

K.M. Sugar Mills Limited 52nd Annual Report 2024-25

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Forward looking statement

Statement in this report that describe the company's laws and regulations. The Company cautions that such objectives, projections, estimates, expectations or statements involve risk and uncertainty and that actual predications of the future may be 'forward looking results could differ materially from those expressed and statements' within the meaning of applicable securities implied.



remarkable story of transformation, evolving from a dedicated sugar manufacturer into a diversified enterprise that produces sugar and its full range of byproducts with exceptional efficiency.

VISION

Ensure raw materials security and better living conditions for cane growers and develop sugar, renewable energy and by-product businesses for sustainable growth and harmonized living between communities, society and nation with responsibility for all stakeholders.



MISSION

- Excellence in management and quality control of sugarcane production, sugar product and all by product with maximum efficiency.
- Encourage the sugarcane farmers in the area to have high productivity and good quality yields with the principle, care and responsible guidance for the farmers.
- Develop our administration and management systems continuously for the sustainability of profits of the sugarcane farmer and our businesses.
- Enhance innovation and research to increase organization and cane growers' efficiency and competitiveness.

HIGHLIGHTS





OUR VISITING CARD

Parentage

K.M. Sugar Mills traces its roots to 1942, when it began as a partnership firm named Kamlapat Motilal in Kanpur. Founded by the Jhunjhunwala and Singhania families, the firm established a small sugar milling plant in Kanpur, which was relocated to its present site in Faizabad between 1949 and 1950. In 1971, the partnership transitioned into a private limited company under the name K.M. Sugar Mills (Pvt.) Ltd., duly registered with the Registrar of Companies, Uttar Pradesh, Kanpur.



Promoters

In 1971, Mr. L.K. Jhunjhunwala took charge as Managing Director with the vision of building one of India's most respected sugar companies. Guided by this ambition, K.M. Sugar Mills Ltd. has grown into a sustainable, multi-product enterprise, manufacturing sugar, ethanol, and co-generated power.

Presence

K.M. Sugar Mills Ltd. is listed on both the National Stock Exchange and the Bombay Stock Exchange. As of 31st March 2025, the Company's market capitalisation stood at approximately ₹2,615 million on the BSE and ₹2,510 million on the NSE

Products

The Company's core product portfolio includes:

Sugar

White crystal sugar and raw sugar for domestic and export markets

Ethanol & Related Products

Produced through its distillery operations

Power

Generated through bagasse-based co-generation

Plants

The Company's manufacturing facilities are located in District Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh.

Sugar Division

With a crushing capacity of 9,500 tonnes of sugarcane per day, the Sugar Division produces high-quality white crystal sugar and raw sugar for both domestic consumption and export.

Distillery Division

Established in 1995, the Distillery Division began with capacities of 45 KLPD for Rectified Spirit and 20 KLPD for Extra Neutral Alcohol. Over time, production capabilities expanded:

- 2003 Ethanol production commenced at 30 KLPD
- 2004 ENA plant converted to produce Ethanol, taking capacity to 45 KLPD
- 2020 Ethanol capacity increased to 50 **KLPD**

The division currently manufactures:

- · Rectified Spirit
- Ethanol
- Other related byproducts

Power Division

The Company operates a 25 MW bagasse-based co-generation power plant at Motinagar, Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh. Power generated is supplied to Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited (UPPCL).



CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Approved on 30 October 2015 and reviewed annually by the Board of Directors, the CSR Policy defines the Company's commitment to its stakeholders and the community, focusing on initiatives that deliver both social and environmental benefits.

The policy aims to remove barriers to social inclusion for disadvantaged groups including the poor, socially backward, and financially excluded — by supporting initiatives that promote equality, opportunity, and well-being. All CSR activities are implemented in an environmentally responsible manner.

Special priority is given to local communities and regions where the Company operates, ensuring that CSR spending directly benefits its immediate surroundings. Serving as a quiding framework, the policy enables the Company to identify, monitor, and execute CSR projects effectively, in alignment with its core values and the spirit of responsible business.



OUR MANAGEMENT



Mr. L.K. JHUNJHUNWALA Chairman

He has been associated with the Company since inception as a promoter and has been actively managing the affairs of the Company. He has been associated with various industry associations, particularly in the sugar industry. He is the former President of the U.P. Sugar Mills Association and East U.P. Sugar Mill Association and the Past President of Associate Chamber of Commerce & Industry, U.P.



Mr. ADITYA JHUNJHUNWALA Managing Director

He is responsible for the overall operations of the Company. He is actively associated with industry organizations and he President of India Sugar Mills Association. He was the Past Chairman of the Eastern Zone (northern region) of Confederation of Indian Industries (CII) and also the ex- President of the Indian Small Hydro Power Association.



Mr. SANJAY JHUNJHUNWALA Joint Managing Director

Mr. Sanjay Jhunjhunwala is responsible for the overall operations of the Company. He is a Commerce graduate and has also completed his MBA from the University of Wales, Cardiff, UK. He has 16 years of experience in the sugar industry and has implemented modern management techniques, which have proved immensely beneficial to the Company. He is presently also actively engaged in the Finance and taxation of the company. He is the chair, the thriving chapter team, the Regional Director of the Entreprenuer Organisation of Uttar Pradesh.



Mr. SUBHASH CHANDRA AGGARWAL Executive Director

Mr. Subhash Chandra Aggarwal is a Science Graduate and Sugar Technologist from the National Sugar Institute, Kanpur (NSI), a very renowned institute of Asia in the field of Sugar Technology. He started his career from production lines and has worked for many renowned organizations. Due to his meticulous working, keenness about latest Technology, Development and Leadership, he joined Piccadily Agro Industries as General Manager in 1997. He is now the Executive Director, since 2001, at KM Sugar. He is the key person who implements management policies and decisions, setting targets for outputs and ensuring their achievement. He is also involved in the planning and coordination of various departments of the organization.



Dr. SUSHIL SOLOMON Independent Director

Dr. Sushil Solomon, a renowned Researcher and Educationist has been appointed as the 38th Vice-Chancellor of C.S. Azad University of Agriculture and Technology, Kanpur. He obtained Ph.D. in Micro/Biochemistry (1978) from PAU, Ludhiana and PGDBIM from Datamatic School of Management, Mumbai. He has also worked as Director, Indian Institute of Sugarcane Research, (ICAR), Lucknow.

He also contributed more than 37 years in scientific research quidance, taught in the sugarcane and sugar Industry. Dr. Solomon has also been awarded the Fellow of Sugar Technologist Association of India, Fellow of International Association of Professionals in Sugar & Integrated Technology and Fellow of Indian Society of Agricultural Biochemists. He served as President of Society for Sugar Research and Promotion, Editor in Chief of Sugar Tech Journal, Executive Editor of IAPSIT and Sugar Tech Newsletters.



Mr. BIBHAS KUMAR SRIVASTAV Independent Director

Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav has done M.Sc. (Agriculture) in Animal Husbandry and Dairy Science from Benares Hindu University, 1977 and Advanced Diploma in Management in 2015 from All India Management Association-Centre for Management Education, New Delhi. He is a Creative and passionate (retired) banker, dedicated to transferring professional experience through consultancy, teaching management and operating financial systems and social projects. He is committed to excellence in Consultancy, Management education, Banking, Finance and Risk Management and Financial Inclusion.



Mr. BAKSHI RAM Independent Director

Shri Bakshi Ram is Ph.D. (Agri.) (1996) from CCS, Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar and was the topper of the batch, M.Sc. (Agri.) (1983) from Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar, was awarded Dr. Ram Dhan Singh Gold Medal, for being the topper of the batch and B.Sc. (Hons.) Agri. (1981) Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar and was awarded Merit Gold Medal for being the topper of the programme. He has an overall experience of more than 38 years.



MRS. ARCHNA AGARWAL **Independent Director**

Smt. Archna Agarwal is Graduate from Avadh University Faizabad, Uttar Pradesh. She has been working in various companies as promoter and help them to grow and achieve milestone.



MR. NARENDRA MOHAN Independent Director

Shri Narendra Mohan, has an exemplary career in the sugar industry spanning about four decades including eleven years as Director, National Sugar Institute, Kanpur, India, a premier institute of Government of India which was established in 1936. He did his post graduate studies in Sugar Technology from National Sugar Institute and later on was conferred Fellowship as well. He has also been an inspiring teacher, admirable research worker and an esteemed government official having a long and distinguished career of working in sugar industry and at the institute. An author of 7 books, more than 200 papers been published in various reputed journals, many book chapters and patents to his credit, indicates his passion for academic & research work.



COMPANY INFORMATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Chairman

Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala

Whole Time Director

Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, Managing Director Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala, Joint Managing Director Shri Subhash Chandra Agarwal, Executive Director-cum-CEO

Non Executive and Independent Director

Smt. Archna Agarwal Shri Narendra Mohan Dr. Sushil Solomon Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav Shri Bakshi Ram

Chief Financial Officer

Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta

Company Secretary

Ms. Pooja Dua Ms. Ritika Tandon (w.e.f 07.08.2025)

Auditors

M/S. Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants, 90, Okhla Industrial Estate, Phase III New Delhi - 110 020

Bankers

State Bank of India Punjab National Bank HDFC Bank Ltd Yes Bank Ltd

Registered Office

76, Eldeco Greens Gomti Nagar, Lucknow - 226010 (U.P.)

Corporate Office & Works

Motinagar, Distt. Ayodhya - 224201 (U.P.)

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

To,

The Members,

Your directors have the pleasure of placing the 52nd Director's Report along with the Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ended on 31st March, 2025.

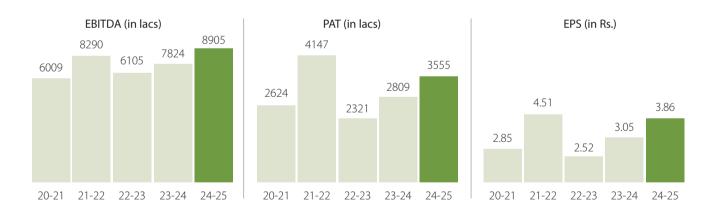
Financial Performance

The Financial performance of the Company during the year ended 31st March 2025 is as under:

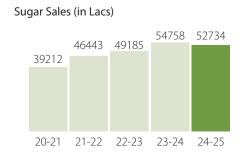
(Rs. in Lakhs)

	Standalone		Conso	lidated
	Year ended on 31st March,2025	Year ended on 31st March,2024	Year ended on 31st March,2025	Year ended on 31st March,2024
Profit before finance costs, depreciation and amortization and other comprehensive income	8905	7824	8905	7824
Less: Finance costs	1816	1654	1816	1654
Less: Depreciation and amortization expense	2197	2259	2197	2259
Profit before tax	4892	3911	4892	3911
Less: Tax expense	1337	1102	1337	1102
Profit for the year	3555	2809	3555	2809
Other comprehensive income (net of tax)	(14)	(17)	(14)	(17)
Total comprehensive income for the year	3541	2792	3541	2792
Earnings per equity share of Rs. 2/- each	3.86	3.05	3.86	3.05

Our Financial Highlights



Segmental Performance in FY 2024-25





Corporate Benefits

The Board of Directors have not recommended a dividend for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025, in view of future deployment of funds for furtherance of business.

Adoption of Ind-As

In accordance with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, the Company has adopted Ind-AS for the preparation of financial statements with effect from April 01, 2017. The financial Statement for the year ended on March 31, 2025, has been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standard (IND AS) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014. The estimates and judgment relating to the Financial Statement are made on a prudent basis, so as to reflect a true and fair manner, the form and substance of transactions and reasonably present the Company's state of Affairs, profits and cash flow for the year ended March 31, 2025. Accordingly, the figures for the previous year are comparable.

Performance of Segment: -

Sugar Division

The company has crushed 110.98 Lacs quintals of cane as against 135.93 lacs quintals of cane crushed during the previous financial year and the Sugar sale was Rs. 52739 lacs during the year under review as against Rs. 54757 lacs during the previous financial year. The other details are as under:

	Year ended 31-03-2025	Year ended 31-03-2024
Gross Working days	128	164
Total Cane Crushed (qtls.)	11098006	13593416
Sugar Produced (qtls)	1235608	1542969
Average Recovery	11.01%	11.30%

Distillery

During the year under report, the Company produced 81.40 Lacs BL of Spirit and 68.10 Lacs BL of ethanol. The other details are as under:

	Year ended 31-03-2025	Year ended 31-03-2024
Sales (Rs. in lacs)	4276	6148
Sales (BL in lacs)	72.39	89.51
Recovery Rate	22.31	23.55
Country Liqour		
Production ((Number of cases in Lacs)	16.27	4.62
Sale (Number of cases in Lacs)	16.24	4.64

Statutory Auditors

M/s. Mehrotra & Mehrotra., Chartered Accountants (FRN.000226C), were appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the company at the 49th AGM held on September 29, 2022 for a term of 5 (Five) consecutive years to hold the office from the conclusion of the 49th AGM to conduct statutory audit of F.Y. 2022-23, till the conclusion of 54th AGM after completing their Terms of 5 years.

The Auditor's Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2025, does not contain any qualification, reservation or adverse remark. The Notes on financial statements referred to in the Auditors' Report are self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments. The report is enclosed with the financial statements in this annual report.

Secretarial Auditors

Ms. Pragati Gupta, Practicing Company Secretary, was appointed as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company for the year 2024-25 as required under Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013, and Rules made thereunder. The Secretarial Audit report and Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for FY 2024-25 form part of the Annual Report (Annexure to the Directors' Report in Form MR-3) as annexed as Annexure-8 to this report and carry no qualifications, reservations,

adverse remarks or disclaimers, which are self-explanatory and hence no explanations are required.

In accordance with the provisions of Regulation 24A of the SEBI Listing Regulations from the financial year 2025-26 onwards, the appointment of a Secretarial Auditor is required to be approved by the members in the AGM, and the term of a Secretarial Auditor shall be five years. The Audit Committee and the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on May 26, 2025, have considered the proposal. In compliance with the aforesaid provisions, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors recommends the appointment of M/s Amit Gupta & Associates ('AGA'), Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. P2025UP103200) as the Secretarial Auditors for a term of five (5) years commencing from the conclusion of 52nd AGM till the conclusion of 57th AGM. Accordingly, the agenda item is being placed for consideration and approval of the members as an ordinary resolution at the ensuing AGM.

Cost Auditors

Your Board, as recommended by the Audit Committee, appointed M/s. Aman Malviya & Company, Cost Accountant, Lucknow, as a Cost Auditor for Sugar and Industrial Alcohol businesses for the

financial year 2024-25. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, the Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has re-appointed M/s. Aman Malviya & Associates Cost Accountants, as Cost Auditors, to conduct cost audits relating to sugar and industrial alcohol for the year ended 31st March, 2025...

Cost Accountants have confirmed that their appointment is within the limits of Section 141(3)(g) of the Act and free from any disqualifications specified under Section 141(3) and proviso to Section 148(3) read with Section 141(4) of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Cost Audit Report for the financial year March 31, 2025, did not contain any qualification, reservation, adverse remark or disclaimer. The Cost Audit Report for the year-end March 31, 2025, shall be made available by the Cost Auditor on or before 30th September, 2025.

Public Deposits During the financial year ended March 31, 2025, the company has not accepted any public deposits.

MSME RETURN

MCA vide order dated 22nd January, 2019, directed all companies that get supplies of goods or services from micro and small enterprises and whose payments to micro and small enterprise suppliers exceed forty-five days during the year. The Company has filed the MSME within the prescribed time.

Listing Fees

The equity shares of the company are listed with the Bombay Stock Exchange Limited and National Stock Exchange Limited, and listing fees for 2024-25 have been duly paid.

Directors' Responsibility Statement

In pursuance of sub-section (5) of Section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013, in respect of Directors' Responsibility Statement, the Board of Directors confirms:

- (i) That in the preparation of the annual accounts for the year ended on March 31, 2025, the applicable accounting standard has been followed by the Company.
- (ii) That the directors of the company have selected such accounting policies, applied them consistently, made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the profit of the Company for the year ended on that date.
- (iii) That the directors of the Company have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting. In accordance with provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, for safeguarding the assets of the company and for detecting fraud and other irregularities, and
- (iv) That the directors of the Company have prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.
- (v) That the directors had laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively.

(vi) That the directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

Significant and Material Orders

Corporate Overview

There are no significant and material orders passed by the regulators or courts or tribunals impacting the going concern status and the Company's operations in future.

Audit Committee and Vigil Mechanism

Pursuant to requirement of section 177(1) of Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 6 of the Companies (Meeting of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 18 and Regulation 22 of SEBI(LODR) Regulation 2015, your Company has already formed the Audit Committee, composition of which is covered under Corporate Governance report section of this Annual Report.

The Vigil Mechanism of the Company, which also incorporates a Whistle Blower Policy in terms of the Listing Agreement, includes appointment of a Whistle Officer who will look into the matter, conduct a detailed investigation and take appropriate disciplinary action. The Company has formulated a vigil mechanism to provide appropriate avenues to the Directors and employees to bring to the attention of the management their genuine concern about behavior of employees, the details of which are incorporated in the report on the corporate governance. Protected disclosures can be made by a whistleblower through an email, or dedicated telephone line or a letter to the Whistle Blower Officer or to the Chairman of the Audit Committee. During the year under review, no employee was denied access to Whistle Blower Officer or the Audit Committee, and no cases under this mechanism were reported in the company or any of its subsidiary/associates.

The Policy on vigil mechanism and whistleblower policy has been uploaded on the Company's website at the link: https://www. kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#whistle-blower-policy-vigilmechanism.

Anti-Sexual Harassment Policy

The Company has in place an Anti-Sexual Harassment Policy in line with the requirements of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. An Internal Complaints Committee has been set up to redress complaints received on sexual harassment. All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy.

During the year under review:

- a) Number of complaints of sexual harassment received in the year – Nil
- b) Number of complaints disposed off during the year Nil
- c) Number of cases pending for more than ninety days Nil

Maternity benefit provided by the company under the Maternity Benefit Act 1961

The Company declares that it has duly complied with the provisions of the Maternity Benefit Act, 1961. All eligible women employees have been extended the statutory benefits prescribed under the Act, including paid maternity leave, continuity of salary and service during the leave period, and post-maternity support such as nursing breaks

and flexible return-to-work options, as applicable. The Company remains committed to fostering an inclusive and supportive work environment that upholds the rights and welfare of its women employees in accordance with applicable laws.

Share Capital: - The Paid-Up share equity Capital of the company as at March 31, 2025, is Rs. 18.40 Crores. During the year under review, the company has not issued shares or convertible securities nor granted stock options or sweat equity shares.

Annual Return

Pursuant to the provisions of section 92(3) and 134(3) of the Act and Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Annual Return of the company in Form No. MGT-7 can be accessed on the website of the company at https://www.kmsugar.com/ othercompliances

Internal Financial Controls

The Company has adequate internal financial controls, taking into consideration the essential components of internal controls stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. During the year, such controls were tested and no reportable material weakness in the design or operation was observed.

Risk Management

The Company aims to have a formalized and systematic approach for managing risks across the Company. It encourages knowledge and experience sharing in order to increase transparency on the key risks to the Company to the extent possible. This approach increases risk awareness and ensures proper management of risks as part of the daily management activities.

The objective of the Company's risk management process is to support a structured and consistent approach to identify, prioritise, manage, monitor and report on the principal risks and uncertainties that can impact its ability to achieve its strategic objectives.

The Company has introduced several initiatives for risk management, including the introduction of audit functions and processes to identify and create awareness of risks, optimal risk mitigation and efficient management of internal control and assurance activities.

Risk Management Policy as per regulation 21 of the SEBI Listing Regulations is applicable on the top 1000 entity the basics of market capitalization, therefore the same is not applicable on the company during the reporting period.

Corporate Social Responsibility

KMSML has adopted CSR since its inception. The activities are undertaken or supported by the Company and also through a trust engaged in promoting health care, preventive health checkups, etc., projects. The Company constituted a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee (for details, please refer Corporate Governance Report) pursuant to the requirement of Section 135(1) of the Companies Act, 2013. The CSR policy of the Company, inter alia, includes the activities, composition and meetings of the CSR committee, annual allocation for CSR activities, area of CSR projects, criteria for selection of CSR, modalities of execution/implementation of CSR activities and the monitoring mechanism of CSR activities/

projections. During the year under report, the Company has spent Rs. 31.50 lacs, which is the Excess CSR Expenditure available for Carry Forward of FY 25-26 and onwards. CSR obligation of Rs. 86.85 lacs has been set off against the Excess CSR Expenditure carried forward for the FY 21-22 and 2022-23. The Company has aligned its CSR Policy in line with the changes made effective from January 22, 2021, in Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (CSR Policy) Rules, 2014.

A detailed Annual Report on CSR Activities undertaken by the company during the reporting period, as prescribed under Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility) Amendment Rules, 2021, is annexed herewith in Annexure-4

Conservation of Energy, Technology Absorption and Foreign **Exchange and Outgo**

Information relating to conservation of energy, technology absorption and foreign exchange earnings and outgo as required under Section 134(3)(m) of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 8 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014, is given in Annexure-1.

Research and Development

The details relating to Research and Development activities carried out by the company during the year are stated in the annexure to this report.

Foreign currency risk and Commodity price risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company's exposure to the risk of changes in foreign exchange rates relates primarily to the Company's foreign currency-denominated borrowings. This foreign currency risk is covered by using foreign exchange forward contracts and currency swap contracts. The company does not have substantial transactions during the year in foreign currency, so the company does not have such of risk.

The sugar industry being cyclical in nature, realisations get adversely affected during a downturn. Higher cane price or higher production than the demand ultimately affects profitability. The Company has mitigated this risk through a well-integrated business model by diversifying into cogeneration and distillation, thereby utilising the by-products.

Particulars of Employees

The disclosure as required under the provisions of Section 197 (12) of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 5(2) of The Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, in respect of the employees of the Company has been given in Annexure-9 and forms part of this Report.

Corporate Governance

As required under Regulation 34 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulation, 2015, a separate section on Corporate Governance forming part of the Directors' Report and the certificate from Practicing Company Secretary, CS Pragati Gupta, confirming the compliance of the conditions on Corporate Governance is attached as Annexure-2 and Annexure-3 to this report.

Management Discussion and Analysis Report

The Management Discussion and Analysis Report on the business and operations of the company is attached to this report as Annexure 5.

Industrial Relation

The industrial relations have been cordial at all plants of the Company during the year.

Subsidiary Company

Your Company has a wholly owned subsidiary company, viz. M/s. KM Spirits and Allied Industries Limited was incorporated on 23-02-2018 to manufacture all types of spirits. Your Company had made a total investment of Rs. 5.00 Lacs in the Company. However, the said subsidiary is yet to commence operations. In terms of proviso to section 139(3) of the Companies Act, 2013, the salient features of the financial statements of the subsidiary is set out in the prescribed form (AOC-1) under Rule-5 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules,2014 as Annexure-8. Your Company's Policy for determination of a material subsidiary, as adopted by your Board, in conformity with Regulation 16 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, can be accessed on your Company's corporate website at www.kmsugar.com. The Company does not have any material subsidiaries. The Minutes of Board Meetings of the subsidiary companies and details of significant transactions & arrangements entered into by them are placed before the Board of Directors of the Company. The annual financial statements of the subsidiary companies are reviewed by the Audit Committee of the Company. Performance review reports of subsidiaries are also placed before the Board of Directors of the Company on a half-yearly basis

Pursuant to the provisions of section 136 of the Act, the financial statements of the Company, including the consolidated financial statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of the subsidiary, are available on the website of the Company. The Company will make available the annual report of the subsidiary Company upon request by any shareholder of the Company interested in obtaining the same.

Consolidated Financial Statement

In accordance with the provisions of the act and listing regulations read with Ind AS-110-consolidated financial statement, Ind AS-28investments in associates and joint ventures and Ind AS-31-interests in joint ventures, the Company has prepared a consolidated financial statement for the year ended March 31, 2025.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 136 of the Act, the financial statements of the Company, including the consolidated financial statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of the subsidiary, are available on the website of the Company. The Company will make available the annual report of the subsidiary Company upon request by any shareholder of the Company interested in obtaining the same.

Number of Meetings of the Board

The Board met five times during the financial year, the details of which are given in the Corporate Governance Report that forms part of this Annual Report as Annexure-2. The intervening gap between any two meetings was within the period prescribed by the Companies Act, 2013 and the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

Policy on Directors' Appointment and Remuneration, including criteria for determining qualifications, Positive Attributes, Independence of a Director, Key Managerial Personnel and other employees

The Company seeks to maintain an appropriate mix of executive and independent directors in order to maintain the independence of the Board and segregate the functions of governance and management. The Board consists of professionally qualified individuals from diverse backgrounds with wide experience in business, education, finance and public service. As at year-end, the Board consists of 9 directors, one of whom is the executive Chairman, one is Managing Director, one is Joint Managing Director, one Executive Director, and five are Independent directors, including one woman director. Your Company, in compliance with section 178(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, read with The Companies (Meeting of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014, has duly constituted a Nomination and Remuneration Committee. This committee is chaired by an independent director and formulates the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes, independence of a director and other matters.

Appointment and the remuneration of Board members, key managerial personnel or one level below the Board level is fixed on the basis of the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee made to the Board, which may accept them, with or without modifications. The Company affirms that there has been no change in this policy and that the remuneration paid to directors is as per the terms laid out in this policy.

Policy on Directors' appointment and remuneration is available on the company's website at https://www.kmsugar.com/policesofkmsml/#policy-on-selection-remuneration-of-directors-kmpandother-employees

Disclosures pursuant to the requirements of section 197(12) read with Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, have been made in Annexure-9 of this Board Report

Induction & Changes in Directors

Shri Lakshmi Kant Jhunjhunwala, Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala and Shri Subhash Chandra Agarwal are the whole-time directors designated as Chairman, Managing Director and Joint Managing Director & Executive Director cum C.E.O.

During the second and final term of Shri S.K. Gupta (DIN: 01995658) and Smt. Madhu Mathur (DIN: 07196895) of five consecutive years as Non-Executive, Independent Director ended w.e.f. August 21, 2024.

The Board expressed deep appreciation and gratitude to Shri S.K. Gupta and Smt. Madhu Mathur for their extensive contribution and stewardship during their respective terms as the Independent Director(s) of the Company.

During the year, Shri Narendra Mohan and Smt. Archan Agarwal was appointed as Non-Executive Independent director w.e.f 29.06.2024 and 21.05.2025 respectively.

Shri Narendra Mohan, Smt. Archan Agarwal, Shri Sushil Solomon, Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav and Shri Baskshi Ram Yadav are the Non-Executive Independent Directors of the Company.

The Board has recommended the appointment of Shri. Bibhas Kumar Shrivastav for the second term of five consecutive years in the Board meeting held on 26th May, 2025.

At the ensuing Annual General Meeting, Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala and Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, Directors of the Company, retire by rotation u/s 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and being eligible, offered themselves for re-appointment at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The appointment of Shri. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav, as an Independent Non-Executive Director, was approved by members at the 2nd Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 10-02-2021 for a period of five years w.e.f. 01.02.2021. Accordingly, after having been recommended by the Nomination & Remuneration Committee of the Company, the Board has recommended his appointment in the Board meeting held on 26-05-2025 for a period of 5 (five) years w.e.f. 01st February,2026. Appropriate resolutions seeking your approval for the said appointments are appearing in the Notice convening the 52nd AGM of the Company.

Attributes, Qualifications & Independence of Directors and their Appointment

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee adopted the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of Directors, including Independent Directors, pursuant to the Act and the Rules thereunder. The Corporate Governance Policy, inter alia, requires that Non-Executive Directors be drawn from amongst eminent professionals, with experience in business/finance/law/ public administration and enterprises. The Board Diversity Policy of your Company requires the Board to have a balance of skills, experience and diversity of perspectives appropriate to the Company. The skills, expertise and competencies of the Directors as identified by the Board, along with the names of directors who have such skills/ expertise/competence, are provided in the Report on Corporate Governance forming part of the Report and Accounts. The Articles of Association of your Company provide that the strength of the Board shall not be fewer than three nor more than fifteen. Directors are appointed/re-appointed with the approval of the Members for a period of three to five years or a shorter duration, in accordance with retirement guidelines and as may be determined by the Board from time to time. All Directors, other than Independent Directors and the Managing Director, are liable to retire by rotation, unless otherwise approved by the Members. One-third of the Directors who are liable to retire by rotation retire every year and are eligible for re-election.

Details of the Company's Policy on remuneration of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and other employees is provided in the Report on Corporate Governance forming part of the Report and Accounts.

Declaration by Independent Directors

As per the requirement of section 149(7), the Company has received a declaration from every Independent Director that he or she meets the criteria of independence as laid down under section 149(6) read with rule 5 of the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rule, 2014 and Regulation 25 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The Independent Directors of your Company have confirmed that (a) they meet the

criteria of Independence as prescribed under Section 149 of the Act and Regulation 16 of the Listing Regulations 2015, (b) they are not aware of any circumstance or situation, which could impair or impact their ability to discharge duties with an objective independent judgement and without any external influence and (c) they have registered their names in the Independent Directors' Databank. Further, in the opinion of the Board, the Independent Directors fulfil the conditions prescribed under the Listing Regulations 2015 and are independent of the management of the Company. The Independent Directors met once, on 26th May, 2025. The Meeting was conducted without the presence of the Chairman, Executive Directors and any other Managerial Personnel.

Annual Performance Evaluation

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 134(3)(p) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Regulation 17 of the listing regulations, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, as reported in earlier years, formulated the Policy on Board evaluation, evaluation of Board Committees' functioning and individual Director evaluation, and also specified that such evaluation will be done by the Board, pursuant to the Act and the Rules thereunder and the Listing Regulations 2015. In keeping with the Company's belief that it is the collective effectiveness of the Board that impacts the Company's performance, the primary evaluation platform is that of collective performance of the Board as a whole. Board performance is assessed against the role and responsibilities of the Board as provided in the Act and the Listing Regulations 2015, read with the Company's Governance Policy. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee has devised a criteria for evaluation of the performance of the Directors including the Independent Directors by preparing a structured questionnaire after taking into consideration inputs received from the Directors, covering various aspects of the Board's functioning, attendance, acquaintance with business, communication inter se between board members, effective participation, domain knowledge, compliance with code of conduct, vision and strategy, etc., which is in compliance with applicable laws, regulations and guidelines. Evaluation of the functioning of Board Committees is based on discussions amongst Committee members and shared by the respective Committee Chairman with the Chairman of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, who in turn shares the consolidated report with the Chairman of the Board for his review and gives feedback to each Director. A separate exercise was carried out to evaluate the performance of individual Directors, including the Chairman of the Board, who were evaluated on parameters such as level of engagement and contribution, independence of judgement, safeguarding the interests of the Company, etc. The performance evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board. The performance evaluation of the Chairman and the Non-Independent Directors was carried out by the Independent Directors. The Directors expressed their satisfaction with the evaluation process. Reports on the functioning of Committees were placed before the Board by the Committee Chairman. The Independent Directors Committee of the Board also reviewed the performance of the non-Independent Directors and the Board, pursuant to Schedule IV to the Act and Regulation 25 of the Listing Regulations 2015.

Committees of the Board

Currently, the Board has 5 committees. A detailed note on the Board and its committees is provided in the Corporate Governance Report section of this Annual Report. The composition of the committees and compliances, as per applicable provisions of the Act and Rules, is as follows:

Name of the committee	Composition of the committee*	Highlights of duties, responsibilities and activities
Audit committee	Shri. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav-Chairman Shri Sushil Solomon-Member	All recommendations made by the committee during the year were accepted by the Board.
S	Shri S.C.Agarwal-Member	The Company has adopted the Whistle Blower Mechanism for directors and employees to report concerns about unethical behavior, actual or suspected fraud.
		The Company has formed the Related Party Transaction Policy.
Nomination and remuneration committee	Shri Sushil Solomon-Chairman Shri Bakshi Ram- Member Smt. Archana Agarwal-Member	 The Committee oversees and administers executive compensation. All recommendations made by the committee during the year were accepted by the Board.
Stakeholders' relationship committee	Shri Bakshi Ram-Chairman Smt. Archana Agarwal-Member Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala-Member	 The Committee reviews and ensures redresses of investor grievances. The committee noted that the grievances of the investors reported during the year, if any.
Corporate social responsibility committee	Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala-Chairman Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala-Member Shri Sushil Solomon-Member	 The Board as laid down the Company's policy on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). The CSR policy is uploaded on Company website, www.kmsugar.com
Finance Committee	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala-Chairman Shri Subhash Chandra Agarwal-Member Shri Bibhas Kumar Shrivastav-Member	The committee review's the Company's proposed capital budget The committee review's Company's Finances, Investments, requirement of fund and liaisoning with Bankers with the power to approve the new limits of the company as sanctioned by Bankers of the company etc.

Particulars of Loans, Guarantee or Investments

As per the requirement of section 186(4) of the Companies Act, 2013, particulars of loans given, investments made, guarantees given or securities provided along with the purpose for which the loan or guarantee or security is proposed to be utilized by the recipient, are provided in the note number 37.8(c) to the financial statements. The Company is in compliance with the limits as prescribed under Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with rule 11 of the Companies (Meeting of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014.

The Members have approved the limits under section 186(3) of Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 11 of the Companies (Meeting of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014, (i) to the extent of Rs. 400.00 Cr or (ii) 60% of the aggregate of the paid-up share capital and free reserves and securities premium account or (iii) 100% of its free reserves and securities premium account, whichever is higher.

Particulars of contracts or arrangements with Related Party

All contracts/arrangements/transactions entered into by the Company during the financial year with related parties were in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length basis. During the year, the Company had not entered into any contract/arrangement/ transaction with related parties which could be considered material in accordance with the policy of the Company on materiality of related party transactions or which is required to be reported in Form No. AOC-2 at Annexure – 8, in terms of Section 134(3)(h) read with Section 188 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014. Transactions with the related party entered by the company in the normal course of business are periodically placed before the Audit Committee for its omnibus approval.

The Policy on Materiality of Related Party Transactions and on dealing with Related Party Transactions as approved by the Board is put up on the Company's website and can be accessed at https://www.kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#policy-on-related-party-transaction-pursuant-to-regulations-23-of-sebiThere were no materially significant related party transactions which could have potential conflict with the interest of the Company at large.

The disclosures as required under Part A of Schedule V of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, are provided in accordance with Ind AS 24 in the note number 37.8(c) to standalone and consolidated financial statements.

Key Financial Ratios

Key Financial Ratios for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025, along with details of significant changes (i.e. change of 25% or more as compared to the immediately previous financial year) in key financial ratios, and the detailed explanations, are provided in the Management Discussion and Analysis Report forming part of this report.

Acknowledgement

Your Directors place on record their acknowledgement and sincere appreciation of all the bankers and financial institutions for their continued assistance. They further appreciate and acknowledge with gratitude the co-operation and assistance received from all executives, staff and workmen of the Company.

For and on behalf of the Board of K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd.

-Sd/-

L. K. Jhunjhunwala Chairman Din: 01854647

Date: 07.08.2025 Place: Lucknow

Annexure- 1

Conservation of Energy, Technology Absorption and Foreign Exchange and Outgo

PARTICULARS	STEPS TAKEN BY THE COMPANY 2023-24
(i) The steps taken or impact on conservation of energy	The company has taken various steps towards energy conservation. The company continues to give high priority to the conservation of energy on an ongoing basis. The details of steps taken are listed below:
	1. Installation of new mill Hydraulic Control Panel and 02 nos. new Cylinders to control the load on mill to optimize the power at Miil.
	2. Feed Control Valves 2 Nos at 'C' Continuous Centrifugal Machines to run the machines at full load at minimum water consumption & less time to run the machines, this help to reduce steam consumption at Pan as well as Power consumption due to less duration of operation.
	3. Insulation work at Pan to reduce the steam consumption.
	4. Replacement of Existing Lighting with efficient lighting to reduce the power consumption.
(ii) The steps taken by the company for utilizing alternate sources of energy.	Company has bagasse-based generation power plant which is used for captive consumption and surplus power is being sold to U P Power Corporation Limited
(iii)e capital investment on energy conservation requirements during the year 2024-25 was	Rs.25 lakhs approx. during the year 2024-25 The company also makes investment wherever required for conservation of energy. The company has continuous process to monitor and explore ways for conservation of energy.

Form B

I. Disclosure of particulars with respect to Technology Absorption Research & Development (R&D) Technology absorption, adaptation and innovation:

- (i) The company carried on following sugarcane development activities during the financial year 2024-25:
 - Popularizing the use of a trash mulcher to mix the trash in soil for guick decomposition in soil, which will improve the soil health.
 - Popularizing the drone spray and drip irrigation for increasing the crop yield.
 - Providing mechanical equipment to cane growers at the minimum cost of sugar cane cultivation.
 - Popularization of distance planting for improving crop health, yield and recovery.
 - The Company has tied up with ICAR-SBI & ISMA for the development and trial of new cane varieties suitable for our location, and out of these trials, 3-4 varieties have been found promising for the future, having high yield and recovery.
 - The company is providing tissue culture seed to farmers to increase the crop productivity.
- (ii) Due to the above efforts, it is expected that higher yield and disease-free cane will be available to the company, and Multi-cropping also helps farmers to get more income.

2. (i) Expenditure incurred on Research & Development: Nil

(ii) Foreign Exchange earnings & Outgo

		Year 2024-25	Year 2023-24
i)	Foreign exchange earned in terms of actual inflows	Nil	Nil
ii)	Foreign Exchange outgo in terms of actual outflows	Rs.224.59 lakhs	Rs.113.48 lakhs

Report on Corporate Governance

Pursuant to Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company formulated the policies, procedures and processes on Corporate Governance for the best practices and institutionalizing the code of corporate governance.

This Report is furnished in terms of Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the Auditors' certificate on Corporate Governance as prescribed is also attached. Further, this Report also discloses relevant information in terms of Section 134(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and forms an integral part of the Board's Report to shareholders.

Corporate Governance is an integral part of values, ethics and the best business practices followed by the Company. The core values of the Company are:

1. Company's Philosophy on Code of Governance:

- Transparency in policies and action.
- Maximizing long-term shareholders' value
- Socially valued enterprise and
- Commitment to excellence and customer satisfaction
- Independence to develop and maintain a healthy work culture.
- Growth for stakeholders.
- Caring for people and the environment.
- Accountability for performance.

In a nutshell, the philosophy can be described as observing business practices with the ultimate aim of enhancing long-term shareholders' value and commitment to a high standard of business ethics.

The Company has in place a Code of Corporate Ethics and Conduct reiterating its commitment to maintain the highest standards in its interface with stakeholders and clearly laying down the core values and corporate ethics to be practiced by its entire management cadre.

Your company, since its inception, being always been guided by ethical principles and has been transparent and fair in its business dealings and administration, has an adequate system of control and checks in place to ensure that the executive decisions result in optimum growth and development.

2. Board of Directors

The Board periodically reviews Compliance Reports of all laws applicable to the Company and has put in place a procedure to review steps to be taken by the Company to rectify instances of noncompliance, if any.

Pursuant to the Listing Regulations of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, the Board has laid down a Code of Conduct for all Board members and Senior Management of the Company, and the same has been uploaded on the website of the Company (www.kmsugar.com). All the Board Members and Senior Management Personnel have affirmed compliance with the Code.

The current policy is to have an appropriate mix of Executive and Independent Directors to maintain the independence of the Board of the Company. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act 2013, amended from time to time(hereinafter called the 'Act') and Regulation 17 of Listing Regulations, the board consists of eight directors, out of which four are executive directors and four are nonexecutive directors. Executive directors consist of the Chairman. Managing Director, Joint Managing Director, and independent executive director -cum-Chief Executive Officer. The present mix of the Board of the Company is as under:

- Three Promoters, Executive Directors
- One non-Promoter, Executive Director-cum- CEO
- Five Independent, Non-Executive Directors

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The composition of the Board of Directors, as on 31st March, 2025, the number of other board of directors or Board committees of which they are members or chairperson and the attendance of each director at these board meetings and the last Annual General Meeting are as under:

Name of Director	Category	No. of other director ships (Public Limited Company)	Names of the listed entities where the person is a director and the category of directorship	No of mem- bership of other Board committee	No. of Board Meeting Attended	No. of Board Committees for chairman (Audit/Stake- holder)	Atten- dance at last AGM	No. of shares as on 31-03- 2025
1- Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	-	-	-	3	-	Yes	14302600
2- Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	3	-	1	5	-	Yes	5289242
3- Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	3	-	1	3	-	No	2494600
4-Shri S. C. Agarwal	Independent, Executive & CEO	1	-	-	5	-	Yes	-
5-Shri Sushil Solomon	Independent -Non- Executive	-	-		5	-	Yes	-
6-Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	Independent –Non- Executive	1	-	2	5	1	Yes	-
7-Shri Bakshi Ram	Independent –Non- Executive	-	-	-	5	-	Yes	-
8- Smt. Archna Agarwal	Independent -Non- Executive	-	-	-	3	-	Yes	-
9- Shri Narendra Mohan	Independent -Non- Executive	2	-	-	3	NA	Yes	-

Inter-se Relationship: -

The disclosure of the relationship between Directors is as follows:-

Name of Director	Category	Inter-se Relationship
Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Father of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala and Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala
Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Son of Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala and brother of Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala
Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Son of Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala and brother of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala
Shri S. C. Agarwal	Independent, Executive & CEO	No Inter-se Relationship
Shri S. K. Gupta	Independent, Non-executive	No Inter-se Relationship
Shri Sushil Solomon	Independent –non-executive	No Inter-se Relationship
Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	Independent –non-executive	No Inter-se Relationship
Shri Bakshi Ram Yadav	Independent –non-executive	No Inter-se Relationship
Smt. Archna Agarwal	Additional Independent –Non-Executive	No Inter-se Relationship

Familiarization Programmes for Directors

In terms of Regulation 25 of the Listing Regulations, the company is required to conduct various programs for Independent Directors to familiarize them with the Company and its affairs, so that they can contribute significantly to effectively discharge their role of trusteeship in a manner that fulfils stakeholders' aspirations and societal expectations. In pursuit of this, the Directors of the Company are updated on changes/developments in the domestic/global corporate and industry scenario, including those pertaining to statutes/legislations & economic environment, and on matters significantly affecting the Company, to enable them to take well-informed and timely decisions. Visits to the Company facilities are also organized for the Directors.

The Details of Such a Programme are available on the website of the company- (https://www.kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#familiarisation-policy)

Board Meetings: -

During the year ended on 31st March, 2024, Five Board meetings were held. The details are as follows:-

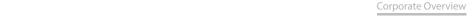
Date of Board Meeting	Board Strength	Directors Present
21.05.2024	9	8
29.06.2024	8	6
08.08.2024	9	8
11.11.2024	9	8
05.02.2025	9	8

Core skills/expertise/competencies identified by the board:-

The Practice of Corporate Governance in K M Sugar Mills Ltd takes place In three interlinked levels:-



Nomination and Remuneration Committee while considering the appointment of any person as Director and KMP ensure that he/she possess the skills as required for the efficient functioning of the Company and all other qualifications as prescribed under Listing Regulations and the Act and also such other skills, positive attributes etc. which may be fruitful in enhancing the growth of Company, which is then recommended to Board for their approval



S. No	Name of Director and KMP	Category	List of core skill expertise and competence
1	Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Strategic supervision
2	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Strategic supervision, Policy Making, Business Management and Leadership.
3	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Promoter, Executive	Strategic supervision, Management and Leadership.
4	Shri S. C. Agarwal	Independent, Executive- cum-CEO	Strategic Management and implementation.
5	Shri Sushil Solomon	Independent-Non-Executive	Policy Implantation Guidance, Business Plans and leadership
6	Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	Independent-Non-Executive	Banking, Finance & Economics
7	Shri Bakshi Ram Yadav	Independent–Non-Executive	Business Plans & Guidance
8	Smt. Archana Agarwal	Add. Independent–Non- Executive	Strategic Management, supervision and Guidance
9	Shri Narendra Mohan	Add. Independent–Non- Executive	Policy Implantation Guidance and Business Plans
10	Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta	Chief Financial Officer	Implementation of Financial and Accounting Methodologies and control
11	Ms. Pooja Dua*	Company Secretary-cum- Compliance Officer	Compliance Management and its implementation

Ms. Ritika Tandon has been appointed as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer in place of Mrs. Pooja Dua with effect from 07.08.2025.

Confirmation by the Board for the Independent Directors:-

All the Independent Directors furnished their declaration pursuant to Section 149(7) of the Companies Act, 2013, affirming that they met the criteria of independence as provided in sub-section (6). The Independent directors fulfil the conditions specified in the listing regulations and are independent of the management

During the year under review, no independent Director has resigned from the company.

However, the two consecutive terms of Mr. S.K. Gupta and Mrs. Madhu Mathur will cease to be Independent Directors of the Company w.e.f. Closing of business hours on August 21, 2024.

During the year under review, Mrs. Archana Agarwal (w.e.f May 21, 2024) and Mr. Narendra Mohan Agarwal (w.e.f June 29, 2024) were appointed as Independent Directors of the company.

Board Committees

The company has five committees- the Audit Committee, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Stakeholders Relationship Committee, the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee and the Finance Committee. The Company Secretary of the Company acts as the Secretary to all the Committees.

The quorum for the meetings is either two or one-third of the members of the committees, whichever is higher.

Audit Committee

The Audit Committee comprises three directors, out of which two are Non-Executive Independent Directors and one is the Promoter - Executive Director. The Board at its meeting held on 21st May 2024 has reconstituted the committee and appointed Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav as the chairman of the committee. The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the committee. The Chief Financial Officer, the External and Internal Auditors are the regular invitees. The Composition of the Audit Committee meets the requirements of Regulation 18 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 and the provisions of the Companies Act 2013.

The Composition of the Audit Committee:-

S. No	Name of the Member	Position	Category
1	Shri. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	Chairman	Non-Executive Independent Director
2	Shri Sushil Solomon	Member	Non-Executive Independent Director
3	Shri S.C Agarwal	Member	Promoter Executive Director

Terms of Reference and Powers:

All the members of the Committee have sound knowledge of finance and accounts. The terms of reference and powers of the audit committee cover areas mentioned under Regulation 18 SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015and section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013 (hereinafter referred to as "the act"). The Committee observes the Company's financial reporting process and disclosure of its financial information to ensure that the financial statements are correct. sufficient and credible.

- Recommends the appointment and removal of the external auditor, fixing audit fees and also approval for payment for any other services.
- Reviews the quarterly, half-yearly annual financial statements with the management before submission to the Board.
- -Reviews the external and internal auditors, and the adequacy of the internal control system with the management.
- -Reviews the adequacy of the internal audit function, including the structure of the internal audit department, staffing and seniority of the official heading the department, reporting structure coverage and frequency of internal audit.
- -Reviews the findings of any internal investigation by the Internal Auditors into matters where there is suspected fraud.
- -Discussion with External Auditors before the commencement of the Audit about the nature and scope of the audit, as well as post audit discussion to ascertain any area of concern.
- -Review of the company's financial risk management policies, also to look into the reasons for substantial defaults in payments to depositors, shareholders and creditors.

Meetings and Attendance: -

During the year ended on 31st March, 2025, four committee meetings were held on 21.05.2024, 08.08.2024, 11.11.2024 and 05.02.2025.

S. No	Name of the Member	Position	Number of Meetings Attended
1	Shri. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	Chairman	4
2	Shri Sushil Solomon	Member	4
3	Shri S.C Agarwal	Member	4

Nomination and Remuneration Committee

The Remuneration Committee comprises three directors, and all three directors are non-executive independent directors. During the year under review. The Board, in its meeting held on 21st May 2024, has reconstituted the committee and appointed Shri Sushil Solomon as the chairman of the committee. During the year ended on 31st March 2025, five committee meetings were held on 21.05.2024, 29.06.2024, 08.08.2024, 11.11.2024 and 05.02.2025. The details are as follows:

S.no.	Name of the Member	Position	Number of meetings attended
1.	Shri Sushil Solomon	Chairman	4
2.	Shri Bakshi Ram	Member	4
3.	*Smt. Archana Agarwal	Member	2
4	**Smt. Madhu Mathur	Member	1
5	**Shri. S K Gupta	Chairman	1

- * Smt. Archana Agarwal Appointed as Non-Executive Independent Director with effect from May 21, 2024
- ** Two consecutive terms of Smt. Madhu Mathur and Shri. S K Gupta was completed and ceased to be a director with effect from August 21, 2024

Terms of Reference: -

The Terms of Reference of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee are in line with the requirements of the Act and Part D Schedule II of the Listing Regulations

- (1) to formulate criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommend to the board of directors a policy relating to the remuneration of the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees;
 - [(1A). For every appointment of an independent director, to evaluate the balance of skills, knowledge and experience on the Board and on the basis of such evaluation, prepare a description of the role and capabilities required of an independent director. The person recommended to the Board for appointment as an independent director shall have the capabilities identified in such description. For the purpose of identifying suitable candidates, the Committee may:
 - a. use the services of an external agency, if required;
 - b. consider candidates from a wide range of backgrounds, having due regard to diversity; and
 - c. Consider the time commitments of the candidates.
- (2) to formulate criteria for the evaluation of the performance of independent directors and the board of directors;
- (3) to devise a policy on the diversity of the board of directors;
- (4) to identify persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with the criteria laid down, and recommend to the board of directors their appointment and removal.
- (5) to check whether to extend or continue the term of appointment of the independent director, on the basis of the report of the performance evaluation of independent directors.

(6) to recommend to the board all remuneration, in whatever form, payable to senior management.

The performance evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board on various criteria on the basis of specific duties performed, obligations and governance, level of engagement and contribution, independence of judgement, and safeguarding the interests of the Company. The manner in which the annual performance evaluations are done by the Board, including the criteria for the same, is discussed in detail in the Directors' Report.

Stakeholders' Relationship Committee

The Stakeholders' Relationship Committee comprises three directors, out of which one is an executive and two are non-executive Independent Directors.

