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# Israel's Leading Manufacturer and Provider of Concrete Solutions

for Infrastructure, Protective and Prefabricated Construction, and Landscape Design





(1) LTM- Last twelve months ended 30.6.2024
(2) Dividend paid on April 4, 2024
(3) As of 30.6.2024

# Operating across four synergistic segments, in thriving sectors

Industry Segment

Infrastructure and landscape design products



### **Overseas Industry Segment**

Landscape design products in Western US



**Engineering Segment** 

Unique solutions for complex projects with combined prefabricated buildings & elements



**Real Estate Segment** Commercial, industrial and retail properties



### H1 2024 Revenue Breakdown



## Lifetime Achievement Award Was Presented to Giora Ackerstein, Chairman of the Ackerstein Group



## Significant Contribution to the Israeli Industry, Nation Building, and Development of the State of Israel

The award was granted in recognition of his vision as an industrialist who introduced the latest advancements and innovations in the concrete products industry to Israel, most notably interlocking stones, a product known to every Israeli. His contributions also include advanced products such as jacking pipes and prefabricated elements used for national construction, defense, IDF bases, infrastructure development, transportation needs, and water purification.

The award was presented in the presence of President Isaac Herzog and the President of the Manufacturers' Association of Israel, Dr. Ron Tomer.

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# The Swords of Iron War

Strengthening the Frontline and the Home Front

# Support for Social Organizations and National Institutions

- > Assistance to the Hostages and Missing Families Forum
- > Donation to Zarit for an elderly shelter
- > Establishment of a national memorial site for the fallen soldiers of the Givati Brigade

### Support for Security Forces

- > Sponsorship of two IDF units
- <sup>></sup> Procurement and donation of winter gear and clothing
- > Funding meals for the sponsored units

### Support for Company Employees Serving in the Reserves

- > Financial grants
- > Delivery of food baskets and gift packages to families

### Strategic Response to Security Challenges

- > Providing advanced security solutions
- Converting production lines for defense needs
- Developing and adapting innovative protection solutions for changing demands
- > Integration into Tekuma project



## H1 2024 Financial Results

Current challenges have impacted first half results, yet our operational resilience ensures we meet the rising demand for protective and prefabricated construction solutions



### Amidst the War: Challenges in the Business Arena



# Construction and Infrastructure sector Challenges



### Critical worker shortage

- Labor costs doubled
- Delays and disruptions in new projects
- Industry sector operating at ~30% capacity<sup>1</sup>



### Construction & Infrastructure Commodities Crisis

- Shortage of building materials and products
- > Disruptions in the Turkish supply chain
- Input costs up by 15%-20%<sup>2</sup>
- (1) <u>The marker 21.7.2024</u>

(2) YNET<u>8.7.2024</u>

### Impact on Company Operations:

- Project and order delays
- Work halted in combat zones
- > Development of innovative solutions for evolving needs



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### Business Environment Opportunities

### First Half 2024 Summary



In memory of Hila Kailin, a company employee who was murdered by Hamas terrorists at the Nova festival on October 7, 2023

### **Present Challenges and Future Needs**



### Protective Measures for Current Threats

Urgent need for reinforced protection of military, security, and civilian structures (existing and new)



The company leveraged its planning capabilities to deliver prefabricated housing solutions

### Rapid Deployment of Housing Solutions

Urgent need for quick construction of residential buildings in the "Gaza Envelope" and northern Israel



### Accelerating Prefabricated Construction

Reducing manpower needed onsite while significantly shortening construction timelines



The company is investing in new production lines for infrastructure

Massive Infrastructure Development

Essential to accommodate rapid population growth of about 1 million every 5 years and to address delays caused by the war

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## Ackerstein's force multipliers allow us to deliver comprehensive solutions to meet market needs



# Extensive professional knowledge

nearly 100 years of experience across diverse projects



Widest variety of products & solutions under one roof



Advanced production facilities deployed nationwide



**Financial strength** enables investment in innovative products and new infrastructure production lines









Prefabricated construction: Concrete buildings and walls

The widest range

of products and solutions





Transformer rooms



Landscape design

under one roof, aligned with current challenges and future needs.

Landscape design









Concrete products for infrastructures







## **Segments Activity**

Industry Segment

**Engineering Segment** 

**Overseas Industry Segment** 

Real Estate Segment



#### Industry Segment

## The widest range of products for hundreds of public and private projects





Concrete roof tiles





**Cladding and facades** 



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# Industry segment

In landscape design, delays in product deliveries to construction sites—either closed or partially operational due to labor shortages—resulted in a significant decline in sales, affecting gross and operating profits in the first half of 2024



millions ILS	Q1 2024	Q1 2023
Revenue	58	96
Operating Income	1	19
EBITDA	8	27

millions ILS	Q2 2024	Q2 2023
Revenue	56	91
Operating Income (Loss)	(1)	17
EBITDA	7	24

millions ILS	H1 2024	H1 2024
Revenue	114	187
Operating Income	-	36
EBITDA	15	51

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#### Engineering Segment

# Customized solutions for diverse projects

Diverse client base: infrastructure contractors, developers, government, and more



