IPO Report

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Salient features of the IPO:

- Kalpataru Ltd. (Kalpataru), is an integrated real estate development company involved in all key activities associated with real estate development, including the identification and acquisition of land, planning, designing, execution, sales, and marketing of the projects is coming up with an IPO to raise around Rs. 1590cr, which opens on 24th June. and closes on 26th June. 2025. The price band is Rs. 387 414per share
- The IPO solely comprises of fresh issue (Rs. 1590cr). From the fresh issue net proceeds, the company will be utilizing Rs. 1192.5cr for Repayment/pre-payment, in full or in part, of certain borrowings availed by the Company and the subsidiaries. Residual proceeds will be used for general corporate purposes.
- Post-IPO, the P&PG and public shareholders will have 81.3% and 18.7% stake in the company, respectively.

Key competitive strengths:

- Prominent presence in MMR and Pune, spanning diverse micro-markets and price segments
- Strong brand known for selling throughout construction phases
- Healthy pipeline with clear near-term cash flow visibility
- Proven integrated execution—land acquisition to sales—with economies of scale and timely delivery
- Leader in green, sustainable, and innovative building design (e.g., LEED Platinum at Kalpataru Square)
- Backed by Kalpataru Group's multinational EPC, logistics, and infrastructure expertise

Risk and concerns:

- General slowdown in the global economic activities
- Net losses may continue, weakening finances, operations, cash flows, and share price.
- 95 % of projects and sales are residential and heavily concentrated in MMR & Pune.
- Long project timelines risk delays and cost overruns.
- Heavy reliance on presales for working capital.
- Heavy leverage.
- Competition.

Below are the key highlights of the company:

- From 2021 to 2024, the seven major Indian residential markets—including Mumbai Metropolitan Region, Pune, Bengaluru, Hyderabad, NCR, Chennai, and Kolkata—absorbed around 4.59 lakh units in 2024. Despite total unsold inventory climbing approximately 24 % since 2019 (to about 468,000 units by March 2024), the time to liquidate this stock dropped sharply, from an average of 32 months in 2019 to just 22 months in Q1 2024.
- Between 2019 and 2024, the MMR consistently held the highest share of both supply and absorption—around 31–32 % on average—while Pune accounted for about 17–18 %. This robust performance has been supported by strong policy measures, infrastructure investments, financial accessibility, and a focus on sustainability to ensure development remains affordable and livable.
- Breakdown of the project portfolio as of December 31, 2024:

| Particular | No. | Area (in msf.) |
|----------------------|------|----------------|
| Completed Projects | 75.0 | 16.1 |
| Ongoing Projects | 25.0 | 24.8 |
| Forthcoming Projects | 6.0 | 16.3 |
| Planned Projects | 5.0 | 7.8 |

| Issue details | |
|---|--|
| Price band | Rs. 387 - 414 per share |
| Face value | Rs. 10 |
| Shares for fresh issue | 3.840 - 4.108cr shares |
| Shares for OFS | Nil |
| Fresh issue size | Rs. 1590cr |
| OFS issue size | Rs. NA |
| Total issue size | 3.840 – 4.108cr shares (Rs. 1590cr) |
| Bidding date | 24 th June 26 th June. 2025 |
| Implied MCAP at higher price band | Rs. 8,524cr |
| Implied enterprise value at higher price band | Rs. 17,906cr |
| Book running lead manager | ICICI Securities Ltd. JM Financial Ltd Nomura Financial Advisory and Securities (India) Pvt Ltd. |
| Registrar | MUFG Intime India Pvt Ltd |
| Sector | Residential Commercial Projects. |
| Promoters | Mofatraj P. Munot And Parag M. Munot |

| Category | Percent of issue (%) | Number of shares | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| QIB portion | 75% | 2.88 - 3.08cr shares | | | | | | |
| Non institutional portion (Big) | 10% | 0.38 - 0.41cr shares | | | | | | |
| Non institutional portion (Small) | 5% | 0.19 - 0.21cr shares | | | | | | |
| Retail portion | 10% | 0.38 - 0.41cr shares | | | | | | |
| Indicative IPO process | time line | | | | | | | |
| Finalization of basis of | allotment | 27 th June. 2025 | | | | | | |
| Unblocking of ASBA ac | ccount | 30 th June. 2025 | | | | | | |
| Credit to demat accou | 30 th June. 2025 | | | | | | | |
| Commencement of tra | 01st July. 2025 | | | | | | | |
| Pre and post - issue shareholding pattern | | | | | | | | |

