

# **Presentation to Analysts and Investors for Full Year 2024**



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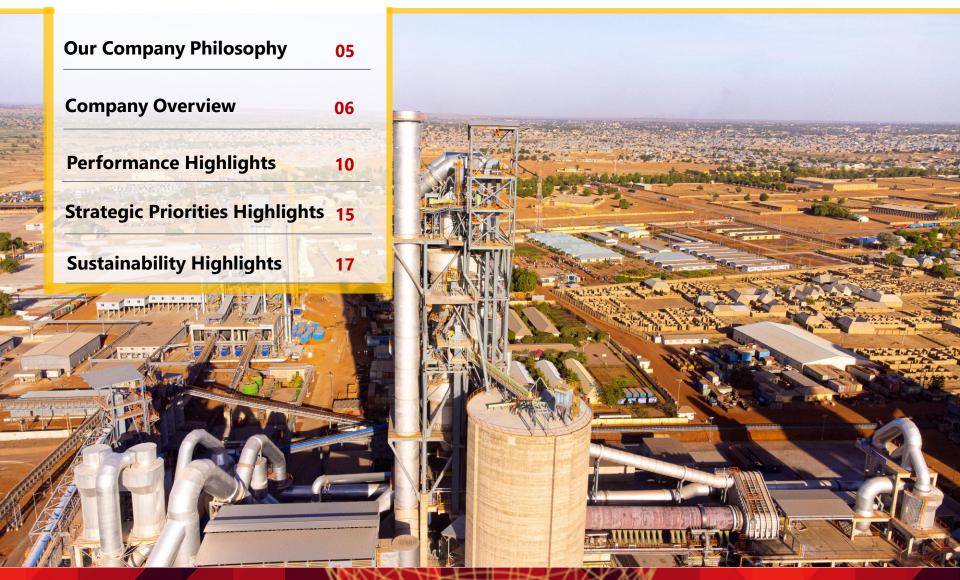
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## **Content**







Our Vision

To be a highly competitive market leader in Nigeria

Our Mission

To produce and market high quality cement for national development

Our Value Proposition

We are a professional supplier of premium brand cement and provide reliable delivery to our customers with application training for end users

# **Company Overview**





Largest Cement producer in the North-West, South-South and South-East



₩3.1 trillion
Market capitalisation as at
Dec. 2024



6 Modern lines Operational across 2 States



(AA)



N876.5 billion (2023: N460 billion) Revenue



(A+)



Sustainably led by United Nations SDGs & the IFC Performance Standards



## Flawless Execution, Disciplined Approach



Incorporation of CCNN; commenced operation in 1967 with an installed capacity of 0.1mmt Commissioned its 0.5mmt (Line-2), with Line -1 decommissioned the following year Listed on the Nigeria Stock Exchange (NSE), resulting from a partial privatization by the government Obu Cement commenced operations with the commissioning of its green field 3mmt line at Okpella, Edo State The 1.5mmt line-3 plant at Kalambaina, Sokoto State commissioned

Business combination between CCNN Plc and Kalambaina Cement Company resulted to an installed capacity of 2mmt Commissioned the line-2 3mmt at Okpella, Edo State

Completed the merger between CCNN Plc and Obu Cement Company Plc; resulting in the emergence of BUA Cement Plc Signed \$500 million syndicated loan with the IFC.

Commissioned the 70MW gas power plant and the 3mmtpa plant, line 5 at Sokoto

Commissioned the 3mmtpa, line 3 at Obu, with a 70MW gas power plant Groundbreaking ceremony for the greenfield Ososo line-1 in Edo State



2015 - 2019

2000 - 2010

FGN divested its majority holding to Scancem International ANS of Norway Scancem divested its majority holding to Damnaz Cement Company Limited

BUA International Limited acquired Damnaz Cement Company to become majority shareholder and technical partner in CCNN BUA Cement listed on the Nigeria Stock Exchange and became the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest company by market capitalization

