



SeQuent Announces Q3 FY23 Results

Revenues at ₹ 3,753 Million, up by 10% over Q2 FY23 as EBITDA grows by 85%

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SeQuent Scientific Limited (SeQuent) which has businesses across Animal Health (Alivira) & Analytical Services today announced its financial results for the period ended December 31st, 2022.

Consolidated Financial Highlights

₹ in Millions

	Q3 FY23	Q2 FY23	9M FY23	9M FY22
Revenues	3,753	3,376	10,542	10,291
EBITDA (pre-ESOP)	277	150	628	1,037
EBITDA (pre-ESOP) %	7.4%	4.4%	6.0%	10.1%
EBITDA	188	51	350	761
EBITDA %	5.0%	1.5%	3.3%	7.4%

Detailed presentation on the performance forms part of this press release.

Commenting on the Company's performance, **Rajaram Narayanan**, **Managing Director** stated "Q3 FY23 reflects the strengthening of our business, across both APIs and key formulations markets, with overall revenue growth of 10.0% in constant currency terms over Q2 FY23. While the cost environment continues to be challenging for the industry, gross margins have remained stable. EBITDA before ESOP costs stood at ₹277 Mn for the quarter, an 85% growth (300 bps improvement) over Q2 FY23.

Formulations sustained q-o-q growth momentum, growing by 5.1% on constant currency basis, driven by a strong quarter for Europe business with 11.3% cc growth over Q2 FY23, other geographies performance in line with the market situation and seasonal variations. While the Turkey business performed well, currency depreciation impacted the financials. On the API side, business strengthened in Q3, achieving 13.6% growth in constant currency terms over Q2 FY23. Our efforts on quality, R&D and cost competitiveness are yielding results. The contribution of Regulated markets in our business continues to remain high, as we deepen our partnerships with the Top Animal Health companies in the world.

The company has undertaken a comprehensive profitability improvement program with initiatives across API and formulation businesses, to strengthen cost competitiveness, meet the changing demand landscape, and remain resilient in the current global macro environment. SeQuent has a robust and diversified business model, and we remain confident that the outcomes of such wide-ranging initiatives and investments in strengthening our capabilities will help us deliver on our long-term growth plans."

Earnings Call with Investors

The Company will conduct an Earnings call at **09:00 AM IST** on **Feb 15, 2023,** where the Management will discuss the Company's performance and answer questions from participants. To participate in this conference call, please dial the numbers provided below ten minutes ahead of the scheduled start time. The dial-in numbers for this call are +91 22 6280 1263 or +91 22 7115 8213.

About SeQuent Scientific Limited

SeQuent Scientific Limited (BSE-512529, NSE-SEQUENT) is India's largest and amongst the 'Top 20' global animal health companies, backed by global investment firm 'The Carlyle Group' as promoter. The company generated annual revenues of ~\$180 Mn in FY22 with ~2/3rd revenues from regulated markets. The company has 9 manufacturing facilities across Europe, Turkey, Brazil & India with the Vizag site being India's only USFDA approved dedicated veterinary API facility.

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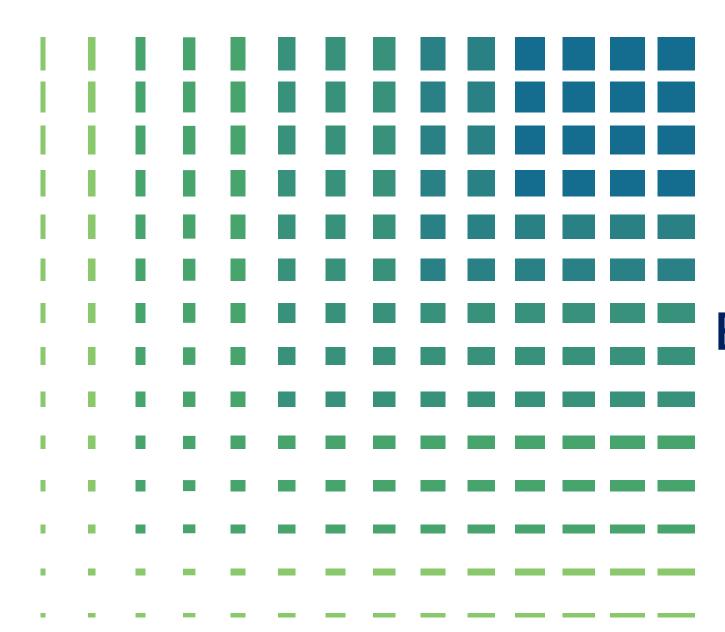
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Earnings Presentation Q3 & 9M FY23

