1.15bn PAT, a growth of $28 \%$ YoY and $209 \%$ YoY respectively. The radio business, however, pulled down consolidated PAT to Rs970mn. Going forward, the company plans to venture into South India, initially through Mint followed by its regular daily, HT .

Table 1: Valuation summary

|  |  | Y/E <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EPS } \\ & \text { (Rs) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { P/E } \\ & (x) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{EV} / \mathrm{E} \\ (\mathrm{x}) \end{array}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Price (4/05/07) (Rs) | 180 | 2005 | 1.6 | 110.6 | 57.3 | BSE Sensex | 13934 |
| 52 wk Range (Rs) | 204/71 | 2006 | 2.5 | 72.1 | 34.7 | Mkt cap. (Rs bn) | 42.2 |
| Dividend FY07E (Rs/sh.) | 0.3 | 2007E | 4.9 | 36.6 | 22.7 | Mkt cap. (US\$ mn) | 1.0 |
| Dividend yield (\%) | 0.2 | 2008E | 7.7 | 23.3 | 13.4 | Shares out. (mn) | 234 |
| Face value (Rs) | 2 | 2009E | 10.1 | 17.9 | 10.7 | Free float (\%) | - |

[^0]- Ad revenues maintained momentum. Q4FY07 revenue grew a robust 25\% YoY to Rs2.8bn due to buoyancy in advertisement revenues, which rose $34 \%$. However, subscription revenues remained flat. HT Media continued to post above-industry growth at $17 \%$ supported by its foray in Mumbai. Growth in Hindi and English segments witnessed similar momentum.

Chart 1: Advertisement revenue


Source: Company

- Margin pressurised owing to launches. Q4FY07 EBITDA margin was at 15.2\% against $20.3 \%$ in 9MFY07. This was due to a huge increase in promotional expenses on account of the launch of Mint in February '07 in Delhi and Mumbai and the relaunch of HT Mumbai edition along with the tabloid HT Café. Advertising and sales promotional expenses stood at Rs268mn ( $60 \%$ QoQ growth) against Rs167mn in Q3FY07. Out of this, one-time expenses of Rs47mn were for Mint and Rs53mn for Ht Café. Pre-launch expenses for Mint stood at Rs26mn. Meanwhile, HT Media is due to receive Rs55mn benefit from accounting tax as Go4i was merged with the company leading to tax benefit (likely to be reported next quarter).
- Newsprint cost burden reduced. In Q4FY07, HT Media's raw material costs declined Rs 46 mn against Q3FY07 in spite of the launch of Mint with 80,000 circulation. The company benefitted from $\sim 7 \%$ decline in newsprint costs, which was due to a dip in global newsprint prices and appreciation in rupee.
- EBITDA loss from the radio business at Rs210mn. HT Media's radio business has been operational since the past two quarters and in Q4FY07, the EBITDA and PAT loss stood at Rs210mn and Rs170mn respectively. The company expects its radio business to break even by FY09. In Delhi, the company's radio business is \#3 and going by the current run rate, it expects to be cash break-even in Delhi in the next 3-6 months.
- Ad rate hiked 15\%. Ht Media hiked ad rates $15 \%$ and $20 \%$ for HT and Hindustan respectively, effective May 15, '07. This hike is of the same magnitude as last year and follows the hike by The Times of India (TOI). Post the hike, HT Media charges Rs1,530/sq cm of display (colour) against Rs1,500/cc by Tol in Delhi. However, in the recent Indian Readership Survey (IRS) and National Readership Survey (NRS). Tol's readership was pegged above HT's in Delhi.

Table 2: Ad rate hike by HT Media*
(Rs/sq.cm)

|  | May '06 |  |  |  |  |  | May '07 |  |  | \% Change |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HT Media | Base | Colour | Premium (\%) | Base | Colour | Premium (\%) | Base |  |  |  |
| Delhi | 1,250 | 1,310 | 5 | 1,530 | 1,605 | 5 | 22 |  |  |  |
| Mumbai | 475 | 550 | 16 | 700 | 800 | 14 | 47 |  |  |  |
| HT All editions | 2,020 | 2,225 | 10 | 2,210 | 2,425 | 10 | 45 |  |  |  |
| Hindustan All editions | 950 | 1,290 | 36 | 1,150 | 1,550 | 35 | 9 |  |  |  |
| Hindustan Bihar \& Jharkhand | 515 | 700 | 36 | 650 | 850 | 21 | 20 |  |  |  |

Source: Company

* Ad rate hike effective May 15, '07.

