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Oil India (OILI.BO)

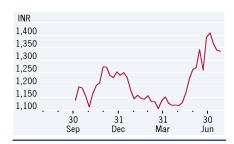
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Hold: 1Q Impacted by Lower Production

- 1Q impacted by lower production OIL's 1Q PAT came in at Rs5bn (-32% YoY, +16% QoQ), impacted by lower crude sales (by c0.13 MMT) primarily due to a longer than expected shutdown at Numaligarh Refinery, though the partial (June onwards) impact of the APM gas price hike offset this to some extent. DD&A at Rs2bn was also higher than expected, on account of higher dry well write-offs.
- Net realization at US\$44/bbl OIL's subsidy burden came in at Rs7.3bn for the quarter, in line with the Govt's decision of making upstream bear 1/3 of total fuel under-recoveries. While this translates into a net realization of US\$44.3/bbl (owing to higher under-recoveries in 1Q, and lower crude sales), we expect net realizations to improve going forward following the price hikes and petrol deregulation announced by the EGoM in end-June.
- Basing earnings on 1/3 sharing Our new forecasts assume 1/3 upstream subsidy share (on diesel, LPG, kero), as recently announced by the Oil Secretary. We cut FY11E earnings by 3% as we now peg OIL's net realizations at US\$57 (US\$59 earlier) given muted 1Q and assuming Rs536bn of FY11E gross underrecoveries (based on US\$75 crude). We, however, raise FY12E estimates by 8%, on the back of higher net realizations of US\$62 (full impact of price hikes/petrol deregulation and 5% production growth). FY13E growth is driven by production from OIL's 3.5% stake in Venezuela's Carabobo oil field (0.4 MMT in FY13E).
- Maintain Hold; highest upstream sensitivity to diesel deregulation Our revised TP of Rs1,370 (Rs1,290 earlier) is based on: (i) P/E of 9x core Sep-11E and (ii) cash of Rs384/sh as on Sep-10E. Given OIL's better production growth prospects, our target P/E is now based on 10% (15% earlier) discount to ONGC's target multiple of 10x. Also, OIL is most levered to diesel deregulation, with ~20% upside to FY12E estimates if diesel is fully deregulated. However, lack of clarity on timelines on deregulation and no immediate triggers lead us to maintain Hold.

| Hold/Low Risk | 2L |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Price (28 Jul 10) | Rs1,335.00 |
| Target price | Rs1,370.00 |
| from Rs1,290.00 | |
| Expected share price return | 2.6% |
| Expected dividend yield | 2.5% |
| Expected total return | 5.2% |
| Market Cap | Rs321,007M |
| | US\$6,880M |
| | |

| Price Performance | (RIC: OILI.BO, | BB: OINL IN) |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------|
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Statistical Abstract

| Year to | Net Profit | Diluted EPS | EPS growth | P/E | P/B | ROE | Yield |
|---------|------------|-------------|------------|------|-----|------|-------|
| 31 Mar | (RsM) | (Rs) | (%) | (x) | (x) | (%) | (%) |
| 2009A | 21,617 | 101.01 | 20.8 | 13.2 | 3.1 | 25.0 | 2.3 |
| 2010A | 26,105 | 108.57 | 7.5 | 12.3 | 2.3 | 22.6 | 2.5 |
| 2011E | 28,942 | 120.37 | 10.9 | 11.1 | 2.1 | 19.7 | 2.8 |
| 2012E | 33,032 | 137.37 | 14.1 | 9.7 | 1.8 | 19.8 | 3.2 |
| 2013E | 37,579 | 156.28 | 13.8 | 8.5 | 1.6 | 19.8 | 3.7 |

