

#### **BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY & SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING**

#### SECTION A: GENERAL DISCLOSURES

#### I. DETAILS OF THE LISTED ENTITY

1	Corporate Identity Number (CIN) of the Listed Entity	L99999GJ1985PLC007868
2	Name of the Listed Entity	GUJARAT INDUSTRIES POWER COMPANY LIMITED
3	Year of incorporation	1985
4	Registered office address	P.O. Ranoli- 391350, District Vadodara
5	Corporate address	P.O. Ranoli- 391350, District Vadodara
6	E-mail	investors@gipcl.com
7	Telephone	(0265) 2232768
8	Website	www.gipcl.com
9	Financial year for which reporting is being done	2022-23
10	Name of the Stack Evolution (a) where shares are listed	i) National Stock Exchange of India Limited &
10	Name of the Stock Exchange(s) where shares are listed	ii) BSE Limited
11	Paid-up Capital (INR)	1,51,25,11,880
	Name and contact details (telephone, email address) of	Mr. K K Bhatt,
12	the person who may be contacted in case of any queries	General Manager (Finance) & CFO
	on the BRSR report	kkbhatt@gipcl.com
	Reporting boundary - Are the disclosures under this report	The disclosures made in this Business Responsibility &
	made on a standalone basis (i.e. only for the entity) or on	Sustainability Reporting (BRSR) are on a standalone
13	a consolidated basis (i.e. for the entity and all the entities	basis. This information includes operations of its
	which form a part of its consolidated financial statements,	corporate office, manufacturing plants and own captive
	taken together).	mines.

#### II. PRODUCTS/SERVICES

14. Details of business activities (accounting for 90% of the turnover):

Sr.	Description of	Description of	% of Turnover of the entity
No.	Main Activity	Business Activity	
1	Electricity, gas, steam and air	Electric power generation,	100%
	condition supply	transmission and distribution	

15. Products/Services sold by the entity (accounting for 90% of the entity's Turnover):

Sr. No.	Product/Service	NIC Code	% of Total Turnover contributed
1	Electric Power	35106	99.48%

#### **III. OPERATIONS**

16. Number of locations where plants and/or operations/offices of the entity are situated:

Location	Number of plants	Number of offices	Total
National	10	1	11
International	0	0	0

17. Markets served by the entity: a. Number of locations

Locations	Number
National (No. of States)	1 (State of Gujarat)
International (No. of Countries)	0



- b. What is the contribution of exports as a percentage of the total turnover of the entity? Not applicable The company only serves domestic customers in Gujarat, India.
- c. A brief on types of customers

The company generates and supplies electricity to Gujarat state's power distribution and transmission companies. They are the exclusive customers of the company. The Company does not sell electricity to any other private customers or to any customers outside Gujarat.

#### **IV. EMPLOYEES**

- 18. Details as at the end of Financial Year:
  - a. Employees and workers (including differently abled):

Sr.	Particulars	Total	Male		Female	
No.		(A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	No. (C)	% (C / A)
EMPLO	DYEES					
1.	Permanent (D)	424	416	98.11%	8	1.89%
2.	Other than Permanent (E)	55	54	98.18%	1	1.82%
3.	Total employees (D + E)	479	470	98.12%	9	1.88%
WORK	ERS					
4.	Permanent (F)	31	31	100%	0	0%
5.	Other than Permanent (G)	0	0	0%	0	0%
6.	Total workers (F + G)	31	31	100%	0	0%
*We h	ave only included employees/workers who	are on payroll of th	e Compar	ıy		

b. Differently abled Employees and workers:

Sr.	Particulars	Total	Male		Female	
No		(A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	No. (C)	% (C / A)
DIFF	ERENTLY ABLED EMPLOYEES					
1.	Permanent (D)	1	1	100%	0	0%
2.	Other than Permanent (E)	0	0	0%	0	0%
3.	Total differently abled employees (D + E)	1	1	100%	0	0%
DIFF	ERENTLY ABLED WORKERS	(A)         No. (B)         % (B / A)         No. (C)         % (C)           1         1         100%         0         0°           0         0         0%         0         0°           ees (D + E)         1         1         100%         0         0°           1         1         100%         0         0°         0°           (F + G)         1         1         100%         0         0°				
4.	Permanent (F)	1	1	100%	0	0%
5.	Other than permanent (G)	0	0	0%	0	0%
6.	Total differently abled workers (F + G)	1	1	100%	0	0%
*We	have only included employees/workers who	are on payroll of th	ne Compar	ıy		

19. Participation/Inclusion/Representation of women

	Total	No. and percentage of Females		
	(A)	No. (B)	% ( <b>B</b> / A)	
Board of Directors	9	2	22%	
Key Management Personnel	3	1	33%	

20. Turnover rate for permanent employees and workers (Disclose trends for the past 3 years)

		FY 2022-23	3	FY 2021-22			FY 2020-21		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Permanent Employees	1.70%	0	1.70%	0.91%	0	0.91%	1.28%	0	1.28%
Permanent Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



#### V. HOLDING, SUBSIDIARY AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES (INCLUDING JOINT VENTURES)

21. (a) Names of holding / subsidiary / associate companies / joint ventures

Sr. No.	Name of the holding/ subsidiary/associate companies/joint ventures(A)	Indicate whether holding/ Subsidiary/ Associate/ Joint Venture	% of shares held bylisted entity	Does the entity indicated at column A, participate in the Business Responsibility initiatives of the listed entity? (Yes/No)				
	NA							
The c	ompany does not have ar	v holding / subsidiary / a	ssociate companies /	'ioint ventures				

#### VI. CSR DETAILS

(₹ in lakh)

22.	(i)	Whether CSR is applicable as per Section 135 of Companies Act, 2013: (Yes/No)	YES
	(ii)	Turnover (in ₹)	1,35,556.49
	(iii)	Net worth (in ₹)	3,15,429.70

#### VII. TRANSPARENCY AND DISCLOSURES COMPLIANCES

23. Complaints/Grievances on any of the principles (Principles 1 to 9) under the National Guidelines on Responsible Business Conduct:

