



# **Enduring Value**

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Q3 FY24 Results

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# Macro Economic Context

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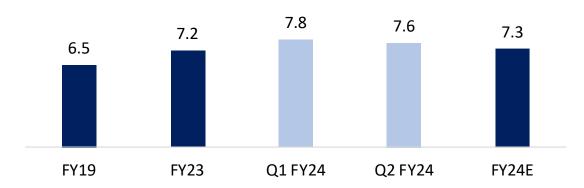
#### **Macro Economic Environment**



Global economy 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year of deceleration weakness likely to persist Real GDP Growth YoY 7.7 3.1 2.3 2.0 1.4 2.4 1.6 0.7 1.2 World Advanced United China Euro economies States area 2023e 2024f - 2010-19 average

- Structural weakness in Chinese economy
- Geo-political & Climate dynamics pose downside risks
- Debt distress in emerging and low income economies

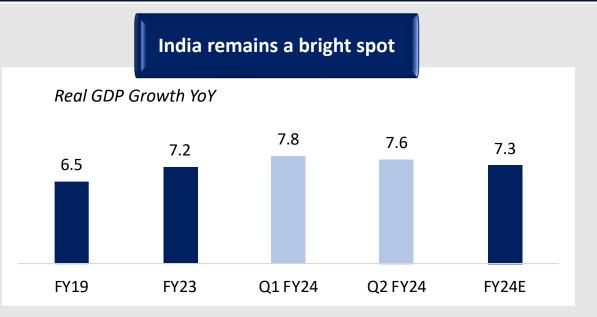
India remains a bright spot Real GDP Growth YoY



- GDP growth remains above long term average
- Overall macros well-managed | Timely Policy interventions by Govt. of India
  - Core Inflation largely stable
  - Favourable External Balances and Forex Reserve
  - Infrastructure push by Government
  - Buoyant tax collections
  - Strong Bank and Corporate Balance Sheets

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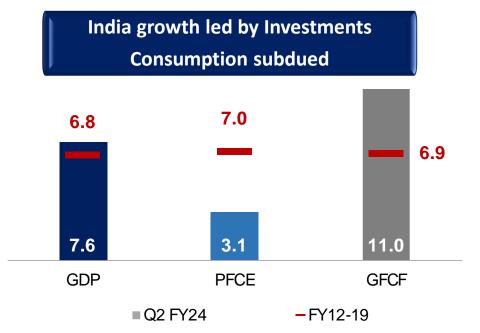




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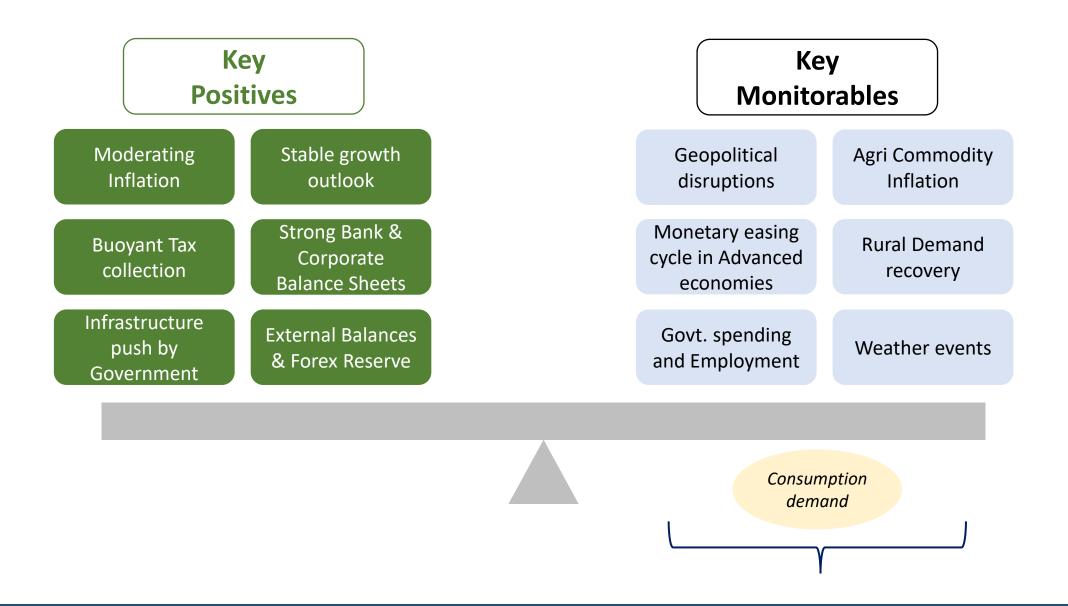
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- GDP growth led by Investments (Government Capex)
  - Green shoots in Private Capex in certain sectors
- Private Consumption remains subdued; 400 bps below trend growth

