

Divyasha



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EMPOWERING DIGNITY | ENRICHING LIVES



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We are working steadfastly towards ensuring an inclusive, accessible and equitable future for our Divyang sisters and brothers as well as senior citizens. Their fortitude and accomplishments in various fields inspire all of us.

NARENDRA MODI, PRIME MINISTER





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PRIME MINISTER



Heartiest congratulations to everyone at Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) on the completion of 50 years of its establishment. It is a pleasure to learn that an e-Coffee Table Book titled "Divyasha - Empowering Dignity, Enriching Lives" that showcases the efforts and achievements of ALIMCO is being brought out on the occasion. For several decades, ALIMCO has been helping lakhs of Divyang brothers and sisters by manufacturing, supplying and distribution of assistive devices, simplifying their lives and enabling them to fulfil their aspirations. The introduction of ALIMCO's proposed "Pradhan Mantri Divyasha Kendra" in all the States and Union Territories of the country will bring about a positive change in the lives of our Divyang friends, infusing them with fresh hope and enthusiasm. Over the last 9 years, various welfare schemes including Sugamya Bharat, Divyang Pension Yojana, ADIP and a substantial increase in the number of camps to distribute assistive aids and equipment have shown how we have kept Divyangjan at the centre of our efforts. Through steps such as free education for 6-18 year old Divyang students and the increase in reservations, Divyangjan have been empowered to participate with greater enthusiasm in the growth journey of the nation. Blessed with a strong willpower and special abilities, achievements of Divyangjan in various fields continue to inspire everyone. During Amrit Kaal, we are constantly marching ahead towards building a glorious and developed India. Amrit Kaal is also a *Kartavya Kaal* for the creation of new opportunities and self-reliance of Divyang friends that will further strengthen our efforts in taking the nation to greater heights of progress. I am confident that ALIMCO will continue to draw inspiration from this glorious journey of five decades and will keep contributing to the progress and welfare of Divyanjan through continuous upgradation of products to meet their needs. Best wishes to the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, ALIMCO and everyone associated with the publication of the e-Coffee Table Book for future endeavours.

New Delhi
20th July, 2023

Narendra Modi
Prime Minister

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MINISTER OF
SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA



I am very happy to know that Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) working under our ministry is going to publish an e-Coffee Table Book "DIVYASHA-Empowering Dignity, Enriching Lives" on completion of its fifty years. Today, under the guidance Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, unprecedented works have been done for the Divyangjan and modernization of ALIMCO for providing world class facility for Divyangjan is one of them. I have full faith that the compilation of ALIMCO's journey of dedication in this book will work to create dignity of human values in the public mind. ALIMCO, started fifty years ago, has changed itself with time, changed technology. Changed its appearance and made its identity from a city to a global level, but despite this ALIMCO has not changed its purpose and religion of human service. I convey my best wishes to ALIMCO for successful publication of this book and its future endeavors in the service of empowering Divyangjan at par with global parameters.

Dr. Virendra Kumar

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यह अत्यंत हर्ष का विषय है कि भारतीय कृत्रिम अंग निर्माण निगम (एलिम्को) अपने पचास वर्षों के उत्कृष्ट राष्ट्रसेवा के उपलक्ष्य पर 'दिव्याशा - सशक्त गरिमा, समृद्ध जीवन' नामक एक कॉफी टेबल बुक प्रकाशित करने जा रहा है। अपने क्रियान्वयन के मूल में मानव सेवा सर्वोपरि के आदर्श को रख और दिव्यांगजनों को सशक्त बनाने के महान उद्देश्य के साथ एलिम्को ने पचास साल पहले अपनी यात्रा प्रारंभ की थी। मुझे पूर्ण विश्वास है कि इस कॉफी टेबल बुक में इन पचास वर्षों में मानवीय मूल्यों की गरिमा को बनाए रखने के दिशा में एलिम्को के प्रयासों का चित्रण और इस से जुड़े प्रेरक कहानियों का समावेश हर भारतीय को गौरवान्वित करेगा। यह कॉफी टेबल बुक निस्संदेह अपने पाठकों के लिए एक अमूल्य संसाधन के रूप में काम करेगी। मेरा दृढ़ विश्वास है कि माननीय प्रधान मंत्री श्री नरेंद्र मोदी जी के मार्गदर्शन में, एलिम्को और दिव्यांगजन सशक्तिकरण विभाग, दिव्यांगजनों के जीवन की गुणवत्ता में सुधार लाने के सतत प्रयास करते रहेंगे एवं अभूतपूर्व उपलब्धियां प्राप्त करेंगे। मैं इस पुस्तक के प्रकाशन से जुड़े सभी गुणी जनों को अपनी शुभकामनाएं देता हूँ और इसकी सफलता की कामना करता हूँ।


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The completion of fifty years by the Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) is undoubtedly a moment of immense pride for the nation. I am delighted to learn that ALIMCO is commemorating this milestone by publishing an e-Coffee Table Book titled "DIVYASHA-Empowering Dignity, Enriching Lives." I am confident that the remarkable fifty-year journey of ALIMCO, characterized by its commitment to upholding the dignity of human values and featuring inspiring stories, will evoke a sense of pride in every Indian. This institution, founded on the principles of considering humanitarian service as the highest calling and empowering individuals with disabilities, has not only made a name for itself in India but has also garnered recognition in various countries worldwide. Undoubtedly, this e-coffee table book will serve as a valuable and cherished document for its readers. This book captures the corporation's commitment to enhancing the lives of Divyangjan and Senior Citizens and empowering them with dignity. It is a remarkable achievement deserving of appreciation and recognition.

Ramdas Athawale



MINISTRY OF SOCIAL
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DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT
OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (DIVYANGJAN)
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Foreword



It is a matter of pleasure that Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) is going to publish an e-Coffee Table Book "DIVYASHA - Empowering Dignity, Enriching Lives" on its glorious journey of fifty years. Hon'ble Prime Minister of our country, Shri Narendra Modi, bestowed a dignified identity upon individuals with disabilities by referring to them as 'Divyang'. ALIMCO, over the course of fifty years, has been tirelessly empowering and uplifting the lives of the Divyang community. It has played a crucial role in fostering their self-respect, self-reliance, and overall well-being. This journey started 50 years ago in Kanpur, and now ALIMCO is extending its footprint across the country, to bring many services to the doorsteps of the Divyangjan. The dedication of this institution to strengthening the Divyangjan is truly commendable. Providing them with opportunities and support, it has contributed significantly to their personal growth and societal empowerment. This noble endeavor stands as a testament to the transformative impact that can be achieved through compassionate and inclusive initiatives. Therefore, the journey and exemplary work of ALIMCO covered in this book will give a sense of pride to every Indian.

