

October 19, 2022

To,
The Manager
Listing Department
BSE Limited,
Phiroze JeeJeeBhoy Towers,
Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400001 (E)
Maharashtra, India
Scrip code: 543426

To,
The Manager
Listing Department
National Stock Exchange of India
Ltd,
Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot No.
C/1, G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex,
Bandra (East),
Mumbai – 400051
Symbol: METROBRAND

**Subject: Presentation of Investor/Analyst Meet.** 

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed Investor presentation, to be used by the Company for Investor/Analyst Meeting scheduled to be held on October 21, 2022, at 3.30 PM IST.

Request you to take the same on record.

Thanking you,

For and on behalf of Metro Brands Limited,

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Deepa Sood

(Company Secretary & Compliance Officer)

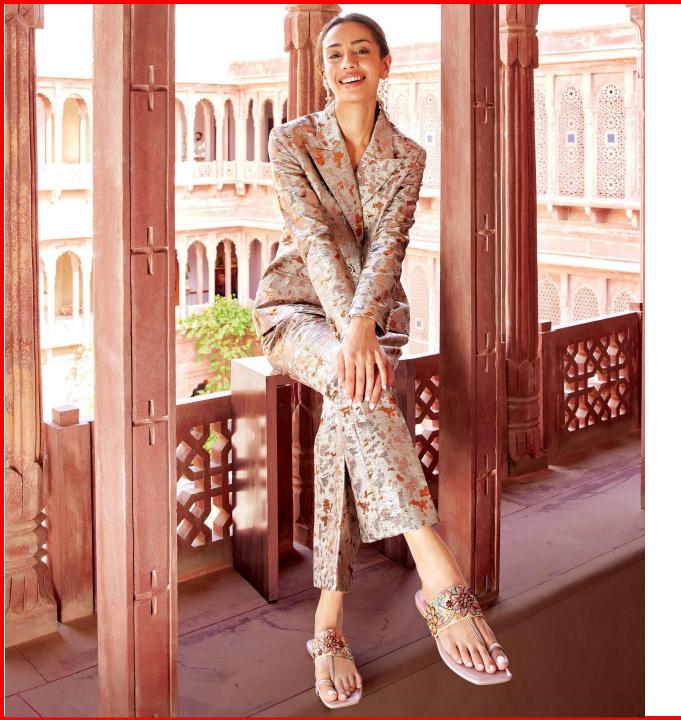
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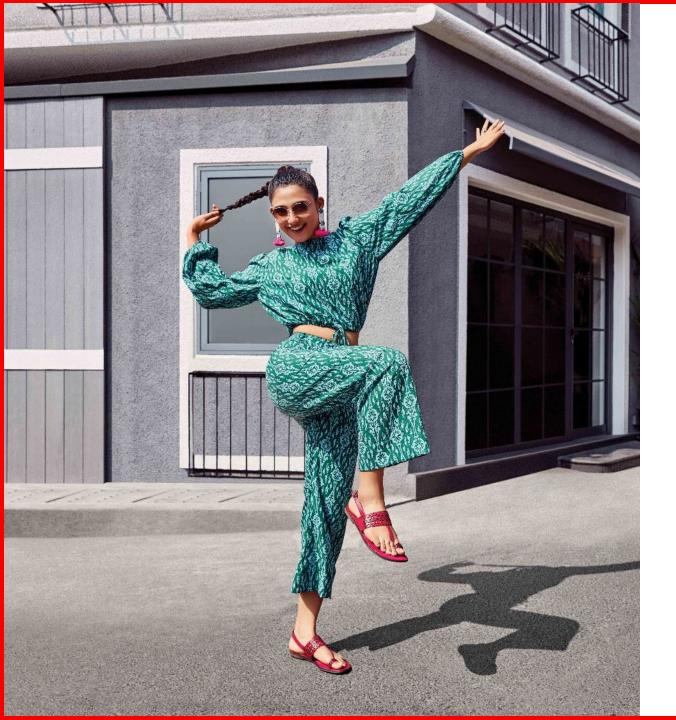
EARNINGS PRESENTATION – H1 FY23

19th October, 2022

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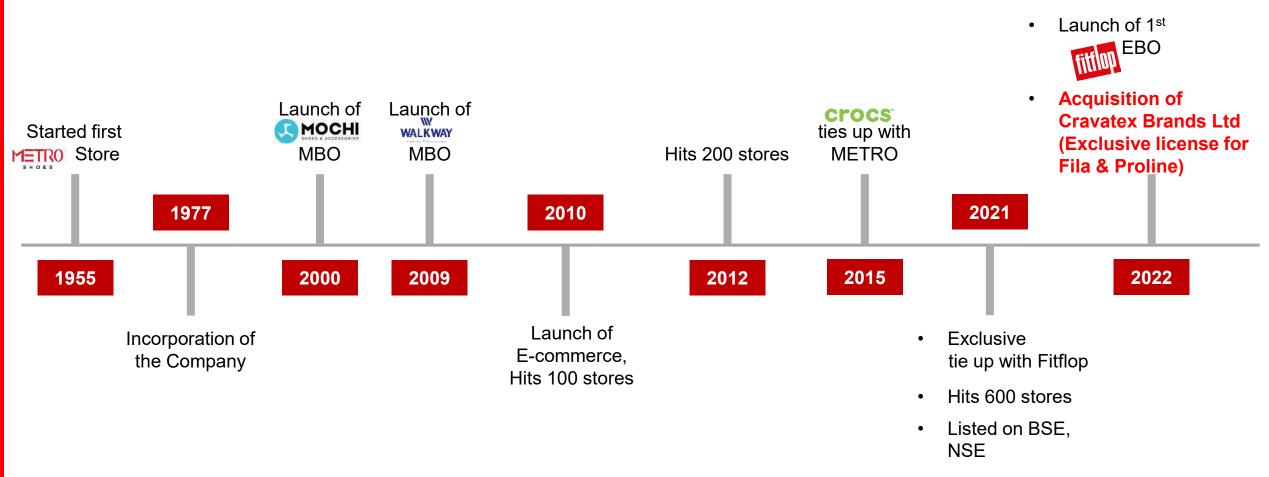


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# **Our Journey**





MBL stands tall with a presence across

5 FORMATS | 672 STORES | 30 STATES AND UTs | 158 CITIES\*



## 65+ years of Market Presence





Wide range of brands and products – catering to all occasions across age groups and market segments

- One-stop-shop family retailer catering to the footwear needs of men, women and children for different occasions
- Wide range of brands which allows us to operate across the economy, mid and premium segments

One of the largest Indian footwear specialty retailers¹

- Pan-India presence through
   672 Stores located in 158
   cities spread across 30
   states and union territories
   in India (as of Sep'22)
- Long-standing relationships

with vendors

Efficient operating model

through deep vendor

engagements and Theory of

Constraints based supply chain

**Key Enablers** 

- In the last three Fiscals,
   Company engaged with over
   250 vendors for their products
- Continued engagements with vendors, leads to translating trends into products efficiently



Strong promoter background with an experienced and entrepreneurial management team

- Chairman Mr Rafique A. Malik has 50+ years of experience in Footwear Retail
- CEO, Mr Nissan Joseph has spent over 5 years at Crocs across key roles. Previously associated with Payless Shoes Pty Ltd, Hickory Brands Inc, Crocs, MAP Active & Planet Sports Inc
- Among the few footwear
   retailers in India to source all
   products through

outsourcing arrangements<sup>1</sup>

Asset light business with an

efficient operating model

leading to sustained

profitable growth

Owing to scale of operations and strong supplier network, Company is able to leverage better margins with our vendors

