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Who are we?

PDS at a glance



Financial Snapshot FY23

Geography wise (FY23 % share*)



Our Vision

Be the most admired global enterprise providing innovative fashion solutions in the most ethical and trusted way



Our Values

Trust, Integrity and Ethics

Transparency,
Collaboration &
Teamwork

People First

Entrepreneurial Spirit Customer Centricity

Social
Responsibility

₹12,230 cr | \$1,521mn

GMV 个26% Y-o-Y

₹459 cr | \$57mn

EBITDA 个40% Y-o-Y

44%

ROCE

₹10,577 cr | \$1,316mn

Topline 个20% Y-o-Y

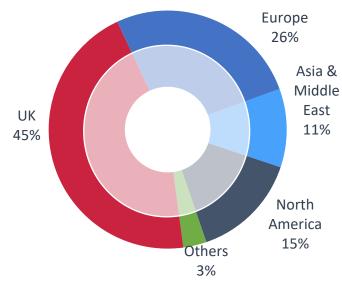
₹327 cr | \$41mn

PAT 个12% Y-o-Y

29%

ROE

Geography wise (FY23 % share*)



Critical Success Factors

PDS Footprint

22+

Countries

10,000+

Employees + Factory Associates 60+

Offices

250+

Retailers and Brand Partners



Right Product, Right Market and Right Factory



Design Led Sustainable and Responsible Sourcing



Compliant and Transparent Supply Chain



Strong Financials and Risk Management Capabilities. Asset Light Platform Model



Investments in people, training and development, infrastructure, equipment, technology, etc.

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^{*}Note: Basis broad estimates | ROCE based on net capital employed

What we do?

Global Fashion Solutions Company Simplifying the Entire Fashion Value Chain



Fashion Solutions
Platform









Design-Led Sourcing

- ➤ **600+** Compliant partnered factories
- > 250+ Dedicated designers
- > In-house product development
- Leveraging Market and Global Trade intelligence for speed







PRIMARK

MATALAN

Manufacturing

- Owned Manufacturing Facilities
- Dedicated capacities with a longterm commitment
- Facilitates with LEED Gold Certification and HIGG Index Membership



Sourcing as a Service

- Complete Outsourcing Solutions
- Partnership model with full transparency and strong controls
- Exclusive teams and infrastructure as an Extension of the Brand/Retailer



Brands

- End to End services of design, range planning, product development, buying, and sourcing
- Influencer led, Collab, Licensed Brands, Acquired Brand Management



ED BAKER

FW BRIDGE

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PDS Ventures feeding innovation

Strong Governance

6Cs (Compliance, Currency, Compliant Capacity, Customer Dependency, Cost, Credit) + I (Inventory)

Balance Sheet Focus (Cash, Capability, Credibility)

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What is our culture?

PDS Guiding Principles Enabling A Robust Platform





Entrepreneurship model





3 Balance Sheets



Zero bottlenecks



Zero power centers



Zero bureaucracy



Maximum Agility



Equal Opportunity

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What are the drivers for PDS' growth?



FAR / NEAR SHORING

- Our versatile global operations allow us to tailor production to meet the specific needs of retailers and brands, addressing both near shoring and far shoring requirements effectively
- Global presence spanning over 22 countries and a strong presence in key apparel manufacturing hubs such as Bangladesh, Turkey, Sri Lanka, and China amongst others

CONSOLIDATION IN THE INDUSTRY

- The industry is currently undergoing a consolidation trend, with larger firms poised for expansion, benefiting from synergistic advantages that enable them to offer competitive pricing and effectively serve large clientele
- Rapid expansion through strategic acquisitions, capitalizing on the current market conditions where numerous assets are available at favorable valuations

RETAILER RESTRUCTURING

- Retailers are strategically restructuring to enhance supply chain resilience, prioritize customer-facing activities, and achieve cost efficiencies
- This restructuring aligns with PDS global network. This strategic alignment benefits both parties with improved coordination and resource utilization









REGULATORY ESG FRAMEWORKS

- Increasing focus on ESG due to evolving regulatory frameworks
- Making strides in sustainability, focusing on material sourcing, transparent supply chains, and circular economy principles to reduce our environmental impact

Where do we see opportunities?

Multiple levers available across value chain for growth



Guardrails for Pursuing Opportunities

Design-Led Sourcing



Onboard entrepreneurs with anchor customers, geography, or category expertise



Partner to grow vs pay to



Acquisition at Replacement Value / Net Asset Value



Strong management team / founders should be at the helm to drive business

Manufacturing

- Untapped Locations
- Reputable Entrepreneurs
- Fully Compliant Factories
- Avoid Greenfield Projects





Sourcing as a service

- **Best Entrepreneurial Teams**
- Radical Transparency
- Act as Extension of Retailer's Sourcing Arm
- > True Manufacturing Cost







