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Dear Sirs,

Participation at ESG Conference

We write to advise, pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, that the Company's representatives virtually attended the ESG Conference organised by CLSA India Private Limited on 2nd December, 2022, and made a presentation at the said Conference.

A copy of the presentation made is enclosed.

Yours faithfully, ITC Limited

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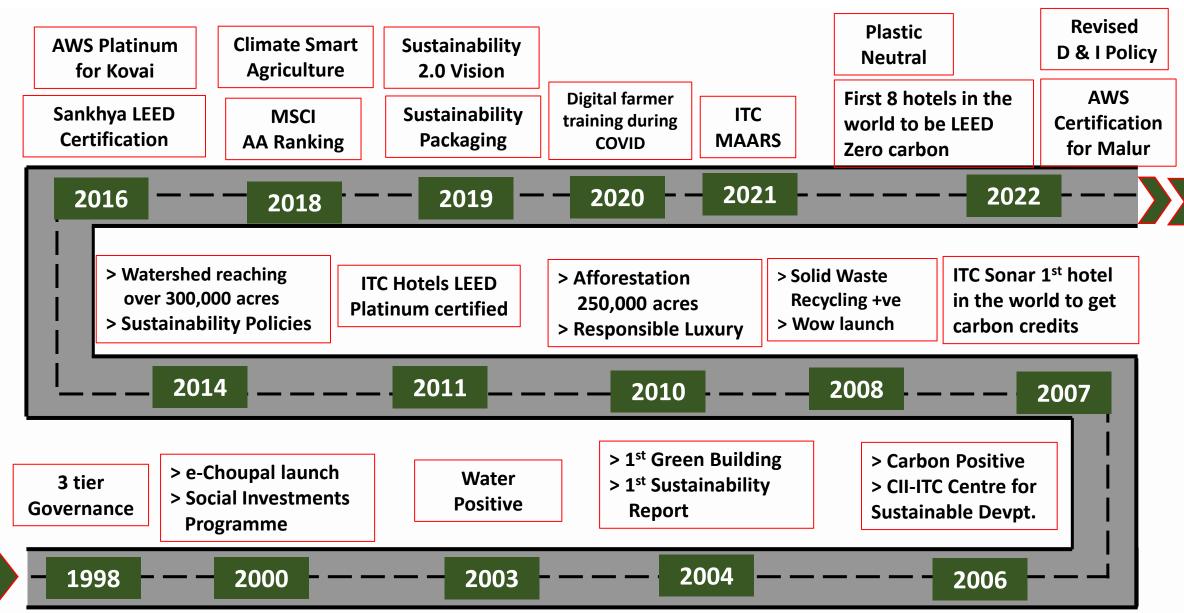
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Sustainability Embedded in Corporate Strategy





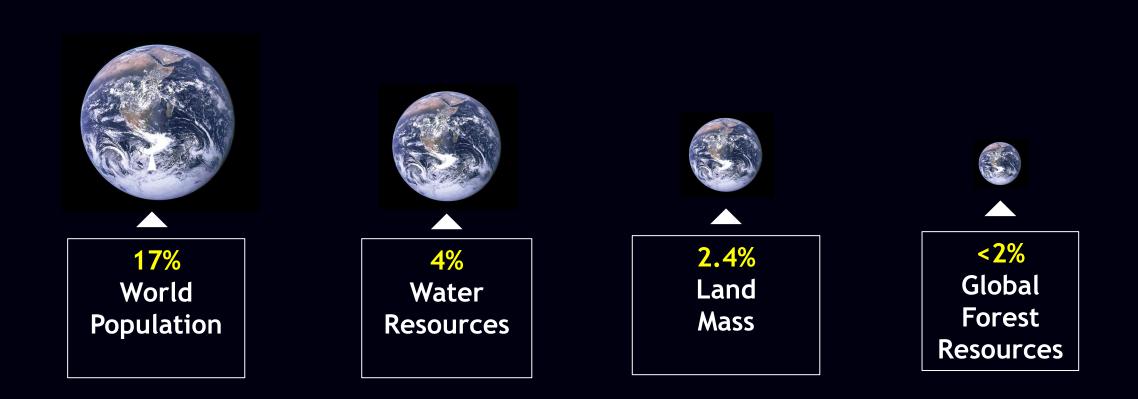




ITC's Sustainability Vision

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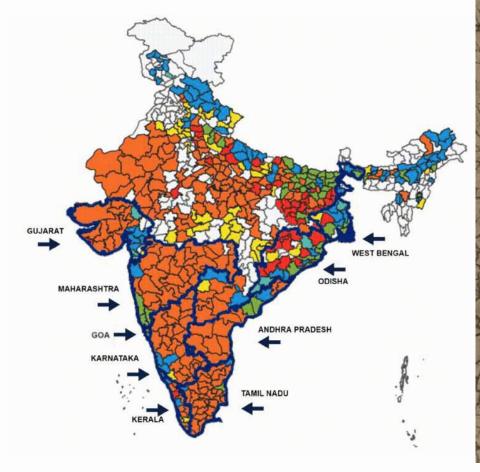
India: Limited Natural Resources

