

KEERTANA FINSERV PRIVATE LIMITED





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ABOUT US

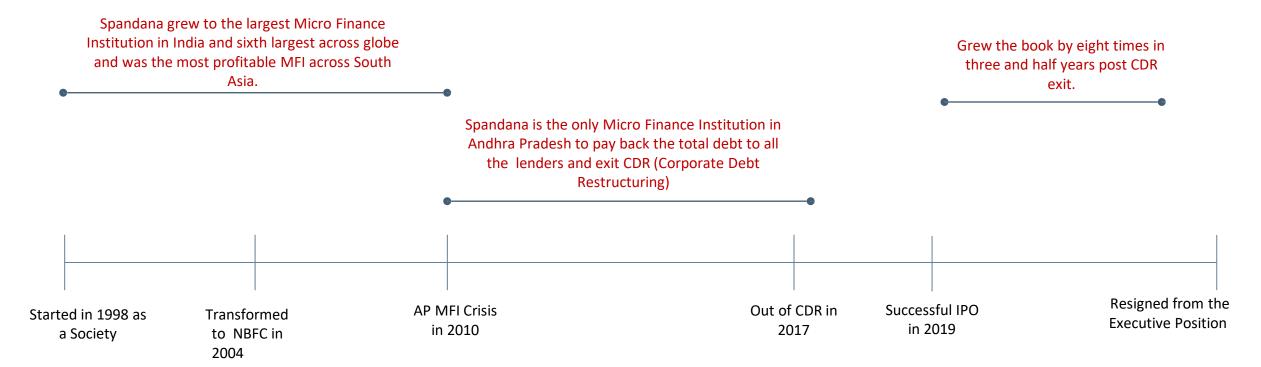
GENESIS & VISION

Vision is to be the most preferred financial services provider to the un/underserved segments with products and services ranging over a wide spectrum of their requirements, leveraging cutting edge technology & agility in product/service delivery

Equity Infusion by promoters Rs.109.2Cr in Apr 22 Gold Loan portfolio transferred from Spandana Mutual Benefit Trust (SMBT) Rs 10.9 cr in Sep,22 • Unsecured Business Loans transferred from SRUDO (a not-for-profit Rs. 30 Cr in Nov 22 Obtained necessary approvals from RBI Rs. 38 Cr in Jun 23 outfit) to acquire a dormant NBFC in Mar 22 • Track record of building over 100 cr portfolio in SMBT within 100 days Rs.40 Cr in Oct 23 RS. 70 Cr in Feb'24 of starting Gold loan operations NBFC acquired from Raishree Business in SMBT & SRUDO was built by the Tracom Pvt Ltd Apr 22 founding team, backed by their decades of rich experience. · Operating Team brings rich experience in the respective domains aiding quick scale-up

FOUNDER'S TRACK RECORD

Demonstrated competence in building Spandana Sphoorty Financial Limited and scaling it to the Industry Best!



- Ms.Padmaja Reddy is an Industry veteran and enjoys highest credibility with the lenders. During her stint as MD, she raised over Rs.25,000 Crore from various Public Sector and Private Sector banks
- She won over 22+ Awards and Accolades from various organization & media houses of International Repute
- Under her leadership, the company received over 15+ prestigious recognitions for its impactful work in the Microfinance & Impact sector

- Apart from Microfinance, the Founding team along with Ms. Padmaja have built diverse portfolio of financial products under different group companies.
 - Consumer Lending portfolio under Abhiram-Over Rs 500 cr
 - Secured Lending/LAP under Criss Financial Services (Subsidiary of SSFL)-Over Rs 200 cr
- Founding team of SSFL has moved on to Keertana, and possess a cumulative experience of over 100 years



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SECTORAL FOCUS
GOLD LOANS



PORTFOLIO TRANSFER (SMBT & SRUDO)

In order to accelerate the growth and augment the capital well, Board has decided to acquire Gold Loan Portfolio from SMBT(Spandana Mutual Benefit Trust) and 'M'SME Business from SRUDO (Spandana Urban and Rural Development Organization) up on representation from the Trustees and Governing Boards of the respective organizations.

Business Transfer Agreement is executed for Slump Sale of entire business which included transfer of portfolio, employees, branches, assets and liabilities in to. The Transfer was made basis a fair valuation/ consideration ascertained by an independent auditor and carried out post conducting the Due Diligence of respective Businesses.

Towards enabling business continuity, growth and compliance with metrics attributable to NBFC, Keertana has infused Rs 230 cr capital from the promoters.

Parameters	SMBT	SRUDO
Branches	96	4
Portfolio (Rs in Crs.)	191	14
Staff	328	19
Gold in possession (In Kgs)	588	NA
Property value in possession (LAP Loans)	NA	48,25,000
No of loans	27,314	4,748
Fixed Assets	NA**	2,46,421
Consideration Paid	1,98,98,73,288	14,47,78,488

Operational Highlights						
Indicator	Apr-22	Mar-24				
States (#)	3	6				
Districts (#)	33	42				
Branches (#)	136	345				
Operating Branches	83	286				
Active Borrowers (#)	21,742	2,22,310				
Active Loans (#)	36,151	3,25,817				
Employees (#)	438	1,812				
Loan Officer(LO) (#)	245	1,295				
AUM (Rs. Cr)	245.44	1,567.07				
No of Loans dibursed - Current Month	37,527	82,422				
Loan Disbursed - Current Month	92.33	536.00				
No of Loans Disbursed - Cumulative	74,621	8,14,702				
Value of Loan Disb - Cumulative	500.90	4,825.83				
Borrowers per LO (#)	88.74	171.67				
Borrowers per branch (#)	261.95	777.31				
AUM per branch (Rs. Cr)	1.80	5.48				
AUM per LO (Rs. Cr)	1.00	1.21				

0.56

0.86

Key Financial Metrics				
Netwoth (INR Crs)	396			
CRAR	24.8%			
Debt to Equity Ratio	3.25			

AUM per Employee (Rs. Cr)

^{**}Branches fixed assets are purchased at book value, which is outside the BTA

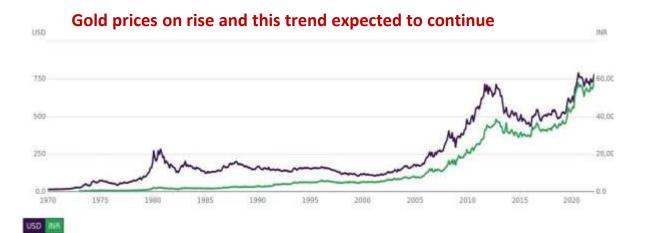
GOLD LOAN INDUSTRY- OVERVIEW

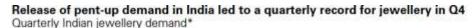
Gold remains a strong Asset Class for Indians

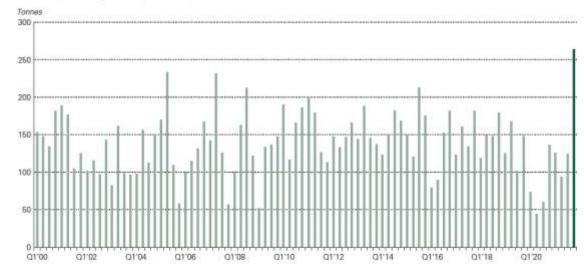
- India accounted for ~23% of world's gold demand between 2009-18 and is the largest holder in the world with over 25,000 tones.
- Rural communities account for ~65% of the total gold demand in the country.
- Indians considered Gold synonymous to financial security, social status and cultural legacy.
- Gold has traditionally been a liquid asset and universally accepted commodity that has seen its value appreciate over the decades.

Gold Loans as a source of credit gaining popularity

- The gold loan market in India was valued at ~INR 2.92lakh cr in 2019 and is expected to reach ~INR 6.2 Lakh cr by 2025, a CAGR of ~12.75% during the 2020-2025 period.
- The total gold loans outstanding in the organized sector in 2019 are estimated at 5.5
 per cent of the total household gold holdings in India, indicating low market
 penetration.
- Market is dominated by informal money lenders with over ~65% market share while the organized market is mere ~35%
- With NBFCs/Banks/Fintech increasing their geographic scope and market penetration, a shift to organized players is noted.
- Various new-age fintech companies and traditional players have started to offer innovative products such as online gold loans catering to the young and urbane population-discovering a newer customer segment.
- Easy access to unsecured credit by NBFC/Fintechs and MFIs have potential to offset the need for pledging gold, but with disruptive practices, quicker processing and competitive pricing, the growth story for gold loans is expected to be intact







*Data to 31 December 2021. Quarterly demand data begins Q1 2000

Source: Metals Focus, Refinitiv GFMS, World Gold Council

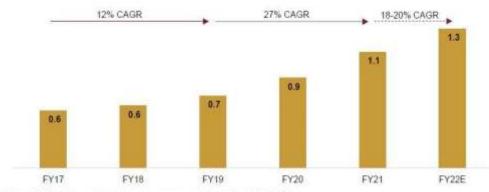


GOLD LOAN INDUSTRY- KEY TRENDS

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Growth to be driven by unlocking new geographies, digital enablement thus discovering newer customer segments

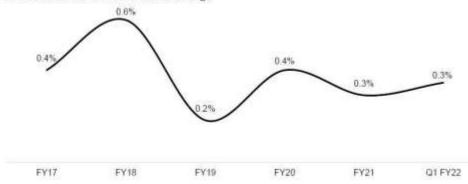
Chart 1: Assets of gold loan NBFCs rising steadily (Rs lakh crore)



Source: CRISIL Ratings estimates based on a representative set of gold loan NBFCs.

