Retail Equity Research



Bank of Baroda

BUY

Sector: Banking 06th August, 2025

Key Chang	_{jes} Target		Rating	Ea	arnings 🛕	Target	Rs. 268
Stock Type	Bloomberg Code	Sensex	NSE Code	BSE Code	Time Frame	CMP	Rs. 242
Large Cap	BOB:IN	80,544	BANKBARODA	532134	12 Months	Return	+11%

Data as of: 06-August-2025, 17:00 hrs

Company Data						
Market Cap (Rs. cr)			125,018			
52 Week High — Low	Week High — Low (Rs.)					
Outstanding Shares (cr)		517.1			
Free Float (%)			35.7			
Dividend Yield (%)			3.5			
6m average volume (cr.)		1.1			
Beta			1.2			
Face value (Rs.)			2.0			
Shareholding (%)	Q3FY25	Q4FY25	Q1FY26			
Promoters	64.0	64.0	64.0			
FII's	8.9	9.0	8.1			
MFs/Insti	18.1	18.2	19.1			
Public	8.2	8.1	8.1			
Others	8.0	0.7	8.0			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0			
Promoter Pledge	Nil	Nil	Nil			
Price Performance	3 Month	6 Month	1 Year			
Absolute Return	-6.0%	11.5%	-6.4%			
Absolute Sensex	0.4%	4.0%	-1.5%			
Relative Return	-6.4%	7.5%	-4.9%			

*over or under performance to benchmark index



Y.E March (Rs.cr)	FY25A	FY26E	FY27E
Net Interest Income	45,659	48,061	56,211
Growth (%)	2.1	5.3	17.0
NIM (%)	3.0	2.9	3.0
Pre-Provision Profit	32,435	33,781	39,453
Net Profit	19,581	20,764	24,747
Growth (%)	10.1	6.0	19.2
Adj. EPS	37.9	40.2	47.9
Growth (%)	10.1	6.1	19.2
BVPS	264.8	296.6	334.4
P/E	6.0	5.9	4.9
P/B	0.9	8.0	0.7
RoE (%)	<i>15.7</i>	14.3	15.2
RoA (%)	1.2	1.1	1.2

Stable performance, favourable trends ahead

Bank of Baroda (BoB) is a public-sector banking and financial services company in India. It has over 8,200 branches in India and 100 offices in 20 countries.

- In Q1FY26, the bank's interest income increased 4.9% YoY to Rs. 31,091cr, supported by a 4.3% rise in interest on advances, 72.5% growth in interest on balance with the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) and other inter-bank funds.
- Meanwhile, interest expense grew 9.0% YoY to Rs. 19,657cr, driven by an increase in domestic cost of deposits to 5.2% from 5.1% and 9.1% YoY expansion in total deposits.
- As a result, net interest income declined 1.4% YoY to Rs. 11,435cr, while net interest margin (NIM) declined to 2.91% from 3.18%.
- Pre-provision operating profit grew 15.0% YoY to Rs. 8,236cr, driven by strong growth in other income (up 87.9%), though partially offset by higher operating expenses (up 13.7%).
- However, profit after tax (PAT) grew a meagre 1.9% YoY to Rs. 4,541cr, primarily impacted by 94.6% rise in provisions and contingencies.

Outlook & Valuation

BoB delivered a healthy financial performance, driven by its strong business model and focus on sustainable growth, although margins have been under pressure for the industry as a whole due to reported cuts and lag in deposit pricing. Profitability is on a sustainable path, with a strong book that has earnings potential, despite the impact of transition on asset liability. To capitalise on the trend, the bank is focusing on expanding fee income streams and improving asset quality. The next quarter may still be under pressure, but deposit repricing is expected, leading to upside benefits in the subsequent quarters. Therefore, we maintain our BUY rating on the stock, based on 0.8x FY27E BVPS with a revised target price of Rs. 268.

