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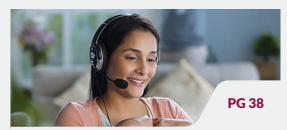
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Open to Creating Value



For our shareholders and other stakeholders by executing on our strategies, growing 'One Axis Ecosystem' and maintaining financial prudence.

Open to Listening



To the aspirations of our customers, and fulfilling them through our retail, corporate and digital franchise.

Open to Nurturing



Our team of go-getters to achieve more everyday.

Open to Caring



For the communities of which we are a part and help improve their lives.

Open to Empowering



Our nation through financial inclusion and responsible awareness programmes.

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'Open'

For your dreams, our eyes are open. For your hopes, our minds are open. For your plans, we promise to open every possible window of opportunity. We have always used this philosophy to deliver tangible value and bring impactful change in the lives of millions of citizens.

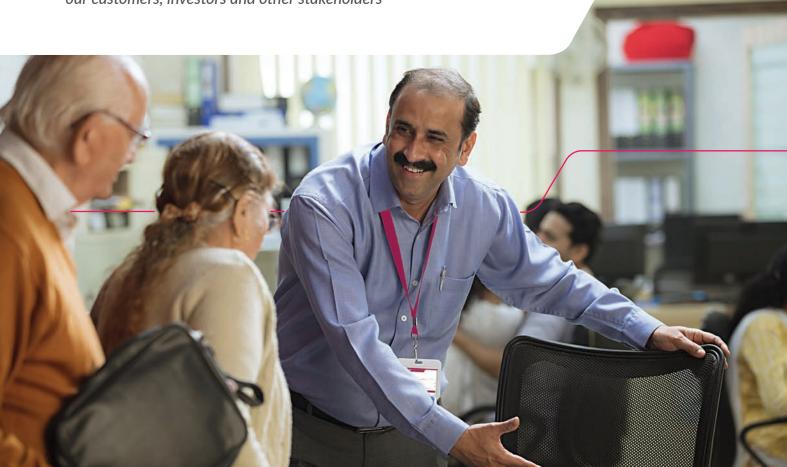
Our credo has helped us respond with speed to economic and industry headwinds, evolving customer requirements, intensifying competition and technological disruption. As our playground is constantly shifting, our solutions and architectures are dynamic and in sync with the broad changes that we see around us.

Fiscal 2020-21 was an extraordinary year for India and the world. We adapted and persevered through the crisis to fortify our balance sheet and deliver a healthy overall performance. We asked our customers, investors and other stakeholders

about their aspirations and concerns, and took that insight to reconfigure our operating rhythm and rigour. Our innate flexibility helped us refine our strategies faster in an operating environment fraught with downside risks.

We further ramped up our technology and digital capabilities during the year to provide our customers a host of additional conveniences, while continuing to invest in nurturing our relationships. We bring the same warmth of openness to our work culture, which helps our teams stay motivated in a high-performance environment.

Over the last few years, we have built the foundation of a banking franchise that is essentially relationship led, stakeholder driven and underpinned by strong corporate governance.



Key highlights for fiscal 2020-21

Our performance for the year



Financial

9% •

₹996.118 crores

Total assets

9%

₹623,720 crores

Total advances

10%

₹707.306 crores

Total deposits

16%

₹29.239 crores

Net interest income

305%

₹6,588 crores

Net profit



Growth in fiscal 2020-21 vis-à-vis fiscal 2019-20



Environment 55,000

LED light fittings installed at 1,100 branches

1,493

Branches with CEMS energy management solution installed

5 MN

Paper sheets saved through Saksham application



People 78,000+

Workforce

52

Person hours of training per employee (33 person hours previous year)

45,457

Employees part of silver certification learning journeys



Community ₹91 CR

CSR spending

0.92 MN

Households/trainees impacted under ABF's Sustainable Livelihoods programme under 'Mission2Million' 198

Districts in 25 states and UTs where Axis Bank Foundation (ABF) is active

Above are standalone figures as on/for year ended 31 March, 2021 unless otherwise mentioned

Axis Bank at a glance

Always open, always future focused

Our business landscape is evolving faster than ever, the financial needs of our customers are changing, technology breakthroughs are challenging legacy business processes and enriching customer journeys. Amid this era of radical transformation, flexibility and openness hold us in good stead.

Our primary business comprises commercial banking operations for retail and corporate customers.

Retail banking

Our operations consist of retail lending, payments, deposit taking and distribution of third-party insurance and investment products. The Bank also offers agricultural and rural banking products.

