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Dear Sir,

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Yours faithfully For SALZER ELECTRONICS LTD

S.BASKARASUBRAMANIAN DIRECTOR (CORPORATE AFFAIRS) & COMPANY SECRETARY (DIN :00003152 & FCS:4605)





Salzer Electronics Ltd

Choice Broking cordially invites you to the

Earnings Conference Call

To discuss the operational and financial performance for **Q4 & FY23**

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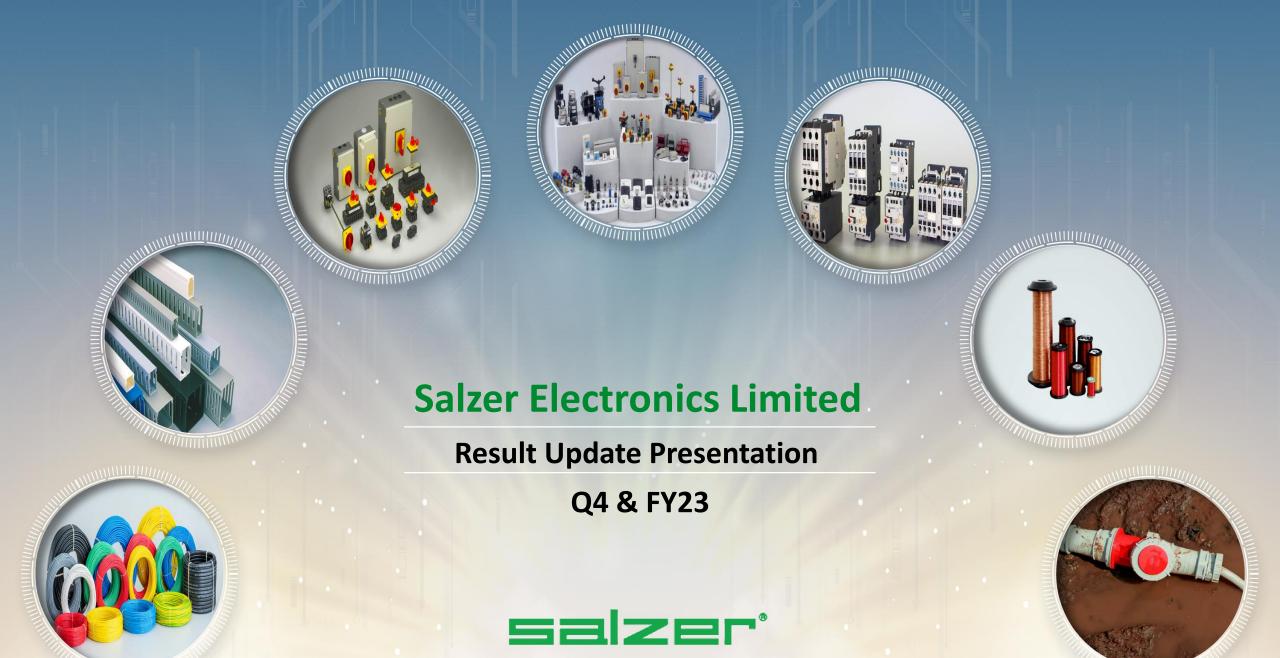
Mr Rajesh Doraiswamy (Joint Managing Director)

Salzer Electronics Ltd

We look forward to your participation

RSVP

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Joint Managing Director's Message





Commenting on this, Mr. Rajesh Doraiswamy, Joint Managing Director, Salzer Electronics Ltd said:

"Our fourth quarter performance has been in line with our expectations. We continued to see good growth coming in from all business divisions. We are witnessing a substantially higher demand in many key products from various products under Industrial Switchgear division. Our wires and cables division grew 45% sequentially during the quarter, accounting for 41% of our current quarter revenue. In fact, we saw demand picking up in the Agrimarket cable segment after a long slowdown in agri market.

During the Fourth quarter of the financial year, we registered a revenue of Rs. 295.12 crores with EBITDA (excluding other income) and PAT of Rs. 23.30 crore and Rs. 8.96 crore, respectively. Raw material prices have begun to stabilize and we are seeing the benefits of our price hikes in the form of better gross margins year on year.

During the year we have seen good growth in all the divisions mainly due to better market conditions in India and abroad. Exports contributed about 26% to our revenues this year, mainly on account of higher sales in the America's including South American countries like Brazil, Argentina and Chile.

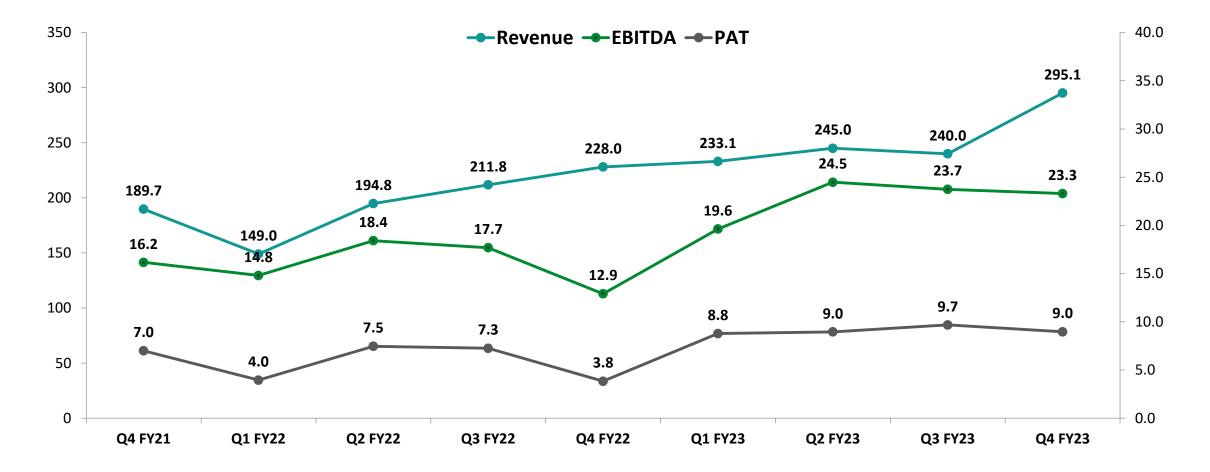
Going into the next fiscal, we expect to maintain our growth trajectory with our strong product offerings and brand position in the market. Based on domestic and export outlook, we are cautiously optimistic about the overall business performance.

