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To,
The Manager,
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The Manager,
Listing Compliance Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Press release on Financial Results

Please find enclosed the press release on the Financial Results for the quarter ended 30th September, 2024.

This press release may also be accessed on the website of the Company at www.smspharma.com

Kindly take the same on record and disseminate on your website.

Thanking you Yours Faithfully

For SMS Pharmaceuticals Limited

Thirumalesh Tumma Company Secretary



November 12, 2024

Healthy revenue growth with stable EBITDA margins

- Higher volume drives 18% YoY revenue growth
- EBITDA grew 13% YoY with EBITDA margin at 16%, stable YoY
- PAT increased by 20% YoY due to lower finance costs
- Capex investments are progressing as planned to support long-term growth

SMS Pharmaceuticals Limited (SMS Pharma) (NSE: SMSPHARMA; BSE:532815), a diversified and integrated pharmaceutical company specialising in Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API) and complex Intermediates for global customers, has announced its unaudited financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2024.

Commenting on the performance, Mr. P. Vamsi Krishna, Executive Director, stated:

"We continued to see robust demand across our product portfolio, reaffirming our volume expansion strategy in key APIs. I am glad to report that our backward integration project is progressing as planned, with commercialisation expected in Q4FY25. This development and growing market opportunities position us for a better H2 performance. We remain on track to achieve our outlook for FY25."

Summary of financial performance

(₹ Cr)

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			YoY Growth		QoQ Growth			YoY Growth	
Particulars	Q2FY25	Q2FY24	(%)	Q1FY25	(%)	H1FY25	H1FY24	(%)	
Revenue from									
operations	196.75	166.64	18%	164.45	20%	361.20	301.98	20%	
Revenue by									
business segment									
API	191.50	163.31	17%	159.68	20%	351.18	295.64	19%	
Intermediates &									
others	5.25	3.33	58%	4.77	10%	10.02	6.34	58%	
Gross profit	59.07	50.14	18%	58.29	1%	117.35	97.6	20%	
Gross profit margin	30%	30%	-6.5bps	35%	-542bps	32%	32%	16.8bps	
EBITDA	31.47	27.82	13%	33.51	-6%	64.97	54.00	20%	
EBITDA margin	16%	17%	-69.9bps	20%	-438bps	18%	18%	10.5bps	
PAT	14.1	11.73	20%	16.48	-14%	30.81	21.06	46%	
PAT margin	7%	7%	13bps	10%	-285bps	8.5%	7%	156bps	
EPS	1.67	1.39	20%	1.95	-14%	3.61	2.49	45%	



Performance review

Revenue from operations in Q2FY24 was ₹196.75 crore, up 18% YoY, due to healthy demand for our products, especially in the anti-inflammatory and Anti Retro Viral (ARV) segment. Sequentially, revenue from operations was higher by 20%. In H1FY25, revenue from operations reached ₹361.20 crore, reflecting a 20% YoY growth and our strategic focus on expanding volumes in key APIs.

Revenue by therapeutic area

(₹ Cr)

	H1F	Y25	H1F	YoY Growth	
Particulars	Amount	As % of revenue	Amount	As % of revenue	(%)
Anti-diabetic	97.85	27%	88.18	29%	11%
Anti Retro Viral (ARV)	59.10	16%	49.06	16%	20%
Anti-inflammatory	75.76	21%	45.78	15%	65%
Anti-migraine	42.91	12%	43.97	15%	-2%
Anti-ulcer	22.80	6%	35.46	12%	-36%
Anti-erectile dysfunction	29.35	8%	18.61	6%	58%
Anti-epileptic	10.44	3%	5.37	2%	94%
Others	22.99	6%	15.55	5%	48%

In Q2 FY25, gross margins stood at 30%, down 6.59bps YoY and 542.71bps sequentially, primarily impacted by rising raw material costs amid geopolitical tensions. Consequently, EBITDA margin held steady at 16%, down 69.98 bps YoY and 438.21 bps sequentially, even as our focus on operational efficiency provided some cushioning. Despite these challenges, PAT rose to ₹14.10 crore, up 20% YoY, with PAT margin at the same level as last year at 7%.

In H1FY25, gross margins remained stable at 32%, up 16.89bps YoY. Consequently, the EBITDA margin was at 18%, up by 10.53bps, supported by our ongoing efforts to enhance operational efficiency. PAT was ₹30.81 crore, up 46% YoY primarily due to lower finance costs. Our PAT margin improved to 8.5% in H1FY25 vs. 7% in H1FY24.

Project update

As part of the ₹150 crore capex plan, our backward integration project is progressing well, with commercialisation expected in Q4 FY25.

Outlook

Looking ahead, SMS Pharma remains committed to enhancing its product portfolio and meeting the evolving needs of its customers. The company reiterates its guidance of achieving revenue growth of 20% and EBITDA margin of 20% in FY25.