The Stakeholders' Relationship Committee looks after the cordial investor relations and oversees the various aspects of the shareholders and resolving the grievances of the security holders of the listed entity, including complaints related to transfer/transmission of shares, non-receipt of annual report, non-receipt of declared dividends, issue of new/duplicate certificates, general meetings, etc. Reviews the measures taken for effective exercise of voting rights by shareholders, reviews the adherence to the service standards adopted by the listed entity in respect of various services being rendered by the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent, review of the various measures and initiatives taken by the listed entity for reducing the quantum of unclaimed dividends and ensuring timely receipt of dividend warrants/annual reports/statutory notices by the shareholders of the company and are placed at the Board Meeting from time to time.

Besides, it monitors implementation and compliance of the Company's Code of Conduct for Prohibition of Insider Trading in pursuance of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

The Board, in its meeting held on 21st May 2024, has reconstituted the committee and appointed Shri Bakshi Ram as the chairman of the committee.

Ms. Pooja Dua, Company Secretary, is designated as the Compliance Officer of the company.

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Sr no.	Name of the Member	Position	Number of meetings attended
1	Shri Bakshi Ram	Chairman	4
2	*Smt. Archana Agarwal	Member	2
3	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Member	3
4	**Smt. Madhu Mathur	Member	1
5	**Shri. S K Gupta	Chairman	1

Smt. Archana Agarwal Appointed as Non-Executive Independent Director with effect from May 21, 2024.

Shareholders' Complaint: -

During the year ended 31st March, 2025, no complaint was received.

Further, no complaints were pending at the beginning of the year and at the year's end. Further, no transfer request is pending.

Corporate Social Responsibility Committee:

The company has a CSR Committee and formulated a CSR policy and has been pursuing the objects as mentioned u/s 135 in schedule VII, the committee was formed to assist the Board in the formulation and implementation of CSR policy as per the Schedule VII of Companies Act, 2013 and also to recommend the CSR expenditure to be incurred by the company The Committee comprises of three directors out of which two are executive and one is non- executive Independent

During the year ended on 31st March, 2025, four committee meetings were held: 21.05.2024, 08.08.2024, 11.11.2024 and 05.02.2025. The details are as follows:

SI no.	Name of the Member	Position	Number of meetings attended
1	Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala	Chairperson	3
2	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Member	2
3	Shri Sushil Solomon	Member	3
4	*Shri S.K.Gupta	Chairperson	1
5	*Smt Madhu Mathur	Member	1

^{*} Two consecutive terms, Smt. Madhu Mathur and Shri. S K Gupta was completed and ceased to be a director with effect from August 21, 2024

Finance Committee:

The committee was formed by the Board of Directors to review the Company's proposed capital budget, Finances, Investments, requirements of funds/loans and liaisoning with Banks/lenders with the power to approve the new/revised facilities/limits for the company as sanctioned/to be sanctioned by Banks/lenders. During the year ended on 31st March, 2025, one committee meeting was held during the financial year ended 31st March, 2025, on 17th January 2025. The details are as follows:

SI no.	Name of the Member as on 31.03.2024	Position	Number of meetings attended
1	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Chairperson	1
2	Shri S. C. Agarwal	Member	1
3	Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastava	Member	1

^{*}Shri S.K Gupta was replaced with Shri Bibhas Kr. Srivastava w.e.f 21-05-2024.

Independent Directors' Meeting

During the year under review, the Independent Directors met on May 21, 2024, inter alia, to:

- Evaluate performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board of Directors as a whole;
- Evaluate the performance of the Chairman of the Company, taking into account the views of the Executive and Non-Executive Directors;

^{**} Two consecutive terms, Smt. Madhu Mathur and Shri. S K Gupta was completed and ceased to be a director with effect from August 21, 2024.

• Evaluation of the quality, content and timelines of the flow of information between the Management and the Board that is necessary for the Board to effectively and reasonably perform its duties.

All the Independent Directors were present at the Meeting.

Senior Management

Particulars of senior management, including the changes therein since the close of the previous financial year.

Sr.No.	Name of Senior Management Personnel	Designation	Changes if any, during the year (Appointment /Cessation)	Nature of change and Effective date
1	P. C. Tiwari	V.P. (Technical)	-	-
2	Anil Kumar Pal	V.P. (Production)	-	-
3	Sunil Kumar Chauhan	G.M. (Cane)	-	-
4	Rajendra Kumar Gupta	G.M. (Commercial)	-	-
5	Uma Shankar Jaiswal	G.M. (Project)	Resigned	31/05/2024
6	V. N. Mishra	G.M. (P&A)		
7	Asrar Ahmad	G.M. (HR)	Resigned	27/10/2024
8	Ravindra Kumar Sharma	G.M. (HR)	Appointment	16/09/2024
9	Ratendra Kumar Jauhari	G.M. (System & Operation)	-	-
10	Abhishek Kumar Agrawal	Chief General Manager (Distillery)	Appointment	31/08/2024
11	Balmukund Srivastava	G.M. (Finance)		
12	Shivendra Kumar Mishra	G.M. (Process)	-	
13	Ram Murat Singh	G.M. (Sales)	Resigned	08/04/2024
14	Rajiv Ranjan Srivastva	G.M. (Sales)	Appointment	03/04/2024
15	Prithu Srivastava	Adl. G.M. (Admin)	-	-
16	Arvind Kumar Gupta	CFO	-	-
17	Pooja Dua	CS	-	-

Remuneration of directors

The remuneration as applicable to executive/non-executive directors provides for the following:

Non-Executive Directors

The remuneration to the non-executive directors is decided and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company unanimously. The sitting fees payable to the Non-Executive Directors were Rs. 20,000/- for each Board meeting and Rs. 5,000/- for each Committee meeting. There is no pecuniary relationship or transactions between the non-executive directors and the listed entity. The criteria of making payments to non-executive directors are disseminated on the https://www.kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#policy-on-selection-remuneration-of-directors-kmp-and-other-employees.

Executive Directors

The Executive Directors are paid remuneration as decided and recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee to the Board of Directors and approved by the Shareholders of the Company.

In terms of the provisions of section 196, 197 read with schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013, the approval of the members by the way of special resolution was accorded in the 50th Annual General Meeting of the company as the as the aggregate annual remuneration payable to executive directors who are promoters or members of the promoter group, exceeds 5 percent of the net profits or annual remuneration payable to such executive director exceeds Rs.5 crore or 2.5 per cent

of the net profits of the listed entity, whichever is higher, in terms of regulation 17(6)(e) of the SEBI Listing Regulation, 2015.

The remuneration paid to the directors during the year ending on 31st March, 2025, in the Annual Return in form MGT-7 of your Company is available on its corporate website at https://www.kmsugar.com/wp

Service Contract, Severance Fee and Notice Period

The appointment of the Chairman, Managing Director, Jt. Managing Director and Executive Director is for a term of Five Consecutive years and are governed by resolutions passed by the Board and the Shareholders of the Company, which cover the terms and conditions of such appointment, read with the service rules of the Company. A separate Service Contract is not entered into by the Company with those elevated to the Board. Letters of appointment have been issued by the Company to the Independent Directors, incorporating their roles, duties, and responsibilities, etc., which have been accepted by them. There is no separate provision for payment of severance fee under the resolutions governing the appointment of Executive Directors. The statutory provisions will, however, apply. With respect to the notice period of Directors, the statutory provisions will also apply.

Employee Stock Option Schemes

The Company has not granted any Stock Option Schemes during the financial year.

Circular Resolution

No resolution by Circulation was passed during the reporting period.

Location and time, where the last Annual / Extra Ordinary General Meetings were held during the last 3 years are given below:-

Financial Year	Day & Date	Location	Time	AGM/ EGM
2021-22	24.03.2022	Video Conferencing (VC) or other audio-visual means (OAVM)	11.00 a.m.	EGM
2021-22	22.09.2022	Video Conferencing (VC) or other audio-visual means (OAVM)	11.00 a.m.	AGM
2022-23	25.09.2023	Video Conferencing (VC) or other audio-visual means (OAVM)	11.00 a.m.	AGM
2023-24	03.08.2024	Video Conferencing (VC) or other audio-visual means (OAVM)	11.00 a.m.	AGM

Special resolutions passed in General Meetings during last 3 years: -

Date	AGM/EGM		Particulars
24th March, 2022	EGM	1)	To Approve the Change in Terms of Appointment of Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala (Din: 01854647) as A Whole Time Director Designated as Chairman of the Company
		2)	To Approve the Change in Terms of Appointment of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, (Din: 01686189) Whole Time Director, designated as a Managing Director
		3)	To Approve the Change in Terms of Appointment of Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala (Din: 01777954) Whole Time Director, designated as a Joint Managing Director of the Company
		4)	To Approve the Change in Terms of Appointment of Shri Subhash Chandra Agarwal, (Din -02461954) Whole Time Director, designated as an Executive Director-cum-CEO of the Company
22nd September, 2022	AGM	1)	To appoint Shri Bakshi Ram as an Independent Director of the Company
25th September, 2023	AGM	1)	To appoint a director in place of Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment
		2)	Re-appointment of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, (DIN: 01686189) as Managing Director of the Company
		3)	Re-appointment of Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala (DIN: 01777954) as a Whole Time Director designated as a Joint Managing Director of the Company
		4)	Re-appointment of Shri Subhash Chandra Agarwal, (DIN-02461954) as a Whole Time Director designated as a Executive Director of the Company
03rd August, 2024	AGM	1)	To re-appoint Shri Sushil Solomon (DIN – 08553009) as an Independent Director
		2)	To appoint Smt Archna Agarwal (DIN – 10615127) as an Independent Director of the Company
		3)	To appoint Shri Narendra Mohan (DIN – 10661367) as an Independent Director of the Company
		4)	To approve the changes in the clauses of the Article of Association of the company
		5)	To change in the registered office of the company

Postal Ballot

No resolution was passed through a postal ballot during the year under review. Further, there was no special resolution passed during the last year through a postal ballot.

Means of Communication

The quarterly and annual results of the Company pursuant to regulation 33 and 47 of the Listing Regulations, the Intimation of Board meeting to consider financial results and after the approval of the same in the Board are communicated to the stock exchanges within the prescribed time period and published in prominent newspapers viz. The Financial Express and Rashtriya Sahara.

The given below is the details of publishing of quarterly results of the Company-

	Finacial Results		Newspaper	
	Date of approval by Board	Date of Publication		
Quarter ended 30.06.2024 (Un-audited)	08.08.2024	09.08.2024	Financial Express ; Rashtriya Sahara	
Quarter ended 30.09.2024 (Un-audite)	11.11.2024	12.11.2024	Financial Express ; Rashtriya Sahara	
Quarter ended 31.12.2024 (Un-audited)	05.02.2025	06.02.2025	Financial Express ; Rashtriya Sahara	
Quarter and Year ended 31.03.2025 (Audited)	26.05.2025	27.05.2025	Financial Express ; Rashtriya Sahara	

^{*} Publication arranged

The results published also show, as a footnote, relevant additional information and/or disclosures to the investors.

Website

As per the requirement of Regulation 46 of Listing Regulations, the Company maintains a functional website www.kmsugar.com that contains relevant information updated in time and complies with SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. The company website also displays the official news releases.

Vigil Mechanism /Whistle Blower Policy

Pursuant to Section 177 (9) of the Act read with relevant Rule 7 of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014 and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, the Company has established a vigil mechanism overseen by the Audit Committee. This has been uploaded to the Company's website. No complaint under this facility was received during the period under review. Further, in pursuit of maintaining the highest ethical standards in the course of its business, the Company has put in place a mechanism for reporting instances of conduct which is in conformity with its Code. The Company formulated a Whistle Blower policy wherein the employees are free to report violations of law, rules, regulations, unethical conduct, misuse of authority, financial irregularities, etc. by way of e-mail directly to the Chairman of the Stakeholder Relationship Committee. The whistle blowers may also have direct access to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.

The Whistleblower policy aims at:

- Encouraging the directors and employees to feel confident in raising serious concerns.
- Providing ways for the directors and employees to raise their concerns and get feedback

On the concerns raised by them.

- Ensuring that the directors and/or employees get a response to their concerns.
- Reassuring the directors and/or employees that if the concerns are raised in good faith,
- They will be protected from victimisation, initiating action, where necessary, to set right the concern raised.
- Ensuring that the Policy is not abused.

The Directors and Management personnel maintain confidentiality of such reporting and ensure that the whistleblowers are not subjected to any discrimination.

No employee was denied access to the Audit Committee.

The Policy is available at (link) https://www.kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#whistle-blower-policy-vigil-mechanism

Compliance

The Board has complied with all the compliance related under Regulation 34 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

Compliance with Corporate Governance Norms

The Company has complied with the Mandatory requirements of the Code of Corporate Governance as stipulated under Regulation 34 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. The Company has submitted its Compliance Report in the prescribed format to the Stock Exchange for the quarters ended 30-06-2024, 30-09-2024, 31-12-2024 and 31-03-2025 on 10.07.2024, 17.10.2024, 10.02.2025 and 25.04.2025. The Secretarial Auditors have certified that the company has complied with the Corporate Governance norms as stipulated by the Stock Exchanges under SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, including the amendments thereof.

Code of Conduct

The Board of Directors has laid down a Code of Conduct for the Members of the Board as well as the employees in the senior Management of the Company. The Chairman has confirmed and declared that all the Members of the Board, as well as the employees in the senior Management, have affirmed Compliance with the Code of Conduct

Green Initiatives in Corporate Governance

Ministry of Corporate Affairs have taken a Green Initiative in Corporate Governance by allowing paperless Compliance by the Companies after considering the relevant sections of the Information Technology Act, 2000, for legal validity of Compliance under the Companies Act, through Electronic Mode.

In terms of the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, and rules made thereunder, various notices/ documents (including notice calling Annual General Meeting, Audited Financial Statements, Directors' Report, Auditors' Report, etc.) are being sent to the shareholders through electronic mode to the registered e-mail addresses of the shareholders.

The Company has not issued any Press Release or made any presentation to the investors or analysts about its financial results during the year.

Business Responsibility Report

SEBI has mandated by its circular dated 13.08.2012 the inclusion of Business Responsibility Reports (BR Reports) as part of the Annual Reports for listed entities. Regulation 34(2)(f) SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 have been inserted in the Equity Listing Agreement for this purpose. Initially, this has been made applicable for the top 500 listed entities.

As per SEBI (LODR), Fifth Amendment Regulations, 2019, the Business Responsibility Report is mandatory for the Top 1000 listed Companies. Our ranking based on the Average market capitalisation from July 01, 2024, to December 31, 2024, for the financial year 2025-26, is 1922 on BSE and 1771 at NSE. Therefore, the Business Responsibility Report is not applicable to us.

Company commitment

Our Company keeps a constant track of prevalent practices among the corporate towards formulating and fine-tuning its responses to the emerging areas of Corporate Governance and responsible business. It continues to take affirmative steps for substantive compliance commensurate with its size, nature of business and governing structure.

Our Company enjoys considerable goodwill with the residents in its neighbourhood for its transparency in dealings and fair practices in place. It would be relentless in its pursuit and strengthen its focus on doing responsible business.

General Shareholder Information:

Annual General Meeting for the financial year -2024-2025

Day, date, time and venue of the Annual General Meeting

Day & Date: Monday, September 29, 2025

Time: 11.00 AM

Venue: Through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual

means (OAVM)

Listing on Stock Exchanges

Equity Shares	Equity Shares
Stock Code:532673	Stock Code: KMSUGAR
BSE Limited, 25th Floor, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street,	National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block -
Mumbai. Tel: 91-22-22728527/ 8307	'G', Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra(E), Mumbai-00051
Fax:91-22-22721072	Tel: 91-22-26598100
Website: www.bseindia.com	Fax: 91-22-26598237/38
	Website: www.nseindia .com

Listing fees up to the financial year ended 31-03-2022 have been paid to all the concerned stock exchanges by the Company. **Depositories:**

1. National Securities Depository Ltd.,	2. Central Depository Services (India) Ltd.,			
Trade Worlds, 4th floor,	PhirozeJeejeebhoy Towers,			
Kamala mills Compound,	17th floor, Mumbai 400023			
Senapati Bapat Marg,				
Lower Parel, Mumbai – 400013				
Compliance officer	Registrar & Share Transfer Agent			
Ms. Ritika Tandon,	MUFG Intime India Private Limited			
Company Secretary,	(Formerly known as Link Intime India Pvt Limited)			
76-Eldeco Green, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow-226010 is	C-101, 247 Park, L.B.S. Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai – 400 083			
Compliance Officer of the Company.	Tel No : +91 22 49186270 Fax: +91 22 49186060			
Mail: cs@kmsugar.in	E-mail id : delhi@in.mpms.mufg.com; sunil.mishra@in.mpms.mufg.com			
M-7571000517	Website : www.linkintime.co.in			

Stock Market Data (InRs.)

	C	Quotation at BSE		C	Quotation at NS	SE
Month	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing
Apr-24	46.41	28.63	40.97	42.1	42.9	40.75
May-24	41.62	35.65	36.11	37	37.25	35.15
Jun-24	50.38	32.73	42.63	49	49.84	46
Jul-24	46.03	39.3	41.75	42.39	41.51	41.61
Aug-24	42.3	36.9	40.48	40.55	40.63	40.00
Sep-24	42.55	37.86	41.13	41.5	40	41.06
Oct-24	42.58	32.6	35.41	35.94	34.64	34.91
Nov-24	36.49	31.39	33.97	34.13	33.15	33.65
Dec-24	35.65	30.5	30.96	31.1	30.27	30.65
Jan-25	35.2	28.5	30.28	30.48	30	30.24
Feb-25	34.7	26.55	27.45	28.24	27.17	28.4
Mar-25	30.5	26.2	27.13	28.48	26.9	27.63

Shareholding Pattern as at 31stMarch, 2025

Category of Shareholder	No. of Share- holders	Total No. of Shares	Total No. of Shares held in Dematerialized Form	Total Shareholding as a % of Total No. of Shares
(A) Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group				
(1) Indian				
Promoter:-Individuals / Hindu Undivided Family	4	32152342	32152342	34.95
Promoter Group:-Any Other (Specify)				0.00
Bodies Corporate	4	14849359	14849359	16.14
Director or Director's Relatives	3	4801018	4801018	5.22
Trusts	1	188780	188780	0.21
Sub Total(A)(1)	12	51991499	51991499	56.51
(2) Foreign				
Total shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group(A)= (A)(1)+(A)(2)	12	51991499	51991499	56.51
(1) Institutions				
(a) Central Government / State Government(s)	1	1640	1640	0
(b) Financial Institutions/Banks	1	485	485	0
(c) Foreign Portfolio Investors Category I	2	117003	117003	0.12
(d) Foreign Portfolio Investors Category II	1	537	537	0
Sub Total(b)(1)	5	119665	119665	0.12

Category of Shareholder	No. of Shareholders	Total No. of Shares	Total No. of Shares held in Dematerialized Form	Total Shareholding as a % of Total No. of Shares
(2) Non-Institutions				
(a)Body Corporate (including LLP)	7	39397	39397	0.04
(b)Individual				
(i)Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital up to Rs. 2 lakh	57361	27310358	27309333	29.68
(ii)Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital in excess of Rs. 2lakh	17	8892470	8892470	9.66
(iii)NBFCs registered with RBI	0	0	0	0
(iv)Any Other (Specify)				0
Clearing Member	3	32104	32104	0.03
Non Resident Indians (NRIs)	351	977508	977508	1.06
Hindu Undivided Family	521	1434342	1434342	1.56
Body Corporate	105	1202827	1202822	1.30
Sub Total(B)(2)	58366	39889006	39887976	43.36
Total Public shareholding (B)=(B)(1)+(B)(2)	58372	40008671	40007641	43.49
Total (A)+(B)	58384	92000170	91999140	100
(C) Shares held by Custodians and against which Depository Receipts have been issued	0	0	0	0
(1) Promoter and Promoter Group	0	0	0	0
(2) Public	0	0	0	0
Sub Total	0	0	0	0
Total (A)+(B)+(C)	58384	92000170	91999040	100

Shareholding Distribution



Demat of Shares

The trading of the Company's equity shares falls under the category of compulsory delivery in dematerialized mode and is available for trading on both the depository system of India, National Securities Depository Ltd. and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd.

Share Transfer System

A valid share transfers are normally affected within a maximum of 30 days from the date of receipt.

Distribution of Shareholding

* The Company disclosed 59149 nos. of shareholders as on 31-03-2025 as per the distribution chart.

Distribution	No. of shareholders	No. of shares
0-1000	49774	5399240
1001-2000	4576	3769840
2001-4000	2353	3638868
4001-6000	912	2359658
6001-8000	349	1271677
8001-10000	334	1596581
10001-20000	486	3743604
20000 and above	365	70220702
Total	59149	92000170

Plant Location

Sugar Unit- District Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh, Distillery Unit- District Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh.

Insider Trading

The Company has adopted new Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information with effect from 01st April, 2019, so as to bring it in line with amended SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2018 wherein some new requirements are brought in and the companies are required to revise its existing code of conduct on prohibition of Insiders Trading by a new set of Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information (UPSI). All Board of Directors, designated employees, and connected persons have been informed about the new policy and have affirmed compliance with the code. The same is also available in the website of the company at https://www.kmsugar.com/polices-of-kmsml/#1659439653727-79e991b4-ef4d.

The Company Secretary is responsible for Implementation of the code. The Audit Committee monitors the adherence to various requirements as set out in the Code.

Related Party Transactions

The Board recommendation of the Audit Committee formulated a Policy on Related Party Transactions (RPTs) available on the company's website www.kmsugar.com in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act 2013, the rules thereunder and the Listing Regulations.

All Related Party Transactions entered during the financial year were in the ordinary course of business and an arm's length basis. There were some Related Party Transactions with the Company's related entity, which could be considered materially significant; these transactions are not conflicting with the interests of the Company. The company investment of Rs. 2350.00 Lacs in Optionally fully convertible Debentures (OFCD) of M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holding Pvt Ltd and inter corporate deposit amounting to Rs. 750.00 Lacs on arm's length basis for the principal business activity of M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holding Pvt Ltd. continues. (The shareholders of the Company in their AGM held on 29.09.2021 had pursuant to the provisions of Section 185 & 188 of the Companies Act, read with Rule 15 of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014, Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI(LODR) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), accorded their consent to grant loan/ guarantee/security/ make investments by way of subscription/ purchase/conversion/otherwise Equity Shares/Preference Shares/ Debentures/any other financial instruments in entities covered under the provisions of Section 185(2) and related parties of the Company within the meaning of Section 2(76) of the Act and Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations of such sums not exceeding Rs.100 Crores, as may be decided by Board/ Committee of Directors as permitted or subject to the provisions specified therein from time to time.)

Further, the corporate guarantee provided by the Company continues of Rs. 6866.14 lacs for securing credit facilities to M/s Sonar Castings Limited, during the year the company has made investment in the preference shares of M/s Sonar Castings Limited of Rs.375 Lacs. (The shareholders of the Company in their EGM held on 10.03.2021 had

pursuant to the provisions of Section 185, 186 & 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 15 of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014, Regulation 23(4) of the SEBI(LODR) Regulations, 2015, MOA/AOA and the Company's policy on RPT(s), accorded their consent to the contract(s)/ arrangement(s)/ transaction(s) with Sonar Castings Limited (SCL), a related party within the meaning of Section 2(76) of the Act and Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations, for investments/Corporate Guarantee for securing credit facility, up

to an aggregate value not exceeding Rs.150 Crores, for the business activities of SCL related to its ductile Iron project at West Bengal.)

Transactions with related parties entered by the Company in the normal course of business during the year ended 31st March 2025 have been disclosed in reference to IND-AS 24 in Note 37.8 (c) of the financial statements and AOC-2 as Annexure-7.

Anti-Sexual Harassment Policy

The Company has in place an Anti-Sexual Harassment Policy in line with the requirements of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. An Internal Complaints Committee has been set up to redress complaints received on sexual harassment. All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy. No complaint of sexual harassment was received during the period under review.

Credit ratings obtained by the entity

During the year under review, the credit ratings assigned to the company from Infomerics Valuation and Rating Private Limited for Long-term Bank Facilities have been reassigned to IVR A-

Other Compliances

i) Management Discussion and Analysis Report

Management Discussion and Analysis Report is made in conformity with SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 and is attached to the Board's Report forming part of the Annual Report of the Company.

ii) Quarterly Financial Results

Pursuant SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, Quarterly Financial Results are approved by the Board on the recommendations of the Audit Committee.

These are communicated to Stock Exchanges by email after the conclusion of the Board Meeting and published in leading daily newspapers, as required, within the stipulated time. These are also immediately posted on the Company's website.

(iii) Quarterly Compliance Report

The Company has submitted the Compliance Report on Corporate Governance, Shareholding pattern, Investors Grievances to Stock Exchanges in the prescribed format within the stipulated time for four quarters during 1st April, 2024 to 31st March, 2025 from the close of each quarter.

(iv) Online filing

Quarterly reports to the National Stock Exchange have been filed through the NSE Electronic Application Processing System (NEAPS) and are available on the web-link- www.nseindia.com.

Quarterly reports to Bombay Stock Exchange have been filed through BSE Listing Centre and are available on web-link- www. bseindia.com.

SEBI requires all listed Companies to process investor complaints in a centralized web-based complaint system called 'SEBI Complaints Redress System (SCORES). All complaints received from shareholders of listed Companies are posted in this system. Listed Companies are advised to view the complaint and submit Action Taken Report (ATR) with supporting documents in SCORES. During the year under report, there was no complaint on our Company posted at SCORES.

(v) Reconciliation of Share Capital Audit

As stipulated by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), a qualified Practicing Company Secretary carries out the Reconciliation of the Share Capital Audit to reconcile the total admitted Capital with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd (CDSL) and the total Issued and Listed Capital. The Audit is carried out every quarter, and the report thereon is submitted to the Stock Exchanges, NSDL and CDSL for quarter ended 30.06.2024, 30.09.2024, 31.12.2024 and 31.03.2025 on 18.07.2024, 21.10.2024, 18.01.2025 and 24-04-2025, respectively and is also placed before the Board of Directors.

(vi) Accounting treatment

The Financial Statements have been prepared in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, read with rules issued thereunder, applicable Indian Accounting Standards and the provisions of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, including the amendments thereof have been followed.

In accordance with the notification dated 16th February, 2015, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the Company has adopted Indian Accounting Standards (referred to as "Ind AS") notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (as amended) with effect from 1st April, 2016 with restatement of previous year figures presented in this financial statements. Accordingly, the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Ind AS prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendment) Rules, 2016.

All the Ind AS issued and notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (as amended) till the financial statements are approved for issue by the Board of Directors has been considered in preparing these financial statements.

(vii) Cost Audit

Pursuant to Section 148 read with the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014, the Company has appointed M/s. Aman Malviya & Associates, Cost Accountants, Lucknow, to undertake a cost audit of the Company for the year ended as at 31-03-2025. Their remuneration was approved by the Board subject to the ratification by the members of the company.

Audit Qualification in Report - Nil

Corporate Overview

(viii) Secretarial Standards & Secretarial Audit -Pursuant to Section 118 (10) of the Act, every Company shall observe Secretarial Standards with respect to General and Board meetings specified by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs has accorded approval for the Secretarial Standards on Meetings of Board of Directors (SS-1) and General Meetings (SS-2) that has come into force from 1st July 2015. The Company's practices and procedures mostly meet all these prescriptions, and residual requirements will be taken care.

Pursuant to Section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, the Company has appointed Ms. Pragati Gupta, a Practicing Company Secretary (C.P.No.7878), to undertake the Secretarial Audit of the Company for the year ended 31-03-2025. The Secretarial Audit Report was placed before the Board on May 26, 2025 as per Annexure-8. There are no qualifications in the Secretarial Audit Report.

(ix) Internal Auditor

Pursuant to Section 138(1) of the Act the Company has appointed M/s. VAA & Associates, Chartered Accountants, to conduct internal audit of the functions and activities of the Company for year ended as at 31st March 2025. The internal auditor reports directly to the Audit Committee.

(x) Review of Directors' Responsibility Statement

The Board in its Report has confirmed that the annual accounts for the year ended 31st March 2025 have been prepared as per applicable accounting standards and policies and that sufficient care has been taken for maintaining adequate accounting records.

(xi) Peer Review of Auditors

Regulation 33(d) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 stipulates that in case of audit reports with unmodified opinion(s), the listed entity shall furnish a declaration to that effect to the Stock Exchange(s) while publishing the annual audited financial results. Necessary declaration is given herein in the report.

Loans and advances by the company and its subsidiary: -

During the year ended 31st March 2025 the company has not given Loans to a firm/company in which the Director is interested

The subsidiary of the company has not given any Loan to a firm/ company in which the Director is interested.

Compliance with non-mandatory requirements

- (i) Chairman's office:- Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala had been appointed as Whole Time Director designated as Executive Chairman, w.e.f 19.05.2015.
- ii) Separate posts of Chairman and CEO: Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala is holding the position of Whole Time Director designated as Executive Chairman. Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala is the Managing Director and Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala is the Joint Managing Director of the Company and Shri S. C Agarwal is the Executive Director-cum- Chief Executive officer. So there exist separate posts for the Chairman & CEO of the Company. The Chairman is

the Executive Director and maintains an office at the Company's expense.

(ii) Shareholders' Rights

Audited Results on the Company's financial performance are sent to shareholders. These are posted on the Company's Website and a soft copy of the same emailed to shareholders whose email ids are available with the Company. Shareholders who have not furnished their email IDs are advised to furnish the same to mail Id: -cs@kmsugar.in or delhi@in.mpms.mufg.com, sunil.mishra@in.mpms.mufg.com;

(iii) Section 136(1) of the Act and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 permit the circulation of abridged Accounts in lieu of a full-fledged Annual Report. The Company has, however, not exercised this option and continues to send the Annual Report in full form to all shareholders.

The Company sought shareholders' cooperation to fall in line with the Green Initiatives of the Central Government by way of sending communications in e-mode.

(iii) Audit Qualifications

The Company, since inception has ensured to remain in the regime of unqualified financial statements. SEBI vide its circular dated 13th August 2012, has evolved a system to monitor audit qualification covered in the Auditor's Report. Accordingly, listed companies while submitting Annual Report under Regulation 33(3)(d) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 are required to furnish a declaration to that effect to the Stock Exchange(s). Our Company has complied with this SEBI Circular while furnishing the Annual Reports for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025, under a declaration with the unmodified opinion.

Mandatory Compliances:-

The company is in compliance with the corporate governance requirements specified in regulations 17 to 27, and clauses (b) to (i) of sub-regulation (2) of regulation 46 shall be made in the section on corporate governance of the annual report.

The corporate governance report of the company for the year ending 31st March, 2025, is in compliance with the Listing Regulations.

Non-Mandatory Compliances: -

- (i) Details of non-compliances, penalties and structures by Stock Exchanges / SEBI / Statutory Authorities on a an matter related to capital markets during the last three years: There was no non-compliance during the FY 2024-2025, 2023-24 and FY 2022-23
- (ii) Inter-se relationships between Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company: Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala is holding the position of Whole Time Director designated as Executive Chairman, and his elder son, Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, is the Managing Director and his younger son, Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala, is the Joint Managing Director of the Company
- (iii) There were transactions with related parties i.e. promoters, directors, management, subsidiaries or relatives etc. which were not of material nature, not having potential conflict with the interest of the Company at large. Adequate disclosure has been

- made as per IND-AS -24 in Note no. 37.8 (c) of the Financial Statements.
- (iv) Material financial and commercial transactions of senior management, where they may have had personal interest, and which had potential conflict with the interests of the Company at large: None
- (v) Details of utilization of funds raised through preferential allotment or qualified institutions placement: Not Applicable
- (vi) None of the Directors of the Company has been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as a Director by SEBI / Ministry of Corporate Affairs / Statutory Authorities, which has also been confirmed by Ms. Pragati Gupta, Practicing Company Secretaries forming a part of Annexure-8.
- (vii) Confirmation by the Board with respect to the Independent Directors is provided in the Report on Corporate Governance under the head, Board of Directors.
- (viii)Disclosures in relation to the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 are provided in the Anti-Sexual Harassment Policy, forming part of the Report on Corporate Governance.
- (ix) The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and have been prepared in accordance with the applicable mandatory Accounting Standards prescribed by The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and relevant presentational requirements of the Act.
- (x) Business risk evaluation and management is an ongoing process within the Company, which is periodically reviewed by the Board of Directors to determine its effectiveness.
- (xi) Information with respect to Commodity Price Risk or Foreign Exchange Risk and Hedging Activities is provided in Annexure-1.
- (xii) The board if has not accepted any recommendation of any committee of the board which is mandatorily required, in the relevant financial year: None
- (xiii)The total fees paid by the Company to M/s Mehrotra & Mehrotra, Statutory Auditors and its subsidiary to M/s. Saurabh Gupta & Co. Statutory Auditors of the Company, and all other entities forming part of the same network, aggregate of Rs. 6,55,000/-.
 - There are no details of application made or any proceeding pending under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 during the year, along with their status as at the end of the financial year, as no such proceedings were initiated or pending.
 - The details of the difference between the amount of the valuation done at the time of one-time settlement and the valuation done while taking a loan from the Banks or Financial Institutions, along with the reasons thereof, are not required, as there was no instance of one-time settlement with any Bank or Financial Institution.

For K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd. Sd/-L.K Jhunjhunwala Chairman Din: 01854647

Date: 07.08.2025 Place: Lucknow

Declaration under Schedule V (D) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

I, L.K. Jhunjhunwala, Chairman of M/s. K.M. Sugar Mills Limited hereby declare that all the Directors and Senior Management Personnel of the Company have affirmed compliance with the Code of Conduct of Directors and Senior Management Personnel of the Company for the financial year 2023-24, and a confirmation to this effect has been obtained from them individually for the period under review.

> For and on behalf of the Board of K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd.

> > Sd/-L.K. Jhunjhunwala Chairman Din: 01854647

Date: 07.08.2025 Place: Lucknow

Declaration under Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

We, Aditya Jhunjunwala, Managing Director and Arvind Kumar Gupta, Chief Financial Officer of the company, hereby declare that the statutory auditors of the Company-M/s. Mehrotra& Mehrotra, Chartered Accountants, New Delhi, having firm registration number (FRN-0226C) have issued an Audit report with the unmodified opinion on and consolidated financial results for the quarter and year ended 31st March, 2025.

For and on behalf of K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd.

-Sd/-**Arvind Kumar Gupta** CFO

-Sd/-Aditya Jhunjhunwala **Managing Director** Din: 01686189

Annexure-3 AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE UNDER REGULATION 15(2) OF SEBI (LODR) REGULATIONS, 2015

To,

The Members,

Date: 07.08.2025

Place: Lucknow

K M Sugar Mills Limited,

Date: May 30, 2025

Place: Lucknow

(CIN - L15421UP1971PLC003492)

76, Eldeco Green, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow - 226010, Uttar Pradesh

- 1. We have examined the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance by K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company"), for the year ended on March 31, 2025, as stipulated in regulations 17 to 27 and clauses (b) to (i) of regulation 46(2) and paragraphs C, D and E of Schedule V of the SEBI Listing Regulations for the period April 01, 2024 to March 31, 2025.
- 2. The compliance with the conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the Management. Our examination was limited to a review of the procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the Company for ensuring compliance with the conditions of Corporate Governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the Company.
- 3. We have examined the relevant records of the Company in accordance with the applicable guidelines. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks associated with compliance with the Corporate Governance Report with the applicable criteria.
- 4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to our examination of the relevant records and the explanations given to us and the representations made by the Directors and the Management, we certify that the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in regulation 17 to 27 and clauses (b) to (i) of regulation 46(2) and paragraphs C, D and E of Schedule V of the SEBI Listing Regulations for the respective periods of applicability as specified under paragraph 1 above, during the year ended March 31, 2025.
- 5. We state that such compliance is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

Pragati Gupta Practising Company Secretary Membership No.: A19302 C.P. No. 7878

P.R. No. 2601/2022

UDIN - A019302G000517602

CERTIFICATE OF NON-DISOUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS

(Pursuant to Regulation 34(3) and Schedule V Para C Clause (10)(i) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2019

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The Members,

K M Sugar Mills Limited,

(CIN - L15421UP1971PLC003492)

76, Eldeco Green, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow - 226010, Uttar Pradesh

We have examined the relevant disclosures provided by the Directors (as enlisted in Table A) to K M Sugar Mills Limited having CIN L15421UP1971PLC003492 and having registered office at 76, Eldeco Green, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow - 226010, Uttar Pradesh (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company') for the purpose of issuing this Certificate, in accordance with Regulation 34 (3) read with Schedule V Para C clause 10 (i) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In our opinion and to the best of our information, based on (i) Documents available on the website of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) (ii) Verification of Directors Identification Number (DIN) status on the website of the MCA, and (iii) disclosures provided by the Directors (as enlisted in Table A) to the Company, we hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company (as enlisted in Table A) have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as directors of the companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, under Section 164 of Companies Act, 2013 for MCA or such other statutory authority as on March 31, 2025.

Table A

S. No.	Name of Directors	Director Identification Number	Date of Appointment in the Company	
1.	Mr. L K Jhunjhunwala	01854647	24/12/2002	
2.	Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala	01686189	24/12/2002	
3.	Mr. Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	01777954	24/12/2002	
4.	Mrs. S C Agarwal	02461954	28/09/2001	
5.	Mr. Sushil Solomon	08553009	06/08/2019	
6.	Mr. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	06533710	01/02/2021	
7.	Mr. Bakshi Ram	02235466	08/08/2022	
8.	Mrs. Arcahana Agarwal	10615127	21/05/2024	
9.	Mr. Narendra Mohan	10661367	29/06/2024	

Pragati Gupta **Practising Company Secretary** Membership No.: A19302 C.P. No. 7878

P.R. No. 2601/2022 UDIN - A019302G000517591

Date: May 30, 2025 Place: Lucknow

CEO and CFO Certification

We, S.C. Agarwala, Executive Director cum CEO and Arvind Kumar Gupta, CFO of K M Sugar Mills Limited, to the best of our knowledge and belief, hereby certify that:

- (A) We have reviewed the financial statements and cash flow statements for the year at 31st March, 2025, and based on our knowledge and belief: -
 - (i) these statements do not contain any materially untrue statements or omit to state any material fact or contain statements that might be misleading; and
 - (ii) these statements present a true and fair view of the listed entity's affairs and are in compliance with existing accounting standards, applicable laws and regulations.
- (B) There are to the best of our knowledge and belief, there are no transactions entered into by the Company during the year that are fraudulent, illegal or in violation of the Company's code of conduct.
- (C) We, along with the Company's other certifying officers, accept responsibility for establishing and maintaining internal controls for financial reporting and that we have: -
 - (i) evaluated the effectiveness of the internal control systems of the listed entity pertaining to the financial Reporting; and
 - (ii) disclosed to the auditors and Audit Committee, deficiencies in the design or operation of internal controls, if any, of which we are aware and the steps we have taken or propose to take to rectify these deficiencies.
- (D) We have indicated to the auditors and the Audit Committee of the Company, the following: -
 - (i) Significant changes in internal control over financial Reporting during the year;
 - (ii) Significant changes in accounting policies during the year and that the same have been disclosed in the Notes to the Financial Statements; and
 - (iii) instances of significant fraud of which they have become aware and the involvement therein, if any, of the management or an employee having a significant role in the listed entity's internal control system over financial Reporting.

-Sd/-**Arvind Kumar Gupta** CFO

-Sd/-S.C. Agarwala **Executive Director cum CEO**

Date: 07-08-2025 Place: Lucknow

Annexure-4

Report on CSR

1. Brief outline on CSR Policy of the Company:

The CSR policy of the company was approved on 30.10.2015 and is reviewed annually by the Board of Directors. It defines the company's relationship with the common stakeholders and the community for the social and environmental good. It aims to work towards the elimination of all barriers for the social inclusion of disadvantaged groups – such as the poor, socially backwards and financially excluded groups of persons. CSR activities are carried out in an environmentally friendly manner.

The company will give special preference to the local areas and areas where it operates for spending the amount that is earmarked by the CSR Committee. The CSR policy serves as a guiding document and helps the Company to identify, monitor and execute the CSR projects and keep it within the spirit of this policy. The policy lays down the guiding principles for selection, implementation and monitoring of activities as well as formulation of the annual action plan. Further, the CSR policy of the company in compliance with the MCA circular dated 22nd January, 2021, is amended and to be approved by the Board of Directors of the company in their meeting to be held on 08th June, 2021, based on the recommendations of the CSR Committee.

2. Composition of CSR Committee:

S. No.	Financial Year	Designation / Nature of Directorship	Number of meetings of CSR Committee held during the year	Number of meetings of CSR Committee attended during the year
1	Mr. L.K Jhunjhunwala (Chairman)	Whole Time Director	4	3
2	Mr. Sanjay Jhunjhunwala (Member)	Whole Time Director	4	2
3	Mr. Sushil Solomon (Member)	Independent Director	4	4

- 3. Web-link where the Composition of the CSR committee, the CSR Policy and the CSR projects approved by the board are disclosed on the website of the company: https://www.kmsugar.com
- 4. Provide the details of Impact assessment of CSR projects carried out in pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule 8 of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, if applicable (attach the report): Not Applicable
- 5. Details of the amount available for set off in pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule 7 of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 and the amount required for set off for the financial year, if any:

S. No.	Financial Year	Amount available for set-off from preceding financial years (in Rs)	Amount required to be set-off for the financial year, if any (in Rs)	Amount carry forward for the financial year, if any (in Rs)
1	2021-22	19,94,950	19,94,950	-
2	2022-23	70,00,000	66,55,050	3,44,950
3	2023-24	1,29,05,050	-	1,29,05,050
4	2024-25	31,50,000		31,50,000
	Total	2,50,50,000	86,50,000	1,64,00,000

- 6. Average net profit/ (Loss) of the last 3 years' company as per section 135(5): Rs. 42,50,49,000/-
- 7. (a) Two percent of the average net profit/ (loss) of the company as per section 135(5): Rs. 85,01,000/-
 - (b) Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programs, or activities of the previous financial years: Nil
 - (c) Amount approved by the Board for CSR during the year: Rs.86,85,000/-
 - (d) Amount required to be set off for the financial year, if any: Rs.86,50,000/-
 - (d) Total CSR obligation for the financial year (7a+7b-7d-7c): 35,000/-
 - (e) Excess Amount Spent: 31,50,000/-
- 8. The average net profits for the immediately preceding three financial years aggregate to a Profit of Rs. 42,50,49,000/-. Hence, the Company was obligated to spend any amount on CSR activities in the financial year 2024-25, Rs. 85,01,000/-

9. (a) CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year:

	Amount Unspent (i	n Rs.)				
Total Amount Spent for the Financial Year. 2023-24 (in Rs.)	Total Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account as per section 135(6).		Amount transferred to any fund specified under Schedule VI as per second proviso to section 135(5).			
	Amount.	Date of transfer.	Name of the Fund	Amount	Date of transfer.	
Rs.31,85,000/-	N.A.	-	N.A.	-	-	

(b) Details of CSR amount spent against ongoing projects for the financial year: Not Applicable

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	Name	Item from the list of ac-	Local		on of the oject.	Project	Amount Project allocat-	Amount spent	Amount transferred to Un- spent CSR Account	Mode of Im-	tation – T	mplemen- hrough Im- ing Agency
SI. No	of the Project.	tiv-ities in Sche- dule VII to the Act	area (Yes / No).	State	District.	du- rat-ion.	edfor the project (in Rs.).	in the current fina-ncial Year (in Rs.).	for the project as per Section 135(6) (in Rs.).	tation- Direct (Yes / No).	Name	CSR Reg- ist-ration number
1	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
	TOTAL	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

(c) Details of CSR amount spent against other than ongoing projects for the financial year:

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(5)	(6)	(7)		(8)
SI. No	Name of the Project.	Item from the list of activities in schedule VII	Local area (Yes/ No).		ion of the oject.	Amount spent for the project (in Rs.).	Mode of imple-mentation - Direct	Mode of implementation -Through implementing agency.	
		to the Act.	140).	State	District.		(Yes/No).	Name.	CSR registration number.
1	Education of underprivileged students	Promoting education as per Clause (i) of Schedule VII	Yes	U.P.	Lucknow	Rs.20,00,000/-	Yes	N.A.	N.A.
2	Education of underprivileged students	Promoting education as per Clause (i) of Schedule VII	Yes	U.P.	Varanasi	Rs. 5,00,000.00/-	Yes	N.A.	N.A.
3	Education of underprivileged students	Promoting education as per Clause (i) of Schedule VII	Yes	Delhi	Delhi	Rs.4,50,000/-	Yes	N.A.	N.A.
4	Protection of national heritage, art and culture	Protection of national heritage, art and culture under Clause (v) of Schedule VII	Yes	U.P.	Ayodhya	Rs.2,00,000/-	Yes	N.A.	N.A.
5	Education of underprivileged students	Promoting education as per Clause (i) of Schedule VII	Yes	U.P.	Lucknow	Rs.35,000/-	Yes	N.A.	N.A.
	TOTAL (Rs.)					Rs.31,85,000.00/-			
	Total CSR expenditure for F	Rs.31,85,000.00/-							

⁽d) Amount spent in Administrative Overheads: Nil

⁽e) Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable: **Not Applicable**

⁽f) Total amount spent for the Financial Year (8b+8c+8d+8e): **Rs. 31,85,000.00/-**

⁽g) Excess amount for set off, if any

S. No.	Particular	Amount (in Rs.)
(i)	Two percent of average net profit/(loss) of the company as per section 135(5)	Rs.85,01,000 /-
(ii)	CSR obligation of the company	Rs. 35,000/-
(iii)	Total amount spent for the Financial Year	Rs.31,85,000/-
(iv)	Excess amount spent for the financial year [(iii)-(ii)]	Rs. 31,50,000/-
(v)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years, if any	-
(vi)	Amount available for set off in succeeding financial years [(iii)-(iv)]	Rs. 1,64,00,000 /-

10. (A)Details of Unspent CSR amount for the preceding three financial years: Not Applicable

SI. No	Preceding Financial Year.	Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account under section 135 (6) (in Rs.)	Amount spent in the reporting Financial Year (in Rs.).			und specified under on 135(6), if any.	Amount rema-ining to be spent in succee-ding financial years. (in Rs.)
				Name of the Fund	Amount (in Rs)	Date of transfer	
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	TOTAL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

b)Details of CSR amount spent in the financial year for ongoing projects of the preceding financial year(s): Not applicable

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
SI. No.	Project ID.	Name of the Project.	Financial Year in which the project was commenced.	Project duration.	Total amount allocated for the project (in Rs.).	Amount spent on the project in the reporting Financial Year (in Rs).	Cumulative amount spent at the end of reporting Financial Year. (in Rs.)	Status of the project -Completed / Ongoing.
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	TOTAL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

11. In case of creation or acquisition of capital asset, furnish the details relating to the asset so created or acquired through CSR spent in the financial year (Asset-wise details): Not Applicable

- (a) Date of creation or acquisition of the capital asset(s).
- (b) Amount of CSR spent for creation or acquisition of capital asset.
- (c) Details of the entity or public authority or beneficiary under whose name such capital asset is registered, their address etc.
- (d) Provide details of the capital asset(s) created or acquired (including complete address and location of the capital asset).

12. Specify the reason(s), if the company has failed to spend two per cent of the average net profit as per section 135(5): Not Applicable.

13. Pursuant to the provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and Companies Rules (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 as amended from time to time, the CSR Committee, do confirm that the implementation and monitoring of CSR policy, is in compliance with the CSR objectives and policy of the Company.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Global Economic Snapshot (FY 2024–25)

The global economy held steady through FY 2024-25, growing around 2.8% reflecting resilience despite persistent geopolitical tensions, elevated interest rates, and supply chain disruptions. Advanced economies showed mixed recovery—while the U.S. remained resilient, the Eurozone and China faced headwinds from weak demand and structural constraints. India outperformed with ~6.4% growth, driven by strong domestic consumption and services.

Global trade remained subdued due to shipping disruptions and soft industrial demand, though services trade expanded. Commodity prices were volatile: oil fluctuated, gold surged, and gas softened. Investment trends shifted toward sustainability, digital infrastructure, and climate-aligned assets, with central banks signaling potential easing toward the end of the fiscal year.

A key development during the year was the imposition of reciprocal trade tariffs by the United States under President Donald Trump's revised trade policy. Effective April 2025, Indian sugar exports to the U.S. faced a 24.99% tariff hike, significantly impacting price competitiveness and market access. The move was part of a broader tariff framework targeting processed food, liquor, and agricultural commodities, aimed at addressing bilateral trade imbalances. As a result, Indian sugar exporters experienced reduced volumes and margin compression, particularly in the confectionery and industrial sugar segments.

Global Sugar Market Outlook

The global sugar market size attained a consumption volume of about 180.31 million tons in 2023. The market is projected to grow at a CAGR of 1% between 2024 and 2032, reaching a volume of 197.19 million tons by 2032.

Global consumption (2025-26): Estimated at 177.92 million tonnes, slightly below previous projections due to rising healthconscious alternatives.

Global production: Forecast to rise to **189.3 million tonnes**, driven by bumper crops in **Brazil** and **India**, offsetting declines in the EU and U.S.

Ending stocks: Expected to increase to 41.18 million tonnes, up from 38.31 million tonnes last year.

CAGR forecast (2024–2032): ~1%, reaching 197.19 million tonnes by 2032.

Key Takeaways

- Sugarcane remains dominant, accounting for ~80% of global sugar output.
- Top producers:
 - **Brazil:** Record output of 44.7 million tonnes, aided by expanded crush capacity and a 51% ethanol diversion rate.
 - India: Output projected at 35.3 million tonnes, up 25% YoY due to favorable monsoon and acreage expansion.
 - **Thailand:** Production up 2% to 10.3 million tonnes, though exports are declining.
- Sustainability focus: Demand for certified low-carbon and organic sugar is rising, especially in the EU, where imports must comply with Regulation 2018/848.
- **Alt-sweeteners:** Global revenue for natural sweeteners is projected to hit \$207 billion in 2025, growing at 7.2% CAGR, reflecting reformulation trends in food and beverage sectors.