Source: 1CRISIL

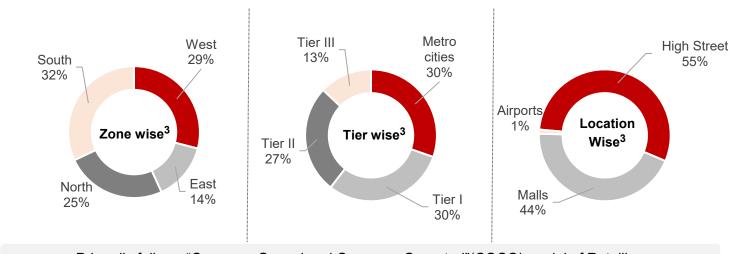
### **Brief Overview**



#### One Stop Shop for all Footwear Needs

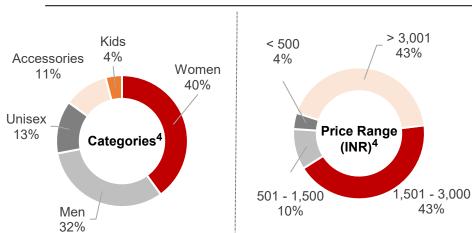
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|----------------|---|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                | Sep'22 /<br>H1FY23                                    | (MBO)              | (MBO)                        | (EBO)              | (MBO)           | (EBO)           |
| Ť              | Target<br>Customer                                    | Family             | Youth                        | Premium            | Value<br>Format | Premium         |
| II /// OUTLETS | No. of.<br>Stores                                     | 255<br>(38%)       | 173<br>(26%)                 | 185<br>(28%)       | 58<br>(9%)      | 1<br>(0%)       |
|                | Cities  | 140                | 90                           | 86                 | 41              | 1               |
|                | Price<br>Range<br>(INR) <sup>1</sup>                  | 1,000 –<br>10,000  | 1,000 —<br>10,000            | 1,500 –<br>6,000   | 350 –<br>3,500  | 5000-<br>10,000 |
| (8)            | Avg.<br>Realization<br>per Unit<br>(INR) <sup>2</sup> | 1,550              | 1,550                        | 1,800 <sup>6</sup> | 700             | 5,650           |
| <u></u>        | Size (sq.ft)  | 1,600              | 1,550                        | 600                | 1,350           | 450             |

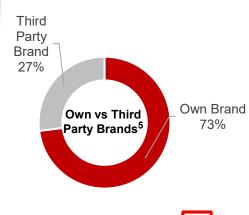
### PAN India Presence with 672 Stores I 158 Cities I 30 States and UTs (As of Sep'22)



Primarily follows "Company Owned and Company Operated" (COCO) model of Retailing

#### Products for entire family with focus on Mid and Premium Segment (H1 FY23)





Note: Numbers / Percentages are rounded off; <sup>1</sup> Price Range refers MRP of the inventory and represents 85% of the total inventory value for the relevant customer segment. <sup>2</sup> Average Realization per unit includes accessories. <sup>3</sup> Total Store Split as of Sep22 <sup>4</sup> Split of Total Store Product Sales for H1 FY23 on standalone basis <sup>5</sup> Split of Total Store Product Sales on stand alone basis for H1 FY23 at MBOs. <sup>6</sup> Average realization per unit for Crocs EBO footwear excluding Jibbitz is INR 2,800.















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# Q2 FY23 Business Highlights



| Standalone | Consolidated | In INR Crore |
|------------|--------------|--------------|
|------------|--------------|--------------|

|         | Q2 FY23 | Q2 FY22 | YOY Growth% |
|---------|---------|---------|-------------|
| Revenue | 463     | 314     | 47%         |
| EBITDA  | 143     | 92      | 56%         |
| EBITDA% | 30.9%   | 29.1%   |             |
| PAT     | 74      | 50      | 47%         |
| PAT%    | 15.9%   | 16.0%   |             |

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|-------------|---------|---------|-----------------|
|             | Q2 FY23 | Q2 FY22 | YOY Growth%     |
| Revenue     | 476     | 325     | 47%             |
| EBITDA      | 148     | 97      | 52%             |
| EBITDA%     | 31.0%   | 29.9%   |                 |
| PAT         | 78      | 55      | 41%             |
| PAT%        | 16.4%   | 17.0%   |                 |

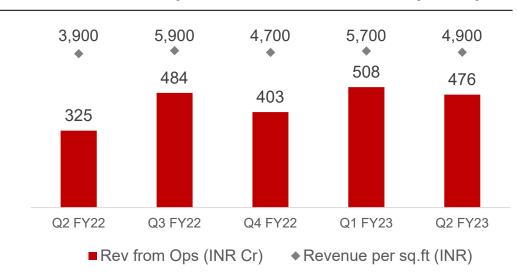
#### **Business Highlights**

- Store expansion picking pace with net addition of 28 stores across all formats during the quarter. (48 net additions in H1 FY23)
- Highest ever quarterly Ecommerce sales (including omni-channel) of Rs 41 cr. Growth momentum continues as sales grew 21% (Q2 FY23 vs Q2 FY22).
- ❖ As guided, gross margins moderated marginally in Q2 primarily due to EOSS (End of Season Sales) impact in Aug-Sep and change in inhouse v/s Outside brands mix. In coming quarters, overall gross margins may normalize back to around ~ 55-57% levels. (average seen over last few years).

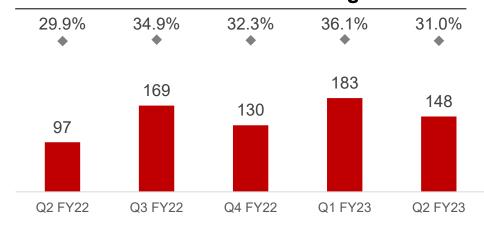
# **Q2** Business Highlights (Consolidated)



#### **Revenue from Operations and Revenue per sq.ft**

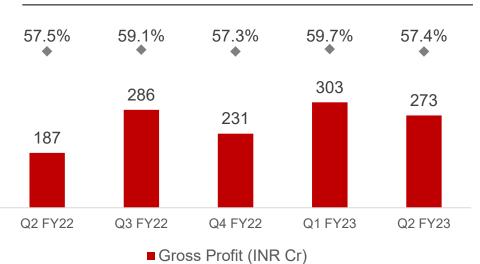


## **EBITDA and EBITDA Margins**

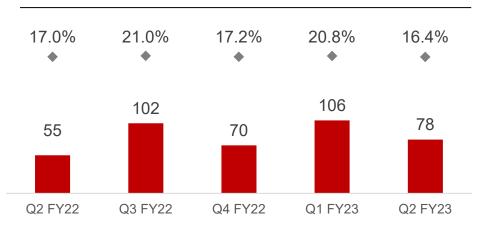


■ EBITDA (INR Cr) ◆ EBITDA Margin (%)

## **Gross Profit and Gross Margins**



#### **PAT and PAT Margins**



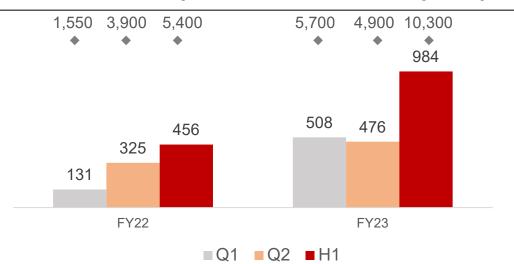
■ PAT (INR Cr) ◆ PAT Margin (%)



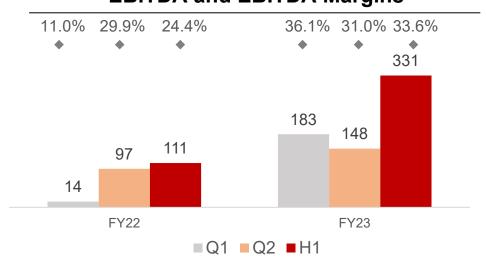
# H1 Business Highlights (Consolidated)



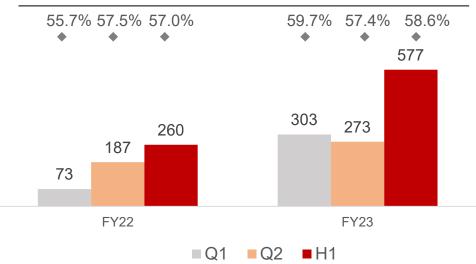
#### **Revenue from Operations and Revenue per sq.ft**



