









November 06, 2022 To, General Manager, Listing Department, BSE Limited, P.J. Towers, Dalai Street, Mumbai - 400 001 Company code: 533333

To,
The Manager,
Listing & Compliance Department
The National Stock Exchange of India
Limited Exchange Plaza,
Bandra Kurla Complex,
Bandra East, Mumbai – 400051
Company code: FCL

Subject: - Regulation 30, Regulations, 2015, III Part A (15) of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Schedule Requirements).

Dear Sirs/Madam,

With reference to the above caption subject, we enclose Earning Presentation for the quarter and half year ended 30th September, 2022 requesting you to kindly take this on your record.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the same.

Yours faithfully,

For FINEOTEX CHEMICAL LIMITED

Hemant Auti

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer















Fineotex Chemical Limited

(BSE: 533333; NSE: FCL)

Q2 and H1 FY2023

Earnings Presentation

Q2 FY2023 Consolidated Financial Highlights



Rs 1,343 mn

Consolidated Revenue

71.1%

Revenue Change (Y-o-Y)

31.1%

Gross Margin

Rs 251 mn

EBITDA

70%

EBITDA Change (Y-o-Y)

19%

EBITDA Margin

Rs 208 mn

Net Profit

87%

PAT Change (Y-o-Y)

15.5%

PAT Margin



Surendrakumar Tibrewala Chairman and Managing Director

Continuing the trend of our last few quarters, the Q2 FY23 is yet another significant quarter for FCL. Our revenue and EBITDA stood at 1,343 mn and 251 mn, a growth of 71.1% and 70% (YoY).We are also happy to announce that ICRA has rated our long-term and short-term ratings as ICRA A and ICRA A1 respectively.

These factors will endorse the confidence and trust of our customers in us in the years to come. Meanwhile, US EPA approval of products from our joint venture, HealthGuard will allow us to penetrate and capture the US market.

Looking ahead, globally, specialty chemicals sector is expected to record significant growth. Thus, it will be the right opportunity for us to grow and expand the market to ensure timely and adequate supply to our customer segments, same build strong connect with our client base.







An Introduction to Fineotex



Specialty chemicals producer with a focus on textiles chemicals



470+ **Product Categories**



~70 Countries Present

Team of 34 professionals for **providing technical solutions** to customers

Successful entry into cleaning & hygiene products and progressing towards drilling specialty chemicals

Biotex Malaysia spearheads the **R&D solutions**, application research and product development

Attractive industry dynamics with **technical barriers to entry** and high levels of development and product customisation

