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Subject: - Investor update for Q3 FY 2024-25

Dear Sir / Madam,

Please find enclosed the investor update for Q3 FY 2024-25.

Kindly take this on your record.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

For Birlasoft Limited



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# **Investor Update** Q3 FY 2024-25



# Birlasoft Q3FY25 Revenue up 1.5% YoY to ₹13,627 Mn Deals TCV up 4% YoY and up 66% QoQ to \$226 Mn led by strong order-booking

Cash & Cash Equivalents Up 21.7% YoY at ₹20,552 Mn led by sustained strong collections

**New Delhi (India), February 11, 2025:** Birlasoft, a leading IT services and solutions provider, today reported its unaudited consolidated financial results for the third quarter ended December 31, 2024. Birlasoft is part of the \$3 bn CK Birla Group, which has over 35,000 employees and operates 52 manufacturing facilities globally.

**Mr. Angan Guha, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director**, Birlasoft, said, "Our performance during the quarter under review demonstrates our ability to pursue deal closures, drive operational efficiencies, and generate consistently strong cash flows even in a seasonally weak quarter. Deal signings during the quarter at \$226 million TCV have been the best during the current financial year. While higher than usual furloughs affected our revenue performance, we have been able to deliver a steady margin performance sequentially after absorbing much of the compensation increases rolled out for most of our employees during the quarter. We also continue to make investments aimed at enhancing our capabilities as well as

#### Key Financial highlights for Q3 FY25

#### In INR ₹

- Revenue at ₹ 13,627 M, up 1.5% YoY
- EBITDA at ₹ 1,634 M; EBITDA margin at 12.0%
- PAT at ₹ 1,169 M translating to basic EPS (not annualized) of ₹4.20
- Cash and cash equivalents increase 21.7% YoY to ₹20,552 M

partnerships, which we believe is key to creating a differentiated value proposition in the marketplace."

"Our revenue during the quarter under review, which witnessed higher than usual furloughs, grew 1.5% year-on-year to Rs 13,627 million. Our EBITDA margin stood at 12.0% for the quarter, representing only a marginal sequential decline even after implementing a salary increase effective October 1st covering most of the organization, on the back of multiple operational efficiency initiatives that we have been driving and some exchange rate tailwind. We also maintained our robust track record of strong quarterly collections and cashflow generation, resulting in a 21.7% rise year-on-year in cash and cash equivalents to Rs 20,552 Mn. Our DSO at 53 days continues to be among the best in the industry. Our robust cash flow and balance sheet enable us to make the investments necessary for future growth," said Ms. Kamini Shah, Chief Financial Officer, Birlasoft.

#### In USD \$

- Revenue at \$160.8 M, down 0.3% YoY
- In constant currency terms, revenue down 0.1% YoY
- EBITDA at \$ 19.3 M; EBITDA margin at 12.0%

#### Other operating highlights

- Revenue performance during Q3FY25 was led BFSI among verticals and by Digital & Data among service lines.
  - **BFSI up 1.8% QoQ** among verticals, while the others registered a sequential decline in a seasonally weak quarter
  - Digital & Data up 2.4% QoQ.
  - Revenue from Top 5 clients grew by 7.1% YoY.
- Signed deals of TCV \$ 226 M during the quarter, **up 66% QoQ**, with new deal wins TCV of \$ 64 M and renewals of \$ 162 M.
- Active Client Count at 265 in Q3FY25 (up from 261 in Q2FY25, with the number of \$5M+ clients rising from 24 in Q2FY25 to 27 in Q3FY25).
- Cash & Cash equivalents of \$240.1 M at end of Q3FY25, up 8.2% QoQ from \$221.8 M at end of Q2FY25. In rupee terms, cash and cash equivalents increased 10.6% QoQ to ₹20,552 M at the end of Q3FY25 from ₹18,587 M at the end of the preceding quarter.
- Q3FY25 **DSO improves to 53 days** from 58 days in Q2FY25, led by sustained strong collections.
- Workforce strength stood at 12,125 as on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024 and attrition was 12.7% during Q3FY25.

