

## GOBI 2024 Q3 Operational Report GOBI JSC

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## **COMPANY OVERVIEW**

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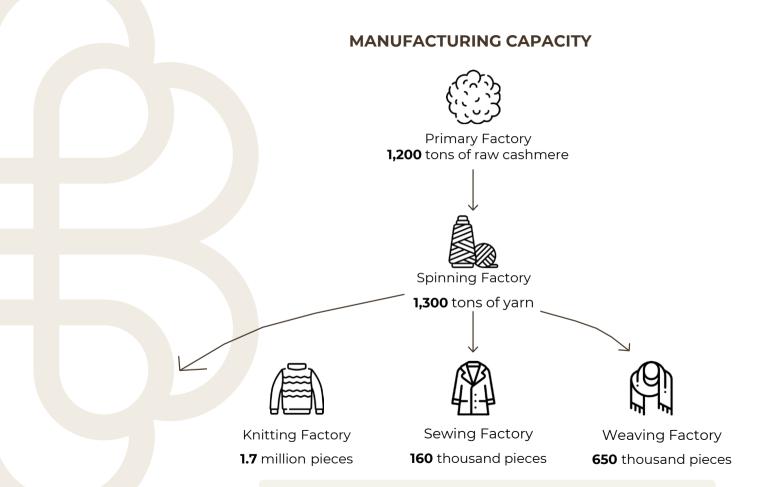


**Gobi JSC** is a pioneering national company that produces 100% Mongolian cashmere products. It combines the craftsmanship that has been passed down through centuries with modern, advanced manufacturing technologies to deliver comfortable and durable designs to its customers. We work in collaboration with nomadic herders and responsibly manufacture all our products at our factory in Ulaanbaatar.

Gobi JSC has about 1,700 employees, of which more than 70% are women. The company proudly creates jobs within the country and has been delivering the softest and most luxurious cashmere products to the world for 43 years.



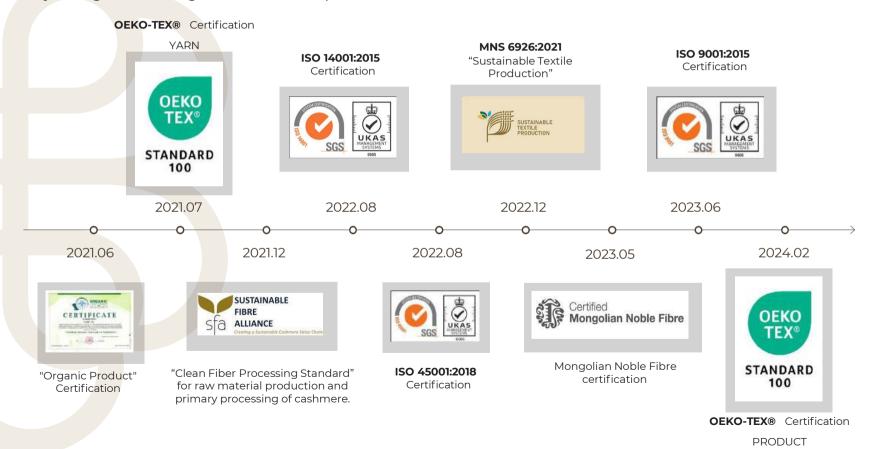




#### CERTIFICATIONS

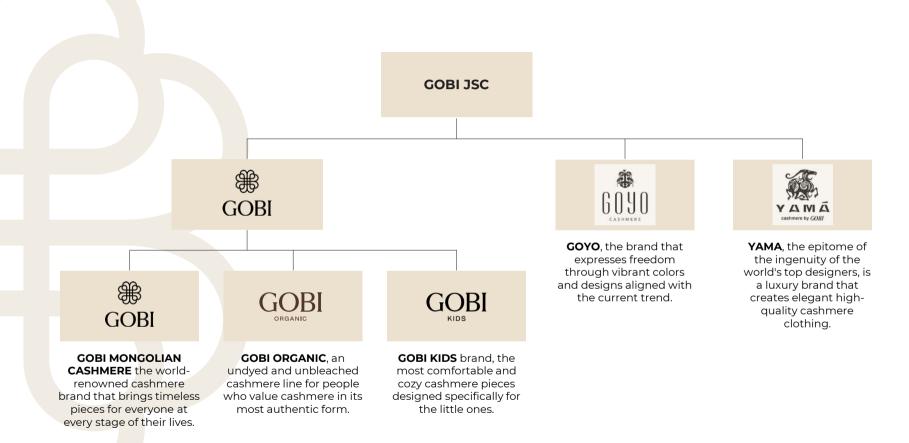


We continually enhance our management system to meet both Mongolian and international standards to deliver globally recognized Mongolian cashmere products to our customers.



#### **BRAND ARCHITECTURE**





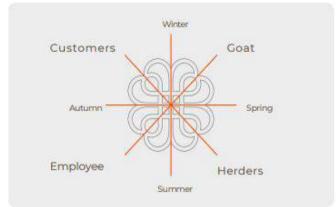
#### REBRANDING



In 2024, we initiated a rebranding effort aimed at expanding our brand recognition and market presence in the international market. On July 2, we revealed the new look of the GOBI brand, updated our logo, and introduced the brand's first-ever symbol.







The new GOBI symbol represents the key participants in the process of creating cashmere products.

Truly Mongolian.

#### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS AND HIGHLIGHTS



#### **First Quarter**



We studied the production lines and sewing technologies of South Korean knitting factories.



Signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Mongolian-Korean Polytechnic College as part of the Gobi Academy initiative.



On March 1, the official ceremony for appointing the new CEO was held, where Amarsaikhan B. was appointed as the CEO.



Successfully launched the SAP S/4 HANA ERP system.



Received the OEKO-TEX STANDARD 100 certification for ready-made products for the first time in Mongolia, with support from UNIDO.



Signed a cooperation agreement with the Asian Development Bank (ADB) to implement the pilot project "Establishing Sustainable Pasture Management Groups to Adapt Herders to Climate Change."



Organized a company-wide staff meeting to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the light industry.