I thank the entire team at Salzer Electronics for their untiring efforts and all our stakeholders for their continued support and faith in our Company."

Key Standalone Financial Highlights – Quarterly



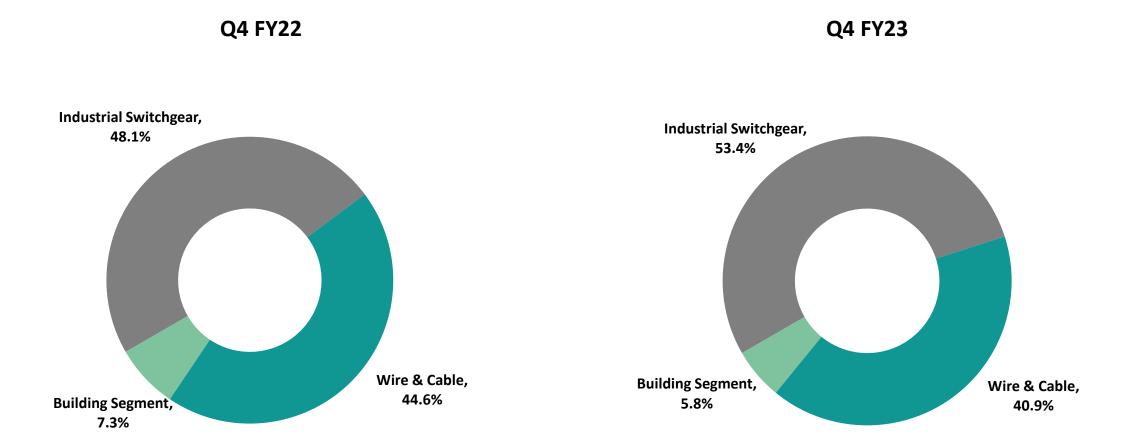
Revenue, EBITDA (excluding other income), PAT (Rs. Crore)



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Q4 FY23 Revenue Breakup – Business Verticals





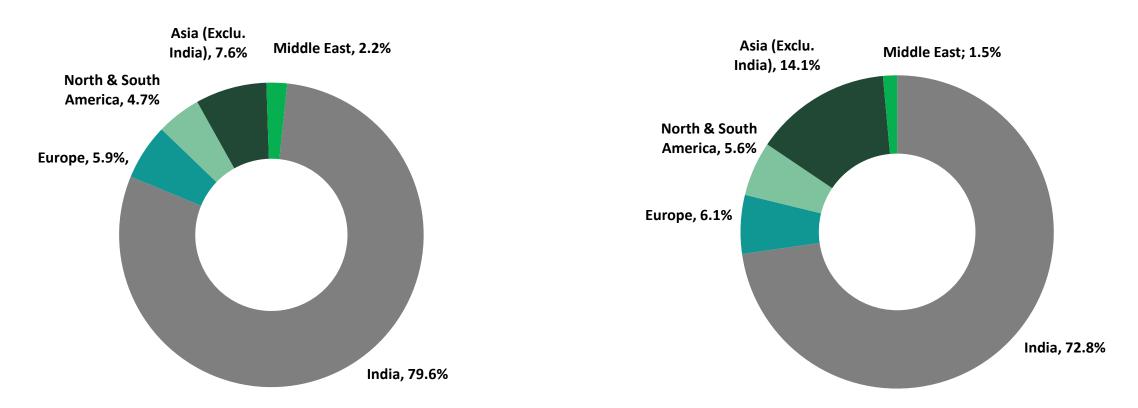
- Industrial Switchgear 53.36% of net revenues
- Wires & Cables 40.86% of net revenues
- Building Electrical Products 5.77% of net revenues
- Energy Management No tenders issued by Government during this period

Q4 FY23 Revenue Breakup – Geographical

Q4 FY22



Q4 FY23



Contribution from Exports at 27.25%

• Export revenue grew by 72.7% YoY in Q4 FY23 - driven by higher exports to North & South America, Europe and Asian countries