Brand Management

- Retaining Brand DNA
- ➤ No Inventory Risk
- No Credit Risk
- Upside on Exit





Ancillary Services

- Procurement
- Design Studio
- Compliance & Quality
- Sustainability

Thinking Beyond traditional model with "Menu of Services" approach

Growth Drivers

Wallet Share

Manufacturing

Category Expansion

Brands

New Customer Acquisition

Strategic Tie-ups

Geographical Expansion

Brands Management



Our Key Competitive Strengths





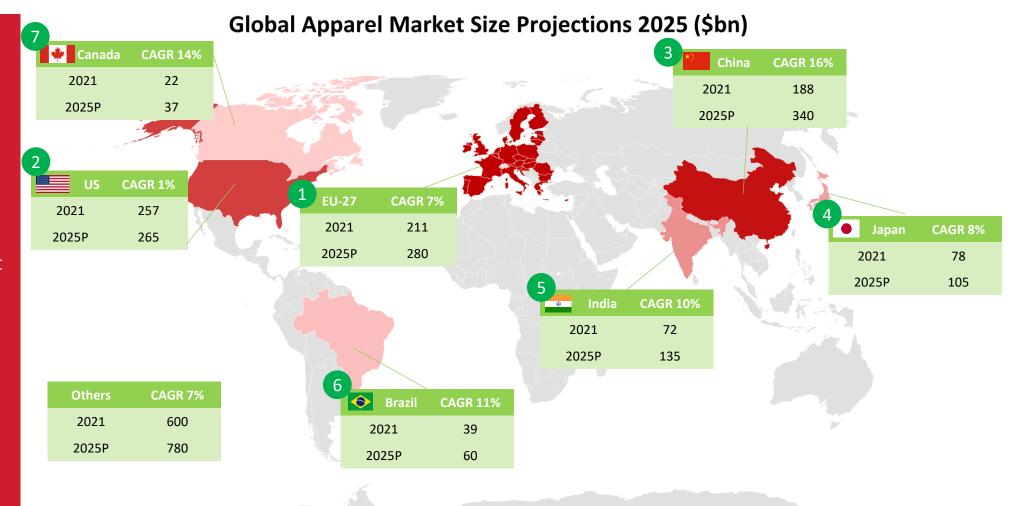
Enormous global apparel market offers multi-billion-dollar opportunity	1	
Presence across the entire fashion value chain with a strong right to win	2	
Vast global network with presence across countries and coverage of all apparel segments	3	
Catering to a diversified base of marquee global customers	4	
Driven by entrepreneurs through a unique business model	5	
Robust financial performance with track record of growth and profitability	6	
Led by experienced management team along with strong governance, compliance & sustainability practices	7	

Global Apparel Consumption will reach US\$2 tn by 2025



Apparel consumption in top 7 economies constitutes ~60% of the global consumption in 2021

- Global apparel market reached a turnover of US\$1.6 tn in 2021, a 16% rise from 2020
- China is likely to become the largest apparel market by 2025, followed by the European Union and the United States
- The market is expected to reach US\$2 tn by 2025



Source: Industry Reports

Australian Bureau of Statistics, GeoNames, Microsoft, Navinfo, OpenStreetMap, TomTom, Wikipedia

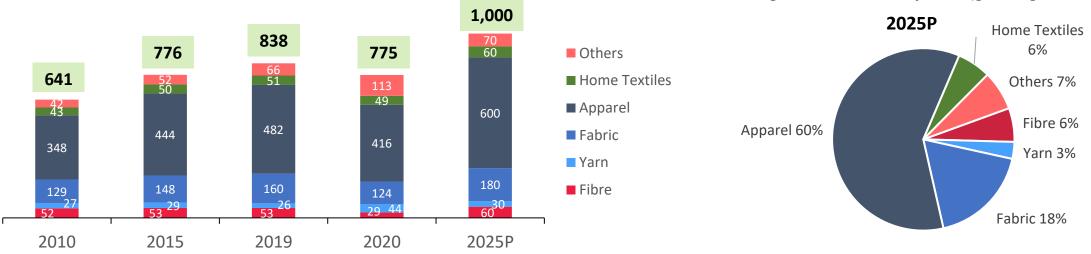
1 Apparel is the Major Contributor in the Trillion Dollar T&A Trade

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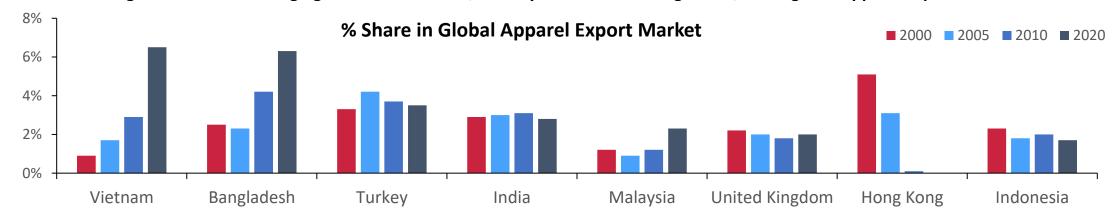


Global textile & apparel trade is expected to reach US\$1 tn by 2025, growing at a CAGR of 5%

Apparel's trade value is expected to reach 60% of the global T&A trade by 2025 (growing at a CAGR of 8%)



Increasing dominance of emerging market economies, notably Vietnam and Bangladesh, in the global apparel export market



