

MC GROUP

SET Award 2025 Submission

Sustainability Excellence



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MC GROUP IN A NUTSHELL

STRONG *BRAND* REPUTATION



Well-known for superior quality and craftsmanship

EXPANDING *PRODUCT* PORTFOLIO



Diversifying offering beyond denim line with strong growth

HEFTY RETAIL *NETWORK*



Extensive presence with numerous retail locations and channels

EXPERIENCED *MANAGEMENT*



Led by seasoned industry professionals

STRONG *FINANCIAL* POSITION



Robust financial health and profitability

DEEP *CUSTOMER* RELATIONSHIP



Loyal customer base with strong engagement

OUR BUSINESS SNAPSHOT

NET REVENUE PER ANNUM

> **4,100** M.THB



Men

60%



Women

40%

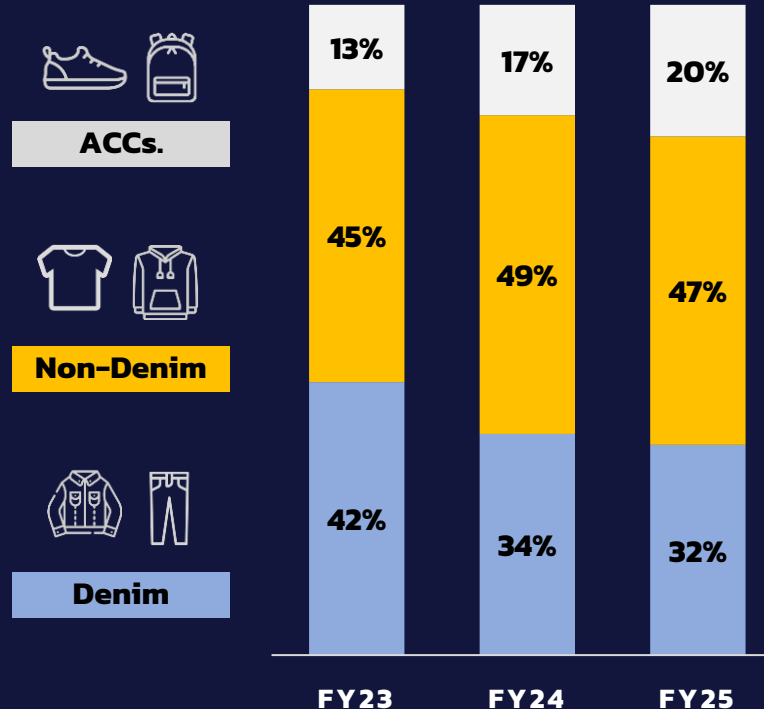
*Product Sales Base

CUSTOMER BASE

1.5 Million Members

>**50%** Active Members

PRODUCT PORTFOLIO MIX



CHANNELS

Shop	291
Consignment	130
Outlet	137
Mobile Unit	6
Total POS	564

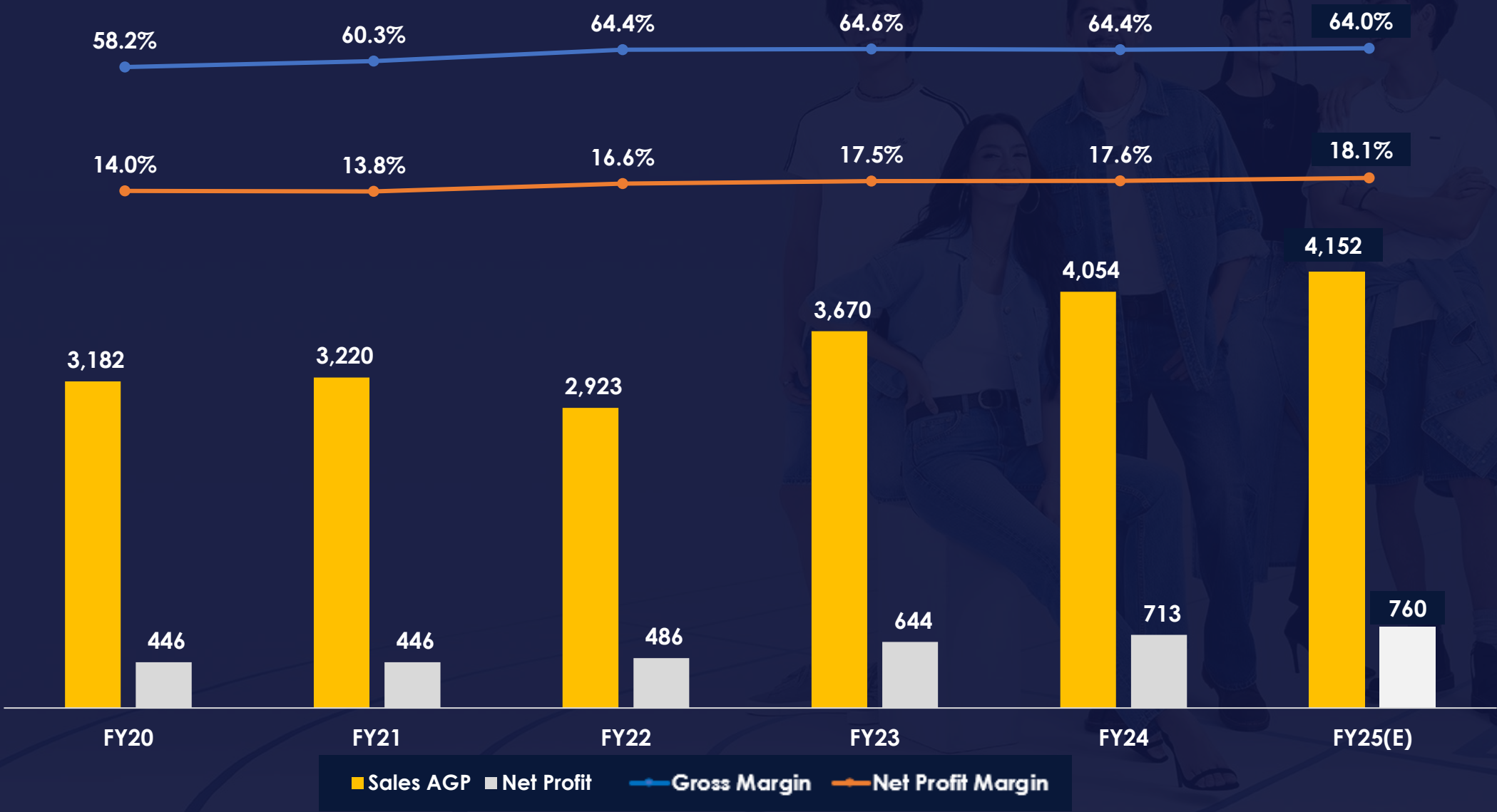
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Offline
83%

