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BCB FINANCE LTD.

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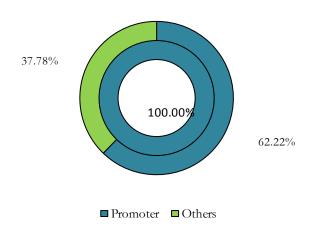


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ISSUE DETAILS		
Issue price	Rs. per share	25.00
Face value	Rs. per share	10.00
No. of shares offered	No. in lakhs	35.40
Total no. of shares		
(post issue)	No. in lakhs	115.03
Issue size	Rs. crores	8.85
Pre-issue net-worth	Rs. crores	11.04
Post-issue net-worth	Rs. crores	19.89

Source: Draft Red Herring Prospectus (DRHP)

SHAREHOLDING PATTERN



Inner ring represent pre-issue shareholding pattern, outer ring represents post-issue shareholding pattern.

Source: DRHP

FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT							
(Rs. lakhs)	FY08	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12		
Total income	11.4	1.0	1.5	1.5	2.4		
Operating profit	9.2	(0.3)	0.3	0.3	0.8		
Adjusted PAT	6.6	(0.3)	0.2	0.2	0.6		
Adjusted EPS* (Rs.)	8.3	(0.4)	0.3	0.3	0.5		
Dividend, incl. tax	-	-	-	-	-		
P/BV (times)	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.4		

Source: DRHP and CARE Research; Valuation ratios calculated @ IPO price of Rs.25 per share. EPS has been adjusted for bonus shares

BACKGROUND AND BUSINESS OVERVIEW

BCB Finance was originally incorporated on November 25, 2005, as a private limited company. The company was subsequently converted into a public limited company, and consequently, the name was changed to BCB Finance Limited vide fresh certificate of incorporation dated June 06, 2011. BCB Finance operates as a Non Deposit taking Non-systemically Important Non-Banking Finance Company (NBFC-NDNSI) engaged primarily in the business of advancing loans and investing/trading in securities. BCB Finance provides its shareholders with the opportunity to participate in a diverse portfolio of investments and gain access to a defined investment process and the investment experience of the management team. The company is the NBFC arm promoted by the Bagri Family in order to carry out their financing and investment activities and in order to bring in the benefits of synergies from their brokerage and other businesses

IPO OBJECTIVE	
	Rs. Crore
Augment capital base and provide fund	
requirements	7.50
Issue-related expenses	0.70
General corporate expenses	0.65

Source: DRHP

INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

The activities of non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) in India have undergone qualitative changes over the years through functional specialization. The role of NBFCs as effective financial intermediaries has been well recognized as they have inherent ability to take quicker decisions, assume greater risks, and customize their services and charges more according to the needs of the clients. While these features, as compared to the banks, have contributed to the proliferation of NBFCs, their flexible structures allow them to unbundle services provided by banks and market the components on a competitive basis. The distinction between banks and non-banks has been gradually getting blurred since both the segments of the financial system engage themselves in many similar types of activities. At present, NBFCs in India have become prominent in a wide range of activities like hire-purchase finance, equipment lease finance, loans, investments etc. The importance of NBFCs in delivering credit to the unorganized sector and to small borrowers at the local level in response to local requirements is well recognized. The rising importance of this segment calls for increased regulatory attention and focused supervisory scrutiny in the interests of financial stability and depositor protection.





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Key milestones of the company

Year	Milestone
2005	Incorporation as "BCB Finance Pvt. Ltd."
2006	Received RBI License to carry NBFC Activities (Non Deposit Taking Non Systemic)
2008	Total asset base crosses the Rs.10 crore mark.
2011	Conversion of the Company into a Public Limited Company

Source: DRHP

BUSINESS OVERVIEW

BCB Finance is a NBFC registered with RBI to carry on NBFC Activities under Section 451A of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934. The company operates as a Non Deposit taking Non-systemically Important Non-Banking Finance Company (NBFC-NDNSI) engaged primarily in the business of advancing loans and investing/trading in securities.

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BCB Finance operates out of its office located in Mumbai.