Q4 FY23 Standalone Financial Highlights



Rs. in Crore	Standalone				Consolidated
	Q4 FY23	Q4 FY22	Y-o-Y %	Q3 FY23	Q4 FY23*
Net Revenue	295.12	228.02	29.43%	239.95	302.73
Raw Materials	236.93	185.55		183.82	240.37
Employee Cost	9.90	8.60		8.59	10.78
Other Expenses	24.99	20.97		23.79	26.91
Total Expenditure	271.82	215.13		216.20	278.06
EBITDA (Excluding other Income)	23.30	12.89	80.77%	23.74	24.67
EBIDTA Margin (%)	7.89%	5.65%	224 bps	9.90%	8.15%
Other Income	0.19	0.35		0.48	0.33
Depreciation	4.08	4.05		4.07	4.33
Interest / Finance Cost	7.65	5.02		6.66	7.69
Exceptional Item (Gain) / Loss	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00
Profit Before Tax	11.75	4.16		13.48	12.98
Тах	2.80	0.34		3.81	3.13
Profit After Tax	8.96	3.83	134.09%	9.67	9.85
Profit After Tax Margin (%)	3.03%	1.68%	135 bps	4.03%	3.25%
Basic EPS (Rs.)	5.60	2.39	134.30%	6.05	6.01

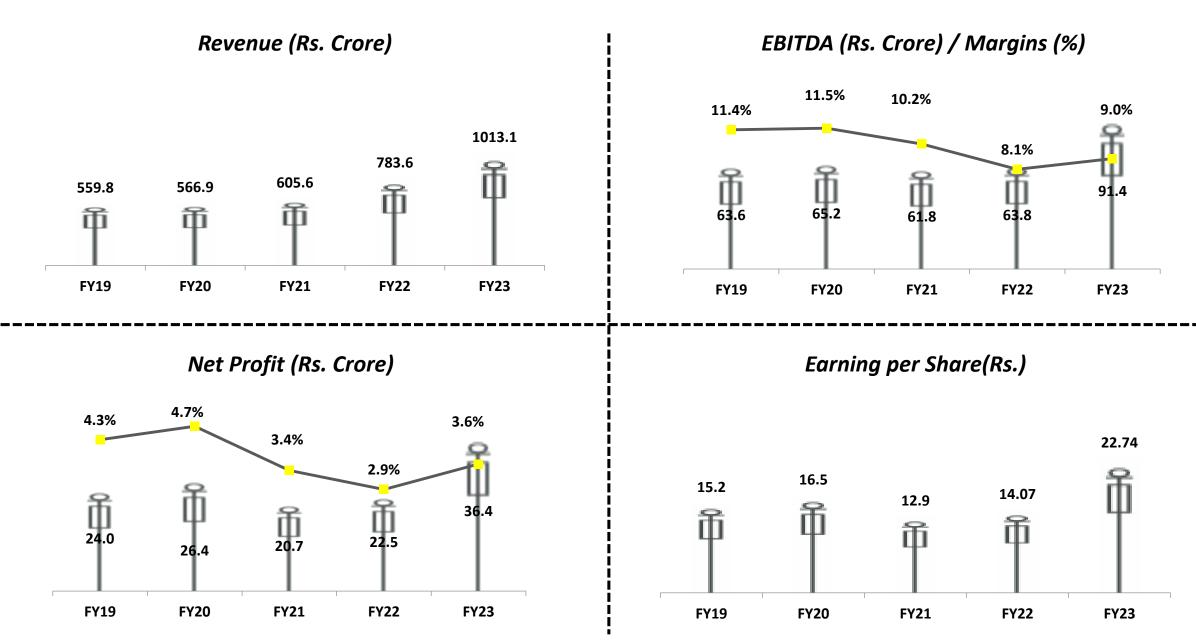
• Increase in Revenue – on account of higher demand for Industrial switchgear as well as wires and cable businesses

 Growth driven by high demand products – Toroidal Transformers, Three phase Transformers, Wire Harnesses, Rotary Switches and Isolators – which comprised 65% of Switchgear division sales

Consolidated – on account of acquisition of 74.9% shares of Kaycee Industries

Key Standalone Financial Highlights – Annual

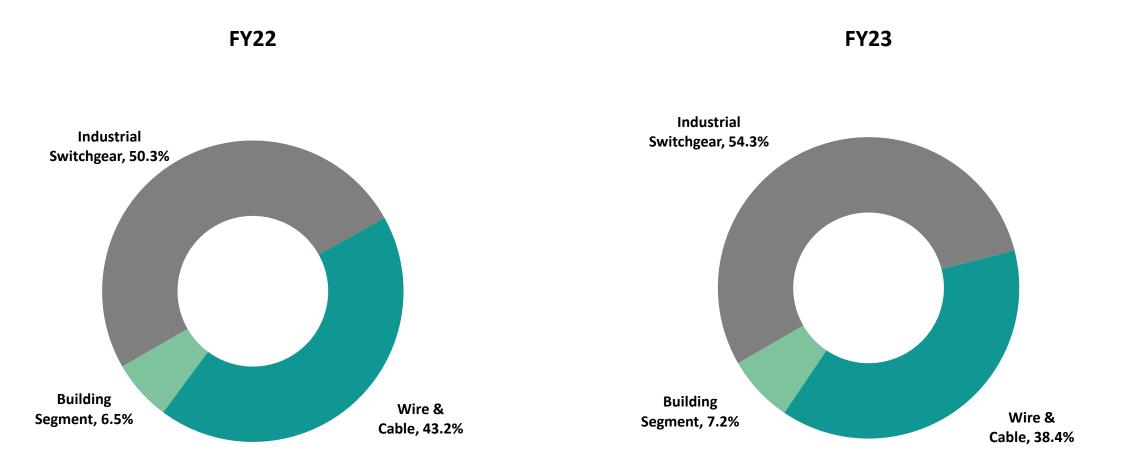




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FY23 Revenue Breakup – Business Verticals



