Bolan Castings Limited

Annual Report 1999

Company Profile

INTRODUCTION: Being the most modern and well-equipped foundry and holding a major market share of the tractor and automotive castings, BCL can rightly claimed to be the No. 1 foundry of its kind in Pakistan.

The company was incorporated on 15th July, 1982 as a public limited company by Pakistan Automobile Corporation Ltd (PACO) under the administrative control of Ministry of Production, Government of Pakistan. The plant was commissioned in June, 1986 with the assistance of Foundry Management & Design Company (FMD), U.K. and the commercial production was started in July, 1986. The plant is located adjacent to Bela Engineers Ltd. and Balochistan Wheels Ltd. at Hub, Balochistan about 40 KMs from Karachi on the main R.C.D. Highway. The company was privatized and handed over to the new group of management under a joint collaboration of Millat Tractors Ltd. and the Employees of Bolan Castings Ltd. on 13th June, 1993. The plant has an approximate covered area of 18645 square meters, on surface area of 99274 square meters.

PRODUCTION CAPACITY: The plant is designed to produce 6000 tons of tractor and automotive castings in grey and ductile iron. So far, more than 180 castings have been successfully developed and supplied to various customers. The present product-mix includes following castings:

TRACTOR INDUSTRY

a. MF Tractors

- 1. Cylinder block
- 2. Cylinder head
- 3. Transmission case
- 4. Centre housing
- 5. Timing gears
- 6. Bearing caps
- 7. Planetary career
- 8. Differential cases
- 9. Axle housings
- 10. Hydraulic lift cover
- 11. Box hydraulic
- 12. Link rocker
- 13. Sleeve
- 14. Fork clutch release

b. Fiat Tractors

- 1. Axle casing
- 2. Differential case
- 3. Trumpets
- 4. Front axle support
- 5. Bearing covers
- 6. Trumpet cover

AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY

- a. Suzuki Car/Pickup/Van
- 1. Brake drums
- b. Isuzu Trucks/Buses
- 1. Brake drums
- 2. Hubs
- 3. Spring pads & brackets
- 4. Generator brackets
- 5. Exhaust manifold

c. Mazda Truck

- 1. Brake drums
- 2. Hubs
- 3. Hinges
- 4. Case thermostat
- 5. Bracket alternator

d. Nissan Trucks/Buses

- 1. Brake drums
- 2. Fan pulley
- 3. Shackles
- 4. Spring pads
- e. Hino Truck/Buses
- 1. Brake drums
- 2. Spring stoppers & brackets

f. Bedford Trucks

1. Brake drums

ENGINEERING INDUSTRY

a. Grundfos Pumps

- 1. Pump heads
- 2. Pump bases
- 3. Base plates
- 4. Adopter flanges
- 5. Pump housing
- 6. Suction Chambers
- 7. Seal covers

b. Die Parts

- 1. Blank holders
- 2. Roller dies
- 3. Die holder

c. Yanmar marine engine

1. Cylinder head

2. Differential carrier

PRODUCTION FACILITIES: The foundry has, a) Duplex melting consisting of Twin Cold Blast Cupolas and Coreless Induction Furnaces, b) High Pressure Moulding line, c) New Sand and Green Sand Preconditioning Plants, d) Resin Coating Plant Continuous Mixer, shell Core Machines, Silicate/Co2 Core Machines, e) Shot blasting, fetling, grinding, heat treatment and painting, f) complete inspection, testing and quality control laboratory equipments.

FORWARD INTEGRATION: In the year 1997-98, setting up of in-house machining facility for Fiat tractor castings was undertaken and so far two lines for the machining of Axle casing and Front axle support have been successfully commissioned while the work on the machining of Master clutch housing is under progress. This area of diversification has given considerable boost to the BCL sales and profitability.

ISO 9002 CERTIFICATION: The Company plant is first of its kind in Pakistan to have obtained ISO-9002 quality management certificate in March 1999, with this the access for BCL Products in Export market shall now be more easy.

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COMPANY INFORMATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS SIKANDAR M. KHAN CHAIRMAN

LATIF KHALID HASHMI CHIEF EXECUTIVE

JAVAID ASHRAF

SOHAIL BASHIR RANA LAEEQ UDDIN ANSARI MIAN MOHAMMAD SALEEM BASHIR AHMED CHAUDHRY

AFAQ JAMAL HUSSAIN NDFC NOMINEE

COMPANY SECRETARY M. MUSHTAQ AKHTAR

AUDITORS AVAIS HYDER ZAMAN RIZWANI

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

LEGAL ADVISORS MOHSIN TAYEBALI & CO

ADVOCATES & LEGAL CONSULTANTS

BANKERS HABIB BANK LIMITED

MUSLIM COMMERCIAL BANK LIMITED

UNITED BANK LIMITED

REGISTERED OFFICE ADJACENT TO BELA ENGINEERS LTD

VILLAGE BAROOT, SUB-TEHSIL HUB, DISTRICT LASBELLA, BALOCHISTAN.

LIAISON OFFICE F/1 S.I.T.E. (NEAR RAILWAY CROSSING)

HUB RIVER ROAD, SHER SHAH,

KARACHI-75730

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that 17th Annual General Meeting of Bolan Castings Limited will be held at the registered office of the company adjacent to Bela Engineers Limited, Village Baroot, Sub-Tehsil Hub, district Lasbella Balochistan on Friday 24th December 1999 at 10:30 hours to transact the following business.

