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Dear Sirs,

Subject: Investors' Presentation - September 2015

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Yours truly

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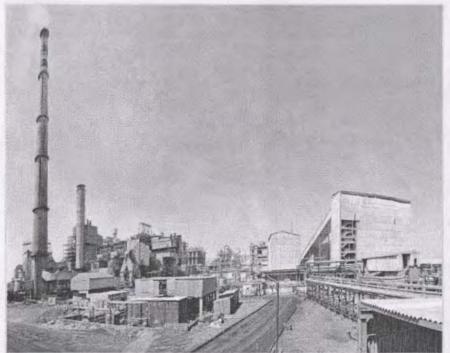


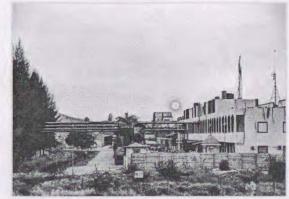


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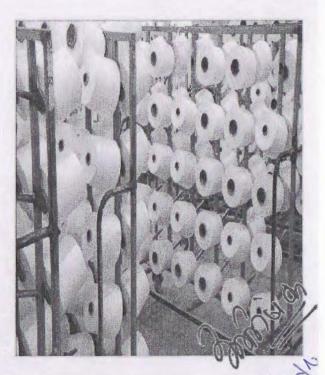
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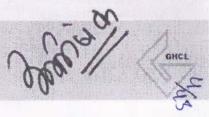
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Agenda

- Company Overview
- 2 Inorganic Chemicals Segment

Textile Segment (Spinning + Home Textile)

Financial Performance





Business segments overview

Inorganic Chemical (60%*)

- Leading producer of soda ash in India which find use in detergents & the glass industries
- ☐ Specializes in manufacturing of Sodium Bicarbonate
- Annual production capacity of 850,000 MT of soda ash, ~23% of the annual domestic requirement
- Manufacturing plant located at Sutrapada,
 Gujarat
- Preferred supplier to HUL, Ghari, P&G, HNG, Piramal Glass, St Gobain and Phillips

Home Textile (40%*)

- Integrated home textile manufacturers in India
- Presence across spinning, weaving, continuous fabric processing, and cut & sew for premium quality bed linen
- ☐ Spinning capacity of ~ 175,000 spindles
- ☐ Processing capacity of ~ 36 million meters
- ☐ State of the art manufacturing facilities:
 - Spinning plant Madurai, TN
 - Home textile Vapi, Gujarat
- Preferred supplier to Bed Bath & Beyond, Target, Sears, JC Penny, House of Fraser, and Kmart

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Steadily expanding capacity across segments

Production of Soda Ash commences with an installed capacity of 420,000 tones / year

Production capacity increased to 525,000 tones / year

2001-03

Soda Ash production capacity increased to 850,000 tones / year

Spindles capacity increased to 83,000 and subsequently to to 140,000

Home Textile
production commences
with 36 mn meters
processing capacity
and 8 mn meters
weaving capacity

2012-15

Soda Ash capacity expansion by 1 lac MT

De-bottlenecking at Home Textiles and increase in cut and sew capacity

1988-2000

Soda Ash production capacity increased to 600,000 tones/year

Entered into Spinning business - 65,000 spindles

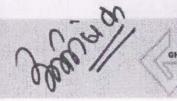
Spindles capacity increased to 83,000

2006-08

Spindles capacity increased to 175,000

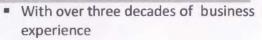
Air jet looms capacity increased to 134 and subsequently to 162 looms (present weaving capacity – 12 mn meters)

2016-18



Professional management...

Mr. R. S. Jalan, Managing Director





- His unique leadership style with endeared managerial abilities drives all our businesses alike
- A Qualified Chartered Accountant, he profess deep business understanding and excellent analytical skills

Mr. Raman Chopra, CFO & Executive Director



- Spear heading GHCL's Finance and IT functions
- Experience of 25 years in Merger & Acquisitions, Taxation, Finance and Project implementation
- A Qualified Chartered Accountant having sharp financial acumen, negotiation skills and a great passion for technological advancements and specialisation in Greenfield expansion

Mr. Sunil Bhatnagar, Marketing, Soda Ash

- Thee decades of marketing experience.
- Associated with the company for over 22 years.
- Degree in law and diploma in management

Mr. N N Radia, COO, Soda Ash

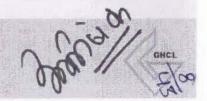
- Thee decades of experience in soda ash operations.
- Associated with the Company since 1986
- Bachelor in mechanical engineering

Mr. Neeraj Jalan, SVP, Home Textiles

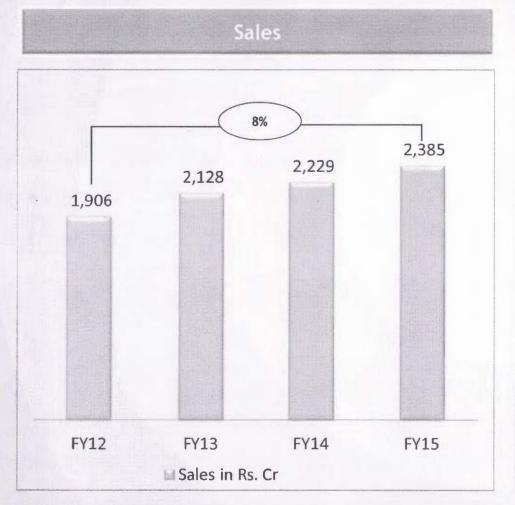
- A self motivator, he is instrumental in building this vertical
- Associated with Company for over 17 years
- Qualified Chartered Accountant