#### Key deal wins for the quarter...

- Expanded our Digital Flex pods across the US and India, enabling seamless technology integration for multiple wealth management products at one of the world's largest custodian and securities services companies.
- Secured a multi-million-dollar, long-term agreement with a prominent global industrial manufacturing customer out of North America to enhance and scale their HRMS services.
- Renewal of multiyear ERP managed services with US based large global distributor.
- Strategically partnered with a leading manufacturing customer in the USA to advance their AI/ML roadmap.

#### ...Key deal wins for the quarter

- Signed a multi-year QA and RPA deal with an Insurance major and further consolidated our position as one of the largest IT service providers.
- Selected by a US-based large global Technology segment customer as a strategic build partner for ERP, Digital, Data, Testing, CRM, and middleware Integration related work.
- Partnered with a large US based hi-tech cloud technology company to expand their technology competency center out of India.
- Secured an engagement with US based large defense contractor and industrial corporation in Data & Analytics.

#### Awards & Recognitions...

- Birlasoft identified as a "Disruptor" in the "Avasant Hybrid Enterprise Cloud Services 2024-2025 RadarView" Report
- Birlasoft identified as a "Leader" in the "Oil and Gas Industry- Services and Solutions 2024 ISG Provider Lens™ Study" North America
- Birlasoft identified as a "Product Challenger; Market Challenger and Contender" in the "Manufacturing Industry Services and Solutions 2024 ISG Provider Lens™ Study" - EUR, North America
- Birlasoft recognized as a "Major Contender" in the "Quality Engineering Services for Mid-market Enterprises PEAK Matrix<sup>®</sup> Assessment 2024" by Everest
- Birlasoft recognized as a "Major Contender" in the "Quality Engineering (QE) Services for AI Applications and Systems PEAK Matrix<sup>®</sup> Assessment 2024" by Everest
- Birlasoft identified as a "Product Challenger" in the "Advanced Analytics and AI Services ISG Provider Lens" Study
- Birlasoft identified as a "Product Challenger" in the "Intelligent Automation Services and Solutions 2024 ISG Provider Lens™ Study"
- Birlasoft identified as a "Product Challenger" in the "Insurance Services 2024 ISG Provider Lens™ Study"
- Birlasoft ranked amongst India's Top 50 Companies with Great Managers™ for 2024 by People Business.





#### **About Birlasoft**

Birlasoft, a global leader at the forefront of Cloud, AI, and Digital technologies, seamlessly blends domain expertise with enterprise solutions. The company's consultative and design-thinking approach empowers societies worldwide, enhancing the efficiency and productivity of businesses. Under the visionary leadership of Chairman Mrs. Amita Birla, Birlasoft, comprising over 12,000 professionals, is committed to driving digital transformation. With superior experience in chosen verticals, the company delivers cutting-edge technology solutions, shaping sustainable communities. Explore the innovation at <u>www.birlasoft.com</u>.

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#### About The CK Birla Group

The CK Birla Group, with a revenue of over US \$3 billion, is an Indian multinational conglomerate. With over 35,000 employees, the group operates 52 manufacturing facilities across India and the world, with a presence in diverse sectors including technology, automotive, home and building, and healthcare.

The CK Birla Group continuously adapts to stay ahead in a changing world. By harnessing technology and investing in people and digital transformation, the Group consistently remains agile and delivers profitable growth. Viewing value creation through a global lens, our companies operate without borders.

The CK Birla Group companies include Birlasoft Limited, GMMCO Limited, National Engineering Industries Limited (manufacturer of NBC Bearings), Orient Cement Limited, HIL Limited, Orient Electric Limited, CK Birla Healthcare Private Limited (CK Birla Hospitals and Birla Fertility & IVF), Orient Paper & Industries Limited, AVTEC Limited and Neosym Industry Limited.

