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Sir/Madam,

Sub: Investor Presentation for the quarter and nine months period ended 31st December, 2022

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations), please find enclosed a copy of the presentation made to the investors on the audited standalone and unaudited consolidated financial results of the Company for the quarter and nine months period ended 31st December, 2022.

The audio recording and transcript of the Investors Conference will be uploaded on the website of the Company (www.asianpaints.com) and the Stock Exchanges, as prescribed under the Listing Regulations.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

For **ASIAN PAINTS LIMITED**

R J JEYAMURUGAN CFO & COMPANY SECRETARY

Encl.: As above







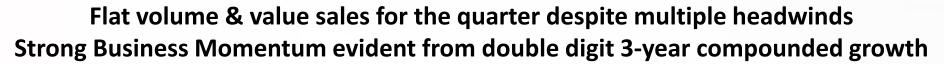
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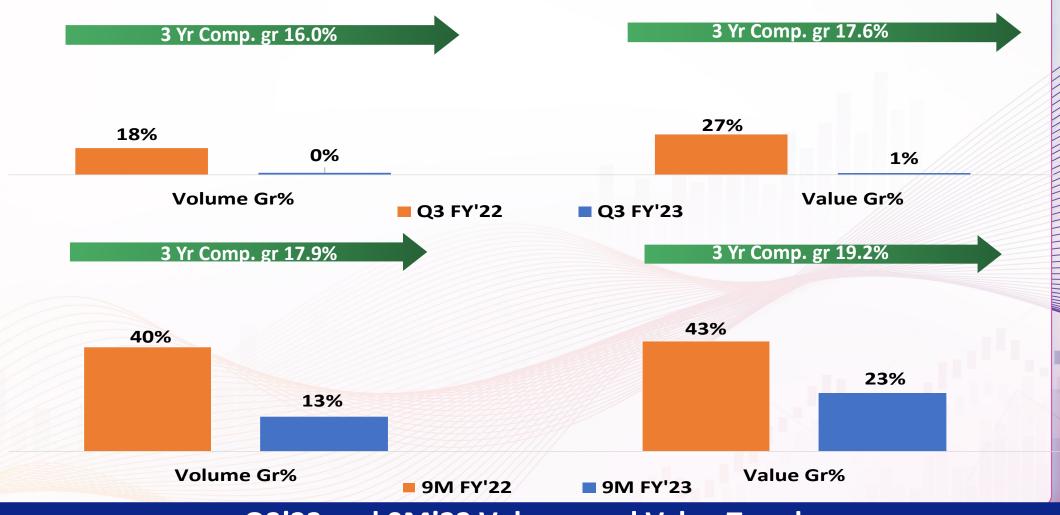
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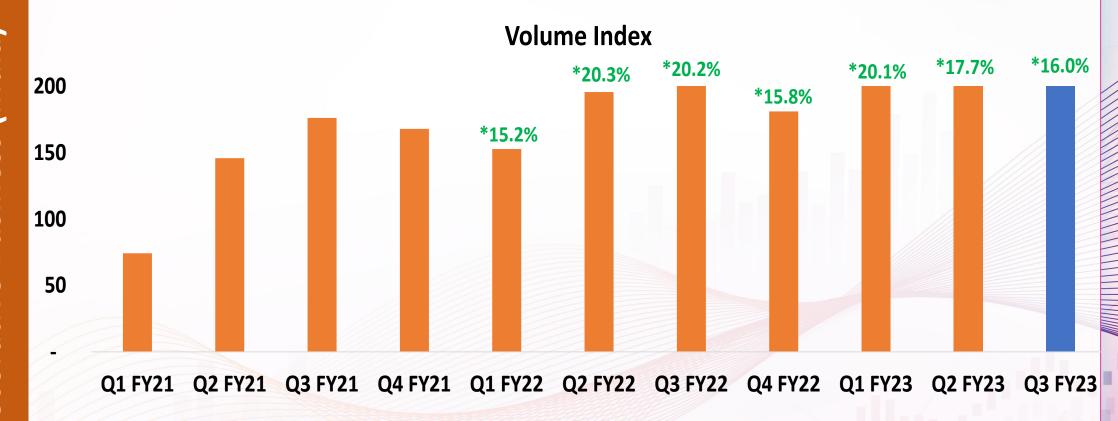
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Q3'23 and 9M'23 Volume and Value Trend

Consistent trend of double-digit volume growth



Quarterly representation of Volumes sold on base of Q1 FY19 as 100

^{*%} represents 3 Year Compounded Growth Rate

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❖ Extended monsoon & shorter Diwali season coupled with a high-volume base impacted overall growth in Q3'23, especially in North, Central & West markets

