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# **IOCL Ltd**

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**BUY** 

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1Q/F14 result review

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Current price	Rs	211
Target price	Rs	293
Upside/(downside)	%	39

#### Market data

Earning estimate

Mkt capitalisation	Rs bn	511.7
Average daily vol	'000	469.4
52-week h/w	Rs	375 / 186
Shares O/S	mn	2428.0
Free float	mn	511.8
Promotor holding	%	78.9
Foreign holding	%	2.0
Face value	Rs	10.0

### Price performance (%)

	1m	3m	6m	1yr
Nifty (abs)	(4.8)	(4.5)	(2.9)	6.4
Stock (abs)	(5.8)	(30.5)	(33.4)	(17.3)
Relative to Index	(1.0)	(26.0)	(30.5)	(23.7)

#### Performance



Source: Bloomberg, SSL

# Forex losses lead to lower margins

IOCL's losses YoY reduced in 1QF14 to Rs30.9bn due to improvement in the GRM and lower underrecovery. Government's intention to reduce the subsidy burden by hiking the prices of HSD is expected to improve Indian Oil Corporation Limited's (IOCL) earnings visibility; leading to rerating of the stock. For every Rs1/litre increase in high speed diesel (HSD) price, the EPS improves by 4%. Our call is further backed by the company's comfortable balance sheet.

The stock is currently trading at 0.8x P/BV and PER of 9.9x F14e earnings, which is a near 5 year trough valuation. We recommend Buy with a sum-of-the-part (SOTP) based target price of Rs293.

Revenue growth driven by rising sales volume and lower underrecovery: IOCL's revenue grew by 14%YoY to Rs1,106bn. The increase in revenues was driven by strong sales volume of 19.8MMT (increase of 2% YoY) and low underrecovery of only Rs12.1bn compared to Rs174.8bn in 1Q F13. The increase in sales volume was driven by an increase of 11.9%YoY in MS sales volume and 3.3% YoY for HSD.

**EBITDA shows improvement:** EBITDA improved to loss of Rs11.7bn from loss of Rs170.5bn. The improvement in EBITDA was driven partially by improvement in GRM (USD1.67/bbl in 1QF14 from USD (4.81)/bbl in 1QF13). This was partially offset by the forex loss of Rs40.2bn (compared to Rs31.9bn in 1QF13). The improvement in EBITDA margin also included one time recovery of Rs4.36bn for the recovery of entry tax from Uttar Pradesh Government.

Forex remains the key risk: The recent decline in the forex has increased the underrecovery. This has been further compounded by the volatility in the forex rate which has increased uncertainty on the earnings growth. We expect that the recent steps taken by the government will help in stabilising the forex market leading to better earnings visibility.

Attractive valuation; expect stock to get rerated: The stock is currently trading at P/BV of 0.8x and PER of 9.9x F14 earnings, which is near 5 year trough valuation. We believe the stock will get rerated based on: 1) expected improvement in the earnings visibility due to the Government's intention to reduce the subsidy burden, and 2) IOCL's comfortable balance sheet. We maintain Buy with target price of Rs293.

# **Financial Summary**

Y/E March (Rs mn)	F12	F13e	F14e	F15e
Sales	4,058,568	4,617,797	4,618,061	4,748,041
EBITDA Margin (%)	5.3	3.4	3.6	3.8
PAT	42,260	44,602	51,377	45,816
EPS (Rs)	17.4	18.4	21.2	18.9
P/BV (x)	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7
EV/EBITDA (x)	4.5	6.4	6.6	7.0
Dividend yield (%)	2.4	3.0	3.3	2.9
RoE (%)	7.0	7.1	7.8	6.6
RoCE (%)	11.3	6.4	6.7	6.0
Source: Company, SSLe				

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# **Quarterly Financials**

Y/E March (Rs mn)	1QF14	1QF13	YoY (%)	4QF13	QoQ (%)
Revenues	1,104,666	966,028	14	1,286,810	(14)
Cost of sales	(999,670)	(1,073,238)	(7)	(1,036,776)	(4)
Gross profit	104,997	(107,210)	(198)	250,035	(58)
Gross margin	10	(11)		19	(51)
Employee expenses	(17,309)	(13,316)	30	(31,464)	(45)
Other expenses	(99,347)	(49,965)	99	(51,052)	95
EBITDA	(11,660)	(170,490)	(93)	167,518	(107)
EBITDA margin(%)	(1)	(18)		13	(108)
Depreciation	(13,858)	(12,775)	8	(13,128)	6
Interest expense	(14,702)	(18,491)	(20)	(13,766)	7
Other income	4,924	9,117	(46)	10,930	(55)
PBT	(35,295)	(192,639)	(82)	151,554	(123)
Exceptional item	4,363	(31,870)	(114)	0	
Tax	0	0		(6,426)	(100)
PAT	(30,932)	(224,510)	(86)	145,128	(121)
Key highlights					
Product sales	19.84	19.44	2	19.24	3
Refinery throughput	13.13	13.58	(3)	13.75	(4)
Pipeline throughput	18.58	18.58	(0)	19.16	(3)
GRM (USD/bbl)	1.67	(4.81)	135	2.39	(30)