Rajesh Aggarwal, IAS
Secretary

ALIMCO Visionaries



Dr. B Shankaran
Chairman
28.12.1972 to March 1981



Maj. Gen. K Raghunath (Retired)
Managing Director
24.04.1974 to 26.06.1982



Dr. B Mukhopadhyay
Chairman
September 1981 to 16.05.1985



Lt. Col. A.K. Tiwari (Retired)
Managing Director
12.10.1982 to 11.10.1986



Dr. M.K. Goel
Chairman
14.08.1986 to 17.09.1990



Col. Santosh Chandra (Retired)
Managing Director
08.01.1987 to 26.03.1993



Dr. R.S. Kherwa
Chairman & Managing Director
25.11.1994 to 24.11.1997



Brig Jagmohan Uppal (Retired)
Chairman & Managing Director
09.10.1998 to 03.06.2004



Shri A.K. Bhattacharya
Chairman & Managing Director
20.08.2004 to 31.08.2007



Shri S.K. Mukherjee
Chairman & Managing Director
17.09.2007 to 30.11.2010



Shri G Narayan Rao
Chairman & Managing Director
27.05.2011 to 30.09.2014



Shri D.R. Sarin
Chairman & Managing Director
01.10.2014 to 31.12.2021



Shri Rajan Sehgal
Chairman & Managing Director
01.01.2022 to 13.10.2022



Shri Rajesh Kumar Yadav
Chairman & Managing Director
13.10.2022 to 08.02.2023



Shri Praveen Kumar
Chairman & Managing Director
08.02.2023 till date

Dr. S.K. Verma
Chairman
18.09.1990 to 17.09.1992

Smt Arti Khosla
Chairman & Managing Director
September 1992 to December 1992

Dr. R. K. Nayak
Chairman & Managing Director
December 1992 to February 1994

Shri A.C. Padhi
Chairman & Managing Director
08.12.2010 to 07.03.2011

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ALIMCO is a Central Public Sector Enterprise that was incorporated in 1972 to manufacture and provide State-of-Art Assistive Aid & Appliances for physical rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) across the country, is today forging ahead to benefit Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) and senior citizens.

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The Awards Galore

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Crafting the way forward to dignity, imparting strength and belief with the motive to empower each and every Divyangjan, ALIMCO went on to get showered with recognition and awards. The corporation went on to create as many as 09 Guinness Book of World Records.

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The Incredible March From The Past To The Present

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With the Modernization plan of the Corporation getting approved for upgradation and modernization, ALIMCO's production capacity increased up to 2.5 times more. The need for expansion necessitated upscaling of manufacturing capacities of the Corporation.

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Modernization Project Takes Centerstage

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ALIMCO is a corporation that has grown by leaps and bounds over the years. Today, while on the one hand its products have improved, on the other, its facilities and infrastructure have acquired a modern profile. The change is there for all to see.

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50 Years And Going Strong

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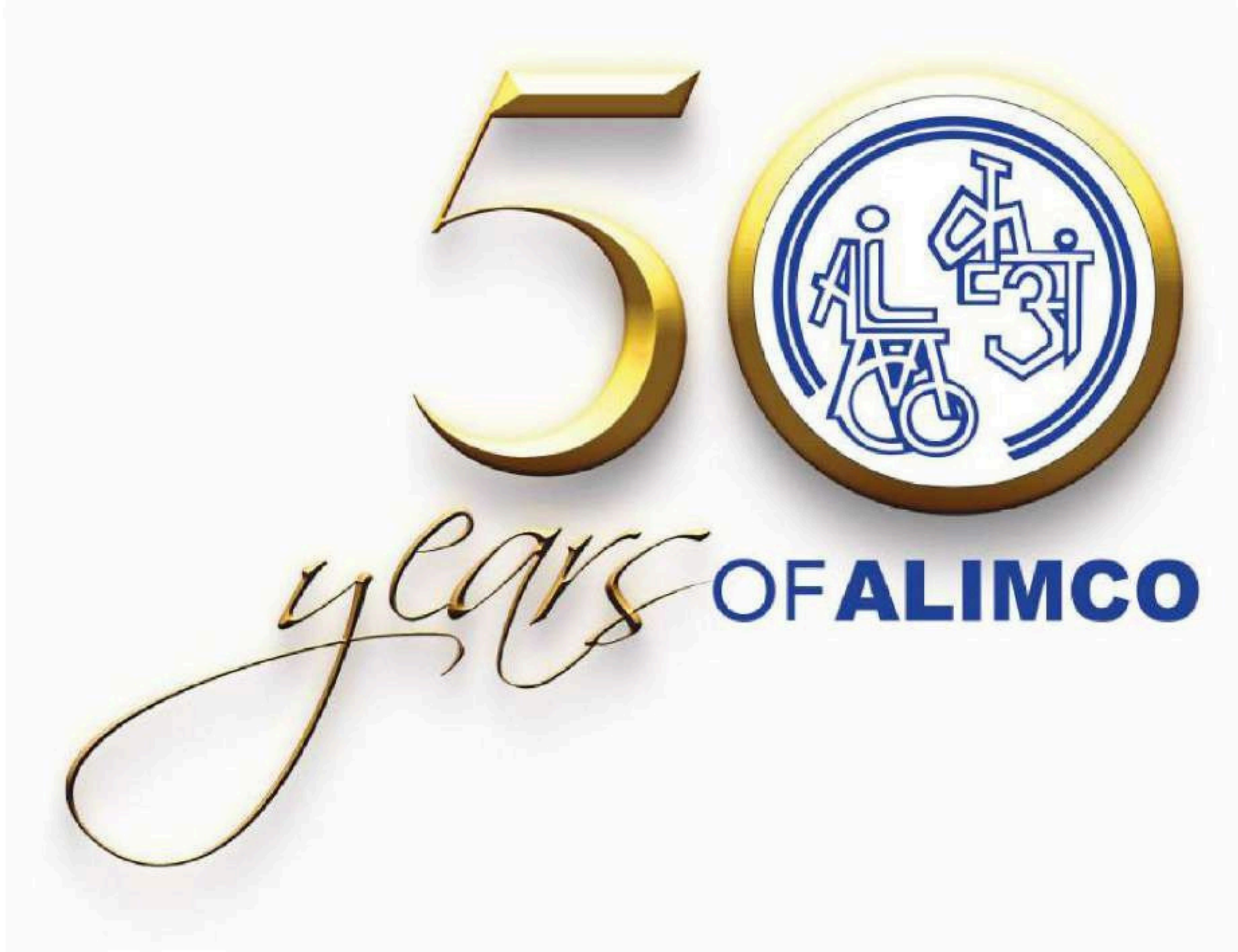
In the year 1972 ALIMCO was incorporated under Welfare Ministry and the foundation stone of ALIMCO was laid in 18th November, 1973 by the then Hon'ble Prime Minister Late Smt. Indira Gandhi. However it was from 2013 to 2023 that ALIMCO climbed from one milestone to another.

