

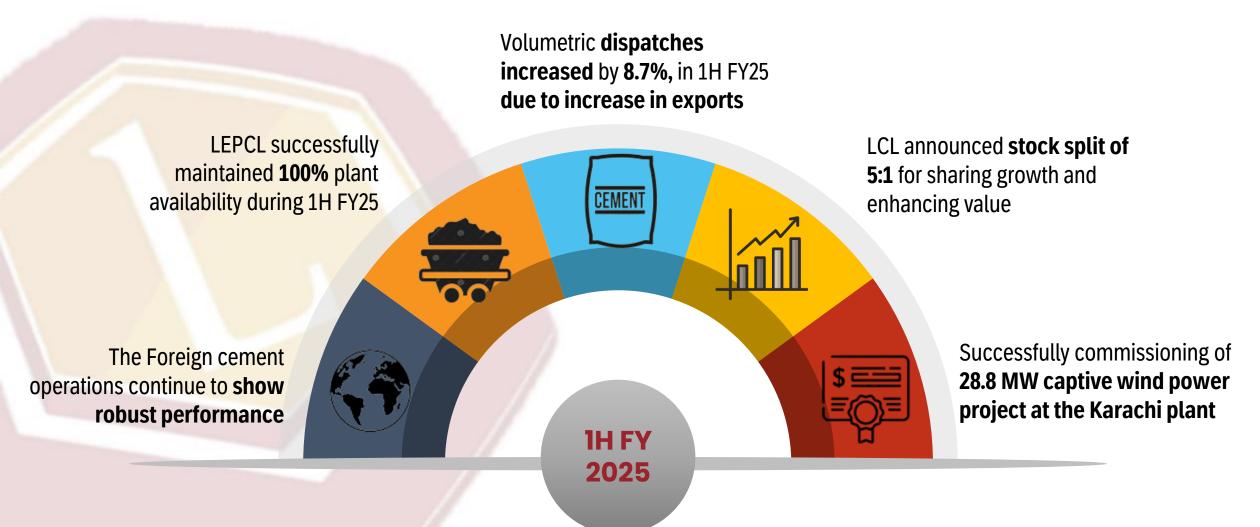
Analyst Briefing 1H FY25

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Group Overview



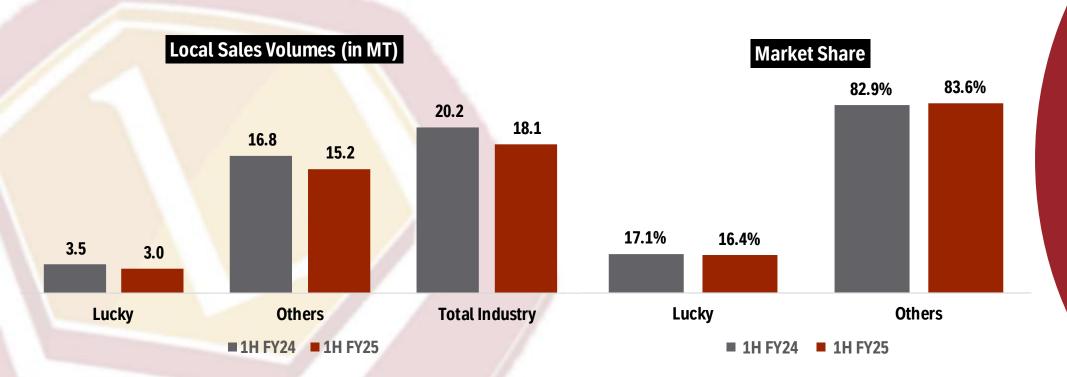
Key Operational Highlights



Industry Volumes & Market Share 1H FY25

The domestic sales of the company decreased by 14.0% to reach 3.0 MT in 1H FY25

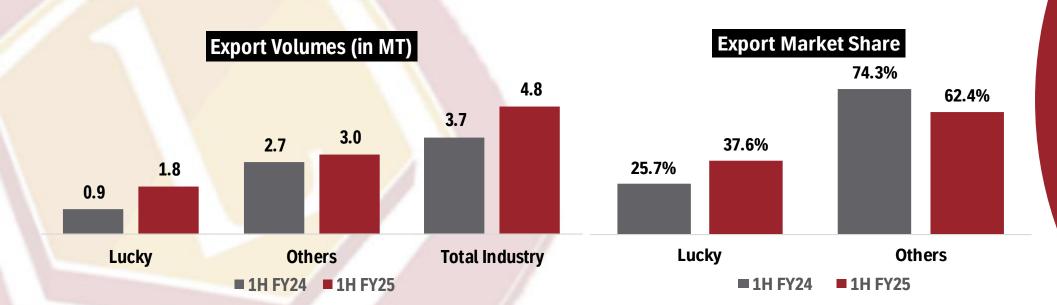
During 1H FY25, the **domestic market share** of the company clocked in at **16.4%** vs 17.1% in the SPLY



Sales Volumes & Market Share - Exports

The **export sales volumes** increased by **92.3%** to reach **1.8MT** in 1H FY25, primarily driven by improved global demand, coupled with enhanced production capacity

During 1H FY25, the **export market share** of the company increased significantly to **37.6%** compared to **25.7%** in the SPLY.