Online
17%

RECENT PERFORMANCE



*Excluded Non-Sales Revenue

AGENDA

- 1** Opportunities or challenges from **economic slowdown** and evolving **geopolitical shifts**
- 2** Risks and opportunities presented by **climate change**
- 3** The application of **technology and artificial intelligence (AI)**
- 4** A long-term competitiveness and business sustainability as **generation shift**



Opportunities or Challenges from **Economic Slowdown** and Evolving **Geopolitical Shifts**

Opportunities or Challenges from Economic Slowdown and Evolving Geopolitical Shifts

Situation Snapshot (Since 2024)

- Thailand’s growth moderating
- Consumer confidence uneven
- High household debt
- Inflation & interest-rate uncertainty
- Baht volatility vs CNY/USD
- Higher logistics costs from global route disruptions
- Rising minimum wage pressure.
- Rising cost of business
- Tighter compliance (ESG/traceability)
- Regional competition from fast-fashion and e-commerce cross-border.



Implication for Apparel Retail Business

Implications	Details	Effect
Domestic Demand Softness	slower SSSG in parts of the network; heavier promotions across market.	Very High
Channel Mix & Inventory Risk	overhangs in outlet/off-price; aging cycles.	High
Competitive Intensity	fast-fashion cycles, cross-border e-commerce pricing, and KOL-led micro-brands.	High
Rising Cost of Business	cotton, freight, FX exposure, minimum wage, and other costs pressuring margins.	Moderate (Manageable)

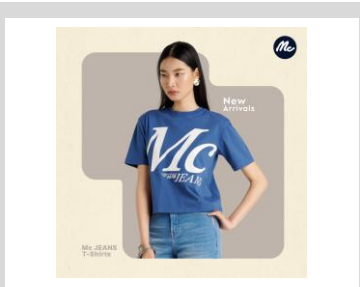
Opportunities or Challenges from Economic Slowdown and Evolving Geopolitical Shifts

Strategy to Address Risks & Capture Opportunities

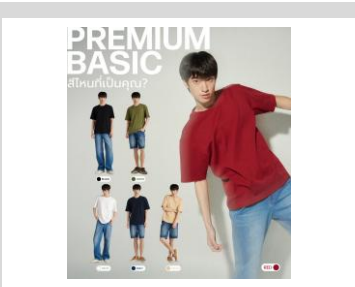
Opportunities

Value & Essentials Shift
trade-down favors to quality with value-for-money brands and products

E-commerce Acceleration
Rising demand on marketplaces, live commerce, and brand DTC site



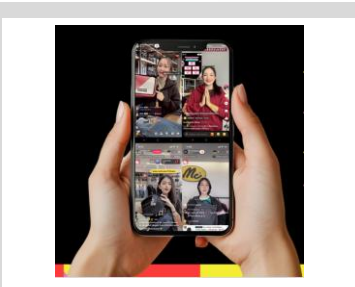
- Good-Better-Best (GBB) Architecture**
- Sharpen price ladders across Mc Portfolio.
 - Anchor hero SKUs at accessible price points to win traffic and basket



- Assortment Discipline**
- Strengthen core product while managing seasonal product effectively
 - Tighter drop cadence



- Promotion Efficiency**
- Switch from blanket markdowns to targeted offers via CRM
 - Attach mechanics to raise ATV and UPT



- Channel Focus**
- Move fast on online, especially Live Commerce
 - Drive outlet as strategic channel
 - Promote O2O


Key Strategies

Opportunities or Challenges from Economic Slowdown and Evolving Geopolitical Shifts

Early Outcomes & Financial Traction

RESILIENCE THROUGH SLOWDOWN



Performance reflected strong brand equity and disciplined execution

- FY25 revenue THB 4,210m **(+2.5% YoY)** and net profit THB 760m **(+6.6% YoY)**
- FY24 revenue THB 4,107m **(+11.2% YoY)** and net profit THB 713m **(+10.7% YoY)**

PROFITABILITY



Sustaining profitability despite cost headwinds.

- Gross profit margin **64.5%** and **64.7%** in FY25 and FY24 consecutively
- Net profit margin **18.1%** and **17.4%** in FY25 and FY24 consecutively

CHANNEL PROGRESS



Riding on the winds of change

- Online Business **+68.7% YoY** in FY25, contributing 17% of the business
- **#1** Branded apparel retailer on TikTok

SUPPLY & COST



Improving buy planning and managing stock and channels effectively

- Inventory month cover decreased **from 11.6x to 10.6x and 9.5x** in FY24 and FY25 consecutively

Opportunities or Challenges from Economic Slowdown and Evolving Geopolitical Shifts

Short-term and Long-term Goals



Revenue Growth

12-month Targets

Single-digit growth for offline **Double-digit growth** for online

36-month Targets

+6-9%
CAGR



Margin

+50-100 bps of GPM
via mix & cost engineering

Sustain ~17-19%
Net Profit Margin



Inventory

-0.5x
Inventory Turn

-1.0x - 2.0x
Inventory Turn (vs. FY25 baseline)