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|---------------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| | Pre-issue | Post-issue |
| Promoter & promoter group | 100.00% | 81.35% |
| Public | 0.00% | 18.65% |
| Non-promoter & Non-public | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Total | 100.00% | 100.00% |
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| Retail application money at higher cut-off price per lot | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Number of shares per lot | 36 | | | | | | | |
| Application money | Rs. 14,904 per lot | | | | | | | |
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Key highlights of the company (Contd...):

| Company name | FV (Rs.) | CMP (Rs.) | MCAP (Rs. cr) | EV (Rs.) | 6M Return (%) | 12M Returm (%) | FY25 Revenue (Rs. cr) | FY25 EBITDA (Rs. cr) | FY25 PAT (Rs. cr) | FY25 EBITDA margin (%) | FY25 PAT margin (%) |
|------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------------|----------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Kalpataru Ltd.* | 10 | 414 | 8,524 | 17,906 | - | - | 1,930 | (128) | (117) | -6.7% | -6.0% |
| Oberoi Realty Ltd. | 10 | 1,898 | 69,087 | 71,384 | -15.0% | -0.1% | 5,286 | 3,103 | 2,226 | 58.7% | 42.1% |
| Macrotech Developers Ltd. | 10 | 1,445 | 1,44,211 | 1,49,563 | 3.2% | -9.2% | 13,780 | 3,787 | 2,767 | 27.5% | 20.1% |
| Godrej Properties Ltd. | 5 | 2,462 | 74,106 | 81,361 | -13.8% | -20.3% | 4,923 | (74) | 1,389 | -1.5% | 28.2% |
| Sunteck Realty Ltd. | 1 | 447 | 6,526 | 6,710 | -10.0% | -20.8% | 853 | 186 | 150 | 21.8% | 17.6% |
| Mahindra Lifespace Developers Ltd. | 10 | 363 | 7,732 | 8,915 | -16.8% | -37.9% | 372 | (170) | 61 | -45.7% | 16.4% |
| Keystone Realtors Ltd. | 10 | 548 | 6,905 | 6,989 | -19.9% | -22.7% | 2,004 | 204 | 188 | 10.2% | 9.4% |
| Prestige Estates Projects Ltd. | 10 | 1,690 | 72,839 | 83,626 | -5.7% | -9.4% | 7,349 | 2,516 | 617 | 34.2% | 8.4% |
| Average | | | | | | | | | | 15.0% | 20.3% |

| Company name | Total Debt | Cash | FY25 RoE (%) | FY25 RoCE (%) | P/E | P/B | EV / Sales | EV / EBITDA | MCAP / Sales | EPS (Rs.) | BVPS (Rs.) | D/E |
|---------------------------------------|------------|-------|-----------------|---------------------|--------|-----|------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----|
| Kalpataru Ltd.* | 11,247 | 1,865 | -3.7% | -3.2% | (73.2) | 2.7 | 9.3 | (139.4) | 4.4 | (5.7) | 154 | 3.5 |
| Oberoi Realty Ltd. | 3,300 | 1,003 | 14.2% | 18.0% | 31.0 | 4.4 | 13.5 | 23.0 | 13.1 | 61.2 | 431 | 0.2 |
| Macrotech Developers Ltd. | 7,094 | 1,742 | 13.7% | 16.0% | 52.1 | 7.1 | 10.9 | 39.5 | 10.5 | 27.7 | 202 | 0.4 |
| Godrej Properties Ltd. | 12,641 | 5,386 | 8.0% | 7.0% | 53.4 | 4.3 | 16.5 | (1,099.5) | 15.1 | 46.1 | 575 | 0.7 |
| Sunteck Realty Ltd. | 387 | 203 | 4.6% | 6.0% | 43.5 | 2.0 | 7.9 | 36.1 | 7.7 | 10.3 | 223 | 0.1 |
| Mahindra Lifespace Developers Ltd. | 1,439 | 256 | 3.2% | 3.0% | 126.8 | 4.1 | 24.0 | (52.4) | 20.8 | 2.9 | 89 | 0.8 |
| Keystone Realtors Ltd. | 930 | 846 | 6.8% | 9.0% | 36.7 | 2.5 | 3.5 | 34.3 | 3.4 | 14.9 | 221 | 0.3 |
| Prestige Estates Projects Ltd. | 13,180 | 2,393 | 4.0% | 27.8% | 118.1 | 4.7 | 11.4 | 33.2 | 9.9 | 14.3 | 358 | 0.9 |
| Average | | | 7.8% | 12.4% | 65.9 | 4.2 | 12.5 | -140.8 | 11.5 | | | 0.5 |

