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Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI(Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find attached herewith a copy of Earnings Presentation for Quarter/ Half Year ended 30th September, 2025 for your information and record purpose.

The said presentation is also being made available on the Company's website i.e. www.kuantumpapers.com.

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Thanking you, Yours faithfully, For Kuantum Papers Limited

(Gurinder Singh Makkar)
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

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EARNINGS PRESENTATION

Q2/H1-FY26

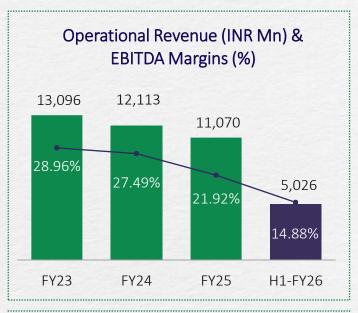


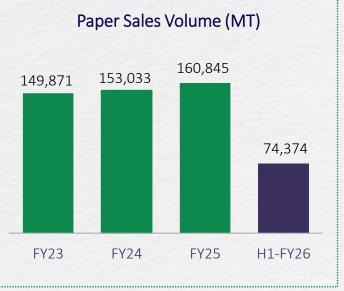


ABOUT KUANTUM PAPERS



- Kuantum Papers Ltd, a leading agro and wood-based paper manufacturer started its commercial operations in 1980 in an economically backward village of Hoshiarpur, Punjab.
- They started their production with 30 TPD and with continuous process upgrades and backward integration projects are now currently operating at 450 TPD.
- Due to its location in the foothills of the Shivalik range, Kuantum Papers has been strategically utilizing agro residues like wheat straw, sarkanda and bagasse along with wood chips, veneer waste & bamboo to make high quality paper.
- The company's fully integrated manufacturing facility spread across 259 acres helps it gain an advantage in terms of better operational efficiency and higher product offering.
- Its extensive portfolio of writing and printing paper finds application in books, notebooks, annual reports, directories, account books, envelopes, diaries, calendars, computer & office stationery.
- Kuantum's product offerings include maplitho, cream wove and value added specialty products like thermal paper, bond paper, parchment paper, azure laid paper, cartridge paper, coloured paper, ledger paper, stiffener paper, base paper for cups and straws with a GSM range of 40 200.
- The company manufactures its products on an order-based system from its 100+ dealer network spread across India, many of whom have been associated with it for three generations.
- The company has increased its export footprint in the last few years and is now exporting to 24 countries.
- Its Marquee clients include Macmillan Education India, McGraw Hill Education India, Oxford University Press, Pearson India Education Services, HT Media, Rachna Sagar, Chitra Prakashan India, Magic International, SBM Industries, Today Diaries amongst others.
- The company's Social Farm Forestry Program includes wood plantations of 16,000+ acres and it aims to expand it to 75,000 acres by 2030.





KEY STRENGTHS





Pan India presence with an extensive network of 100+ dealers



Cost savings through executed backward integration project has led to improved EBITDA margins



Strategic location in Punjab with abundant availability of raw materials such as Wheat Straw, Sarkanda & Bagasse, allows us to get steady supplies at stable prices



Superior product quality and market focus allow us to charge premium price of 5-7% higher than competitors



Largest product portfolio in the Paper Industry covering Maplitho, Copier, Specialty and Creamwove papers



Fully integrated plant infrastructure with technologically upgraded 4 Paper Machines, Agro & Wood Pulp Mill, Chemical Recovery Plant, Co-Gen Power Plant & Effluent Treatment Plant



Raw Materials are perfect substitutes of each other, so not dependent on any single one throughout the year



Established distinguished range of branded products



Long standing relationship with dealers, many associated with the company for over 3 decades



Located near densely populated Northern Region including NCR, a higher paper consumption market



The company aims to augment the Clonal Propagation Center's capacity to produce 1 crore clones annually, covering more than 75,000 acres by 2030 to ensure a sustainable source of wood material



Market-driven sales strategy ensuring timely supplies with minimum inventory backlog catering to diverse needs of our customers



CURRENT MANUFACTURING FACILITIES



Paper Machines Chemical Recovery Plant Co-Gen Power Plant **Pulping Facilities** Segment Turbines: Total Installed Capacity - 38 MW Total Capacity - 365 TPD Total Approved Capacity - 540 TPD Total Capacity - 700 Solids TPD Capacity • Agro Based Pulp - 165 TPD **Current Operating Capacity:** • Recovery Boiler 1 - 200 Solids TPD Boilers: Total Operational Capacity - 190 TPH • Wood Pulp - 200 TPD • Machine 1 - 50 TPD • Recovery Boiler 2 - 500 Solids TPD • Boiler 1 - 60 TPH • Machine 2 - 50 TPD • Boiler 2 - 130 TPH • Machine 3 - 115 TPD • Machine 4 - 285 TPD

Description

Kuantum combines its own agro and wood along with imported pulp in order to produce better quality fiber for paper production. The different configurations of the four paper machines allow Kuantum to manufacture a wide variety of surface-sized, non surface-sized and value-added specialty products.

