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Sub : Investor Presentation on Financial Results

With reference to our letter no. STOCK. EXG/ AG/ 2023-24 dated 19th October, 2023 and pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 please find enclosed a copy of the investor presentation on financial results of the Company for quarter and six months ended on 30th September 2023 to be made during the day.

The aforesaid presentation will also be uploaded on the website of the Company i.e https://www.bergerpaints.com/investors/bpil-earnings.html.

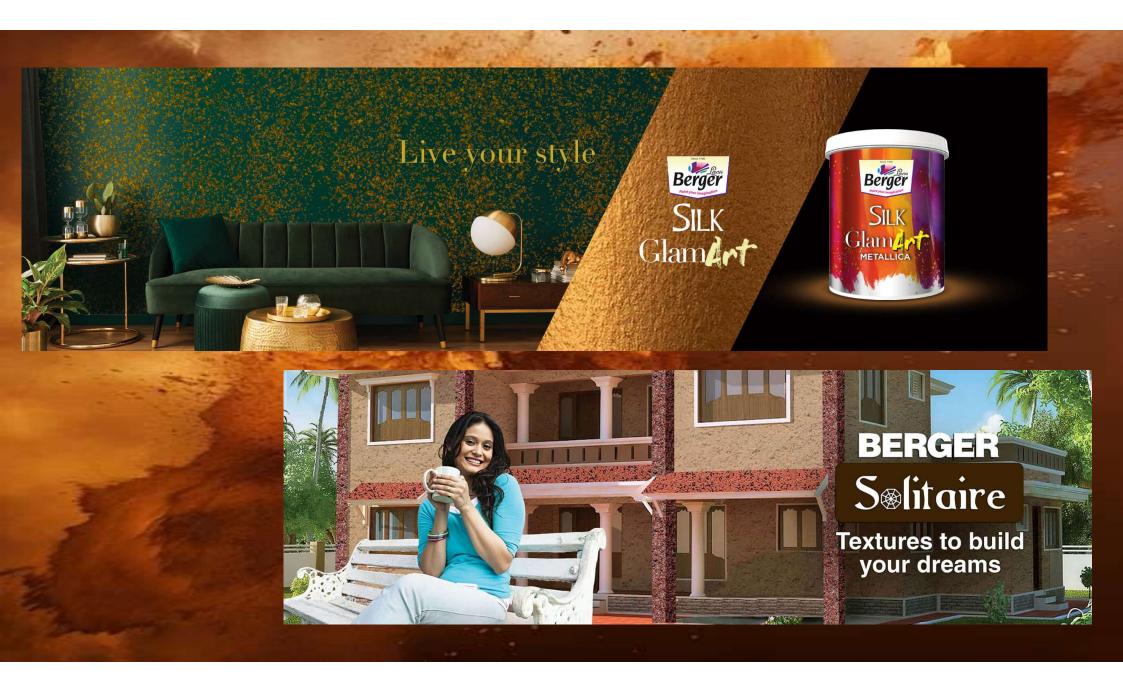
Yours faithfully, For FERGER PAINTS INDIA LIMITED

ARUNITO GANGULY VICE PRESIDENT & COMPANY SECRETARY

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Berger Paints India Limited Earnings Update Call, Q2 FY24 November 2, 2023





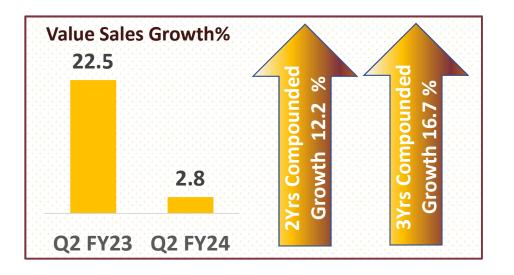
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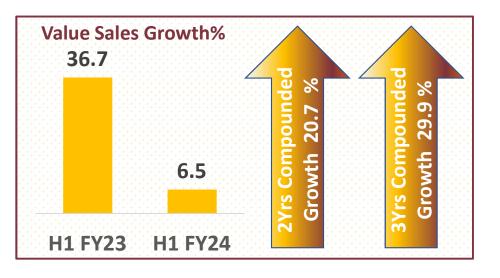
Interior Emulsion with Soft Sheen