Source: Company, SSL

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Income Statement					Cash Flow Statement				
Y/E March (Rs mn)	F12	F13e	F14e	F15e	Y/E March (Rs mn)	F12	F13e	F14e	F15e
Net sales	4,058,568	4,617,797	4,618,061	4,748,041	Profit after Tax	42,653	36,384	54,294	47,782
Growth YoY (%)	32	14	0	3	Depreciation	54,895	58,915	58,682	75,864
Operating costs	3,757,539	4,339,360	4,348,465	4,453,747	Other Income	59,286	(15,964)	(34,856)	(34,387)
Staff expenses	53,001	77,839	61,261	66,220	Interest	58,947	70,835	69,686	77,557
Other expenses	34,948	41,657	40,009	45,848	Working capital changes	(39,672)	(8,378)	928	(49,715)
EBITDA	213,080	158,940	168,326	182,225	others	(17,547)	3,629	700	700
EBITDA (%)	5	3	4	4	Operating Cash Flow	158,561	145,422	149,434	117,800
Depreciation	54,895	58,915	58,682	75,864	Capital Expenditure	(161,344)	(133,072)	(191,859)	(211,388)
EBIT	158,185	100,025	109,645	106,361	Investments	(5,336)	-	-	-
EBIT (%)	4	2	2	2	Other income	(59,286)	15,964	34,856	34,387
Net interest expense	58,947	70,835	69,686	- 77,557	Cash flow from investnents	(225,966)	(117,108)	(157,004)	(177,001)
Other income	48,800	35,116	36,971	36,334	Equity	0	0	(137,004)	(177,001)
Other adjustments	108,086	19,153	2,115	1,947	• •	222,298	133,316	29,833	128,962
Earnings before tax	•	·	· ·	•	Debt	•	•	•	•
· ·	39,953	45,154	74,815	63,191	Interest expense	(58,947)	(70,835)	(69,686)	(77,557)
Tax- total	(2,700)	8,770	20,520	15,409	Dividends	(14,890)	(17,975)	(19,885)	(17,044)
Rate of tax (%)	(7)	19	27	24	Cash flow from financing	148,462	44,505	(59,737)	34,360
Net profit	42,653	36,384	54,294	47,782	Total Cash Generation	81,057	72,820	(67,307)	(24,840)
interest	(393)	8,217	(2,917)	(1,966)	Opening Cash Balance	273,378	354,435	427,255	359,947
Net profit for group	42,260	44,602	51,377	45,816	Balance	354,435	427,255	359,947	335,108
Balance Sheet					Key ratios				
Y/E March (Rs mn)	F12	F13e	F14e	F15e	Y/E March	F12	F13e	F14e	F15e
Share capital	24,280	24,280	24,280	24,280	O/S shares	2,428	2,428	2,428	2,428
surplus	579,454	606,080	637,573	666,345	EBITDA margin (%)	5.3	3.4	3.6	3.8
Net worth	603,734	630,360	661,853	690,625	ROCE (%)	11.3	6.4	6.7	6.0
Loans	800,675	933,990	963,823	1,092,785	Interest coverage (x)	2.7	1.4	1.6	1.4
Minority Interest	19,437	11,220	14,137	16,103	Net Debt/Equity (x)	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.1
Deferred tax liability	59,696	63,325	64,025	64,725	Debtors days	10	8	10	10
employed	1,483,541	1,638,895	1,703,838	1,864,238	Inventory days	62	57	60	63
					Creditor days	44	48	46	48
Net fixed assets	882,433	956,590	1,089,768	1,225,292					
Goodwill	244	244	244	244					
Investments	53,814	53,814	53,814	53,814	Key ratios				
Current assets					Y/E March				
loans and adv.	1,261,620	1,367,750	1,366,336	1,408,219		F12	F13e	F14e	F15e
Inventories	638,510	675,670	713,766	768,495	P/E	12.1	11.4	9.9	11.1
Debtors Cash and bank	115,518 354,435	106,663 427,255	124,309 359,947	126,151 335,108	Price/BV EV/EBITDA	0.8 4.5	0.8 6.4	0.8 6.6	0.7 7.0
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Loans and advances	145,234	152,577	162,577	172,577	Yield (%)	2.4	3.0	3.3	2.9
Current investments					Market Cap/Sales	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
and others	7,923	5,585	5,737	5,888		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
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prov. Current liabilities	714,725 560,697	739,657 635,141	806,478 695,583	823,486 716,554	-				
Provisions	154,028	104,516	110,895	106,932	Y/E March NPM (%)	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0
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Net current assets	546,895	628,093	559,858	584,733	Asset turnover (x)	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5
Miscellaneous	154	154	154	154	Leverage (x)	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7
Total capital	4 400 544	4 600 005	4 700 000	4 004 000	RoE(%)	7.0	7.1	7.8	6.6
employed	1,483,541	1,638,895	1,703,838	1,864,238					

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### **Recommendation History**



Rating based on Current Rating System (Feb'13)

Date	Stock Price	TP	Rec.
1-Jul-13	223	293	BUY
14-Aug-13	211	293	BUY

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