The Internal Control Laboratory was accredited as a certified testing laboratory.

#### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS AND HIGHLIGHTS



#### **Second Quarter**



Held the annual general meeting of shareholders on April 29, where the company's financial and operational report and the Board of Directors' activity report were presented, and new members of the Board of Directors were elected.



Successfully installed and launched the BIGAGLI spinning machine, the world's leading advanced technology, in the spinning factory, increasing production capacity.



The "Flagship Store" or the Factory store underwent a renovation and re-opened with a refreshed appearance. An official opening ceremony was held, and attendees toured the factory to observe the product creation process.



Rebranding efforts started at the beginning of the year, aimed at increasing international brand recognition and expanding the market. GOBI introduced its new logo and brand identity.

#### **Third Quarter**



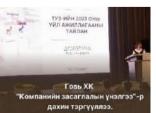
Organized factory tours for shareholders, where company leaders and representatives from the Board of Directors welcomed shareholders and discussed the company's operations.



Implemented MES (Manufacturing Execution System) and Conveyor Belt System in the production process, marking a first in Mongolia's light industry history.



The Minister of Food, Agriculture, and Light Industry J. Enkhbayar visited Gobi JSC's factory to get acquainted with its operations.



According to the Financial Regulatory Commission's semi-annual review, Gobi JSC achieved 98.6% compliance with the corporate governance code, maintaining its leadership position among publicly traded companies.

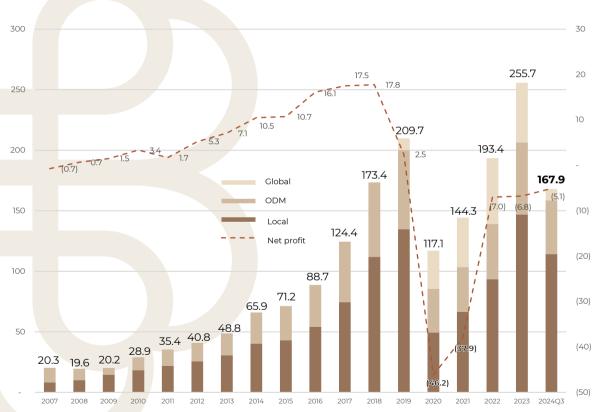




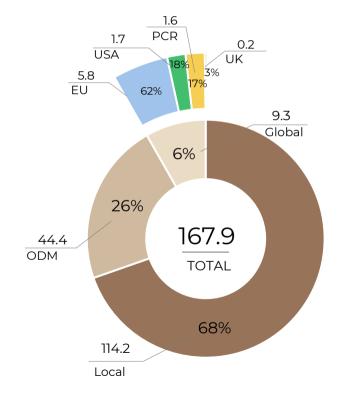
# FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL RESULTS







## SALES REVENUE BY SEGMENT /in billion MNT, %/



#### FINANCIAL RESULTS OVERVIEW



		2023.09.30		2024 <b>.0</b> 9 <b>.30</b>	
INDICATOR	Unit	Actual	Actual	Change	
		ACtual	Actual	Amount	%
SALES REVENUE	million MNT	166,376	167,916	1,541	1%
Local	million MNT	103,615	114,208	10,593	10%
ODM	million MNT	39,860	44,394	4,534	11%
Global	million MNT	22,901	9,315	(13,586)	-59%
Units Sold	thousand units	740	726	(14)	-2%
COST OF GOODS SOLD (COGS)	million MNT	86,584	95,073	8,489	10%
GROSS PROFIT	million MNT	79,792	72,843	(6,949)	-9%
Gross Margin	%	48%	43%		-5%
Operating Expenses	million MNT	58,066	53,270	(4,796)	-8%
OPERATING PROFIT	million MNT	21,725	19,573	(2,153)	-10%
Operating Profit Margin	%	13%	12%		-1%
Non-Operating Income (Expense)	million MNT	(1,641)	299	1,940	118%
Pre-Tax Profit	million MNT	(2,881)	(2,996)	(115)	-4%
NET PROFIT	million MNT	(3,883)	(5,098)	(1,215)	-31%
Net Profit Margin	%	-2%	-3%	*	-1%
Total Operating Expenses	million MNT	144,650	148,344	3,693	3%
PRODUCTION VOLUME	thousand units	757	790	33	4%
Knitted Products	thousand units	545	517	(28)	-5%
Woven Products	thousand units	186	251	64	35%
Sewn Products	thousand units	26	23	(3)	-13%
Coat	thousand units	13	12	(1)	-6%
Blazer	thousand units	4	4	(O)	-1%
/arn	tons	204	164	(40)	-20%
NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES	people	1,668	1,656	(12)	-1%
Revenue per Employee	million MNT	100	101	2	2%
INVESTMENTS	million MNT	3,162	15,561	12,399	392%
TOTAL LIABILITIES	million MNT	337,462	352,261	14,799	4%
Bank Loans	million MNT	258,908	280,246	21,337	8%
TOTAL ASSETS	million MNT	337,462	347,450	9,988	3%
Inventory	million MNT	163,243	155,512	(7,731)	-5%
MARKETING EXPENSES	million MNT	13,548	4,744	(8,805)	-65%
Of this: Global Marketing	million MNT	12.051	3.519	(8,533)	-71%