Q2 FY24 Performance

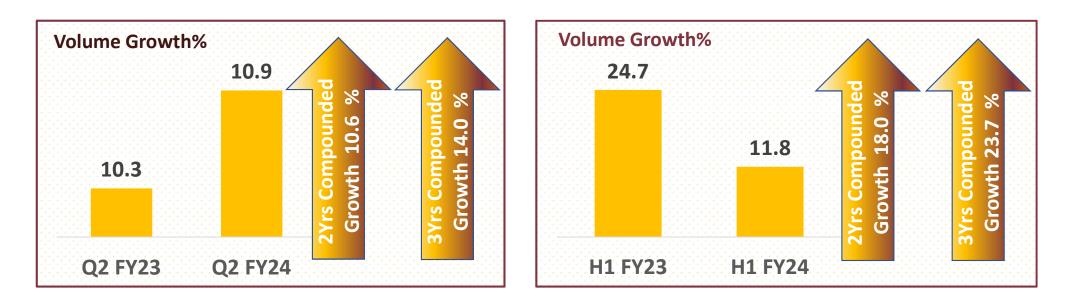
Business Highlights Q2 FY24 - Standalone





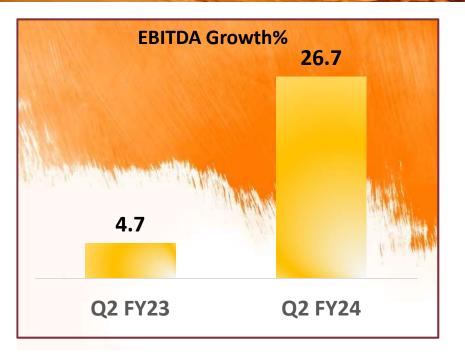
- Moderate top line growth was registered for the quarter
- However, strong growth was recorded over 2/3 years on a compounded basis
- Operating profit showed strong growth at 26.7% for the quarter
- India operation recorded improved growth with market share above 20% at end H1FY24 as compared to 19.3% as at end FY23

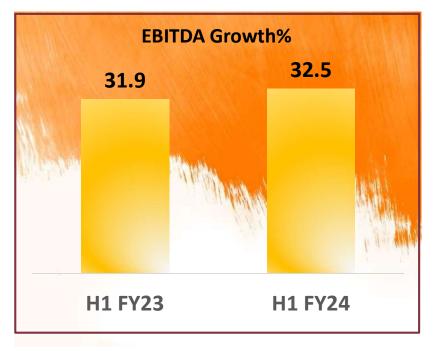
Business Highlights Q2 FY24 - Standalone



- Maintained double digit volume growth for the quarter
- However, value growth was lower mainly because:
 - The extended monsoon resulted in low offtake of exterior and interior premium emulsions
 - $\circ~$ Economy segment products showed greater traction

Business Highlights Q2 FY24 - Standalone





- Strong profitability growth recorded on the back of elevated Gross Margin of 40%
- Operating margin expansion of 310 bps
- Margin expansion somewhat moderated on a conscious call to increase advertisement spends specially in the digital segment

Financial Results – Standalone Q2 FY24



% to Total % to Total **O2 FY24 Q2 FY23 Growth %** Income Income 2.8 2439.8 Total income from operations 2373.8 1462.8 60.0 1554.6 65.5 **Material Cost** 6.0 120.5 5.1 **Employee Cost** 145.3 428.6 Other expenses 17.6 380.4 16.0 26.7 13.4 403.1 16.5 318.3 PBDIT (Excluding Other Income) 74.7 3.1 55.0 2.3 Depreciation Profit from operation before interest 328.4 13.5 263.3 11.1 15.9 0.7 14.2 0.6 Other Income 344.3 14.1 277.5 11.7 PBIT Finance Cost 17.2 0.7 20.8 0.9 27.4 327.1 13.4 256.7 10.8 PBT 83.2 3.4 66.0 2.8 Taxes 27.9 PAT 243.9 10.0 190.7 8.0 Other comprehensive income, net of income tax (0.2)(0.0)(2.9)(0.1)Total comprehensive income for the period 243.7 187.8