Stakeholder group from whom complaint is received	Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place(Yes/No) (If Yes,then provide web-link for grievance redressal policy)		FY 2022-23 nt Financial Yea Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year	r Remarks	Prev Number of complaints filed during the year	FY 2021-22 ious Financial Yea Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year	Remarks
Communities	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investors (other than shareholders)	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shareholders	Yes	4	0	-	7	0	-
Employees and workers	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Customers	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Value chain partners	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others (Please specify)	- as a Grievance Re	-	-	-	-	-	-

The company has a Grievance Redressal mechanism in place for all business stakeholders. The link to the Investors Grievance Redressal Cell is at https://www.gipcl.com/investors-grievance-redressal-cell.htm



24. Overview of the entity's material responsible business conduct issues

Please indicate material responsible business conduct and sustainability issues pertaining to environmental and social matters that present a risk or an opportunity to your business, rationale for identifying the same, approach to adapt or mitigate the risk along-with its financial implications, as per the following format

Sr. No.	Material issue identified	Indicate Whether risk or opportunity (R/O)	Rationale for identifying the risk / opportunity	In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate	Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate Positive or negative implications)
1.	Increased temperature and heat waves	Risk	Increase in temperature and prolonged heat waves may create unsafe environment and cause health & safety risks for the workforce		Negative
2.	Water scarcity	Risk	Water scarcity & less rainfall/droughts might impact the production processes as water is one of the main resources consumed by the company	various water sources to enable diversification in case of water	Negative

76



# 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2022-2023

Sr. No.	Material issue identified	Indicate Whether risk or opportunity (R/O)	Rationale for identifying the risk / opportunity	In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate	implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate Positive or Negative implications)
3.	Disruptive weather events		hurricanes, floods, etc. impact and can cause disruption and risks to the company operations	more solar power generation assets to mitigate any impact from abnormal wind speed, in particular low wind speed which is becoming more common across India. The company's solar and wind assets have defence mechanism (barriers, etc.) to prevent any impact from floods.	
4.	Net-zero transition		Demand for renewable energy is on the rise as a response to reduce GHG emissions and transition towards a low/no-carbon economy. This represents a massive opportunity for the company. Over the past few years, the company has increased its electricity generation mix to include more renewable assts like solar farms and wind farms. The company will continue to expand its renewable infrastructure portfolio to enable more electricity generation from renewable sources to enable India's transition to a net-zero economy	Not applicable	Positive
5.	Affordable electricity	Opportunity	Compared to industry peers, the Company produces electricity at a lower cost, in-turn benefitting the end customers and wider society and communities. Through adopting new technologies, innovation and industry best practices, it will continue to strive towards producing electricity at lower costs, thereby helping address energy poverty and contributing to UN SDG 7 - 'Affordable & Clean Energy'.		Positive



#### SECTION B: MANAGEMENT AND PROCESS DISCLOSURES

This section is aimed at helping businesses demonstrate the structures, policies and processes put in place towards adopting the NGRBC Principles and Core Elements.

Dis	sclosure	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Qı	lestions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Ро	licy and management processes										
1.	a. Whether your entity's policy/policies	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	cover each principle and its core										
	elements of the NGRBCs. (Yes/No)										
	b. Has the policy been approved by the										
	Board? (Yes/No)			-	-	-			policies		
		•							As requir		
		-		-			-		, which		
									nanagem		
	c. Web Link of the Policies, if available						•	•	nd core e		
				available	on the v	vebsite at	: <u>https://v</u>	www.gip	cl.com/co	orporate-	
		policies		1	1	1	1	1	1		
2.	Whether the entity has translated the	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	policy into procedures. (Yes / No)										
3.	Do the enlisted policies extend to your value	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	chain partners? (Yes/No)										
4.	Name of the national and international						-		est pract		
	codes/certifications/labels/ standards (e.g.			-			•		Compa		
	Forest Stewardship Council, Fairtrade,								e ISO 90		
	Rainforest Alliance, Trustea) standards (e.g.SA		-						ntal Man	-	
	8000, OHSAS, ISO, BIS) adopted by your								fety Man	-	
	entity and mapped to each principle.				-		-		rious com	ponents	
-	Constitution of the sector of the sector					n with the					
5.	Specific commitments, goals and targets		0	•					fic ESG tand	0	
	set by the entity with defined timelines, if				•				on indus		
	any.	0				atest tech				suy best	
6	Performance of the entity against the specific	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
0.	commitments, goals and targets along-with	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	
	reasons in case the same are not met.										
	reasons in case the same are not met.										
Go	vernance, leadership and oversight										
	Statement by director responsible for the	An over	view of	ESG aspe	ects of o	ır busine	ss operat	ions is c	overed a	s part of	
1.	business responsibility report, highlighting			Loc uspe		u busine	operat	10113 13 6		s part of	
	ESG related challenges, targets and	200101									
	achievements (listed entity has flexibility										
	regarding the placement of this disclosure)										
l		1									





79

8.	Details of the highest authority responsible	The CFO is responsible for implementation and oversight of the Business
	for implementation and oversight of the	Responsibility policies.
	Business Responsibility policy (ies).	
9.	Does the entity have a specified	The CFO and the Risk Management committee are responsible for overall
	Committee of the Board / Director	decisions and oversight in relation to sustainability related issues. The day-to-
	responsible for decision making on	day decision making on ESG and wider sustainability issues is with the
	sustainability related issues?	respective functional heads of the company.
	(Yes / No). If yes, provide details.	

