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Thanking you,

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# Q4 FY2021 Earnings Update



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### STRONG ALL-ROUND PERFORMANCE

- Constant currency revenue growth of 17.9% YoY in FY21 and 31.7% YoY in Q4
- Sales momentum remains strong. We added 11 new clients this quarter and 54 in FY21

### BUSINESS MOMENTUM IS STRONG

- Strong demand environment across existing and new client relationships
- Volume recovery seen in Healthcare in March

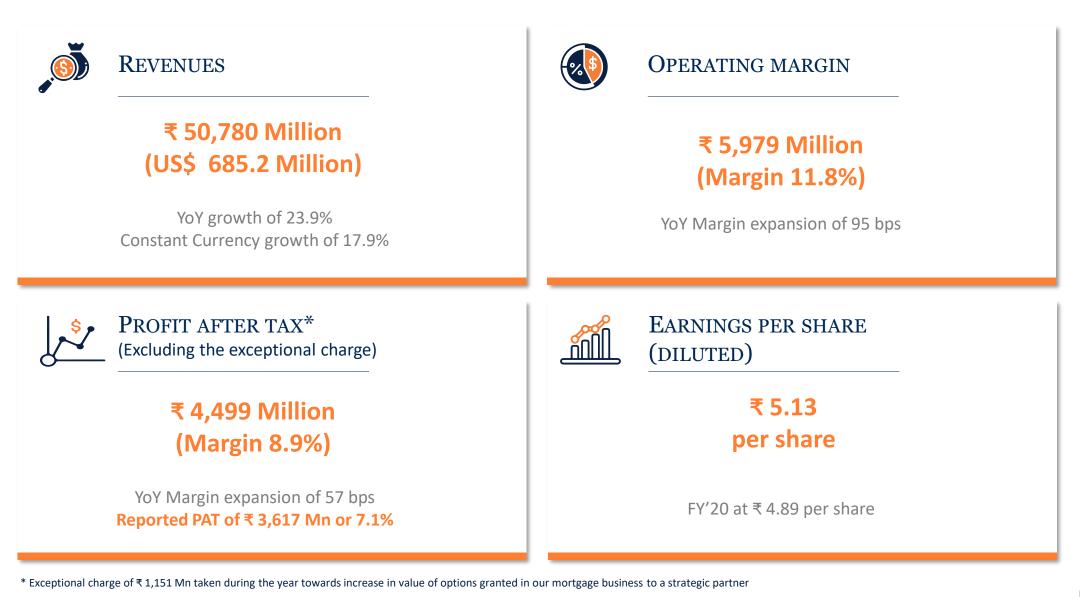
### FY2022 GROWTH ESTIMATES

- Revenue expected to grow between 15-18% in constant currency
- Operating Margin expected to be in range of 11.8-12.3%

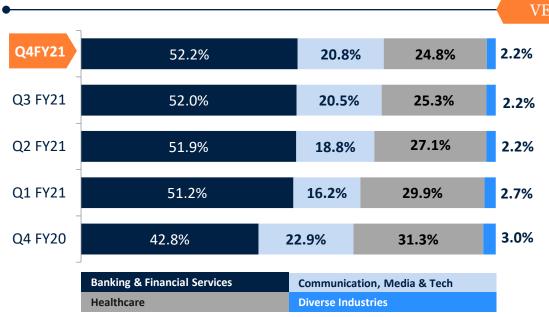
## Summary of Performance During the Quarter



## Summary of Performance For FY2021

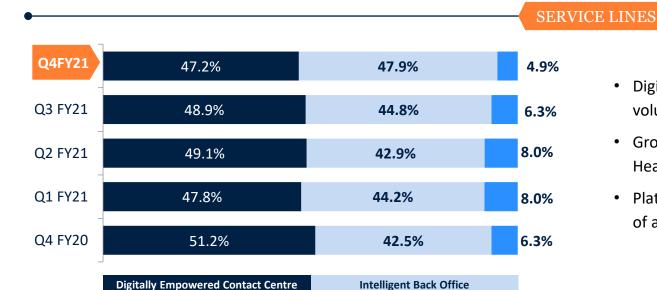


## **Revenue Splits**



### VERTICALS

- Robust growth momentum in BFS
- Top client growth and new business ramps driving growth in CMT
- · Healthcare volumes remained low, starting to pick up in March. New offerings and new wins driving growth
- Diverse Industries is flat