- ❖ Tepid growth across markets T1/T2 as well as T3/T4 centers
- * However, strong recovery recorded in December with double digit volume growth across markets
- Mix led by Economy & Waterproofing range, with downtrading seen in certain Premium range products.
 Luxury Emulsions performed relatively better
 - ❖ Last year Q3 product mix comparatively better with pre-stocking on price increases in Nov'21 & Dec'21
- ❖ Strong foray in Project/Institutional business gained inroads across segments
 - Grew well in Government, Factories, CHS & Builder segments
- Continued expansion of the distribution footprint with harmonious co-existence of Distributor + Direct Dealer model
 - ❖ Added ~10000 new retail points in 9M; enhancing our Rurban distribution reach
- ❖ Improving Customer experience with Safe Painting Service (SPS) & Trusted Contractor Service (TCS) the largest of its kind painting service in the world, now available across 834 towns

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Apex Createx Scratch finish



Sparc Exterior Wall Primer



TruGrip Dynamo Advanced



Woodtech Purafin PU

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Cutting edge differentiated products launched in Waterproofing in Q3



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Home Décor Foray

- Transitioning from 'Share of Surface' to 'Share of Space' within the Homes
- **❖** Beautiful Home Stores Home Décor under one roof
 - **❖** 38 stores functional now across metros, T1/T2 cities
- ❖ Beautiful Homes Service Personalized Interior Design to Professional Execution offered in 11 cities
- **❖** BeautifulHomes.com inspiring millions to create their dream homes





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❖ White Teak offering Decorative and Designer Lighting and Weatherseal offering uPVC Windows and Doors - gaining from the synergies

- ❖ White Teak generated revenue of Rs 29 crs during Q3; 9M revenue of Rs 73 crs against full year revenue of Rs 58 crs last year
- ❖ Weatherseal Revenue of Rs 7 crs during Q3; Revenue of Rs 15 crs for Jun'22 to Dec'22 period against full year revenue of Rs 14 crs last year
- ❖ Both businesses benefiting from the integration with the Beautiful Homes Stores network



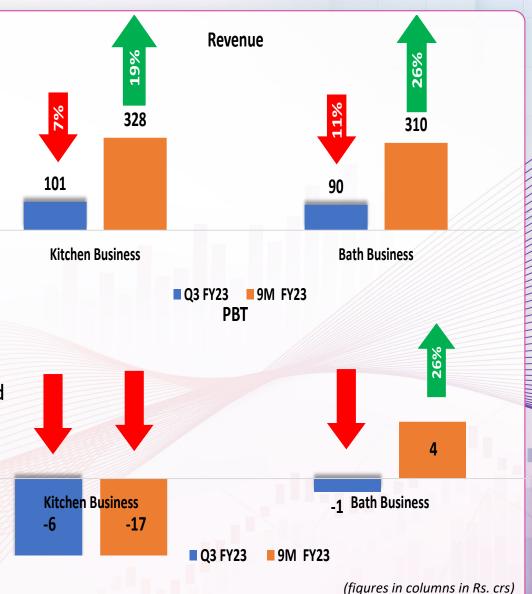


Kitchen Business

- **❖** Net Sales @ Rs 101 crs in Q3, de-growth of 7%
 - Slower demand in retail channel
 - Strong integration with BH Store & BH Service aiding growth in full kitchen business
- **❖** Higher Loss compared to LY due to subdued sales
 - Loss of Rs. 6 crs in Q3 vs breakeven LY

Bath Business

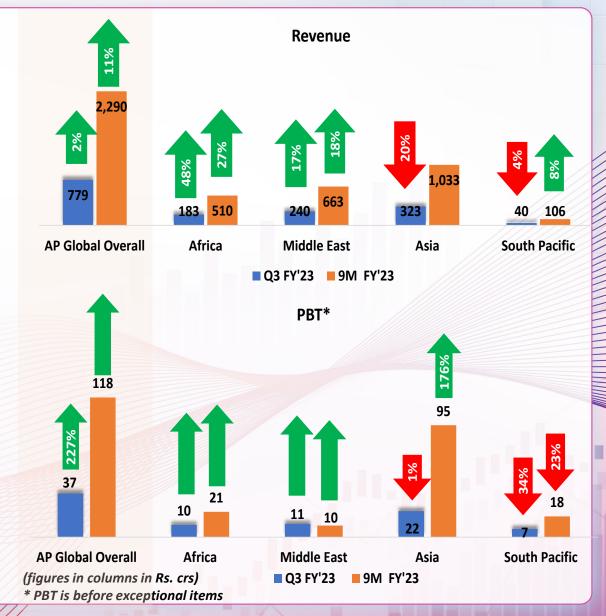
- **❖** Net Sales @ Rs 90 crs in Q3, de-growth of 11%
 - Projects business continues to lead growth amid challenging situation in Retail
 - Premium range 'Bath Sense' & Sanitary ware performing well
- Subdued sales and material inflation hurting profitability
 - Loss of Rs 1 crs in Q3 (vs Rs 1.3 crs profit in LY)







