POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LTD



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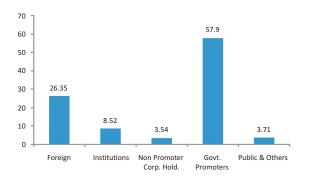
₹ 142-143
₹ 136
₹ 162
13%
1 Month

VALUE PARAMETERS

Current Mkt.Price (₹)	144.30
Face Value (₹)	10.00
52 Week High/Low	120.75/150.20
M.Cap (₹Cr.)	75491.84
EPS (₹)	9.27
P/E Ratio (times)	15.56
P/B Ratio (times)	1.96
Dividend Yield (%)	1.48
Stock Exchange	BSE

STOCK DATA

BSE Code	532898
NSE Symbol	POWERGRID
Reuters	PGRD.BO
Bloomberg	PWGR IN



SHAREHOLDING PATTERN (MARCH 2016)

The company will exceed the annual capex target of Rs 22500 crore for FY'17 given the thrust by the Centre on Transmission. The company incurred a capex about Rs 5368 crore worth of assets during Q3 FY'16. For 9 months ended Dec'15, the total capex stood at Rs 16891 crore. It has capitalized about Rs 17207 crore worth of assets during Q3FY'16, highest ever in a quarter by the company. The total capitalization for whole FY'15 stood at Rs 21760 and for first 9 months ended Dec'15, the capitalization is way above the targets, as anticipated by the management. For 9 months ended Dec'15, the total capitalization stood at Rs 26802 crore. The capitalization to capex ratio is constantly increasing from about 60% in 2013 to about 77% in 2014, around 86% in 2015. The ratio now is inching upwards of 86%, so far for 9 months ended Dec'15.

INVESTMENT ARGUMENTS

- The company has reported net profit, which has rose 31.3% to Rs 1613.12 crore on 22.7% rise in total income to Rs 5504.83 crore in Q3 December 2015 over Q3 December 2014.
- Some of the major projects commissioned include NER-Agra HVDC interconnection line which is a 1750 km line which passes through 4 states and crosses 40 rivers, 400 kv D/C Khamman-Nagarjunasagar line to facilitate interstate exchange of power in Southern region, Suryamaninagar-Cornilla line between India and Bangladesh which is completed and ready to be operational now.
- On consultancy side, domestically, the company is working on about 117 projects worth around Rs 18700 crore. Internationally, the company is working on 21 projects. Some of the major countries include Bangladesh, Nepal, Ethiopia, Nigeria, Afghanistan, Kenya, UAE etc.
- Central government's push towards transmission and distribution lines is helping Power Grid in incurring strong capex. As per the management, with capacities of coal and particularly hydro and other renewable energy coming on stream in next 18-24months, capex for the transmission lines will have to be incurred in FY'17, which will result in higher capital spend by the company.

BUSINESS PROFILE

Power Grid Corporation of India is an electric power transmission utility company. As per the shareholding pattern, the Government of India holds 57.9% stake in the firm as at 31 December 2015



TECHNICAL TRENDS



We recommend a buy in the stock of POWER GRID from a short-term perspective. The stock is trading at its good support level with good fundamental records and is expected to move up from this level. It made a 52 week low ₹120.75 and 52 week high of ₹150.20. Buy around at 142-143 with a closing below stop loss of ₹136 levels for the target of ₹.162.

Note:

• Follow Strict Stop Loss.

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