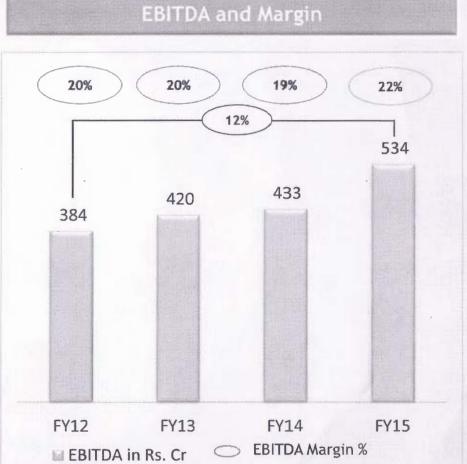
Mr. M. Sivabalasubramanian, SVP, Spinning

- Vast experience in cotton procurement and manufacturing operations
- Associated with Company for over 20 years
- Bachelor in textile engineering



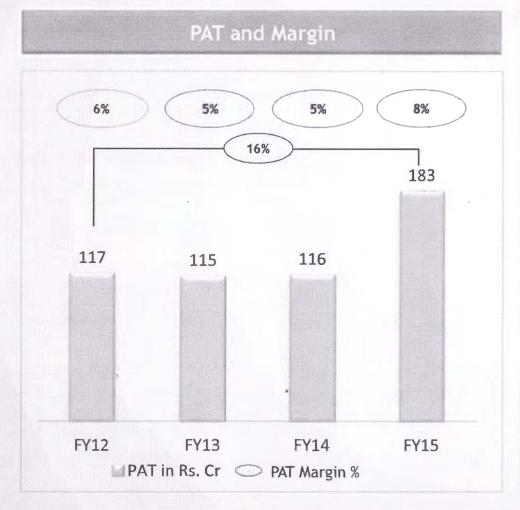
... driving consistent profitable growth



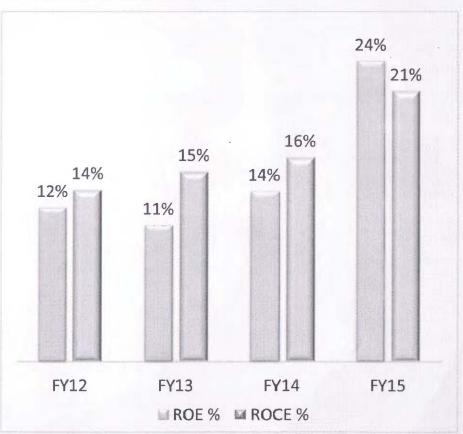


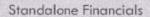
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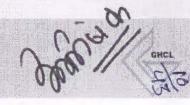
...with improving return ratio



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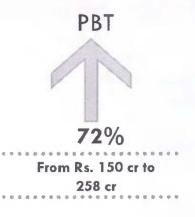


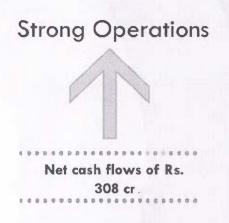


FY15 key performance highlights





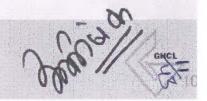












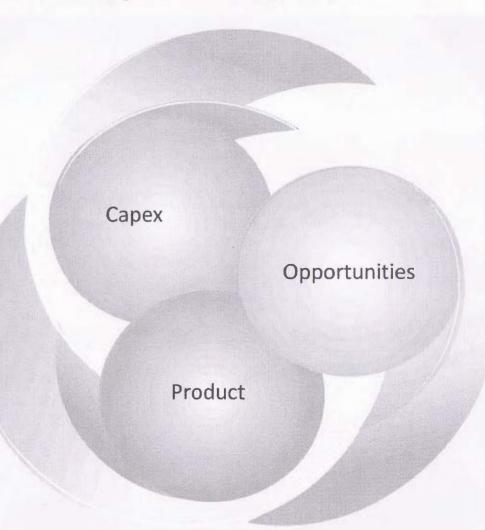
Well planned growth strategy across segments

Capex for expansion

- Capacity expansion in Soda ash by 1 lac MT
- Increase in stitching capacity
- De-bottlenecking of processing capacity in home textiles and investing in green energy

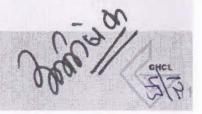
Product development

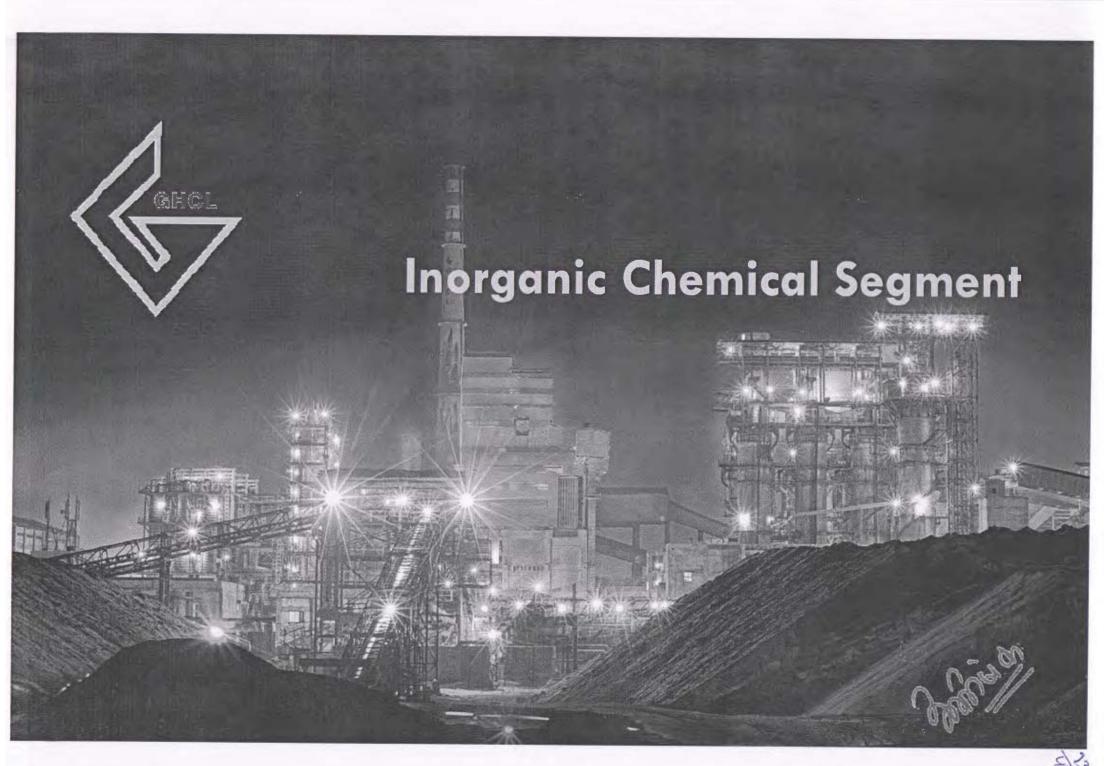
- Creating Value added products to cater niche client
- Continuous product innovation



