

Apr 27, 2022

- ◆ OGDC is scheduled to announce its 3QFY22 results on 28 April 2022. Wherein, we expect the company to post PAT of PKR 40.1 bn (EPS: PKR 9.32/share) for 3QFY22 up by 66%YoY (+14%QoQ) against PKR 24.12 bn (EPS: PKR 5.61/share) SPLY. For 9MFY22, we expect that company to post PAT of PKR 109 bn (EPS: PKR 25.33/share) up by 64% YoY against PAT of PKR 66.43 bn (EPS: PKR 15.45/share) SPLY.
- ◆ The expected surge in earnings is primarily due to hike in Crude oil (Arab Lite) prices by 54% YoY, which remained on average US\$88.79/ton during 3QFY22 against US \$57.62/ton SPLY, surge in well head gas prices; coupled with favorable USD-PKR Parity (12% YoY averaging PKR 177.75/USD).
- ◆ Our estimation suggests topline to be increased by 40%YoY (PKR 91.3 bn against PKR 65.4 bn). Moreover, on quarter basis OGDC is likely to post surge in earnings (+15% QoQ) on the back of higher oil and gas production during 3QFY22; hike in oil/gas prices by 18%/15% QoQ, along with USD-PKR devaluation by 2%QoQ.
- ◆ The cost of sales is expected to surge by 39%YoY, to be recorded at PKR 33.83 bn as against PKR 24.34 bn, on account of surge in royalty/operating expenses by 42%/38% YoY during 3QFY22. Moreover; exploration expenditure is expected to increase by 7% YoY to PKR 5.99 bn, as against PKR 5.6 bn SPLY.
- ◆ We expect normalized gross margins of 63% during 3QFY22. Moreover, the company's gross profit is expected to surge by 40%YoY to be recorded at PKR 57.4 bn during 3QFY22 vs PKR 41.06 bn SPLY.
- ◆ Moreover, it is expected that other income would have positive impact on bottom-line, up by 4.64x due to exchange gains on account of currency devaluation.

PKR MN	3QFY22E	3QFY21A	YoY	2QFY22A	QoQ	9MFY22	9MFY21	YoY
Net Sales	91,268	65,402	40%	79,633	15%	242,431	179,562	35%
Royalty	(10,358)	(7,271)	42%	(8,792)	18%	(27,393)	(20,174)	36%
Operating expense	(22,817)	(16,566)	38%	(17,794)	28%	(57,186)	(50,254)	14%
Cost of Sales	(33,828)	(24,338)	39%	(27,241)	24%	(86,290)	(71,763)	20%
Gross Profit	57,439	41,064	40%	52,391	10%	156,141	107,799	45%
Other Income	9,176	1,627	464%	10,359	-11%	30,413	5,562	447%
Exploration & prospecting	(5,993)	(5,587)	7%	(4,610)	30%	(12,885)	(10,809)	19%
General & admin	(1,695)	(1,306)	30%	(993)	71%	(3,829)	(3,419)	12%
Finance cost	(908)	(534)	70%	(578)	57%	(2,050)	(1,680)	22%
PBT	57,252	34,823	64%	52,902	8%	162,423	97,018	67%
Tax	(17,175)	(10,703)	60%	(17,649)	-3%	(53,464)	(30,588)	75%
PAT	40,076	24,121	66%	35,253	14%	108,959	66,430	64%
EPS	9.32	5.61		8.20		25.33	15.45	
Gross Margin	63%	63%		66%		64%	60%	
Net Profit Margin	44%	37%		44%		45%	37%	

Source: Company Accounts, WE Research

WE Research
Tel: 021-32463401
Email: research@we.com.pk

Analyst Certificate:

The Research Report is prepared by the research analyst at WE Financial Services Ltd. It includes analysis and views of our research team that precisely reflects the personal views and opinions of the analysts about the subject security(ies) or sector (or economy), and no part of the compensation of the research analyst(s) was, is, or will be directly or indirectly related to the specific recommendations and views expressed by research analyst(s) in this report. In addition, we currently do not have any interest (financial or otherwise) in the subject security(ies). The views expressed in this report are unbiased and independent opinions of the Research Analyst which accurately reflect his/her personal views about all of the subject companies/securities and no part of his/her compensation was, is or will be directly or indirectly related to the specific recommendations or views expressed in this report.

Disclaimer:

The Report is purely for information purposes and the opinions expressed in the Report are our current opinions as of the date of the Report and may be subject to change from time to time without notice. Past performance should not be taken as an indication or guarantee of future performance, and no representation or warranty, express or implied, is made regarding future performance. Information, opinions and estimates contained in this report reflect a judgment of its original date of publication by WE Financial Services Ltd. and are subject to change without notice. The price, value of and income from any of the securities or financial instruments mentioned in this report can fall as well as rise. The value of securities and financial instruments is subject to exchange rate fluctuation that may have a positive or adverse effect on the price or income of such securities or financial instruments. The information provided in the Report is from publicly available data, which we believe, are reliable.

This document does not constitute an offer or solicitation for the purchase or sale of any security. This publication is intended only for distribution to the clients of the Company who are assumed to be reasonably sophisticated investors that understand the risks involved in investing in equity securities. The information contained herein is based upon publicly available data and sources believed to be reliable. While every care was taken to ensure accuracy and objectivity, WE Financial Services Ltd. does not represent that it is accurate or complete and it should not be relied on as such. In particular, the report takes no account of the investment objectives, financial situation and particular needs of investors. The information given in this document is as of the date of this report and there can be no assurance that future results or events will be consistent with this information. This information is subject to change without any prior notice. WE Financial Services Ltd. reserves the right to make modifications and alterations to this statement as may be required from time to time. However, WE Financial Services Ltd. is under no obligation to update or keep the information current. WE Financial Services Ltd. is committed to providing independent and transparent recommendation to its client and would be happy to provide any information in response to specific client queries. Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. This document is provided for assistance only and is not intended to be and must not alone be taken as the basis for any investment decision. The user assumes the entire risk of any use made of this information. Each recipient of this document should make such investigation as it deems necessary to arrive at an independent evaluation of an investment in the securities of companies referred to in this document (including the merits and risks involved) and should consult his or her own advisors to determine the merits and risks of such investment. WE Financial Services Ltd. or any of its affiliates shall not be in any way responsible for any loss or damage that may arise to any person from any inadvertent error in the information contained in this report.

Stock Ratings

WE Financial Services Ltd. uses three rating categories, depending upon return form current market price, with Target period as December 2018 for Target Price. In addition, return excludes all type of taxes. For more details kindly refer the following table;

Potential to target price	
Buy Upside	More than +15% from last closing price
HOLD	In between -15% and +15% from last closing price
SELL	Less than -15% from last closing price

Equity Valuation Methodology

WE Research uses the following valuation technique(s) to arrive at the period end target prices;

- Discounted Cash Flow (DCF)
- Dividend Discount Model (DDM)
- Relative valuation (P/E, P/B, P/S)
- Equity & Asset return based (EVA, Residual income)

Risks

The following risks may potentially impact our valuations of subject security(ies);

- Market Risk
- Interest Rate Risk
- Exchange rate risk