Promoters having experience of **4+ decades in the Chemicals** Sector



Bluesign, ZDHC, **Star Export House** Accreditations



83,000 MT p.a. **Installed** capacities



100+ Dealers in Indian and International Market



Fineotex Specialities Pvt Ltd (FSPL) Incorporated as a wholly

owned subsidiary



Cleaning and Hygiene Division

Recently launched products across housekeeping, kitchen care and disinfection



ICRA Rating

Long Term Rating: A Short Term Rating: A1

CRISIL Rating

Long Term Rating: A-/ Stable Short Term Rating: A2+





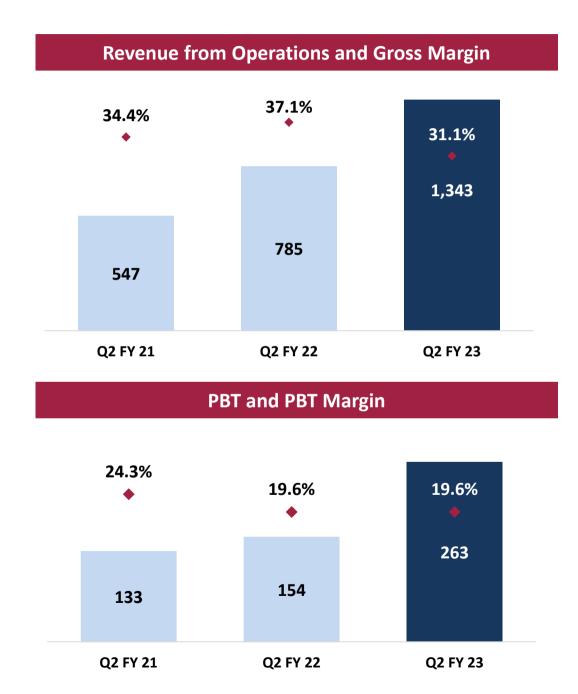


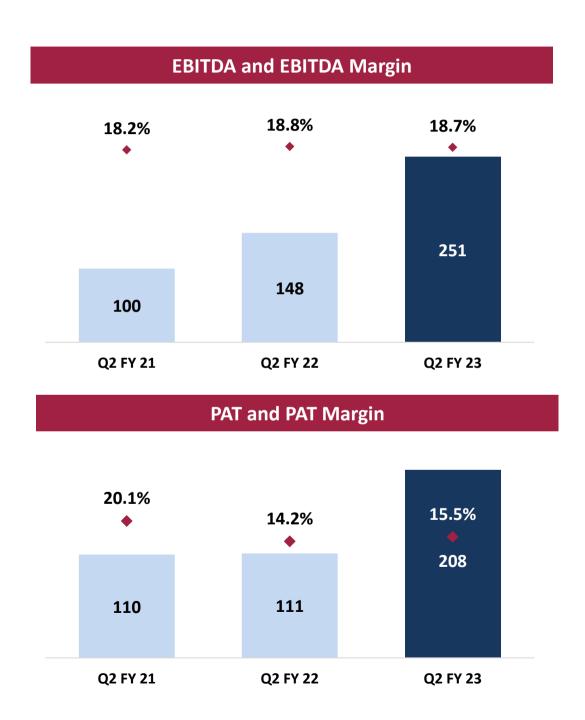


Consolidated Quarterly Performance Trend



Rs. Mn.







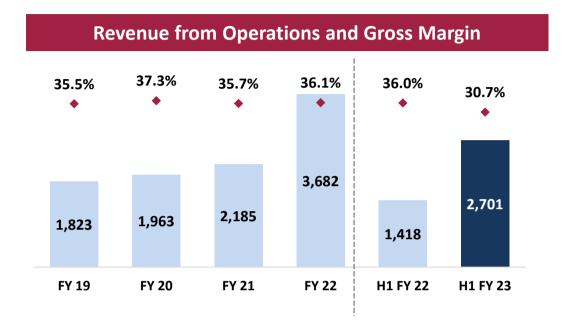




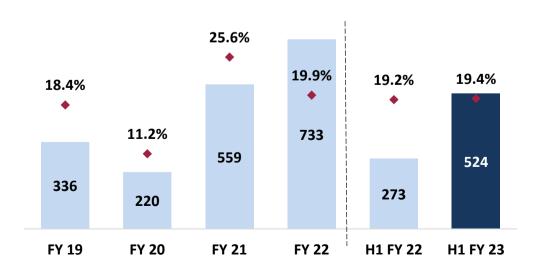
Consolidated Annual Performance Trend

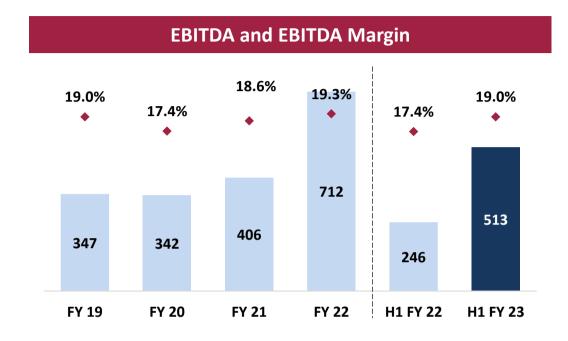


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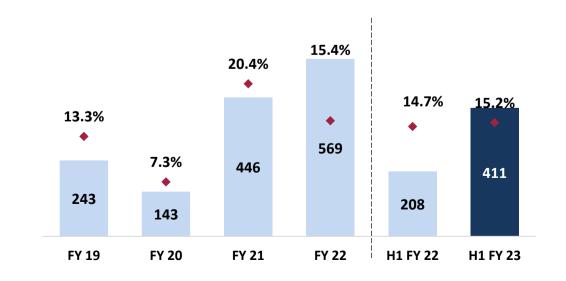