- Business conditions remained challenging in Asian markets while improvement seen in other geographies
- **❖** Focus on PreLux & Waterproofing categories playing out well
- ❖ Overall, International Business revenue: Q3 at Rs. 779 crs (+2%) & 9M at Rs 2,290 crs (+11%)
 - ❖ Q3 growth largely led by price increases
- ❖ Significantly improved Profitability on the back of price increases undertaken to negate inflation and cost efficiency measures
 - ❖ Q3 PBT Rs. 37 crs against Rs 11 crs in LY (9M PBT at Rs 118 crs vs loss of 17 crs LY)





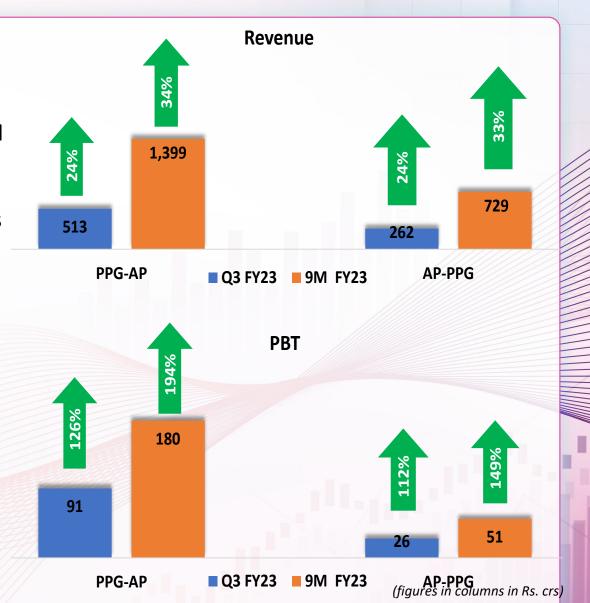


❖ PPG-AP

- High double digit value growth led by demand recovery in Automotive segment
- Price realizations helped improve PBT margins for the quarter & 9 months to double digits

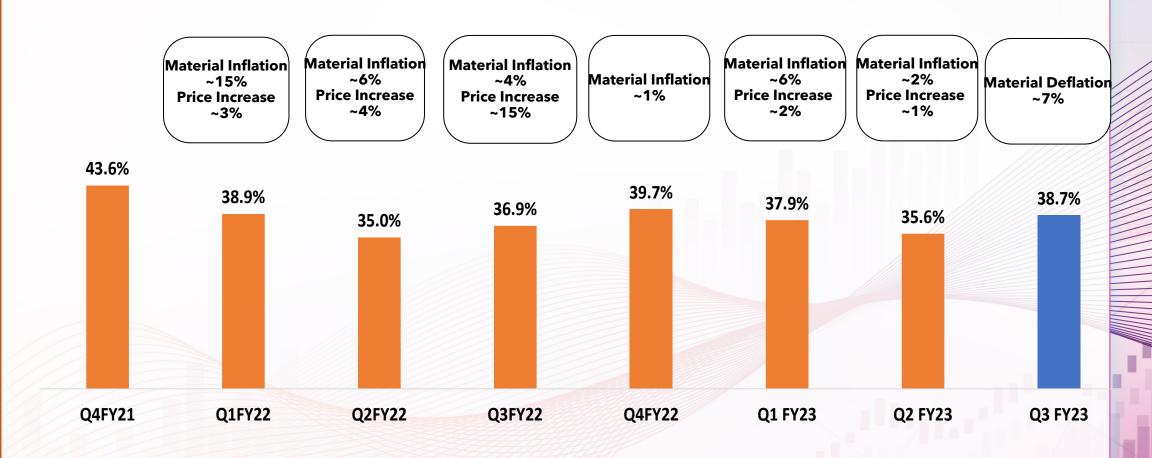
❖ AP-PPG

- Continued to exhibit strong growth trajectory across business segments
- Price increases coupled with improved sales mix helping improvement in PBT margins