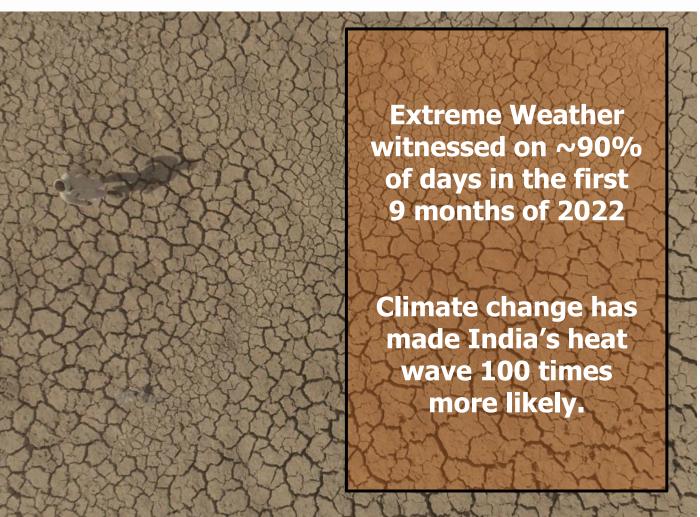


Critical to Replenish Environmental Resources

Code Red on Climate Change

Southern Zone is **most vulnerable**, followed by the **Eastern Zone**, to extreme climate events





Cyclone and

drought

Flood and

cyclone

Flood and

drought

Challenges of Inequality and Livelihoods

Poorest half of global population possess just 2% of the total wealth.

Planet must produce more food in next 40 years than all farmers in history have harvested in the past 8,000 years

- Large proportion of world's poor live in India
- 12 million youth join workforce every year









Enduring Value: Triple Bottom Line Performance

Innovative Business Models that pursue:

- Extreme Competitiveness
- Growth with Livelihoods
- ✓ Growth with Climate Action

RESPONSIBLE COMPETITIVENESS

An Exemplar in Triple Bottom Line Performance





Carbon Positive

17 years

Water Positive

20 years

Solid Waste Recycling Positive

~42 % of Total Energy from Renewable Sources

Sustainable Livelihoods for 6 million people

Sustainability 2.0 – A Bold Agenda for a Secure Tomorrow

Recognition of Sustainability Performance





Rated AA by MSCI-ESG
Rated AA every year
since 2018

Member of

Dow Jones Sustainability Indices

Powered by the S&P Global CSA

ITC has been included in the Dow Jones Sustainability Emerging Markets Index



Rated at the 'Leadership Level' by CDP with scores of 'A-' for both Climate Change and Water Security



AWS Platinum-level certification

ITC PSPD unit, Kovai, first in India
ICML, Malur



8 ITC hotels and Data Centre first in the world to get LEED Zero Carbon Certification

Our Sustainability Strategy

<u>Objective</u>

- Going beyond risk mitigation and leveraging opportunities
- Reinforcing Sustainability as an integral part of Business Strategy
- Strengthening ITC's status as a Climate Positive organization
- Creating unique sources of Competitive Advantage
- Ensuring a holistic, comprehensive and inclusive approach for stakeholders

