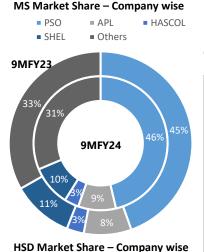
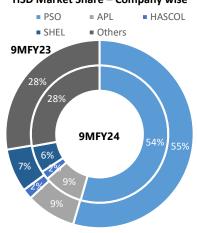
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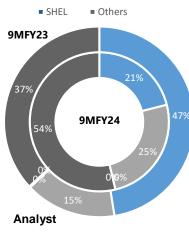


FO Market Share - Company wise

APL

HASCOL

PSO



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Oil & Gas Marketing Companies

Mar-24: Volumes Depict a Growth of +4%y/y to 1.15mn tons

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MS

MS sales increased by +3%y/y to 0.57mn ton during Mar-24 while on sequential basis volumes improved by +5%m/m. PSO, APL and SHEL



recorded +13%y/y, +5%y/y and +2%y/y growth in volumes respectively during Mar-24 while HASCOL recorded 52%y/y decline in sales. For 9MFY24, MS volumes are down by 5%y/y to 5.30mn ton. During 9MFY24, HASCOL and APL posted +9%y/y and +3%y/y rise in volumes respectively, whereas, SHEL and PSO recorded 14%y/y and 2%y/y drop in total MS sales. PSO's market share increased to 46.3% during 9MFY24 from 44.6% in the same period last year. HASCOL and APL witnessed uptick in market share to 3.5% and 9.1% respectively while SHEL's market share declined by 1.0% to 9.7%.

HSD

HSD sales augmented by +17%y/y to 0.46mn ton in Mar-24 and on monthly basis volumes depicted a growth of +4%m/m. This brings total 9MFY24 sales at 4.58mn ton down by 5%y/y. For 9MFY24, HASCOL and APL posted +8%y/y and +3%y/y incline in sales with market share for APL and HASCOL increasing to 9.3% and 2.0% respectively. Market share for SHEL dropped by 1.1% to 6.4%.

FO

FO volumes plummetted by 48%y/y during Mar-24 to 0.44mn ton likely attributable to lower demand from IPPs compared to last year. Volumes are down by 11%m/m during Mar-24. Total FO volumes are down by 53%y/y during 9MFY24 to 0.84mn ton. For 8MFY24, PSO and APL reported 79%y/y and 24%y/y decline in sales with PSO's market share dropping to 21.1% compared to 47.5% in 9MFY23, whereas, APL's market share improved to 25.2% from 15.5% in the same period last year.

Outlook

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Exhibit: ON	/IC's Mont	thly Sales	Volum	e (Mar-24	l)						
000'tons	Mar-24	Feb-24	MoM	Mar-23	YoY	CY24TD	CY23TD	YoY	FY24TD	FY23TD	YoY
Industry											
MS	572.7	544.0	5%	558.2	3%	1,731.6	1,758.2	-2%	5,299.5	5,592.7	-5%
HSD	462.7	446.2	4%	396.9	17%	1,421.9	1,459.3	-3%	4,580.6	4,822.6	-5%
FO	44.3	49.6	-11%	85.5	-48%	277.8	347.0	-20%	839.4	1,793.6	-53%
Others	74.5	75.9	-2%	66.3	12%	221.0	201.6	10%	617.9	590.6	5%
Total	1,154.3	1,115.8	3%	1,106.9	4%	3,652.4	3,766.1	-3%	11,337.3	12,799.5	-11%
PSO											
MS	284.4	247.7	15%	251.4	13%	812.0	828.7	-2%	2,453.6	2,492.0	-2%
HSD	239.4	234.2	2%	208.0	15%	747.1	780.8	-4%	2,493.4	2,629.8	-5%
FO	5.5	16.5	-67%	16.2	-66%	63.2	49.9	27%	176.8	851.1	-79%
Others	65.2	68.3	-4%	59.8	9%	196.6	178.1	10%	547.0	508.9	7%
Total	594.5	566.7	5%	535.4	11%	1,818.8	1,837.6	-1%	5,670.8	6,481.8	-13%
APL											
MS	50.1	54.6	-8%	47.7	5%	162.1	149.7	8%	483.1	469.5	3%
HSD	39.5	43.5	-9%	36.0	10%	129.3	128.0	1%	425.5	413.6	3%
FO	11.1	12.1	-9%	26.5	-58%	69.4	80.6	-14%	211.8	277.7	-24%
Others	2.7	2.7	-1%	3.1	-14%	8.4	9.3	-9%	27.6	35.7	-23%
Total	103.4	112.9	-8%	113.3	-9%	369.3	367.6	0%	1,148.0	1,196.4	-4%
HASCOL											
MS	14.5	16.7	-13%	30.3	-52%	46.6	60.5	-23%	184.8	169.8	9%
HSD	11.0	10.1	9%	12.8	-14%	28.6	35.3	-19%	93.2	85.9	8%
FO	-	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	0%	-	-	0%
Others	0.0	0.1	-83%	0.0	100%	0.1	0.1	-18%	0.4	0.7	-41%
Total	25.5	26.8	-5%	43.1	-41%	75.3	96.0	-21%	278.4	256.3	9%
SHEL											
MS	59.8	55.7	7%	58.5	2%	178.4	190.5	-6%	516.6	603.5	-14%
HSD	31.7	31.9	0%	29.5	8%	97.0	108.5	-11%	292.8	359.7	-19%
FO	-	-	0%	-	n/m	-	3.7	-100%	-	3.7	-100%
Others	2.7	1.9	43%	1.2	126%	6.2	6.5	-4%	16.8	20.3	-17%
Total	94.2	89.4	5%	89.2	6%	281.6	309.2	-9%	826.3	987.3	-16%
Source: IGI Research, OCAC											



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