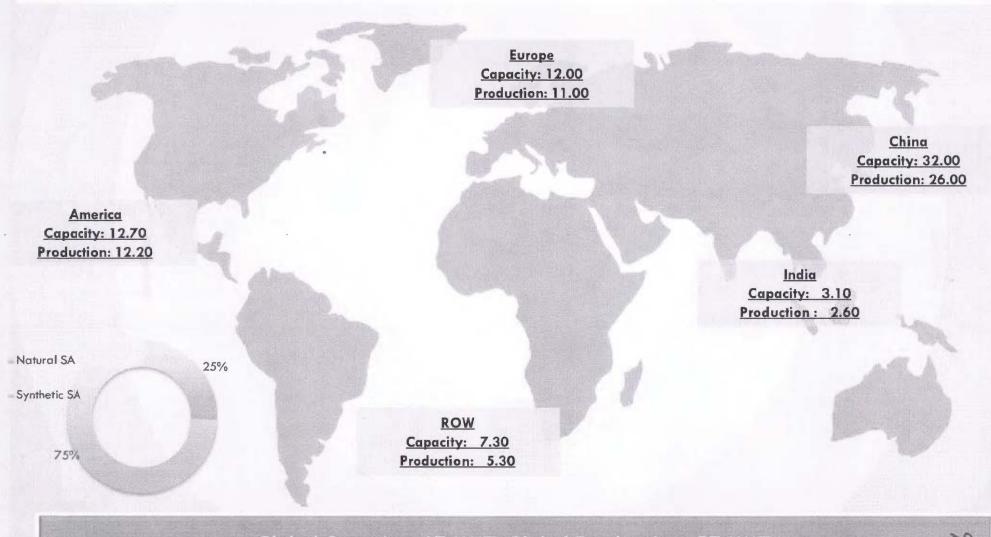
New opportunities

- Venture into new global geography for home textiles
- Improve customer mix for better margins
- Capacity optimization to 100% in home textiles





Soda ash - Global market

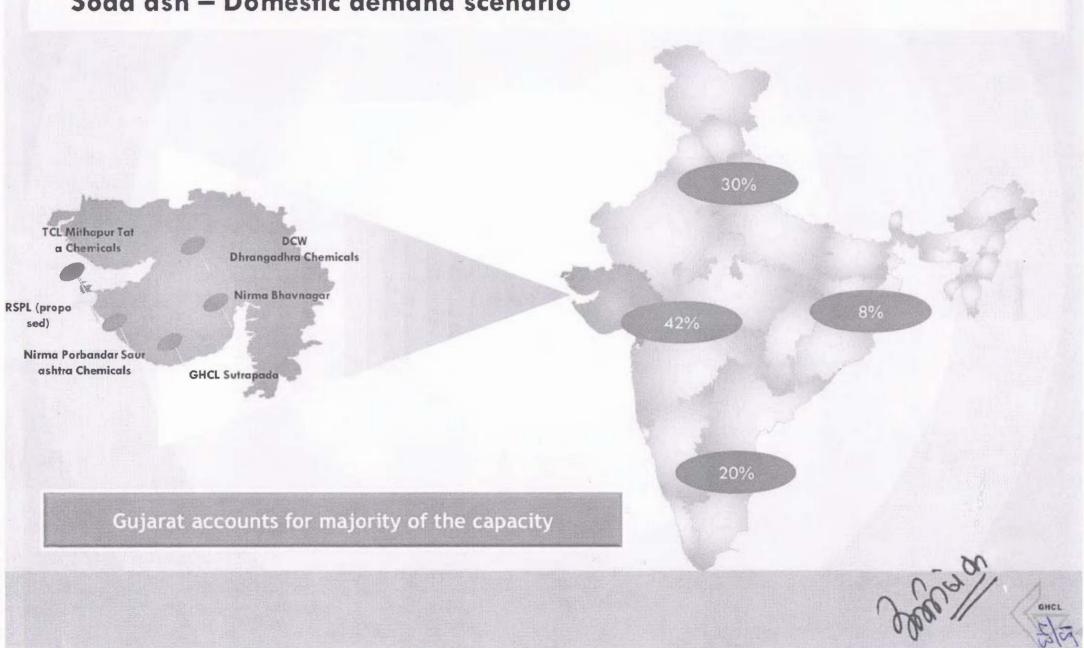


Global Capacity: 67 MMT, Global Production: 57 MMT

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Soda ash - Domestic demand scenario



