IPO Flash

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Gandhar Oil Refinery India

IPO Details:	
Issue opens	November 22, 2023 (Wednesday)
Issue closes	November 24, 2023 (Friday)
Issue size	Rs. 500.69 crore
Type of issue	Fresh issue of up to 17,869,822 equity shares aggregating to Rs.302 crore and Offer for Sale (OFS) of up to 11,756,910 equity shares aggregating to Rs. 198.69 crore.
Price band	Rs. 160-169
Bid Lot	88 Shares
Post issue implied market cap	Rs. 1,582-1,654 crore
Issue Structure	
Institutional portion (QIB)	Not more than 50%
Non-Institutional portion	Not less than 15%
Retail Portion	Not less than 35%
BRLMs	Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and ICICI Securities Limited

Source: Company RHP; Note: The company and selling shareholders in consultation with BRLM might offer 60% of QIB portion to anchor investors on a discretionary basis

About the IPO

Gandhar Oil Refinery India Limited's IPO is a combination of fresh issue of 1.79 crore shares aggregating to Rs. 302 crore and an offer for sale of 1.18 crore shares aggregating to Rs. 199 crore. The issue is priced at Rs. 160-169 per share.

Offer for sale details

Sr. No.	Name of the selling shareholders	Number of offered shares				
Promoter Selling Shareholder						
1	Mr. Ramesh Babulal Parekh	Up to 2,250,000				
Promoter Group Selling Shareholders						
2	Mr. Kailash Parekh	Up to 2,250,000				
3	Ms. Gulab Parekh	Up to 2,250,000				
Other Se	lling Shareholders					
4	Green Desert Real Estate Brokers	Up to 3,000,000				
5	Denver Bldg Mat & Décor TR LLC	Up to 1,000,000				
6	Fleet Line Shipping Services LLC	Up to 1,000,000				
7	Mr. Sunith Menon	Up to 1,970				
8	Mr. Vijendra Sumatilal Patani	Up to 1,970				
9	Mr. Vinay Prabhakar Ulpe	Up to 1,970				
10	Mr. Mayur Bhupendralal Desai	Up to 1,000				

Source: Company RHP

Shareholding pattern

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Shareholder	Pre-is	ssue	Post-issue*		Post-issue^			
Shareholder	No of shares	Holding (%)	No of shares	Holding (%)	No of shares	Holding (%)		
Promoters	7,00,00,000	87.5	5,75,81,764	58.2	5,82,43,090	59.5		
Public	1,00,00,000	12.5	4,12,93,236	41.8	3,96,26,732	40.5		
Total	8,00,00,000	100.0	9,88,75,000	100.0	9,78,69,822	100.0		

 $Source: Company \ RHP \ (*Lower \ price \ band; \land Upper \ price \ band)$



Object of the Fresh Issue

Particulars	Amount (Rs. crore)
Investment into Texol by way of a loan for financing the repayment/pre-payment of a loan facility	22.7
Capital expenditure through purchase of equipment and civil work required for expansion in capacity of automotive oil at its Silvassa Plant	27.7
Funding working capital requirement of the company	185.0
General corporate purposes	-

Source: Company RHP

About the company

Gandhar Oil Refinery India Limited is a leading manufacturer of white oils (by revenue) with a growing focus on the consumer and healthcare end-industries. As of June 30, 2023, the company's product suite comprised over 440 products primarily across personal care, healthcare and performance oils ("PHPO"), lubricants and process and insulating oils ("PIO") divisions under the "Divyol" brand. These products are used as ingredients by leading Indian and global companies for the manufacture of end products for the consumer, healthcare, automotive, industrial, power and tyre and rubber sectors. The company's products are sold in over 100 countries across the globe, and it catered to over 3,500 customers in FY2023.

