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June 8, 2022

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Scrip Symbol: PDSL	Scrip Code: 538730

Re: ISIN - INE111Q01013

Sub: Intimation pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for Investor's Presentation

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith the Investor's Presentation of PDS Limited.

We request you to kindly take the above information on record for the purpose of dissemination to the shareholders.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, for PDS Limited (Erstwhile PDS Multinational Fashions Limited)

Abhishekh Kanoi Head of Legal & Company Secretary ICSI Membership No.: F-9530

Encl.: As above



PDS Limited

(Erstwhile PDS Multinational Fashions Limited)

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Company Presentation

June 2022

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PDS Platform Strengths & Capabilities





Key Takeaways for FY22



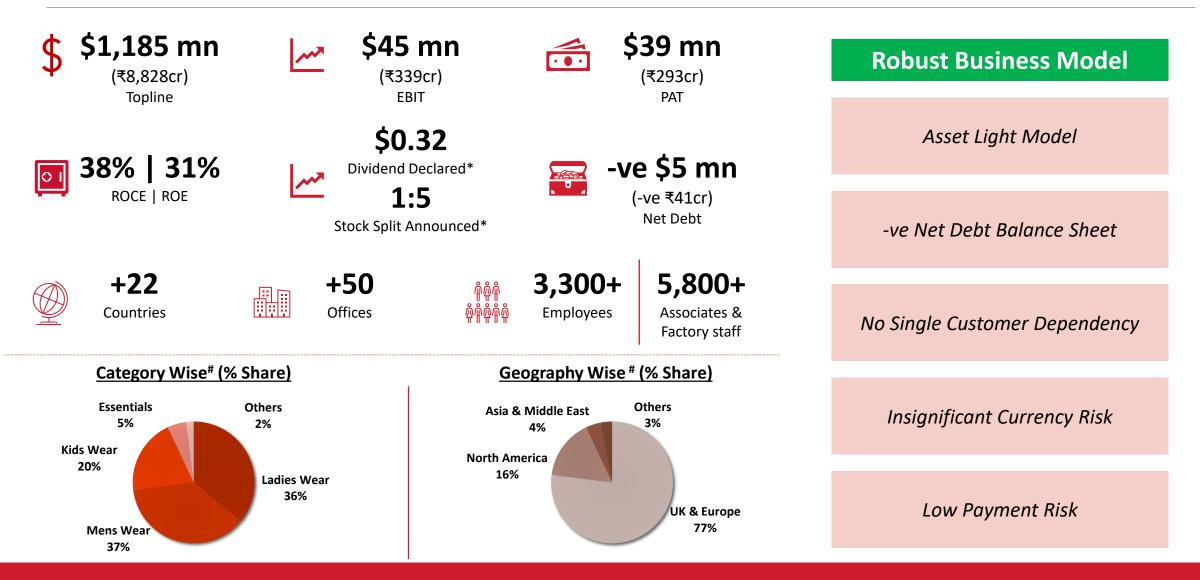


Gearing for a \$2.5bn enterprise over the next 4-5 years



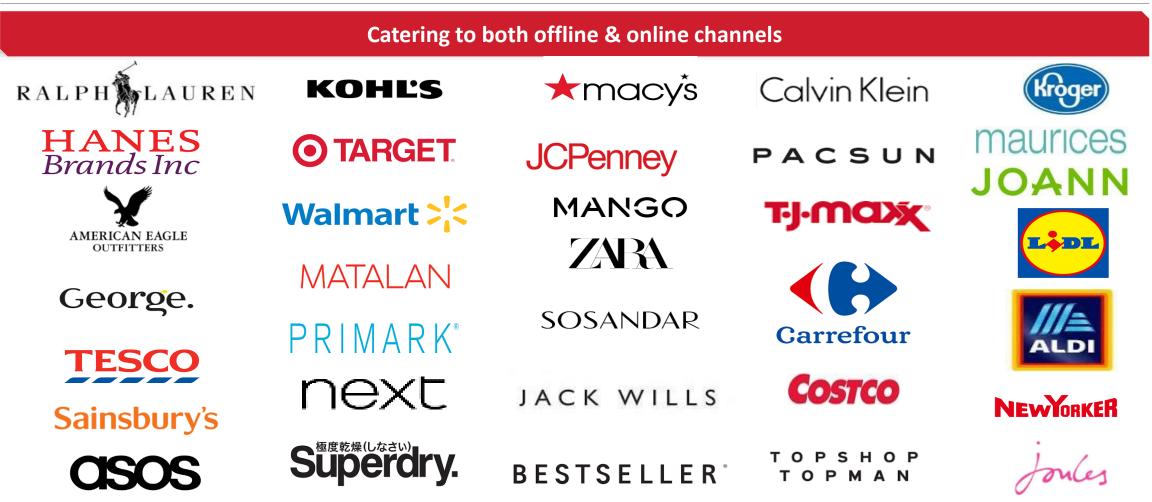
PDS Limited At a Glance





Whom do we cater to? A Well Diversified Base Of Marquee Customers





On an average basis, each of the top 10 customers contributes <7% of the topline

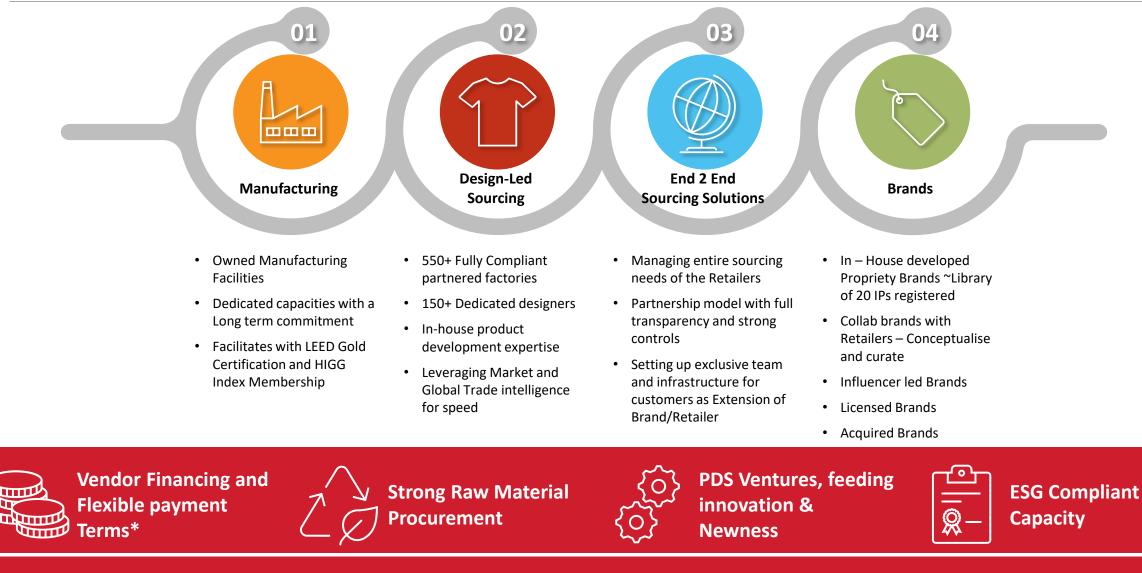
Global Reach and Scale of the Platform 50+ Offices with a presence in over 22 countries





Right Product in the Right Country in the Right Factory

Who are we? Global Fashion Infrastructure Company with customized solutions to retailers & brands PDS



01 World Class Manufacturing Facilities





Progress Apparel, Bangladesh

World Class Manufacturing facility with Accord Compliant (95%)