#### FINANCING INFORMATION



		Maturity Date	2023.12.31		2024.09.30	
Name	Currency		/in thousand currency/	/in thousand MNT/	/in thousand currency/	/in thousand MNT/
Bank Loans						
Golomt bank (Long-Term Loan)	MNT	2025	-	13,333,333	-	5,833,333
Calarat hank (Cradit Lina)	MNT	2026	-	48,950,000	-	9,600,000
Golomt bank (Credit Line)	USD	2026	-	-	\$ 2,527	8,545,35
Golomt bank (Short-Term Loan)	MNT	2025	-	-	-	9,500,000
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Khan bank (Credit Line)	MNT	2025	-	6,500,000	-	2,000,000
Khan bank (Long-Term Loan)	MNT	2024	_	4,202,775	-	
Khan bank (Short-Term Loan)	MNT	2024	-	10,000,000	-	
XAC bank (Credit Line)	USD	2026	-	-	\$ 11,840	40,032,46
XAC bank (Short-Term Loan)	MNT	2024	-	16,666,667	-	
XAC bank (Short-Term Loan)	MNT	2025	-	-	-	10,000,000
Arig bank (Short-Term Loan)	MNT	2024	-	14,500,000	-	
ADB	USD	2026	-	-	\$ 18,000	60,860,160
ADB	USD	2026	\$ 12,000	40,928,280	\$ 12,000	40,573,440
IIB	EUR	2027	€ 8,000	30,333,280	€ 8,000	30,109,520
IIB	EUR	2027	€ 14,000	53,083,240	€ 14,000	50,691,660
Total Bank Loans				238,497,575		280,245,926
Bond Financing						
Bond (Short-Term Loan)*	USD	2025	_	-	\$ 3,250	10,988,640
Total Financing				238,497,575		291,234,566

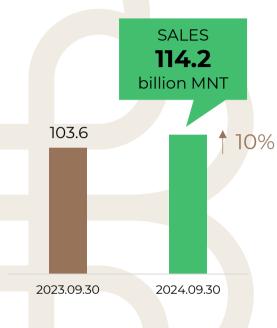
<sup>\*</sup>As part of the financing activity for the "Gobi Bond 2" project, Gobi JSC received approval on April 23, 2024, from the authorized body to issue a \$16.8 million bond with a 12-month term and an annual coupon rate of 8.5% for the purpose of working capital, refinancing, and investments. As of September 30, 2024, Gobi JSC has raised \$3.25 million of this bond from investors.

#### MongolBank Exchange Rates /MNT/

	2023.12.31	2024.09.30
USD	3,410.69	3,381.12
EUR	3,791.66	3,763.69

#### LOCAL MARKET





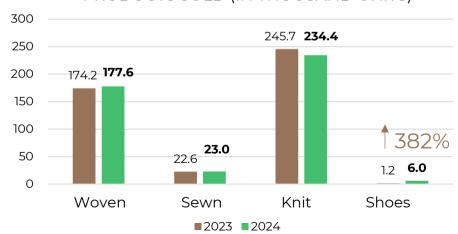
Local market sales in Q3 2024 reached 114.2 billion MNT, reflecting a 10% increase compared to the same period last year.

#### **SALES COMPOSITION**



By September 30, 2024, the sales composition of the local market showed that **46%** of the revenue came from tourist sales.

#### PRODUCTS SOLD (IN THOUSAND UNITS)



In terms of product sales, shoe sales saw a significant growth of **382%**, with a total of **6,000** pairs sold.





A new dry cleaning and repairing service branch was opened in the Khan-Uul branch of E-Mart.



In **January 2024**, a VIP event was held to introduce the **FW24 collection** to key clients and travel agency executives.



In **February 2024**, following customer feedback from the collection introduction event, we implemented changes in-store by displaying full **Styling Window** looks for products.

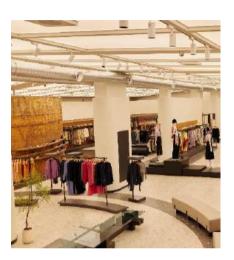


**POS (Point of Sale)** systems across all stores were upgraded.





Successfully held a tourism season opening event for 217 guests, including tour guides, drivers, and travel company representatives. During the event, we introduced collaboration plans and shared information.



The **Flagship store** located next to the factory underwent **major renovations**.



The official **Flagship Store reopening** ceremony was held in **June 2024**, where a runway show was organized in the factory to showcase the connection between the store and the production process.



A **tunnel** connecting the **factory to the Flagship Store** was constructed and put into operation.

#### LOCAL MARKET



#### Rebranding campaign

As part of the **rebranding** efforts, 143 illuminated billboards, posters, and LED screens with the new logo were placed in **Central Stadium**, planned to be displayed until June 30, 2025.









The exterior and interior signage of the **Flagship** store and the **Galleria** branches were updated with the new branding.



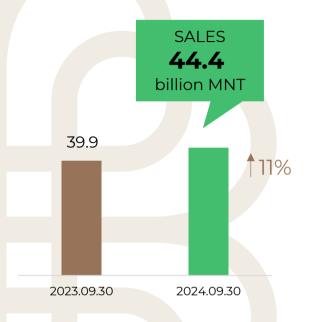






#### **ODM MARKET**





As of Q3 2024, the export market supplied products to 37 clients, generating sales of 44.4 billion MNT, which represents an 11% increase compared to the same period last year.



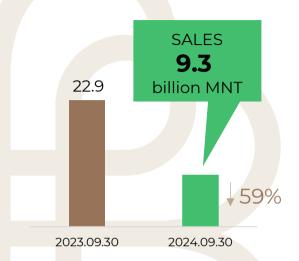
As of Q3 2024, Gobi JSC was operating **10** franchise stores in **9** cities across **5** countries



The ODM Sales Department, in collaboration with factory management teams, worked on productivity enhancement by studying the production line, sewing, and ironing technologies at a knitting factory in South Korea. This effort aims to increase productivity in the factory.

#### GLOBAL MARKET

## GOBI \*



In 2024, the focus was on reducing marketing expenses and shifting towards branding efforts to support organic growth. This year, the company prioritized improving profitability over revenue growth. As of the third quarter, the company successfully reduced its marketing expenses by 71%, which resulted in a 59% decline in sales but cut the overall loss by 50% compared to the same period last year.





#### NPDI x GOBI COLLABORATION

Since 2023, Gobi has been collaborating with SEO (Search Engine Optimization) companies to improve organic brand search and has implemented phased measures.

Starting from January 2024, Gobi initiated a partnership with NPDI Agency, and together they conducted new keyword research, implementing it into their strategies.