Our companies share a common purpose of serving customers, partners and communities to create long term value through trust based relationships.

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# **Fact Sheet** Q3 FY 2024-25

DSO at 53 days \$240 M of Cash & Cash Equivalents \$226 M TCV Deal Wins
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## **Key Financial Metrics**

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Key Finar	ncial Metrics - Q3 FY2	.5		QoQ	YoY
Constant Currency (CC) Revenue growth	h during Q3 FY25			-1.1%	-0.1%
Financials & NA	02 FV24			Grow	th (%)
Financials \$ M	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25	QoQ	YoY
Revenue \$ M	161.3	163.3	160.8	-1.5%	-0.3%
EBITDA Margin %	16.0%	12.1%	12.0%		
EBIT Margin %	14.4%	10.5%	10.4%		
Effective Tax Rate %	25.2%	24.9%	25.0%		
PAT \$ M	19.3	15.2	13.8		
PAT - Net Profit Margin %	12.0%	9.3%	8.6%		
EPS - Earnings Per Share (In ₹)					
Basic ₹	5.82	4.59	4.20		
Diluted ₹	5.73	4.52	4.15		
Days Sales Outstanding - Billed	51	58	53		

	Quarter Ended				
Revenue by Geography	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Americas	85.7%	87.3%	87.8%		
Rest of the World	14.3%	12.7%	12.2%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		
est of the World otal Revenue by Industry Verticals Aanufacturing FSI nergy & Utilities ifesciences & Services ifesciences & Services Total Revenue by Service Offerings vigital and Data RP		Quarter Ended			
Revenue by industry verticals	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Manufacturing	41.2%	40.0%	40.1%		
BFSI	20.6%	23.3%	24.1%		
Energy & Utilities	14.5%	16.1%	15.7%		
Lifesciences & Services	23.9%	20.6%	20.0%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		
Devenue hu Comice Offenings		Quarter Ended			
Revenue by Service Offerings	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Digital and Data	55.4%	54.7%	56.9%		
ERP	36.1%	35.5%	33.9%		
Infra	8.5%	9.8%	9.1%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		



Povonuo hy Contract Type	Quarter Ended				
Revenue by Contract Type	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Time & Material	37.3%	36.0%	35.2%		
Fixed Price, Fixed Monthly	62.7%	64.0%	64.8%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		
	Quarter Ended				
Revenue Mix	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Onsite	45.8%	50.5%	49.0%		
Offshore	54.2%	49.5%	51.0%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		
Deal Wins - New	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Total Contract Value (TCV) - in \$ M	94	89	64		

Evolution and Data (7/116 ¢)	Quarter Ended					
Exchange Rate (₹/US \$)	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25			
Period Average	83.24	83.78	84.73			
Period End	83.21	83.79	85.62			
Client Data		Quarter Ended				
Client Data	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25			
No of Active Clients	272	261	265			
Clients added - QoQ	-6	3	4			
No of million \$ clients (LTM)						
US\$ 1mn+ Clients	83	89	85			
US\$ 5mn+ Clients	26	24	27			
US\$ 10mn+ Clients	11	12	12			
Client Contribution to Revenue (LTM)						
Тор 5	34.5%	36.7%	37.0%			
Тор 10	52.0%	52.5%	52.2%			
Тор 20	64.7%	64.9%	65.0%			

LTM - last twelve months

Headcount Metrics	Quarter Ended				
HeadCount Methics	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25		
Total Headcount	12,356	12,578	12,125		
Technical	11,169	11,417	11,000		
Sales & Support	1,187	1,161	1,125		
Women Employees	2,892	2,972	2,891		
Attrition* (LTM)	12.6%	11.8%	12.7%		
Utilization	87.1%	82.0%	81.8%		