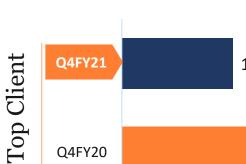


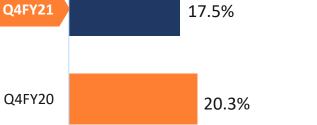
**Platforms, Automation & Analytics** 

**Digitally Empowered Contact Centre** 

- Digitally Empowered Contact Centre growth attributed to strong volume growth and new wins
- Growth in Intelligent Back-office driven by growth in Mortgage and Healthcare
- Platform based services growing steadily, decline from a completion of a short-term engagement

## **Client Concentration**







**Total Tenure** 



5 of Top 15

Mortgage servicers in

the US

1,000+ Hospitals in the US



3 of Top 6 Retail banks in the UK



5 of Top 15 Lenders in the US



1 of Top 3 Utility companies in the UK





Average Tenure



5 of Top 10 Credit card issuers in the US



6 of Top 10

Health insurance/ managed

care companies in the US

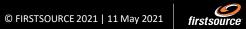
1 of Top 2 Broadcasting and media companies in the UK



2 of Top 6 Telecom and broadcasting companies in the US



# Annexure



# Financial Performance (Quarterly)

In ₹ million	Q4 FY 2019	Q1 FY 2020	Q2 FY 2020	Q3 FY 2020	Q4 FY2020	Q1 FY 2021	Q2 FY 2021	Q3 FY 2021	Q4 FY 2021
Income from services	9,642	9,669	9,715	10,446	10,673	10,537	11,783	13,510	14,496
Other operating Income	30	129	134	89	132	85	94	142	132
Revenue from operations	9,672	9,798	9,849	10,535	10,804	10,622	11,877	13,652	14,628
Revenue from operations (USD Mn)	\$ 137	\$ 141	\$ 140	\$ 148	\$ 149	\$ 141	\$ 160	\$ 185	\$ 200
QoQ Growth % - Constant Currency	0.7%	2.0%	1.1%	4.7%	0.6%	-4.3%	12.2%	14.6%	7.0%
YoY Growth % - Constant Currency	3.8%	5.2%	4.5%	8.3%	8.2%	1.6%	13.1%	23.8%	31.7%
Personnel Expense	6,344	6,611	6,722	7,053	7,350	7,128	7,985	9,503	10,057
Operating Expense	1,943	1,530	1,803	1,816	1,813	1,826	2,016	2,046	2,229
Operating EBITDA	1,384	1,657	1,325	1,666	1,641	1,668	1,876	2,103	2,342
Operating EBITDA %	14.3%	16.9%	13.4%	15.8%	15.2%	15.7%	15.8%	15.4%	16.0%
Depreciation / amortization	190	439	455	484	474	498	519	513	534
Operating Margin	1,195	1,217	870	1,182	1,168	1,170	1,358	1,590	1,809
Operating Margin %	12.4%	12.4%	8.8%	11.2%	10.8%	11.0%	11.4%	11.6%	12.4%
Other Income / (expense)	(25)	(34)	65	2	(16)	(7)	16	7	(29)
Interest Income / (expense), net	(57)	(115)	(129)	(148)	(121)	(128)	(119)	(122)	(127)
Profit Before Taxes and exceptional item	1,112	1,069	806	1,036	1,031	1,035	1,254	1,476	1,652
Profit Before Taxes and exceptional item %	11.5%	10.9%	8.2%	9.8%	9.5%	9.7%	10.6%	10.8%	11.3%
Exceptional Item	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,099)
Profit Before Taxes	1,112	1,069	806	1,036	1,031	1,035	1,254	1,476	553
Profit Before Taxes %	11.5%	10.9%	8.2%	9.8%	9.5%	9.7%	10.6%	10.8%	3.8%
Taxes and Minority Interest	130	157	132	140	115	148	201	265	87
Profit After Tax	982	912	674	895	916	887	1,053	1,210	467*
Profit After Tax %	10.2%	9.3%	6.8%	8.5%	8.5%	8.3%	8.9%	8.9%	3.2%
Diluted EPS (₹ /Share)	1.42	1.32	0.97	1.29	1.31	1.27	1.50	1.72	0.66