2020 - 2022

Included in the MSCI frontier index

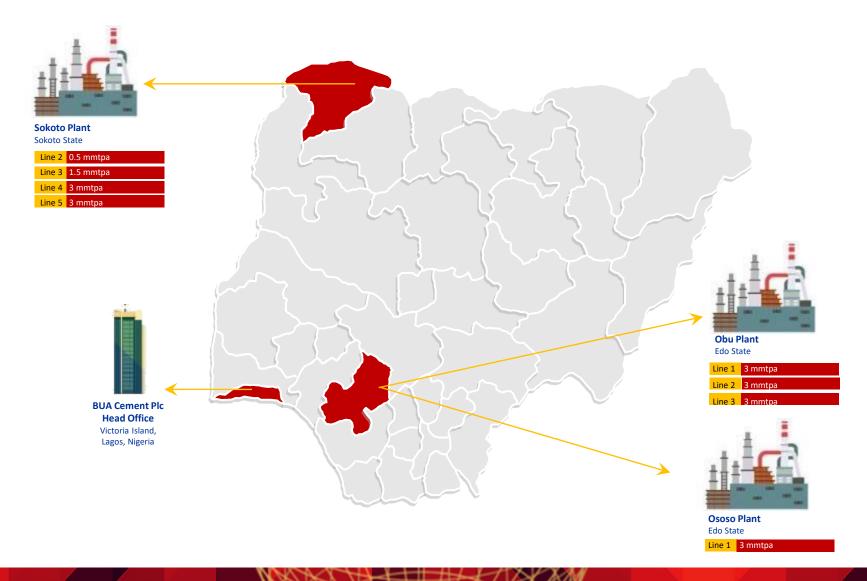
Issued N115billion corporate bond, largest issuance in the history of the debt capital market Commenced LNG use at Sokoto, the largest on-shore LNG regasification facility in Nigeria

Installed a 50MW gas powered plant at Sokoto

Commissioned the 3mmtpa, line 4 at Sokoto

# **Strategic Positioning, Increasing Market Presence**

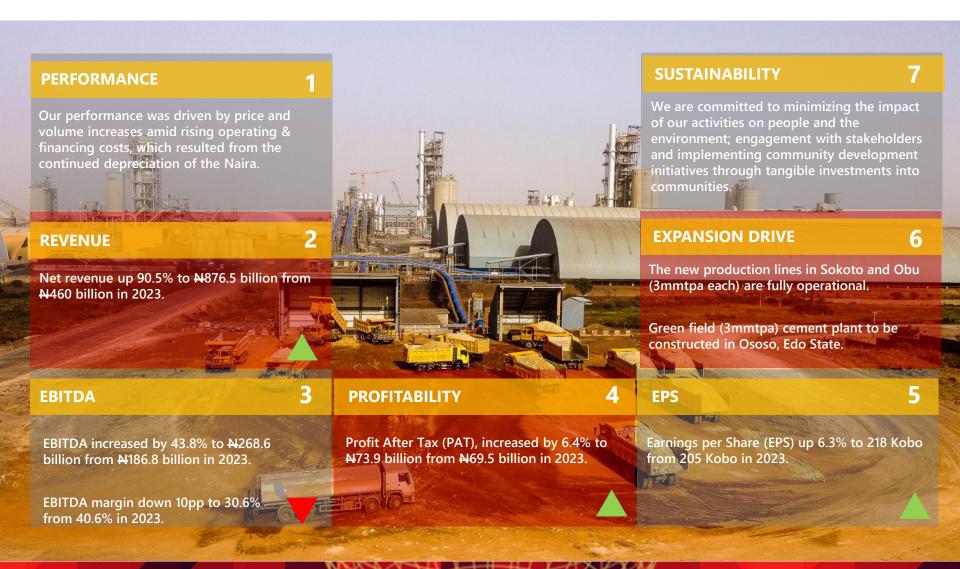






# Performance Highlights – Recovery Amid the Volatile Currency Environment





# **Challenging Operating Environment, Controlled Pass-Through Cost and Margin Contraction**





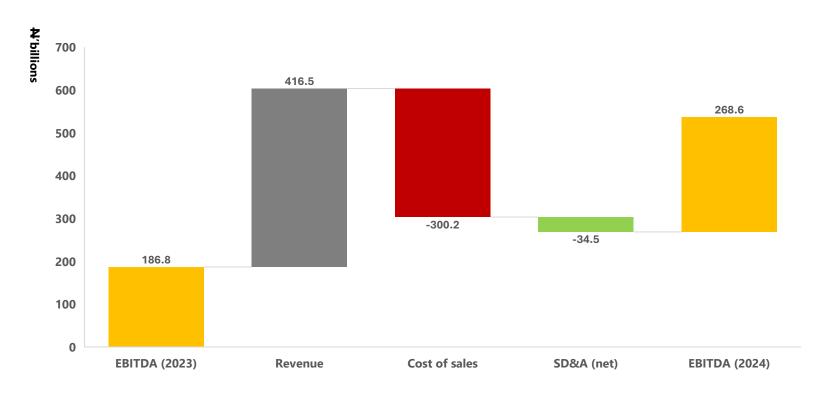
• Revenue per ton increased by 56.8% to \(\pmu\)107,092 from \(\pmu\)68,293 in 2023.

