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PORTFOLIO AND MARKET UPDATE

Indian markets corrected in June but fared relatively better than most markets. Selling by Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs) continued unabated (US\$6.3bn, 9th consecutive month of selling), matched y by Domestic Institutions buying US\$6bn, (16th consecutive month of buying). Some developed markets (including the US) are expecting sticky inflation, rising interest rates, and potentially a recession. In this context, India looks in better shape. Inflation may have just peaked in India with Consumer Price Inflation in May having moderated to 7.0% from 7.8% in April. The RBI projects Q4FY23 inflation to exit at 5.8%, inside its tolerance band of 2-6%. The recent fall in commodity prices augurs well. Economic activity continues to be strong. Goods and Services Tax (GST) collection in June came in at US\$17bn up 56% y-o-y. With this, 29% of the government's FY23 GST target has been achieved. India has also joined the growing bandwagon of countries imposing a tax on windfall profits in the oil sector in these 'extraordinary times'. This will help the fiscal maths substantially (~US\$17bn extra revenue). In June, we have made minor changes to our positions to accommodate a new stock, Triveni Turbine, a capital goods company manufacturing steam turbines for industrial captive and renewable power. This month, we discuss our top holding, Reliance Industries in the context of the windfall profit tax.

HOLDING IN FOCUS: Reliance Industries

The government has imposed excise duty on exports of refined petroleum products. Due to the ongoing geopolitical situation, the Singapore Gross Refining Margin (GRM) increased from ~US\$8/ bbl to ~US\$25/bbl in recent months. The refining segment is expected to contribute ~28% of the total EBITDA for Reliance Industries (RIL) in FY23E, and it exports ~60% of its refining production. The export tax will effectively deny Reliance 60-70% (US\$7-8/bbl) of the upside in refining margins which could have potentially accrued to Reliance. However, because the increase in refining margins was viewed as "transitory or not sustainable", we had assumed only US\$14/bbl as refining margins for FY23 and US\$12/bbl for FY24. (Refining margins have averaged around ~US\$9-10/bbl for Reliance historically). Thus, there is no change in Ocean Dial's estimates or our investment thesis. If the GRMs stay above US\$20/bbl+ for another quarter estimates will likely be raised for FY23. Our investment case is based on the company's undergoing transformation from generating global cyclical cash flows to secular domestic consumption-oriented cash flows. We maintain our earnings estimates and expect EBIDTA CAGR of 25% over FY22-FY24, without imputing any windfall gains.

CLASS A US\$ PERFORMANCE SINCE OCTOBER 2019 (%)



PERFORMANCE (%)

	1m	3m	6m	1yr	2yr	31/10/2019 ²
Class A US\$1	(6.1)	(15.9)	(23.3)	(15.8)	43.6	15.2
S&P BSE-500 US\$ ³	(6.7)	(13.6)	(15.7)	(6.4)	51.8	24.3
ISHARES MSCI INDIA ETF	(5.0)	(11.7)	(14.1)	(11.0)	35.7	13.6

1 Class A US\$ was launched on 10 September 2012. 2 Commencement of Portfolio Adviser Tridib Pathak. 3 With effect from 1 July 2020, S&P BSE-500 Index is the Fund's benchmark.

TOPICAL COMMENT

MONTHLY BOOK REVIEW 10 July

The Most Important Thing - Uncommon Sense for the Thoughtful Investor.

HOOD-INAR CATCH UP

Moderated by James Crabtree; Jim Walker, Tanvi Madan, and Tridib Pathak debate India's Russian ties, US-China rivalry and their implications on the India Investment story.



NET ASSET VALUE

The Net Asset Value (NAV) per Class A US\$ share as at 30 June 2022 was US201.42. In June the NAV was down 6.12% whilst the S&P BSE-500 was down 6.75%. In local currency, the NAV was down 4.57%.