90,000+

Characters worth of text content were added

40+

Online meeting and conferences were held

150+

Tasks and improvements were implemented on the website

+96.9%

Increase in the number of top 10 keywords

+49.1%

Increase in organic traffic

#### GLOBAL MARKET



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#### Key partnerships in Q1 - Q3 of 2024:

Influencer
Digital Magazine
Celebrity
Media & Press
Social Media

Blog Others

Customer Satisfaction
Survey Results

PR: 97, Internal: 32 Rollacoaster: 1

VIP: 4

Online: 92 Paper: 10

Instagram: 139 posts/552 stories

Facebook: 143 posts/274 stories

Tiktok: 38 posts Linkedin: 34 posts YouTube: 59 posts Pinterest: 68 posts

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N1 Survey (Top 50 customers)

Rebranding campaign (Gifting for Top 14 influencer)

03.18-04.20 (86.5%) 06.20-07.20 (87.0%)







@Pamelaandersson, 3.4M Celebrity







GOBI IN Q1-Q3 OF 2024

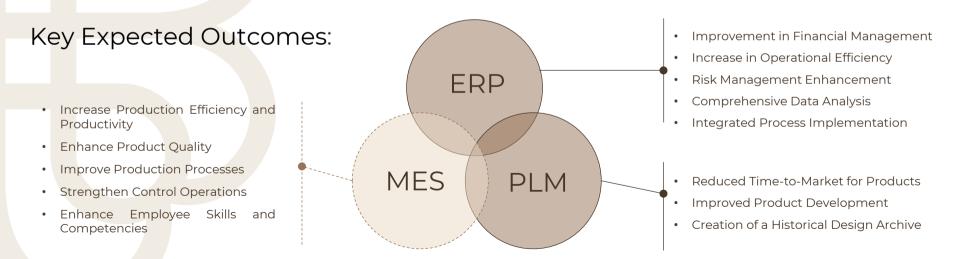
#### SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT AND DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION



The company expanded its system modernization efforts in 2023 by introducing the **Product Lifecycle Management (PLM)** system. By **March 2024**, the **SAP S/4 HANA Enterprise Resource Management (ERP)** system was successfully implemented and began to be used in operations.

Furthermore, the preparatory work to introduce the INA Manufacturing Execution System (MES) started in July 2024, with plans to begin operational use in January 2025.

With the introduction of this system, Gobi JSC's knitting and sewing factories will see significant improvements in productivity, real-time production process tracking, real-time operational control and oversight of production activities. unit profitability and manufacturing quality and availability of up-to-date production data.



#### COLLABORATION WITH A WORLD-RENOWNED DESIGNER





#### GOBI & ORGANIC FW 24/25

- In total 7 presentations over 4 days for a total of 107 guests including company employees, VIP customers, shareholders, representatives of tourism companies and partner companies.
- We plan to release the FW 24/25 collection to the market at the start of Q4 2024.

During Third Quarter, the following collections were introduced to internal staff and are planned to be released in the first quarter of 2025:

- Cashmere Reborn
- Responsible Cashmere
- Gobi SS25
- Organic SS25 Collection

We continue to collaborate with designer Giorgio Spina to develop the Gobi FW 25/26 collections.



#### In Q1-Q3 of 2024 we introduced the following to our customers:

- 4 main collections, 12 capsule collections;
- 9 new product types

#### Collections and Products Introduced to Customers in the First Quarter



LUNAR NEW YEAR
CAPSULE COLLECTION



TRENDY COATS
CAPSULE
COLLECTION



WOMEN'S DAY CAPSULE COLLECTION



LIGHT BEINGS SS24 ORGANIC COLLECTION



SPORT CASUAL CAPSULE COLLECTION



GOYO FW 23 PART 2



CASHMERE KNITTED SNEAKERS NEW COLOR CHOICES



CASHMERE CAPS



"MYTHICAL BEINGS" PRINTED SHAWL



CASHMERE SNEAKERS NEW DESIGN CHOICES



#### Collections and Products Introduced to Customers in the Second Quarter









GOBI LIGHT BEINGS SS25 COLLECTION



NEW BORN CAPSULE COLLECTION



CASHMERE REBORN
CAPSULE COLLECTION



KIDS SS24 COLLECTION



COLLABORATIONS WITH ARTISTS



CASHMERE BALLERINA FLATS



NEW TYPE OF EMBROIDERED BLAZERS



NAADAM 2024 CAPSULE COLLECTION



#### Collections and Products Introduced to Customers in the Third Quarter



CASHMERE LOAFERS



ORGANIC F/W 24-25 "SEE THROUGH" COLLECTION



CASHMERE MULE



KIDS CASHMERE BOOTS



"GALAXY STARS" PRINTED SHAWL

#### **DESIGN DEVELOPMENT**

## GOBI #

#### HIGHLIGHTS











#### Runway

- Tourist Season Opening
- 90th Anniversary of the Light Industry Establishment
- Mongolian fashion week
- Flagship Store Grand Opening Runway Show

#### **Styling**

- New Collections Released for Sale
- Series of Styling Video Content

#### **DESIGN DEVELOPMENT**



#### **CUSTOM ORDER HIGHLIGHTS**



## We have completed various honorific commissions from the President's Office, including gifts for:

- · The Royal Family of the King of Bhutan during their visit
- President of the Lao People's Democratic Republic
- President Alexander Lukashenko of the Republic of Belarus
- Nurlanbek Shakyev, Chairman of the Parliament of the Kyrgyz Republic
- · President of the Republic of Korea
- Amina J.Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations
- The First Lady of the Kyrgyz Republic
- The President of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam
- The President of the Swiss Confederation
- · The President of Slovenia

#### **DESIGN DEVELOPMENT**

## GOBI ₩

#### **NEW INITIATIVES**











- In 2023, we began developing 100% cashmere caps, which were introduced to the market in the first quarter of 2024.
- We launched new thick, seamless designs based on the Whole Garment 8L machine.
- In the second quarter of 2024, we introduced Vulcanized Sole Sneakers and Cashmere Ballerina Flats. The Cashmere Ballerina Flats feature breathable technology, allowing for excellent air circulation and preventing overheating, which has been highly appreciated by customers.
- We are currently developing a new type of product, a cashmere bag.
- For the Gobi FW 24/25 collection, we developed and released three new style for draping.
- We introduced Kids Cashmere Boots and Cashmere Mule shoes with sheepskin lining and vulcanized soles to our customers.