| Company name | 3Y top-line growth (CAGR) | 3Y EBITDA growth (CAGR) | 3Y PAT growth (CAGR) | Average 3Y EBITDA margin | Average 3Y PAT margin | 3Y average RoE | 3Y average RoCE | Avg 3Y Receivabl e days* | Avg 3Y Inventroy Days* | Avg 3Y Payable Days* | Net Worth |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Kalpataru Ltd.* | 38.9% | 63.9% | -3.6% | -4.5% | -8.3% | -13.0% | -2.5% | 136 | 2237 | -1 | 3,170 |
| Oberoi Realty Ltd. | 12.3% | 21.2% | 8.1% | 54.4% | 43.5% | 14.6% | 16.3% | 41 | 657 | 329 | 15,705 |
| Macrotech Developers Ltd. | 20.6% | 39.0% | 137.6% | 25.5% | 13.4% | 8.8% | 12.0% | 27 | 1114 | 43 | 20,178 |
| Godrej Properties Ltd. | 47.9% | - | 49.6% | 1.1% | 26.8% | 7.4% | 6.3% | 43 | 1522 | 726 | 17,313 |
| Sunteck Realty Ltd. | 53.5% | 70.5% | 1124.7% | 20.1% | 10.1% | 2.3% | 4.7% | 190 | 3687 | 616 | 3,260 |
| Mahindra Lifespace Developers Ltd. | -21.7% | 24.3% | -23.0% | -48.2% | 26.5% | 4.6% | 2.3% | 113 | 2356 | 231 | 1,896 |
| Keystone Realtors Ltd. | 70.9% | 40.1% | 53.3% | 10.1% | 8.7% | 5.1% | 7.0% | 28 | 813 | 835 | 2,782 |
| Prestige Estates Projects Ltd. | -6.0% | 9.8% | -24.0% | 8.3% | 2.1% | 9.6% | 18.2% | 61 | 36 | 240 | 15,423 |
| Average | 25.4% | 34.1% | 189.5% | 10.2% | 18.7% | 7.5% | 9.6% | 72 | 1455 | 432 | |

Note: Considered financials for the period during FY23-25 except the Days. (with IPO adjustments); Source: Choice Broking Research Note*: Kalpataru's numbers are as of FY24.

- Between calendar years 2019 and 2024 (ending December 31, 2024), Kalpataru ranked as the fifth-largest developer by units supplied in the Mumbai municipal area (MCGM) and the seventh-largest in Thane—evidence of its dominant position in Maharashtra's residential market.
- By the end of 2024, the company (along with its promoters) had successfully completed 120 projects, covering a developable area exceeding 25.87 million square feet across key locations, including Mumbai, Thane, Panvel, Pune, Hyderabad, Indore, Bengaluru, and Jodhpur. Of the residential portfolio, 68.31%—totalling approximately 33.45 million square feet—lies within the Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR).
- On the commercial side, the company develops, leases, or sells office and retail spaces, manages shopping mall units, and delivers integrated townships and lifestyle gated communities that blend residential, commercial, and retail elements.
- As of December 31, 2024, it holds five undeveloped land reserves spanning 1,886.10 acres, and maintains an asset-light model via strategic redevelopment, joint venture (JV), and joint development agreement (JDA) projects covering a combined 12,470,000 square feet (2.38 msf redevelopment; 3.56 msf JV; 6.53 msf JDA), representing 4.87%, 7.26%, and 13.33% of its total current project pipeline, respectively.