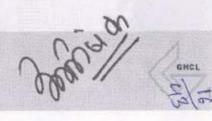
Huge growth potential in Indian soda ash industry

- Current domestic demand for soda ash is is 3.3 mn tons
 - Domestic industry caters to 2.6 mn tons of demand
 - > ~0.7 Mn tons currently met through Imports, thus great opportunity for expansion
- India offers huge growth potential with both the user industries showing robust growth
 - ▶ Glass is growing at a much higher pace due to growth in automobile segment and construction
 - ▶ Growth in glass industry will propel demand for dense soda ash
 - Detergents growth will benefit demand for light soda ash

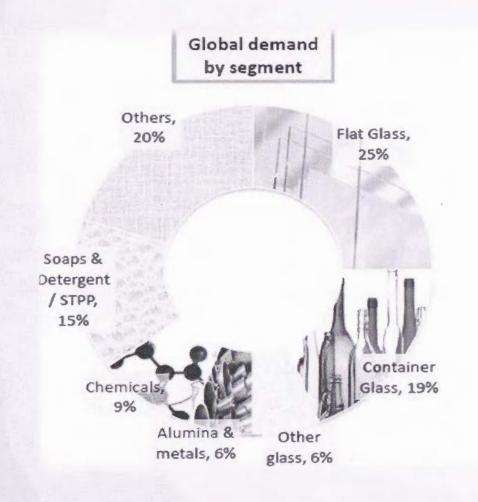
Demand supply gap projected to increase going forward, offering opportunity for expansion....

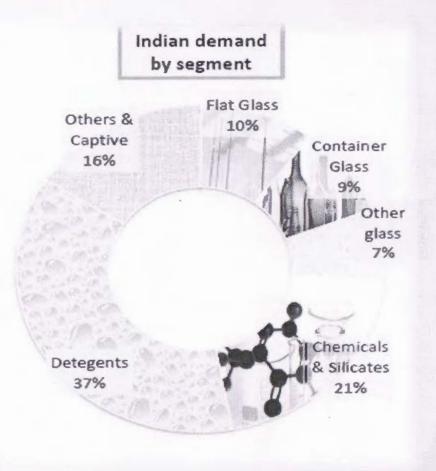
| Particulars (in mn mt) | 14-15 | 15-16 | 16-17 | 17-18 | 18-19 |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Capacities* | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 |
| Production | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.6 |
| Demand | 3.3 | | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.1 |
| Deficit | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.5 |

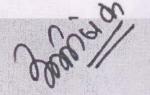
^{*} Without any further expansion



Soda ash — end segment demand

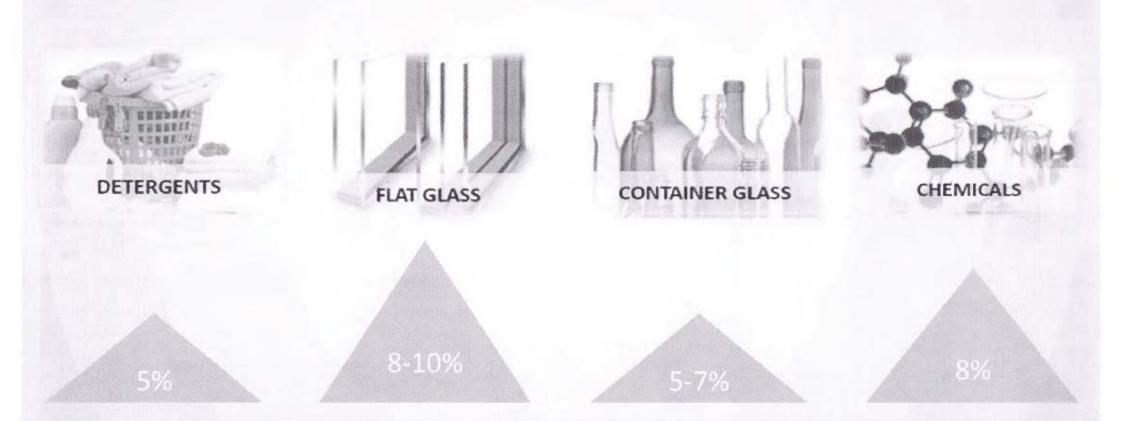




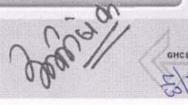




Soda ash — End segments to grow at 5-8%



Based on buoyancy in consuming segments, soda ash market is expected to grow >5% p.a.



GHCL - Presence in light and dense soda ash

- Soda Ash manufacturing experience of more than 25 years
- First in India to successfully implement AKZO dry lime technology
- ▶ Flexible manufacturing facilities provides shifting possible between dense and light soda ash

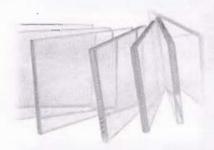
Light soda ash end use - Detergents & soaps