Green Smart Shirts, Bangladesh

Formal & Casual shirts / blouses for ladies

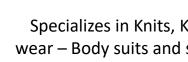
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Our Accreditations



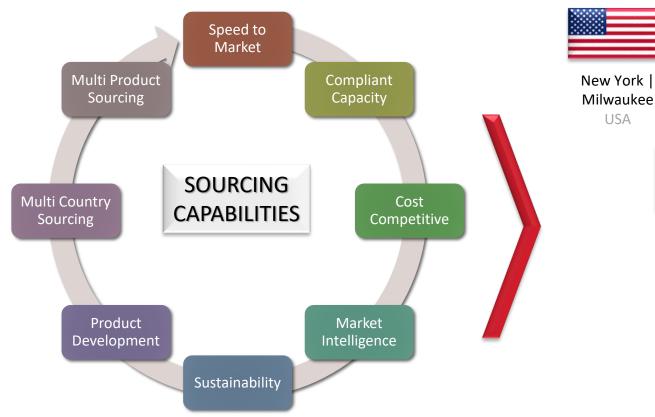
LEED Gold Certificate "Best in Class" facilities

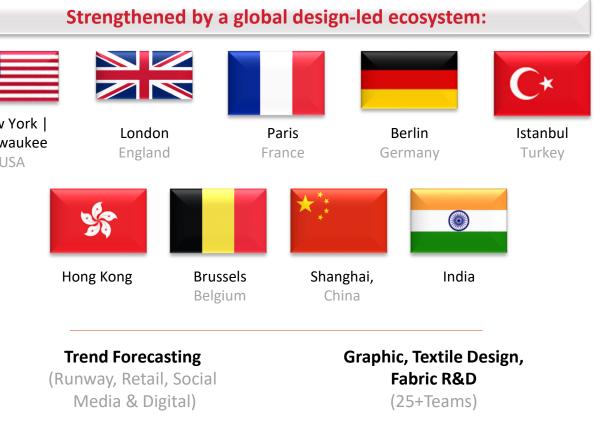


Specializes in Knits, Kids wear – Body suits and sleep suits

02 Design-Led Sourcing







Design Direction (Key Items, Grow/Slow, Category Shifts)

Circular 3D Design (CLO Design, Virtual Showroom)

Sourcing as a Service Model

Long term strategic collaborations – a testament to our capabilities





04 In House Brands









next **brands**

KOHĽS



Sainsbury's





- Launched in April 2022
- In collaboration with Next, Tk Maxx, Zalando & Primark



REÁKT®

- Athleisure outdoor brand
- Launched in May 2022
- In collaboration with Tesco





JONPARK

- Denim workwear brand
- Launched in April 2021
- In collaboration with Sainsburys



- Sustainable Everyday work wear brand
- Launched in April 2022
- Available through Next & TkMaxx

- Smart Casuals brand
- Launched in April 2022
- Sustainable casual/loungewear brand
- Launched in April 2022
- In collaboration with Next & TkMaxx



04 Influencer & Acquired Brands









next **brands**

KOHĽS



Sainsbury's





Smart/Casualwear

 Exclusive to Tesco & Next

FW BRIDGE



- Launched in 2016
- 'Shop in Shop' at Pepco EU

Turtledove London organic collection



UNISEX KIDSWEAR

Acquired Brands

- Kids clothing brand
- Launched in April 2021
- Exclusive to ASDA George



- Sustainable premium menswear brand
- Launched in November 2020
- Exclusive to ASDA George



- Kidswear brand
- Launched in 2019
- Collaborating with Pepco EU and Best + Less

