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Awaiting a growth oriented Budget

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SUMMARY

India Economics: Weekly Wrap

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TOP PICKS

LARGE-CAP IDEAS

Company	Rating	Target
Cipla	Buy	570
Eicher Motors	Buy	25,000
Petronet LNG	Buy	400
Reliance Industries	Buy	1,860
TCS	Add	2,390

MID-CAP IDEAS

Company	Rating	Target
Alkem Labs	Buy	2,290
Future Supply	Buy	680
Greenply Industries	Buy	210
Laurus Labs	Buy	480
Ashok Leyland	Sell	68

Source: BOBCAPS Research

DAILY MACRO INDICATORS

Indicator	Current	2D (%)	1M (%)	12M (%)
US 10Y yield (%)	1.68	(5bps)	(22bps)	(107bps)
India 10Y yield (%)	6.58	(2bps)	0bps	(75bps)
USD/INR	71.33	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.2)
Brent Crude (US\$/bbl)	60.69	(2.2)	(9.7)	(1.5)
Dow	28,990	(0.6)	1.7	17.2
Shanghai	2,977	(2.7)	(0.2)	14.4
Sensex	41,613	0.5	0.4	15.5
India FII (US\$ mn)	23 Jan	MTD	CYTD	FYTD
FII-D	35.9	(1,555.5)	(1,555.5)	1,388.6
FII-E	210.1	2,150.6	2,150.6	9,539.8

Source: Bank of Baroda Economics Research

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Markets

- **Bonds:** Global yields closed lower amidst reducing risk appetite over spread of coronavirus. US 10Y yield fell by 14bps (1.68%). Oil prices fell by (-) 6.4% to US\$ 61/bbl due to rising shale production. India's 10Y yield fell by 4bps (6.58%), in-line with global yields. System liquidity surplus was at Rs 2.8tn as on 24 Jan 2020 vs Rs 3.1tn in the previous week.
- **Currency:** Except GBP and JPY, other global currencies closed lower this week. DXY rose by 0.3% in the week as US existing home sales and economic data surprised positively. CNY fell by (-) 0.9% on the back of risks emerging from spread of Coronavirus. INR depreciated by (-) 0.4% in the week even as oil prices fell sharply (-6.4% WoW). FII inflows were US\$ 651mn.
- **Equity:** Barring Dax, global indices ended lower this week led by concerns over the outbreak of Coronavirus. Shanghai Comp dropped the most (-3.2%) followed by Dow (-1.2%) and FTSE (-1.2%). Sensex (-0.8%) too slipped and ended the week in red owing to weak corporate earnings.
- **Upcoming key events:** In the current week, markets will await durable goods orders and GDP data in the US, manufacturing PMI data in China and retail sales print in Japan. Apart from this, Fed and BoE policy are also scheduled. On the domestic front, first revised estimate of GDP, Economic Survey and Union Budget will the guide markets.



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DR REDDY'S LABS

Pharmaceuticals

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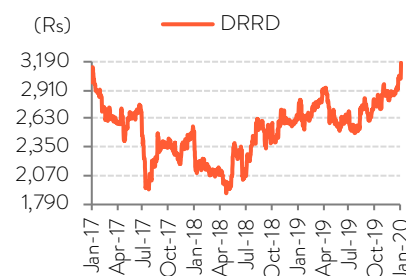
US miss and US\$ 156mn impairment charge on gNuvaring: US revenue was 5% below estimates at US\$ 225mn (up 10% QoQ led by deferred sales from Q2). DRRD launched 22 products in 9M and is on track for 30 launches in FY20 – management commented that while price erosion persists, the product mix has turned healthy. We expect US sales of US\$ 1.1bn by FY22 (10% CAGR over FY20, 5% ex-Copaxone, Nuvaring). DRRD has taken a US\$ 156mn charge on gNuvaring (83% of acquisition cost) due to generic competition, implying sharp reduction in FY21/FY22 amortisation cost (at least by Rs 7/sh p.a).

Ticker/Price	DRRD IN/Rs 3,189
Market cap	US\$ 7.4bn
Shares o/s	166mn
3M ADV	US\$ 25.2mn
52wk high/low	Rs 3,209/Rs 1,873
Promoter/FPI/DII	27%/27%/18%

Source: NSE

Q3 surprised positively on margins: Continued control over SG&A (up 7% YoY vs. 4% YoY in 9MFY20) and staff cost (up 3% YoY) led to 23.2% EBITDA margins (80bps beat). While the PSAI margin was close to historic highs of 31% (vs. avg. of 22%), the global generics margin expanded 270bps QoQ to 58.2%. Core EPS in Q3/9M was Rs 37/Rs 98 (ex-onetime income and 20% tax).

STOCK PERFORMANCE



Source: NSE

Earnings call takeaways: (1) Response on gNuvaring/Copaxone CRL likely in the near term. (2) Net carrying value on Nuvaring is US\$ 43.2mn. (3) More injectable launches expected in Europe. (4) Strong growth likely in Russia due to combination of both retail/B2B. (5) India business margins have further scope of improvement.

KEY FINANCIALS

Y/E 31 Mar	FY18A	FY19A	FY20E	FY21E	FY22E
Total revenue (Rs mn)	142,028	153,852	173,690	184,389	204,225
EBITDA (Rs mn)	22,869	31,333	41,629	41,255	47,244
Adj. net profit (Rs mn)	9,404	17,895	27,912	26,010	30,854
Adj. EPS (Rs)	56.7	107.8	168.1	156.7	185.9
Adj. EPS growth (%)	(20.1)	90.3	56.0	(6.8)	18.6
Adj. ROAE (%)	7.7	13.8	19.1	15.6	16.1
Adj. P/E (x)	56.3	29.6	19.0	20.4	17.2
EV/EBITDA (x)	23.7	17.9	13.2	13.1	10.9

Source: Company, BOBCAPS Research



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