Dense soda ash end use - Glass



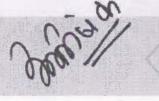




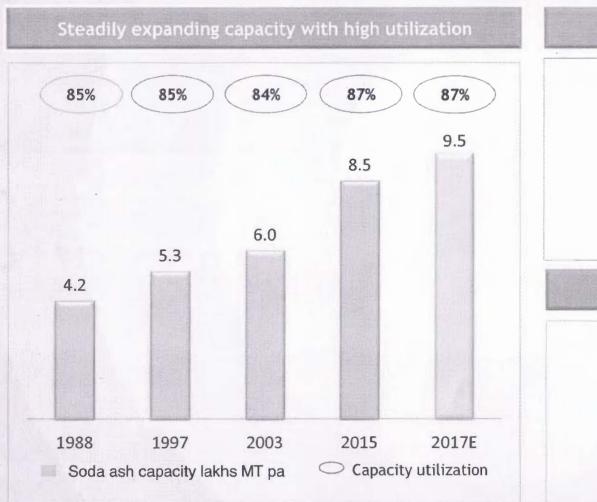


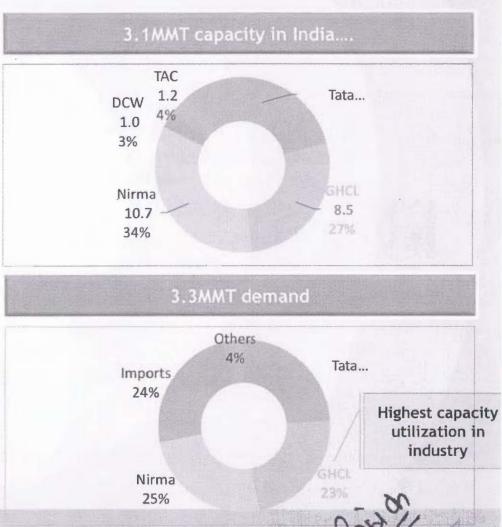
The Gujarat advantage

- ▶ 53% of India's manufacturing capacity of chemicals
- ▶ Closer to sources of raw material, business friendly, good infrastructure



Leading manufacturer of soda ash with 8.5 L MT capacity



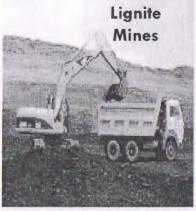


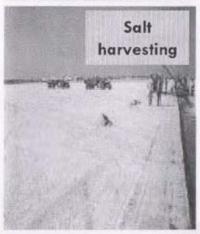
Lowest cost of production in the industry

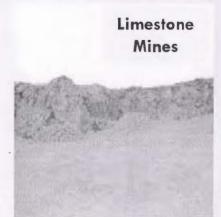
Captive control of raw material and fuel

- Captive control on fuel (largest cost component)
 - Only company having its own lignite mines
 - Ensures cost advantage in utilities
- Innovatively replaced imported met coke with in-house developed briquette coke
 - Briquette cost is lower than coke cost
- Other captive raw materials salt and limestone
 - All limestone mines located within 40 km distance from the plant

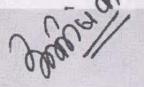
| Salt | Limestone | Briquette | Lignite |
|------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| 56% | 33% | 74% | 20% |











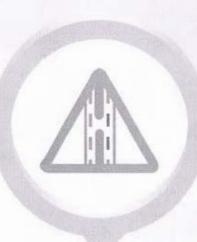


Well placed as high entry barriers in industry





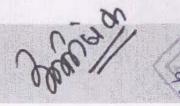




Highly capital intensive - CAPEX of Rs. 50,000 PMT

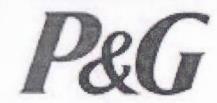
Long gestation period (4-5 Years) Soda ash a game of logistics – Input: Out Ratio > 5:1

Requires nearness to raw material availability (95% in Gujarat) Requires control
over raw materials
like salt, limestone
& fuel



Catering to reputed companies across end user segments









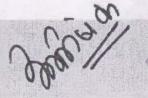




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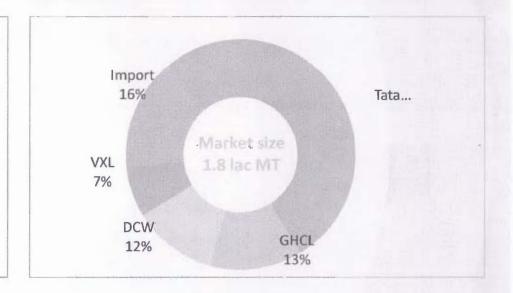




Other inorganic chemicals and related business

Sodium bicarbonate - one of the leading players with 13% market share

- Generally named as baking soda, bread soda, cooking soda and bicarbonate of soda
- ▶ It is Used in Cooking, Pharmaceuticals, Fire Extinguishers, pH balancer, and Cleaning agent
- Specialization and experience in manufacturing of around a decade
- ▶ Capacity of 25000 MTPA



Major customers

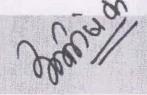














Other inorganic chemicals and related business

Trading initiative

- > Started Trading vertical in 2014 to cater to coastal demand in soda ash
- ▶ Strategic tie ups with European Soda Ash manufacturers for consistent supply chain
- ▶ Added Other Chemical Products like STPP, Sodium Bicarbonate and Glycerin
- ▶ Established Infrastructure across coastal regions of West, South and East







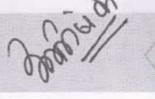
FMCG - Salt

- Premium edible Salt Manufacturer in South India
- ▶ Size: Raw Salt Capacity is 1.50 Lakh MT spread over 3500 acres in Tamil Nadu; Refined Salt Capacity is 0.75 Lakh MT near Chennai
- ▶ Brands: Sapan & i-FLO which are well accepted among Category A stores in Major Southern cities
- ▶ Only company to launch Herbal Salt
- ▶ Pioneering Initiative in securing Halal Certification.