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04 Licensed Brands





FOREVER 21

Silver Cross



Stan Ray

200+ Licensed Characters







PDS Platform Strengths & Capabilities

Diverse and global expertise leading the platform



LEADERSHIP & BOARD OF DIRECTORS





Mr. Deepak Seth Group Chairman



Mrs. Payel Seth Non-Executive and Non-Independent Director



Mr. Mungo Park Independent Director



HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL

Mr. Pallak Seth

Vice Chairman



Mr. Robert Sinclair Independent Director



Mr. Sanjay Jain Group CEO



Mr. Parth Gandhi Non-Executive and Non-Independent Director



Mr. Nishant Parikh Independent Director



LEADERSHIP TEAM



Ashish Gupta Group CFO



Saurabh Saxena Group CIO



Reenah Joseph Head of Corporate Finance, M&A and Investor Relations



HERO

Abhishekh Kanoi Head of Legal & Company Secretary



CK BIRLA GROUE ThermoFisher scientific Raamann Ahuja Group CHRO



future group GMR Sadik Sunasara Head-Strategic Initiatives & **Special Projects**

ADVISORY BOARD





Mr. Tarun Khanna PDS Advisory Board HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL

PDS Advisory Board Stanford University

Mrs. Faiza Seth

ON SUBSIDIARY BOARD



Mr. Sunil Srivastav Director, Techno Design HK Limited

Focus on Ethics, Compliance, and Sustainability



ETHICS AND COMPLIANCE

Industry Experts leading +50 member team to maintain Social, Technical and Ethical Compliance standards across factories









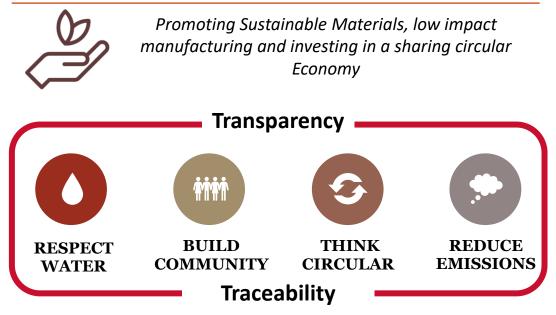
Mr. David Goodwin

Mr. Jack Ostrowski

Mr. Rajeev Sharma Ms. Julia Rowlands

- Team reports directly to PDS board, independent of Businesses
- Non-negotiable Policies for Factories
 - Supplier Code on Conduct
 - Zero Tolerance Policy
- **Risk Management** Financial Vendor Evaluation is done for all factories
 - Wages
 - **Payment Delays**
 - **Delivery Performance**
 - Volume of Air freights

SUSTAINABILITY GOALS



Together we're building a transparent, compliant & sustainable supply chain

Major contributor for PDS's stability

- Topline CAGR of 12% over the last 5 years and PAT CAGR of 90%
- Focus on financial discipline
- Trade Finance Limits of \$370 Mn with strong leverage ratios due to -ve Net Debt
- Working with Consortium of leading Global Banks HSBC, BNP, ICICI, CITI, First Abu Dhabi Bank
- Global Auditors led by EY and Grant Thornton
- Rigorous Risk Management Principles of 6Cs Credit, Compliance, Currency, Compliant Capacity, Customer Dependency and Cost

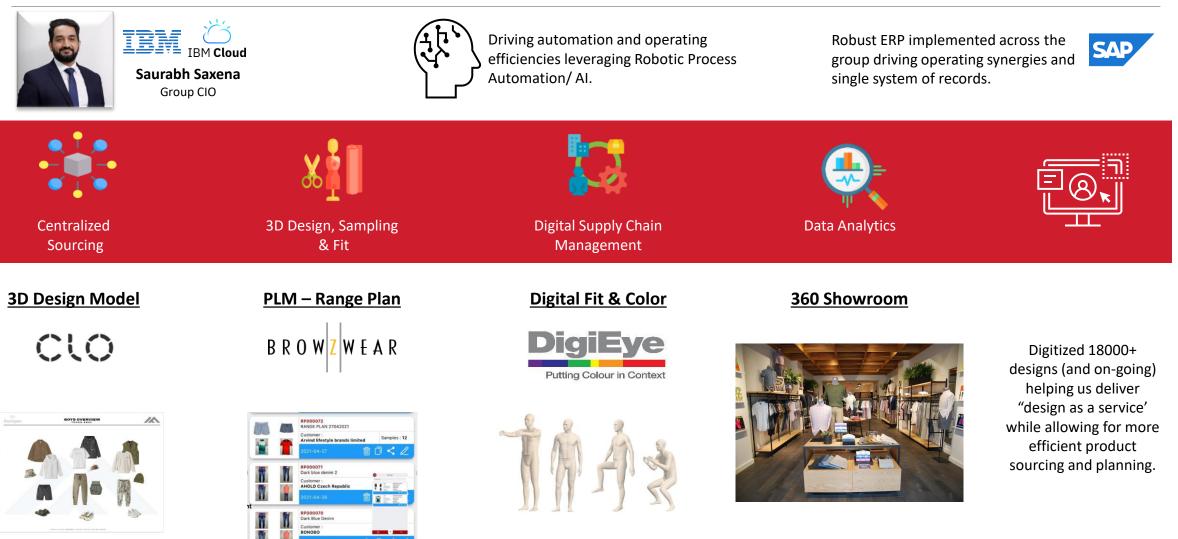


Financial Strength of the Platform Key Building Blocks for PDS's Global Platform

Building a Tech-savvy PDS Platform

Digital, a key pillar of PDS as data & analytics will drive a synchronized function across geographies and verticals