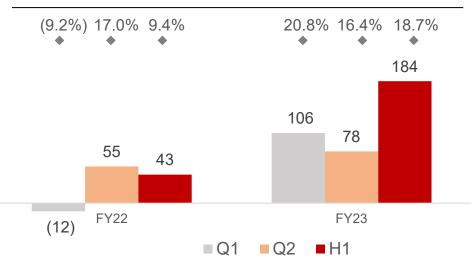
## **EBITDA and EBITDA Margins**



### **Gross Profit and Gross Margins**



#### **PAT and PAT Margins**





# **Key business updates**



### Signed a share purchase agreement for 100% acquisition of Cravatex Brands Limited

- Cravatex Brands holds exclusive long-term license for the Italian sportswear brand FILA & owns the Indian sportwear brand Proline.
- This acquisition fits the strategic vision of Metro Brands Ltd to expand its presence in the sports and athleisure space in India. We look forward to elevate the sportwear landscape in India and address significant white space in our product portfolio as of date.
- ❖ MBL will be able to leverage sales across all formats i.e. Exclusive Brand Stores, Multi Brand Stores, Airport Stores, Distribution, Online Marketplaces and Webstores for these brands.

#### Key highlights of FILA agreement are:

- 1. Long term license agreement.
- 2. Exclusive rights across multiple geographies (i.e. Apart from India, it includes Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Nepal and Bhutan).
- 3. Entire gamut of FILA product range available (i.e. Footwear, Apparels & Accessories).
- 4. Certain obligations w.r.t payment of minimum License fees and marketing expenses.

# **Key business updates**



### Inventory buying front loaded in view of upcoming festive & wedding season

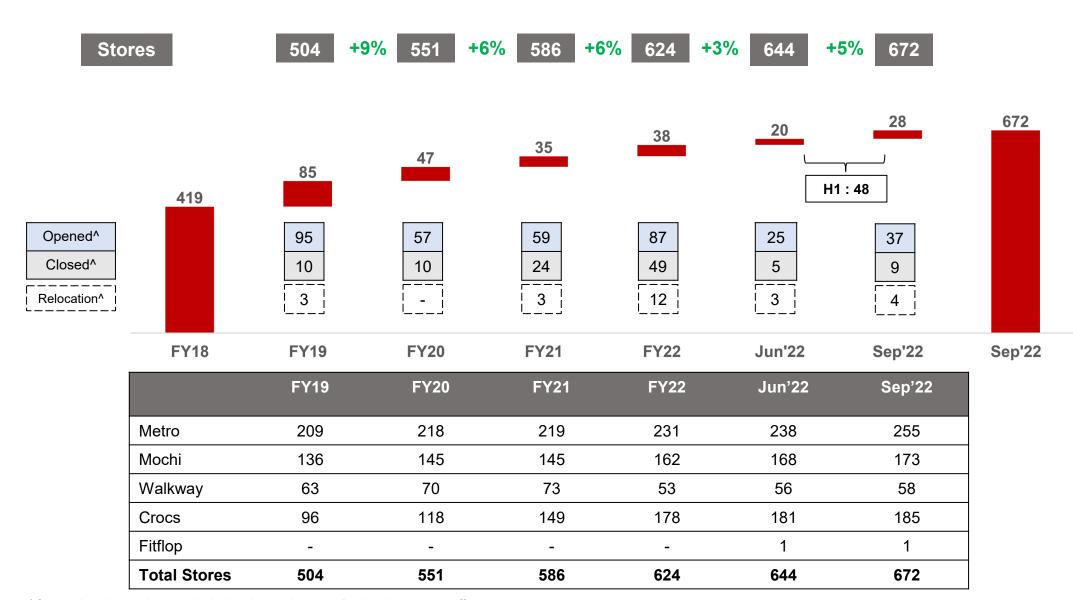
- Adequate inventory to cater to upcoming festive / wedding season & new store openings to avoid any sale loss due to stock outs.
- ❖ We are cautiously tracking prices of raw material, and we continue to engage with our vendor partners to evaluate all means to cushion expected MRP revisions of our upcoming footwear / accessories range.

# Robust growth in Ecommerce sales continues - pivoting successfully as an omni-channel footwear retailer

- ❖ Highest ever quarterly & half yearly Ecommerce sales (including omni-channel) of Rs 41 cr and Rs 79 cr respectively.
- Growth momentum in online sales (including omni-channel sales) continues with 50% growth on YoY basis. [H1 FY23 v/s H1 FY22].
- ❖ In H1 FY23, Online sales (including omni-channel sales) contribution is 8.2%. (as compared to 2.5% in FY20, 7.3% in FY21 and 8.4% in FY22). Last 3 years online sales CAGR is 79%.

## **Year wise Store additions**





# **Profit & Loss Statement (Standalone)**



#### In INR Crore

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|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Particulars                                    | Q2 FY23 | Q1 FY23 | Q2 FY22 | H1 FY23 | H1 FY22 | FY22  |
| Revenue from Operations                        | 463     | 497     | 314     | 961     | 440     | 1,312 |
| Other Income                                   | 12      | 9       | 17      | 21      | 33      | 58    |
| Total Income                                   | 475     | 506     | 332     | 981     | 474     | 1,371 |
| EXPENSES                                       |         |         |         |         |         |       |
| Purchases of stock-in-trade                    | 286     | 258     | 153     | 544     | 238     | 684   |
| Changes in inventories of stock in trade       | (89)    | (59)    | (18)    | (148)   | (50)    | (134) |
| Employee Benefits Expense                      | 41      | 38      | 28      | 79      | 50      | 116   |
| Finance costs                                  | 15      | 13      | 12      | 28      | 23      | 50    |
| Depreciation and amortisation expenses         | 41      | 39      | 34      | 80      | 65      | 134   |
| Other expenses                                 | 83      | 79      | 60      | 162     | 95      | 244   |
| Profit before tax for the period/year          | 99      | 138     | 63      | 236     | 52      | 278   |
| Net Tax Expense                                | 25      | 35      | 13      | 59      | 12      | 70    |
|  |         |         |         |         |         |       |
| Profit after tax for the period/year           | 74      | 103     | 50      | 177     | 40      | 208   |
| Other comprehensive income                     | 0       | (1)     | 1       | (1)     | 1       | 1     |
| Total comprehensive income for the period/year | 74      | 102     | 51      | 176     | 41      | 208   |
|  |         |         |         |         |         |       |

# **Profit & Loss Statement (Consolidated)**



#### In INR Crore

| Particulars                                    | Q2 FY23 | Q1 FY23 | Q2 FY22 | H1 FY23 | H1 FY22 | FY22  |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Revenue from Operations                        | 476     | 508     | 325     | 984     | 456     | 1,343 |
| Other Income                                   | 12      | 9       | 17      | 21      | 33      | 59    |
| Total Income                                   | 488     | 517     | 342     | 1,005   | 489     | 1,402 |
| EXPENSES                                       |         |         |         |         |         |       |
| Purchases of stock-in-trade                    | 295     | 263     | 155     | 558     | 245     | 700   |
| Changes in inventories of stock in trade       | (92)    | (59)    | (17)    | (150)   | (49)    | (134) |
| Employee Benefits Expense                      | 43      | 40      | 29      | 82      | 53      | 121   |
| Finance costs                                  | 15      | 13      | 12      | 28      | 24      | 50    |
| Depreciation and amortisation expenses         | 41      | 39      | 34      | 80      | 65      | 134   |
| Other expenses                                 | 83      | 81      | 61      | 164     | 96      | 247   |
| Profit before tax for the period/year          | 103     | 140     | 68      | 242     | 56      | 283   |
| Net Tax Expense                                | 25      | 34      | 13      | 60      | 13      | 70    |
| Share of (loss)/ profit of a Joint Venture     | 0       | 1       | 0       | 1       | 0       | 1     |
| Profit after tax for the period/year           | 78      | 106     | 55      | 184     | 43      | 214   |
| Other comprehensive income                     | 0       | (1)     | 1       | (1)     | 1       | 0     |
| Total comprehensive income for the period/year | 78      | 105     | 56      | 183     | 44      | 215   |