- 1. To confirm the minutes of the 16th annual general meeting.
- 2. To receive consider and adopt the audited accounts of the company for the year ended 30th June, 1999 together with the Directors' and Auditors' reports thereon.
- 3. To approve payment of dividend as recommended by the Directors.
- 4. To appoint auditors for the year ending 30th June, 2000 and to fix their remuneration. Present auditors M/s. Avais Hyder Zaman Rizwani, Chartered Accountants retire and being eligible offer themselves for re-appointment.
- 5. To elect 8 Directors as fixed by the Board for the term of three years. The retiring Directors are Mr. Sikandar M. Khan, Mr. Latif Khalid Hashmi, Mr. Sohail Bashir Rana, Mr. Laeequddin Ansari, Mian Muhammad Saleem, Mr. Bashir Ahmed Chaudhry, Mr. Javaid Ashraf and Mr. Afaq Jamal Hussain (NDFC Nominee).
- 6. To transact any other business with the permission of the chair.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

M. MUSHTAQ AKHTAR COMPANY SECRETARY

Notes:

Karachi: October 15, 1999

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting may appoint another member as his/her proxy to attend the meeting and vote on his/her behalf. Vote may be given either personally or by proxy or in case of a company/corporation by a representative duly authorized.
- 2. Duly executed proxies in order to be effective must be received by the company at its Liaison office at least 48 hours before the meeting.
- 3. Shareholders are requested to promptly notify the company of any change in their addresses at its Liaison office, F-1, Hub River Road, S.I.T.E., Karachi.
- 4. Any person who seeks to contest election to the office of the Director shall whether he is retiring Director or otherwise, file with the company not later than fourteen days before the date of the meeting a notice of his intention to offer himself for election as a director, together with his consent to act as Director.

CHAIRMAN'S REVIEW

Dear Shareholders,

I take pleasure in welcoming you to the 17th Annual General Meeting of Bolan Castings Limited and presenting Annual Report and Accounts of the company for the year ended 30th June 1999.

By the grace of Almighty Allah, performance of your company during the fiscal year under review showed considerable improvement as compared to the results of last year. The demand for castings by the tractor industry remained high, which enabled the company to produce 8352 metric tons of castings as compared to 3979 metric tons during last year registering an increase of about 110% in the capacity utilization. Despite price reduction of around 7% to the tractor industry on enhanced volume, net sales rose to a record figure of Rs. 406 million, which was 97% higher than the last year. Administration Expenses increased nominally by 4.67% while Selling and Distribution Expenses (including freight charges) increased proportionate to sales. Financial Expenses, however, increased to Rs. 20.00 million as compared to Rs. 15.12 million during the previous year. The company also succeeded in appreciably reducing the long-term loan liability.

Net Profit before tax improved by 54% due to increased sales, better management practices and cost controls, to a record Rs. 50.52 million as compared to Rs. 32.71 million of the previous year. Net profit after tax amounted to Rs. 33.76 million as against Rs. 8.06 million last year. Accordingly, your Directors were pleased to consider and recommend a Cash Dividend of 25% (Rs. 2.5 per share of Rs. 10.00 each) as against 15% recommended last year.

The plant and machinery of your company was originally designed for producing raw castings only. However, the company has successfully diversified towards setting up of machining lines for some components, while efforts are in hand to further enhance inhouse machining capabilities.

You can be proud of your company to have become first foundry in Pakistan to achieve ISO-9002 quality management certification in March 1999. This has enabled the company to venture out in the global markets for export by displaying

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its products at international trade fairs.

I am also pleased to state that your company has taken all possible steps to ensure that the company's computer hardware, software and all electronic facilities are year 2000 compliant.

The cordial relationship between the management and workers continued to enhance productivity, profitability and growth of the company in a congenial working atmosphere.

SIKANDAR M. KHAN
Karachi: Oct 15, 1999
CHAIRMAN

DIRECTORS' REPORT

Directors of your Company feel pleasure in submitting their report together with the audited accounts of the Company for the year ended 30th June, 1999.

Accounts	Rupees in Thousand
Profit Before Tax	50,520
Less Taxation	16,756
Profit After Taxation	33,764
Add: Accumulated Profit Brought	
forward	55
Profit avail able for appropriation	33,819
Appropriation:	
- Proposed Cash Dividend Final @ 25%	13,813
- Transfer to General Reserves	20,000
Unappropriated Profit Carried Forward	6

Earning Per Share: Rs: 6.11

Directors

The present term 'of three years of the Board of the Directors is ending this year and new Directors are to be elected at the forthcoming AGM.

Auditors

The present Auditors M/s. Avais Hyder Zaman Rizwani, Chartered Accountants, retire and being eligible offer themselves for reappointment as auditors of the Company for the year ending June 30, 2000.

Chairman's Review

The Directors of the Company endorse contents of the Chairman's Review, which is included in the Annual Report dealing with the Company activities and forms

an integral part of the Directors' Report.

Pattern of Shareholding is annexed.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

CHIEF EXECUTIVE LATIF KHALID HASHMI

Karachi: Oct 15, 1999

PATTERN OF SHARE HOLDINGS AS AT 30-06-1999

Amount	No of Shares		Size of Holding	No. of Share
Rupees	Held	To	From	Holders
1,390,000	139,000	100	1	1,261
330,000	33,000	500	101	92
1,456,000	145,600	1,000	501	175
2,778,000	277,800	5,000	1,001	116
1,049,100	104,910	10,000	5,001	15
754,000	75,400	15,000	10,001	6
714,900	71,490	20,000	15,001	4
1,103,000	110,300	25,000	20,001	5
0	0	50,000	25,001	0
522,000	52,200	55,000	50,001	1
0	0	65,000	55,001	0
678,000	67,800	70,000	65,001	1
0	0	95,000	70,001	0
1,000,000	100,000	100,000	95,001	1
0	0	110,000	100,001	0
1,148,000	114,800	115,000	110,001	1
0	0	140,000	115,001	0
1,413,000	141,300	145,000	140,001	1
	0	220,000	145,001	0
2,230,000	223,000	225,000	220,001	1
0	0	245,000	225,001	0
2,500,000	250,000	250,000	245,001	1
0	0	395,000	250,001	0
3,964,000	396,400	400,000	395,001	1
0	0	455,000	400,001	0
4,569,000	456,900	460,000	455,001	1
0	0	495,000	460,001	0
5,000,000	500,000	500,000	495,001	1
0	0	2,265,000	500,001	0
22,654,070	2,265,407	2,270,000	2,265,001	1

