### VALUE CREATION WITH STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING OPPORTUNITY FOR COST ACCOUNTANTS

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### Key Role of MSMEs in Indian Economy (Pre-Covid Era)

- Nearly 7 crore enterprises were operating across the country
  - Uttar Pradesh ~ 15% units followed by West Bengal & Tamilnadu, Maharashtra
- 1.4 crore MSMEs are registered under MSMEDA, 2006 with Udyam
  - 1.3 crores MSMEs were registered with Udyog Aadhar
- Always had a pivotal role in development of Indian Economy
  - 16% of total bank borrowings
  - Provided 45% of industrial output
  - Accounted for 40% of total exports
  - Employed 35% of domestic workforce
  - Had grown faster than economy @ 10%
  - Contributed towards 30% of national GDP



### Niche Domain of MSMEs – Over 80K Recognised Start-ups

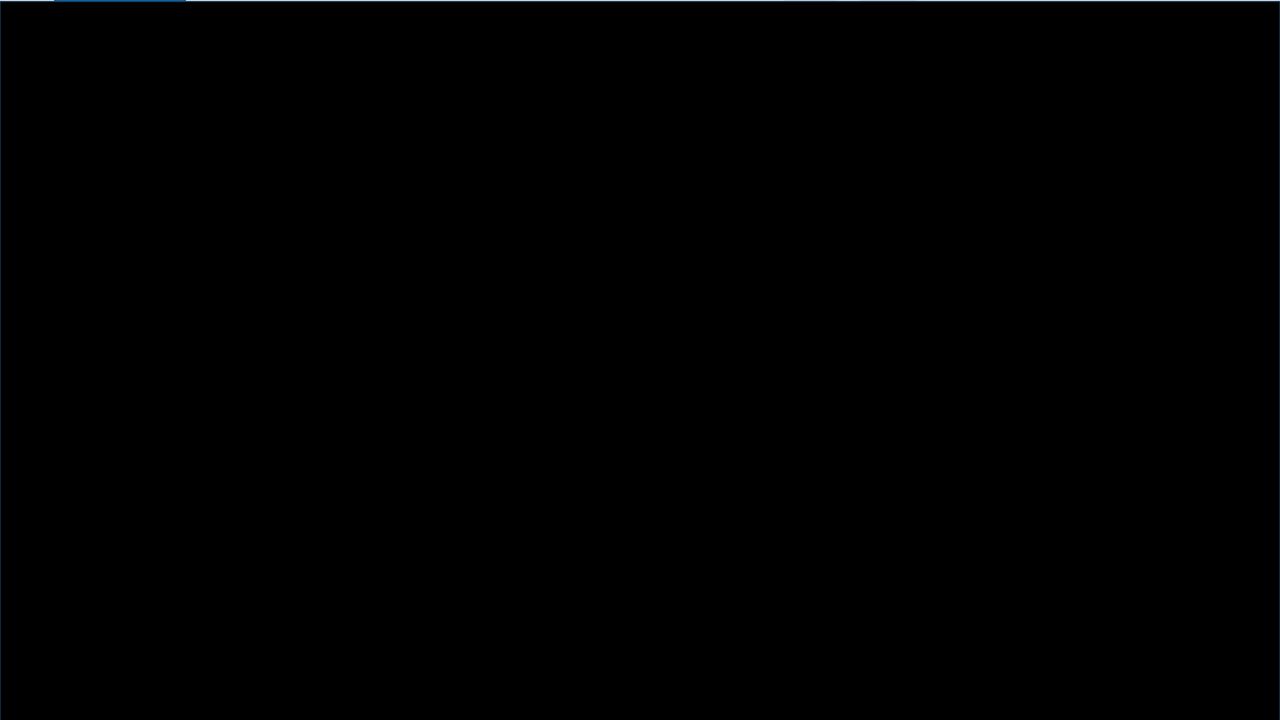
### India has emerged as the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest eco-system for start-ups