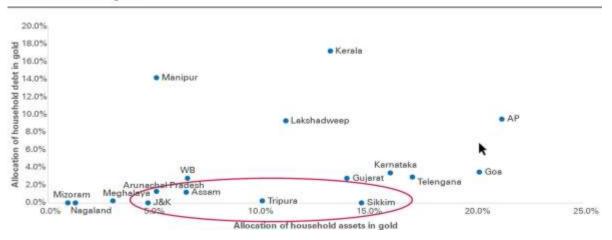
75% LTV (Loan to Value) and short term tenor (~58%* loans in 1-3 months avg tenor), emotional value attached to the ornaments, aiding better credit quality

Chart 2: Credit cost well within historical range



Key Future Trends in Gold Loans

- Shift from Physical Gold branches to Phygital & Digital
 - Phygital entails use of tech & process improvements in disbursement & collections
 - Digital entails a paradigm shift- Digital sourcing, Valuation @ the doorstep, Instant KYC and Application process, Gold Storage@ central vaults, security using RFID tags, return in 2hrs post closure.
- Unlocking the potential of less penetrated markets
 The following graphic illustrates the allocation of household assets in gold against the allocation of household debt in gold.



 Shift of Gold NBFCs in to other competitive products (MSME, Microfinance etc....) leveraging the branch, people and tech infrastructure

Source: CRISIL Ratings estimates based on a representative set of gold loan NBFCs

^{*} For top two gold companies for past three years, source: KPMG Report

GOLD LOAN INDUSTRY- KEY TRENDS

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Gold delivers best ROA with lowest risk amongst other asset

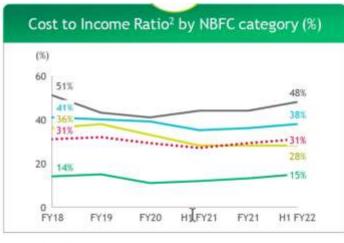
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UoM	H1 FY22	H1 FY21	H1 FYZZ	H1 FY21	H1 FY22	H1 FY21	H1 FYZZ	H1 FY21	H1 FY22	H1 FY21
(20)	2.6	2.6	7.7	8.0	11,7	12.8	0.3	10.9	5.2	5.2
(5)	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.2	0.2	0.5	1,3	1.5	0.9	0.9
(%)	0.5	0.4	3.4	3,2	3.3	I3.7	5	5.4	1.9	1.7
(9)	2.9	2.9	5.6	6.0	8.6	9.6	5.5	6.9	4.2	4.4
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(%)	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
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Collection Efficiency for Gold quickly bounced back in comparison to other asset classes



NIM and Cost to Income best amongst other Asset Classes





Gold as an Asset Class in India outperforms other asset classes & has bright growth prospects with downside risks being minimal





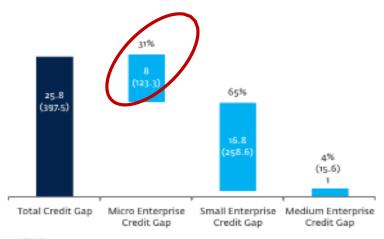


SECTORAL FOCUS MICRO ENTERPRISES



'M'SME INDUSTRY-OVERVIEW

Credit Gap by Size of Enterprise- 2017 (INR trillion)*



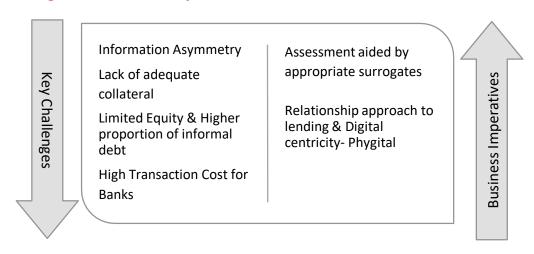
"Figure in brackets is in USD billion Source: WNG-intellincup Analysis, Primary Research

Note: Classification based on earlier definition of MSMEs

Eco-system Enablers

- Huge market potential
- Enabling eco-system changes, a big positive
 - Increased digital footprint aided by
 - Internet penetration ~45% in 2021, as against mere 4% in 2007
 - Mobile connections- ~79% of the population
 - UPI, Aadhaar stack
 - GSTN
 - Revised MSME definition & increased insistence on Udyam Registration- An attempt towards formalization
 - Legitimacy to highly informal street vendors- PMSVanidhi
 - Appreciable changes in CGTMSE schemes
- Increased Investor support- Evidenced from PE funds in to Fintechs/NBFCs

Challenges & Business Imperatives



Key Players & differentiating

factors Banks

- Offer largely secured and high-ticket-size loans to medium enterprises
- Differentiation: Fund availability, competitive interest rates and long-standing relationships

NBFCs

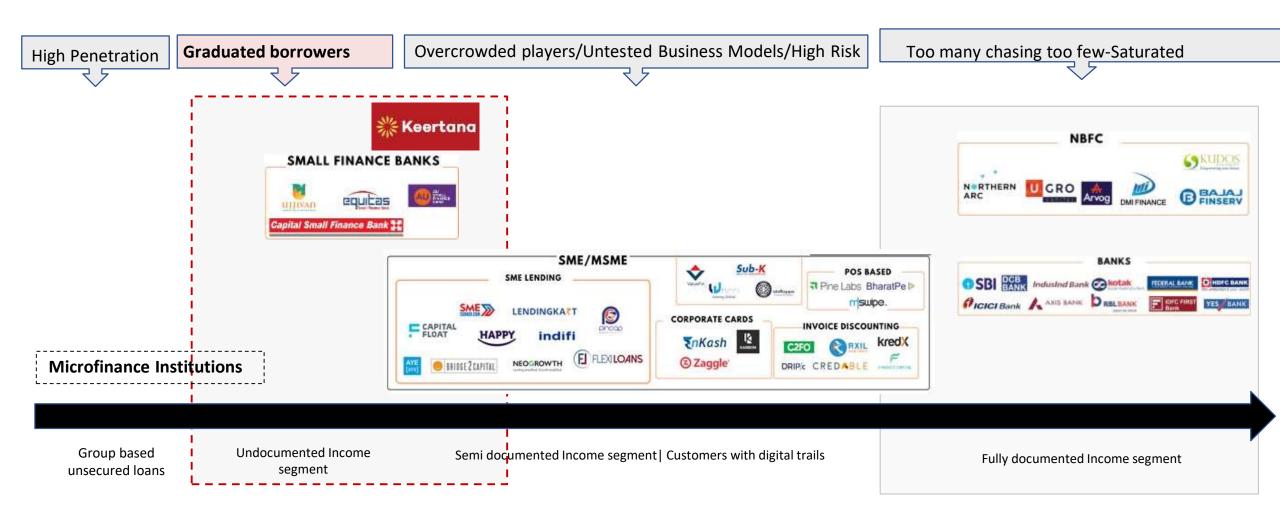
- Focus more on smaller enterprises than banks; New Age NBFCs targeting emerging micro and small enterprises
- Differentiation: Faster turnaround time and less documentation compared with banks

Fintech

- Focus on unsecured short-term capital to MSMEs with smaller ticket sizes
- Greater risk appetite and non-traditional credit risk assessment methods allow lending to underserved segments
- Differentiation: Extremely fast turnaround times and lesser documentation compared to NBFCs; provide higher flexibility in terms of loan tenure and repayment methods

