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Production Release for 2Q and 1HFY25.

Mumbai, October 4, 2024: Vedanta Limited today announced its production numbers for Second quarter and Half year ended September 30, 2024.

"Highest-ever quarterly and half-yearly Aluminium production"

"Highest-ever second quarter mined and refined metal production in Zinc India"

Editor's Synopsis

- Record Aluminium production of 1205 kt in 1H, while Alumina production jumps 21% YoY
- Zinc India records a new high for mined metal while the production of refined metal increased by 5% YoY to 524 kt in the first half of the year
- Zinc International volumes rise 16% QoQ
- Power sales increase 10% YoY in 1H supported by higher generation from thermal plants
- Ferrochrome production jumps 70% YoY to 53 kt driven by commissioning of the new furnace

Aluminium:

Particulars	2Q			1	Q	1H		
(In "000 tonnes, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Alumina- Lanjigarh	499	464	8%	539	(7%)	1,039	859	21%
Total Aluminium Production	609	594	3%	596	2%	1,205	1,173	3%
Jharsuguda	460	447	3%	450	2%	910	880	3%
BALCO	149	147	2%	146	2%	295	293	1%

 Record half-yearly Alumina production of 1039 kt (+21% YoY), and Aluminium production of 1,205 kt (+3% YoY) in the first half driven by operational efficiencies

Zinc India:

	2Q			1	Q	1H		
Particulars (In '000 tonnes, or as stated')	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Mined Metal	256	252	2%	263	(2%)	519	509	2%
Saleable Metal	262	241	8%	262	-	524	501	5%
- Refined Zinc ¹	198	185	7%	211	(6%)	409	394	4%
- Refined Lead	63	57	12%	51	23%	115	107	7%
Silver (in tonnes)	184	181	2%	167	10%	350	360	(3%)
Silver (in mn ounces)	5.9	5.8	2%	5.4	10%	11.3	11.6	(3%)

^{1.}Includes 2.5kt, 0.5kt & 3.0kt of metal production from Hindustan Zinc Alloys Private Limited (100% subsidiary of HZL) in 2QFY25, 1QFY25 & 1HFY25 respectively.



- Best-ever mined metal production in first half-year with higher ore treatment and overall improved mined metal grades.
- Refined metal production was up 5% YoY in the first half, with refined zinc increasing 4% YoY and refined lead 7% YoY.
- o 2Q silver volumes jump 10% sequentially

Zinc International:

Particulars	2Q			1	Q		1H			
(In "000 tonnes, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change		
Total Mined Metal	44	66	(34%)	38	16%	81	134	(40%)		
Mined Metal Content – Gamsberg	32	48	(34%)	26	21%	58	97	(40%)		
Mined Metal Content – BMM ¹	12	18	(35%)	11	4%	23	37	(38%)		

¹BMM: Black Mountain Mine

o 2Q production jumps 16% sequentially supported by 21% increase at Gamsberg and 4% at BMM.

Oil & Gas:

Doutlandone		2Q		10	Q	1H		
Particulars (In '000 boepd, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Average Daily Gross Operated Production (kboepd)	104.9	134.1	(22%)	112.4	(7%)	108.6	134.5	(19%)
Rajasthan	85.1	112.2	(24%)	92.7	(8%)	88.9	112.1	(21%)
Ravva	11.0	10.9	1%	11.3	(3%)	11.1	11.3	(1%)
Cambay	4.8	10.1	(52%)	4.8	-	4.8	10.5	(55%)
OALP	4.0	1.0	-	3.7	8%	3.8	0.6	-
Average Daily Working Interest Production (kboepd)	68.8	86.6	(21%)	73.7	(7%)	71.2	86.3	(18%)
Rajasthan	59.6	78.6	(24%)	64.9	(8%)	62.2	78.4	(21%)
Ravva	2.5	2.4	1%	2.5	(3%)	2.5	2.5	(1%)
Cambay	1.9	4.0	(52%)	1.9	-	1.9	4.2	(55%)
KG-ONN 2003/1	0.8	0.6	37%	0.6	33%	0.7	0.5	46%
OALP	4.0	1.0	-	3.7	8%	3.8	0.6	-
Total Oil and Gas (million boe)								
Oil and Gas - Gross	9.6	12.3	(22%)	10.2	(6%)	19.9	24.6	(19%)
Oil and Gas – Working Interest	6.3	8.0	(21%)	6.7	(6%)	13.0	15.8	(18%)