<u>Initiatives</u>

1. Addressing CLIMATE CHANGE Risks

4. Developing a RESILIENT & SUSTAINABLE SUPPLY CHAIN

2. Ensuring WATER SECURITY for All

5. Leveraging PRODUCT SUSTAINABILITY Opportunities

3. Embedding CIRCULARITY in Business models

6. Strengthening DISCLOSURES





Addressing
Climate Risk &
Competitiveness

#2

Mitigation | Decarbonisation



Renewable Energy - 42% of energy consumed

Large scale Sequestration

40 Platinum rated Green Buildings9 LEED Zero Carbon Certification

Continuous Reduction in Specific Energy/Water Consumption

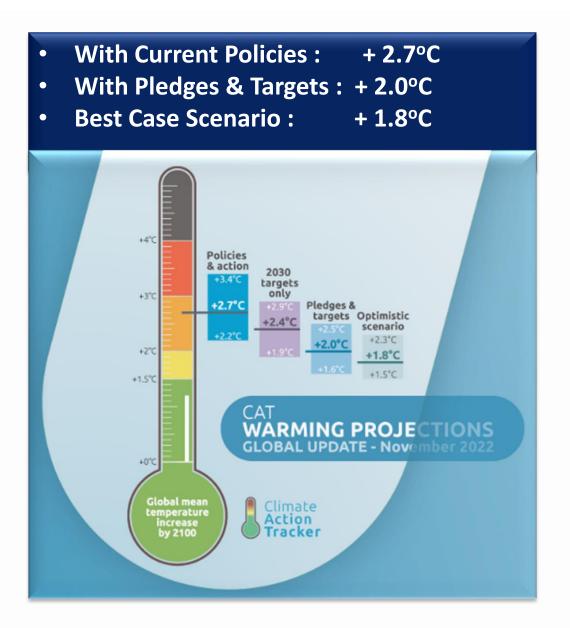


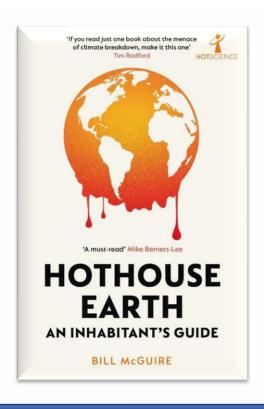






Adaptation: A Critical Imperative





"We can do little to avoid the coming climate breakdown. Instead we need to adapt to the hothouse world that lies ahead and to start taking action to try to stop a bleak situation deteriorating even further"

Adaptation @ ITC













ITC'S PAPER VALUE CHAIN LEVERAGING TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION





Plantation by small land holders











From Sustainable Paper to Brand Leadership











Sustainable Packaging Solutions New Growth Vector



ITC LSTC | External Collaborations













Laminating Base



Laminating Base





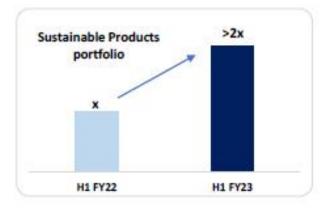
Anti fungal Boards











Biodiversity



Mapping of Commons

Regulated
Grazing – Social
Protection

Soil Moisture Conservation

Planting of Native
Species









1,33,000 acres – 10 States, 29 districts

- Restoring village commons and pastures
- Reducing pressures on forests by fringe area development work –
 Maharashtra Forest Department PPP renewed to cover 80,000 acres
- Reviving ecosystem services Pollinators, predators, soil microbes etc.

Impacts

- Biomass and green cover increased up to 6 times in 5 years
- Animals and Reptiles Species
 doubled

Village Commons restoration - AP





Pioneering Green Buildings - 40 LEED® Platinum Buildings



















































































First 8 Hotels & Data Centre in the World to be LEED® Zero Carbon Certified









ITC Grand Chola, Chennai



ITC Gardenia, Bengaluru



ITC Mughal, Agra



WelcomHotel Bengaluru



WelcomHotel Chennai



WelcomHotel Coimbatore



WelcomHotel Guntur



ITC Sankhya Data Centre, Bengaluru













RAINWATER HARVESTING POTENTIAL





25,000 WATER STRUCTURES

1.3 MILLION ACRES

Net Water Consumption in 2022





ITC'S WATER STEWARDSHIP MISSION REPLENISHING NATURAL RESOURCES



Water Demand Efficiency: More Crop per Drop

River Basin Management

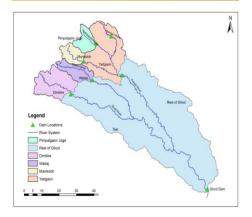


Demand Management



7,00,000+ acres

River Basin Management



Ghod + 4 basins WIP

- Drought proof agriculture & Positive water balance in unit catchments
- Supply Enhance rainwater storage by catchment treatment, surface storage & groundwater recharge
- Demand management Improve water use efficiency in 14 major crops
- Long term sustainability of impacts by working at river basin level

Impacts

- Groundwater improvement up to
 3.5 m against control
- Reduction in water consumption by up to 40% as compared to conventional practices
- Soil organic carbon improvement by 117% against baseline (0.65% from 0.30%)
- Platinum certification for Kovai
 Plant and ICML Malur by Alliance
 for Water Stewardship (AWS)

Climate Positive: Road Ahead | S 2.0 2030



- √ 50% of Total Energy from Renewable Sources
- ✓ 100% Purchased Grid Electricity Requirements from Renewable Sources
- ✓ 50% reduction in Specific GHG Emissions
- √ 30% reduction in Specific Energy Consumption
- ✓ Carbon Sequestration (Area under Social and Farm Forestry): 1.5 Million Acres
- ✓ Biodiversity to be expanded to 1 million acres
- ✓ 40% reduction in Specific Water Consumption; Water Use efficiency in Agri Value Chain: 2000 Million KLs; All high risk sites to be certified as per the AWS Standard by 2035
- ✓ All ITC Owned Hotels to achieve Zero Carbon

Accelerate action towards achieving ITC's Sustainability 2.0 Goals Leveraging digital
Climate tools for
periodic
vulnerability
assessment