Financial Results – Standalone H1 FY24



% to Total % to Total H1 FY24 Income H1 FY23 Income **Growth %** 6.5 5179.6 4862.4 Total income from operations 3124.1 60.3 3164.9 65.1 Material Cost 271.5 5.2 231.2 4.8 **Employee Cost** 867.0 16.7 774.3 15.9 Other expenses 32.5 917.0 17.7 692.0 14.2 PBDIT (Excluding Other Income) 144.6 2.8 110.6 2.3 Depreciation 772.4 Profit from operation before interest 14.9 581.4 12.0 27.6 0.5 Other Income 0.5 24.8 800.0 15.4 606.3 12.5 PBIT 33.9 0.7 34.8 0.7 Finance Cost 34.0 766.1 14.8 571.5 11.8 PBT 195.9 3.8 146.4 3.0 Taxes 34.1 570.2 8.7 11.0 425.1 PAT Other comprehensive income, net of income tax (0.4)(0.0)(0.1)(0.0)425.0 569.8 Total comprehensive income for the period







Decorative Business Q2 FY24

Decorative business growth even though muted, was better than Industry average

Lower growth was on account of

- Extended and sporadic monsoon
- Extended festive season leading to some postponement in demand
- Some impact of a high base effect

Decorative business growth improved as the quarter progressed

Construction chemical & waterproofing business had another quarter of stellar performance

Aggressive Network expansion-Added 2000+ retail touchpoints in Q2FY24 Installed 1700+ Colorbank machines

Recent Initiatives





Company recently introduced an AI driven application, "Berger MY COLOUR" App.

- Tailored to assist in discovering the ideal color palette for homes and projects on real time visualization
- Offers more than 2500 shades to choose from
- Recommends colour combinations

Company working with Salesforce for increased efficiency in lead generation and better Customer Management





- Express Painting service has seen encouraging growth
- Extending its services in upcountry markets
- Expected to deliver positive results in immediate future

Top Performing Innovative Products





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Kick-off to the festive season



Utshob er egaro bochhor

Berger Priyo Pujo : A spirited celebration of creativity and tradition during Durga Pujo with its 11th edition