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Gratitude And Thankfulness

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Beneficiaries cannot stop raving about ALIMCO, a corporation that has given their life a new meaning. The corporation has restored their dignity with the facilities that it has provided under the ADIP scheme of the Government of India.



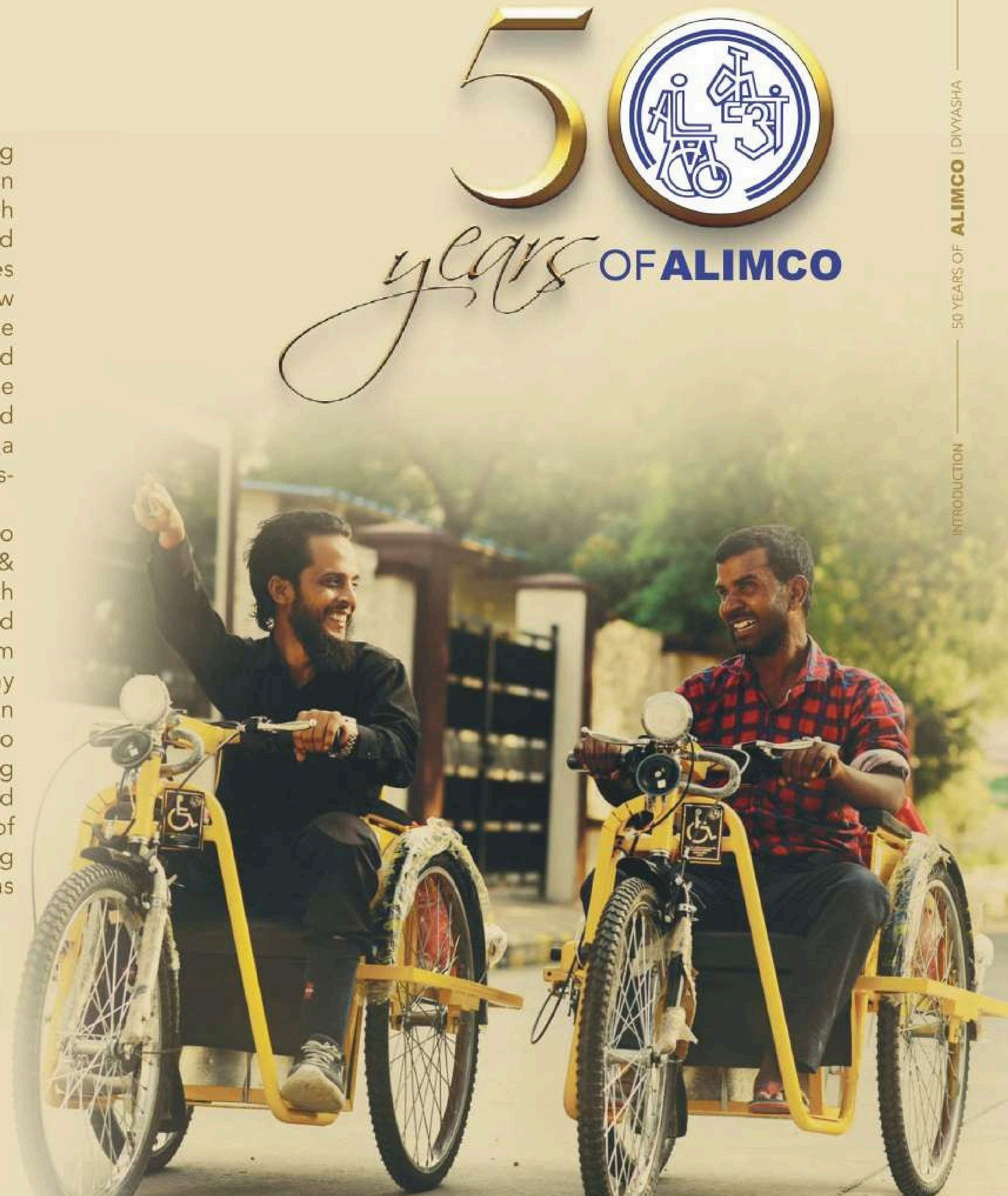


An aerial shot of the beautifully spread out expanse of ALIMCO's Green Campus at Kanpur

50 YEARS OF ENRICHING LIVES

A walk around the Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO), Kanpur premises, is an absolute experience in the realm of empowerment, strength and freedom. As one views the sprawling lawns & the world class facilities for manufacturing of Aids & Assistive Devices developed by the corporation, it becomes amply clear how it has completely comprehended ways and means to make people with disabilities surmount all odds to move forward with dignity and faith. The ramp to free movement can be scaled and day-to-day better life is here, with sports and earning livelihood too coming as a bonus to many. Truly a blessing that ALIMCO is, for those with visual, hearing, physical and mental impairments.

An corporation that was incorporated in 1972 to manufacture and provide state-of-the-art Assistive Aid & Appliances for Physical Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) across the country, is today forging ahead to benefit People with Disabilities (Divyangjan) with the aim to transcend the vision of Make in India. What is noteworthy is the fact that ALIMCO is an corporation that is working on a 'Not for Profit' motive, tirelessly over the last 50 years to light up the lives of the differently abled and empowering them by providing quality assistive aids and appliances and creating an opportunity for them to be the part of mainstream society. Within the reach of all, transcending economical barriers, is the biggest high that ALIMCO has achieved.



years **OF ALIMCO**

Vision

ALIMCO's VISION TODAY

To be the leading global corporation for the empowerment of persons with disabilities through provision of appropriate technology and rehabilitation services

Mission

ALIMCO's MISSION FOR THE FUTURE

- Provide appropriate state-of-the-art assistive devices & rehabilitation services that meet the needs of PWDs across the world.
- Focus on continuous technology up-gradation and develop in-house capabilities for cutting edge R&D through collaboration with research institutions and entrepreneurs within India and abroad.
- Manufacture high quality devices with optimized workflows, highly skilled workforce and manufacturing facilities equipped with state-of-the-art infrastructure which is at par with international standards.
- Develop talent pool through skill enhancement and training in order to aspire for excellence in product delivery and associated rehab services.
- Maintain industrial harmony, conducive work culture and inculcate feeling of ownership and pride among all stakeholders.
- Expand presence within India and develop exports as an opportunity for sustainable growth.