Government launched "Start-up India Program" with 100+ schemes

### Key Requirements of Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade

- Eligible entities ~ Registered Partnership Firm / Limited Liability Partnership / Private Limited Company
- Maximum 10 years from incorporation
  - Should not be formed by splitting up / reconstructing existing business
- Annual turnover of less than Rs 100 crores since inception
- Innovative approach as well as scalable business model with a high potential to create wealth & employment







Phoenix had shown the way by <u>Rising From Ashes</u> CMAs helped Companies to survive in <u>Covid-19 Crisis</u>

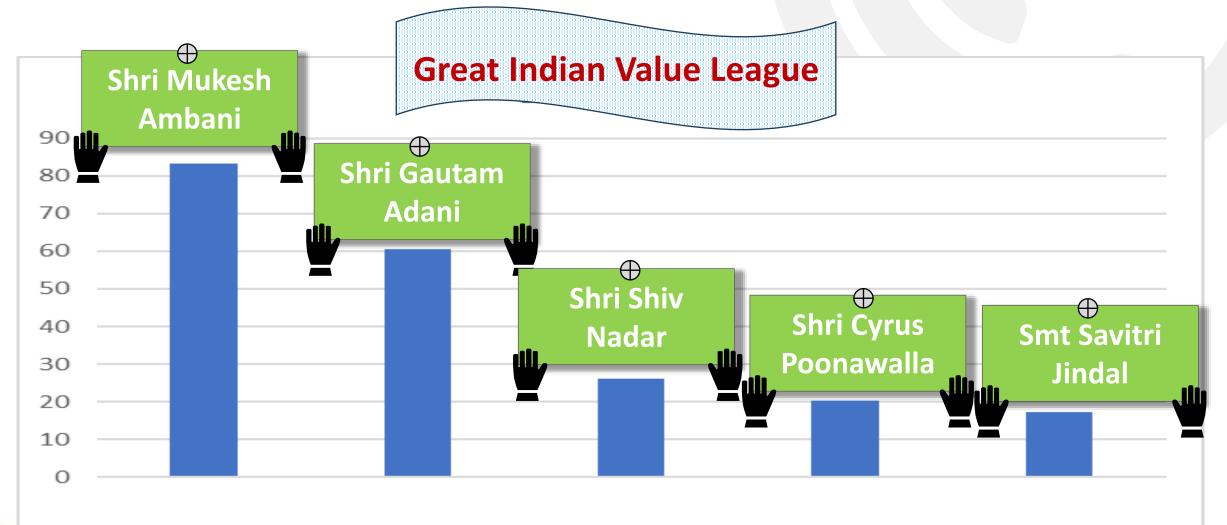


### **Amazing Valuation for Start-ups in Capital Markets**



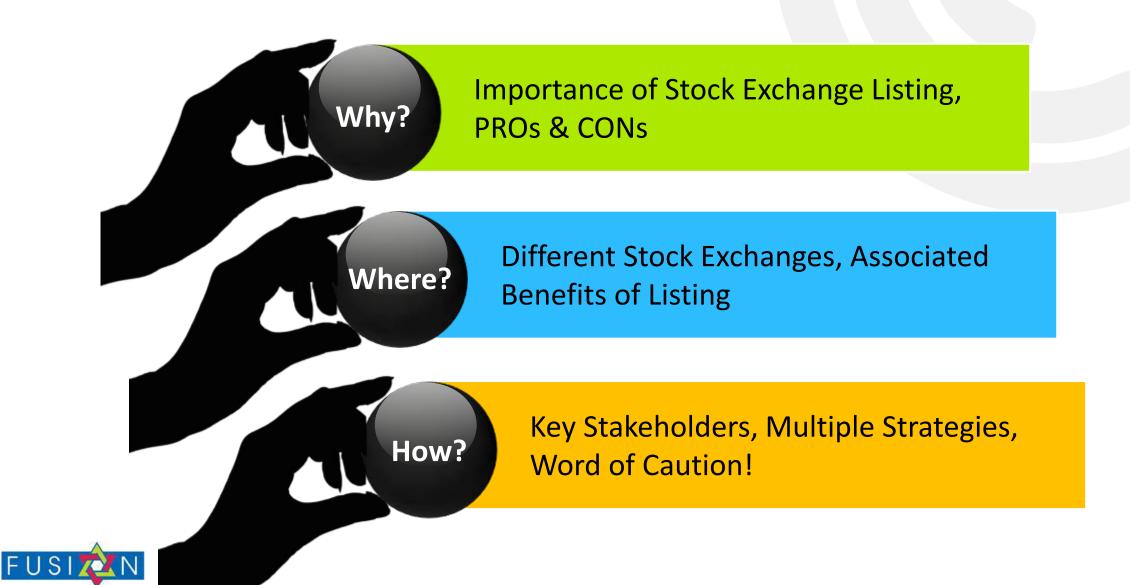
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### **Big Daddy Also Enjoyed The Game**





### Agenda – Value Creation with Capital Markets

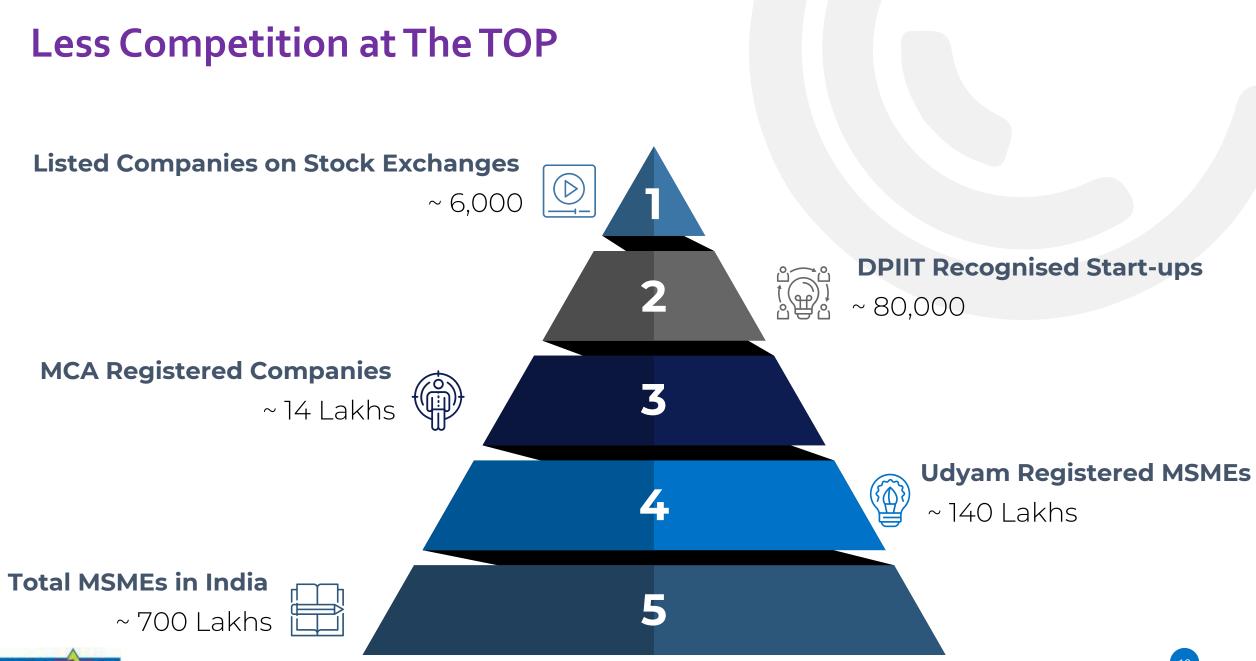


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### **Unlisted vis-à-vis Listed Companies**