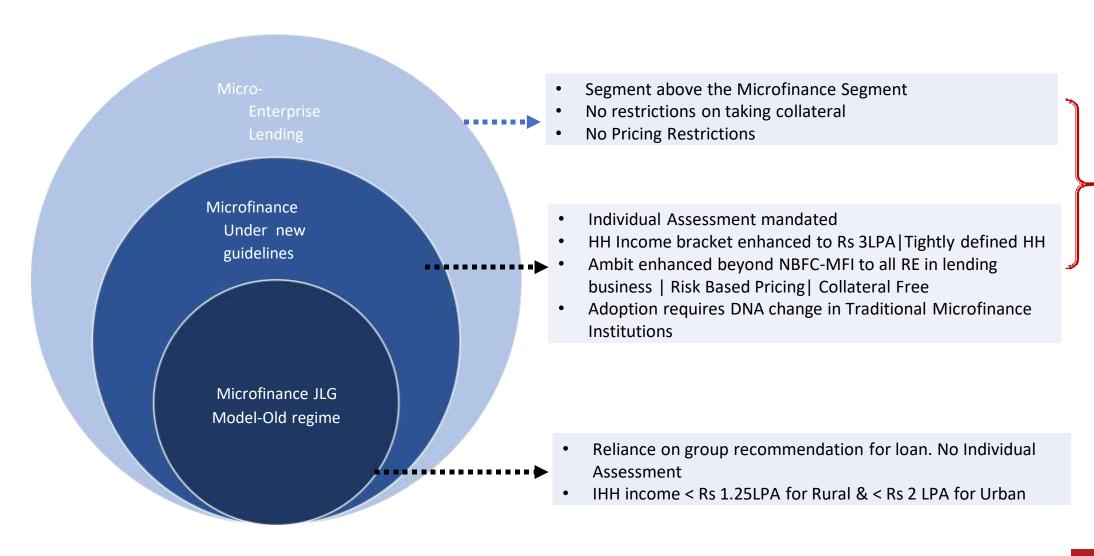


'M'SME INDUSTRY - MARKET PLAYERS





CHANGING PARADIGM OF MICRO-ENTERPRISE LENDING



Keertana is a blend of revised Microfinance Asset Class and beyond

^{*}Color Thickness indicates the level of market saturation

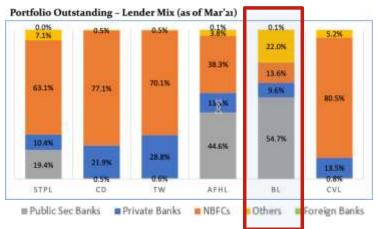
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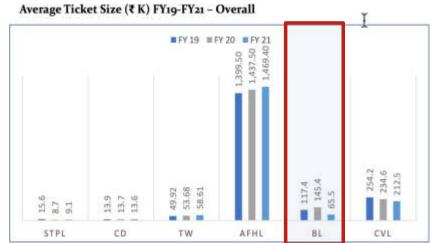
MASS MARKET BUSINESS LOANS (<5 L)- PERFORMANCE SNAPSHOT

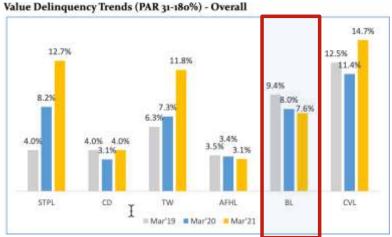
Mar-21

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Portfolio Outstanding (₹ K Cr) γ	93.1
Y-o-Y Growth %	15.3%
2-Year Growth %	32.5%
Active Loans (Lakh)	108.80
Y-o-Y Growth %	34.2%
2-Year Growth %	13.1%
Volume Delinquency 31-180%	6.9%
Value Delinquency 31-180%	7.6%
Originations Value FY21 (₹ Crore)	32,856
Originations Volume FY21 (Lakh)	50.2
Average Ticket Size in FY21 (₹ K)	65.5
Y-o-Y Growth %	-55%
2-Year Growth %	-44.2%

- Size of total lending market in India as of Mar'21 is at ₹ 156.9 Lakh crores. Retail and Commercial lending each contribute 49% to total lending in India while Microfinance contributes 2%.
- Business loans (Loans to Professionals, Business Loan General, Business Loan Unsecured, Business Loan Priority Sector Small Business, Mudra Loan) comprises of 5.49 Lakh cr O/s as on Mar-21 against the total Retail loans book of Rs 77.5 L cr.
- Within the Business Loan category, < 5Lakh ticket size portfolio which Keertana targets (Avg ticket size) comprise of Rs 93K cr. Table adjacent reflects the performance of this segment.
- This segment constitutes ~91% of the Business Loan segment in volume, but ~25% in value.







- Public sector Banks lead the space followed by others (Coop Banks/RRBs). Could be largely accounted for Mudra loans
- NBFCs outsizes Pvt sector Banks
- Rural constitute 55% of loan accounts, but mere 40% in value, signifying tremendous growth potential
- Average Ticket size for FY21 appears lower due to impact of Covid-19 and disbursals of low value emergency credit lines (~83% originations < Rs 1Lakh ticket size)
- Delinquency though lower than other asset classes like STPL,VCL and TW), its still signifies heightened risk
- As on Mar-21, PAR (31-180) for Pvt Sector stands at 13.9%, NBFCs at 8.6% and PSBs at 6%

While Micro-Enterprise lending is fraught with risks, the players that stick to fundamental credit principles (Capacity, Capital, Collateral, Conditions and Character) are bound to succeed. Keertana embeds such principles in its business model



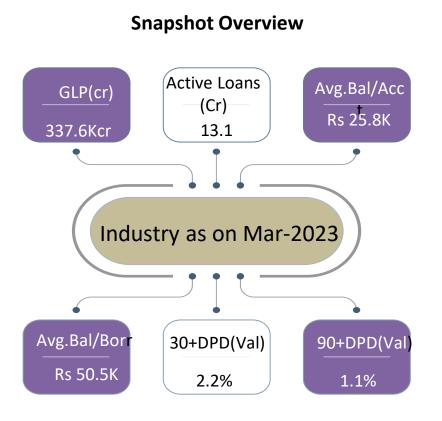


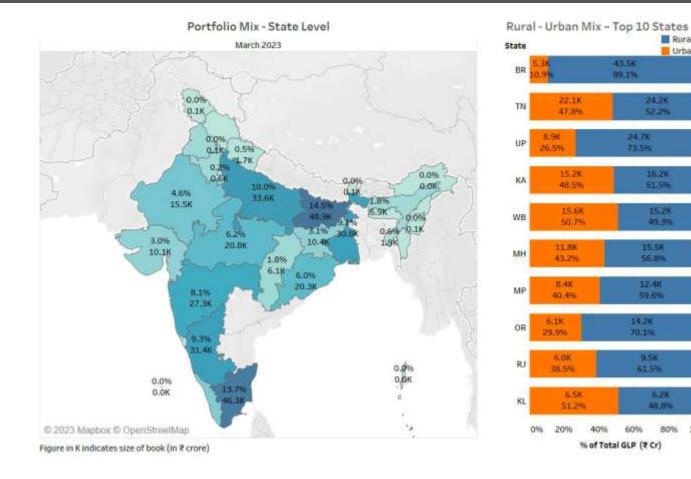
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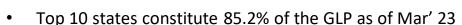
SECTORAL FOCUS
GROUP LOANS



MICROFINANCE INDUSTRY- OVERVIEW







- Bihar is the Top state in terms of GLP, and it surpassed Tamil Nadu which was No.1 in FY22
- Microfinance sector dominated by Eastern region (32.7%) followed by Southern (27.0%) as of Mar'23
- AP and Telangana is still a white spot and with recent High Court Judgement, slowly there is traction for business resumption



89.1%

52.2%

35.2K 51.5%

49.3%

15.5K

56.8% 12.4K

59.6%

70:19k

61.5%

24:7X

73.5%

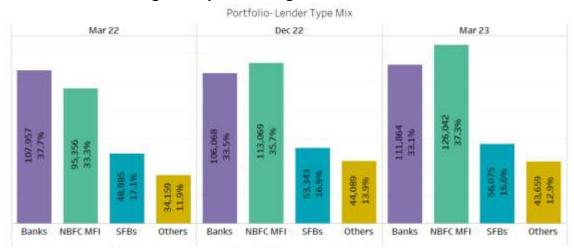
50.7%

43,2%

8.4K

KEY PORTFOLIO TRENDS

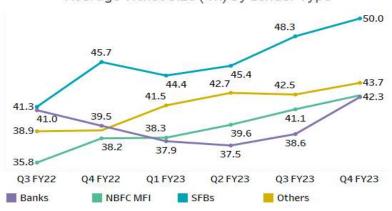
NBFCs gradually dominating the market share with 37.3%



The first figure indicates the book size in ₹crore, second figure (%) indicates the market share by lender type.