# **Balance Sheet (Consolidated)**



|                                     |                                | Baland                  | e Sheet                       | Ir                          | n INR Crore             |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Particulars                         | As at<br>September 30,<br>2022 | As at<br>March 31, 2022 | Particulars                   | As at<br>September 30, 2022 | As at<br>March 31, 2022 |
| Non-current assets                  |                                |                         | Equity                        |                             |                         |
| Property, plant and equipment       | 252                            | 235                     | Equity share capital          | 136                         | 136                     |
| Capital work-in-progress            | 13                             | 6                       | Other equity                  | 1,290                       | 1,129                   |
| Right of use assets                 | 715                            | 610                     | Non-Controlling Interests     | 25                          | 22                      |
| Intangible assets                   | 3                              | 3                       | -                             |                             |                         |
| Intangible assets under development | 1                              | 1                       | Non - current liabilities     |                             |                         |
| Financial assets                    | 69                             | 63                      | Financial liabilities         | 699                         | 598                     |
| Deferred tax assets (net)           | 26                             | 22                      | Provisions                    | 1                           | 1                       |
| Non-current tax assets              | 2                              | 3                       |                               |                             |                         |
| Other non-current assets            | 4                              | 4                       |                               |                             |                         |
| Current assets                      |                                |                         | Current liabilities           |                             |                         |
| Inventories                         | 575                            | 424                     | Financial liabilities         |                             |                         |
| Financial assets                    |                                |                         | Borrowings                    | 2                           | -                       |
| Investments                         | 529                            | 393                     | Trade payables                | 270                         | 211                     |
| Trade receivables                   | 84                             | 48                      | Lease liabilities             | 107                         | 94                      |
| Cash and cash equivalents           | 37                             | 62                      | Other financial liabilities   | 23                          | 21                      |
| Bank Balances other than above      | 218                            | 335                     | Other Current liabilities     | 46                          | 80                      |
| Loans                               | 2                              | 1                       | Provisions                    | 6                           | 4                       |
| Other financial assets              | 25                             | 19                      | Current tax liabilities (Net) | 12                          | 9                       |
| Other current assets                | 62                             | 73                      |                               |                             |                         |
| Assets classified as held for sale  |                                | 3                       |                               |                             |                         |
| Total assets                        | 2,617                          | 2,305                   | Total equity and liabilities  | 2,617                       | 2,305                   |

#### Net core working capital days

#### In INR Crore

|                               | H1 FY23 | FY22  |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|
| Inventory                     | 575     | 424   |
| Trade receivables             | 84      | 48    |
| Trade payables                | (270)   | (211) |
| Net Core Working Capital      | 389     | 261   |
| Revenue from operations       | 984     | 1,343 |
| Net Core Working Capital days | 71      | 71    |
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Note: Numbers rounded off



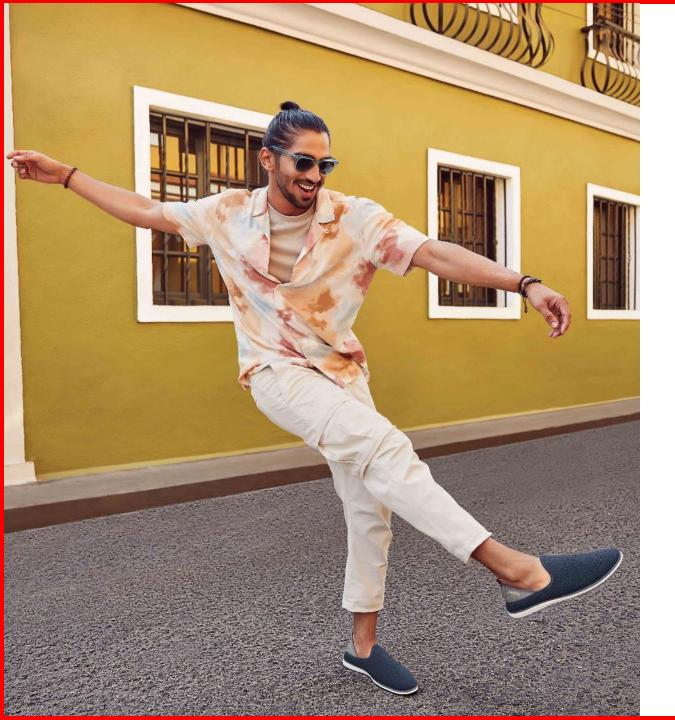
# **Cash Flow statement (Consolidated)**



### In INR Crore

| Particulars   | For the six month period<br>ended<br>September 30, 2022 | For the six month period ended September 30, 2021 |
|---|---|---|
| Cash flow from Operating Activities                           |   |   |
| Profit/(loss) before tax for the year                         | 242   | 56  |
| Add: Non-cash items/re-classification                         | 92  | 57  |
| Operating profit before working capital changes               | 335   | 113   |
| Movement in working capital:                                  |   |   |
| (Increase)/Decrease in Trade Receivable                       | (35)  | (19)  |
| (Increase)/Decrease in Inventories                            | (150)   | (49)  |
| Increase/(Decrease) in trade and other payables               | 57  | 30  |
| Increase/(Decrease) in other assets/liabilities               | (26)  | (24)  |
| Cash generated from operations                                | 180   | 52  |
| Less: Income taxes paid                                       | (60)  | (26)  |
| Net cash generated from operating activities                  | 120   | 26  |
| Cash flows from investing activities                          |   |   |
| Net Capital expenditure                                       | (40)  | (19)  |
| Net investments in FD & other investments                     | (9)   | 60  |
| Net cash from/ (used in) investing activities                 | (49)  | 41  |
| Cash flow from financing activities                           |   |   |
| Proceeds from issue of shares                                 | 1   | -   |
| Payment of share issue Expenses                               | (2)   | -   |
| Payment of Lease Liabilities                                  | (76)  | (44)  |
| Final and interim dividends including Dividend Tax paid       | (20)  | (30)  |
| Availments/Repayments of/from borrowings & interest payment   | 2   | (1)   |
| Net cash from/ (used in) financing activities                 | (96)  | (74)  |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents          | (24)  | (7)   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year/period | 62  | 26  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year/period       | 37  | 19  |

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# **Our Key Strengths**



One of India's largest pan India footwear retailers¹ with a brand appeal among aspirational consumer segments



Pivoting from primarily "Offline" to an "Omni-channel" enabled footwear & accessories retailer



Wide range of brands and products catering to all occasions across age groups and market segments resulting in strong customer loyalty



Asset light business with an efficient operating model leading to sustained profitable growth



Efficient operating model through deep vendor engagements and TOC (Theory of Constraints) based supply chain



6 Platform of choice for third party brands looking to expand in India



Strong promoter background and an experienced and entrepreneurial management team with a proven track record