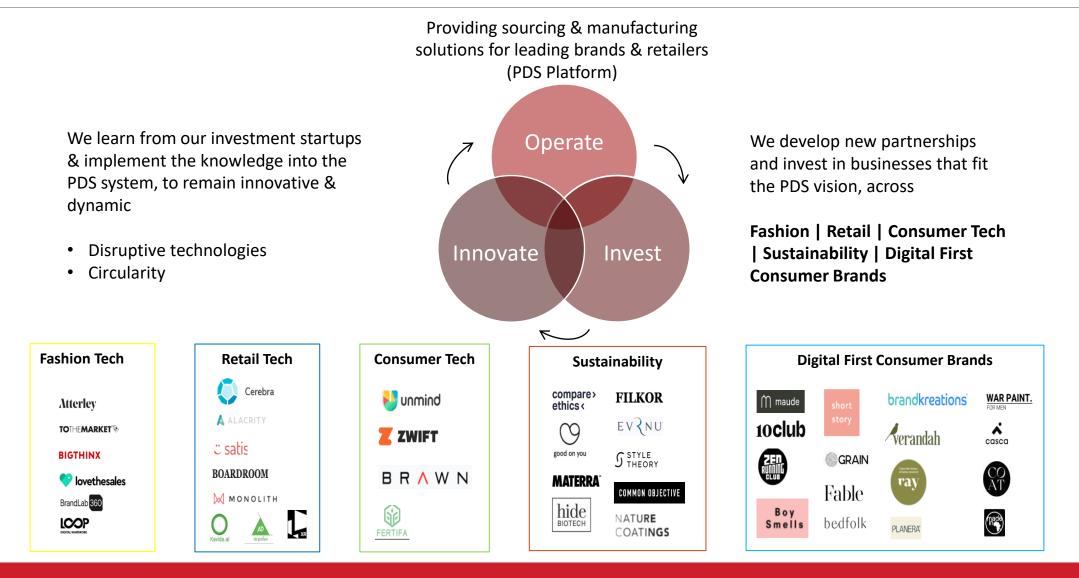




Technology is an enabler but not a replacement in our Industry

PDS Venture Investments



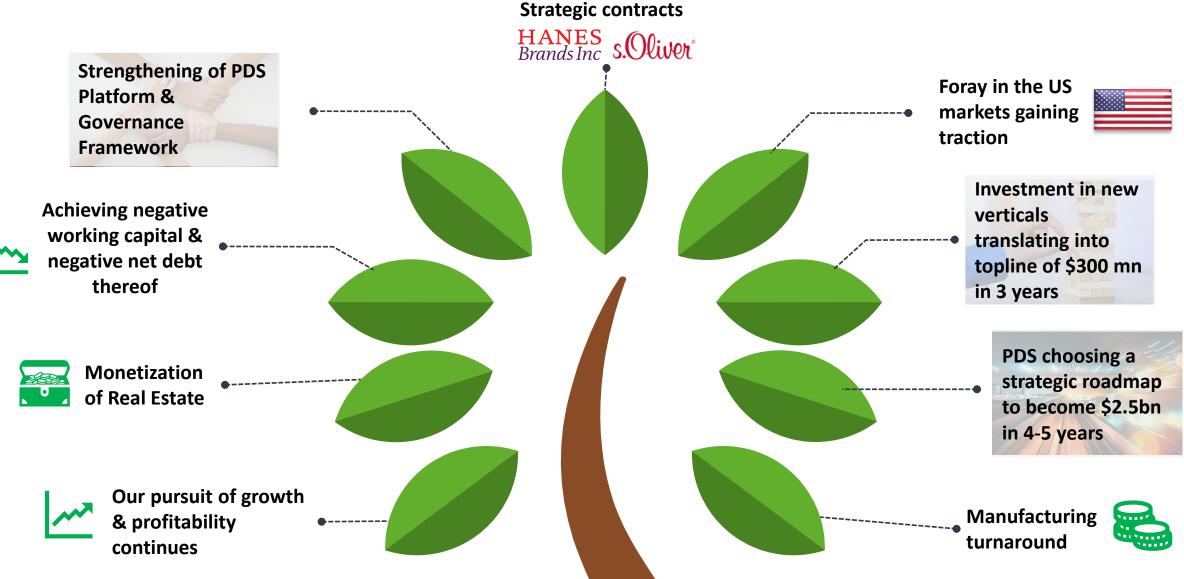




Key Takeaways for FY22

Key Takeaways for FY2021-22





Manufacturing delivered profits Focus on achieving 5% PBT (over 2 years) by driving efficiencies





balancing, training, risk analysis etc.

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Gearing for a \$2.5bn enterprise over the next 4-5 years

Growth Opportunities for PDS



Opportunities in Sourcing



Retailers looking to work with financially stable suppliers with multiproduct & multi-geography capability



Banks are willing to fund growth for businesses with Strong Balance Sheet



Individual entrepreneurs are struggling with cash flows & working capital requirements



Supply Chain's ESG requirements/goal post are constantly evolving



Shift in industry dynamics (China +1), trade agreements and regulation fuelling disruption