The Chemical Recovery Plant operates at a high efficiency allowing recovery of over 95% of Caustic, enabling cost reductions, margin improvements and reusing for subsequent pulp production runs.

The state of the art Co-Gen Power Plant ensures uninterrupted steam and power supply to process units. The 130 TPH high pressure CFBC boiler combined with a set of highly efficient extraction cum condensing turbine and an extraction cum back pressure turbine, lead to power generation at very cost effective rates which are much lower than the grid rate.

FUTURE GROWTH STRATEGY





Debottlenecking and upgrading plant operations to increase production capacity by ~ 50% and further optimize cost



Leveraging single use plastic ban by developing a portfolio of specialty products for a sustainable future



Exploring technology in the specialty / tissue paper segment to diversify product portfolio



Harnessing the power of Industry 4.0 including IoT, AI and cloud computing for operational efficiency and optimal resource utilization





FINANCIAL & OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

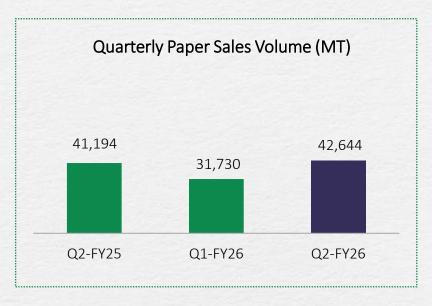
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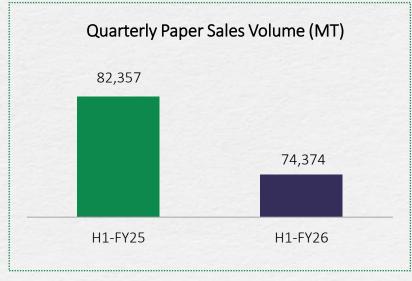
Q2/H1-FY26 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



Q2-FY26 Financial Highlights			
INR 2,797 Mn Income from Operations	INR 344 Mn EBITDA	12.30 % EBIDTA Margins	
INR 58 Mn Net Profit	2.07 % PAT Margins	INR 0.66 /Share Diluted EPS	

H1-FY26 Financial Highlights		
INR 5,026 Mn Income from Operations	INR 748 M n EBITDA	14.88 % EBIDTA Margins
INR 178 Mn Net Profit	3.54 % PAT Margins	INR 2.04 /Share Diluted EPS





Q2/H1-FY26 OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS



Financial Highlights

- Operational Income for Q2 FY-26, stood at INR 2,797 Mn, which was higher than Q1 by INR 568 Mn, due to higher paper production and sale post the successful upgradation of PM4. In this quarter, overall production was up by 3500 tons as compared to Q2 FY25.
- EBITDA margins for Q2 stood at 12.30%, down 582 basis points QoQ, on account of:
 - A decline in NSR/ Ton by INR 3200, in line with the overall industry trend, where NSR's have been impacted by cheaper imports.
 - An increase in production cost by INR 1300/Ton, mainly driven by higher prices of both agro and wood based raw material as a result of floods in Punjab.

Mill Expansion and Upgradation Project Update

- Significant progress has been made on the Double Displacement System (DDS) for the Wood Pulp Mill, which will result in improved quality and yield of wood pulp along with savings in operational costs.
- Completed installation of 2 MGF's (Multi Grade Filters) for filtration of Surface Water to enhance quality of input water for operations.

Plant Updates

- Post upgradation of PM 4 achieved the highest-ever monthly production of 8,303 MT (277 TPD) in September as well as the highest ever daily production of 360 MT in July 2025 on this machine.
- HRSCC integrated into 2nd stage wet washing for enhanced wash water quality and pulp consistency.
- Under Project Nirmaan our Industry 4.0-led, AI-based transformation project, Paper Machine 4 APC baseline study was successfully completed in Q2.
- Successfully executed European Union Deforestation Regulation (EUDR) plus Forest Stewardship Council (FSC®) compliant orders in Q2, reinforcing our commitment towards combating deforestation and promoting sustainable management of natural resources.
- New Product Development Kappa Premium 3-CRP developed on PM-3 as base paper for coating.