#### UNLISTED COMPANY

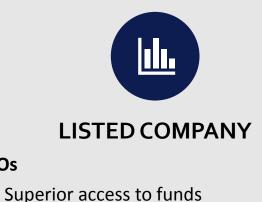
#### PROs

- Relatively less compliances
- Maximum secrecy with less disclosures
- Complete control over operations & less
  public interference

#### CONs

- Challenges for growth
- Limited access to funds
- Entire risk is with the Promoter





• Superior access to funds

**PROs** 

- Efficient risk management strategy
- Faster growth with market capitalisation **CONs**
- Low secrecy due to periodic disclosures
- More statutory compliances and penalties for non-compliances
- Higher interference of shareholders



### Long Term Wealth Creation with Listing





# WHERE TO GET LISTED?



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## **SEBI Registered Stock Exchanges**

#### EQUITY / EQUITY DERIVATIVES



- National Stock Exchange (NSE) Mumbai
- Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) Mumbai
- Metropolitan Stock Exchange of India (MSEI) - Mumbai
- Calcutta Stock Exchange (CSE) Kolkata

- Multi Commodity Exchange Mumbai
- Indian Commodity Exchange Mumbai
- National Commodity & Derivatives Exchange - Mumbai
- India International Exchange GIFT City
- NSE IFSC GIFT City, Gujarat



COMMODITY / CURRENCY / DEBT



### **NSE is Undisputed Leader with Nearly 90% Market Share**



#### NATIONAL STOCK EXCHANGE

- Nationwide
- Established in 1992
- Flagship Index Nifty
- India's largest exchange
- 1600+ listed companies
- SME platform NSE Emerge

#### BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

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- Nationwide
- Established in 1875
- Flagship Index Sensex
- Asia's oldest exchange
- 4700+ listed companies
- SME platform BSE SME





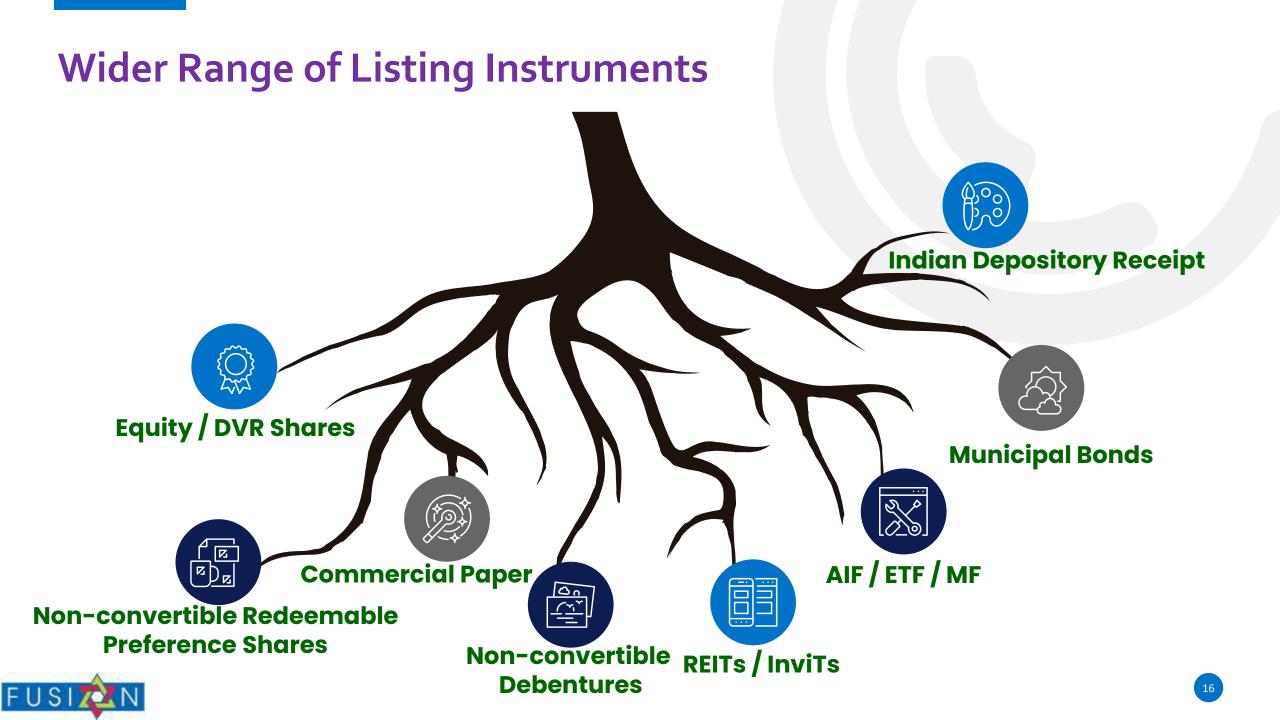
- Nationwide
- Established in 2008
- Flagship Index SX40
- India's newest exchange
- 300+ listed companies
- No SME platform



#### CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

- Regional
- Established in 1908
- Flagship Index N.A.
- Second oldest exchange
- 2000+ listed companies
- No SME platform





### **Supreme Benefits of Listing**

- Listing is a "Virtue"
- Direct access to funds
- Improved brand equity
- Attracting to VC / PE funds
- Tax benefits with listing status
- Better liquidity for shareholders
- Efficient risk distribution mechanism
- Facilitating inorganic growth with M&A
- Promoting innovation & entrepreneurial spirit
- Accelerating growth engine to move to next levels





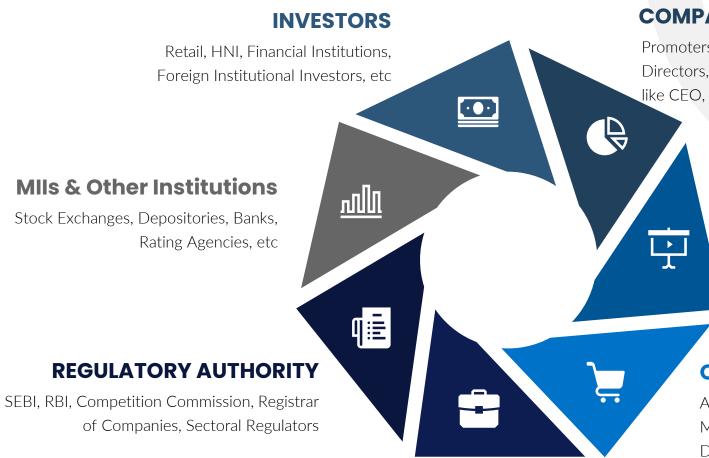
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### **Key Stakeholders For Successful Listing**



#### **PROFESSIONALS**

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Auditors, Chartered Accountants, Cost Accountants, Company Secretaries, Lawyers, Valuer, Investment Banker,

#### **COMPANY AND ITS MANAGEMENT**

Promoters, Shareholders, Board of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel like CEO, CFO, CS, etc

#### **SEBI REGISTERED INTERMEDIARIES**

Merchant Banker, Underwriters, Registrar & Transfer Agent, Market Makers, Brokers, etc

#### **OTHER AGENCIES**

Advertisers, PR Agency, IR Advisors, Media Planners, Printers, Courier / Despatch Agency, etc



### Successful IPO = Preparation + Execution + Timing



# **Listing Without IPO**

### • Direct Listing

 Migrating from regional stock exchange to the Nationwide Stock Exchange

### Demerger

- Splitting a company to multiple companies
- Reverse Merger
  - Listed company merging with unlisted company
- Takeover under Insolvency Code
  - Acquiring company under CIRP through IBC
- Open Offer under SEBI Takeover Code
  - Acquisition with the permission of SEBI
- Listing on Innovators' Growth Platform
  - Special platform to list recognized start-ups