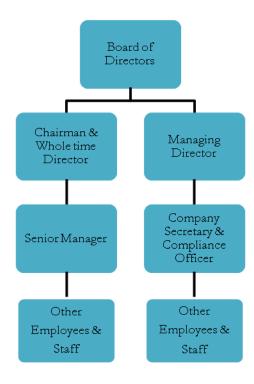




MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE

As on February 11, 2012, the company had three employees.

Organization structure



Source: DRHP

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

BCB Finance has a Five-member Board, and more than half of the Board comprises Independent Directors. The company also has three sub-committees under the Board, i.e. Audit Committee, Shareholders' Grievances Committee and Remuneration Committee. All the three committees are headed by the Independent Directors, as per the listing guidelines of the exchange.

Board of Directors

Person	Age	Qualification	Role
Mr Bharat Bagri	62	M.Com.	Chairman & Whole Time Director
Mr Uttam Bagri	36	B.Com, PGDM (IIM-A)	Managing Director
Mr Haresh Sanghvi	58	B.Com, M.Com, LL.B., FCS	Independent Director
Mr Kalpesh Ranka	32		Independent Director
Mr Suresh Ahiya	88	Matriculate	Independent Director

Source: DRHP and CARE Research

There are no contingent liabilities or litigations against the company however there are litigations against its promoters/promoter group or directors.





IPO DETAILS

Size

The issue comprises an offer for sale of 35.4 lakh equity shares of face value of Rs.10 each at a fixed price of Rs.25 per share. This would constitute 30.78% of the post-issue paid-up capital.

Terms

The offer comprises 35.4 lakh equity shares of face value of Rs.10 each to be issued at a price of Rs.25 per share, of which 6.4 lakh equity shares are reserved for market makers of the issue and remaining 29 lakh equity shares, i.e. the net issue would be available for subscription by public. The net issue would constitute 25.21% of the post-issue equity share capital.

The issue is being made through fixed-price process, and at least 50% of the net issue to public would be available to allocation on proportionate basis to retail individual applicants.

The trading lot for the issue has been fixed at 4,000 equity shares.

Objective

The main objects of the issue are as follows:

Particulars	Rs. crore
Augment capital base and provide fund requirements for increasing operational scale with respect to NBFC	
activities	7.50
Issue-related expenses	0.70
General corporate expenses	0.65

Source: DRHP

Means of Finance

Particulars	Rs. crore
IPO	8.85

Source: DRHP

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As per the DRHP, the fund requirements and the intended use of the proceeds of this issue have been estimated internally by the company's management and have not been appraised by any bank or financial institution.





GROWTH DRIVERS

- Synergies with group companies to increase the opportunity to deploy funds and earn higher returns as the group has interest in both capital market and financial services.
- Leveraging long-term client relationship to grow loan portfolio.
- Rising High Networth Individuals in India.
- Maturing of Indian capital market and markets becoming deeper.

RISK AND CONCERNS

- The company has the risk of default and non-payment by borrowers and other counterparties which may lead to write-offs and/or provisions which could adversely affect profitability and asset quality.
- The company is largely dependent on its major clients, 82% and 58% of revenues in FY10 (refers to the period April 01, 2009 to March 31, 2010) and FY11 respectively, resulting in concentration risk.
- Changes made by RBI in the regulations governing NBFC could have an adverse effect on the business.
- The business is vulnerable to interest rate risk which affects net interest income.
- The company operates in a highly fragmented market and intense competition from existing and new entities could adversely affect revenues and profitability.

FUTURE STRATEGY AND EXPANSION PLANS

As per the DRHP, BCB Finance plans to:

- Make investment in accordance with investment process which will aim to invest in a diversified portfolio of securities (quoted and unquoted) of companies which are expected to give superior returns.
- Expand its loan portfolio to target high net worth individuals with impeccable credit track record to whom the company may advance funds both secured/ unsecured based on the risk profile.
- The company also seeks opportunities in the niche segment of IPO funding with further deepening and maturity of the capital markets.