15th February 2023

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Management Commentary



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Rajaram Narayanan, Managing Director

Q3 FY23: Revenues up by 10% as EBITDA grows by 85%







10% cc growth for overall business;
EBITDA (pre-ESOP)
+300 bps over Q2



Europe stabilizing, +11.3% cc, driving overall Formulations



API business revives, +13.6% cc, quality & compliance focused



Strong focus on Top AH customers and Regulated markets drives API growth

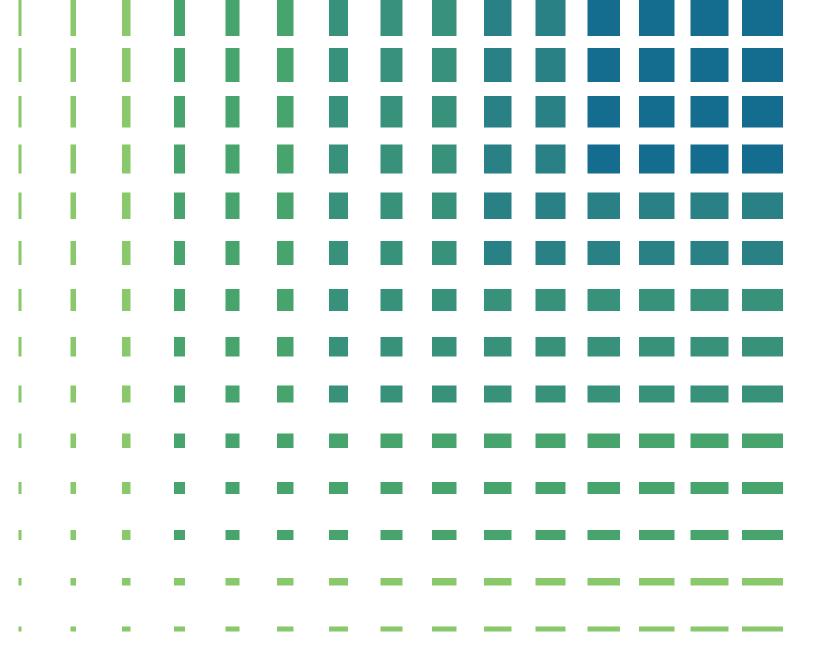


Comprehensive cost reduction and process efficiency improvement program ongoing



Deeper customer engagement, accelerating new product pipeline





Performance Overview

Revenue performance by Geography





All values in ₹ Mn

Revenue Distribution	Q3 FY23	Q2 FY23	QoQ Gr%	QoQ Gr% (In cc)	Q3 FY22	YoY Gr%	YoY Gr% (In cc)	9M FY23	9M FY22	YoY Gr%	YoY Gr% (In cc)
Formulations	2,588	2,395	8.0%	5.1%	2,529	2.4%	7.9%	7,430	7,167	3.7%	13.7%
Europe	1,050	899	16.8%	11.3%	1,044	0.6%	2.3%	2,983	3,151	(5.3%)	0.5%
Emerging Markets	1,252	1,178	6.3%	4.4%	1,196	4.7%	8.0%	3,604	3,212	12.2%	22.1%
India	286	319	(10.4%)	(10.4%)	289	(1.0%)	(1.0%)	843	804	4.9%	4.9%
APIs	1,072	920	16.5%	13.6%	1,026	4.4%	(3.5%)	2,880	3,041	(5.3%)	(9.4%)
Other Sales	25	26	NM	NM	25	NM	NM	99	83	NM	NM
Global Sales	3,685	3,341	10.3%	10.2%	3,580	2.9%	4.6%	10,409	10,291	1.1%	6.9%
Adjustment* - Ind AS 29	69	35	-	-	-	-	-	134	-	-	-
Reported Sales	3,753	3,376	11.2%	10.0%	3,580	4.8%	4.5%	10,542	10,291	2.4%	6.8%