FUND INFORMATION

UCITS ICAV
Ireland
Daily
US\$21.1m
US\$106.9m
US\$242.1m
10 September 2012
31 October 2019
Ocean Dial Asset Management
Tridib Pathak
S&P BSE-500 Index
0.90%
US\$, GBP, EUR

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Number of holdings	26
Median market cap	US\$6.0bn
PE FY23E	20.2
ROE FY23E	17.9%
Tracking Error	4.8%
Active Share	73.6%
Standard Deviation (Daily annualised)	23.8%

INDIA HIGHLIGHT

	MTD	YTD
s US\$ [stronger, er)]	/ (1.7%)	(6.2%)
t flows (US\$m)	(6,342)	(28,556)
et flows (US\$m)	5,969	30,318
flation 3m avg)	7.04%	7.26%
Q4 FY22		4.1%
nt account/GDI /22	P	(1.2%)

Source: Ocean Dial Asset Management Limited





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QUARTERLY ATTRIBUTION - 3 MONTHS TO 30 JUNE 2022 (%)

TOP 5	Ave. weight	Ave. index weight	Return	Contri- bution
Neuland Laboratories	3.39	0.00	10.07	0.11
Eicher Motors	1.91	0.34	1.55	0.11
Westlife Development	4.81	0.03	(0.38)	0.04
Cash-USD	(0.82)	0.00	0.00	0.00
Triveni Turbine	0.09	0.02	1.41	(0.01)

BOTTOM 5	Ave. weight	Ave. index weight	Return	Contri- bution
HCL Technologies	6.13	1.06	(18.37)	(1.17)
Axis Bank	6.29	1.77	(19.66)	(1.23)
Tech Mahindra	3.18	0.69	(35.96)	(1.32)
Indusind Bank	7.23	0.51	(18.45)	(1.42)
Can Fin Homes	4.05	0.05	(35.16)	(1.59)

Source: Ocean Dial Asset Management Limited, Statpro

TOP TEN HOLDINGS

Portfolio company	Weight	Characteristics	Market cap
Reliance Industries	7.8%	Business transformation of India's largest company into a new economy play	US\$222bn
Bharti Airtel	6.5%	Strengthened survivor in a consolidating market, set to grow ARPU and market share going forwards	US\$49bn
Indusind Bank	6.1%	Fifth largest private sector bank in India and poised to gain market share. Value play with ebbing asset quality concerns	US\$8bn
Axis Bank Ltd	6.0%	Third largest private bank in India and poised to gain market share. Bridging the gap with peers to lead to a re-rating	US\$25bn
Westlife Development	5.0%	McDonald's in India, beneficiary of growing fast food and delivery consumption trend in India	US\$982m
HCL Technologies	4.9%	IT services company benefitting from 'digital transformation' of businesses globally	US\$33bn
ICICI Bank	4.7%	Second largest private sector bank, attractively valued, well poised to capture recovery in credit growth	US\$62bn
Affle India Ltd	4.6%	India's leading advertising technology company with high growth and profitability	US\$2bn
Eicher Motors	4.4%	Premium motorcycle brand, attractively valued, seeing a recovery in sales momentum and margins.	US\$10bn
HDFC Bank	4.2%	Largest private sector bank, consistent compounder	US\$95bn

PORTFOLIO ANALYSIS (%)



PRINCIPAL ADVISER

Tridib Pathak is the Principal Advisor to the Gateway to India Fund and has over 30 years' experience in managing Indian listed equity assets for domestic and international investors. He joined Ocean Dial in 2019 from the Enam Group, where he was a senior portfolio manager. His previous roles included CIO of Lotus Asset Management (a JV with Temasek's Fullerton Fund Management) and CIO of DBS Cholamandalam, a JV with DBS of Singapore. He is a Chartered Accountant from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and holds a degree in Commerce from Bombay University.



The investment manager believes that in India, optimal returns will be generated over time by investing in companies that are well placed to benefit from the structural growth potential of the Indian economy, combined with the highest quality of management best able to exploit this opportunity. The fund uses a consistent and disciplined bottom up stock picking process to select investments from our best ideas, unconstrained by a benchmark.

FUND MANAGER

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Class A Ticker	ODGTIAU ID		

ADMINISTRATOR

Apex Fund Services







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SOURCES

Source of all performance and portfolio analysis: Ocean Dial Asset Management Limited, Bloomberg.

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