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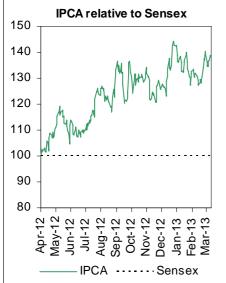
CMP: ₹ 505

BSE Sensex 19363 NSE Nifty 5851 Scrip Details Equity ₹252mn Face Value ₹2/-

Market Cap	₹64bn
	USD 1202mn
52 week High / Low	₹ 551 / 320
Avg. Volume (no)	139,549
BSE Code	524494
NSE Symbol	IPCALAB
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Shareholding Pattern as on Dec'12 (%)Promoter45.91MF/Banks/FIs17.61FIIs18.11

IVIT/Daliks/FIS	17.01
Flls	18.11
Public / Others	18.37



Target Price: ₹ 572

Accumulate

IPCA has transformed itself from a leading API manufacturer to a fully integrated formulation company. We anticipate growth in its domestic franchise (16% CAGR over FY13-15E) to be mainly driven by key TA's - CVS & pain management. Notably, approx. 45-50% of the company's current product portfolio will come under coverage of the new pricing policy, which may restrict growth momentum.

On the other hand, we expect export formulations to register 20% growth over FY13-15E mainly driven by ramp up in its US generics biz and higher contribution from institutional based sales. We anticipate the Indore SEZ unit shall contribute revenue of ₹ 550mn in FY14E (assuming successful re-inspection in April'13) and ₹ 1.2bn in FY15E. The company has secured 4 product approvals so far and has 16-17 filings from the Indore unit. It anticipates Indore plant to deliver EBITDA margins in the range of 15-20% owing to backward integrated manufacturing efficiencies.Operating leverage benefits shall be fully reflected FY15E onwards.Delay in FDA nod to Indore unit poses a risk to estimates for FY14E.

The management is confident of achieving 18-20% growth during the year, while it expects on a continuing basis a moderate 16% growth in FY14E (*assuming nil revenues from Indore unit*). However, FY15E shall witness a healthy 18-20% growth rate with increased contribution from US generics (factoring in revenue from Indore facility).

Key takeaways from management interaction

Domestic formulation business: To sustain growth trajectory.

- Top 10 brands contribute 47% of sales and has registered growth in excess of 20% while the balance portfolio is growing +12% YoY. A third of the product portfolio is subject to seasonal climatic vagaries.
- The implementation of proposed pricing policy (simple average price of all having MS of >=1%) will bring in 40-50% of its product portfolio under coverage against the earlier guidance of ₹ 2bn. Also, one of its key products Lariago (anti-malarial DPCO controlled) which grew by 2% will be out of the ambit of price control and will be subject to price hike linked to WPI (approx. 8 to 9%).
- The management has field force strength of 3800MR's and reaches out to 2.5I doctors. It aims to further increase doctor penetration by another 1.5I in the years to come with insignificant addition to field force.
- Its key TA's Pain, CVS shall continue to register healthy growth in subsequent quarters as well. Remains confident of 15-20% growth in domestic formulations.

Financials (Consolidated)

Year	Net Sales#	Growth-%	EBITDA	OPM%	Adj. PAT	Growth-%	Adj. EPS(₹)	Growth-%	PER(x)	ROANW-%	ROACE-%
FY12	23,587	24.2	5,135	21.8	3,298	50.3	26.1	49.8	19.3	28.6	25.4
FY13E	27,877	18.2	6,140	22.0	4,102	24.4	32.5	24.3	15.5	28.8	25.7
FY14E	32,886	18.0	7,313	22.2	4,612	12.4	36.5	12.4	13.8	25.8	26.1
FY15E	38,525	17.1	8,728	22.7	5,550	20.3	44.0	20.3	11.5	25.1	26.6

Includes other operating income, * Excl.forex exceptional items.

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US Generics: Scale up potential in sight

- The Indore SEZ FDA re-inspection is due in mid-April'13. The management had come across falsification of documents made by a few employees (*related to ANDA applications which were consequently withdrawn*) and hence voluntarily took a step back and referred the same to FDA. Going forward post FDA nod, it shall take another six months to successfully commercialize operations at the unit. The management appears confident of unit going on stream by Oct'13.
- Can generate ₹ 4bn in sales at peak capacity (in three years of operations). So
 far only 5 acres of land of the 60 acres available has been utilized at the Indore
 site.
- We expect the Indore plant to contribute revenue of ₹ 550mn in FY14E & ₹1.2bn in FY15E respectively. Revenue contribution is subject to timely product approvals by the FDA. So far the company has received 4 approvals and expects another 2 by the year end.
- Commercialization of the unit and consequent sales to the US will accrue operating leverage benefits to be fully reflected in FY15E. It anticipates Indore plant to deliver EBITDA margins in the range of 15-20% owing to backward integrated manufacturing efficiencies.
- So far, a total of 35-36 ANDAs have been filed (16 approved) in US.Of them, 16-17 are from Indore SEZ with another 3-4 to be added from this facility this year. These filings are in the TA's of CVS, CNS & Pain management.

