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Company Overview

Incorporated in 1999, Netweb Technologies India Ltd. (NTIL) is in the business of providing high-end computing solutions (HCS) to its customers. The various HCS offerings include (a) computing (Supercomputing / HPC) systems; (b) private cloud and hyper-converged infrastructure (HCI); (c) AI systems and enterprise workstations; (d) high-performance storage (HPS / Enterprise Storage System) solutions; (e) data center servers; and (f) other software and service offerings which are sold under the 'Tyrone' brand. Equipped with fully integrated design and manufacturing capabilities, the company has developed its compute and storage technologies and deploy supercomputing infrastructure catering to the computational demands of businesses, academia, and research organizations, particularly under India's National Supercomputing Mission. Over the years, the company has expanded its end-user industries to information technology, information technology-enabled services, entertainment and media, banking, financial services and insurance (BFSI), national data centres and government entities including the defense sector, and education and research development institutions. In its new foray, the business has developed two new product lines, i.e. Network Switches and 5G ORAN Appliances which are critical to the data center industry for enterprise IT and the telecommunication industry for enabling 5G services. The marquee customers include IIT Jammu, IIT Kanpur, Airamatrix, NMDC Data Centre, Graviton, INST, HL Mando, IIT Naya Raipur, JNU, Hemvati University, Akamai, A.P.T. Portfolio, Yotta Data, CUHP University, an Indian government space research organization, and an R&D organization of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India.

Objects of the issue

The net proceeds from the fresh issue will be used towards the following purposes:

- ⇒ Funding capital expenditure requirements for civil construction of the building for the surface mount technology (SMT) line and interior development, and purchase of equipment/machinery for the new SMT production line (SMT) Line.
- ⇒ Funding of long-term working capital requirements
- ⇒ Repayment or pre-payment, in full or in part, of certain outstanding borrowings
- \Rightarrow General corporate purposes.

Investment Rationale

High focus on R&D augmenting the company's product portfolio

The company believes in evolving itself with the ever-changing technology through a high focus on its R&D resources. Through this focus, the company has developed eight product lines which include Tyrone Cluster Manager, KUBYTS, VERTA, ParallelStor, Collectivo, SKYLUS, and Tyrone Camarero AI Systems and GPU System and collaborate with various technology partners, such as Intel Americas Inc. (Intel), Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. (AMD), Samsung India Electronics Private Limited, Nvidia Corporation (Nvidia), and Seagate India Private Limited catering to their specific requirements. The company has capabilities of manufacturing servers suitable for building private cloud solutions, supercomputing systems clusters, and modern data centres. Going forward, the business intends to expand its bouquet of product offerings in 5G and private 5G solutions and Network Switches. The 5G market is expected to grow at an exponential CAGR growth of 90% from FY2024-28 which as a result will increase the demand for HCI and private cloud infrastructure in India, thus presenting the company with an attractive business opportunity.

Expanding geographic footprint and increasing penetration in existing verticals

Presently, the business has concentrated its efforts on offering its HCS offerings to the domestic market and growing deeper in this segment. Looking ahead, the business aims to grow its geographical footprint in EMEA (Europe, Middle East, and Africa) region by offering the following HCS in (i) private cloud and HCI, (ii) HPC solutions, (iii) AI systems and enterprise workstations, and (iv) 5G products and solutions, where the company has already established its footprint. The 5G market in European and African countries is expected to grow at a CAGR of 45.7% between 2023 and 2029. As mentioned above, the company focuses on leveraging its 5G IT infrastructure roll-outs to target this growing business space. Apart from this, the business strives for its reach by expanding verticals in oil and gas in India, deepening penetration across sectors such as the automobile sector, particularly in the western and southern regions of India, BFSI clusters in the western region of India, and multi-sector corporates to expand its customer base. Oil & Gas companies are increasingly relying on powerful computers/supercomputers to process complex data faster which enables these companies to cut costs while boosting productivity and success rates of projects. The BFSI industry growth is expected to be driven by the use of high-performance computing solutions, such as supercomputers and AI. Thus, we expect a large addressable market for companies like NTIL due to the growing need to process large amount of data at faster speeds.