PBT and PBT Margin





PAT and PAT Margin







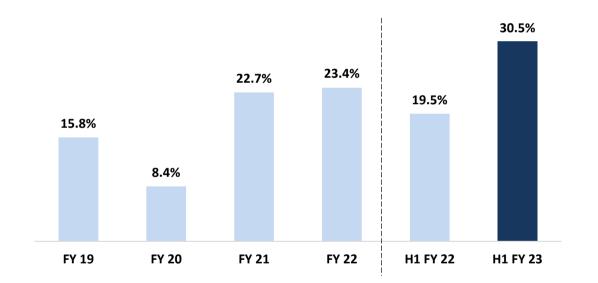




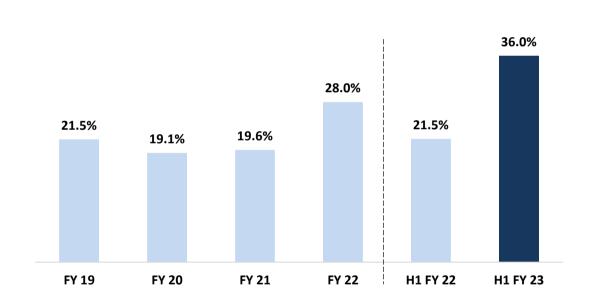
Key Return Ratios Trend



Return on Capital Employed (%)



Return on Equity (%)



ROE= PAT/Average Equity ROCE = EBIT/Average Capital Employed (Capital Employed = Total Equity + Short Term Borrowings + Long Term Borrowings) Receivable Days = (Trade Receivables/Revenue from Operations)*365







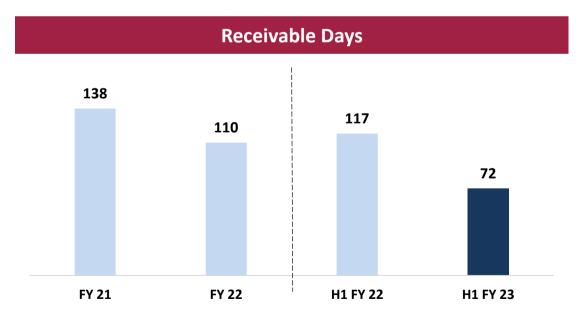


Leverage Profile and Working Capital Cycle



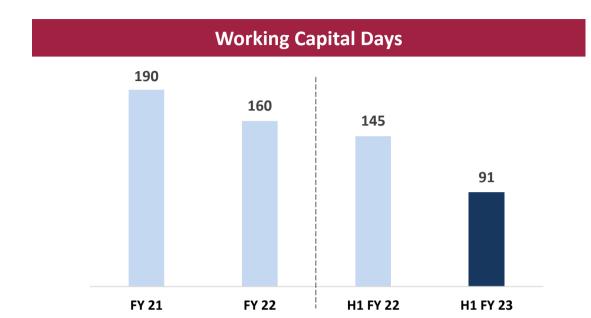
(Rs Mn)	Sep-21	Mar-22	Sep-22
ST Debt	77	19	10
LT Debt	0	0	0
Total Debt	77	19	10
Cash & Cash Equivalent	309	381	161
Net Cash	231	362	151
Equity	2337	2694	1752
Total debt/Equity	0.03x	0.01x	0.01x

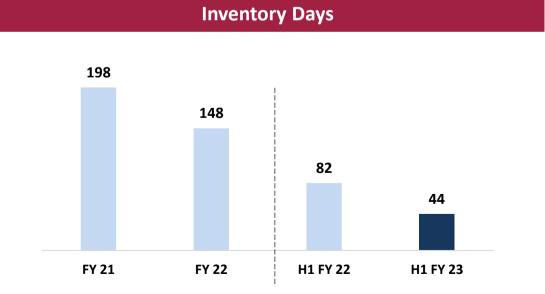
Rating	ICRA	CRISIL
Long Term Rating	Α	A- / Stable
Short Term Rating	A1	A2+



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Consolidated P&L Summary: Q2 and H1 FY2023