#### 10. Details of Review of NGRBCs by the Company:

Subject for Review			tor/C	omm	eview littee er Col	of th	ne Bo		ı by	(Aı	Frequency (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly/ Any other – please specify)							
		Р	P	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	Р					P	Р
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Performance against above policies and	All t	he sta	atutor	у ро	licies	of th	e cor	npan	y are	e app	rove	d by	/ the	e Bo	oard	l of	Dire	ctors
follow up action	whe	reas t	the o	pera	tional	polio	cies a	are a	ppro	ved	and	sign	ed	by	the	CF	O o	r the
Compliance with statutory requirements of	func	tional	hea	ds.	The C	CFO	and	the F	Risk	man	agem	ent	CO	mm	ittee	e re	view	, the
relevance to the principles, and, rectification	tion performance various aspects of business responsibility on a regular basis.																	
of any non-compliances																		

1	1. Has the entity carried out independent assessment/	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р
	evaluation of the working of its policies by an external	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	agency? (Yes/No). If yes, provide name of the agency.	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
12	2. If answer to question (1) above is "No" i.e. not all Prin	ciples a	re cove	red by	a polic	y, reas	ons to	be state	d:	

Questions	P1	P2	<b>P</b> 3	P4	P5	<b>P6</b>	<b>P</b> 7	<b>P8</b>	<b>P9</b>
The entity does not consider the Principles material to its business	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
(Yes/No)									
The entity is not at a stage where it is in a position to formulate and	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
implement the policies on specified principles (Yes/No)									
The entity does not have the financial or/human and technical	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
resources available forthe task (Yes/No)									
It is planned to be done in the next financial year (Yes/No)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Any other reason (please specify)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA



#### SECTION C: PRINCIPLE WISE PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURE

## PRINCIPLE 1 : BUSINESSES SHOULD CONDUCT AND GOVERN THEMSELVES WITH INTEGRITY, AND IN A MANNER THAT IS ETHICAL, TRANSPARENT AND ACCOUNTABLE.

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Percentage coverage by training and awareness programmes on any of the Principles during the financial year:

Segment	Total number of training	Topics/principles covered under the	%age of persons in respective
	and awareness	training and its impact	category covered by the
	programmes held		awareness programmes
Board of Directors	1	A preliminary understanding of the	100%
Key Managerial	1	nine principles of NGRBC	100%
Personnel			
Employees other than	52	Trainings provided on environmental,	100%
BoD and KMPs*		health & safety and technical and	
Workers*	52	managerial skills	100%

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

2. Details of fines / penalties /punishment/ award/ compounding fees/ settlement amount paid in proceedings (by the entity or by Directors / KMPs) with regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, in the financial year, in the following format (Note: the entity shall make disclosures on the basis of materiality as specified in Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Obligations) Regulations, 2015 and as disclosed on the entity's website):

Monetary										
	NGRBC Principle	Name of the regulatory/enforcement agencies/judicial institutions	Amount (In INR)	Brief of the Case	Has an appeal been preferred? (Yes/No)					
Penalty/Fine										
Settlement	NIL									
Compounding Fee										
Non-Monetary										
	NGRBC Principle	Name of the regulatory/enforcement agencies/judicial institutions	Brief of the Case	Has an appeal been preferred? (Yes/No)						
Imprisonment Punishment	NIL									

3. Of the instances disclosed in Question 2 above, details of the Appeal/ Revision preferred in cases where monetary or nonmonetary action has been appealed.

Case Details	Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions
	Not applicable

4. Does the entity have an anti-corruption or anti-bribery policy? If yes, provide details in brief and if available, provide a weblink to the policy.

The company strongly believes in and has implemented ethical and transparent business practices. The company has procedures and mechanisms in place to ensure the ethical, transparent and accountable work culture across all the plants and offices. There is a Vigil Mechanism and a Whistle blower policy as well as a Code of Conduct in place which applies to all the employees and directors of the company. Under the Whistle blower policy, the employees and directors can report any unethical behavior or any fraud. Adequate safeguards are in place to prevent any negative victimization against the reporting persons for using procedures under the Whistle blower policy. Code of conduct policy of the company provides standards and guidelines for the employees towards ethical behavior. It also deals with the issues related to unethical



behaviors/business conduct and also deals with the prevention of insider trading of the company's shares and responsible conduct. The relevant policies are available at: https://www.gipcl.com/corporate-policies.htm

5. Number of Directors/KMPs/employees/workers against whom disciplinary action was taken by any law enforcement agency for the charges of bribery/ corruption:

	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22			
Directors					
KMPs	NUL	NIII			
Employees	NIL	NIL			
Workers					

6. Details of complaints with regard to conflict of interest:

	FY 20	22-23	FY 2021-22		
	Number	Remarks	Number	Remarks	
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the Directors	NIL	-	NIL	-	
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of KMPs	NIL	-	NIL	-	

7. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway on issues related to fines /penalties / action taken by regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, on cases of corruption and conflicts of interest.

During the FY, there have been no cases of corruption or conflicts of interest. No fines/penalties have been levied by any regulatory/law enforcement agencies or judicial institutions. Therefore, no corrective actions have been required.

### PRINCIPLE 2 : BUSINESSES SHOULD PROVIDE GOODS AND SERVICES IN A MANNER THAT IS SUSTAINABLE AND SAFE

- **Essential Indicators**
- 1. Percentage of R&D and capital expenditure (capex) investments in specific technologies to improve the environmental and social impacts of product and processes to total R&D and capex investments made by the entity, respectively.

	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22	Details of improvement in environmental and social impacts
R&D	NA	NA	The Company does not undertake any in-house R&D activity
Capex	100%	100%	The company has made investment in Renewable Energy plants

2	a. Does the entity have procedures in place for sustainable	Ves the company has a procedure in place for sustainable
2		
	sourcing? (Yes/No)	sourcing. The key suppliers for CAPEX are regularly
		evaluated on environmental and social paramters. Where
		possible, the Company gives preference to suppliers in
		nearby locality and within Gujarat which helps in reducing
		the overall carbon footprint of the logistics activity.
		The company also encourages its suppliers to have an
		international or domestic accreditation/certification, e.g.
		ISO, etc.
	<b>b</b> . If yes, what percentage of inputs were sourced sustainably?	Almost 100% CAPEX of the Company is with suppliers who
		have ISO accreditations and their own sustainability
		initiatives, in-turn contributing to Company's sustainable
		sourcing activity. Going forward, the Company will work
		towards expanding the sustainable sourcing activity to other
		raw materials and ancillary materials as well.



3	Describe the processes in place to safely reclaim your products for reusing, recycling and disposing at the end of life, for (a) Plastics (including packaging) (b) E-waste (c) Hazardous waste and (d) other waste.	generation from solar power, wind mills and gas do not generate any specific waste to reclaim. Fly ash is the key waste generated as part of the electricity generation from thermal sources. There are procedures in place where the company captures 100% of the fly ash generated which is then onward sold to the companies in real estate sectors for use in producing green cement/concrete mix. The company does not generate significant quantities of plastic, electronic
4	Whether Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is applicable to the entity's activities (Yes / No). If yes, whether the waste collection plan is in line with the Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) plan submitted to Pollution Control Boards? If not, provide steps taken to address the same.	