kboepd: thousands of barrels of oil equivalent per day

- Volumes under OALP arrangement rise to 3.8 kboepd in 1H, supported by ramp up of Jaya oilfield
- The natural decline in the MBA fields partially offset by infill wells brought online in Mangala and RDG fields

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Iron ore:

Particulars		2Q		•	IQ		1H	
(In dmt, or as stated)	FY 25	FY 24	% Change	FY 25	% Change	FY 25	FY 24	% Change
Production of Saleable Ore (mn tonnes)	1.3	1.2	7%	1.3	3%	2.6	2.4	6%
Karnataka	1.3	1.2	2%	1.2	9%	2.4	2.4	(1%)
Goa	0.1	-	-	0.1	(56%)	0.2	-	-
Sales (mn tonnes)	1.1	1.5	(29%)	1.0	6%	2.0	2.6	(22%)
Karnataka	1.1	1.5	(29%)	1.0	6%	2.0	2.5	(18%)
Goa	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.1	-
Production of Pig Iron ('000 tonnes)	189	218	(13%)	205	(8%)	395	430	(8%)

o Iron ore volumes increased by 6% to 2.6 Mnt in 1H, while the Pig Iron production was adversely impacted due to maintenance activity

Steel:

Particulars		2Q			1Q	1H		
(In '000 tonnes, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Finished Production	296	378	(22%)	356	(17%)	652	702	(7%)
Pig Iron	87	61	43%	58	51%	145	124	17%
Billets Produced	162	277	(41%)	255	(37%)	418	495	(16%)
Billets Consumed	(158)	(269)	(41%)	(253)	(38%)	(411)	(483)	(15%)
TMT Bar	85	140	(39%)	137	(38%)	222	252	(12%)
Wire Rod	68	122	(44%)	109	(37%)	177	218	(19%)
Ductile Iron Pipes	51	47	8%	50	4%	101	96	5%

 Production adversely impacted due to the planned shutdown on account of the debottlenecking of Steel Melting Shop and maintenance of Oxygen Plant in 2Q

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Particulars	2Q			1	Q	1H		
(In "000 tonnes, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Ore Production	38	18	-	80	(53%)	118	94	26%
Ferro Chrome Production	26	22	18%	28	(6%)	53	31	70%

Ore production increased by 26% and ferrochrome production up by 70% in 1H.

Copper India:

Particulars	2Q			,	1Q	1H		
(In '000, or as stated)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Copper Cathodes	41	35	16%	20	-	61	66	(8%)

o 2Q production increased by 16% YoY

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Power:

Particulars		2Q		•	1Q	1H		
(In million units)	FY25	FY24	% Change	FY25	% Change	FY25	FY24	% Change
Power Sales	4,322	4,047	7%	4,791	(10%)	9,113	8,305	10%
TSPL	2,863	2,795	2%	2,990	(4%)	5,853	5,625	4%
Jharsuguda	709	506	40%	825	(14%)	1,534	1,124	36%
BALCO	621	589	6%	868	(28%)	1,489	1,277	17%
HZL Wind Power	129	157	(18%)	108	19%	237	278	(15%)
TSPL Availability	86%	83%	-	91%	-	88%	87%	-
TSPL PLF	71%	69%	-	74%	-	73%	70%	-

 Overall power sales in 1H increased 10% YoY despite a decline in wind power generation of 15% due to weather conditions.



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