Lender Type	Banks	NBFC MFI	SFBs	Others	Total
Q-o-Q GLP Growth	5.5%	11.5%	5.1%	-1.0%	6.7%
Y-o-Y GLP Growth	3.6%	32.2%	14.5%	27.8%	17.9%

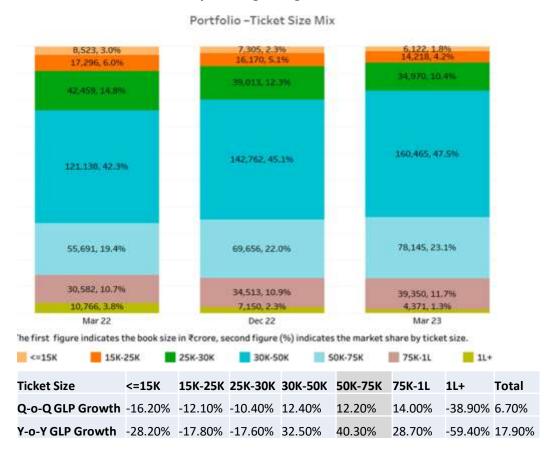
Average Ticket Size (₹K) by Lender Type



SFBs average ticket size above the rest

- Average ticket size for Banks grew by 9.4% SFBs by 3.6% and NBFC MFIs by 2.9% from Q3 FY23 to Q4 FY23
- Average ticket size is highest for SFBs at 50K among all Lender Type in Q4 FY23

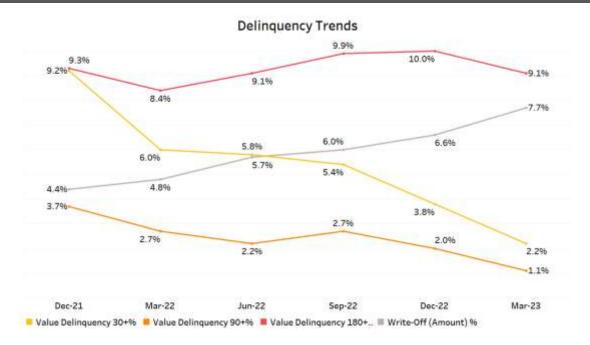
Industry moving to higher ticket loans



- Portfolio of ticket size 50K, 75K witnessed Y o Y growth of 40.3% and Q o Q growth of 12.2% as of Mar'23
- Share of portfolio of higher ticket sized loans 50 K increased from 33.9% in Mar' 23 to 36.1% in Mar' 23
- As of Mar'23 loans of ticket size 30K, 50K have the maximum share by value and volume at 47.5% and 45.4% respectively



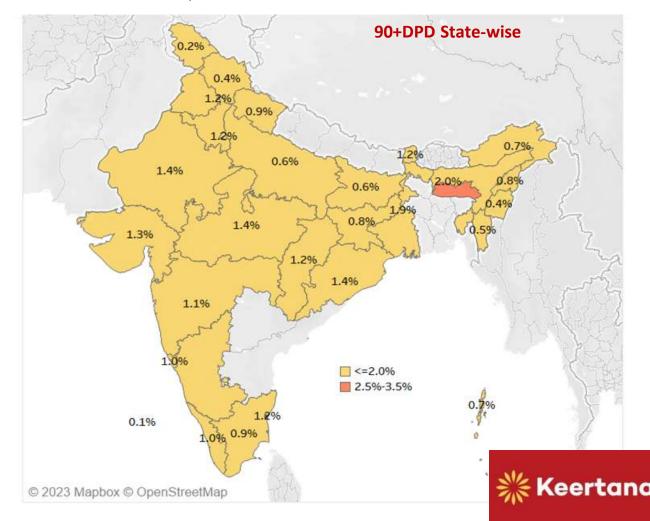
PORTFOLIO QUALITY TRENDS



	5 Best Performing Lenders	5 Worst Performing Lenders	Industry
Cumulative GLP (₹Cr)	53,046	60,704	3,37,640
Value Delinquency 30+%	0.30%	4.70%	2.20%
Value Delinquency 90+%	0.20%	2.00%	1.10%
Value Delinquency 180+%	5.40%	9.60%	9.10%

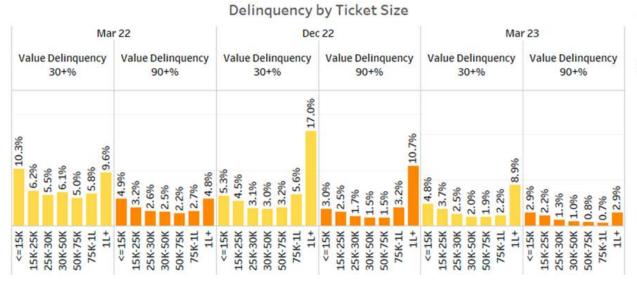
- Maharashtra, West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh and Orissa have highest PAR 180 DPD
- Write-offs increased from 6.6% as of Dec' 22 to 7.7% as of Mar' 23

- Top 10 states have a combined PAR 90 DPD of 1.0% as of Mar' 23 improved from 1.9% as of Dec' 22 PAR 90 DPD as of Mar' 23 witnessed Y o Y decline for all top 10 states
- Among top 10 states, West Bengal witnessed highest decline in PAR 90 DPD from 4.8% in Dec' 22 to 1.9% in Mar' 23
- Among top 10 states, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Karnataka have lower PAR 90 DPD than overall industry 1.0% as of Mar' 23

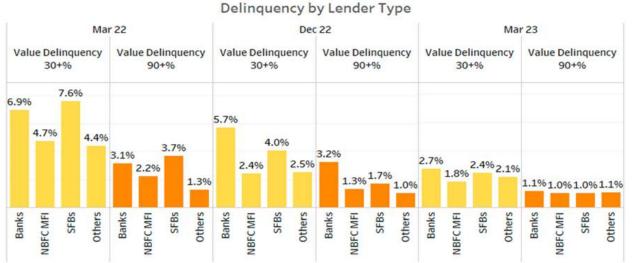


Note: The analysis is limited to top 30 MFI institutions with a market share of 87.9% as of Mar'23. Performance is based on PAR 30+ DPD performance as of Mar'23 (SOURCE: CRIF MICROLEND MAR'23

PORTFOLIO QUALITY TRENDS



- PAR 30 DPD improved for all ticket sizes in Mar'23 compared to Dec' 22 and Mar' 22
- PAR 90 DPD improved for all ticket sizes in Mar' 23 compared to Dec' 22 and Mar' 22
- <=Rs 15K and >Rs 1 Lakh have shown incidences of higher delinquency
- PAR 30, 90 DPD improved for all lender types in Mar' 23 compared to Dec' 22 and Mar' 22





Among top 10 states, Bihar, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and Karnataka have lower PAR 30 DPD than overall industry 2.2% as of Mar' 23

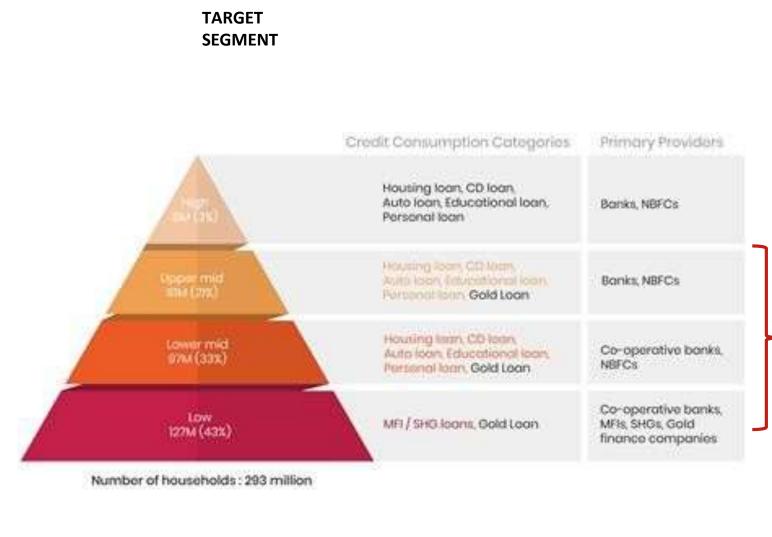




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PRODUCT &
BUSINESS MODEL
GOLD LOANS

GOLD LOAN PRODUCT



Household income per annum prices by income segment – low <USD4000 (<INR2.5 Lakh), Lower middle – USD4000 to USD8500 (INR2.5 lakh to INR5.5 lakh), upper-middle USE8500 to USD40000 (INR5.5 lakh to INR27.5 lakh), high> USD40000 (INR27.5 lakh)

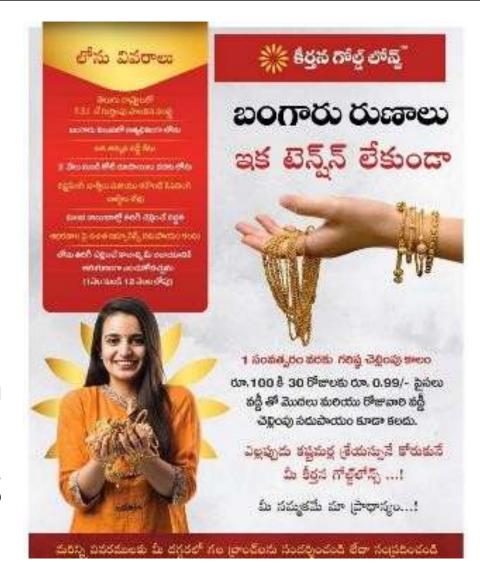


GOLD LOAN PRODUCT

PRODUCTS SNAPSHOT

Min Ticket Size	Rs.1,000	
Max Ticket Size	Rs.1,00,00,000	
Loan Tenor (Months)	3 to 12	
Interest rate	11.5% to 23% per annum	
Processing Fees	Nil	
LTV	68% to 75%	
Pre-closure/ Part	Nil	
Payment Charges	INII	
Incurance	Free insurance for pledged	
Insurance	gold ornaments	