Table 3: Tol gains at HT's expense in Delhi
(Readership '000s)
\% Change

Source: IRS

- Valuations. HT Media is currently trading at FY08E P/E of 23x and EV/EBITDA of 13x on a standalone basis. The valuations are at a premium to the valuations of Deccan Chronicle and Jagran Prakashan. The premium valuations are owing to the investment in radio business, which is at a nascent stage. Also, HT Media's investment in Mint, which is highly scalable, justifies the premium. We maintain our positive stance on the stock supported by strong buoyancy in advertisement market.
Table 4: Q4FY07 results review (Standalone)
(Rs mn, year ending March 31)

|  | Q4FY07 | Q4FY06 | \% chg. (YoY) | Q3FY07 | \% chg. (QoQ) | FY07 | FY06 | \% chg. <br> (YoY) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Advertising revenue | 2,353 | 1,758 | 33.8 | 2,397 | (1.8) | 8,829 | 6,548 | 34.8 |
| Subscription Revenue | 358 | 349 | 2.4 | 355 | 0.7 | 1,386 | 1,368 | 1.3 |
| Others | 39 | 112 | (65.0) | 78 | (50.1) | 178 | 298 | (40.2) |
| Total revenue | 2,750 | 2,219 | 24.0 | 2,830 | (2.8) | 10,393 | 8,214 | 26.5 |
| Expenditure |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of goods | 1,121 | 950 | 18.0 | 1,169 | (4.1) | 4,317 | 3,439 | 25.5 |
| Employee cost | 391 | 348 | 12.3 | 368 | 6.5 | 1,477 | 1,244 | 18.7 |
| Advertising Expenses | 268 | 160 | 67.6 | 167 | 60.3 | 638 | 684 | (6.7) |
| Other Expenses | 552 | 430 | 28.4 | 558 | (1.1) | 2,056 | 1,658 | 24.0 |
| EBITDA | 418 | 331 | 26.4 | 569 | (26.5) | 1,905 | 1,190 | 60.0 |
| Other income | 91 | 66 | 38.5 | 71 | 28.1 | 403 | 168 | 139.1 |
| Depreciation | 107 | 97 | 10.5 | 98 | 10.0 | 397 | 396 | 0.2 |
| Finance Expenses | 35 | 34 | 2.1 | 36 | (4.4) | 143 | 138 | 3.6 |
| PBT | 367 | 265 | 38.3 | 506 | (27.5) | 1768 | 824 | 114.4 |
| Less: Provision for Tax | 127 | 35 | 266.9 | 170 | (25.2) | 614 | 240 | 156.1 |
| Recurring PAT | 240 | 231 | 3.9 | 336 | (28.6) | 1153 | 585 | 97.3 |
| Operating Margin (\%) | 15.2 | 14.9 |  | 20.1 |  | 18.3 | 14.5 |  |
| Gross Margin (\%) | 59.2 | 57.2 |  | 58.7 |  | 58.5 | 58.1 |  |
| Staff Cost to Revenues (\%) | 14.2 | 15.7 |  | 13.0 |  | 14.2 | 15.1 |  |
| Advertisement to Sales (\%) | 0.9 | 0.8 |  | 0.8 |  | 0.8 | 0.8 |  |
| Effective tax rate (\%) | 34.7 | 13.1 |  | 33.6 |  | 34.8 | 29.1 |  |
| NPM (\%) | 8.7 | 10.4 |  | 11.9 |  | 11.1 | 7.1 |  |

Source: Company data, i-SEC Research

GAIL (Buy) Oil\&Gas and Petrochemicals
Q4FY07 RESULTS PREVIEW
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- Revenues up $22.4 \%$ YoY, led by higher petchem volumes and realisations. This is net of downstream subsidies, which were down $39.5 \%$ YoY
- EBITDA margin is expected to drop 80bps YoY due to hit on polymer margins resulting from higher feedstock gas price (hiked to US\$4.75/mnbtu in Q1FY07). Core EBITDA margins (excluding LPG subsidies) are expected to fall 515bps at 22.5\%
- Net income to increase $29 \%$ YoY backed by a $17.1 \%$ rise in EBITDA
- Ad hoc surprises on subsidies and gas trading may impact our estimates