Authorized supplier for the State of Israel



Authorized supplier for Israel Railways



Infrastructure elements



**Rail concrete sleeper** 











# Engineering segment

Profit growth driven by expanded project volume in prefabricated construction, execution of protective and railway sleeper projects, and the successful implementation of operational and procurement efficiencies





## Strategic focus for continued profitable growth



**Engineering Segment** 

Expanding operations in the

protective structures and

Constant expansion of products and solutions

### Engineering Segment Industry Segment

Integrating future construction and infrastructure projects

Maximizing the scope of work for each project



#### **Engineering Segment**

## Prefabricated construction: the key to accelerating construction



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Tkuma Projec in the "Gaza Envelope"

# In just **6 months**, 56 villas were constructed

Leveraging planning capabilities and prefabricated solutions



### Within 6 months of receiving the work order in April and May 2024:

36 prefabricated villas will be delivered in September An additional 20 villas will be delivered in October



## Entering new categories: Construction and Complex Steel Structures



### **Acquired KALRAM**

KALRAM operates in the field of perimeter protection for the business sector, specializing in complex steel structures & elements

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### Successful integration and backlog increase

The introduction of Kalram to the market and Ackershtein customers has been a significant contributor to the growth of both product and project backlogs since its acquisition in 2022







## Overseas Industry segment





Landscape design products production pioneer

### Operating in the US West Coast

through subsidiary Aker-stone

### Customers

- Distributors with building materials stores, landscape design contractors
- Establishing relationships with leading architectural firms in each region

### Diverse commercial and residential projects

- Depends on the execution of projects in the industry
- Influenced by the macroeconomic environment



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### Local production and supply

- Need for high availability and continuous supply of products
- Proximity to the customer



### **Olympic Opportunity**

Anticipated demand surge for the 2028 Los Angeles Games.City preparations to fuel major infrastructure investments aligned with Ackerstone's products





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## **Overseas Industry** segment

The company is executing a turnaround plan to drive profitable growth



millions ILS	Q1 2024	Q1 2023
Revenue	13	16
EBITDA	(3)	(2)

millions ILS	Q2 2024	Q2 2023
Revenue	17	17
EBITDA	(1)	(5)

millions ILS	H1 2024	H1 2024
Revenue	30	33
EBITDA	(4)	(7)



## **Real Estate Segment**







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(3) Revenues from unrelated third party (4) The average occupancy rate of the offices in Herzliva Pituach was 91.1 % in 30.6.2024

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# Ackerstein House:

Introducing Israel's first tower built with prefabricated construction

23,000 square meters of mixed-use space, including:

50 apartments of 50 square meters each

500 square meters of commercial space

**Status:** The Herzliya Local Committee approved submitting the company's plan for the complex, pending specified conditions. The zoning plan is not yet approved.



# Ackerstein Towers:

Second Phase<sup>1</sup>

55,000 square meters of mixed-use space, including:

Approx. 85 square residential units

**Status:** The plan is being advanced in accordance with the guidelines of the employment area master plan.

 The company's share in future rights is 47%, compared to 42% in current rights. The Metro Law, finalized in July 2024, reduces the Metro improvement tax to 20% (down from 32%) for building permit applications submitted by 2030, in addition to the standard 40% improvement levy. This reduced rate is lower than the estimate in Q1 2024 and is included in the valuation of Ackerstein Towers in Herzliya.



## Potential for growth and value creation in real-estate





### Value-add Ackerstein Towers





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ILS Million 2023 NOI



## **Financial data** H1 2024



# **Revenue & EBITDA**

Consolidated basis, in thousands ILS

H1 2024 H1 2023	
Revenue 408,493 514,172	1,0
EBITDA 65,731 88,919	
Net profit 29,678 40,426	
Industry & Engineering segments	
Revenue 363,524 466,796	
EBITDA 62,168 88,740	1
Oversea Industry segment	
Revenue 29,913 32,622	5
EBITDA (4,370) (7,137) (	24
Real Estate segment	
Revenue 15,111 14,754	29,7
EBITDA 7,933 7,316	15,05



The EBITDA presented above does not include other expenses and income (at the total level)

## **Consolidated balance sheet**

As of June 30, 2024, and December 31,2023 in million ILS

:Current assets	24 .30.6	31.12.23
Cash and cash equivalents	32	134
Short-term investments	58	-
Customers	260	297
Receivables and others	43	39
Inventory	120	118
Total	513	588

Non-current assets		
Right of use asset, net	40	39
Investment properties	428	427
Fixed assets	819	819
Other	14	15
Total	1,301	1,300

Tota

Current liabilities	30.6.24	31.12.23
Credit from banks	33	42
Lease current liabilities	8	7
Trade payables	102	140
Other current liabilities	183	178
Total	326	367

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Equity	1,134	1,152

1,814

1,888

ıl assets	1,814	1,888	Total liabilities and equity

#### **Dividend (ILS M)** Attributed to profits generated

in the years below



Equity and Net Debt development (ILS M)



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Comprehensive products and solutions across the entire value chain

Nationwide deployment of advanced production facilities

Maximizing project scope for construction and infrastructure projects

### Financial resilience to support future growth

Strong and stable cash flow

Low leverage

Dividend distribution policy not less than 50% of net income\*

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