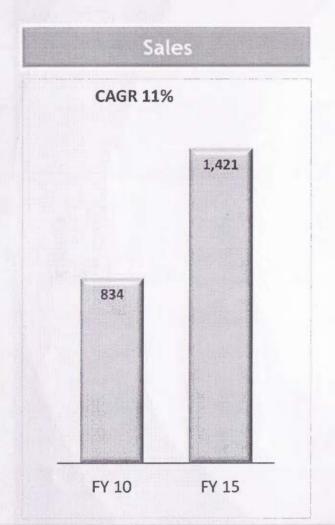


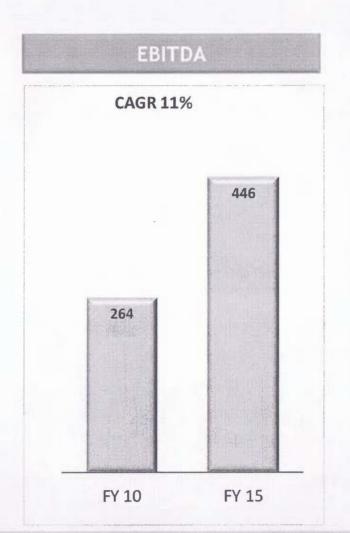


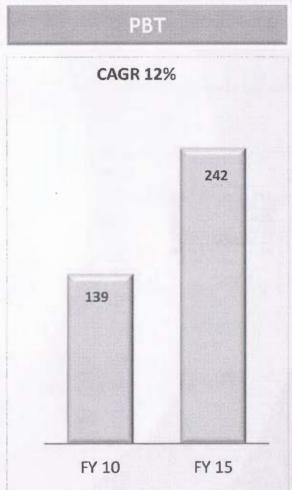


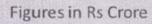


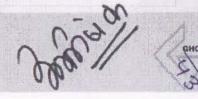
Consistently growing sales and return ratio





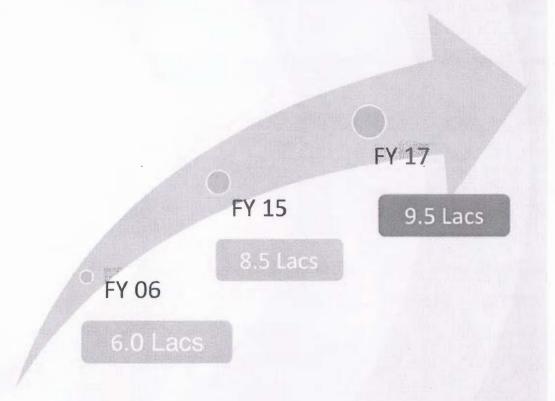


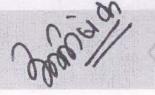




Growth strategy - Soda ash capacity expansion

- Initiated brownfield expansion at existing location
- ▶ 1 Lakh MT to be added in Phase 1 by FY 2017
- ▶ Total capital outlay estimated at Rs. 375 crore







Global home textile market – India amongst major producers

Global Market Size

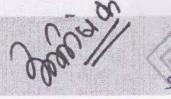
Home Textile Market is US\$ 45Bn Bed Linen & Bath constitutes US\$ 27Bn

Major producers

- India, China & Pakistan
- Accounts for 55% of world demand
- Being major cotton producer, India is le ading in cotton segment

Major consumers

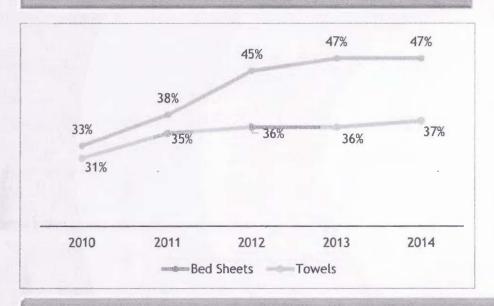
- US, Europe & Japan
- US & Europe accounts for 65% of global lidemand



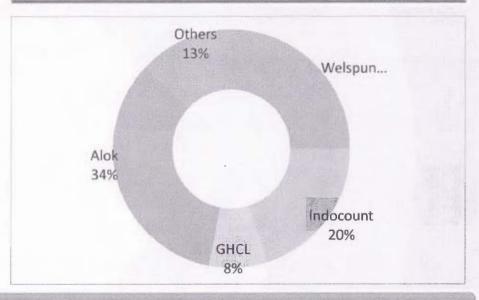


US home textile market - Increasing share of India

India's Increasing Share in US Textile Market



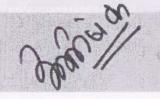
GHCL among major suppliers to US Market



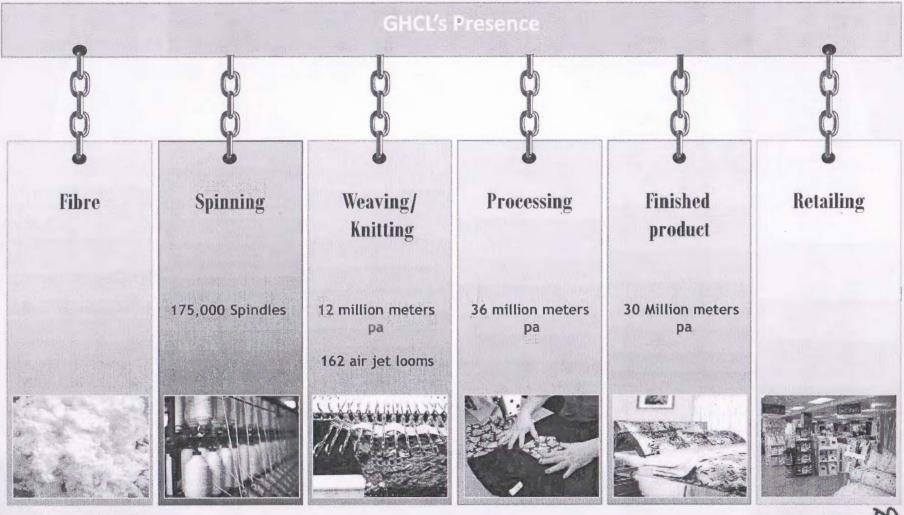
India Advantage

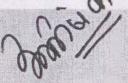
- Biggest Cotton Producer
- 2nd Largest Exporter of Cotton
- Major Yarn Exporter