Environment & Sustainability Focus

• Achieved highest quarterly distribution of 18.21 lakh clonal saplings under the Social Farm Forestry program, taking the total number of beneficiary farmers to 17,343.



QUARTERLY FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE



PARTICULARS (INR Mn)	Q2-FY26	Q2-FY25	Y-o-Y	Q1-FY26	Q-o-Q
Operational Income	2,797	2,789	0.3%	2,229	25.5%
Total Expenses	2,453	2,181	12.5%	1,825	34.4%
EBITDA	344	608	(43.4)%	404	(14.9)%
EBITDA Margins (%)	12.30%	21.80%	(950) Bps	18.12%	(582) Bps
Other Income	22	17	29.4%	14	57.1%
Depreciation	163	130	25.4%	152	7.2%
Finance Cost	119	94	26.6%	104	14.4%
PBT	84	401	(79.1)%	162	(48.1)%
Tax	26	102	(74.5)%	41	(36.6)%
Profit After Tax	58	299	(80.6)%	121	(52.1)%
PAT Margins (%)	2.07%	10.72%	(865) Bps	5.43%	(336) Bps
Diluted EPS (INR)	0.66	3.43	(80.8)%	1.38	(52.2)%



HALF YEARLY FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE



PARTICULARS (INR Mn)	H1-FY26	H1-FY25	Y-o-Y
Operational Income	5,026	5,596	(10.2)%
Total Expenses	4,278	4,273	0.1%
EBITDA	748	1,323	(43.5)%
EBITDA Margins (%)	14.88%	23.64%	(876) Bps
Other Income	36	26	38.5%
Depreciation	315	255	23.5%
Finance Cost	223	184	21.2%
PBT	246	910	(73.0)%
Tax	68	229	(70.3)%
Profit After Tax	178	681	(73.9)%
PAT Margins (%)	3.54%	12.17%	(863) Bps
Diluted EPS (INR)	2.04	7.80	(73.8)%



HISTORICAL INCOME STATEMENT



PARTICULARS (INR Mn)	FY23	FY24	FY25	H1-FY26
Operational Income	13,096	12,113	11,070	5,026
Total Expenses	9,304	8,783	8,644	4,278
EBITDA	3,792	3,330	2,426	748
EBITDA Margins (%)	28.96%	27.49%	21.92%	14.88%
Other Income	36	56	61	36
Depreciation	454	482	540	315
Finance Cost	710	428	393	223
Exceptional Items	634			
PBT	2,030	2,476	1,554	246
Tax	668	638	402	68
Profit After Tax	1,362	1,838	1,152	178
PAT Margins (%)	10.40%	15.17%	10.41%	3.54%
Other Comprehensive Income	(5)	(6)	(2)	
Total Comprehensive Income	1,357	1,832	1,150	178
Diluted EPS (INR)	15.60	21.07	13.20	2.04



BALANCE SHEET

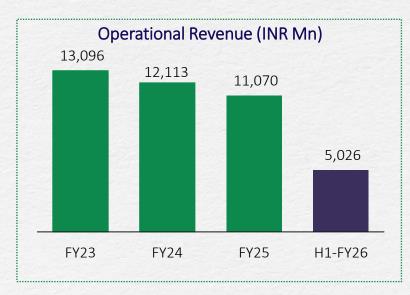


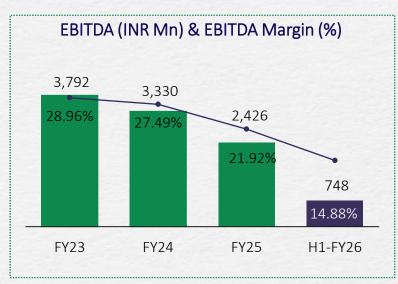
ASSETS (INR Mn)	FY24	FY25	H1-FY26
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment	14,678	16,013	17,212
Capital work-in-progress	415	1,552	1,501
Investment property	74	72	72
Other intangible assets	4	101	121
Intangible assets Under development		11	8
Financial assets			
Other financial assets	39	49	51
Income tax assets (net)	16	16	60
Other Non-current assets	585	601	487
Total Non-Current Assets	15,811	18,415	19,512
Current Assets			
Inventories	1,128	1,262	1,134
Financial assets			
Trade receivable	342	391	320
 Cash and Cash equivalents 	706	92	8
Other bank balances	73	122	125
Others financial assets	28	10	13
Other current assets	789	836	466
Total Current Assets	3,066	2,713	2,066
Total Assets	18,877	21,128	21,578