Ways to capitalise Opportunities

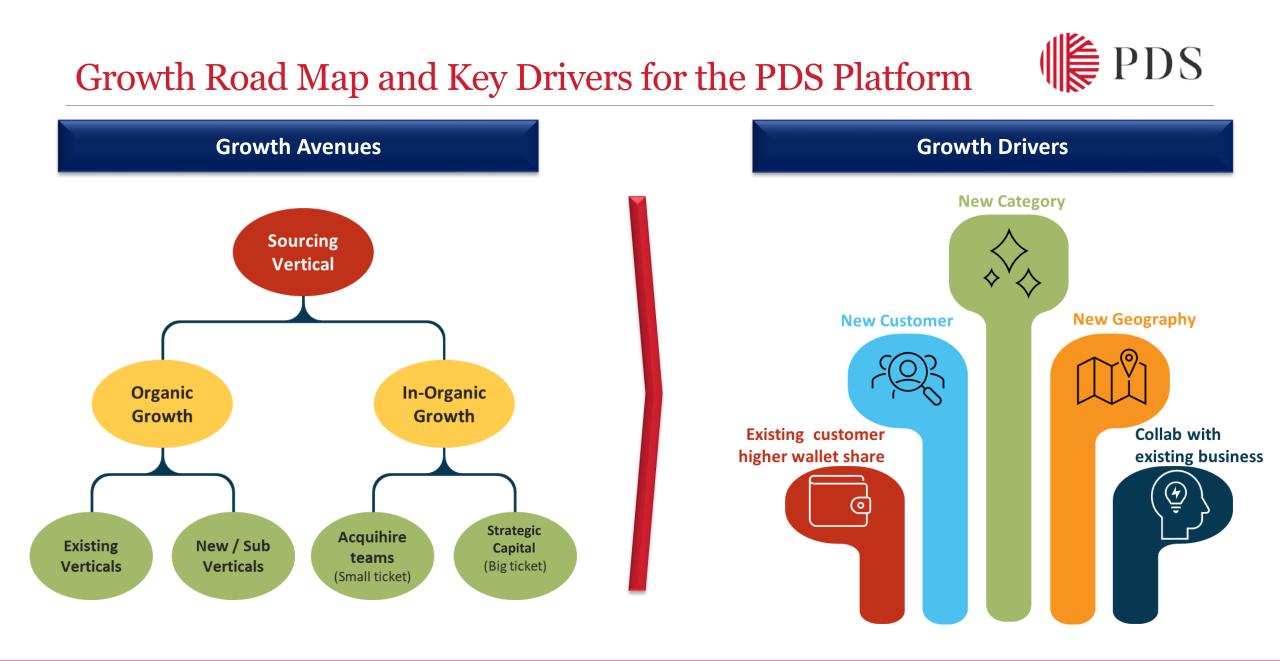
Invest in motivated and ambitious Entrepreneurs, looking for growth on PDS Platform rather than exit

2 Don't want to pursue just M&A but acquire majority stake by infusing Growth and Strategic capital

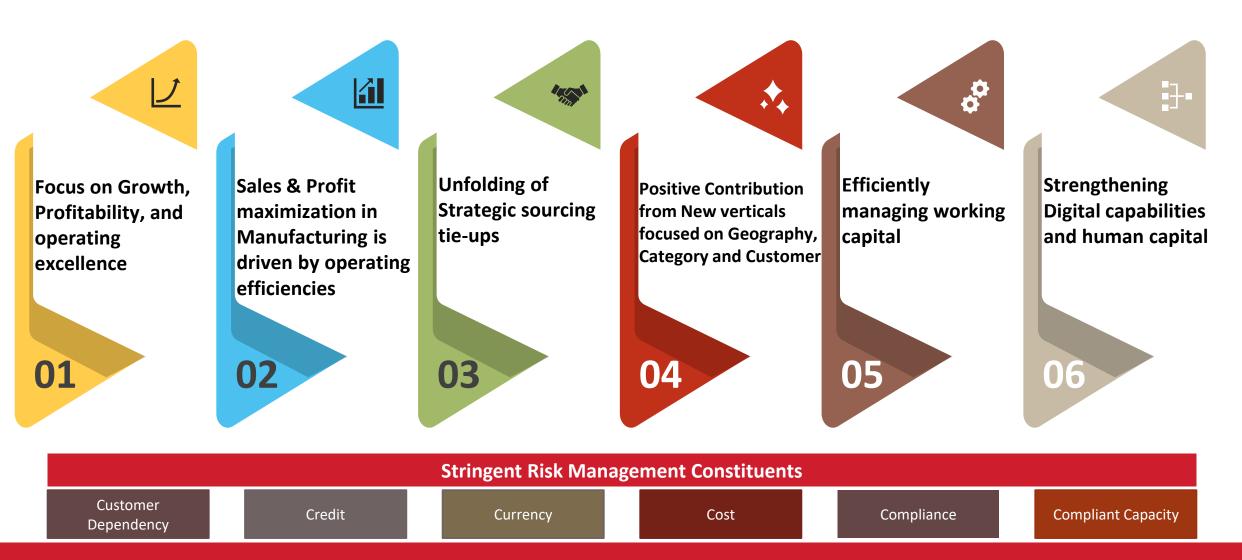
Provide strategic synergies and growth capital

- 3 including working capital, global sourcing infrastructure introduction to PDS customer
- infrastructure, introduction to PDS customers and internal collaboration opportunities
- 4 Enabling growth to such Standalone businessunits struggling to survive or thrive due to reasons mentioned on left

PDS is not into acquiring businesses however we invest in Growth Opportunities



Building Blocks as PDS aspires to reach \$2.5bn over the next 4-5 years



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Business & Financial Performance Overview

QUARTER AND FULL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

Key Financial Highlights for FY22

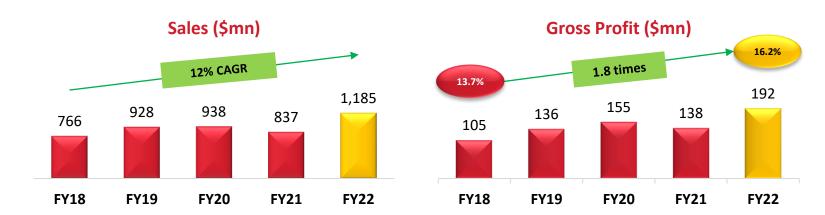




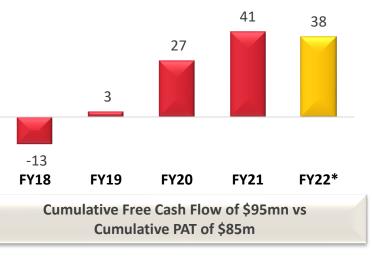


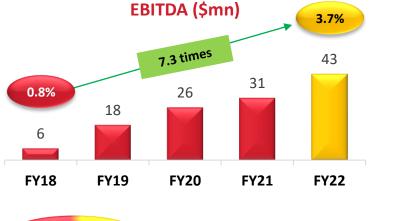
Performance over the last 5 years

Consistently delivered growth & profitability and have reported best FY22 performance