8 Strong track record of growth, profitability and financial discipline



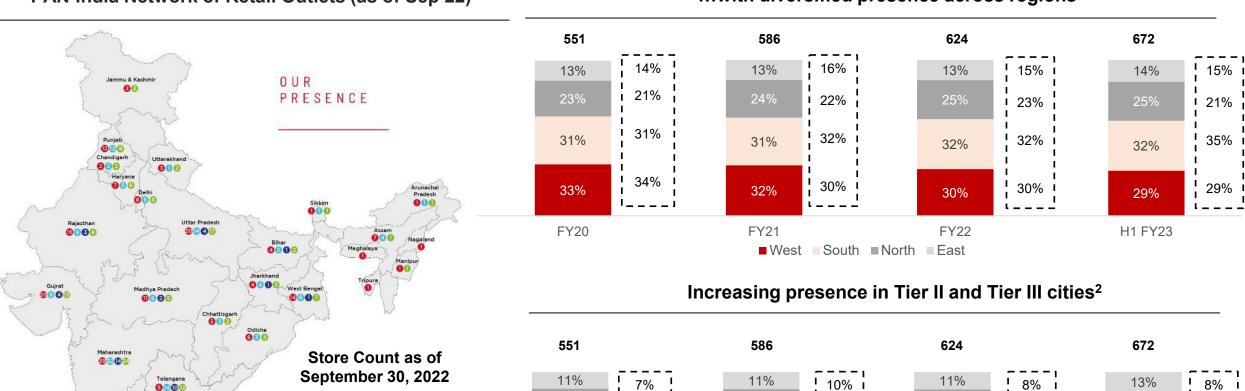


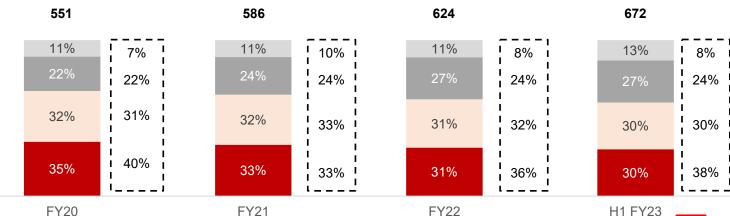
# One of India's largest pan India footwear retailers¹ with a brand appeal among aspirational consumer segments





# ...with diversified presence across regions<sup>2</sup>





■Tier I ■ Tier III ■ Tier III

■ Metro

Note: Map is not to scale; Decimals rounded off

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<sup>1</sup>CRISIL Research; <sup>2</sup>Figures represent store count as of September 30, 2022

255

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Number of METRO stores

Number of MOCHIstores

Number of WALKWAY stores

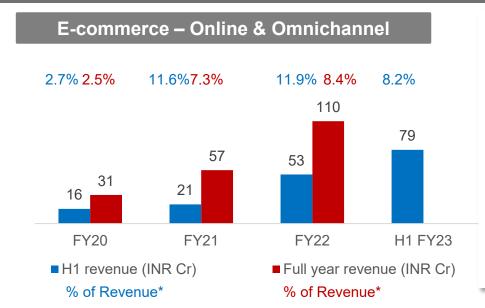
denotes % share in Total Store Product Sales

Tamil Nadu

# Pivoting from primarily "Offline" to an "Omni-channel" enabled footwear and accessories retailer

**Shop from Store** 





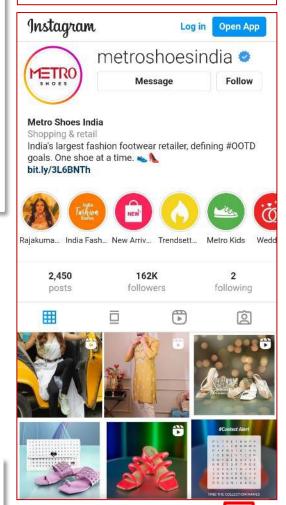
- Majority of online business comes through leading e-commerce marketplaces (Present on 6 Major E-commerce marketplaces)
- Manage three own brand websites ( <u>www.metroshoes.com</u>, <u>www.mochishoes.com</u> and <u>www.walkwayshoes.com</u> ) and one exclusive brand <u>www.fitflop.in</u>
- Marketing through Social Media platforms
- Company owns and operates its e-commerce operations; Investment in E-commerce specific warehouse management system which integrates store network with its online platform

**Online** 

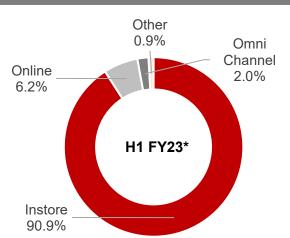
" Omni Channel Experience"

In store

#### "Highest number of Instagram Followers among key footwear retailers in India" (CRISIL)



#### **Revenue Breakup - Instore & E-commerce**



 Customer engagement through home – visits and instant messaging channels such as Whatsapp

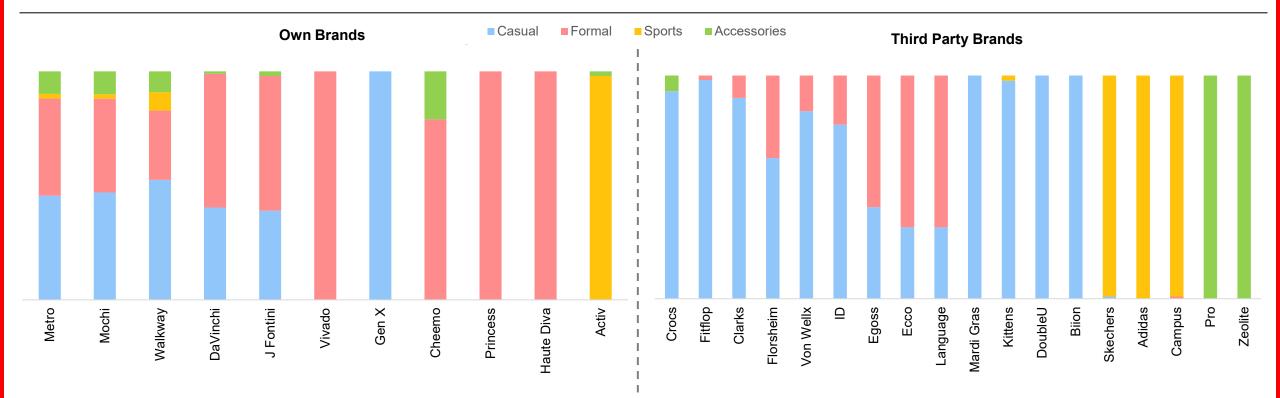
Note: Numbers and percentages rounded off; Revenue is net of returns and discounts

<sup>\*</sup> As a % of Standalone Revenue from Operations

# Wide range of brands and products catering to all occasions across age groups and market segments resulting in strong customer loyalty (1/3)



#### Product presence across multiple categories through Own and Third party brands



#### **Product Presence across various Product Categories**

| Footwear |       |      | Accessories |          |         |           |      |           |
|----------|-------|------|-------------|----------|---------|-----------|------|-----------|
| Men      | Women | Kids | Bags        | Clutches | Wallets | Foot care | Belt | Shoe care |
| ✓        | ✓     | ✓    | ✓           | ✓        | ✓       | ✓         | ✓    | ✓         |

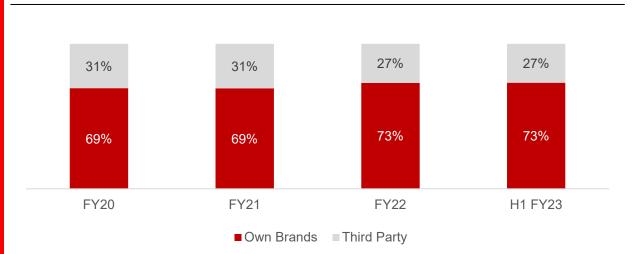




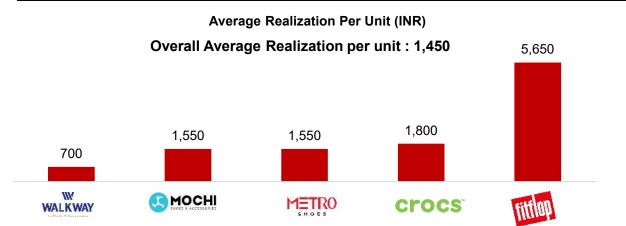
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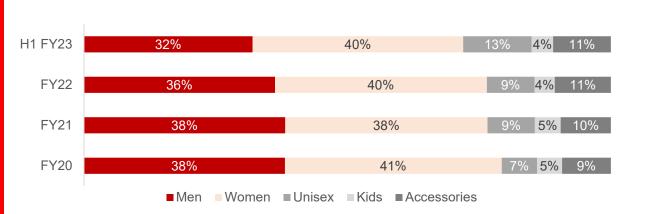
#### Own Brands contribute ~ 70-75% of total store product sales at MBOs