Omni Penetration

≥ 20% of sales
from E-commerce

≥ 30% of sales
from E-commerce



Channel Performance

+2-4%
Same-Store-Sales Growth

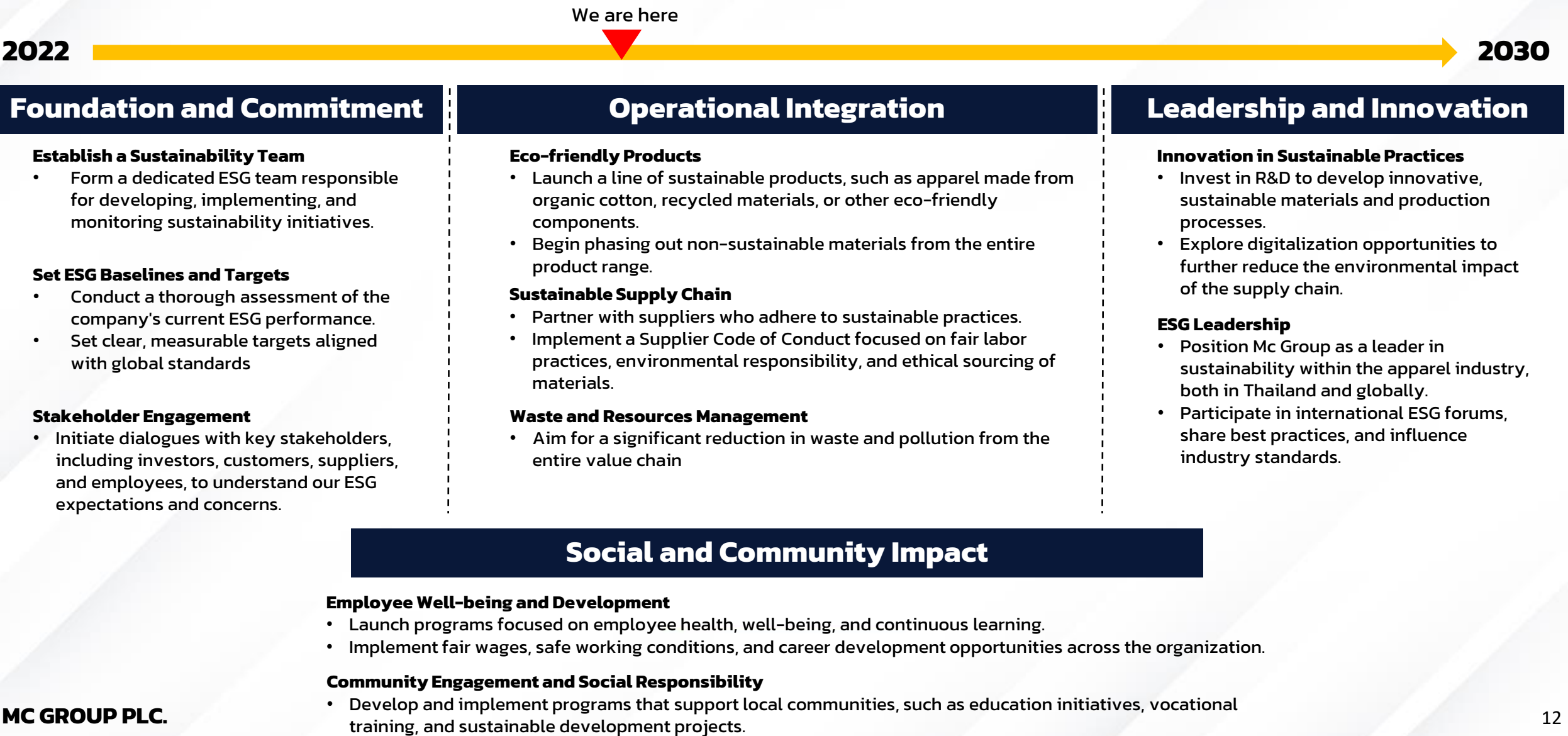
High single-digit growth
Same-Store-Sales Growth



Risks and Opportunities Presented by **Climate Change**

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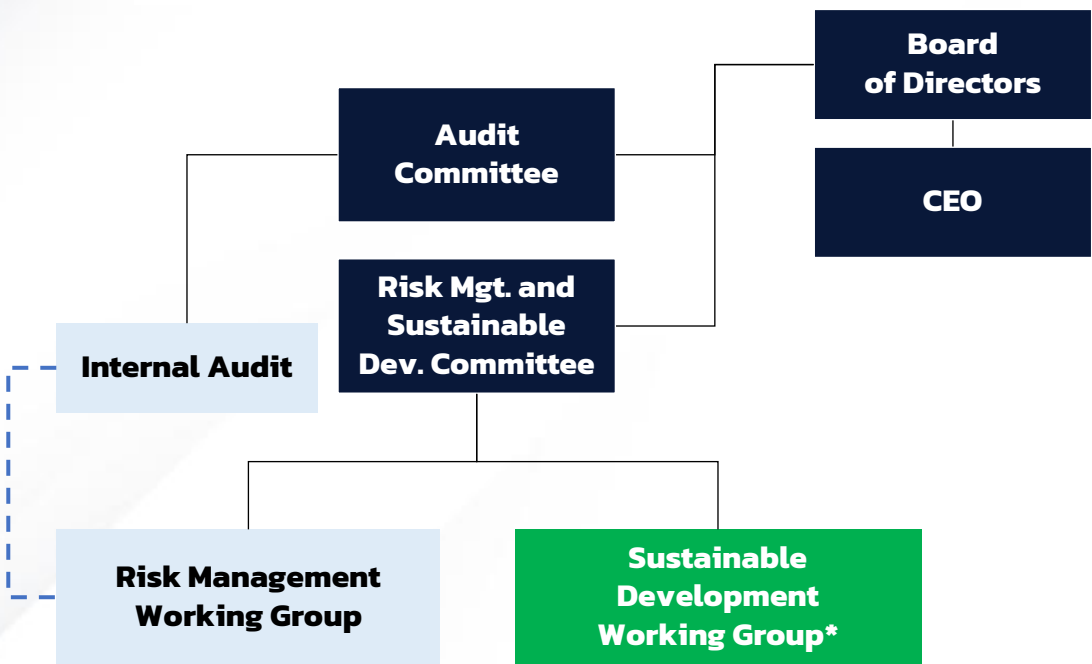
Mc's Sustainability Journey



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The Foundation and Commitment

Our ESG Governance Structure



The key roles of the ESG Governance Team:

- Strategy Development and Implementation:
- Performance Monitoring and Compliance:
- Stakeholder Engagement and Communication:

** Comprise of executives from all functions, established since 2022*

ESG VISION

**Embrace Performance
Empower Sustainability
Fashioning a Better World**

3Ps

Profit

People

Planet

COMMITMENTS

- **> 5-10% YoY revenue and profit growth.**
- **> 17% profitability margins**
- **> 90% NPS Score**
- **> 85% employee satisfaction rate**
- **100% sustainability and ethical standards.**
- **> 50% of the product portfolio** is made from or has a component of **sustainable or recycled materials** within the next 10 years.