Margin %



*FY22 excludes investments made in acquisition of Yellow Octopus and subsidiaries

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Consolidated Profit & Loss

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Particulars	FY22	FY21	(Y-o-Y)	FY22	FY22	FY21	(Y-o-Y)
Income from Operations	370	241	53%	298	1,185	837	42%
COGS	314	197	59%	248	993	699	42%
Gross Profit	56	44	26%	50	192	138	39%
Gross Margin (%)	<u>15.1%</u>	18.3%	-325 bps	16.6%	16.2%	16.5%	-32 bps
Employee Expense	24	20	18%	21	83	56	49%
% of Income from Operations	6.4%	8.2%	-189 bps	6.9%	7.0%	6.7%	37 bps
Other Expenses	19	11	66%	15	66	52	27%
% of Income from Operations	5.0%	4.7%	38 bps	5.2%	5.5%	6.2%	-64 bps
EBITDA	14	13	4%	14	43	31	40%
EBITDA Margin (%)	3.7%	5.5%	-175 bps	4.5%	3.7%	3.7%	-5 bps
Depreciation	3	3	-7%	2	9	9	3%
Other Income	3	1	108%	1	12	5	129%
EBIT	14	12	19%	12	45	27	69%
EBIT Margin (%)	3.8%	4.9%	-109 bps	4.0%	3.8%	3.2%	62 bps
Finance Cost	1.5	0.7	106%	1	4	3	8%
Profit Before Tax	12	11	13%	11	42	23	82%
Tax Expenses	1	2	-44%	1	2	3	-20%
Profit After Tax	11	9	22%	11	39	20	97%
PAT Margin (%)	3.1%	3.9%	-80 bps	3.6%	3.3%	2.4%	93 bps

US\$ in mn, unless mentioned otherwise

Key Highlights of performance:

Q4 FY22 vs Q4 FY21:

- 1. Income from Operations increased by 53%
- 2. EBITDA Margin were impacted by negligible PPE sales in Q4 FY22, the impact of new business in the gestation phase, ESOP costs, increased freight costs attributable to LDP business
- 3. PBT increased by 13% to \$12mn

4. PAT increased by 22%

FY22 vs FY21:

- 1. Income from Operations increased by 42%
- 2. EBITDA increased by 40%; adjusting for ESOP costs the increase is 50% (translating into a 3.9% margin). Further, the margins also included the impact of new business, negligible PPE, and increased freight costs
- PBT increased 82% to \$42mn 3.

4. PAT increased 97% from \$20mn to \$39mn



Consolidated Balance Sheet



US\$ in mn, unless mentioned otherwise

	As	As on		
Particulars	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-21		
Non-Current Assets	104	81		
Current Assets	345	240		
Inventories	40	27		
Trade Receivables	188	124		
Cash and cash equivalents	61	40		
Other Bank Balances	27	19		
Other Current Assets	29	29		
Total Assets	448	321		
Total Equity	124	98		
Non-Current Liabilities	15	9		
Borrowings	0	0		
Other Non-Current Liabilities	15	9		
Current Liabilities	310	214		
Borrowings	82	67		
Trade Payables	207	122		
Other Current Liabilities	21	25		
Total Equity & Liabilities	448	321		

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Particulars	As on			
	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-21		
Calculated basis 'annualized' P&L items				
Inventory Days	15	14		
Debtor Days	59	53		
Payables Days	77	63		
NWC Days	-3	5		
Total Debt	82	67		
Net Debt	-5	8		

Working Capital & Leverage Ratios:

- In FY22, Net Working Capital Days declined by 8 days compared to FY21
- 2. Net Debt has decreased by \$14mn since FY21
- 3. With negative Net Debt, PDS operates at comfortable leverage ratios

Return to Stakeholders:

- 1. ROCE has increased to 38% vs 26% last year
- 2. ROE has increased to 31% vs 21% last year