Sugar remains a critical input across the food and beverage industry, primarily extracted from sugarcane and sugar beet. Its functional properties high solubility, caloric contribution, and ability to enhance colour, texture, and shelf life make it indispensable in the formulation of jams, jellies, syrups, and a wide range of processed foods. Demand continues to be driven by strong consumption in confectionery, bakery, and beverage segments, with household usage remaining elevated due to the popularity of homemade desserts such as pastries, cakes, and sweet rolls.

Rising disposable incomes and urbanization in emerging economies have driven increased consumption of sugar-rich products, a trend further supported by favourable trade policies and calibrated export clearances—exemplified by India's strategic release of 1 million metric tonnes in March 2025, which stabilized markets and ensured supply chain continuity. Simultaneously, the sugar industry is undergoing a structural shift toward sustainability and ethical sourcing, with regulatory frameworks such as the EU's Regulation (EU) 2018/848 mandating compliance with organic and low-carbon standards. Reflecting broader alignment with global ESG imperatives and growing consumer demand for traceability, reduced carbon footprints, and responsible production practices.

World Sugar Balances: S & P Global

For 2024–25 SY, the global supply-demand deficit decreased by 152,000 mt to 4.21 million mt. In 2025–26, the surplus contracted to 2.47 million mt, while in 2026–27, the surplus saw a slight uptick to 2.22 million mt.

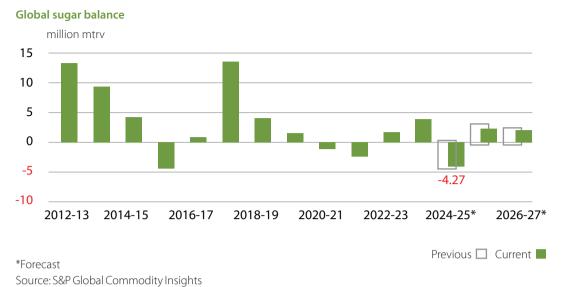


Table 2: Top 5 Producers and Consumers

33.75 32.85 15.39	42.43 32.02 16.77	40.17	40.18	
32.85	32.02	26.11		41.91 32.08
32.85	32.02	26.11		
		+	32.21	32.08
15.39	16.77	i		
	10.77	18.01	16.36	16.50
9.00	9.96	11.20	11.00	11.30
11.03	8.80	10.05	11.73	11.31
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27.75	28.55	29.11	29.66	30.22
16.63	16.54	17.02	16.79	16.67
15.50	15.66	15.81	15.95	16.10
11.42	11.35	11.01	11.01	11.01
7.82	7.92	7.97	8.01	8.05
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Source: S&P Global Commodity Insights

The Challenges of the Sugar Industry in 2025

The sugar industry in 2025 is navigating a complex landscape shaped by climatic, economic, and regulatory pressures. Erratic weather patterns—particularly delayed monsoons and rising temperatures have disrupted cane yields, especially in northern India, where high-yield varieties like Co-0238 are declining without adequate replacements. Fragmented landholdings and low mechanization continue to limit productivity gains, while early-season procurement by Khandsari and Gur units under Cane Control Act exemptions diverts nearly 30% of cane from organized mills. Globally, price volatility and Brazil's export resurgence have compressed margins for Indian millers, whose export quotas remain policy-dependent. Ethanol blending targets (20% by 2025) have driven investment, but logistical and storage gaps persist, especially in Tier II and III mill clusters. Meanwhile, ESG compliance pressures are mounting, with mills expected to reduce water usage, adopt cleaner energy, and improve waste management. Consumer demand is also shifting toward specialty sugars—organic, brown, and low-calorie—requiring technological upgrades and market repositioning.

Sources: The Hindu BusinessLine, Wright Research, Chini Mandi

Indian Sugar Industry Seeks Urgent MSP Revision and Long-Term Ethanol Policy - March 2025 Update

The Indian sugar industry has reiterated its long-standing demand for an upward revision of the Minimum Selling Price (MSP) of sugar, which has remained stagnant at 31/kg since 2019, despite multiple increases in the Fair and Remunerative Price (FRP) of sugarcane. Industry leaders argue that this mismatch has created severe financial stress, particularly for cooperative mills that rely on MSP benchmarks for securing pledge loans from cooperative banks.

Kev Stakeholder Demands:

- Deepak Ballani, DG of ISMA, emphasized the need to align sugar MSP with the current FRP, suggesting that the MSP should be revised to at least 40/kg to reflect operational realities.
- Prakash Naiknavare, MD of NFCSF, highlighted that the stagnant MSP has constrained loan availability and undermined the financial viability of cooperative mills. He cited the Rangarajan Committee's formula, which recommends 70-75% of total revenue as cane price, implying a logical MSP of 40/kg.
- Sanjay Khatal, MD of Maharashtra State Cooperative Sugar Factories Federation, urged the Government to act on its existing policy framework and revise MSP to ensure timely payments to farmers.
- Industry veterans like Bharat Bhushan Mehta (Dalmia Bharat Sugar), Sarita Reddy (Gayatri Sugar), and Kiran Wadhwana (COMDEX India) echoed the urgency of MSP revision and called for export liberalization in light of high closing stocks and favorable monsoon forecasts.

Ethanol Policy: Call for Clarity, Continuity, and Expansion

The industry is also pushing for a stable, long-term ethanol policy that supports investment and production planning. While the Ethanol Blending Program (EBP) has made significant strides—reaching a 13% blend in 2023–24 and targeting 20% by 2025—the implementation

has been inconsistent, with frequent changes in diversion limits and delayed price announcements.

Ethanol-Specific Recommendations:

- Price Revision: ISMA has requested that ethanol procurement prices be revised to reflect the latest FRP of sugarcane, ensuring viability for producers.
- Unrestricted Diversion: The Government lifted the 4 million tonne cap on sugar diversion for ethanol production in September 2025, allowing mills to use sugarcane juice, syrup, and B-heavy molasses freely from November 2025 onward.
- Advance Price Notification: Stakeholders advocate for ethanol prices to be announced by September each year to enable strategic planning of sugar vs. ethanol production.
- Feedstock Diversification: Industry leaders propose developing alternative feedstocks like sweet sorghum, supported by a dedicated pricing policy to promote renewable energy and reduce dependence on sugarcane.
- Bagasse-Based Cogeneration: A floor price for bagasse-based power is recommended to incentivize green energy production and address urban air pollution concerns.

Sources Referenced: Times of India – Government lifts sugar cap for ethanol production, Fortune India - Millers seek MSP and ethanol price revision, Agrilnsite – India's ethanol policy transformation

Indian Sugar & Ethanol Sector – 2025 Policy Landscape

1. Call for Diversification Beyond Ethanol & Power

The former Director of NSI-Kanpur has proposed the formation of a national task force to explore value addition beyond ethanol, power, and compressed biogas (CBG). The task force would study how sugar industry by-products—such as bagasse, molasses, press mud, and vinasse—can be repurposed into high-value products through start-up incubation and entrepreneurship development.

2. Urgent Need for a Long-Term Ethanol Policy

Industry leaders like Rahil Shaikh have emphasized the need for an airtight ethanol policy that remains stable regardless of fluctuations in sugarcane production. The sector seeks clarity on diversion limits, procurement prices, and blending targets to avoid year-on-year uncertainty.

3. Sugar Export Policy Reform

Shaikh also stressed the importance of a non-disruptive export policy, noting that India's brand image in global sugar markets suffered due to abrupt export curbs in 2024. A consistent export framework would support long-term trade relationships and stabilize domestic prices.

4. Linking Cane Prices to Sugar Realizations

Industry veteran Bharat Bhushan Mehta advocated for linking cane prices to sugar prices, in line with CACP recommendations and Supreme Court guidance, to ensure financial sustainability for mills. He also called for a revision of ethanol prices based on the existing formula and a review of levies on molasses at the state level.

5. 10-Year Roadmap Underway

As per Prakash Naiknavare, a comprehensive 10-year roadmap for India's sugar and bio-energy sector is being drafted by a professional policy advocacy agency. The roadmap will address long-pending structural issues and propose reforms across production, technology, and sustainability fronts.

6. Removal of Sugar Diversion Cap for Ethanol

In a major policy shift, the Government lifted the 4 million tonne cap on sugar diversion for ethanol production starting November 2025, allowing unrestricted use of sugarcane juice, syrup, and molasses for ethanol. This is expected to boost mill liquidity and support timely farmer payments.

Ethanol & Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) – Global Developments

1. Destination 2050 – EU's SAF Roadmap

The European Union has launched 'Destination 2050', a strategic plan to achieve net-zero aviation emissions by 2050, with a 55% reduction target by 2033. One of the four pillars of this transition is the adoption of Sustainable Aviation Fuels (SAFs), which could reduce emissions by up to 34%.

2. Thailand's Ethanol Innovation for SAF

Thailand's Alcoholic Drink Organization and Liquor Distillery Organization are actively developing ethanol technologies for SAF production. Ethanol distilled to 99.5% purity is being explored as a clean aviation fuel, derived from sugarcane, cassava, rice husks, and corn cobs.

3. Cellulosic Ethanol R&D

Dr. Sanchai Chasombat highlighted ongoing research into cellulose-based ethanol using agricultural residues like rice straw and corn stover. While cost remains a barrier, future breakthroughs could enable large-scale SAF production from non-food biomass.

4. Environmental Benefits & Fuel Substitution

Ethanol is recognized as a non-toxic, clean-burning fuel, suitable for automotive and aviation applications. Its use in SAF aligns with global climate goals and reduces dependence on fossil fuels, particularly in high-emission sectors like aviation.

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K M SUGAR MILLS LTD SEGMENT-WISE PERFORMANCE.

Particulars	Su	gar	Disti	llery	Unallo	cable	To	otal
Revenue	2024-25	2023-24	2024-25	2023-24	2024-25	2023-24	2024-25	2023-24
Gross sales	59,490	61,296	9121	7,593		-	68611	68,889
Less: Inter segment sales	2710	3,173	-			-	2710	3,173
External sales	56780	58,123.23	9121	7,592.70		-	65901	65,715.93
Segment results	6486	4,825	223	740		-	6709	5,565
Less: Finance cost	1817	1654	-			-	1817	1654
Profit before tax							4892	3,911
Current tax							1354	1,048
Deferred tax							-17	54
Profit after tax							3555	2,809
Other information								
Segment assets	64629	70,431	8359	7,492			72988	77,923
Segment liabilities	36389	45,293	1980	1,527	760	782	39129	47,602

Inter-segment revenues are eliminated upon consolidation and reflected in the inter-segment sales column. Current taxes and deferred taxes are not allocated to individual segments as the same are dealt with at company level.

The transactions between segments are primarily for materials which are transferred at market determined prices. Common costs are apportioned on a reasonable basis.

RISKS AND CONCERNS.

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: interest rate risk, foreign currency risk and other risks, such as regulatory risk and commodity price risk.

(i) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Company's borrowings obligations with floating interest rates. To mitigate the interest rate risks, the Company has established a periodical review procedure and ensures long term relations with the lenders to raise adequate funds at competitive rates.

(ii) Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. This foreign currency risk is covered by using foreign exchange forward contracts and currency swap contracts. The Company does not have substantial transactions during the year in foreign currency so the Company does not have such kind of risk.

Foreign currency risk	In USD	Rs. in lakhs
Outstanding Balance from	NIL	NIL
customers		

As the amount of foreign exchange fluctuation is not material during past period so the Company has not hedged the foreign currency.

(iii) Regulatory risk

Sugar industry is regulated both by central government as well as state government. Central and state government's policies and regulations affect the Sugar industry and the Company's operations and profitability. Distillery business is also dependent on the Government policy.

(iv) Commodity price risk

The sugar industry is inherently cyclical, with price realizations subject to significant volatility during downturns. Elevated cane procurement costs or production volumes exceeding market demand can materially impact profitability. The Company has proactively mitigated this risk through a well-integrated business model, strategically diversifying into co-generation and ethanol distillation. These ancillary operations enable optimal utilization of by-products, thereby stabilizing revenue streams and enhancing overall resilience against commodity price fluctuations.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that counter party will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Company's sugar sales are mostly on cash. Power and ethanol are sold to state government entities; thereby the credit default risk is significantly mitigated. The Central Govt. has fixed the minimum sale price of sugar w.e.f. 14.02.2019 at Rs.3,100 per Qtl. which has mitigated the price risk to some extent, however it needs to revised upward now. Similarly, ethanol is sold to the Govt. undertakings/Oil manufacturing companies and power is sold to the Govt. undertaking at fixed prices as per Govt. orders / regulatory guidelines.

The impairment for financial assets is based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The Company uses judgement in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Company's past history, existing market conditions as well as forward looking

estimates at the end of each balance sheet date. Financial assets are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, however, the Company continues to attempt to recover the receivables. Where recoveries are made, these are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Risk Management

For the purpose of the Company's capital management, capital includes issued equity capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the parent. The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to maximize the shareholders value.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions and the requirements of the financial covenants. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The Company monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is net debt divided by total capital plus net debt. The Company's policy is to keep the gearing ratio under control except for the first quarter of the financial year due to non-payment of cane dues. The Company includes within net debt, interest bearing loans and borrowings, trade and other payables, less cash and short-term deposits.

In order to achieve this overall objective, the Company's capital management, amongst other things, aims to ensure that it meets financial covenants attached to the interest-bearing loans and borrowings that define capital structure requirements. Breaches in meeting the financial covenants would permit the bank to immediately call loans and borrowings. There have been no breaches in the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowing during the current period.

Particulars	Numerator	Denominator	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2023	Change
Current Ratio	Current assets	Current liabilities	1.12	1.02	9.8%
Debt-Equity Ratio	Total Debt	2194	2190	2066	2008
(Note 1)	Total Equity	0.83	0.96	-13.54%	2760
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Earnings available for debt service	Debt Service (Note 2)	1.91	1.58	20.89%
Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the year	Average Total Equity	11.08	9.71	14.11%
Inventory turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Inventory	1.80	1.85	-2.70%
Trade Receivable turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Trade Receivable	34.94	37.16	-5.97%
Trade payables turnover ratio	Purchases and Other	1646	1174	769	871
Services	Average Trade Payables	3.93	3.86	1.81%	1300
Net capital turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Working Capital	15.78	69.39	-77.26%*
Net profit ratio	Profit for the year	Revenue from Operations	5.39%	4.27%	112bps^
Return on Capital employed	EBIT (Note 3)	Capital Employed (Note 4)	17.79%	15.76%	203bps
Return on investment	Profit for the year	Average Total Assets	4.71%	3.79%	92bps

^{*}Turnover increase is not significant but working capital has improved with increase in profit

^ Increase in net Profits with increased margins

Note 1: Debt includes lease liabilities

Note 2: Debt service = Interest and Lease payments and Principal Repayments

Note 3: EBIT = Profit before exceptional items + Finance Costs

Note 4: Capital Employed = Tangible Net Worth + Total Debt + Deferred Tax Liabilities

INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS AND THEIR ADEQUACY.

The Company has in place adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements. During the year, such controls were tested and no reportable material weakness in the design or operation were observed.

MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS IN HUMAN RESOURCES / INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS FRONT, INCLUDING NUMBER OF PEOPLE EMPLOYED.

Company's approach to talent development is founded on the belief that learning initiatives must remain synergistic and aligned to business outcomes, emphasise experiential learning, provide an

enabling and supportive environment and promote learning agility. Deep functional expertise is fostered through immersion in solving complex customer problems by the application of domain expertise early in managerial careers. Key talent is provided critical experiences in high impact roles and mentored by senior managers. Managers are assessed on your Company's behavioural competency framework and provided with learning and development support to address any areas identified for improvement. As part of your Company's managerial development and capability building strategy, various programmes have been designed and customised to your Company's requirements under these platforms. Your Company has further strengthened its performance management system and its culture of accountability through renewed emphasis on Management by objectives which includes clearly defined goals and outcomes-based assessment.

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FORM NO. AOC-1

Statement containing salient features of the Financial Statement of the subsidiary

(Pursuant to the first proviso to sub-section (3) of section 129 of the Act read with Rule 5 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

Part 'A'

Sl. No.	Particulars	M/s. K.M. Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd
1	Reporting period of the subsidiary	01.04.2024to 31.03.2025
2	Reporting currency	Lacs
3	Share Capital	5.00
4	Reserve & Surplus	0.31
5	Total Assets	5.49
6	Total Liabilities	5.49
7	Investments	0.00
8	Turnover	0.00
9	Profit before tax	0.18
10	Provision for tax	0.04
11	Profit after tax	0.14
12	Proposed Dividend	0.00%
13	% of shareholding	99.99%

Notes: The following information shall be furnished at the end of the statement:

- 1. Names of subsidiaries which are yet to commence operations- K.M. Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd
- 2. Names of subsidiaries which have been liquidated or sold during the year.

Part 'B' **Associates and Joint Ventures**

The company does not have any associate and joint venture company, hence the requirement under this part is not applicable to the company and no information is required to be disclosed.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Date: 07.08.2025 Place: Lucknow

-Sd/-L.K. Jhunjhunwala Chairman Din: 01854647

Annexure 7

FORM NO. AOC-2

(Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

Form for disclosure of particulars of contracts/arrangements entered into by the company with related parties referred to in subsection (1) of section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013, including certain arm's length transactions under the third proviso thereto

- 1. Details of contracts or arrangements, or transactions not an arm's length basis -
- NIL

- (a) Name(s) of the related party and nature of the relationship
- (b) Nature of contracts/arrangements/transactions
- (c) Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transactions
- (d) Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements, or transactions, including the value, if any
- (e) Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements, or transactions
- (f) Date of approval by the Board
- (g) Amount paid as advances, if any:
- (h) Date on which the special resolution was passed in the general meeting as required under the first proviso to section 188- N.A
- 2. Details of material contracts or arrangements, or transactions on an arm's length basis:-
 - (a) Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship:-

1	M/s Sonar Casting Ltd
2	M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holdings Private Limited

(b) Nature of contracts/arrangements/transactions:-

M/s Sonar Casting Ltd	Investment and Corporate Guarantee
M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holdings Private Limited	Investment

- (c) Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transactions: 01-04-2024 to 31-03-2025
- (d) Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements, or transactions, including the value, if any:
 - i. The transactions with related parties have been entered at amounts which are not materially different from those on normal commercial terms.
 - ii. No amount has been written back/written off during the year in respect to due to/due from related parties.
 - iii. The amount due from related parties is good, and hence no provision for doubtful debts in respect of dues from such related parties is required.

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the related party/Nature of transaction	Value2024-25/ (2023-24)
M/s Sonar Casting Ltd/Corporate Guarantee	Rs. 6866.14 (6113.96)
M/s Sonar Casting Ltd/ Investment in Pref. Shares	Rs. 4960.00 (4585.00)
M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holdings Private Limited/ Investment in OFCD	Rs. 2350.00 (2350.00)
M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holdings Private Limited/ Inter Corporate Deposit	Rs. 550.00 (870.00)

(e) Date(s) of approval by the Board, if any:

Transaction With	Reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee	Approved by the Board	Approved by the Shareholders
M/s Sonar Casting Ltd	29.05.2019 and 10.11.2020	29.05.2019 and 10.11.2020	20.08.2019 AGM and 10.03.2021 EGM
M/s K M Strategic Investments & Holdings Private Limited	12.02.2022	12.02.2022	24.03.2022 EGM

(f) Amount paid as advances, if any: As given above in the RPT details.: N/A

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

-Sd/-

L.K. Jhunjhunwala Chairman

Din: 01854647

FORM NO. MR.3 SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2025

[Pursuant to section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule No.9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration Personnel) Rules, 2014]

To. The Members, K M Sugar Mills Limited, (CIN - L15421UP1971PLC003492) 76, Eldeco Green, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow - 226010, Uttar Pradesh

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by K M Sugar Mills Limited (CIN - L15421UP1971PLC003492) (hereinafter referred to as "the Company"). The Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us with a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conduct/statutory compliance and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the Company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorised representatives during the conduct of the secretarial audit,

We hereby report that in our opinion

- i. The Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on 31st March 2025, complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder; and also
- ii. The Company has proper Board processes and compliance mechanisms in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter.

We have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on 31st March 2025, according to the provisions of:

- The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the rules made thereunder;
- ii. The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made thereunder;
- iii. The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder;
- iv. Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings - (Not applicable to the listed entity during the review period);
- The following Regulations and Guidelines, prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act'):
 - a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations");
 - b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018 ("ICDR Regulations") (Not applicable to the listed entity during the review period);
 - c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 ("Takeover Regulations");
 - d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018 ("Buyback Regulations") (Not applicable to the listed entity during the review period);
 - e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021 ("SBEB Regulations") -(Not applicable to the listed entity during the review period);
 - f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible and Redeemable Preference Shares) Regulations, 2021 ("Non-convertible Securities Regulations") - (Not applicable to the listed entity during the review period);
 - g) The Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021 ("Delisting Regulations") Not applicable as the listed entity has not made any delisting during the year under report;

- h) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- i) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies and dealing with clients - Not applicable as the listed entity is not registered as Registrar to Issue and Share Transfer Agent during the financial year under review;
- j) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 ("DP Regulations");
- vi. The following other laws, on account of the nature of the industry, are specifically applicable to the Company:
 - (a) The Sugar (Control) Order, 1966
 - (b) The Legal Metrology Act, 2009
 - (c) Essential Commodities Act, 1955
 - (d) Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006
 - (e) The U.P. Sugar Cane (Regulation of Supply & Purchase) Act, 1953

We have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses of the following:

- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India; and
- (ii) Listing Agreement entered into by the Company with BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited,

During the period under review, the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, and the Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards, etc. mentioned above.

We further report that:

- The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with a proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors. The changes in the composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review were carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act.
- Adequate notice is given to all directors to convene the Board Meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent at least seven days in advance, and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting for meaningful participation at the meeting.
- Majority decisions are carried through, while the dissenting members' views, if any, are captured and recorded as part of the minutes.

We further report that the systems and processes in the Company require further strengthening and improvements, considering the size and operations of the Company, to enable better monitoring and ensure timely compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

We further report that during the audit period, there were no material events having bearing on the affairs of the Company.

For Pragati Gupta **Company Secretaries** -Sd/-Pragati Gupta

Practising Company Secretary Membership No.: A19302 C.P. No. 7878 P.R. No. 2601/2022

UDIN - A019302G000517580

Date: May 30, 2025 Place: Lucknow

Note: This report should be read with the letter of the same date by the Secretarial Auditors.

To, The Members, K M SUGAR MILLS LIMITED, 11, MotiBhawan, Collectorganj, Kanpur - 208 001

Our Report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

- 1. Maintenance of secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
- 2. We have followed the audit practices and process as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the processes and practices, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and books of accounts of the Company.
- 4. Where ever required, we have obtained the management representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulations and happening of events etc.
- 5. The Compliance of the provisions of Corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedure on test basis.
- 6. The Secretarial Audit Report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For Pragati Gupta **Company Secretaries** -Sd/-Pragati Gupta

Practising Company Secretary Membership No.: A19302 C.P. No. 7878

P.R. No. 2601/2022 UDIN - A019302G000517580

Date: May 30, 2025 Place: Lucknow

Annexure-9

Information pursuant to section 197(12) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 5 Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and forming part of the Director's Report for the year ended March 31, 2025.

A. Employed throughout the financial year and were in receipt of remuneration in aggregate of not less than Rs. 1,02, 00,000/- per annum.

SI	Name	Age Yrs	Designation	Qualification	experience (in years)	Date of commence ment of employment	Remuneration Rs. In Lacs	Previous employment
1	Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala	83	Chairman	BA	51	19.09.2015	333.60	-
2	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	54	Managing Director	B.COM	30	19.09.2015	356.10	-
3	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	49	Joint Managing Director	MBA	25	19.09.2015	199.67	-

B. Employed for part of the financial year and were in receipt of monthly Remuneration of not less than Rs. 8, 50,000/-.

SI	Name	Age Yrs	Designation	Qualification	Experience In yrs.	Date of commence ment of employment	Remuneration Rs. In Lacs	Previous employment	
				NIL					

Disclosure under the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 Particulars of Employees Rule 5 (1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014

Name(s) of Whole time Directors	Designation	Remuneration -year ended 31-03-2025 (In Rs.)	Remuneration year ended 31-03-2024 (In Rs.)	% increase/ (Decrease) in remuneration *	Ratio of remuneration to median remuneration of employees	Ratio of the remuneration to Net Profit year ended 31-03-2025
Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala	Whole Time Director	333.60	250.92	32.95%	101.05:1.00	0.0942:1.00
Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Mg. Director	356.10	274.33	29.80%	107.84:1.00	0.1006:1.00
Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	Jt. Mg. Director	199.67	168.90	18.21%	60.47:1.00	0.0564:1.00
Shri S.C. Agarwal	Exe. Direc- tor-cum- CEO	60.88	54.11	12.51%	18.43:1.00	0.0172:1.00

Name(s) of Independent Directors	Remuneration/Sitting Fees – Year ended 31-03-2025 (In Rs.)	Remuneration/ Sitting Fees – in year ended 31-03-2024 (In Rs.)	% increase in remuneration
Dr. Sushil Solomon	1.35	1.20	(0)%
Sh. Bibhas Kumar Srivastav	1.20	1.00	(0)%
DR. Bakshi Ram Yadav	1.35	0.40	(0)%
Sh. Narendra Mohan***	0.60	-	(0)%
Mrs. Archna Agarwal**	0.75	-	(0)%
Mrs. Madhu Mathur*	0.70	0.90	(0)%
Mr. S.K. Gupta	0.75	1.45	(0)%

^{*}Ceased to hold office with effect from 21st August 2024, **Appointed with effect from 21st May, 2024, ***Appointed with effect from 29th June 2024.

Name of KMP	Remuneration – Year ended 31-03-2025(In Rs.)*	Remuneration year ended 31-03-2024 (In Rs.)	% increase in remuneration	Ratio of the remuneration to Net Profit for the year ended 31-03-2025
Sh. Arvind Gupta	23.52	22.66	3.79%	0.0066:1.00
Ms. Pooja Dua	7.72	7.07	9.19%	0.0022:1.00

^{*} The figures are comparable

A) Statement of particulars of remuneration as per Rule 5(1)

Vo.	Description				
1	The ratio of the remuneration of each director to the median remuneration of the employees of the company for the financial year	Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwa Shri Aditya Jhunjhur Shri Sanjay Jhunjhur Shri S.C.Agarwal	nwala	101.05:1.00 107.84:1.00 60.47:1.00 18.43:1.00	Note-1
2	The percentage increase / decrease in remuneration of each director, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Executive Officer, Company Secretary or Manager, if any, in the financial year	Chairman-cum-Direc Managing Director Joint Managing Dire Executive Director – CFO CS	ector	32.95% 29.80% 18.21% 12.51% 3.79% 9.19%	Note-3
3	The percentage increase in the median remuneration of employees in the financial year		1.92 %		
4	The number of permanent employees on the rolls of company		392		
5	The explanation on the relationship between average increase in remuneration and company performance	and profitability is or deciding the increa revision in remuner fundamental princi performance: a-Demand –supply r b-Company's need t	ne of the important para use in the remuneration ration of employees is be iples, which directly in relationship of the job sk		Note-2
		c- Employee's social d- Increase in cost of	aspiration for enhancing		
6	Comparison of the remuneration of the Key Managerial Personnel against the		aspiration for enhancing		Note-3
6		d- Increase in cost of	aspiration for enhancing f living;	(Rs. In lacs)	Note-3
6	Key Managerial Personnel against the	G-Increase in cost of Finance 2023-24	aspiration for enhancing f living; Total Remuneration ial Year 2024-25	(Rs. In lacs) Increase/(Decrease) in %	Note-3
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7	Variations in the market capitalization of the company, price earnings ratio as at	Particulars	Unit	As at 31- 03-2025	As at 31.03.2024	Variation	
	the closing date of the current financial	Closing rate at NSE	Rs.	27.63	28.05	-1.50%	
	year and previous financial year and percentage increase over decrease in the	EPS Consolidated	Rs.	3.86	3.05	26.56%	
	market quotations of the shares of the company in comparison to the rate at	Market Capitalization	Rs./ lacs	26846.00	25806.05	4.03%	Increase/De-
	which the company came out with the last	Price Earnings Ratio	Ratio	6.46:1	9.19:1	-29.72%	crease in %
	public offer in case of listed companies, and in case of unlisted companies, the variations in the net worth of the company as at the close of the current financial year and previous financial year						

Notes:

- 1. All other directors (Independent) were paid only sitting fee for attending the meetings of the Board and Committees thereof.
- 2. Commission was paid to the Whole Time Directors- Mr. L.K Jhunjhunwala and Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala during the year under review. Further Directors' Remuneration which exceeds the limit specified under section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with schedule V and was approved by the shareholders of the company in the 50th AGM of the company held on 25th September 2023.
- 3. The remuneration levels and periodic increases have no direct correlation to the company's performance but are determined in the normal course of business and in line with industry norms.

The company did not come out with Public Offer.

For and on behalf of the Board of K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd.

> Sd/-L.K Jhunjhunwala Chairman Din: 01854647

Date:: 07.08.2025 Place: Lucknow

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To,

The Members of K M Sugar Mills Limited Report on the Audit of financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying standalone financial statements of KM Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") which comprises the Balance Sheet as at March 31,2025, the Statement of Profit and Loss (including Other Comprehensive Income), statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year ended on that date, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information [hereinafter referred to as "the financial statements").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, ("Ind AS") and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2025, and profit and total comprehensive income, changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit of the financial statements in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules there-under, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the financial statements.

Kev Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. We have determined the matters described below to be the key audit matters to be communicated in our report.

of inventory is considered to be reasonable.

Sl. No.	Key Audit Matter	How our audit addressed the Key Audit Matter
1	Valuation of inventory of sugar: As on March 31, 2025, the Company has inventory of sugar with a carrying value INR 36022.42 lakhs. The inventory of sugar is valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. We considered the value of the inventory of sugar as a key audit matter given the relative value of inventory in the financial statements and significant judgement involved in the consideration of factors such as minimum sale price, monthly quota, fluctuation in selling prices and related notifications of	Principal Audit Procedures We understood and tested the design and operating effectiveness of controls as established by the management in determination of cost of production and net realizable value of inventory of sugar. We considered various factors including the prevailing selling price during and subsequent to the year end, minimum selling price & monthly quota, and notifications of the Government of India, initiatives taken by the Government with respect to sugar industry as a whole.
	the Government in valuation of NRV.	Based on the above procedures performed, the management's determination of the net realizable value of the inventory of sugar as at the year-end and comparison with cost for valuation

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Contingent Liabilities:

There are various litigations pending before various forums against the Company and management's judgement is required for estimating the amount to be disclosed as contingent liability.

We identified this as a key audit matter because the estimates on which these amounts are based involve a significant degree of management judgement in interpreting the cases and it may be subject to management bias.

Principal Audit Procedures

We have obtained an understanding of the Company's internal instructions and procedures in respect of estimation and disclosure of contingent liabilities and adopted the following audit procedures:

- understood and tested the design and operating effectiveness of controls as established by the management for obtaining all relevant information for pending litigation cases;
- discussing with management any material developments and latest status of legal matters;
- read various correspondences and related documents pertaining to litigation cases produced by the management and relevant external legal opinions obtained by the management and performed substantive procedures on calculations supporting the disclosure of contingent liabilities;
- examining management's judgements and assessments whether provisions are required;
- considering the management assessments of those matters that are not disclosed as the probability of material outflow is considered to be remote;- reviewing the adequacy and completeness of disclosures;

Based on the above procedures performed, the estimation and disclosures of contingent liabilities are considered to be adequate and reasonable.

Information Other than the standalone financial statements and **Auditor's Report Thereon**

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Business Responsibility Report, Corporate Governance and Shareholder's Information, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information; we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibility of Management for the Financial Statements The Company's Board of Directors is for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, total comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the standalone financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the standalone financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal financial controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in thefinancial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user ofthestandalone financial statementsmay beinfluenced. Weconsiderquantitative materiality and qualitative factors in

- (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and
- (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the standalone financial statements.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in ur report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in the Annexure 'A' a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.

As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, based on our report we report that:

- a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
- c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss including other comprehensive income, Statement of Change in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flow dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
- d) In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act.
- e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31st March,2025 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March, 2025 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
- f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and the operating

effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in "Annexure B". Our report expresses an unmodified opinion on the adequacy and operating effectiveness of the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting.

- g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended:
 - In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given tous, the remuneration paid by the Company to its directors during the year is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act.
- h) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - i. The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations on its financial position in its financial statements –Refer Note 38.5to the financial statements:
 - ii. The Company did not have any longterm contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses;
 - iii. There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and been no delay in transferring amounts, required to be transferred, to the Investor Education and Protection Fundbythe Company;
 - iv.a) Management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds (which are material either individually or in the aggregate) have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium orany other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person or entity, including foreign entity ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whetherrecorded in writing or otherwise, that the

Intermediary shall, whether, directly orindirectly lendor invest in persons or entities identifiedin any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Company ("ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any quarantee, security orthe like on behalf of theultimate Beneficiaries:

- b) The Management has represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds(which are material either individually or in the aggregate)have been received by the Company from any person or entity, including foreign entity ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
- c) Based on the audit procedures that have been considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (i) and(ii)of Rule11(e),as provided under clause (a) and(b) above, contain any material misstatement.
- (v) In our opinion, the company has not declared and paid dividend during the year so this para is not applicable to the company.
- (vi) Based on our examination, which included test checks, the Company has used accounting software for maintaining its books of account for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software. Further, during the course of our audit we did not come across any instance of the audit trail feature being tampered with and the audit trail has been preserved by the Company as per the statutory requirements for record retention.

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra

Chartered Accountants (FRN: 000226C)

Sd/-

CA Sanjay K. Rai

Partner M. No.: 507946

UDIN:25507946BMTCQX8109

Place: Lucknow Date: 26.05.2025

ANNEXURE A TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Annexure referred to in our Independent Auditors' Report to the members of the Company on the financial statements of KM Sugar Mills Limited for the year ended 31st March, 2025, we report that:

- (i) In respect of Company's Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets:
 - (a) The Company is maintaining proper records showing full particulars including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE) and relevant details of right-of -use assets on the basis of available information;
 - (b) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets.
 - (c) The fixed assets of the Company have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals as per information provided to us and as explained; no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification;
 - (d) Based on our examination of lease agreement for land on which building is constructed, we report that, the title in respect of self-constructed buildings and title deeds of all other immovable properties (other than properties where the company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed infavourof the lessee), disclosed in the financial statements included under Property, Plant and Equipment are held in the name of the Company as at the balance sheet date.
 - (e) The company has not revalued any of its Property, Plant and Equipment (including right-of-use assets) and intangible assets during the year.
 - (f) No proceedings have been initiated during the year or are pending against the Company as at March

- 31, 2025 for holding any benami property under the BenamiTransactions(Prohibition)Act, 1988(as amended in 2016) and rules made there under.
- (ii)(a) According to the information and explanations given to us, the inventories have been physically verified by the management to the extent practicable at reasonable intervals during the year and as explained, there was no material discrepancies noticed on such verification.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of Rs.5 crore, in aggregate, during the year from banks on the basis of security of current assets and the statements filed with the banksby the company arein agreement with books of accountother than those set out in Note No.37.34having difference because of statements filed with the lenders are based on provisional basis and also because of exclusion of certain current assets in the statement filed with lenders.
- (iii)(a) The Company has, in previous year, made investments in a company and provided unsecured loan to a company other than subsidiary, joint ventures and associates in respect of which:

the aggregate amount of investment made and loan given during the year and balance outstanding at the balance sheet date with respect to such loans or advances to company other than subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates.

SI. No.	Nature	Aggregate Amount (Rs. in lakhs)	Outstanding at the balance sheet date (Rs. in lakhs)	
1	Unsecured Loan Provided	1075.00	1674.25	
2	Investment in Non-Cumulative Preference Shares	375.00	4960.00	

(The above amount is appearing in Note 5 on Current and Non-current loan Note 4 and Note 13 on Non-Current Investments.)

KMP and their relatives have substantial interest /significant influence in the entities with whom the above transactions entered.

- (b) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the investments made and the terms and conditions of the loans provided by the company are not prejudicial to the interest of the company except that the investment made are in non-cumulative preference sharesand the interest due has not been received; instead, it has been added to and forms part of the outstanding loan balance.
- (c) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, in the case of loans given, in our opinion the repayment of principal and payment of interest has been stipulated, however as per terms, the repayment of the loan or interest has not fallen due during the year. Thus, there has been no default on the part of the party to whom the money has been lent. Further, the Company has not given any advance in the nature of loan to any party during the year.
- (d) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, no amount is overdue for more than ninety days in respect of the aforesaid loans as per repayment schedule of principal and payment of interest. We have not, however, made a detailed examination of the records with a view to determine whether they are accurate or complete.
- (e) No loan granted by the Company which has fallen due during the year and has been renewed or extended or fresh loans granted to settle the over dues of existing loans given to the same parties.
- (f) The company has not granted any loans or advances in the nature of loans either repayable on demand or without specifying any terms or period of repayment.
- iv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has complied with the provisions of

- section 185 and 186 of Companies Act, 2013 with respect to the loans, investments, guarantees and security provided by it.
- v) According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not accepted any deposits which are deemed to be deposits. Hence, reporting under clause 3(v)of the order is not applicable.
- vi) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the specified cost accounts and records as prescribed by the Central Government in terms of sub-section (1) of section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 are prima facie maintained by the company.
- vii) In respect of statutory dues:
 - (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and

- on the basis of our examination of the records, the Company is generally regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues including provident fund, employees' state insurance, incometax, duty of customs, Goods and service tax and any other material statutory dues to the appropriate authorities to the extent these are applicable.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, in respect of statutory dues, no undisputed dues were in arrears as at 31st March, 2025 for a period of more than six months from the date they become payable.
- (c) According to the information and explanations given to us, the following dues of income tax, sales tax, duty of excise, service tax, and value added tax have not been deposited by the Company on account of disputes:

Name of the statute	Nature of dues	Gross demand Amount (Rs. in lakhs)	Amount paid under protest (Rs. in lakhs)	Period to which pertain	Forum where dispute is pending
Income Tax Act	Income Tax	6.50	-	2017-2018	Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeal)
Income Tax Act	Income Tax	650.81	-	2014-2015	Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeal)
Income Tax Act	Income Tax	33.42	-	2019-2020	Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeal)
Total		690.73	-		

- viii) According to the information and explanations given to us and the records of company examining by us, there were no transactions relating to previously unrecorded income that have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961(43of 1961).
- ix)(a) According to the records of the company examined by us and the and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or other borrowings or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of audit procedures, we report that the company has not been declared willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
- (c) In our opinion and according to information and explanation given to us, the company has applied the term loan for the purpose for which the loans were obtained.
- (d) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of audit procedures performed by us and on an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, funds raised on short-term basis have, prima facie, not been used during the year for long-term purposes by the Company.
- (e) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the standalone financial statements of the Company, we report that the company has not taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures as defined under the Act.

- (f) According to the information and explanations given to us and procedures performed by us, the company has not raised any loans on pledge of security held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures or associate companies during the year and hence reporting on clause 3(ix) (f)of the order is not applicable.
- (x)(a)According to information and explanations given to us, the Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer or private placement of share or convertible debentures. Accordingly, clause 3 (x)(a)of the order is not applicable.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or fully or partly convertible debentures during the year.
- (xi)(a) To the best of our knowledge and according to the information and explanations given to us, no material fraud by the company or on the Company by its officers or employees has been noticed or reported during the course of our audit;
- (b) During the course of our examination of the books and records of the Company, carried out in accordance with the generally accepted auditing practices in India, no report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 has been filedby the auditors in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies Audit and Auditors)Rules, 2014 with the Central Government; Accordingly, the reporting under Clause 3(xi)(b) of the Order is not applicable to the Company;

- (c) To the best of our knowledge and according to the information and explanations given to us, no whistle blower complaints were received by the Company during the year.
- (xii) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not a Nidhi company. Accordingly, para (xii) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- (xiii) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, transactions with related parties are in compliance with sections 177 and 188 of the Act where applicable and details of such transactions have been disclosed in the financial statement as required by the applicable accounting standards.
- (xiv) (a)In our opinion and according to the information and explanation given to us, the Company has an adequate internal audit system commensurate with the size and the nature of its business;
- (b)We have considered the internal audit reports for the year under audit, issued to the Company during the year and till date, in determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.
- (xv) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not entered into non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with him in term of section 192of Act. Accordingly, para 3(xv) of the order is not applicable.
- (xvi) (a) As per our information, the company is not required to be registered under Section 45-1A of the Reserve Bank of India Act,1934. Hence, reporting under clause 3(xvi) (a), (b) and (c) of the order is not applicable.
- (b) Based on the information and explanations provided by the management of the Company. there is not more than one core investment company within the Group (as defined n the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016) and accordingly reporting under clause 3(xvi) (d) of the Order is not applicable
- (xvii)The Company has not incurred cash losses during the financial year covered by our audit and the immediately preceding financial year.

- (xviii)There has been no resign ation of the statutory auditors of the Company during the year.
- (xix) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company and on the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements, our knowledge of the Board of Directors and management plans, we are of the opinion that no material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report that company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due.
- (xx) There are no unspent amounts towards Corporate Social Responsibility(CSR) requiring a transfer to a Fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act in compliance with second proviso to sub-section (5) of Section 135 of the said Act. Accordingly, reporting under clause3(xx) of the order is not applicable for the year.
- (xxi) The reporting under clause 3(xxi) of the Order is not applicable in respect of audit of the standalone financial statements. Accordingly, no comment in respect of the said clause has been included in this report.

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra

Chartered Accountants (FRN: 000226C)

Sd/-

CA Sanjay K. Rai

Partner M. No.: 507946 **UDIN:**25507946BMTCOX8109

Place: Lucknow

Date: 26.05.2025

ANNEXURE - B TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting ofKM Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") as of 31 March 2025 in conjunction with our audit of the Ind AS financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Company's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('ICAI'). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that

- (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company:
- (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls Over **Financial Reporting**

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Opinion

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31 March 2025, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra

Chartered Accountants (FRN: 000226C)

Sd/-

CA Sanjay K. Rai Partner M. No.: 507946

UDIN: 25507946BMTCQX8109

Standalone Balance Sheet for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Notes No.	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March ,2024
ASSETS			
(1) Non current assets			
(a) Property, plant and equipment	3	15,875.17	16,058.21
(b) Capital work in progress	3A	748.61	1,175.51
(c) Intangible assets	3B	4.94	3.83
(d) Right-of-use-assets	3C	4,627.19	4,866.57
(e) Financial assets			
(i) Investments	4	7,064.56	7,591.13
(ii) Loans	5	1,124.25	1,037.61
(iii) Other financial assets	6	968.95	618.15
(f) Non current tax assets (net)	7	335.00	167.67
(g) Other non current assets	8	2,145.23	1,997.96
Total non current assets		32,893.90	33,516.64
(2) Current assets			
(a) Inventories	9	36,720.55	38,398.93
(b) Financial assets			
(i) Investments	10	296.00	0.03
(ii) Trade and other receivables	11	839.01	2,933.27
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	12	384.17	726.61
(iv) Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents	12A	460.18	385.33
(v) Loans	13	550.00	870.00
(vi) Other financial assets	14	2.33	10.05
(c) Other current assets	15	842.24	1,081.73
Total current assets		40,094.48	44,405.95
Total assets		72,988.38	77,922.59
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
EQUITY			
(a) Equity share capital	16	1,840.00	1,840.00
(b) Other equity	17	32,019.08	28,481.17
Total equity		33,859.08	30,321.17
LIABILITIES			
(1) Non current liabilities			
(a) Financial liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	18	1,908.61	2,805.49
(ii) Other financial liabilities	19	33.08	51.44
(b) Other non current liabilities	20	14.50	14.50
(c) Deferred tax liabilities (net)	21	759.67	782.01
(d) Provisions	22	495.24	489.02
Total non current liabilities		3,211.10	4,142.46
(2) Current liabilities			
(a) Financial Liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	23	26,276.63	26,307.05
(ii) Trade and other payables	24	8,191.82	15,460.80
(iii) Other financial liabilities	25	1,138.80	1,115.23
(b) Other current liabilities	26	218.33	499.83
(c) Provisions	22	92.62	76.05
Total current liabilities		35,918.20	43,458.96
Total equity and liabilities		72,988.38	77,922.59
Corporate Information	1		

Significant Accounting Policies and accompanying notes 2 to 37 form an integral part of standalone financial statements

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C For and on behalf of Board of Directors

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946 S. C. Agarwal Executive Director (DIN-02461954)

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Place : Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025

Standalone statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Parti	iculars	Note No.	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
1	Revenue From Operations	27	65,900.52	65,715.93
П	Other Income	28	737.02	849.05
Ш	Total Income (I+II)		66,637.54	66,564.98
IV	EXPENSES			
	Cost of materials consumed	29	42,936.52	51,513.78
	Purchase of stock in trade	30	48.37	46.00
	Changes in inventories of finished goods, by-products and work-in-progress	31	1,668.54	(3,007.29)
	Employee benefit expenses	32	2,192.90	2,030.49
	Finance costs	33	1,816.54	1,654.28
	Depreciation and amortisation expenses	34	2,196.75	2,259.08
	Other expenses	35	10,886.11	8,157.57
	Total expenses		61,745.73	62,653.91
V	Profit/(loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)		4,891.81	3,911.07
VI	Exceptional Items		-	-
VII	Profit/(loss) before tax (V-VI)		4,891.81	3,911.07
VIII	Tax expenses:	36		
	Current tax		1,328.51	1,045.00
	Tax expense of earlier year		25.81	2.64
	Deferred tax		(17.60)	54.29
			1,336.72	1,101.93
IX	Profit (Loss) for the period (VII-VIII)		3,555.09	2,809.14
Х	Other Comprehensive Income :			
	(i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss :			
	Gain / (Loss) arising on actuarial valuation arising on defined benefit obligation		(18.91)	(18.84)
	Gain / (Loss) arising on fair valuation of equity instruments		0.14	(4.14)
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss		4.73	5.57
			(14.04)	(17.41)
ΧI	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X) (Comprising Profit/(Loss) and Other Comprehensive Income for the period)		3,541.05	2,791.73
XII	Earnings per equity share (Equity share of Rs. 2/- each)			
	(1) Basic		3.86	3.05
	(2) Diluted		3.86	3.05

Corporate Information

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As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

S. C. Agarwal **Executive Director** (DIN-02461954)

Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189) Pooja Dua

Place: Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025 A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer

Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Standalone Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

C NIa	Davticulars	As	at	As at		
S.No.	Particulars	31st March, 2025		31st March, 2024		
A.	Cash flow from operating activities					
	Profit before tax		4,891.81		3,911.07	
	Adjustment to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flow provided by operating activities:					
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	2,196.75		2,259.08		
	Finance costs	1,816.54		1,654.28		
	Transfer to storage fund for molasses	2.84		3.03		
	Provision/(reversal) of doubtful debts	4.45		(0.70)		
	Balances written off	7.28		7.97		
	Interest Income	(389.42)		(412.55)		
	Government Grant	(29.48)		(118.58)		
	Storage fund for molasses written back	(5.98)		-		
	Fair valution on investment and others	181.81		(4.61)		
	Loss/(Profit) on sale of property, plant and equipments	147.17		97.08		
	Unspent liabilities/balances written back	(13.66)		(51.92)		
	Other measurement income	(30.95)		(32.88)		
	Other measurement expenses	27.43		22.52		
	Remeasurement of defined benefit obligation	(18.91)	3,895.87	(18.84)	3,403.88	
	Operating Profit before working capital changes		8,787.68		7,314.95	
	Adjustment to reconcile operating profit to cash flow provided by change in working capital					
	(Increase)/Decrease in trade and other receivables	2,094.26		(2,329.20)		
	(Increase) / Decrease in inventories	1,678.38		(3,084.03)		
	(Increase) / Decrease in Non current Assets	(186.43)		(1.04)		
	(Increase) / Decrease in Current	120.58		(87.79)		
	(Increase) / Decrease in Non current Financial Assets	(349.85)		46.81		
	(Increase) / Decrease in Current Financial Assets	(50.82)		(724.95)		
	Increase / (Decrease) in trade payables & Others	(7,255.32)		2,455.82		
	Increase / (Decrease) in non current liabilities	-		89.10		
	Increase / (Decrease) in current	(252.02)		87.66		
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other Non current Financial Liabilities	(18.36)		14.50		
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other current Financial Liabilities	64.17		(22.89)		
	Increase / (Decrease) in Non Current Provisions	6.22		7.62		
	Increase / (Decrease) in Current Provisions	16.57		(13.40)		
			(4,132.62)		(3,561.79	
	Cash generated from operations		4,655.06		3,753.16	
	Tax expense		(1,521.66)		(877.15	
	Net cash generated from operating activities (A)		3,133.40		2,876.01	

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars		As at arch, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	
В.	Cash Flow from investing activities				
	Addition to property, plant and equipment (including capital work in progress) (Net)	(1,537.22)		(2,583.71)	
	Proceed from Sale of property, plant and equipment	41.51		15.82	
	Investment in equity and other (Net)	348.92		(1,295.00)	
	Interest income received	424.44	(722.35)	447.37	(3,415.52)
	Net cash used in investing activities (B)				
C.	Cash flow from financing activities				
	Proceed/(Repayments) of long term borrowings	(1,152.06)		(2,679.29)	
	Proceeds/(Repayments) of short term borrowings	224.76		4,977.23	
	Finance cost paid	(1,826.19)	(2,753.49)	(1,617.32)	680.62
	Net cash from financing activities (C)				
	Net increase in cash & cash equivalents (A+B+C)		(342.44)		141.11
D.	Opening cash and cash equivalents		726.61		585.50
E.	Closing cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of cash flow statement (Refer Note No.12)		384.17		726.61
	Increase in cash & cash equivalents (D-E)		(342.44)		141.11

Notes:

1) The above Cash Flow Statement has been prepared under the "Indirect Method" as set out in the Indian Accounting Standard on Statement of Cash Flows (Ind As -7).