Management speak: "BCB Finance operates as a Non Deposit taking Non-systemically Important Non Banking Finance Company (NBFC-NDNSI) engaged primarily in the business of advancing loans and investing/trading in securities. Our company provides its shareholders with the opportunity to participate in a diverse portfolio of investments and gain access to a defined investment process and the investment experience of the management team. Our company is the NBFC Arm promoted by the Bagri Family in order to carry out their financing and investment activities and in order to bring in the benefits of synergies from their brokerage and other businesses."





INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

Indian Capital Markets

In the recent years, the capital markets have also undergone substantial reforms in regulation and supervision. There are 23 recognized Stock Exchanges in India, including the Over-the-Counter Exchange of India ("OTCEI") for small and new companies and the NSE, which was set-up as a model exchange to provide nation-wide services to investors. In 2003, the National Commodity and Derivative Exchange ("NCDEX"), an online Multi-Commodity Exchange ("MCX") for trading of various commodities was also established. The primary segment of the capital markets in India has been witnessing a surge in activities driven by the strong fundamentals of the Indian economy, a buoyant secondary market, and revival of structural reforms by the government and an investor-friendly framework provided by SEBI. In addition, sustained growth of the corporate sector and its increasing capital requirements have resulted in a record level of capital raising from the primary equity market in the present year.

NBFC

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Overall growth drivers are:

- Accelerated growth in the Indian economy.
- Tailor-made services to clients.
- Maturing of Indian capital market and markets becoming deeper.





FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

- In FY12, BCB Finance reported revenue from operations of Rs.2.4 crore.
- Employee cost forms the largest portion of cost for BCB Finance. In FY12, employee cost as a percentage of revenue from operations was at 39.7%.
- The company reported PAT margins of 25.2% in FY12.
- The company has a debt of Rs.1.02 crore on its book in FY12.
- The company has not paid dividend since the last five years.





FINANCIAL STATISTICS Income statement (Rs. crore) 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 Total income 1.54 2.43 11.40 0.98 1.47 Interest expended 0.730.550.08 0.23 0.28Operating profit 9.16 -0.31 0.28 0.29 0.83 Depreciation 0.020.000.010.03 0.01 **PBT** 9.14 -0.31 0.27 0.26 0.82 Ordinary PAT 6.63 -0.31 0.22 0.23 0.61 Adjusted PAT -0.32 0.22 0.23 6.63 0.61 Adjusted EPS* (Rs.) 0.5 8.3 0.3 0.3 Dividend, including tax

Balance sheet

(Rs. crore)	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Tangible net worth	9.8	10.5	10.7	11.0	20.1
Debt	6.1	0.0	3.7	2.8	1.0
Deferred tax liabilities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total capital employed	15.9	10.5	14.4	13.7	21.1
Net fixed assets (incl. refundable security deposits)	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0
Investments	0.0	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.0
Inventory	0.3	1.0	4.0	4.0	7.0
Receivables	3.3	4.0	2.9	2.1	8.3
Cash and cash equivalents	15.3	7.1	5.9	6.4	6.0
Current assets, loans and advances	18.9	12.0	12.8	12.5	21.3
Less: Current liabilities and provisions	3.1	3.1	0.1	0.1	1.2
Total assets	15.9	10.5	14.4	13.7	21.1

Ratios analysis

	2009	2010	2011	2012
Growth in net operating income	-91.4%	57.1%	-4.5%	65.3%
Growth in operating profit	NM	NM	3.6%	20.0%
Growth in PAT	NM	NM	4.5%	166.0%
Growth in EPS	NM	NM	4.5%	84.1%
PAT margin	NM	14.3%	15.6%	25.2%
Return on capital employed (RoCE)	NM	1.8%	1.6%	3.5%
Return on equity (RoE)	NM	2.1%	2.1%	3.9%
Price/Book value(P/BV) (times)	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.4

Source: DRHP and CARE Research; Valuation ratios are calculated @ IPO price of Rs.25 per share.

NM: Non Meaningful



^{*} Calculated based on Ordinary PAT on Current Face Value of Rs.10/- per share, EPS has been adjusted for bonus shares



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