Particulars (Rs. Million)	Q2 FY23	Q2 FY22	YoY%	H1 FY 23	H1 FY 22	YoY%
Revenue from Operations	1,343.1	784.9	71.1%	2,700.8	1,417.7	90.5%
COGS	925.7	494.0	87.4%	1,872.0	907.1	106.4%
Gross Profit	417.4	290.9	43.5%	828.8	510.6	62.3%
Gross Profit Margin	31.1%	37.1%		30.7%	36.0%	
Employee Benefit Expenses	44.6	31.0	43.8%	87.7	57.4	52.9%
Other expenses	121.9	112.0	8.9%	227.7	207.0	10.0%
EBITDA	250.9	147.9	69.6%	513.4	246.1	108.6%
EBITDA Margin(as a % of sales	18.7%	18.8%		19.0%	17.4%	
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	10.2	5.1	100.6%	20.2	10.1	100.6%
EBIT	240.7	142.8	68.5%	493.2	236.1	108.9%
EBIT Margin	17.9%	18.2%		18.3%	16.7%	
Finance Cost	2.3	2.1	9.3%	3.6	4.3	(15.7%)
Other Income	24.7	12.9	91.5%	34.2	41.0	(16.5%)
РВТ	263.2	153.7	71.3%	523.8	272.8	92.0%
Total tax	55.4	42.5	30.6%	113.0	64.6	74.8%
PAT	207.7	111.2	86.8%	410.8	208.1	97.4%
PAT Margin	15.5%	14.2%		15.2%	14.7%	
Basic and Diluted EPS	1.86	0.97	91.8%	3.63	1.82	99.5%







Fineotex Strategic Rationale



Fineotex Overview

- Specialty chemicals producer with a focus on textiles chemicals
- Experts in providing technical solutions to customers
- Attractive industry dynamics with technical barriers to entry and high levels of development and product customisation
- Biotex Malaysia spearheads the R&D solutions, application research and product development
- Promoters having experience of **4+ decades** in the Chemicals Sector

Customised Solution

Besides manufacturing specialty chemicals, we also offer customized technical solutions and services through our dedicated focus on R&D activities by our strong alliances with partners and institutions.

This has helped

- In expanding our new customer acquisition and customer stickiness
- In increasing our **market share** and wallet share
- In reducing customer acquisition cost

Strategic Direction

- Explore opportunities to harness the facility at Ambernath, Maharashtra which is future ready for next phase of growth
- Partnering with International companies to establish manufacturing facilities in India
- Identify and develop synergistic segments such as Cleaning and Hygiene and Drilling Specialties while continuing to focus on the core Textile Chemicals
- Strengthen in-house R&D capabilities to expand customized solution-based customers.
- Continue to develop direct customer relationships and expand distribution network
- Use our financial jurisprudence to fund acquisitions and capacity expansions through internal accruals. Capital structure targeted to be net debt neutral









Focus on Growth and Diversification



Cleaning and Hygiene Chemicals	Drilling Speciality Chemicals	Other Speciality Chemicals
 Customised solutions for: Housekeeping, Kitchen Care and Disinfectants Public Health and Hygiene The plant has been approved and certified by the Food & Drugs Administration (Maharashtra State) department. The license has been granted for production of disinfectant/antimicrobial hygiene and cleaning products ensuring safety and effectiveness. Post the outbreak of COVID-19, large addressable market for solutions used in disinfectants and sanitizers 	 Customised solutions for Oil and Gas Significant potential for offering effective products used for drilling in oil exploratory processes Sizable orders from a leading oil and gas company in India 	 Non toxic eco-friendly solution designed with European technology in Malaysia by Biotex Approved by Ministry of Health Malaysia, Singapore PUB, European Union, NSF and relevant authorities in Vietnam and Cambodia A unique 'Mosquito Life Cycle Controller' product under development by Biotex

Key Products







Cleaning and Hygiene Chemicals

Non-textile segments will drive volume and value growth going forward









Strategic Partnerships (1/2)







Strategic collaboration with Eurodye-CTC, Belgium, to commercialize specialty chemicals for the Indian market



Addition to its portfolio, specialized pre-treatment and dyeing products for the cotton-synthetic and woollen fibre/ fabric/ yarn



Facilitates an efficient production system and distribution network across the Indian textile market