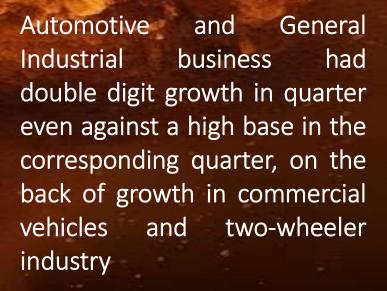


Industrial Business : Q2FY24



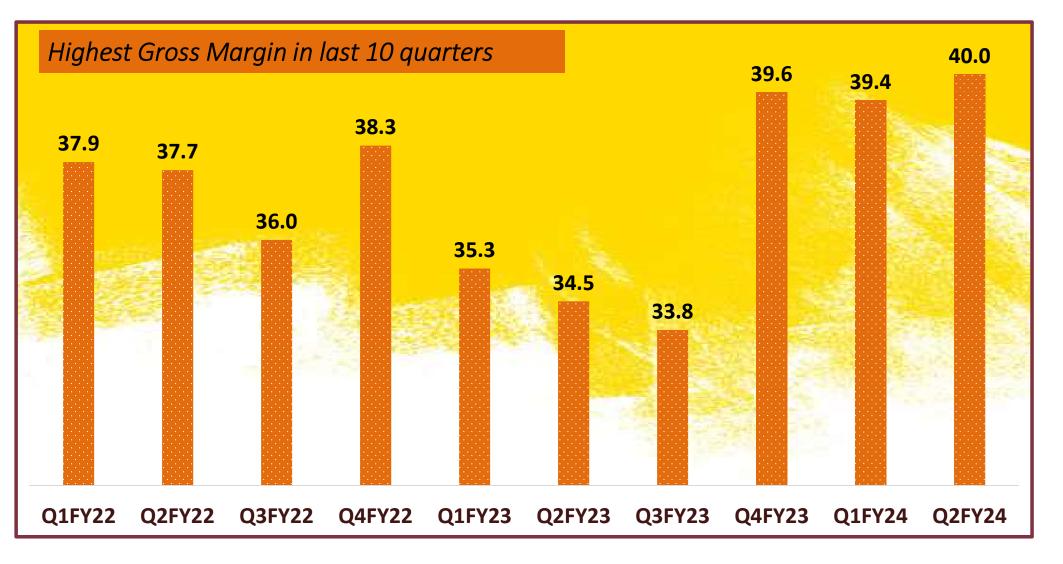


Protective Coatings maintained its steady consistent growth in the quarter



Powder Coatings business line showed a turnaround with robust double digit topline growth aided by some uptick in the fan industry and new customer acquisition

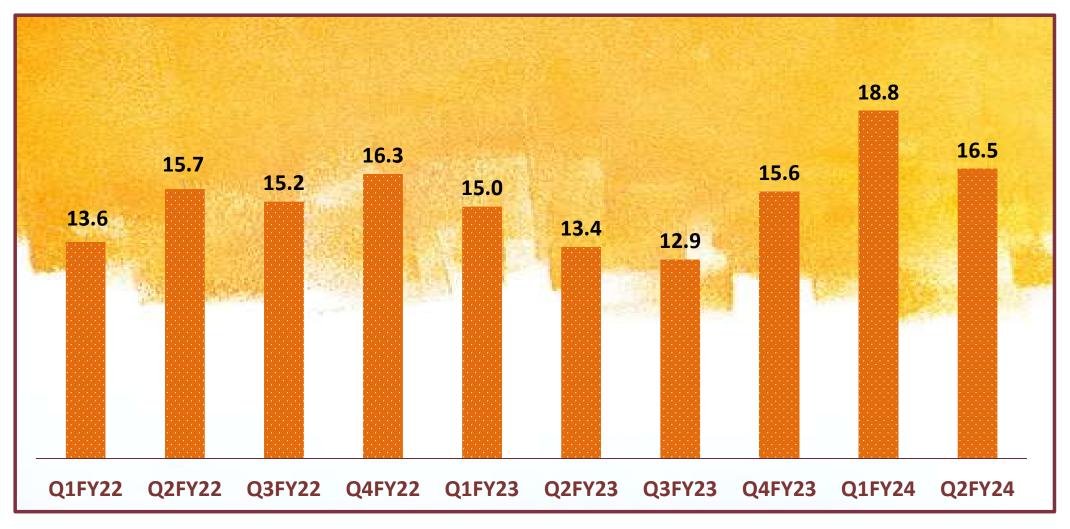
Gross Margin (%) - Standalone





PBDIT (%) - Standalone

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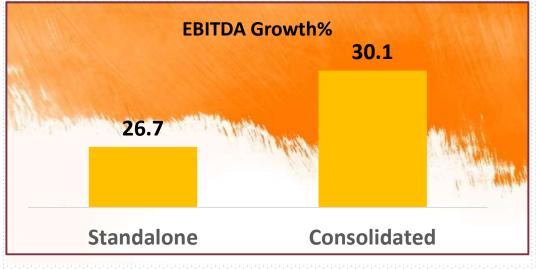


Operating Profit Margin expected to be maintained at the current level for FY24

Performance - Consolidated: Q2 FY24







Consolidated performance outperformed Standalone on the back of strong double digit topline growth and even stronger profitability growth for all subsidiaries except BJN Nepal

Financial Results- Consolidated Q2FY24



Rs Crores

	% to Total			% to Total	
	Q2FY24	Income	Q2FY23	Income	Growth %
Total income from operations	2767.3		2670.9		3.6
Material Cost	1629.4	58.9	1728.1	64.7	
Employee Cost	190.2	6.9	160.4	6.0	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Other expenses	474.0	17.1	418.5	15.7	
PBDIT (Excluding Other Income)	473.7	17.1	364.0	13.6	30.1
Depreciation	82.9	3.0	62.5	2.3	
Profit from operation before interest	390.8	14.1	301.5	11.3	
Other Income	15.3	0.6	12.6	0.5	
PBIT	406.1	14.7	314.1	11.8	
Finance Cost	21.1	0.8	24.1	0.9	
PBT before share of joint ventures	385.0	13.9	289.9	10.9	32.8
Share of Profit / (loss) of associates and joint ventures	3.8	0.1	3.1	0.1	
PBT	388.8	14.1	293.0	11.0	32.7
Taxes	96.7	3.5	73.5	2.8	
PAT	292.1	10.6	219.5	8.2	33.1
Other comprehensive income, net of income tax	14.5		(9.6)		
Total comprehensive income for the period	306.6		209.9		

