HDFC Bank wins top honours at the Dun & Bradstreet – Manappuram Finance Limited Corporate Award 2014 (Banks Sector)

HDFC Bank has been pushing the boundaries when it comes to expanding its reach and offering its customers superlative banking and financial services. Recognising this consistent effort, Dun & Bradstreet (D&B), a leading provider of global business information, presented our bank with the 'Dun & Bradstreet – Manappuram Finance Limited Corporate Award 2014' in the 'Banks Sector'.

Our Deputy Managing Director Mr. Paresh Sukthankar, was present at the event held in Mumbai, to accept the award on behalf of our Bank.



Photo caption: Mr Paresh Sukthankar, Deputy Managing Director, HDFC Bank accepting the D&B Corporate Award 2014 from Mr. Binod Singh, President, CEO & Member of the Board, Ilantus Technologies Private Limited, in the presence of Dr Arun Shourie (extreme right) and Mr Kaushal Sampat, President & CEO – India, Dun & Bradstreet (extreme left)

The 'Dun & Bradstreet Corporate Awards 2014' seek to recognise and felicitate corporate India's leading companies from various sectors. Speaking at the awards ceremony, Mr Kaushal Sampat, President & CEO – India, Dun & Bradstreet said, "There are 375 companies that are common between the 2009 and 2014 editions, i.e., these are the consistent performers who have continued to remain in the list of Top 500 Companies for all five years. In fact, 37 of these 375 companies have grown from small to mid-cap or mid-cap to large categories, truly a commendable achievement in these challenging times." he added.

The awards ceremony also marked the launch of the 14th edition of Dun & Bradstreet India's premium publication, 'India's Top 500 Companies 2014' by eminent chief guest, and former Union Minister, Dr Arun Shourie.

Also present at the event were Mr VP Nandakumar, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, Manappuram Finance; Dr Alok Bharadwaj, Executive Vice President,

Canon India; Dr MR Rao, Provost, Woxsen School of Business; and Mr Binod Singh, President, CEO & Member of the Board, Ilantus Technologies.

The awards methodology was applied to this list of Top 500 companies, duly classified in their respective sectors. The model is based on the premise of recognising the twin virtues of size and growth of the companies while awarding them. The analyst team identified pertinent financial parameters to fulfil this premise and assigned weights to them. Winners were chosen on the basis of a composite score of these weighted parameters. The parameters considered for ranking the companies include - total income, net profit, net worth, net profit margin, return on net worth, average market capitalisation for FY13, growth in total income and growth in net profit.

Here is the full list of Winners of the D&B – Manappuram Finance Limited Corporate Awards 2014

Sr. No.	Sector	Top 500 2014 Award Winner
1	Agro Chemicals	UPL Limited
2	Auto Components	Motherson Sumi Systems Limited
3	Automobile - Two Wheelers	Bajaj Auto Limited
4	Automobiles	Mahindra & Mahindra Limited
5	Banks	HDFC Bank Limited
6	Batteries	Exide Industries Limited
7	Bearings	SKF India Limited
8	Cement	UltraTech Cement Limited
9	Chemicals	Pidilite Industries Limited
10	Cigarettes	ITC Limited
11	Computing and Telecom products	Redington (India) Limited

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12	Construction - Infrastructure Development	Reliance Infrastructure Limited
13	Consumer Durables / Domestic Appliances	TTK Prestige Limited
14	Electrical and Electronic Equipments	Havells India Limited
15	Engineering / Capital Goods	Larsen & Toubro Ltd.
16	Fertilizers	Tata Chemicals Limited
17	FIs / NBFCs / Financial Services	Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited
18	FMCG	Hindustan Unilever Limited
19	Food and Agro Processing	Kwality Limited
20	Footwear	Bata India Limited
21	Gas - Processing, Transmission and Marketing	GAIL (India) Limited
22	Gems and Jewellery	Titan Company Limited
23	Glass and Ceramics	Kajaria Ceramics Limited
24	Graphite and Electrodes	Graphite India Limited
25	Hotels	The Indian Hotels Company Limited
26	Iron and Steel	Tata Steel Limited
27	Liquor	United Spirits Limited
28	Mining	NMDC Limited

29	Non-Ferrous Metals	Hindustan Zinc Limited
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	Oil - Refining and Marketing	Reliance Industries Limited
31	Oil & Gas Exploration	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Limited
32	Paints	Asian Paints Limited
33	Paper	Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited
34	Petrochemicals and Polymers	Supreme Petrochem Limited
35	Pharmaceuticals	Lupin Limited
	Flamaceuticais	Lupin Linneu
36	Plastic and Plastic Products	Supreme Industries Limited
37	Plywood	Greenply Industries Limited
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	Power	NTPC Limited
39	Power Equipments	Crompton Greaves Limited
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40	Real Estate	Prestige Estates Projects Limited
41	Retail	Future Retail Limited
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	Shipping	The Great Eastern Shipping Company Limited
43	Software and ITeS	Tata Consultancy Services Limited
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	Specialty Oils and Lubricants	Castrol India Limited
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	Sugar	Balrampur Chini Mills Limited

46	Telecom Services	Bharti Airtel Limited
47	Textiles	Grasim Industries Limited
48	Trading	Adani Enterprises Limited
49	Transport and Logistics	Container Corporation Of India Limited
	Tyres	MRF Limited