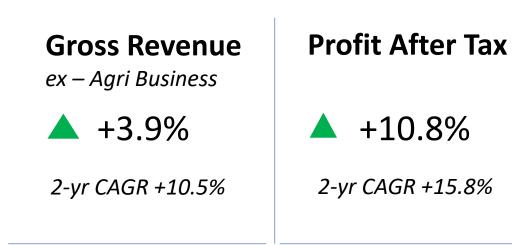






# Q3 FY24 Results Key Highlights





**Interim Dividend** 

Rs. 6.25

per share



- Resilient performance in FMCG Others amidst subdued demand conditions; Segment Revenue up 7.6% YoY on a high base; 2-yr CAGR +12.8%
  - Staples, Dairy, Beverages, Fragrances, Personal Wash, Homecare, Agarbattis and Notebooks drive growth
  - Segment EBITDA margin **expanded 100 bps** YoY to 11.0%
  - Segment PBIT up 24.1% YoY
- Cigarettes Segment witnesses consolidation on a high base after a period of sustained growth momentum
  - Net Segment Revenue and Segment PBIT up 2.3% YoY
  - 2-yr CAGR: Net Segment Revenue +9.3%, Segment PBIT +9.4%
  - Differentiated variants and premium segments continue to perform well
- Best ever quarter for the Hotels Segment; Segment Revenue and Segment PBIT up 18% and 57% YoY respectively
  - Segment EBITDA margin up 470 bps YoY to 36.2% driven by higher RevPARs, structural cost interventions and operating leverage
  - Demerger update: The Stock Exchanges have given their no-objection to the Scheme of Arrangement for demerger



#### Agri Business Segment impacted by trade restrictions on agri commodities

- Geopolitical tensions & climate emergencies have led to concerns on food security and food inflation; trade restrictions imposed by Govt. on agri commodities limit business opportunities for the segment
- Segment Revenue (excl. Wheat & Rice) up 14.2% YoY driven by Value Added Agri products & Leaf Tobacco
- Paperboards, Paper and Packaging Segment remains impacted by low priced Chinese supplies in global markets, muted domestic demand, surge in wood cost and high base effect
  - Global demand remains subdued; domestic demand recovery slows post-festive season
  - Subdued realisations and surge in domestic wood prices exerted pressure on margins; structural advantages of the integrated business model, Industry 4.0 initiatives, strategic investments in High Pressure Recovery Boiler and proactive capacity augmentation in Value Added Paperboards aided in partly mitigating pressure on margins
  - Record high production of in-house chemical pulp leveraging recent capacity expansion
  - State-of-the-art premium *Moulded Fibre Products* manufacturing facility^ is expected to be commissioned shortly

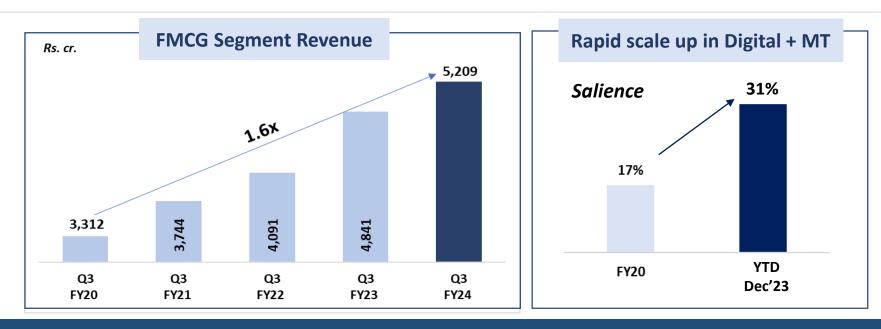


# **FMCG Others**





- Segment Revenue up 7.6% YoY on a high base; 2-yr CAGR +12.8%
  - Staples, Dairy, Beverages, Fragrances, Personal Wash, Homecare, Agarbattis and Notebooks drive growth
- Strategic portfolio augmentation leveraging agile and purposeful innovation continues to be stepped up towards addressing evolving consumer needs and accelerating premiumisation
- Strong growth in Alternate Channels
  - Channel-specific business plans, collaborations, format-based assortments and category-specific sell-out strategies drive growth
- Commodity price deflation on YoY basis; sequential uptick in certain commodities (viz. wheat, maida, sugar etc.)
  - Competitive intensity remained high in certain categories, including from local / regional players



