

September 9, 2025 IPO Note



IPO NOTE

Issue Details

Price Band: ₹ 98 to ₹ 103 Employee Discount: ₹ 9/Share

Issue Opens on: September 10, 2025 Issue Closes on: September 12, 2025

Lot Size: 145 Shares & in Multiples

thereafter

Issue Highlights		
Issue Size: ₹ 1,900 Cr.		
No of Shares:	18,44,66,018	
Face Value:	₹1	

Offer Structure		
Issuance	₹ in Cr.	
Fresh Issue	472.00	
Offer for Sale	1,428.00	
Total	1,900.00	

Issue Breakup			
Reservation for	% of	₹ in Cr.	
	Issue	(at upper band)	
QIB	75	1,423.13	
HNI	15	284.63	
RETAIL	10	189.75	
Employee	1	2.50	
TOTAL	100	1,900.00	

Listing

BSE & NSE

Lead Managers

- Kotak Mahindra Capital Co. Ltd.
- Morgan Stanley India Co. Pvt. Ltd.
- Goldman Sachs (India) Securities
 Pvt. Ltd.
- JM Financial Limited

Registrar

MUFG Intime India Pvt Ltd

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COMPANY OVERVIEW

Urban Company operates a technology-driven, full-stack online services marketplace for quality driven services and solutions across various home and beauty categories. They operate in 51 cities across India, United Arab Emirates ("UAE") and Singapore, excluding cities served by joint venture in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia ("KSA"), of which 47 cities are in India, as at June 30, 2025.

The company's platform enables consumers to easily order services, including cleaning, pest control, electrician, plumbing, carpentry, appliance servicing and repair, on demand home-help assistance, painting, skincare, hair grooming and massage therapy. In Fiscals 2023 and 2024, they expanded into home solutions with the launch of water purifiers and electronic door locks, respectively, under the brand name 'Native'. They have also recently launched, and are in the process of scaling up, on demand home-help assistance ("InstaHelp") offering in specific micro markets across a number of cities in India.

As of June 30, 2025, the company's platform has facilitated transactions for 14.59 million unique consumers across all geographies where it has operated since inception. The company has onboarded 6.81 million consumers, i.e., 46.67% of total consumers between July 1, 2022 and June 30, 2025.

HIGHLIGHTS

- 1. Multi-category, hyperlocal, home services marketplace benefits from network effects
- 2. Established brand trusted by consumers
- 3. Improved quality of service professionals through in-house training and access to tools and consumables
- 4. Robust technology platform powering service fulfilment, consumer growth and service professional empowerment
- 5. Innovation and product development capabilities
- 6. Scale and technological capabilities have helped the company achieve profitability

OBJECTS OF THE ISSUE

- 1. Expenditure for new technology development and cloud infrastructure (₹ 190 Cr.)
- 2. Expenditure for lease payments for the offices (₹ 75 Cr.)
- 3. Expenditure towards marketing activities (₹ 90 Cr.)
- 4. General Corporate Purposes

Offer for Sale Equity Shares aggregating to ₹ 1,428 Cr. The company will not receive any proceeds from the Offer for sale.

OUR VIEW

Urban Company, incorporated in December 2014, is a technology-led, full-stack marketplace that connects consumers with a wide range of home and beauty services. In the quarter ending June 2025, the platform had around 54,347 average monthly active service professionals and 70.2 lakhs annual transacting customers.

To support its professionals, Urban Company provides training, tools, financing, insurance, and branding opportunities, improving both service standards and earning potential. As per the Redseer Report, the home services industry in India is expected to grow at a CAGR of 10-11%, reaching US\$100 billion in Fiscal 30 driven by rising urbanization and increasingly busy lifestyles whereas the home services industry in India is largely unorganized, fragmented, and offline, with online penetration of less than 1.0%, as of Fiscal 2025 based on net transaction value.

However, Risks to consider are high Competition and Market Penetration, Customer Satisfaction, Challenges of Managing Growth, International Uncertainty, Regulatory Hurdles, ability to attract and retain service professionals on the platform, Limited History in New Business Lines, Dependence on Brand and Reputation, Losses and Cash Flow Concerns can affect the business and financial results.

On the financial front, the company has delivered CAGR of 34% revenue growth between FY23-FY25. It turned profitable in just FY25. The company operated on an adjusted EBITDA margin of 5.74% for Q1FY26. Net Transaction Value, increased by 28% YoY in FY25. Annual transacting consumers, which shows the number of unique customers who used the platform in a year, rose from 57.5 lakh in FY24 to 67.8 lakh in FY25. Contribution margin improved from 18.81% in FY24 to 19.53% in FY25.

The issue is priced at a P/BV of 8.25 based on its NAV of Rs. 12.48 as at Q1FY26. If we attribute FY26 earnings, then the asking price is at a P/E of ~515x and FY25 P/E stands at ~60x. As per RHP there are no listed peers. Urban Company gives investor an opportunity to invest in India's dynamic gig economy. Looking at all the factors, risks, opportunities and valuation and also the advantage of first mover, investors can invest with long term horizon.





Brief Financials

PARTICULARS				₹ in Million
	As at June 2025	FY '25	FY '24	FY '23
Total Income	3,672.67	11,444.65	8,280.18	6,365.97
Total Expenditure	3,842.48	12,234.76	10,207.18	10,386.80
EBITDA	(47.94)	(315.40)	(1,467.01)	(3,642.40)
Profit before Tax	56.35	285.53	(927.27)	(3,124.42)
Profit after Tax	69.38	2,397.65	(927.72)	(3,124.84)
E.P.S. (Diluted)	0.05	1.65	(0.66)	(2.25)
P/E (x) (Diluted)	-	60	-	-
RONW (%)	0.38	13.35	(7.18)	(23.33)

PRICE CHART (@ ₹ 103) (Retail Category)

LOT SIZE	Amount
145	14,935
290	29,870
435	44,805
580	59,740
725	74,675
870	89,610
1,015	104,545
1,160	119,480
1,305	134,415
1,450	149,350
1,595	164,285
1,740	179,220
1,885	194,155

HNI Payment Chart

Category	No. of Shares	Minimum Bid Lot Amount (Rs.)
Small HNI	2,030	209,090
Big HNI	9,715	1,000,645

Indicative Time Table

Tentative Events	Indicative Dates
Finalisation of Basis of Allotment with the Designated Stock Exchange	15/9/2025
Initiation of refunds/unblocking ASBA Fund	16/9/2025
Credit of Equity Shares to demat accounts of Allottees	16/9/2025
Commencement of trading of the Equity Shares on the Stock Exchanges	17/9/2025

For more details, Please refer RHP,

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