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Dear Sir,

<u>Presentation- Earnings Call (Un-Audited Financial Results for the quarter and half year ended 30.09.2024)</u>

In continuation of our letter dated 18th October, 2024 informing about hosting of earning call to discuss Un-Audited financial results for quarter and half year ended 30th September, 2024, please find enclosed Investors presentation, of the same for your reference and record.

The same is also available on the Company's website i.e. www.srf.com

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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Q2 & H1 FY25 Results Presentation

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100+ Countries-Exports



4CountriesOperations



16
Manufacturing
Facilities



~9,000Global
Workforce



₹ **13,139** cr. Revenue



₹ **2,744 cr.** EBITDA



₹ 1,336 cr.

PAT



48% Chemicals



34%

Packaging Films



18%

Technical Textiles & Others



Note: On Consolidated basis as on 31st March 2024

Overview - Business Profile





No of Plants - 2

EBIT - ₹ 1,627 cr.

Revenue - ₹ 6.297 cr.

Specialty Chemicals

- Intermediates for AI/API/Specialized **Applications**
- Contract Development & Manufacturing

Fluorochemicals

- Refrigerants
- Pharma Propellants
- Industrial Chemicals Fluoropolymers



No of Plants - 8

EBIT - ₹ 207 cr.

Revenue - ₹ 4,489 cr.

Films for Flexible Packaging

- Bi-axially Oriented Polyethylene Terephthalate (BOPET)
- Bi-axially Oriented Polypropylene (BOPP)
- Aluminium Foil



Technical Textiles

No of Plants - 4

EBIT - ₹ 274 cr.

Revenue - ₹ 1,898 cr.

- Tyre Cord Fabrics (Nylon & Polyester)
- **Belting Fabrics**
- Polyester Industrial Yarn

Others



No of Plants - 2

EBIT - ₹ 93 cr.

Revenue - ₹ 465 cr.

- Coated Fabrics
- Laminated Fabrics

Note: On Consolidated basis as on 31st March 2024

Manufacturing Facilities

- FLUOROCHEMICALS & SPECIALTY CHEMICALS
 - **2 National Operations**
 - Rajasthan, India Bhiwadi
 - Gujarat, India Dahej
- **TECHNICAL TEXTILES**

4 National Operations

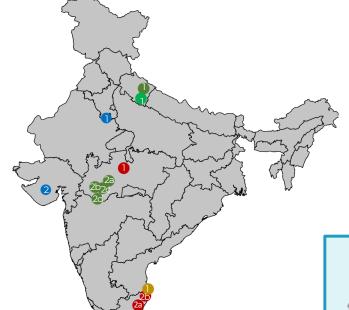
- Madhya Pradesh, India Malanpur, Bhind
- Tamil Nadu, India
 - a. Manali
 - b. Gummidipoondi
 - c. Viralimalai
- PACKAGING FILMS

5 National Operations

- Uttarakhand, India Kashipur
- Madhya Pradesh, India
 - a. Special Economic Zone (SEZ)
 - b. Bagdoon, Pithampur
 - c. Industrial Growth Centre, Pithampur
 - d. Jetapur

3 International Operations

- 3. KwaZulu Natal, South Africa
- 4. Rayong, Thailand
- 5. Jaszfenyszaru, Hungary



LAMINATED FABRICS

1 National Operation

1. Uttarakhand, India - Kashipur

COATED FABRICS

1 National Operation

1. Tamil Nadu, India - Gummidipoondi



Market Leadership Across Businesses





Specialty Chemicals

- Established relationship with marquee customers
- Strong tech capability pilot to commercial; creating value through operational excellence
- Driving customer engagement and satisfaction through world class R&D, EHS and quality management
- Handling complex reactions -Halogenation, Ethylation, Hydrogenation, Nitration, Diazotization, Grignard, Cyanation, Isomerization, Amination, Organocatalysis and Decarboxylation