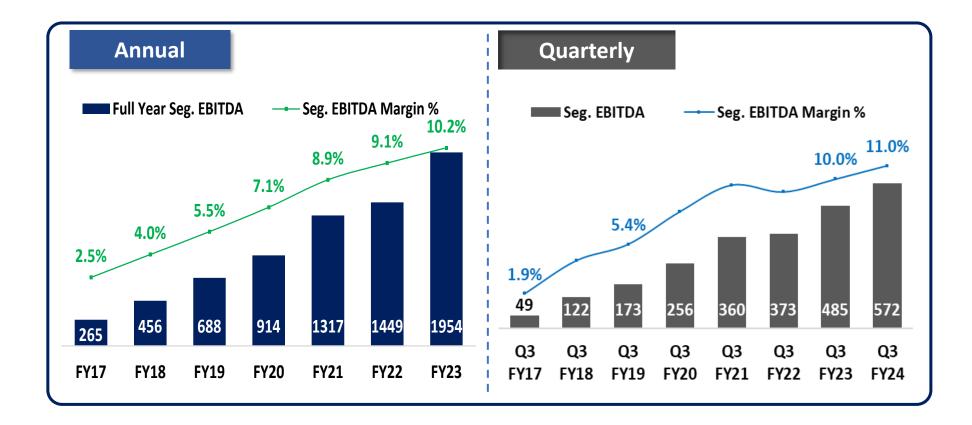
# **FMCG Others**

### Segment PBIT +24.1% YoY Segment EBITDA Margins up 100 bps YoY



### • Q3 Segment EBITDA margins at 11.0% up 100 bps YoY

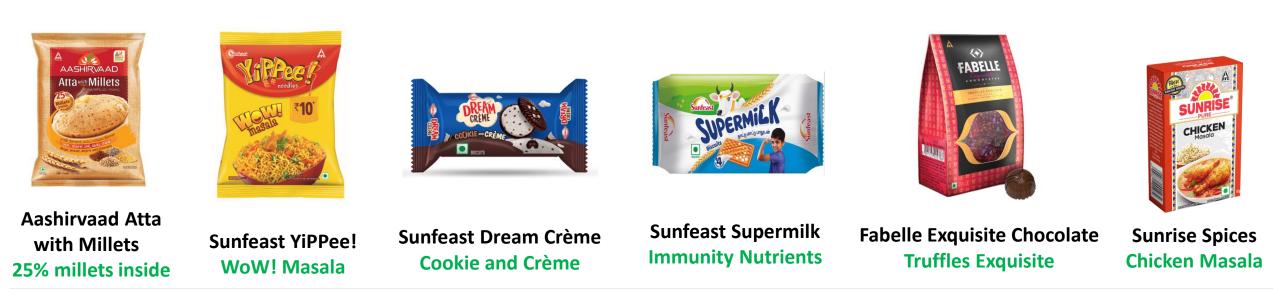
- Margin expansion driven by multi-pronged interventions viz. premiumisation, supply chain optimisation, judicious pricing actions, digital initiatives and strategic cost management



## **Purposeful Innovation**

#### **Recent Launches**







Aashirvaad Whole Spices Black Pepper | Cardamom | Jeera



Dermafique Shower Mousse Hydra Soft | Aqua Cloud

Aashirvaad Mithaas Badam Halwa | Moong Dal Halwa

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**Play Series** 



Mangaldeep Scent Majestic Oud | Blue Lagoon

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### **Deepening Consumer Engagement**