The grand look of the Administration Block in Kanpur

Weaving the Guinness Magic



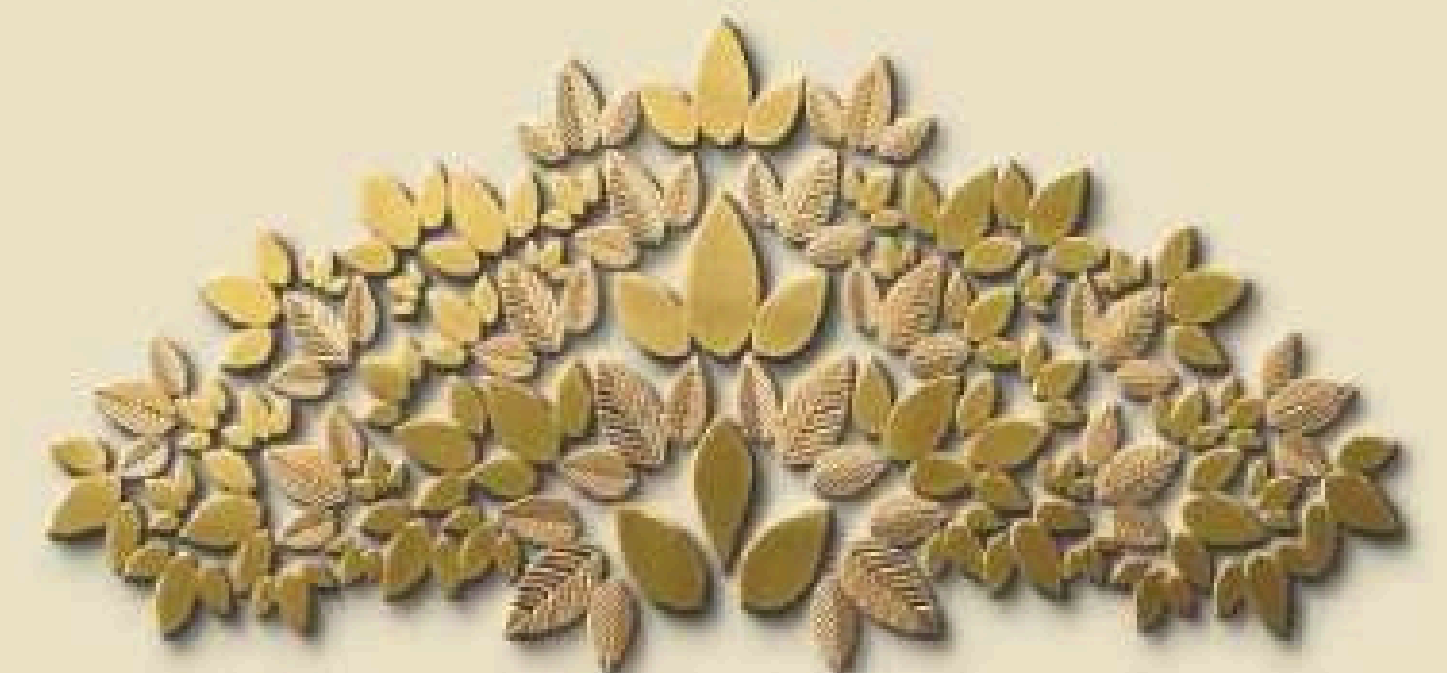
Largest Parade of hand operated Tricycle (300 Nos.) covering 1.8 Km succeeding the previous record made in UAE with 250 Tricycle parade covering 1.6 Km.



Largest moving line of wheel chairs (400 Nos.).



The most number of hand operated tricycles, 626, was achieved at Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh, India, on 29 February 2020.





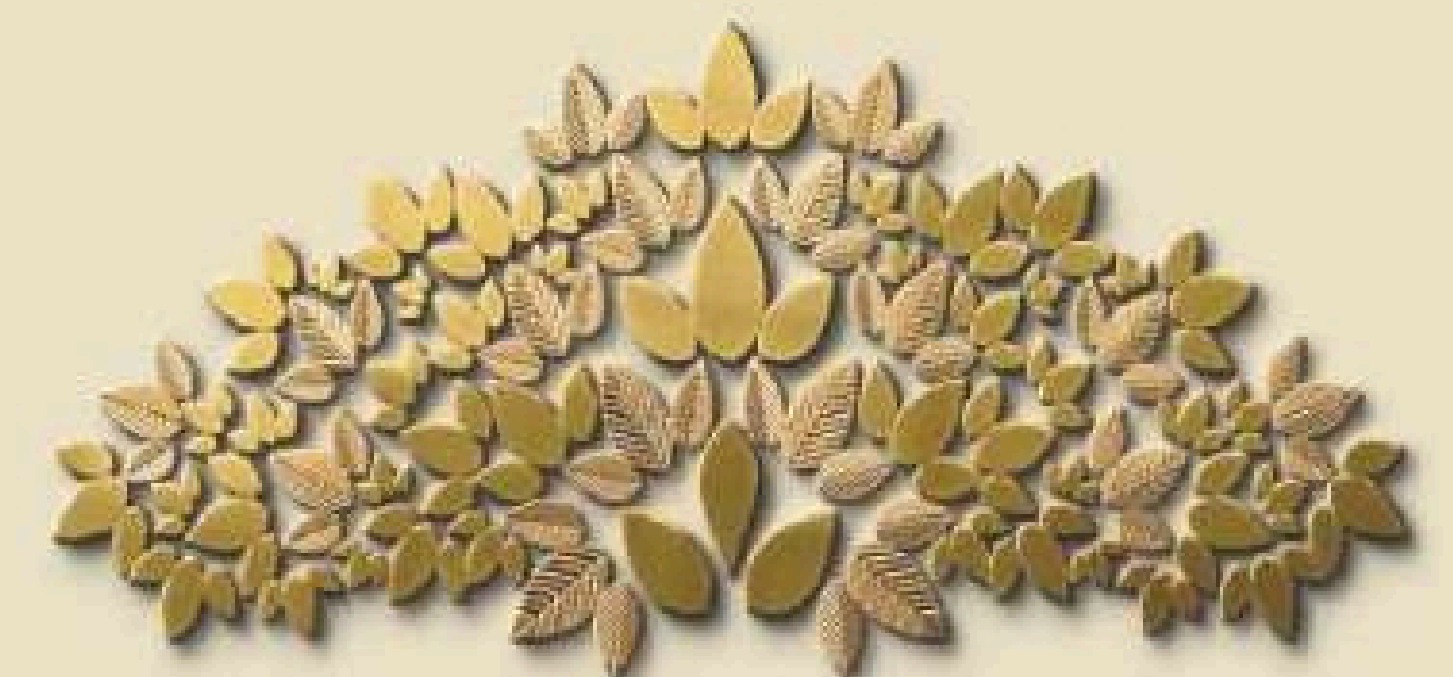
Largest Wheelchair Logo/ Image at Navsari, Gujarat on 17th Sept, 2016 (1000 Wheelchairs).