Consolidated Cash Flow



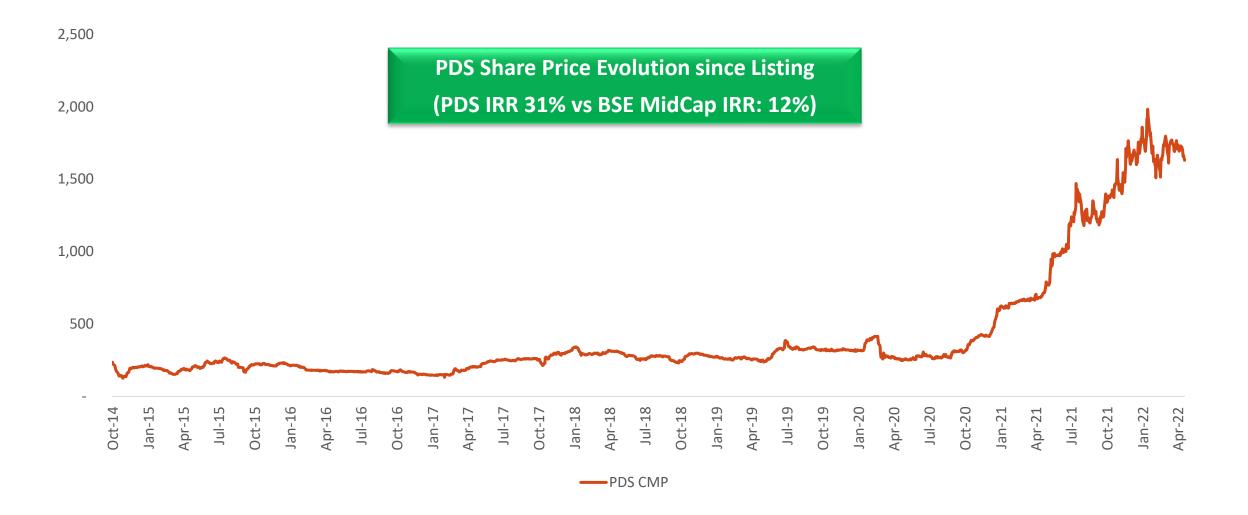
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Particulars	FY2021-22	FY2020-21	Particulars	FY2021-22	FY2020-21
A. Cash Flow from Operating Activities			C. Cash Flow from Financing Activities		
Profit before tax	41	23	Proceeds from borrowings (net)	17	-35
Depreciation and amortization expense	9	9	Interest paid	-4	-4
Finance Costs	4	4	Payment of dividend to equity shareholders	-5	0
Gain on sale of subsidiary	-5	-1	Payment of dividend to non-controlling interests	-7	-6
(Increase)/Decrease in Net Current Assets & Others	5	16	Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities & Others	-3	-3
A. Total Cash Flow from Operating Activities	53	52	C. Total Cash Flow from Financing Activities	-3	-47
B. Cash Flow from Investing Activities			(A+B+C) Net increase / (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalent	20	-7
Capex	-6	-4	Foreign exchange fluctuation	1	-1
Proceeds from disposal of real estate	11	0	Add: Cash and cash equivalent at the beginning	37	46
(Increase) / Decrease in bank deposits	-9	2	Add: Bank overdraft	2	2
Investments in Venture Tech & Treasury	-11	-10	Cash and cash equivalent at the end	61	40
Investment in JVs & Subsidiaries & Others	-15	0			
B. Total Cash Flow from Investing Activities	-30	-11			
(A+B) Total Cash Flow from Operating and Investing Activities	23	41			

PDS Stock Price Performance Since Listing

What PDS has achieved since listing?





Way Forward



Geographic Expansion

US is one of the top 5 apparel markets globally. Significant rise in North America Sales, currently at 16% of top-line. Potential to reach >20% over next few years

Strengthening team in US and leveraging the Group network for servicing customers

Focused on Australia New Zealand & Scandinavian countries

Margin & ROCE Expansion

Expansion of brands and licensing portfolio to drive margin accretion

Collaborating with retailers for the creation of inhouse brands

Focus on increasing efficiency in manufacturing will enable expansion of consolidated margin

Continue to monitor & optimize operating costs

Category Expansion

Deepening relationships with existing customers by expanding into new categories

Driving long term strategic exclusive partnerships through Sourcing as a Service

Focus on expanding in other categories like home fashion and activewear across geographies

Balance Sheet Optimization

Continue to operate on an asset-light model

Expansion in margins will enable PDS to generate a higher return on capital employed

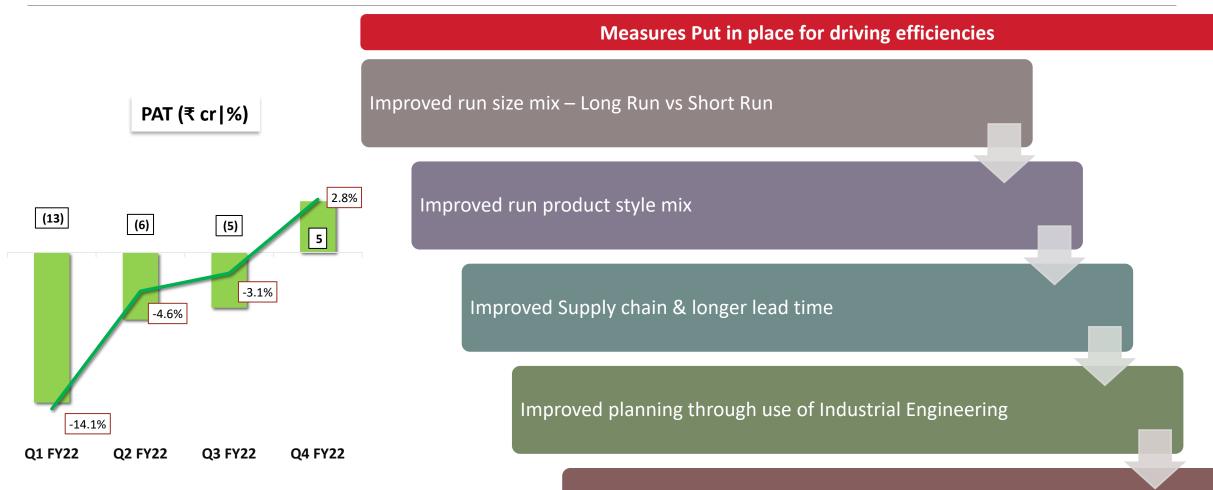
Explore opportunities in new age sustainability-focused, a tech-enabled business that will generate higher returns than PDS's cost of capital

Annexure

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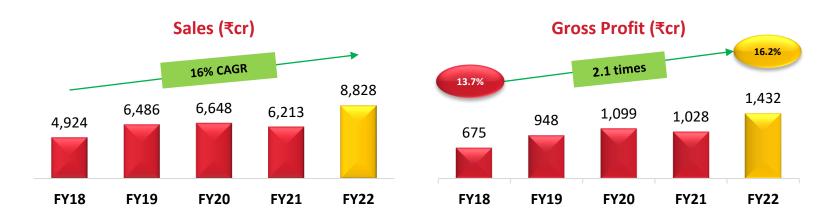




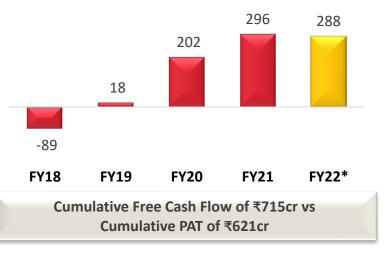
Enhanced focus on operational initiatives such as line balancing, training, risk analysis etc.