1,685	5,525,307	55,253,070
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CATEGORY OF SHARE HOLDINGS

		No. of	
Category	Holdings	Shares	%
Individuals	1,669	1,132,310	20.49
Investment Companies	3	398,000	7.20
Joint Stock Companies	2	350,000	6.33
Financial Institutions	3	1,179,900	21.36
Modaraba Companies	2	1,900	0.04
Associated Companies	3	2,300,407	41.63
Others	3	162,790	2.95
TOTAL	1,685	5,525,307	100.00
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DECADE AT A GLANCE

INCOME	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Net Sales	134,753	161,532	119,962	225,037	168,662	183,297	226,668	194,
Profit (loss) before tax	4,756	5,966	(13,341)	17,086	1,909	1,720	5,616	2,
Profit (loss) after tax	4,756	5,158	(13,941)	15,960	1,065	803	4,483	1,
Retained in business	(6,384)	(1,226)	(15,167)	793	1,858	2,659	7,142	1,
FINANCIAL POSITION								
Current assets	79,245	114,418	101,175	109,792	100,271	127,475	139,307	141,
Less: Current Liabilities	77,448	117,151	125,429	132,195	114,280	157,585	183,370	187,
Net working Capital	1,797	(2,733)	(24,254)	(22,403)	(14,009)	(30,110)	(44,063)	(45,6
Fixed assets - Net	192,750	181,252	169,966	158,733	146,120	132,954	119,321	106,
Other assets	3,787	2,720	1,255	5,490	5,399	5,016	4,654	4,
	198,334	181,239	146,967	141,820	137,510	107,860	79,912	64,
Less: Long term debts	147,944	127,213	106,881	85,427	80,001	49,100	16,754	
Other liabilities	1,522			348	399	848	763	1,
Shareholders' equity	48,868	54,026	40,086	56,045	57,110	57,912	62,395	63,
REPRESENTED BY:								
Share Capital	55,253	55,253	55,253	55,253	55,253	55,253	55,253	55,
Revenue reserve							7,000	7,
Unappropriated Profit/(Loss)	(6,385)	(1,227)	(15,167)	792	1,857	2,659	142	1,

NET CAPITAL EMPLOYED	48,868	54,026	40,086	56,045	57,110	57,912	62,395	63,
Break up value of a share of Rs. 10/- each	8.84	9.78	7.25	10.14	10.34	10.48	11.29	11
RATIOS								
Current assets to current liabilities	1.02:1	0.98:1	0.8:1	0.8:1	0.8:1	0.8:1	0.7:1	0
Profit/(Loss) before Tax to sale (%)	3.53	3.69	(10)	7.59	1.13	0.94	2.48	1
Return on equity %	9.73	9.55	(34.78)	28.48	1.86	1.39	7.18	1

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS

We have audited the annexed Balance Sheet of **M/S. BOLAN CASTINGS LIMITED** as at June 30, 1999 and the related Profit and Loss Account and Cash Flow Statement, together with the notes forming part thereof, for the year then ended and we state that we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit and, after due verification thereof, we report that:

- (a) in our opinion, proper books of accounts have been kept by the company as required by the Companies Ordinance, 1984;
- (b) in our opinion:
- (i) the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss account together with the notes thereon have been drawn up in conformity with the Companies Ordinance, 1984, and are in agreement with the books of account and are further in accordance with accounting policies consistently applied;
- (ii) the expenditure incurred during the year was for the purpose of the Company's business; and
- (iii) the business conducted, investments made and the expenditure incurred during the year were in accordance with objects of the Company.
- (c) in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account and Cash Flow Statement together with the notes forming part thereof, give the information required by the Companies Ordinance, 1984, in the manner so required and respectively give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at June 30, 1999 and of the profit and the cash flows for the year then ended; and
- (d) in our opinion, Zakat deductible at source under the Zakat and Ushr Ordinance, 1980 was deducted by the company and deposited in the Central Zakat Fund established under section 7 of that ordinance.

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AVAIS HYDER ZAMAN RIZWANI

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH JUNE 1999

CHARE CARVEAU	NOTE	1999 P	1998 P
SHARE CAPITAL. Authorised		Rs.	Rs.
7,500,000/- Ordinary shares of Rs. 10/- each		75,000,000	75,000,000
Issued, Subscribed and paid-up	3	55,253,070	55,253,070
General reserve		28,000,000	8,000,000
Accumulated profit		6,260	55,464
LONG TERM LOAN	4	60,000,000	83,374,068
LIABILITIES AGAINST ASSETS SUBJECT			
TO FINANCE LEASE	5	191,096	595,888
DEFERRED LIABILITIES			
Provision for gratuity		1,755,766	1,085,373
Deferred taxation		1,323,904	1,239,675
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Running finance under mark-up arrangement	6	30,842,669	32,221,215
Finance against Trust Receipt	7	6,946,548	
Current portion of long-term loan	4 & 5	552,585	7,696,615
Creditors, accured and other liabilities	8	79,474,667	30,021,076
Proposed Dividend		13,813,267	82,879,611
Unclaimed dividend		101,478	
		131,731,214	78,226,867
CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS	9		
		278,261,310	227,830,405
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FIXED ASSETS - TANGIBLE			
Operating assets - at book value	10	88,806,083	96,427,591
LONG-TERM LOANS AND ADVANCES	11	533,176	2,000,145
LONG-TERM DEPOSIT Trade deposits		1,324,510	1,126,660
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stores, Spares and Loose Tools	12	190,838,231	16,261,775