\* For Q4 FY21, PAT excluding the exceptional charge is INR 1,309 Mn or 8.9%

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# Financial Performance (Yearly)

In ₹ million	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY2021
Income from services	31,617	34,569	34,315	37,867	40,502	50,327
Other operating Income	556	987	1,038	396	484	453
Revenue from operations	32,173	35,556	35,352	38,263	40,986	50,780
Revenue from operations (USD Mn)	\$ 491	\$ 530	\$ 548	\$ 548	\$ 578	\$ 685
YoY Growth % - Constant Currency	2.0%	12.9%	2.8%	2.0%	6.6%	17.9%
Personnel Expense	21,727	23,834	23,955	25,573	27,735	34,672
Operating Expense	6,545	7,342	6,809	7,336	6,962	8,065
Operating EBITDA	3,901	4,380	4,589	5,355	6,289	8,042
Operating EBITDA %	12.1%	12.3%	13.0%	14.0%	15.3%	15.8%
Depreciation / amortization	609	590	659	744	1,852	2064
Operating Margin	3,292	3,790	3,930	4,610	4,437	5,979
Operating Margin %	10.2%	10.7%	11.1%	12.0%	10.8%	11.8%
Other Income / (expense)	77	(21)	(11)	(26)	17	(13)
Interest Income / (expense), net	(507)	(400)	(338)	(225)	(512)	(496)
Profit Before Taxes and exceptional item	2,862	3,369	3,580	4,359	3,942	5,469
Profit Before Taxes and exceptional item %	8.9%	9.5%	10.1%	11.4%	9.6%	10.8%
Exceptional Item	-	-	-	-	-	(1,151)
Profit Before Taxes	2,862	3,369	3,580	4,359	3,942	4,318
Profit Before Taxes %	8.9%	9.5%	10.1%	11.4%	9.6%	8.5%
Taxes and Minority Interest	257	569	315	581	545	702
Profit After Tax	2,605	2,800	3,265	3,778	3,397	3,617*
Profit After Tax %	8.1%	7.9%	9.2%	9.9%	8.3%	7.1%
Diluted EPS (₹ /Share)	3.72	4.08	4.73	5.45	4.89	5.13

\* For FY2021, PAT excluding the exceptional charge is INR 4,499 Mn or 8.9%



## Balance Sheet and Cash Flow Statement

In ₹ million	As at 31-Mar-21	As at 31-Mar-20		
Equity And Liabilities				
Share Capital	6,961	6,938		
Reserves & Surplus	21,032	20,716		
Non - Controlling Interest	5	6		
Borrowings	6,045	8,433		
Other Non - Current Liabilities	5,438	4,874		
Current liabilities	8,816	4,903		
Total	48,297	45,871		
Goodwill on Consolidation	21,948	22,324		
Fixed Assets	8,028	6,385		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,373	1,907		
Current Investments	826	0		
Trade Receivables (Billed + Unbilled)	8,431	7,540		
Non - Current Assets	6,008	6,119		
Current Assets	1,683	1,596		
Total	48,297	45,871		

In ₹ million	Quarter ended 31-Mar-21	Full Year ended 31-Mar-21		
Cash Flow from Operating Activities				
Operating Margin	1,809	5,979		
Adj: Non Cash and Other Income / (Expense)	(288)	1,580		
Operating Cash before Working Capital	1,521	7,558		
Add: Net advance received from customers	0	835		
Add: Working Capital Changes	199	2,061		
Less: Income Taxes Paid	(213)	(698)		
Net Cash generated from Operating Activities	1,506	<i>9,</i> 756		
Cash Flow from Investing Activities				
Capital Expenditure	(598)	(1,696)		
(Investments)/ Proceeds from Current Investments	13	(793)		
Acquisition of Patient Matters LLC	(0)	(950)		
Earmarked Balances with Banks (Escrow)	(43)	(57)		
Net Cash used in Investing Activities	(628)	(3,496)		
Cash Flow from Financing Activities				
Net Increase / (Decrease) in Borrowings	707	(2,672)		
Net Interest Paid (as per Ind AS 116)	(133)	(514)		
Payment of Lease Liabilities	(265)	(1,092)		
Increase in Shareholder's Funds	25	82		
Purchase of treasury shares (Employee Stock Option Trust)	(54)	(653)		
Dividend Paid	(2,038)	(2,038)		
Net Cash used in Financing Activities	(1,758)	(6,887)		
Net Increase / (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(880)	(627)		
Opening Cash and Cash Equivalents	2,189	1,907		
Earmarked Balances with Banks	43	57		
Foreign Exchange (Gain) on Translating Cash and Cash Equivalents	22	36		
Closing Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,373	1,373		
Cash and Cash Equivalents Including Current Investments	2,199	2,199		