Fluorochemicals

- Unique and fully integrated facilities extending across a wide range of refrigerants and industrial chemicals
- Domestic leadership in HFC's with strong trade distribution network; significant market share of Fluorochemicals in India with global scale operations
- One of the few global manufacturers of Pharma grade 134a/P propellant in metered dose inhalers
- Among the top five global manufacturers of key Fluorochemical products



Packaging Films

- Recognized for expertise in developing, manufacturing and marketing innovative, superior film products
- Flexible business model, strong and loyal customer relationships with tailored solutions; NPD Lab to ensure future readiness
- Highly efficient asset base offering value added products near customer locations



Technical Textiles

- Domestic market leader in Tyre Cord manufacturing and Belting Fabrics
- ~40% share in India's Nylon Tyre Cord market. 5th largest player globally
- 2nd largest manufacturer of Conveyor Belting Fabrics in the world









Focus on building high-end value-added products

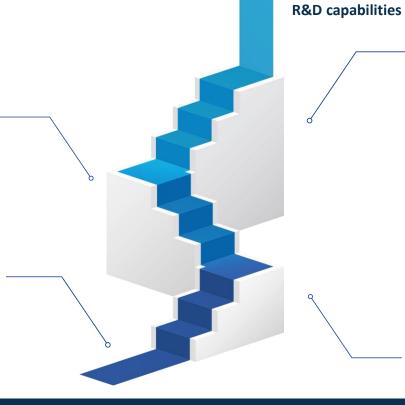
Continue to build new competencies in the Chemicals Technology space

Growth Levers



Focus on building leadership businesses

Build and maintain market leadership in business segments





Greater focus on ESG initiatives

- Benefit the communities where we work
- Embrace diversity, equity & inclusion
- Enhance focus on the 3R's-Recycle, Reuse & Reduce
- Increase consumption of green/renewable sources of energy



Nurture innovation through R&D

Reposition portfolio towards knowledge-based products



Abridged Results Overview



Consolidated figures

Particulars (Rs. Crore)	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	% Y-o-Y	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	% Y-o-Y
Gross Operating Revenue	3,424.3	3,177.4	7.8%	6,888.4	6,515.7	5.7%
EBITDA	594.0	674.4	-11.9%	1,239.9	1,406.2	-11.8%
EBITDA Margin (%)	17.3%	21.2%		18.0%	21.6%	
Depreciation	193.9	161.2	20.3%	382.1	317.8	20.2%
Interest	93.8	79.3	18.3%	190.3	144.9	31.3%
ECF (Gain) / Loss	22.6	19.1		39.8	42.8	
Profit Before Tax	283.7	414.8	-31.6%	627.6	900.6	-30.3%
Profit After Tax	201.4	300.8	-33.0%	453.6	660.1	-31.3%
Profit After Tax Margin (%)	5.9%	9.5%		6.6%	10.1%	
Basic and Diluted EPS (Rs.)	6.79	10.15		15.30	22.27	

Results Overview - Financial Overview



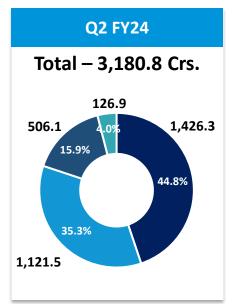
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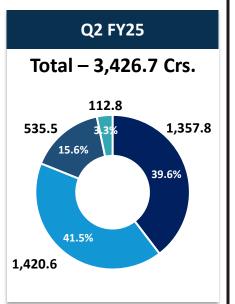
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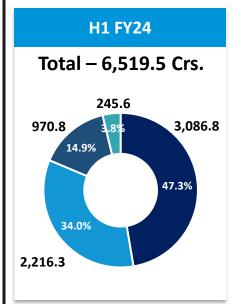
Particulars	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24
EBITDA Margin	20.43%	22.13%	21.42%	17.69%	19.00%	20.90%	26.05%	25.30%	24.94%	20.88%
PAT Margin	8.78%	9.51%	10.87%	8.38%	8.33%	12.70%	14.26%	15.19%	14.54%	10.17%
Net Debt to Equity	0.98	0.71	0.67	0.82	0.83	0.76	0.39	0.32	0.32	0.35
Net Debt to EBIDTA	2.83	1.97	2.11	3.01	2.42	2.48	1.24	0.87	0.88	1.45
Asset Turnover	0.77	0.70	0.68	0.66	0.72	0.66	0.65	0.79	0.79	0.64
Debtors Turnover	7.43	8.79	7.21	8.10	6.90	8.09	6.64	6.94	8.33	6.76