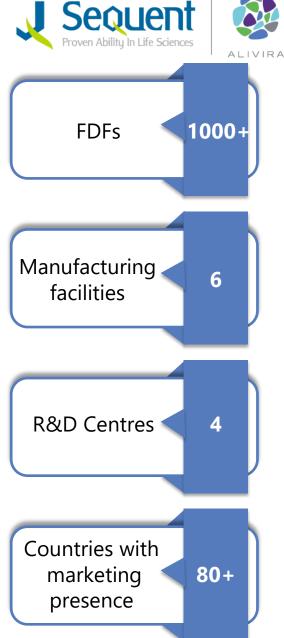
- Overall business with 10.0% cc growth in Q3 FY23 vs. Q2 FY23, 9M YTD in-market growth of 6.8% y-o-y in cc terms
 - Formulations sustains momentum in Q3 with 5.1% cc growth q-o-q, and 7.9% cc growth on y-o-y basis
 - ❖ Europe returns to growth in Q3 with double-digit growth of 11.3% over Q2 FY23 − focus on cost efficiencies to continue
 - Emerging Markets led by LATAM continue to grow during the year; currency pressures in Turkey mask in-market gains
 - ❖ API starts strengthening, improvement over Q2 FY23 by 13.6% cc − growth driven by Regulated markets customers, Top AH players
 - Efforts continue to mitigate pressures from impact of global uncertainties and macro weaknesses during recent times

Formulations: Sustaining growth momentum

Key Updates

- Q3 revenues at ₹ 2.59 Bn, +7.9% y-o-y (cc); 9M YTD revenues at ₹ 7.43 Bn, +13.7% y-o-y (cc)
- Q3 Performance demonstrates underlying strength of our globally diversified business model
- Europe stabilizes, driving overall formulations growth; focus on structural actions to continue
- Emerging markets led by LATAM continue to perform well for the year, +22.1% y-o-y in cc terms
- ❖ India flat on y-o-y basis, in-line with seasonal variations and enduring impact of market headwinds
- Near-term focus on driving cost efficiencies to counter macro environment and industry challenges

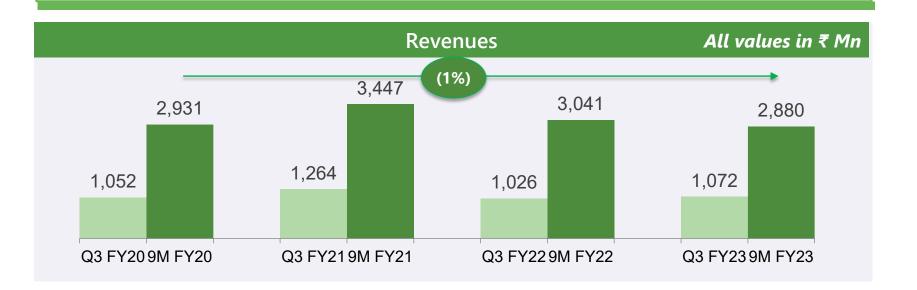


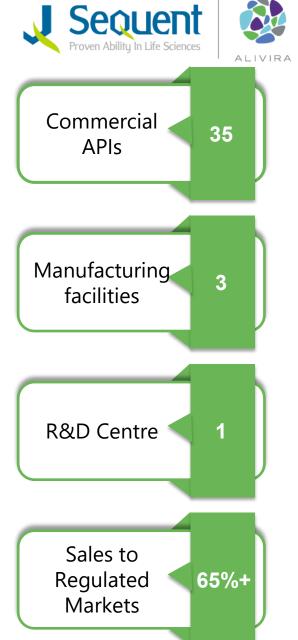


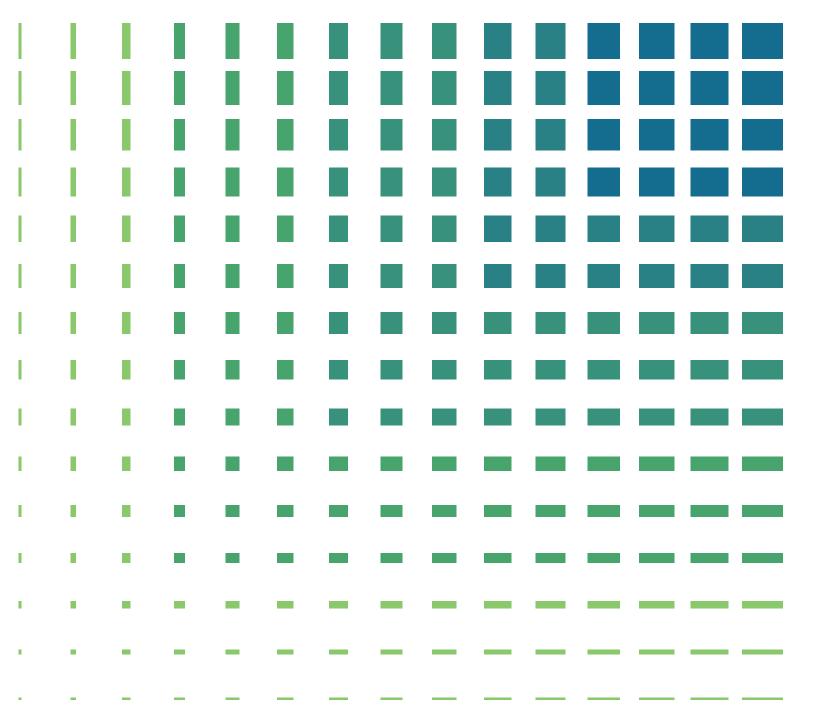
API: Continued strength in regulated markets