# PRINCIPLE 3 : BUSINESSES SHOULD RESPECT AND PROMOTE THE WELL-BEING OF ALL EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING THOSE IN THEIR VALUE CHAINS

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. a. Details of measures for the well-being of employees:

Category		% of Employees covered by									
	Total	Health ir	nsurance	Accident i	nsurance	Maternity	Benefits	Paternity	Benefits	Day Care facilities	
		Number	%(B/A)	Number	%(C/A)	Number	%(D/A)	Number	%(E/A)	Number	%(F/A)
	(A)	<b>(B)</b>		( <b>C</b> )		(D)		(E)		(F)	
Permanent	Employe	es*									
Male	416	416	100%	416	100%	NA	NA	NA	NA	416	100%
Female	8	8	100%	8	100%	8	100%	NA	NA	8	100%
Total	424	424	100%	424	100%	8	1.89%	NA	NA	424	100%
Other than	Permane	ent Employe	ees*								
Male	54	54	100%	54	100%	0	0%	NA	NA	54	100%
Female	1	1	100%	1	100%	1	100%	NA	NA	1	100%
Total	55	55	100%	55	100%	0	0%	NA	NA	55	100%

\*We have only included employees who are on payroll of the Company



		% of Workers covered by													
Category	Total	Health in	surance	Accident i	nsurance	Maternity	Benefits	Paternity Benefits		Day Care facilities					
	(A)	Number	%(B/A)	Number	%(C/A)	Number	%(D/A)	Number	%(E/A)	Number	%(F/A)				
		<b>(B)</b>		(C)		(D)		(E)		(F)					
Permanen	t Worke	ers*													
Male	31	31	100%	31	100%	NA	NA	NA	NA	31	100%				
Female	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA				
Total	31	31	100%	31	100%	NA	NA	NA	NA	31	100%				
Other tha	n Perma	nent Worl	kers*												
Male	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Female	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Total	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				

b. Details of measures for the well-being of workers:

Details of retirement benefits, for Current FY and Previous Financial Year.

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22				
Benefits	No. of employees covered as a % of total employees*	No. of workers covered as a % of total workers*	Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A.)	No. of employees covered as a % of total employees*	No. of workers covered as a % of total workers*	Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A.)		
PF	100%	100%	Yes	100%	100%	Yes		
Gratuity	100%	100%	Yes	100%	100%	Yes		
ESI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Others-please specify	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

3. Accessibility of workplaces:

differently abled employees and workers, as per the requirements of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act,	The Company's plant and offices are accessible to differently abled employees and workers in accordance with the requirements of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. The Company is working on improving the overall accessibility of our office premises in line with industry best practice.
------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

4. Does the entity have an equal opportunity policy as per the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 ? If so, provide a web-link to the policy.

Providing equal opportunities to everyone is one of the key themes of the internal HR policies. The company does not discriminate based on race, caste, religion, colour, ancestry, marital status, gender, sexual orientation, age, nationality, ethnic origin, disability, or any other category protected by applicable law.

5. Return to work and Retention rates of permanent employees and workers that took parental leave.

	Permanent E	mployees	Permanent workers				
Gender	Return to work rate	Return to work rate Retention rate		<b>Retention rate</b>			
Male							
Female		Not App	licable				
Total							

During the FY, no permanent employees or workers have taken maternity benefits.



84

6. Is there a mechanism available to receive and redress grievances for the following categories of employees and worker? If yes, give details of the mechanism in brief.

	Yes/No
	(If Yes, then give details of the mechanism in brief)
Permanent Workers	Yes, all employees and workers of the Company have access to a greivance redressal
Other than Permanent Workers	mechanism. The company has practices and procedures in place where they can
Permanent Employees	reach out to the HR contact or their respective department/ functional head to file a
Other than Permanent Employees	grievance/ complaint and seek resolution. If the employee/ worker is not satisfied with the resolution, they can also escalate the issue and approach to their higher
	management for mediation.

7. Membership of employees and worker in association(s) or Unions recognized by the listed entity:

Category		FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22	
	Total employees/ workers in respective category (A)*	No. of employees/ workers in respective category, who are part of association(s) or Union (B)*	% (B / A)	Total employees/ workers in respective category (C)*	No. of employees/ workers in respective category, who are part of association(s) or Union (D)*	% (D/ C)
Total Permanent Employees	424	102	21%	465	109	23%
Male	416	102	25%	457	109	24%
Female	8	-	-	8	0	-
Total Permanent Workers	31	31	100%	31	31	100%
Male	31	31	100%	31	31	100%
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

8. Details of training given to employees and workers:

Category			FY 2022-2	3				FY 2021-2	22		
	Total	On He	alth and safety	On Ski	On Skill upgradation		On Health and safety		On Skill upgradation		
	(A)	n	neasures			(D)	n	neasures			
		No	%(B/A)	No	%(C/A)		No	%(E/D)	No	%(F/D)	
		<b>(B)</b>		(C)			(E)		(F)		
Employees	*										
Male	470	358	76.17%	33	7.02%	511	84	16.44%	44	8.61%	
Female	9	9	100%	2	22%	9	9	100%	0	0%	
Total	479	367	77%	35	7.31%	520	93	18%	44	8.46%	
Workers*											
Male	31	31	100.00%	27	87.10%	31	27	87.10%	23	74.19%	
Female	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Total	31	31	100%	27	87.1%	31	27	87.1%	23	74.19%	

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company



Category		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22				
	Total (A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	Total (C)	No. (D)	% (D/ C)		
Employees*								
Male	470	470	100%	511	511	100%		
Female	9	9	100%	9	9	100%		
Total	479	479	100%	520	520	100%		
Workers*								
Male	31	31	100%	31	31	100%		
Female	0	0	0%	0	0	0%		
Total	31	31	100%	31	31	100%		

