

## Q2 & H1 FY14 Overview

### **Financial Highlights**

#### **Cash flows**

- Continuous improvement in operating cashflows stands at ₹ 9 cr for year to date
- Higher efficiencies, optimum working capital management backs improving cashflow position

#### P&L

- State of art design capabilities, effective manpower management & end to end operations optimisation has led to efficient cost management
- PAT of Rs 5 cr after adjusting for Rs 4.5 cr forex loss
- Blended interest costs at 6.5% low rates assists to keep interest cost low

#### **Balance Sheet**

 Prudent fiscal management has led to a decline in debt YOY as well as on a sequential basis. No major capex requirements to result in continuing lower debt levels

### **Operating Highlights**

- Gradual improvement in operating environment.
   Encouraging growth visible in mobile cranes. ACE continues to be a leader in the Mobile & Tower Cranes segment
- Encouraging growth in new order enquiries
- New introductions well received Agri continues to be the best performing business: driving strong revenue growth and increased profitability
- Expanded presence in new regions in tractors Maharashtra, West Bengal, Chattisgarh & MP
- Breakthrough order win for pick & carry mobile cranes



















# Performance Perspective





















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# MD's Message

Commenting on the results, Mr. Vijay Agarwal, Managing Director, ACE said, "While the industry has over the last few quarters faced challenges that included tight liquidity, persistent inflation & increased volatility in the financial markets, we are encouraged by a visible improvement in the environment over the last month.

The recent measures taken by the government to kick start stalled projects are a welcome move to improve investment sentiment and improve demand for our products. We are well prepared to cater to this demand through our diverse portfolio range. Our new launches too have met with a very positive response. The strategy of diversifying our operations has started yielding results. Our agri equipment division is growing very strongly and we have expanded our presence across new regions.

ACE's demonstrated ability to deliver stable performance in a significantly difficult environment gives me the confidence of the opportunity and potential we enjoy in an improving macro scenario. Our team's emphasis continues to be towards making our operations lean, focus on cost rationalisation and sustain operational efficiency and the company is hopeful of meeting its growth aspirations in the near future."























# **Business Segments**



**Mobile Cranes** 



Material Handling / Construction Equipment



Agri Equipment









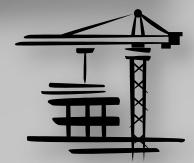












Continue to maintain leadership position - in mobile cranes & tower cranes

Traction visible in mobile & tower cranes due to gradual pickup in construction activity

Proficient management of expenses and production costs remains to be the key focus area

Strong focus on R&D – contributing to constantly refining product design, efficiency & quality

Continuous measures been taken to enhance presence across regions

New landmark order win for pick & carry mobile cranes – proof of improving environment

Cranes	Q2 FY14	%YoY	H1 FY14	%YoY
Revenue	81.28	-17.9%	158.3	-20.4%
ЕВІТ	5.58	45.3%	10.6	-7.0%
Capital Employed	358.3	0.5%	358.3	0.5%











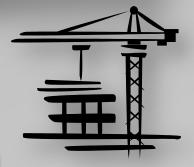








## Cranes



## Industry Drivers

- Pick up in core industrial activity
- Increased Government spending
- Property developer appetite
- New constructions

### Outlook

- Huge demand & favourable new housing outlook translating to positive long-term outlook
- Order inflows have started flowing enabling better revenue visibility



















## Material Handling / Construction Equipment



Stable growth in material handling segment – to drive revenue growth

Increasingly developing and consuming - indigenous inputs helped to improve efficiencies and reduce dependence on imports

Continued thrust through various initiatives to increase share of road equipment market

Forklifts are performing well & improving outlook for material handling

Positive feedback from the trial run offered to dealers and customers

Construction Equipment / Material Handling	Q2 FY14	%YoY	H1 FY14	%YoY
Revenue	19.7	-23.9%	38.9	-28.6%
ЕВІТ	-1.6	NA	-2.9	153.5%
Capital Employed	47.8	-21.0%	47.8	-21.0%



















## Material Handling / Construction Equipment



## Industry Drivers

- Pick up in core industrial activity & Increased Government spending
- Government taking several steps to fast-track road projects

### Outlook

- · Demand improving but remains patchy
- Improvement expected in FY14, traction already visible



















# Agri Equipment



Tractor business continues to enjoy strong demand – growing at a robust ~20% for the quarter

Focused team in place to ensure optimal quality, diverse range and value for money offerings