Stock-in-trade	13	55,529,057	46,892,787
Trade debts	14	597,318,931	38,268,436
Advances, deposits and prepayments	15	52,656,741	15,295,579
Other receivables	16	7,684,301	1,133,769
Cash and bank balances	17	47,218,664	10,423,663
		187,597,541	128,276,009
		278,261,310	227,830,405
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The annexed notes form an integral part of these accounts.

LATIF KHALID HASHMI CHIEF EXECUTIVE

SIKANDAR M. KHAN CHAIRMAN

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1999

	NOTE	1999 Rs.	1998 Rs.
Sales - net	18	406,021,024	206,045,830
Cost of sales	19	318,500,001	162,237,543
Gross profit		87,521,023	43,808,287
Administration expenses	20	110,045,113	9,596,783
Selling and distribution expenses	21	3,448,753	5,231,002
		13,493,866	14,827,785
		74,027,157	28,980,502
Financial charges	22	20,002,252	15,123,859
Other charges / (income)	23	3,505,066	2,290,319
		23,507,318	17,414,178
Profit from ordinary activities		50,519,839	11,566,324
Receipt of price revision claim relating to prior year			21,147,010
Profit before taxation		50,519,839	32,713,334
Taxation	24	16,755,776	24,650,521
Profit after taxation		33,764,063	8,062,813

Accumulated profit brought forward	55,464	1,280,612
Profit available for appropriations	33,819,527	9,343,425
APPROPRIATIONS		
Transfer to general reserves	20,000,000	1,000,000
Final dividend, @ 25% (1998: 15%)	13,813,267	8,287,961
	33,813,267	9,287,961
Accumulated profit .carried to balance sheet	6,260	55,464
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The annexed notes form an integral part of these accounts

LATIF KHALID HASHMI CHIEF EXECUTIVE

SIKANDAR M. KHAN CHAIRMAN

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1999

	1999	1998
	Rs.	Rs.
Cash from operating activities		
Profit before taxation	50,519,839	32,713,334
Adjustment for:		
Depreciation	13,594,668	13,744,273
Workers' welfare fund	1,031,017	880,623
Provision for gratuity	724,270	182,141
Financial charge on leased assets	154,263	104,204
(Profit) / loss on fixed assets	(170,456)	(343,250)
Adjustment of financial charges	37,600	
Operating profit before working capital changes	65,891,201	47,281,325
(Increase) / Decrease in current assets	(31,415,775)	3,602,006
Increase / (Decrease) in current liabilities	30,665,328	(36,327,898)
Cash generated from operations	65,140,754	14,555,433
Income tax refund	10,965,609	
Income tax paid	(10,741,627)	(5,570,797)
Gratuity paid	(53,877)	(47,296)
Net Cash from operating activities	65,310,859	8,937,340

Cash flows from investing activities		
Capital expenditure	(6,169,426)	(3,146,731)
Sale proceeds of fixed assets	337,697	(566,288)
Long-term loans and advances	1,466,969	1,168,477
Long-term deposits, trade deposits	(197,850)	(119,300)
Net cash used in investing activities	(4,562,610)	(1,531,266)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Redeemable capital		(1,500,000)
Long-term loan	(23,374,068)	3,598,386
Liabilities against assets subject to finance lease	(579,180)	(349,945)
Net cash used in financing activities	(23,953,248)	1,748,441
Net increase / (decrease) in cash	36,795,001	9,154,515
Cash and bank balances at the beginning of the year		
	10,423,663	1,269,148
Cash and bank balances at the end of the year	47,218,664	10,423,663

LATIF KHALID HASHMI CHIEF EXECUTIVE

SIKANDAR M. KHAN CHAIRMAN

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1999

1. NATURE OF BUSINESS

The Company is incorporated in Pakistan as a quoted public limited company. Its main business activity is to undertake casting of tractors and automotive parts.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Over all valuation policy

These accounts have been prepared on the basis of historical cost convention.

2.2 Staff retirement benefits

The Company operates approved funded gratuity and provident fund schemes for all eligible executives. Contributions are payable to the gratuity fund on the basis of actuarial recommendation at a rate of 14.25% of basic salaries plus an additional 8.16% to cover the deficit of the fund. The actuarial valuation of the scheme is carried out once in every three years on the basis of Entry Age Normal (EAN) actuarial cost method. The expected rate of increase in salaries and return on investment for the purpose of actuarial valuation are assumed to be 12% and 13% respectively.

The last actuarial valuation was carried out on 30th June 1995. The fair value of the scheme's assets and EAN liability for the past services at latest valuation date were Rs. 4.364 million and Rs. 10.807 million respectively.

The Company also operates an approved provident fund and an unapproved unfunded gratuity scheme for all other permanent employees.

2.3 Taxation

Current

Provision for current taxation in the accounts is based on taxable income at the current rate of taxation after taking into account tax credit and tax rebates available, if any, or minimum tax at 0.5 percent of turnover.