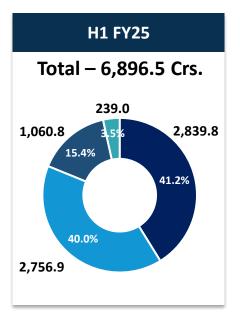
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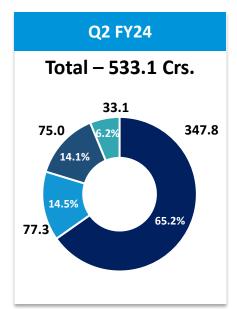


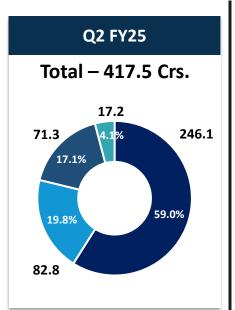
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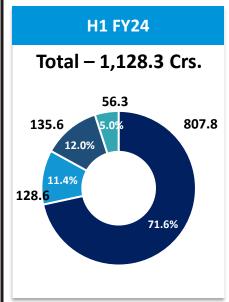
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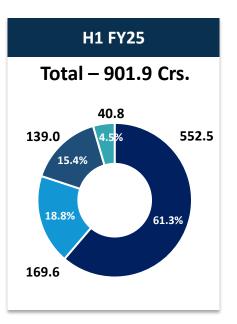
Results Overview - EBIT Share











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Q2 & H1 FY25 - SEGMENTAL PERFORMANCE

- Chemicals
- Packaging Films
- Technical Textiles
- Others





CHEMICALS BUSINESS



Chemicals Business - Results Update



Consolidated figures

PARTICULARS	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	% Y-o-Y	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	% Y-o-Y
Segment Revenues	1,357.8	1,426.3	-4.8%	2,839.8	3,086.8	-8.0%
% Contribution to Revenues	39.6%	44.8%		41.2%	47.3%	
EBIT	246.1	347.8	-29.2%	552.5	807.8	-31.6%
% EBIT Margins	18.1%	24.4%		19.5%	26.2%	
% Contribution to EBIT	59.0%	65.2%		61.3%	71.6%	



Chemicals Business



Specialty Chemicals Business



Key Highlights

- Agrochemical market slowdown continues to impact performance
 - O New products witnessed positive traction while high inventory levels at customers' end resulted in lower offtake for some key products
- Focused on guick ramp up of production at recently commissioned plants
- Continued collaboration with Innovators on more complex and downstream offerings, highlighting SRF's R&D capabilities in developing sophisticated solutions
 - O Launched 3 new agro products and 3 new pharma products in H1



Market Trends

- Agro segment continues to witness pressure due to inventory adjustments
- Cheaper Agrochemicals from China creating pricing pressures on certain products
- Raw material prices are stabilizing and showing signs of bottoming out





Chemicals Business

Chemicals Technology Group

- Chemicals Technology Group (CTG) is actively engaged in the development of new process technologies
- Key focus on high end molecules
- Strong internal competencies and capabilities
- Equipped with state-of-the-art R&D facilities and an ingenious team of scientists and engineers
- 2 R&D centres in India Bhiwadi, Rajasthan and Gurugram, Haryana
- 2 new process patents granted in H1FY25