Table 1: Valuation summary

|  |  | Y/E <br> March | EPS <br> $(R s)$ | P/E <br> $(\mathbf{x})$ | EV/E <br> $(\mathbf{x})$ |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | ---: |
| Price (4/05/07) (Rs) | 310 | 2004 | 22.1 | 14.0 | 7.9 | BSE Sensex | 13934 |
| 52 Week Range | $340 / 210$ | 2005 | 23.1 | 13.4 | 6.8 | Market Cap. (Rs bn) | 262.2 |
| Dividend FY07E (Rs/sh.) | 10.0 | 2006 | 27.3 | 11.3 | 6.6 | Market Cap. (US\$ bn) | 6.4 |
| Dividend yield (\%) | 3.2 | $2007 E$ | 27.1 | 11.4 | 7.4 | Shares Out. (mn) | 846 |
| Face value (Rs) | 10.0 | $2008 E$ | 34.1 | 9.1 | 5.9 | Free float (\%) | 42.7 |

Source: Company data, i-SEC Research
Table 2: Quarterly estimates

| (Rs mn, year ending Mar 31) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Q4FY07E | Q4FY06 | YoY (\%) | QoQ (\%) | YTDFY07* | YTDFY06* | YoY (\%) |
| Revenues (before subsidy) | 54,743 | 47,458 | 15.4 | 1.0 | 151,808 | 126,696 | 19.8 |
| Subsidy | 3,256 | 5,380 | $(39.5)$ | 3.4 | 9,860 | 5,260 | 87.5 |
| Revenue (after subsidy) | 51,487 | 42,078 | 22.4 | 0.8 | 141,948 | 121,436 | 16.9 |
| EBITDA | 9,066 | 7,744 | 17.1 | 4.9 | 23,948 | 28,935 | $(17.2)$ |
| PBT | 8,010 | 6,905 | 16.0 | $(8.7)$ | 23,137 | 26,561 | $(12.9)$ |
| PAT | 5,877 | 4,557 | 29.0 | $(11.7)$ | 17,059 | 19,268 | $(11.5)$ |
| Source: Company data, i-SEC Research; | * April - December |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Details in our results preview dated April 9, 2007

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| :--- | :--- | :--- |
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| S. Ramesh / Amit | Gujarat Gas: In the fast lane | May 3 |
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## Quarterly results date reckoner