Risks and Opportunities Presented by Climate Change

Climate Change Considerations

Mc Group recognizes the urgency of climate action, but also the need to balance environmental responsibility (Planet) with customer acceptance (People) and business viability (Profit)

Consumer Behavior Gap :
Actual purchase is limited and willingness to pay a premium remains low. Past attempts to launch green apparel faced significant challenges:

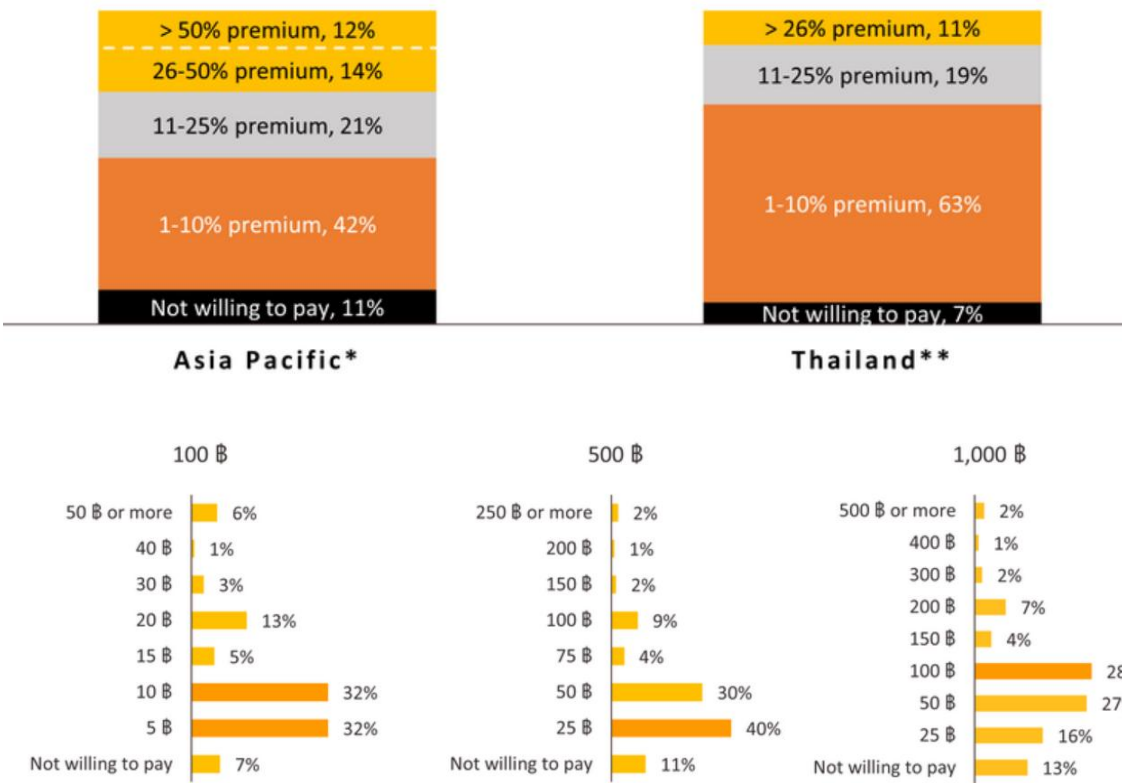
- Higher prices and lower comfort of green products compared with virgin products led to poor sales.
- Unsold eco-friendly products resulted to inventory write-off and waste, creating an unintended environmental and financial outcome.

Technology and Market Readiness :
Some solutions, though promising, **are not yet practical** for our context.

- Green materials** for apparel **are still at an early stage** — product quality and comfort do not yet match conventional fabrics, while costs remain significantly higher.
- Solar rooftops** at retail points **face landlord restrictions and space limitations.**

Regulatory Exposure :
Although carbon border taxes mainly target exporters to Europe (where Mc Group is not directly exposed), **we remain vigilant.**

Customers’ Willingness to Pay Environmental Premium” for green products confirmed by Krungsri research (May-24)



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Climate Change Key Challenges

Eco-friendly Products

- Launch a line of sustainable products, such as apparel made from organic cotton, recycled materials, or other eco-friendly components.
- Begin phasing out non-sustainable materials from the entire product range.



Key Challenge 1

Eco-Friendly Products are not Financially Friendly
(to business and end consumers)

Sustainable Supply Chain

- Partner with suppliers who adhere to sustainable practices.
- Implement a Supplier Code of Conduct focused on fair labor practices, environmental responsibility, and ethical sourcing of materials.



Key Challenge 2

Sustainable Supply Chain is Resource-Intensive Activity

Waste and Resources Management

- Aim for a significant reduction in waste and pollution from the entire value chain



Key Challenge 3

Waste and Resources Management Requires Capital Investment and Technological Advancement

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Key Challenge 1 : Eco-Friendly Products are not Financially Friendly

Strategic Actions

Cost Optimization Initiatives:

- Increase the proportion of eco-friendly, leveraging economies of scale
- Commit to larger volumes or long-term contracts.

Innovation in Sustainable Materials:

- Invest in R&D to discover and utilize more cost-effective sustainable materials.
- Collaborate with partners, universities, and startups to develop innovative, scalable solutions that reduce production costs.

Consumer Incentives:

- Offer promotional discounts, loyalty programs, or bundled deals to make eco-friendly products more accessible to price-sensitive consumers.