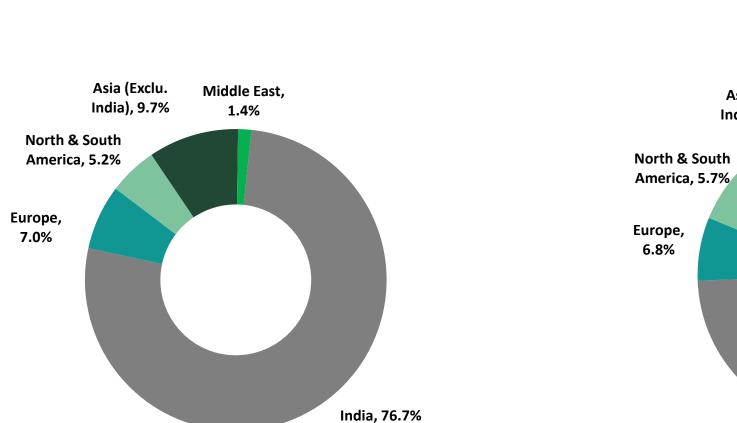


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- Wires & Cables 38.44% of net revenues
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- Energy Management No tenders issued by the Government during this period

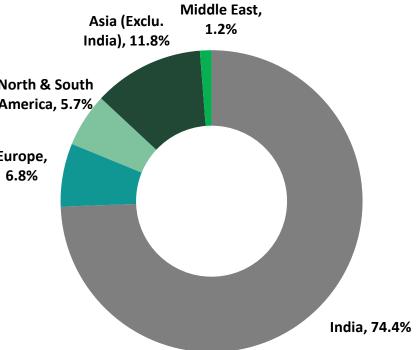
FY23 Revenue Breakup – Geographical

FY22





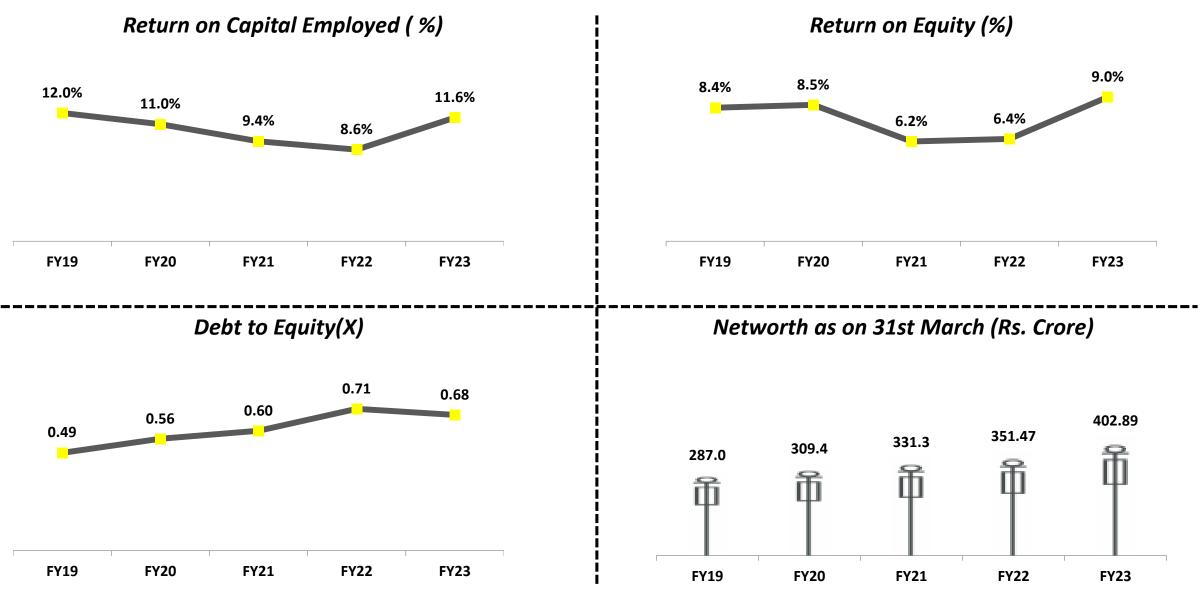
FY23



Contribution from exports was 25.57% in FY23

Balance Sheet Highlights – Annual





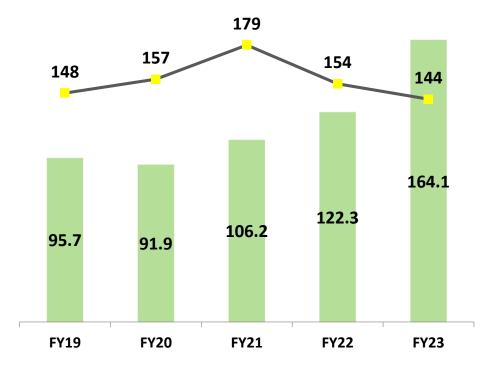
*Return on Capital Employed – EBIT/Total Capital Employed (Total Shareholders equity+LT Debt+ST Debt+Current Maturity of LT Debt-Non Current Investment), RoE – Net Profit/Networth , Debt to Equity = Total Debt/ Networth

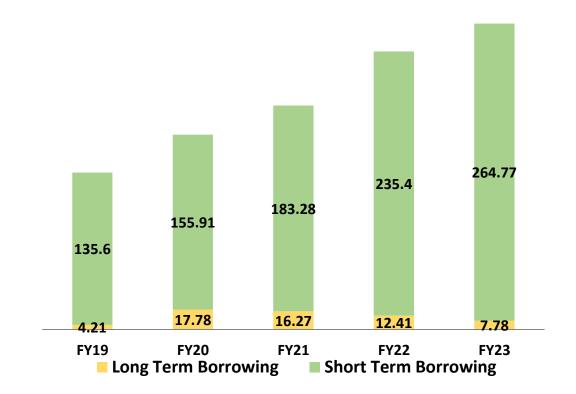
Working Capital & Borrowings



Working Capital (Cr.) – Bar Chart Working Capital (Days) – Line Chart

Borrowing (Cr.)





