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Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Presentation made by the Managing Director at the AGM 2022

Please find attached the presentation made by Mr Rajiv Rajgopal, Managing Director, at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) 2022 of the Company held on 5th August 2022.

This is for your information and record.

Yours Faithfully, For Akzo Nobel India Limited

Harshi Rastogi Company Secretary Membership#A13642

Encl: as above.



### Agenda

## **AkzoNobel**

**About Us** 

**Business Environment** 

**Our Strategy and Performance** 

Our Purpose – People. Planet. Paint

ESG – a key focus area

**Conclusion** 

## **About Us**

#### **About AkzoNobel**

#### AkzoNobel

• €9,587 mn revenue in 2021, 3<sup>rd</sup> largest in global Paints & Coatings industry

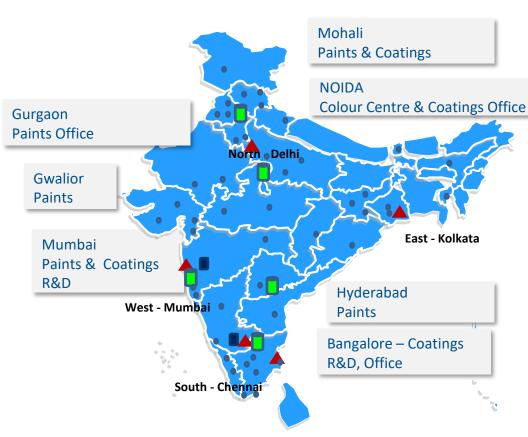
- 11.4% Return on Sales in 2021
- 150+ countries
- ~32,800 employees
- Recipient of the Terra Carta seal, the only Paints & Coatings company to receive the honour
- Expanding leadership position through strategic acquisitions -Grupo Orbis (South & Central America), Lankwitzer Lackfabrik's Aluminum wheel liquid coatings business (Germany), Kansai Paint's Africa business



### Akzo Nobel India at a glance

**AkzoNobel** 

- ¬1,460 employees
- 5 manufacturing sites; Capacity augmentation & expansion plans in place
- **5** offices
- Scale up of distribution with increased numeric reach and tinting machines penetration (~20,000 retailers, ~15,000 tinting machines)
- 7 ~4,000 B2B customers
- **World-class Color Centre** for ASC\* in Bangalore
- Low-cost Innovation Centre driving differentiated products in Thane





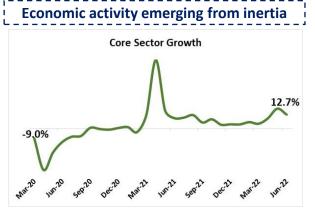
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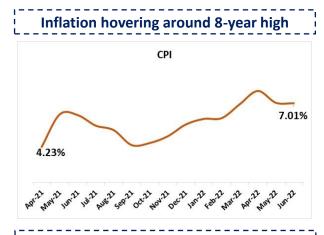
## **Business Environment**

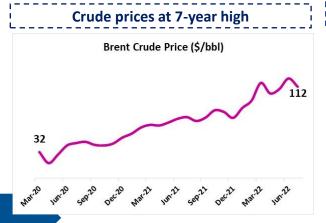
# India growth picking up, but inflationary pressures, FX volatilities and Crude Oil price surge continue

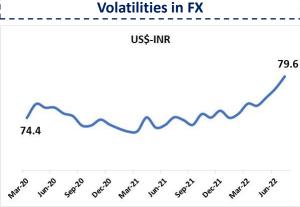
### **AkzoNobel**

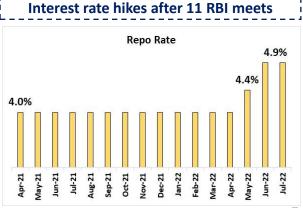












## **Our Strategy and Performance**

#### **Our Strategy**

### AkzoNobel



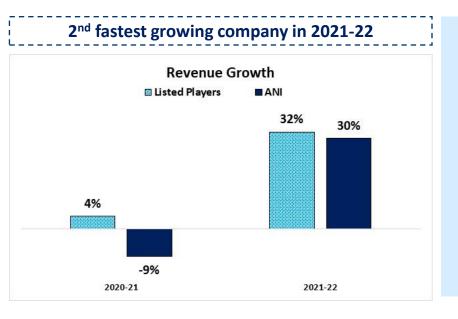
Creating **new business models** to enhance
reach and customer
service

Growing profitably while increasing returns to all our stakeholders

Driving **digital and sustainable innovation** 

## **Strong progress on Grow & Deliver ambition Grow**





#### Akzo Nobel India (ANI) now on the global map

"...a strong #4 position in India, where we have a significant opportunity for growth, which we're going for right now.

Again, we focus much more on paint and we haven't gone into all sorts of adjacencies as the others have done. So our growth has been good, but our profitability has, which is high in India, has actually been totally kept in policy...

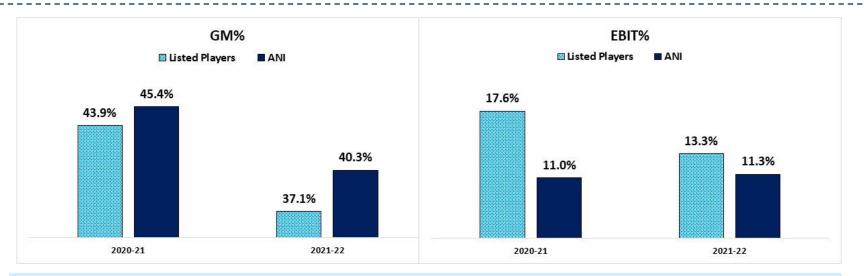
...We want to keep the middle part between growing, but growing in a very healthy way. So there's a lot of, actually investment."