Expanded presence across Maharashtra, West Bengal, Chattisgarh & Madhya Pradesh

All new products have generated a positive response from customers

Expansion of Scale, Size & enhanced Product Line will improve access to finance & strengthen relationship with input & spare parts vendors leading to economies of scale

Effective & dedicated statewise expansion plan in place Continued dealer development initiatives

Strong monsoon will drive further demand

Agri Equipment	Q2 FY14	%YoY	H1 FY14	%YoY
Revenue	41.9	24.3%	85.7	23.5%
ЕВІТ	2.1	42.8%	4.4	18.6%
Capital Employed	2.8	-79.1%	2.8	-79.1%



















# Agri Equipment



## Industry Drivers

- Farm Productivity
- Thrust on End-to-end Mechanization solution
- Agri Knowledge & Solutions through state of art R&D facilities
- Good monsoon translating to further improved farm incomes

### Outlook

- Huge demand for automated products due to paucity of labor translating into positive long-term outlook
- Rising farm incomes resulting in strong demand environment
- Measured expansion throughout the country with enhanced product portfolio will help to increase market share



















## The ACE Outlook



### **Optimally placed with strong fundamentals**

- Well diversified product portfolio and proven management bandwidth
- New project decisions by our key customers like L&T, RIL etc will present new opportunities for accelerated earnings growth
- Adequate capacities to cater to foreseeable demand. Incremental capex will only be for new product lines based on demand visibility

### **ACE** will continue to

- Leverage established brand name and presence to capitalize on opportunity and drive growth
- Innovate to enhance and expand product portfolio on the back of strong R&D capabilities
- Build & maintain strong customer relationships and fortify the distribution network









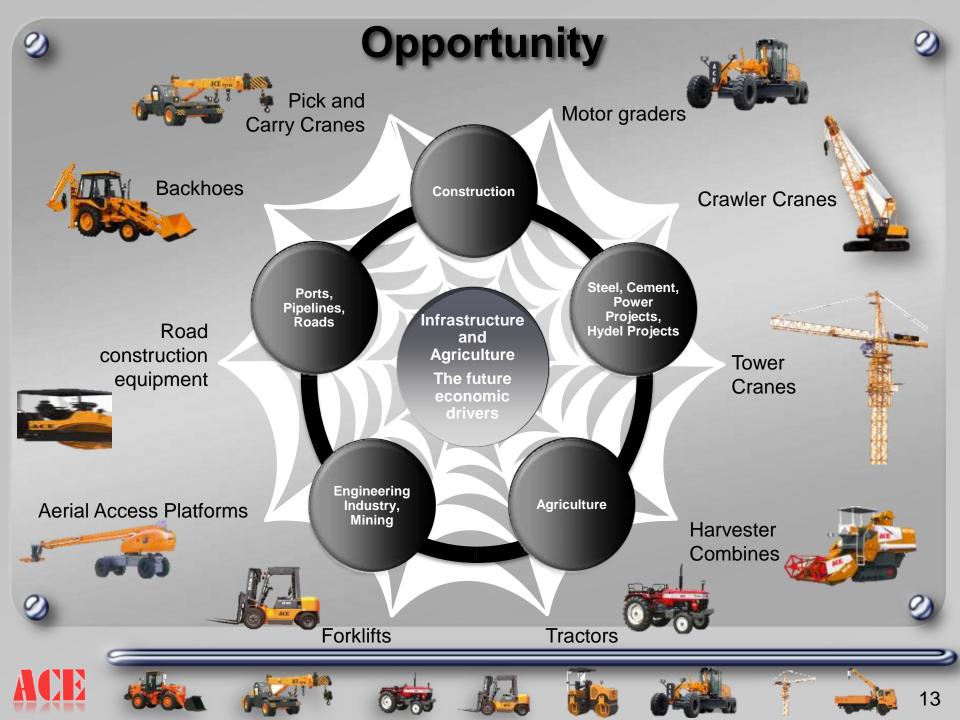












# **Facilities**



### State of art production facilities

Total owned area: 64.2 acres
Present utilised area: 12.3 acres



















# Our Philosophy

### **Our Aspiration**

"To be the Leading Company in Cranes and Construction Equipment Sector, with a Global Focus"



#### **Mission**

Provide customers with latest technology, construction equipment and efficient sales and product support aimed at satisfying their real needs

### **Integrated Enterprise**

Leveraging the strengths and unique capabilities of our businesses

#### Measures

Delivering results today, within each business, while building for the future

### Strategy

Market Penetration | Market development | Product development



















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