\* adjusted for < 6 months exits

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Hedge Book	Q3 FY24	Q2 FY25	Q3 FY25
USD Mn	111.0	126.0	127.5
Average rate in ₹	83.9	84.6	85.1
GBP Mn	7.5	9.7	5.7
Average rate in ₹	105.1	108.3	108.1
Euro Mn	5.8	6.4	5.9
Average rate in ₹	92.5	93.2	92.6

## **Consolidated Income Statement for the quarter ended December 31, 2024**



Particulars		In \$ M			
Quarter ended	31-Dec-23	30-Sep-24	31-Dec-24	QoQ	ΥοΥ
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited		
Revenue from operations	161.3	163.3	160.8	-1.5%	-0.3%
Expenses					
Employee benefits expense	95.3	99.0	98.3		
Other expenses	40.3	44.6	43.2		
EBITDA	25.7	19.7	19.3	-2.3%	-25.1%
EBITDA Margin %	16.0%	12.1%	12.0%	-9 bps	-396 bps
Depreciation & amortization	2.5	2.7	2.5		
EBIT	23.2	17.1	16.8	-1.8%	-27.7%
EBIT Margin %	14.4%	10.5%	10.4%	-3 bps	-396 bps
Other income (net)	3.4	4.0	2.5		
Finance costs	0.7	0.8	0.8		
Profit before tax (PBT)	25.9	20.3	18.4	-9.1%	-28.9%
Total tax expense	6.5	5.0	4.6		
Profit for the period (PAT)	19.3	15.2	13.8	-9.3%	-28.7%
PAT Margin %	12.0%	9.3%	8.6%	-74 bps	-341 bps

Average \$/₹ rate of ₹83.2 for Q3 FY24, ₹83.8 for Q2 FY25 and ₹84.7 for Q3 FY25

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Particulars		In ₹ M			
Quarter ended	31-Dec-23	30-Sep-24	31-Dec-24	QoQ	ΥοΥ
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited		
Revenue from operations	13,430	13,682	13,627	-0.4%	1.5%
Expenses					
Employee benefits expense	7,934	8,296	8,329		
Other expenses	3,352	3,732	3,664		
EBITDA	2,143	1,653	1,634	-1.2%	-23.7%
EBITDA Margin %	16.0%	12.1%	12.0%	-9 bps	-396 bps
Depreciation & amortization	211	222	213		
EBIT	1,932	1,431	1,422	-0.7%	-26.4%
EBIT Margin %	14.4%	10.5%	10.4%	-3 bps	-396 bps
Other income (net)	282	334	208		
Finance costs	60	68	69		
Profit before tax (PBT)	2,154	1,697	1,560	-8.1%	-27.6%
Total tax expense	544	422	390		
Profit for the period (PAT)	1,611	1,275	1,169	-8.3%	-27.4%
PAT Margin %	12.0%	9.3%	8.6%	-74 bps	-341 bps

