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acquires



for \$130,000,000

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- On December 23, 2015, Wipro (NYSE:WIT) announced an agreement to acquire Viteos, a solution provider to the alternative investment management industry, for an all cash purchase consideration of \$130 million, valuing Viteos at 4.9x FY2015 revenue (1)
- The acquisition is subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals and is scheduled to be completed in the first quarter of 2016
- In September 2015, press reports indicated that Viteos was up for sale (2)

Transaction Rationale (1)

- Viteos' business process platform for the buy-side complements Wipro's business process capabilities on the sell-side, strengthening its positioning in the capital markets domain
- The acquisition of Viteos gives Wipro access to a Business-Process-as-a-Service (BPaaS) platform and buy-side clients, including hedge funds
- Wipro's management is acquiring firms to enhance its digital and services capabilities
- Viteos will be able to expand its market reach by leveraging Wipro's broad presence while preserving its entrepreneurial characteristics

Wipro Commentary

"The IT services industry is moving to an 'as-a-Service' model, and the future of BPS is going to be BPaaS (Business Process as-a-Service). Our strategy is to invest in industry vertical platforms which will provide platform-based services to our clients in transaction/outcome-based pricing models. Viteos will further our strategy in the Capital markets domain."

- Shaju Farooq, President and Chief Executive of Finance Solutions

"We welcome Viteos employees to the Wipro Family. We are excited to join hands with Viteos and expand our Capital markets portfolio in fund accounting services and enhance our Business Process Services capabilities. Viteos brings with it experienced leadership, domain expertise and unique BPaaS capability. We believe we will be able to leverage synergies to offer platform-based transformational services to our customers and continue to dominate the Capital markets outsourcing space."

- Nagendra Bandaru, SVP and Head of Business Process Services

Viteos Commentary

"Our search for a global partner who gives Viteos exceptional market reach in expanding our presence while preserving the entrepreneurial characteristics of Viteos culminated with this acquisition by Wipro. We are excited to be part of a trusted global leader and the transaction is a further recognition of our value and validation of our commitment to deliver excellence through our investments in people, process and technology. It gives me immense pleasure in continuing to be part of a growth story that can reach even greater heights."

- Shankar Iyer, CEO of Viteos





Analyst Commentary



"The rationale is sensible, but the acquisition size is too small (<0.5% of Wipro's FY15 revenues) to matter. Wipro has a good track record of identifying emerging trends, but has so far failed to capitalize on them due to a flawed culture and high management churn."

"On the surface, Viteos expands Wipro's BPO (Business Process Outsourcing) offerings (back-office accounting services), catering to the Alternative Investment Management sector, servicing clients in the US, Europe and Asia. It also provides Wipro with a proprietary platform, offering transformation and integration of post-trade operations across a variety of asset classes."





"The acquisition of Viteos gives access to BPaaS platform and buy-side clients, especially hedge funds. We like Wipro's approach towards acquisition— horizontal capabilities, vertical capabilities and geographical footprint. The management seems to be acquiring firms to spruce up digital and as-a-service capabilities, a positive."





Viteos Overview

	Company Overview	Financing History			
CEO:	Shankar lyer	Date	Amount	Investor	
Headquarters:	Somerset, NJ	06/13/07	na	CREDIT SUISSE	
Founded:	2003	Solution Overview			
Employees	400+	Reconciliation – Solution includes auto-mapping, integrating complex instruments, custom reporting and faster resolution			

- Viteos is a US-based Business-Process-as-a-Service (BPaaS) provider to the alternative investment management industry
- The Company provides customized straight-throughprocessing and integrates post-trade operations across every asset class, currency, border or structure
- The Company licenses its proprietary platform, which offers transformation and integration of post-trade operations
 - This platform can be leveraged to launch solutions across other segments of capital markets
- Viteos has 400+ employees spanning the US (3 offices),
 India (2 offices), Europe (1 office) and Singapore (1 office)
- The Company generated FY2015 revenue of \$27 million, growing at a 35% CAGR over the past two years with margins higher than that of Wipro (1)



Operational Efficiency / Shadow Accounting – Allows hedge funds to take advantage of the economies of scale offered by a shared platform



Regulatory Accounting – Viteos fulfills all complex, deadline driven regulatory and compliance reporting and filing requirements mandated by any jurisdiction; the Company delivers full-suite or modular and repeatable solutions for firms



Middle Office – Provides middle solutions with expertise and a global delivery model that enables businesses to make better use of time



OTC Collateral Management – Offers in-depth knowledge of the securities and the fund's portfolio to minimize the amount of cash held as collateral



Systems Implementation – Viteos conducts multiple implementation activities which involves end to end processing and implementation of the funds legacy data into a company's system



Trade Support – Accurately implements the entire life cycle of the trade: confirms; settlement support; pricing; corporate actions and daily P&L



Investor Allocation – Subscription and withdrawal / redemption processing; maintenance of registers; AML and KYC; and production and distribution of statements





Wipro Overview

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CEO: T K Kurien

Headquarters: Bangalore, India

Founded 1945

Employees: ~160,000

Market Cap (1): \$20.8 bn Wipro Ltd. (NYSE:WIT) is a leading information technology, consulting and business process services company

 The Company has a workforce of over 160,000, serving clients in 175+ cities across 6 continents

Selected Services Provided



Analytics

Wipro's Analytics Services have helped organizations effectively combine deep industry knowledge, cutting edge mathematical and statistical methods, technology tools like SAS, SPSS and software environments like R to build an enterprise-wide analytics culture