#### CONTENT DEVELOPMENT













**Third Quarter** 

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GOBI FW, Naadam Collection, Cashmere shoes, Bundle activations, Tennis looks, Back To School

COLLECTION AND ACTIVATION PHOTOSHOOTS

Rebranding, Package, In-Store communication, Roll-Out

**REBRANDING** 

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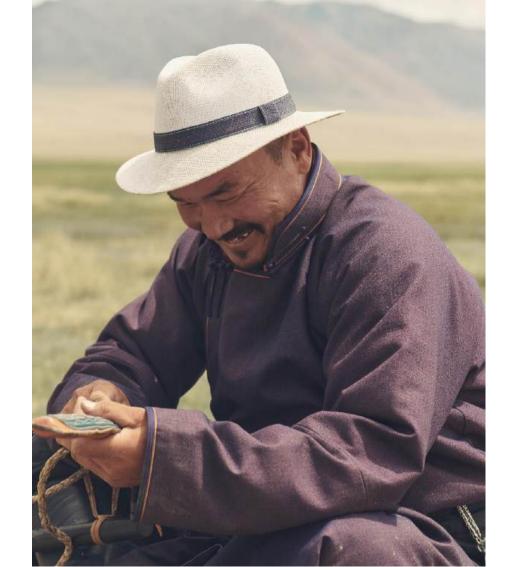
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STANDARD PHOTOSHOOTS

Videos and stills

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**GRAPHIC DESIGN TASKS** 





## GOBI \*

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT



We added a section on sustainable development to the "New Employee Training" program and started conducting biweekly trainings by the Sustainable Development Division.



The company implemented a "Plan to Eliminate Single-Use Items" across all locations and provided permanent utensils, dishwashers, sanitizers, and other necessary products at five sites.



We signed a cooperation agreement with the Asian Development Bank to implement a "Pilot Project for Climate Change Adaptation for Herder Communities and Sustainable Pasture Management."



We successfully participated in the "Global Sustainable Natural Fibers" conference organized by the China Association for the Promotion of Internation (CAPIAC) in Beijing, China.



As part of our sustainability consulting services, we organized training sessions in collaboration with SBC on "Sustainable Development and Marketing," and with PWC on "International Legal Trends."



UN Resident Coordinator Tapan Mishra visited Gobi JSC and held a business meeting with CEO B. Amarsaikhan. During the meeting, he praised the company's vision and mission and discussed the potential to enhance the development of Mongolian herders and increase the value of Mongolian livestock.



Gobi JSC also successfully participated in the "Workshop on Green Business Models," organized by the Asian Development Center in the People's Republic of China, where we learned about implementing sustainable green business models.



During the "Natural Fibers 2024" international conference, Gobi JSC sponsored the "Best Female Herder" award, which honors women's equal participation in the cashmere industry and their contributions to household livelihoods and benefits.



Members of Gobi JSC's Board of Directors and leadership participated in training on the following topics:

- Sustainable development policies to mitigate the effects of climate change;
- Corporate social responsibility, human rights, and gender issues;
- Sustainable product development and international trends.

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#### **ENVIRONMENT**



We are collaborating with the RCS organization to assess greenhouse gas emissions from organizational activities at scopes 1, 2, and 3, and at the product's Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) level.



We received a five-year certification for the detailed environmental impact assessment reports for Gobi JSC and Goyo LLC.



We obtained a five-year special permit for the export, import, cross-border transport, production, use, and sale of hazardous chemicals.



We submitted a request to the relevant authorities to safely dispose of expired chemicals, which were destroyed under supervision.



According to the environmental monitoring program, quarterly monitoring of soil and air was conducted.

- Soil testing was conducted at 5 locations to analyze microbiology and heavy metals, based on the MNS:5850 standard
- Air quality was monitored at 5 locations, in accordance with MNS:4585 standards, and the results remained within acceptable limits.





#### "Wastewater Treatment Plant Reconstruction Project"

One of the major investments Gobi JSC made in 2024, in compliance with environmental laws and sustainable development goals, was the construction of a new wastewater treatment plant.

This new plant is designed to process 228 cubic meters of wastewater per day and will use L2-level MBBR technology under the MNS 6561 standard, with full automation planned.



#### **SOCIETY**

"Sustainable Cashmere - Trilateral project"



Products made from cashmere collected from herders participating in the "Sustainable Cashmere Tripartite Project" are now being sold in the European market under the "Responsible Collection" label.



In the Jinst soum of Bayankhongor province and the Ikh-Uul soum of Khuvsgul province, Gobi JSC conducted washing and disinfection operations to prevent parasitic diseases in rams, as part of the project. Disinfectants were also distributed to participating herder households to maintain livestock health.



We conducted a sampling of cashmere from participating herders, categorized by age and gender of the goats. The samples are being analyzed in the laboratory, and the results are being reported.



In collaboration with the working group of the UNDP-supported ADAPT project, we introduced the quality and standard requirements for cashmere to cooperatives in the provinces of Khovd, Zavkhan, Sukhbaatar, and Dornod.



In the second year of the project, we have successfully purchased cashmere directly from the herders, acquiring approximately 10 tons. This has created a foundation for increasing herders' income.



During the "State-Private Sector Partnership 2024" exhibition, organized under the ADAPT project, Gobi JSC signed a memorandum of understanding with the project's leading cooperatives to sustainably supply raw materials that meet quality standards at market prices.



We organized a training session for herders on "Gender Equality" and distributed informational posters on "Gender-Based Violence."



A video documenting the project activities has been compiled and prepared to be presented to the public.



#### **SOCIETY**

"Stakeholder Engagement Plan"



As part of the "Stakeholder Engagement Plan," we organized a meeting with representatives of raw material supplier cooperatives under the theme "Sustainable Raw Materials" and held a discussion.



In the framework of this initiative, we installed an "Information Board of Gobi JSC" in the 3<sup>rd</sup> khoroo of Khan-Uul, providing citizens with transparent and accessible information.



