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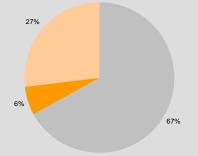
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Issue Details	
Sector	Consumer
Price band	Rs 195-Rs 205
Issue opens	March 08, 2011
Issue closes	March 11, 2011
Funds to be raised	Rs 878-923 mn
No. of pre-issue shares	12.3 mn
Issue size (No. of shares)	4.5 mn
No. of shares post issue	16.8 mn
Post issue market cap	Rs 3.3-3.4 bn

#### Share holding pattern



Promoters Sequoia Capital Public and others

Post issue

# Objects of the issue

Particulars	Rs mn
2.5 mn pcs capacity expansion	228
Brand building	180
Brand development for College Style	60
Investment in joint venture	250
Setting up of EBOs (60)	141
Shop in shops formats	36
Upgradation of design studios	76
Total	971

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sweta.jain@emkayglobal.com +91 22 6624 2479 Lovable Lingerie is one of the leading players (20% market share) in the Rs3bn super premium segment of women's lingerie in India

**Lovable Lingerie Ltd** 

- Increasing disposable income, rising working women population and wider distribution reach are the key growth catalysts
- Reported impressive revenue and earnings CAGR of 30% and 38%, respectively over FY06-10 and has generated operating cash flows of Rs 97 mn for FY10
- PER valuations at 19.5x-20.5x annualized FY11E EPS look attractive vs 31x FY11E (consensus EPS) for Page Industries

   expect market to assign scarcity premium

#### Leading presence in the premium women's lingerie segment

Lovable Lingerie launched the 85-year old international brand, 'Lovable' in India in 1996. Currently, it is amongst the top three most preferred brands in women's innerwear in India (Source: CARE Report) and commands 20% share in the super premium market. It has a strong retail presence in 1,425 stores spread across major cities in the country. The company's second flagship brand, Daisy Dee, which caters to the mid-market segment, reaches 7,500 direct outlets, primarily in Southern India.

### Well-defined plans for future growth

It plans to invest Rs 250mn in a 90:10 joint venture with Lifestyle Galleries of London Ltd, UK to introduce, in India, the 'London Calling' brand that caters to men and women innerwear. It also plans to set up 60 exclusive brand outlets (EBOs) for Lovable, on a franchisee model, to directly tap top tier cities in country. This would help explore and capture the untapped market in India and propel the next leg of growth.

#### Strong growth potential... increasing disposable income - a key catalyst

The market for the premium and super premium women's lingerie segment in India is relatively small at Rs 12 bn and is expected to grow at 33% CAGR over 2009-14E, according to CARE research. We believe that, with increasing disposable income along with higher number of working women and rising product awareness, this segment is poised for a strong growth in the future.

## Impressive performance in the past... likely to continue

Lovable Lingerie has reported impressive revenue and earnings CAGR of 30% and 38%, respectively over FY06-10 and has generated cash flows of Rs 97 mn for FY10. On an annualized basis, it is expected to grow earnings at 59% in FY11E. Most likely, it would continue healthy performance in future.

## Attractive valuations... SUBSCRIBE

Lovable Lingerie has done a pre-IPO placement of 1mn shares at Rs200 per share with Sequoia Capital, which values the company at Rs3.4bn. At the higher price band, the stock will trade at 20.5x FY11E annualized EPS of Rs10, which is a 34% discount to Page Industries. Considering the strong growth potential and likely scarcity premium similar to Jubilant Foodworks and Page Industries, we believe the offered valuations appear attractive and could provide significant upside potential in the future. Hence, we recommend **SUBSCRIBE** to the issue.

	Net	EBITDA		Net EBITD			AEPS	AEPS	ROE		EV/	
YE-Mar	Sales	(Core)	(%)	APAT	(Rs)	% Chg	%	P/E	EBITDA	P/BV		
FY2008	601	73	12.2	42	2.5	19.6	43.7	82.8	47.6	28.7		
FY2009	692	85	12.3	29	1.7	52.9	21.5	120.2	41.0	23.5		
FY2010	870	161	18.6	106	6.3	62.6	54.1	32.6	21.2	14.1		
9MFY11	881	167	18.9	126	7.5	NA	41.2	27.3	20.6	9.3		

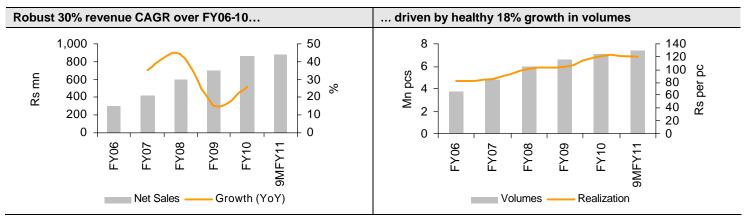
#### **Company background**

Incorporated in 1987, Lovable Lingerie is promoted by Mr. L.Vinay Reddy, son of Mr. L. Jaipal Reddy, who was a pioneer in establishing branded innerwear market in India with brands like VIP and Frenchie. Mr. Vinay Reddy is the Chairman and Managing Director of the company and has over 20 years of work experience in the innerwear industry.