15th July 2023

Issue Details				
Offer Period	17 th July,2023 - 19 th July,2023			
Price Band	Rs. 475 to Rs. 500			
Bid Lot	30			
Listing	BSE & NSE			
lssue Size (no. of shares in mn)	12.62			
Issue Size (Rs. in bn)	6.31			
Face Value (Rs.)	2			
Issue Structur	e			
QIB	50%			
NIB	15%			
Retail	35%			
BRLM	Equirus Capital Private Ltd.			
	IIFL Securities Ltd.			
Registrar	Link Intime India Private Ltd.			
Particulars	Pre Issue Post Issu %			
Promoter & Promoter Group	98.00 75.00			
Public	2.00 25.00			
Total	100.00 100.00			
Assuming issue sub	oscribed at higher band)			

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Valuation & Outlook

NTIL presents a unique business model and is the only domestic company offering HCS offerings (with high entry barriers) which makes it stand out due to lack of listed domestic and international players in the field. The company is a leading player in the controlled OEM (original equipment manufacturers) space for HCS offerings. Presently, the business has its manufacturing facility located in Faridabad, Haryana. Moving ahead, it aims to eliminate the reliance on third-party entities for manufacturing server motherboards and related printed circuit board (PCB) assemblies through surface mount technology (SMT) by setting up a manufacturing facility in Haryana with the aid of net proceeds received from the IPO. Another positive is the growing order book of the company which has increased from Rs. 485.61 million in FY21 to Rs. 902.05 million in FY23. Over the years, the company has displayed a consistent financial performance, as reflected by its healthy ROCE of 64.42% in FY23 and net debt-equity consistently inching downwards from 1.31 in FY21 to 0.3 in FY23. The company has almost seen a 3x rise in revenues and a near 6x rise in profitability, with a consistent improvement in the margin profile. **On the upper end of the price band, the issue is valued at a P/E of 55.1x based on FY2023 earnings which we feel is fairly valued. We, therefore, recommend a "Subscribe" rating for the issue.**

Key Risks

- \Rightarrow The company's business operations are heavily reliant on its top ten customers.
- ⇒ The company does enter into hedging transactions in respect of our foreign currency exposure. Any losses, on account of foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations may adversely affect its business in the future.
- ⇒ The company depends on few Application Industries for majority of its revenue from operations. Loss of Customers in these Application Industries may result in an adverse effect on its business operations.



Income Statement (Rs. in millions)

Particulars	FY21	FY22	FY23
Revenue			
Revenue from Operations	1,428	2,470	4,450
Total Revenue	1,428	2,470	4,450
Expenses			
Cost of material consumed	1,186	1,781	3,252
Changes in inventory	(125)	84	(9)
Employee benefit expenses	127	152	294
Other expenses	95	108	212
Total Operating Expenses	1,284	2,124	3,750
EBITDA	144	346	700
Depreciation and Amortization expenses	15	16	37
Other income	15	9	7
EBIT	144	339	670
Finance costs	33	36	41
РВТ	111	302	630
Current tax	37	76	156
Deferred Tax charge/ (credit)	(8)	2	4
Total tax	29	78	160
РАТ	82	225	469
Diluted EPS	1.6	4.4	9.1

Source: RHP, BP Equities Research

Cash Flow Statement (Rs. in millions)

(99)	F.0.	
	52	271
(19)	(55)	(140)
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Balance Sheet (Rs. in millions)

Particulars	FY21	FY22	FY23
Equity and Liabilities			
Equity Share Capital	57	57	102
Other equity	162	387	835
Total Equity	218	444	937
Non-Current Liabilities			
Financial Liabilities			
(i)Borrowings	144	144	93
(ii)Lease liabilities	9	7	41
Other non current liabilities	2	1	1
Provisions	10	11	15
Current Liabilities			
Financial Liabilities			
(i)Borrowings	147	191	211
(ii)Lease liabilities	5	2	11
(iii)Trade Payables			
(a) total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises	1	2	1
(b) total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small	405	504	4 000
enterprises	425	531	1,033
(iv)Other Financial Liabilities	65	43	118
Other current liabilities	45	49	113
Provisions	1	1	2
Current tax liabilities (net)	30	59	84
Total Current Liabilities	719	878	1,573
Total liabilities	884	1,042	1,723
Total Equity and Liabilities	1,102	1,486	2,660
Assets			
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment	54	89	169
Capital work in Progress	-	5	18
Right of use assets	12	8	49
Other intangible assets	-	7	15
Intangible assets under development	-	-	0
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Institutional Sales Desk

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