Financial Results- Consolidated H1FY24



Rs Crores

	% to Total			% to Total		
	H1FY24	Income	H1FY23	Income	Growth %	
Total income from operations	5796.8		5430.6		6.7	
Material Cost	3452.5	59.6	3501.2	64.5		
Employee Cost	357.1	6.2	306.4	5.6		
Other expenses	956.8	16.5	854.2	15.7		
PBDIT (Excluding Other Income)	1030.4	17.8	768.8	14.2	34.0	
Depreciation	161.1	2.8	125.3	2.3		
Profit from operation before interest	869.3	15.0	643.5	11.8		
Other Income	28.9	0.5	25.6	0.5		
РВІТ	898.2	15.5	669.1	12.3		
Finance Cost	40.8	0.7	40.4	0.7		
PBT before share of joint ventures	857.4	14.8	628.8	11.6	36.4	
Share of Profit / (loss) of associates and joint ventures	7.6	0.1	6.5	0.1		
PBT	865.0	14.9	635.3	11.7	36.2	
Taxes	218.0	3.8	162.1	3.0		
PAT	647.0	11.2	473.2	8.7	36.7	
Other comprehensive income, net of income tax	10.1		(0.3)			
Total comprehensive income for the period	657.2		473.0			



- Company's overseas subsidiary, Bolix S.A, Poland had another quarter of strong topline and profitability growth driven by good performance in the U.K. business. Company expected to show good growth in Q3FY24
- Company's overseas subsidiary, BJN Nepal had another quarter of degrowth in topline as the slowdown in construction sector continued in an inflationary environment. However, it recorded modest profitability growth aided by gross margin expansion on the back of improved RM prices. Growth likely to remain marginally negative in Q3FY24
- Company's subsidiary, STP Ltd showed healthy double digit topline growth. It also recorded very strong profitability growth and operating margin expansion aided by improvement in gross margin on softening of raw material prices and substantial improvement in product mix. We expect double digit value growth to continue in Q3 FY24
- SBL Specialty Coatings Ltd had a strong double digit topline growth and a robust profitability growth aided by higher product price realization and softening RM prices. We expect double digit value growth to continue in Q3FY24
- The joint venture Berger Becker Coatings experienced a decline in both its revenue and profitability, primarily attributable to capacity limitations resulting from a fire incident at one of its manufacturing facilities in the fourth quarter of FY23
- Company's Joint venture Berger Nippon Paint Automotive Coatings Pvt. Ltd. had another quarter of robust topline and profitability growth aided by uptick in Passenger car and SUV sector. Expect strong growth to continue in Q3FY24



Capacity Expansion

Work at new plant in Panagarh, West Bengal for industrial paints and construction chemical should begin soon with capacity of 3500 KL/MT per month. Expected completion by end 2025

- Further greenfield facility to come up near Bhubaneshwar in the state of Odisha for manufacturing of both decorative and industrial paints. Expected completion by end 2027
- Some brownfield expansion in existing facilities in Vallabh Vidya Nagar, Hindupur and Rishra to be completed in FY25



- Company expects improvement in decorative demand in Q3 on the back of extended festive season and improvement in rural demand aided by a normal monsoon
- Automotive business expected to continue with double digit growth in Q3FY24 on the back of sustained demand
- Protective Coating business to do well on account of high government spending on infrastructure
- General Industrial and Powder Coatings business to show strong double-digit growth in Q3FY24
- We maintain double-digit growth outlook for Q3FY24
- Profitability expected to sustain in Q3FY24 on moderation of raw material prices. However, impact of geo-political situation on commodity prices can be a concern



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