Source: Powered by dataCentral

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| Fiscal year end 31-Mar | 2009 | 2010 | 2011E | 2012E | 2013E |
|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Valuation Ratios | | | | | |
| P/E adjusted (x) | 13.2 | 12.3 | 11.1 | 9.7 | 8.5 |
| EV/EBITDA adjusted (x) | 7.5 | 6.6 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.8 |
| P/BV (x) | 3.1 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 1.6 |
| Dividend yield (%) | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 3.7 |
| Per Share Data (Rs) | | | | | |
| EPS adjusted | 101.01 | 108.57 | 120.37 | 137.37 | 156.28 |
| EPS reported | 101.01 | 108.57 | 120.37 | 137.37 | 156.28 |
| BVPS | 436.02 | 572.41 | 649.47 | 737.42 | 837.47 |
| DPS | 30.50 | 34.00 | 37.70 | 43.02 | 48.94 |
| Profit & Loss (RsM) | | | | | |
| Net sales | 73,842 | 80,728 | 92,061 | 103,837 | 120,660 |
| Operating expenses | -47,375 | -49,610 | -57,210 | -63,178 | -72,755 |
| EBIT | 26,467 | 31,118 | 34,851 | 40,659 | 47,905 |
| Net interest expense | -87 | -37 | -100 | -100 | -100 |
| Non-operating/exceptionals | 7,537 | 7,869 | 8,433 | 8,727 | 8,266 |
| Pre-tax profit | 33,916 | 38,951 | 43,184 | 49,286 | 56,071 |
| Tax | -12,253 | -12,846 | -14,242 | -16,254 | -18,492 |
| Extraord./Min.Int./Pref.div. | -46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reported net income | 21,617 | 26,105 | 28,942 | 33,032 | 37,579 |
| Adjusted earnings | 21,617 | 26,105 | 28,942 | 33,032 | 37,579 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | 36,944 | 38,756 | 48,121 | 55,034 | 63,669 |
| Growth Rates (%) | , | • | • | • | , |
| Sales | 18.4 | 9.3 | 14.0 | 12.8 | 16.2 |
| EBIT adjusted | 20.8 | 17.6 | 12.0 | 16.7 | 17.8 |
| EBITDA adjusted | 28.1 | 4.9 | 24.2 | 14.4 | 15.7 |
| EPS adjusted | 20.8 | 7.5 | 10.9 | 14.1 | 13.8 |
| Cash Flow (RsM) | | | | | |
| Operating cash flow | 41,571 | 21,109 | 53,177 | 46,505 | 52,055 |
| Depreciation/amortization | 10,477 | 7,638 | 13,270 | 14,375 | 15,764 |
| Net working capital | 9,477 | -12,634 | 10,965 | -902 | -1,288 |
| Investing cash flow | -8,999 | -12,289 | -20,792 | -32,000 | -35,200 |
| Capital expenditure | -8,999 | -8,581 | -24,499 | -32,000 | -35,200 |
| Acquisitions/disposals | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Financing cash flow | -8,337 | 19,222 | -10,058 | -11,884 | -13,520 |
| Borrowings | -1,184 | -190 | 190 | 0 | 0 |
| Dividends paid | -7,498 | -9,392 | -10,413 | -11,884 | -13,520 |
| Change in cash | 24,236 | 28,042 | 22,327 | 2,621 | 3,335 |
| Balance Sheet (RsM) | | | | | |
| Total assets | 133,801 | 180,934 | 197,065 | 218,755 | 243,589 |
| Cash & cash equivalent | 60,700 | 85,429 | 99,444 | 93,265 | 87,150 |
| Accounts receivable | 4,047 | 6,597 | 5,046 | 5,691 | 6,613 |
| Net fixed assets | 45,361 | 49,460 | 69,001 | 95,426 | 124,312 |
| Total liabilities | 40,491 | 43,485 | 40,897 | 41,440 | 42,216 |
| Accounts payable | 3,403 | 3,721 | 4,243 | 4,786 | 5,561 |
| Total Debt | 565 | 565 | 565 | 565 | 565 |
| Shareholders' funds | 93,310 | 137,638 | 156,167 | 177,315 | 201,374 |
| Profitability/Solvency Ratios (%) | | | | | |
| EBITDA margin adjusted | 50.0 | 48.0 | 52.3 | 53.0 | 52.8 |
| ROE adjusted | 25.0 | 22.6 | 19.7 | 19.8 | 19.8 |
| ROIC adjusted | 27.8 | 29.8 | 28.2 | 26.8 | 24.6 |
| Net debt to equity | -64.4 | -61.7 | -63.3 | -52.3 | -43.0 |
| Total debt to capital | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 |

