

Zad Holding Company (ZHCD)

- > Net profit remained largely unchanged at QR63mn (+0.3% YoY, +49.6% QoQ) in 4Q2023, as increased finance and zakat costs offset the impact of higher operating profit. For FY2023, net profit rose by 0.6% to QR195mn.
- > Operating revenue fell by 8.2% YoY (-32.6% QoQ) to QR303mn in 4Q2023 while for FY2023, it increased by 2.4% YoY to QR1,410mn.
- > Gross profit was down by 5.8% YoY (+20.1% QoQ) to QR109mn, while the margin rose to 36.0% (+0.9ppts YoY, +15.8ppts QoQ) in 4Q2023. For FY2023, gross profit increased by 9.8% YoY to QR357mn.
- > Operating profit of QR90mn came higher by 8.7% YoY (+66.2% QoQ) while corresponding margin came at 29.8% (+4.6ppts YoY; +17.7ppts QoQ) in 4Q2023. For FY2023, operating profit grew by 12.7% to QR257mn.
- > For 4Q2023, EPS came at QR0.22 vs. QR0.22 in 4Q2022. while for FY2023, EPS was QR0.68 vs QR0.68 in FY2022.

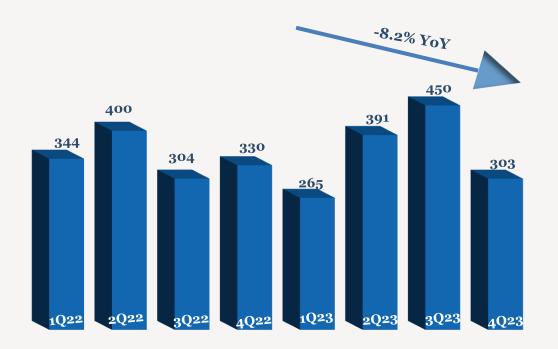
- > **As of 18th March 2024, the stock has increased 9.3% YTD, outperforming** the QSE index, which was down by 4.9% YTD.
- > The stock is currently trading at a TTM P/E multiple of 22.8x, higher than its 3Y historical average of 22.0x.
- > The Board announced a DPS of QR0.65 for 2023 which translates into a yield of 4.4%.

4Q/FY 2023 Earnings Performance

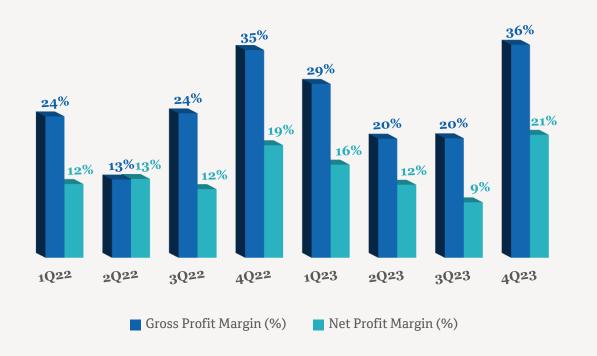
	4Q2023	4Q2022	YoY	3Q2023	QoQ	FY2023	FY2022	YoY
Operating Revenue	303	330	-8.2%	450	-32.6%	1,410	1,377	2.4%
Gross Profit	109	116	-5.8%	91	20.1%	357	325	9.8%
Gross Margin %	36.0%	35.1%		20.2%		25.3%	23.6%	
Operating Profit	90	83	8.7%	54	66.2%	257	228	12.7%
Operating Margin %	29.8%	25.1%		12.1%		18.2%	16.5%	
Net Profit to Equity	63	63	0.3%	42	49.6%	195	194	0.6%
Net Margin %	20.8%	19.0%		9.4%		13.8%	14.1%	
EPS (QR)	0.22	0.22	0.3%	0.15	49.6%	0.68	0.68	0.6%

Note: Values are expressed in QR'mn unless explicitly stated

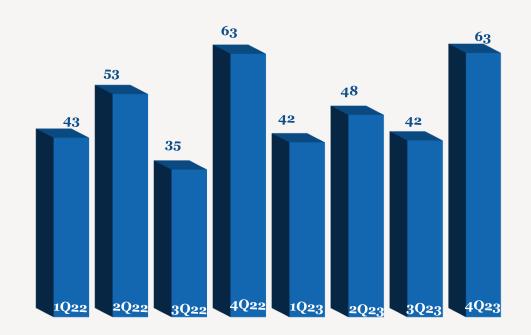
Quarterly Revenue Trend (QRmn)



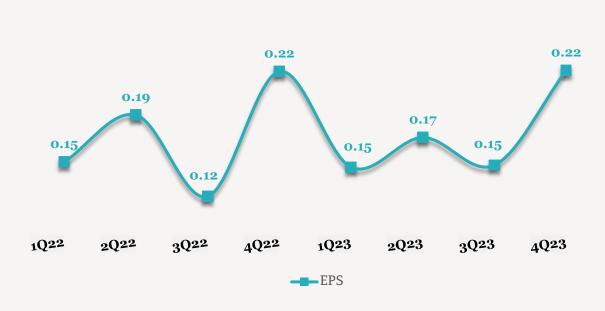
Quarterly Margin Trend



Quarterly Earnings Trend (QRmn)



EPS (QR) Trend



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