We also delivered detailed information to residents of the 3rd khoroo, Khan-Uul district about the "Gobi JSC Social Health and Safety Impact Assessment Procedure" as part of the Stakeholder Engagement Plan.



### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

## GOBI \*

### MANAGEMENT SYSTEM









Gobi JSC has become the first company in Mongolia to receive the international "OEKO-TEX STANDARD 100" certification for finished products. This standard indicates that the main materials of Gobi JSC's finished products, such as cashmere yarn and buttons, do not have adverse effects on human health or cause allergies when in direct contact with the skin.

As part of our commitment to sustainable development, our company has fully met the criteria for the following Integrated Management System standards:

- ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System Standard
- **ISO 45001:2018** Occupational Health and Safety Standard
- ISO 9001:2025 Quality Management System Standard

We successfully renewed our certification for the third consecutive year in **2024**.

Gobi JSC is working to implement the **USDA/NOP** international standard to certify the raw cashmere as organic.

In **July 2024**, we conducted a "Gap Analysis" in collaboration with herders participating in the "Sustainable Cashmere Tripartite Project" and provided consulting services to ensure the execution of corrective action plans.

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



### COMPLIANCE MANAGEMENT

#### POLICIES AND REGULATIONS COMPLIANCE

We have started a **policy and regulations compliance** initiative to improve and simplify the company's internal procedures, aiming to reduce employee challenges and make processes more accessible and effective.

### Reports Submitted via the Whistleblowing System

Source	Category	Repetition
	Suggestions and Requests	9
	Communication Conflicts	13
	Labor Relations Complaints	5
Whistleblowing	Violations of Personal Rights	2
system- <b>25</b>	Workplace Harassment Complaints	1
• Written - 1	Discrimination Complaints	1
• Phone – <b>7</b>	Code of Conduct Violations	2
• Other channels– <b>4</b>	Misuse of Funds, Materials, or Resources	2
	Violations of Internal Policies	1
	Unsubstantiated Complaints	1
Total: 37	Resolution Rate: 100%	

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

- A new risk management team has been appointed.
- Across the organization, 424 risks were successfully managed according to the risk management response plan, with 289 risks remaining after semi-annual monitoring. The overall risk level decreased to a MEDIUM level, with a score of 4 out of 7.
- In the semi-annual risk assessment, 104 new risks were identified and registered, bringing the total to 393 risks, with an average risk level score of 7. We will continue to update our risk management plans to reduce the risk levels.
- During the first half of the year, we conducted two sudden risk assessments. Specifically, a sudden risk assessment related to "Animal welfare" was carried out, and guidelines to follow during demonstrations were approved and communicated to the store staff in Germany. Additionally, a risk assessment for raw material shortages related to harsh winters was conducted.
- Training sessions to improve the organization's knowledge and understanding of risk management and Business Continuity Management (BCM) are planned for the second half of the year.
- We are conducting a more detailed analysis and paying special attention to ethical compliance risks. The "Business Continuity Plan" was introduced to all employees. Teams were appointed to develop five BCP plans, and an introduction to BCP management and Gobi JSC's BCP policies and procedures was provided. These planning teams meet regularly at a set time each week.

## OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY



### **OBJECTIVE:** Zero Accidents – Maintain and Improve Employee Health, Preventing Occupational Diseases

Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate	Number of incidents *1,000,000 /Total hours worked/	LTI Frequency	
, ,	0*1,000,000/6,385,200 person- hours	0.0	

Lost Time Injury-Free Days:	481 days /1,650 employees/		
Lost Time Injury-Free Hours:	6,385,200 person-hours		
Counting Starting Date:	2023.05.12		
Most Recent Date:	2024.09.30		

#### OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY TRAINING

In accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) Law of Mongolia and Order No. A/173 of the Minister of Labor, general knowledge and certification training sessions on occupational health and safety were successfully conducted.

As of September 30, a total of **2,729** employees received **16,479** person-hours of training.



## OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY





During the cashmere procurement season, **23** employees, including procurement, raw materials managers, quality assurance, drivers, and laboratory staff, were vaccinated against tick-borne infections to prevent such illnesses.



In collaboration with the Institute of Traditional Medicine and Technology and the Labor Union, **60 employees** in need of treatment and recovery will be annually admitted to the Ulaanbaatar Sanatorium for non-pharmaceutical therapy and rehabilitation in 2024.



To support the health of employees, **22,965** mineral supplements were distributed to **334** employees over the course of one quarter.



The annual occupational health and safety campaign was successfully conducted **from April 26 to May 17**. Activities included "Job Hazard Analysis," "Safety Share," "Content Creation Competition," and "Skilled Team" competitions.



Water quality testing was conducted at 69 locations in accordance with the MNS 9000:2018 standard. The results showed that 95.6% of the samples met the hygienic standards for clean, safe drinking water, free from microbial contamination.



The 2024 health checkups were planned in two stages. As of the end of Q3, a total of **657 employees** had participated in the checkups.



To protect employee lives and health, regular inspections were carried out for workplace environmental safety, including chemical safety monitoring, inspections of high-risk tasks, daily safety checks, and fire and equipment safety inspections.



Gobi JSC has begun conducting periodic health assessments for employees to support their health and prevent illnesses caused by unfavorable working conditions. So far, a total of **46 employees** have undergone these assessments.



In **efforts to enhance employee skills**, two occupational health and safety (OHS) engineers and 2 hygienists attended training at the Occupational Safety and Health Center, and 2 employees completed ISO Lead Auditor training courses.



As part of our corporate social responsibility, on September 3, 2024, Gobi JSC organized a **Donor Day** in collaboration with the National Blood Transfusion Center.



### Total number of employees



1,706

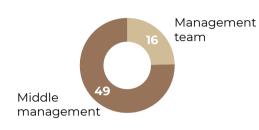


Male - 30% Average age: 32



Female - **70%** Average age : **37** 

### Management team





Male **40%** 



Female **60%** 

## **Employee Locations**



Mongolia - 1,693 (99%)

- Ulaanbaatar **1,660**
- Darkhan 3
- Khentii 30



International - 13 (1%)

- USA **1**
- EU **12**

Employees on Maternity Leave



**329** 

Average Age of Employees



**35** 

## GOBI \*

#### RESPONSIBLE HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT



To alleviate traffic congestion, balance work and rest time, and implement a child protection policy, we are now in our third year of applying a flexible working hours system for **more than 500** office employees.