Institutional business: Headroom for growth

- Garnered 20-25% market share in the artemether+lumefantrine (AL) market. The company is currently addressing the child market in the AL compound which has lower realisation against theadult segment. It aims to garner ₹ 350mn from artesunate+amodiaquine supplies in FY14E.
- Currently, the commonly applied injectable anti-malarial is quinine which is highly toxic. IPCA is developing Artemesinin injectables as an alternative to quinine which has single player dominance today.

Europe: Non UK revenue growth at 30-35% albeit on low base.

• UK business is expected to de-grow by 10-15% (*issues at distributor level now resolved*) during the year while it expects to deliver 20% growth in FY14E. European business excluding UK is expected to grow by 25-30% due to low base effect; 3-4 new launches every year and increased geographical penetration.

Other Key highlights

On a broader scale, the guidance set out for all its segments is as follows:

- i. Domestic franchise is expected to grow by 15-20%
- ii. Export Branded business shall deliver 25-30% growth.
- iii. Export Generic (excl. institutional biz.) shall see 7-8% growth during the current year while it expects 15% growth in FY14E (excl. sales from Indore unit)
- iv. Export API segment to grow by 15-20%
- v. India API business to witness 10% growth
- Russia and India business operates at 90% and 70% gross margins (27-28% EBITDA margins) while the Institutional generic business delivers 25-30% EBITDA margin.



• The company will incur capex of ₹ 2.5bn towards adding adding 2 API plants in Baroda (expected to be commercialized in Dec 2013), 1 injectables plant, 1 office and R&D centre. The company's current API capacity is running close to optimum level.

Revised Estimates

Particulars (₹ mn)	Rev	vised*	Ear	lier	% Cha	ange
	FY14E	FY15E	FY14E	FY15E	FY14E	FY15E
Net Sales	32,886	38,525	33183	38437	-0.9%	0.2%
EBIDTA	7,313	8,728	7562	8727	-3.3%	0.0%
EBITDAM%	22.2	22.7	22.8	22.7		
Adj.Net Profit	4,612	5,550	4802	5550	-3.9%	0.0%

* Factored in higher other expenses (includes R&D outgo & ANDA filing charges) and delay in operating leverage benefits from Indore in FY14E

Valuation

IPCA's growth mantra revolves around creating a competitive position in formulationsby leveraging on its API goldmine. We expect acceleration in export formulationrevenues mainly led by the generics arm (US market in particular post FDA approvalto its Indore site) and sustained growth in branded promotional markets.

We have lowered our FY14E EPS estimate by 4% to reflect a) lowered revenue contribution from Indore SEZ and postponement in operating leverage benefits to FY15E and b) increasing R&D spend.

Downside risks to our FY14E earning estimates includes: a) Any further delay in FDA approval to its Indore SEZ & b) Deceleration in domestic formulations business (45-50% portfolio coverage under NLEM).

At CMP, the stock trades at 13.8x FY14E and 11.5x FY15E earnings. We recommend 'Accumulate' on the stock with target price of ₹ 572 (13x FY15E EPS).



INCOME STATEMENT				₹mn
Particulars	Mar12	Mar13E	Mar14E	Mar15E
Net Sales	23,140	27,381	32,336	38,025
Operating Income	448	495	550	500
Income from Operations	23,587	27,877	32,886	38,525
Other income	120	196	200	150
Total Income	23,707	28,073	33,086	38,675
Total Expenditure	18,452	21,737	25,573	29,797
EBIDTA (Excl. Other Income)	5,135	6,140	7,313	8,728
EBIDTA (Incl. Other Income)	5,255	6,336	7,513	8,878
Interest	413	368	415	402
Gross Profit	4,842	5,968	7,098	8,476
Depreciation	671	866	1,027	1,172
Profit Before Tax & EO Items	4,170	5,102	6,072	7,304
Profit Before Tax	4,170	5,102	6,072	7,304
Tax	881	1,000	1,460	1,754
Net Profit	3,289	4,102	4,612	5,550
Share of associates	-9	0	0	0
Adj.Net Profit	3,298	4,102	4,612	5,550
Forex Losses/(Gains)	527	0	0	0
PAT	2,771	4,102	4,612	5,550

BALANCE SH	IFFT

Particulars	Mar12	Mar13E	Mar14E	Mar15E			
Sources of Funds							
Equity Capital	252	252	252	252			
Share Premium	436	436	436	436			
Other Reserves	11,852	15,293	19,099	23,696			
Net Worth	12,540	15,982	19,787	24,384			
Secured Loans	5,038	5,063	4,963	4,813			
Unsecured Loans	984	1,045	1,055	1,105			
Loan Funds	6,022	6,108	6,018	5,918			
Deferred Tax Liability	932	932	932	932			
Total Capital Employed	19,493	23,022	26,737	31,234			
Applications of Funds							
Gross Block	13,150	16,305	19,105	21,905			
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	3,945	4,811	5,837	7,009			
Net Block	9,205	11,494	13,267	14,896			
Capital Work in Progress	1,155	800	800	800			
Goodwill	236	236	236	236			
Investments	341	341	341	341			
Current Assets, Loans & Ad	vances						
Inventories	6,699	6,977	8,328	10,105			
Sundry Debtors	3,491	5,251	6,290	7,605			
Cash and Bank Balance	122	150	191	205			
Loans and Advances	2,025	2,125	2,225	2,425			
Other Current Assets							
sub total	12,337	14,503	17,035	20,341			
Less : Current Liabilities & P			17,000	20,541			
Current Liabilities	3,403	s 3,852	4,402	4,693			
Provisions	3,403	500	4,402 540	4,093			
sub total	3,780	4,352	4,942	5,379			
Net Current Assets	8,556	10,151	12,093	14,962			
Total Assets	19,493	23,022	26,737	31,234			