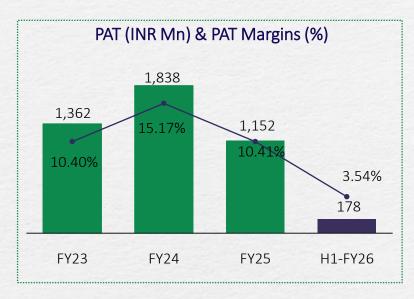
EQUITY & LIABILITIES (INR Mn)	FY24	FY25	H1-FY26
Equity			
Equity share capital	87	87	87
Other equity	11,151	12,040	11,957
Total Equity	11,238	12,127	12,044
Liabilities			
Non-Current Liabilities			
Financial liabilities			
Borrowings	3,070	4,027	4,481
Other financial liabilities	247	262	273
Deferred tax liabilities (net)	1,257	1,400	1,467
Deferred income	46	43	42
Total Non-Current Liabilities	4,620	5,732	6,263
Current Liabilities			
Financial Liabilities			
Borrowings	2,055	2,509	2,296
Trade payables	569	419	508
Other financial liabilities	233	266	399
Other current liabilities	77	55	40
Provisions	1		8
Deferred income	3	3	3
Current tax liabilities (net)	81	17	17
Total Current Liabilities	3,019	3,269	3,271
Total Liabilities	7,639	9,001	9,534
Total Equity and Liabilities	18,877	21,128	21,578

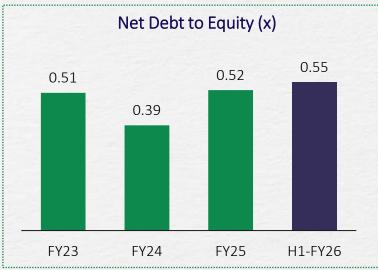
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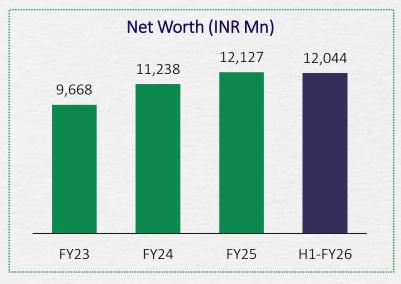


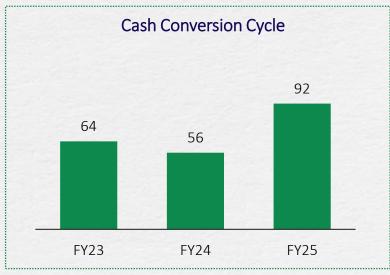






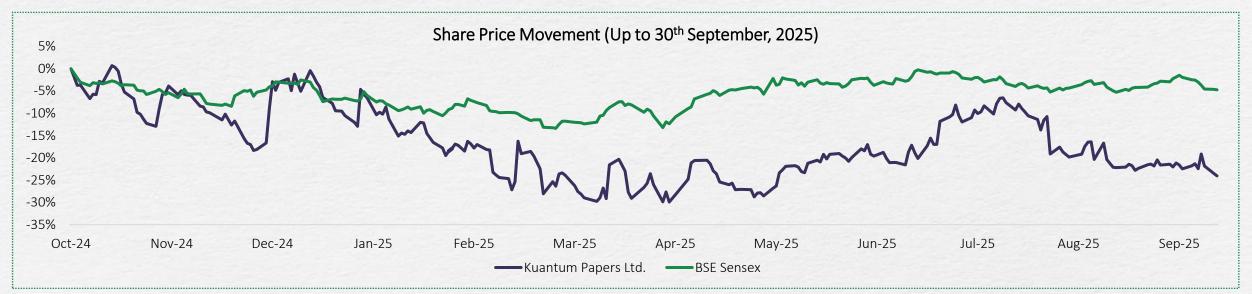




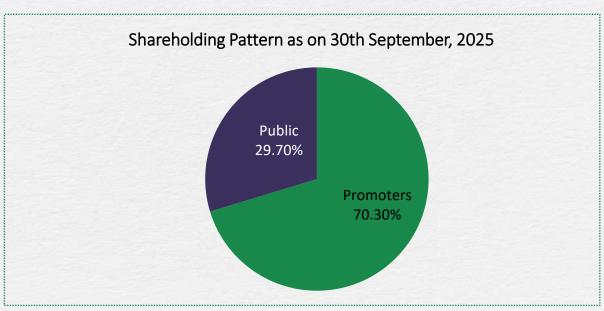


CAPITAL MARKET DATA





Price Data (30 th September, 2025)	INR
Face Value	1.0
Market Price	108.0
52 Week H/L	149.5/97.4
Market Cap (INR Mn)	9,424.5
Equity Shares Outstanding (Mn)	87.3
1 Year Avg Trading Volume ('000)	105.2





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