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Dr Tansen Chaudhari, CEO and director of Fluid Controls, and his team were felicitated at the CII Industrial Innovation Awards 2024

A winning streak of innovative excellence

Fluid Controls has been feted at the CII Industrial Innovation Awards as one of 'Top 75 Innovative Companies of the Year' for the fifth time

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For the fifth time, Fluid Controls Limited has been recognised as on one of the 'Top 75 Innovative Companies of the Year' at the CII Industrial Innovation Awards 2024. The two-day event was held on December 12 and 13 at The Lalit in New Delhi.

The CII Industrial Innovation Awards were instituted in 2014 to identify and celebrate innovative Indian enterprises across industries and has since been established as one of the most coveted innovation awards in the country.

Fluid Controls was chosen as the winner among 'Top 75 Innovative Companies in India' via a three-stage evaluation process. The final evaluation was done by a grand jury featuring members such as Vipin Sondhi, chairman, CII national forum on industry-academia partnership for R&D and innovation; Alok Nanda, CEO, GE India Technology Centre, CTO, GE South Asia, and co-chairman of the CII national mission on technology, innovation and research; Prof Ram Gopal Rao, vice-chancellor, BITS Pilani, and Prof Rishikesha T Krishnan, director, Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore.

The awards were presented by chief guest Dr Chandrika Kaushik, director general, production coordination and services interaction, Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), Government of India.

Strong history of innovation

The CII Industrial Innovation Award is a testament to the company's values of integrity, reliability and innovation. It also recognises the vision of the company to indigenously design, develop and deliver high quality, high-performance products that delight customers.

Dr Tansen Chaudhari, executive director and CEO who drives the overall business, R&D and the Test Lab, has successfully carried forward the legacy of founder Dr YE Moochhala through his focus on people and product development.

The Fluid Controls R&D centre at Pune, recognised by the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR), houses a design engineer team and an NABL-approved product performance testing and metrology laboratory. From its inception, the company has stayed true to its ethos of original research and development. The company follows a rigorous, six sigma-guided approach, ensuring all new product designs and innovations are based on specific client and application requirements.

Global patents

Fluid Controls has developed over 30 new products recently and has published more than 25 technical articles. The company has two India patents and two global patents (USA). A third global patent has been filed.

The new products designed include a unique case hardening process for ferrules, which is at the heart of fittings, high precision products for aerospace and defence applications, CNG fittings, bent-pipe assemblies and hoses for diverse sectors such as nuclear, railway brake piping systems, and oil and gas.

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