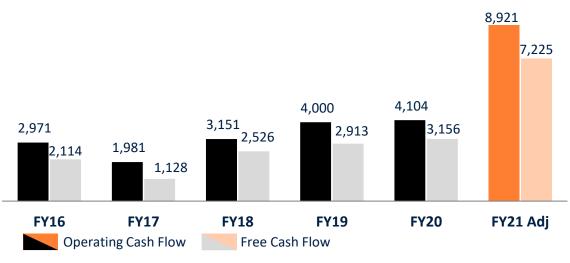
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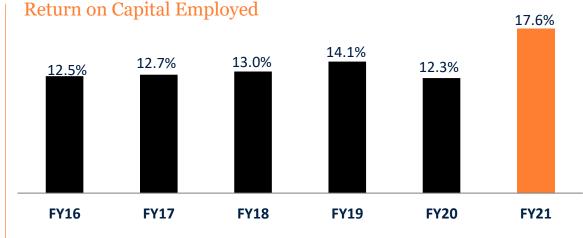
## **Key Performance Indicators**

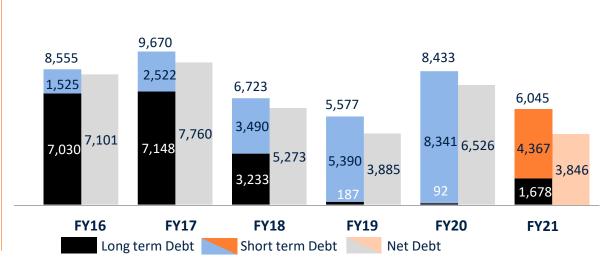
Return on Equity











Note: FY21 OCF and FCF adjusted for advance received from customers

### **Debt Position**

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# **Operating Metrices**

	Particulars	Q4 FY 2019	Q1 FY 2020	Q2 FY 2020	Q3 FY 2020	Q4 FY2020	Q1 FY 2021	Q2 FY 2021	Q3 FY 2021	Q4 FY 2021
	Banking & Financial Services	36.1%	35.6%	40.4%	42.9%	42.8%	51.2%	51.9%	52.0%	52.2%
Revenue by	Communications Media & Tech	27.5%	27.2%	22.0%	21.9%	22.9%	16.2%	18.8%	20.5%	20.8%
Vertical	Healthcare	33.2%	33.5%	34.5%	32.4%	31.3%	29.9%	27.1%	25.3%	24.8%
	Diverse Industries	3.2%	3.7%	3.1%	2.8%	3.0%	2.7%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%
	Digitally Empowered Contact Centre		55.2%	51.6%	49.8%	51.2%	47.8%	49.1%	48.9%	47.2%
Revenue by Service Lines	Intelligent Back Office		39.6%	42.8%	45.0%	42.5%	44.2%	42.9%	44.8%	47.9%
	Platforms, Automation & Analytics		5.2%	5.6%	5.2%	6.3%	8.0%	8.0%	6.3%	4.9%
	US	55.3%	57.0%	61.6%	63.3%	63.2%	69.1%	68.1%	67.1%	67.4%
Revenue by Geography	UK	43.6%	41.6%	36.9%	35.3%	35.3%	29.7%	30.6%	31.5%	31.5%
	Rest of World	1.1%	1.4%	1.5%	1.4%	1.5%	1.2%	1.3%	1.4%	1.1%
Revenue by	Offshore	18.5%	22.5%	22.8%	25.2%	25.6%	24.8%	27.0%	29.8%	30.6%
Delivery	Onshore	81.5%	77.5%	77.2%	74.8%	74.4%	75.2%	73.0%	70.2%	69.4%
Top Clients	Top client %	24.6%	24.9%	19.8%	19.5%	20.3%	13.7%	16.2%	17.5%	17.5%
Revenue	Top 5 client %	42.3%	41.2%	39.5%	42.1%	42.2%	39.9%	40.4%	41.4%	42.3%
	Total employees (end of period)	18,712	18,550	20,001	20,482	21,203	21,831	23,960	26,618	28,004
	• Employees in India	8,968	9,305	10,493	10,982	11,450	11,684	13,536	15,381	16,289
	Employees outside India	9,744	9,245	9,508	9,500	9,753	10,147	10,424	11,237	11,715
Other Metrices	Net Addition	117	(162)	1,451	481	721	628	2,129	2,658	1,386
	Offshore Attrition*	41.5%	45.3%	40.0%	36.0%	33.5%	15.1%	26.3%	28.8%	28.6%
	Onshore Attrition*	42.9%	46.8%	54.6%	45.8%	41.9%	30.2%	47.3%	34.6%	40.0%