Deferred

The Company accounts for deferred taxation, if any, arising on major timing differences using the liability method.

2.4 Fixed assets and depreciation

2.4.1 Operating assets

Operating fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation except freehold land and capital work-in-progress which are stated at cost. Cost in relation to certain fixed assets, comprises historical cost plus exchange differences in foreign currency loan used for acquisition of these assets. Depreciation is charged to income applying the reducing balance method. However, the exchange difference previously capitalised is depreciated over the estimated remaining useful life of assets using the straight-line method.

In respect of additions, depreciations is charged for the full year in the year of purchase, and no depreciation is charged on delations in the year of sale.

Maintenance and normal repairs are charged to income as and when incurred. Gain or loss on sale or retirement of assets is included in income currently.

2.4.2 Assets subject to finance lease

Assets subject to finance lease are stated at the lower of the present value of minimum lease payments under the lease agreement and the fair value of the assets. The related obligations of the lease are accounted for as liabilities. Assets acquired under the finance lease are depreciated over the useful life of the assets.

2.5 Stores, spares and loose tools

Stores, spares and loose tools are valued at weighted average cost. Stores and spares in transit are stated at invoice value plus other charges paid thereon to the balance sheet date.

2.6 Stock-in-trade

2.6.1 Stock-in-trade, except item in transit, is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Stock-in-transit is stated at invoice value plus other charges paid thereon to the balance sheet date.

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- 2.6.2 Cost signifies, in relation to raw material at weighted average, and in relation to work-in-process and finished goods at weighted average cost comprising direct material, labour and appropriate manufacturing overheads.
- 2.6.3 Net realisable value signifies the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less cost of completion and cost necessary. to be incurred in order to make the sale.

2.7 Trade Debts

Known bad debts, if any are written-off and provision is made against debts considered doubtful.

2.8 Rates of exchange

Transaction in foreign currencies are converted into rupees at the rates of exchange ruling on the date of the transaction. Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into rupees at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date except for loan from Asian Development Bank (ADB) through Pakistan Automobile Corporation Limited (PACO) which has been covered under the Exchange Risk Coverage Scheme of the Government of Pakistan. Exchange Risk Coverage fee on the loan obtained upto 30 June 1995 for acquisition of fixed assets, payable to Government of Pakistan, is included in carrying value of the related assets. Thereafter, the exchange risk coverage fee, relevant to respective loan is being charged off. Other exchange gains and losses are included in income currently.

2.9 Revenue recognition

Revenue from sale is recognised upon passage of title to the customers, which generally coincides with physical delivery and acceptance.

Profit on term deposit is recorded as and when received.

	NOTE	1999 Rs.	1998 Rs.
3. ISSUED, SUBSCRIBED AND PAID-UP CAPITAL			
5,525,307 (1998: 5,525,307) Ordinary shares			
of Rs. 10/- each fully paid for in cash.		55,253,07	55,253,070
Millat Tractors Limited - an associated company, is holding 2,290,407 (1998: 2,290,407) ordinary shares of Rs. 10/- each.			= ========
4. LONG-TERM LOAN			
Foreign currency loan - secured	4.1	-	- 26,675,397
Related interest		39,431,00	2 39,431,002
Related exchange risk fee		20,568,99	8 24,385,104

Less: Current maturity

4.1 The Asian Development Bank (ADB) had sanctioned a foreign currency loan equivalent to US\$ 26.9 million to the Government of Pakistan. A portion equivalent to US\$ 7.8 million was allocated to the Company through Pakistan Automobile Corporation Limited to establish the Company's Foundry.

- 4.1.1 The balance of loan was repayable by 1 September 1997 and carried interest at the rate of 8.5 percent per annum and the exchange risk coverage fee at the rate of 5.5 percent per annum. Since July 1997, the management of the Company is striving for rescheduling of the aforesaid loan and is hopeful that the loan will be rescheduled in accordance with the plan submitted to the government of Pakistan. Accordingly, the aforesaid loan has been classified as long-term loan. The Company has started repayments on the basis of revised schedule.
- 4.1.2 Subsequent to the Sale Agreement of 10th June 1993, a charge on Company's assets was created in favour of Pakistan Automobile Corporation Limited on behalf of Government of Pakistan, to secure the outstanding balance of Rs. 129 million inclusive of interest and exchange risk fee. The above facility is secured by an equitable mortgage of land, building and machinery.
- 4.1.3 .The Government of Pakistan approved a Scheme of Exchange Risk Coverage on the Company's foreign currency loan with effect from 21 April 1987. According to the scheme, the foreign currency loan liability outstanding as at 21 April 1987 was converted into rupees at the then prevailing exchange rate. The scheme envisages an exchange risk coverage fee at 5.5 percent of the loan outstanding in local currency. With effect from 1 July 1995 such exchange fee is being charged off in the income of the current year.