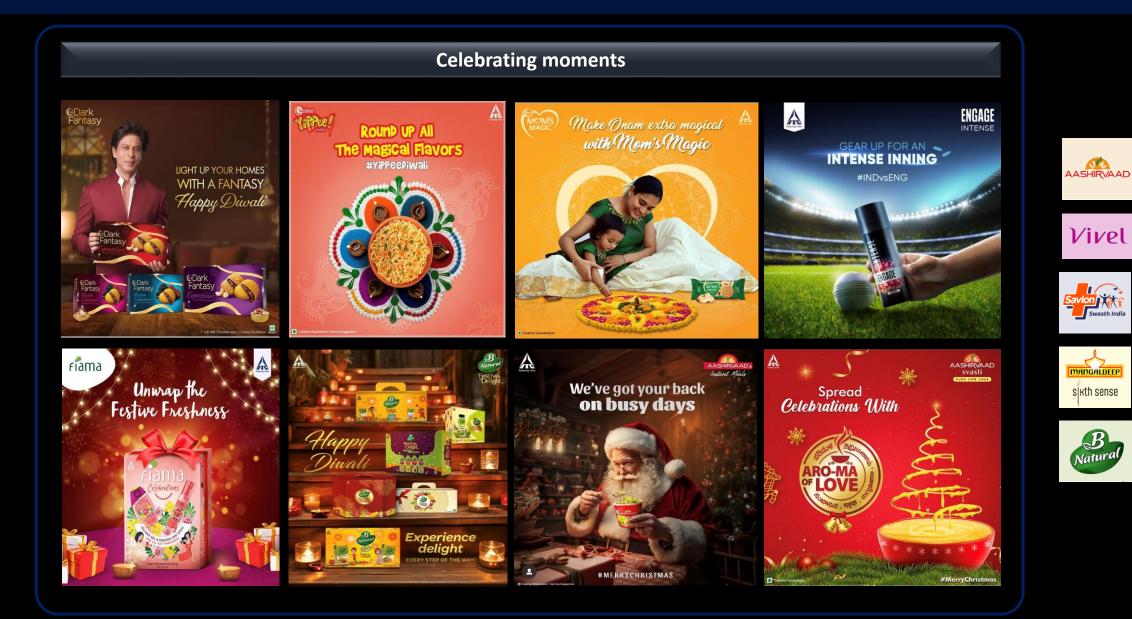
## **Deepening Consumer Engagement**



MOM'S MAGIC

fiama

classmate



# **Building Brands with Purpose**





#MaaKehtiHaiTryKaro

#### YiPPee! "Create Magic"



Campaign to convert plastic waste into park equipment

Fiama introduced a special recognition award in collaboration with Filmfare SENSITIVE PORTRAYAL OF MENTAL HEALTH Awarded to Director Anvita Dutt for the movie 'Qala'

#### Fiama - Mental Health Well-being





# **FMCG Cigarettes**



## FMCG Cigarettes – Q3 FY24



# Segment Revenue

**7549 cr. 3**.6%

# **Segment Results**

**4728 cr. 2**.3%

### Net Segment Revenue\* and Segment PBIT up 2.3% YoY

*– 2-yr CAGR: Net Segment Revenue +9.3%, Segment PBIT +9.4%* 

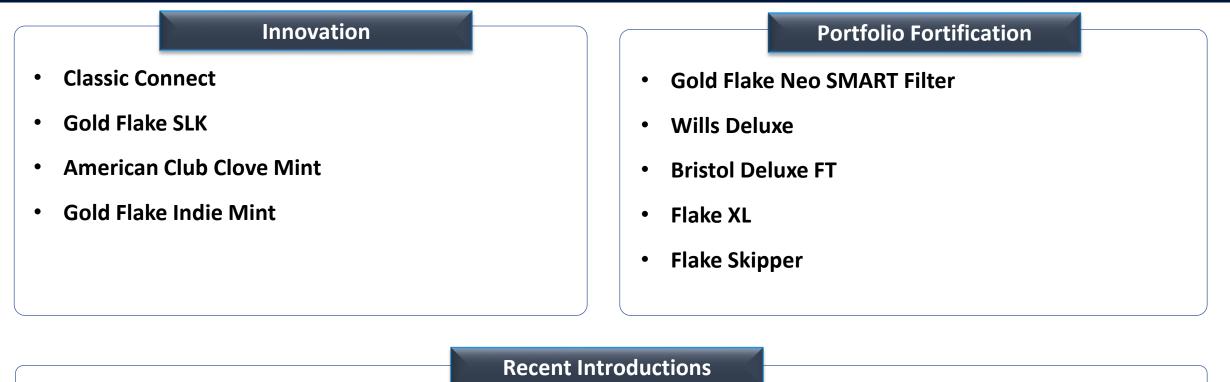
### Portfolio Vitality | Product Availability | Execution Excellence

- Differentiated variants and premium segments continue to perform well
- Market standing reinforced by fortifying the product portfolio/ market interventions
  & agile execution
- Innovation & democratising premiumisation across segments
- Sharp cost escalation (Leaf Tobacco & certain other inputs) + increase in taxes → largely mitigated through improved mix, strategic cost management and calibrated pricing