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# Q4FY2021 EARNINGS UPDATE

## Forex Hedges

## Outstanding FX hedges at \$89.6 million for USD and £63.8 million for GBP

	GBP	-INR	USD INR			
Period	Hedged	Average Rate	Hedged	Average Rate		
0-12 Months	£ 34.0	Rs 105.2 /£	\$ 89.6	Rs 76.7 /\$		
13-24 Months	£ 29.8	Rs 115.2 /£				

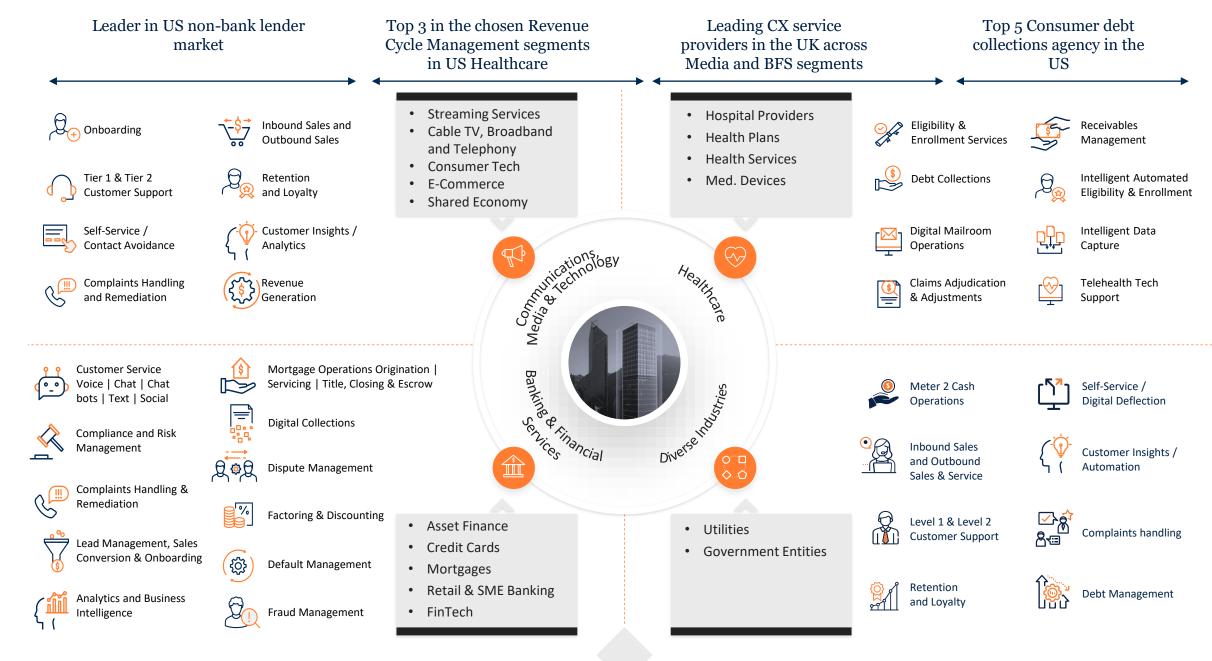
# Prior Period Reports

### (Hyperlinks)

ANNUAL REPORT	PUBLISHED RESULTS			INVESTOR PRESENTATIONS				NS	PRESS RELEASE						
<u>FY2020</u>	FY2021	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2021	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2021	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>
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<u>FY2018</u>	FY2018	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2018	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2018	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>