151

Global Patents granted



458

Patents applied

Chemicals Business

Fluorochemicals Business



Key Highlights

- Ref gases demonstrated healthy performance in domestic market
 - Achieved highest-ever volume sales in H1, with increased market share in both RAC and MAC segments
- Export realizations for some ref gases remained subdued in Q2, negatively impacting overall margins
 - O US market remained subdued due to seasonality and inventory overhang
- Industrial Chemicals impacted due to adverse commodity cycle; some pricing improvement seen towards end of Q2.
- PTFE trials for free flow and fine cut grades continuing as planned
 - o Export sampling for certain grades in advanced stage of discussion
- The Board has approved a ₹1,100 crore project to establish production facilities for fourth-generation refrigerants with lower GWP and carbon footprint



Market Trends

- Developed markets, especially the US, experiencing decline in HFC consumption due to regulatory requirements
- Emerging markets like India and the Middle East seeing significant demand growth due to expanding industrial sectors and rising air conditioning and refrigeration needs
- HFC 32 prices witnessed some uptrend
- · Prices for key raw materials remained range bound







PACKAGING FILMS BUSINESS



Packaging Films Business - Results Update



Consolidated figures

PARTICULARS	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	% Y-o-Y	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	% Y-o-Y
Segment Revenues	1,420.6	1,121.5	26.7%	2,756.9	2,216.3	24.4%
% Contribution to Revenues	41.5%	35.3%		40.0%	34.0%	
EBIT	82.8	77.3	7.2%	169.6	128.6	31.9%
% EBIT Margins	5.8%	6.9%		6.2%	5.8%	
% Contribution to EBIT	19.8%	14.5%		18.8%	11.4%	



Packaging Films Business





Key Highlights

- Packaging Films Business registered improved performance
 - BOPET performed well in India owing to better pricing and margins in Q2
 - BOPP continued to remain stable and in line with expectations
 - Thailand performance was impacted due to stiff Chinese competition
- Continued focus on increased sale of identified VAPs yielding positive results. 7 BOPET and 8 BOPP product variants developed during H1
- Aluminium foil production stabilized in H1, supported by rising volumes both in domestic and exports markets.
- The Board has approved a ₹445 crore project to establish a hybrid BOPP-BOPE film line in India, which aligns with our overall sustainability agenda



Market Trends

- Global demand-supply imbalance persists in BOPET; likely to continue in short to mid term
- Significant surge in ocean freights & container availability negatively impacted exports from Thailand
- Intense competition from Chinese players continues in South-East Asia, impacting performance





TECHNICAL TEXTILES BUSINESS







Consolidated figures

PARTICULARS	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	% Y-o-Y	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	% Y-o-Y
Segment Revenues	535.5	506.2	5.8%	1060.8	970.8	9.3%
% Contribution to Revenues	15.6%	15.9%		15.4%	14.9%	
EBIT	71.3	75.0	-4.8%	139.0	135.6	2.5%
% EBIT Margins	13.3%	14.8%		13.1%	14.0%	
% Contribution to EBIT	17.1%	14.1%		15.4%	12.0%	



Technical Textiles Business





Key Highlights

- · H1 performance was in line with expectations:
 - o Nylon Tyre Cord Fabrics (NTCF) delivered stable performance with highest-ever quarterly sales volumes
 - o Belting Fabrics (BF) witnessed healthy sales volumes; however, margins were impacted due to pricing pressures
 - o Polyester Industrial Yarn (PIY) segment performed well
- Continued focus on enhancing high-end VAP sales in BF, with entry into a new geography and commercialization of 8 new VAPs in H1
- Capex projects progressing as planned



Market Trends

- Demand for NTCF and PIY expected to remain strong, while BF demand may stay flat
- · Aggressive import prices of BF from China may continue to impact margins