Relative stability in taxes, backed by deterrent actions by enforcement agencies, enables continued volume recovery from illicit trade

### **FMCG Cigarettes**





- Classic Alphatec
- Classic Verve Balanced Taste
- GF Glostar

- American Club Clove Magik
- Classic Icon
- GF Rush

- Players Rush
- Capstan Victory
- Bristol Maja Mix



# Hotels



# Hotels – Q3 FY24



Segment Revenue 842 cr. (+18%; 2 Yr. CAGR 33%)

Segment Results 230 cr. (+57%)

Managed properties scaled up^

**22** Hotels in last 24 months (Jan 2022 – Dec 2023)

**25** Hotels in next 24 months (Jan 2024 – Dec 2025)

- Strong growth in ARRs and Occupancy witnessed across properties driven by retail, MICE segments and marquee events like the ICC Cricket World Cup
- Segment EBITDA margin expanded by 470 bps YoY to 36.2% driven mainly by higher RevPARs, operating leverage and strategic cost management initiatives
- Healthy pipeline of management contracts under Mementos, Welcomhotel, Storii, Fortune and WelcomHeritage brands
  - Phased openings over the next few quarters
- Welcomhotel Chennai has been reopened in January 2024 after a comprehensive renovation
- Demerger update: The Stock Exchanges have given their no-objection to the Scheme of Arrangement for demerger.

#### Avartana & Yi Jing launched at ITC Maratha



## Welcomhotel Chennai

#### Iconic Property | Signature Dining | Grand Banquets





### Relaunch post comprehensive renovation in January 2024



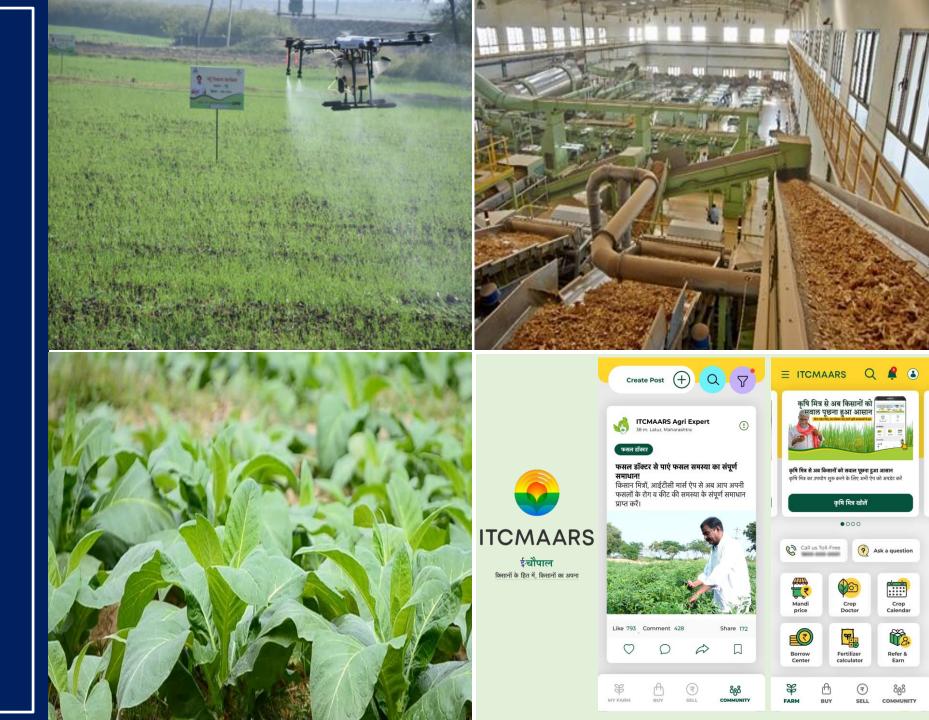
### New Hotels in the pipeline







# Agri Business

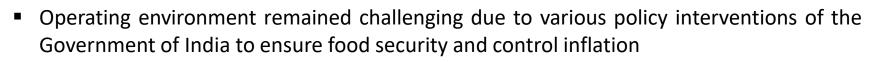


## Agri Business – Q3 FY24

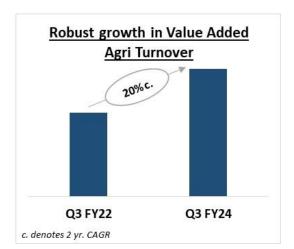


Segment Revenue 3055 cr. ▼ 2.2%

Segment Results 339 cr. V 13.3%



- Strong customer relationships & agile execution in Leaf Tobacco & Value Added Agri products continue to drive growth
- Strategic sourcing support to Branded Packaged Foods Wheat, Dairy, Beverages & Spices
- The state-of-the-art facility<sup>^</sup> to manufacture and export Nicotine and Nicotine derivative products has been commissioned
  - Export shipments expected to commence from Q4 FY24