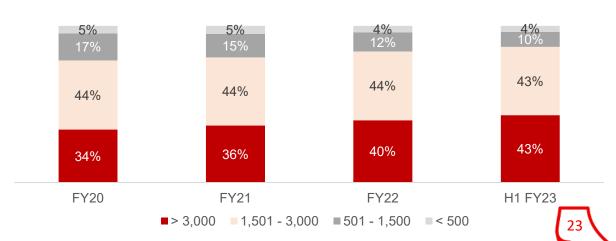
#### **Targeting Mid and Premium Segment through 5 different Brand Outlets**



#### One Stop Shop for all the family members<sup>1</sup>



#### **Product Pricing wise Sales Mix<sup>1</sup>**



1% of Total Store Product Sales

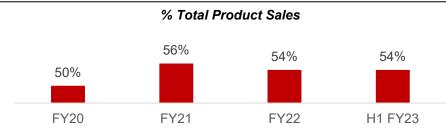
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# Wide range of brands and products catering to all occasions across age groups and market segments resulting in strong customer loyalty (3/3)







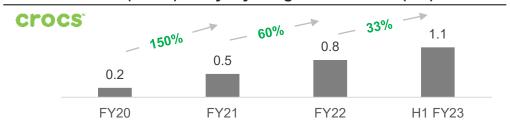
#### Club Metro (2007\*) - Loyalty Program Members (Mn)



My Mochi (2011\*) – Loyalty Program Members (Mn)



Crocs (2020\*) - Loyalty Program Members (Mn)



- Loyalty programs have been digitized and thus provide insights into Customer Preference and Trends which help in procurement of right product mix
- Loyalty program data leads to targeted and relevant campaigns to improve customer engagement and experiences

#### **Club Metro and My Mochi Loyalty Program Details**



Valid for a period of one year from the data of purchase unless specified otherwise

Flat, Single level membership programs

4% of net bill value in the form of loyalty points (one point equals Re. 1)

Highest loyalty points credit for customers among the key Indian footwear players (Source : CRISIL Research)

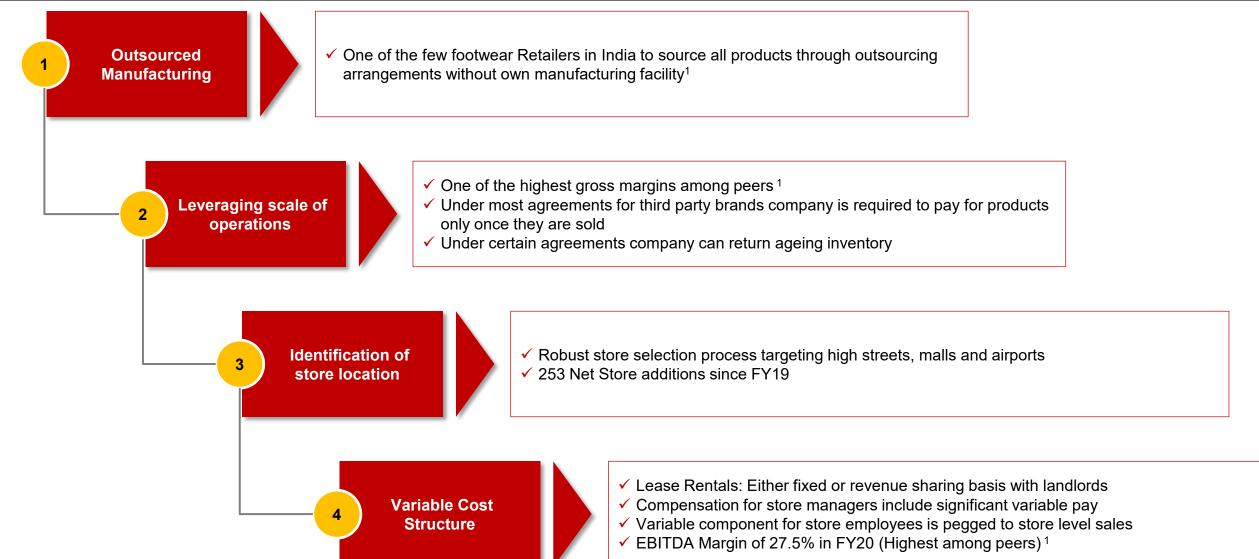
Can be redeemed across any store of the respective brand





# Asset light business with an efficient operating model leading to sustained profitable growth





<sup>1</sup> Source: CRISIL Research

Note: Numbers and decimals rounded off



# Efficient operating model through deep vendor engagements and TOC based supply chain

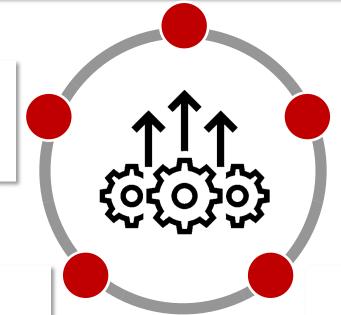


#### **Long Standing Relationships with Vendors**

- 250+ vendors dealt with over last 3 fiscal years
- 20+ years of relationship with certain vendors

#### **Demand Driven Lean Inventory Norms**

- Optimum capital employed
- Minimize stale stock (Reducing Discounted Sales)
- Improving gross margins



#### **New Designs and Styles**

Vendor engagement through merchandising and design team leading to new products

#### **Focus on Product Assortment**

Theory of Constraints (TOC) method for supply chain offering greater predictability of products in demand and reducing stock outs

#### **Pull Model for Product availability**

Product replacement led by a demand driven inventory replenishment model



# Platform of choice for third party brands looking to expand in India



#### Why brands prefer Metro platform

#### MARKET POSITION

 Long track record of successfully incubating and scaling up various retail brands

#### STORE ECONOMICS

 Healthy store economics by optimizing operational cost

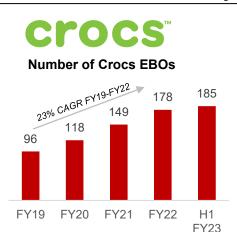
#### **OMNI CHANNEL PRESENCE**

 Presence across EBO/MBOs, and e-com platforms

#### **WIDE REACH**

- PAN India Presence
- Servicing customers of different ethnicities and markets

#### **Successful brand partnership**



Metro entered into an agreement with Crocs in Apr 2015, as amended by way of an addendum agreement entered in Jul 2017

The Company has First right of refusal to opening a retail store / kiosk or outlet in India, as may be proposed by Crocs

The Company has rights to Sell Crocs products in India at stores and Kiosks as approved by Crocs

- Operates EBOs under an 18 year agreement, post first 3 years the agreement provides for automatic renewal for 5 successive periods of 3 years each
- Permitted to use trademarks and other intellectual property under the Crocs brand for the limited purpose of retailing Crocs Products in India



- Based out of United Kingdom Fitflop is known for its premium–super-comfortable flip-flops & footwear range offering shoes for all-day wearing, using a combination of biomechanics, comfort and fashion
- Metro entered into a long-term exclusive agreement with Fitflop in January 2022 and first store opened in April 2022.

  With this agreement, Metro Brands gets exclusive rights for sale and distribution across all formats including, Exclusive Brand Stores, Multi Brand Stores, Airport Stores, Distribution, Online Marketplaces and Webstore in India.

### **Board of Directors**<sup>1</sup>





ARUNA BHAGWAN ADVANI, Independent Director

- Holds bachelor's degree in science from University of Sussex
- Previously served as executive chairman of Ador Welding Ltd.



ARVIND KUMAR SINGHAL, Independent Director

- Holds Bachelor of Engineering degree from IIT-Roorkee, and an MBA from University of California, Los Angeles, USA
- Presently serving as the Chairman of Technopak Advisors Pvt. Ltd.