- Wide choices to customer, interest rate linked to loan ticket size, LTV, Tenor and Frequency.
- Experienced team with over 8 years average domain experience
- Focus on Tier 2 and Tier 3 Towns, Mandal Headquarters and large revenue villages, which are not crowded by multiple players. In most locations, Keertana happens to be the only or second lender
- Localized approach to marketing campaigns- Local TV Ads, Promotional campaigns





BUSINESS MODEL- JOURNEY

- Potential and Risk Assessment
- Screening & centralized approvals
- Standardized Infra set up

- Auto / Van Canvassing
- · House visits, Umbrella Activity

Recommend products suiting customer requirements

- Informal discussion with borrower on legitimacy
- Follow checklist of early warning signals to avoid spurious,/stolen gold
- Household income assessment to ascertain holding capability & repayment capacity

Area Selection & Survey

Branch Setup & Infra setup

Customer Identification

Customer walk-

Loan Officer to explain about different products

Gold Appraisal by Ops Manager

- Gold Appraisal through Nitric Acid test, Salt-water test, sound and smell tests.
- Every Ornament shall be checked for Hall Mark (91.6) certification.

Graded, level-based Sanction Matrix depending on the quantum

- Vaulting happens only once in a day
- Till then the ornaments in sealed cover are placed in a safe operated under proper custody

Evaluation of the Gold by Senior Rel.

Client
Enrolment &
KYC process

Loan Sanction

Loan Disbursemen Vaulting the

Disbn. Journey Complete

Documents verified for legitimacy

- Document Execution
- Disbursement in to Bank A/c of the borrower
- Ornaments placed in sealed cover.
 Weighed before the customer,
 signed by him and the staff

Standard Op. Procedures are laid down to avoid potential scope for misappropriation



LOAN RECOVERY JOURNEY & AUCTION

UPI, NEFT, RTGS options apart from repayment @ the branch

Once the loan is closed, the release done in 15 min.

Pledge

Release

Prior to due date Follow- up

Trigger based Follow-up

Digital Collections

Re-pledge

ent, cain Auction

- RO Calls up the client two weeks before due date
- LTV breach due to volatility in price movements

Incase of positive price movement, borrower can repledge and obtain higher loan keeping the LTV constant

- Notice given after the completion of the Loan Tenor.
- Auction Notice will be published in the newspaper.
- Auction notice is also shared with the Borrower through courier.

Check and Controls

- Thorough due-diligence on the field staff prior to recruitment
- Well laid out process controls pertaining to access to vault and safe.
- Strong IT and MIS systems to provide reports for prompt follow-up with the clients

Security Standards

- Branches are fully compliant with the security standards specified for Gold Loan Branches by various regulators;
- Each Branch has a strong room and has a vault (BB Class Godrej Locker) to store the Gold; Locker Room is under 24 hours surveillance of CC Camera;
- Vault has security alarm system and further protected by Strong Door and Iron mesh;
- Each Branch has a Currency counter and detector and a certified Weighing scale.
- Each Branch has two Security Guards working in two shifts.
- Centralized monitoring of CC TV Footage of all Branches.

Supervision & Monitoring

- One Auditor for every Cluster (every 8 branches is one Cluster)
- Well established HR structure
 - Each Branch to have 1 Ops Manager and Ops Executive and 1 SM and 3 to 4 Loan Officers
 - Ops Manager to do Assaying
 - Ops Managers and Sales Managers to report to Cluster Manager
 - 3-4 CMS to report to AVP





03

PRODUCTS &
BUSINESS MODEL GROUP LOANS

GROUP LOANS - BUSINESS MODEL

Market identification and distribution

Loan lifecycle

Clearly defined strategy and robust process to enter new geographies



Identification of states and districts within states

- Continuous evaluation of new geographies to ensure strong growth momentum and further diversification
- 100% rural focus; Branches are opened only in Mandal Headquarters
- Robust process of identifying new geographies through Mandal level market survey and data analysis of external databases to check competition, experience of peers etc.
- Field visit of potential areas and meet competition to understand area specific issues

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Criteria of opening branches

- First order analysis focuses on population and number of households in the mandal
- Look to ensure that the Keertana branch is within a 30km radius of the potential borrower pool
- Infrastructure requirements, law and order situation and experience of other lending institutes are also taken into account
- Target to on-board 2,500 borrowers within a year and 3,000-3,500 borrowers within 2 years
- Borrower diversity ensured even at branch level in religion, community and occupation
- Not more than 2 MFIS operating from the location

Village-level survey

Branch Manager conducts detailed survey on sample villages to assess the following:

- Population, population density and number of households
- Accessibility of the village throughout the year
- Major occupations in the village / Migration trends
- · Experience of other lending institutions in the area with respect to asset quality
- After branch approval, Village level meetings are held where prospective borrowers are informed about the policies, products and processes
- Pre-decided script delivered by branch manager with Keertana's value proposition





GROUP LOANS- BUSINESS MODEL

Market identification and distribution

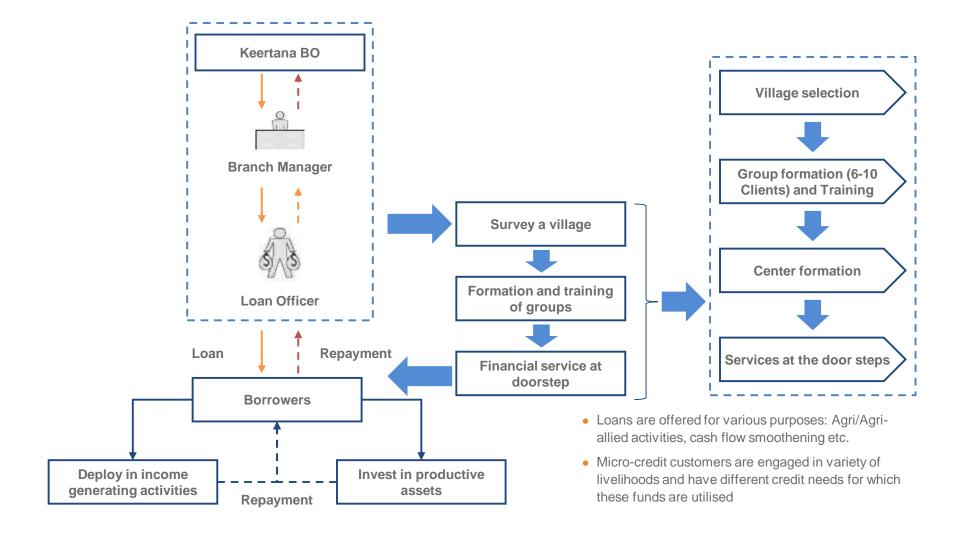
Loan lifecycle



- A group of 6 to 10 members is formed. KYC documents and own house proof are collected. Credit Bureau Check done and the Loan is sanctioned / rejected instantly.
- Clients are trained on the product features, Loan Disbursement process, Group Guarantee, Centre Meetings and collections.
- 3 Household Cashflow Assessment and Loan Sanction
- Clients along with Spouses come to Branch to execute Loan documents
- BM once again explain the Terms and Conditions
 - Loan amount is disbursed directly into the Borrowers bank account
- Centre meetings and Collections
- 6 Process Audit and Supervision of the Branches | Regular Portfolio Monitoring



MICROFINANCE- BUSINESS MODEL









PORTFOLIO & FINANCIALS AN OVERVIEW

Portfolio cuts shown for FY21 and 22 pertains to SMBT & SRUDO prior to Business Transfer

KEY BUSINESS UPDATES- GOLD as on 31 Mar' 24

Operational Highlights

Operational Highlights - Gold Loans							
Indicator	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24		
States (#)	4	4	4	4	4		
Districts (#)	30	30	30	33	33		
Branches (#)	149	169	171	184	191		
Operating Branches	141	141	142	149	152		
Active Borrowers (#)	35,787	37,145	38,614	40,505	45,240		
Active Loans (#)	1,06,135	1,11,501	1,17,415	1,25,530	1,41,296		
Employees (#)	822	859	930	1,001	1,046		
Loan Officer (LO) (#)	586	611	668	689	712		
AUM (Rs. Cr)	487.04	531.80	566.98	618.54	755.61		
Current Month Disb Loans	41,965	39,694	46,824	49,569	67,588		
Current Month Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	245.58	209.16	223.80	258.76	445.55		
Total No of Disb Loans	4,18,472	4,58,166	5,04,990	5,54,559	6,22,147		
Total Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	2,652.44	2,861.61	3,085.41	3,344.17	3,789.72		
Borrowers per Branch (#)	253.81	263.44	271.93	271.85	297.63		
Borrowers per LO	61.07	60.79	57.81	58.79	63.54		
AUM per operating branch (Rs. Cr)	3.45	3.77	3.99	4.15	4.97		
AUM per LO (Rs. Cr)	0.83	0.87	0.85	0.90	1.06		
AUM per Employee (Rs. Cr)	0.59	0.62	0.61	0.62	0.72		