| Company name | Presale value | sales area (in msf) | EV/Pre sales | MCAP/Pre sales |
|------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Kalpataru Ltd. | 3,202 | 3 | 5.6 | 2.7 |
| Macrotech Developers Ltd. | 11,260 | 11 | 13.3 | 12.8 |
| Godrej Properties Ltd. | 22,527 | 20 | 3.6 | 3.3 |
| Sunteck Realty Ltd. | 1,915 | - | 3.5 | 3.4 |
| Mahindra Lifespace Developers Ltd. | 2,328 | 2 | 3.8 | 3.3 |
| Keystone Realtors Ltd. | 2,266 | 1 | 3.1 | 3.0 |
| Prestige Estates Projects Ltd. | 21,040 | 20 | 4.0 | 3.5 |
| Average | 10,223 | 11.0 | 5.2 | 4.9 |

Key highlights of the company (Contd...):

- Its project pipeline includes approximately 24.83 msf of ongoing developments and an additional 16.33 msf in forthcoming projects slated for launch during financial years 2025 to 2027.
- Backed by the broader Kalpataru Group's multinational expertise in EPC contracting (including power transmission, oil & gas, railways, civil works), warehousing, logistics, and facility management, the company leverages extensive corporate strength and diversification.

Peer comparison and valuation: Kalpataru is an integrated real estate development company involved in the entire project lifecycle—from land acquisition to planning, designing, execution, sales, and marketing. It is a prominent developer in the Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR), active across all its micro-markets. From 2019 to December 31, 2024, MMR ranked first among India's top seven markets in supply, absorption, and average base selling price. Kalpataru is the fifth largest developer in the MCGM area and seventh in Thane by units supplied during this period. As of December 31, 2024, kalpataru has completed 75 projects totaling over 16.01 million sq. ft. of Developable Area across Maharashtra, Telangana, Madhya Pradesh, Karnataka, and Rajasthan.

At the higher price range, Kalpataru is seeking an EV/Sales multiple of 9.3×, which still trades at a discount compared to peer averages of around 12.5×. The company's strong brand allows it to command a premium pricing strategy, reflecting solid pricing power. However, a high debt load introduces financial prudence concerns. Thus, we recommend a "Subscribe for long Term" rating for this issue.

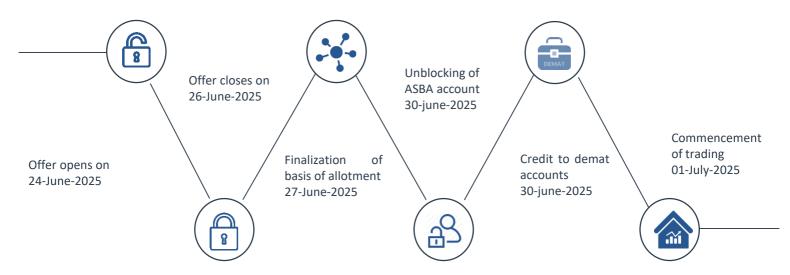
About the issue:

- kalpataru is coming up with an IPO to raise around Rs. 1590cr, which opens on 24th June. and closes on 26th June. 2025.
- The issue is through book building process with a price band of Rs. 387 414 per share.
- Lot size comprises of 36 equity shares and in-multiple of 36 shares thereafter.
- The issue will open on 24th June. 2025 and close on 26th June. 2025.
- The IPO solely comprises of fresh issue (Rs. 1590cr). From the fresh issue net proceeds, the company will be utilizing Rs. 1192.5cr for Repayment/pre-payment, in full or in part, of certain borrowings availed by the Company and the subsidiaries. Residual proceeds will be used for general corporate purposes
- Consequently, post-IPO, the P&PG and public shareholders will have 81.35% and 18.65% stake in the company, respectively.
- 75% of the net issue is reserved for qualified institutional buyers, while 15% and 10% of the net issue is reserved for non-institutional bidders and retail investors, respectively.