FY23 Standalone Financial Highlights



Rs. in Crore	FY23	FY22	Y-o-Y %	FY23 (Consl)*
Net Revenue	1,013.08	783.63	29.28%	1,037.09
Raw Material Expenses	798.63	621.79		807.16
Employee Expenses	35.15	29.40		39.37
Other Expenses	88.16	68.66		94.66
Total Expenditure	921.94	719.85		958.67
EBITDA (Excluding other Income)	91.14	63.78	42.89%	96.19
EBITDA Margin (%)	9.00%	8.14%	86 bps	9.12%
Other Income	1.37	2.18		1.70
Depreciation	16.11	16.01		16.60
Interest / Finance Cost	26.06	19.81		26.12
Exceptional Item (Gain) / Loss	0.00	0.00		0.00
PBT	50.34	30.15		54.88
Тах	13.98	7.67		15.28
PAT	36.36	22.48	61.74%	39.60
PAT Margin (%)	3.59%	2.87%	72 bps	3.82%
Basic EPS (Rs.)	22.74	14.07	61.62%	24.21

The Board has recommended a final dividend of Rs. 2.20 per share of face value Rs. 10/- subject to approval of shareholders

Increase in Revenue – strong demand for almost all products, on the back of better market conditions both in India and global markets

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Standalone Balance Sheet Highlights



Rs. Crore	As on 31 st Mar' 23	As on 31 st Mar' 22	Consol As on 31 st Mar' 23*
Shareholder's Funds	402.89	351.47	413.26
Share capital	16.18	15.98	16.18
Other Equity	386.71	335.48	391.53
Non Controlling Interest		0.00	5.55
Non-current liabilities	30.18	32.01	34.79
Financial Liabilities			
Borrowing	7.78	12.41	11.91
Provisions	0.16	0.00	0.30
Deferred Tax Liabilities (Net)	22.24	19.61	22.32
Other Non-Current Liabilities	0.00	0.00	0.25
Current liabilities	443.26	358.31	447.22
Financial Liabilities			
Borrowing	264.77	235.40	264.77
Trade Payable	109.58	73.77	112.01
Others	4.84	4.86	5.34
Other Current Liabilities	61.87	42.59	62.75
Provisions	2.20	1.70	2.30
Current tax liability (Net)	0.00	0.00	0.05
Total Equities & Liabilities	876.33	741.79	895.27

Rs. Crore	As on 31 st Mar' 23	As on 31 st Mar' 22	Consol As on 31 st Mar' 23*
Non-current assets	268.99	261.15	267.46
Property, Plant & Equipment	226.93	210.57	234.52
Capital WIP	0.63	0.78	0.63
Investments Property	0.01	0.01	0.01
Intangible Assets	3.59	3.86	10.57
FA - Investments	17.63	17.45	0.91
FA - Trade Receivables	9.35	11.63	9.35
FA - Others	5.92	11.83	6.17
Other Non Current Assets	4.94	5.02	5.30
Current assets	607.63	480.64	627.81
Inventories	270.05	223.70	273.80
Financial Assets			
Investments	4.23	3.10	4.23
Trade receivables	275.63	208.52	287.27
Cash & Cash equivalent	6.03	1.28	7.28
Bank Balance other than above	6.62	6.76	10.11
Loans	10.21	10.58	10.23
Other	0.43	0.35	0.43
Other Current Assets	34.16	26.35	34.48
Total Assets	876.33	741.79	895.27



Company Overview

About Us



Leading player offering total and customized electrical solutions

- Presence in Industrial Switchgears, Wires & Cables and Energy management business
- Largest manufacturer of Cam Operated Rotary Switches – Market leader with 25% share

Extensive Product portfolio across verticals with In-house manufacturing facilities

- Six manufacturing units located in Tamil Nadu
- More than 15 products catering to Industrial / Building Electrical / Automobile verticals