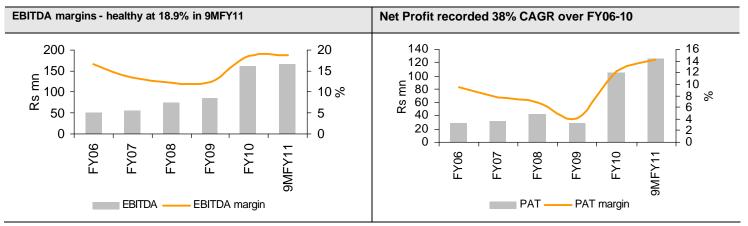
The company's flagship brand, 'Lovable', was earlier licensed to the company, since 1995, from Lovable World Trading Company, USA. In December 2000, the Company acquired the brand 'Lovable' on an exclusive basis for India, Nepal and Bhutan. The company had also acquired Daisy Dee, a mid-segment brand, from Maxwell Industries in 2004 and College Style from Levitus Trading Limited, Hong Kong in 2009 to cater to the young customer segment. Lovable Lingerie has two manufacturing facilities at Bengaluru and Uttarakhand with a total capacity of 6.7mn pieces a year.

#### Strong growth potential ...

Lovable Lingerie operates in the nascent and under penetrated market of branded women's lingerie segment. We expect that with increasing brand awareness and rising urbanization along with higher women workforce, this segment will witness robust growth in the future. CARE reports estimate the premium and super premium segment of the lingerie market to grow at 33% over 2009-14. Lovable Lingerie has reported strong revenue and earnings CAGR of 30% and 38%, respectively over FY06-10 and is likely to sustain healthy growth in future.



Source: Company, Emkay Research



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#### .... at attractive valuations

Lovable Lingerie is one of the few players to be listed in the domestic innerwear, especially women's lingerie market. While not a direct comparable, we would like to peg its valuations to Page Industries that operates in the domestic innerwear segment catering to all the segments. Lovable Lingerie's IPO, priced at Rs195-205 per share and valued at 19.5-20.5x FY11E earnings (annualized for 9MFY11), is offered at a 34% discount to Page Industries. Besides, we expect a scarcity premium to be assigned by investors for short-to-medium term, as it happened in the public offerings of Page Industries, Jubilant Foodworks, etc. Hence, considering attractive valuations and the strong earnings growth potential, we recommend investors to **SUBSCRIBE** to the issue.

#### Peer comparison

	Mcap (Rs bn)	Mcap to sales (x)	EPS growth (%)	PER (x)		PER (x) EV/EBITDA (x)		RoE (%)	
		FY11E	FY11E	FY10	FY11E	FY10	FY11E	FY10	FY11E
Lovable Lingerie	3.4	2.9	59.2	32.6	20.5	21.2	13.7	54.1	40.9
Page Industries*	17.2	3.5	50.2	46.6	31.0	28.9	18.6	39.1	52.6

\* Source: Bloomberg. Note: Valuations for Lovable Lingerie is calculated on upper price band of Rs 205 and FY11E calculations are on an annualized basis.

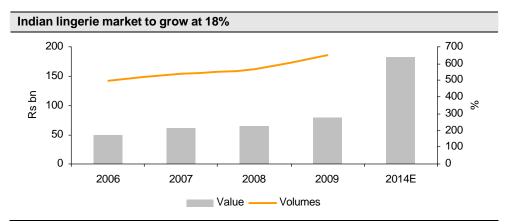
#### Key risks

- Lovable Lingerie operates in a single segment of women's innerwear, which is subject to constant innovations.
- Higher advertising spends to increase product awareness in this nascent market could lead to margin pressure and impact profitability for a temporary period.
- Increasing competition from higher number of international as well as domestic brands could impact its profitability.

## Appendix

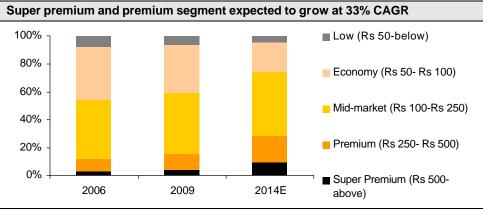
#### Industry overview

The Indian lingerie market worth Rs 79 bn has reported a healthy 16.8% CAGR over 2006-09. According to Credit Analysis & Research Limited (CARE), this segment is expected to grow at a CAGR of 18.3 % to Rs 183 bn over 2009-2014. This robust growth is likely to be driven by increasing disposable income, rising number of working women, increasing product awareness and rising urbanization in the country.