5. LIABILITIES AGAINST ASSETS SUBJECT TO FINANCE LEASE

The Value of minimum lease rental payments has been discounted at an implicit interest rate of approximately 24% per annum to arrive at their present value. The amount of future payments and the periods during which they fall due are:

Payable during 1998-1999

1999-2000 2000-2001

60,000,000	90,491,503 7,117,435
60,000,000	83,374,068

1999		1998
Rs.		Rs.
		579,180
	552,585	552,585
	275,800	275,800

Less: Unamortized financial charges		828,385 84,704	1,407,565 232,497
Less: Current maturity shown under current liabilities		743,681 552,585	1,175,068 579,180
		191,096	595,888
The lease rentals are payable in equal monthly installments. Overdue rental payments are subject to an additional lease rental at the rate of 0.1 percent per day. Taxes, repairs and insurance costs are to be borne by the lessee. In caser of termination of lease agreement, the lessee is to pay entire rent for unexpired period.			
	1999 Rs.		1998 Rs.
6. RUNNING FINANCE UNDER MARK-UP ARRANGEMENT - Secured		30,842,669	32,221,215 ======
This represents the utilised portion of running finance facility of Rs.35.00 million (1998: Rs. 60.00 million) from a commercial bank. The facility is subject to mark-up at the rate of Rs. 0.50 per rupees one thousand per day. This is secured by hypothecation of stock of raw material, equitable mortgage of land and building,			
Personal Guarantees of two directors and Guarantees from Millat Tractors Ltd.			
	1999 Rs.		1998 Rs.
		6,946,548 ======	
Personal Guarantees of two directors and Guarantees from Millat Tractors Ltd.		6,946,548 ======	
Personal Guarantees of two directors and Guarantees from Millat Tractors Ltd. 7. FINANCE AGAINST TRUST RECEIPT This represents the utilised portion of finance against trust receipt facility of Rs. 50.00 million from a commercial bank. The facility is subject to mark-up at the rate of Rs.0.50 per rupees one thousand per day. This is secured by hypothecation of stock of raw-material, equitable mortgage of land and building, Personal Guarantees of two directors and Guarantees from Millat Tractors Ltd. 8. CREDITORS, ACCRUED AND OTHER LIABILITIES		6,946,548	
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Interest on secured loan		4,048,486	2,984,500
Exchange risk fee		2,619,607 16,330,418	1,931,146
Related interest and exchange risk fee		10,530,416	
		40,577,305	14,671,321
Tax payable	8.1	9,025,752	
Bills payable		10,931,698	5,046,948
Advances from customers		943,409	912,474
Retention and deposits		342,620	332,120
Workers' Profit Participation Fund	8.2	2,713,203	1,768,439
Payable to trustees of Staff Gratuity			
and Provident Fund		(347,978)	615,193
Sales tax payable		3,554,655	210,765
Advances from employees against car scheme		178,450	37,050
Others		256,518	125,953
		79,474,667	30,021,076
		=======	========
8.1 TAX PAYABLE			
Provision for taxation 1997-98		14,000,000	14,000,000
Provision for taxation 1998-99		16,671,547	
W.W.F. 1997-98		880,623	880,623
W.W.F. 1998-99		1,031,017	
		32,583,187	14,880,623
Deductions at source u/s 50		18,212,636	23,769,867
Advance payment of tax u/s 53		5,344,799	
		23,557,435	23,769,867
Tax payable / (refundable)		9,025,752	(8,889,244)
		=======	=======
8.2 WORKERS' PROFIT PARTICIPATION FUND			
Balance at the beginning of the year		1,768,439	110,973
Allocation for the year		2,713,203	1,768,439
Amount available		4,481,642	1,879,412
Interest provided on fund utilised in Company's business		93,250	6,385
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Amount paid		4,574,892 1,861,689	1,885,797 117,358
Amount paid		1,001,009	117,556
Balance at the end of the year		2,713,203	17,768,439

9. CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

i) Letters of credit issued by a commercial bank

15,565 14,145

10,215 3,521

11,625

11,625

10. FIXED ASSETS - TANGIBLE

COST DEPRECIATION

PARTICULARS	AS AT 01 07 1998 Rs.	ADDITIONS (DELETIONS) Rs.	AS AT 30-06-1999 Rs.	AS AT 01 07-1998 Rs.	FOR THE YEAR (DELETIONS) Rs.	AS AT 30-06-1999 Rs.	BOOK VALUE AT 30-06-1999 Rs.	DEP. RATE %
Land - Free Hold	2,577,954	100,800	2,678,754	_			2,678,754	
Building on free hold land	36,683,077		36,683,077	24,603,03	7 1,208,004	25,811,041	10,872,036	10
Plant, Machinery & Equipment	232,263,385		234,989,534	157,210,568	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	168,052,813	66,936,721	10
Electric & Gas installations	6,803,520		6,803,520	4,519,116	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	4,747,556	2,055,964	10
Castings	756,971		756,971	508,044	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	532,937	224,034	10
Furniture & Fixture *	876,594	67,292 (7,775)	936,111	562,68		594,385	341,726	10
Electrical Appliances *	790,979	108,975 (8,300)	891,654	378,852	2 51,854 (5,740)	424,966	466,688	10
Office Equipment *	1,421,655	258,275 (218,640)	1,461,290	753,473	3 85,022 (142,401)	696,094	765,196	10
Computers *	1,368,662	747,210	2,115,872	696,696	5 283,835	980,531	1,135,341	20
Automotive Vehicles *	2,482,369	2,168,500 (541,634)	4,109,235	1,451,090	615,209 (417,901)	1,648,398	2,460,837	20
Bicycles * Assets subject to Finance lease:	1,830		1,830	1,688	3 28	1,716	114	20
Automotive Vehicles	1,408,500		1,408,500	322,660	217,168	539,828	868,672	20
TOTAL	287,435,496	6,177,201 (776,349	292,836,348	191,007,905	(572,308)	204,030,265	88,806,083	
1998	283,927,336		287,435,496	177,831,666		191,007,905	96,427,591	

NOTE 1999 1998 Rs. Rs.