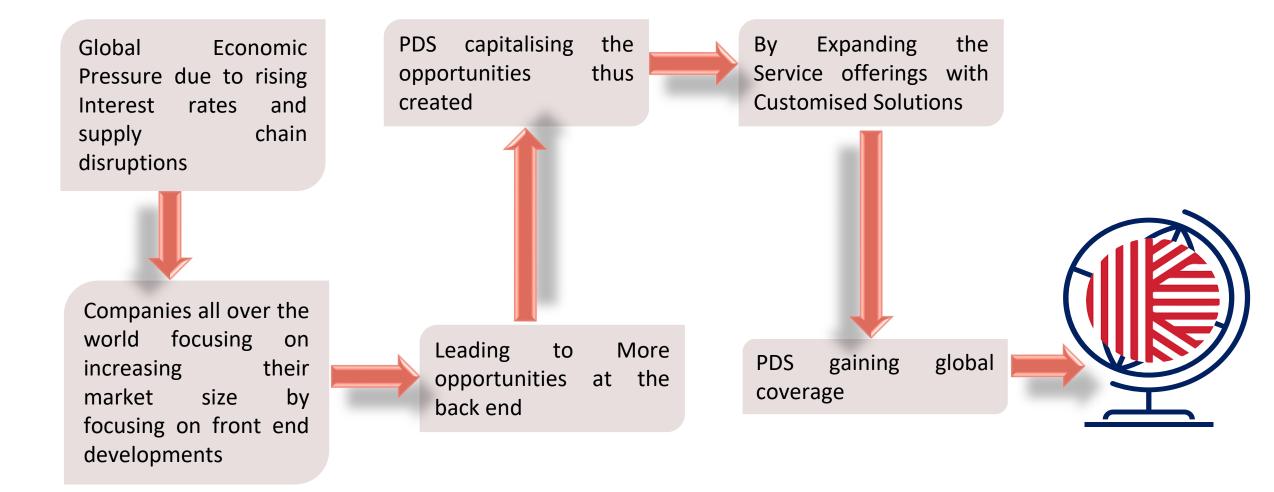
Source: Industry Reports; Note: T&A – Textile and Apparel | Figures are in US\$, unless mentioned otherwise



Evolving Market Dynamics Enabling PDS' "Right to Win"



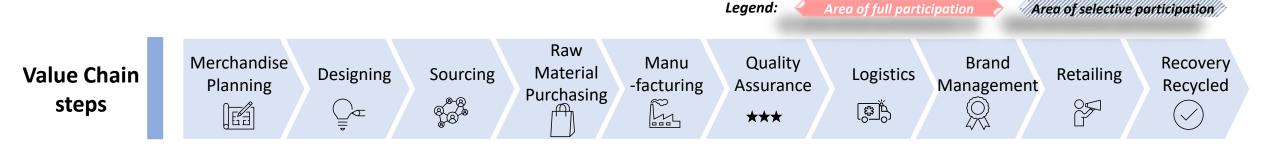
PDS is leveraging the opportunities created to expand global reach



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Presence Across Entire Fashion Value Chain via Bespoke Solutions







Through Sourcing as a Service

Through Design-Led Sourcing

Portfolio of 40+

verticals

Through Manufacturing Facilities





Through In-house, Collab. **Licensed and Acquired Brands**









YELLOW OCTOPUS

Through Platform &

PDS Ventures









Supported by Global Banking Relationships: +\$500mn Banking Lines









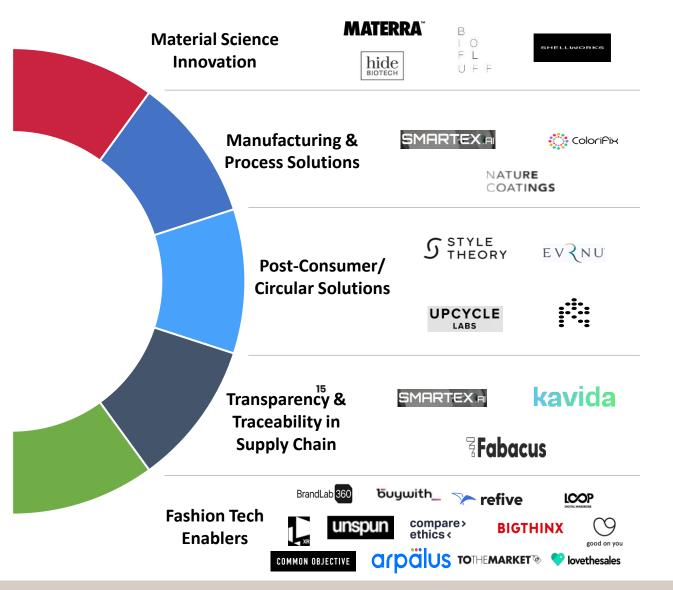
PDS is a one-stop-shop, which simplifies the entire fashion value chain from designing & sampling to souring & manufacturing

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PDS Ventures - Further Strengthening Our "Right to Win"

PDS
Global I Collaborative | Digital | Bhical

Focus on cultivating brands with focus on sustainability and circularity technology