#### **Comments**

- EBITDA increased by 43.8% to \$\frac{1}{2}\$268.6 billion (2023: \$\frac{1}{2}\$186.8 billion), due to the increase in reported net revenue. However, this was partly offset by increases in cost of sales, distribution cost and administrative cost; driven by volume growth and the high inflationary environment, led by dollar denominated inputs being affected by the high exchange rate.
- As a result, EBITDA margin contracted by 10pp to 30.6% (2023: 40.6%).

#### **Increase in Net Sales Results in EBITDA Growth**





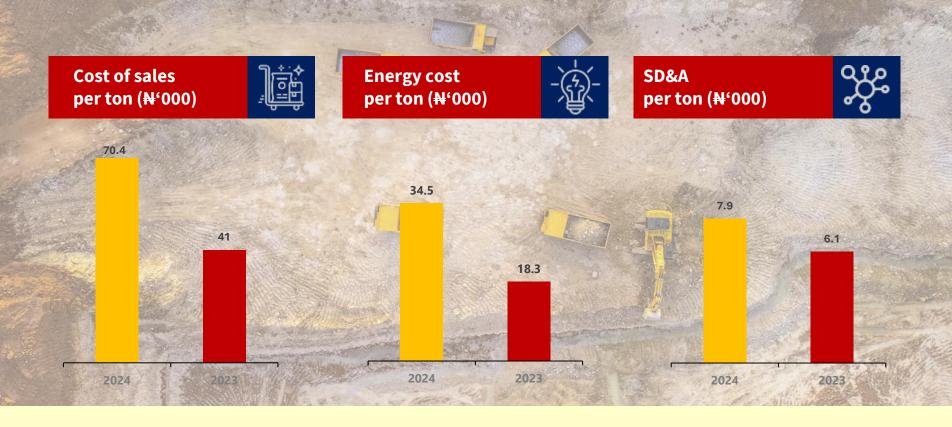
- EBITDA increased by 43.8% to \$\frac{1}{2}\$268.6 billion from \$\frac{1}{2}\$186.8 billion. The drivers for the increase are as follows:
- ➤ Revenue increased by 90.5% or ₩416.5 billion to ₩876.5 billion from ₩460 billion in 2023.

#### **Comments**

- Cost of sales rose by 2.1x or \(\frac{\text{\ti}\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{
- ➤ Selling, Distribution and Administrative cost (net) increased by 2.2x or ₩34.5 billion to ₩31.6 billion from ₩2.8 billion (2023), which was attributed to the increase in distribution cost, driven by an increase in fleet size and fueling costs; depreciation charges; staff cost, other expenses, donations etc.

### **Continued Depreciation of the Naira and Rising Cost Profile**





#### **Comments**

- Cost of sales per ton rose by 71.8% to \(\pmathbb{H}70,405\) from \(\pmathbb{H}40,983\) in 2023. This arose from an increase in operational size, including operational & maintenance charges and energy cost, which were hugely impacted by the devaluation of the Naira; other repair & maintenance expenses; staff cost; depreciation charges etc.
- Energy cost per ton increased by 88.6% to \$\pmu 34,515\$/ton from \$\pmu 18,301\$ during the corresponding period ended 2023. This resulted from price review, the depreciation of the Naira and the increase in operational activity.
- Selling, distribution & administration costs per ton increased by 29.2% to \$47,932 from \$46,141 in 2023. Factors attributed to the increase were: distribution costs, led by an increased fleet size and higher fueling cost, depreciation charges, staff cost, other expenses, security expenses etc.



# **Reinforcing Purpose – Strategic Priorities for 2025**







## **Sustainability – Environmental & Social**



Our social impact was significantly enhanced with the launch of additional initiatives valued at \( \frac{\text{N}}{1.7} \) billion, complementing our existing CSR efforts in local communities. These initiatives focused on education, health, WASH¹, infrastructure, and other areas. Additionally, our E&S activities received strong support through the implementation of the ESMS, allowing us to track and ensure continual improvement over the preceding year





669 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/ton cem. prod. (2023: 650 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/ton cem. prod.)

**803 kcal/kg Cli** (2023: 766 kcal/ kg Cli)

We achieved a 24% increase in production while maintaining a low net emission impact of 3% with consumption of energy by 5%

In terms of resource efficiency, we improved on water recycling by 5% with 66% impact reduction on freshwater aquifer



**W**ater Management

116 litres/ton cem. prod.

(2023: 126 litres/ ton cem. prod.)

<sup>1</sup>WASH – Water, Sanitation and Hygiene



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# Thank You

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