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FY2020	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2020	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2020	01	02	02	04
FY2019	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	FY2019	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>	F12020	<u>Q1</u>	<u>Q2</u>	<u>Q3</u>	<u>Q4</u>
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Strong Domain Driven Operating Model

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Revenues of INR 51.0 Billion

(approximately \$685 Million) in FY2021

### O 28,004 Firstsourcers

across US, UK, India and Philippines

• Leaders in chosen segments

across Banking & Financial Services, Healthcare, Communications, Media & Technology



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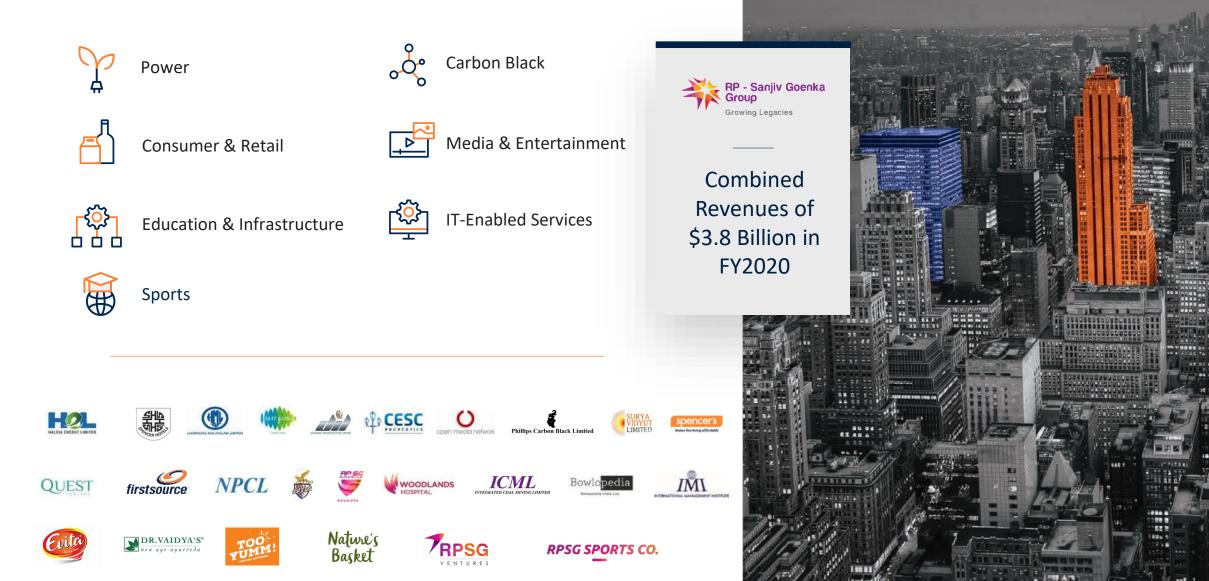
• 100+ global clients including

17 Fortune 500 companies and 9 FTSE 100 companies

• Publicly Traded on Indian Stock Exchanges

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#### International Customer Experience Awards

**2020:** Firstsource, jointly with a client, won Silver Award for Best Customer Experience Strategy



Contact Centre Network Northern Ireland Awards

**2020:** Best Homeworking Programme for Derry Center

**2019:** Outsourced Contact Centre of the Year award with our client

**2018:** Won in the Support Team of the Year category



Welsh Contact Centre Awards

**2020:** Contact Centre Manager of the Year

**2019:** Gold for People Engagement

**2018:** Gold for Outsourced Contact Centre of the Year and People Engagement



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MD and **Chief Executive Officer** 



**Dinesh Jain** 

Finance



**Prashant Nandella** Operations

**Randall Shafer** 

Healthcare Provider



**Steven Schachter** 



Shuchika Sahay

Human Resources



Venkatgiri Vandali

Health Plans &

Healthcare Services

Sundara Sukavanam **Digital Services** 



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### Rajlakshmi Raghavan





Arjun Mitra Collections

Mortgage







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