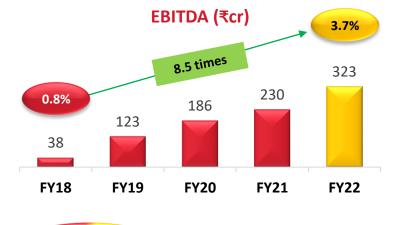
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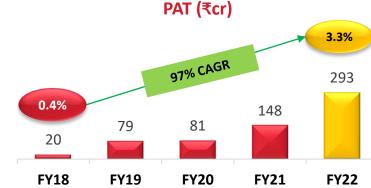


Free Cash Flow (FCF) (₹cr)





Margin %



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Particulars	FY22	FY21	(Y-o-Y)	FY22	FY22	FY21	(Y-o
Income from Operations	2,775	1,765	57%	2,232	8,828	6,213	42
COGS	2,356	1,440	64%	1,861	7,396	5,185	43
Gross Profit	419	325	29%	371	1,432	1,028	39
Gross Margin (%)	15.1%	18.4%	-327 bps	16.6%	16.2%	16.5%	-32 k
Employee Expense	177	146	21%	154	621	414	50
% of Income from Operations	6.4%	8.3%	-191 bps	6.9%	7.0%	6.7%	37 b
Other Expenses	140	82	72%	115	489	383	27
% of Income from Operations	5.0%	4.6%	42 bps	5.2%	5.5%	6.2%	-64 l
EBITDA	103	97	6%	101	323	230	40
EBITDA Margin (%)	3.7%	5.5%	-178 bps	4.5%	3.7%	3.7%	-5 b
Depreciation	19	20	-5%	17	70	68	3%
Other Income	21	10	115%	5	86	37	130
EBIT	105	87	21%	89	339	200	709
EBIT Margin (%)	3.8%	4.9%	-112 bps	4.0%	3.8%	3.2%	62 b
Finance Cost	11	5	112%	5	28.0	25.7	9%
Profit before exceptional items and tax	94	81	15%	85	311	174	799
Add: Profit/(Loss) of Associates	-1	0		0	-1	-4	
Add: Exceptional items	0	0		0	0	0	
Profit Before Tax	93	81	15%	85	310	170	82
Tax Expenses	7	11	-43%	4	17	22	-20
Profit After Tax	86	69	24%	81	293	148	97
PAT Margin (%)	3.1%	3.9%	-83 bps	3.6%	3.3%	2.4%	93 b

₹ in cr, unless mentioned otherwise

Key Highlights of performance:

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1. Income from Operations increased by 57%

2. EBITDA Margin were impacted by negligible PPE sales in Q4 FY22, the impact of new business in the gestation phase, ESOP costs, increased freight costs attributable to LDP business

3. PBT increased by 15% to ₹93cr

4. PAT increased by 24%

FY22 vs FY21:

1. Income from Operations increased by 42%

 EBITDA increased by 40%; adjusting for ESOP costs the increase is 50% (translating into a 3.9% margin). Further, the margins also included the impact of new business, negligible PPE and increased freight costs

3. PBT increased 82% to ₹310cr

4. PAT increased 97% from ₹148cr to ₹293cr

Consolidated Balance Sheet



₹ in cr, unless mentioned otherwise

	As	As on		
Particulars	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-21		
Non-Current Assets	787	594		
Current Assets	2,611	1,752		
Inventories	305	197		
Trade Receivables	1,421	910		
Cash and cash equivalents	460	293		
Other Bank Balances	205	137		
Other Current Assets	220	214		
Total Assets	3,398	2,346		
Total Equity	936	716		
Non-Current Liabilities	112	66		
Borrowings	0	2		
Other Non-Current Liabilities	112	64		
Current Liabilities	2,350	1,564		
Borrowings	623	488		
Trade Payables	1,566	892		
Other Current Liabilities	160	184		
Total Equity & Liabilities	3,398	2,346		

Particulars	As on			
Particulars	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-21		
Calculated basis 'annualized' P&L items				
Inventory Days	15	14		
Debtor Days	59	53		
Payables Days	77	63		
NWC Days	-3	5		
Total Debt	623	490		
Net Debt	-41	59		

Working Capital & Leverage Ratios:

- 1. In FY22, Net Working Capital Days by 8 days compared to FY21
- 2. Net Debt has decreased by ₹101 cr since FY21
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Profit before tax	310	170	Proceeds from borrowings (net)	127	-252
Depreciation and amortization expense	70	68	Interest paid	-27	-26
Finance Costs	28	26	Payment of dividend to equity shareholders	-41	0
Gain on sale of subsidiary	-41	-4	Payment of dividend to non-controlling interests	-55	-47
(Increase)/Decrease in Net Current Assets & Others	35	120	Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities & Others	-26	-21
A. Total Cash Flow from Operating Activities	402	379	C. Total Cash Flow from Financing Activities	-22	-347
B. Cash Flow from Investing Activities			(A+B+C) Net increase / (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalent	151	-50
Сарех	-44	-27	Foreign exchange fluctuation & others	9	-5
Proceeds from disposal of real estate	83	0	Add: Cash and cash equivalent at the beginning	282	337
(Increase) / Decrease in bank deposits	-68	15	Add: Bank overdraft	17	11
Investments in Venture Tech & Treasury	-85	-74	Cash and cash equivalent at the end	460	293
Investment in JVs & Subsidiaries & Others	-115	2			
B. Total Cash Flow from Investing Activities	-229	-83			
(A+B) Total Cash Flow from Operating and Investing Activities	173	296			



Together we're building a better, more sustainable supply chain