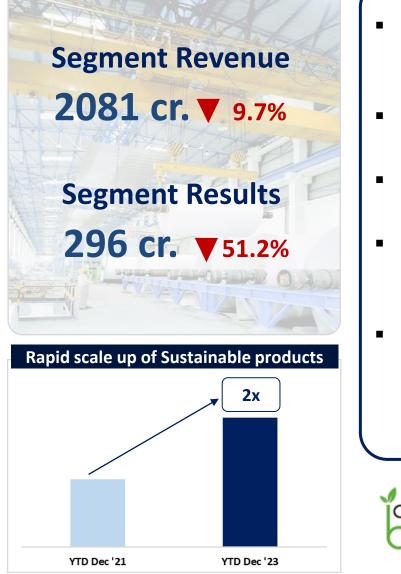


# Paperboards, Paper & Packaging



## Paperboards, Paper & Packaging – Q3 FY24





- Paperboards, Paper and Packaging Segment remains impacted by low priced Chinese supplies in global markets, muted domestic demand, surge in wood cost and high base effect
- Demand for Fine paper remained relatively firm; Décor paper witnessed strong performance
- Margins impacted by sharp drop in realisations and unprecedented surge in domestic wood costs due to increased demand from competing industries
- Focus on accelerating New Business Development in domestic and export markets offering innovative and customised solutions, with special focus on consumer electronics, QSR and personal care products
- Sustainable Products portfolio continues to witness strong growth leveraging cuttingedge innovation platforms
  - State-of-the-art premium Moulded Fibre Products manufacturing facility<sup>^</sup> being set up in Badiyakhedi, Madhya Pradesh; facility expected to be commissioned by the end of the financial year











^ Being undertaken by ITC Fibre Innovations Limited, the Company's wholly owned subsidiary



# **Financials**

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Rs. Cr.	Q3 FY24	Q3 FY23	YoY growth	2 Yr. CAGR
Gross Revenue	17,483	17,122	2.1%	2.5%
EBITDA	6,024	6,223	-3.2%	8.7%
РВТ	6,725	6,678	0.7%	10.7%
ΡΑΤ	5,572	5,031	<b>10.8%</b>	15.8%

PBT (excl. Paperboards, Paper and Packaging) +6% YoY; 2-yr CAGR +13%

PBT includes exceptional item aggregating Rs. 5.52 crores incurred during the quarter and nine months ended 31st December, 2023 in relation to the demerger of the Company's Hotels Business into ITC Hotels Limited.

The Company has reassessed its provisions relating to uncertain tax positions for earlier years based on a favourable order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court received during the quarter. This has resulted in a credit of Rs. 468.44 crores in the Current Tax expense for the quarter and nine months ended 31st December, 2023.



	Q3		
Rs. cr.	FY24	FY23	YoY growth
Segment Revenue			
a) FMCG - Cigarettes	7,549	7,288	<b>3.6%</b>
- Others	5,209	4,841	7.6%
Total FMCG	12,758	12,130	5.2%
b) Hotels	842	712	<b>18.2%</b>
c) Agri Business	3,055	3,124	-2.2%
d) Paperboards, Paper & Packaging	2,081	2,306	- <b>9.7%</b>
Total	18,736	18,271	2.5%
Less : Inter Segment Revenue	1,253	1,149	<b>9.0%</b>
Gross Revenue from sale of products and services	17,483	17,122	2.1%

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- Net Segment Revenue\* up 2.3% YoY on a high base
  - 2 Yr. CAGR at 9.3%
- FMCG Others
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    - 2 Yr. CAGR at 12.8%
  - Staples, Dairy, Beverages, Fragrances, Personal Wash, Homecare, Agarbattis, and Notebooks drive growth
- Hotels
  - Best-ever quarter; Revenue up 18% YoY
- Agri Business
  - Revenue up 14% YoY (excl. Wheat & Rice)

