

Investor Release

The Sukhjit Starch and Chemicals Limited delivers Q4 & FY24 Results

Q4 Revenue of ₹ 370.21 crores

EBITDA of ₹ 33.12 crores; EBITDA margin of 9%

Phagwara, 29th **May 2024:** Sukhjit Starch & Chemicals Ltd, incorporated in 1943, is an agroprocessing company that specializes in the production of starch and its derivatives, has announced its audited financial results for the year ended 31st March 2024.

Revenue from Operations EBITDA Profit Before Tax Rs. 367.79 Crs Rs. 33.12 Crs Margin 9% Margin 5%

Particulars (Rs. Crs)	Q4 FY24	Q3 FY24	Q4 FY23	FY24	FY 23
Revenue from Operations	367.79	360.61	391.06	1370.86	1435.25
EBITDA	33.12	37.87	36.11	134.39	144.70
EBITDA Margin (%)	9.00%	10.50%	9.23%	9.80%	10.08%
Profit Before Tax	18.46	23.46	20.79	77.12	92.74
PBT Margin (%)	5.00%	6.51%	5.32%	5.63%	6.46%
Profit After Tax	11.46	17.46	15.69	55.62	70.14

Business Highlights for Q4 & FY24

- Q4FY24 Revenue from Operations stood at Rs. 367.79 Crs, registering a growth of 2% q-o-q due to increase in volume
- Profit before Tax stood at Rs. 18.46 Crs in Q4FY24 against Rs. 23.46 Crs in Q3FY23.
- Net Profit stood at Rs. 11.46 Crs against Rs. 17.46 Crs in Q3FY23
- Capacity expansion plans are progressing as per schedule, with the Company on track to increase installed capacity in the next couple of months, positioning itself for future growth.

Commenting on the Results, Mr. K.K.Sardana, Managing Director said,

"In the fourth quarter and full year ended FY24, our company demonstrated its ability to adapt and thrive in a dynamic environment. Despite ongoing pricing pressure and soft demand from key industries such as FMCG and Pharma, in the last a few quarters especially from FMCG sector — major user of our value added products, we achieved higher production and sales volumes compared to the previous year. While our EBITA and profit margins were affected by the lower sales of high-value products, we expect that high-value products will recharge our sales in coming quarters, driving growth and profitability as we continue to execute our strategic initiatives and leverage opportunities in the market.

Our growth initiatives are progressing well and increase in capacity expansion on track to be commissioned in the coming months. We are also actively exploring opportunities for both Greenfield and brownfield expansions, contingent upon market dynamics and thorough internal assessments. Furthermore, we are focusing on diversifying our product mix and developing more value-added products to cater to the evolving needs of our customers.

With a solid foundation and a forward-thinking approach, we are well-positioned to capitalize on emerging opportunities and foster sustainable growth in the years ahead. Our commitment to innovation, quality, and customer satisfaction will continue to drive our success and create long-term value for our stakeholders. We are confident that our strategic initiatives will enable us to navigate the dynamic market landscape and achieve our goals."

About Sukhjit Starch & Chemicals Ltd:

Sukhjit Starch & Chemicals Ltd, incorporated in 1943, is an agro-processing company that specializes in the production of starch and its derivatives. With a rich history as one of India's oldest & largest starch producers, Sukhjit Starch & Chemicals Ltd has forged enduring partnerships with major brands and end users. Our diverse product portfolio includes Starch, Dextrines, Liquid Glucose, HMS, Malto-Dextrin, Mono-Hydrate Dextrose, Anyhydrose Dextrose, Sorbitol-70% Solution and various by-Products, catering to a wide spectrum of Industries. The products are used in diverse industrial and commercial applications such as food & beverages, paper & board, personal care & pharmaceuticals, textile, FMCG, animal and pet foods, etc.

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