Partnering with Collaborators to Create Future Wins

Co-Investment with Strategic retailer partners

H&M Group



BESTSELLER*

Partnering with Collaborators



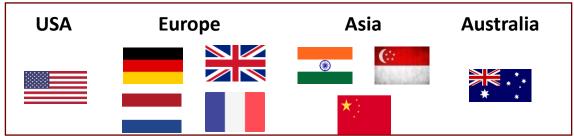




At the forefront of Early-Stage Investments in Fashion Supply Chain

- Only Structured Corporate Venture Capital in the supply chain side
- Leading Investor in Innovation in the Fashion supply chain

Investing Globally



Wast Global Network with Coverage of All Apparel Segments











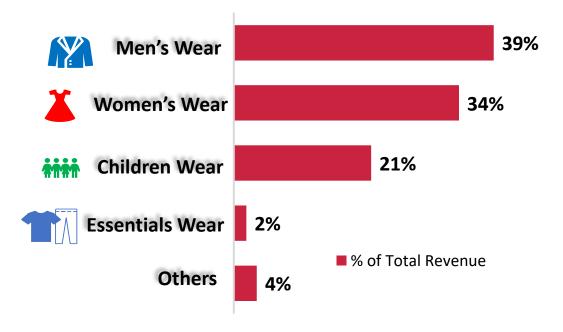






Strong Presence Across All Segments

Category Wise Revenue Split (FY23)



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Catering to a Diversified Base of Marquee Global Clients





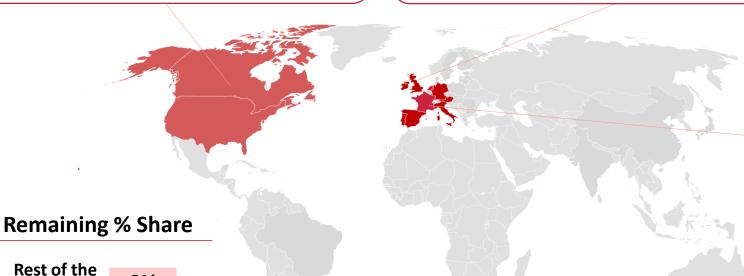


Sainsbury's MATALAN

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On an average basis, each of the top 10 customers contributes <7% of the Topline









George.

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Group







% Share of FY23 Revenue

3%

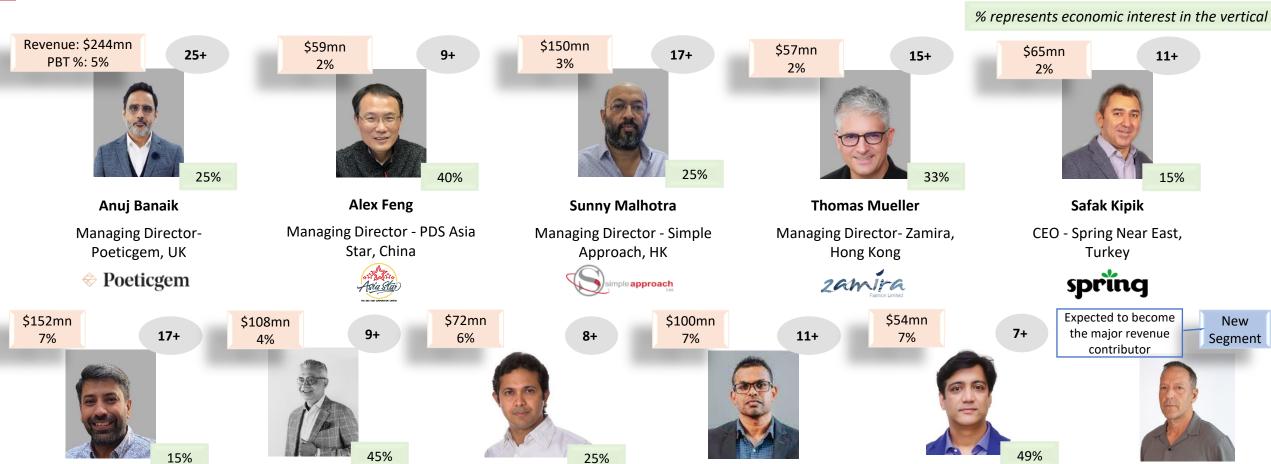
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Note: This is a select list of clients

World

Experienced Business Heads Driving Business & Customer Engagement

Business model based on the ethos of "Partner and Grow Together"



