

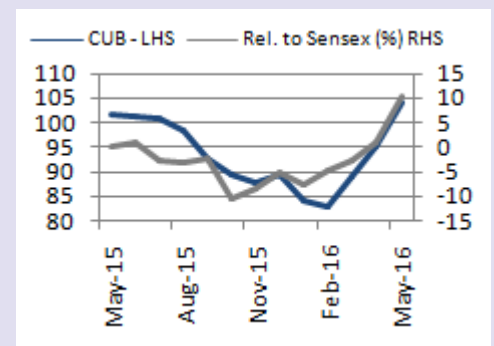
City Union Bank

BSE SENSEX 25305	NIFTY 7749	CMP: INR105	TP: INR123 (+17%)	Buy							
Equity Shares (cr)	59.7	YEAR	NET INC	PAT	EPS	EPS	PE	BV	P/BV	ROA	ROE
52-Week Range (INR)	1028/406	END	(INRCr)	(INRCr)	(INR)	Gr.(%)	(X)	(INR)	(X)	(%)	(%)
1,6,12 Abs.Perf.(%)	15/37/114	FY16	1391	445	7.4	12	14.0	46	2.3	1.5	15.5
M.Cap. (Rs cr)	6,204	FY17E	1620	535	8.9	20	11.6	52	2.0	1.6	16.4
M.Cap. (US\$ b)	95	FY18E	1881	649	10.8	21	9.6	61	1.7	1.7	17.3

Result Highlights - In-line; Advances growth of 17% & NIM expansion drives Adj. PAT growth of 27%

- CUB's Net Income at INR372cr (+20% YoY) is 5% above our estimate of INR355cr on the back of a 17% growth in loan book and 56bp expansion in NIMs to 3.96% on a YoY basis.
- Lower OPEX (+12% YoY) added onto strong beat in Pre Provisioning Profits at INR224cr, an increase of 25% YoY as against our estimate of INR209cr.
- Provisions grew 22% at INR 71cr. Adjusting for one off income in 4QFY15 worth INR 11cr, 4QFY16 PAT came in at 112cr +27% YoY against our estimate of INR110cr, a beat of 2%.
- Asset quality remains stable with GNPA's of 2.41% vs 2.37% QoQ. NIMs were healthy at 3.96% on the back of lower than anticipated decline in yields.

INRCr	4QFY15	3QFY16	4QFY16	YoY	QoQ	FY15	FY16	YoY
Interest Income	688	747	756	10	1	3,103	3,354	8
Interest Expense	484	494	492	2	(0)	1,891	1,963	4
Net Interest Income	205	253	264	29	5	1,211	1,391	15
Other Income	105	103	107	2	4	-	-	-
Net Income	310	356	372	20	4	1,211	1,391	15
Operating Expenses	131	149	148	12	(1)	519	558	7
Operating Profit	179	207	224	25	8	693	833	20
Provisions	58	65	71	22	9	183	231	26
Profit Before Tax	121	142	153	27	8	510	603	18
Tax Provisions	33	29	41	26	41	126	158	25
Net Profit	88	113	112	27	(1)	384	445	16
Loan Growth (%)	12	14	17			12	17	
NIMs (%)	3.4	3.8	4.0			3.5	3.4	
C/I Ratio (%)	42	42	40			43	40	
Gross NPAs (%)	1.86	2.37	2.41			1.9	2.3	



Valuation & View

- Lower exposure to corporates (6% mix) and higher focus on MSME (55% mix) has enabled CUB to stand out among other small private banks. The bank has consciously reduced its share of corporate and gold book from 36% in FY13 to 16% in FY16. Excluding these 2 segments, loan growth for the bank stood at a robust 21%/23% in FY15/FY16. We expect CUB's overall loan book /profits to grow at a CAGR of 20%/21% respectively over FY16-18E.
- Strong track record of healthy advances growth, stable margins, coupled with healthy asset quality over the last many years makes CUB our preferred choice over many PSU & old generation private banks. CAR of 15.6% would enable growth without any dilution over the next three years.
- We maintain 'Buy' on the stock and revise out price target to INR 123 (earlier INR 105 based on FY17 ABV) based on 2.0x FY18E ABV. (20% discount to large private banks).

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