2) Cash and cash equivalents at year end comprises:

Cash on hand	5.19	5.34
Cheque on hand	308.00	-
Balances with Banks	70.98	100.42
Fixed deposit with Bank original maturity upto 3 months	-	620.85
Supplementary Information	384.17	726.61
- Restricted Cash Balance (Note 12A)*		
* amount not included in cash and cash equivalent		

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place : Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025 For and on behalf of Board of Directors

S. C. Agarwal Executive Director (DIN-02461954)

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer

Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Standalone Statement of change in equity for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(a) Equity Share Capital

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	Change during the year	As at 31st March, 2024	Change during the year	As at 31st March, 2023
Balance of Equity Share Capital	1,840.00	-	1,840.00	-	1,840.00
	1,840.00	-	1,840.00	-	1,840.00

(b) Other equity (Rs. in lakhs)

(b) Other equity									(113. 111 141113)
						Items of (Items of Other Comprehensive Income		
Description	General Reserve	Molasses Storage Fund	Sugar Price Equal- isation Reserve	Secu- rities Premium Account	Retained Earning	Reval- uation reserve	FVTOCI reserve	Gain / Loss arising on actuarial valuation of defined benefit	Total
As at April 01, 2023	1,179.90	27.55	12.40	2,688.01	15,902.24	6,068.93	(85.24)	(107.38)	25,686.41
Profit for the period					2,809.14				2,809.14
Other Comprehensive Income	_	-	-	-	-	-	(3.31)	(14.10)	(17.41)
Transfer to Molasses Fund	-	3.03	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.03
Transfer to retained earning			-	-	0.85	(0.85)	-	-	-
As at 31st March, 2024	1,179.90	30.58	12.40	2,688.01	18,712.23	6,068.08	(88.55)	(121.48)	28,481.17
Profit for the period	-		-	-	3,555.09		-	-	3,555.09
Other Comprehensive Income	-	-	-		-	-	0.11	(14.15)	(14.04)
Total Comprehensive Income	1,179.90	30.58	12.40	2,688.01	22,267.32	6,068.08	(88.44)	(135.63)	32,022.22
Transfer to General Reserve	8,820.10	-	-	-	(8,820.10)	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Molasses Fund	-	2.84	-	-			-	-	2.84
Storage fund of molasses w/back	-	(5.98)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5.98)
Transfer to retained earning	-	-	-	-	1,433.10	(1,433.10)	-	-	-
As at March 31, 2025	10,000.00	27.44	12.40	2,688.01	14,880.32	4,634.98	(88.44)	(135.63)	32,019.08

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C For and on behalf of Board of Directors

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946 S. C. Agarwal Executive Director (DIN-02461954)

Place : Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025 A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Notes forming part of Standalone Financial Statement

1. Corporate Information

K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") having Corporate Identity Number ("CIN") L15421UP1971PLC003492 is a public limited company incorporated and domiciled in India and has its registered office situated at 76, Eldeco Greens, Gomtinagar, Lucknow-226010, Uttar Pradesh, India.

The Company's shares are listed on the BSE Ltd. and National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

The Company is engaged in sugar manufacturing. The principal activity of the Company is manufacturing and sale of sugar. Besides this, the allied business activities undertaken by the Company primarily consists of manufacturing and sale of Ethanol, Ethyl Alcohol, generation of power using bagasse and manufacturing and sale of Country Liquor.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

2.1 Statement of Compliance with Ind AS

The standalone financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (referred to as "Ind AS") prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (as amended from time to time).

All the Ind AS issued and notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules. 2015 (as amended) till the financial statements are approved for issue by the Board of Directors has been considered in preparing these financial statements.

2.2 Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

These financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting, under the historical cost convention except for the following:

- (i) Certain financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value and
- (ii) Defined benefits plan plan assets measured at fair value.

There is no change in the system of accounting as being consistently followed from earlier years unless otherwise stated.

All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or noncurrent as per Company's normal operating cycle and other criteria set out in the Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013. Operating cycle is the time between the acquisition of assets for processing and their realization in cash or cash equivalents. The Company has ascertained its operating cycle as 12 months for the purpose of current and non-current classification of assets and liabilities. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are considered as noncurrent.

2.3 Use of Estimates

The preparation of the Financial Statements in conformity with measurement principle under Ind AS requires the management to make estimates, judgment and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities including the accompanying disclosures and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities.

Estimates, judgments and assumptions are continuously evaluated. They are based on historical experience and other factors including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the Company and are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The Company based its estimates, judgments and assumptions on parameters available when the financial statements were prepared. Existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments, however, may change due to market changes or circumstances arising that are beyond the control of the Company. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

The application of accounting policies that require critical judgments and accounting estimates involving complex and subjective judgments and the use of assumptions in these financial statements have been disclosed herein below:

(i) Estimated useful life of Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment represent a significant proportion of the asset base of the Company. The charge in respect of periodic depreciation is derived after determining an estimate of an asset's expected useful life and the expected residual value at the end of its life. The useful lives and residual value of the asset are determined by the management when the asset is acquired and reviewed periodically including at each financial year end. The lives are based on technical evaluation, historical experience with similar assets as well as anticipation of future events, which may impact their lives, such as change in technology.

(ii) Current taxes and deferred taxes

Significant judgment is required in determination of taxability of certain income and deductibility of certain expenses during the estimation of provision for income taxes.

Deferred tax assets are recognized for unused losses (carry forward of prior years' losses) and unused tax credit to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit would be available against which the losses could be utilised. Significant management judgment is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognized, based upon the likely timing and the level of future taxable profits together with future tax planning strategies.

(iii) Estimation of Defined benefit obligations

The cost of the defined benefit gratuity plan and the present value of the gratuity obligation are determined using actuarial valuations. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in the future. These include the determination of the discount rate, future salary increases and mortality rates. Due to the complexities involved in the valuation and its long-term nature, a defined benefit obligation is highly sensitive to

Notes forming part of Standalone Financial Statement

changes in these assumptions. All assumptions are reviewed at each financial year end.

The parameter most subject to change is the discount rate. In determining the appropriate discount rate for plans, the actuary considers the interest rates of government bonds.

The mortality rate is based on publicly available mortality tables. Those mortality tables tend to change only at interval in response to demographic changes. Future salary increases and gratuity increases are based on expected future inflation

(iv) Estimated fair value of unlisted securities

The fair values of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market and cannot be measured based on quoted prices in active markets is determined using valuation techniques including the discounted cash flow (DCF) model. The company uses its judgment to select a variety of method / methods and make assumptions that are mainly based on market conditions existing at the end of each financial year.

The inputs to these models are taken from observable markets where possible, but where this is not feasible, a degree of judgment is required in establishing fair values. Judgment includes considerations of inputs such as liquidity risk, credit risk and volatility. Changes in assumptions about these factors could affect the reported fair value of financial instruments.

2.4 Property, plant and equipment (PPE) and Capital work-inprogress (CWIP)

- (a) All property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. For this purpose, cost includes deemed cost on the date of transition and the purchase cost of assets, including non recoverable duties and taxes, and any directly attributable cost of bringing an asset to the location and condition of its intended use. Interest on borrowings used to finance the construction of qualifying assets is capitalized as part of cost of the asset until such time that the asset is ready for its intended use.
- (b) Costs incurred subsequent to initial capitalization are included in the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future

The estimated useful lives considered are as follows:

economic benefits associated therewith will flow to the Company and it can be measured reliably.

The costs of regular servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss as and when incurred.

When parts of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate components, otherwise these are added to and depreciated over the useful life of the main asset.

The cost and the accumulated depreciation are eliminated from the financial statements upon sale or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from use of the asset and the resultant gains or losses are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss.

(c) Depreciation methods, estimated useful lives and residual value

Freehold land is not depreciated. Lease-hold land and lease hold improvements are amortised over the lower of estimated useful life and lease term.

Depreciation on other items of property, plant and equipment commences when its assets are available for their intended use.

The Company has elected to continue with carrying value of all Property, plant and equipment and Capital work-in-progress (CWIP) under the previous GAAP as deemed cost as at the transition date i.e. 1st April, 2016. In the financial year 2018-19 and 2019-20, the company has revalued the lease hold assets as well as free hold assets considering entire class of land.

Depreciation on Property, plant and equipment (PPE) is provided on written down value method as prescribed under Part C of Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013. The additional depreciation, on increase in cost on account of revaluation, is transferred to Retained Earnings from Revaluation Reserve and is thus not charged to statement of Profit & Loss of the year.

Useful life of assets are considered on the base is of Schedule-II of Companies Act, 2013. The management believes that these estimated useful lives are realistic and reflect fair approximation of the period over which the assets are likely to be used.

Category	31st March, 2025			
Buildings	03-60 years			
Roads	03-10 years			
Plant & Machinery	05-25 years			
Furniture & Fixtures	10 years			
Vehicles	05-10 years			
Office Equipments	5 years			
Computers	03-06 years			
Laboratory Equipments	05-10 years			
Electrical Installations and Equipment	10 years			

Each item of property, plant and equipment individually costing Rs.5,000/- or less is depreciated over a period of one year from the date the said asset is available for use. However, in case of certain assets for staff individually costing more than Rs.5,000/- are depreciated over the period of one year based on management estimates.

The residual value of an item of property, plant and equipment has been kept at \leq 5% of the cost of the respective assets.

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each financial year and are given effect to, wherever appropriate.

(d) Expenditure during construction period

Directly attributable expenditure (including finance cost related to borrowed funds for construction or acquisition of property, plant and equipment) incurred on projects under implementation are treated as Pre-operative expenses pending allocation to the assets and are shown under Capital work-inprogress. Capital work-in-progress is stated at the amount incurred upto the Balance Sheet date on assets or property, plant and equipment that are not yet ready for their intended use.

2.5 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. For this purpose, cost includes carrying value as Deemed cost on the date of transition.

Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalized development costs, are not capitalized and expenditure is reflected in the statement of profit and loss in the year in which the expenditure is incurred.

An intangible asset is derecognised on disposal, or when no future economic benefits are expected from use or disposal. Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset, measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset, is recognised in the statement of profit and loss.

Intangible assets: Computer software is amortized over a period of three years and brand development is amortized over a period of five years.

2.6 Revenue Recognition and Expenses

(i) Effective April 1 2018 the company adopted Ind AS 115, revenue from contracts with customer using the cumulative catch up transition method, applied to contracts that were not completed as of April 1, 2018. In accordance with the cumulative catch up transition method, the comparatives have not been retrospectively adjusted. Revenue is recognized upon transfer of control of promised products or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration we expect to receive in exchange for those products or services.

Arrangements with customers for services and goods are either on a fixed-price, fixed-timeframe or on a time-and-material basis.

Revenue on supply and service contracts are recognized as the related performance obligation is completed.

Revenue from fixed-price, fixed-timeframe contracts, where the performance obligations are satisfied over time and where there is no uncertainty as to measurement or collectability of consideration, is recognized as per the percentageof-completion method. When there is uncertainty as to measurement or ultimate collectability, revenue recognition is postponed until such uncertainty is resolved. Efforts or costs expended have been used to measure progress towards completion as there is a direct relationship between input and productivity.

Revenues in excess of invoicing are classified as contract assets (which we refer to as unbilled revenue) while invoicing in excess of revenues are classified as contract liabilities (which we refer to as unearned revenues).

- (ii) Insurance claims have been accounted for on cash basis looking in to the uncertainty and its collection as per past
- (iii) Interest Income is accounted for on time proportionate basis. For all debt instruments measured at amortized cost, interest income is recognized using the Effective Interest Rate ("EIR"). Interest Income is included in "Other Income" in the Statement of Profit and Loss.
- (iv) Dividend Income is recognized when the Company's right to receive the dividend is established i.e. in case of interim dividend, on the date of declaration by the Board of Directors; whereas in case of final dividend, on the date of approval by shareholders
- (v) All expenses are accounted for on accrual basis.

2.7 Inventory

Cost of inventory comprises of purchase price, cost of conversion and other cost that have been incurred in bringing the inventories to their respective present location and condition. Interest costs are not included in value of inventory.

Inventories are valued as under:

- Raw Materials and Finished Goods (except molasses) are carried at lower of cost and net realizable value. Stock of Molasses is carried at net realizable value.
- Stores & Spares are carried at cost.
- Goods in Process / WIP are carried at lower of cost and net realizable Value.
- Banked power with UPPCL is carried at lower of cost and net realizable value.

Cost for the purpose of valuations of raw material and components, stores & spares are considered on following basis:

Manufacturing Units	Basis
Sugar - Raw Material	First in First Out
Trading Goods	First in First Out
Distillery- Raw Material	First in First Out
Stores & Spares Other components	Weighted Average
Co-generation - Raw Material	First in First Out

2.8 Fair value measurement

The Company measures financial instruments at fair value at each balance sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability; or
- In the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1- Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2- Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3- Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines

whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

The management determines the policies and procedures for both recurring fair value measurement, such as derivative instruments and unquoted financial assets measured at fair value, and for non-recurring measurement, such as assets held for distribution in discontinued operations.

External valuers are involved for valuation of significant assets, such as properties. Involvement of external valuers is decided by the management after discussion with and approval by the Company's management. Selection criteria include market knowledge, reputation, independence and whether professional standards are maintained. The management decides, after discussions with the Company's external valuers, which valuation techniques and inputs to use for each case.

At each reporting date, the management analyses the movements in the values of assets and liabilities, which are required to be remeasured or re-assessed as per the Company's accounting policies. For this analysis, the management verifies the major inputs applied in the latest valuation by agreeing the information in the valuation computation to contracts and other relevant documents.

The management, in conjunction with the Company's external valuers, also compares the change in the fair value of each asset and liability with relevant external sources to determine whether the change is reasonable.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

2.9 Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the Balance sheet when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value.

A. Financial assets

Initial recognition and measurement

All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value plus, in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. The financial assets include equity and debt securities, trade and other receivables, loans and advances, cash and bank balances and derivative financial instruments.

Subsequent measurement

For the purpose of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in the following categories:

- At amortised cost.
- At fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI),
- At fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

Debt instruments at amortised cost

A 'debt instrument' is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met:

- The asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold the asset for collecting contractual cash flows, and
- Contractual terms of the asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial measurement, such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate (EIR) method. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR.

Equity investments

All equity investments in the scope of Ind AS 109 are measured at fair value except in case of investment in subsidiary carried at deemed cost and associate carried at cost.

Deemed cost is the carrying amount under the previous GAAP as at the transition date i.e. 1st April, 2016. Equity instruments included within the FVTPL category, if any, are measured at fair value with all changes recognized in profit or loss. The Company may make an irrevocable election to present in OCI subsequent changes in the fair value.

The Company makes such election on an instrumentby-instrument basis. The classification is made on initial recognition and is irrevocable. If the Company decides to classify an equity instrument at FVTOCI, then all fair value changes on the instrument, excluding dividends, are recognized in OCI.

There is no recycling of the amounts from OCI to profit or loss, even on sale of investment. However, the Company may transfer the cumulative gain or loss within equity.

Preference Share

The fair value of the investments made in a subsidiary company is determined using cost model as prescribed IND AS 27, Fair value of preference share in other company has been determined on the basis of amortized cost. The discount rate has been taken at is incremental borrowing rate for the company after considering percentage of dividend. Difference between the actual cost and amortized cost is accounted for under "Finance cost" as Gain/ loss arising on fair valuation of preference share and unwinding of interest is accounted for under "Other income"

De-recognition

The Company derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expires or it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset.

B. Financial liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial liabilities (other than financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition.

Subsequent measurement

Financial liabilities are carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method or at FVTPL.

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by considering any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of profit and loss.

For trade and other payables maturing within one year from the balance sheet date, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments.

Derecognition of financial liabilities:

A financial liability (or a part of a financial liability) is derecognized from the Company's Balance Sheet when, and only when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expires.

C. Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities including derivative instruments are offset and the net amount is reported in the balance sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

2.10 Employees Benefits

(i) Short term employee benefits

Employee benefits payable wholly within twelve months of receiving employee services are classified as short-term employee benefits. These benefits include salaries and wages, bonus and ex-gratia. The undiscounted amount of short term employee benefits to be paid in exchange for employee services are recognized as an expense as the related service is rendered by employees.

(ii) Post employment benefits

Defined contribution plans:

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which an entity pays specified contributions to a separate entity and has no obligation to pay any further amounts. The company makes specified monthly contributions towards provident fund. The Company's contribution is recognized as an expense in the statement of profit and loss during the period in which employee renders the related service.

Defined benefit plan:

The Company's gratuity benefit scheme is a defined benefit plan. The Company's net obligation in respect of a defined benefit plan is calculated by estimating the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods; that benefit is discounted to determine its present value, and the fair value of any plan assets is deducted.

The present value of the obligation under such defined benefit plan is determined based on actuarial valuation using the Projected Unit Credit Method, which recognizes each period of service as giving rise to additional unit of employee benefit entitlement and measures each unit separately to build up the final obligation.

The obligation is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plan, are based on the market yields on Government securities as at the balance sheet date.

When the calculation results in a benefit to the Company, the recognized asset is limited to the net total of any unrecognized actuarial losses and past service costs and the present value of any future refunds from the plan or reductions in future contributions to the plan.

Actuarial gains and losses are recognized in the other comprehensive income

(iii) Long term employment benefits

The Company's net obligation in respect of long-term employment benefits is the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods. The obligation is calculated using the projected unit credit method and is discounted to its present value and the fair value of any related assets is deducted. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plan, are based on the market yields on Government securities as at the balance sheet date.

(iv) Compensated absences

The employees can carry-forward a portion of the unutilized accrued compensated absences and utilize it in future service periods or receive cash compensation on termination of employment. Since the compensated absences do not fall due wholly within twelve months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service and are also not expected to be utilized wholly within twelve months after the end of such period, the benefit is classified as a longterm employee benefit. The Company records an obligation for such compensated absences in the period in which the employee renders the services that increase this entitlement. The obligation is measured on the basis of independent actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method.

Short term employee benefits are recognized as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit & Loss for the year in which the related service is rendered.

2.11 Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of a qualifying asset are capitalized as part of the cost of such asset till such time that is required to complete and prepare the asset to get ready for its intended use. A qualifying asset is one that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. Borrowing costs consists of interest and other costs that the Company incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

All other borrowing cost is charged to the Statement of Profit & Loss in the period in which they are incurred.

2.12 Dividend payable

Dividend on shares is recorded as a liability on the date of approval by the shareholders and interim dividend are recorded as a liability on the date of declaration by the Company's Board of Directors. A corresponding amount is recognized directly in equity.

2.13 Government Grants

Government grants are recognised at fair value when there is reasonable assurance that the grant would be received and the Company would comply with all the conditions attached with them.

Government grants related to property, plant and equipment are treated as deferred income (included under non-current liabilities with current portion considered under current liabilities) and are recognized and credited in the Statement of Profit and Loss on a systematic and rational basis over the estimated useful life of the related asset and included under "Other Income".

The benefit of government loan at a below-market rate of interest or loan with interest subvention is treated as a government grant. The Difference between the market rate of interest and actual rate of interest is treated as government grant.

Derivatives 2.14 Financial and Commodity Hedging **Transactions**

Financial Derivatives and commodity hedging contracts are

accounted for on the date of their settlement and realized gain/loss in respect of settled contracts are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss, along with the underlying transactions.

2.15 Foreign Currency Transactions and Translations

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are initially recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary items denominated in foreign currency at the year end are translated at year end rates.

Non-monetary items which are carried at historical cost denominated in a foreign currency are reported using the exchange rate at the date of initial transaction.

In respect of monetary items which are covered by forward exchange contracts, the difference between the year end and the rate on the date of contract is recognized as exchange difference and the premium on such forward contracts is recognized over the life of the forward contract.

The exchange differences arising on settlement/translation are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

2.16 Taxes on Income

(a) Current Tax

Tax on income for the current period is determined on the basis of taxable income computed in accordance with the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

(b) Deferred Tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statement and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilised. Such deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction (other than a business combination) affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit (tax loss).

Deferred tax assets are recognised for the carry forward of unused tax losses and unused tax credit to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the unused tax losses and unused tax credits can be utilised. Deferred tax liabilities and assets are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from

the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

The company has revalued its lease hold property but deferred tax liabilities is not recognized on the ground that the company does not have sale / transfer right with regard to lease hold land.

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised on all taxable temporary differences.

2.17 Impairment of Assets

Non financial Assets

Non financial assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable.

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the assets' carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, costs of disposal and value in use.

For the purpose of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or group of assets (cash generating units).

Non financial assets other than goodwill that suffered impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at the end of the each reporting period.

Financial Assets

The Company recognizes loss allowances using the Expected Credit Loss ("ECL") model for the financial assets which are not fair valued through profit or loss. ECL impairment loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECL.

ECL impairment loss allowance (or reversal) recognized during the period is recognized as income or expense in the Statement of Profit and Loss. ECL is presented as an allowance, i.e. as an integral part of the measurement of those assets in the Balance

The allowances are reduced from the carrying amount. Until the asset meets write-off criteria, the Company does not adjust impairment allowance from the gross carrying amount.

2.18 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

- (a) Provision is recognized in respect of obligations where, based on the evidence available, their existence at the Balance Sheet date is considered probable.
- (b) Provision is recognized in the accounts in respect of present probable obligations, the amount of which can be reliably estimated.
- (c) Provisions are not recognized for future operating losses.
- (d) Contingent Liabilities are disclosed in respect of possible obligations that arise from past events but their existence is confirmed by the occurrence or non occurrence of one or

more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Company.

- (e) A contingent asset is not recognized in the financial statements, however, is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable.
- (f) Provisions and contingent liabilities are reviewed at each balance sheet date.

2.19 Investment Property

Investment property is property (land or a building—or part of a building—or both) held (by the owner or by the lessee under a finance lease) to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both, rather than for:

- (a) use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes; or
- (b) sale in the ordinary course of business. Owner-occupied property is property held (by the owner or by the lessee under a finance lease) for use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment properties are accounted for in the books at cost. However, fair value of such property is required to be disclosed only in accordance with Ind AS 40.

2.20 Segment Reporting

Operating segments are identified and reported taking into account the different risk and return, organisational structure and internal reporting system.

2.21 Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit/ (loss) after tax (including the post tax effect of extra ordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit/ (loss) after tax (including the post tax effect of extra ordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares considered for deriving basic earnings per share and also the weighted average number of equity shares which could be issued on the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares.

2.22 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents in the Balance sheet comprise cash on hand, cheques on hand, balance with banks on current accounts and short term, highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less and which carry insignificant risk of changes in value.

For the purpose of the Cash Flow Statement, Cash and cash equivalents consist of Cash and cash equivalents, as defined above and net of outstanding book overdrafts as they are considered an integral part of the Company's cash management.

2.23 Cash Flow Statement

Cash flows are reported using the indirect method, whereby profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a non-cash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payment and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing flows. The cash flows operating, investing and financing activities of the company are segregated.

2.26 Leases

Effective April 01, 2019, the Company has adopted Ind AS 116 "Leases", applied to all lease contracts existing on April 01, 2019 using the modified retrospective method. Accordingly, the Company recognizes right-of-use asset at the date of initial application. The right-of-use asset is measure equal to the lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognized in the balance sheet immediately before the date of initial application.

The Company evaluates if an arrangement qualifies to be a lease as per the requirements of Ind AS 116. Identification of a lease requires significant judgment. The Company uses significant judgment in assessing the lease term (including anticipated renewals) and the applicable discount rate.

The Company determines the lease term as the non-cancellable period of a lease, together with both periods covered by an option to extend the lease if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and periods covered by an option to terminate the lease if the Company is reasonably certain not to exercise that option. In assessing whether the Company is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend a lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate a lease, it considers all relevant facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive for the Company to exercise the option to extend the lease, or not to exercise the option to terminate the lease. The Company revises the lease term if there is a change in the non-cancellable period of a lease.

The discount rate is generally based on the incremental borrowing rate specific to the lease being evaluated or for a portfolio of leases with similar characteristics

A lease that transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership to the lessee is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Company as a lessee

The Company accounts for each lease component within the contract as a lease separately from non-lease components of the contract and allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of the relative stand-alone price of the lease component and the aggregate stand-alone price of the non-lease components.

The Company recognises right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset for the lease term at the lease commencement date. The cost of the right-of-use

asset measured at inception shall comprise of the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to be incurred by the lessee in dismantling and removing the underlying asset or restoring the underlying asset or site on which it is located. The right-of-use assets is subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated depreciation, accumulated impairment losses, if any and adjusted for any remeasurement of the lease liability. The right-of-use assets is depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date over the shorter of lease term or useful life of right-of-use asset. The estimated useful lives of right-of-use assets are determined on the same basis as those of property, plant and equipment. Right-ofuse assets are tested for impairment whenever there is any indication that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Impairment loss, if any, is recognised in the statement of profit and loss.

The Company measures the lease liability at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date of the lease. The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease, if that rate can be readily determined. If that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company uses incremental borrowing rate. For leases with reasonably similar characteristics, the Company, on a lease by lease basis, may adopt either the incremental borrowing rate specific to the lease or the incremental borrowing rate for the portfolio as a whole. The lease payments shall include fixed payments, variable lease payments, residual value guarantees, exercise price of a purchase option where the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the lessee exercising an option to terminate the lease. The lease liability is subsequently remeasured by increasing the carrying

amount to reflect interest on the lease liability, reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made and remeasuring the carrying amount to reflect any reassessment or lease modifications or to reflect revised in-substance fixed lease payments. The company recognises the amount of the re-measurement of lease liability due to modification as an adjustment to the right-of-use asset and statement of profit and loss depending upon the nature of modification. Where the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset is reduced to zero and there is a further reduction in the measurement of the lease liability, the Company recognises any remaining amount of the re-measurement in statement of profit and loss.

The Company has elected not to apply the requirements of Ind AS 116 to short-term leases of all assets that have a lease term of 12 months or less and leases for which the underlying asset is of low value. The lease payments associated with these leases are recognized as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Company as a lessor

At the inception of the lease the Company classifies each of its leases as either an operating lease or a finance lease. The Company recognises lease payments received under operating leases as income on a straight-line basis over the lease term. In case of a finance lease, finance income is recognised over the lease term based on a pattern reflecting a constant periodic rate of return on the lessor's net investment in the lease. When the Company is an intermediate lessor it accounts for its interests in the head lease and the sub-lease separately. It assesses the lease classification of a sub-lease with reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease, not with reference to the underlying asset. If a head lease is a short term lease to which the Company applies the exemption described above, then it classifies the sub-lease as an operating lease.

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place: Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025 For and on behalf of Board of Directors

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Notes forming part of Standalone Financial Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2025

Note 3: Property, Plant and Equipment

(Rs. in lakhs) 1,859.99 545.88 869.09 357.20 982.01 41,312.39 24,109.00 2,014.27 25,254.18 40,434.41 1,960.62 42,727.13 1,954.98 26,851.96 Total 129.84 2.91 132.75 2.07 134.82 119.83 125.09 2.76 127.85 Computers 163.39 12.62 3.28 180.65 140.52 150.96 10.14 3.19 7.92 171.31 10.44 157.91 equipments 927.15 2.92 225.91 13.30 43.26 2.78 967.63 42.67 12.00 998.30 1,076.37 1,073.45 1,286.06 Vehicles 553.19 23.23 576.42 24.68 1.24 599.86 450.54 30.40 480.94 26.09 505.82 1.21 Furniture & fixtures 528.06 1,808.02 1,823.80 340.80 1,813.21 36,996.93 1,576.09 38,044.96 21,574.23 866.31 23,998.94 22,515.94 36,162.81 Plant and 12.72 98.98 896.73 116.89 49.52 1,063.14 1,430.75 1,013.62 1,418.03 1,529.73 Building ı 930.78 930.78 951.05 20.27 Disposal/Deduction/Adjustment Balance as at 31st March, 25 Balance as at 31st March,25 Balance as at 31st March, 24 Balance as at 31st March, 24 Accumulated deprecation Depreciation for the year Balance as at 1st April,23 Balance as at 1st April,23 Depreciation for the year Disposal/Deduction Disposal/Deduction Disposal/Deduction **Gross Block** Additions Additions

Net Carrying amount - Property, Plant and Equipment

The title deeds of all immovable properties are held in the name of the Company.

Notes forming part of Standalone Financial Statement as at 31st March, 2025

Note 3A Capital work in progress

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Amount
Balance as at 01st April, 2023	453.18
Additions	2,379.54
Capitalisation	1,657.21
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	1,175.51
Additions	1,156.25
Capitalisation	1,583.15
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	748.61

Refer note no. 38.26 for ageing

Note 3B Intangible Assets	(Rs. in lakhs
Description	Amount
Gross carrying amount as at 01st April, 2023	36.07
Additions	1.39
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	37.46
Additions	3.50
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	40.96
Acumulated depreciation as at 01st April, 2023	32.36
Depreciation for the year	1.27
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	33.63
Depreciation for the year	2.39
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	36.02
Net carrying amount	
As at 31st March, 2024	3.83
As at 31st March, 2025	4.94

Note 3C Right-of-use-assets (Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Amount
Gross carrying amount as at 01st April, 2023	6,071.16
Additions	-
Deductions	7.69
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	6,063.47
Additions	-
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	6,063.47
Acumulated depreciation as at 01st April, 2023	957.52
Depreciation for the year	243.54
Deductions	4.16
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	1,196.90
Depreciation for the year	239.38
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	1,436.28
Net carrying amount	
As at 31st March, 2024	4,866.57
As at 31st March, 2025	4,627.19

^{*} Refer note no.37.26

Note 4 Non-current Investments

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(i) Equity Instruments		
(1) Measured at cost		
Unquoted		
In equity shares of companies fully paid up		
Subsidiary company		
50,000 shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in KM Sprits and Allied Industries Ltd.	5.00	5.00
(2) Designated at Fair Value through other comprehensive income		
Unquoted		
(a) 1,000 shares having face value Rs.10 each in Chamoli Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd.	0.23	0.10
(b) 25,000 shares having face value Rs.10 each in K.M Shakar Karkhana Pvt Ltd.	-	-
(c) 2,000 shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in HH Foundation	-	-
(d) 10,90,000 shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in Sonar Casting Ltd.	-	-
(ii) Preference share (Measured at amortised cost)		
In 12.50% Non-cumulative redeemable preference shares fully paid up		
4,96,00,000 (4,58,50,000) Preference Shares having face value of Rs.10 each in Sonar Casting Ltd.	4,709.33	4,585.00
In 9% Non-cumulative redeemable preference shares fully paid up		_
(a) 38,50,000 preference shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	-	345.46
(b) 33,89,215 preference shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in K M Energy Pvt. Ltd.	-	305.57

(Rs. in lakhs)

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
In 8% Optionaly fully convertible debenture fully paid up		
Measured at cost		
2,350 (2,350) Optionaly fully convertible Debenture with face Value of Rs.1,00,000 each in K M Stratagic Investments & Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	2,350.00	2,350.00
Total	7,064.56	7,591.13
Aggregate carrying value of unquoted investments	7,064.56	7,591.13
Aggregate fair value of unquoted investments	7,064.56	7,591.13

Note 5 Non-current Loans

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Carried at cost		
Unsecured considered good		
Loan to a related party	1,124.25	1,037.61
Total	1,124.25	1,037.61

Note 6 Other non-current financial assets

(Rs in lakhs)

Note of Other Hon-Current Illiancial assets	_	(115. 111 101/115)
Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good:		
Security deposits	40.34	342.85
Fixed deposit with banks		
Original maturity more than 12 months	738.50	14.50
Fixed deposit (Earmarked)		
Original maturity more than 12 months *	175.45	252.11
For molasses storage fund maturing after 12 months	6.50	5.50
Interest accrued on fixed deposits with banks	8.16	3.19
Total	968.95	618.15

^{*}Held with banks and Government departments

Note 7 Non current Tax Asset/(Liability) (Net)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Advance Tax	1,583.43	1,133.44
TDS and TCS Receivable	80.08	79.23
	1,663.51	1,212.67
Less:- Provision for Income Tax for current year	1,328.51	1,045.00
Total	335.00	167.67

Note 8 Other Non Current Assets

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st l	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2025 As at 31st Marc		March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good:						
Capital advances		2,072.39		1,909.16		
Advance to suppliers and others						
Considered Good						
Considered doubtful	47.23		42.85			
Less: Allowance for doubtful advance	47.23	-	42.85	-		
Others		3.01		3.01		
Duties and Taxes Paid under protest		-		1.34		
Prepaid Expenses		69.83		84.45		
Total		2,145.23		1,997.96		

Note 9 Inventories (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(As taken, valued and certified by the Management)		
(a) Raw materials	-	4.34
(b) Finished Goods *	36,022.42	37,098.06
(c) Work in progress	-	592.90
(d) Stores and spares	698.13	703.63
Total	36,720.55	38,398.93

(Refer Note No. 2.7 for Method of Valuation)

Note 10 Current Investments

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Designated at fair value through OCI		
Investment in SBI Mutual Fund		
200.00 (Previous year 200.00) units of SBI Balanced Advantage Fund	0.03	0.03
6,46,416.306 (Previous year Nil) units of SBI Equity Saving Fund	146.86	-
2,35,441.161 (Previous year Nil) units of HDFC Equity Saving Fund	149.11	-
Total	296.00	0.03

Note 11 Trade and other receivables

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good:		
Trade receivables		
Includes unbilled revenue of Rs.144.13 lakhs (previous year Rs.232.36 Lakhs)	839.01	2,933.27
Credit impaired	16.01	15.94
	855.02	2,949.21
Less:- Allowance for doubtful debts	16.01	15.94
Total	839.01	2,933.27

Refer note no. 37.29 for ageing schedule. Includes receivable Rs.0.51 lakhs from related party(s) (Previous year Rs.2225.41)

Note 12 Cash and cash equivalents

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Balances with Banks	70.98	100.42
Fixed deposit with Bank original maturity upto 3 months	-	620.85
Cheques on Hand	308.00	-
Cash on hand*	5.19	5.34
Total	384.17	726.61

^{*}As certified by the management

Note 12A Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Fixed deposits with banks (Earmarked)		
Pledged with bank maturing within 12 months	412.47	208.34
Pledged with bank for bank guarantee maturing within 12 months*	11.69	107.98
For security with Government authorities maturing within 12 months*	11.51	41.24
For molasses storage fund original maturity period upto 12 months**	23.20	26.46
Unpaid dividend accounts	1.31	1.31
Total	460.18	385.33

^{*}Held with banks and Government departments

Note 13 Loans

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good		
Loans and advances		
Loan to a related party	550.00	870.00
Total	550.00	870.00

Note 14 Other financial assets

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good		
Interest accrued on fixed deposits with banks	2.33	10.05
Total	2.33	10.05

^{**} As per Uttar Pradesh State Molasses Control Rules, 1974

Note 15 Other current assets (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st I	As at 31st March, 2025		March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good unless stated otherwise				
Security Deposit				
Unsecured, considered good	26.87		26.87	
Credit impaired	16.00		16.00	
	42.87		42.87	
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	16.00	26.87	16.00	26.87
Interest receivable from related parties		-		118.91
GST and other taxes receivable		54.13		155.38
Advance to employees		23.20		15.79
Advances for supply of goods & services		204.31		89.05
Prepaid Expenses		266.23		353.04
CSR Pre-Spent*		164.00		219.00
Others		103.50		103.69
Total		842.24		1,081.73

^{*}Refer note no. 37.12

Note 16 Equity Share Capital

	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
Particulars	No. of shares	Amount Rs. in lakhs	No. of shares	Amount Rs. in lakhs
Authorised				
Equity Shares of Rs. 2/- each	10,00,00,000	2,000.00	10,00,00,000	2,000.00
Issued, subscribed and fully paid up				
Equity Shares of Rs. 2/- each	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00

Reconciliation of number and amount of shares outstanding

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	No. of shares	Amount Rs. in lakhs	No. of shares	Amount Rs. in lakhs
At the beginning of the year	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00
Change during the year	-	-	-	-
Outstanding at the end of the year	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00

i) Rights, preferences and restrictions attached to the equity shares

The Company has only one class of Issued, subscribed and paid up equity shares having a par value of Rs. 2/- each per share. Each holder of equity shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Company declares and pays dividend in Indian rupees.

In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential dues. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

ii) Details of the Shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Company

Particulars	As at 31st	March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024		
	No. of Shares held	Percentage of shareholding	No. of Shares held	Percentage of shareholding	
Equity shares of INR 2/- each fully paid up					
Mr. L. K. Jhunjhunwala	1,43,02,600	15.55	1,43,02,600	15.55	
L. K. Jhunjhunwala (HUF)	1,00,65,900	10.94	1,00,65,900	10.94	
Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala	52,89,242	5.75	52,89,242	5.75	
Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.	1,20,65,975	13.12	1,20,65,975	13.12	

Refer note no.37.31 for details of shares held by promoter and promoter group of the Company

Note 17 Other equity (Re in lakhe)

Note 17 Other equity		(Rs. in lakh
Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
General Reserve		
Opening balance	1,179.90	1,179.90
Add: Changes during the year	8,820.10	-
Closing balance	10,000.00	1,179.90
Molasses Storage Fund		
Opening balance	30.58	27.55
Less: Written back during the year	5.98	-
Add: Changes during the year	2.84	3.03
Closing balance	27.44	30.58
Sugar Price Equalisation Reserve		
Opening balance	12.40	12.40
Add: Changes during the year	-	-
Closing balance	12.40	12.40
Securities Premium Account		
Opening balance	2,688.01	2,688.01
Add: Changes during the year	-	-
Closing balance	2,688.01	2,688.01
Retained Earnings		
Opening balance	18,712.23	15,902.24
Add: Profit/ Loss during the year	3,555.09	2,809.14
Add: Transfer from Other Comprehensive Income	1,433.10	0.85
Less: Transfer to general reserve	8,820.10	-
Closing balance	14,880.32	18,712.23
Comprehensive Income		
Opening balance	5,858.05	5,876.31
Add: Changes during the year	(14.04)	(17.41)
Less: Transfer to Retained Earnings	1,433.10	0.85
Closing balance	4,410.91	5,858.05
Total	32,019.08	28,481.17

- i. General reserve represents the statutory reserve, this is in accordance with Indian corporate law wherein a portion of profit is appropriated to general reserve. Under the erstwhile Companies Act 1956, it was mandatory to transfer amount before a company can declare dividend, however Companies Act 2013, transfer of any amount to general reserve is at the discretion of the Company.
- ii. The storage fund for molasses has been created to meet the cost of construction of molasses storage tank as required under Uttar Pradesh Sheera Niyantran (Sansodhan) Adesh, 1974. The said storage fund is represented by investment in the form of fixed deposits with banks amounting to Rs.29.70 lakhs (Previous year: Rs.31.96 lakhs). [Refer Note No.6 and 12A].
- iii. Sugar Price Equalisation Reserve: Refer note no.37.13
- iv. Securities premium: securities premium is credited when shares are issued at premium. It is utilised in accordance with the provisions of the Act, to issue bonus shares, to provide for premium on redemption of shares, write off equity related expenses like underwriting cost etc.
- v. Retained earnings represents the undistributed profit / amount of accumulated earnings of the Company.
- vi. Other comprehensive income (OCI) represents the balance relating to re-measurement gain/(loss) of defined benefit obligation, gain or loss on equity investments and revaluation of fixed assets in earlier years prior to compliance of Ind AS and revaluation of land.

Note 18 Long term borrowings

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
	Current	Non current	Current	Non current	
Secured term loans from banks					
State Bank of India-U.P Govt. SEFASU Loan (At amortised cost)	-	-	237.69	+	
State Bank of India GECL	363.16	-	499.73	409.69	
State Bank of India Turbine Term Loan*	72.00	879.41	-	-	
State Bank of India Term Loan*	833.33	-	833.33	833.30	
HDFC Bank Term Loan	625.00	937.50	625.00	1,562.50	
BMW Financial Services Pvt. Ltd Car Loan	47.08	91.70			
Total	1,940.57	1,908.61	2,195.75	2,805.49	

Details of securities offered

- (1) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India (U.P. Govt. SEFASU Loan) is secured by first charge on entire fixed assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders.
- (2) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India (GECL) is secured by second charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders.
- (3) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India and HDFC Bank are secured by exclusive first charge on refinery assets and pari passu first charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current
- assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders and personal guarantee of a director.
- (4) Rupee Turbine Term Loan of State Bank of India is secured by exclusive first charge on 15 MW turbine and pari passu first charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders and personal guarantee of a director.
- (5) Rupee Loan of BMW Financial Services Pvt. Ltd. (Car Loan) is secured by first charge on car financed.

Terms of Repayment (Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the banks / entities	Interest Rate (%)	Amount Outstanding as on 31st March, 2025		Period of maturity as at 31st March, 2025	No. and amount of instalment outstanding
Daliks / elititles	Nate (%)	Current	Non Current 3 1st March, 2025 Instalmen		instaiment outstanding
SBI GECL	9.10	363.16	-	8 months	8 monthly instalment of Rs.45.52 lakhs
SBI Turbine Tem Loan*	8.60	72.00	879.41	3 years and 7 months	12 monthly instalments of Rs.6.00 lakhs, 12 monthly in- stalments of Rs.20.00 lakhs, 12 monthly instalments of Rs.30.00 lakhs, 6 monthly instalments of Rs.40.00 lakhs and 1 instalment of Rs.39 lakhs
SBI Tem Loan*	8.60	833.33	-	12 months	12 monthly instalment of Rs.69.45 lakhs

NI COL			Outstanding March, 2025	Period of maturity as at 31st March, 2025	No. and amount of instalment outstanding	
Danks / entitles	Kale (%)	Current	Non Current	3 ISC March, 2023	instainment outstanding	
HDFC Tem Loan	8.28	625.00	937.50	2 years and 6 months	10 Quarterly instalment of Rs.156.25 lakhs	
BMW Financial Service Pvt. LtdCar loan	7.77	47.08	91.70	2 years and 9 months	33 monthly instalment of Rs.4.68 lakhs including EMI interest	
Total		1,940.57	1,908.61			

Rate of interest has been disclosed for loans which are outstanding on balance sheet date and in case of default, penal interest are charged as per sanction.

*INR term loans from SBI has been converted in foreign currency term loan (FCTL) for a period of 180 days linked at a floating rate of interest @ 6.1891% excluding hedging cost, while the total all in costs is 8.60% p.a.

Subsidised loan taken from bank and Government has been amortised using effective interest rate and maturity profile of loan is as per repayment schedule.

Note 19 Other non current financial liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Corporate Guarantees issued	33.08	51.44
Total	33.08	51.44

Note 20 Other non current liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Deferred Government Grant	-	-
Other payble	14.50	14.50
Total	14.50	14.50

Note 22 Deferred tax liabilities (net)

(Rs. in lakhs)

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Deferred Tax Liabilities		
Depreciation	1,105.95	1,082.06
Total A	1,105.95	1,082.06
Deferred Tax Assets		
Expenses allowable on payment basis	107.19	98.66
Others	239.09	201.39
Total B	346.28	300.05
Total A-B	759.67	782.01

^{*}Refer Note 36

Note 22 Provisions

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
	Current	Non current	Current	Non current
Provisions for employees benefits*				
Unavailed leave	29.47	43.39	22.72	37.17
Gratuity	63.15	-	53.33	-
Other Provision **	-	451.85	-	451.85
Total	92.62	495.24	76.05	489.02

^{*} Refer note no.37.4

^{**}Includes duties, taxes and penalty levied by Commissioner of Excise, Bihar

Note 23 Short Term borrowings

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Secured		
Loan payable on demand		
Working capital loans from banks		
State Bank of India	15,364.24	11,719.31
Punjab National Bank	4,493.40	4,483.73
HDFC Bank Ltd.	982.44	5,923.97
Yes Bank Ltd.	3,495.98	1,984.29
Current maturities of long term borrowings*	1,940.57	2,195.75
Total	26,276.63	26,307.05

^{*} Refer note no.18 for nature of securities and terms of repayment respectively.

Summary of short term borrowings

Secured borrowings.

Nature of Securities

Working capital loans from State Bank of India, Punjab National Bank, HDFC Bank Ltd. and Yes bank Ltd. are secured by way of hypothecation and first pari passu charge on stocks of sugar, molasses, consumable stores / spares, industrial alcohal, book debts and other current assets of the company and second pari passu charge with other working capital lenders on entire fixed assets and all other movable and immovable assets of the company (existing & future) and personal guarantee of a director.

Note 24 Trade and other payables

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Trade payable		
Payable to Micro and small enterprises*	148.19	233.86
Payable to other than Micro and small enterprises	7,968.08	14,952.28
Other payables-Suppliers of capital goods		
Payable to Micro and small enterprises*	27.18	45.61
Payable to other than Micro and small enterprises	48.37	229.05
Total	8,191.82	15,460.80

^{*} Refer note no.37.7

Refer note no.37.30 for ageing schedule

Note 25 Other current financial liabilities

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Interest accrued but not due on borrowings	0.42	1.01
Interest accrued and due on borrowings	14.59	23.65
Security Deposit	280.16	277.30
Salary and other payables to employees	220.96	209.20
Unpaid dividend	1.31	1.31
Outstanding liability of related party	290.04	280.39
Corporate guarantee	18.36	21.28
Other payable *	312.96	301.09
Total	1,138.80	1,115.23

^{*} Include liability of Rs.237.95 lakhs for lower supply of country liquor etc.

Note 26 Other current liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Note 20 Other current habilities		(113.1111011113)
Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Statutory liabilities	142.37	305.52
Deferred government grant	-	29.48
Advances from customers	75.96	164.83
Total	218.33	499.83

Note 27 Revenue from operations

(Rs. in lakhs)

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Sale of goods		
Sugar	52,739.98	54,757.58
Molasses	22.80	22.80
Bagasse	2,859.19	2,939.08
Industrial alcohol	4,276.00	6,148.15
Power	759.71	288.09
Others*	4,989.16	1,560.23
Total A	65,646.84	65,715.93
Other operating revenue**		
Export quota sale	253.68	-
Total B	253.68	-
Total revenue from operations Total (A+B)	65,900.52	65,715.93

^{*}Include country liquor sale Rs.4844.75 lakhs (Previous year Rs.1444.55 lakhs)

Note 28 Other income

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Interest income		
From Banks	59.86	64.20
On income tax refund	-	11.72
From Others	329.56	348.35
Deferred Government Grant*	29.48	118.58
Other non operating income		
Foreign currency Gain/(Loss)	0.11	-
Insurance claims	23.13	137.25
Profit on sale of fixed assets	11.22	12.40
Unspent liabilities/balances written back	13.66	51.92
Miscellaneous income	160.18	61.13
Gain on mutual funds	-	0.01
Drawback receipt	-	5.31
Reversal of provision for doubtful debts/Advances	-	0.70
Storage fund for molasses written back**	5.98	-
Profit on sale of Investment	72.89	-
Others***	30.95	32.88
Fair valuation of financial instrument	-	4.60
Total	737.02	849.05

^{*}Refer Note No. 37.11

^{**} Refer Note No. 37.20

^{**} Refer note no.17

^{***} Measurement of Guarantee commission

Note 29 Cost of materials consumed

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Sugar cane	42,558.77	51,513.78
Other	377.75	-
Total	42,936.52	51,513.78

Note 30 Purchase of stock in trade

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Other	48.37	46.00
Total	48.37	46.00

Note 31 Changes in inventories of finished goods, by-products and work-in-progress

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March 2024
Finished goods		
Opening stock		
Sugar	33,947.34	30,616.83
Molasses	1,418.71	1,045.65
Bagasse	1,063.35	1,640.50
Industrial alcohol	527.19	533.20
Banked Power	132.26	58.23
Others	9.21	33.38
Total (a)	37,098.06	33,927.79
Less : Closing stock		
Sugar	31,628.78	33,947.34
Molasses	1,919.35	1,418.71
Bagasse	1,480.28	1,063.35
Industrial alcohol	831.64	527.19
Banked Power	142.47	132.26
Others	19.90	9.21
Total (b)	36,022.42	37,098.06
Total (a-b)	1,075.64	(3,170.27)
Work-in-progress		
Opening stock	592.90	755.88
Less : Closing stock	-	592.90
	592.90	162.98
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories (Total)	1,668.54	(3,007.29)

Note 32 Employee benefit expenses

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Salary, wages, bonus and other payments	2,025.06	1,841.95
Contribution to provident fund and other funds	121.44	111.55
Workmen and staff welfare expenses	37.21	37.98
Gratuity expense	9.19	39.01
Total	2,192.90	2,030.49

Note 33 Finance costs

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Interest expenses		
Cash credit	1,315.71	1,010.93
Term loan	398.67	565.78
Others	38.20	4.82
Other borrowing costs	63.96	72.75
Total	1,816.54	1,654.28

Note 34 Deprecation and amortisation expenses

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Depreciation		
Depreciation of property, plant & equipments	1,954.98	2,014.27
Amortisation		
Amortisation of intangible assets	2.39	1.27
Amortisation of right to use assets	239.38	243.54
Total	2,196.75	2,259.08

Note 36 Other Expenses (Rs in lakhs)

		(Rs. in lak	
Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024	
Consumption of stores and spare parts	571.31	711.36	
Packing materials	2,216.63	1,165.71	
Power and fuel	675.02	296.55	
Rent	257.05	221.95	
Repairs to :			
Buildings	103.00	98.79	
Plant & Machinery	1,755.02	1,767.91	
Others	304.27	291.40	
Insurance	190.15	138.68	
Rates and taxes	575.26	335.09	
Selling expenses :			
Commission to selling agents	241.46	223.36	
Other selling expenses	1,068.72	891.48	
Payments to auditors :			
Audit fee (including limited review fee)	10.50	10.50	
Tax audit fee	1.50	1.50	
Reimbursement of expenses	1.50	1.67	
Charity and donation	30.45	2.71	
Printing and stationary	17.56	14.85	
Communication expenses	19.00	17.34	
Travelling expenses	482.07	365.31	
Consultancy and legal expenses	268.22	176.49	
Directors sitting fees	6.70	4.95	
Directors remuneration	936.72	739.76	
Miscellaneous expenses	612.06	443.64	
CSR expenditure	86.85	89.05	
Loss on sale/discard of property, plant and equipment	158.39	109.48	
Transfer to storage fund for molasses	2.84	3.03	
Provision for doubtful debts and advances	4.45	-	
Balances written off	7.28	7.97	
Fair valuation of financial instrument	254.70	-	
Other expenses	27.43	27.04	
Total	10,886.11	8,157.57	

Note 36: Tax Reconciliation

Income tax expenses:

The major components of income tax expenses for the year ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024 are as follows:

(i) Profit or loss section

(Rs. in lakhs)

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Current tax expense	1,328.51	1,045.00
Tax expense of earlier years	25.81	2.64
Deferred tax expense	(17.60)	54.29
Total	1,336.72	1,101.93

(ii) OCI Section

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Net gain/(loss) on remeasurement of defined benefit plans	(18.91)	(18.84)
Unrealised gain/(loss) on FVTOCI equity securities	0.14	(4.14)
Income tax charged to OCI	4.73	5.57
Total	(14.04)	(17.41)

Reconciliation of tax expense

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Current tax	1,328.51	1,045.00
Tax expense of earlier years	25.81	2.64
Deferred tax	(17.60)	54.29
Total	1,336.72	1,101.93
Accounting profit before tax from continuing operations	4,891.81	3,911.07
Applicabe tax rate (using Company's tax rate)	25.168%	25.168%
Computed tax expense (A)	1,231.17	984.34
Expenses not allowable for tax purpose	55.36	51.61
Effect of tax deduction	(51.23)	(22.53)
Changes in recognized deductible temporary differences	75.61	85.87
Tax expense of earlier years	25.81	2.64
Net adjustment (B)	105.55	117.59
Tax expense (A+B)	1,336.72	1,101.93

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2023	Provided during the year	As at 31st March, 2024	Provided during the year	As at 31st March, 2025
Deferred tax liability:					
Related to Fixed Assets (Depreciation)	1,054.49	27.57	1,082.06	23.89	1,105.95
Total deferred tax liability (A)	1,054.49	27.57	1,082.06	23.89	1,105.95
Deferred tax assets:					
Expenses allowable on payment basis	97.03	1.63	98.66	8.53	107.19
Other Ind AS adjustments related to Financial Asset/Liabilities (Net)	224.17	(22.78)	201.39	37.70	239.09
Total deferred tax assets (B)	321.20	(21.15)	300.05	46.23	346.28
Deferred Tax Liability / (Asset) (Net) (A - B)	733.29	48.72	782.01	(22.34)	759.67

38.1 Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Company's principal financial liabilities include Borrowings, Trade payables and other financial liabilities. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's operations. The Company's principal financial assets include Trade receivables, Cash and cash equivalents, Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents and Other financial assets that arise directly from its operations.