10.1 Depreciation charged as under:

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		13,594,668	13,744,273
Administrative expenses *	20	265,885	168,666
Cost of production	19	13,328,783	13,575,607

10.2 Detail of sale of op6rating assets during the year is as follows;

PARTICULARS	Cost	Accumulated Depreciation	W.D.V.	Sale Proceeds	Gain / (Loss)	Mode of disposal	Name & address of purchaser
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
Automotive Vehicles:							
Suzuki Van	135,000	112,350	22,650	132,7	86 110,136	Tender	Mr. Ramzan Abdullah Manzil Wali Road, Soldier Bazar.
Suzuki Van	171,123	126,265	44,858	152,7	86 107,928	Tender	Mr. Ramzan Abdullah Manzil Wali Road, Soldier Bazar.
Suzuki Car	188,511	169,886	18,625	18,6		As per Approval of Board of Directors	Mr. Afaq Ahmed GM Finance
Suzuki Car	47,000	9,400	37,600				Transferred to financial charges
Furniture and Fixtures	7,775	6,266	1,509				imanetai charges
Electrical Appliances (10.2.1)	8,300		2,560	2,0	•	Quotation through displaying on Notice Board.	Mr. Mohd. Saleem Shershah-Karachi.
Office and other equipment:							
Typewriters	102,490		26,240	6,5			Mr. Shabbir Hussain
Photocopier	116,150	•	49,999	25,0		Trade in	Shirazi Trading Co.
	776,349	572,308	204,041	337,6	170,456		

10.2.1 The loss on Sale of Electrical Appliances includes Rs. 800/- being deposit of gas cylinder.

	NOTE	1999	1998	
		Rs.	Rs.	
11. LONG-TERM LOANS - Considered good				
Loan to employees				
- for purchase of Company's shares	11.1		3,184,305	
others	11.2	933,348	686,042	
		933,348	3,870,347	

Less: Current maturity	400,172	1,870,202
	533,176	2,000,145
The above comprises:		
Loans outstanding for period		
exceeding three years		1,641,885
Others	533,176	358,260
	533,176	2,000,145
11.1 Loan to employees for purchase of shares has been adjusted from salary, production incentive award and bonus to employees by Rs. 3184305. The above adjustment includes an amount of Rs. 2,256,465/- due from the executives.		

11.2 Includes an amount of Rs. 144,216/- (1998: 634,530) due from the executives of the Company. The said loan is recoverable in monthly installments.

	1999	1998
12. STORES, SPARES AND LOOSE TOOLS	Rs.	Rs.
In hand		
Stores	5,785,650	3,523,248
Spares	11,972,246	11,447,273
Loose tools	493,062	1,288,108
	18,250,958	16,258,629
In transit		
Stores	832,865	3,146
	19,083,823	16,261,775
	=======	========
13. STOCK-IN-TRADE		
In hand		
Raw material	26,161,280	13,963,980
Work-in-process	10,037,000	6,222,000
Finished goods	9,146,000	20,877,000
In transit - Raw Material	10,184,777	5,829,807
	55,529,057	46,892,787
	========	========
14. TRADE DEBTS - unsecured, considered good	40	
Due from associated undertakings	40,879,607	23,376,547
Others	18,852,286	14,891,889

		59,731,893 =======	38,268,436 ======
The maximum aggregate balance due from associated undertakings			
at the end of any month during the year was Rs.59.261 million			
(1998: Rs 65.783 million).			
15. ADVANCES, DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS			
Advances - unsecured, considered good			
Employees		473,620	1,075,925
Suppliers Others		1,899,343	2,081,998 25,200
Current portion of long-term loans		400,172	1,870,202
Income tax - net			8,889,244
		2,773,135	13,942,569
Deposits		1,986,624	782,500
Prepayments		505,915	570,510
		5,265,674	15,295,579
16. OTHER RECEIVABLES Octroi refundable		619,136	259,043
Insurance claim receivable			475,219
Provident fund account			203,980
Others		149,294	195,527
		768,430	1,133,769
		=======	=======
17. CASH AND BANK BALANCES Cash in hand		180,805	116,873
Cash with banks		100,003	110,073
On Deposit Accounts	11.1	5,100,000	100,000
On Current Accounts		41,937,859	10,206,790
		47,037,859	10,306,790
		47,218,664	10,423,663

^{17.1} Represents Rs. 100,000 of term deposit with a commercial bank as security against guarantee given by the bank on behalf of the Company.

	NOTE	1999 Rs.	1998 Rs.
18. SALES		As.	As.
Sales		436,583	1,512 223,626,816
Less: Sales Returns		30,560	
		406,02	
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19. COST OF SALES			
Raw material and components consumed			
Opening stock		13,963	
Purchases		160,227	
		174,19	
Closing stock		(26,161	
		148,029	
Salaries, wages and benefits		37,492	2,217 22,878,034
Staff welfare		2,145	5,680 1,693,157
Stores and spares consumed		28,176	5,391 13,896,787
Fuel and power		45,196	5,547 22,483,387
Machining and other services		18,763	9,421,198
Travelling and conveyance		3,393	3,417 2,180,587
Rent, rates and taxes		130),800 108,900
Repairs and maintenance		3,932	2,923 754,892
Freight and octroi	19.1	6,736	5,956
Insurance		474	4,605 449,034
Vehicles expenses		1,213	
Depreciation	10.1	13,328	
Others		1,567	7,995 1,165,740
		162,554	4,010 89,328,133
Work-in-process-opening		6,222	2,000 5,502,000
-closing		(10,037	,000) (6,222,000)
Cost of goods manufactured		306,769	9,001 158,624,543
Finished goods - opening		20,877	7,000 24,490,000
- closing		(9,146	,000) (20,877,000)
		318,500	0,001 162,237,543
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19.1 FREIGHT & OCTROI

The cost of freight and octroi was previously charged to the selling and distribution expenses. Now the Management has decided to charge the expense to cost of sales. The cost of sales has increased by Rs. 6,736,959 and selling and distribution expenses have decreased due to this effect. Related figures for corresponding period of last year comes to Rs., 3367902.