Quarterly Financials Standalone

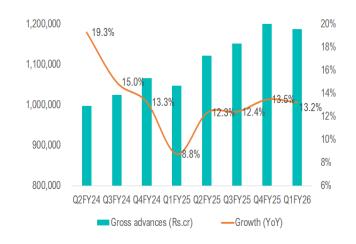
Rs.cr	Q1FY26	Q1FY25	YoY Growth (%)	Q4FY25	QoQ Growth (%)
Net Interest Income	11,435	11,600	-1.4	11,494	-0.5
Total Income	35,766	32,116	11.4	35,852	-0.2
Total Expenditure	27,530	24,955	10.3	27,720	-0.7
Pre-Provision Profit	8,236	7,161	15.0	8,132	1.3
PBT	6,270	6,151	1.9	6,581	-4.7
Rep. PAT	4,541	4,458	1.9	5,048	-10.0
Adj PAT	4,541	4,458	1.9	5,048	-10.0
EPS (Rs.)	8.8	8.6	1.9	9.8	-10.0



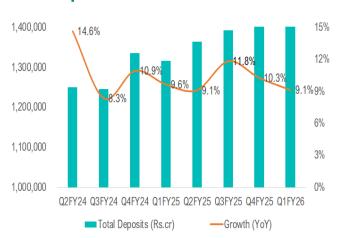
Key Concall Highlights

- Advances grew 12.6% YoY to Rs. 1,207,056cr in Q1FY26, driven by 12.4% growth in domestic and 13.6% rise in international advances. Within the domestic portfolio, retail loans grew 17.5%, MSME 13.1%, corporate lending 4.2% and other segments 38.8%.
- Deposits increased 9.1% YoY to Rs. 1,435,634cr, driven by strong growth in international deposits (up 14.8%) and domestic deposits (up 8.1%). The rise in domestic deposits was supported by 13.2% increase in bulk deposits and 8.4% growth in retail term deposits.
- Domestic current account savings account (CASA) deposits rose 5.5% YoY, with saving deposits increasing 5.0% and current deposits rising 8.1%. However, the CASA ratio declined slightly to 39.3% from 40.3%.
- The bank maintains robust asset quality, with gross non-performing asset (NPA) ratio declining 60bps to 2.3% and net NPA ratio dipping 9bps to 0.6%.
- The slippage ratio is 1.16% in Q1FY26 vs 1.05% in Q1FY25. The increase is due to pressure on the legacy personal loan book and a large international account that was restructured during the pandemic but has now become an NPA. The bank has made a 40% provision against the account (which is secured).
- BoB is targeting a NIM of 2.9-3.0% in FY2026. The bank expects the NIM to be under pressure in the next quarter, but deposit repricing is expected to happen for the next quarter, with 70.0% to 80.0% of the upside benefit to be seen in Q3FY26 and Q4FY26.

Gross Advances



Total Deposits



Business Performance

	Q1FY26	Q1FY25	YoY Growth (%)	Q4FY25	QoQ Growth (%)
Advances	1,186,585	1,047,949	13.2	1,209,558	-1.9
Deposits	1,435,634	1,315,573	9.1	1,472,035	-2.5
Business	2,622,220	2,363,522	10.9	2,681,593	-2.2

Change in Estimates

	Old estir	nates	New esti	imates	Chanç	je (%)
Year / Rs cr	FY26E	FY27E	FY26E	FY27E	FY26E	FY27E
Net Interest Income	52,289	59,831	48,061	56,211	-8.1	-6.0
Net Interest Margin	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.0	-20bps	-10bps
Pre-Provision Profit	35,587	38,142	33,781	39,453	-5.1	3.4
Net Profit	21,622	22,886	20,764	24,747	-4.0	8.1
EPS	41.8	44.3	40.2	47.9	-4.0	8.1