| Pre and post-issue shareholding pattern (%) | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Pre-issue Post-issue (at higher price ba | | | | | | | | | |
| Promoter & promoter group | 100.00% | 81.35% | | | | | | | |
| Public | 0.00% | 18.65% | | | | | | | |
| Non-promoter & Non-public | 0.00% | 0.00% | | | | | | | |

Source: Choice Equity Broking

Indicative IPO process time line:



Pre-issue financial performance:

Performance over FY22-24: The company experienced a significant revenue decline in FY24, dropping nearly 47% year-on-year to Rs.1,930 Cr from Rs.3,633 Cr in FY23, mainly due to a sharp fall in plot/land and commercial unit sales. Despite this, the three-year revenue CAGR (FY22–FY24) remains healthy at 38.9%. EBITDA losses narrowed, and margins improved slightly, indicating some cost control, though profitability remains negative with a reported PAT loss of Rs.116.5 Cr in FY24.

Operational efficiency, however, weakened as inventory days and the cash conversion cycle both increased notably, putting pressure on working capital. Cash flow from operations dropped sharply (82.4%), reflecting the strain on liquidity. Leverage stayed high, though Net Debt to EBITDA slightly improved, and return ratios remained negative but showed signs of recovery by Dec 2024.

Overall, while FY24 was a correction year after an unusually strong FY23, the financials for Dec 2024 indicate early signs of operational recovery, with improving margins and a return to positive RoIC. However, the company still faces challenges with high debt levels, negative returns, and inefficient working capital management.

| Pre-issue financial snapshot (Rs. cr) | FY22 | FY23 | FY24 | Dec. 31 2024 | CAGR over FY22-24 | Y-o-Y (FY24 annual) |
|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| Residential unit. | 794.7 | 1,422.2 | 1,631.5 | 1,332.6 | 43.3% | 14.7% |
| commercial unit | 26.3 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 88.5 | -76.1% | -25.4% |
| Plot/Land | - | 2,002.6 | 39.6 | - | 0.0% | -98.0% |
| Other operating revenues | 109.2 | 120.1 | 126.3 | 101.4 | 7.5% | 5.2% |
| License fees | 17.1 | 19.5 | 35.4 | 41.1 | 44.1% | 82.0% |
| Project management fees | 10.1 | 3.0 | 0.9 | 0.5 | -69.9% | -69.6% |
| Sale of material / scrap | 0.8 | - | - | - | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Other recoveries | 42.6 | 63.8 | 94.8 | 60.7 | 49.2% | 48.5% |
| Service charges and others | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Revenue from operations | 1,000.7 | 3,633.2 | 1,930.0 | 1,624.7 | 38.9% | -46.9% |
| Gross profit | 151.9 | 236.4 | 212.5 | 360.6 | 18.3% | -10.1% |
| EBITDA | (47.8) | (79.2) | (128.4) | 77.7 | 63.9% | 62.1% |
| Reported PAT | (125.4) | (229.4) | (116.5) | 5.5 | -3.6% | -49.2% |
| Restated adjusted EPS | (6.1) | (11.1) | (5.7) | 0.3 | -3.6% | -49.2% |
| Cash flow from operating | 402.2 | 2,139.1 | 376.5 | 300.4 | -3.3% | -82.4% |
| activities | | | | | | |
| NOPLAT | -15.39 | -203.55 | -167.88 | 138.90 | 230.3% | -17.5% |
| RoIC (%) | -1.20% | 1.27% | -2.64% | 4.74% | 3,726 bps | 2,402 bps |
| Revenue growth rate | | 263.1% | -46.9% | | | |
| Gross profit growth rate | | 55.6% | -10.1% | | | |
| Gross profit margin | 15.2% | 6.5% | 11.0% | 22.2% | (416bps) | 450bps |
| EBITDA growth rate | | 65.7% | 62.1% | | | (356bps) |
| EBITDA margin | -4.8% | -2.2% | -6.7% | 4.8% | (187bps) | (447bps) |
| Restated PAT growth rate | | 83.0% | -49.2% | | | (13224bps) |
| Restated PAT margin | -12.5% | -6.3% | -6.0% | 0.3% | 649bps | 28bps |
| Inventories days | 3,776.4 | 1,007.8 | 1,925.6 | 1,997.4 | -28.6% | 91.1% |
| Trade receivables days | 246.3 | 57.9 | 104.1 | 115.9 | -35.0% | 79.7% |
| Trade payables days | (1.4) | (0.3) | (1.1) | (4.5) | -8.9% | 242.0% |
| Cash conversion cycle | 4,021.3 | 1,065.4 | 2,028.6 | 2,108.7 | -29.0% | 90.4% |
| Total asset turnover ratio | 0.07 | 0.29 | 0.14 | 0.10 | 36.5% | -52.0% |
| Current ratio | 1.36 | 1.41 | 1.45 | 1.44 | 3.2% | 3.2% |
| Total debt | 10,844.6 | 10,270.9 | 11,246.7 | 11,917.4 | 1.8% | 9.5% |
| Net debt | 10,492.2 | 9,871.5 | 10,626.2 | 11,126.0 | 0.6% | 7.6% |
| Debt to equity | 7.6 | 8.4 | 10.9 | 7.5 | 20.1% | 30.1% |
| Net debt to EBITDA | -219.5 | (124.6) | (82.7) | 143.2 | -38.6% | -33.6% |
| RoE | -8.8% | -18.8% | -11.3% | 0.3% | (256bps) | 745bps |
| RoA | -0.9% | -1.8% | -0.8% | 0.0% | 10bps | 99bps |
| RoCE | -1.9% | -2.6% | -3.2% | 0.9% | (134bps) | (63bps) |