Most people fitted with orthotic calipers in 8 hours in Rajkot, Gujarat, India on 29 June 2017.



The Most people fitted with Prosthetic Limbs in 08 Hours (Single Venue) - 260 NOB in Bharuch, Gujarat on 28th Feb, 2019.





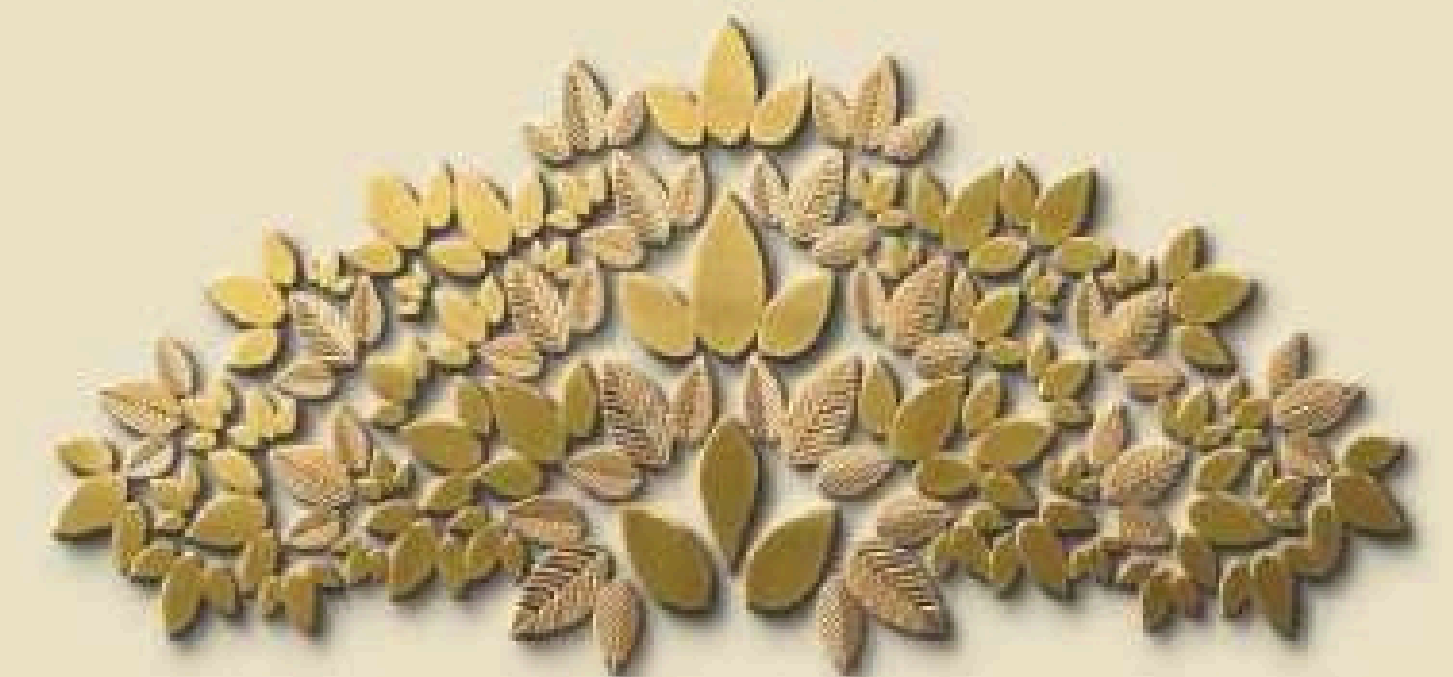
Most Oil Lamps Lit Simultaneously at Single Venue at Navsari, Gujarat 16th Sept, 2016 (989 Oil lamps Lit).



Most People Fitted with Hearing Aid in 8 Hours at Navsari, India on 17th Sept, 2016.



Most People Fitted with Hearing Aid in 8 Hours at Imphal, Manipur on 05 Nov, 2016 (3911 NOB).





Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi with three Guinness World Records made by DEPwD and ALIMCO, during the Mega Distribution Camp at Prayagraj on 29.02.2021



Team ALIMCO received official confirmation about the successful GWR attempt for fitment of Prosthesis at Bharuch Gujarat.



Most Oil Lamps Lit simultaneously at Single Venue at Navsari, Gujarat qualified for the Guinness World Record



Longest wheelchair parade by ALIMCO



The largest parade hand operated tricycles comprising 300 units on 28.02.2022. that received the Guinness World Record certificate.

Awards Galore



FICCI award, 1980, for the number of disableds on the rolls of ALIMCO.



Received National Award 'Vayoshreshtha Samman-2019' for Services towards Senior Citizens under Institutional Category.

ALIMCO was conferred with the 17th National Award for Excellence in Cost Management 2019 under the category Manufacturing - Public - Small by the Institute of Cost Accounts of India by Union Minister of Commerce and Industry, Shri Piyush Goyal during a function in New Delhi on 20.04.2022.





Hon'ble President of India Shri Pranab Mukherjee presenting SCOPE Award for Excellence and Outstanding Contribution by PSU Management for year 2011-12 in Special Institutional Category (Turnaround) to on 11th April, 2016 at Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi.



ALIMCO team with the Vayoshreshtha Samman Award



MAJOR FEATURES/ ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE CORPORATION

- ALIMCO has an authorized share capital of Rs 60,00,00,000 and paid up capital of Rs. 54,09,97,000.
- The Government has launched and implemented various disability centric welfare schemes. ADIP (Assistance to Disabled Person) is one of the most popular scheme which aims to facilitate provision, purchase and fitting of assistive aids and appliances to Divyangjans and ALIMCO is the **largest Implementing Agency of ADIP Scheme**, since its introduction in the year 1981.
- **Sole implementing agency of the GOI's Scheme "Assistance for Disabled persons under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (ADIP-SSA)", since 2004.** Covered more than 8 Lakhs school going children across the country to provide benefit of ADIP-SSA scheme.
- **Sole Implementing Agency of "Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojna (RVY)"** to provide Aid & Assisted Living Devices to Senior Citizens.
- ALIMCO Prosthetic & Orthotic Center with world class facility established at Kanpur in October 2019.

SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE LAST 9 YEARS

- **ALIMCO is an ISO 9001:2015 certified Company** with effect from 29.07.2017. Prior to this ALIMCO was an ISO 9001:2008 company.
- Received **Miniratna Category II status** in the year 2014.
- Manufacturing 26 categories of various Rehabilitation products.
- ISO 9001-2015 & ISO 14001-2015 certified. **19 products are ISI marked.**
- Major implementing agency of the GOI's scheme "Assistance for Disabled Persons (ADIP)", since 1981. Covered more than 11 Lakhs Divyangjan across the country under the ADIP scheme.





Product display room at ALIMCO Prosthetic and Orthotic Center in H.Q, Kanpur.

The Attractive Product Range



ALIMCO's Products

The Corporation produces different types of quality Aids and Assistive Devices required by Orthopaedically, Visually, Hearing and Intellectually Impaired persons. ALIMCO has been in the forefront in providing innovative and appropriate solutions to the need of the Divyangjan.

ALIMCO's Head Quarter and factory is located at Kanpur in Uttar Pradesh and is serving the nation with its six Auxiliary Production Centers and five Regional Marketing Centers at various locations.

The product range includes Orthotic and Prosthetic appliances for Upper & Lower Extremities, Spinal Braces, Cervical Collars, Traction Kits and Rehabilitation Aids like Wheelchairs, Crutches and Tri-Cycles etc.

AIDS FOR INTELLECTUALLY IMPAIRED /CEREBRAL PALSY (CP) PATIENTS

- CP Wheelchair
- Wheelchair with Comode for Senior Citizens

MOBILITY AIDS

- WheelChairs (Manual & Joystick Operated)
- Tricycles (Manual & Battery Operated)
- Axilla & Elbow crutches

JOYSTICK OPERATED WHEELCHAIR

It is a very cost-effective model useful for mobility of orthopaedically impaired person. In a single charge, it can go upto 12 to 15 KM. It is suitable for indoor movement only`

FOR HEARING IMPAIRED

- Digital type Behind the Ear (BTE) Hearing Aid
- DPHA-Digitally Programmable Hearing Aid





Range of wheelchairs





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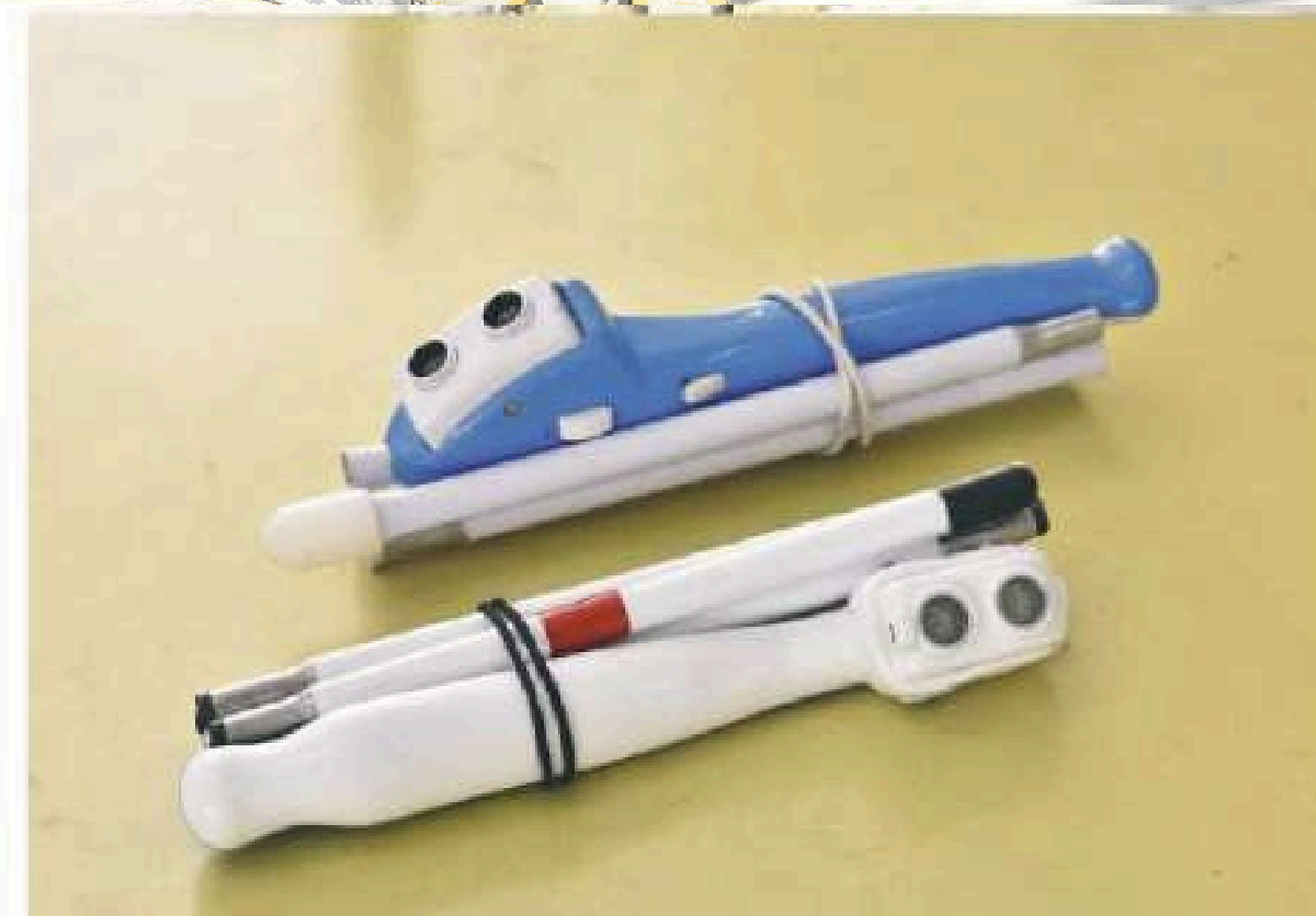
Manual Tri-Cycles

MOTORIZED TRICYCLE

Motorized Tricycle is very useful specially to Divyang student / working persons. It makes Divyangjan self-reliant by providing self-employment opportunities. Motorized Tricycle runs 40 km. (approx.) on single charge and can go upto a speed of 20-22 kmph. It is environmentally friendly as well as cost effective.



Range of Tri-Cycles



Sugamya Cane: Inhouse developed, designed and manufactured electronic cane for visually impaired



Polycentric Prosthetic knee.



Lower limb component manufactured in ALIMCO.



Product Range for Lower and Upper Extremities Prosthetics.



