

















Vardhman Textiles Ltd.
Annual Report **2017-18**

CONTENTS

Corporate Overview

- **02** Knowing Vardhman Textiles Limited
- **04** Vardhman Group Milestone Journey
- **05** Our Collaborations
- **06** Vardhman's Entrenched Presence
- **07** Brands We Serve
- **08** Vardhman Competitiveness
- 10 Our Business Model

- 12 Chairman's Communique
- 14 Message from the Management
- **16** The year in Numbers
- 18 Our Integrated Business Strategy
- 20 Product wise Review
- 24 Step Towards Sustainable Manufacturing
- 25 Corporate Social Responsibility

Statutory Reports

- 31 Management Discussion and Analysis Report
- 38 Business Responsibility Report
- 49 Directors' Report
- 57 Annexures to the Directors' Report
- 72 Corporate Governance Report
- **78** General Information for Shareholders

Financial Statements

- 83 Standalone Financial Statements
- **164** Consolidated Financial Statements

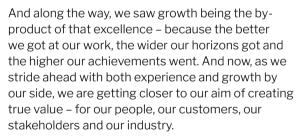
Notice

256

Forward-Looking Statements

Some information in this report may contain forward-looking statements which include statements regarding Company's expected financial position and results of operations, business plans and prospects etc. and are generally identified by forward-looking words such as "believe," "plan," "anticipate," "continue," "estimate," "expect," "may," "will" or other similar words. Forward-looking statements are dependent on assumptions or basis underlying such statements. We have chosen these assumptions or basis in good faith, and we believe that they are reasonable in all material respects. However, we caution that actual results, performances or achievements could differ materially from those expressed or implied in such forward-looking statements. We undertake no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

Creating value never really happens in a vacuum. At Vardhman, we have witnessed excellence being the by-product of our experience – the more we did our work, the better we got at it.



In other words, we continue to take positive strides as a leading textile conglomerate in the country.

KNOWING VARDHMAN TEXTILES LIMITED

With more than five decades of presence, Vardhman is today among the leading textile conglomerates in the country. Beginning humbly in the year 1965, Vardhman group has evolved over the years into a modern day textile major under the dynamic leadership of its chairman, Mr. S. P. Oswal.

Vardhman Textiles Limited today stands as an epitome of perpetual business growth and rich industry experience.

Engaged in the business of manufacturing of Yarn, Fabric, Acrylic Fibre, Garments, Sewing Threads and Alloy Steel, the Group has over the years developed as a business conglomerate with presence in India and in 75 countries across the globe.

Vardhman is one of the India's largest textile manufacturer, with leading market share and sustainable business model.

What makes Vardhman different?

Our successful business model has helped us differentiate ourselves from others. It can be distilled into the following areas:

Highly talented team

At Vardhman, we have in place a strong, capable and experienced management team delivering results that drive the company ahead

Focused approach

Targeted and focused diversification over the years has helped Vardhman build on its core skills and create a pervasive presence across the value chain

Technology focused

At Vardhman, over the years, we have collaborated with some of the best technology players in the world and have developed a strong in-house technical team which played an instrumental role in helping Vardhman emerge as a technology-forward company

Customer focused

At Vardhman, we continuously engage with our customers to understand their requirements. We enjoy repeat business from existing customers on account of enduring relationships

WE ARE DIVERSE BY

OUR BUSINESS VERTICALS













Yarns

Fabrics

Acrylic Fibre

Sewing Thread

Garments

Alloy Steel

Vardhman in numbers

Largest

Spindles count in the country

Largest

manufacturer of Hand knitting yarn in India

140 MMPA Processing Capacity 18 MMPA
Printing Line

1276

2 nd Largest producer of sewing threads in India

VARDHMAN STANDS FOR



A symbol of Trust



Experience of more than five decades in the textile industry



Leading manufacturer and exporter of cotton yarn in India.



25 state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities



Presence in more than 75 countries across the globe



OUR COLLABORATIONS

Nihon Sanmo Japan

Toho Rayon Japan

Exlan and Marubeni Japan

Tokai Senko Japan

American and Efird USA

Nisshinbo Japan

Nisshinbo Japan

Year of Collaboration

1992

1995

1996

1998

2001

2002

2009

Collaborated for





Fibre and Yarn Dyeing



Cotton Yarns



Acrylic Fibre



Fabric Finishing and Dyeing



Sewing Threads



Cotton Yarns



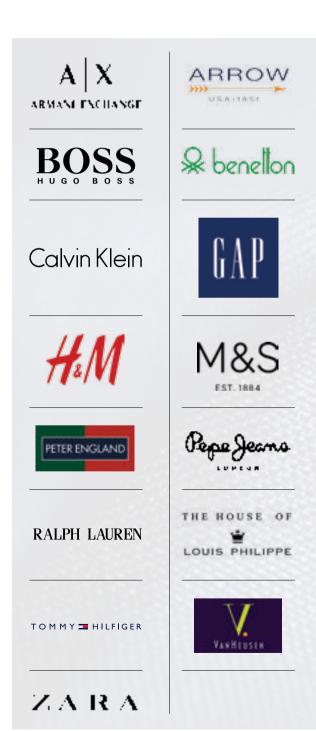
Garment Business

VARDHMAN'S ENTRENCHED PRESENCE

Being engaged in this competitive textile business for over five decades now, one thing we have learned is that manufacturing at competitive cost is the key to survival. The competence to manufacture at competitive cost is not as facile as it appears. At Vardhman, this has been made possible by our 25 state-of-the-art facilities located in different states of India. These facilities help Vardhman to be cost effective, enjoy economies-of-scale, effective yet maximum capacity utilisation, quick product switch and consistent product quality.



BRANDS WE SERVE





VARDHMAN COMPETITIVENESS



US \$2.6 trillion

Expected global apparel market size by 2025.

US \$230 billion

Expected Indian apparel market size by 2025.



Vardhman has been a long standing player in the ever evolving textile industry and has a product portfolio that enabled the Company to have a presence across the textile value chain.



12 locations have been approved by the government to set up apparel parks to promote exports.



We already have a strong export presence in more than 75 countries across the globe.

350+

Key international clients the Company is associated with



With the growing urbanisation, the demand for branded apparels is on a rise in India.



Evolving technologies have opened up new opportunities for companies in areas of product development and higher operational efficiencies.



Our efficient manufacturing and high degree of focus on design and innovation have paved the way for sales to mass-market brands.

More than 40% of our fabric is sold to domestic and international brands such as GAP, H&M, Peter England, Van Heusen, and Wills among others.



Pioneer in new technology adoption and undertakes regular upgradation of machines and systems.

₹100+ crore

Average investment in new technologies and system upgradation in the last five years.



Shifting demographics and growing urbanization, the demand for better-quality and innovative products is on the rise in India.



Vardhman has pioneered the introduction of 100% cotton mélange into India in 1995. It also pioneered the introduction of Core spun yarns technology in India in 1998.



Market Opportunities



Vardhman's Advantage