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Department of Corporate Services **BSE Limited** 1st floor, New Trading Ring Rotunda Building, P J Towers Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code: 500710

The Listing Department National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. Exchange Plaza, 5th floor, Bandra-Kurla Complex Bandra (E) Mumbai - 400051 Symbol: AKZOINDIA

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Investor Presentation

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed a copy of the presentation made to the investors on the audited standalone and consolidated financial results of the Company for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 202, today.

This is for your information and record.

Yours Faithfully. For Akzo Nobel India Limited

Harshi Rastogi Company Secretary Membership#A13642

Encl: as above.



Agenda

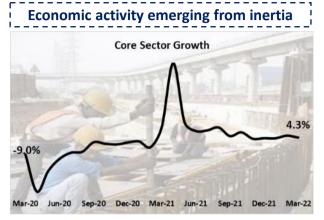
# AkzoNobel

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# **Business Environment**

# India growth picking up, but inflationary pressures, FX volatilities and Crude Oil price surge continue

## **AkzoNobel**

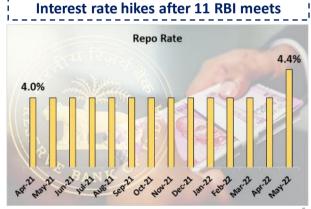










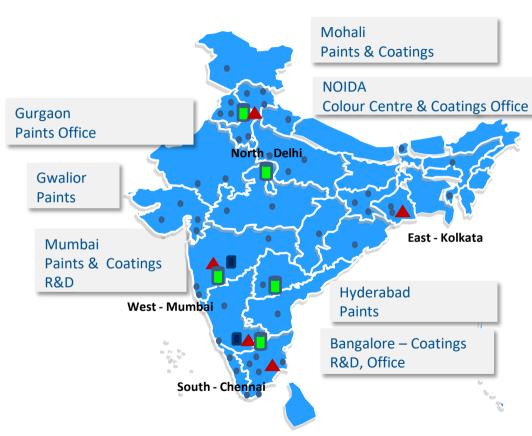


# **Business Update**

### Akzo Nobel India at a glance

### AkzoNobel

- 7 ~1,460 employees
- 5 manufacturing sites; Capacity augmentation & expansion plans in place
- **5** offices
- Scale up of distribution with increased numeric reach and tinting machines penetration (16,000+ retailers, ~15,000 tinting machines)
- **→** ~4,000 B2B customers
- World-class Color Centre for ASC\* in Bangalore
- Low-cost Innovation Centre driving differentiated products in Thane





R&D



<sup>\*</sup> ASC – Automotive & Specialty Coatings



#### **Paint**

#### **AkzoNobel**

#### Innovations, disruptive technology driving many industry-firsts



#### **Decorative Paints**

#### A quarter of Premiumization and Launches

### **AkzoNobel**

#### **Velvet Touch with Tru Color**



#### Portfolio expansion with FloorPlus



#### Redefining crack-proofing with PU\* technology





- 4.7% Price increase during the quarter
- Impact of Omicron in Jan-Feb; strong turnaround in March
- Growth led by Premium category, Projects business and new launches

# Decorative Paints AkzoNobel Bringing world-class products and propositions to Indian markets

Expanding boundaries with Dulux simply refresh, the first DIY multi-surface range



Anti-microbial bio-based eco paint



## Paint The Future India Challenge....



### DIGITAL CONSUMER EXPERIENCE

How can your digital solution boost the magic of paint and transform the way consumers experience Dulux paint in India?

#### **Transforming Consumer experience...**

Surface Health

True Visualization

Personalization & Inspiration

Direct to Home / Delivery

**Trusted Application** 

**Quicker Application** 

Trusted Advisor

Safety & Security



Wall Care & Maintenance

### **Coatings**

#### Innovative launches for customer-centric B2B solutions

#### **AkzoNobel**

#### **Protecting assets and aesthetics**



**Sustainable solutions through Powder** 



New generation of coatings for food & beverages



- Demand buoyancy in infrastructure, power, mining and packaging sectors driving growth
- Double-digit growth across most businesses
- Pricing actions slow to translate due to long-term nature of projects

