

Press Release

Performance Highlights for Q4 FY 13 and FY 2013

- ***** TOTAL BUSINESS CROSSES Rs. 7.00 LAC CRORE.
- DOMESTIC CASA SHARE ABOVE 40%.
- OPERATING PROFIT FOR FY ABOVE Rs 10000 CRORE.
- NET INTEREST MARGIN CONTINUES TO BE ABOVE 3.50%.
- NET INTEREST INCOME FOR Q4 GROWS BY 14.2%.
- RETURN ON ASSETS STOOD AT 1.0%.
- **GROSS & NET NPAs SHOW DECLINE OVER PREVIOUS QUARTER**

Business	:	Rs. 700285 crore	1	4.0%
Domestic CASA Share	:	40.86%	1	
Operating Profit (FY)	:	Rs.10907 crore	1	2.8%
Net Interest Margin (FY)	:	3.52%	1	
Book Value per Share	:	Rs. 884.03	1	13.7%
Clientele base	:	80 million		

Profitability

Q4FY13

- Net Profit of the Bank for the quarter ended March 2013 (Q4 FY'13) amounted to Rs. 1131 crore as against Rs 1424 crore last year. Net Profit from Core Operations (i.e. excluding treasury trading profit and depreciation on investments) at Rs 1054 crore for Q4FY13 was marginally lower than Rs 1063 crore in the corresponding period Q4FY12
- Operating Profit for Q4 FY'13 stood at Rs 2852 crore as against Rs 2936 crore in Q4 FY'12 and Rs 2682 crore in the previous quarter (Q3FY13).
- Total income during Q4 FY'13 rose by 5.5 % to Rs. 11553 crore due to a growth of 7.2% in Interest Income.
- Net Interest Income during Q4 FY'13 rose by 14.2% to reach Rs 3779 crore as against Rs 3310 Crore in Q4 FY'12.

FY13

- **Net Profit** of the Bank for Financial Year ended March 2013 amounted to **Rs. 4748 crore** as compared to Rs 4884 crore last year.
- Operating profit of the Bank during the Financial Year ended March 2013 grew by 2.8% to reach Rs.10907 crore from Rs 10614 crore in March'12.
- Total income during FY'13 rose by 13.3 % to Rs. 46109 crore due to a growth of 14.9% in Interest Income.
- Net Interest Income during FY'13 rose by 10.8% to reach Rs 14857 crore as against Rs 13414
 Crore in FY'12.

Business

- **Total Business** of the Bank reached **Rs.700285** crore as against Rs. 673363 crore in March 2012, showing a y-o-y growth of 4.0 %.
- **Deposits** of the Bank rose to **Rs. 391560 crore** as on 31.03.2013 from Rs 379588 crore as on 31.03.2012, exhibiting a y-o-y growth of 3.2%.
 - During FY13, Bank has shed around Rs 40000 crore of high cost deposits, thus overall deposit growth appears to be lower.
 - CASA deposits increased to Rs.153344 crore in March'13 from Rs. 134129 crore in March'12, recording a growth of 14.3%. Domestic CASA share has improved to 40.86% from 36.20% in March'12.
 - There was increased focus on Saving deposits and a successful campaign was organized during the year with active participation from employees resulting in increase in Saving deposit to Rs. 123470 crore showing a growth of 16.9%. Current deposits rose by 4.9% to Rs. 29874 crore.
- Advances of the Bank at Rs.308725 crore at the end of March'13 grew by 5.1 % as against Rs293775 crore at the end of March'12.
- Credit Deposit Ratio works out to 78.84% as at March'13.
- Market Share: Market share of the Bank in Deposits and Advances stood at 5.18% and 5.11% respectively as on March 2013.

Asset Quality

- Due to improved recovery effort, Bank has been able to bring down the Gross and Net NPA level on sequential quarter basis.
- **Gross NPAs** came down to Rs 13466 crore in Mar'13 from Rs 13998 crore in Dec'12 while Gross NPA ratio came down to 4.27% from 4.61% in the same period.
- **Net NPAs** declined to Rs 7237 crore in Mar'13 from Rs 7586 crore in Dec'12 and Net NPA ratio declined to 2.35% from 2.56%.
- **Provision Coverage ratio** also improved to 58.83% in Mar'13 from 55.97% in Dec'12.

Important Ratios

- Net Interest Margin (NIM) for FY ended March'13 is 3.52% (Q4FY13: 3.51%).
- **Return on Assets** stood at 1.00% for FY'13.
- Cost of Deposit stood at 6.62% for Q4 FY'13 and 6.82% for FY ended March'13.
- Cost to Income ratio stood at 42.42 % in Q4 FY'13 and 42.81% in FY ended March'13.
- Return on Average Equity stood at 15.70% in Q4 FY'13 and 16.48% in FY ended March'13.
- Earnings Per Share was Rs.131.63 for Q4 FY'13 and Rs.139.52 in FY ended Mach'13.
- Book Value per Share improved to Rs 884.03 in March'13 as against Rs.777.35 in March'12.
- **CRAR** of the bank was comfortable at 12.72% under BASEL-II (Tier-I Capital: 9.76%; Tier-II Capital: 2.96%).