Rakesh Chadha

Executive Director -Design Arc & Twins Asia, UK



Note: Sourced from MIS for FY23

Rajiv Ranjan

Managing Director -Techno Design. Germany

Rajnish Kapoor

Managing Director -Krayons Sourcing, Bangladesh KR/YONS

Chandana Ranatunga

CEO - Norlanka Manufacturing Sri Lanka

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Iftekhar Ullah Khan

Managing Director-Kleider Group, Bangladesh



Steve Goodwin

Managing Director-Ted Baker Design Group

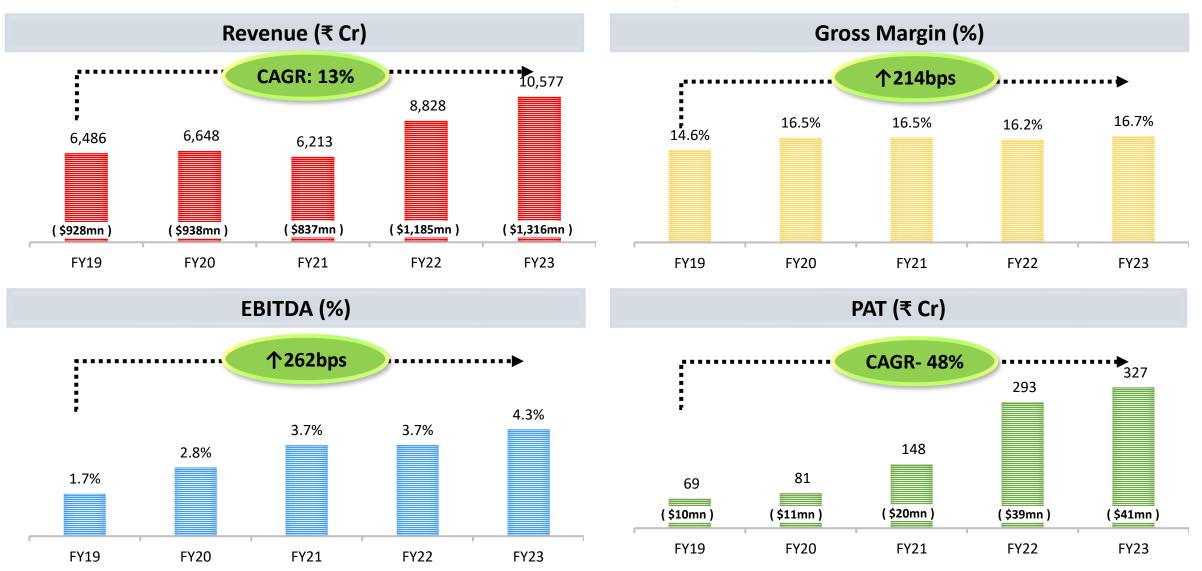


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Robust Financial Performance (1/2)



Consistent performance is a testament to our effective strategies, and efficient execution



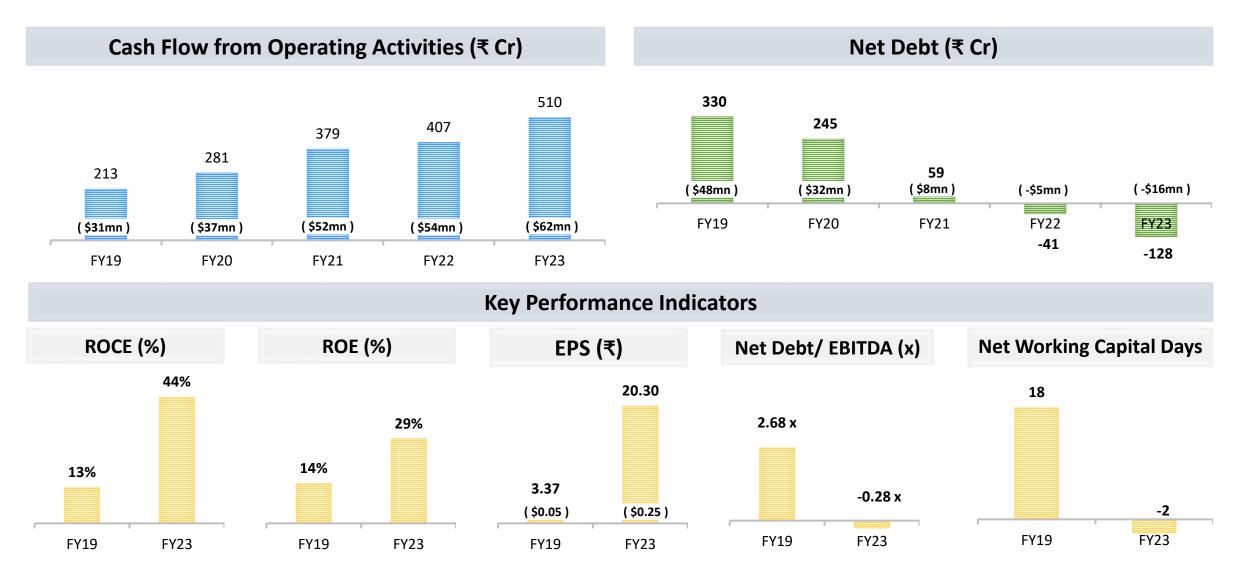
Note: Growth, margins, and CAGR are based on ₹ values as reported on the stock exchange and published in the investor update



Robust Financial Performance (2/2)



Enabled us to maintain our growth trajectory despite economic headwinds



Note: ROCE, ROE and Net Debt/EBITDA are based on ₹ values as reported on the stock exchange and published in the investor update | ROCE is based on Net Capital Employed. ROCE and ROE are based on ₹ TTM figures



Highly Reputable Board of Directors & Pedigreed Leadership Team



Board of Directors



Deepak Kumar Seth

Founder and **Group Chairman** Active member of AEPC, AEMA



Executive Vice

Chairman

Harvard Business School

Business School

Northwestern

Pallak Seth

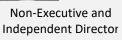


Payel Seth





Yael Gairola







Mungo Park

Independent Director 45+ years in Investment banking **NOMURA**

INNOVATOR

CAPITAL



Robert Sinclair









Nishant

Parikh



Non-Executive Non-

Independent Director

Ex-Senior partner and

MD at

Parth Gandhi



BG **Srinivas**

Independent and Non-**Executive Director** Ex- Executive and Group MD at





Ankur

Agarwal

Investment

Head.