Tenure wise Outstanding

SN	Tenure	No of Loans	Outstanding Principal
1	1	3,110	20.72
2	2	23,573	93.73
3	3	72,517	403.72
4	4	8	0.00
5	6	25,679	74.82
6	7	1,129	1.97
7	8	11,119	55.13
8	9	4,035	104.02
9	10	29	0.09
10	12	97	1.41
	Total	1,41,296	755.61

Ticket wise Outstanding

SN	Ticket Size	No of Loans	Outstanding Principal
1	Upto 50000	1,02,502	141.61
2	50001-100000	15,944	115.82
3	100001-150000	9,652	116.80
4	150001-200000	6,017	103.00
5	>200000	7,181	278.39
	Total	1,41,296	755.61

Loan Utilization

Category	No of Loans	Outstanding Principal
Consumption and Expenses	95,365	521.06
Agri and Allied	36,409	183.81
Education	5,126	23.06
House Construction/Purchase/Rennov	3,203	21.44
Manufacturing	893	4.48
Trading	300	1.76
Total	1,41,296	755.61

Top 5 Branches

SN	State Name	District Name	Branch Name	No of Loans	Outstanding Principal
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	Anantapur	Guntakal_KL	2,234	16.18
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	Palnadu	Vinukonda_KL	2,320	12.36
3	ANDHRA PRADESH	Srikakulam	Palasa_KL	1,274	10.91
4	ANDHRA PRADESH	Sri Sathya Sai	Gorantla_KL	1,522	10.42
5	ANDHRA PRADESH	Kadapa	Kadapa_KL	1,360	10.00

Sector wise Outstanding

SN	Sector	No of Loans	Outstanding Principal
1	Rural	1,19,002	618.85
2	Urban	22,294	136.76
	Total	1,41,296	755.61

Amount in INR

Gold loans in Rural are borrowed for Agriculture, PSL Asset for Banks

Portfolio
Quality is
impeccable
with zero
delinquency

Weighted Avg
Int. Rate at ~23%

Rural and Semiurban shall remain in focus



KEY BUSINESS UPDATES-LAP/HL as on 31 Mar' 24

Operational Highlights

Operational Highlights								
Indicator	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24			
States (#)	5	5	5	5	5			
Districts (#)	22	22	22	22	22			
Operating Branches (#)	40	40	41	41	43			
Villages (#)	3,379	3,447	3,483	3,496	3,544			
LH Groups (#)	3,403	3,567	3,609	3,633	3,687			
No of Members (#)	13,273	13,625	13,779	13,846	13,981			
Active Borrowers (#)	12,895	13,152	13,216	13,198	13,261			
Active Loans (#)	12,904	13,167	13,232	13,216	13,284			
Employees (#)	254	271	268	290	308			
Loan Officer (LO) (#)	190	172	180	202	217			
AUM (Rs. Cr)	139.77	144.73	144.69	145.62	154.80			
Current Month Disb Loans	677	373	161	82	151			
Current Month Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	11.66	10.85	5.95	7.38	13.51			
Total No of Disb Loans	37,837	38,210	38,371	38,453	38,604			
Total Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	272.29	283.14	289.09	296.47	309.98			
Borrowers per Branch (#)	323	329	323	322	309			
Borrowers per CA	68	77	74	65	61			
AUM per branch (Rs. Cr)	3.49	3.62	3.53	3.55	3.60			
AUM per CA (Rs. Cr)	0.74	0.84	0.80	0.72	0.71			
AUM per Employee (Rs. Cr)	0.55	0.53	0.54	0.50	0.50			

Product wise portfolio

SN	Product Name	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	LH - LAP Loans	70.32	69.93	0.39	0.55%
2	LH- Business Loans	69.56	69.32	0.24	0.35%
3	LH - Home Loans	14.71	14.71	1	0.00%
4	Consumer Loans	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.55%
·	Total	154.80	154.17	0.63	0.41%

Sector wise portfolio

SN	Sector Type	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	Rural	150.80	150.17	0.63	0.42%
2	Urban	4.01	4.01	-	0.00%
	Total	154.80	154.17	0.63	0.41%

Amount in INR

Unsecured Business Loans are <7% of total portfolio

Rural shall remain in focus

Business Viability & Profitability is intact & portfolio quality is impeccable

Ticket Wise Portfolio

SN	Ticket Size wise	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	1. Upto 20 K	0.17	0.17	1	0.00%
2	2. 20 K-40 K	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.97%
3	3. 40 K-60 K	6.05	6.04	0.01	0.16%
4	4. 60 K-80 K	8.72	8.69	0.02	0.24%
5	5. 80 K-100 K	9.80	9.78	0.02	0.17%
6	6.>100 K	129.95	129.36	0.58	0.45%
	Total	154.80	154.17	0.63	0.41%

Business Model	%
Loans Against Property	70
Yield on portfolio	28%
Financial Cost Ratio	12%
Operating Cost Ratio	4%
Credit Cost	0.5%
Pre-Tax RoA	7.8%
Post-Tax RoA	5.85%



KEY BUSINESS UPDATES-GROUP LOANS as on 31 Mar' 24

Amount in INR

Operational Highlights

Operational Highlights								
Indicator	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	
States (#)	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Districts (#)	20	20	20	22	22	22	23	
Operating Branches (#)	53	59	60	68	80	86	92	
Villages (#)	3,314	3,711	4,101	4,714	4,987	5,404	5,892	
JLG Groups (#)	12,985	15,058	16,806	18,504	19,917	21,572	23,391	
No of Members (#)	90,560	1,04,109	1,16,184	1,28,479	1,40,063	1,53,335	1,67,655	
Active Borrowers (#)	88,193	1,01,527	1,13,426	1,25,509	1,36,851	1,49,820	1,63,753	
Active Loans (#)	88,771	1,05,009	1,18,382	1,32,058	1,43,988	1,57,183	1,71,237	
Employees (#)	339	346	366	399	402	432	444	
Loan Officer (LO) (#)	269	269	285	294	295	316	318	
AUM (Rs. Cr)	371.29	428.92	478.36	527.70	565.16	609.01	656.65	
Current Month Disb Loans	11,401	15,418	13,703	14,148	12,358	13,745	14,682	
Current Month Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	71.78	69.25	65.90	68.38	58.88	67.89	74.93	
Total No of Disb Loans	98,269	1,13,687	1,27,390	1,41,538	1,53,896	1,67,641	1,82,323	
Total Disb Amount (Rs. Cr)	533.65	602.91	668.80	737.18	796.06	863.95	938.88	
Borrowers per Branch (#)	1,664	1,721	1,890	1,846	1,711	1,742	1,780	
Borrowers per CA	328	377	398	427	464	474	515	
AUM per branch (Rs. Cr)	7.01	7.27	7.97	7.76	7.06	7.08	7.14	
AUM per CA (Rs. Cr)	1.38	1.59	1.68	1.79	1.92	1.93	2.06	
AUM per Employee (Rs. Cr)	1.10	1.24	1.31	1.32	1.41	1.41	1.48	

Product wise portfolio

SN	Product Name	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	Group Loans	656.65	656.08	0.10	0.01%
	Total	656.65	656.08	0.10	0.01%

Sector wise portfolio

SN	Sector Type	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	Rural	655.60	655.03	0.09	0.01%
2	Urban	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.29%
	Total	656.65	656.08	0.10	0.01%

Rural shall remain in focus

Business Viability & Profitability is intact & portfolio quality is impeccable

Ticket Wise Portfolio

SN	Ticket Size wise	Total Portfolio	Current	>90 Days	90+ PAR%
1	1. Upto 20 K	2.70	2.70	1	0.00%
2	2. 20 K-40 K	20.23	20.22	1	0.00%
3	3. 40 K-60 K	626.39	625.85	0.08	0.01%
4	4. 60 K-80 K	7.28	7.27	0.01	0.07%
5	5. 80 K-100 K	0.05	0.04	0.01	18.60%
6	6.>100 K	0.01	-	0.01	100.00%
	Total	656.65	656.08	0.10	0.01%

Business Model	- %
Group Loans	70
Yield on portfolio	29%
Financial Cost Ratio	11.9%
Operating Cost Ratio	6%
Credit Cost	0.5%
Pre-Tax RoA	13.0%
Post-Tax RoA	9.72%



Financials (Break even in the very first month of starting the business......)