Key business divisions

Business division	Product categories	Primary end-industries
Personal care, healthcare and performance oils (PHPO)	White oils, waxes and jellies	Consumer; healthcare; plastics; chemical; textiles; and fragrance
Lubricants	Automotive oils and industrial oils	Automobile; and industrial machines and equipment
Process and insulating oils (PIO)	Transformer oils and rubber processing oils	Transformer manufacturers; power generation and distribution; and tyre and rubber product manufacturers

Source: Company RHP

Business division by revenue break-up

Rs. crore

Particulars	FY21	% of revenues	FY22	% of revenues	FY23	% of revenues	Q1FY24	% of revenues
Personal care, healthcare and performance oils (PHPO)	772	45%	1,480	53%	2,098	55%	553	56%
Lubricants	473	27%	594	21%	956	25%	263	27%
Process and insulating oils (PIO)	219	13%	292	11%	363	10%	66	7%
Channel partners	265	15%	401	14%	401	11%	100	10%
Total revenue	1,729	100%	2,766	100%	3,818	100%	982	100%

Source: Company RHP



Volume break-up

Particulars (kL)	FY21	FY22	FY23	Q1FY24
Personal care, healthcare and performance oils (PHPO)	1,43,917	2,14,724	2,37,727	63,619
Lubricants	74,569	79,023	1,00,404	27,980
Process and insulating oils (PIO)	45,681	49,708	45,152	9,605
Channel partners	57,842	67,919	50,215	12,749
Total volume	3,22,009	4,11,374	4,33,498	1,13,953

Source: Company RHP

Total capacity, production and utilisation

Particulars (kl)	FY21	FY22	FY23	Q1FY24
Installed capacity	4,97,403	4,97,403	5,22,403	5,22,403
Actual production	3,25,463	4,21,771	4,35,114	1,15,657
Capacity utilisation	65.4%	84.8%	83.3%	88.6%

Source: Company RHP

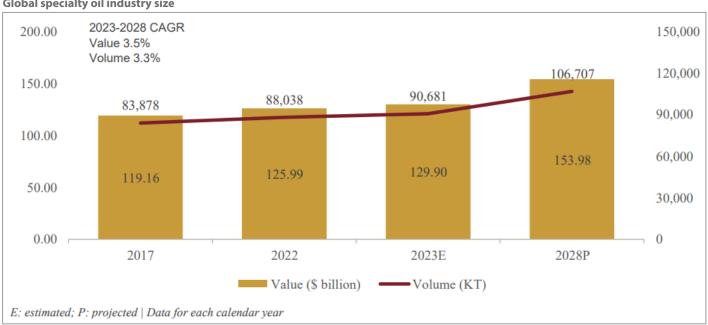
Plant-wise capacity and utilization

Particulars (kL)	Capacity	Utilisation
Taloja plant	1,43,256	104.5%
Silvassa plant	1,43,853	104.5%
Sharjah plant	2,35,294	69.1%
Total	5,22,403	88.6%

Source: Company RHP

Industry overview

Global specialty oil industry size

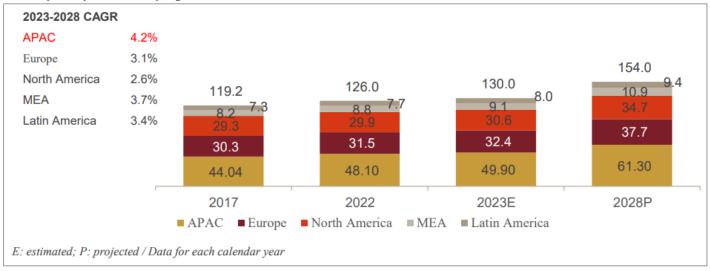


Source: Company RHP

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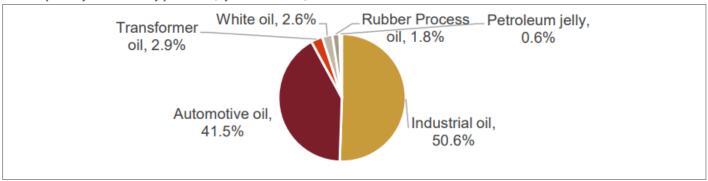
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Global specialty oil market by region (\$ billion)



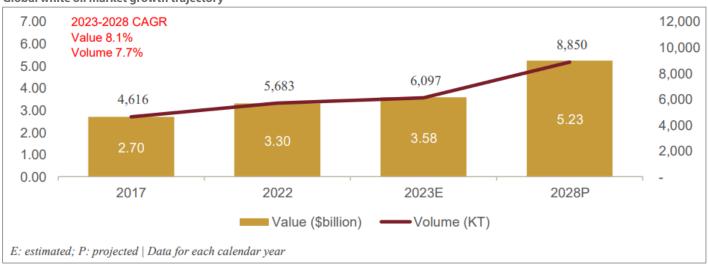
Source: Company RHP

Global specialty oil market by products (by value in 2022)