Average \$/₹ rate of ₹83.2 for Q3 FY24, ₹83.8 for Q2 FY25 and ₹84.7 for Q3 FY25



### **Consolidated Balance Sheet**

Particulars as atASSETSNon-current assetsProperty, plant and equipmentRight-of-use assetsCapital work-in-progressGoodwillOther intangible assetsIntangible assets under development		\$ M				₹M
Particulars as at	31-Dec-23	30-Sep-24	31-Dec-24	31-Dec-23		30-Sep-24
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)
ASSETS						
Non-current assets						
Property, plant and equipment	13.7	11.0	10.5	1,144		920
Right-of-use assets	8.9	15.7	17.3	744		1,315
Capital work-in-progress	1.2	1.5	1.9	104		128
Goodwill	59.7	59.8	58.8	4,971		5,009
Other intangible assets	1.2	0.9	0.8	97		76
ntangible assets under development	-	1.0	1.5	-		83
-inancial assets						
Investments	10.6	32.1	28.5	883		2,694
Finance Lease Receivable	-	3.5	5.4	-		295
Other financial assets	2.3	5.0	3.6	189		422
ncome tax assets (net)	5.1	3.7	3.6	423		309
Deferred tax assets (net)	15.1	13.2	13.3	1,255		1,109
Other non-current assets	1.6	1.4	1.3	129		121
Current assets						
nventories	-	3.1	2.4	-		264
inancial assets						
Investments	122.4	136.4	156.5	10,187	_	11,427
Trade receivables					_	
Billed	92.7	108.1	101.5	7,712		9,059
Unbilled	23.8	21.9	17.9	1,984		1,835
Cash and cash equivalents	66.0	33.6	39.4	5,495		2,816
Other balances with banks & deposits	3.9	16.2	13.8	320		1,354
Finance Lease Receivable	-	2.2	1.5	-		188
Other financial assets	1.8	0.7	0.3	150		60
Other current assets	25.0	31.4	33.1	2,079	1	2,634
TOTAL ASSETS	455.1	502.6	512.7	37,867		42,116

\$/₹ rate of ₹83.2 for Dec 23, ₹83.8 for Sep 24 and ₹85.6 for Dec 24



### **Consolidated Balance Sheet**

		\$ M				₹M
Particulars as at	31-Dec-23	30-Sep-24	31-Dec-24		31-Dec-23	31-Dec-23 30-Sep-24
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited) (Unaudited)
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES						
Equity share capital	6.6	6.6	6.5		552	552 553
Other equity	335.9	381.3	382.7	_	27,951	27,951 31,950
Liabilities - Non-current						
Financial liabilities						
Borrowings	-	0.9	0.8		-	- 78
Lease liabilities	5.7	12.1	13.4		478	478 1,012
Other financial liabilities	-	1.1	0.6		-	- 93
Provisions	6.8	8.9	8.7		568	568 744
Current liabilities						
Financials Liabilities						
Borrowings	-	0.2	0.2	-		21
Trade payables	34.2	34.0	30.6	2,848		2,849
Lease liabilities	4.0	4.1	4.5	330		343
Other financial liabilities	23.3	19.9	19.2	1,941		1,668
Other current liabilities	22.7	20.9	33.3	1,886		1,750
Provisions	9.3	8.7	9.2	772		731
Income tax liabilities (net)	6.5	3.9	3.0	542		325
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	455.1	502.6	512.7	37,867		42,116

\$/₹ rate of ₹83.2 for Dec 23, ₹83.8 for Sep 24 and ₹85.6 for Dec 24

## **Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for Q3 FY25**

Destinutors	31-De	31-Dec-24	
Particulars		\$ M	
Profit before tax	1,560	18.4	
Items to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows			
Add: non cash items			
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment & amortization of intangible assets	213	2.5	
Allowance for doubtful debts-trade receivables (net of recoveries)	39	0.5	
Creditors written back	(2)	(0.0)	
Share based compensation expenses	129	1.5	
Unrealized foreign exchange loss/ (gain)	151	1.8	
Interest on lease liabilities	29	0.3	
Less: interest & other items			
Interest income	(182)	(2.1)	
Others	(103)	(1.2)	
Operational cash profit		21.6	
Movements in working capital	1,153	13.6	
Cash generated from operations	2,986	35.2	
Income tax (paid) / received	(450)	(5.3)	
Net cash flow (used in)/from investing activities	(1,574)	(18.6)	
Net cash flow (used in) financing activities	(649)	(7.7)	
Balance cash Flow	313	3.7	
Total increase/(decrease) in cash balance	313	3.7	
Opening cash balance	4,169	48.7	
Foreign exchange fluctuation	72	0.8	
Total cash balance	4,554	53.2	
Cash & cash equivalents	20,552	240.1	

Average \$/₹ rate of ₹84.7 for Q3 FY25

## Q3FY25 Earnings Conference Call on 11th February 2025 at 5.00 pm IST



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