The Company is exposed to credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk. The Company's senior management oversees the management of these risks and the appropriate financial risk governance framework for the Company. The senior management provides assurance that the Company's financial risk activities are governed by appropriate policies and procedures and that financial risks are identified, measured and managed in accordance with the Company's policies and risk objectives.

The Board of Directors reviewed policies for managing each of below mentioned risks, which are summarized below:

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: interest rate risk, foreign currency risk and other risks, such as regulatory risk and commodity price risk.

(i) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Company's borrowings obligations with floating interest rates. To mitigate the interest rate risks, the Company has established a periodical review procedure and ensures long term relations with the lenders to raise adequate funds at competitive rates.

(ii) Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. This foreign currency risk is covered by using foreign exchange forward contracts and currency swap contracts. The Company does not have substantial transactions during the year in foreign currency so the Company does not have such kind of risk.

The Company got converted INR term loan in foreign currency during the current financial year for a period of 180 days with hedging of the repayments

	31st March, 2025		31st March, 2024	
Foreign currency risk	In USD	Rs. in lakhs	In USD	Rs. in lakhs
Outstanding Balance from customers	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
Outstanding Balance of term loan	21,04,941	1784.74	NIL	NIL

(iii) Regulatory risk

Sugar industry is regulated both by central government as well as state government. Central and state government's policies and regulations affect the Sugar industry and the Company's operations and profitability. Distillery business is also dependent on the Government policy.

(iv) Commodity price risk

Sugar industry being cyclical in nature, realizations get adversely affected during downturn. Higher cane price or higher production than the demand ultimately affects profitability. The Company has mitigated this risk by well integrated business model by diversifying into co-generation and distillation, thereby utilizing the by-products.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that counterparty will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Company's sugar sales are mostly on cash. Power and ethanol are sold to state government entities; thereby the credit default risk is significantly mitigated. The Central Govt. has fixed the minimum sale price of sugar w.e.f. 14.02.2019 at Rs.3,100 per Qtl. which has mitigated the price risk to the some extent. Similarly, ethanol is sold to the Govt. undertakings/Oil manufacturing companies and power is sold to the Govt. undertaking at fixed prices as per Govt. orders / regulatory guidelines.

The impairment for financial assets is based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The Company uses judgement in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Company's past history, existing market conditions as well as forward looking estimates at the end of each balance sheet date. Financial assets are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, however, the Company continues to attempt to recover the receivables. Where recoveries are made, these are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on credit terms of 3 to 60 days. An impairment analysis is performed at each balance sheet date on an individual basis for major clients. In addition, a large number of minor receivables are grouped into homogenous groups and assessed for impairment collectively. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date is the ageing analysis of the receivables has been considered from the date the invoice falls due:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Upto 6 months	831.29	2,485.73
6 to 12 Months	0.01	435.60
More than 12 months	23.72	27.88

The management has made provision for expected credit loss amounting to Rs.16.01 lakhs (Rs.15.94 lakhs) and management is of view that although certain amounts are beyond credit period but they are in fact recoverable and will be received in due course so balance amount is not liable to expected credit loss.

The maximum exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date is the carrying value of each class of financial assets disclosed under Note No. 11. The following table summarizes the change in the loss allowances measured using life time expected credit loss method for trade receivables:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Amount
Balance as at 01st April, 2024	15.94
Provided during the year	0.07
Reversed during the year	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	16.01
Balance as at 01st April, 2023	15.94
Provided during the year	-
Reversed during the year	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	15.94

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk refers to the probability of loss arising from a situation where there will not be enough cash and/or cash equivalents to meet the needs of depositors and borrowers, sale of illiquid assets will yield less than their fair value and illiquid assets will not be sold at the desired time due to lack of buyers. The primary objective of liquidity management is to provide for sufficient cash and cash equivalents

at all times and any place in the world to enable us to meet our payment obligations. The Company is maintaining cash credit limit to a reasonable level to meet out the current obligation.

The Company's objectives are to meet the funding requirements and maintain flexibility in this respect through the use of cash credit facilities and term loans.

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Company's financial liabilities:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Liabilities	Less than 1 Year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
As at 31st March, 2025				
Term loans	1,940.57	1,908.61	-	3,849.18
Loans repayable on demand	24,336.06	-	-	24,336.06
Trade and other payables	8,191.82	-	-	8,191.82
Other financial liabilities	1,138.80	33.08	-	1,171.88
Total	35,607.25	1,941.69	_	37,548.94

Liabilities	Less than 1 Year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
As at 31st March, 2024				
Term loans	2,195.75	2,805.49	-	5,001.24
Loans repayable on demand	24,111.30	_	_	24,111.30
Trade and other payables	15,460.80	-	-	15,460.80
Other financial liabilities	1,115.23	50.21	1.23	1,166.67
Total	42,883.08	2,855.70	1.23	45,740.01

37.2 Capital Management

(i) Risk Management

For the purpose of the Company's capital management, capital includes issued equity capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the parent. The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to maximize the shareholders value.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions and the requirements of the financial covenants. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The Company monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is net debt divided by total capital plus net debt. The Company's policy is to keep the gearing ratio under control except for the first quarter of the financial year due to non-payment of cane dues. The Company includes within net debt, interest bearing loans and borrowings, trade and other payables, less cash and short-term deposits.

In order to achieve this overall objective, the Company's capital management, amongst other things, aims to ensure that it meets financial covenants attached to the interest-bearing loans and borrowings that define capital structure requirements. Breaches in meeting the financial covenants would permit the bank to immediately call loans and borrowings. There have been no breaches in the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowing during the current period.

No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes for managing capital during the year ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Year ended 31 March, 2025	Year ended 31 March, 2024
Borrowings	28,185.24	29,112.54
Other financial liabilities	1,171.88	1,166.67
Trade and other payables	8,191.82	15,460.80
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	384.17	726.61
Net debts	37,164.77	45,013.40
Equity share capital	1,840.00	1,840.00
Other equity	32,019.08	28,481.17
Total equity	33,859.08	30,321.17
Total equity and net debt	71,023.85	75,334.57
Gearing ratio (%)	52.33	59.75

No dividend has been recommended for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025. (ii)

38.3 Earnings per Share

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the year attributable to equity shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding.

Diluted EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of Equity shares outstanding during the year plus the weighted average number of Equity shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential Equity shares into Equity shares.

(Rs. in lakhs except no. of shares and EPS)

Particulars	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2024
Profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Company:	3,555.09	2,809.14
Profit attributable to equity shareholders for basic earnings	3,555.09	2,809.14
Profit attributable to equity shareholders adjusted for dilution effect	3,555.09	2,809.14
Weighted average number of equity shares used for computing Earnings Per Share (Basic & Diluted)	9,20,00,170	9,20,00,170
Earnings Per Share (Basic & Diluted)	3.86	3.05

38.4 Employee benefits

As per Ind AS 19 "Employee benefits", the disclosures of employee benefits are as follows:

(i) Employee benefits in the form of Provident Fund are considered as defined contribution plan. The contributions are made as per the relevant statute. The contributions to defined benefit plan, recognized as expense in the Statement of Profit & Loss is as under:

31st March, 2025 31st March, 2024

Employers' contribution to provident fund Rs.121.44 lakhs Rs.111.55 lakhs

(i) Defined benefits plans

Long term employee benefits in the form of gratuity and leave encashment are considered as defined benefit plans. The present value of obligation is determined based on actuarial valuation using projected Unit credit method as at the balance sheet date. The amount of defined benefits recognized in the balance sheet represent the present value of obligation as adjusted for unrecognized past service cost as reduced by the fair value of plan assets. Short term employee benefits are recognized as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit & Loss for the year in which the related service is rendered.

In accordance with the Ind AS-19, actuarial valuation was done in respect of gratuity and leave encashment given below:

				(INS. III IANIIS)
Description	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Funded)	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Non funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Non funded)
I. Expenses recognized in the Statement of				
Profit and Loss				
Current service cost	36.98	33.03	18.12	15.93
Interest cost	24.93	23.79	4.34	3.56
Past service cost	-	-	-	-
Expected return on plan assets	(19.61)	(17.81)		
Net expenses recognized in Statement of Profit and Loss	42.30	39.01	22.46	19.49
II. Other comprehensive				
(income)/expenses (Re-measurement)				
Accumulated (gain)/loss opening balance	27.29	34.78	155.79	129.46
Actuarial (gain)/loss – obligation	(0.31)	(0.42)	26.01	26.33
Actuarial (gain)/loss – plan assets	(6.79)	(7.07)	-	-
Total Actuarial (gain)/loss	(7.10)	(7.49)	26.01	26.33
Actuarial (gain)/loss at the end of the period	20.19	27.29	181.80	155.79
III. Net liability/(assets) recognized in the balance				
sheet				
Present value of obligations at the end of period	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
Fair value of the plan assets at the end of period	312.20	290.50	(72.07)	(50.00)
Funded status surplus/(deficit)	(63.15)	(53.33)	(72.87)	(59.89)
Net liability/(asset) as at year end	63.15	53.33	72.87	59.89
IV. Changes in present value of obligations during the year				
Present value of obligation at the beginning of the year	343.83	317.20	59.89	47.45
Current service cost	36.98	33.03	18.12	15.92
Interest cost	24.93	23.79	4.34	3.56
Past service cost	(20.00)	(20.77)	(2 = 40)	(22.27)
Benefits paid if any	(30.08)	(29.77)	(35.49)	(33.37)
Actuarial loss/ (gain)	(0.31)	(0.42)	26.01	26.33
Present value of obligation at the year end	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
V. Changes in fair value of plan assets	200 50	245.65		
Fair value of plan assets at the beginning of period	290.50	245.65	-	-
Expected return on plan assets Contributions	19.61 25.39	17.81 49.74		
Benefits paid	(30.08)	(29.77)	-	-
Actuarial Gain/(Loss) on plan assets	(30.08)	7.07	-	-
Fair value of plan assets at the year end	312.21	290.50		
		270.50		

Description	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Funded)	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Non funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Non funded)
VI. Maturity profile of defined benefit obligation				
Within in next 12 months	27.01	46.08	29.48	22.72
Between 2 and 5 years	159.96	98.31	43.39	37.17
5 years and above	188.38	199.44	-	-
Total expected payments	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
Weighted average duration (based on discounted cash				
flow) in years	8	8	-	=
Details of also seed	Gratuity	Gratuity	N1/A	N1/A
Details of plan asset	Trust	Trust	N/A	N/A
SBI Life Kalyan ULIP Plus (V03)	257.75	229.83	-	-
Bank Balance and Others	54.46	60.67		

The history of funded post-retirement plans are as follows for gratuity:

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2023	As at 31st March, 2022	As at 31st March, 2021
Present value of Defined Benefit	375.35	343.83	317.20	279.48	274.61
Obligation					
Fair value of Plan Assets	312.21	290.50	245.65	256.73	250.27

The Company is exposed to various risks in providing the above gratuity benefit which are as follows:

Interest rate risk: The plan exposes the Company to the risk of fall in interest rates. A fall in interest rates will result in an increase in the ultimate cost of providing the above benefit and will thus result in an increase in the value of the liability (as shown in financial statements).

Salary escalation risk: The present value of the defined benefit plan is calculated with the assumption of salary increase 5% per annum of plan participants in future. Deviation in the rate of increase of salary in future for plan participants from the rate of increase in salary used to determine the present value of obligation will have a bearing on the plan's liability.

Actual mortality & disability: Deaths & disability cases proving lower or higher than assumed in the valuation can impact the liabilities.

Actuarial Assumption

Particulars	Gratuity	Gratuity	Leave Encashment	Leave Encashment
	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year
Discount rate (per annum)	6.75%	7.25%	6.75%	7.25%
Future salary increase(per an-num)	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%
Retirement/Superannuation Age (Year)	60	60	60	60
Expected rate of return on plan assets	0%	0%	0%	0%
Mortality	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14

Sensitivity Analysis: Significant actuarial assumptions for the determination of the defined benefit obligation are discount rate and expected salary increase rate. Effect of change in mortality rate is negligible. Please note that the sensitivity analysis presented below may not be representative of the actual change in the defined benefit obligation as it is unlikely that the change in assumption would occur in isolation of one another as some of the assumptions may be correlated. The results of sensitivity analysis are given below:

Gratuity

Period	As at 31st March, 2025
Defined Benefit Obligation (Base)	375.35 lakhs @ Salary Increase Rate : 5%, and discount rate :6.75%
Liability with x% increase in Discount Rate	3,49,41,641; x=1.00% [Change (7)%]
Liability with x% decrease in Discount Rate	4,05,22,358; x=1.00% [Change 8%]
Liability with x% increase in Salary Growth Rate	4,05,44,781; x=1.00% [Change 8%]
Liability with x% decrease in Salary Growth Rate	3,48,77,856; x=1.00% [Change (7)%]
Liability with x% increase in Withdrawal Rate	3,77,91,327; x=1.00% [Change 1%]
Liability with x% decrease in Withdrawal Rate	3,72,92,950; x=1.00% [Change (1)%]

Sensitivity Analysis: Significant actuarial assumptions for the determination of the defined benefit obligation are discount rate and expected salary increase rate. Effect of change in mortality rate is negligible. Please note that the sensitivity analysis presented below may not be representative of the actual change in the defined benefit obligation as it is unlikely that the change in assumption would occur in isolation of one another as some of the assumptions may be correlated. The results of sensitivity analysis are given below:

Leave Encashment

Period	As at 31st March, 2025
Defined Benefit Obligation (Base)	72.87 lakhs
Liability with x% increase in Discount Rate	68.59 lakhs; x=1% [Change (6%)]
Liability with x% decrease in Discount Rate	77.99 lakhs; x=1% [Change 7%]
Liability with x% increase in Salary Growth Rate	78.03 lakhs; x=1% [Change 7%]
Liability with x% decrease in Salary Growth Rate	68.48 lakhs; x=1% [Change (6%)]
Liability with x% increase in Withdrawal Rate	73.63 lakhs; x=1% [Change 1%]
Liability with x% decrease in Withdrawal Rate	72.12 lakhs; x=1% [Change (1%)]

37.5 Contingent liabilities and commitments (to the extent not provided for) Contingent liabilities:

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(i) Claims against the Company not acknowledged as debts in respect of pending cases of employees under Labour laws	81.24	84.37
(ii) Claims against the Company not acknowledged as debts in respect of Criminal and Civil Cases	25.34	25.34
(iii) Bank guarantees given to the Central and State Government and oil manufacturing companies	120.45	183.68
(iv) Corporate guarantee given by the Company for loans sanctioned to Sonar Casting Ltd. State Bank of India (Lead Bank for consortium of banks)	6866.14	6113.96
(v) Income Tax cases under appeal	690.73	690.73
(vi) Penalty levied by Competition Commission of India and Commissioner Excise, UP	19.39	50.23
(vii) Penalty levied by Competition Commission of India and Commissioner Excise, UP	19.39	19.39

In the opinion of the management, no provision is considered necessary for the disputes mentioned above on the grounds that there are fair chances of successful outcome of appeals filed by the Company.

The Cane Commissioner, Uttar Pradesh has passed an order dated 17.12.2021 for payment of 12% interest on late cane payment of sugar season 2013-14. The company has filed appeal before Cane Commissioner, Uttar Pradesh. No impact has been considered in financial results as the interest amount is indeterminate and pending appeal.

The amount shown above represent the best possible estimates arrived at on the basis of available information. The uncertainties and timing of the cash flows are dependent on the outcome of different legal processes which have been invoked by the Company or the claimants as the case may be and therefore cannot be ascertained accurately. The Company does not expect any reimbursements in respect of above contingent liabilities.

Capital Commitments

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for	1,442.29	398.90
Less: Advances paid against above	239.90	75.73
Net Amount	1,202.39	323.17

37.6 Leases

Company as lessee

The Company has given certain portion of factory premises on cancellable operating lease. The rent received on the same has been grouped under other income. The rent received during the year is Rs.6.62 lakhs (previous year Rs.5.84 lakhs).

37.7 The dues to Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises as required under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 to the extent information available with the Company is given below:

As at 31st March, 2025 (Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars	Trade payable	Payable to supplier of capital goods	Total
(a)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year			
	Principal amount due to micro and small enterprises	143.71	27.18	170.89
	Interest due on above	4.48	-	4.48
(b)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	-	-	-
(c)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	-	-	-
(d)	The amount of interest accrued and re-maining unpaid at the end of each ac-counting year.	4.48	-	4.48
(e)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disal-lowance as a deductible expenditure un-der section 23 of the MSMED Act, 2006	-	-	-

As at 31st March, 2024 (Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars	Trade payable	Payable to supplier of capital goods	Total
(a)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year			
	Principal amount due to micro and small enterprises	233.86	45.61	279.47
	Interest due on above	0.01	-	0.01
(b)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the pay-ment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	-	-	-
(c)	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making pay-ment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified un-der the MSMED Act, 2006.	-	-	F
(d)	The amount of interest accrued and re-maining unpaid at the end of each ac-counting year.	0.01	-	0.01
(e)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disal-lowance as a deductible expenditure un-der section 23 of the MSMED Act, 2006	-	-	-

38.8Related Party Disclosures: -

Pursuant to compliance of Ind AS 24 on "Related Party Disclosures", the relevant information is provided here below:-

I. Subsidiaries where control exist

K M Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd.

II. Related Parties with whom there were transactions during the year:

a) Related party where control exist:

• Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala -Chairman

Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala
 Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala
 -Managing Director
 -Joint Managing Director

b) Details of the related parties:

i. Key Management Personnel (Group A)

• Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala -Chairman

Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala
 Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala
 -Managing Director
 -Joint Managing Director

Shri S. C. Agarwal -50111 Managing Director

• Ms. Pooja Dua -Company Secretary

Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta
 Mrs. Madhu Mathur*
 -Chief Financial Officer
 Independent Director

Shri S. K. Gupta*

 Shri Sushil Solomon
 Independent Director

Shri Bibhash Kumar Srivastava -Independent Director

Dr. Bakshi Ram -Independent Director
 Mrs. Archna Agrawal** -Independent Director
 Shri Narendra Mohan*** -Independent Director

- ii. Relatives of Key Management Personnel (Group B)
 - Smt. Naina Jhunjhunwala (Wife of Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala)
 - Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala (Son of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala)
 - Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala (Daughter of Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala)
- iii. Enterprises/ Parties over which Key management personnel or their relatives have substantial interest/ significant influence (Group C)
 - Benares Inorganics Pvt. Ltd.
 - Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.
 - Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.
 - H H Foundation
 - Indian Sugar Exim Corporation Ltd.
 - K M Energy Pvt. Ltd.
 - K M Vyapar Ltd.
 - K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.
 - K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.
 - Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.
 - Promising Logistics Pvt. Ltd.
 - Shri Shakti Credits Ltd.
 - Sonar Casting Ltd.
 - Shri Laxmi Public Charitable Trust
 - Zar International Pvt. Ltd.

c) Transactions with the related parties:

(Da in Jaldas)

					(Rs . in lakhs)
Sl. no.	Nature of transaction/ Name of the related party	Subsidiary 2024-25 (2023-24)	Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) 2024-25 (2023-24)	Enterprises over which KMP and their relatives have substantial interest/ significant influence 2024-25 (2023-24)	Total 2024-25 (2023-24)
i.	Investment made				
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	375.00(1295.00)	375.00 (1250.00)
ii.	Remuneration including commission and PF#				
	Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	333.60 (250.92)	- (-)	333.60 (250.92)
	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	356.10 (274.33)	- (-)	356.10 (274.33)
	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	199.67 (168.90)	- (-)	199.67 (168.90)
	Shri S. C. Agarwal	- (-)	60.88 (54.11)	-(-)	60.88 (54.11)
	Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	- (-)	25.33 (24.00)	25.33 (24.00)
	Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	- (-)	4.80 (4.80)	4.80 (4.80)
	Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta	- (-)	23.53 (22.66)	- (-)	23.53 (22.66)
	Ms. Pooja Dua	- (-)	7.72 (7.07)	- (-)	7.72 (7.07)
iii.	Education fee paid				
	Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	-(-)	78.21 (76.42)	78.21 (76.42)
iv.	Rent paid				
	Sri Shakti Credits Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	3.00 (3.00)	3.00 (3.00)
	Zar International Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	1.14 (1.14)	1.14 (1.14)
	K M Vyapar Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	154.02 (160.02)	154.02 (160.02)
	Marvel Business Pvt.Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	7.20 (7.20)	7.20 (7.20)
	Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	6.00 (6.00)	6.00 (6.00)

v.	Purchase of goods				
	Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	189.73 (-)	189.73 (-
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	1.80 (-)	1.80 (
vi.	Loans given				
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	750.00 (705.00)	750.00 (705.00
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	325.00 (-)	325.00 (-
vii.	Loans received back				
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	1070.00 (285.00)	1070.00 (285.00
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	325.00 (-)	325.00 (-
viii.	Sitting fees paid				
	Smt. Madhu Mathur*	- (-)	0.70 (0.90)	- (-)	0.70 (0.90
	Shri S. K. Gupta*	- (-)	0.75 (1.45)	- (-)	0.75 (1.45
	Shri Bibhash Kumar Srivastava	- (-)	1.20 (1.00)	- (-)	1.20 (1.00
	Shri Sushil Solomon	- (-)	1.35 (1.20)	- (-)	1.35 (1.20
	Dr. Bakshi Ram	- (-)	1.35 (0.40)	- (-)	1.35 (0.40
	Mrs. Archna Agrawal**	- (-)	0.75 (-)	- (-)	0.75 (-
	Shri Narendra Mohan***	- (-)	0.60 (-)	- (-)	0.60 (-
ix.	Sale of goods				
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	1786.00 (1028.66)	1786.00 (1028.66
	Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	4285.00 (1354.90)	4285.00 (1354.90
х.	CSR paid				
	Shri Laxmi Public Charitable Trust	- (-)	- (-)	- (120.00)	- (120.00
	H H Foundation	- (-)	- (-)	20.00 (-)	20.00 (-
xi.	Corporate guarantee charges received				
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	0.05 (-)	0.05 (-
xii.	Lease land rent received				
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	0.60 (-)	0.60 (-
xiii.	Preference share redemption received				
	K.M Energy Pvt. Limited	- (-)	- (-)	338.92 (-)	338.92 (-
xiv.	Sale of held Preference share				
	Promising Logistics Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	385.00 (-)	385.00 (-
XV.	Interest received				
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	97.74 (88.84)	97.74 (88.84
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	231.82 (259.51)	231.82 (259.51
xvi.	Balance outstanding				
	a. Amount payable				
	Shri L K Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	111.13 (176.18)	-(-)	1111.13 (176.18
	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	76.30 (46.54)	- (-)	76.30 (46.54
	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	70.92 (27.36)	- (-)	70.92 (27.36
	Shri S. C. Agarwal	- (-)	2.14 (2.25)	- (-)	2.14 (2.25

Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	(-)	2.05 (1.62)	2.05 (1.62)
Sri Shakti Credits Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	0.81 (3.11)	0.81 (3.11)
K M Vyapar Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	14.81 (14.81)	14.81 (14.81)
Zar International Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	2.28 (2.28)	2.28 (2.28)
Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	77.99 (5.40)	77.99 (5.40)
Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	6.05 (5.48)	6.05 (5.48)
b. Amount receivable				
Loan				
Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	875.00 (875.00)	875.00 (875.00)
K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	550.00 (870.00)	550.00 (870.00)
Interest				
Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	249.25 (162.61)	249.25 (162.61)
K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	- (118.91)	- (118.91)
Sale of goods				
K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	0.57 (801.34)	0.57 (801.34)
Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	- (1424.08)	- (1424.08)
c. Corporate guarantee given by the company for loan sanctioned/availed by				
Sonar Casting Limited	-(-)	- (-)	6866.14 (6113.96)	6866.14 (6113.96)
d . Investment Held (Cost)				
Equity share in K M Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd.	5.00 (5.00)	- (-)	- (-)	5.00 (5.00)
Equity share in Sonar Casting Limited	- (-)	- (-)	109.00 (109.00)	109.00 (109.00)
Equity share in HH Foundation	- (-)	- (-)	0.20 (0.20)	0.20 (0.20)
Preference share in Sonar Cast-ing Limited			4960.00 (4585.00)	4960.00 (4585.00)
Preference share in K.M Ener-gy Pvt. Limited	- (-)	- (-)	- (338.92)	- (338.92)
Preference share in Brahma Properties Pvt. Limited	- (-)	- (-)	- (385.00)	- (385.00)
OFCD in K M Strategic Invest- ments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (-)	2350.00 (2350.00)	2350.00 (2350.00)

Related party transactions are shown at actual amount instead of fair value for the purpose of disclosure under related parties.

^{*} Ceased to be director on 21.08.2024 upon completion of tenure

^{**} Appointed w.e.f. 21.05.2024

^{***} Appointed w.e.f. 29.06.2024

#Directors Remuneration

(Rs. in lakhs)

S. No.	Particulars	Chairman	Managing Director	Jt. Managing Director	Executive Director	Total
1	Salary	180.00 (150.00)	180.00 (150.00)	180.00 (150.00)	54.00 (48.00)	594.00 (498.00)
2	Commission	100.00 (60.00)	100.00 (150.00)	-	- (-)	210.00 (130.00)
3 4	Contribution to Provident Fund Perquisites:	- (-)	19.50 (18.00)	19.50 (18.00)	6.06 (5.76)	45.06 (47.76)
	(i) Residence	-(-)	3.60 (7.20)	- (-)	4.11 (3.62)	7.71 (10.82)
	(ii)Medical reimbursement	3.57 (0.92)	6.58 (6.33)	0.18 (0.90)	0.82 (0.35)	11.15 (8.50)
	(iii) Other benefits	0.79 (0.79)	13.13 (19.36)	0.79 (0.79)	0.62 (0.70)	15.33 (21.64)
	Total	334.36 (251.71)	372.81 (300.89)	200.47 (169.69)	65.61 (58.43)	973.25 (780.72)

Note: The value of perquisites shown above is as per the Income Tax provisions.

The transactions with related parties have been entered at an amount, which are not materially different from those on normal commercial terms. No amount has been written back/written off during the year in respect to due to/due from related parties.

Transactions with Related Parties are made on the terms equivalent to those that prevail in arm's length transactions.

The remuneration to the Key Managerial Personnels are in line with the service rules of the Company.

The aforementioned related party transactions have been recommended by Audit Committee and approved by the Board in their respective meetings held during the year.

38.9 Segment Reporting: Information on the Segment Reporting is as under:

The company has identified three primary business segments viz. Sugar and Distillery. Segments have been identified and reported taking into account the nature of products, the differing risks and returns, the organizational structure and internal business reposting system as defined in Ind AS 108 – Operating Segments.

Particulars	Sugar	Distillery	Unallocable	Total
Gross sales	59,490.46 (61,296.03)	9,120.75 (7,592.70)	(-)	68,611.21 (68,888.73)
Less: Inter segment sales	2,710.69	-	-	2,710.69
	(3,172.80)	(-)	(-)	(3,172.80)
External sales	56,779.77 (58,123.23)	9,120.75 (7,592.70)	- (-)	65,900.52 (65,715.93)
Add: Other income	627.47	109.55	-	737.02
	(790.98)	(58.07)	(-)	(849.05)
Total revenue	57,407.24	9,230.30	-	66,637.54
	(58,914.21)	(7,650.77)	(-)	(66,564.98)
Segment results	6,485.79	222.56	-	6,708.35
	(4,824.63)	(740.72)	(-)	(5,565.35)
Less: Finance cost	1,791.48	25.06	-	1,816.54
	(1,631.25)	(23.03)	(-)	(1,654.28)
Profit before tax	4,694.31	197.50	-	4,891.81
	(3,193.38)	(717.69)	(-)	(3,911.07)
Current tax				1,354.32 (1,047.64)
Deferred tax				-17.60 (54.29)

Profit after tax				3,555.09 (2,809.14)
Other information				
Commont occots	64,629.06	8,359.32	-	72,988.38
Segment assets	(70,430.74)	(7,491.85)	(-)	(77,922.59)
	36,389.16	1,980.44	759.67	39,129.30
Segment liabilities	(45,292.52)	(1,526.89)	(782.01)	(47,601.42)
Capital Expenditure	841.07 (1,889.12)	696.15 (694.59)	- (-)	1,537.22 (2,583.71)
			(-)	
Depreciation and amortisation	1,629.99 (1,708.17)	566.76 (550.91)	(-)	2,196.75 (2,259.08)

^{*}Capital expenditure includes fixed assets capitalized during the year and net increase/decrease in capital work-in-progress.

Inter-segment revenues are eliminated upon consolidation and reflected in the inter-segment sales column. Current taxes and deferred taxes are not allocated to individual segments as the same are dealt with at company level.

The transactions between segments are primarily for materials which are transferred at market determined prices. Common costs are apportioned on a reasonable basis.

Information about Secondary Geographical Segment: There is no secondary segment:

37.10 Fair value

Set out below, is a comparison by class of the carrying amounts and fair value of the Company's financial instruments, other than those with carrying amounts that are reasonable approximations of fair values:

	Carryin	Carrying value		alue alue
Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Financial assets				
FVOCI financial instruments:				
Unquoted equity shares	5.23	5.10	5.23	5.10
Fair Value through Statement of Profit & Loss				
Investment in Preference Shares	4,709.33	5,236.03	4,709.33	5,236.03
Investment in OFCD	2,350.00	2,350.00	2,350.00	2,350.00
Corporate guarantee	51.44	72.72	51.44	72.72
Fair value of assets through Other Comprehensive Income				
Free hold Land	951.05	930.78	951.05	930.78
Total	8,067.05	8,594.63	8,067.05	8,594.63

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Carrying value		Fair Value	
Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Financial liabilities at amortized cost through statement of profit and loss				
Loan taken from Bank, Government and others				
Fixed rate borrowings	-	237.69	-	237.69
Floating rate borrowings	3,849.19	4,763.55	3,849.19	4,763.55
Total	3,849.19	5,001.24	3,849.19	5,001.24

Fair value hierarchy

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Company's assets and liabilities.

Quantitative disclosures fair value measurement hierarchy for assets as at 31st March, 2025:

		Fair value measurement using			
Description	Date of valuation	Quoted prices in active markets	Significant observable inputs	Significant unobservable inputs	
		(Level 1)	(Level 2)	(Level 3)	
Assets measured at fair value					
FVOCI financial instruments:					
Unquoted equity shares	31st March, 2025	-	-	Yes	
Preference Share	31st March, 2025	-	-	Yes	

38.11 Government Grant:

The Government of Uttar Pradesh has provided term loan under the Scheme for Financial Assistance to Sugar Undertakings, 2018, of Uttar Pradesh Government at concessional rates during the financial year 2018-19 which has been recognised in the following manners:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Amount in lakhs	Year to which relates	Treatment in accounts
Revenue related to Government Grant			
Financial Assistance from the State Government	Nil	2024-25	Nil
Deferred Government Grant			
Deferred income relating to term loans on concessional rate (difference between ac-tual loan and its present value has been considered Deferred Government Grant)	Nil	2024-25	A sum of Rs.29.48 lakhs considered for part of the year as government grant under Note-28. Deferred In-come considered as Government grant over the period of 5 years be-ing the tenure of loan.

38.12 Expenditure incurred on corporate social responsibilities (CSR)

Details of expenditure on corporate social responsibility activities as per Section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 read with schedule III are as below:

A. Statement of CSR Obligation

(Rs. in lakhs)

SI. no.	Particulars	Year ended March 31, 2025	Year ended March 31, 2024
a)	Average net profits of the Company as per Section 135(5)	4,250.49	4,058.15
b)	Two percent of the average net profits of the Company as per Section 135(5)	85.01	81.16
c)	Amount approved by the Board for CSR during the Year	86.85	89.05
d)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years	Nil	Nil
e)	Amount required to be set off for the financial year, if any	86.85	89.05
f)	Total CSR obligation for the financial year [(c)+(d)-(e)]	Nil	Nil

B. Statement of CSR Expenditure

(Rs. In lakhs)

Di Statement di Contexperiantare				
SI. no.	Particulars	Year ended March 31, 2025	Year ended March 31, 2024	
a)	Amount spent on CSR Projects (both Ongoing Project and other than Ongoing Project)			
	- For contribution in hospital construction and asset	-	120.00	
	- For rural development etc.	2.35	0.24	
	- Preventive health care and sanitation	20.00	0.51	
	- For contribution towards schools to promote education	9.50	8.30	
	Total	31.85	129.05	
b)	Amount spent in Administrative Overheads	Nil	Nil	
c)	Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable	Nil	Nil	
d)	Total amount spent for the Financial Year [(a)+(b)+(c)]	31.85	129.05	
e)	Total CSR obligation for the financial year	Nil	Nil	
f)	Excess CSR Expenditure available for Carry Forward	31.50	129.05	

C. Statement of Carry Forward

SI. no.	Particulars	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25
a)	Excess CSR Expenditure carried forward	109.00	70.00	129.05	31.50
b)	Set off during the Financial year 2023-24	89.05	Nil	Nil	Nil
c)	Set off during the Financial year 2024-25	19.95	66.55	Nil	Nil
d)	Balance to be Carried Forward	Nil	*3.45	#129.05	^31.50
e)	Total amount Carried Forwarded				164.00

^{*}available for set off till the financial year 2025-26

[#]available for set off till the financial year 2026-27

[^]available for set off till the financial year 2027-28

[#]available for set off till the financial year 2025-26

[^]available for set off till the financial year 2026-27

- 37.13 In view of the decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court, extra price and excise duty realized on levy sugar in earlier years amounting to Rs.67.11 lakhs for funding under the Sugar Price Equalization Fund Act, 1976 was transferred to Sugar Price Equalization Reserve Account. Later on as per the order dated 22.09.1993 of Hon'ble Supreme Court, a sum of Rs.17.90 lakhs waspaid to the Government out of bank guarantee furnished by the Company and further, during the year 1998-99 a sum of Rs.1.00 lakhs were paid towards Excise Duty on the above. The Company has further made a payment of Rs.35.81 lakhs during the year 2005-06 to the Government of India against the bank guarantee furnished by it along with interest of Rs.118.25 lakhs thereon. Still a sum of Rs.12.40 lakhs is lying in the Sugar Price Equalization Reserve as on 31st March, 2025 shown under Note 17 of "Other equity".
- **37.14** Certain balances in account of trade receivables, advances, deposit accounts and trade payables are subject to reconciliation and confirmation by the respective parties. The management reviewed these advances from time to time, the required provisions have been considered in the accounts. The management is of the view that the realization from these assets in the ordinary course of business would not be less than the amount at which they are stated in the books of account.
- 37.15 Other non-current liabilities (Note No.20) includes a loan from U.P. Government amounting to Rs.14.50 lakhs. The issue relating to interest payable thereon is under dispute and the matter is sub-judice before the Hon'ble Allahabad High Court. However, as per the interim order of the Court, a fixed deposit of Rs.14.50 lakhs has been kept with the District Magistrate, Ayodhya. In opinion of the management, the amount of interest accrued on this fixed deposit is adequate to meet the interest obligation liability of the Company on the said loan and therefore, no interest is being provided for in these financial statements.
- **37.16** As per Bihar State Government directions, the operations of country liquor bottling unit remain discontinued during the year. However, the plant and machinery of that unit was moved in earlier years to the Distillery Unit for manufacturing of country liquor. Thus, depreciation on building due to obsolescence has been provided in earlier years and the written down value as on 31st March, 2025 is Rs.0.37 lakhs.
- **37.17** Since, the sugar industry is a seasonal industry; the cost of production of sugar is worked out on annualized basis considering prime cost, factory overhead and administrative overhead closely related to manufacturing of output.
- 37.18 The Company has a subsidiary company namely K M Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd.
- **37.19** The management is of the view that dividend payment is most probable to receive from the investments in the preference shares of Sonar Casting Ltd. considering dividend at 12.50% and this fact has been taken into account while determining the fair value of the investment. However, no dividend received on the investment since amount invested.
- 37.20 The Central Government pursuant to Notification No. 1(1)/2025-SP dated 20th January, 2025 issued by the Hon'ble Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Food and Public Distribution) has notified sugar mill wise export quantity of sugar for export in sugar season 2024-25 in order to prevent uncontrolled export of sugar and with a view to ensure sufficient availability of sugar for domestic consumption at a reasonable price. The notification also provides facility to export sugar themselves or through merchant exporter or exchange their export quota with domestic quota of any other sugar mill.
 - Pursuant to above notification, the Company has sold its export quota for exchange with domestic quota of another sugar mill. The amount received on sale of export quota of Rs.253.68 lakhs (Previous year Rs. Nil) has been shown as line item "Export quota sale receipt" under Revenue from operations.

37.21 Imported and Indigenous Raw Materials, Packing Materials and Stores and Spares consumed

	31st Ma	31st March, 2025		31st March, 2024	
Description	% of total consumption	Amount	% of total consumption	Amount	
Raw Materials					
Imported	-	-	-	+	
Indigenous	100%	42,936.52	100%	51,513.78	
Stores and packing material					
Imported	-	-	-	+	
Indigenous	100%	2,787.94	100%	1,877.07	

37.22 Income in foreign currency on account of:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Export sale	-	-

37.23 Expenditure in foreign currency on account of:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Travelling	138.80	30.60
Others	85.79	82.88

- 37.24 The company has taken SBI SEFASU Loan from Government amounting to Rs.4775.94 lakhs bearing 5% Interest rate. Fair value of loan has been determined using discount rate 10.50% as the bank's fund is available at this rate and difference between actual amount and present value is amortised over the loan tenure and same has been considered as deferred government grant.
- 37.25 The company has lease hold land from U P Government and out of which 3-hectare land was sub-leased to K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd. vide sub-lease deed dated 23.01.2024 executed by U. P. Government, K M Sugar Mills Ltd. and K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd. and registered on 03.02.2024.

37.26 Components of Other Comprehensive Income

The disaggregation of changes to OCI in equity is shown below:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Comprehensive Income (Net of Tax)			
	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024		
Gain/(loss) on equity instruments	0.11	(3.31)		
Re-measurement gain/(loss) on defined benefit plans	(14.15)	(14.10)		
Total	(14.04)	(17.41)		

37.27 Capital work in progress (Under property, plant and equipment, intangible asset) ageing schedule

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars		Amount in CWIP for period of				
rarticulars	Less than 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total	
Plant and machinery in progress	-	-	-	-	-	
Building work	71.42	263.39	399.18	4.54	738.53	
Building work temporarily suspended*	-	-	-	10.08	10.08	
Total	71.42	263.39	399.18	14.62	748.61	

^{*}The completion of building is overdue as plan is under approval with development authority, hence completion date can not be estimated.

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

Particulars		Total			
	Less than 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
Plant and machinery in progress	482.91	4.03	5.41	-	492.35
Building work	269.36	399.18	4.54	-	673.08
Building work temporarily suspended*	-	-	-	10.08	10.08
Total	752.27	403.21	9.95	10.08	1,175.51

^{*}The completion of building is overdue as plan is under approval with development authority, hence completion date can not be estimated.

37.28 Trade receivable ageing schedule

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Unbilled		C	Outstanding from due date of payment				
Particulars	revenue*	Not due	Less than 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
Undisputed Trade receivables - considered good	135.70	362.04	333.54	0.01	4.91	1.86	0.95	839.01
Undisputed Trade receivables - which have significant increase in credit risk		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade receivables - credit Impaired		-	-	-	0.07	-	0.03	0.10
Disputed Trade receivables - credit Impaired		-	-	-	-	-	15.91	15.91
Total	135.70	362.04	333.54	0.01	4.98	1.86	16.89	855.02

^{*} Represents bills for the month of March 2025 which were subsequently billed in the following month.

(Rs. in lakhs)

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

			C	Outstanding fo	rom due date	of payment		
Particulars	Unbilled revenue*	Not due	Less than 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
Undisputed Trade receivables - considered good	144.13	323.72	2,017.88	435.60	10.99	0.95	-	2,933.27
Undisputed Trade receivables - which have significant increase in credit risk		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		-	-	-	-	-	0.03	0.03
Disputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		-	-	-	-	-	15.91	15.91
Total	144.13	323.72	2,017.88	435.60	10.99	0.95	15.94	2,949.21

^{*} Represents bills for the month of March 2024 which were subsequently billed in the following month.

37.29 Trade payable ageing schedule

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

		Outstanding from due date of payment					
Particulars	Not due	Less than 1 year	1-2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total	
MSME	6.55	119.27	-	-	-	125.82	
Others	-	7,865.01	64.98	13.63	16.36	7,959.98	
Disputed dues-MSME	-	21.80	-	-	0.57	22.37	
Disputed dues-Others	-	-	-	-	8.10	8.10	
Total	6.55	8,006.08	64.98	13.63	25.03	8,116.27	

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs)

		Outstanding from due date of payment					
Particulars	Not due	Less than 1 year	1-2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total	
MSME	-	233.29	-	-	-	233.29	
Others	3,469.02	11,430.13	20.38	13.70	19.05	14,952.28	
Disputed dues-MSME	-	-	-	-	0.57	0.57	
Disputed dues-Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	3,469.02	11,663.42	20.38	13.70	19.62	15,186.14	

37.30 Details of shares held by promoter and promoter group of the Company

Equity Shares held by promoters as at 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024

	3	1st March, 2025	;	31st March, 2024			
Promoter Name	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	
Promoters	·						
Lakshmi Kant Jhun-jhunwala	1,43,02,600	15.55%	-	1,43,02,600	15.55%	-	
Lakshmi Kant Dwarkadas -HUF	1,00,65,900	10.94%	-	1,00,65,900	10.94%	-	
Aditya Jhunjhunwala	52,89,242	5.75%	-	52,89,242	5.75%	-	
Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	24,94,600	2.71%	-	24,94,600	2.71%	-	
Promoter group							
Naina Jhunjhunwala	41,80,748	4.54%	-	41,80,748	4.54%	-	
Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	4,99,721	0.54%	-	4,99,721	0.54%	-	
Vridhi Trust	1,88,780	0.21%	-	1,88,780	0.21%	-	
Shivam Shorewala	1,20,549	0.13%	-	1,20,549	0.13%	-	
Marvel Business Pri-vate Ltd.	1,20,65,975	13.12%	-	1,20,65,975	13.12%	-	
K M Vyapar Ltd.	22,83,364	2.48%	-	22,83,364	2.48%	-	
Jhunjhunwala Securi-ties Pvt. Ltd.	5,00,000	0.54%	-	5,00,000	0.54%	-	
Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	20			20			
K M Vyapar Ltd.	22,83,364	2.48%	-	22,83,364	2.48%	-	
Jhunjhunwala Securities Pvt. Ltd.	5,00,000	0.54%	-	5,00,000	0.54%	-	
Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	20			20			

37.31 Loans to promoter, director and related parties etc.

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Type of borrower	Amount of loan outstanding	% of total loan
Loan to promoter/director	-	-
Loan to KMPs	-	-
Loan to related party	1,674.25	100%

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs)

Type of borrower	Amount of loan outstanding	% of total loan
Loan to promoter/director	-	-
Loan to KMPs	+	-
Loan to related party	1,907.61	100%

37.32 Financial ratios

The following are analytical ratios for theyear ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024

Particulars	Numerator	Denominator	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2024	Change
Current Ratio	Current assets	Current liabilities	1.12	1.02	9.80%
Debt-Equity Ratio	Total Debt (Note 1)	Total Equity	0.83	0.96	-13.54%
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Earnings available for debt service	Debt Service (Note 2)	1.91	1.58	20.89%
Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the year	Average Total Equity	11.08	9.71	14.11%
Inventory turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Inventory	1.80	1.85	-2.70%
Trade Receivables turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Trade Receivable	34.94	37.16	-5.97%
Trade payables turnover ratio	Purchases and Other Services	Average Trade Payables	3.93	3.86	1.81%
Net capital turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Working Capital	15.78	69.39	-77.26%*
Net profit ratio	Profit for the year	Revenue from Operations	5.39%	4.27%	112bps^
Return on Capital employed	EBIT (Note 3)	Capital Employed (Note 4)	17.79%	15.76%	203bps
Return on investment	Profit for the year	Average Total Assets	4.71%	3.79%	92bps

^{*}Turnover increase is not significant but working capital has improved with increase in profit

Note 1: Debt includes lease liabilities

Note 2: Debt service = Interest and Lease payments and Principal Repayments

Note 3: EBIT = Profit before exceptional items + Finance Costs

Note 4: Capital Employed = Tangible Net Worth + Total Debt + Deferred Tax Liabilities

[^] Increase in net profit with increased margin

37.33 The difference between the value as per books of accounts and as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders are given below: For the year ended 31st March, 2025

Quarter ending	Value as per books of accounts	Value as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders	Difference	Reasons for difference
June 30, 2024	31,326.13	30,188.90	1,137.23	The differences are because, the statements filed with the lenders are
September 30, 2024	18,601.23	17,012.91	1,588.32	based on financial statements prepared
December 31, 2024	21,800.65	16,639.16	5,161.49	on provisional basis and also because of
March 31, 2025	37,559.56	37,056.50	503.06	exclusion of certain current assets in the statements filed with the lenders.

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

Quarter ending	Value as per books of accounts	Value as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders	Difference	Reasons for difference
June 30, 2023	24,048.68	21,610.75	2,437.93	The differences are because, the statements filed with the lenders are
September 30, 2023	10,644.59	8,179.18	2,465.41	based on financial statements prepared
December 31, 2023	17,621.13	13,434.86	4,186.27	on provisional basis and also because of
March 31, 2024	41,332.20	39,828.43	1,503.77	exclusion of certain current assets in the statements filed with the lenders.

37.34 Other statutory information

- i. The Company does not have any Benami property, where any proceeding has been initiated or pending against the Company.
- ii. The Company does not have any transactions with companies struck off.
- iii. The Company does not have any charges or satisfaction which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period.
- iv. The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.
- v. The Company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
- vi. The Company has not advanced or loaned or invested funds to any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities(Intermediaries) with the understanding that the Intermediary shall:
 - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the (a) Company (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
 - provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- vii. The Company has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Group shall:
 - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the (a)Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
 - provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- viii. The Company has not any such transaction which is not recorded in the books of account that has been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as, search or survey or any other relevant provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

37.35 Events occurring after the balance sheet date:

No adjusting or significant non adjusting events have occurred between the reporting date and the date of authorization of financial statements.

- **37.36** Figures in brackets pertain to previous year.
- 37.37 The previous year's figures have been regrouped, reclassified, reworked and rearranged wherever necessary to correspond with the current year.