MANOJ KUMAR MAHESHWARI, Independent Director

- Holds bachelor's degree in science
- ❖ He is the Chairman and Director of Maheshwari Investors Pvt. Ltd. and serves on the Boards of Mahindra CIE Automotive Ltd, R.J Investment Private Ltd. and RPG Life Sciences Ltd.



IQBAL HASANALLY DOSSANI, Whole Time Director

- Holds bachelor's degree in commerce, in Financial Accounting and Auditing
- Previously associated with M/S Workforce Media Network and Schefata Pharmaceutical & Development Laboratories.



SRIKANTH VELAMAKANNI, Independent Director

- Holds bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from IIT Delhi and PGDM from IIM Ahmedabad
- ❖ Is a Co-Founder, Group CEO and Executive Vice Chairman at Fractal Analytics Pvt. Ltd



**UTPAL HEMENDRA SHETH,** *Non-Executive Director (Nominee)* 

- He is a Cost Accountant and Chartered Financial Analyst from ICFAI, Hyderabad and holds bachelor's degree in commerce
- Is currently serving as the CEO of Rare Enterprises



VIKAS VIJAYKUMAR KHEMANI, Independent Director

- Fellow Member of ICAI and is a CFA Charter Holder
- Currently serves on the Boards of Carnelian Asset Advisors Pvt Ltd, BSAS Infotech Ltd, Tibbs Foods Pvt. Ltd. and Course5 Intelligence Limited



# Strong promoter background and an experienced and entrepreneurial management team with a proven track record







- Over 50 years of experience in the field of footwear retail
- Holds a bachelor's degree in commerce and has attended the Owner/President Management Program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business
- He has been associated with the Company since Jan 12, 1977



FARAH MALIK BHANJI, Managing Director

- Over 20 years of experience in the field of footwear retail
- Holds bachelor's degrees in Arts and BBA from University of Texas at Austin
- Attended the Owner / President program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business
- She has been associated with the Company since Dec 05, 2000



ALISHA RAFIQUE MALIK,
President – E-commerce and CRM

- Holds a bachelor's degree in Arts (Finance) from University of Northumbria conducted at Welingkar Institute of Management Development and Research
- She has been associated with the Company since Jul 01, 2009



NISSAN JOSEPH, Chief Executive Officer

- Holds master's degree in Business Administration
- Previously associated with Payless Shoes Pty Ltd, Hickory Brands Inc, Crocs, MAP Active & Planet Sports Inc



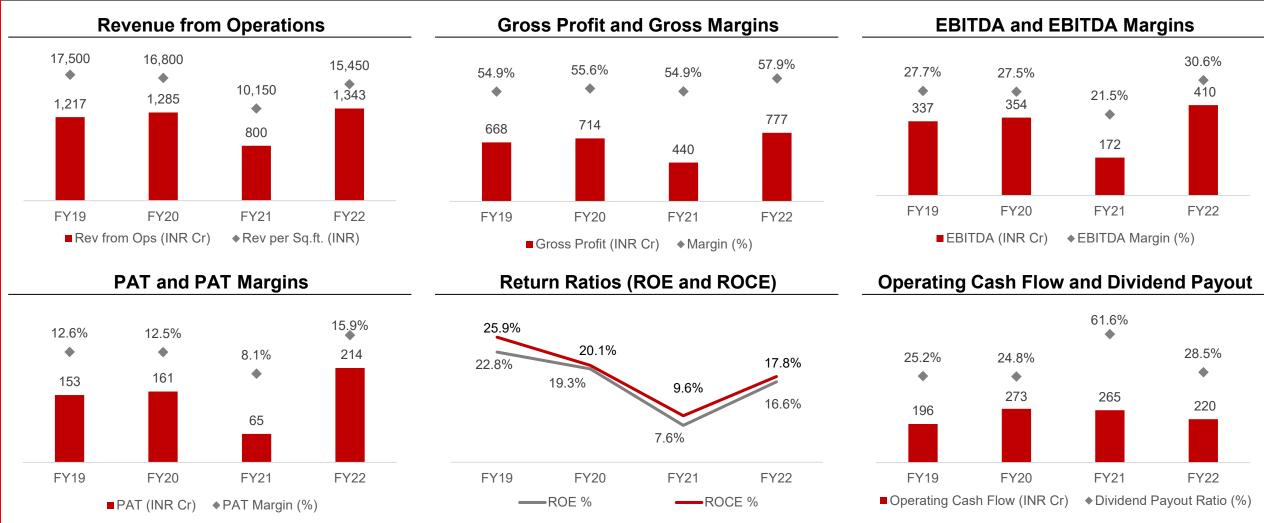
KAUSHAL KHODIDAS PAREKH, Chief Financial Officer

- Holds bachelor's of commerce degree in Financial Accounting and Auditing (Special) and is a qualified Chartered Accountant & Company Secretary.
- Previously associated with Ernst & Young, PwC & N. M. Raiji & Co.

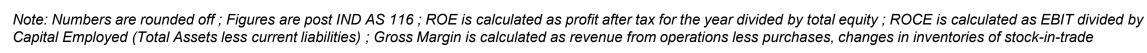


# Strong track record of growth, profitability and financial discipline





#### The Company has been declaring and paying dividend to shareholders consistently since 2000

















SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES & OTHERS

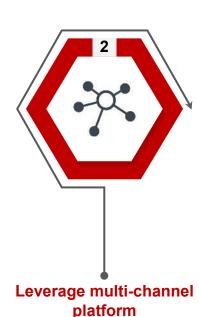


# **Key Strategies**



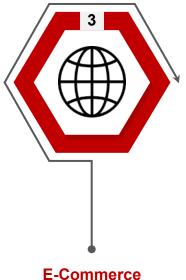


Target to open 260 stores under various formats by end of FY25



Build on successful

expansion of Crocs / Fitflop and leverage the platform to evaluate similar opportunities



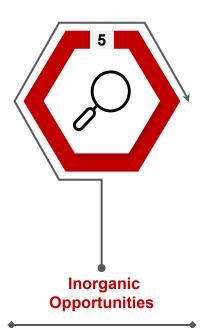
**Expansion** 

Leverage existing capabilities to increase E-commerce operations Expand Revenue Generating Channels and become a digitally relevant brand



**Expand Portfolio of Accessories and** others

Growth in allied businesses like accessories, shoe care & foot care



Evaluation basis targeted returns, operational scale and diversification criteria

## To Summarize....



SOURCING & VENDOR RELATIONS

WIDE RANGE OF PRODUCTS

**PAN INDIA PRESENCE** 

**BRAND VINTAGE** 

netro BRANDS

PREFERRED PARTNER FOR THIRD PARTY BRANDS

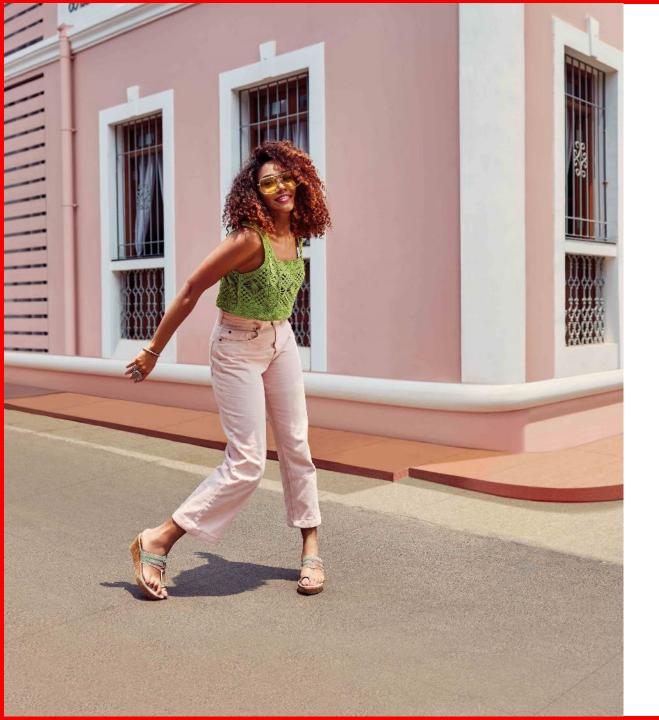
ALLIED PRODUCTS (Accessories, Foot care, Shoe care, etc.)