Commercial and wholesale banking

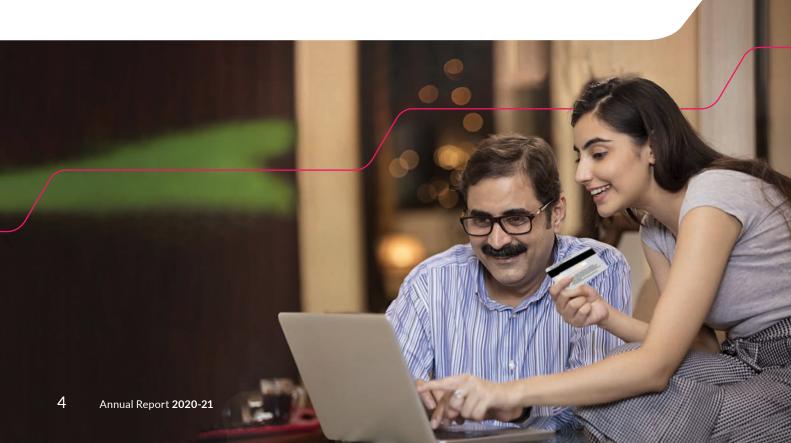
We provide a range of products and services, including loan products, fee and commission-based products and services, deposit products and foreign exchange

and derivative products to India's leading corporations, middle market companies and small and medium enterprises.

One Axis

Our integrated 'One Axis' philosophy (including our subsidiaries) has helped us emerge as a one-stop financial services provider for our customers, with ability to cross-sell products and services.

Strong customer relationships, sharp execution focus, wide distribution network, motivated team and digital outreach have helped us strengthen our Balance Sheet across various business cycles.





Our vision

To be the preferred financial solutions provider excelling in customer delivery through insight, empowered employees and smart use of technology.

Growing prominence

3rd@

4th

Largest private bank in India

Consecutive year of inclusion into the esteemed FTSE4Good **Emerging Index**

Our core values



Customer Centricity



Ethics



Transparency



200 Teamwork



Ownership

[@] In terms of total assets

Axis Bank at a glance contd.



Attractive market share

Traditional Banking Segment#

5.10%

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Deposits

5.22%

Advances

Digital Banking Segment

17%

UPI[@]

16%

Mobile@

4th

Largest credit card issuer



Growing touchpoints

4,594

Domestic branches (including extension counters)

17,043

ATMs and cash deposits/ withdrawal machines 121

SME centres

6 LAKH+

Point of Sale (POS) machines

7.15 MN

Active credit cards

23.83 MN

Debit cards in force



Strong balance sheet

19.12%

Capital adequacy ratio (Previous year 17.53%)

1.95%

Standard Asset Coverage Ratio (SACR) (Previous year 1.38%)

16.47%

Tier I capital adequacy ratio (Previous year 14.49%)

72%

Provision coverage ratio (Previous year 69%)

Net Non-Performing Asset (NPA) (Previous year 1.56%)

₹12,010 CR

Cumulative provisions (Standard + additional non-NPA)



Sound profitability

3.53%

Net interest margin (NIM)

(Previous year 3.51%)

1.96%

Cost to assets (Previous year 2.09%) 2.74%

Operating profit margin (Previous year 2.83%)

[#]Source: RBI Report

[@] By volumes for fiscal 2020-21

Message from MD & CEO

"Staying true to our ethos of customer centricity, our 78,000+ team members collectively and individually went above and beyond their call of duty to serve our customers, our communities and most importantly our nation and the economy during one of the most challenging phases of our lifetime."

Amitabh Chaudhry



Dear Shareholders,

Fiscal 2020-21 was truly an extraordinary year in history. The unprecedented health crisis that still continues to unfold across the country, brought the best out of us as we made steady progress towards our medium-term GPS objectives while delivering on our 'Dil Se Open' promise to our stakeholders.

Through the year, our support to customers and communities in helping them emerge from the COVID pandemic remained unwavering. I am proud of the commendable efforts and character displayed by all the team members of Axis family. I would also like to thank all the COVID Warriors for the tremendous

job that they have been doing, especially the healthcare professionals, who are constantly fighting all odds to save thousands of lives.

As the economy continues to combat the second wave of unprecedented COVID-19 pandemic, we as a Bank reiterate our commitment of being 'Open' to our customers' needs, concerns, challenges and aspirations. My heart goes out to all who have been directly impacted by the pandemic. However, the fast pace of vaccination and slowdown in new infections in several states do provide hope. I am confident that we can and will come out of this together.