Detailed Climate risk assessments for developing Adaptation strategies for vulnerable sites Promote thought
leadership through
CII-ITC Centre of
Excellence for
Sustainable
Development





Empowering
Farmers through
NextGen
Agriculture

#4

INDIAN AGRICULTURE FACES MANY CHALLENGES

Small Farms

~70% farm holdings
 are less than 1 hectare

High post-harvest losses



Inadequate Market Linkages & Low price realization

 Value captured by Intermediaries in the farm to fork chain

Limited access to Formal credit

 Reliance on high-cost informal credit channel

Sub-optimal Farm yields

- Lower than that of developed nations
- Low availability of scientific advisory
- Spurious farm inputs and timely availability





ITC in Agriculture: Baareh Mahine Hariyali

Leveraging Technology & Innovation to Enhance Productivity





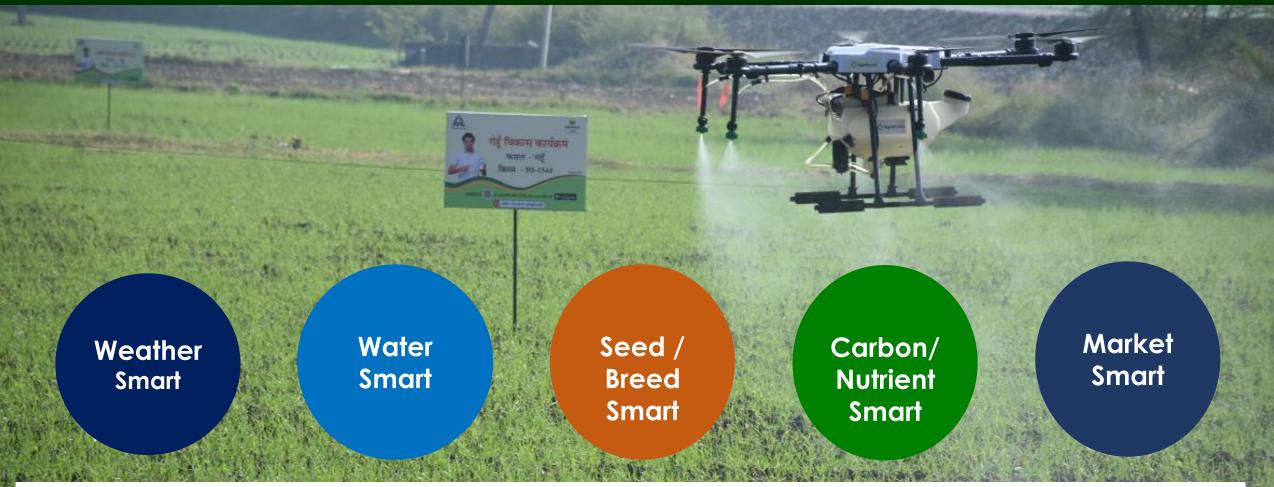






Climate Smart Agriculture | ITC Next





Covered over 1.5 million acres

Case Study: Madhya Pradesh

GHG emission of select crops by 13% to 66%,
whilst enhancing net returns to farmers between 46% to 93%.

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES CAN TRANSFORM THE FARMING JOURNEY

Rapid Quality Assaying



Soil Health and Agri-Produce Quality

Image Analytics



Real-time Identification of Pest and Expert resolution

IoT Sensors



Precision Agriculture:
AI/ML models of Farming

Digital Agri Supply Chain



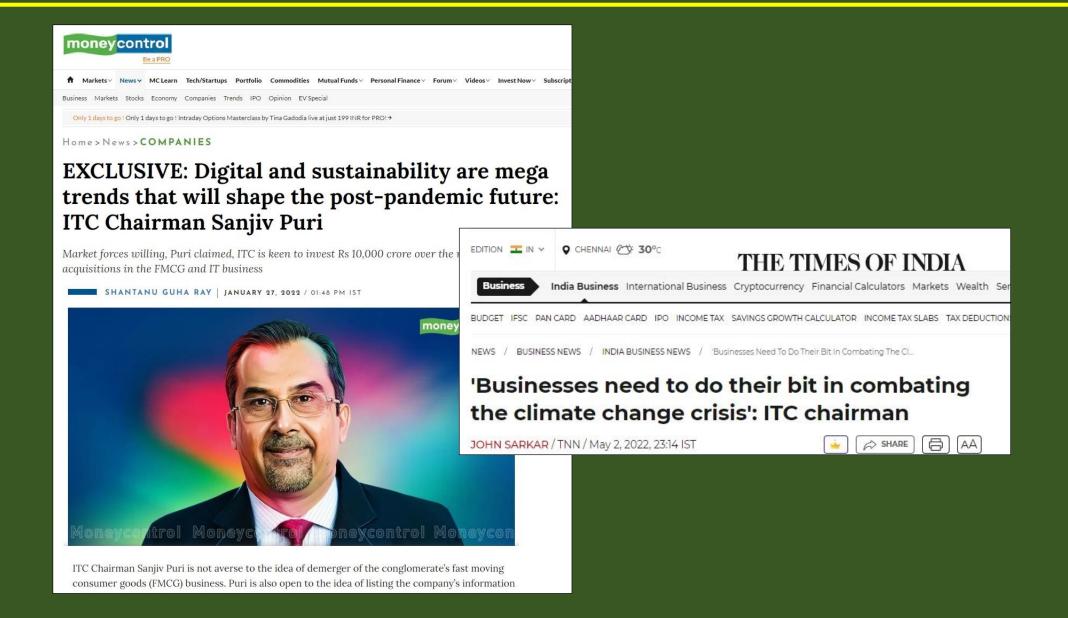
Demand backed production, delayering value chain