Source: Company RHP

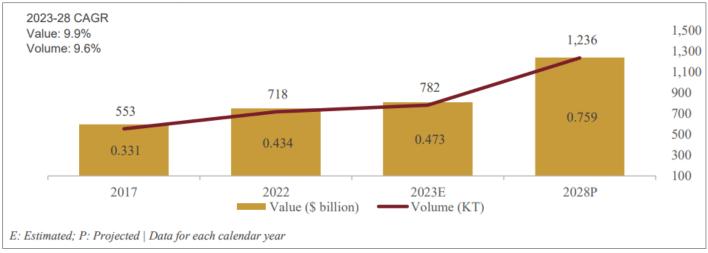
Global white oil market growth trajectory



Source: Company RHP



Indian white oil market trajectory



Source: Company RHP

Management details

Brief Profiles of Directors

- Mr. Ramesh Babulal Parekh is the Promoter, Chairperson and Managing Director. He holds a bachelor's degree
 in commerce from the University of Mumbai. He has been working with the company since its incorporation and
 has over 31 years of experience in the petroleum and specialty oils industry.
- **Mr. Samir Ramesh Parekh** is the Promoter, Vice Chairperson and Joint Managing Director. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Commerce from the University of Mumbai. He has over 19 years of experience in manufacturing and marketing of petroleum and specialty oils industry. He is responsible for managing the operations of the company's Silvassa manufacturing facility.
- Mr. Aslesh Ramesh Parekh is the Promoter and Joint Managing Director. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Science
 from the University of Mumbai and a post-graduate certificate in e-management and business administration
 from the MET Asian Management Development Centre. He has over 19 years of experience in the petroleum and
 specialty oils industry. He is responsible for managing the operations of the Company's Taloja manufacturing
 facility and also heads the international business team of the Company.
- Mr. Raj Kishore Singh is an Independent Director. He holds a bachelor's degree in technology in mechanical
 engineering from Kashi Hindu Vishwavidyalaya. He is experienced in the petroleum industry and has previously
 worked with Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited and in his most recent role was the chairman and managing
 director of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited.
- Ms. Amrita Nautiyal is an Independent Director. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Commerce from the University
 of Bombay and also holds a diploma in business management from the Narsee Monjee Institute of Management
 Studies.
- Ms. Deena Asit Mehta is an Independent Director. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Commerce from the University of Bombay and a master's degree in management studies from the University of Mumbai. She was the first woman president of the BSE. She is also a fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and a fellow of the Securities and Investment Institute.
- Mr. Indrajit Bhattacharyya is the Chief Financial Officer. He holds a bachelor's degree in commerce from the University of Calcutta and a master's degree in business administration from the University of Pune. Prior to joining the Company, he was associated with Trinity Forge Limited as a senior accountant, Bajaj Auto Finance as an officer in the internal audit unit, with Interdril (Asia) Limited as chief financial officer and director (finance) and with Valecha Engineering Limited as Chief Financial Officer.



Key strengths

- Leading market share in Indian white oils market: The company was India's largest manufacturer of white oils by revenue in FY2023, including domestic and overseas sales and was one of the top five players globally in terms of market share in CY2022. As of June 30, 2023, company offered a diverse portfolio of over 440 products primarily across the PHPO, lubricants and PIO divisions. The company's products form a major component by volume for various consumer and healthcare end-industry products such as cosmetics, skin care products, ointments, overthe-counter and other medicines, as well as lubricants, processing oils and insulating oils.
- Extensive and diversified customer base: The company has long-standing relationships with several of its key customers and have been able to maintain high customer loyalty. The percentage of customers placing repeat orders in the quarter ended June 30, 2023 and the FY2023, FY2022 and FY2021 was 83.74%, 69.11%, 68.86% and 66.37% respectively.
- Strategically located manufacturing facilities and in-house R&D capabilities: The company currently operates three manufacturing facilities, with two plants located in Western India and one plant located in Sharjah, United Arab Emirates, spread across 1,28,454 square meters to cater to the Indian and global operations. As of June 30, 2023, the combined annual production capacity of these manufacturing facilities was approximately 522,403 kl. Further, the company has an R&D facility located at their Silvassa manufacturing facility where they undertake the R&D activities to support its manufacturing activities.
- Resilient, flexible and scalable business model: The company has three decades of experience in the specialty oils industry. They have increased the scale of their operations over the years, while increasing efficiency and reducing costs. The company started with the Taloja Plant in 1993, subsequently set up the Silvassa Plant in 2000 and set up Texol (that has become subsidiary with effect from March 30, 2022) with a partner in 2017, to expand into United Arab Emirates. The business model affords us the flexibility to grow and manage their operations.