Short-term

Cost Equivalent to
Normal Product
Cost Structure
within 2026

10% of Sustainable
Product Sales
within 2026

>70% Sustainable
Product Satisfaction
within 2026

Long-term

Cost Improvement from
Normal Product
Cost Structure
within 2030

30% of Sustainable
Product Sales
within 2030

>90% Sustainable
Product Satisfaction
within 2030

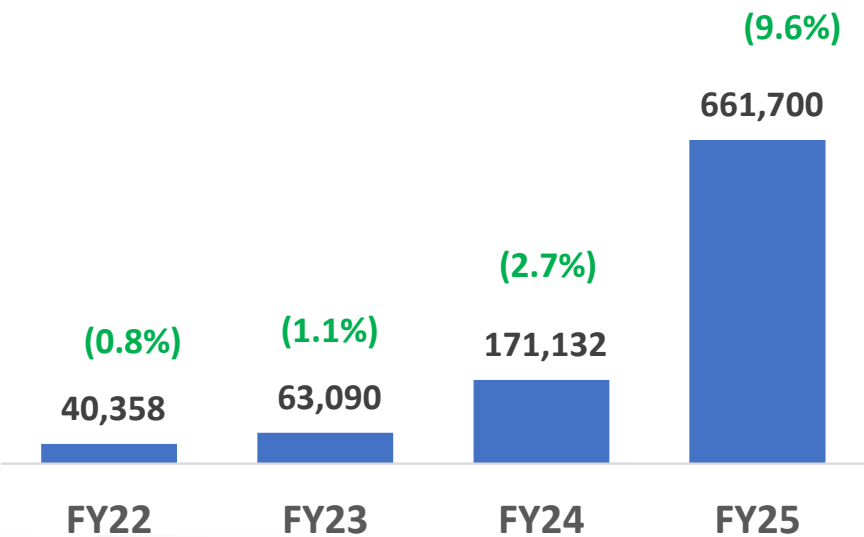


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Key Challenge 1 : Eco-Friendly Products are not Financially Friendly

What We Have Been Doing (1)

#Pieces (%) Eco-Friendly Products



- Starting from almost zero in FY22, MC initiated several green product projects,
- Aiming to reach the 30% target by FY2030



Mc Earth Friendly Collection

- Upcycled denim scraps from our factory into eco-friendly fashion product: T-shirts, shirts, sweaters, and hoodies



Filagen T-Shirt

- Innovative fabric blended with fish scales rich in collagen peptides, promoting skin health and UV protection
- Naturally biodegradable, meeting the needs of health-conscious consumers.

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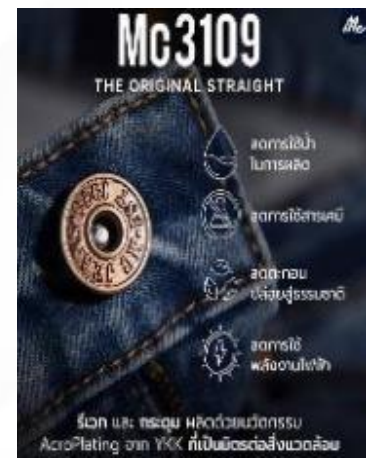
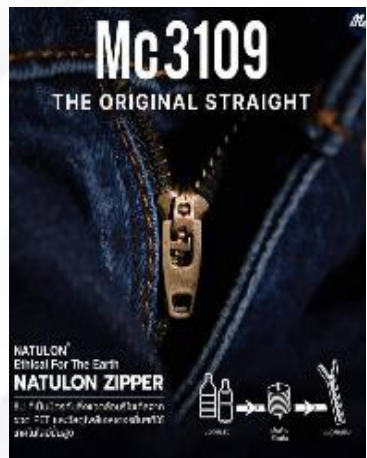
What We Have Been Doing (2)

Major Collaboration with our Partners



Eco-Friendly's Jeans Materials

- Collaborated with YKK, our major supplier, to use eco-friendly zippers, buttons, and rivets in our jeans.
- Successfully reduced the cost of these sustainable components to match that of conventional ones.
- YKK's "AcroPlating" technology **reduces chemical use by 59%, water by 66%, electricity by 69%, hazardous emissions by 92%, and greenhouse gases by 96%.**
- Starting at our "MC3109" in late HY23 and rolling for all models in FY26



More Collaboration...In progress



- MC has been supporting SC Grand, a Thailand's leader in recycling textile scraps, with our fabric scraps since April 2024 for zero waste and circular economy purposes
- Currently, MC is under the process in collaboration **with SC Grand to jointly develop T-Shirt fabric utilized recycled components from our fabric scraps from production.**
- Key Features of new fabric
 - 30% recycled content from our own factory's fabric scraps.
 - Top-dyed finish with 35% cost competitive compared to virgin cotton.
 - Internal wear-test results confirm comfort and quality.

Risks and Opportunities Presented by Climate Change

Key Challenge 2 : Sustainable Supply Chain is Resource-Intensive Activity

Strategic Actions

Supplier Audits and Training:

- Conduct comprehensive audits of current and new suppliers
- Offer training and resources to suppliers to help them meet Mc Group's sustainability criteria
- Prioritize partnerships with strong sustainability practices

Supplier Certification and Continuous Monitoring:

- Encourage and assist suppliers in obtaining recognized sustainability certifications
- Establish a continuous monitoring system, using third-party audits and regular reporting

Short-term

>70% of Suppliers Meet Sustainability Standard
within 2026

>70% of Suppliers are Audited Annually
within 2026

Long-term

>90% of Suppliers Meet Sustainability Standard
within 2030

100% of Suppliers are Audited Annually
within 2030

**"Achieving Sustainability is a team effort,
supplier's cooperation to green is key to success"**

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What We Have Been Doing (1)



Annual Supplier Meeting : Business Partner Connect

No **Business**..... Without **Products**

No **Products**..... Without **Partners**

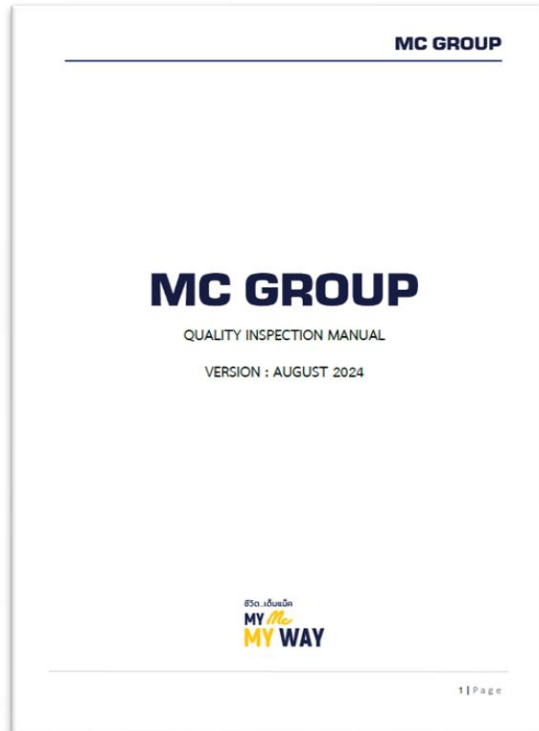


**Mc Annual Supplier
Certification and Award**

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What We Have Been Doing (2)