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OIL - 1QFY11 Result Overview

| Revenues | 1QFY10 19,746 | 4QFY10 18,706 | 1QFY11 15,742 | % yoy -20% | Comments Impacted owing to: 1) lower crude sales, 2) lower net realizations due to higher subsidy payout |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|--|
| Expenses | | | | | inglici subsity payout |
| (Increase)/decrease in stock | (146) | 76 | -118.2 | -19% | |
| Consumption of raw materials | 228 | 265 | 217 | -5% | |
| Employee cost | 2,477 | 2,038 | 2,499 | 1% | |
| Statutory levies | 5,823 | 5,602 | 4,786 | -18% | |
| Other expenditure | 1,128 | 3,683 | 1,463 | 30% | |
| otal expenditure | 9,510 | 11,664 | 8,847 | -7% | |
| BITDA | 10,236 | 7,043 | 6,895 | -33% | |
| EBITDA margin (%) | 53% | 38% | 45% | 33,5 | |
| DD&A | 1,218 | 3,235 | 1,979 | 63% | Higher dry well expenses |
| nterest | 9 | 10 | 6 | -29% | manor ary mon expenses |
| Other income | 1,635 | 2,084 | 2,424 | 48% | |
| Profit before tax | 10,645 | 5,881 | 7,333 | -31% | |
| Tax | 3,248 | 1,572 | 2,322 | -28% | |
| Tax rate | 30.5% | 26.7% | 31.7% | 2070 | |
| Profit after tax | 7,397 | 4,310 | 5,011 | -32% | |
| Operational Parameters | | | | | |
| Production (Quantity) | | | | | |
| Crude oil (MMT) | 0.88 | 0.88 | 0.80 | | |
| Crude oil (mmbbl) | 6.5 | 5.8 | 5.3 | | |
| Natural Gas (mmscm) | 604 | 583 | 553 | | |
| taturar das (miniscin) | 004 | 303 | 333 | | |
| Sales (Quantity) | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.70 | | |
| Crude oil (MMT) | 0.84 | 0.86 | 0.78 | | Impact of c0.13 MMT due to NRL shutdown |
| latural Gas (mmscm) | 471 | 446 | 423 | | |
| Realizations | | | | | |
| Gross realization (US\$/bbl) | 57.5 | 75.7 | 78.1 | | OIL's crude benchmark is ~US\$2.5-3 lower than Bonny Light |
| Net realization (US\$/bbl) | 55.7 | 53.3 | 44.3 | | Lower on account of: 1) higher subsidy burden and 2) lower crude sales |
| Gas (Rs/scm) | 3.5 | 3.5 | 4.6 | | Partial (June onwards) impact of the APM gas price hike |
| <u>Subsidy</u> | | | | | |
| Rs m | 576 | 6,700 | 7,297 | | Upstream shared 1/3 of total subsidy in 1Q, as opposed to bearing only |
| | | | | | auto-fuel losses in FY10 |

Revising target price to Rs1,370

| | Rs/sh | Comments |
|---------------------------|-------|---|
| OIL Sep-11E core-EPS | 109 | Excl. other income |
| Target core P/E (x) | 9.0 | At a 10% discount to ONGC's core target multiple of 10: |
| Implied core equity value | 982 | |
| Cash per share | 384 | As of Sep-10E |
| Target Price | 1,370 | |