## Coatings

#### **Partnering with Industry bests**

## **AkzoNobel**

#### **Exclusively approved Coatings for Super Premium luxury segment**







#### **Planet**

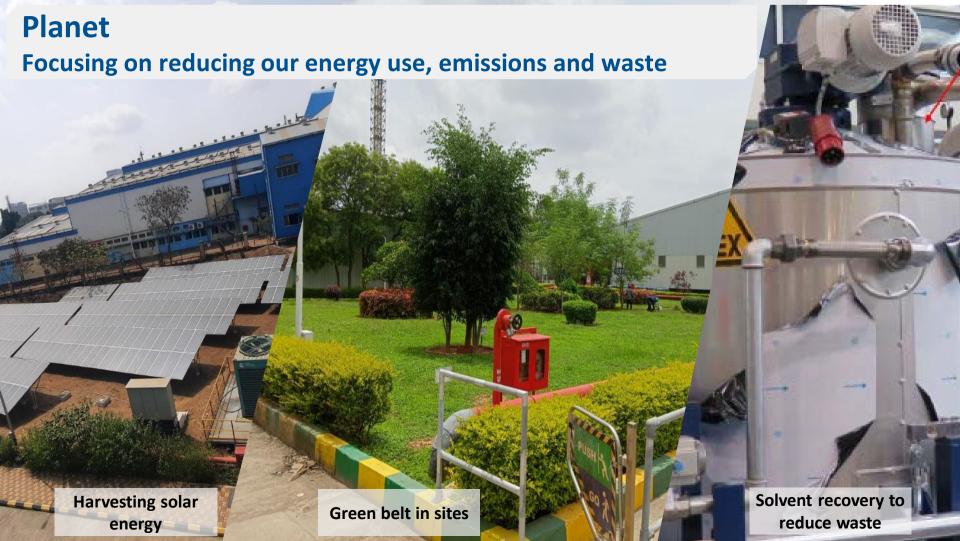
#### **AkzoNobel**

#### Pioneering increasingly sustainable solutions and processes









### People

### **AkzoNobel**

# Purpose-led initiatives fostering respect, diversity, inclusion & community development



### People

#### **AkzoNobel**

#### **AkzoNobel Cares - for Communities**





#### People

#### **AkzoNobel Cares - for Employees**

**Driving Diversity & Inclusion with #BreakTheBias** 





#### **Driving employee engagement**





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**Health & Safety initiatives** 





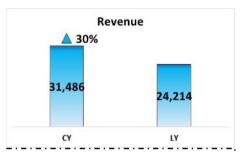


# **Financial Performance**

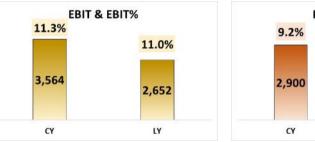
#### FY 2021-22 Performance

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# Strong progress on Grow & Deliver ambition with highest-ever Revenue and Profit from Operations









Highest-ever Revenue from Operations.

Growth driven by new launches, market share gains and infrastructure-led economic growth.

RM inflation stressing GM%.

Paints margins held; Coatings slower to benefit due to long-term nature of projects.

Highest ever EBIT from operations.

Double-digit profitability for 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year.

PAT 40% up; highest growth in industry.

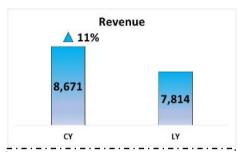
32% growth excluding impact of ₹162 mn on account of reversal of tax provision pertaining to earlier years.

Values in ₹ mn

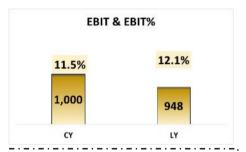
#### Q4 2021-22 Performance

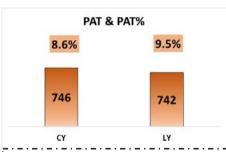
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#### Solid finish to the year despite Omicron and higher input costs









Growth across Paints & Coatings.

Market share gains in select categories and geographies. Growth led by Tier-1/ urban markets.

5<sup>th</sup> quarter of double-digit growth.

GM% under stress as Raw Material inflation ahead of Price increase. However, inflation covered in absolute terms.

5% growth in EBIT.

Double-digit profitability for

13 quarters (excluding Covid quarter).

PAT ~flat. Includes impact of ₹20 mn provision reversal in relation to erstwhile divested business.

# Limiting margin dilution with calibrated price increases



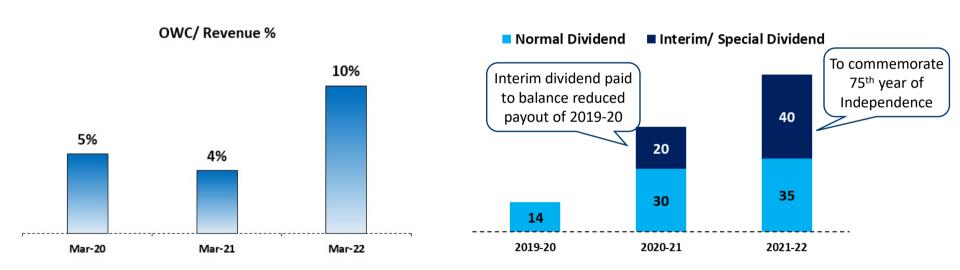


- Leading the industry in pricing actions; ~21% increase taken till March-exit
- Raw material inflation likely to persist due to ongoing geopolitical tensions
- ANI continuing to review impact closely; to evaluate further price increases, if required

#### **OWC and Cash Flow**

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Higher working capital requirement managed; ₹75/share Dividend to commemorate 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Independence



# Conclusion

### **Concluding Remarks**

- Initial investor engagements in 2018-19 had highlighted concerns about ANI performance; We had promised a performance of Growth and double-digit Profitability
- Through the years, we invested in Brand,
   Distribution and Technology to bring a plethora of groundbreaking innovations and disruptive solutions
- In the journey of 3,000 Cr topline and double-digit profitability, we became the second-fastest growing company in 2021-22 and the only player to improve margins\*

A journey of a thousand miles beginswith

# Thank you