Code of Conduct and Supplier Standards

- Established and communicated clear standards and expectations for ethical, social, and environmental practices to all suppliers.
- Setup standard manual as guideline to control products' quality

Third-Party Supplier Auditor (FY25 Onward)

- Offer credibility and assurance to stakeholders that Mc Group meets the necessary standards.
- All suppliers must pass sustainability risk assessments, with none identified as high risk.



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Key Challenge 3 : Waste and Resources Management Requires Capital Investment and Technological Advancement

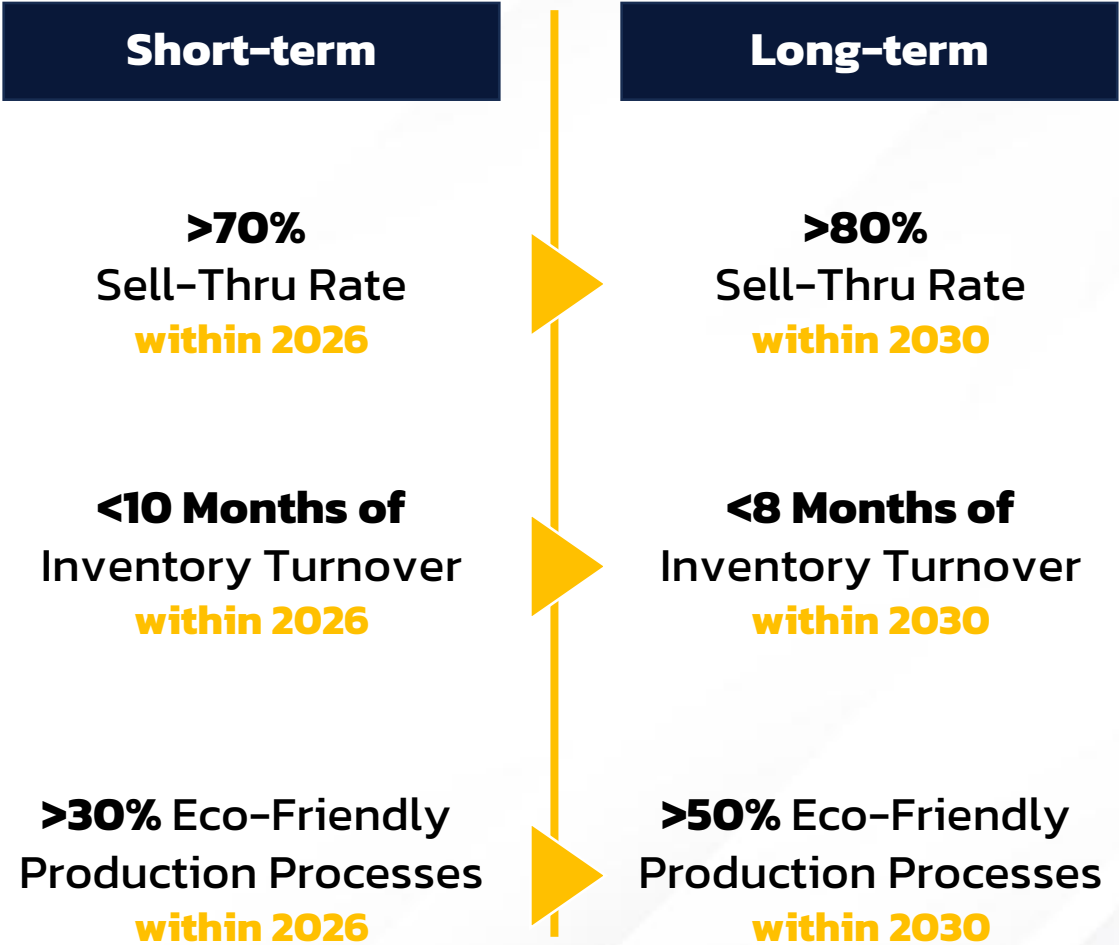
Strategic Actions

Waste Audits and Reduction Programs:

- Implement immediate waste reduction initiatives, such as optimizing cutting processes, improving inventory management, and minimizing packaging materials.
- Conduct comprehensive audits to identify and improve key waste sources.

Supplier Collaboration:

- Encourage suppliers to adopt sustainable practices, such as recycling waste materials or using biodegradable packaging.
- Work closely with suppliers to reduce waste at the source
- Provide funding and incentives for sustainability initiatives



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What We Have Been Doing (1)

Operational Excellence through Data Analytics to reduce financial and environmental risks from overproduction, contributing to continuous FG waste reduction.