| lld | Units | FY11E | FY12E | FY13E |
|----------------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|
| :PS | Rs/share | 123.6 | 126.9 | - |
| Crude | US\$/bbl | 82.0 | 88.0 | - |
| let realization (domestic) | US\$/bbl | 59.2 | 59.7 | - |
| OL's subsidy burden | Rsbn | 26 | 33 | - |
|)il sales | MMT | 3.7 | 3.9 | - |
| Gas sales | bcm | 2.0 | 2.1 | - |
| NR/US\$ | Rs/\$ | 46 | 45 | - |
| lew | Units | FY11E | FY12E | FY13E |
| PS | Rs/share | 120.4 | 137.4 | 156.3 |
| % change in EPS | | -2.6% | 8.2% | - |
| rude | US\$/bbl | 75.0 | 80.0 | 80.0 |
| let realization (domestic) | US\$/bbl | 57.1 | 62.1 | 62.7 |
| NL's subsidy burden | Rsbn | 18.9 | 19.5 | 19.5 |
|)il sales | MMT | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.3 |
| Gas sales | bcm | 2.1 | 2.5 | 3.1 |
| NR/US\$ | Rs/\$ | 46 | 45 | 45 |

| Figure 4. 0 | il India – Ear | nings Revision | l | | | | |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------|------------|---------------|
| Year to | Net Prof | it (Rs Mils.) | | Diluted EPS (| Rs) | Dividend P | er Share (Rs) |
| 31-Mar | Old | New | Old | New | % Chg | Old | New |
| 2011E | 29,720 | 28,942 | 123.60 | 120.37 | -2.6% | 42.0 | 37.7 |
| 2012E | 30,518 | 33,032 | 126.92 | 137.37 | 8.2% | 43.2 | 43.0 |
| 2013E | - | 37,579 | - | 156.28 | - | - | 48.9 |
| Source: Citi | Investment Ro | esearch and An | alysis estimat | es | | | |

Oil India

Company description

OIL is a public-sector E&P company engaged in exploration and production of crude oil and natural gas. Even though the company has most of its assets concentrated in Northeastern India, it is looking to diversify its business by concentrating on its NELP blocks, as well as acreages abroad. Post-IPO, the government (including HPCL, BPCL and IOC) holds 87.3% of the company.

Investment strategy

We rate OIL shares Hold / Low Risk (2L), with an Rs1,370 target price. OIL has established reserves in Onshore Assam Basin with adequate reserve life and reasonable production growth, which generates strong and stable cash flows, adding to the already-strong balance sheet. Given the subsidy mechanism of the upstream companies sharing 1/3 losses on all fuels and no clear timelines on future deregulation, we believe that OIL's leverage to crude beyond US\$70/bbl is going to be limited. On the E&P front, while in the past OIL has predominantly focused on North-east Indian onshore blocks, it is now gradually gaining exposure to domestic offshore through NELP blocks as well as abroad. Though the strategic shift to reinvest cash flows from the pre-NELP blocks is in the right direction, it will take time to show results, especially given lack of prior experience.

Valuation

Our target price of Rs1,370 comprises: (i) Business valued at P/E of 9x Sep-11E core EPS and (ii) cash at Rs384/share (Sep-10E). The core P/E is at a 10% discount to ONGC's current multiple of 10.0x. We believe a lower multiple vs. ONGC is warranted on account of: (i) OIL's smaller size, (ii) still-to-be-tested track record outside the North East, and (iii) risk pertaining to use of OIL's significant cash balance, in addition to ONGC's relatively higher leverage to crude prices (thru OVL). Further re-rating from here would be dependent on higher net crude realizations, i.e. significant price reforms esp. in diesel (full deregulation), and any positive news flow from new exploration programs.

Risks

We rate Oil India shares Low Risk given the stable earnings profile and cashrich balance sheet. Drop in crude prices and sharp rupee appreciation remains the key downside risks to earnings. Government policy on subsidy sharing remains a key risk, in our opinion, although further deregulation (especially of diesel) and/or any clarity on this front would have a positive impact.

Given the significant increase in exploratory activity likely to be initiated in the NELP blocks, there are risks of failures and hence material dry well write-offs which could impact earnings and cash flows in the short-term. However, OIL's ability to drive exploration success in the new blocks and/or undertake a successful acquisition will be value accretive esp. given its lower reserve base relative to ONGC.

For FY07-10, the MoPNG allowed OIL full recovery, on a net basis, of transportation tariffs and sales tax for crude oil that it produced and transported to all public sector refineries. Any reversal of the government decision on transportation tariff and sales tax recovery would be a key negative for OIL.

Any of these risk factors could cause the shares to deviate from our target price.

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