Note: Pre-IPO financials; Source: Choice Equity Broking



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Business strategy:

- Focus on core regions (MMR and Pune) while cautiously expanding into select highgrowth cities.
- Complete and sell ongoing, forthcoming, and planned projects promptly to unlock land value
- Deleverage the balance sheet to enhance financial strength and stability.
- Grow via redevelopment and JV/JDA models with landowners, maintaining a capitallight expansion strategy.
- Continue across all residential segments, and selectively integrate retail, commercial, and mixed-use developments.
- Uphold commitment to innovative, quality, green, and sustainable real estate development practices.





Risk and concerns:

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- Long project timelines risk delays and cost overruns.
- · Heavy reliance on presales for working capital.
- Heavy leverage.
- · Competition.

Financial statements:

| | Restated consolidated profit and loss statement (Rs. cr) | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------|---------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | FY22 | FY23 | FY24 | 31st Dec. 2024 | CAGR over FY22-24 | Annual growth over FY23 | | | | | |
| Revenue from operations | 1,000.7 | 3,633.2 | 1,930.0 | 1,624.7 | 38.9% | -46.9% | | | | | |
| Cost of material consumed | 848.8 | 3,396.8 | 1,717.5 | 1,264.1 | 42.2% | -49.4% | | | | | |
| Gross profit | 151.9 | 236.4 | 212.5 | 360.6 | 18.3% | -10.1% | | | | | |
| Employee benefits expenses | 75.2 | 131.8 | 128.0 | 98.0 | 30.4% | -2.9% | | | | | |
| Other expenses | 124.4 | 183.8 | 213.0 | 184.8 | 30.8% | 15.9% | | | | | |
| EBITDA | (47.8) | (79.2) | (128.4) | 77.7 | 63.9% | 62.1% | | | | | |
| Depreciation & amortization expenses | 32.7 | 31.8 | 32.6 | 26.9 | -0.1% | 2.5% | | | | | |
| EBIT | (80.5) | (111.0) | (161.1) | 50.8 | 41.4% | 45.0% | | | | | |
| Finance costs | 306.4 | 130.3 | 34.2 | 77.1 | -66.6% | -73.7% | | | | | |
| Other income | 247.9 | 83.4 | 100.0 | 74.8 | -36.5% | 19.8% | | | | | |
| РВТ | (139.0) | (157.9) | (95.3) | 48.5 | -17.2% | -39.6% | | | | | |
| Share of profit/loss of JV | 0.8 | (0.8) | (0.4) | (1.2) | 0.0% | 0.0% | | | | | |
| Tax expenses | (12.9) | 70.7 | 20.8 | 41.8 | | -70.6% | | | | | |
| Reported PAT | (125.4) | (229.4) | (116.5) | 5.5 | -3.6% | -49.2% | | | | | |