PDS

Venture

Investments

7+ years

Leadership Team

Business Development & PDS Ventures

Sanjay Jain Group CEO Six sigma black belt. 30 + years

with EICHER





Rahul Ahuja

Group CFO 27+ years of experience with







Raamann Ahuja

Group **CHRO** 25+ years with





Paul Wright

Director

Group ESG Director 35+ years experience with



Saurabh Saxena

Group CIO 20+ years with





Reenah Joseph

Head -Corporate Finance. M&A and Investor Relations



future group

Shahed Mahmud

Country Director-Bangladesh with PDS since 2006





Ajay **Thakkar**

Group General Counsel 22+ years of experience with





Abhishekh Kanoi

Head of Legal and Company Secretary 16+ years with



Sagar Ballari

Executive Director, New **Business** 12+ years with



Shriram Jatar Vice

President. Corporate Development 12+ years with







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Recent Wins Driving Our Strategic Growth

We are Capitalizing on the Disruptions in the Industry













Manufacturing





Solar plant at Bangladesh & Sri Lanka













Brands & Brand Management







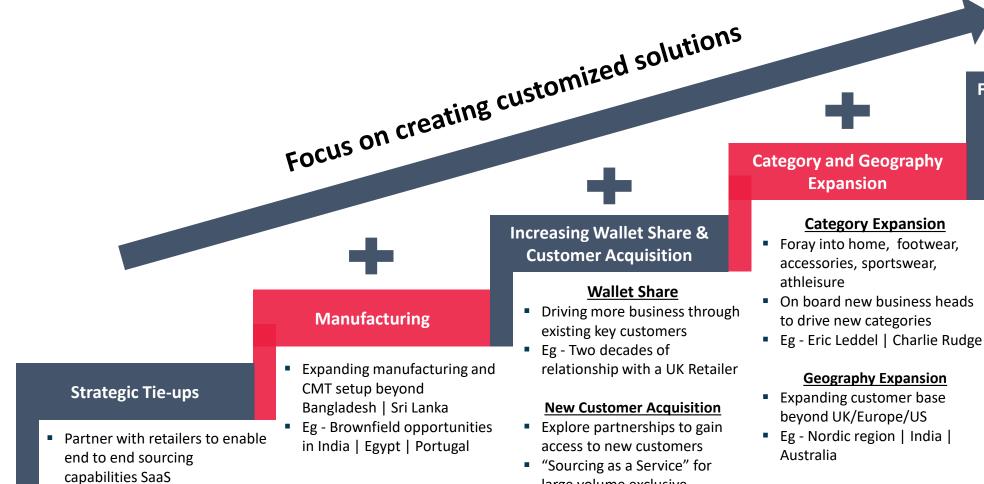


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Gearing Up for Driving Growth & Profitability

Multiple levers of growth available across segments





Focus on Brands and Brands Management

Brands

- Expand portfolio of brands driving wholesale distribution
- Licensed brands | Influencer Brands
- Eg Sunny Up | FW Bridge | Forever 21 | Little Mistress

Brands Management

- End to end management for brands from concept to distribution
- Eg Ted Baker

large volume exclusive customer contracts

Geography Expansion

- Expanding customer base beyond UK/Europe/US
- Eg Nordic region | India Australia

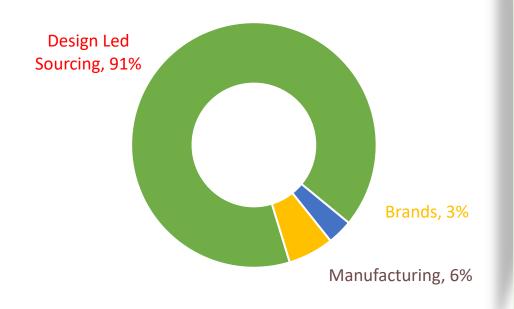
Eg - SaaS and complete

outsourcing solutions

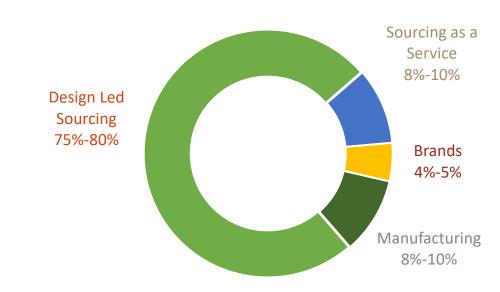
In FY22, Chartered a Journey for Achieving \$2.5bn Revenue Potential







Annual Revenue Potential 4-5 years: \$2.5bn (₹21,000cr)



Strategic Opportunities Currently Pursued Have The Potential To Fast Track Our Trajectory Of Profitable

Growth

Well Poised to Drive Sustainable & Profitable Growth



1

Post-COVID Resilience and Growth

- Successfully weathered the COVID-19 challenges
- Embarking on an ambitious growth trajectory encompassing new customers, categories, territories, and brands