9. Details of performance and career development reviews of employees and worker:

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

10. Health and safety management system:

	and and safety management system.	
a.	safety management system has been implemented by the entity? (Yes/	Yes, the company is Integrated Management System Certified Company meeting the requirements specified in ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System and ISO 45001:2018 Occupational Health and Safety Management System. The systems and processes required in relation to health and safety aspects as per the accreditations cover the end-to-end operations of the company.
b.	identify work-related hazards and	There are dedicated safety managers at all plant locations who supervise and discuss work related hazards and risks on a daily basis. Safety committees are also established for assessing risks on an ongoing basis. Safety related information is being circulated and disseminated through internal social media platforms regularly as well as through sign boards, posters, etc. PPE like safety helmets, gloves, shoes, glasses etc. are mandatory for workers and supervisors in designated areas. Various safety slogans in local language are spread amongst the workers in order to increase awareness as well as to improvise their morale towards health, safety and hygiene. Daily tool talks are organised for all critical jobs including those working at heights or in high temperature areas in both power generation as well as mining operations. Medical checks are conducted for all workers at the time of joining the organisation and on an ongoing basis, especially before and after undertaking risk-prone tasks. The Company has also implemented HIRA system at Surat Lignite Power plant to proactively identify, assess and mitigate any harazds/risks.
c.		Yes. The Company has a well-established health and safety management process in place for employees and workers to report and mitigate work-related hazards.
d.	• •	Yes, all full-time permanent employees have access to non-occupational medical and accident insurance cover. All contract workers also have access to non-



Safety Incident/Number	Category	FY 20	22-23	FY 20	21-22
Lost Time Injury Frequency rate	Employees	-	-	-	-
(LTIFR) (per one million-person hours worked	Workers	-	-	-	-
Total recordable work-related	Employees	-	-	-	-
injuries	Workers	-	-	-	-
No. of Fatalities	Employees	-	-	-	-
NO. OF Fatalities	Workers	-	-	-	-
High consequence work-related	Employees	-	-	-	-
injury or ill-health (excluding fatalities)	Workers	-	-	-	-
During the year, there have been n	o safety related ind	cidents involving a	ny workers or em	ployees.	

11. Details of safety related incidents, in the following format:

12. Describe the measures taken by the entity to ensure a safe and healthy work place.

The Company embeds the guidelines and principles of ISO 45001:2018 and other regulatory requirements as part of its operations. The company undertakes internal and external audits on a regular basis to check the safety practices and processes in accordance with ISO 45001:2018 and other applicable regulations.

During the year, the company has proactively undertaken the following initiatives to ensure a safe and healthy work environment:

- Concern for miners' safety is of great importance to the Company. The Company continues to maintain and implement highest standards in safety norms for its mining operations and has managed to achieve "Zero Accident Level" during the FY 2022-23
- Safety Audit has been conducted by external accredited agency to assess effective of the health & safety procedures in place to maintain 'zero accident' levels
- Erection of platforms at various locations of boilers for better approach and improvement in the safety during work at site
- New safety showers along with eye washer and water inlet facilities provided at (a) Unit-1 and Unit-2 110 V Battery Room, (b) Unit-1 and Unit-2 415 V Battery Room, (c) Unit-1 and Unit-2 220V/ 24V Battery Rooms and (d) Switchyard Battery Room

The Company provides safety training to all of its employees and workers through modules and safety drill practices. The safety training programmes are aimed at enabling the workforce to create and implement best practices to detect, reduce, and prevent occupational health and safety issues. The Company strives to prevent negative health effects on its employees through various health awareness workshops, medical facilities, and medical insurance benefits.

13. Number of Complaints on the following made by employees and workers:

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	
Working Conditions Health & Safety		NIL		N			



#### 14. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Health and safety practices	100%
Working Conditions	100%

15. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway to address safety-related incidents (if any) and on significant risks / concerns arising from assessments of health & safety practices and working conditions.

There have been risks or concerns identified as part of the health & safety assessments and hence no corrective actions have been required.

### PRINCIPLE 4 : BUSINESSES SHOULD RESPECT THE INTERESTS OF AND BE RESPONSIVE TO ALL ITS STAKEHOLDERS

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Describe the processes for identifying key stakeholder groups of the entity.

Stakeholders are essential for the business of the company. The Company has identified various internal and external stakeholders for the business which includes Suppliers/Vendors, Customers, Shareholders, Employees/workers, Communities, and Government and Regulators.

The above stakeholders are identified based on the material financial as well as non-financial impact they have on the company and vice versa.

2. List stakeholder groups identified as key for your entity and the frequency of engagement with each stakeholder group.

Stakeholder Group	Whether identified as Vulnerable & Marginalized Group (Yes/No)	Channels of communication (Email, SMS, Newspaper, Pamphlets, Advertisement, Community Meetings, Notice Board, Website), Other	Frequency of engagement (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly / others – please specify)	Purpose and scope of engagement including key topics and concerns raised during such engagement
Suppliers/vendors	No	<ul> <li>* Tendering Process</li> <li>* Virtual Meetings</li> <li>* Emails</li> <li>* Website</li> <li>* Telephonic conversations</li> </ul>	Ongoing Basis	<ul> <li>* Sourcing and availability of raw materials</li> <li>* Pricing</li> <li>* Responsible supply chain practices</li> </ul>
Customers	No	* Emails & Telephonic Conversations * Meetings	Ongoing Basis	* Supply of services in line with the commercial terms * Billing & Payments * Complaints/ Grievance & its resolution
Shareholders	No	<ul> <li>* Website</li> <li>* Annual General Meetings</li> <li>* Investors Meetings/ Calls</li> <li>* Quarterly results announcements</li> <li>* Annual Reports</li> <li>* Stock exchange announcements</li> </ul>	Ongoing Basis	<ul> <li>* Financial performance</li> <li>* Business strategy</li> <li>* Risk management</li> <li>* Complaints &amp; Resolution</li> <li>- Corporate governance</li> </ul>