Globally certified products of Eurodye-CTC will find a huge demand from Indian companies



Eurodye-CTC has REACH registration, Bluesign certification & GOTS 6 certification for a large selection of its product range



Fineotex is committed to sustainable practices and Eurodye-CTC is also an environmentally conscious company

Recent collaborations to expand product profile, geographical reach and develop sustainable practices







Strategic Partnerships (2/2)









Strategic collaboration with HealthGuard, Australia to become the exclusive global marketing and sales channel partner with joint operations from Malaysia



Setting up a state of art Research & Development centre in collaboration with Sasmira Institute, one of India's premier textile institutes



HealthGuard® will concentrate on developing cuttingedge solutions, that will be marketed and channelized across the world by Fineotex-Biotex



Develop a first-of-its-kind Support and Solution Centre for technical service in Sasmira to catalyze innovation and focus on sustainable chemistry



Synergy will provide durable metal-free sustainable chemistry solutions that are anti-microbial and anti-viral



Focus on new sustainable solutions and chemicals to reduce water, time and energy consumption for the textile wet processing industry



Range of products over several industries - textile, detergent, leather and allied industries



Provide the much-needed exposure for students and help provide practical experience, which will benefit the industry in the long term

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Synergistic Business Model with Biotex







Focus Areas



Business Segments



Competitive Edge

Fineotex - India

- Diverse product portfolio (400+ categories) across business segments
- Applications primarily across the entire textile value chain: pre-treatment to finishing
- Focused on textiles and rapidly entering other fast growing sectors
- High profile India customer base
- Textile, Cleaning and Hygiene, Drilling and Other **Specialities**
- Strong brand recall in Indian markets
- Reputation for diverse product portfolio
- Deep customer relationships

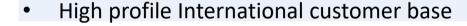




- Niche product portfolio (50+ categories)
- High end super speciality textile chemical applications







- Textile and auxiliary sectors
- 'Mosquito Life Cycle Controller', an eco friendly non toxic solution for mosquito outbreaks used primarily across developing countries



- Strong brand recall in International markets
- Solutions for finishing process in textile
- Strong R&D capabilities

'The Bioguard Series' of products from Biotex with water and oil repellent features in great demand post outbreak of COVID-19









Manufacturing Platforms (GMP* Certified)



Location **Strategic Advantages Manufacturing Excellence** Strategically located plant near key port close to Mumbai with logistical advantage to textile STAR EXPORT HOUSE Certificate Holder hubs across North, West, South and Central India Mahape and Ambernath, Ø ZDHC bluesign® Mumbai, India



Selangor, Malaysia

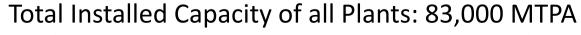
- Easy access to high quality raw materials in the region
- Malaysian plant provides raw materials to the Indian facilities
- Cost benefits due to Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) with important regional markets like Vietnam, China and India





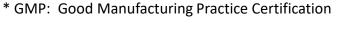






(will be enhanced to 104,000 MTPA by November 2022)

Current Capacity Utilization: 66%











New Facility at Ambernath, Maharashtra



About the Facility

- Located on ~4 acres of land
- Production began on 9th November 2021
- > State of the art technological updates have been implemented
- Capacity enhanced to 40,000 MT through efficient process management vis-à-vis planned 36,000 MT

Strategic Advantages

- Caters to customer demands in the existing Textile Specialities and fast growing Cleaning and Hygiene and Drilling Specialities business
- State of the art automated unit which will be fully compliant with the highest standards of sustainability
- Located in close proximity to key port areas near Mumbai providing logistical and cost advantages







The facility provides additional manufacturing capacity for existing product lines and new growth areas









Cleaning and Hygiene Division













Diversified Product Offering



Housekeeping

- Air freshener
- Carpet cleaner
- Carpet shampoo
- Deodorizers
- Floor cleaner
- Furniture maintainer
- Glass cleaner
- Hygienic bathroom cleaner

- Hygienic hard surface cleaner
- Multi surface cleaner
- Surface cleaner cum disinfectant
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- **Toilet seat disinfectant**
- Washroom cleaner