	NOTE	1999	1998
AA ADMINIGED A EVON EVDENGEG		Rs.	Rs.
20. ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES			
Salaries, wages and benefits			
[including director's fee- 1999: Rs. Nil		5,875,266	5,539,010
(1998: Rs. 1,500/-)] Staff welfare			
		307,351 494,693	288,923
Travelling Utilities			356,988
		139,284 289,162	182,385
Rent, rates and taxes			207,386
Repairs and maintenance		291,010	286,176
Printing & Stationary		227,579	179,824
Communications		282,155	294,653
Advertisement		93,250	48,818
Vehicle expenses		540,218	696,264
Insurance		148,101	90,557
Legal & Professional charges		248,400	315,150
Unrealizable refund - charged off			223,244
Entertainment	20.1	113,412	27,438
Auditor's remuneration	20.1	133,200	124,950
Subscription	10.1	121,829	14,801
Depreciation	10.1	265,885	168,666
Service charges		474.219	313,206
Miscellaneous		474,318	238,344
		10,045,113	9,596,783
		=======	=======
20.1 Auditors' Remuneration			
Audit fee		50,000	50,000
Tax services		79,000	7,000
Other professional services and consultancy		3,000	58,000
Out of pocket expenses		1,200	9,950
		133,200	124,950
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21. SELLING AND DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES			
Salaries, wages and benefits		2,153,098	1,367,013

Travelling Insurance Transportation Sales Promotion Printing Postage	257,854 30,591 637,030 189,000 50,378 44,109	33,217 18,985 3,648,367 20,025 38,670 26,830
Miscellaneous	86,693	77,895
	3,448,753 =======	5,231,002
22. FINANCIAL CHARGES		
Mark-up on redeemable capital		(446,253)
Mark-up on short-term running finance	444,516	9,953,254
Mark-up on finance lease	200,893	104,204
Interest on short - term financing arrangement		
by an associated company	1,010,682	305,239
Interest on Workers' Profit Participation Fund	93,250	6,385
Bank charges	170,046	56,812
Related Interest & Exchange risk fee on ADB loan	18,082,865	5,144,218
	20,002,252	15,123,859
22 OTHER CHARCES / (INCOME)		
23. OTHER CHARGES / (INCOME) Workers' Profit Participation Fund	2,713,203	1,768,439
Workers' Profit Participation Fund Workers' Welfare Fund		
	1,031,017	880,623
Loss/(Gain) on disposal of fixed assets- net	(170,456)	(343,250)
Miscellaneous Charges	3,000	(15,493)
Miscellaneous Income	(71,698)	
	3,505,066 ======	2,290,319
24. TAXATION		
Current		
Current year	16,671,547	14,000,000
Prior year		9,410,846
	12271545	22.410.045
	16,671,547	23,410,846
Deferred	84,229	1,239,675
	16,755,776	24,650,521
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24.1 The Company had filed returns declaring the tax losses amounting to Rs. 82.724 million and Rs. 17.227 million for the assessment years 1987-88 and 1988-89 respectively. The losses sustained in these years were not assessed by the Assessing Officer, consequently these losses could not be available for set off against the post tax holiday profits of

the company for the subsequent assessment years. The Company being aggrieved by the said treatment preferred appeals before the Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeals) [CIT(A)], wherein, the action of Assessing Officer was confirmed. The Company thereafter filed second appeals with the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal (ITAT). The ITAT confirmed the action of the CIT(A) by observing that the issue already stands decided against the appellant in a similar case. Subsequently, the ITAT recalled its said earlier order, consequently, the Company filed rectification application on the grounds that the appeal of the Company was dismissed relying on the decision which has been subsequently for re-adjudication, therefore, the appeal of the company would also be recalled. The ITAT in their judgement on the issue has accepted the appeal of the company during February 1999. However appeal effects has not been allowed because tax department has gone to Sindh High Court on question of law.

24.2 In respect of subsequent assessment years, the assessment have been finalised.

25. REMUNERATION OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE, DIRECTOR AND EXECUTIVES

		1999			1998	
	Chief	Directors	Executives	Chief	Directors	Executives
	Executive			Executive		
Managerial remuneration		240,474	2,089,355		223,662	2,059,851
Gratuity		34,125	282,278		45,566	384,014
Perquisites, benefits, rent & utilities		221,239	1,532,060		205,940	1,353,013
Medical expenses		17,862	195,063		73,533	193,758
Others		120,770	342,045		99,673	340,010
		634,470	4,440,801		648,374	4,330,646
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NUMBER	1	1	13	1	1	16
	========	========	========	========	=========	========

- 25.1 The director and three executives are also provided with free use of Company maintained car.
- 25.2 The emoluments disclosed above do not include remuneration, if any, paid to or provided for in respect of .the Chief Executive, Directors, and Executives by associated companies or undertakings.

26. CAPACITY - Castings

Installed capacity 5,700 M.T. double shift per annum. Production 8,352.67 M.T. (1998: 3,977 M.T.)

Capacity utilization 147% approximately (1998: 70% approximately).

27. TRANSACTION WITH ASSOCIATED COMPANIES

Expenses incurred and jointly shared - net	25,531	18,128
Sale of goods - net	280,491,238	152,746,438
Mark-up on advance from an associated company	1,010,682	305,239

28. CORRESPONDING FIGURES

Certain prior year's figures have been re-arranged.

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