Wide Distribution network – local and global

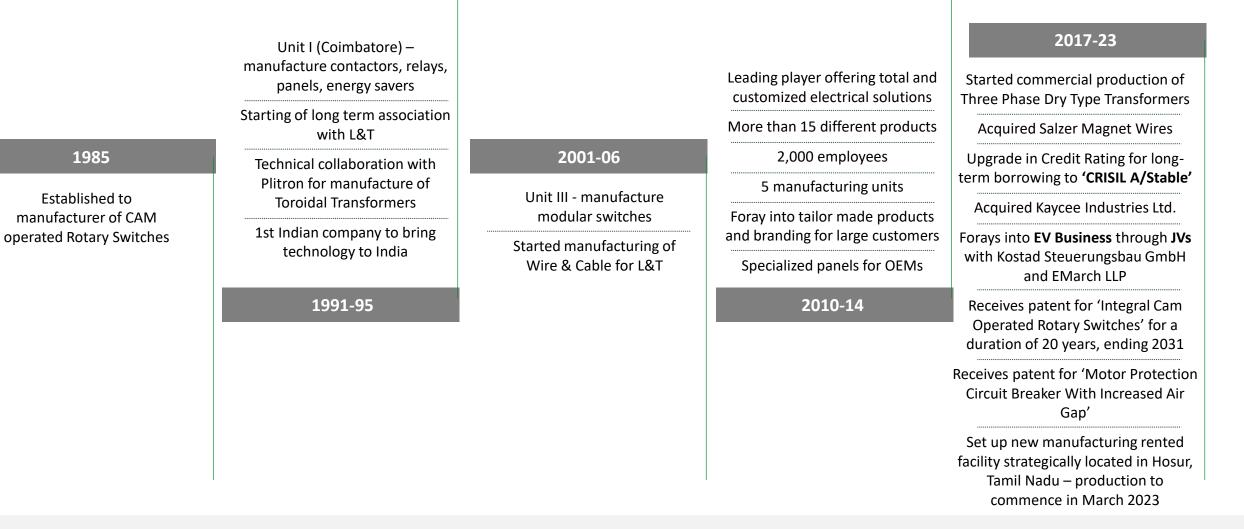
- Own distribution network local and global export to 50 countries
- Access to L&T's local network through more than 350 distributors

Strong focus on product development and innovation

- Registered Patent for Rotary Switches, five product patents in process
- Receives patent for 'Integral Cam Operated Rotary Switches' for a duration of 20 years, ending 2031

From a Single Product Company...





... to manufacturing multiple products across sectors

Professional Management



R. Doraiswamy	M Laksminarayana		
Managing Director	VP - Operations		
Qualified Electrical Engineer and Technocrat Entrepreneur with over 4 decades	B.E (Electrical) with over 2 decades of experience		
of experience	Responsible for Production, Planning, Inventory Management, Maintenance		
Vast Experience in Foreign Collaboration & wide global contacts	& General Administration		
D. Rajeshkumar	D. Govindaraj		
Joint Managing Director	Sr. Manager-Corp. Accounts & Projects		
Electrical Engineer, India; Postgraduate in Business Management, US	Masters in Commerce, DLL and DTL with over 3 decades of experience		
JMD of Company - responsible for driving the vision of Company	Responsible for project finance and corporate accounts		
S. Baskarasubramanian	R Karunakaran		
Director-Corporate Affairs & CS	GM - PR & GST		
Qualified Company Secretary & member of FCS India	BSc, Diploma in Marketing Management with more than 3 decades of experience		
Wide experience in company law/ corporate affairs	Responsible for GST and Public Relations of Company		

P. Sivakumar A AVP – Marketing Corporate

Bachelors in Engineering with over 3 decades of experience

Responsible for Sales & Marketing division



Business Overview

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Industrial Switch Gear Products

- Transformers
- Terminal Blocks
- Rotary Switches
- Isolators
- General Purpose relays
- Wiring Ducts
- MPCB's
- Contactors & OLR's
- Control Panels
- Wire Harness

Building Electrical Products

- Modular Switches
- Wires & Cables
- MCB's
- Changeovers



Copper Products

- Wires & Cables
- Flexible Bus Bars
- Enamelled Wires
- Bunched Conductors
- Tinned Copper Wires