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Commitment to Governance and Sustainability

- Carefully manage the risks and further augment its governance across its entire global footprint
- Commit part of its resources to a carefully chosen ESG & Digital/Tech agenda



2

Strategic Ecosystem Opportunities

- Strategic growth opportunities with existing & prospective customers
- Expanding the global manufacturing and sourcing network
- Exploring long-term partnerships with brands and retailers

3

Focused on Future Growth and Profitability

- Preparing for short-term uncertainties with resilience
- While building levers for driving growth and profitability





Business Driven Based on a Robust Risk Management

Safeguard against business risks and delivering success even during uncertain times



Credit

- Credit insurance
- Preonboarding review of customers and suppliers
- Rigorous monitoring receivables and payables

Cost

- Review OPEX continuously while managing costs
- Global practices driven by financial controllers, who support the platform in reducing costs and increasing savings

Customer Dependency

- No single customer dependency
- Top 20 customers contributing to <75% of revenues



Compliance

- PDS Code of Conduct
- Zero Tolerance Violation (ZTV) Policy
- Customer compliance requirements

Currency

- Business largely dollar denominated
- Immediate forex cover for other currencies

Compliant Capacity

Own factories and vendor facilities are subject to reviews and audits, we operate with only complaint facilities

Low inventory risk, working majorly on pre-sold basis

Design Led Sourcing



Enabling brands and retailers optimize sourcing strategies, reduce costs, and timely delivery



Sourcing as a Service Model

Long-term strategic collaborations – a testament to our capabilities



Exclusive Sourcing Partner

Engagement Model

- Joint Budgeting and Decision Making
- Monthly overheads to be charged on actual basis
- Transparency on Factory Price and Opex

Design

- Market Intelligence from young fashion retailer to identify bestsellers
- Digital Product Creation and Approvals Capabilities



- Lead price negotiations with factories to bring best value
- Leverage Scale by consolidating buying across product categories and seasons
- Empower & Train factories for self sealing and inspections



- Capacity Booking and Management
- Supplier Scorecard and Improvement Plan

Compliance and Technical

- Ethical Audits for follow up and verification
- Technical Audits
- Sustainability verification Audits



Exclusive: Bangladesh Non-Exclusive: India | Pakistan | Egypt



Exclusive:
India | Sri Lanka
Non Exclusive:
Bangladesh



Exclusive: Turkey, Jordan, Egypt, Tunisia



Exclusive:
Bangladesh | India
Non Exclusive:
China

Potential Annual Merchandise Value: \$1bn over next 4-5 years Potential Annual Revenue to PDS \$50-60m with PBT of 18-20%

Manufacturing Business

Greater control over the production process and stringent quality assurance procedures













Strategic & tactical decision



Driven by customer centricity

Enhances credibility with customers especially from the US

Certifications

WRAP, Sedex, GOTS, USGBC, CTPAT, ACCORD, BCI, Global Recycled Standard, amfori BSCI

Specialisation of apparel manufactured

Woven Garments

1,12,000 sq. ft

Production capacity

8,00,000-8,50,000 pcs p.a

Certifications

WRAP, Sedex, GOTS, USGBC, CTPAT, ACCORD, BCI, Global Recycled Standard, amfori BSCI

Specialisation of apparel manufactured

Woven Bottoms

(Mens and Ladies Formal and Casual pants, cargo, non-denim bottoms, jaggers, dresses, school wears and kids wear)

Production area

3,58,690 sq. ft

Production capacity

12 million pes p.a

Certifications

WRAP, Sedex, GOTS, USGBC, CTPAT, ACCORD, BCI, Global Recycled Standard, amfori BSCI

Specialisation of apparel manufactured

Baby wear

Production or

56,000 sq. ft

Production capacity

1.1 Million pcs per month:

PDS's Sri Lankan subsidiary Norlanka launches Centralised Cutting Plant (CCP)





Partnered Good Fashion Fund for installation of Wash Plant at Progress Apparels



Powered our operations with Green Energy in Norlanka & GSSL

Brand Management

Driving higher margin portfolio supported by strong design and sourcing capabilities



In House Brands

Influencer/Acquired Brands

Licensed Brands

End to End Brand Management



PEAK



















DURAN















TED BAKER LONDON

Exploring and expanding into end to end brand management solutions

Catering to Leading Retailers and Brands (Value)



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Catering to Leading Retailers and Brands (Premium)

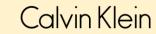


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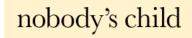


