Gait training being imparted at APOC



Gait training center at APOC



Assistive Aids and Appliances For Senior Citizens

ALIMCO's Products

Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana (RVY), a central government scheme aims to address different categories of age-related infirmities for Senior Citizens like Hearing impairments, Low vision, Loss of teeth & Locomotor infirmities and according to type of infirmities different kind of assistive devices are provided. ALIMCO has been identified as the sole implementing agency for the RVY Scheme.

PRODUCTS PRESCRIBED UNDER THE SCHEME ARE:

GENERIC ITEMS

Walking sticks
Elbow crutches
Walkers / Crutches
Tripods / Quadpods
Hearing Aids
Artificial Dentures
Spectacles

SPECIAL ITEMS

Wheelchairs
Wheel Chairs with Commode
Chair/Stool with Commode
Silicon Foam Cushion
Knee Brace
Spinal Support
Cervical Collar

SPECIAL ITEMS

Lumbosacral Belt (LS)
Walker/Rolator with Brakes
Walking Stick with Seat





Range of Assistive devices for senior citizens



Hazard Running Test for Wheel Chair as per IS : 7454





Quality test of Mechanical Hand through Cyclic Test procedure for 15000 cycle of as per IS : 11708

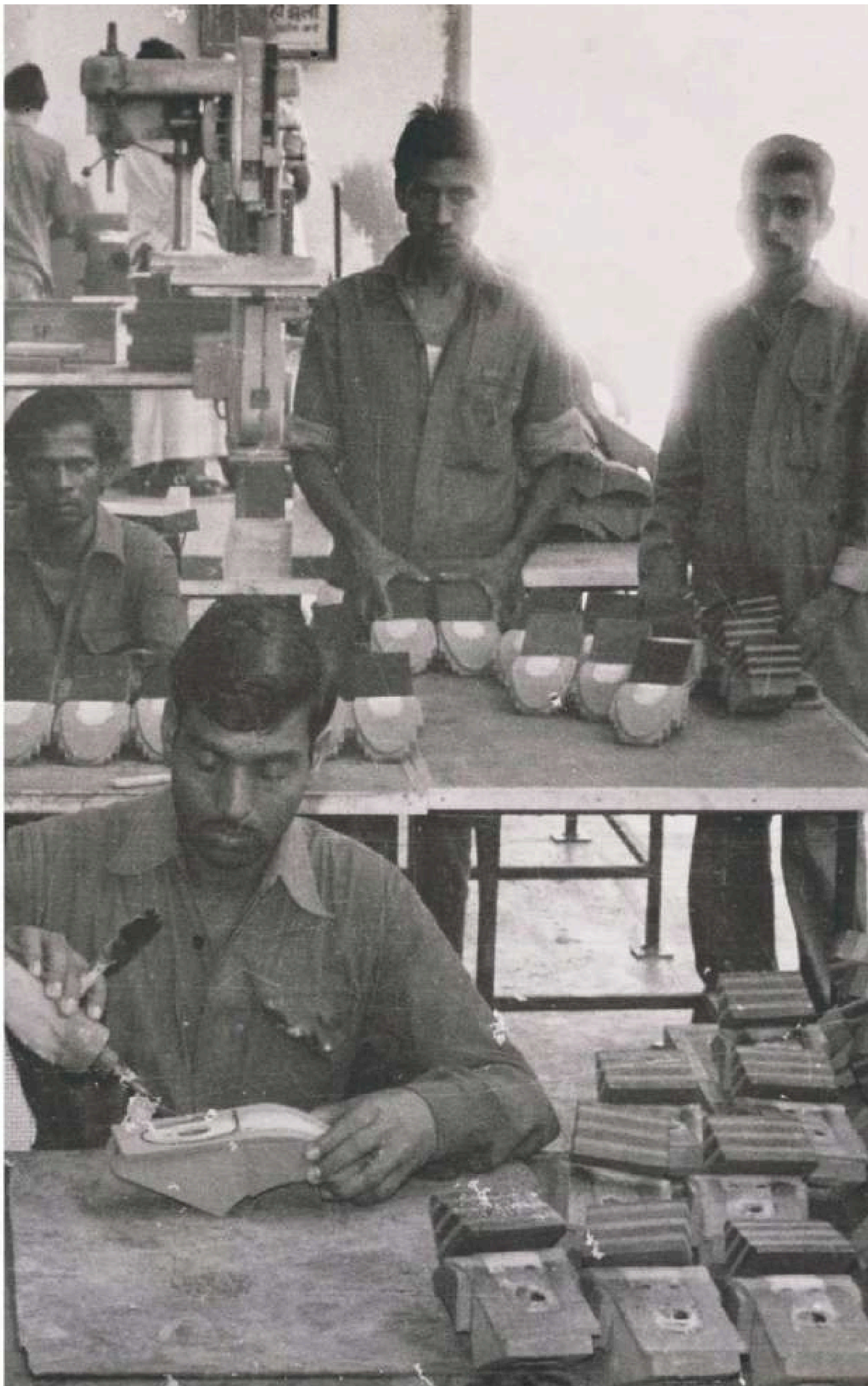
The incredible march from the past to the present

ALIMCO is a Corporation that has grown by leaps and bounds over the years. Today, while on the one hand its products have improved, on the other, its facilities and infrastructure have acquired a modern profile. The change is there for all to see in the number of beneficiaries and recognition that has come its way.