Kitchen Care

- Automatic dish wash detergent
- Automatic dish wash neutralizer
- Drain cleaner
- Heavy duty floor cleaner
- Kitchen multipurpose cleaner
- Manual dish wash liquid
- Oven and grill cleaner
- Stainless steel polish

Disinfection

- Hand disinfectant
- Gentle wash
- Multi surface disinfectant
 - Surface disinfectant fogging and fumigation
- Hand sanitizer
- Veg & non-veg disinfectant cleaner
- Sanitizing tablet









Key Products in the Specialty Textile Chemicals Segment















Steps

Weaving

Pre-treatment

Dyeing

Printing

Finishing

Process

Sizing

De-sizing, Scouring, Bleach Dyeing, Washing, Fixing Rotary Printing, Table Printing

Exhaust Padding

Product Categories

Polymers, Softeners

Chenab Textile Mills

Enzymes,
Wetting &
Detergent,
Sequestering
Additives

Dyes, Acids, Alkali Levelling, Detergent Fixer Dyes, Binder
Thickener, Fixer
Detergent,
Loop
accelerator

Softeners, Silicones, Polymers, Resins

Key Customers





















Fineotex + Biotex together offer tailored solutions across the textile value chain with a focus on higher realisations









Global Customer Reach





- Sales in ~70 countries including Brazil, Bangladesh, Germany, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Syria, Thailand, USA, Venezuela and Vietnam
- **34+** technical marketing experts
- **110+** dealers in Indian and International markets

Facilities at Mahape and Ambernath, Mumbai, India

Facility at Bangi, Malaysia

Sales

Diversified revenue mix across clients, products and geographies coupled with technical expertise









Management Team





Surendra Kumar Tibrewala
Education: B.Com and LLB

Managing Director



Sanjay Tibrewala Education: B.Com and P.G. in Textile Chemicals and Processing

Chief Financial Officer



Aarti Jhunjhunwala
Education: B.Com and M.Com

Head - International Marketing



Arindam Choudhuri Education: B.Tech and Marketing Management

Chief Executive Officer



Noa N. Ouakass Education: M. Sc., MBA

Chief Executive Officer - Biotex



Kedha Sankar Sonai Education: M.Tech, MBA

Executive Director - Biotex



Raman Perumal
Education: Diploma in Boiler Engineering

Production Director - Biotex



Wong Lai Yoon
Education: BBA

Operations Manager - Biotex



Tang Chai Yean

Education: Diploma in Chemistry

Senior R&D Manager - Biotex



Purva Rane Education: MSc in Analytical Chemistry Responsible for: Technical Service Lab and Product Compliances

Assistant Manager - Fineotex



Ramesh Gupta
Education: MSc, MBA B. Ed.

Production Manager - Fineotex



Manoj Sharma

Education: B.Tech

Responsible for: Plant and Projects

Senior Manager - Fineotex

Experienced management team with multi decade expertise in speciality chemicals industry











We place sustainability high on our agenda as it is an integral part of our business strategy



100%

Employees are covered with health and accident insurance



21%

Female employees in FY22



4,17,000 units

Electricity purchased in FY22



100% employees

Were given safety and skill up-gradation training



Rs 50.00 Lakhs

Spent on CSR activities in FY22



Zero

Penalties, punishment or compounding of offences in FY22



No accidents

Reported in FY22



287.06 Lakhs

Spend on R&D for developing sustainable products in FY22



57% board members

Are Independent and Non-**Executive Members**

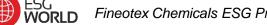


Zero

consumer complaints on restrictive trade practices and unfair trade practices in FY22







Fineotex ESG Accreditations





Bhive certified



Blue Sign certified



ECO Passport by OEKO-TEX



Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) certified



Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point Certification



Indian Green Building Council



REACH certified



SA 8000 - Social Accountability Certification



Scivera



Star Export House



The Great Place to Work



WHO Good Manufacturing Practice certified



Zero Discharge Hazardous Chemical



ISO 9001 ISO 14001 ISO 14045 ISO 45001

ISO 20000 SA 8001 OHSAS18001 ISO 22000

New Accreditations



HealthGuard has received a certification from US EPA. The Environmental Protection Agency is an independent executive agency of the United States federal government tasked with environmental protection matters





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