| | | Restated consolida | ated balance sheet sta | atement (Rs. cr) | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| | FY22 | FY23 | FY24 | 31st Dec. 2024 | CAGR over FY22-24 | Annual growth over FY23 |
| Equity share capital | 139.7 | 139.7 | 139.7 | 139.7 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Other equity | 1,289.4 | 1,082.2 | 888.6 | 1,439.9 | -17.0% | -17.9% |
| Minority interest | 11.2 | (14.9) | (27.9) | (31.1) | 0.0% | 87.9% |
| Non-current borrowings | 2,910.0 | 3,085.3 | 3,980.1 | 3,954.4 | 16.9% | 29.0% |
| other financial liabilities | 135.3 | 182.4 | 170.9 | 157.5 | 12.4% | -6.3% |
| Non-current provisions | 20.3 | 27.9 | 32.3 | 35.4 | 26.0% | 15.7% |
| Trade payables | 3.7 | 2.8 | 9.1 | 27.1 | 56.2% | 220.5% |
| Current borrowings | 7,456.0 | 6,594.3 | 6,708.2 | 7,102.0 | -5.1% | 1.7% |
| Trade payables | 284.9 | 225.2 | 441.7 | 460.3 | 24.5% | 96.1% |
| other financial liabilities | 343.3 | 408.9 | 387.5 | 703.5 | 6.2% | -5.2% |
| Current provisions | 2.7 | 7.2 | 5.6 | 3.3 | 42.5% | -22.9% |
| Other current liabilities | 814.1 | 799.6 | 1,143.8 | 1,570.5 | 18.5% | 43.0% |
| Total liabilities | 13,410.6 | 12,540.8 | 13,879.4 | 15,562.3 | 1.7% | 10.7% |
| PP&E and intangible assets | 118.4 | 128.5 | 111.2 | 251.8 | -3.1% | -13.5% |
| Capital work-in-progress | 120.5 | 130.6 | 145.5 | 104.8 | 9.9% | 11.4% |
| Right-of-use assets | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -29.2% | -33.2% |
| Goodwill | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.1% | 2.2% |
| Intangible assets | 3.3 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -73.9% | -87.4% |
| Investments | 576.1 | 551.0 | 527.5 | 511.1 | -4.3% | -4.3% |
| other financial assets | 114.9 | 146.0 | 184.3 | 252.0 | 26.6% | 26.2% |
| Income Tax asset | 317.1 | 239.7 | 251.7 | 197.9 | -10.9% | 5.0% |
| Other non-current assets | 4.3 | 8.2 | 10.1 | 14.8 | 53.4% | 23.9% |
| Inventories | 10,353.2 | 9,709.0 | 10,654.4 | 12,019.3 | 1.4% | 9.7% |
| Trade receivables | 675.1 | 478.4 | 623.0 | 697.3 | -3.9% | 30.2% |
| Cash & cash equivalents | 160.9 | 182.1 | 151.6 | 275.0 | -3.0% | -16.8% |
| Other bank balances | 191.4 | 217.3 | 468.9 | 516.4 | 56.5% | 115.8% |
| Current loans | 260.9 | 311.4 | 258.4 | 229.5 | -0.5% | -17.0% |
| Other current financial assets | 282.2 | 202.7 | 161.1 | 114.2 | -24.4% | -20.5% |
| Other current assets | 230.8 | 232.8 | 330.2 | 377.0 | 19.6% | 41.8% |
| Total assets | 13,410.6 | 12,540.8 | 13,879.4 | 15,562.3 | 1.7% | 10.7% |