OTHER BUSINESSES







Consolidated figures

PARTICULARS	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	% Y-o-Y	H1 FY25	H1 FY24	% Y-o-Y
Segment Revenues	112.8	126.9	-11.1%	239.0	245.6	-2.7%
% Contribution to Revenues	3.3%	4.0%		3.5%	3.8%	
EBIT	17.2	33.1	-48.1%	40.8	56.3	-27.5%
% EBIT Margins	15.2%	26.1%		17.1%	22.9%	
% Contribution to EBIT	4.1%	6.2%		4.5%	5.0%	



Others - Key Highlights



Coated Fabrics



- SRF continues to maintain its domestic market leadership in both volume and pricing
- Achieved highest-ever domestic sales and VAP sales in H1. Anticipate stable performance in the upcoming quarter
- Business aims to sustain profitability by increasing domestic volumes, focusing on VAPs and new product offerings

Laminated Fabrics



- Business maintained its price leadership by operating at full capacity
- Excessive oversupply persists, exerting pressure on margins
- New Hot Lamination (HL) machine successfully stabilized
- Q3 likely to be better with robust demand due to festive season and better margins with HL VAPs in play



SRF's **Community Engagement**









- On August 15, 2024, Dr. Mohan Yadav, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh, inaugurated SRF Foundation's Digital Bus in Bhopal. The CM interacted with students and praised SRF Foundation for ensuring quality education in rural areas.
- At the 28th Bhamashah Samman Samaroh, the Rajasthan Government awarded SRF Foundation the Shiksha Vibhushan Award for its support of Rajasthan schools. This is the seventh time SRF Foundation has been honored at this ceremony.
- To support environmental conservation, 1500 saplings were planted across Bhiwadi schools.



Outlook - Chemicals Business





Specialty Chemicals



Agrochemicals segment likely to show improvement; demand to gradually pick up in H2 based on strong order book



Work on Als progressing as per plan



Product funnel remains strong



Launch of new pharma intermediates and ramp up of recently commissioned facilities to drive growth



Efforts on reducing costs / steps for certain key products should largely counter-balance pricing pressure in medium term

Fluorochemicals



Focus on maximizing HFC production



SRF's integrated play provides significant advantages



PTFE should witness traction in value added grades around Q4 FY25



Additional AHF capacity to be commissioned soon; should provide cost advantages post-stabilization



4th gen ref gases capex reinforces our commitment towards lower GWP products and lowering carbon footprint

Outlook – Packaging Films & Technical Textiles Business





Packaging Films Business



Expect ongoing demand-supply imbalance and margin pressure to continue in BOPET



BOPP to remain stable



Aluminium Foil facility expected to contribute in H2 with the proposed imposition of Anti Dumping Duty



Thailand to perform better, with expected softening of global freight rates



Hungary expected to perform better, owing to increased sales to Mainland Europe; South Africa to continue performing well



Technical Textiles Business



Demand for NTCF likely to be stable



Focus on high-end VAPs in BF and expanded capacity to be the future growth drivers



Polyester and Nylon Industrial Yarn sales witnessing positive trends

About Us

In 2024, SRF Limited proudly commemorates 50 years of manufacturing excellence. Since the inauguration of SRF's first plant in 1974, the company has evolved into a manufacturing powerhouse with businesses spanning multiple verticals. The company's diversified business portfolio covers Fluorochemicals, Specialty Chemicals, Packaging Films, Technical Textiles and Coated and Laminated Fabrics. Anchored by a strong workforce of ~9,000 employees from different nationalities working across thirteen manufacturing plants in India and one each in Thailand, South Africa and Hungary, the company exports to 100+ countries. Equipped with state-of-the-art R&D facilities, SRF has filed 458 patents for R&D and technology so far, of which 151 have been granted. A winner of the prestigious Deming Prize for two of its businesses, namely Tyre Cord and Chemicals, SRF continues to redefine its work and corporate culture with TQM as its management way.

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