Additionally, to balance work and rest time and enforce child protection policies, **24 knitwear workers** with infants and preschool-aged children are working reduced hours at the knitting factory.



Under the "Health at Gobi" policy, which supports the physical, mental, and financial well-being of employees, we partnered with MIG Insurance LLC to provide voluntary health insurance at discounted rates for 50% of our employees, or 637 employees, and their families.

This allows employees to use the insurance service for health check-ups, diagnostics, hospitalization, or home treatment, enabling them to resolve financial issues and prevent potential health risks.

## GOBI \*

#### SKILLED WORKER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



### Certification Training at the Khentii Branch Factory

To prepare skilled workers for the light industry sector, we signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with the Mongolian-Korean Polytechnic College (MKPC). Under this MoU, we organized certification training for 30 employees of the Khentii branch factory to become skilled knitwear workers/seamstresses.



One-Year Training Program for Skilled Workers in Collaboration with MKPC:

As part of the MoU with MKPC, we are systematically conducting training programs to prepare skilled workers and employees with certification. For the 2024-2025 academic year, 30 employees are being trained in the "Knitwear Production Technology" and "Garment Manufacturing" departments. During their studies, employees are provided with paid work, allowing them to further their knowledge and eventually become skilled workers.



### TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT





1.32 person-hours

TOTAL TRAINING EXPENSES



288.7 million

Number of training sessions

279

Number of employees trained

2,093

International Training

· 6 training sessions

· 14 employees

• Expense: 36.3 million MNT

**External Training** 

· 68 training sessions

· 226 employees

· Expense: 325.3 million MNT

Internal Training

• 193 training sessions

· 1,818 employees

· Expense: 0 MNT

Scholarship Program

**Training** 

· 4-year bachelor's degree program

· 5 employees

• Expense: 20.1 million MNT

Khentii Branch Factory

Training

 12 competency certification training sessions, totaling 96 hours

• 30 employees

• Expense: 6.9 million MNT

## GOBI \*

### **ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**



HELD 3X3 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP HELD



2023 TRIP FOR BEST EMPLOYEES OF THE YEAR



GOBI JSC EMPLOYEE RECEIVED
A STATE HONOR



1,243 PEOPLE PARTICIPATED THE GOBI FACTORY TOUR.



EMPLOYEE FAMILY DAYS



CAREER DAYS
CELEBRATION



SPINNING FACTORY
EMPLOYEES VISIT JAPAN



GOBI LEADERS MEETING





AWARDS CEREMONY TO RECOGNIZE THE SKILLS AND LABOR OF OUR EMPLOYEES



TABLE TENNIS COMPETITION



**E-SPORT COMPETITION** 



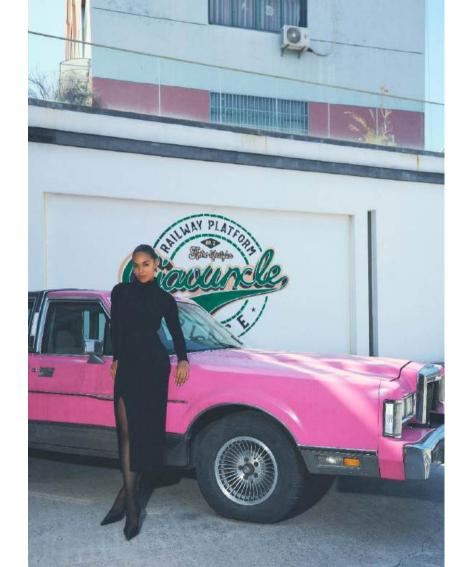
SKILL DEVELOPMENT HACKATHON COMPETITION







ON OUR 43RD ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION, OUR TOP EMPLOYEES RECEIVED NURA MONGOLIA GIFT CARDS WHILE ALL EMPLOYEES RECEIVED FLOWER GREETINGS.

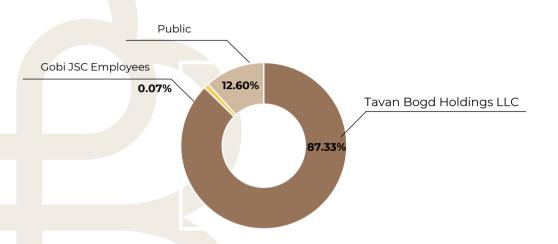




# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

## SHAREHOLDING STRUCTURE





TOTAL ISSUED SHARES

780,112,500

TOTAL NUMBER OF SHAREHOLDERS

24,868

as of 2024.09.30

### Changes in the Structure of Major Shareholders

Name	2023.12.	31	2024.09.30		
	Number of Shares	Ownership Percentage	Number of Shares	Ownership Percentage	
Tavan Bogd Holdings LLC	400,140,072	51.29%	681,267,736	87.33%	
Hide Intert LLC	265,238,300	34.00%	-	-	

Tavan Bogd Holdings LLC is the parent company of Tavan Bogd Group. Tavan Bogd Group is a leading Mongolian conglomerate, operating in 8 core business sectors with 22 subsidiaries and 3 investment companies, employing more than 12,000 people.