Statement of Profit & Loss as of Mar'24

Particulars	Q4FY24	Q3FY24	Q2FY24	Q1FY24	FY23
Income					
Interest income on loans	283.39	181.12	104.83	47.42	94.07
Other Income	7.78	4.94	2.83	0.69	1.18
Total income	291.18	186.07	107.66	48.11	95.25
Expenditure					
Finance Cost	131.09	82.44	46.27	20.12	36.94
Salaries	35.94	23.33	14.33	6.71	18.97
Other Opex	11.22	7.83	6.09	3.04	7.59
Depreciation	6.13	4.41	2.87	0.72	1.85
Provisioning	11.59	5.20	2.84	1.35	0.97
Total Expenditure	195.98	123.21	72.39	31.94	66.32
PBT	95.20	62.85	35.27	16.17	28.94
Tax	15.16	9.63	6.70	4.40	7.52
PAT	80.04	53.22	28.57	11.77	21.41

Balance Sheet as of Mar'24

Particulars	Q4FY24	Q3FY24	Q2FY24	Q1FY24	FY23
ASSETS					
Cash and cash					
equivalents	75.16	189.67	33.23	49.50	43.26
Fixed Assets	21.10	19.38	19.45	18.39	16.62
Investments	13.25	99.76	72.77	10.21	-
Loans & Advances	1,569.08	1,209.03	942.55	773.08	610.25
Other current					
assets	40.18	31.25	26.05	22.71	23.64
Total	1,718.77	1,549.09	1,094.05	873.90	693.76
Liabilities					
Net worth	395.97	298.58	234.08	215.80	174.29
Borrowings	1,286.44	1,219.32	831.39	625.73	507.30
Other current					
Liabilities	36.37	31.20	28.58	32.36	12.16
Total	1,718.77	1,549.09	1,094.05	873.90	693.76

• Raised **Rs.1975 Cr Borrowings in** 24 months from 40 lenders.



^{*} Value as of the period end

Credit Ratings

Rating Instrument	Rating Agency	Rating/Grading	
Banking Facility	ICRA	BBB(Stable)	
	CRSL	BBB(Stable)	
Non convertible Debentures	ICRA	BBB(Stable)	
	CRSL	BBB(Stable)	
Pass Through Certificates	CRSL	A+(Stable)	





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BUSINESS PLAN

Projections (revenue of Rs.95Cr in the first year and thereafter doubling every year......

Profit and Loss Statement

Rs. Crs

Balance S	Sheet
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Rs. Crs

	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25
Particulars/Month	Audited	Audited	Provisional	Projected
Interest	0.33	94.07	283.39	608.7
Other Income	0.00	1.18	7.78	22.2
TOTAL INCOME	0.33	95.25	291.2	631.0
Finance Cost	-	36.94	131.09	274.2
Operating Cost	0.08	26.56	47.17	108.3
Depreciation	0.01	1.85	6.13	8.0
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	0.09	65.34	184.39	390.44
Pre - Provision Profit	0.24	29.91	106.79	240.53
Provisions	-	0.97	11.59	37.5
Profit Before Tax	0.24	28.94	95.20	203.02
Excess of income over expenditure				
Tax	0.05	7.52	15.16	37.56
PAT	0.19	21.41	80.04	165.5

	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25
Particulars	Audited	Audited	Provisionals	Projected
LIABILITIES				
Net Worth	2.7	174.29	395.97	810.46
Borrowings	0.1	507.30	1,286.44	2,836.84
Other Liabilites	-	12.16	36.37	90.08
TOTAL	2.8	693.76	1,718.77	3,737.37
ASSETS				
Net Fixed Assets	0.0	16.62	21.10	42.90
Loan Portfolio	2.0	609.14	1,569.08	3,499.81
Cash	0.9	43.26	75.16	102.10
Other Assets	-	24.75	53.43	92.57
TOTAL	2.8	693.76	1,718.77	3,737.37

Particulars	FY23	Jan'24	FY24	FY25
No of Branches	186	262	286	500
Borrowers (Nos)	66,437	1,88,704	2,22,310	6,00,000
No of Employees	1,038	1,626	1,812	2,905

Particulars	FY23	Jan'24	FY24	FY25
Loan Disbursement (INR Crs)	1,325	3,998	3,214	7,681
Borrowings (INR Crs)	624	1,221	1286	2837
Equity (INR Crs)	175	308	396	810





CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

BOARD OF Directors – Three out of Five are independent Directors and have decades of experience in BFSI



Mr. Raghu Venkata Harish – Director

Founder & Managing Director of SaGgraha Management Services Private Limited, a company acting as Business Correspondent with various Banks/Financial Institutions. A seasoned professional with over 25 years of experience in Financial Services Industry & Banking with stints in Fincare & ICICI Bank before founding SaGgraha. He is also serving on the board of Microfinance Institutions Network of India (MFIN), an SRO appointed by RBI, as a Director. He is B.Sc. Agriculture, PGDBM and EGMP from IIM – Bangalore



Mr. Vara Prasad Chaganti – Director

Founder & Managing Director, S.Trace Agri Business Solutions Pvt Limited. Banking and Financial Services Professional with over ~17 years of experience. Last served as Vice President & Business Lead, Inclusive Banking at IndusInd Bank. He has experience in Microfinance, Livelihoods, Corporate Banking and Financial Inclusion from his stints in BASIX, ICICI Bank, ABN AMRO/RBS apart from IndusInd Bank. He is an MBA from Indian Institute of Rural Management (Jaipur)



Ms. Padmaja Reddy – MD & CEO:

Padmaja is the Promoter, Founder and Director of Spandana. She has an overall experience of 24 years in the 'social development' and 'microfinance' industry. She founded 'Spandana' in 1998 and promoted the Company in 2003. Under her able leadership, the company has witnessed immense growth and scaled new heights. She holds a master's degree in Business Administration and has pursued trainings on Microfinance from Naropa University, Durham University Business School and Harvard Business School.



Mr. Vijaya Sivarami Reddy Vendidandi - Director

Mr. Vijaya Sivarami Reddy was part of the founding team of Spandana, the second largest microfinance institution in India till November, 2021. He has been associated with Spandana, since its inception and played crucial role in setting up the operations of the company in its initial stages. He was in-fact the branch manager of Spandana's very first branch in Guntur town of Andhra Pradesh. He later served as a regional manager and was involved in various operational roles over the years. He holds a Master's Degree in English Literature. Before working with Spandana, he worked as a lecturer and assumed administrative roles with educational institutions for close to 10 years.



Mr. Mahesh S. Payannavar

DirectorMr. Mahesh is a senior Banker with diverse experience in the field of banking and financial services sector at leadership roles. He was a Business Head at IDFC First Bank with primary focus on Corporate NBFC loans, securitization, risk management, compliance and structuring transactions. He has multi decade experience at senior positions in Private Equity Funding, Treasury, Fixed Income, Capital Markets and Corporate Finance. He is a strategic thinker with analytical bend and has proven track record of building profitable businesses.

MANAGEMENT



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Prakash Bhawnani — **CFO**: Prakash Bhawnani, a seasoned finance professional with over 14 years of expertise, has made significant contributions across esteemed organizations. His impactful journey encompasses key roles at ICICI Bank, Union Bank, Reliance Industries, Home Credit, and India Shelter Finance Corporation Ltd, where he excelled in leading Treasury and Financial Planning functions. With a dynamic academic background, Prakash holds a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation from CFAI, USA, and is a Company Secretary (CS) and CAIIB. He earned his MBA from ICFAI Bangalore, complemented by an MS in Finance. Furthermore, Prakash stands as an esteemed alumnus of IIM Calcutta's leadership program for CFOs.

Prakash Bhawnani's wealth of experience coupled with his comprehensive academic qualifications positions him as a distinguished professional ready to bring strategic financial acumen to Keertana as a CFO.



Ms. Komal Ratlani – Company Secretary : Ms. Komal Ratlani is an experienced and highly skilled Company Secretary with expertise in corporate governance, legal compliance, and regulatory affairs. She has a comprehensive understanding of corporate laws and regulations and plays a crucial role in ensuring the company's adherence to statutory obligations. With excellent communication and organizational skills, she efficiently manages board meetings, maintains company records, and facilitates effective communication between the board of directors and shareholders. Her commitment to upholding ethical practices and promoting transparency contributes to the company's strong corporate governance framework.

MANAGEMENT



KLNV Prasad SVP - Business Head: Mr.KLNV Prasad is an accomplished professional with 24 years of experience across the FMCG, Telecom, and Retail sectors, with a robust presence in both South and North Indian Markets. He has contributed significantly to esteemed organizations such as Marico Industries, Parle International, Hutchisson Essar, Zee Turner, Reliance Communications, Tata Teleservices, The Mobile Store and Reliance Retail. In his most recent role as the State Operations Head for Own Stores at Reliance Retail, he led the oversight of electronic retail and telecom services. With a wealth of expertise in spearheading startup initiatives and effectively scaling operations, he consistently champions a customer-centric approach. Proficient in implementing and driving tools like NPS, CSAT, etc., he has successfully steered cross-functional teams towards achieving time-sensitive projects with comprehensive objectives. His focus remains firmly oriented towards ensuring adherence to SOPs and stringent process compliance. Presently, he is entrusted with overseeing the overall operations of MSME and JLG Business Verticals in Keertana.