Agri Drones



Optimized chemical usage, Cropmonitoring, Farm mapping

DIGITAL & SUSTAINABILITY WILL BE THE MEGATRENDS OF THE FUTURE: SANJIV PURI



ITC Next





ई-चौपाल

किसानों के हित में, किसानों का अपना

Metamarket for Advanced Agriculture & Rural Services





ITCMAARS PHYGITAL MODEL: CURRENT SCALE



Physical Digital



AI / ML Led **Personalized Crop Advisory E-platform for Agri Inputs E-marketplace** for outputs **Digitally Enabled Rural Services**



ITC MAARS ECOSYTEM



Digital Empowerment of Farmers > Improved Yields > Reduced Cost of Production > Improved Price Realisation > Enhanced Income

Establishing FPOs



3X accelerated FPO creation through on-ground support

Training for quality evaluation

Output aggregation & Input sales by ITC

AI / ML Led Personalized Crop Advisory



AI/ML driven models of Farming

Crop Calendar: Scientific planning of crop cycle, Al powered regular Nudges

Crop Doctor: Real-time Identification of Pests & Expert resolution

Optimized chemical usage, Crop-monitoring, Farm mapping

Farm-gate evaluation of Soil Health & Agri-Produce Quality

Digitally Enabled Inputs



Reliable supply of authentic products

Transparency of price at farm level

Personalized Krishi Samadhan Kits assembled basis Crop, Region & Soil type

Lighthouse Farms at every FPO demonstrating impact of Precision Agriculture

Digitally Enabled Market Access



Planned Harvesting basis Weather forecasts

Transparency in Pricing.
Convenience of Farmgate
pick-up

Quality evaluation and Weighment through equipment

Identity Preserved &
Traceable agri value-chain
for Customers

Digitally Enabled Rural Services



Easy registration for KCC

Pre-approved working capital loan for purchase of Inputs directly from the app through Partner Banks

Mechanization as a service to be available

Plug-and-Scale Platform for successful Ag-Tech innovators







ITCMAARS Demonstration Farms





Livestock Development



Animal husbandry services to nearly 2,100,000 milch animals

Pashu Sakhis earning additional income around Rs 60,000 per annum



Empowering women

Over 1,05,000 rural women benefitted











WOMEN COVERAGE & PARTICIPATION*

5,00,000 + Education & Skilling



1,30,000 + CSA, WSP, SF



1,380,000 + Financial Literacy

1,00,000+ Women Empowerment



93,000 + Animal Husbandry

6,20,000 +
Mother and Child Health

* Excludes those benefited from Sanitation and Waste Management

Skill Development Initiative Over 1,10,000 youth trained









Rural Education Programme

Over 8,90,000 children benefitted





Mother & Child Health

Over 6,00,000 covered





Sanitation Over 39,000 individual sanitary units constructed





Sustainable Agriculture & Supply Chain: Road Ahead | S 2.0 2030



- ✓ ITCMAARS to reach 10 million farmers
- ✓ 4,000 FPOs to be supported by ITCMAARS
- ✓ Targeting Climate Smart Agriculture in 3 million acres by 2030
- ✓ Scale up interventions for Horizon 2 livelihood initiatives
- Capability and Capacity building of Supply Chain Partners

Climate Risk Vulnerability Assessments for key Agri and Raw Material Value Chain

Scaling climate change mitigation and adaptation plans across agrivalue chains

Ensuring traceability in agri value chains of the highest standards FSC, RFA, STP.* Deeper engagement with critical suppliers for aligning their initiatives to ITC's Sustainability Goals





Towards a Circular Economy

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Well Being out of Waste (WOW) | Community Engagement