| No. | Nifty companies | Date of result | No. | Other companies | Date of result |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | ABB India | April 26 | 1 | Adlabs Films | April 26 |
| 2 | ACC | April 19 | 2 | Alembic Limited | - |
| 3 | Bajaj Auto | May 17 | 3 | Apollo Hospitals Enterprise | - |
| 4 | Bharat Heavy Electricals | - | 4 | Arvind Mills | May 12 |
| 5 | Bharat Petroleum Corporation | - | 5 | Ashok Leyland | May 4 |
| 6 | Bharti Airtel | April 27 | 6 | Asian Paints | May 10 |
| 7 | Cipla | April 26 | 7 | Aventis Pharma | April 16 |
| 8 | Dabur India | May 8 | 8 | Balaji Telefilms | - |
| 9 | Dr. Reddy's Laboratories | May 18 | 9 | Bank of Baroda | April 28 |
| 10 | GAIL (India) | May 8 | 10 | Bharat Forge | - |
| 11 | GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals | April 27 | 11 | Britannia Industries | - |
| 12 | Grasim Industries | April 25 | 12 | Cadila Healthcare | April 26 |
| 13 | Gujarat Ambuja Cements | April 20 | 13 | Canara Bank | May 2 |
| 14 | HCL Technologies | April 17 | 14 | Colgate-Palmolive | May 3 |
| 15 | HDFC Bank | April 24 | 15 | Corporation Bank | April 28 |
| 16 | Hero Honda Motors | May 11 | 16 | GlaxoSmithKline Consumer | - |
| 17 | Hindalco Industries | May 4 | 17 | Glenmark Pharma | April 25 |
| 18 | Hindustan Lever | April 30 | 18 | Godrej Consumer Products | April 25 |
| 19 | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation | - | 19 | Gujarat Gas Company | April 30 |
| 20 | Housing Development Finance Corporation | May 3 | 20 | IDBI | April 20 |
| 21 | ITC | - | 21 | Indian Hotels Co. | - |
| 22 | ICICI Bank | April 28 | 22 | Indraprastha Gas | - |
| 23 | Indian Petrochemicals Corporation | - | 23 | Info Edge (India) | May 3 |
| 24 | Infosys Technologies | April 13 | 24 | Infotech Enterprises | - |
| 25 | Larsen \& Toubro | - | 25 | Jammu \& Kashmir Bank | May 7 |
| 26 | Mahanagar Telephone Nigam | April 24 | 26 | Jet Airways | - |
| 27 | Mahindra \& Mahindra | May 28 | 27 | JSW Steel | April 30 |
| 28 | Maruti Udyog | April 24 | 28 | Kansai Nerolac Paints | May 3 |
| 29 | National Aluminium Company | April 25 | 29 | Madras Cements | May 30 |
| 30 | Oil \& Natural Gas Corporation | - | 30 | Marico | April 26 |
| 31 | Punjab National Bank | May 23 | 31 | MphasiS | April 30 |
| 32 | Ranbaxy Laboratories | April 27 | 32 | National Thermal Power Corp. | - |
| 33 | Reliance Communications | April 30 | 33 | Nestle India | April 30 |
| 34 | Reliance Energy | April 25 | 34 | Oriental Bank of Commerce | April 28 |
| 35 | Reliance Industries | April 26 | 35 | Patni Computer Systems | April 25 |
| 36 | Reliance Petroleum | April 25 | 36 | Polaris Software Lab | April 27 |
| 37 | Satyam Computer Services | April 20 | 37 | Procter \& Gamble | April 30 |
| 38 | Siemens | April 23 | 38 | Punjab Tractors | - |
| 39 | State Bank of India | May 12 | 39 | Raymond | April 26 |
| 40 | Steel Authority of India | May 21 | 40 | Sasken Communication Technologies | - |
| 41 | Sterlite Industries (India) | May 3 | 41 | SpiceJet | - |
| 42 | Sun Pharmaceutical Industries | May 15 | 42 | Tata Tea | - |
| 43 | Suzlon Energy | - | 43 | TVS Motor Company | - |
| 44 | Tata Consultancy Services | April 16 | 44 | Union Bank of India | May 7 |
| 45 | Tata Motors | May 18 | 45 | UTI Bank | April 17 |
| 46 | Tata Power Co. | - | 46 | Wockhardt | April 26 |
| 47 | Tata Steel | - |  |  |  |
| 48 | Videsh Sanchar Nigam | - |  |  |  |
| 49 | Wipro | - |  |  |  |
| 50 | Zee Entertainment | April 21 |  |  |  |

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APRIL 2007

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 8 | 9 | 10 |  | $12$ | $13$ <br> Infosys Tech. | 14 |
| 15 | $16$ <br> Aventis Pharma, TCS, HCL Tech. | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 17 \\ & \text { HCL Technologies, } \\ & \text { UTI } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & \mathrm{ACC} \end{aligned}$ | 20 <br> IDBI, Gujarat <br> Ambuja Cements, Satyam Comp. | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 21 \\ & \text { Zee } \end{aligned}$ |
| 22 |  | 24 <br> MTNL, Maruti, HDFC Bank | 25 <br> Godrej Consumer, Nalco, Grasim, Glenmark, Patni, Reliance Energy | 26 <br> Wockhardt, ABB, Cadila, Cipla, RIL, Adlabs Films, Marico | 27 <br> Polaris Software, Ranbaxy Lab, GSK Pharma, Bharti Airtel | 28 <br> Corporation Bank, BoB, OBC |
| 29 | 30 <br> Gujarat Gas, P\&G, Nestle, MphasiS, HLL, JSW Steel |  |  |  |  |  |

MAY 2007

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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|  | . | $1$ |  | 3 <br> Kansai Nerolac, Info Edge, Colgate-Palmolive | 4 Ashok Leyland |  |
|  | 7 <br> Union Bank of India, J\&K | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{8} \\ & \text { GAIL } \end{aligned}$ |  | $10$ <br> Asian Paints | $11$ <br> Hero Honda | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 12 \\ & \text { SBI } \end{aligned}$ |
| 13 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 15 \\ & \text { Sun Pharma } \end{aligned}$ | 16 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 17 \\ & \text { Bajaj Auto } \end{aligned}$ | $18$ <br> Tata Motors, DRL | 19 |
| 20 | $21$ | $22$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 23 \\ & \text { PNB } \end{aligned}$ | $24$ | 25 |  |
| 27 | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & \text { M\&M } \end{aligned}$ | $29$ | 30 <br> Madras Cement | $31$ |  |  |

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