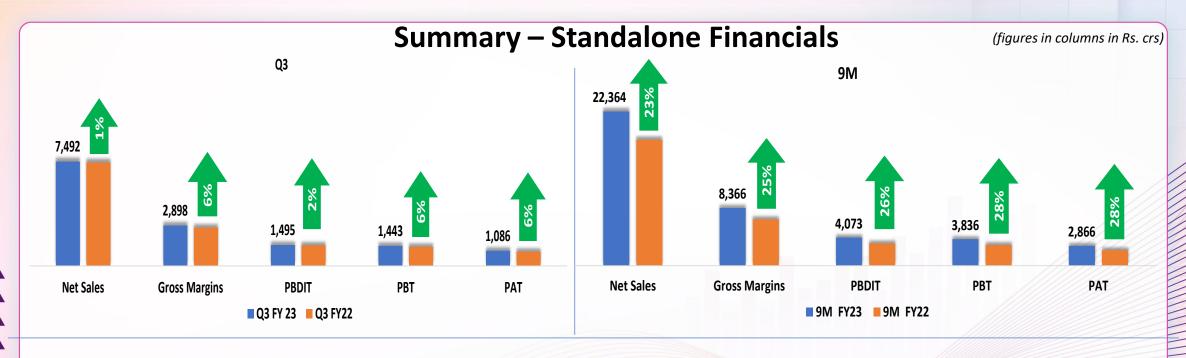


Softening material prices resulted in marked improvement in Gross Margins



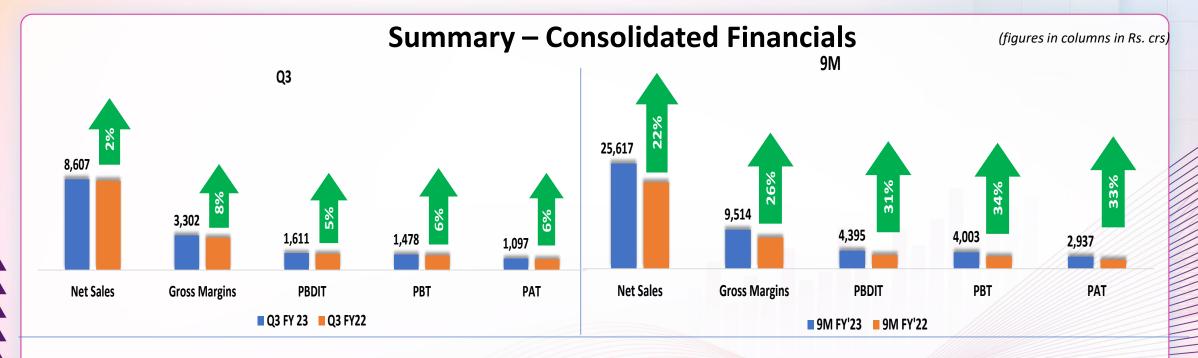
Gross margin shown here is Gross margins as a % of Net sales





- **❖** Flat Net sales in Q3 on a high base of LY. Strong double-digit revenue growth for the 9 months
- **❖** Deflation in raw material prices resulted in sequential improvement in Gross Margins
- ❖ PBDIT Margins sequentially improved from 15.2% in Q2 CY to 20.0% in Q3 CY (Q3 LY @ 19.8%)
 - ❖ For 9 month period, PBDIT margins at 18.2% vs 17.7% LY
- ❖ Q3 PBT growth higher @ 5.5% compared to 2% growth in PBDIT





- **❖** Q3 FY23 Net Sales growth of 2% on consolidated basis
 - **❖** All businesses (excluding both the Industrial business) registered flat value growth
- ❖ PBDIT margins sequentially improved from 14.6% in Q2 CY to 18.7% in Q3 CY (Q3 LY @ 18.2%)
 - ❖ For 9 month period, PBDIT margins at 17.2% vs 16% LY
 - PBDIT before Share in profit of Associates & before Other Income



Immediate Outlook – Though uncertain, Positives to look forward

- Demand conditions looking better recent downturn in inflation as well as the strong recovery seen with double digit volume and value growth in Dec'22
- Good monsoon coupled with expected increases in MSP augurs well for Rural sector
- Material prices expected to further soften in Q4; Will further improve margins
- ❖ B2B projects business should continue its growth trajectory with support from demand in Housing, Construction, Auto and Industrial
- Need to be watchful of the recessionary fears on the global front
 Forex pressure persisting in many of the African as well as Asian markets





Further investments to fortify our Leadership Position

- **❖** Setting up a new water-based manufacturing facility with a capacity of 4 lac KL p.a.
 - ❖ Approx. investment of Rs. 2000 crs for this facility
 - Expected commissioning in 3 years, after acquisition of land
- Already announced investments progressing as planned
 - ❖ Brownfield expansion across multiple manufacturing facilities in India increasing in-house paint capacity by ~30% to 22.7 lac KL p.a.
 - Backward integration in critical & import dependent raw materials
- **Expanding our Product Horizon**
 - Providing wings to our Beautiful Homes aspirations through additional investments in décor proposition

Plan Capital expenditure over next 3 years	Rs crs
Capacity Enhancement - Greenfield	2000
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Backward Integration	2550
Acquisitions already announced – expected outflow	800*
TOTAL	8750

^{*}Includes outflow already made towards acquisitions