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra **Chartered Accountants** F.R. No 0226C

> S. C. Agarwal **Executive Director**

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer

(DIN-02461954)

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place: Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025

Aditva Jhunihunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To,

The Members of K M Sugar Mills Limited **Report on the Consolidated Financial statement**

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") and its subsidiary (the Company and its subsidiary together referred to as "the Group"), which comprise the Consolidated Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2025, the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended on that date, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "the consolidated financial statements").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid consolidated financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, ("Ind AS") and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the consolidate state of affairs of the Group as at March 31, 2025, and consolidated profit, consolidated total comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and its consolidated cash flows for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. We have determined the matters described below to be the key audit matters to be communicated in our report.

How our audit addressed the Key Audit Matter

Key Audit Matter Sl. No. 1 Valuation of inventory of sugar: As on March 31, 2025, the Company has inventory of sugar with a carrying value INR -36022.42 lakhs. The inventory of sugar is valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. We considered the value of the inventory of sugar as a key audit matter given the relative value of inventory in the

the Government in valuation of NRV.

financial statements and significant judgement involved in the

consideration of factors such as minimum sale price, monthly

quota, fluctuation in selling prices and related notifications of

We understood and tested the design and operating effectiveness of controls as established by the management in determination of cost of production and net realizable value of inventory of sugar. We considered various factors including the prevailing selling price during and subsequent to the year end, minimum selling price & monthly quota, and notifications of the Government of India, initiatives taken by the Government

Based on the above procedures performed, the management's determination of the net realizable value of the inventory of sugar as at the year-end and comparison with cost for valuation of inventory is considered to be reasonable.

2 **Contingent Liabilities:**

There are various litigations pending before various forums against the Company and management's judgement is required for estimating the amount to be disclosed as contingent liability.

We identified this as a key audit matter because the estimates on which these amounts are based involve a significant degree of management judgement in interpreting the cases and it may be subject to management bias.

We have obtained an understanding of the Company's internal instructions and procedures in respect of estimation and disclosure of contingent liabilities and adopted the following audit procedures:

- understood and tested the design and operating effectiveness of controls as established by the management for obtaining all relevant information for pending litigation cases;
- discussed with management regarding any material developments and latest status of legal matters;
- read various correspondences and related documents pertaining to litigation cases produced by the management and relevant external legal opinions obtained by the management and performed substantive procedures on calculations supporting the disclosure of contingent liabilities:
- examining management's judgements and assessments whether provisions are required;
- considering the management assessments of those matters that are not disclosed as the probability of material outflow is considered to be remote;- reviewing the adequacy and completeness of disclosures;
- reviewing the adequacy and completeness of disclosures;

Based on the above procedures performed, the estimation and disclosures of contingent liabilities are considered to be adequate and reasonable.

Information Other than the Consolidated Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Business Responsibility Report, Corporate Governance and Shareholder's Information, but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial **Statements**

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position, consolidated financial performance, consolidated total comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Group and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the consolidated financial statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are also responsible for overseeing the company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal financial controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company and its subsidiary companies which are companies incorporated in India has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future

- events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of the financial statements of such entities included in the consolidated financial statements of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the consolidated financial statements, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decision of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the financial statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in:

- (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and
- (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the financial statements.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Other Matters

We did not audit the financial statements/ information of 1 (One) subsidiary, i.e. **K M Spirits and Allied Industries Limited.** The financial statements of K M Spirits & Allied Industries Limited reflect total assets

of Rs.5.49 lakhs as at 31st March, 2025, total revenues of Rs.0.30 lakhs and net cash flows amounting to Rs.0.20 lakhs for the year ended on that date, as considered in the consolidated financial statements. These financial statements have been audited by other auditor whose report has been furnished to us by the management and our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries and our report in terms of sub-section (3) and (11) of section 143 of the Act, in so far as it relates to the aforesaid subsidiaries is based solely on the reports of other auditors.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, and our report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements below, is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of other auditors and the financial statements.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, based on our audit we report that:
 - a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit of the aforesaid consolidated financial statements.
 - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law relating to preparation of the aforesaid consolidated financial statements have been kept so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
 - c) The Consolidated Balance Sheet, the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), Consolidated Statement of Change in Equity and the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account maintained for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated financial statements.
 - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid consolidated financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
 - e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors of the Company as on 31st March, 2025 taken on record by the Board of Directors of the Company and its subsidiaries incorporated in India and the reports of the statutory auditors of its subsidiary companies incorporated in India, none of the directors of the Group companies incorporated in India is disqualified as on 31st March, 2025 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
 - f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in "Annexure A" which is based on the auditor' reports of the Company and its subsidiary company incorporated in India. Our report expresses an unmodified opinion on the adequacy and operating

- effectiveness of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of those companies, for reasons stated therein.
- g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended:
 - In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the remuneration paid by the Company to its directors during the year is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act.
- h) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - i. the consolidated financial statements disclose the impact of pending litigations on the consolidated financial position of the Group - Refer Note - 38.5 to the consolidated financial statements:
 - ii. the Group did not have any material foreseeable losses on long-term contracts including derivative contracts;
 - iii. there were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Group;
 - (a) Management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds (which are material either individually or in the aggregate) have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Group to or in any other person or entity, including foreign entity ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Group ("ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the ultimate Beneficiaries:
 - (b) The Management has represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds (which are material either individually or in the aggregate) have been received by the Company from any person or entity, including foreign entity ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Group shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
 - (c) Based on the audit procedures that have been considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to

- believe that the representations under sub-clause (i) and (ii) of Rule11(e), as provided under clause (a) and(b) above, contain any material misstatement.
- (iv)In our opinion, the company has not declared and paid dividend during the year so this para is not applicable to the company.
- (v) Based on our examination, which included test checks, performed by us on the Company and its subsidiaries incorporated in India, have used accounting software for maintaining their books of account for the financial year ended March 31, 2025, which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software. Further, during the course of our audit we did not come across any instance of the audit trail feature being tampered with.
- 2. With respect to the matter to be included in the Auditor's Report under Section 197(16) of the Act: In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the remuneration paid during the current year by the Holding Company to its directors is in accordance with the provisions of Section 197 of the Act. The remuneration paid to any director by the Holding Company is not in excess of the limit laid down under Section 197 of the Act. The subsidiary companies incorporated in India have not paid any remuneration to its directors during the year. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs has not prescribed other details under Section 197(16) of the Act which are required to be commented upon by us.

For **Mehrotra & Mehrotra** Chartered Accountants (FRN: 000226C)

> Sanjay K. Rai Partner M. No.: 507946

UDIN: 25507946BMTCQY4952

Place: Lucknow Date: 26.05.2025

ANNEXURE - A TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

In conjunction with our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the Company as of and for the year ended March 31, 2025, we have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") and its subsidiary company, which is a company incorporated in India, as of that date.

Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Board of Directors of the Company and its subsidiary companies, which are companies incorporated in India, are responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the respective companies considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('ICAI'). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and its subsidiary companies, which are companies incorporated in India, based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the internal financial controls system over financial reporting of the company and its subsidiary companies, which are companies incorporated in India.

Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that

- (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
- (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls Over **Financial Reporting**

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Opinion

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanation given to us, the Company and its subsidiary companies, which are companies incorporated in India, have, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31st March 2025, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

> For Mehrotra & Mehrotra **Chartered Accountants** (FRN: 000226C)

> > Sanjay K. Rai Partner M. No.: 507946

UDIN: 25507946BMTCQY4952

Place: Lucknow Date: 26.05.2025

Consolidated Balance sheet for the year ended 31st March 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Notes No.	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
ASSETS			
(1) Non current assets			
(a) Property, plant and equipment	3	15,875.17	16,058.21
(b) Capital work in progress		748.61	1,175.51
(c) Intangible assets		4.94	3.83
(d) Right-of-use-assets		4,627.19	4,866.57
(e) Financial assets			
(i) Investments	4	7,059.56	7,586.13
(ii) Loans		1,124.25	1,037.61
(iii) Other financial assets	6	973.64	622.84
(f) Non current tax assets (net)	7	334.95	167.63
(g) Other non current assets	8	2,145.23	1,997.96
Total non current assets		32,893.54	33,516.29
(2) Current assets		32,033.31	33/310123
(a) Inventories	9	36,720.55	38,398.93
(b) Financial assets		30,7 20.33	30,370.73
(i) Investments	10	296.00	0.03
(ii) Trade and other receivables		839.01	2,933.27
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	12	384.97	727.21
(iv) Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents		460.18	385.33
(v) Loans	13	550.00	870.00
(vi) Other financial assets		2.33	10.05
(c) Other current assets	15	842.24	1,081.73
Total current assets		40,095.28	44,406.55
Total assets		72,988.82	77,922.84
EOUITY AND LIABILITIES		72,900.02	77,922.04
EQUITY			
(a) Equity share capital		1,840.00	1,840.00
(b) Other equity	 17	32,019.38	28,481.34
Total equity		33,859.38	30,321.34
LIABILITIES		33,037.30	30,321.34
(1) Non current liabilities			
(a) Financial liabilities			
(i) Borrowings		1,908.61	2,805.49
(ii) Other financial liabilities		33.08	51.44
(b) Other non current liabilities		14.50	14.50
(c) Deferred tax liabilities (net)		759.67	782.01
(d) Provisions		495.24	489.02
Total non current liabilitie		3,211.10	4,142.46
(2) Current liabilities	<u></u>	3,211.10	4,142.40
(a) Financial Liabilities			
		26.276.62	26 207 05
(i) Borrowings (ii) Trade and other payables	23 24	26,276.63	26,307.05
		8,191.96	15,460.88
(iii) Other financial liabilities (b) Other surrent liabilities	25	1,138.80	1,115.23
(b) Other current liabilities	26	218.33	499.83
(c) Provisions	22	92.62	76.05
Total current liabilities		35,918.34	43,459.04
Total equity and liabilities	_	72,988.82	77,922.84
Corporate Information	1		

Significant Accounting Policies and accompanying notes 2 to 37 form an integral part of standalone financial statements As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C For and on behalf of Board of Directors

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946 S. C. Agarwal Executive Director (DIN-02461954)

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Place : Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025 Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Consolidated statement of profit and loss for the year ended 31st March 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

		Note		(Rs. in la
Parti	culars	Note No.	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
1	Revenue From Operations	27	65,900.52	65,715.93
П	Other Income	28	737.32	849.34
Ш	Total Income (I+II)		66,637.84	66,565.27
IV	EXPENSES			
	Cost of materials consumed	29	42,936.52	51,513.78
	Purchase of stock in trade	30	48.37	46.00
	Changes in inventories of finished goods, by-products and work-in-progress	31	1,668.54	(3,007.29)
	Employee benefit expenses	32	2,192.90	2,030.49
	Finance costs	33	1,816.55	1,654.29
	Depreciation and amortisation expenses	34	2,196.75	2,259.08
	Other expenses	35	10,886.21	8,157.66
	Total expenses		61,745.84	62,654.01
V	Profit/(loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)		4,892.00	3,911.26
VI	Exceptional Items		-	-
VII	Profit/(loss) before tax (V-VI)		4,892.00	3,911.26
VIII	Tax expenses :	36		
	Current tax		1,328.56	1,045.04
	Tax expense of earlier year		25.82	2.64
	Deferred tax		(17.60)	54.29
			1,336.78	1,101.97
IX	Profit (Loss) for the period (VII-VIII)		3,555.22	2,809.29
Χ	Other Comprehensive Income :			
	(i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss :			
	Gain / (Loss) arising on actuarial valuation arising on defined benefit obligation		(18.91)	(18.84)
	Gain / (Loss) arising on fair valuation of equity instruments		0.14	(4.14)
	(ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss		4.73	5.57
			(14.04)	(17.41)
ΧI	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (IX+X) (Comprising Profit/(Loss) and Other Comprehensive Income for the period)		3,541.18	2,791.88
XII	Earnings per equity share (Equity share of Rs. 2/- each)			
	(1) Basic		3.86	3.05
	(2) Diluted		3.86	3.05

Corporate Information

Significant Accounting Policies and accompanying notes 2 to 37 form an integral part of standalone financial statements

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner

S. C. Agarwal **Executive Director** (DIN-02461954)

Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

M.No.507946

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Place: Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31st March, 2025

S.No.	Particulars	As a 31st Marc		As a 31st Marc	
Α.	Cash flow from operating activities				
	Profit/(loss) before tax		4,892.00		3,911.26
	Adjustment to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flow provided		,		· ·
	by operating activities:	2.106.75		2.250.00	
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	2,196.75		2,259.08	
	Finance costs Transfer to storage fund for molasses	1,816.55		1,654.29	
				3.03	
	Provision/(reversal) of doubtful debts Balances written off	4.45		(0.70)	
		7.28		7.97	
	Interest Income	(389.72)		(412.55)	
	Government Grant	(29.48)		(118.58)	
	Storage fund for molasses written back	(5.98)		- (4.61)	
	Fair valution on investment and others	181.81		(4.61)	
	Loss/(Profit) on sale of property, plant and equipments	147.17		97.08	
	Unspent liabilities/balances written back	(13.66)		(51.92)	
	Other measurement income	(30.95)		(32.88)	
	Other measurement expenses	27.43	2 005 57	22.52	2 402 00
	Remeasurement of defined benefit obligation	(18.91)	3,895.57	(18.84)	3,403.89
	Operating Profit before working capital changes		8,787.57		7,315.15
	Adjustment to reconcile operating profit to cash flow provided by change in working capital				
	(Increase)/Decrease in trade and other receivables	2,094.26		(2,329.20)	
	(Increase) / Decrease in inventories	1,678.38		(3,084.03)	
	(Increase) / Decrease in Non current Assets	(186.43)		(1.04)	
	(Increase) / Decrease in Current	120.58		(87.79)	
	(Increase) / Decrease in Non current Financial Assets	(349.85)		46.77	
	(Increase) / Decrease in Current Financial Assets	(50.82)		(724.95)	
	Increase / (Decrease) in trade payables & Others	(7,255.26)		2,455.73	
	Increase / (Decrease) in non current liabilities	-		89.10	
	Increase / (Decrease) in current	(252.02)		87.66	
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other Non current Financial Liabilities	(18.36)		14.50	
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other current Financial Liabilities	64.17		(22.89)	
	Increase / (Decrease) in Non Current Provisions	6.22		7.62	
	Increase / (Decrease) in Current Provisions	16.57		(13.40)	
			(4,132.56)		(3,561.92)
	Cash generated from operations		4,655.01		3,753.23
	Tax expense		(1,521.70)		(877.18)
	Net cash generated from operating activities (A)		3,133.31		2,876.05

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars	As a 31st Marc		As a 31st Marc	
В.	Cash Flow from investing activities				
	Addition to property, plant and equipment (including capital work in progress) (Net)	(1,537.22)		(2,583.71)	
	Proceed from Sale of property, plant and equipment	41.51		15.82	
	Investment in equity and other (Net)	348.92		(1,295.00)	
	Interest income received	424.74	(722.05)	447.37	(3,415.52)
	Net cash used in investing activities (B)				
C.	Cash flow from financing activities				
	Proceed/(Repayments) of long term borrowings	(1,152.06)		(2,679.29)	
	Proceeds/(Repayments) of short term borrowings	224.76		4,977.23	
	Finance cost paid	(1,826.20)	(2,753.50)	(1,617.33)	680.61
	Net cash from financing activities (C)				
	Net increase in cash & cash equivalents (A+B+C)		(342.24)		141.14
D.	Opening cash and cash equivalents		727.21		586.07
E.	Closing cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of cash flow statement (Refer Note No.12)		384.97		727.21
	Increase in cash & cash equivalents (D-E)		(342.24)		141.14

Notes:

1) The above Cash Flow Statement has been prepared under the "Indirect Method" as set out in the Indian Accounting Standard on Statement of Cash Flows (Ind As -7).

2) Cash and cash equivalents at year end comprises:		
Cash on hand	5.19	5.34
Cheque on hand	308.00	-
Balances with Banks	71.78	101.02
Fixed deposit with Bank original maturity upto 3 months	-	620.85
Supplementary Information	384.97	727.21
- Restricted Cash Balance (Note 12A)*		
* amount not included in cash and cash equivalent		

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra **Chartered Accountants** F.R. No 0226C

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place: Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025 For and on behalf of Board of Directors

S. C. Agarwal **Executive Director** (DIN-02461954)

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189)

Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Consolidated Statement of change in equity for the year ended 31st March, 2025

(a) Equity Share Capital (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	Change during the year	As at 31st March, 2024	Change during the year	As at 31st March, 2023
Balance of Equity Share Capital	1,840.00	-	1,840.00	-	1,840.00
	1,840.00	-	1,840.00	-	1,840.00

(b) Other equity (Rs. in lakhs)

						Items of	Other Compr	rehensive	
							Income		
Description	General Reserve	Molasses Storage Fund	Sugar Price Equal- isation Reserve	Securities Premium Account	Retained Earning	Reval- uation reserve	FVTOCI reserve	Gain / Loss arising on actuarial valuation of defined benefit	Total
As at April 01, 2023	1,179.90	27.55	12.40	2,688.01	15,902.26	6,068.93	(85.24)	(107.38)	25,686.43
Profit for the period					2,809.29				2,809.29
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-	-			(3.31)	(14.10)	(17.41)
Transfer to Molasses Fund		3.03	-	-		-	-	-	3.03
Transfer to retained earning			-	-	0.85	(0.85)	-	-	-
As at 31st March, 2024	1,179.90	30.58	12.40	2,688.01	18,712.40	6,068.08	(88.55)	(121.48)	28,481.34
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	3,555.22	-	-	-	3,555.22
Other Comprehensive Income	-	-	-		-	-	0.11	(14.15)	(14.04)
Total Comprehensive Income	1,179.90	30.58	12.40	2,688.01	22,267.62	6,068.08	(88.44)	(135.63)	32,022.52
Transfer to General Reserve	8,820.10	-	-	-	(8,820.10)	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Molasses Fund	-	2.84	-	-			-	-	2.84
Storage fund of molasses w/back	-	(5.98)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5.98)
Transfer to retained earning	-	-	-	-	1,433.10	(1,433.10)	-	-	-
As at March 31, 2025	10,000.00	27.44	12.40	2,688.01	14,880.62	4,634.98	(88.44)	(135.63)	32,019.38

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C For and on behalf of Board of Directors

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Pooja Dua Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

Place : Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025

NOTES FORMING PART OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL **STATEMENTS**

1. Corporate Information

The consolidated financial statements comprise financial statements of K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company" or "the Parent") and a subsidiary; K M Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd. for the year ended 31st March, 2025.

K M Sugar Mills Limited ("the Company") having Corporate Identity Number ("CIN") L15421UP1971PLC003492 is a public limited company incorporated and domiciled in India and has its registered office situated at 76, Eldeco Greens, Gomtinagar, Lucknow-226010, Uttar Pradesh India.

The Company's shares are listed on the BSE Ltd. and National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

The Company is engaged in sugar manufacturing. The principal activity of the Company is manufacturing and sale of sugar. Besides this, the allied business activities undertaken by the Company primarily consists of manufacturing and sale of Ethanol, Ethyl Alcohol, generation of power using bagasse, and manufacturing and sale of sanitizers.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

2.1 Statement of Compliance with Ind AS

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (referred to as "Ind AS") prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (as amended from time to time).

All the Ind AS issued and notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (as amended) till the financial statements are approved for issue by the Board of Directors has been considered in preparing these financial statements.

2.2 Basis of Preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements

a) Basis of Presentation

These consolidated financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting, under the historical cost convention except for the following:

- Certain financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value and
- ii) Defined benefits plan plan assets measured at fair value. There is no change in the system of accounting as being consistently followed from earlier years unless otherwise stated.

All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or non-current as per group's normal operating cycle and other criteria set out in the Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013. Based on the nature of operations and time between procurement of raw material and realization in cash and cash

equivalents, the Group has ascertained its operating cycle as 12 months for the purpose of current and non-current classification of assets and liabilities.

b) Basis of Consolidation

Consolidated financial statement related to KM Sugar Mills Limited ("The Company" and its subsidiary (collectively referred as the Group).

In the case of subsidiary, control is achieved when the group is exposed, or has right, to variable return from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns though its power over the investee specifically, the group controls as investee if and only if the group has:

- Power over the investee (i.e. existing right that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee;
- Exposure, or right, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.

The group re-assesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicates that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control.

Consolidation of subsidiary begins when the group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the group losses control of the subsidiary Assets, Liabilities, Income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statement from the date the group gains control until the date the group ceases to control the subsidiary

Consolidation Financial statements are prepared using accounting policies for like transaction and other events in similar circumstances. If a member of the group uses accounting policies other than those adopted in the consolidation financial statement for like transaction and event in similar circumstances, appropriate adjustment are made to the group member's financial statement in preparing the consolidation financial statement to ensure conformity with the group accounting policies

The Consolidated financial statements of all entities used for the purposes of consolidation are drawn up to same reporting date as that of the parent company i.e. year ended on March 31.

Profit or loss each component of other comprehensive income (OCI) are attributed to the owners of the company and to the non controlling interest. Total comprehensive income of subsidiaries attributed to the owner of the company and to the non controlling interest even if this results in the non controlling interest having a deficit balance

Following subsidiary company has been considered in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements:

Name of Entity	Relationship	Country of Incorporation	% of Holding and voting power Directly as at 31 March
KM Spirits and Allied Industries Ltd.	Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company	India	100%

c) Consolidation procedure

The consolidation financial statement relate to KM Sugar Mills Limited ("the company) and the subsidiary company. The Consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the following basis:

- The financial statement of the company and its subsidiary are combined on a line by line basis by adding together like items of assets, liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows, after fully eliminating intra group balances and intra group transaction.
- ii. Profits or losses resulting from intra-group transactions that are recognized in assets, such as inventory and property, plant and equipment, are eliminated in full.
- iii. In case of foreign subsidiaries, revenue items are consolidated at the average rate prevailing during the year. All assets and liabilities are converted at rate prevailing at the end of the year. Any exchange difference arising on consolidation is recognized in the Foreign Currency Translation Reserve.
- iv. Offset (eliminate) the carrying amount of the parent's investment in each subsidiary and the parent's portion of equity of each subsidiary.
- v. The difference between the proceeds from disposal of investment in subsidiary and the carrying amount of its assets less liabilities as on date of disposal is recognized in Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss being the profit or loss on disposal of investment in subsidiary.
- vi. Non-Controlling Interest's share of profit/loss of consolidated subsidiaries for the year is identified and adjusted against the income of the group in order to arrive at the net income attributable to owners of the Company.
- vii. Non-Controlling Interest's share of net assets of consolidated subsidiaries is identified and presented in the Consolidated Balance Sheet separate from liabilities and the equity of the owners of the Company.

2.3 Use of Estimates

The preparation of the Financial Statements in conformity with measurement principle under Ind AS requires the management to make estimates, judgment and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities including the accompanying disclosures and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities.

Estimates, judgments and assumptions are continuously evaluated. They are based on historical experience and other factors including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the Company and are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The Company based its estimates, judgments and assumptions on parameters available when the financial statements were prepared. Existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments, however, may change due to market changes or circumstances arising that are beyond the control of the Company. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

The application of accounting policies that require critical judgments and accounting estimates involving complex and subjective judgments and the use of assumptions in these financial statements have been disclosed herein below:

(i) Estimated useful life of Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment represent a significant proportion of the asset base of the Company. The charge in respect of periodic depreciation is derived after determining an estimate of an asset's expected useful life and the expected residual value at the end of its life. The useful lives and residual value of the asset are determined by the management when the asset is acquired and reviewed periodically including at each financial year end. The lives are based on technical evaluation, historical experience with similar assets as well as anticipation of future events, which may impact their lives, such as change in technology.

(ii) Current taxes and deferred taxes

Significant judgment is required in determination of taxability of certain income and deductibility of certain expenses during the estimation of provision for income taxes.

Deferred tax assets are recognized for unused losses (carry forward of prior years' losses) and unused tax credit to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit would be available against which the losses could be utilised. Significant management judgment is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognized, based upon the likely timing and the level of future taxable profits together with future tax planning strategies.

(iii) Estimation of Defined benefit obligations

The cost of the defined benefit gratuity plan and the present value of the gratuity obligation are determined using actuarial valuations. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in

the future. These include the determination of the discount rate, future salary increases and mortality rates. Due to the complexities involved in the valuation and its long-term nature, a defined benefit obligation is highly sensitive to changes in these assumptions. All assumptions are reviewed at each financial year end.

The parameter most subject to change is the discount rate. In determining the appropriate discount rate for plans, the actuary considers the interest rates of government bonds.

The mortality rate is based on publicly available mortality tables. Those mortality tables tend to change only at interval in response to demographic changes. Future salary increases and gratuity increases are based on expected future inflation rates.

(iv) Estimated fair value of unlisted securities

The fair values of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market and cannot be measured based on quoted prices in active markets is determined using valuation techniques including the discounted cash flow (DCF) model. The company uses its judgment to select a variety of method / methods and make assumptions that are mainly based on market conditions existing at the end of each financial year.

The inputs to these models are taken from observable markets where possible, but where this is not feasible, a degree of judgment is required in establishing fair values. Judgment includes considerations of inputs such as liquidity risk, credit risk and volatility. Changes in assumptions about these factors could affect the reported fair value of financial instruments.

2.4 Property, plant and equipment (PPE) and Capital work-inprogress (CWIP)

(a) All property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. For this purpose, cost includes deemed cost on the date of transition and the purchase cost of assets, including non recoverable duties and taxes, and any directly attributable cost of bringing an asset to the location and condition of its intended use. Interest on borrowings used to finance the construction of qualifying assets is capitalized as part of cost of the asset until such time that the asset is ready for its intended use.

The estimated useful lives considered are as follows:

(b) Costs incurred subsequent to initial capitalization are included in the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated therewith will flow to the Company and it can be measured reliably.

The costs of regular servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss as and when incurred.

When parts of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate components, otherwise these are added to and depreciated over the useful life of the main asset.

The cost and the accumulated depreciation are eliminated from the financial statements upon sale or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from use of the asset and the resultant gains or losses are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss.

(c) Depreciation methods, estimated useful lives and residual value

Freehold land is not depreciated. Lease-hold land and lease hold improvements are amortised over the lower of estimated useful life and lease term.

Depreciation on other items of property, plant and equipment commences when its assets are available for their intended use.

The Company has elected to continue with carrying value of all Property, plant and equipment and Capital work-in-progress (CWIP) under the previous GAAP as deemed cost as at the transition date i.e. 1st April, 2016. In the financial year 2018-19 and 2019-20, the company has revalued the lease hold assets as well as free hold assets considering entire class of land.

Depreciation on Property, plant and equipment (PPE) is provided on written down value method as prescribed under Part C of Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013. The additional depreciation, on increase in cost on account of revaluation, is transferred to Retained Earnings from Revaluation Reserve and is thus not charged to statement of Profit & Loss of the year.

Useful life of assets are considered on the base is of Schedule-II of Companies Act, 2013. The management believes that these estimated useful lives realistic and reflect fair approximation of the period over which the assets are likely to be used.

Catagory	31st March, 2025
Category	5 ISC March, 2025
Buildings	03-60 years
Roads	03-10 years
Plant & Machinery	05-25 years
Furniture & Fixtures	10 years
Vehicles	05-10 years
Office Equipments	5 years
Computers	03-06 years
Laboratory Equipments	05-10 years
Electrical Installations and Equipment	10 years

Each item of property, plant and equipment individually costing Rs.5,000/- or less is depreciated over a period of one year from the date the said asset is available for use. However, in case of certain assets for staff individually costing more than Rs.5.000/- are depreciated over the period of one year based on management estimates.

The residual value of an item of property, plant and equipment has been kept at \leq 5% of the cost of the respective assets.

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each financial year and are given effect to, wherever appropriate.

(d) Expenditure during construction period

Directly attributable expenditure (including finance cost related to borrowed funds for construction or acquisition of property, plant and equipment) incurred on projects under implementation are treated as Pre-operative expenses pending allocation to the assets and are shown under Capital work-in-progress. Capital work-inprogress is stated at the amount incurred upto the Balance Sheet date on assets or property, plant and equipment that are not yet ready for their intended use.

2.5 Intangible assets

The Company has elected to continue with carrying value of computer software under the previous GAAP, as deemed cost since 1st April, 2016. Computer software if any purchased during the year has been stated at their original cost (net of accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment, if any).

Intangible assets expected to provide future enduring economic benefits are recorded at the consideration paid for acquisition of such assets and are carried at cost of acquisition less accumulated amortization and impairment, if any.

The estimated useful lives, residual values and amortization method are reviewed at the end of each financial year and are given effect to, wherever appropriate.

The cost and related accumulated amortization are eliminated from the financial statements upon sale or retirement of the asset and the resultant gains or losses are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Intangible assets: Computer software is amortized over a period of three years and brand development is amortized over a period of five years.

2.6 Revenue Recognition and Expenses

(i) Effective April 1 2018 the company adopted Ind AS 115, revenue from contracts with customer using the cumulative catch up transition method, applied to contracts that were not completed as of April 1, 2018. In accordance with the cumulative catch up transition method, the comparatives have not been retrospectively adjusted. Revenue is recognized upon transfer of control of promised products or services to customers in an

amount that reflects the consideration we expect to receive in exchange for those products or services.

Arrangements with customers for services and goods are either on a fixed-price, fixed-timeframe or on a time-and-material basis.

Revenue on supply and service contracts are recognized as the related performance obligation is completed.

Revenue from fixed-price, fixed-timeframe contracts, where the performance obligations are satisfied over time and where there is no uncertainty as to measurement or collectability of consideration, is recognized as per the percentage-of-completion method. When there is uncertainty as to measurement or ultimate collectability, revenue recognition is postponed until such uncertainty is resolved. Efforts or costs expended have been used to measure progress towards completion as there is a direct relationship between input and productivity.

Revenues in excess of invoicing are classified as contract assets (which we refer to as unbilled revenue) while invoicing in excess of revenues are classified as contract liabilities (which we refer to as unearned revenues).

- (ii) Insurance claims have been accounted for on cash basis looking in to the uncertainty and its collection as per past practice.
- (iii) Interest Income is accounted for on time proportionate basis. For all debt instruments measured at amortized cost, interest income is recognized using the Effective Interest Rate ("EIR"). Interest Income is included in "Other Income" in the Statement of Profit and Loss.
- (iv) Dividend Income is recognized when the Company's right to receive the dividend is established i.e. in case of interim dividend. on the date of declaration by the Board of Directors; whereas in case of final dividend, on the date of approval by shareholders.
- (v) All expenses are accounted for on accrual basis.

2.7 Inventory

Cost of inventory comprises of purchase price, cost of conversion and other cost that have been incurred in bringing the inventories to their respective present location and condition. Interest costs are not included in value of inventory.

Inventories are valued as under:

- Raw Materials and Finished Goods (except molasses) are carried at lower of cost and net realizable value. Stock of Molasses is carried at net realizable value.
- Stores & Spares are carried at cost.
- Goods in Process / WIP are carried at lower of cost and net realizable Value.
- Banked power with UPPCL is carried at lower of cost and net realizable value.

Cost for the purpose of valuations of raw material and components, stores & spares are considered on following basis:

Manufacturing Units	Basis
Sugar - Raw Material	First in First Out
Trading Goods	First in First Out
Distillery- Raw Material	First in First Out
Stores & Spares Other components	Weighted Average
Co-generation - Raw Material	First in First Out

2.8 Fair value measurement

The Company measures financial instruments at fair value at each balance sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability; or
- In the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1- Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2- Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3- Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

The management determines the policies and procedures for both recurring fair value measurement, such as derivative instruments and unquoted financial assets measured at fair value, and for non-recurring measurement, such as assets held for distribution in discontinued operations.

External valuers are involved for valuation of significant assets, such as properties. Involvement of external valuers is decided by the management after discussion with and approval by the Company's management. Selection criteria include market knowledge, reputation, independence and whether professional standards are maintained. The management decides, after discussions with the Company's external valuers, which valuation techniques and inputs to use for each case.

At each reporting date, the management analyses the movements in the values of assets and liabilities, which are required to be remeasured or re-assessed as per the Company's accounting policies. For this analysis, the management verifies the major inputs applied in the latest valuation by agreeing the information in the valuation computation to contracts and other relevant documents.

The management, in conjunction with the Company's external valuers, also compares the change in the fair value of each asset and liability with relevant external sources to determine whether the change is reasonable.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

2.9 Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the Balance sheet when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value.

A. Financial assets

Initial recognition and measurement

All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value plus, in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. The financial assets include equity and debt securities, trade and other receivables, loans and advances, cash and bank balances and derivative financial instruments.

Subsequent measurement

For the purpose of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in the following categories:

- At amortised cost.
- At fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI), and
- At fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

Debt instruments at amortised cost

A 'debt instrument' is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met:

- The asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold the asset for collecting contractual cash flows, and
- Contractual terms of the asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial measurement, such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate (EIR) method. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR.

Equity investments

All equity investments in the scope of Ind AS 109 are measured at fair value.

Deemed cost is the carrying amount under the previous GAAP as at the transition date i.e. 1st April, 2016. Equity instruments included within the FVTPL category, if any, are measured at fair value with all changes recognized in profit or loss. The Company may make an irrevocable election to present in OCI subsequent changes in the fair value.

The Company makes such election on an instrument-by-instrument basis. The classification is made on initial recognition and is irrevocable. If the Company decides to classify an equity instrument at FVTOCI, then all fair value changes on the instrument, excluding dividends, are recognized in OCI.

There is no recycling of the amounts from OCI to profit or loss, even on sale of investment. However, the Company may transfer the cumulative gain or loss within equity.

Preference Share

The fair value of the investments made in a subsidiary company is determined using cost model as prescribed IND AS 27, Fair value of preference share in other company has been determined on the basis of amortized cost. The discount rate has been taken at is incremental borrowing rate for the company after considering percentage of dividend. Difference between the actual cost and amortized cost is accounted for under "Finance cost" as Gain/ loss arising on fair valuation of preference share and unwinding of interest is accounted for under "Other income"

De-recognition

The Company derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expires or it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset.

B. Financial liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial liabilities (other than financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition.

Subsequent measurement

Financial liabilities are carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method or at FVTPL.

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by considering any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of profit and loss.

For trade and other payables maturing within one year from the balance sheet date, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments.

Derecognition of financial liabilities:

A financial liability (or a part of a financial liability) is derecognized from the Company's Balance Sheet when, and only when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expires.

C. Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities including derivative instruments are offset and the net amount is reported in the balance sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

2.10 Employees Benefits

(i) Short term employee benefits

Employee benefits payable wholly within twelve months of receiving employee services are classified as short-term employee benefits. These benefits include salaries and wages, bonus and ex-gratia. The undiscounted amount of short term employee benefits to be paid in exchange for employee services are recognized as an expense as the related service is rendered by employees.

(ii) Post employment benefits

Defined contribution plans:

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which an entity pays specified contributions to a separate entity and has no obligation to pay any further amounts. The company makes specified monthly contributions towards provident fund. The Company's contribution is recognized as an expense in the statement of profit and loss during the period in which employee renders the related service.

Defined benefit plan:

The Company's gratuity benefit scheme is a defined benefit plan. The Company's net obligation in respect of a defined benefit plan is calculated by estimating the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods; that benefit is discounted to determine its present value, and the fair value of any plan assets is deducted.

The present value of the obligation under such defined benefit plan is determined based on actuarial valuation using the Projected Unit Credit Method, which recognizes each period of service as giving rise to additional unit of employee benefit entitlement and measures each unit separately to build up the final obligation.

The obligation is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plan, are based on the market yields on Government securities as at the balance sheet date.

When the calculation results in a benefit to the Company, the recognized asset is limited to the net total of any unrecognized actuarial losses and past service costs and the present value of any future refunds from the plan or reductions in future contributions to the plan.

Actuarial gains and losses are recognized in the other comprehensive income

(iii) Long term employment benefits

The Company's net obligation in respect of long-term employment benefits is the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods. The obligation is calculated using the projected unit credit method and is discounted to its present value and the fair value of any related assets is deducted. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plan, are based on the market yields on Government securities as at the balance sheet date.

(iv) Compensated absences

The employees can carry-forward a portion of the unutilized accrued compensated absences and utilize it in future service periods or receive cash compensation on termination of employment. Since the compensated absences do not fall due wholly within twelve months after the end of the period

in which the employees render the related service and are also not expected to be utilized wholly within twelve months after the end of such period, the benefit is classified as a long-term employee benefit. The Company records an obligation for such compensated absences in the period in which the employee renders the services that increase this entitlement. The obligation is measured on the basis of independent actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method.

Short term employee benefits are recognized as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit & Loss for the year in which the related service is rendered.

2.11 Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of a qualifying asset are capitalized as part of the cost of such asset till such time that is required to complete and prepare the asset to get ready for its intended use. A qualifying asset is one that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. Borrowing costs consists of interest and other costs that the Company incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

All other borrowing cost is charged to the Statement of Profit & Loss in the period in which they are incurred.

2.12 Dividend Payable

Dividend payable on shares are recorded as a liability on the date of approval by the shareholders and interim dividend are recorded as a liability on the date of declaration by the Company's Board of Directors. A corresponding amount is recognized directly in equity.

2.13 Government Grants

Government grants are recognised at fair value when there is reasonable assurance that the grant would be received and the Company would comply with all the conditions attached with them.

Government grants related to property, plant and equipment are treated as deferred income (included under non-current liabilities with current portion considered under current liabilities) and are recognized and credited in the Statement of Profit and Loss on a systematic and rational basis over the estimated useful life of the related asset and included under "Other Income".

The benefit of government loan at a below-market rate of interest or loan with interest subvention is treated as a government grant. The Difference between the market rate of interest and actual rate of interest is treated as government grant.

2.14 Financial Derivatives and Commodity Hedging Transactions

Financial Derivatives and commodity hedging contracts are accounted for on the date of their settlement and realized gain/loss in respect of settled contracts are recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss, along with the underlying transactions.

2.15 Foreign Currency Transactions and Translations

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are initially recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary items denominated in foreign currency at the year end are translated at year end rates.

Non-monetary items which are carried at historical cost denominated in a foreign currency are reported using the exchange rate at the date of initial transaction.

In respect of monetary items which are covered by forward exchange contracts, the difference between the year end and the rate on the date of contract is recognized as exchange difference and the premium on such forward contracts is recognized over the life of the forward contract.

The exchange differences arising on settlement/translation are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

2.16 Taxes on Income

(a) Current Tax

Tax on income for the current period is determined on the basis of taxable income computed in accordance with the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

(b) Deferred Tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statement and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilised. Such deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction (other than a business combination) affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit (tax loss).

Deferred tax assets are recognised for the carry forward of unused tax losses and unused tax credit to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the unused tax losses and unused tax credits can be utilised. Deferred tax liabilities and assets are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

The company has revalued its lease hold property but deferred tax liabilities is not recognized on the ground that the company does not have sale / transfer right with regard to lease hold land.

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised on all taxable temporary differences.

2.17 Impairment of Assets

Non financial Assets

Non financial assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable.

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the assets' carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, costs of disposal and value in use.

For the purpose of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or group of assets (cash generating units).

Non financial assets other than goodwill that suffered impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at the end of the each reporting period.

Financial Assets

The Company recognizes loss allowances using the Expected Credit Loss ("ECL") model for the financial assets which are not fair valued through profit or loss. ECL impairment loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECL.

ECL impairment loss allowance (or reversal) recognized during the period is recognized as income or expense in the Statement of Profit and Loss. ECL is presented as an allowance, i.e. as an integral part of the measurement of those assets in the Balance Sheet.

The allowances are reduced from the carrying amount. Until the asset meets write-off criteria, the Company does not adjust impairment allowance from the gross carrying amount.

2.18 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

- (a) Provision is recognized in respect of obligations where, based on the evidence available, their existence at the Balance Sheet date is considered probable.
- (b) Provision is recognized in the accounts in respect of present probable obligations, the amount of which can be reliably estimated.
- (c) Provisions are not recognized for future operating losses.
- (d) Contingent Liabilities are disclosed in respect of possible obligations that arise from past events but their existence is confirmed by the occurrence or non occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Company.

- (e) A contingent asset is not recognized in the financial statements, however, is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable.
- (f) Provisions and contingent liabilities are reviewed at each balance sheet date.

2.19 Investment Property

Investment property is property (land or a building—or part of a building—or both) held (by the owner or by the lessee under a finance lease) to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both, rather than for:

- (a) use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes; or
- (b) sale in the ordinary course of business. Owner-occupied property is property held (by the owner or by the lessee under a finance lease) for use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment properties are accounted for in the books at cost. However, fair value of such property is required to be disclosed only in accordance with Ind AS 40.

2.20 Segment Reporting

Operating segments are identified and reported taking into account the different risk and return, organisational structure and internal reporting system.

2.21 Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit/ (loss) after tax (including the post tax effect of extra ordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit/ (loss) after tax (including the post tax effect of extra ordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares considered for deriving basic earnings per share and also the weighted average number of equity shares which could be issued on the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares.

2.22 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents in the Balance sheet comprise cash on hand, cheques on hand, balance with banks on current accounts and short term, highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less and which carry insignificant risk of changes in value.

For the purpose of the Cash Flow Statement, Cash and cash equivalents consist of Cash and cash equivalents, as defined above and net of outstanding book overdrafts as they are considered an integral part of the Company's cash management

2.23 Cash Flow Statement

Cash flows are reported using the indirect method, whereby profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a non-cash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payment and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing flows. The cash flows operating, investing and financing activities of the company are segregated.

2.26 Leases

Effective April 01, 2019, the Company has adopted Ind AS 116 "Leases", applied to all lease contracts existing on April 01, 2019 using the modified retrospective method. Accordingly, the Company recognizes right-of-use asset at the date of initial application. The right-of-use asset is measure equal to the lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognized in the balance sheet immediately before the date of initial application.

The Company evaluates if an arrangement qualifies to be a lease as per the requirements of Ind AS 116. Identification of a lease requires significant judgment. The Company uses significant judgment in assessing the lease term (including anticipated renewals) and the applicable discount rate.

The Company determines the lease term as the non-cancellable period of a lease, together with both periods covered by an option to extend the lease if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and periods covered by an option to terminate the lease if the Company is reasonably certain not to exercise that option. In assessing whether the Company is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend a lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate a lease, it considers all relevant facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive for the Company to exercise the option to extend the lease, or not to exercise the option to terminate the lease. The Company revises the lease term if there is a change in the non-cancellable period of a lease.

The discount rate is generally based on the incremental borrowing rate specific to the lease being evaluated or for a portfolio of leases with similar characteristics

A lease that transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership to the lessee is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Company as a lessee

The Company accounts for each lease component within the contract as a lease separately from non-lease components of the contract and allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of the relative stand-alone price of the lease component and the aggregate stand-alone price of the non-lease components.

The Company recognises right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset for the lease term at the lease commencement date. The cost of the right-of-use asset

measured at inception shall comprise of the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to be incurred by the lessee in dismantling and removing the underlying asset or restoring the underlying asset or site on which it is located. The right-of-use assets is subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated depreciation, accumulated impairment losses, if any and adjusted for any remeasurement of the lease liability. The rightof-use assets is depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date over the shorter of lease term or useful life of right-of-use asset. The estimated useful lives of right-of-use assets are determined on the same basis as those of property, plant and equipment. Right-of-use assets are tested for impairment whenever there is any indication that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Impairment loss, if any, is recognised in the statement of profit and loss.

The Company measures the lease liability at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date of the lease. The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease, if that rate can be readily determined. If that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company uses incremental borrowing rate. For leases with reasonably similar characteristics, the Company, on a lease by lease basis, may adopt either the incremental borrowing rate specific to the lease or the incremental borrowing rate for the portfolio as a whole. The lease payments shall include fixed payments, variable lease payments, residual value guarantees, exercise price of a purchase option where the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the lessee exercising an option to terminate the lease. The lease liability is subsequently remeasured by increasing the carrying amount to reflect

interest on the lease liability, reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made and remeasuring the carrying amount to reflect any reassessment or lease modifications or to reflect revised in-substance fixed lease payments. The company recognises the amount of the re-measurement of lease liability due to modification as an adjustment to the right-of-use asset and statement of profit and loss depending upon the nature of modification. Where the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset is reduced to zero and there is a further reduction in the measurement of the lease liability, the Company recognises any remaining amount of the re-measurement in statement of profit and loss.

The Company has elected not to apply the requirements of Ind AS 116 to short-term leases of all assets that have a lease term of 12 months or less and leases for which the underlying asset is of low value. The lease payments associated with these leases are recognized as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Company as a lessor

At the inception of the lease the Company classifies each of its leases as either an operating lease or a finance lease. The Company recognises lease payments received under operating leases as income on a straight-line basis over the lease term. In case of a finance lease, finance income is recognised over the lease term based on a pattern reflecting a constant periodic rate of return on the lessor's net investment in the lease. When the Company is an intermediate lessor it accounts for its interests in the head lease and the sub-lease separately. It assesses the lease classification of a sub-lease with reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease, not with reference to the underlying asset. If a head lease is a short term lease to which the Company applies the exemption described above, then it classifies the sub-lease as an operating lease.

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place : Lucknow Date : 26th May, 2025 For and on behalf of Board of Directors

S. C. Agarwal Executive Director (DIN-02461954)

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Notes forming part of Consolidated Financial Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2025

Note 3: Property, Plant and Equipment

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Particulars	(Free hold)	Building	equipment	fixtures	Vehicles	Office equipments	Computers	Total
Gross Block								
Balance as at 1st April,23	930.78	1,418.03	36,162.81	553.19	1,076.37	163.39	129.84	40,434.41
Additions	1	12.72	1,813.21	23.23	1	7.92	2.91	1,859.99
Disposal/Deduction	ı	1	60.626	1	2.92	1	ı	982.01
Balance as at 31st March,24	930.78	1,430.75	36,996.93	576.42	1,073.45	171.31	132.75	41,312.39
Additions	20.27	98.98	1,576.09	24.68	225.91	12.62	2.07	1,960.62
Disposal/Deduction/Adjustment	1	1	528.06	1.24	13.30	3.28	1	545.88
Balance as at 31st March,25	951.05	1,529.73	38,044.96	599.86	1,286.06	180.65	134.82	42,727.13
Accumulated deprecation								
Balance as at 1st April,23	1	896.73	21,574.23	450.54	927.15	140.52	119.83	24,109.00
Depreciation for the year		116.89	1,808.02	30.40	43.26	10.44	5.26	2,014.27
Disposal/Deduction	ı	1	866.31	1	2.78			869.09
Balance as at 31st March,24	1	1,013.62	22,515.94	480.94	967.63	150.96	125.09	25,254.18
Depreciation for the year	1	49.52	1,823.80	26.09	42.67	10.14	2.76	1,954.98
Disposal/Deduction	ı	ı	340.80	1.21	12.00	3.19	ı	357.20
Balance as at 31st March,25	1	1,063.14	23,998.94	505.82	998.30	157.91	127.85	26,851.96

t Carrying Amount	Land (Free hold)	Building	Plant and equipment	Furniture & fixtures	Vehicles	Office equipments	Computers	Total
As at 31st March, 2024	930.78	417.13	14,480.99	95.48	105.82	20.35	7.66	16,058.21
As at 31st March, 2025	951.05	466.59	14,046.02	94.04	287.76	22.74	6.97	15,875.17

The title deeds of all immovable properties are held in the name of the Company.