Key Concerns

- The company depends significantly on personal care, health care and performance oil (PHPO) business division. Any reduction in revenue from this division could adversely affect company's business, financial condition and results of operations.
- The company sources most of its base oil, a key raw material, from South Korea and the Gulf Co-operation Council region. Any inability to obtain base oil from these countries in the absence of alternative sources may result in delay or cancellation of orders for the products, adversely impact customer relationships and have a material adverse impact on its business, financial condition and results of operations.
- The Promoters and company are involved in certain regulatory actions (including notices and summons with requests for information from the Enforcement Directorate and the Central Bureau of Investigation) and proceedings and investigations in respect of certain criminal proceedings. Any adverse outcome in such matters may adversely affect its business, reputation, financial condition and results of operations.

Valuation and view

At the IPO price band of Rs. 160-169/share per share, the offer is valued at 8.7x/8.2x its FY23 EPS at upper and lower price band. Valuation seems reasonable when compared to peers given Gandhar Oil Refinery India's proven track record of robust earnings growth (PAT CAGR of 38% over FY21-23) and high RoE of 32%. Moreover, the company is the largest manufacturer of white oil in India and among the top five players globally in terms of market share. The company plans to expand capacities at Taloja/Silvassa by 100,000 kL/18,840 kL and is focused to grow market share (through expansion of distribution network and entering into new geographies) bodes well for the company's growth.



Peer Comparison (based on FY23 financials)

Particulars	Revenue (Rs. crore)	EPS (Rs./Share)	P/E (x)	RoNW
Gandhar Oil Refinery India at upper price band	4.070	10.4	8.7	32%
Gandhar Oil Refinery India at lower price band	4,079	19.4	8.2	32%
Savita Oil Technologies Limited	3,630	32.7	10.0	17%
Apar Industries Limited	14,352	166.6	34.8	32%
Galaxy Surfactants Limited	4,445	107.5	26.1	22%
Privi Speciality Chemicals	1,608	5.5	233.0	3%
Rossari Biotech Limited	1,656	19.4	36.8	12%
Fairchem Organics Limited	648	33.4	34.6	18%

Source: Company RHP, Sharekhan Research

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Restated Profit & Loss (Consolidated)				Rs cr
Particulars	FY21	FY22	FY23	Jun-23
Revenue from Operations	2221	3543	4079	1070
Cost of materials consumed	1136	2382	3326	868
Purchase of stock-in trade	746	676	215	81
Change in inventories	52	-2	16	-7
Employee benefit expenses	24	37	52	11
Other Expenses	125	205	154	34
Total Expenditure	2082	3297	3763	986
Operating Profit	139	246	317	84
OPM %	6.2%	6.9%	7.8%	7.9%
Depreciation	11	15	17	5
EBIT	127	231	300	79
Finance cost	36	32	52	13
Other income	22	26	22	1
PBT excluding JV	113	225	271	67
Share of JV	7			
Exceptional item		-1		
PBT	120	225	271	67
Tax	20	62	58	13
Net Income	100	164	213	54
Minority Interest	0	16	23	9
Net Income post minority interest	100	147	190	45

Source: Company RHP



Restated Balance Sheet (Consolidated)				Rs cr
Particulars	FY21	FY22	FY23	Jun-23
Total Non-Current Assets	126	257	359	342
Total Current Assets	975	1,062	1,255	1,454
Total Assets	1,101	1,318	1,613	1,796
Equity				
Equity Share Capital	16	16	16	16
Other Equity	429	525	709	754
Non Controlling Interest		20	35	41
Total Equity	445	561	760	811
Total Non-Current Liabilities	27	64	72	65
Total Current Liabilities	629	693	781	920
Total Equity and Liabilities	1,101	1,318	1,613	1,796

Source: Company RHP

Restated Cash flow statement (Consolidated)

Rs cr

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FY21	FY22	FY23	Jun-23
FY21	FY22	FY23	Jun-23
118	167	103	-133
-22	-116	-73	-7
-91	-4	-44	152
5	47	-13	12
8	13	60	47
13	60	47	59
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Source: Company RHP



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