- Cost Competitive
- Supportive Government Policies



GHCL - Presence across the textile value chain

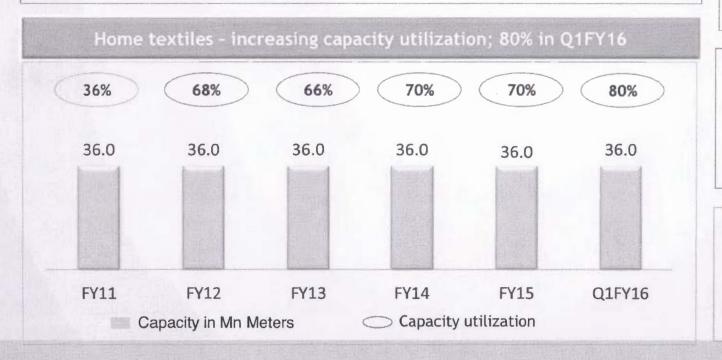






State-of-the-art home textiles facility at Vapi

- Best of plants and equipments sourced from Germany and Japan Beninger, Kuster, Monforts
- Flexibility to process both cotton and blended fabrics
- ▶ 36 mn meters of dyeing and printing capacity of wide width fabric; In-house weaving facility of 12 mn meters; Cut & Sew capability of 30 Mn meters



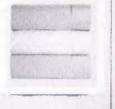
Product range

Sheeting

- Sheet
- Duvet
- Bed Skirt

Filled Articles

- Quilted Flat Sheets
- Comforter and
 Comforter Shells



Pillows

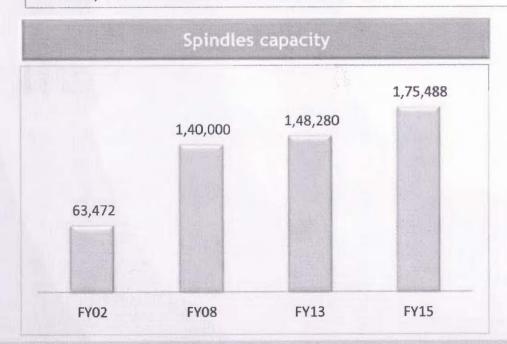
- ▶ Pillows
- ▶ Shams
- Cushions





Integrated with best in class spinning facility and captive power

- Installed one of the best yarn manufacturing facility in the country with compact spinning and valued added yarn capacity
- ▶ 50% of the capacity is for Compact Spinning
- In last 2 years, added 34,000 spindles and open end with 1000 rotors
- In FY15, installed 2 windmills of 4 MW towards green energy initiative. 40% of power requirement met through this, which will further enhance to 55%





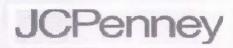
Supplying to marquee home textile customers



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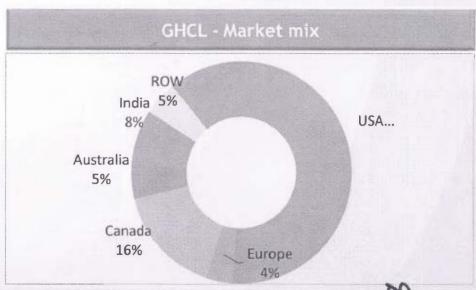


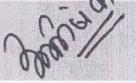
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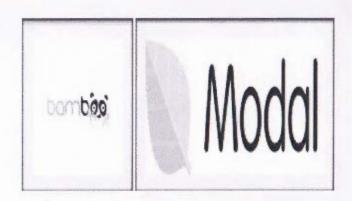




Product innovations

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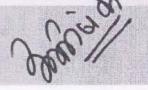
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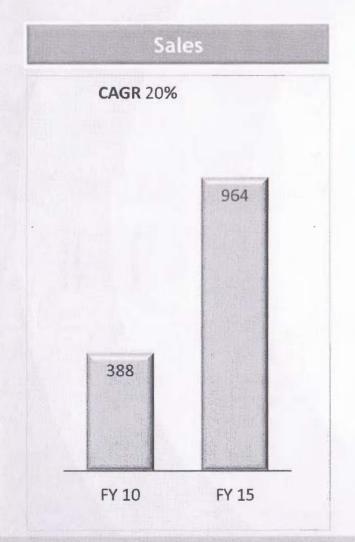


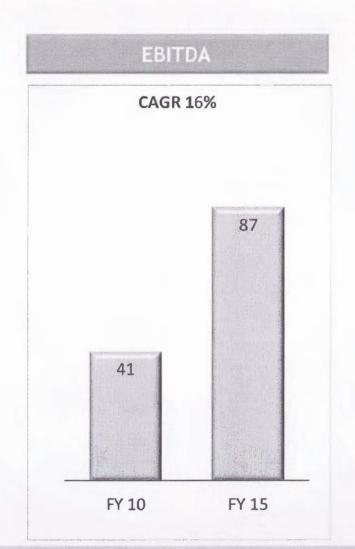
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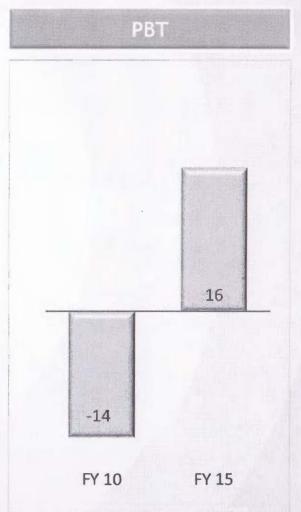




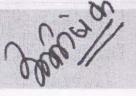
Consistently growing sales and return ratio