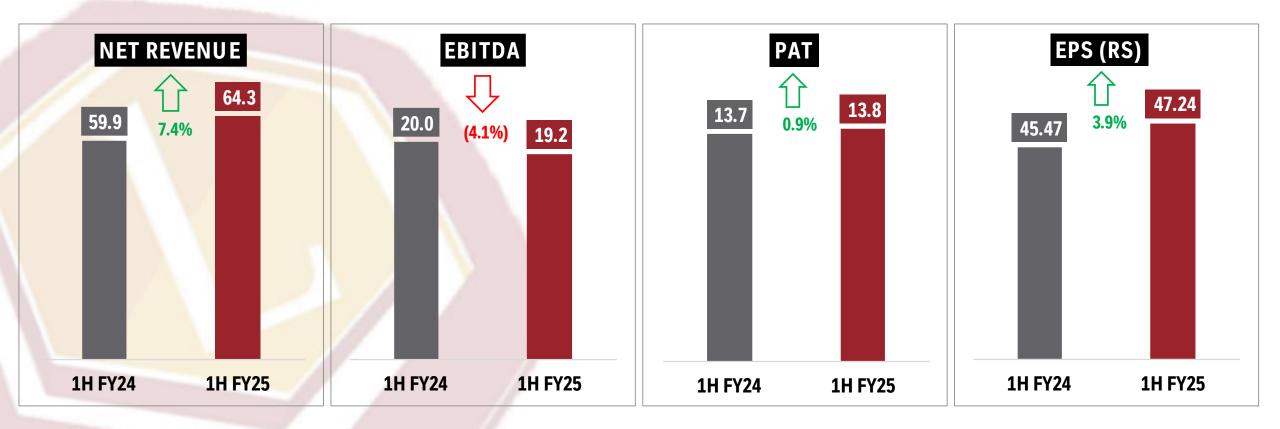




Standalone Key Figures 1H FY25

Standalone Financial Highlights 1H FY25 Vs 1H FY24

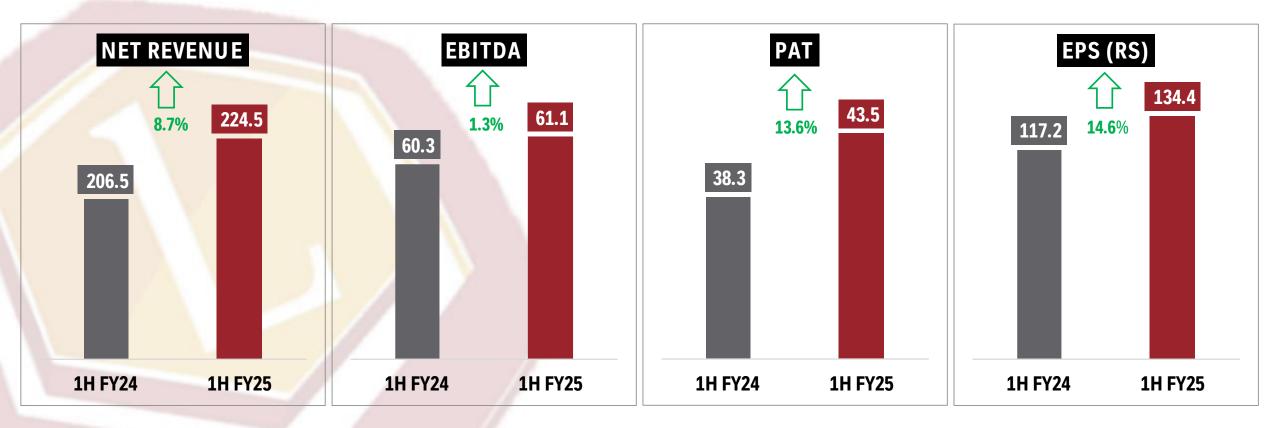
All numbers in PKR billion except EPS



Consolidated Key Figures 1H FY25

Consolidated Financial Highlights 1H FY25 Vs 1H FY24

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Outlook 1H FY25

Outlook

Pakistan's economic near-term outlook is **promising** due to positive macro-economic trends such **as stable currency, reduced inflation and current account surplus**. Due to downward trend of inflation, it is anticipated that SBP may further reduce interest rates. However, sustaining growth in value-added export sectors will hinge on resolving supply-chain bottlenecks and reduction in energy prices. Such reduction in energy prices will be crucial in ensuring industrial competitiveness and broader economic recovery.

<u>Cement</u>

- Cement demand faced difficulties in 1H FY25 and is expected to remain sluggish in 2H FY25 due to seasonal factors such as winters to be immediately followed by Ramazan and Eid-ul-Fitr
- Reduction in interest rates and easing inflation may support medium-term demand
- Investments in renewable energy and improved efficiency are expected to mitigate rising energy costs

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- Despite ongoing challenges, LCI is well-positioned to handle future uncertainties due to its strong balance sheet and diversified portfolio aligned with Pakistan's core economy
- Looking ahead, LCI will focus on identifying new revenue streams, optimizing operating costs, and maximizing shareholder returns to ensure a resilient and sustainable future

Outlook

The government's ongoing focus on fiscal discipline and structural reforms will be pivotal in fostering investor confidence and safeguarding macroeconomic stability. While challenges persist, the outlook remains cautiously optimistic, with the potential for moderate growth.

Automobile & Mobile Assembly

- The automobile sector's outlook is improving, with Lucky Motor Corporation leveraging operational optimization and localization to protect profit margins and boost competitiveness
- In the mobile phone sector, LMC is focusing on affordable smartphones to capture a larger market share and meet the demand for costeffective solutions, despite higher taxation challenges





SPORTAGE Launched in Feb'25

EV9 Launched in Feb'25

<u>Power</u>

- The power sector faces significant challenges due to circular debt and issues in the electricity transmission and distribution infrastructure, straining financial stability
- With the commencement of Thar coal supply next year, LEPCL aims to **improve its merit order and reduce the cost of electricity supply to the National grid**





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