60,000+ MT of dry waste diverted from land fills

18 Million

Citizen outreach in 19+ cities

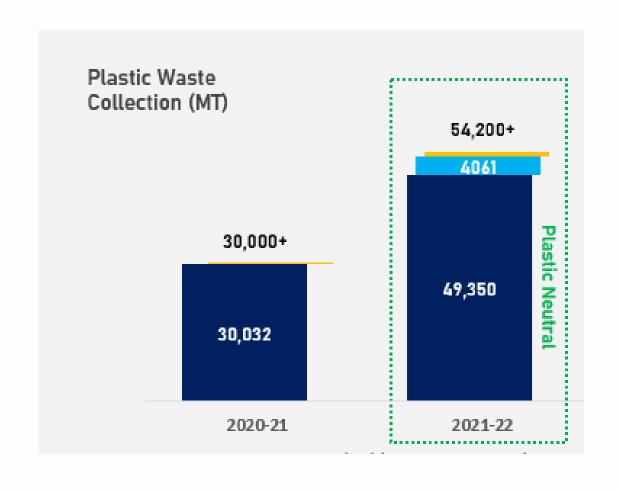
95% to 15% Waste to landfill reduced

600+ temples
Green Temple Programme



Plastic Waste Management across the Nation





■ Cat I - Rigids Cat III - Tetra Pak

■ Cat II - Flexibles

100%+ Collections in 2021-22: ITC Turns Plastic Neutral

Supporting industry wide projects



Circularity: Road Ahead | S 2.0 2030



- ✓ 100% of Packaging to be Reusable, Recyclable, Compostable or Bio-Degradable
- ✓ Plastic Neutrality: Enable Sustainable Management of Waste in Excess of the Amount of Packaging Utilised. Achieved in FY22, to be Sustained Going Forward

Scaling
Sustainable Solid
Waste
Management
Models

Continue To Recycle 100%+ Waste Generated In Our Operations Scaling Up Innovative Sustainable Packaging Portfolio



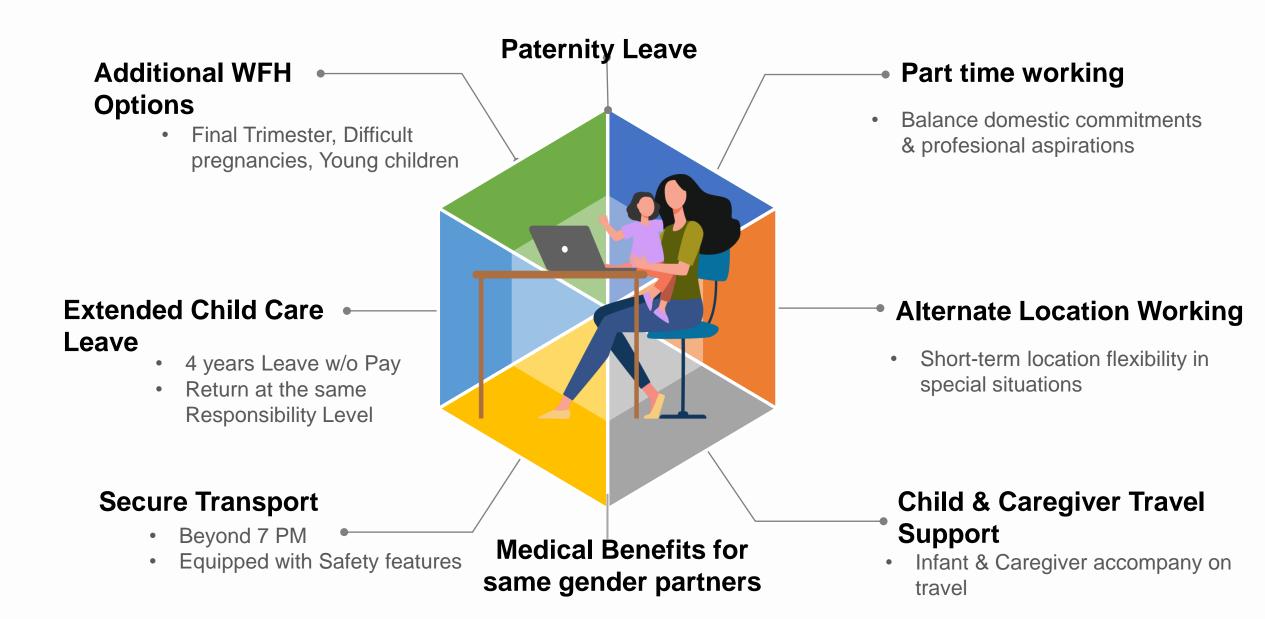


Diversity & Inclusion

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Inclusion & Enablement Policies