#### • Paperboards, Paper & Packaging

- Segment remains impacted by low-priced Chinese supplies, muted demand & sharp drop in global pulp prices



		Q3		
	Rs. cr.	FY24	FY23	YoY growth
Segme	nt Results			
a) FMCG - Cigarettes		4,728	4,620	2.3%
	- Others	432	348	24.1%
Total FMCG		5,160	4,968	<b>3.9%</b>
b) Hotels		230	146	57.1%
c) Agri Business		339	391	-13.3%
d) Paperboards, Paper & Packaging		296	606	-51.2%
	Total	6,025	6,112	-1.4%
Less :	i) Finance Cost	12	10	
	ii) Other un-allocable (income) net of un-allocable expenditure	-718	-576	
	iii) Exceptional items	6		
Profit Before Tax		6,725	6,678	0.7%

- FMCG Cigarettes
  - Segment PBIT up 2.3% YoY on a high base
    - 2 Yr. CAGR at 9.4%
- FMCG-Others:
- EBITDA margin at 11.0%; Up 100 bps YoY
- Hotels:
  - EBITDA margins @ 36.2% up 470 bps YoY
- Paperboards, Paper & Packaging:
  - Sharp drop in realisation + surge in wood cost weigh on margins



# **ITC – A Global Exemplar in Sustainability**

### **Impactful Social Performance**









Afforestation Over 11.7 lac acres greened



Watershed Development Over 15.3 lac acres covered



Livestock Development Over 21.9 lac milch animals covered



Solid Waste Management Well-being Out of Waste programme covers 60 lac households