### Innovator Growth Platform vs. SME Exchange vs. Main Board

Particulars	IGP	SME Exchange	Main Board
Listing through IPO	Optional	Mandatory	Mandatory
Need of Intermediaries in	Not Needed	Mandatory	Mandatory
this process – Merchant			
Banker, Underwriter, etc			
Observations / Clearance	SEBI	Stock Exchange	SEBI
Given by			
Paid-up Share Capital	Rs 10 crores	Upto Rs 10 crores – On SME Exchange	Rs 10 Crores
		Rs 10-25 crores – Optional	
Minimum number of allottees	50	50	1000
Minimum Application Size	Rs 2 Lakhs	Rs 1 Lakh	Rs 10,000
Minimum Trading Lot	Rs 2 Lakhs	Rs 1 Lakh	No minimum limit
Market Making	Not required	Mandatory	Not required
Reporting Frequency	Quarterly	Half Yearly	Quarterly
Cooling Period to trade on Main Board	1 Year	2 Years	Not Applicable
Minimum Lock-in of Promoters' Stake	6 Months	3 Years	3 years



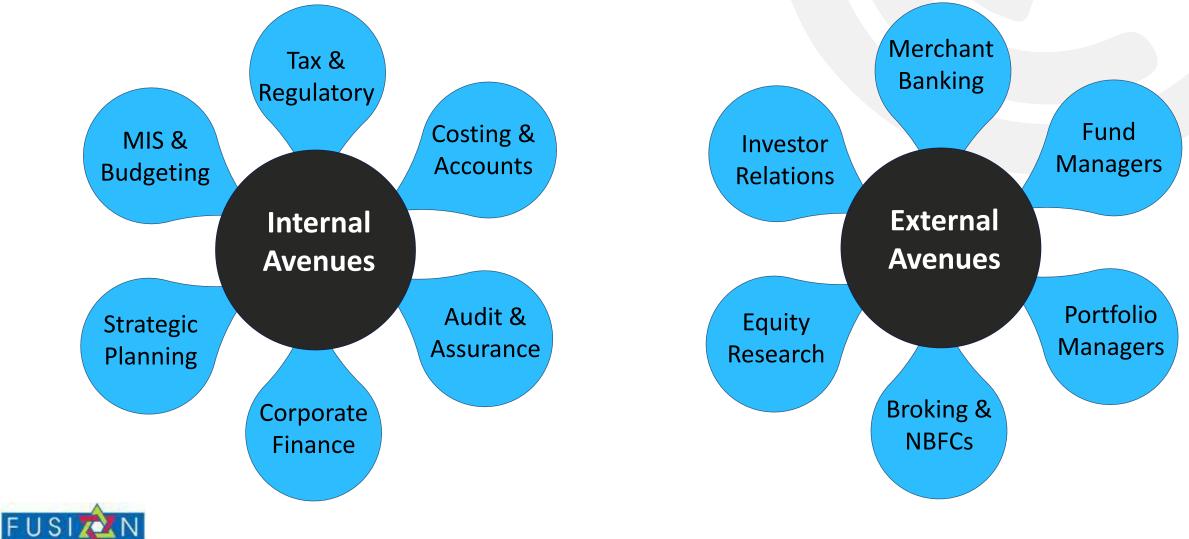
### Word of Caution !!

- Company to be listed only if there is a suitable growth plan
  - Investors' have high expectations
- Corporate Governance adds value.
- Choose stock exchange wisely
  - Even strategy for listing is very crucial
- Very high penalties are prescribed by regulators for violations
  - Timely compliance is essential
- Have a team with proven track record
  - "Trial and Error" approach may result in delay besides wastage of resources
- Follow the trends and time it well





### **Huge Growth Opportunities For Cost Accountants**



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