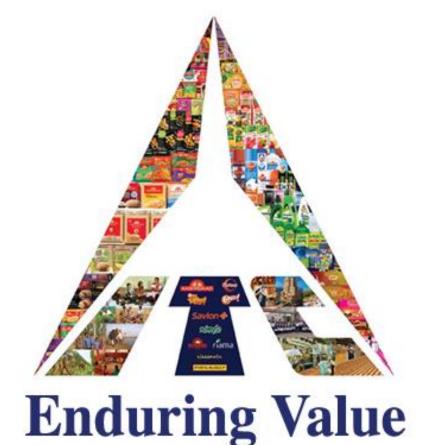


Growing participation of Women in Units









Nation First: Sab Saath Badhein



Governance: Trusteeship Transparency Ethical Conduct

#7

Governance: Strategy of Organisation



Board of Directors

Strategic Supervision

3-Tiered Governance Structure Corporate Management Committee

Strategic Management

Divisional Management Committees

Executive Management

Trusteeship,
Transparency,
Ethical Conduct

Audit Committee

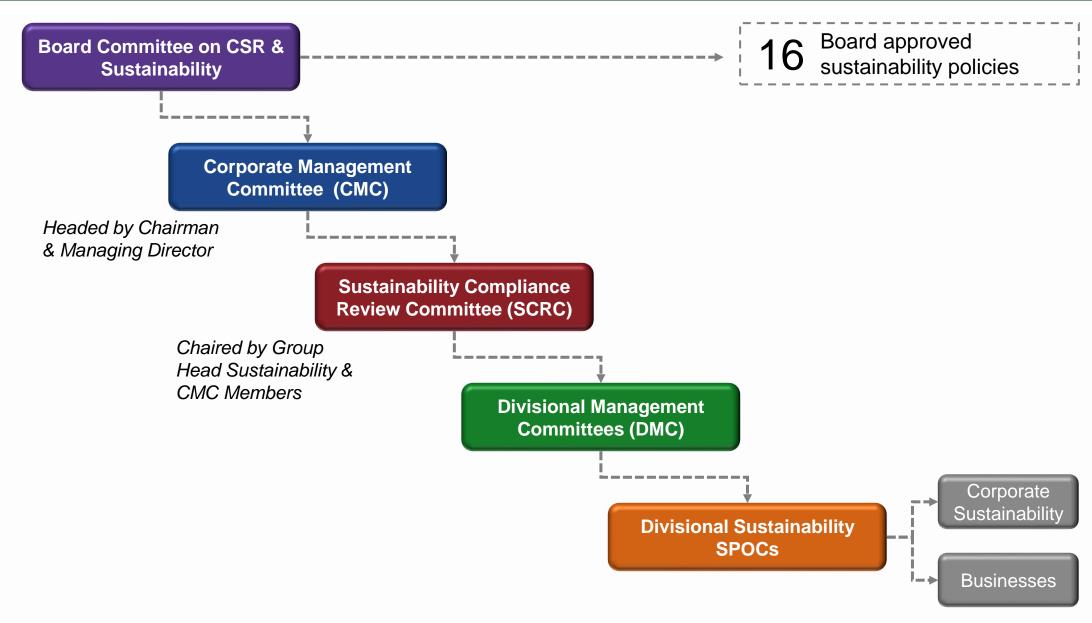
Nomination & Compensation Committee

Independent
Directors
Committee

Securityholders Relationship Committee

Strong Governance Mechanisms for Cascading Sustainability Strategy

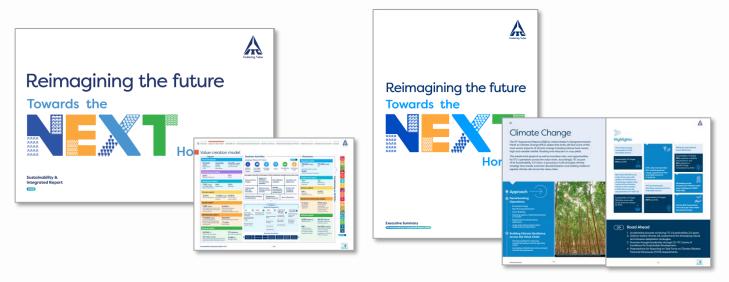




ESG Reporting: Highest Standards of Transparency & Disclosure

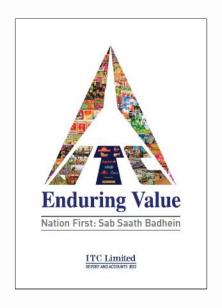


19 years of ESG reporting experience...