Pioneering Sustainability and Workplace Excellence

Organization Strengthened by a People-first Approach







+10,000 global employee strength

Awarded ESOPs for ~100 employees

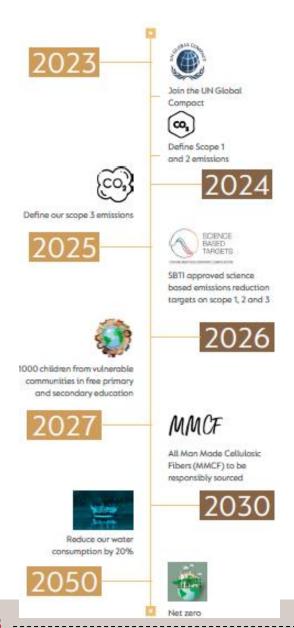


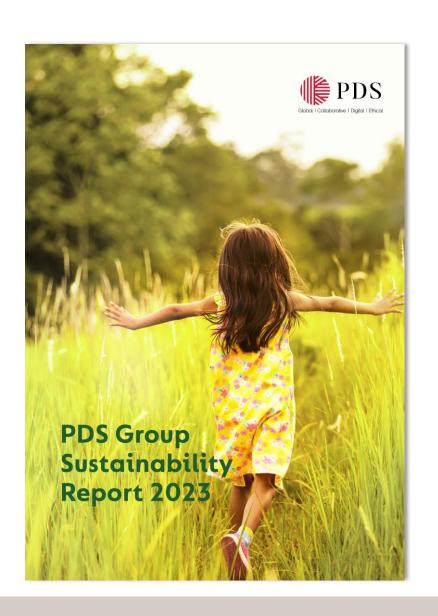


Continue to Focus on Creating a Positive Impact



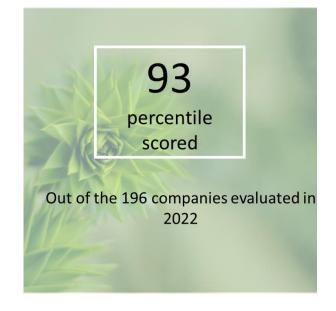






S&P ESG Rating – Our First Step

S&P Global Ratings



Giving Back to the Community











PDS' commitment to create a sustainable future for the business, people and the communities we serve by providing children with quality education along with healthcare, nutrition and vocational training program for adults

Soham is contributing to their all-round growth and development







Winning Accolades & Industry Representation





2022 VISION AWARDS

ONLINE REPORT COMPETITION



PDS Limited

Kalolwalla & Associates Private Limited

is presented with the

Platinum Award

for excellence within its industry on the development of the organization's online report for the past fiscal year.







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Financial Statements and Shareholding

Consolidated Profit & Loss

For the Year ended March 23



Values in ₹ cr

Doubleston	Full Year ended	Full Year ended	Growth
Particulars	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22	(Y-o-Y)
Income from Operations	10,577	8,828	20%
COGS	8,806	7,396	19%
Gross Profit	1,771	1,432	24%
Gross Margin (%)	16.7%	16.2%	53 bps
Employee Expense	761	621	23%
% of Income from Operations	7.2%	7.0%	16 bps
Other Expenses	551	484	14%
% of Income from Operations	5.2%	5.5%	-27 bps
EBITDA	459	327	40%
EBITDA Margin (%)	4.3%	3.7%	64 bps
Depreciation	80	70	15%
Other Income	52	86	-40%
EBIT	431	343	25%
EBIT Margin (%)	4.1%	3.9%	18 bps
Finance Cost	74	33	127%
Profit before exceptional items and tax	356	311	15%
Add: Profit/(Loss) of Associates	0	-1	
Profit Before Tax	357	310	15%
Tax Expenses	30	17	74%
Profit After Tax	327	293	12%
PAT Margin (%)	3.1%	3.3%	-23 bps
- Owners of the Company	265	248	7%
- Non controlling interest	62	44	39%

Key Highlights

- 1. Income from Operations increased by 20%
- 2. Gross Profit increased by 53bps to 16.7% from 16.2%
- 3. EBITDA increased by 40% with margin expansion of 64bps to 4.3% vs 3.7%
- 4. Finance costs have increased due to the increased cost of borrowing over the last year
- 5. PBT increased by 15% to ₹357cr vs ₹310cr in FY22
- 6. PAT increased by 12% with 3.1% margin

Consolidated Balance Sheet

As on March 31, 2023



Values in ₹ cr

Particulars	As on	As on
raiticulais	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22
Non-Current Assets	886	787
Current Assets	2,223	2,611
Inventories	256	305
Trade Receivables	978	1,421
Cash and cash equivalents	511	460
Other Bank Balances	218	205
Other Current Assets	260	220
Total Assets	3,109	3,398
Total Equity	1,113	936
Non-Current Liabilities	105	112
Borrowings	2	0
Other Non-Current Liabilities	103	112
Current Liabilities	1,892	2,350
Borrowings	599	623
Trade Payables	1,125	1,566
Other Current Liabilities	168	160
Total Equity & Liabilities	3,109	3,398

Particulars	As on	As on
	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22
Calculated basis LTM P&L items		
Inventory Days	11	15
Debtor Days	34	59
Payables Days	47	77
NWC Days	-2	-3
Total Debt	601	623
Net Debt	-128	-41

Working Capital & Leverage Ratios:

- 1. Net Working Capital Days of -2 days vs -3 days as of March 2022
- 2. Net Debt has decreased by ₹87cr to -₹128cr in March 2023 from -₹41cr in March 2022

Return to Stakeholders:

- 1. Reported ROCE of 44%
- 2. Reported ROE of 29%



SOURCING SOLITIONS

3RÂND COLLECTIVE

POSITIVE MA+ERIALS

Grupo Sourcing Ltd.

PDS FASHIONS