- Thierry Vanlancker, Global CEO, AkzoNobel

## **Strong progress on Grow & Deliver ambition Deliver**



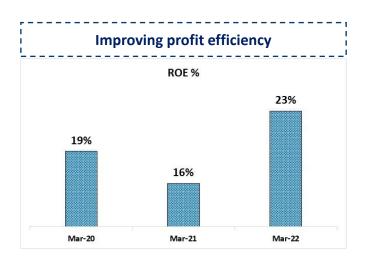
Margins protected better than industry even in a hyper-inflationary environment; Double-digit profitability maintained

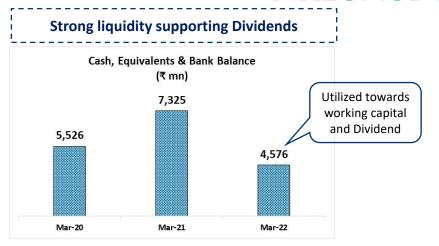


- Leading the industry in pricing actions; ~21% increase taken till March-exit
- Raw material inflation likely to persist due to ongoing geopolitical tensions; ANI continuing to review impact closely; to evaluate further price increases, if required

### **Sustaining Strong Liquidity & Shareholder Value**

### **AkzoNobel**









#### **Paint**

#### AkzoNobel

received

Top 30 to be selected

4-5 winners to be declared by

#### Innovations, disruptive technology driving many industry-firsts





#### **Decorative Paints**

# Bringing world-class products and propositions to Indian markets AkzoNobel

"Feels like home" campaign for Velvet Touch with Tru Color



Digital campaign for Dulux Aquatech



Redefining crack-proofing with PU\* technology





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Portfolio expansion with FloorPlus



\* Polyurethane

# **Decorative Paints**Driving Digital

**Simply refresh DIY range:** Digital Campaign live, Markets expansion planned



#### **AkzoNobel**

**Collaborative Innovation:** Paint the Future Challenge





~200 submissions received



Top 30 to be selected



4-5 winners to be declared by a jury

### **Coatings**

#### Innovative launches for customer-centric B2B solutions



**Protecting assets and aesthetics** 



**Sustainable solutions through Powder** 





**Exclusively approved Coatings for Super Premium luxury segment** 





#### **Planet**

#### **AkzoNobel**

#### Pioneering increasingly sustainable solutions and processes





#### **Planet**

Tangible ambitions towards addressing Sustainability challenges

## **AkzoNobel**

## Sustainability is integrated in everything we do. By 2030, we aim to

- utilize 100% of our energy requirements from renewable sources
- reduce our carbon emissions by 50%
- move towards zero waste



### People

### **AkzoNobel**

## Purpose-led initiatives fostering respect, diversity, inclusion & community development

### People AkzoNobel Cares - for Employees





#### AkzoNobel



People: AkzoNobel Cares – for Communities
Promoting Skill & Education, Health, Diversity & Inclusion

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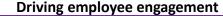
### People

#### **AkzoNobel Cares - for Employees**

**Driving Diversity & Inclusion with #BreakTheBias** 











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Health & Safety initiatives





# People: AkzoNobel Cares – for Communities Promoting Skill & Education, Health, Diversity & Inclusion







### **ESG** integrated in our Value Chain

### **AkzoNobel**







#### Environment Social Governance

- Member of Together for Sustainability (TfS)
- ~50% of raw materials procured sustainably
- ~31% energy consumed through renewable resources
- Zero liquid discharge across all sites
- All sites covered by Lloyd's Assessment

- Organisational Health Index in the top decile
- Skill training to ~2,000 youth every year
- 1.5 mn beneficiaries of Aarogya Sakha, a telemedicine initiative
- No fatalities and High consequence workrelated injury/ill-health in the last two years

- Overarching policies
- Good corporate governance
- 100% Board Attendance
- Independent Audit Committee
- 50% Independent Board

#### **Awards and Accolades**

### **AkzoNobel**

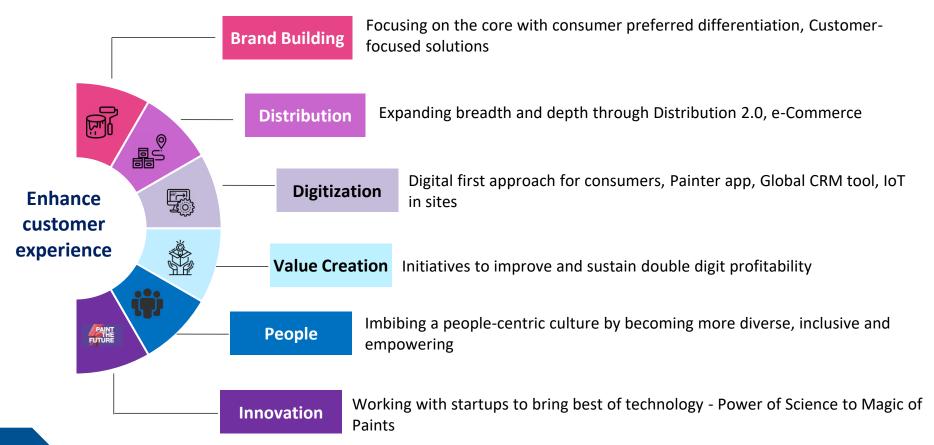
### **Recognized for excellence in CSR and Supply Chain**



## Conclusion

### Here's how we are driving Grow & Deliver







# Thank you!

#### Safe Harbour Statement

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