



NO SPACE FOR COMPROMISE



**KALABHAI**

*Partnering perfection since 1918*



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## Vision and Mission

To be a constantly evolving, globally respected corporation, without compromising on providing only the highest quality of goods and services for the benefit of our customers.

From the very beginning, Kalabhai has progressed from one goal to the next. This remains unchanged even today, and we believe in the unfazed clarity of our vision.

## Chiseled Values

"To accomplish our objectives while not compromising on fairness, honesty, and courtesy towards our clients, employees, vendors and society at large."

We've come a long way but our paradigms remain unchanged. Our quest for excellence. Our emphasis on customer satisfaction. Our belief in leading by example. Our transparency in ethical practices, Kalabhai thrives on the equality status employees enjoy in the company. When an employee believes he is Kalabhai, he doesn't work for the company, he is the company.

## Kalabhai Dental. The partnership philosophy

We make our choices, keeping in mind what benefits our customers. Our international partners are leaders in the field of dental science, always delivering internationally respected and trusted groundbreaking technologies.

With our partners, we focus on consistently developing and delivering path breaking technological solutions and quality products.

We ensure mutual satisfaction for all involved with our products the patient, the dental professional, our partner and ourselves.

In addition to the dental professionals and institutions, our dental products are approved by several Ministries of Health, local and international.



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## Clear Background

We began on our journey in 1918 as architectural decorators in plaster of Paris. The clientele included top corporations, industries, film personalities, hotels, theatres and palaces all over India.

The early 1930's saw the company plunge into backward integration to manufacture plaster of Paris, as quality plaster was not readily available. The quality of our products further propelled expansion.

In 1960, the company established a state-of-the-art factory on the outskirts of Bombay to manufacture special plasters catering to many different industrial manufacturing needs - including but not limited to orthopedic bandages, tableware, sanitary ware, refractories, insulators, precision ceramics, aeronautics, paint and wall plasters and even dental plasters. The early nineties saw us partner leading international corporations in the world, when we started importing and distributing their equipment and material in India.

## The foreground, always

The first Indian company to export dental material.

The first Indian company to be certified ISI mark in plasters and dental products.

The First Indian company to exhibit at leading international exhibition such as International Show in Germany and APDC.

The first Indian company to be certified ISO 14001:2004 in plaster manufacturing in India.

The first Indian company to market and distribute products in European countries - Germany / UK / Finland / France / Hungary etc.

Firsts have always been a way of life, at Kalabhai.



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## Punctuated with milestones

- 1918 - Plaster Decorations contracting
- 1930 - Plaster of Paris Manufacturing  
Plaster work for several corporate buildings, cinema halls theatres, five-star hotels and palaces
- 1960 - Acquisition of manufacturing unit in Vikhroli, Mumbai
- 1976 - High-strength industrial plasters through internal R&D and technology improvements
- 1980 - First and only plaster to be marked with ISI  
( Indian Standards Institute )  
Completion of landmark project NCPA in Mumbai.  
Plaster of Paris ceiling and acoustical treatment materials, fabrication and installation
- 1981 - Plasters for the Sultan Qaboos Palace, Muscat
- 1983 - Computerization within the company
- 1990 - First Indian company to exhibit at Asian Pacific Dental Congress in Malaysia
- 1993 - Kalabhai Dental starts import and distribution of dental equipment and material. Representation of several leading multinational dental companies for several years as exclusive partner in India  
Former Partners: Degussa (Degudent), Carl Zeiss , Nobel Biocare  
Current Partners: Renfert, Adec, Schick, Whip Mix and more
- 1994 - Incorporation of J5 ( Japanese Quality Management ) Systems
- 1994 - Best vendor award to J & J for supply of bandage plasters for 15 years without rejection
- 1995 - First Indian company to participate at the world's largest dental show in Cologne, Germany. 2007 marks our 7<sup>th</sup> appearance.
- 1996 - ISO 9002 certification
- 2003 - Factory upgradation in accordance with Good Manufacturing Practice.
- 2005 - ISO 9000 revalidation
- 2006 - Distribution of dental plasters begins in Germany
- 2007 - Kalabhai receives ISO 14001 certification for environmental commitment

## Environment Care

Nature gave mankind means to exist. To cherish it and value it, is up to us. We take it upon ourselves to nurture nature in our own little ways.

Kalabhai is the first Indian company to be certified ISO 14001:2004 for plaster manufacturing. By endorsement of Integrated Management System, ISO:9001:2000 and ISO:14001:2004, environmentally friendly manufacturing philosophy and measures, we want to keep the environment enriched for society at large.



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