Key Updates

- ❖ Q3 revenues at ₹ 1.07 Bn, strong performance delivering 13.6% q-o-q growth in cc terms
- ◆ 9M YTD revenues at ₹ 2.88 Bn, 3-year CAGR flat, however business contribution from regulated market customers & Top Animal Health players well sustained
- Strong customer engagement driving near-term growth, despite slow improvement on demand side and increasing intensity of price competition
- ❖ Profitability improvement program ongoing to drive material, input cost optimization
- ❖ Submitted 1 new US VMF and CEP filings total 27 USVMF filings, 12 CEP approvals



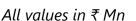






Financials

Consolidated Financials







Particulars	Q3 FY23	Q2 FY23	Q3 FY22	9M FY23	9M FY22	FY22
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
Revenue from Operations	3,753	3,376	3,580	10,542	10,291	14,128
Material Consumption	(2,174)	(1,979)	(2,075)	(6,120)	(5,742)	(7,930)
Gross Margin	1,579	1,397	1,505	4,422	4,549	6,198
%	42.1%	41.4%	42.0%	41.9%	44.2%	43.9%
Employee Benefit Expenses	(580)	(526)	(488)	(1,660)	(1,466)	(1,985)
Operating Expenses	(722)	(721)	(680)	(2,134)	(2,047)	(2,791)
EBITDA (pre ESOP)	277	150	337	628	1,037	1,423
%	7.4%	4.4%	9.4%	6.0%	10.1%	10.1%
ESOP cost	(89)	(98)	25	(278)	(276)	(329)
EBITDA	188	51	362	350	761	1,094
%	5.0%	1.5%	10.1%	3.3%	7.4%	7.7%
Exceptional Items / Acquisition cost*	(10)	-	-	(42)	-	-
IndAS 29 Adjustment	(28)	(33)	-	(102)	-	-
Exchange Gain / (Loss)	(46)	11	29	(84)	40	63
Other Income	29	9	8	47	31	45
Finance Cost	(97)	(81)	(35)	(246)	(97)	(158)
Depreciation	(137)	(134)	(128)	(410)	(386)	(515)
Earnings Before Tax	(102)	(177)	236	(489)	348	529
Taxes	4	133	(50)	193	2	(82)
Earnings After Tax	(98)	(44)	186	(295)	350	448
Minority Interest	(9)	(7)	14	(20)	27	38
Earnings after Minority Interest	(89)	(38)	171	(276)	323	410

^{*} Q3 FY23 ₹10 Mn acquisition related cost and 9M FY 23 includes ₹ 32 Mn of Vizag fire related cost

Key Balance sheet Items



All values in ₹ Mn

Particulars	Dec- 22*	Sep-22*	Mar-22``
Shareholders Funds	7,715	7,375	6,921
Minority Interest	482	443	480
Net Debt	3,631	3,405	2,542
Investments	0	1	368
Tangible Assets	3,780	3,565	3,263
Intangible Assets	3,186	2,981	2,498
Working Capital	4,804	4,604	4,222
Put / Buyout Liabilities		-	^159

Balance Sheet Highlights

- Rise in Net Debt on account of additional working capital facility in India – ₹ 191 Mn and fresh borrowing of ₹ 133 Mn at Ireland
- Capex increase in Vizag ~ ₹ 150 Mn
- Strong operational initiatives Inventory reduction by 10+ days

^{*}Sep'22 & Dec'22 reported numbers are adjusted for impact of hyperinflation accounting in Turkey as per IndAS 29 - 'Accounting for Hyperinflationary economies'

[^] Buyout Liabilities of ₹ 159 Mn in Mar'22 paid on account of Nourrie acquisition

^{``} Mar'22 restated on account of Nourrie amalgamation



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