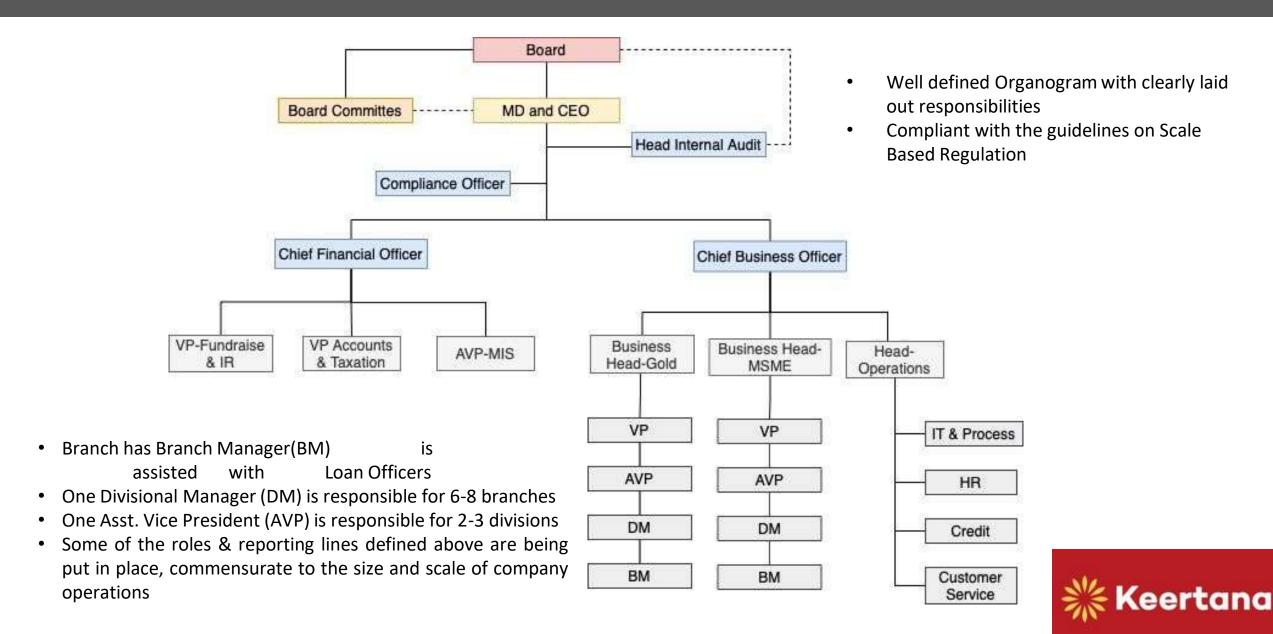


Dinesh Singareni-Vice President: Mr. Dinesh is skilled Finance professional with 18 years of rich experience and was previously Associated with Spandana Sphoorty Financial Ltd as Associate vice President. He has worked in different states and roles with expertise in setting up operations and has worked during 2010 crisis in MFI segment. He holds strong command around Andhra Pradesh and Telangana, He holds a bachelor's Degree in economics From Anna University and hails from Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.



Mr. Siva Reddy – AVP Operations: Mr. Siva Reddy worked with IndusInd and Axis Bank providing CMS solutions to Corporate clients. He has vast experience in providing API Integration, BBPS, Payment through link etc.,

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TECHNOLOGY

Technology (Business supported by cutting edge technology and agile processes and systems)

GLMS & finS : In-house Developed ERP Application



Smart and User friendly Desktop & Web enabled ERP system



Highly Capable and robust infrastructure to carry out millions of transactions



Automated reports for analysis and planning business activities in a matter of clicks



Control mechanism to limit transactions beyond allowed limits with real time reconciliation



Algorithm that restrict errors and fraud



A Complete IT solution catering to all functions

Efficiency

- ✓ Enables real-time paper-less processing of all loans, providing our borrowers with industry-leading TATs
- ✓ System / process design also leads to more efficiency for branch staff enabling us to have a lower operating cost
- ✓ For examples, no data entry is done at branches KYC docs are all scanned, and then processed by the system + a central data team

Data & Analytics

- ✓ System provides real-time borrower-level information (not just group level), which enables sophisticated data analytics to be used.
- ✓ Real time Dashboards for timely decisioning

Control

- ✓ Disbursements and collections plans entirely systemcontrolled – removing risk of errors / frauds in field
- ✓ Enables corporate tactical decisions to be transmitted to the field instantly



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RISK MANAGEMENT

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The company understands key areas that might pose significant threat to the health of the business operations and the company. To address this, multi-tiered risks Management measures are put in place. Risks are broadly classified as **Operational, Credit, Market and Residual**

Main Risk Category	Key Areas of Concern	Key Mitigation Measures
		Secured lockers, Safe rooms, Joint custody for safe operations
		24x7 CCTV surveillance, Advanced and high end security systems supported by advanced IT
	Theft, Burglary	Gold ornaments are segregated Account wise, and are subject to Internal Audit & External Audit
		History of verification of each pledge to be maintained in the system
		Insurance against Burglary, Fire and Transit risks
		Well-scrutinized premises for legally valid title, security concerns in the area
	Inefficiencies resulting in slackening of controls,	Proper and periodically reviewed systems and procedures ensuring uniformity in process, reduction in errors, well-built internal controls and enhance overall efficiency
Operational Risk	thus resulting in frauds/misappropriations	System driven control mechanisms developed to help analyse root cause of a lapse/error
		a.) Strong Internal Audit and Controls
	Staff-level collusion resulting	b.) Internal Auditor visiting a Branch twice a week (surprise
	in acceptance of spurious	checks) c.) Surprise checks by DMs and AVPs (Line Management)
	gold, misuse of cash etc	d.) Physical verification of cash by the Supervisory team and IA Team;
		e.) Tiered sanction powers, corresponding with grade/seniority and track record
	Business Continuity resulting	Well drafted and vetted Business Continuity Plan in place ensuring conducting critical business operations during unexpected
	from disruptions	disruptions, including, but not limited to IT system and Disaster Recovery Plan
	Weak performing	Risk Gradation of Branches- based on various factors (Financial, Business related, recovery, auction accounts, history of
	branches building riskier business	spurious pledges, customer concentration, competence of staff, audit irregularities and many other such importa parameters)

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Credit Risk	Diminution of collateral value	Well, drafted and meticulously implemented loan and auction policies. LTVs system monitored & any shortfall beyond a threshold shall trigger a margin call & lack of response leads to auction			
	Credit Risk arising out of incompetent/in- experienced branch staff, resulting in over valuing collateral	Regular and Effective training to staff from time to time. In the process to facilitate training needs of growing staff count, prepare battery of gold appraisal experts			
	Over-lending to a borrower- Has implication on serviceability & also a trigger for AML	Unique Customer Identification to help track multiple Ioan accounts, this keeping a tab on borrower level exposures. Alarming trends shall be reported under AML guidelines			
	Certain segments of borrowers pose greater credit risk	Risk Gradation of borrowers- Restriction on certain category of borrowers such as gold smiths, jewellers. Categorization of borrowers based on their track record enabling rightful selection & avoidance.			
	Improper Loan Documentation might weaken the case resulting in credit losses Strict KYC	Strict KYC policies and system generated documentation Multiple levels of scrutiny asides audit helps mitigate this risk			
	Price and Interest Rate Risk. Volatility might pose risk to the company's financial health	Market volatilities are monitored Daily and necessary IT systems built to raise an early warning signals. Macro Economic environment & appropriate LTVs are factored into product offerings			
Market Risk		Short term lending, and long-term borrowing - provides positive ALM and cushion in case of adverse market condition affecting short term liquidity in the market			
	Liquidity & Maturity mismatch resulting in financial stress	Diversified Funding sources avoids reliance on few Banks/FI			
	illialiciai stress	Efficient Cash Management systems in place, avoiding excess cash blockage at the branches			
		Robust collection & recovery processes- ensures a healthy portfolio build up			
	IT Risk	Secured system of access control, efficient password management, access to data on need-to-know basis, Anti-virus, periodic IT and systems Audit. Use of only authorized and licensed software			
Residual Risks	Regulatory & Compliance Risks	Policy review mechanisms by the Board on evolving regulatory changes, helps mitigate compliance misses			
		Instituting a strong risk management framework including fraud prevention, and creating a culture of increasing risk awareness across organization			
	Reputation Risk	Enforcing fundamental guiding principles- Commitment, Integrity, Transparency and a culture of innovation			
		Institutionalising customer service excellence and significant weightage in employee performance			