Source: Choice Equity Broking

Financial statements (Contd...):

| Restated consolidated cash flow statement (Rs. cr) | | | | | | |
|--|---------|-----------|---------|----------------|--------|----------|
| | FY22 | FY23 | FY24 | 31st Dec. 2024 | CAGR | Y-O-Y |
| Cash flow before working capital changes | (139.0) | (157.9) | (95.3) | 48.5 | -17.2% | -39.6% |
| Working capital changes | 597.1 | 2,285.5 | 502.9 | 249.3 | -8.2% | -78.0% |
| Cash flow from operating activities | 402.2 | 2,139.1 | 376.5 | 300.4 | -3.3% | -82.4% |
| Purchase of fixed assets & CWIP | (17.6) | (23.2) | (49.9) | (31.5) | 68.5% | 114.6% |
| Cash flow from investing activities | 104.3 | (31.9) | (132.5) | (45.0) | 0.0% | 114.6% |
| Dividend paid | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Cash flow from financing activities | (513.5) | (2,101.0) | (299.7) | (348.9) | -23.6% | -85.7% |
| Net cash flow | (6.9) | 6.2 | (55.8) | (93.6) | 183.4% | -1004.7% |
| Opening balance of cash | 49.8 | 63.0 | 69.1 | 13.4 | 17.8% | 9.8% |
| Cash and cash equivalents on account of acquisition / disposal of subsidiary | 20.1 | - | 0.1 | - | -94.9% | |
| Closing balance of cash from continuing operations | 63.0 | 69.1 | 13.4 | (80.2) | -53.9% | -80.6% |

| | | Financial ratios | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------------|
| Particulars | FY22 | FY23 | FY24 | 31st Dec. 2024 |
| | ŗ | Profitability ratios | | |
| Revenue growth rate | | 263.1% | -46.9% | |
| Gross profit growth rate | | 55.6% | -10.1% | |
| Gross profit margin | 15.2% | 6.5% | 11.0% | 22.2% |
| EBITDA growth rate | | 65.7% | 62.1% | |
| EBITDA margin | -4.8% | -2.2% | -6.7% | 4.8% |
| EBIT growth rate | | 37.9% | 45.0% | |
| EBIT margin | -8.0% | -3.1% | -8.3% | 3.0% |
| Restated PAT growth rate | | 83.0% | -49.2% | |
| Restated PAT margin | -12.5% | -6.3% | -6.0% | 0.0% |
| Ü | | Turnover ratios | | |
| Inventory turnover ratio | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Trade receivable turnover ratio | 1.5 | 6.3 | 3.5 | 2.3 |
| Accounts payable turnover ratio | 267.2 | 1102.0 | 322.2 | 59.9 |
| Fixed asset turnover ratio | 4.1 | 13.9 | 7.5 | 4.5 |
| Total asset turnover ratio | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| | | Liquidity ratios | | |
| Current ratio | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| Quick ratio | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Total debt | 10,844.6 | 10,270.9 | 11,246.7 | 11,917.4 |
| Net debt | 10,492.2 | 9,871.5 | 10,626.2 | 11,126.0 |
| Debt to equity | 7.6 | 8.4 | 10.9 | 7.5 |
| Net debt to EBITDA | (219.5) | (124.6) | (82.7) | 143.2 |
| | | Cash flow ratios | () | |
| CFO to PAT | (3.2) | (9.3) | (3.2) | 54.5 |
| CFO to Capex | 22.9 | 92.0 | 7.5 | 9.5 |
| CFO to total debt | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| CFO to current liabilities | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| | | Return ratios | | |
| RoIC (%) | -1.2% | 1.3% | -2.6% | 4.7% |
| RoE (%) | -8.8% | -18.8% | -11.3% | 0.3% |
| RoA (%) | -0.9% | -1.8% | -0.8% | 0.0% |
| RoCE (%) | -1.9% | -2.6% | -3.2% | 0.9% |
| | | Per share data | | |
| Restated EPS (Rs.) | -6.1 | -11.1 | -5.7 | 0.3 |
| DPS (Rs.) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| BVPS (Rs.) | 69.4 | 59.3 | 49.9 | 76.7 |
| Operating cash flow per share (Rs.) | 19.5 | 103.9 | 18.3 | 14.6 |

Source: Choice Equity Broking

IPO rating rationale

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