## **Gujarat Industries Power Company Limited**

Stakeholder Group	Whether identified as Vulnerable & Marginalized Group (Yes/No)	Channels of communication (Email, SMS, Newspaper, Pamphlets, Advertisement, Community Meetings, Notice Board, Website), Other	Frequency of engagement (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly / others – please specify)	Purpose and scope of engagement including key topics and concerns raised during such engagement
Employees/workers	No	<ul> <li>* Training &amp; performance management</li> <li>* Annual Appraisal meetings</li> <li>* Award events</li> <li>* Email/ telephonic conversations</li> </ul>	Ongoing Basis	<ul> <li>* Employee Training &amp; performance &amp; career</li> <li>development</li> <li>* Grievance resolution</li> <li>* Feedback &amp; consultations</li> <li>* Well being and health and safety</li> </ul>
Communities	Yes	* Website * Community interactions through CSR Initiatives * Annual reports	Periodic	* CSR & social initiatives * Complaints & grievances (if any)
Government and Regulators	No	* Meetings * Email / Telephonic conversations	Ongoing Basis	<ul> <li>* Reporting &amp; statutory</li> <li>Compliance</li> <li>* Feedback to regulatory</li> <li>consultation &amp; policy</li> <li>formulation</li> <li>* Tender process</li> <li>management</li> <li>- Approvals &amp; clearances</li> <li>from authorities</li> </ul>

#### PRINCIPLE 5 : BUSINESSES SHOULD RESPECT AND PROMOTE HUMAN RIGHTS

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Employees and workers who have been provided training on human rights issues and policy(ies) of the entity, in the following format:

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
Category	Total (A)	No. of employees / workers covered (B)	% (B / A)	Total (C)	No. of employees / workers covered (D)	% (D/ C)	
Employees							
Permanent	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	
Other than	0			0	0	0%	
permanent	0	0	0%	0	U	U /o	
Total	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	
Employees	0	U	0 /0	0	U	U /0	
Workers							
Permanent	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	
Other than	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	
permanent	U	U	U %	U	U	U %	
Total Workers	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	



Note: As part of its training curriculum, the Company conducts awareness sessions on prevention of sexual harassment at work place. The Company will consider expanding the scope of its trainings to include wider aspects of human rights including child labour, forced labour, inequality, discrimination, etc.

		I	Y 2022-23					FY 2021-	22	
Category	Total	-	Minimum age	-	e Than um Wage	Total	Equal to Minimum Wage		More Than Minimum Wage	
0 /	(A)	No (B)	%(B/A)	No (C)	%(C/A)	(D)	No (E)	%(E/D)	No (F)	%(F/D)
Employees*				•			•			
Permanent										
Male	416	0	0	416	100%	457	0	0	457	100%
Female	8	0	0	8	100%	8	0	0	8	100%
Other than Permanent										
Male	54	0	0	54	100%	54	0	0	54	100%
Female	1	0	0	1	100%	1	0	0	1	100%
Workers*	•			•	•	•	•		•	
Permanent										
Male	31	0	0	31	100%	31	0	0	31	100%
Female	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other than Permanent										
Male	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Female	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA	NA

2. Details of minimum wages paid to employees and workers, in the following format:

\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

3. Details of remuneration/salary/wages, in the following format:

		Male		Female
Category	Number	er salary/ wages of respective N category		Median remuneration/ salary/ wages of respective category
Board of Directors	7	Only Sitting fees paid	2	Only Sitting fees paid
Key Managerial Personnel*	2	27.67	1	43.45
Employees other than BoD and KMPs**470		13.95	9	14.38
Workers**	31	3.3	0	

\*KMP includes MD of the Company

5.

\*\*We have only included employees/workers who are on payroll of the Company

4. Do you have a focal point (Individual/ Committee) responsible for addressing human rights impacts or issues caused or contributed to by the business? (Yes/No)

Yes, the Head of Human Resource department of the Company is responsible for addressing human rights impact or issues. Describe the internal mechanisms in place to redress grievances related to human rights issues.



### **Gujarat Industries Power Company Limited**

The company has various procedures and practices in place where employees as well as external stakeholders can raise any human rights related grievance with the HR team of the company. Additionally, they have access to mechanism prescribed as part of the Whistle blower policy to raise any human rights issues or complaints. The HR/ respective stakeholder contact point (after due consultation with the HR team or relevant departmental head) shall take the requisite steps/ actions. The company also has a standalone policy for Prevention of Sexual Harassment of women at workplace. There is a standalone internal committee which oversees effective implementation & oversight of processes to mitigate Sexual Harassment within the Company operations and its wider value chain.

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
Particulars	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of	Remarks	
		year			year		
Sexual Harassment	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Discrimination at workplace	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Child Labour	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Forced Labour/ Involuntary Labour	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Wages	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other human rights related issues	-	-	-	-	-	-	

6. Number of Complaints on the following made by employees and workers:

During the FY, there have been no complaints made by workers or employees on any human rights issues

7. Mechanisms to prevent adverse consequences to the complainant in discrimination and harassment cases.

The Company has a Whistleblower policy which prescribes mechanism available to employees and external stakeholders to report, without fear of retaliation, any wrong practices, unethical behavior or non-compliance which may have a detrimental effect on the organization, including financial damage and impact on brand image. Further, the Company has POSH Policy to safeguard the interest of women at workplace.

8. Do human rights requirements form part of your business agreements and contracts? (Yes/No)

Human rights requirements do not explicitly form part of the business agreement & contracts. However, the company has a zero tolerance policy for any human rights violations and adopts best practices and initiatives in line with recommendation as per local regulations and global standards like ILO while engaging with the employees and workers of the company as well as external customers, suppliers and other value chain partners.

9. Assessments for the year:

Particulars	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)			
Child labour	100%			
Forced/involuntary labour	100%			
Sexual harassment	100%			
Discrimination at workplace	100%			
Wages	100%			
Others – please specify	•			

10. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway to address significant risks /concerns arising from the assessments at Question 9 above.

There were no significant risks/concerns arising from the above assessments.



# PRINCIPAL 6 : BUSINESSES SHOULD RESPECT AND MAKE EFFORTS TO PROTECT AND RESTORE THE ENVIRONMENT Essential Indicators

1. Details of total energy consumption (in Joules or multiples) and energy intensity, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total electricity consumption (A)	17.50	14.40
Total fuel consumption (B)	122.00	121.60
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	-	-
Total energy consumption $(A + B + C)$	139.60	136.00
Turnover (INR Lakhs)	1,40,368.95	1,19,353.93
Energy intensity per rupee of turnover (Total energy consumption/ turnover in rupees)	0.000994	0.001139
Energy intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	-	-

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency.

The company has not undertaken any independent assessment/assurance of the environmental data disclosed in the report.