Energy Management products

- Energy Savers
- Street Light Controllers

Wide Product Suite- Customized for OEM's

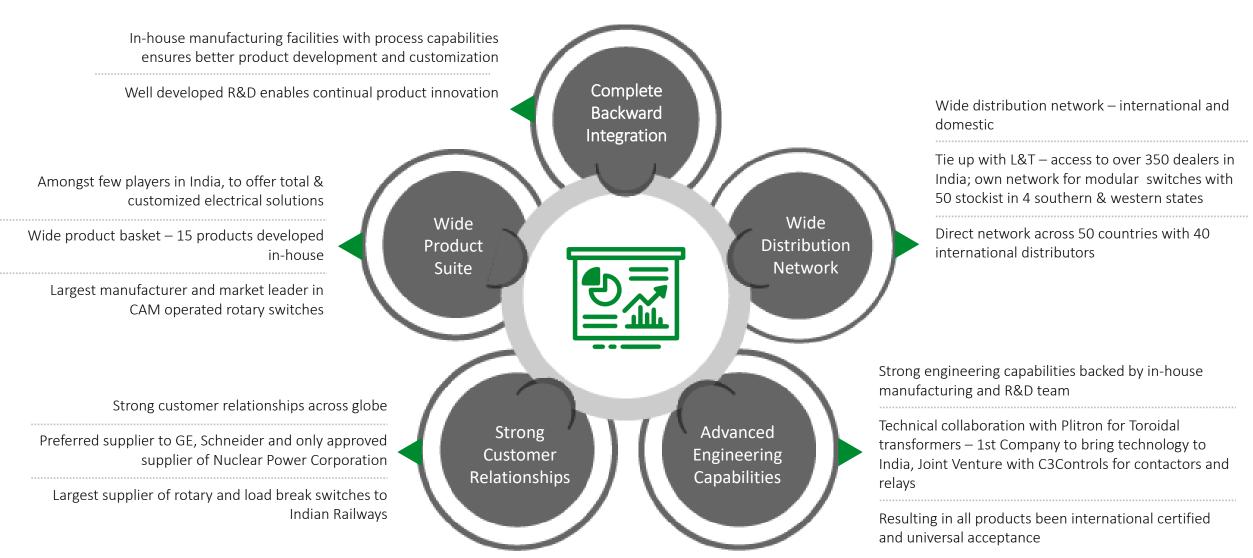




In-house manufacturing and R&D enables superior customization of products

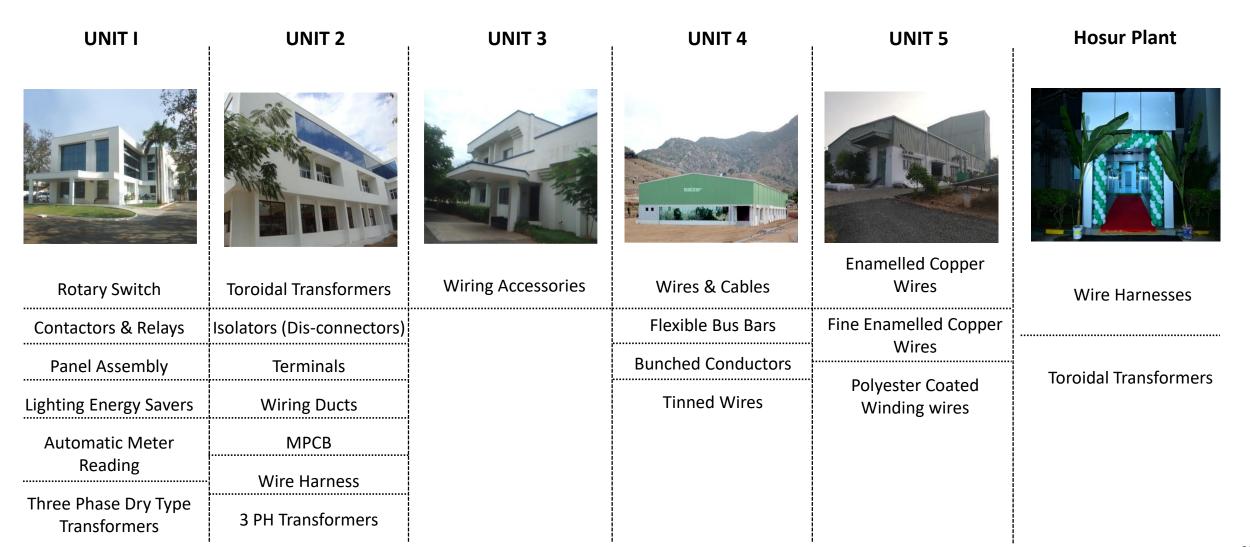
Key Strengths





Six Manufacturing facilities...





...With In-house process capabilities...





- Full fledged **Type testing laboratory**
 - Loads up to 500Amps
 - Environmental test chamber for humidity test
 - Salt spray test & all other basic tests as per UL Standards



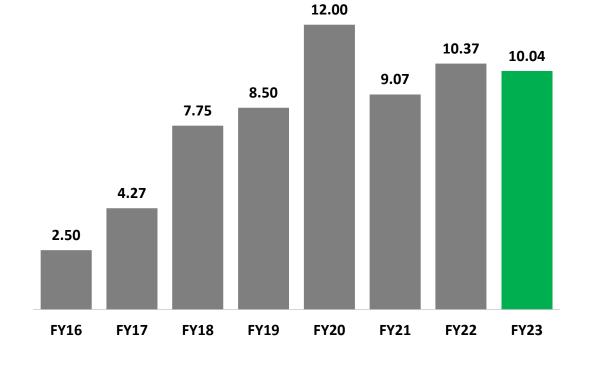
- In-house tool room facility for manufacturing and servicing of Moulds and press tools
 - CNC Wire Cut Machines and Spark erosion machines
 - CNC Machining center, EDM Drilling
 - Conventional machines
 - Latest digital measuring equipment
 - Inspected and certified by GE Tool Divisionca

More than 80% components made in-house

...And a strong R&D team



R&D expenses (Rs crore)



- In-house R&D Center
 - More than 35 engineers
 - Recognized by Department of Science, Govt of India
- Patented Rotary switches
- Six patents in process
 - Manual Single-Phase Starter with no voltage tripping, Energy Saver System for Street Lighting, Track Feed Battery Changer Over System, Heavy duty energy efficient automatic source change over, Training warning system and Modular Housing
 - Received two patents for CAM operated rotary switch & Motor Protection Circuit Breaker' for duration of 20 years, ending 2036
- 1st of its kind product in India
 - Designed and manufactured Load Break Switches, Single Hole Mounting Switches, Halogen Free Cable Ducts, Flat Wire Ducts, Flexible Bus Bars etc

Continual focus on product innovation

Internationally certified



goot ISO 9001	ISO 14001	CE Certification	ISO 18001	UL Certification
CB certification by IE CB certification	ROHS	Intertek Intertek Semko approval	CSA Certification	ISO 16949 CERTIFIED

... Across entire product portfolio

Blue Chip Customers





- Marketing Tie-up with L&T for Indian Market
- Largest supplier of rotary switches to Indian Railways
- Branding partner to various large OEM's in India
- Technical Tie-up with American Company C3Controls, to manufacture & market contactors & overload relays
- Technical Tie-up with Trafomodern for Three Phase Transformers
- Preferred supplier to:
 - ✓ Nuclear Power Corporation
 - ✓ Schneider Electric
 - ✓ GE Energy