Source: RHP, CARE Research

The super-premium and premium segment contributed 15.8% to the total lingerie market in 2009 and is expected to grow to 28 % by 2014. Lovable commands 20% market share in the super premium category, led by other leading brands like Enamor, Triumph, etc.



Source: RHP, CARE Research

## **Financial highlights**

Income Statement Y/E, Mar (Rs. m)	FY08	FY09	FY10	9MFY11	Balance Sheet Y/E, Mar (Rs. m)	FY08	FY09	FY10	9MFY11
Net Sales	601	692	870	91WIF 1 1 1 881	,	15	15	75	113
				881	Equity Share Capital	-	-	-	-
Growth (%)	44.6	15.3	25.6		Reserves	105	132	169	257
Expenses	527	607	708	714	Networth	120	147	244	369
Growth (%)	46.3	15.2	16.6		Secured Loans	55	37	3	3
Raw Materials	243	286	404	385	Unsecured Loans	15	27	0	
% Of Sales	40.5	41.3	46.5	43.7	Loan Funds	70	64	3	3
Employee Cost	81	91	93	88	Capital Employed	190	211	247	372
% Of Sales	13.5	13.1	10.7	10.0					
Manufacturing Exps	22	27	28	34	Gross Block	67	167	175	183
% Of Sales	3.6	3.9	3.2	3.9	Less: Depreciation	31	35	48	58
Admin Expenses	26	33	28	207	Net Block	36	132	128	126
% Of Sales	4.3	4.8	3.2	23.5					
Selling & Distribn Exp	156	170	155		Investments	10	10	20	0
% Of Sales	25.9	24.5	17.8	0.0	Current Assets	295	334	317	370
Ebidta	73	85	161	167	Inventories	166	135	131	142
Growth (%)	33.0	15.9	89.8		Debtors	61	87	136	176
Ebidta%	12.2	12.3	18.6	18.9	Cash & Bank	20	20	27	22
Other Income	1	1	1	9	Loans & Advances	47	91	23	29
Interest	6	14	9	4	Other Current Assets				
Depreciation	3	4	13	10	Current Liabilities & Prov	151	260	209	112
PBT	65	69	140	161	Net Current Assets	144	73	108	257
Tax	26	8	42	34	Miscellaneous Expenditure				
PAT (Before EO Item)	39	60	98	126	Deferred Tax	0	-5	-9	-11
Growth (%)	19.6	52.9	62.6		Capital Deployed	190	211	247	372
Net Margin%	6.6	8.7	11.3	14.3					
E/O Item	2	-32	8	0					
Reported PAT	42	29	106	126					

### CashFlow

Y/E, Mar (Rs. m)	FY08	FY09	FY10	9MFY11
Pre-Tax Profit	65	43	143	161
Depreciation	3	4	13	10
Non Cash	6	13	9	-4
Chg in Working Cap	1	75	-47	-45
Tax Paid	-41	-13	-21	-38
Operating Cash Flow	34	122	97	85
Capex	-7	-100	-9	-105
Free Cash Flow	27	22	88	-20
Investments	(10)	(2)	(7)	29
Change in Equity Capital	10	0	0	0
Loans	8	-7	-61	1
Dividend	-19	-2	-2	-9
Others	-11	-14	-9	-4
Net Change in Cash	4	-2	9	-4
Opening Cash Position	15	19	16	26
<b>Closing Cash Position</b>	19	16	26	22

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Y/E, Mar	FY08	FY09	FY10	9MFY11
Profitability %				
Ebidta Mgn	12.2	12.3	18.6	18.9
PAT Mgn	6.6	8.7	11.3	14.3
ROCE	26.3	36.0	45.6	41.8
ROE	43.7	21.5	54.1	41.2
Per Share Data				
EPS	2.5	1.7	6.3	7.5
CEPS	2.6	1.9	6.8	8.0
BVPS	7.1	8.7	14.5	22.0
DVPS	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Valuations (X)				
PER	82.8	120.2	32.6	27.3
CPER	79.6	107.2	30.0	25.7
P/BV	28.7	23.5	14.1	9.3
Ev/Sales	5.8	5.0	3.9	3.9
Ev/Ebidta	47.6	41.0	21.2	20.6
Dividend Yield (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Turnover X Days				
Debtor TO Days	37.0	45.9	57.3	73.1
Inventory TO Days	101.0	71.3	54.8	58.8
Gearing Ratio				
Net Debt/Equity	0.4	0.3	-0.1	-0.1
Total Debt/Equity	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.0

Note: Valuations for 9MFY11 are calculated on the upper price band of Rs. 205

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