2. Does the entity have any sites / facilities identified as designated consumers (DCs) under the Performance, Achieve and Trade (PAT) Scheme of the Government of India? (Y/N) If yes, disclose whether targets set under the PAT scheme have been achieved. In case targets have not been achieved, provide the remedial action taken, if any.

The Company's SLPP Plant has been identified as designated consumer under PAT. There is a deviation between achieved target and PAT Target. The Company is taking various measures for conservation of Energy, reduction in Auxiliary Power consumption and improvement in Heat Rate. Further, Renovation & Modernization of SLPP Phase-I Units (Unit-1&2) is planned to improve overall performance.

3. Provide details of the following disclosures related to water, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Water withdrawal by source (in kilolitres)		
(i) Surface water	59,97,170.60	59,31,741.70
(ii) Groundwater	43,129.40	12,658.30
(iii) Third party water	-	-
(iv) Sea water / desalinated water	-	-
(v) Others	-	-
Total volume of water withdrawal (in kilolitres) (i + ii + iii + iv + v)	60,40,300.00	59,44,400.00
Total volume of water consumption (in kilolitres)	60,40,300.00	59,44,400.00
Water intensity per rupee of turnover (Water consumed / turnover)	43.0316	49.8048
Water intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity		

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency.

The company has not undertaken any independent assessment/assurance of the environmental data disclosed in the report.

Has the entity implemented a mechanism for Zero Liquid Discharge? If yes, provide details of its coverage and implementation.

The company has a Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD) mechanism at all its power generation plants and mining locations. The Effluent Treatment Plant captures and processes the water discharged from company operations. Such ETP treated water is used for gardening, plant facilities, etc.

The ZLD mechanism covers the end-to-end power generation and mining activity.

4.



5. Please provide details of air emissions (other than GHG emissions) by the entity, in the following format:

Parameter	Please specify unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
NOx	-	-	-
SOx	-	-	-
Particulate matter (PM)	-	-	-
Persistent organic pollutants (POP)	-	-	-
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	-	-	-
Hazardous air pollutants (HAP)	-	-	-
Others – please specify	-	-	-

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency.

The Company adopts latest and best in class technology to minimise air emissions from its operations. It uses CFBC technology in boilers to mitigate NOx and SOx emissions from the thermal power generation operations. Power generation from other sources do not generate any air emissions. ESP system has been implemented to minimise Particulate Matter from the operations.

Additionally, the company regularly (bi-monthly in most instances) engages government accredited third party agencies to measure and monitor air emissions from its operations at its power generation and mining facilities. The air emissions recorded during the FY are within the permissible limits. The Company also submits the emissions data to the Gujarat State Pollution Control Board on a regular basis. The Company will continue to monitor its air emissions on an ongoing basis and implement various environmental control measures and latest technology to reduce its air emissions.

6. Provide details of greenhouse gas emissions (Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions) & its intensity, in the following format:

Parameter	Unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Scope 1 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into	Metric tonnes of CO2	10,423.91	10,456.39
CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	equivalent		
Total Scope 2 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into	Metric tonnes of CO2	2,949.22	2,328.90
CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	equivalent		
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions per rupee of		0.0953	0.1071
turnover			
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity (optional)			
- the relevant metric may be selected by the entity			

The Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions are from the energy and electricity consumption and fuel usage at the corporate office and the electricity generation facilities in India. Scope 1 calculations are undertaken using guidelines and emissions factors prescribed by IPCC (2006 version). Latest GWP factors published as part of AR6 are used for the calculations. Electricity from renewable sources is not considered for Scope 2 emissions calculations. Scope 2 calculations are undertaken using the emission factors prescribed by Central Electricity Authority (version 18).

The company activities do not generate any other process or fugitive emissions.

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency.

The company has not undertaken any independent assessment/assurance of the environmental data disclosed in the report.

7. Does the entity have any project related to reducing Green House Gas emission? If Yes, then provide details.

Through ongoing process improvements and implementing latest available technology, the Company continuously aims to reduce its carbon footprint. During the FY, the Company has commissioned additional solar power generation capacity. More details are covered as part of the Director's Statement.



- 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2022-2023
- 8. Provide details related to waste management by the entity, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Waste generated (in metric tonnes)	· · ·	
Plastic waste (A)	NA	NA
E-waste (B)	NA	NA
Bio-medical waste (C)	NA	NA
Construction and demolition waste (D)	NA	NA
Battery waste (E)	NA	NA
Radioactive waste (F)	NA	NA
Other Waste-Fly Ash (G)	4,07,044.00	4,20,844.92
Other Hazardous waste. Please specify, if any. (H)	15.90	22.06
Other Non-hazardous waste generated (I). Please specify, if any.		
(Break-up by composition i.e. by materials relevant to the sector)	-	-
Total (A+B + C + D + E + F + G + H+I)	4,07,059.9	4,20,867.0
For each category of waste generated, total waste recovered through recyc	cling, re-using or other recove	ery operations (in
metric tonnes)		
Category of waste		
(i) Recycled		
(ii) Re-used	4,07,044.00	
(iii) Other recovery exercises		4,20,844.92
(iii) Other recovery operations		4,20,844.92
Total	4,07,044.00	4,20,844.92
		4,07,044.0
Total		4,07,044.0
Total For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by nature of di		4,07,044.0
Total For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by nature of di Category of waste	sposal method (in metric tonr	4,07,044.0 nes)
Total For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by nature of di Category of waste (i) Incineration	sposal method (in metric tonr	4,07,044.0 nes)

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency. The company has not undertaken any independent assessment/assurance of the environmental data disclosed in the report.

9. Briefly describe the waste management practices adopted in your establishments. Describe the strategy adopted by your company to reduce usage of hazardous and toxic chemicals in your products and processes and the practices adopted to manage such wastes.

The company follows a robust waste management practice with the aim of reducing, reusing or recycling the waste generated from its operations. Electricity generation from solar power, wind mills and gas do not generate any specific waste to reclaim. Fly ash is the key waste generated as part of the electricity generation from thermal sources. There are procedures in place where the company captures 100% of the fly ash generated which is then onward sold to the companies in real estate sectors for use in producing green cement/concrete mix. The company does not generate significant quantities of plastic, electronic or any other hazardous waste.