E-estimates

CASH FLOW				
Particulars	Mar12	Mar13E	Mar14E	Mar15E
Profit before tax	4,170	5,102	6,072	7,304
Depreciation & w.o.	671	866	1,027	1,172
Net Interest Exp	413	368	415	402
Direct taxes paid	-881	-1,000	-1,460	-1,754
Chg. in Working Capital	-435	-1,566	-1,901	-2,855
(A) CF from Opt. Activities	3,938	3,770	4,153	4,269
Capex	-3,289	-2,800	-2,800	-2,800
Free Cash Flow	649	970	1,353	1,469
(B) CF from Investing Activities	-3,289	-2,800	-2,800	-2,800
Issue of Equity/ Preference	13	0	0	0
Inc./(Dec.) in Debt	703	87	-90	-100
Interest exp net	-413	-368	-415	-402
Dividend Paid (Incl. Tax)	-468	-660	-807	-953
Other (Bal.fig)	-466	-0	-0	-0
(C) CF from Financing	-631	-941	-1,312	-1,455
Net Change in Cash	18	29	41	14
Opening Cash balances	104	122	150	191
Closing Cash balances	122	150	191	205
E-estimates				

IMPORTANT RATIOS

Particulars	Mar12	Mar13E	Mar14E	Mar15E
(A) Measures of Performance (%	6)			
Contribution Margin				
EBIDTA Margin (excl. O.I.)	21.8	22.0	22.2	22.7
EBIDTA Margin (incl. O.I.)	22.3	22.7	22.8	23.0
Interest / Sales	1.8	1.3	1.3	1.1
Gross Profit Margin	20.4	21.3	21.5	21.9
Tax/PBT	21.1	19.6	24.0	24.0
Net Profit Margin	14.0	14.7	14.0	14.4
(B) As Percentage of Net Sales				
Raw Material	38.7	39.3	39.5	39.7
Employee Expenses	14.2	14.2	13.9	13.5
Other Expenses	25.3	24.4	24.3	24.1
(C) Measures of Financial Status				
Debt / Equity (x)	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.2
Interest Coverage (x)	12.7	17.2	18.1	22.1
Average Cost Of Debt (%)	7.3	6.1	6.8	6.7
Debtors Period (days)	55	70	71	73
Closing stock (days)	106	93	94	97
Inventory Turnover Ratio (x)	3.5	3.9	3.9	3.8
Fixed Assets Turnover (x)	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7
Working Capital Turnover (x)	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5
Non Cash Working Capital (₹ Mn)	8,435	10,001	11,901	14,756
(D) Measures of Investment	0,100		,	,
	26.1	32.5	36.5	44.0
EPS (₹) (excl EO) EPS (₹)	20.1	32.5	36.5	44.0 44.0
CEPS (₹)	31.5	32.5 39.4	44.7	44.0 53.3
DPS (₹)	31.5	4.5	44.7 5.5	6.5
Dividend Payout (%)	3.z 14.5	13.8	15.0	14.8
Profit Ploughback (%)	85.5	86.2	85.0	85.2
Book Value (₹)	99.4	126.6	156.8	193.2
RoANW (%)	28.6	28.8	25.8	25.1
ROACE (%)	20.0	20.0	25.0	26.6
RoAIC (%) (Excl Cash & Invest.)	25.5	25.9	26.3	26.8
	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0
(E) Valuation Ratios CMP (₹)	505	505	505	505
P/E(x)	505 19.3	505 15.5	13.8	505 11.5
Market Cap. (₹ Mn.)	63,706	63,731	63,731	63,731
MCap/ Sales (x)	2.8	2.3	2.0	1.7
EV (₹ Mn.)	2.8 69,606	2.3 69,689	2.0 69,557	69,443
EV/Sales (x)	69,606 3.0	2.5	69,557	69,443 1.8
EV/EBDITA(x)	3.0 13.6	2.5 11.3	2.2 9.5	1.c 8.0
P/BV (x)	5.1	4.0	9.5 3.2	2.6
Dividend Yield (%)	5.1 0.6	4.0 0.9	3.2 1.1	2.0 1.3
E-estimates	0.0	0.9	1.1	1.3



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SELL	Downside of more than 15%
REDUCE	Upside of upto 5% or downside of upto 15%
ACCUMULATE	Upside above 5% and up to 20%
BUY	Upside above 20%

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