Delivery Channels

- Bank's branch network stands at 5874 (including extension counters).
- Bank's network of ATMs at 6313 is more than its number of branches.
- PNB Internet Banking Channels are witnessing an increase in usage with about 20 lac internet banking users.
- More than 156 lac customers are availing SMS alert facility.
- More than 51% of transactions are being conducted through **Alternate Delivery Channels**.

Retail Credit

- Retail loans outstanding grew by 7.2% on YoY basis to cross Rs.31000 crore at end of March'13 as against Rs. 29196 crore in corresponding period last year.
 - o Good y-o-y growth in Car/Vehicle Ioan (15.1%), Reverse Mortgage scheme (25.4%), Pensioners Ioan portfolio (17.5%), Housing Ioan (13.3%) and Education Ioan (8.4%).
 - o Gold loan portfolio rose by robust 81.9% to Rs.1470 crore.

Priority Sector & MSME Advances

- Priority Sector Advances reached Rs 91427 crore.
- National goals in respect of financing to Weaker Sector have been surpassed besides meeting the target of 15% of Priority Sector advances to Minority communities.
 - Outstanding Agricultural advances reached Rs 38055 crore.
 - Issued 45.32 lac Kisan Credit Cards (KCC) till March 31st, 2013.
- Credit to MSME sector rose to **Rs 61478 crore** as at end of March'13 from Rs.56738 crore last year, recording a growth of 8.35%.
 - o Credit to Micro & Small Enterprises grew by over 9.58% to Rs.48681 crore as on 31.03.2013, out of which credit to Micro enterprises amounted to Rs 18905 crore.

Financial Inclusion

- Under FI plan, Bank has covered all villages with population over 2000 as allocated by SLBCs for providing Banking services during FY 2012-13.
- The Bank has been continuing 39 Information & Communication Technology based projects in 16 States through the Business Correspondent Model.
- Under the Swabhiman campaign, Bank has covered all 4588 villages allotted to it and has provided 7256 banking outlets in these villages.
- Bank has opened 89 lac No frill accounts, out of which 48 lac accounts have been opened through BC outlets till March 2013.

CSR initiatives & Empowerment Initiatives

- Ten "Farmers' Training Centres" working under the aegis of PNB Farmers Welfare Trust are providing free of cost training on agriculture and allied activities. More than 1 lac persons were provided training by these centres through 3409 training programmes during FY13.
- Under PNB VIKAS (village adoption scheme), Bank has adopted 120 villages to develop the identified villages in an integrated manner.
- Bank's 100 Financial Literacy and Credit Counseling Centers (FLCCs) attended to enquiries from more than 2.24 lakh people and another 2.64 lac persons attended 5084 seminars conducted by FLCCs;

International Forays

- Bank has established overseas footprints in 10 countries via 4 overseas branches and an offshore banking unit in Mumbai, wholly owned subsidiary in UK with 7 branches & a subsidiary each in Kazakhstan & Bhutan; 5 Representative offices in Australia, Norway, Dubai, China and Kazakhstan; and one joint venture with Everest Bank Ltd., Nepal.
- PNB is also looking to upgrade its Representative Offices in Oslo in Norway & Sydney in Australia to full fledged branches .
- Bank has got permission from RBI for opening of a qualifying full bank (QFB) branch in Singapore and opening of a rep office in Yangon, Mynamar.
- Bank's future overseas forays include presence in Canada, Maldives, Mozambique, Bangladesh,
 Pakistan and Brazil.

New Initiatives

- Bank has embarked on an ambitious organizational restructuring exercise named "PNB Pragati". The programme is based on three pillars namely HR Transformation, Operating Model Optimization & Alternate Channels & New Business Opportunities. It is aimed at moving the Bank into higher growth trajectory giving edge over its peers and new players.
- Cash Deposit Machines have been installed in the branches providing a self service terminal where customers can deposit cash which gets credited to their accounts on real time basis.
- Installed Self Service Pass Book Printer terminals in the branches and e-lobbies, which help the customers to get the passbooks updated at their convenience.

Recent Awards and Accolades

- Golden Peacock Business Excellence Award 2013.
- Bank has conferred with National Award 2012 for North Zone under PMEGP Scheme.
- Indira Gandhi Rajbhasha Shield a top most prize scheme of Govt. of India.
- Reserve Bank of India has declared first prize for our Bank's House Magazine "PNB Staff Journal" in the inter-bank bilingual house magazine competition
- Social and Corporate Governance Award Best Corporate Social Responsibility by World CSR Day (World CSR Congress) and BSE.
- Most Socially Responsive Bank 2012- Business world- PwC
- Best Public Sector Bank by CNBC TV 18
- Organization with Innovative HR Practices by ASIA Pacific HRM Congress.
- Prestigious Awards by Indian Banks' Association:

Best Use of Business intelligence - Winner

Best Risk Management and Security Initiatives - Winner

Best Bank Online – First Runner up

Best financial Inclusion Initiatives – Second Runner up

- Best Banker Award under Agriculture Credit (Large Bank) by The Sunday Standard.
- Best Public Sector Bank under Priority Sector Lending by Dun & Bradstreet Polaris Financial Technology Banking Awards 2012
- CMO Asia Excellence for Branding and Marketing under BFSI category.
- * 3rd Asia's Best Employer Brand Awards 2012-Excellence in Training by Employer Brand Awards & World HRD Congress.

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