ITC Sustainability & Integrated Report 2022 | Executive Summary 2022

Reporting aligned to Global Frameworks



ITC Report & Accounts, and Business Responsibility & Sustainability Report 2022







Responding to CDP
Climate Change &
Water Questionnaire,
S&P/DJSI
Questionnaire







Contribution to SDGs





6 Million Livelihoods Supported

Women Empowerment

Climate Smart Agriculture

Integrated Animal Husbandry



ITC Foods
Business' Four
Pillar Model 'Help India
Eat better'

Sustainable Products

Sustainable Supply Chains

Climate Smart Agriculture

Integrated Animal Husbandry

Women Empowerment



Mother & Child Health

Waste Management



QUALITY Education

Supplementary Education

Vocational Training



Diversity and Equal Opportunity Initiatives

Diversity on the Shop-floor

Women Empowerment



Alliance for Water Stewardship(AWS) Certification

S2.0 Targets on Water Efficiency

Waste Management

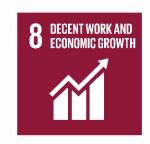
Supplementary Education



42% Energy Needs from Renewable Sources

S2.0 Targets on RE, Energy Efficiency

Pioneering Green Buildings Movement in India



Presence across: Agri, Manufacturing & Services

Occupational Health & Safety

Sustainable Tourism

Vocational Training

Women Empowerment

Contribution to SDGs





10 State of the art ICMLs

Industry 4.0

Sustainable & Incl Agri & Forestry **Value Chains**

Green Manufacturing

ITC Life Sciences &Tech Centre

Climate Smart Agriculture

Supplementary Education

Waste Management



Diversity Initiatives

D&I Oriented: **Hiring Strategy**

Women **Empowerment**

Supplementary Education

Vocational **Training**



WOW programme covering 18 million citizens, 60,000 MT dry recyclable waste managed in **FY22**

Solid Waste Management programme across 17 districts in 10 states, 99,700 MT waste managed in FY22.



Strategically located ICMLs -**Optimal** Distance-to-Market

Resource **Efficiency**

99% Recycling of Waste

Purpose-led Brands

Commitment to Transparency (19Years of Sus Conservation Reporting)

Managing Waste



Climate Resilient Operations & **Value Chains**

Manage-

ment of

Consumer

Packaging

Post-

Plastic

Waste

Social Forestry

Climate Smart Agriculture

Integrated Animal Husbandry

Water Stewardship

Biodiversity



Sustainable Deforestationfree Wood and Leaf Tobacco value chains

> Water Stewardship

Climate Smart Agriculture

Social Forestry

Biodiversity Conservation



Highest standards of ethical conduct

Social Forestry

Water Stewardship

Climate Smart Agriculture

Women **Empowerment**

Supplementary Education

> Mother & Child Health



17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

Water Stewardship

Climate Smart **Agriculture**

Waste Mgmt

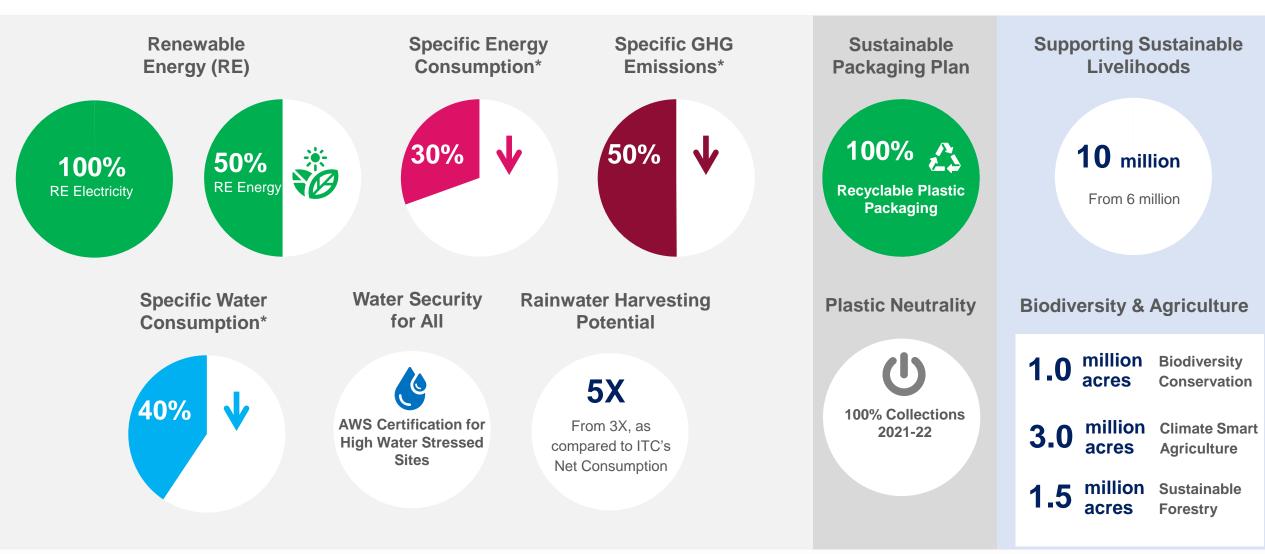
Supplementary Education

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Women **Empowerment**

Summary: S2.0 Targets - Raising The Bar







A passion for profitable growth....





....in a way that is sustainable.....



.... and

inclusive