10. If the entity has operations/offices in/around ecologically sensitive areas (such as national parks, wildlife sanctuaries, biosphere reserves, wetlands, biodiversity hotspots, forests, coastal regulation zones etc.) where environmental approvals / clearances are required, please specify details in the following format:

Sr. No.	Location of operations/offices	Type of operations	Whether the conditions of environmental approval / clearance are being complied with? (Yes/No) If no, the reasons thereof and corrective action taken, if any.
-	-	-	-

None of the plants/offices of the company fall in/around ecologically sensitive areas.

11. Details of environmental impact assessments of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year:

Name and brief details of project	EIA Notification No.	Date	Whether conducted by independent external agency (Yes / No)			municated in in (Yes / No)	Relevant Web link
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

During the year, no environmental impact assessment has been undertaken by the company

12. Is the entity compliant with the applicable environmental law/ regulations/ guidelines in India; such as the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Environment protection act and rules thereunder (Y/N). If not, provide details of all such non-compliances, in the following format:

Sr. No.	Specify the law / regulation / guidelines which was not complied with	Provide details of the non- compliance	Any fines / penalties / action taken by regulatory agencies such as pollution control boards or by courts	Corrective action taken, if any
-	-	-	-	-

Not applicable



#### PRINCIPLE 7 : BUSINESSES, WHEN ENGAGING IN INFLUENCING PUBLIC AND REGULATORY POLICY, SHOULD DO SO IN A MANNER THAT IS RESPONSIBLE AND TRANSPARENT

#### Essential Indicators

1. a. Number of affiliations with trade and industry chambers/ associations.

The company has affiliations with 2 (Two) state level trade and industry associations/ chambers.

b. List the top 10 trade and industry chambers/ associations (determined based on the total members of such body) the entity is a member of/ affiliated to.

Sr. No.	Name of the trade and industry chambers/ associations	Reach of trade and industry chambers/ associations (State/National)
1	Gujarat Employers' Organization	State
2	Federation of Gujarat Industries	State
3	-	-

2. Provide details of corrective action taken or underway on any issues related to anti-competitive conduct by the entity, based on adverse orders from regulatory authorities.

Name of authority	Brief of the case	Corrective action taken
Not app	icable	Not applicable

#### PRINCIPLE 8 : BUSINESSES SHOULD PROMOTE INCLUSIVE GROWTH AND EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Details of Social Impact Assessments (SIA) of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year.

Name and brief details of project	SIA Notification No.	Date of notification	Whether conducted by independent external agency (Yes / No)	Results communicated in public domain (Yes / No)	Relevant Web link			
During the FY, there has been no requirement for the company to conduct any SIA.								

2. Provide information on project(s) for which ongoing Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is being undertaken by your entity, in the following format:

Sr. No.	Name of Project for which R&R is ongoing	State	District	No. of Project Affected Families (PAFs)	% of PAFs covered by R&R	Amounts paid to PAFs in the FY (In INR)
During the year, there have been no projects for which Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is required.						

3. Describe the mechanisms to receive and redress grievances of the community.

The community is one of the key stakeholders of the company. They have access to the grievance redressal mechanism prescribed as per the Whistleblower policy in case of any issue/ complaint. The plant management will be the key stakeholder point of contact in such cases and shall take appropriate course of action against such issue/ complaint. If in case such stakeholder is not satisfied with the resolution, they can approach to the higher management for resolution/ mediation.

4. Percentage of input material (inputs to total inputs by value) sourced from suppliers:

	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Directly sourced from MSMEs/ small producers	1.54%	2.12%
Sourced directly from within the district and neighbouring districts	49.24%	14.20%



# PRINCIPLE 9 : BUSINESSES SHOULD ENGAGE WITH AND PROVIDE VALUE TO THEIR CONSUMERS IN A RESPONSIBLE MANNER

#### Essential Indicators

1. Describe the mechanisms in place to receive and respond to consumer complaints and feedback.

The commercial team of the company engages with the key customers on an ongoing basis to discuss any issues/concerns and resolve them proactively.

2. Turnover of products and/ services as a percentage of turnover from all products/service that carry information about:

	As a percentage to total turnover
Environmental and social parameters relevant to the product	Such disclosures are not applicable to the company
Safe and responsible usage	operations
Recycling and/or safe disposal	

3. Number of consumer complaints in respect of the following:

	FY 2022-23		Remarks	ks FY 2021-22		Remarks
	Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of year		Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of year	
Data privacy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Advertising	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyber-security	-	-	-	-	-	-
Delivery of essential services	-	-	-	-	-	-
Restrictive Trade Practices	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unfair Trade Practices	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-

During the FY, there have been no complaints from customers under any of the above categories.

4. Details of instances of product recalls on account of safety issues:

	Number	Reasons for recall			
Voluntary recalls	Droduct vo	Decident of a life one water will a black of Commence on a strengt			
Forced recalls	Product re	Product recalls are not applicable to Company operations			

5. Does the entity have a framework/ policy on cyber security and risks related to data privacy? (Yes/No) If available, provide a web-link of the policy.

Yes, the Company has established various processes which deal with cyber security and risks related to data privacy.

The company strives to treat information of employees, customers, stakeholders and other interested parties with the utmost care and confidentiality and has established robust IT infrastructure. There is a dedicated IT team and support staff which monitors and handles the data security related concerns proactively, identifies all vulnerabilities within IT environment and addresses them on regular basis in order to avoid any cyber security and data privacy risks. Effective management of information security has always been a priority and the Company has implemented industry best practices to become more proactive in its approach to ensure the data security.

There are also risks assessment procedures in place in order to mitigate the risks related data privacy on priority basis. All the sensitive information or data exchanged/ transmitted with utmost safety through internal networks including those backed up in various servers.

## 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2022-2023



6. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway on issues relating to advertising, and delivery of essential services; cyber security and data privacy of customers; re-occurrence of instances of product recalls; penalty / action taken by regulatory authorities on safety of products / services.

During the FY, there have been no issues relating to advertising, and delivery of essential services; cyber security and data privacy of customers. As mentioned above, product recall is not applicable in case of the company. Further, no penalty / action has been taken by regulatory authorities on safety of products / services.