Note 3A Capital work in progress

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Amount
Balance as at 01st April, 2023	453.18
Additions	2,379.54
Capitalisation	1,657.21
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	1,175.51
Additions	1,156.25
Capitalisation	1,583.15
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	748.61

Refer note no. 38.26 for ageing

Note 3B Intangible Assets

	(113. III IURI 13)
Description	Amount
Gross carrying amount as at 01st April, 2023	36.07
Additions	1.39
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	37.46
Additions	3.50
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	40.96
Acumulated depreciation as at 01st April, 2023	32.36
Depreciation for the year	1.27
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	33.63
Depreciation for the year	2.39
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	36.02
Net carrying amount	
As at 31st March, 2024	3.83
As at 31st March, 2025	4.94

Note 3C Right-of-use-assets

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Amount
Gross carrying amount as at 01st April, 2023	6,071.16
Additions	-
Deductions	7.69
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	6,063.47
Additions	-
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	6,063.47
Acumulated depreciation as at 01st April, 2023	957.52
Depreciation for the year	243.54
Deductions	4.16
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	1,196.90
Depreciation for the year	239.38
Deductions	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	1,436.28
Net carrying amount	
As at 31st March, 2024	4,866.57
As at 31st March, 2025	4,627.19

^{*} Refer note no.37.26

Note 4 Non-current Investments

(Re in lakhe)

	As at 31st	
Particulars	March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(i) Equity Instruments		
Designated at Fair Value through other comprehensive income		
Unquoted		
(a) 1,000 shares having face value Rs.10 each in Chamoli Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd.	0.23	0.10
(b) 25,000 shares having face value Rs.10 each in K.M Shakar Karkhana Pvt Ltd.	-	-
(c) 2,000 shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in HH Foundation	-	-
(d) 10,90,000 shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in Sonar Casting Ltd.	-	-
(ii) Preference share (Measured at fair value)		
n 12.50% Non-cumulative redeemable preference shares fully paid up		
4,96,00,000 (4,58,50,000) Preference Shares having face value of Rs.10 each in Sonar Casting Ltd.	4,709.33	4,585.00
n 9% Non-cumulative redeemable preference shares fully paid up		
(a) 38,50,000 preference shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	-	345.46
(b) 33,89,215 preference shares having face value of Rs. 10 each in K M Energy Pvt. Ltd.	-	305.57
(iii) In 8% Optionaly fully convertible debenture fully paid up		
Measured at cost		
2,350 (2,350) Optionaly fully convertible Debenture with face Value of Rs.1,00,000 each in K M itratagic Investments & Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	2,350.00	2,350.00
Total	7,059.56	7,586.13
Aggregate carrying value of unquoted investments	7,059.56	7,586.13
Aggregate fair value of unquoted investments	7,059.56	7,586.13

Note 5 Non-current Loans (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Carried at cost		
Unsecured, considered good		
Loan to a related party	1,124.25	1,037.61
Total	1,124.25	1,037.61

Note 6 Other non-current financial assets

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good:		
Security deposits	40.34	342.85
Fixed deposit with banks		
Original maturity more than 12 months	742.95	18.95
Fixed deposit (Earmarked)		
Original maturity more than 12 months *	175.45	252.11
For molasses storage fund maturing after 12 months	6.50	5.50
Interest accrued on fixed deposits with banks	8.40	3.43
Total	973.64	622.84

^{*}Held with banks and Government departments

Note 7 Non current Tax Asset/(Liability) (Net)

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Advance Tax	1,583.43	1,133.44
TDS and TCS Receivable	80.08	79.23
	1,663.51	1,212.67
Less:- Provision for Income Tax for current year	1,328.56	1,045.04
Total	334.95	167.63

Note 8 Other Non Current Assets

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st	March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good:				
Capital advances		2,072.39		1,909.16
Advance to suppliers and others				
Considered Good				
Considered doubtful	47.23		42.85	
Less: Allowance for doubtful advance	47.23	-	42.85	-
Others		3.01		3.01
Duties and Taxes Paid under protest		-		1.34
Prepaid Expenses		69.83		84.45
Total		2,145.23		1,997.96

Note 9 Inventories (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(As taken, valued and certified by the Management)		
(a) Raw materials	-	4.34
(b) Finished Goods *	36,022.42	37,098.06
(c) Work in progress	-	592.90
(d) Stores and spares	698.13	703.63
Total	36,720.55	38,398.93

(Refer Note No. 2.7 for Method of Valuation)

Note 10 Current Investments

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Designated at fair value through OCI		
Investment in SBI Mutual Fund		
200.00 (Previous year 200.00) units of SBI Balanced Advantage Fund	0.03	0.03
6,46,416.306 (Previous year Nil) units of SBI Equity Saving Fund	146.86	-
2,35,441.161 (Previous year Nil) units of HDFC Equity Saving Fund	149.11	-
Total	296.00	0.03

Note 11 Trade and other receivables

(Rs. in lakhs)

Note 11 Hade and other receivables				
Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
Unsecured, considered good:				
Trade receivables				
Includes unbilled revenue of Rs.135.70 lakhs (previous year Rs.144.13 Lakhs)		839.01		2,933.27
Credit impaired		16.01		15.94
		855.02		2,949.21
Less:- Allowance for doubtful debts		16.01		15.94
Total		839.01		2,933.27

Refer note no. 37.29 for ageing schedule. Includes receivable Rs.0.51 lakhs from related party(s) (Previous year Rs.2225.41)

Note 12 Cash and cash equivalents

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 202	
Balances with Banks		71.78		101.02
Fixed deposit with Bank original maturity upto 3 months		-		620.85
Cheques on Hand		308.00		-
Cash on hand*		5.19		5.34
Total		384.97		727.21

^{*}As certified by the management

Note 12A Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Fixed deposits with banks (Earmarked)		
Pledged with bank maturing within 12 months	412.47	208.34
Pledged with bank for bank guarantee maturing within 12 months*	11.69	107.98
For security with Government authorities maturing within 12 months*	11.51	41.24
For molasses storage fund original maturity period upto 12 months**	23.20	26.46
Unpaid dividend accounts	1.31	1.31
Total	460.18	385.33

^{*}Held with banks and Government departments

Note 13 Loans (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good		
Loans and advances		
Loan to a related party	550.00	870.00
Total	550.00	870.00

Note 14 Other financial assets

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Unsecured, considered good		
Interest accrued on fixed deposits with banks	2.33	10.05
Total	2.33	10.05

Note 15 Other current assets

Particulars	As at 31st l	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
Unsecured, considered good unless stated otherwise					
Security Deposit					
Unsecured, considered good	26.87		26.87		
Credit impaired	16.00		16.00		
	42.87		42.87		
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	16.00	26.87	16.00	26.87	
Interest receivable from related parties		-		118.91	
GST and other taxes receivable		54.13		155.38	
Advance to employees		23.20		15.79	
Advances for supply of goods & services		204.31		89.05	
Prepaid Expenses		266.23		353.04	
CSR Pre-Spent*		164.00		219.00	
Others		103.50		103.69	
Total		842.24		1,081.73	

^{*}Refer note no. 37.12

^{**} As per Uttar Pradesh State Molasses Control Rules, 1974

Note 16 Equity Share Capital

	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2025 As at 31st March, 2024	
Particulars	No. of shares	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)	No. of shares	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)
Authorised				
Equity Shares of Rs. 2/- each	10,00,00,000	2,000.00	10,00,00,000	2,000.00
Issued, subscribed and fully paid up				
Equity Shares of Rs. 2/- each	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00

Reconciliation of number and amount of shares outstanding

	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
Particulars	No. of shares	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)	No. of shares	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)
At the beginning of the year	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00
Change during the year	-	-	-	-
Outstanding at the end of the year	9,20,00,170	1,840.00	9,20,00,170	1,840.00

i) Rights, preferences and restrictions attached to the equity shares

The Company has only one class of Issued, subscribed and paid up equity shares having a par value of Rs. 2/- each per share. Each holder of equity shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Company declares and pays dividend in Indian rupees.

In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential dues. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

ii) Details of the Shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Company

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
	No. of Shares held	Percentage of shareholding	No. of Shares held	Percentage of shareholding
Equity shares of INR 2/- each fully paid up				
Mr. L. K. Jhunjhunwala	1,43,02,600	15.55	1,43,02,600	15.55
L. K. Jhunjhunwala (HUF)	1,00,65,900	10.94	1,00,65,900	10.94
Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala	52,89,242	5.75	52,89,242	5.75
Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.	1,20,65,975	13.12	1,20,65,975	13.12

Refer note no.37.31 for details of shares held by promoter and promoter group of the Company

Note 17 Other equity (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
General Reserve		
Opening balance	1,179.90	1,179.90
Add: Changes during the year	8,820.10	-
Closing balance	10,000.00	1,179.90
Molasses Storage Fund		
Opening balance	30.58	27.55
Less: Written back during the year	5.98	-
Add: Changes during the year	2.84	3.03
Closing balance	27.44	30.58
Sugar Price Equalisation Reserve		
Opening balance	12.40	12.40
Add: Changes during the year	-	-
Closing balance	12.40	12.40
Securities Premium Account		
Opening balance	2,688.01	2,688.01
Add: Changes during the year	-	-
Closing balance	2,688.01	2,688.01
Retained Earnings		
Opening balance	18,712.40	15,902.26
Add: Profit/ Loss during the year	3,555.22	2,809.29
Add: Transfer from Other Comprehensive Income	1,433.10	0.85
Less: Transfer to general reserve	8,820.10	-
Closing balance	14,880.62	18,712.40
Comprehensive Income		
Opening balance	5,858.05	5,876.31
Add: Changes during the year	(14.04)	(17.41)
Less: Transfer to Retained Earnings	1,433.10	0.85
Closing balance	4,410.91	5,858.05
Total	32,019.38	28,481.34

- i. General reserve represents the statutory reserve, this is in accordance with Indian corporate law wherein a portion of profit is appropriated to general reserve. Under the erstwhile Companies Act 1956, it was mandatory to transfer amount before a company can declare dividend, however Companies Act 2013, transfer of any amount to general reserve is at the discretion of the Company.
- ii. The storage fund for molasses has been created to meet the cost of construction of molasses storage tank as required under Uttar Pradesh Sheera Niyantran (Sansodhan) Adesh, 1974. The said storage fund is represented by investment in the form of fixed deposits with banks amounting to Rs.29.70 lakhs (Previous year: Rs.31.96 lakhs). [Refer Note No.6 and 12A].
- iii. Sugar Price Equalisation Reserve: Refer note no.37.13
- iv. Securities premium: securities premium is credited when shares are issued at premium. It is utilised in accordance with the provisions of the Act, to issue bonus shares, to provide for premium on redemption of shares, write off equity related expenses like underwriting cost etc.
- v. Retained earnings represents the undistributed profit / amount of accumulated earnings of the Company.
- vi. Other comprehensive income (OCI) represents the balance relating to re-measurement gain/(loss) of defined benefit obligation, gain or loss on equity investments and revaluation of fixed assets in earlier years prior to compliance of Ind AS and revaluation of land.

Note 18 Long term borrowings

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
raiticulais	Current	Non current	Current	Non current	
Secured term loans from banks					
State Bank of India-U.P Govt. SEFASU Loan (At amortised cost)	-	-	237.69	-	
State Bank of India GECL	363.16	-	499.73	409.69	
State Bank of India Turbine Term Loan*	72.00	879.41	-	-	
State Bank of India Term Loan*	833.33	-	833.33	833.30	
HDFC Bank Term Loan	625.00	937.50	625.00	1,562.50	
BMW Financial Services Pvt. Ltd Car Loan	47.08	91.70			
Total	1,940.57	1,908.61	2,195.75	2,805.49	

Details of securities offered

- (1) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India (U.P. Govt. SEFASU Loan) is secured by first charge on entire fixed assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders.
- (2) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India (GECL) is secured by second charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders.
- (3) Rupee Term Loan of State Bank of India and HDFC Bank are secured by exclusive first charge on refinery assets and pari passu first charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders and personal guarantee of a director.
- (4) Rupee Turbine Term Loan of State Bank of India is secured by exclusive first charge on 15 MW turbine and pari passu first charge on entire fixed assets and second charge on current assets of the company, present and future, on pari passu basis with other term lenders and personal guarantee of a director.
- (5) Rupee Loan of BMW Financial Services Pvt. Ltd. (Car Loan) is secured by first charge on car financed.

Terms of Repayment

Name of the banks / entities	Interest	Amount Outstanding as on 31st March, 2025		Period of maturity as at 31st March,	No. and amount of instalment
Name of the builts / chitics	Rate (%)	Current	Non Current	2025	outstanding
SBI GECL	9.10	363.16	-	8 months	8 monthly instalment of Rs.45.52 lakhs
SBI Turbine Tem Loan*	8.60	72.00	879.41	3 years and 7 months	12 monthly instalments of Rs.6.00 lakhs, 12 monthly instalments of Rs.20.00 lakhs, 12 monthly instalments of Rs.30.00 lakhs, 6 monthly instalments of Rs.40.00 lakhs and 1 instalment of Rs.39 lakhs
SBI Tem Loan*	8.60	833.33	-	12 months	12 monthly instalment of Rs.69.45 lakhs
HDFC Tem Loan	8.28	625.00	937.50	2 years and 6 months	10 Quarterly instalment of Rs.156.25 lakhs
BMW Financial Service Pvt. LtdCar loan	7.77	47.08	91.70	2 years and 9 months	33 monthly instalment of Rs.4.68 lakhs including EMI interest
Total		1,940.57	1,908.61		

Rate of interest has been disclosed for loans which are outstanding on balance sheet date and in case of default, penal interest are charged as per sanction.

*INR term loans from SBI has been converted in foreign currency term loan (FCTL) for a period of 180 days linked at a floating rate of interest @ 6.1891% excluding hedging cost, while the total all in costs is 8.60% p.a.

Subsidised loan taken from bank and Government has been amortised using effective interest rate and maturity profile of loan is as per repayment schedule.

Note 19 Other non current financial liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Corporate Guarantees issued	33.08	51.44
Total	33.08	51.44

Note 20 Other non current liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Deferred Government Grant	-	-
Other payble	14.50	14.50
Total	14.50	14.50

Note 21 Deferred tax liabilities (net)

(Rs in lakhs)

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Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Deferred Tax Liabilities		
Depreciation	1,105.95	1,082.06
Total A	1,105.95	1,082.06
Deferred Tax Assets		
Expenses allowable on payment basis	107.19	98.66
Others	239.09	201.39
Total B	346.28	300.05
Total A-B	759.67	782.01

^{*}Refer Note 36

Note 22 Provisions

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
	Current	Non current	Current	Non current
Provisions for employees benefits*				
Unavailed leave	29.47	43.39	22.72	37.17
Gratuity	63.15	-	53.33	-
Other Provision **	-	451.85	-	451.85
Total	92.62	495.24	76.05	489.02

^{*} Refer note no.37.4

^{**}Includes duties, taxes and penalty levied by Commissioner of Excise, Bihar

Note 23 Short Term borrowings

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Secured		
Loan payable on demand		
Working capital loans from banks		
State Bank of India	15,364.24	11,719.31
Punjab National Bank	4,493.40	4,483.73
HDFC Bank Ltd.	982.44	5,923.97
Yes Bank Ltd.	3,495.98	1,984.29
Current maturities of long term borrowings*	1,940.57	2,195.75
Total	26,276.63	26,307.05

^{*} Refer note no.18 for nature of securities and terms of repayment respectively.

Summary of short term borrowings

Secured borrowings

Nature of Securities

Working capital loans from State Bank of India, Punjab National Bank, HDFC Bank Ltd. and Yes bank Ltd. are secured by way of hypothecation and first pari passu charge on stocks of sugar, molasses, consumable stores / spares, industrial alcohal, book debts and other current assets of the company and second pari passu charge with other working capital lenders on entire fixed assets and all other movable and immovable assets of the company (existing & future) and personal guarantee of a director.

Note 24 Trade and other payables

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Trade payable		
Payable to Micro and small enterprises*	148.19	233.86
Payable to other than Micro and small enterprises	7,968.22	14,952.36
Other payables-Suppliers of capital goods		
Payable to Micro and small enterprises*	27.18	45.61
Payable to other than Micro and small enterprises	48.37	229.05
Total	8,191.96	15,460.88

^{*} Refer note no.37.7

Refer note no.37.30 for ageing schedule

Note 25 Other current financial liabilities

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Interest accrued but not due on borrowings	0.42	1.01
Interest accrued and due on borrowings	14.59	23.65
Security Deposit	280.16	277.30
Salary and other payables to employees	220.96	209.20
Unpaid dividend	1.31	1.31
Outstanding liability of related party	290.04	280.39
Corporate guarantee	18.36	21.28
Other payable *	312.96	301.09
Total	1,138.80	1,115.23

^{*} Include liability of Rs.237.95 lakhs for lower supply of country liquor etc.

Note 26 Other current liabilities

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Statutory liabilities	142.37	305.52
Deferred government grant	-	29.48
Advances from customers	75.96	164.83
Total	218.33	499.83

Note 27 Revenue from operations

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Sale of goods		
Sugar*	52,739.98	54,757.58
Molasses	22.80	22.80
Bagasse	2,859.19	2,939.08
Industrial alcohol	4,276.00	6,148.15
Power	759.71	288.09
Others	4,989.16	1,560.23
Total A	65,646.84	65,715.93
Other operating revenue**		
Export quota sale	253.68	-
Total B	253.68	-
Total revenue from operations Total A+B	65,900.52	65,715.93

^{*}Include country liquor sale Rs.4844.75 lakhs (Previous year Rs.1444.55 lakhs)

^{**} Refer Note No. 37.19

Note 28 Other income (Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Interest income		
From Banks	60.16	64.49
On income tax refund	-	11.72
From Others	329.56	348.35
Deferred Government Grant*	29.48	118.58
Other non operating income		
Foreign currency Gain/(Loss)	0.11	-
Insurance claims	23.13	137.25
Profit on sale of fixed assets	11.22	12.40
Unspent liabilities/balances written back	13.66	51.92
Miscellaneous income	160.18	61.13
Gain on mutual funds	-	0.01
Drawback receipt	-	5.31
Reversal of provision for doubtful debts/Advances	-	0.70
Storage fund for molasses written back**	5.98	-
Profit on sale of Investment	72.89	-
Others***	30.95	32.88
Fair valuation of financial instrument	-	4.60
Total	737.32	849.34

^{*}Refer Note No. 37.11

Note 29 Cost of materials consumed

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Sugar cane	42,558.77	51,513.78
Bagasse	377.75	-
Total	42,936.52	51,513.78

Note 30 Purchase of stock in trade

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Other	48.37	46.00
Total	48.37	46.00

^{**} Refer note no.17

^{***} Measurement of Guarantee commission

Note 31 Changes in inventories of finished goods, by-products and work-in-progress

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Finished goods		
Opening stock		
Sugar	33,947.34	30,616.83
Molasses	1,418.71	1,045.65
Bagasse	1,063.35	1,640.50
Industrial alcohol	527.19	533.20
Banked Power	132.26	58.23
Others	9.21	33.38
Total (a)	37,098.06	33,927.79
Less : Closing stock		
Sugar	31,628.78	33,947.34
Molasses	1,919.35	1,418.71
Bagasse	1,480.28	1,063.35
Industrial alcohol	831.64	527.19
Banked Power	142.47	132.26
Others	19.90	9.21
Total (b)	36,022.42	37,098.06
Total (a-b)	1,075.64	(3,170.27)
Work-in-progress		
Opening stock	592.90	755.88
Less : Closing stock	-	592.90
	592.90	162.98
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories	1,668.54	(3,007.29)

Note 32 Employee benefit expenses

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Salary, wages, bonus and other payments	2,025.06	1,841.95
Contribution to provident fund and other funds	121.44	111.55
Workmen and staff welfare expenses	37.21	37.98
Gratuity expense	9.19	39.01
Total	2,192.90	2,030.49

Note 33 Finance costs

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Interest expenses		
Cash credit	1,315.71	1,010.93
Term loan	398.67	565.78
Others	38.20	4.82
Other borrowing costs	63.97	72.76
Total	1,816.55	1,654.29

Note 34 Deprecation and amortisation expenses

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Depreciation		
Depreciation of property, plant & equipments	1,954.98	2,014.27
Amortisation		
Amortisation of intangible assets	2.39	1.27
Amortisation of right to use assets	239.38	243.54
Total	2,196.75	2,259.08

Note 35 Other Expenses

Note 35 Other Expenses		(Rs. in lakh
Particulars	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024
Consumption of stores and spare parts	571.31	711.36
Packing materials	2,216.63	1,165.71
Power and fuel	675.02	296.55
Rent	257.05	221.95
Repairs to:		
Buildings	103.00	98.79
Plant & Machinery	1,755.02	1,767.91
Others	304.27	291.40
Insurance	190.15	138.68
Rates and taxes	575.26	335.09
Selling expenses :		
Commission to selling agents	241.46	223.36
Other selling expenses	1,068.72	891.48
Payments to auditors :		
Audit fee (including limited review fee)	10.58	10.58
Tax audit fee	1.50	1.50
Reimbursement of expenses	1.50	1.67
Charity and donation	30.45	2.71
Printing and stationary	17.56	14.85
Communication expenses	19.00	17.34
Travelling expenses	482.07	365.31
Consultancy and legal expenses	268.24	176.50
Directors sitting fees	6.70	4.95
Directors remuneration	936.72	739.76
Miscellaneous expenses	612.06	443.64
CSR expenditure	86.85	89.05
Loss on sale/discard of property, plant and equipment	158.39	109.48
Transfer to storage fund for molasses	2.84	3.03
Provision for doubtful debts and advances	4.45	-
Balances written off	7.28	7.97
Fair valuation of financial instrument	254.70	-
Other expenses	27.43	27.04
Total	10,886.21	8,157.66

Note 36: Tax Reconciliation

Income tax expenses:

The major components of income tax expenses for the year ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024 are as follows:

(i) Profit or loss section

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Current tax expense	1,328.56	1,045.04
Tax expense of earlier years	25.82	2.64
Deferred tax expense	(17.60)	54.29
Total	1,336.78	1,101.97

(ii) OCI Section

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Net gain / (loss) on remeasurement of defined benefit plans	(18.91)	(18.84)
Unrealised gain/(loss) on FVTOCI equity securities	0.14	(4.14)
Income tax charged to OCI	4.73	5.57
Total	(14.04)	(17.41)

Reconciliation of tax expense

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Current tax	1,328.56	1,045.04
Tax expense of earlier years	25.82	2.64
Deferred tax	(17.60)	54.29
Total	1,336.78	1,101.97
Accounting profit before tax from continuing operations	4,892.00	3,911.26
Applicabe tax rate (using Company's tax rate)	25.168%	25.168%
Computed tax expense (A)	1,231.22	984.39
Expenses not allowable for tax purpose	55.36	51.61
Effect of tax deduction	(51.23)	(22.53)
Changes in recognized deductible temporary differences	75.61	85.87
Tax expense of earlier years	25.82	2.64
Net adjustment (B)	105.56	117.59
Tax expense (A+B)	1,336.78	1,101.98

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2023	Provided during the year	As at 31st March, 2024	Provided during the year	As at 31st March, 2025
Deferred tax liability:					
Related to Fixed Assets (Depreciation)	1,054.49	27.57	1,082.06	23.89	1,105.95
Total deferred tax liability (A)	1,054.49	27.57	1,082.06	23.89	1,105.95
Deferred tax assets:					
Expenses allowable on payment basis	97.03	1.63	98.66	8.53	107.19
Other Ind AS adjustments related to Financial Asset/Liabilities (Net)	224.17	(22.78)	201.39	37.70	239.09
Total deferred tax assets (B)	321.20	(21.15)	300.05	46.23	346.28
Deferred Tax Liability / (Asset) (Net) (A - B)	733.29	48.72	782.01	(22.34)	759.67

37.1 Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group's principal financial liabilities include Borrowings, Trade payables and other financial liabilities. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Group's operations. The Group's principal financial assets include Trade receivables, Cash and cash equivalents, Bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents and Other financial assets that arise directly from its operations.

The Group is exposed to credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk. The Group's senior management oversees the management of these risks and the appropriate financial risk governance framework for the Group. The senior management provides assurance that the Group's financial risk activities are governed by appropriate policies and procedures and that financial risks are identified, measured and managed in accordance with the Group's policies and risk objectives.

The Board of Directors reviewed policies for managing each of below mentioned risks, which are summarized below:

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: interest rate risk, foreign currency risk and other risks, such as regulatory risk and commodity price risk.

(i) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's borrowings obligations with floating interest rates. To mitigate the interest rate risks, the Group has established a periodical review procedure and ensures long term relations with the lenders to raise adequate funds at competitive rates.

(ii) Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. This foreign currency risk is covered by using foreign exchange forward contracts and currency swap contracts. The Group does not have substantial transactions during the year in foreign currency so the Group does not have such kind of risk.

The Group got converted INR term loan in foreign currency during the current financial year for a period of 180 days with hedging of the repayments.

	31st March, 2025		31st Ma	rch, 2024
Foreign currency risk	In USD	Rs. in lakhs	In USD	Rs. in lakhs
Outstanding Balance from customers	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
Outstanding Balance of term loan	21,04,941	1784.74	NIL	NIL

(iii) Regulatory risk

Sugar industry is regulated both by central government as well as state government. Central and state government's policies and regulations affect the Sugar industry and the Group's operations and profitability. Distillery business is also dependent on the Government policy.

(iv) Commodity price risk

Sugar industry being cyclical in nature, realizations get adversely affected during downturn. Higher cane price or higher production than the demand ultimately affects profitability. The Group has mitigated this risk by well integrated business model by diversifying into co-generation and distillation, thereby utilizing the by-products..

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that counter party will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Group's sugar sales are mostly on cash. Power and ethanol are sold to state government entities; thereby the credit default risk is significantly mitigated. The Central Govt. has fixed the minimum sale price of sugar w.e.f. 14.02.2019 at Rs.3,100 per Qtl. which has mitigated the price risk to the some extent. Similarly, ethanol and power are sold to the Govt. undertakings at fixed prices as per Govt. orders / regulatory quidelines.

The impairment for financial assets is based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The Group uses judgement in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Group's past history, existing market conditions as well as forward looking estimates at the end of each balance sheet date. Financial assets are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, however, the Group continues to attempt to recover the receivables. Where recoveries are made, these are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

(i) Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on credit terms of 3 to 60 days. An impairment analysis is performed at each balance sheet date on an individual basis for major clients. In addition, a large number of minor receivables are grouped into homogenous groups and assessed for impairment collectively. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date is the ageing analysis of the receivables has been considered from the date the invoice falls due:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31 st March, 2024
Upto 6 months	831.29	2,485.73
6 to 12 Months	0.01	435.60
More than 12 months	23.72	27.88

The management has made provision for expected credit loss amounting to Rs.16.01 lakhs (Rs.15.94 lakhs) and management is of view that although certain amounts are beyond credit period but they are in fact recoverable and will be received in due course so balance amount is not liable to expected credit loss.

The maximum exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date is the carrying value of each class of financial assets disclosed under Note No. 11. The following table summarizes the change in the loss allowances measured using life time expected credit loss method for trade receivables:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	Amount
Balance as at 01st April, 2024	15.94
Provided during the year	0.07
Reversed during the year	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2025	16.01
Balance as at 01st April, 2023	15.94
Provided during the year	-
Reversed during the year	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2024	15.94

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk refers to the probability of loss arising from a situation where there will not be enough cash and/or cash equivalents to meet the needs of depositors and borrowers, sale of illiquid assets will yield less than their fair value and illiquid assets will not be sold at the desired time due to lack of buyers. The primary objective of liquidity management is to provide for sufficient cash and cash equivalents at all times and any place in the world to enable us to meet our payment obligations. The Group is maintaining cash credit limit to a reasonable level to meet out the current obligation.

The Group's objectives are to meet the funding requirements and maintain flexibility in this respect through the use of cash credit facilities and term loans.

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Group's financial liabilities:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Liabilities	Less than 1 Year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
As at 31st March, 2024				
Term loans	1,908.61	1,940.57	-	3,849.18
Loans repayable on demand	24,336.06	-	-	24,336.06
Trade and other payables	8,191.96	-	-	8,191.96
Other financial liabilities	1,138.80	33.08	_	1,171.88
Total	35,575.43	1,973.65	-	37,549.08

(Rs. in lakhs)

Liabilities	Less than 1 Year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
As at 31st March, 2024				
Term loans	2,195.75	2,805.49	-	5,001.24
Loans repayable on demand	24,111.30	_	-	24,111.30
Trade and other payables	15,460.88	_	-	15,460.88
Other financial liabilities	1,115.23	50.21	1.23	1,166.67
Total	42,883.16	2,855.70	1.23	45,740.09

37.2Capital Management

(i) Risk Management

For the purpose of the Group's capital management, capital includes issued equity capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the parent. The primary objective of the Group's capital management is to maximize the shareholders

The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions and the requirements of the financial covenants. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The Group monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is net debt divided by total capital plus net debt. The Group's policy is to keep the gearing ratio under control. The Group includes within net debt, interest bearing loans and borrowings, trade and other payables, less cash and short-term deposits.

In order to achieve this overall objective, the Group's capital management, amongst other things, aims to ensure that it meets financial covenants attached to the interest-bearing loans and borrowings that define capital structure requirements. Breaches in meeting the financial covenants would permit the bank to immediately call loans and borrowings. There have been no breaches in the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowing during the current period.

No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes for managing capital during the year ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024.

Description	As at 31 March, 2025	As at 31 March, 2024
Borrowings	28,185.24	29,112.54
Lease and other financial liabilities	1,171.88	1,166.67
Trade and other payables	8,191.96	15,460.88
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	384.97	727.21
Net debts	37,164.11	45,012.88
Equity share capital	1,840.00	1,840.00
Other equity	32,019.38	28,481.34
Total equity	33,859.38	30,321.34
Total equity and net debt	71,023.49	75,334.22
Gearing ratio (%)	52.33	59.75

⁽ii) No dividend has been recommended for the financial year ended 31st March, 2025.

37.3 Earnings per Share

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the year attributable to equity shareholders of the Group by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding.

Diluted EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Group by the weighted average number of Equity shares outstanding during the year plus the weighted average number of Equity shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential Equity shares into Equity shares

(Rs. in lakhs except no. of shares and EPS)

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Particulars	31st March, 25	31st March, 24
Profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Group:	3,555.22	2,809.29
Profit attributable to equity shareholders for basic earnings	3,555.22	2,809.29
Profit attributable to equity shareholders adjusted for dilution effect	3,555.22	2,809.29
Weighted average number of equity shares used for computing Earnings Per Share (Basic & Diluted)	9,20,00,170	9,20,00,170
Earnings Per Share (Basic & Diluted)	3.86	3.05

37.4Employee benefits

As per Ind AS 19 "Employee benefits", the disclosures of employee benefits are as follows:

(i) Employee benefits in the form of Provident Fund are considered as defined contribution plan. The contributions are made as per the relevant statute. The contributions to defined benefit plan, recognized as expense in the Statement of Profit & Loss is as under:

31st March, 2025 31st March, 2024

Rs.111.55 lakhs

Employers' contribution to provident fund

Rs. 121.44 lakhs (ii) Defined benefits plans

Long term employee benefits in the form of gratuity and leave encashment are considered as defined benefit plans. The present value of obligation is determined based on actuarial valuation using projected Unit credit method as at the balance sheet date. The amount of defined benefits recognized in the balance sheet represent the present value of obligation as adjusted for unrecognized past service cost as reduced by the fair value of plan assets. Short term employee benefits are recognized as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit & Loss for the year in which the related service is rendered.

In accordance with the Ind AS-19, actuarial valuation was done in respect of gratuity and leave encashment given below:

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Description	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Funded)	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Non funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Non funded)
I. Expenses recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss				
Current service cost	36,98	33.03	18.12	15.93
Interest cost	24.93	23.79	4.34	3.56
Past service cost	24.75	23.77		5.50
Expected return on plan assets	(19.61)	(17.81)	-	-
Net expenses recognized in Statement of Profit and Loss	42.30	39.01	22.46	19.49
II. Other comprehensive (income)/expenses				
(Re-measurement)				
Accumulated (gain)/loss opening balance	27.29	34.78	155.79	129.46
Actuarial (gain)/loss – obligation	(0.31)	(0.42)	26.01	26.33
Actuarial (gain)/loss – plan assets	(6.79)	(7.07)	-	-
Total Actuarial (gain)/loss	(7.10)	(7.49)	26.01	26.33
Actuarial (gain)/loss at the end of the period	20.19	27.29	181.80	155.79
III. Net liability/(assets) recognized in the balance sheet				
Present value of obligations at the end of period	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
Fair value of the plan assets at the end of period	312.20	290.50	-	-
Funded status surplus/(deficit)	(63.15)	(53.33)	(72.87)	(59.89)
Net liability/(asset) as at year end	63.15	53.33	72.87	59.89
IV. Changes in present value of obligations during the year				
Present value of obligation at the beginning of the year	343.83	317.20	59.89	47.45
Current service cost	36.98	33.03	18.12	15.92
Interest cost	24.93	23.79	4.34	3.56
Past service cost	-	-	-	-
Benefits paid if any	(30.08)	(29.77)	(35.49)	(33.37)
Actuarial loss/ (gain)	(0.31)	(0.42)	26.01	26.33
Present value of obligation at the year end	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
V. Changes in fair value of plan assets				
Fair value of plan assets at the beginning of period	290.50	245.65	-	-
Expected return on plan assets	19.61	17.81	-	-
Contributions	25.39	49.74	-	-
Benefits paid	(30.08)	(29.77)	-	-
Actuarial Gain/(Loss) on plan assets	6.79	7.07		
Fair value of plan assets at the year end	312.21	290.50	-	-

Description	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Funded)	Gratuity Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2025 (Non funded)	Leave Encashment Year ended 31st March, 2024 (Non funded)
VI. Maturity profile of defined benefit obligation				
Within in next 12 months	27.01	46.08	29.48	22.72
Between 2 and 5 years	159.96	98.31	43.39	37.17
5 years and above	188.38	199.44		
Total expected payments	375.35	343.83	72.87	59.89
Weighted average duration (based on discounted cash flow) in				
years	8	8		
Dataile of ulan accet	Gratuity	Gratuity	NI/A	NI/A
Details of plan asset	Trust	Trust	N/A	N/A
SBI Life Kalyan ULIP Plus (V03)	257.75	229.83		
Bank Balance and Others	54.46	60.67	-	

The history of funded post retirement plans are as follows for gratuity:

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2023	As at 31st March, 2022	As at 31st March, 2021
Present value of Defined Benefit Obligation	375.35	343.83	317.20	279.48	274.61
Fair value of Plan Assets	312.21	290.50	245.65	256.73	250.27

The Group is exposed to various risks in providing the above gratuity benefit which are as follows:

Interest rate risk: The plan exposes the Group to the risk of fall in interest rates. A fall in interest rates will result in an increase in the ultimate cost of providing the above benefit and will thus result in an increase in the value of the liability (as shown in financial statements).

Salary escalation risk: The present value of the defined benefit plan is calculated with the assumption of salary increase 5% per annum of plan participants in future. Deviation in the rate of increase of salary in future for plan participants from the rate of increase in salary used to determine the present value of obligation will have a bearing on the plan's liability.

Actual mortality & disability: Deaths & disability cases proving lower or higher than assumed in the valuation can impact the liabilities.

Actuarial Assumption

Particulars	Gratuity	Gratuity Gratuity		Leave Encashment
	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year
Discount rate (per annum)	6.75%	7.25%	6.75%	7.25%
Future salary increase (per annum)	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%
Retirement/Superannuation Age (Year)	60	60	60	60
Expected rate of return on plan assets	0%	0%	0%	0%
Mortality	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14	IALM 2012-14

Sensitivity Analysis: Significant actuarial assumptions for the determination of the defined benefit obligation are discount rate and expected salary increase rate. Effect of change in mortality rate is negligible. Please note that the sensitivity analysis presented below may not be representative of the actual change in the defined benefit obligation as it is unlikely that the change in assumption would occur in isolation of one another as some of the assumptions may be correlated. The results of sensitivity analysis are given below:

Gratuity

Period	As at 31st March, 2025
Defined Benefit Obligation (Base)	375.35 lakhs @ Salary Increase Rate : 5%, and discount rate :6.75%
Liability with x% increase in Discount Rate	3,49,41,641; x=1.00% [Change (7)%]
Liability with x% decrease in Discount Rate	4,05,22,358; x=1.00% [Change 8%]
Liability with x% increase in Salary Growth Rate	4,05,44,781; x=1.00% [Change 8%]
Liability with x% decrease in Salary Growth Rate	3,48,77,856; x=1.00% [Change (7)%]
Liability with x% increase in Withdrawal Rate	3,77,91,327; x=1.00% [Change 1%]
Liability with x% decrease in Withdrawal Rate	3,72,92,950; x=1.00% [Change (1)%]

Sensitivity Analysis: Significant actuarial assumptions for the determination of the defined benefit obligation are discount rate and expected salary increase rate. Effect of change in mortality rate is negligible. Please note that the sensitivity analysis presented below may not be representative of the actual change in the defined benefit obligation as it is unlikely that the change in assumption would occur in isolation of one another as some of the assumptions may be correlated. The results of sensitivity analysis are given below:

Leave Encashment

Period	As at 31st March, 2025
Defined Benefit Obligation (Base)	72.87 lakhs
Liability with x% increase in Discount Rate	68.59 lakhs; x=1% [Change (6%)]
Liability with x% decrease in Discount Rate	77.99 lakhs; x=1% [Change 7%]
Liability with x% increase in Salary Growth Rate	78.03 lakhs; x=1% [Change 7%]
Liability with x% decrease in Salary Growth Rate	68.48 lakhs; x=1% [Change (6%)]
Liability with x% increase in Withdrawal Rate	73.63 lakhs; x=1% [Change 1%]
Liability with x% decrease in Withdrawal Rate	72.12 lakhs; x=1% [Change (1%)]

37.5 Contingent liabilities and commitments (to the extent not provided for) Contingent liabilities:

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
(i) Claims against the Group not acknowledged as debts in respect of pending cases of employees under Labour laws	81.24	84.37
(ii) Claims against the Group not acknowledged as debts in respect of Criminal and Civil Cases	25.34	25.34
(iii) Bank guarantees given to the Central Government and oil manufacturing companies	120.45	183.68
(iv) Corporate guarantee given by the Group for loans sanctioned to Sonar Casting Ltd. State Bank of India (Lead Bank for consortium of banks).	6866.14	6113.96
(v) Income Tax cases under appeal	690.73	690.73
(vi) Penalty levied by Competition Commission of India, Commissioner Excise, UP and Regulatory fee	19.39	50.23

In the opinion of the management, no provision is considered necessary for the disputes mentioned above on the grounds that there are fair chances of successful outcome of appeals filed by the Group.

The Cane Commissioner, Uttar Pradesh has passed an order dated 17.12.2021 for payment of 12% interest on late cane payment of sugar season 2013-14. The Group has filed appeal before Cane Commissioner, Uttar Pradesh. No impact has been considered in financial results as the interest amount is indeterminate and pending appeal.

The amount shown above represent the best possible estimates arrived at on the basis of available information. The uncertainties and timing of the cash flows are dependent on the outcome of different legal processes which have been invoked by the Group or the claimants as the case may be and therefore cannot be ascertained accurately. The Group does not expect any reimbursements in respect of above contingent liabilities.

Capital Commitments

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2025	As at 31 March, 2024
Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for	1,442.29	398.90
Less: Advances paid against above	239.90	75.73
Net Amount	1,202.39	323.17

37.6Leases

Group as lessee

The Group has given certain portion of factory premises on cancellable operating lease. The rent received on the same has been grouped under other income. The rent received during the year is Rs.6.62 lakhs (previous year Rs.5.84 lakhs).

37.7The dues to Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises as required under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 to the extent information available with the Group is given below:

As at 31st March, 2025

S.No.	Particulars	Trade payable	Payable to supplier of capital goods	Total
(a)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year			
	Principal amount due to micro and small enterprises	143.71	27.18	170.89
	Interest due on above	4.48	-	4.48
(b)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	-	-	-
(c)	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under the MSMED Act, 2006.	-	-	-
(d)	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year.	4.48	-	4.48
(e)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23 of the MSMED Act, 2006	-	-	-

As at 31st March, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars	Trade payable	Payable to supplier of capital goods	Total
(a)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year			
	Principal amount due to micro and small enterprises	233.86	45.61	279.47
	Interest due on above	0.01	-	0.01
(b)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	-	-	-
(c)	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under the MSMED Act, 2006.	-	-	-
(d)	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year.	0.01	-	0.01
(e)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23 of the MSMED Act, 2006	-	-	-

37.8 Related Party Disclosures: -

Pursuant to compliance of Ind AS 24 on "Related Party Disclosures", the relevant information is provided here below:-

Related Parties with whom there were transactions during the year:

- Related party where control exist:
 - Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala -Chairman
 - Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala -Managing Director
 - Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala -Joint Managing Director
- Details of the related parties:
 - Key Management Personnel (Group A)
 - Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala -Chairman
 - Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala -Managing Director
 - Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala -Joint Managing Director
 - Shri S. C. Agarwal -Executive Director
 - Ms. Pooja Dua -Company Secretary
 - -Chief Financial Officer Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta
 - Mrs. Madhu Mathur* -Independent Director
 - Shri S. K. Gupta* -Independent Director
 - Shri Sushil Solomon -Independent Director
 - Shri Bibhash Kumar Srivastava -Independent Director
 - Dr. Bakshi Ram -Independent Director
 - Mrs. Archna Agrawal** -Independent Director
 - Shri Narendra Mohan*** -Independent Director

- ii. Relatives of Key Management Personnel (Group B)
 - Smt. Naina Jhunjhunwala (Wife of Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala)
 - Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala (Son of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala)
 - Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala (Daughter of Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala)
- iii. Enterprises/ Parties over which Key management personnel or their relatives have substantial interest/ significant influence (Group C)
 - Benares Inorganics Pvt. Ltd.
 - Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.
 - Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.
 - H H Foundation
 - Indian Sugar Exim Corporation Ltd.
 - K M Energy Pvt. Ltd.
 - K M Vyapar Ltd.
 - K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.
 - K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.
 - Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.
 - Promising Logistics Pvt. Ltd.
 - Shri Shakti Credits Ltd.
 - Sonar Casting Ltd.
 - Shri Laxmi Public Charitable Trust
 - Zar International Pvt. Ltd.

c) Transactions with the related parties:

				(NS . III IdKIIS)
Sl. no.	Nature of transaction/ Name of the related party	Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) 2024-25 (2023-24)	Enterprises over which KMP and their relatives have substantial interest/ significant influence 2024-25 (2023-24)	Total 2024-25 (2023-24)
i.	Investment made			
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	375.00 (1295.00)	375.00 (1295.00)
ii.	Remuneration including commission and PF#			
	Shri L. K. Jhunjhunwala	333.60 (250.92)	- (-)	333.60 (250.92)
	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	356.10 (274.33)	- (-)	356.10 (274.33)
	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	199.67 (168.90)	- (-)	199.67 (168.90)
	Shri S. C. Agarwal	60.88 (54.11)	-(-)	60.88 (54.11)
	Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	25.33 (24.00)	25.33 (24.00)
	Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala	- (-)	4.80 (4.80)	4.80 (4.80)
	Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta	23.53 (22.66)	- (-)	23.53 (22.66)
	Ms. Pooja Dua	7.72 (7.07)	- (-)	7.72 (7.07)
iii.	Education fee paid			
	Ms. Palak Jhunjhunwala	-(-)	78.21 (76.42)	78.21 (76.42)
iv.	Rent paid			
	Sri Shakti Credits Ltd.	- (-)	3.00 (3.00)	3.00 (3.00)
	Zar International Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	1.14 (1.14)	1.14 (1.14)

	K M Vyapar Ltd.	- (-)	154.02 (160.02)	154.02 (160.02)
	Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	7.20 (7.20)	7.20 (7.20)
	Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	6.00 (6.00)	6.00 (6.00)
v.	Purchase of goods			
	Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	189.73 (-)	189.73 (-)
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	1.80 (-)	1.80 (-)
vi.	Loans given			
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	750.00 (705.00)	750.00 (705.00)
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	325.00 (-)	325.00 (-)
vii.	Loans received back			
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	1070.00 (285.00)	1070.00 (285.00)
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	325.00 (-)	325.00 (-)
viii.	Sitting fees paid			
	Smt. Madhu Mathur*	0.70 (0.90)	- (-)	0.70 (0.90)
	Shri S. K. Gupta*	0.75 (1.45)	- (-)	0.75 (1.45)
	Shri Bibhash Kumar Srivastava	1.20 (1.00)	- (-)	1.20 (1.00)
	Shri Sushil Solomon	1.35 (1.20)	- (-)	1.35 (1.20)
	Dr. Bakshi Ram	1.35 (0.40)	- (-)	1.35 (0.40)
	Mrs. Archna Agrawal**	0.75 (-)	- (-)	0.75 (-)
	Shri Narendra Mohan***	0.60 (-)	- (-)	0.60 (-)
ix.	Sale of goods			
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	1786.00 (1028.66)	1786.00 (1028.66)
	Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	4285.00 (1354.90)	4285.00 (1354.90)
х.	CSR paid			
	Shri Laxmi Public Charitable Trust	- (-)	- (120.00)	- (120.00)
	H H Foundation	- (-)	20.00 (-)	20.00 (-)
xi.	Corporate guarantee charges received			
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	0.05 (-)	0.05 (-)
xii.	Lease land rent received			
	K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	0.60 (-)	0.60 (-)
xiii.	Preference share redemption received			
	K.M Energy Pvt. Limited	- (-)	338.92 (-)	338.92 (-)
xiv.	Sale of held Preference share			
	Promising Logistics Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	385.00 (-)	385.00 (-)
xv.	Interest received			
	Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	97.74 (88.84)	97.74 (88.84)
	K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	231.82 (259.51)	231.82 (259.51)
xvi.	Balance outstanding			
	a. Amount payable			
	Shri L K Jhunjhunwala	111.13 (176.18)	-(-)	1111.13 (176.18)
	Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala	76.30 (46.54)	- (-)	76.30 (46.54)
	Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	70.92 (27.36)	- (-)	70.92 (27.36)
	Shri S. C. Agarwal	2.14 (2.25)	- (-)	2.14 (2.25)
	Shri Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	(-)	2.05 (1.62)	2.05 (1.62)

Sri Shakti Credits Ltd.	- (-)	0.81 (3.11)	0.81 (3.11)
K M Vyapar Ltd.	- (-)	14.81 (14.81)	14.81 (14.81)
Zar International Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	2.28 (2.28)	2.28 (2.28)
Brahma Properties Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	77.99 (5.40)	77.99 (5.40)
Marvel Business Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	6.05 (5.48)	6.05 (5.48)
b. Amount receivable	-		
Loan			
Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	875.00 (875.00)	875.00 (875.00)
K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	550.00 (870.00)	550.00 (870.00)
Interest			
Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	249.25 (162.61)	249.25 (162.61)
K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (118.91)	- (118.91)
Sale of goods			
K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	0.57 (801.34)	0.57 (801.34)
Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	- (1424.08)	- (1424.08)
c. Corporate guarantee given by the Group for loan sanctioned/availed by			
Sonar Casting Limited	- (-)	6866.14 (6113.96)	6866.14 (6113.96)
d . Investment Held (Cost)			
Equity share in Sonar Casting Ltd.	- (-)	109.00 (109.00)	109.00 (109.00)
Equity share in HH Foundation	- (-)	0.20 (0.20)	0.20 (0.20)
Preference share in Sonar Casting Limited		4960.00 (4585.00)	4960.00 (4585.00)
Preference share in K.M Energy Pvt. Limited	- (-)	- (338.92)	- (338.92)
Preference share in Brahma Properties Pvt. Limited	- (-)	- (385.00)	- (385.00)
OFCD in K M Strategic Investments and Holdings Pvt. Ltd.	- (-)	2350.00 (500.00)	2350.00 (500.00)

Related party transactions are shown at actual amount instead of fair value for the purpose of disclosure under related parties.

#Directors Remuneration

(Rs. in lakhs)

S. No.	Particulars	Chairman	Managing Director	Jt. Managing Director	Executive Director	Total
1	Salary	180.00 (150.00)	180.00 (150.00)	180.00 (150.00)	54.00 (48.00)	594.00 (498.00)
2	Commission	150.00 (100.00)	150.00 (100.00)	- (-)	- (-)	300.00 (200.00)
3	Contribution to Provident Fund	- (-)	19.50 (18.00)	19.50 (18.00)	6.06 (5.76)	45.06 (47.76)
4	Perquisites:					
	(i) Residence	- (-)	3.60 (7.20)	- (-)	4.11 (3.62)	7.71 (10.82)
	(ii) Medical Reimbursement	3.57 (0.92)	6.58 (6.33)	0.18 (0.90)	0.82 (0.35)	11.15 (8.50)
	(iii) Other benefits	0.79 (0.79)	13.13 (19.36)	0.79 (0.79)	0.62 (0.70)	15.33 (21.64)
	Total	334.36 (251.71)	372.81 (300.89)	200.47 (169.69)	65.61 (58.43)	973.25 (780.72)

Note: The value of perquisites shown above is as per the Income Tax provisions.

The transactions with related parties have been entered at an amount, which are not materially different from those on normal commercial terms. No amount has been written back/written off during the year in respect to due to/due from related parties.

^{*} Ceased to be director on 21.08.2024 upon completion of tenure

^{**} Appointed w.e.f. 21.05.2024

^{***} Appointed w.e.f. 29.06.2024

Transactions with Related Parties are made on the terms equivalent to those that prevail in arm's length transactions.

The remuneration to the Key Managerial Personnels are in line with the service rules of the Group.

The aforementioned related party transactions have been recommended by Audit Committee and approved by the Board in their respective meetings held during the year.

37.9 Segment Reporting: Information on the Segment Reporting is as under:

The Group has identified three primary business segments viz. Sugar and Distillery. Segments have been identified and reported taking into account the nature of products, the differing risks and returns, the organizational structure and internal business reposting system as defined in Ind AS 108 – Operating Segments.

				(1/5, 111 10/115)
Particulars	Sugar	Distillery	Unallocable	Total
Revenue				
	59,490.46	9,120.75	-	68,611.21
Gross sales	(61,296.03)	(7,592.70)	(-)	(68,888.73)
	2,710.69	-	-	2,710.69
Less: Inter segment sales	(3,172.80)	(-)	(-)	(3,172.80)
	56,779.77	9,120.75	-	65,900.52
External sales	(58,123.23)	(7,592.70)	(-)	(65,715.93)
	627.47	109.55	0.30	737.32
Add: Other income	(790.98)	(58.07)	(0.29)	(849.34)
	57,407.24	9,230.30	0.30	66,637.84
Total revenue	(58,914.21)	(7,650.77)	(0.29)	(66,565.27)
	6,485.79	222.56	0.20	6,708.55
Segment results	(4,824.63)	(740.72)	(0.20)	(5,565.55)
Less: Finance cost	1,791.48	25.06	0.01	1,816.55
	(1,631.25)	(23.03)	(0.01)	(1,654.29)
	4,694.31	197.50	0.19	4,892.00
Profit before tax	(3,193.38)	(717.69)	(0.19)	(3,911.26)
				1,354.38
Current tax				(1,047.68)
0.6				-17.60
Deferred tax				(54.29)
D 6: 6: .				3,555.22
Profit after tax				(2,809.29)
Other information				
Comment	64,629.06	8,354.27	5.49	72,988.82
Segment assets	(70,430.74	(7,486.85)	(5.25)	(77,922.84)
Compant liabilities	36,389.19	1,980.44	759.81	39,129.44
Segment liabilities	(45,292.52)	(1,526.89)	(782.09)	(47,601.50)
Comital Europe diture	841.07	696.15	-	1,537.22
Capital Expenditure	(1,889.12)	(694.59)	(-)	(2,583.71)
Department and appointment	1,629.99	566.76	-	2,196.75
Depreciation and amortisation	(1,708.17)	(550.91)	(-)	(2,259.08)

*Capital expenditure includes fixed assets capitalized during the year and net increase/decrease in capital work-in-progress.

Inter-segment revenues are eliminated upon consolidation and reflected in the inter-segment sales column. Current taxes and deferred taxes are not allocated to individual segments as the same are dealt with at Group level.

The transactions between segments are primarily for materials which are transferred at market determined prices. Common costs are apportioned at market determined prices are primarily for materials which are transferred at market determined prices.

Information about Secondary Geographical Segment: There is no secondary segment.