Standalone Financials

Profit & Loss

Y.E March (Rs. cr)	FY23A	FY24A	FY25A	FY26E	FY27E
Interest Income	89,589	112,606	121,442	132,943	147,666
Interest Expense	48,233	67,884	75,783	84,882	91,455
Net Interest In-	41,356	44,722	45,659	48,061	56,211
% Change	26.8	8.1	2.1	5.3	17.0
Non-Interest In- come	10,026	14,495	16,647	17,263	18,040
Net Income	51,382	59,217	62,306	65,324	74,251
Total Income	99,614	127,101	138,089	150,206	165,707
Operating Expens-	24,518	28,252	29,871	31,543	34,798
Total Expenditure	72,751	96,136	105,654	116,425	126,254
Pre-Provisioning Profit	26,864	30,965	32,435	33,781	39,453
Provisions	7,137	6,076	5,980	6,096	6,457
Profit Before Tax	19,727	24,890	26,454	27,685	32,996
Tax	5,617	7,101	6,873	6,921	8,249
Tax Rate (%)	28.5	28.5	26.0	25.0	25.0
Minority Interests	-	-	-	-	-
Net Profit	14,110	17,789	19,581	20,764	24,747
% Change	94.0	26.1	10.1	6.0	19.2
Adj.	-	-	-	-	-
Adj. Net Profit	14,110	17,789	19,581	20,764	24,747
No. of Shares (cr)	517.1	517.1	517.1	517.1	517.1
Adj. EPS (Rs.)	27.3	34.4	37.9	40.2	47.9
% Change	94.0	26.1	10.1	6.1	19.2
DPS	5.5	7.6	8.4	10.0	11.0

Balance Sheet

Y.E March (Rs. cr)	FY23A	FY24A	FY25A	FY26E	FY27E
Cash & Bal- ances	95,703	95,124	125,849	168,794	215,243
Investments	362,485	369,817	385,398	427,792	474,849
Advances	940,998	1,065,782	1,209,558	1,330,514	1,476,870
Fixed Assets	8,707	7,913	12,376	11,887	11,418
Other Assets	50,668	47,162	48,066	49,988	51,988
Total Assets	1,458,562	1,585,797	1,781,247	1,988,976	2,230,368
Capital	1,036	1,036	1,036	1,036	1,036
Reserves & Surplus	97,187	111,188	135,890	152,336	171,892
Deposits	1,203,688	1,335,136	1,472,035	1,641,319	1,838,277
Borrowings	101,910	94,402	123,716	137,944	153,807
Other Liabili- ties	54,740	44,035	48,571	56,342	65,357
Total Liabili- ties	1,458,562	1,585,797	1,781,247	1,988,976	2,230,368
BVPS	189.9	217.0	264.8	296.6	334.4
Adj. BVPS	173.7	203.1	251.3	286.3	325.8
% Change	23.8	16.9	23.7	13.9	13.8

Ratio

Y.E March	FY23A	FY24A	FY25A	FY26E	FY27E
Valuation					
P/E (x)	6.0	7.7	6.0	5.9	4.9
P/BV (x)	0.9	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.7
Div. Yield (%)	3.4	2.9	3.7	4.3	4.7
Profitability & Return (%)					
Yield on Advances	7.5	8.5	8.2	8.2	8.2
Cost of Deposits	3.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9
Spread	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.4
NIM (calculated)	3.5	3.3	3.0	2.9	3.0
ROE	15.3	16.9	15.7	14.3	15.2
ROA	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Capital Adequacy (%)					
CAR	16.2	16.3	17.2	17.0	16.8
Tier I	14.0	14.0	14.8	14.9	15.0
Tier II	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.9
Asset Quality (%)					
GNPA	3.8	2.9	2.3	2.3	2.3
NNPA	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4
Operating Ratios (%)					
Credit/Deposit	78.2	79.8	82.2	81.1	80.3
Cost/Income	47.7	47.7	47.9	48.3	46.9
CASA	42.3	41.3	40.0	39.0	39.0



Recommendation Summary (last 3 years) Dates Rating **Target** 14-Feb-22 BUY 136 02-Aug-22 BUY 144 300 250 08-Feb-23 HOLD 182 200 17-Aug-23 BUY 217 150 BUY 17-Nov-23 222 100 BUY 22-May-24 294 50 O 18-Feb-25 BUY 237 Aug-22 Aug-24 Aug-25 Feb-23 Aug-23 Feb-24 Feb-25 06-Aug-25 BUY 268

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Reduce/sell	Downside is more than 0%	Downside is more than 0%	Downside is more than 0%

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