Figures in Rs Crore



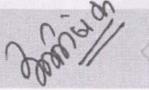
Home textiles growth strategy

Capacity expansion

- Increase in stitching capacity
- De-bottlenecking in processing capacity
- Investment in green energy
- ► Total capital outlay estimated at Rs. 150 crore

New opportunities

- Improve customer mix for better margins
- Geographical expansion
- Continuous product innovation; more value added products
- ▶ Capacity optimization to 100%





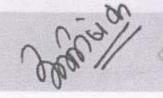


Q1FY16 highlights

| | Q1 FY 16 | | | | |
|--|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenues | 588 | 562 | 5% | 2,385 | 7% |
| Cost of Material Consumed | 206 | 215 | -4% | 953 | 5% |
| Utility Cost | 88 | 91 | -3% | 390 | 1% |
| Man Power Cost | 33 | 31 | 6% | 126 | 3% |
| Other Operating Expenses | 110 | 92 | 20% | 382 | 2% |
| EBITDA | 152 | 134 | 13% | 534 | 23% |
| EBITDA Margin | 25.8% | 23.9% | 190BP | 22.4% | 290BP |
| Depreciation | 20 | 19 | 7% | 84 | 4% |
| Interest | 43 | 41 | 4% | 164 | -4% |
| Profit Before Exceptional Items | 89 | 74 | 19% | 285 | 57% |
| Exceptional Items | 14 | 0 | | 27 | -12% |
| Profit Before Tax | 75 | 74 | 1% | 258 | 72% |
| Tax Expense | 14 | 14 | 2% | 75 | 121% |
| Net Profit | 61 | 61 | 1% | 183 | 57% |
| Net Profit Margin | 10.4% | 10.8% | -4 BP | 7.7% | 250BP |
| Earning Per Share (EPS) | 6.1 | 6.1 | 1% | 18.3 | 57% |

Improved EBITDA margins in both the segments due to focus on cost and value added products

Exceptional item on VRS settlement - going forward will improve efficiency and reduce cost



Segment results

Inorganic Chemicals

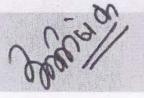
| In Rs Crore | Revenue | | | |
|-------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| Q1 FY 16 | 347 | 59.2% | 107 | 30.8% |
| Q1 FY 15 | 343 | 61.3% | 100 | 29.1% |
| % Change | 1.1% | | 7.0% | 170BP |
| FY 15 | 1,421 | 59.6% | 398 | 28.0% |
| FY 14 | 1,236 | 55.4% | 276 | 22.4% |
| % Change | 15.0% | | 44.2% | 570BP |

- Soda Ash Production 1.72 Lac MT as compared to 1.85 Lac MT of Q1 FY15. Taken Annual Shut down in this quarter. Consequently utilization is lower at 81% as against 87% in Q1FY15
- Has focused on High realization customers and cost optimization thus improving EBITDA Margins.
- Initiated Soda Ash Expansion of 1 Lac MT with an estimated cost of Rs. 375 crores

<u>Textiles</u>

| Q1 FY 16 | 240 | 40.8% | 26 | 11.0% |
|----------|-------|-------|--------|---------|
| Q1 FY 15 | 217 | 38.7% | 18 | 8.2% |
| % Change | 10.5% | | 48.8% | 283BPS |
| FY 15 | 964 | 40.4% | 62 | 6.4% |
| FY 14 | 994 | 44.6% | 83 | 8.4% |
| % Change | -3.0% | | -25.6% | -196BPS |

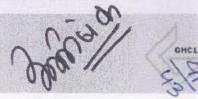
- Yarn Production 5706 MT as compared to 4842 MT of Q1 FY15 and finished cloth production 72 Lac Meter compared to 66 Lac Meter of Q1 FY 15 increasing the capacity utilization by 7%.
- Strong focus on expanding in Green Energy. 4.2 MW to be commissioned by Sept 2015 in addition to 6.3 MW commissioned in during last 4 months.
- Investing in In-house stitching capability at an estimated cost of Rs.
 21 Crore to be completed by Dec,15.





Consolidated profitability statement

| Revenues | 2,253 | 2,385 |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Cost of Material Consumed | 873 | 921 |
| Man Power Cost | 122 | 126 |
| Other Operating Expenses | 819 | 798 |
| EBITDA | 438 | 540 |
| EBITDA Margin | 19.5% | 22.6% |
| Depreciation | 82 | 85 |
| Interest | 183 | 170 |
| Profit Before Exceptional Items | 174 | 284 |
| Exceptional Items | -31 | -27 |
| Profit Before Tax | 143 | 257 |
| Tax Expense | 34 | 75 |
| Net Profit | 109 | 182 |
| Net Profit Margin | 4.8% | 7.6% |
| Earning Per Share (EPS) | 10.79 | 18.32 |



Consolidated Annual balance sheet

| | Mar-14 | |
|-------------------------------|--------|-------|
| Shareholder's Fund | 587 | 770 |
| Share capital | 100 | 100 |
| Reserves & Surplus | 487 | 670 |
| Non-current liabilities | 1,055 | 965 |
| Long term borrowings | 885 | 784 |
| Other non-current liabilities | 170 | 181 |
| Current liabilities | 1,372 | 1,116 |
| Short term borrowings | 505 | 454 |
| Other current liabilities | 867 | 662 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 3,014 | 2,851 |

| | | Mar-15 |
|--------------------------|-------|--------|
| Non-current assets | 1,912 | 1,956 |
| Fixed assets | 1882 | 1941 |
| Other Non-current assets | 30 | 15 |
| Current assets | 1,102 | 895 |
| Current Investment | 2 | . 0 |
| Inventories | 544 | 487 |
| Trade receivables | 381 | 244 |
| Cash and bank balances | 42 | 34 |
| Other current assets | 134 | 130 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 3,014 | 2,851 |

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