Selected Industries Served



Aerospace





Natural Resources





Government









Professional Services



Banking





Retail 1











Media



Transportation



Consumer Goods





Utilities





Business Process Outsourcing

- Wipro offers robotic process automation and artificial intelligence to enable business to transform positively
- Provides intelligent business platforms that work with a company's existing IT landscape

Cloud Services

- Wipro's Rapid Cloud Enablement Suite is designed to optimize the Design and Build phase of a company's cloud
- ServiceNXT Cloud Operations Center provides the ideal platform to Provision, Configure, Secure, Monitor And Manage your applications and Cloud infrastructure

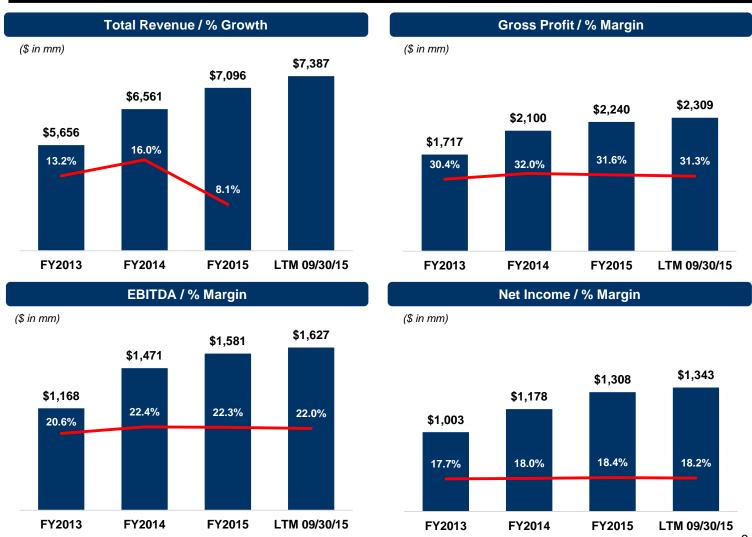
Digital

Wipro Digital's integrated propositions in customer mapping and interaction, seamless integration and data science and insight differentiate its approach with customer journey engineering





Wipro Financial Overview



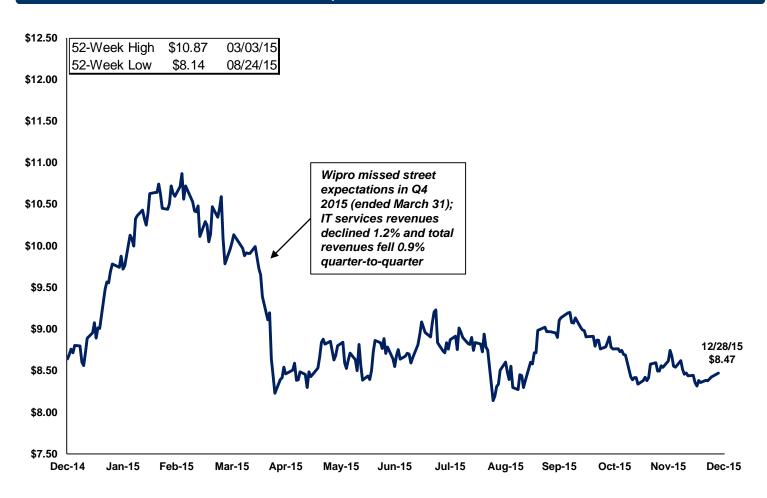


Source: Capital IQ, Company filings.



Wipro Stock Performance

Wipro LTM Stock Chart





Selected FT Partners' Research (click to view)



Research Report: Innovations in Capital Markets Technology



Symphony Raises \$100 mm in Round Led by Google



InvestCloud Raises \$45 mm in Financing from FTV Capital



FactSet Acquires Portware for \$265 mm



Flow Traders Completes its IPO Raising ~\$581 mm



Virtu Financial IPO: Post Quiet Period Review



Dataminr Raises \$130 mm in Financing



Northwestern Mutual Acquires LearnVest

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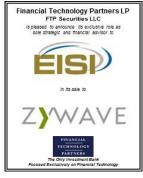
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High Frequency Trading





















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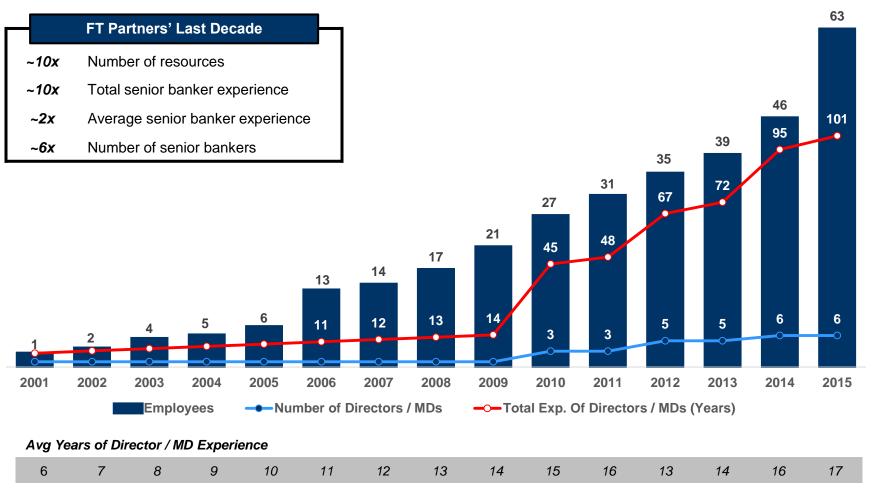
- Financing Deal of the Year Equity
- Financing Deal of the Year Debt

Middle Market

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