ASSET LIGHT BUSINESS MODEL

MULTI-CHANNEL RETAIL PLATFORM



















# **Sustainability Initiatives (1/6)**



### **Health & Well-being**







- Partnered with The Social Lab (TSL) and launched project "Ek Kadam Aage" to empower 150 Mumbai Railway Station based Shoe Shiners covering the aspects of their livelihood, healthcare and financial literacy trainings
- □ Contributed towards Capex for building a Head and Neck Cancer Hospital in Mumbai through Cancare Trust.
- □ Supported in treatment costs of economically weaker section people through Prince Aly Khan Hospital.

### **Sustainability Initiatives (2/6)**



### **Environment**

#### **Sustainable Footwear and Packaging**



 Launched vegan friendly footwear range – Tie-Dye Collection, made with modern, comfortable animal-free materials.



- Nature Pro Collection: 11 PET bottles recycled to get 1 pair of shoes.
- Merino Wool Collection: Biodegradable, vegan.



- Our packaging boxes use filler paper made of recycled & bio-degradable paper pulp
- Boxes with no additive of fresh wood or metal like Zinc & Lead



### **Sustainability Initiatives (3/6)**



#### **Environment**

#### Solar rooftops at our warehouses

Solar rooftops installed at both of our warehouses with a combined capacity of 240 KW. The solar rooftops generated 221 MWh of power.









### **Recycling of discarded footwear**

We are running a project for collection, sorting, transportation, processing (recycling & Pyrolysis) and co-processing of old, discarded, footwear – ODF in an eco-friendly manner of 300 tons over a period of 3 months.

### **Sustainability Initiatives (4/6)**



### **Environment**

Distributed more than 18,000 footwear pairs to the less fortunate rural school children of Maharashtra, Gujarat, Odisha and Telangana







### **Sustainability Initiatives (5/6)**

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#### **Education**







Through Project Nanhi Kali, we contributed towards providing access to **quality education to 500 underprivileged girls** from Bharuch, Gujarat and helped them complete schooling with dignity.

Sponsored 230 underserved adolescents to develop leadership skills in them through football, with a focus on breaking gender stereotypes, gender mainstreaming and equipping these children with life skills to be problem solvers and role models.

Through UnLtd India, we supported 32 Social Entrepreneurs to grow in their leadership skills through incubation support, immersive residential workshops, capacity building and increasing the network of their supporters.

### **Sustainability Initiatives (6/6)**



### **Education**



Through Fidai Girls Educational Institute, we **supported 80 children** of under privileged families of Maharashtra and Gujarat region by providing them an environment to excel in their academic life.



**Supported as a co-funder** in Mission Vriddhi, a project designed by Mantra to transform learning, teaching and leading school improvement in Bihar.

☐ We are supporting more than 200 trainees (unemployed youth) by providing them practical exposure through on-the-job training at Metro Brands Ltd, thus enhancing their skills and making them employable.



### Awards & Recognition – (1/2)





Iconic Brands of India Award, 2022



Forbes India Leadership Awards 2022

Farah Malik Bhanji and Alisha Malik won the GenNext

Entrepreneur award for a successful expansion and

listing at the markets in 2021.



IMAGE Fashion Awards
India's Most Admired Retailer, 2022



IMAGE Retail Awards

Most Admired Retailer – Footwear, 2022



MAPIC India Retail Awards

Most Admired Retailer of the year

Footwear Category, 2022



India Retail Champions Award,
Retailers Association of India
Footwear category, 2022



Best Use Of Cloud Services – Ecommerce, 2022

### Awards & Recognition – (2/2)





#### Recognition Leadership

Farah Malik Bhanji featured on the Forbes'
Asia's Power Businesswomen 2021



**IMAGE Retail Awards** 



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FRO Awards -Franchise India Awards
Retail Brand Of The Year ,2021



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India Retail Tech Awards

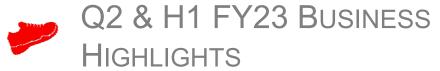
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SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES & OTHERS



### **Industry Overview (1/2)**

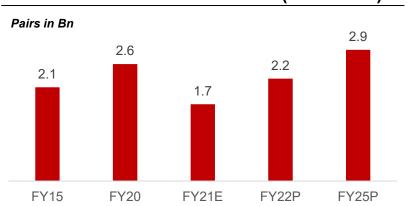


### Low per capita footwear consumption in India as compared to other countries

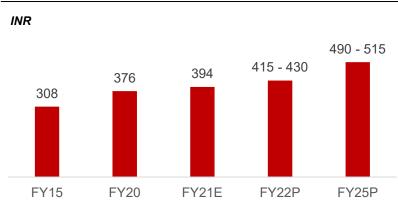
#### Per Capita Consumption of Footwear (2019) 8.1 6.4 6.2 6.2 5.8 4.3 4.0 3.3 3.2 1.9 USA UK France Germany Brazil China World Pakistan Japan Indonesia India

Figures represent pairs of footwear

### **Indian Footwear Market Size (in Volume)**



### Avg. Selling Price for Footwear in India

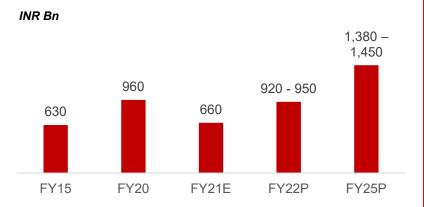


### Per Capita footwear consumption India





### **Indian Footwear Consumption in Value**



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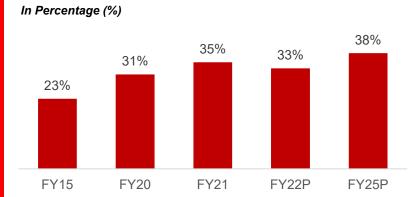
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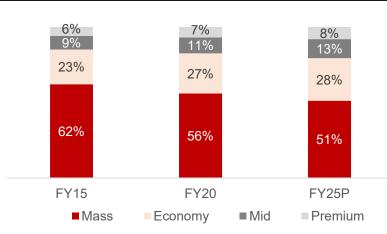
### **Industry Overview (2/2)**



### **Organized Retail Penetration - Footwear**

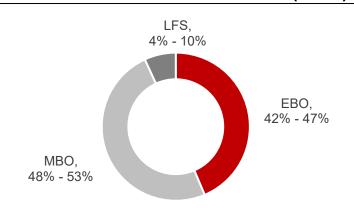


### Segment wise market composition



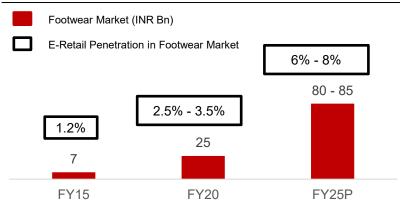
Note: % Share in Total Footwear Industry

### **Share of various Retail Formats (FY21)**

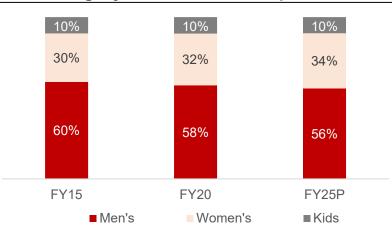


Note: Broad split of traditional offline formats for organized footwear industry

### **E-Retail Market in India**

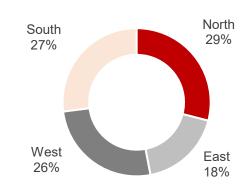


#### **Category wise market composition**

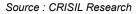


Note: % Share in Total Footwear Industry

### Region wise market composition (FY20)



Note: Breakup of Footwear Market in India

















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