Women Empowerment Over 1.4 lac poor women benefitted



Skilling & Vocational Training Skilled over 1.06 lac youth



Primary Education Reaching over 15 lac Children



Mother & Child Health and Nutrition Over 12.5 lac beneficiaries covered

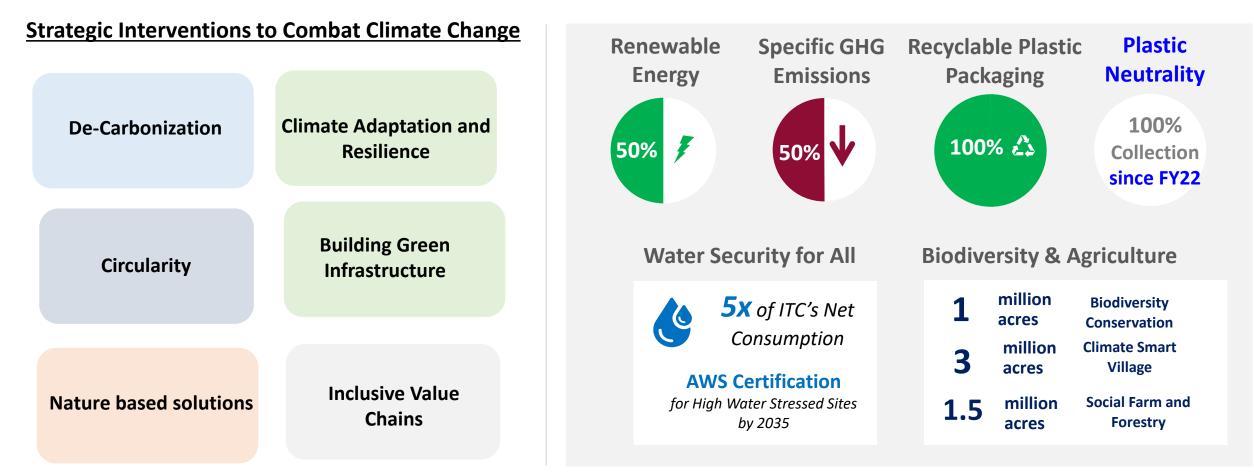


Climate Smart Agriculture Over 23 lac acres covered\*

### Sustainability 2.0

**REDUCE | RECYCLE | RESTORE** 





Proactively work towards achieving 'Net Zero' emission status

Supporting Sustainable Livelihoods: From 6 million to 10 million

# Sustainability – Highlights

- Exceeded commitment on Plastic Neutrality; collected and sustainably managed over 60,000 MT of plastic waste in FY23
- **100% critical Tier 1 suppliers trained on ESG** related aspects (as on Jan 24)
- Best-in-class ESG Ratings:
  - AA rating by MSCI for the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year; A- Leadership score under CDP ratings ahead of Asia & Global average; Continues to be included in the Dow Jones Sustainability Emerging Markets Index a reflection of being a sustainability leader in the industry
- The only enterprise of comparable dimensions globally to have achieved and sustained the three key global indices of environmental sustainability of being 'water positive' (for 21 years), 'carbon positive' (for 18 years), and 'solid waste recycling positive' (for 16 years)
- Water Stewardship:
  - Four Units of ITC (Paper mill at Kovai, ICML Malur, ICML Ranjangaon and Cigarettes factory at Ranjangaon) have been Platinum level certified by AWS (Alliance for Water Stewardship)
- Bio Diversity:
  - Winner of the first UNDP Mahatma Award for Biodiversity → in recognition of efforts in promoting biodiversity conservation through intensive community engagement







# ITC Infotech

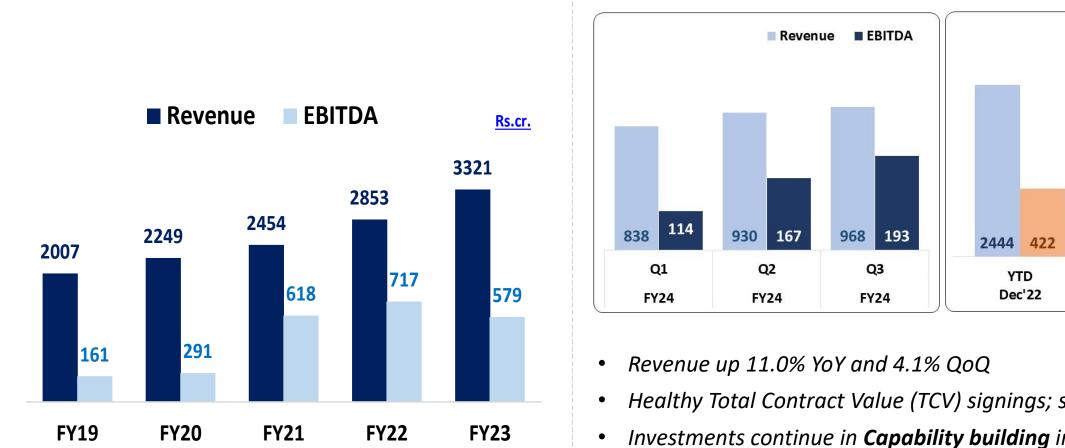


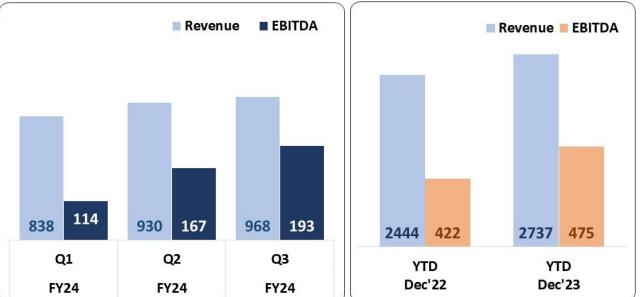
ITC Infotech

#### **Customer Centricity | Employee Centricity | Operational Excellence**



Rs. cr.





- Healthy Total Contract Value (TCV) signings; strong pipeline
- Investments continue in **Capability building** in **strategic focus** areas, sales org. & infrastructure.

#### **Q3 EBITDA margin** @ upper-end of mid-tier IT cos.

# **ITC: Enduring Value**









# A passion for Profitable growth...

# in a way that is Sustainable...

# and Inclusive.



	Product/initiative	Link
BNCO	Bingo! on Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/bingo_snacks/
Conferent Conferent Conferent Conferent Conferent Conferent Conferent	YiPPee! on Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/sunfeast_yippee/
AASHIRVAAD.	Aashirvaad on Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/aashirvaad/
©Dark Fantasy	Sunfeast Dark Fantasy on Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/sunfeastdarkfantasy/
MOMS	Mom's Magic on Instagram	https://instagram.com/sfmomsmagic/
classmate	Classmate on Instagram	https://instagram.com/classmatebyitc/
	ITC : Creating Enduring Value for India	https://youtu.be/VwnE4eN_BTk
	Details on the Company's Sustainability 2.0 vision	https://www.itcportal.com/sustainability/sustainability-integrated-report- 2023/ITC-Sustainability-Integrated-Report-2023.pdf
Enduring Value	Quarterly Media Statement	https://www.itcportal.com/investor/pdf/ITC-Press-Release-Q3-FY2024.pdf