Wide Distribution Network



Direct network across 50 countries

International

- Direct network across 50 countries
 - 23% of sales from exports (FY22)
 - 40 international distributors
- Plans to expand in US, Africa and Middle east

Domestic

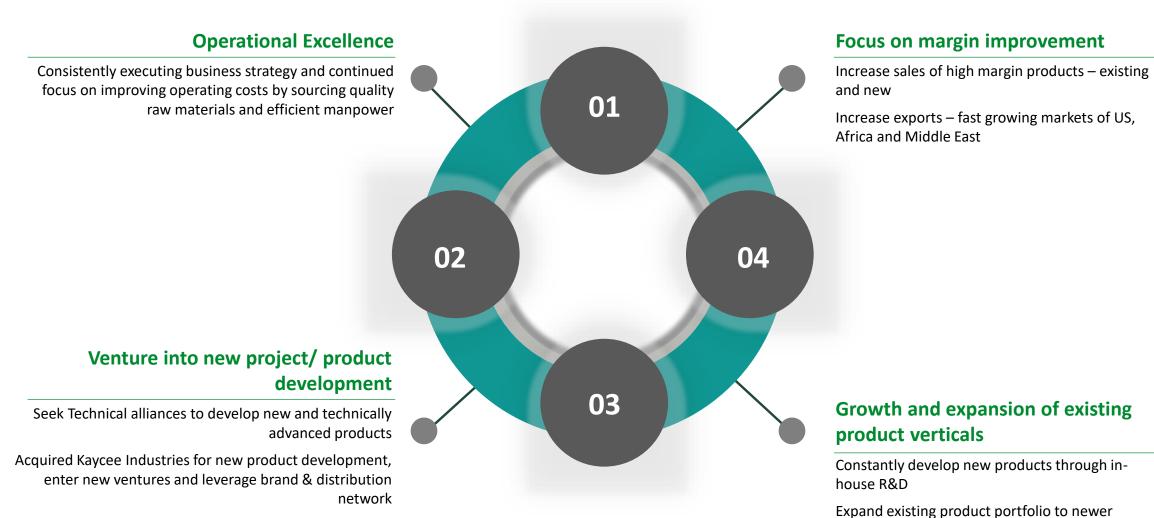
- Tie up with L&T access to more than 350 dealers in India
- Direct network for Modular Switches – 50 stockists in 4 southern & western states



Way Ahead

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Formed JV's with Kostad Steuerungsbau GmbH & EMarch LLP to enter EV market

geographies

ESG Initiatives - Carbon Emission by Scope

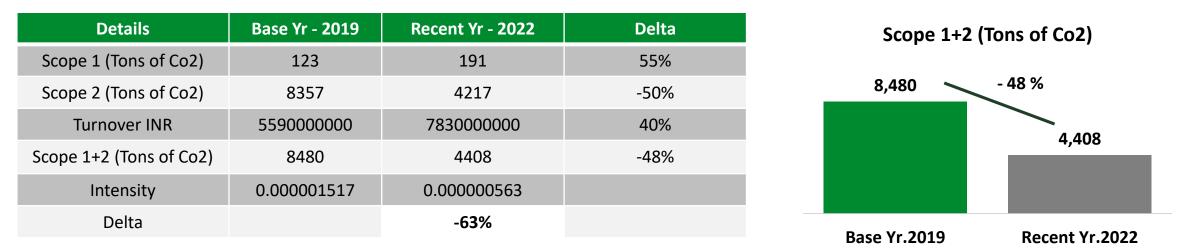


Scope 1

• All Fossil fuels used in factories, such as diesel for backup power and fuels used in Cars, transport & fleet vehicles

Scope 2

- Electricity consumed at all factories and offices of Salzer owned facilities
- Also the avoidable emissions are calculated by the use of Renewable power by own renewable sources as well as purchased renewable sources



- 2019 was considered the Base year for calculation. 2020 & 2021 was not considered as it was a year with partial shutdowns due to Pandemic
- The Direct Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emission from facilities we operate (scope 1) has increased from 123 tons of Co2 to 191 tons of Co2. The increase over the last two years is due to higher activities due to increased turnover
- The indirect GHG emissions from Energy consumption (Scope 2) was calculated 10537 tons of Carbon. However, the offset due to Generation & Purchase of Renewable Power was at 6321 tons of Co2. Hence the Net Carbon Emission due to energy Consumption is at 4217 tons of Co2. At total reduction of 50% compared to 2019
- Scope 1 & 2 put together there is a Net reduction of 48% in carbon emissions from 8480 tons of Co2 to 4408 tons of Co2

Salzer

ESG Initiatives



Committed towards a cleaner, greener and healthier environment

Optimise energy consumption

Towards this end Company has identified installation of rooftop solar panels

Plan to recycle water as per environmentally friendly norms

Increasing green cover around all plants in and around the manufacturing facilities

Partner in EV Ecosystem to manufacture parts of environmentally friendly transportation

Continues to contribute towards skill development among the local population

Recruitment of rural youth for local sales operations

Contribution for women empowerment. Engaged around 50% women employees hailed from local rural areas who are breadwinners of their families

Spending under CSR Initiatives for health Care and education of rural populous particularly residing in the local regions

M./s JDS Associates for statutory audit, M/s. Covai Management Services for internal audit and M/s. G. Vasudevan for Secretarial Audit

Five independent Directors out of 11 Members on the Board

Focus on Better compliances and best governance practices

Plan for gender diversification on the Board in due course

Thank You

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