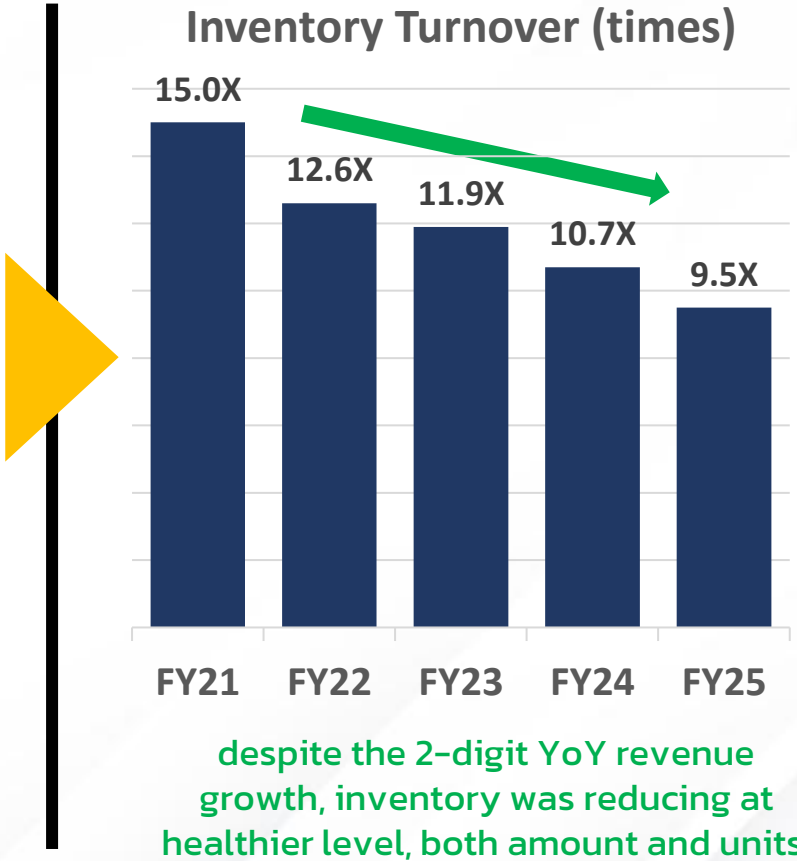
DATA ANALYTICS UTILIZATION :

clustering and sales forecasting, to improve decision-making processes.



OPTIMIZED ORDERING & PRODUCTION :

enhanced forecasting leads to more accurate predictions of demand, enabling us to order and produce clothing in optimal quantities.



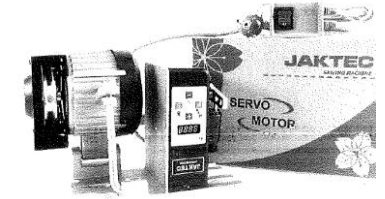
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What We Have Been Doing (2)

Waste and Resources Reservation Projects

Projects	FY23	FY24	FY25	CO ₂ Reduction (FY23-25)	Saving (FY23-25)
1. Electricity generated by Solar Roof (KwH)	209,911	370,043 +76%	453,461 +23%	517 ton CO ₂ e	5.17 M. Baht
2. Electricity savings from Compressor/Sewing M/C motor Replacement (KwH)	–	26,500	39,830 +50%	33 ton CO ₂ e	0.33 M. Baht
3. Plastic Bag Saving from No Bag Campaign (Bags)	–	0.15 M (0.9 ton)	1.4 M (8.4 ton) +852%	23 ton CO ₂ e	2.16 M. Baht
4. Water Usage (Cu.M)	43,407	32,158 -26%	33,574 +4%	8.4 ton CO ₂ e	0.34 M. Baht
5. Paper Saving from E-Form and automated workflow (sheets)	3,423	20,537 +500%	24,345 +19%	0.24 ton CO ₂ e	10,000 Baht



Risks and Opportunities Presented by Climate Change

Key Challenge 3 : Waste and Resources Management Requires Capital Investment and Technological Advancement

What We Have Been Doing (3)

Reducing Production Waste through Academic Collaboration Project with Universities



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Morphing Upcycled Denim Scraps
into Identity-Enhancing composite Wall Art

Presented by
Asst. Prof. Dr. Pongpattana Hongsamrit

Materials and Process

- Denim Scraps derived from Mc.
- Epoxy resin
- Hand-lay-up and Vacuum infusion
- Photochromic printing
- Mechanical testing

Sketch-pattern-laying-hand-lay-up-vacuum infusion

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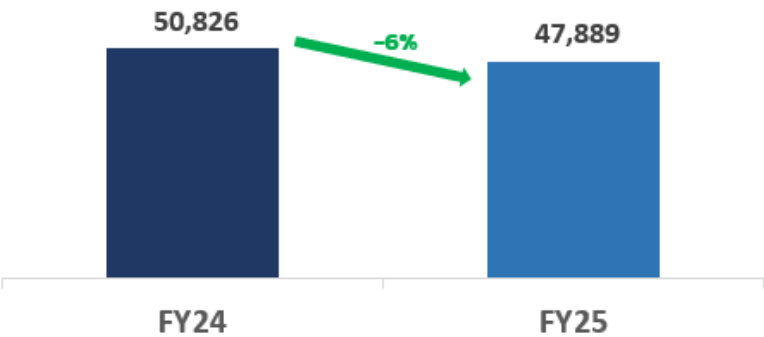
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What We Have Been Doing (4)

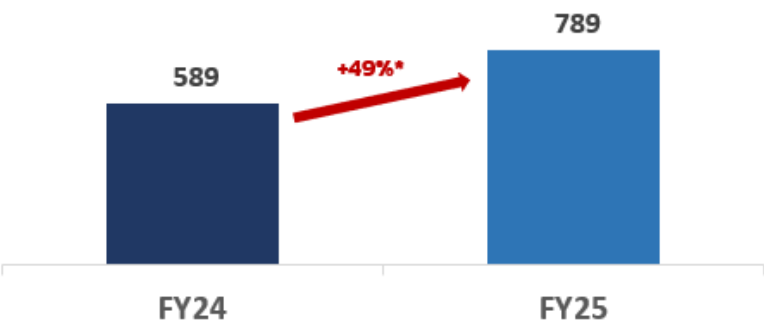
OUR CARBON FOOTPRINT ASSESSMENT (FY24-25)

Unit : (K.ton Co2e)