37.10 Fair value

Set out below, is a comparison by class of the carrying amounts and fair value of the Group's financial instruments, other than those with carrying amounts that are reasonable approximations of fair values:

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Carryin	Carrying value		/alue
Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Financial assets				
FVOCI financial instruments:				
Unquoted equity shares	0.23	0.10	0.23	0.10
Fair Value through Statement of Profit & Loss				
Investment in Preference Shares	4,709.33	5,236.03	4,709.33	5,236.03
Investment in OFCD	2,350.00	2,350.00	2,350.00	2,350.00
Corporate guarantee	51.44	72.72	51.44	72.72
Fair value of assets though Other Comprehensive Income				
Free hold Land	951.05	930.78	951.05	930.78
Total	8,062.05	8,589.63	8,062.05	8,589.63

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Carrying value		Fair Value	
Description	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024	As at 31st March, 2025	As at 31st March, 2024
Financial liabilities at amortized cost through statement of profit and loss				
Loan taken from Bank, Government and others				
Fixed rate borrowings	-	237.69	-	237.69
Floating rate borrowings	3,849.19	4,763.55	3,849.19	4,763.55
Total	3,849.19	5,001.24	3,849.19	5,001.24

Fair value hierarchy

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's assets and liabilities.

Quantitative disclosures fair value measurement hierarchy for assets as at 31st March, 2025:

		Fair value measurement using			
Description	Date of valuation	Quoted prices in active markets	Significant observable inputs	Significant unobservable inputs	
		(Level 1)	(Level 2)	(Level 3)	
Assets measured at fair value					
FVOCI financial instruments:					
Unquoted equity shares	31st March, 2025	-	-	Yes	
Preference Share	31st March, 2025	-	-	Yes	

37.11 Government Grant:

The Government of Uttar Pradesh has provided term loan under the Scheme for Financial Assistance to Sugar Undertakings, 2018, of Uttar Pradesh Government at concessional rates during the financial year 2018-19 which has been recognised in the following manners:

Description	Amount in lakhs	Year to which relates	Treatment in accounts
Revenue related to Government Grant			
Financial Assistance from the State Government	Nil	2024-25	Nil
Deferred Government Grant		-	
Deferred income relating to term loans on concessional rate (difference between actual loan and its present value has been considered Deferred Government Grant)	Nil	2024-25	A sum of Rs.129.48 lakhs considered for part of the year as government grant under Note-28. Deferred Income considered as Government grant over the period of 5 years being the tenure of loan.

37.12 Expenditure incurred on corporate social responsibilities (CSR)

Details of expenditure on corporate social responsibility activities as per Section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 read with schedule III are as below:

A. Statement of CSR Obligation

SI. no.	Particulars	Year ended March 31, 2025	Year ended March 31, 2024
a)	Average net profits of the Company as per Section 135(5)	4,250.49	4,058.15
b)	Two percent of the average net profits of the Company as per Section 135(5)	85.01	81.16
c)	Amount approved by the Board for CSR during the Year	86.85	89.05
d)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years	Nil	Nil
e)	Amount required to be set off for the financial year, if any	86.85	89.05
f)	Total CSR obligation for the financial year [(c)+(d)-(e)]	Nil	Nil

B. Statement of CSR Expenditure

(Rs. In lakhs)

SI. no.	Particulars	Year ended March 31, 2025	Year ended March 31, 2024
a)	Amount spent on CSR Projects (both Ongoing Project and other than Ongoing Project)		
	- For contribution in hospital construction and asset	-	120.00
	- For rural development etc.	2.35	0.24
	- Preventive health care and sanitation	20.00	0.51
	- For contribution towards schools to promote education	9.50	8.30
	Total	31.85	129.05
b)	Amount spent in Administrative Overheads	Nil	Nil
c)	Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable	Nil	Nil
d)	Total amount spent for the Financial Year [(a)+(b)+(c)]	31.85	129.05
e)	Total CSR obligation for the financial year	Nil	Nil
f)	Excess CSR Expenditure available for Carry Forward	31.50	129.05

C. Statement of Carry Forward

(Rs. In lakhs)

SI. no.	Particulars	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25
a)	Excess CSR Expenditure carried forward	109.00	70.00	129.05	31.50
b)	Set off during the Financial year 2023-24	89.05	Nil	Nil	Nil
c)	Set off during the Financial year 2024-25	19.95	66.55	Nil	Nil
d)	Balance to be Carried Forward	Nil	*3.45	#129.05	^31.50
e)	Total amount Carried Forwarded				164.00

^{*}available for set off till the financial year 2025-26

#available for set off till the financial year 2026-27

^available for set off till the financial year 2027-28

- 37.13 In view of the decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court, extra price and excise duty realized on levy sugar in earlier years amounting to Rs.67.11 lakhs for funding under the Sugar Price Equalization Fund Act, 1976 was transferred to Sugar Price Equalization Reserve Account. Later on as per the order dated 22.09.1993 of Hon'ble Supreme Court, a sum of Rs.17.90 lakhs was paid to the Government out of bank guarantee furnished by the Group and further, during the year 1998-99 a sum of Rs.1.00 lakhs were paid towards Excise Duty on the above. The Group has further made a payment of Rs.35.81 lakhs during the year 2005-06 to the Government of India against the bank guarantee furnished by it along with interest of Rs.118.25 lakhs thereon. Still a sum of Rs.12.40 lakhs is lying in the Sugar Price Equalization Reserve as on 31st March, 2025 shown under Note 17 of "Other equity".
- **37.14** Certain balances in account of trade receivables, advances, deposit accounts and trade payables are subject to reconciliation and confirmation by the respective parties. The management reviewed these advances from time to time, the required provisions have been considered in the accounts. The management is of the view that the realization from these assets in the ordinary course of business would not be less than the amount at which they are stated in the books of account.
- 37.15 Other non-current liabilities (Note No.20) includes a loan from U.P. Government amounting to Rs.14.50 lakhs. The issue relating to interest payable thereon is under dispute and the matter is sub-judice before the Hon'ble Allahabad High Court. However, as per the interim order of the Court, a fixed deposit of Rs.14.50 lakhs has been kept with the District Magistrate, Ayodhya. In opinion of the management, the amount of interest accrued on this fixed deposit is adequate to meet the interest obligation liability of the Group on the said loan and therefore, no interest is being provided for in these financial statements.
- 37.16 As per Bihar State Government directions, the operations of country liquor bottling unit remain discontinued during the year. However, the plant and machinery of that unit was moved in earlier years to the Distillery Unit for manufacturing of country liquor. Thus, depreciation on building due to obsolescence has been provided in earlier years and the written down value as on 31st March, 2025 is Rs.0.37 lakhs.

- 37.17 Since, the sugar industry is a seasonal industry; the cost of production of sugar is worked out on annualized basis considering prime cost, factory overhead and administrative overhead closely related to manufacturing of output.
- 37.18 The management is of the view that dividend payment is most probable to receive from the investments in the preference shares of Sonar Casting Ltd. considering dividend at 12.50% and this fact has been taken into account while determining the fair value of the investment. However, no dividend received on the investment since amount invested.
- 37.19 The Central Government pursuant to Notification No. 1(1)/2025-SP dated 20th January, 2025 issued by the Hon'ble Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Food and Public Distribution) has notified sugar mill wise export quantity of sugar for export in sugar season 2024-25 in order to prevent uncontrolled export of sugar and with a view to ensure sufficient availability of sugar for domestic consumption at a reasonable price. The notification also provides facility to export sugar themselves or through merchant exporter or exchange their export quota with domestic quota of any other sugar mill.

Pursuant to above notification, the Group has sold its export quota for exchange with domestic quota of another sugar mill. The amount received on sale of export quota of Rs.253.68 lakhs (Previous year Rs. Nil) has been shown as line item "Export quota sale receipt" under Revenue from operations.

37.20 Imported and Indigenous Raw Materials, Packing Materials and Stores and Spares consumed

(Rs. In lakhs)

	As at 31st March, 2025		As at 31st March, 2024	
Description	% of total consumption	Amount	% of total consumption	Amount
Raw Materials				
Imported	-	-	-	-
Indigenous	100%	42,936.52	100%	51,513.78
Stores and packing material				
Imported	-	-	-	-
Indigenous	100%	2,787.94	100%	1,877.07

37.21 Income in foreign currency on account of:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2024
Export sale	-	-

37.22 Expenditure in foreign currency on account of:

Description	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2024
Travelling	138.80	30.60
Others	85.79	82.88

- 37.23 The Group has taken SBI SEFASU Loan from Government amounting to Rs.4775.94 lakhs bearing 5% Interest rate. Fair value of loan has been determined using discount rate 10.50% as the bank's fund is available at this rate and difference between actual amount and present value is amortised over the loan tenure and same has been considered as deferred government grant.
- 37.24 The company has lease hold land from U P Government and out of which 3 hectare land has been sub-leased to K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd. vide sub-lease deed dated 23.01.2024 executed by U. P. Government, K M Sugar Mills Ltd. and K M Particle Boards Pvt. Ltd. and registered on 03.02.2024.

37.25 Components of Other Comprehensive Income

The disaggregation of changes to OCI in equity is shown below:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Description	Comprehensive Income (Net of Tax)		
Description	Year ended 31st March, 2025	Year ended 31st March, 2024	
Gain/(loss) on equity instruments	0.11	(3.31)	
Re-measurement gain/(loss) on defined benefit plans	(14.15)	(14.10)	
Total	(14.04)	(17.41)	

37.26 Capital work in progress (Under property, plant and equipment, intangible asset) ageing schedule For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars		Amount in CWIP for period of					
rarticulars	Less than 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total		
Plant and machinery in progress	-	-	-	-	-		
Building work	71.42	263.39	399.18	4.54	738.53		
Building work temporarily suspended*	-	-	-	10.08	10.08		
Total	71.42	263.39	399.18	14.62	748.61		

^{*}The completion of building is overdue as plan is under approval with development authority, hence completion date can not be estimated.

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

Particulars		Amount in CWIP for period of					
rarticulars	Less than 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total		
Plant and machinery in progress	482.91	4.03	5.41	-	492.35		
Building work	269.36	399.18	4.54	-	673.08		
Building work temporarily suspended*	-	-	-	10.08	10.08		
Total	752.27	403.21	9.95	10.08	1,175.51		

^{*} The completion of building is overdue as plan is under approval with development authority, hence completion date can not be estimated.

37.28 Trade receivable ageing schedule

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Unbilled		С	Outstanding from due date of payment				
Particulars	revenue*	Not due	Less than 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
Undisputed Trade receivables - considered good	135.70	362.04	333.54	0.01	4.91	1.86	0.95	839.01
Undisputed Trade receivables - which have significant increase in credit risk		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		-	-	-	0.07	-	0.03	0.10
Disputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		-	-	-	-	-	15.91	15.91
Total	135.70	362.04	333.54	0.01	4.98	1.86	16.89	855.02

^{*} Represents bills for the month of March 2025 which were subsequently billed in the following month.

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

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Particulars	Unbilled revenue*	Not due	Less than 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 -2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
Undisputed Trade receivables - considered good	144.13	323.72	2,017.88	435.60	10.99	0.95	-	2,933.27
Undisputed Trade receivables - which have significant increase in credit risk		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		F	-	-	-	-	0.03	0.03
Disputed Trade receivables - credit impaired		-	-	-	-	-	15.91	15.91
Total	144.13	323.72	2,017.88	435.60	10.99	0.95	15.94	2,949.21

^{*} Represents bills for the month of March 2024 which were subsequently billed in the following month.

37.28 Trade payable ageing schedule

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

		Outst	tanding from du	ue date of payr	ment	
Particulars	Not due	Less than 1 year	1-2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
MSME	6.55	119.27	-	-	-	125.82
Others	-	7,865.15	64.98	13.63	16.36	7,960.12
Disputed dues-MSME	-	21.80	-	-	0.57	22.37
Disputed dues-Others	-	-	-	-	8.10	8.10
Total	6.55	8,006.22	64.98	13.63	25.03	8,116.41

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs)

		Outs				
Particulars	Not due	Less than 1 year	1-2 year	2- 3 year	More than 3 year	Total
MSME	-	233.29	-	-	-	233.29
Others	3,469.02	11,430.21	20.38	13.70	19.05	14,952.36
Disputed dues-MSME	-	-	-	-	0.57	0.57
Disputed dues-Others	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3,469.02	11,663.50	20.38	13.70	19.62	15,186.22

37.29 Details of shares held by promoter and promoter group of the Company

Equity Shares held by promoters as at 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024

	As a	t 31st March, 20	025	As at 31st March, 2024			
Promoter Name	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	
Promoters							
Lakshmi Kant Jhunjhunwala	1,43,02,600	15.55%	-	1,43,02,600	15.55%	-	
Lakshmi Kant Dwarkadas -HUF	1,00,65,900	10.94%	-	1,00,65,900	10.94%	-	
Aditya Jhunjhunwala	52,89,242	5.75%	-	52,89,242	5.75%	-	
Sanjay Jhunjhunwala	24,94,600	2.71%	-	24,94,600	2.71%	-	

(Rs. in lakhs)

	As a	t 31st March, 20	025	As at 31st March, 2024			
Promoter Name	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	No. of shares	% of total shares	% change during the year	
Promoter group							
Naina Jhunjhunwala	41,80,748	4.54%	-	41,80,748	4.54%	-	
Vatsal Jhunjhunwala	4,99,721	0.54%	-	4,99,721	0.54%	-	
Vridhi Trust	1,88,780	0.21%	-	1,88,780	0.21%	-	
Shivam Shorewala	1,20,549	0.13%	-	1,20,549	0.13%	-	
Marvel Business Private Ltd.	1,20,65,975	13.12%	-	1,20,65,975	13.12%	-	
K M Vyapar Ltd.	22,83,364	2.48%	-	22,83,364	2.48%	-	
Jhunjhunwala Securities Pvt. Ltd.	5,00,000	0.54%	-	5,00,000	0.54%	-	
Francoise Commerce Pvt. Ltd.	20			20			

^{*} Shares held by Prakash Chandra Dwarkadas Jhunjhunwala–HUF, Uma Devi jhunjhunwala and Madhu Prakash Jhunjhunwala classified under promoter group category were reclassified to Public category vide approval letter No. NSE/LIST/218 dated 26.09.2022 of National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. and letter No. LIST/COMP/YG/272/2022-23 dated 26.09.2022 of BSE Ltd.

37.30 Loans to promoter, director and related parties etc.

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

(Rs. in lakhs)

Type of borrower	Amount of loan outstanding	% of total loan
Loan to promoter/director	+	-
Loan to KMPs	+	-
Loan to related party	1,674.25	100%

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

Type of borrower	Amount of loan outstanding	% of total loan
Loan to promoter/director	-	-
Loan to KMPs	+	+
Loan to related party	1,907.61	100%

[^] Shares held by Shivam Trust was vested to Mr. Shivam Shorewala

37.31 Financial ratios

The following are analytical ratios for the year ended 31st March, 2025 and 31st March, 2024

Particulars	Numerator	Denominator	31st March, 2025	31st March, 2024	Change
Current Ratio	Current assets	Current liabilities	1.12	1.02	9.80%
Debt-Equity Ratio	Total Debt (Note 1)	Total Equity	0.83	0.96	-13.54%
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Earnings available for debt service	Debt Service (Note 2)	1.91	1.58	20.89%
Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the year	Average Total Equity	11.08	9.71	14.11%
Inventory turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Inventory	1.80	1.85	-2.70%
Trade Receivables turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Trade Receivable	34.94	37.16	-5.97%
Trade payables turnover ratio	Purchases and Other Services	Average Trade Payables	3.93	3.86	1.81%
Net capital turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Working Capital	15.78	69.36	-77.25%*
Net profit ratio	Profit for the year	Revenue from Operations	5.39%	4.27%	112bps^
Return on Capital employed	EBIT (Note 3)	Capital Employed (Note 4)	17.79%	15.76%	203bps
Return on investment	Profit for the year	Average Total Assets	4.71%	3.79%	92bps

^{*}Turnover increase is not significant but working capital has improved with increase in profit

37.32 The difference between the value as per books of accounts and as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders are given below:

For the year ended 31st March, 2025

Quarter ending	Value as per books of accounts	Value as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders	Difference	Reasons for difference
June 30, 2024	31,326.13	30,188.90	1,137.23	The differences are because, the statements filed with the lenders
September 30, 2024	18,601.23	17,012.91	1,588.32	are based on financial statements
December 31, 2024	21,800.65	16,639.16	5,161.49	prepared on provisional basis and also
March 31, 2025	37,559.56	37,056.50	503.06	because of exclusion of certain current assets in the statements filed with the lenders.

[^] Increase in net profit with increased margin

Note 1: Debt includes lease liabilities

Note 2: Debt service = Interest and Lease payments and Principal Repayments

Note 3: EBIT = Profit before exceptional items + Finance Costs

Note 4: Capital Employed = Tangible Net Worth + Total Debt + Deferred Tax Liabilities

For the year ended 31st March, 2024

(Rs. in lakhs)

Quarter ending	Value as per books of accounts	Value as per quarterly statement submitted with lenders	Difference	Reasons for difference
June 30, 2023	24,048.68	21,610.75	2,437.93	The differences are because, the statements filed with the lenders
September 30, 2023	10,644.59	8,179.18	2,465.41	are based on financial statements
December 31, 2023	17,621.13	13,434.86	4,186.27	prepared on provisional basis and also
March 31, 2024	41,332.20	39,828.43	1,503.77	because of exclusion of certain current assets in the statements filed with the lenders.

37.33 Other statutory information

- The Group does not have any Benami property, where any proceeding has been initiated or pending against the Group.
- ii. The Group does not have any transactions with companies struck off.
- The Group does not have any charges or satisfaction which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period. iii.
- The Group has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year. iν
- The Group has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority. ٧.
- The Group has not advanced or loaned or invested funds to any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities vi. (Intermediaries) with the understanding that the Intermediary shall:
 - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Group (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
 - provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries. (b)
- The Group has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Group shall:
 - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
 - provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- The Group has not any such transaction which is not recorded in the books of account that has been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as, search or survey or any other relevant provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

37.34 Events occurring after the balance sheet date:

No adjusting or significant non adjusting events have occurred between the reporting date and the date of authorization of financial statements.

- **37.35** Figures in brackets pertain to previous year.
- 37.36 The previous year's figures have been regrouped, reclassified, reworked and rearranged wherever necessary to correspond with the current year.

As per our report of even date attached

For Mehrotra & Mehrotra Chartered Accountants F.R. No 0226C

CA. Sanjay K. Rai Partner M.No.507946

Place: Lucknow Date: 26th May, 2025 For and on behalf of Board of Directors

S. C. Agarwal **Executive Director** (DIN-02461954)

A. K. Gupta Chief Financial Officer

Aditya Jhunjhunwala Managing Director (DIN-01686189) Pooja Dua

Company Secretary (M. No. A50996)

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the 52nd Annual General Meeting of the K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd. will be held **through Video Conference / Other Audio Visual Means,** on Monday, the 29th day of September, 2025, at 11:00 A.M. to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

 To receive, consider and adopt (a) the Audited Standalone financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 and the reports of the Board of Directors' and Auditors' thereon; and (b) the Audited Consolidated financial statement of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025 and the report of the Auditors thereon.

To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

- (a) "RESOLVED THAT, the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025, and the reports of the Board of Directors' and Auditors' thereon as circulated to the members with the notice of the Annual General Meeting, be and are hereby received, considered and adopted."
- **(b)** "RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the audited consolidated financial statement of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2025, and the report of the Auditors thereon as circulated to the members with the notice of the Annual General Meeting, be and are hereby received, considered and adopted."
 - To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Special Resolution:**
- 2. To appoint a director in place of Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala (DIN-01854647), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offered himself for re-appointment.

To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Special Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT Shri L.K. Jhunjhunwala (DIN-01854647), who retires by rotation pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and being eligible, be and is hereby reappointed as director of the Company and is liable to retire by rotation."

3. To appoint a director in place of Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala (DIN-01686189), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offered himself for re-appointment.

To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala (DIN- 01686189), who retires by rotation pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and being eligible, be and is hereby re-appointed as director of the Company and is liable to retire by rotation."

SPECIAL BUSINESS: -

4. To Re-appoint Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav (DIN – 06533710) as a Non-Executive and Independent Director of the Company

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution, as a **Special Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, including the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, and in terms of Regulation 17(1A) and other applicable provisions of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, approval of the Members be and is hereby accorded for the reappointment of Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav (DIN: 06533710), who has attained the age of 69 years, as a Non-Executive Independent Director of the Company, for a second term of five consecutive years commencing from February 01, 2026, subject to such earlier date as may be determined by the Board in accordance with the Company's policy on retirement of directors or any applicable statutory provisions, rules, regulations or guidelines, and who shall not be liable to retire by rotation."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof), be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable or expedient to give effect to this Resolution."

5. Appointment of the Secretarial Auditors of the Company

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution, as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to Section 204 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory amendments, modifications or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force) and recommendations of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors, M/s. Amit Gupta & Associates, Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. P2025UP103200) be and is hereby appointed as Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a term of five (5) years, commencing from the conclusion of 52nd Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of 57th Annual General Meeting at such remuneration and on such terms and conditions as may be determined by the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board' which expression shall include any Committee thereof or person(s) authorized by the Board).

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board (including Committees thereof) be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, things and to sign all such documents and writings as may be necessary to give effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

6. Ratification of payment of remuneration to the Cost Auditor for the Financial Year 2025-26:

To consider and if, thought fit to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **Ordinary** Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148(3) and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactments thereof, for the time being in force), the remuneration payable to M/s. Aman Malviya & Associates, Cost Accountants, Lucknow, (Firm Registration No.000189) who were appointed by the Board of Directors as the Cost Auditors of the Company, based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, to audit the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending 31st March 2026, at the remuneration approved by the Board of Directors on the recommendation on the Audit Committee plus goods and services tax, as applicable, and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses at actuals, if any, incurred in connection with the audit, be and is hereby ratified."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (including Committees thereof), be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable or expedient to give effect to this Resolution."

> By the Order of the Board For K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd. -Sd/-Ritika Tandon **Company Secretary & Compliance Officer**

Place: Lucknow Dated: 06/09/2025

Notes:

- 1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its General Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, Circular no. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020, Circular no. 02/2021 dated January 13, 2021, Circular no. 19/2021 dated December 8, 2021, Circular no. 21/2021 dated December 14, 2021, Circular no. 2/2022 dated May 5, 2022, Circular no. 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022, Circular no. 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 and Circular no. 09/2024 dated September 19, 2024 in relation to "Clarification on holding of Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through video conferencing ("VC") or Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM")" (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") and Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") vide its Circular no. SEBI/HO/ CFD/ CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020, Circular no. SEBI/ HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021, Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/62 dated May 13, 2022, Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023, Circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/167 dated October 07, 2023 and SEBI/HO/CFD/CFD-PoD-2/P/CIR/2024/133 dated October 03, 2024 in relation to "Relaxation from compliance with certain provisions of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015" (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circulars") permitted the holding of the AGM through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, the AGM of the Members of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM. The registered office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM. Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM.
- 2. In accordance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 44 of the SEBI Listing Regulations and MCA Circulars dated 8th April, 2020, 13th April, 2020 and 5th May, 2020, the Company has engaged the services of MUFG Intime India Private Limited (MUFG INTIME) to provide the facility of voting by electronic voting system to all the Members to enable them to cast their votes electronically during the AGM in respect of all the businesses to be transacted at the aforesaid Meeting. The facility of casting the votes by the Members using such an electronic voting system from a place other than the venue of the AGM ("remote e-voting") is also provided by MUFG INTIME.
- 3. The VC/OAVM facility provided by the Company has a capacity to allow 1000 members to participate at the Meeting on a first-come, first-served basis. However, the large shareholders (i.e. shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), promoters, institutional investors, Directors, KMPs, the Chairperson of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee, CSR Committee, Auditors etc., may be allowed to attend the Meeting without restriction on account of the first-come-first-served principle.
- The company is providing two-way teleconferencing facility for the ease of participation of the members. The instructions for members attending/ participating in the AGM through VC/ OAVM are provided at point no. 27.

- 5. The facility for joining the AGM through VC/OAVM shall be open at least 15 minutes before the time scheduled to start the Meeting and shall not be closed till the expiry of 15 minutes after such scheduled time.
- 6. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, an electronic copy of the Notice of the 52nd AGM of the Company, inter alia, indicating the process and manner of e-voting, will be sent only through electronic mode to all the Members whose e-mail IDs are registered with the Company's Registrar & Share Transfer Agent/Depository Participant(s). Notice will also be available on the Company's website www.kmsugar.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively.
- 7. Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, a Member entitled to attend and vote at the Meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a poll instead of him/her, and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. Since the 52nd AGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars, through VC/OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the 52nd AGM, and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 8. Institutional/Corporate Members intending to attend the Meeting are required to send a scan of a certified copy of the Board Resolution (JPG/PDF format), pursuant to Section 113 of the Act, 2013, authorizing their representative to attend the Meeting through VC/OAVM on its behalf and vote through remote e-voting. The said Resolution/Authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through its registered email address amitguptacs@gmail. com. Recorded transcript of the Meeting shall be uploaded on the website of the Company, and the same shall also be maintained in safe custody of the Company. The registered office of the company shall be deemed to be the place of Meeting for the purpose of recording the minutes of the proceedings of this AGM
- Members having any queries related to accounts and operations or any other matter to be placed at the AGM of the Company, may write to the Company through an email on cs@kmsugar.in at least seven working days in advance of the Meeting. The same will be replied to by the Company suitably.
- 10. Members are requested to contact the Company's Registrar & Share Transfer Agent (RTA), MUFG Intime India Private Limited (MUFG INTIME) Noble Heights, 1st Floor, Plot NH 2 C-1 Block LSC, Near Savitri Market, Janakpuri, New Delhi-110058 (Phone No.: +91-11- 41410592; Fax No.: +91-11-41410591; Email: rnt.helpdesk@ in.mpms.mufg.com) for reply to their queries/redressal of complaints, if any, or contact Company Secretary at the Corporate Office of the Company (Phone No.: +91-522-4079561; Email: cs@ kmsugar.in).
- 11. Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone/mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, to their DPs in case shares are held in electronic form or to the Company's RTA i.e. MUFG INTIME, in case shares are held in physical form.

- 12. As per Regulation 40 of the SEBI Listing Regulations, as amended, the securities of the listed company cannot be transferred in physical mode w.e.f. April 01, 2019, except in case of a request received for the transposition or transmission of securities. In view of this, Members holding shares in physical form are requested to get their shares dematerialized at the earliest. Members can contact the Company or the Company's RTA i.e. MUFG INTIME for assistance in this regard.
- 13. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of a Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company/RTA, i.e. MUFG INTIME.
- 14. In keeping with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs' Green Initiative measures, the Company hereby requests the Members who have not registered their email addresses so far, to register their email addresses with their DPs in case shares are held by them in electronic form and with the Company's RTA i.e. MUFG INTIME. in case shares are held by them in physical form for receiving all communication notices, circulars etc. from the Company electronically.
- 15. Members attending the Meeting through VC/OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the guorum under Section 103 of the Act, 2013.
- 16. Since the AGM will be conducted through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed to this Notice.
- 17. The Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which Directors are interested, maintained under Section 189 of the Act, 2013, the Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Act, 2013, read with Rules issued thereunder, will be made available electronically for inspection by the Members during the Meeting. All documents referred to in the Notice will also be available for electronic inspection from the date of circulation of this Notice up to the date of AGM. Also, the Notice for this 52nd AGM, along with the requisite documents also be available on the Company's website www. kmsugar.com. Further, the notice received, if any, under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, will be put up on the website of the Company up to the date of the Meeting. Members seeking to inspect such Documents can send an email to cs@kmsugar.in
- 18. The remote e-voting facility will be available during the following voting period:
- Commencement of remote e-voting: From 09.00 a.m. IST on Friday, September 26th, 2025
- ii. End of remote e-voting: Up to 5.00 p.m. IST on Sunday, September 28, 2025
- 19. During this period, shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date, i.e. Tuesday, September 23, 2025, may cast their vote through remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled MUFG INTIME for voting thereafter, and the facility will be blocked forthwith

- 20. Members having any gueries related to accounts and operations or any other matter to be placed at the AGM of the Company, may write to the Company through an email on cs@kmsugar.in at least seven working days in advance of the Meeting. The same will be replied by the Company suitably
- 21. Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD RTAMB/P/ CIR/2021/655 dated November 03, 2021, read with SFBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD_MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated December 14, 2021, the listed Companies have to record the PAN, Nominations and KYC details of all the shareholders and Bank Account details of the first holder of all the security holders in physical mode. In this regard, the shareholders who have physical shares are required to update their KYC, i.e. PAN, Bank Details, Nomination before April 01, 2023, failing to which their folios will be frozen as per SEBI Circular.
- 22. Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_ RTAMB/P/ CIR/2022/8 dated January 25, 2022, the Members holding shares in physical form are required to convert their shares into dematerialized form, failing which the RTA will not initiate and/ or accept any request from such Members. Further, upon nonconversion, such shares will be credited to the Suspense Escrow Demat Account of the Company, which shall be credited to the Members only upon furnishing their demat details.
- 23. Shareholders holding shares in physical mode are requested to register/update KYC details such as PAN (Aadhar linked), Nomination Details, Contact Details (address with PIN, mobile number and email address). Bank Account Details (bank name, branch name, account number and IFS code) and Specimen Signature with the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent ("RTA"), MUFG Intime India Private Limited ("MUFG Intime"), C-101, 247 Park, L.B.S. Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083, Tel No.: +91 22 49186270 Fax: +91 22 49186060, Email: rnt.helpdesk@in.mpms.mufg.com, Website: https://in.mpms. mufg.com. The relevant forms prescribed by SEBI for furnishing the above details are available on the Company's website at www. kmsugar.com as well as on RTA's website at https://in.mpms.mufg. com. For any clarifications/queries with respect to the submission of the above-mentioned forms, shareholders may contact the RTA at the above-mentioned details.
- 24. Shareholders holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register/update KYC details such as PAN (Aadhar-linked), Nomination Details, Contact Details (address with PIN, mobile number and email address), Bank Account Details (bank name, branch name, account number and IFS code) and Specimen Signature with the relevant Depository Participant (DP).

DISPATCH OF ANNUAL REPORT THROUGH ELECTRONIC MODE:

25. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and Regulation 36(1)(a) of the Listing Regulations, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail address is registered with the Company/Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA) / Depository Participants (DPs)/ Depositories. Further, in compliance with Regulation 36(1)(b) of the Listing Regulations, a letter providing the web-link, including the exact path, where the Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 is available, is being sent to those Members whose email address is not registered with the Company/

Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA) / Depository Participants (DPs)/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 will also be available on the Company's website and can be accessed through the link: https://www.kmsugar.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges, i.e., BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www. bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com, respectively, and on the website of MUFG Intime at https://in.mpms.mufg.com.

- 26. For receiving all communication (including Annual Report) from the Company electronically:
 - a) Members holding shares in dematerialised mode are requested to register/update their e-mail address with the relevant Depository Participant. National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) has provided a facility for registration/updation of e-mail address through the link: https://eservices.nsdl.com/ kyc-attributes/#/login. Please refer to Note No. 24.
 - b) Members holding shares in physical mode are requested to follow the process set out in Note No. 23 in this Notice.

27. Remote e-Voting Instructions for shareholders:

Remote e-Voting Instructions for shareholders post change in the Login mechanism for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, pursuant to SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020:

Pursuant to SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020, on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode can vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants.

Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email ID in their demat accounts to access e-Voting facility.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

- 1. Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL
 - 1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL viz... https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a personal computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login"" which is available under 'IDeAS' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. MUFG InTime and you will be re-directed to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
 - If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com/Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/ IdeasDirectReg.jsp
 - 3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a personal computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is

available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen-digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. MUFG InTime and you will be redirected to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

- Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL
- Existing users who have opted for Easi / Easiest, can login through their user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are https://web.cdslindia.com/ myeasi/home/login or www.cdslindia.com and click on New System Myeasi.
- 2. After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be able to see the E Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of e-Voting service provider i.e. MUFG InTime. Click on MUFG InTime and you will be redirected to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
- 3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration.
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat account number and PAN No. from a link in www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP i.e. MUFG InTime. Click on MUFG InTime and you will be redirected to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
- 3. Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants

You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. Upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. MUFG InTime and you will be redirected to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in physical form is given below:

Individual Shareholders of the company, holding shares in physical form as on the cut-off date for e-voting may register for e-Voting facility of MUFG InTime as under:

- Open the internet browser and launch the URL: https://instavote.linkintime.co.in
- 2. Click on "Sign Up" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab and register with your following details: -

- A. User ID: Shareholders holding shares in physical form **shall provide** Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company.
- B. PAN: Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) (Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/ Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.
- C. DOB/DOI: Enter the Date of Birth (DOB) / Date of Incorporation (DOI) (As recorded with your DP / Company - in DD/MM/YYYY format)
- D. Bank Account Number: Enter your Bank Account Number (last four digits), as recorded with your DP/ Company.

*Shareholders/ members holding shares in **physical form** but have not recorded 'C' and 'D', shall provide their Folio number in 'D' above

- Set the password of your choice (The password should contain minimum 8 characters, at least one special Character (@!#\$&*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter).
- Click "confirm" (Your password is now generated).
- 3. Click on 'Login' under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab.
- 4. Enter your User ID, Password and Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code and click on 'Submit'.

Cast your vote electronically:

- 1. After successful login, you will be able to see the notification for e-voting. Select 'View' icon.
- 2. E-voting page will appear.
- 3. Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' (If you wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the 'View Resolution' file link).
- 4. After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on 'Submit'. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on 'Yes', else to change your vote, click on 'No' and accordingly modify your vote.

Guidelines for Institutional shareholders:

Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on the e-voting system of MUFG InTime at https://instavote.linkintime.co.in and register themselves as 'Custodian / Mutual Fund / Corporate Body'. They are also required to upload a scanned certified true copy of the board resolution / authority letter/power of attorney etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised representative(s) in PDF format in the 'Custodian / Mutual Fund / Corporate Body' login for the Scrutinizer to verify the same.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in physical mode/ Institutional shareholders:

Shareholders facing any technical issue in login may contact INSTAMEET helpdesk by sending a request at instameet@in.mpms. mufg.com or contact on: - Tel: 022 - 4918 6000 / 4918 6175.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode:

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode may contact the respective helpdesk for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders	Members facing any technical issue in
holding securities in	login can contact NSDL helpdesk by
demat mode with NSDL	sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in
	or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990
	and 1800 22 44 30
Individual Shareholders	Members facing any technical issue
holding securities in	in login can contact CDSL helpdesk
demat mode with CDSL	by sending a request at helpdesk.
	evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at
	022- 23058738 or 22- 23058542-43.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in Physical mode has forgotten the password:

If an Individual Shareholders holding securities in Physical mode has forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both then the shareholder can use the "Forgot Password" option available on the e-Voting website of Link Intime: https://instavote.linkintime.co.in

- Click on 'Login' under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab and further Click 'forgot password?'
- Enter User ID, select Mode and Enter Image Verification code (CAPTCHA). Click on "SUBMIT".

In case shareholders is having valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address. Shareholders can set the password of his/her choice by providing the information about the particulars of the Security Question and Answer, PAN, DOB/DOI, Bank Account Number (last four digits) etc. as mentioned above. The password should contain minimum 8 characters, at least one special character (@!#\$&*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter.

User ID for Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form (i.e. Share Certificate): Your User ID is Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL/ CDSL has forgotten the password:

Shareholders who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned depository/ depository participants website.

- It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- For shareholders/ members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- During the voting period, shareholders/ members can login any number of time till they have voted on the resolution(s) for a particular "Event".

28) Process and manner for attending the Annual General Meeting through InstaMeet

- Open the internet browser and launch the URL: https://instameet.in.mpms.mufg.com
 - Select the "Company" and 'Event Date' and register with your following details: -

A. Demat Account No. or Folio No: Enter your 16 digit Demat Account No. or Folio No

- Shareholders/ members holding shares in CDSL demat account shall provide 16 Digit Beneficiary ID
- Shareholders/ members holding shares in NSDL demat account shall provide 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 digit Client ID
- Shareholders/ members holding shares in physical form shall provide Folio Number registered with the Company
- **B. PAN:** Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) (Members who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/

Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.

- C. Mobile No.: Enter your mobile number.
- **D.** Email ID: Enter your email id, as recorded with your DP/Company.
 - Click "Go to Meeting" (You are now registered for InstaMeet and your attendance is marked for the meeting

29) Instructions for Shareholders/ Members to Speak during Annual General Meeting through InstaMeet

- 1. Shareholders who would like to speak during the meeting must register their request 3 days in advance with the company on the specific email id created for the general meeting.
- 2. Shareholders will get confirmation on first cum first basis depending upon the provision made by the client.
- 3. Shareholders will receive "speaking serial number" once they mark attendance for the meeting.
- 4. Other shareholder may ask questions to the panelist, via active chat-board during the meeting.
- 5. Please remember speaking serial number and start your conversation with panelist by switching on video mode and audio of your device.

Shareholders are requested to speak only when moderator of the meeting/ management will announce the name and serial number for speaking.

30) Instructions for Shareholders/ Members to Vote during the Annual General Meeting through Insta Meet:

Once the electronic voting is activated by the scrutinizer/moderator during the meeting, shareholders/members who have not exercised their vote through the remote e-voting can cast the vote as under:

- 1. On the Shareholders VC page, click on the link for e-Voting "Cast your vote"
- 2. Enter your 16 digit Demat Account No. / Folio No. and OTP (received on the registered mobile number/ registered email ld) received during registration for InstaMEET and click on 'Submit'.
- 3. After successful login, you will see "Resolution Description" and against the same the option "Favour/ Against" for voting.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option i.e. "Favour/ Against" as desired. Enter the number of shares (which represents no. of votes) as on the cut-off date under 'Favour/Against'.
- 5. After selecting the appropriate option i.e. Favour/Against as desired and you have decided to vote, click on "Save". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "Confirm", else to change your vote, click on "Back" and accordingly modify your vote.
- 6. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify or change your vote subsequently.

Shareholders/ Members, who will be present in the Annual General Meeting through InstaMeet facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting facility during the meeting. Shareholders/ Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting prior to the Annual General Meeting will be eligible to attend/ participate in the Annual General Meeting through InstaMeet. However, they will not be eligible to vote again during the meeting.

Shareholders/ Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Tablets/ Laptops connected through broadband for better experience.

Shareholders/ Members are required to use Internet with a good speed (preferably 2 MBPS download stream) to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.

Please note that Shareholders/ Members connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptops connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Visual loss due to fluctuation in their network. It is therefore recommended to use stable Wi-Fl or LAN connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.

Shareholders facing any technical issue in login may contact INSTAMEET helpdesk by sending a request at instameet@in.mpms. mufg.com or contact on: -Tel: 022 – 4918 6000 / 4918 6175.

By the Order of the Board For K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd. -Sd/-Ritika Tandon Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Place: Lucknow Dated: 06.09.2025

ANNEXURE TO THE NOTICE

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 and 17(11) of SEBI LISTING REGULATIONS, 2015

Item No. 2

Shri Lakshmi Kant Dwarkadas Jhunjhunwala, Executive Chairman of the Company, retires by rotation pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the Articles of Association of the Company. Being eligible, he has offered himself for re-appointment.

It is pertinent to note that Shri Jhunjhunwala had previously been appointed as Executive Chairman of the Company beyond the age of seventy years, with shareholder approval obtained by way of special resolution, in accordance with the proviso to Section 196(3) read with Part I of Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013.

Although the current re-appointment is under Section 152 and would ordinarily require an ordinary resolution, the Board, as a matter of good governance and continued shareholder transparency, recommends that the re-appointment be approved by way of a special resolution, reaffirming the earlier shareholder consent granted for his appointment beyond the prescribed age limit.

The Board recommends the resolution set out in Item No. 2 of the Notice for approval of the members as a Special Resolution.

Interest of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel: Except Shri Lakshmi Kant Dwarkadas Jhunjhunwala, Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala (Managing Director), and Mr. Sanjay Jhunjhunwala (Joint Managing Director), none of the other Directors, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the proposed resolution.

Item no. 4

Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav was appointed as a Non-executive, Independent Director of the Company with effect from February 01, 2021, for the first term of five years pursuant to the approval of the shareholders of the Company accorded in the 2nd Extra-ordinary General meeting of the Company held on March 10, 2021.

In terms of Section 149 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions, if any of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder and regulation 16 & 17 of the SEBI Listing Regulations, 2015, the aforesaid persons can be appointed as an Non-Executive, Independent director for a second consecutive term of five years, with the approval of shareholders by way of special resolution.

Accordingly the Board of Directors of the Company ('the Board') at the meeting held on May 26, 2025, on the recommendation of the Nomination & Remuneration Committee ('the Committee'). recommended for the approval of the Members, the re-appointment of Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav as Independent Directors of the Company for the second term of five years with effect from ensuing 52nd Annual General Meeting, in terms of Section 149 read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), and Regulation 17 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations 2015'), as set out in the Resolutions relating to his re-appointment.

The Committee and the Board are of the view that, given the knowledge, experience and performance of Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav and his contribution to the Board and his continued association would benefit the Company. Declarations have been received from Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav that they meet the criteria of Independence prescribed under Section 149 of the Act, read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 16 of the Listing Regulations 2015.

In the opinion of the Board, Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav fulfils the conditions specified in the Act, the Rules thereunder, and the Listing Regulations 2015 for re-appointment as an Independent Director and is independent of the management of the Company. Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav shall be entitled to sitting fees for attending the meeting of the Board of committee and reimbursement of expenses for attending the said meetings as approved by the Board from time to time. In terms of the aforesaid provisions, Shri Bibhas Kumar Shrivastav shall not be liable to retire by rotation.

The consent of the Members by way of Special Resolution is required for the re-appointment of Shri Bibhas Kumar Shrivastav, in terms of Section 149 of the Act. Requisite Notices under Section 160 of the Act proposing the re-appointment of Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav have been received by the Company, and consents have been filed by Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav pursuant to Section 152 of the Act.

Additional information in respect of Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav, pursuant to the Listing Regulations 2015 and the Secretarial Standard on General Meetings, is provided in Appendix -A.

The Board recommend the resolution as set out in item no. 4 for approval of the members as a Special Resolution.

None of the directors and key managerial personnel and/ or their relatives, except he himself and his relatives, are in any way, financially or otherwise, interested or concerned in this resolution.

Item no. 5

The Company is required to make an appointment of a Secretarial Auditor in terms of the provisions of Regulation 24A of the SEBI Listing Regulations read with provisions of Section 204 read with Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, if any ("the Act"). In accordance with the provisions of Regulation 24A of the SEBI Listing Regulations from the financial year 2025-26 onwards, the appointment of a Secretarial Auditor is required to be approved by the members in the AGM, and the term of a Secretarial Auditor shall be five years. The Audit Committee and the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on May 26, 2025, have considered the proposal. In compliance with the aforesaid provisions, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors recommends the appointment of M/s Amit Gupta & Associates ('AGA'), Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. P2025UP103200) as the Secretarial Auditors for a term of five (5) years commencing from the conclusion of 52nd AGM till the conclusion of 57th AGM.

The fees will be approved by the Board/Committee. In addition to the secretarial audit, AGA may provide such other permissible services from time to time as may be approved by the Board of Directors. The proposed fee is based on knowledge, expertise, industry experience, time and effort required to be put in by the Secretarial auditor, which is in line with the industry benchmark. The payment for services in the nature of certifications and other professional work, if any, will be in addition to the Secretarial audit fee and shall be determined by the Audit Committee and/or the Board of Directors.

AGA is a firm of Practising Company Secretaries, established in May 2002 by Mr Amit Gupta, a fellow member having diversified experience. The firm is primarily engaged in areas of secretarial audit, corporate advisory services, transactional services, legal due diligence, compliance management, etc., for diverse entities, including the listed, unlisted, MSME and public sector. AGA is registered with the ICSI, and its partners are peer-reviewed in terms of the certificate issued by the Peer Review Board of ICSI. The firm has extensive experience in handling assignments for large, listed entities.

AGA have consented to the said appointment and confirmed that their appointment, if made, would be within the limits specified by the Institute of Companies Secretaries of India. AGA have also confirmed their eligibility and independence under regulation 24A of SEBI Listing Regulations, the Companies Act, 2013, the Companies Secretaries Act, 1980, and Rules and Regulations made thereunder and has expressed their willingness to accept the appointment upon approval.

Considering the experience of AGA with the large, listed companies, and its expertise, the Audit Committee and the Board recommend the resolution as set out in item no. 5 for approval of the members as an ordinary resolution.

None of the directors and key managerial personnel and/ or their relatives is in any way, financially or otherwise, interested or concerned in this resolution.

Item no. 6

The Board of Directors approved the appointment of M/s. Aman Malviya & Associates, Cost Accountants, Lucknow, as a Cost Auditor of the Company for conducting cost audit for the financial year 2025-26 in the meeting held on May 26, 2025 at the remuneration of Rs. 50,000/plus goods and services tax, as applicable, and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses, in line with the recommendation of the Audit Committee. Pursuant to the provisions of section 148, other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be ratified by the members of the Company.

The Board recommends the resolution set out in item no. 6 of the notice for approval and ratification to the members as an Ordinary Resolution.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives are concerned or interested financially or otherwise in this resolution.

Appendix -A

Details of Directors seeking appointment and re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting [Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings]

Names	Mr. L.K Jhunjhunwala	Mr. Aditya Jhunjhunwala	Shri Bibhas Kumar Srivastav
Age	83 years	55 years	69 years
Din	01854647	01686189	06533710
Date of first appointment on the Board	19.09.2015	19.09.2015	01.02.2021
Qualifications	He is an Arts graduate	He is a Commerce graduate	M.Sc. (Agriculture) in Animal Husbandry and Dairy Science from Banaras Hindu University, 1977. Advanced Diploma in Management in 2015 from All India Management Education, New Delhi. This diploma is a pre-requisite to Ph.D. as required under University Grants Commission, India Rules. Pursuing Ph.D. Programme under All India Management Association-Aligarh Muslim University arrangement. Professional Qualification: Certificated Associate of Indian Institute of Bankers (CAIIB) conducted by Indian Institute of Banking and Finance, Mumbai.

Nature of Expertise & Experience	He has more than 50 years of experience in Sugar Industry. He has been Associated with the Company since inception as promoter and is also associated with various Industry Associations i.e. FICCI, ASSOCEHM. He was the past president of U.P. Sugar Mills Association and East U.P. Sugar Mills Association and past president of Chamber of commerce & Industry UP	He has about 32 years of business experience mainly in Sugar and Power. He is looking after the overall operations of the Company. He is currently the president of Indian Sugar Mills association.	Development of Agriculture and Rural Credit, Development and management of rural credit, Semiurban branch management, handled retail banking, both asset and liability, for businesses as well as households and implementing various programmes for Scheduled Tribes, Urban branch management providing banking services to the students, micro and small city entrepreneurs and medium scale enterprises, a full range of banking services to city households, implementation of various Government Sponsored programmes for urban unemployed youth. Policy formulation, implementation and monitoring of various credit programmes for Agriculture, Micro and Small Enterprises and Other Priority Sector and implementation of various livelihood programmes sponsored by Central and State Governments. Metro branch management. It included providing banking services to large, retail as well as big clients of the Bank. Board level role- overall supervision in running this medium sized bank. Looking after all the facets of banking including priority sector, retail credit and financial inclusion to wholesale credit, Investment to Risk Management and Information Technology, overall bank management.
Skills and Capabilities	Industry Experience, Industry Knowledge,	Industry Experience, Industry Knowledge, Interpersonal Relations and Leadership	Business Strategy, Brand Building and LeadershipSales and MarketingStrategic PlanningGeneral Administration
Relationship with other Director/ Key Managerial Personnel	He is related to Shri Aditya Jhunjhunwala, Managing Director and Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala, Jt. Managing Director	He is related to Shri L.K Jhunjhunwala, Chairman and Shri Sanjay Jhunjhunwala, Jt. Managing Director	Not related to any Director / Key Managerial Personnel
Terms and conditions of appointment/ reappointment:	Appointed as Whole Time Director designated as Joint Managing Director with effect from 19th September,2019. His office is liable to retire by rotation. He is entitled to receive renumerations as per the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013	Appointed as Whole Time Director designated as Joint Managing Director with effect from 19th September, 2019. His office is liable to retire by rotation. He is entitled to receive renumerations as per the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013	It is proposed to appoint Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav as an Independent Director of the Company for second Term of Five (5) years commencing from February 01, 2026, subject to such earlier date as may be determined by the Board, not liable to retire by rotation.
Remuneration last drawn	Rs. 3.34 crores for the period ending 31.03.2025	Rs. 3.56 crores for the period ending 31.03.2025	N/A
Remuneration proposed to be paid:			Shri Bibhash Kumar Shrivastav being a Non-Executive Independent Director shall be paid sitting fees for attending Board and/or Committee Meetings of the company at par with other Independent Directors.
Number of meetings of the Board attended during the financial year (2024-25):	3	5	5

Directorships held in other companies	1) Marvel Business Pvt Ltd 2) Jhunjhunwala Securities Pvt. Ltd. 3) Satyam Trade Centre Pvt Ltd 4) Nidhi Financial Services Pvt Ltd 5) Shailja Properties Private Limited 6) UP Angel Network Association	5) Shri Shakti Credits Limited 6) Marvel Business Pvt Ltd 7) Avantika Tradelink Private Limited	N.A.
Memberships / Chairmanships of committees of other companies	None	None	N.A.
Memberships/ Chairmanships of committees of the Board of the Company	CSR Committee	Finance committee	Audit Committee- Chairperson Finance Committee-Member
Memberships/ Chairmanships of committees of other companies		Member of Audit Committee in Sonar Casting Ltd	
No. of shares in the Company	14302600	5289242	Nil

Place: Lucknow
Dated: 06.09.2025

By the Order of the Board For K. M. Sugar Mills Ltd. -Sd/-Ritika Tandon Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

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