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

## GOBI \*

### INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS



D.GERELMAA

Chairwoman of the Board, Risk and audit committee member, Nomination committee member

PROFESSOR OF THE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT, UFE



A.JARGALMAA

Chair of Risk and audit committee,
Remuneration committee

Member GAPE, ACCA Senior Lecturer and Program Leader, GAPE academy



**D.KHURELBAATAR** 

Chair of the Nomination committee, Chair of the Remuneration committee



**B.TSEENYAM** 

Anand Resource LLC, General Manager

### **DIRECTORS**



Ts.BAATARSAIKHAN

Nomination committee
member

President of Tavan Bogd

Group



Ts.ORGILBOLD

Deputy CEO & Executive VP of Gobi JSC and CEO of Gobi Cashmere Europe LLC



**D.KHULAN** 

Chairwoman of Tavan Bogd Group



**N.MUNKHBAT** 

Risk and audit committee member CFO of Tavan Bogd

Holdings LLC



**B.AMARSAIKHAN** 

CEO of Gobi JSC

## MAJOR CHANGES IN THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD

Due to the resignation of Board Director E. Purevlkham at his own request, B. Tseenjam has been temporarily appointed as an Independent Director until the 2025 AGM, as per the board's resolution on September 10, 2024

## **BOARD COMMITTEES**



### Risk and audit committee

### **Functions:**

- Oversee and guide the effectiveness of the company's financial and economic control systems.
- Oversee and guide the effectiveness of the internal control, compliance, and risk management systems.
- Facilitate interaction with independent audit organizations and ensure the implementation of legally mandated functions.

### Nomination committee

#### **Functions:**

- Ensure the stability of succession planning for key officials (KO), including board members, the CEO, and other management team leaders.
- Define and oversee the job descriptions and contract terms of KOs.
- Evaluate and monitor the performance and activities of KOs, providing direction and guidance.

### Remuneration committee

### **Functions:**

- Determine and oversee the implementation of policies regarding the salaries and incentives for key officials.
- Define and monitor the company's salary and incentive policies, plans, and programs.

### Composition:

Chair:

A.Jargalmaa

Members:

D.Gerelmaa

N.Munkhbat

### **Composition:**

Chair:

D.Khurelbaatar

Members: D.Gerelmaa

Ts.Baatarsaikhan

### **Composition:**

Chair:

D.Khurelbaatar

Members: A.Jargalmaa

## MANAGEMENT TEAM





CEO **B.AMARSAIKHAN** 



DEPUTY CEO & EXECUTIVE VP: Global and ODM sales

Ts.ORGILBOLD



DEPUTY CEO & EXECUTIVE VP: Domestic Sales



EXECUTIVE VP: Design and production

**B.BOLORMAA** 



EXECUTIVE VP: Global sales

O.MISHEEL



CHIEF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT OFFICER

G.BAYARBAT



CHIEF
TECHNOLOGY
OFFICER
B.ERDENE



CHIEF HR OFFICER T.ICHINKHORLOO



CHIEF PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT OFFICER

M.BOLORTUYA



CHIEF DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT OFFICER A.UCHRAL



CHIEF
MERCHANDISING
OFFICER
O.TSENGEL



CHIEF ODM SALES OFFICER G.ANUDARI



CHIEF FINANCE &
ACCOUNTING
OFFICER
D.SODGEREL



CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER B.CHINGUUN



CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER

Ts.TSASCHIKHER



BOARD SECRETARY M.SELENGE



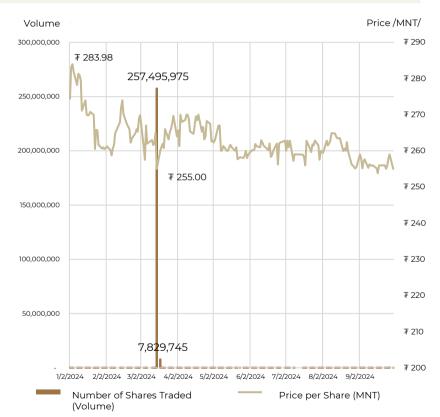
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## STOCK PRICE



As of the closing price on **September 30, 2024**, the market valuation of Gobi JSC is **198.9 billion MNT**. The average share price is **262.94 MNT** ( 0.4%).

INDICATOR	2023.12.31	2024.09.30	Change %		
STOCK PRICE /MNT/					
Closing price	273.59	255.01	-6.8%		
Highest price	350.00	283.98	-18.9%		
Lowest price	240.69	253.84	5.5%		
Average price	263.90	262.94	-0.4%		
NUMBER OF SHARES TRADED /volume/					
Highest daily volume	7,500,000	257,495,975	3333.3%		
Lowest daily volume	179	322	79.9%		
Average daily volume	62,704	1,435,517	2189.3%		
Total	15,676,081	268,441,716	1612.4%		
TRADING VALUE /MNT/					
Highest daily volume	2,625,000,000	65,661,782,758	2401.4%		
Lowest daily volume	52,805	85,264	61.5%		
Average daily volume	18,985,172	366,158,747	1828.7%		
Total	4,746,292,927	68,471,685,758	1342.6%		
Market Valuation /MNT/	213,430,978,875	198,936,488,625	-6.8%		



## Implementation of the Corporate Governance Code



		Maxim	2023.12.31		2024.06.30	
Nº	Title	um score	FRC Monitoring Score	Implementa tion Percentage	FRC Monitoring Score	Implementa tion Percentage
1	Board Structure and Organization	12	11	91.7%	11	91.7%
2	Committees and Their Responsibilities	10	9	90.0%	10	100.0%
3	Reporting and Information Transparency	6	6	100.0%	6	100.0%
4	Audit and Control System	6	6	100.0%	6	100.0%
5	Risk Management	8	8	100.0%	8	100.0%
6	Key Officials Remuneration	6	6	100.0%	6	100.0%
7	Stakeholder Interest	8	8	100.0%	8	100.0%
8	Corporate Culture	6	6	100.0%	6	100.0%
9	Shareholder Rights	10	10	100.0%	10	100.0%
	Total Score	72	70	97.2%	71	98.6%

As of June 30, 2024, Gobi JSC's **Corporate Governance Code** implementation was evaluated by the Board of Directors' Secretariat, and the results were reviewed and confirmed by the **Financial Regulatory Commission**.

Based on the overall evaluation, the implementation of Gobi JSC's **Corporate Governance Code** was rated at **98.6%** for the first half of 2024, indicating normal governance with no risks. This represents a **1.4% increase** compared to the year-end evaluation for 2023, reaffirming our top position among publicly traded companies in Mongolia.

The detailed report of the governance evaluation is available on the **Mongolian Stock Exchange** and the company's website,