Scope 1+2+3 : Total direct and indirect Emission

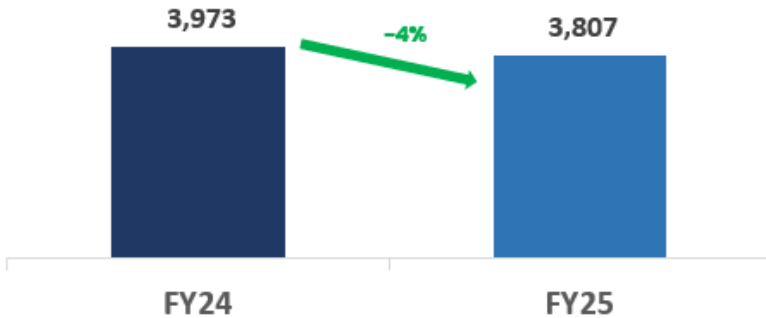


Scope 1: Direct Emissions

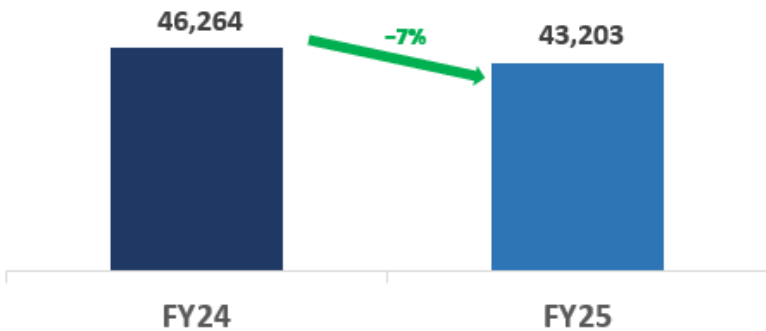


* Higher Scope1 emissions due to improved data collection (complete recording of vehicle registration numbers on fuel invoices).

Scope 2: Indirect Emissions (Purchased Energy)



Scope 3: Other Indirect Emissions



Target Carbon Neutrality
in Year 2050

Target Net Zero
in Year 2065



The Application of **Technology** and **Artificial Intelligence (AI)**

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AI Roadmap

DEFEND

Return on Employee (ROE)

Projects

- AI camera to capture receipts for expense claim
- Survey comments sentimental with AI
- AI Chatbot to serve customer
- Smart dashboard

EXTEND

Return on Investment (ROI)

- In-store Customer Analysis
- CRM Marketing Automation
- Survey Automation
- KOL Management
- Fit in a Flash (virtual try-on on mcshop.com)

UPEND

Return on the Future (ROF)

- Live commerce using AI avatar
- On-demand manufacturing with AI
- AI-driven virtual fashion & metaverse

Objectives

- Increase efficiency
- Reduce Cost and Time
- Free up Employee to reallocate

- Operational Improvement
- VM improvement
- SSSG Improvement
- Sale Incremental

- New Revenue Stream
- Future-proofing the brand

The Application of Technology and Artificial Intelligence (AI)

AI Readiness within the Organization

4 Steps framework

1. People
Building AI
Culture & Skills

- Provided 2 workshops AI101 and AI 102 (June and July 2025)
- Provide Online training 10 topics from Microsoft to all users

2. Process
Embedding AI
into Workflows

- Establish policies around data privacy, responsible AI, bias checks
- AI ROI Tracking

3. Platform
Tools, Data and
Infrastructure

- Unified AI workspace
- Data platform readiness
- Retail-specific AI solutions
- Security & Compliance

4. Leadership &
Strategy
Alignment

- AI Roadmap align with Company strategy
- Yearly Budget for AI projects

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The Application of Technology and Artificial Intelligence (AI)

A Use Case of Smart Retail Technology at Mc

SMART RETAIL



LINE Beacon + AI to invite pass by traffic become visitors.



In-Store Customer Analysis -

Understand customer demographic, conversion, interaction rate, heat map and etc.



Fit in a Flash is a virtual try-on using AI model, customer can see themselves wearing Mc product in less than a minute.



Personalization

- Personalize product offering.
- Send communication to customer on their preferred time.



Smart Survey

- Using AI to transcribe customer voice and analyze

The Application of Technology and Artificial Intelligence (AI)

Case Study of In-store AI Camera Implementation



In-store Customer Analysis with AI Camera

Data
Set

- Total visitors
- Conversion
- Dwell time
- Interaction Rate
- Avg visitors per staff
- Demographic
- Heat map
- Pass by traffic



To Improve Operations



To Increase Sales per SQ.M.

The Application of Technology and Artificial Intelligence (AI)

Case Study of In-store AI Camera Implementation

Concept Test at Flagship 2

Before



After



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A Long-term Competitiveness and Business Sustainability as **Generation Shift**

OUR SITUATION

Generation Shift and Brand Extension Ability

Mc is the Core Foundation, but **Need to Increase Up the Value Chain** as Generations Shifts



A Long-term Competitiveness and Business Sustainability as Generation Shift

Risk and Opportunity Assessment



RISK

- Current core (Gen X & Millennials) aging
- Potential decline in denim penetration if younger consumers shift to alternatives.
- Risk of brand relevance erosion among Gen Z/Gen Beta.

OPPORTUNITY

- Leverage strong brand equity in quality/value to maintain core
- Evolve positioning, design, and channel mix to capture Gen Z and prepare for Gen Beta.

A Long-term Competitiveness and Business Sustainability as Generation Shift

Strategy & Goals

SHORT TERM PRIORITIES

LONG TERM PRIORITIES

MAINTAIN



BUILD



EXPAND

Sharpen design & fit to appeal across generations
(comfort stretch, hybrid casual styles)

Maintain loyalty of Gen X/Millennials with timeless SKUs, bundled offers, CRM-driven personalization

Evolve brand narrative towards inclusivity, sustainability, and digital-first engagement

Strengthen Gen Z channels
(TikTok, live commerce, micro-KOL collaborations)

Launch innovation capsules with **ESG credibility** appealing to Gen Z values

Build community **engagement programs** to seed next generation
(co-creation, campus ambassadors)

Research Gen Beta **early signals**
(New portfolio)

A Long-term Competitiveness and Business Sustainability as Generation Shift

Recent Implementation & Outcomes

Generation shift is a material issue. Mc has demonstrated resilience in retaining its core while expanding Gen Z share

Key Actions

- Expanded presence in **TikTok and live commerce**, growing Gen Z traffic share by **+3 ppts YoY**
- Loyalty CRM campaigns** retained high repeat rate among Millennials (**retention stable at ~47%**)
- Introduced **timeless and modern SKUs**, achieving **sell-through +8%** vs. classic core styles
- Youth-focused promotions** (student pricing, bundle packs) delivered higher basket size among Gen Z shoppers

Comparative Analysis

Metric	FY24	FY25	Commentary
Gen Z Contribution	18%	21%	+3 ppts, driven by channel and assortment fit
Millennial Retention	48%	47%	Stable; loyalty campaigns effective
Gen X Contribution	29%	27%	Slightly lower but stable spend/basket size

THANK
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