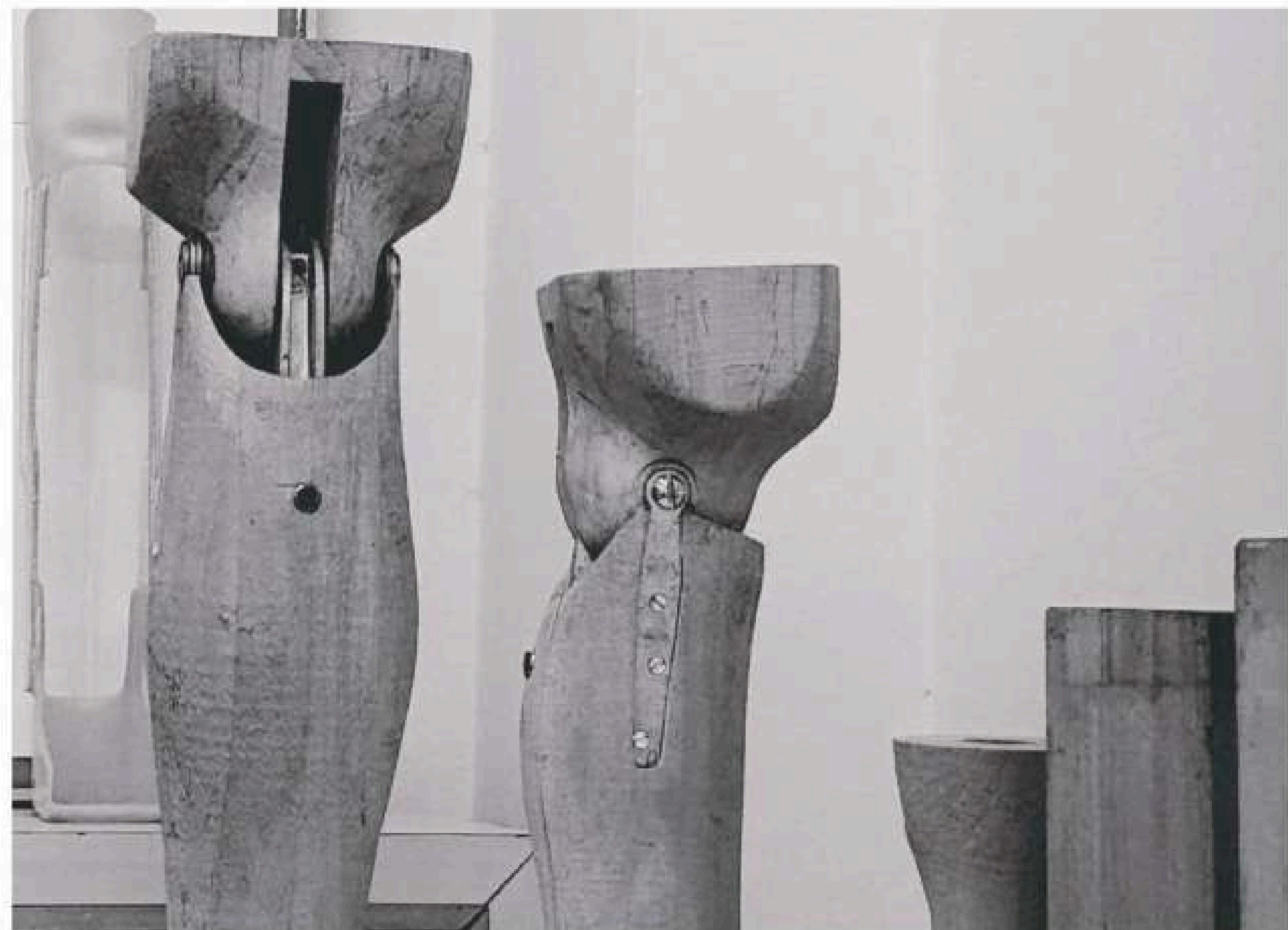
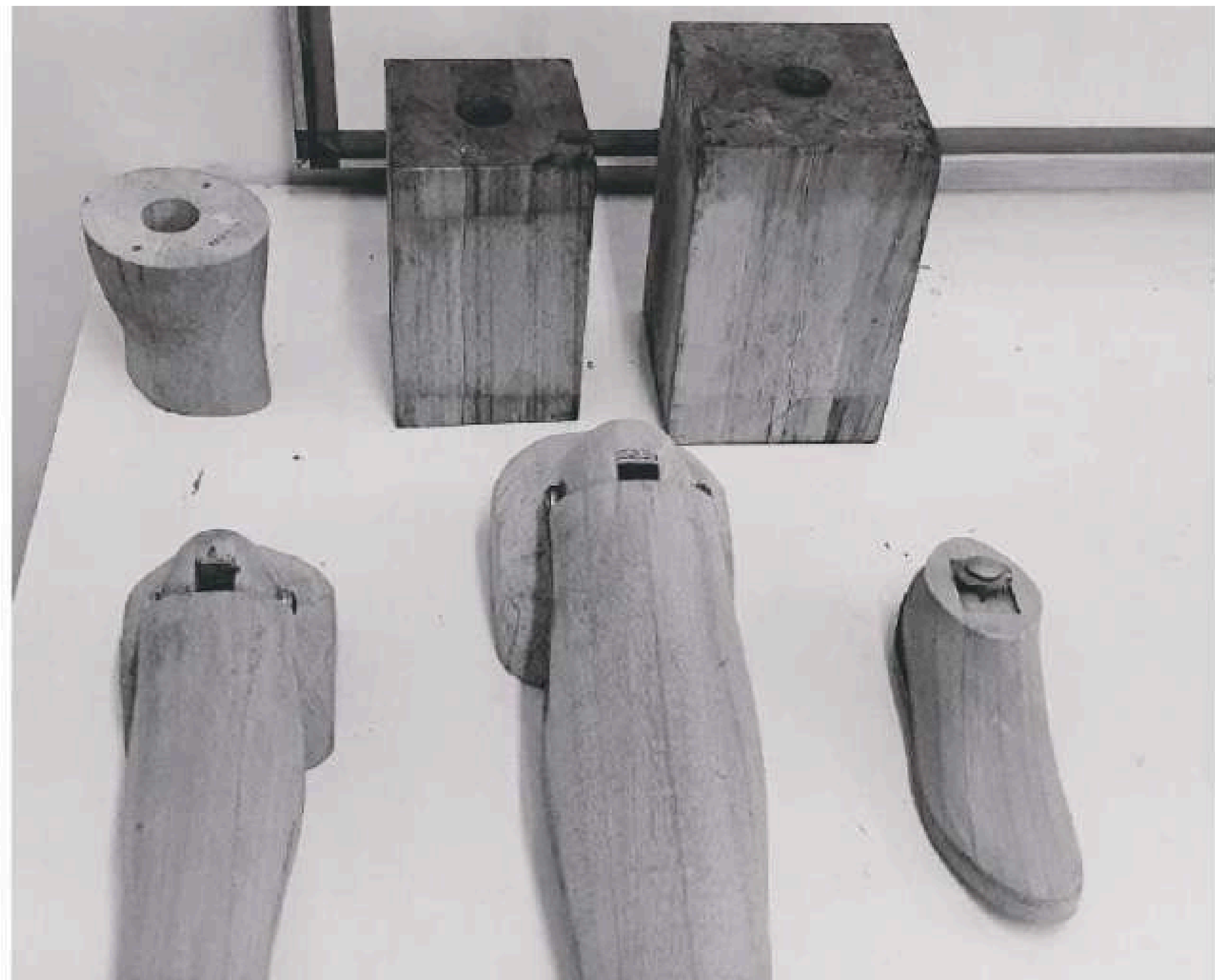
The Corporation today produces different types of quality aids and appliances required by orthopedically, visually, hearing and intellectually handicapped persons. ALIMCO has been in the forefront in providing innovative and appropriate solutions to the need of the disabled.



The old Administration building



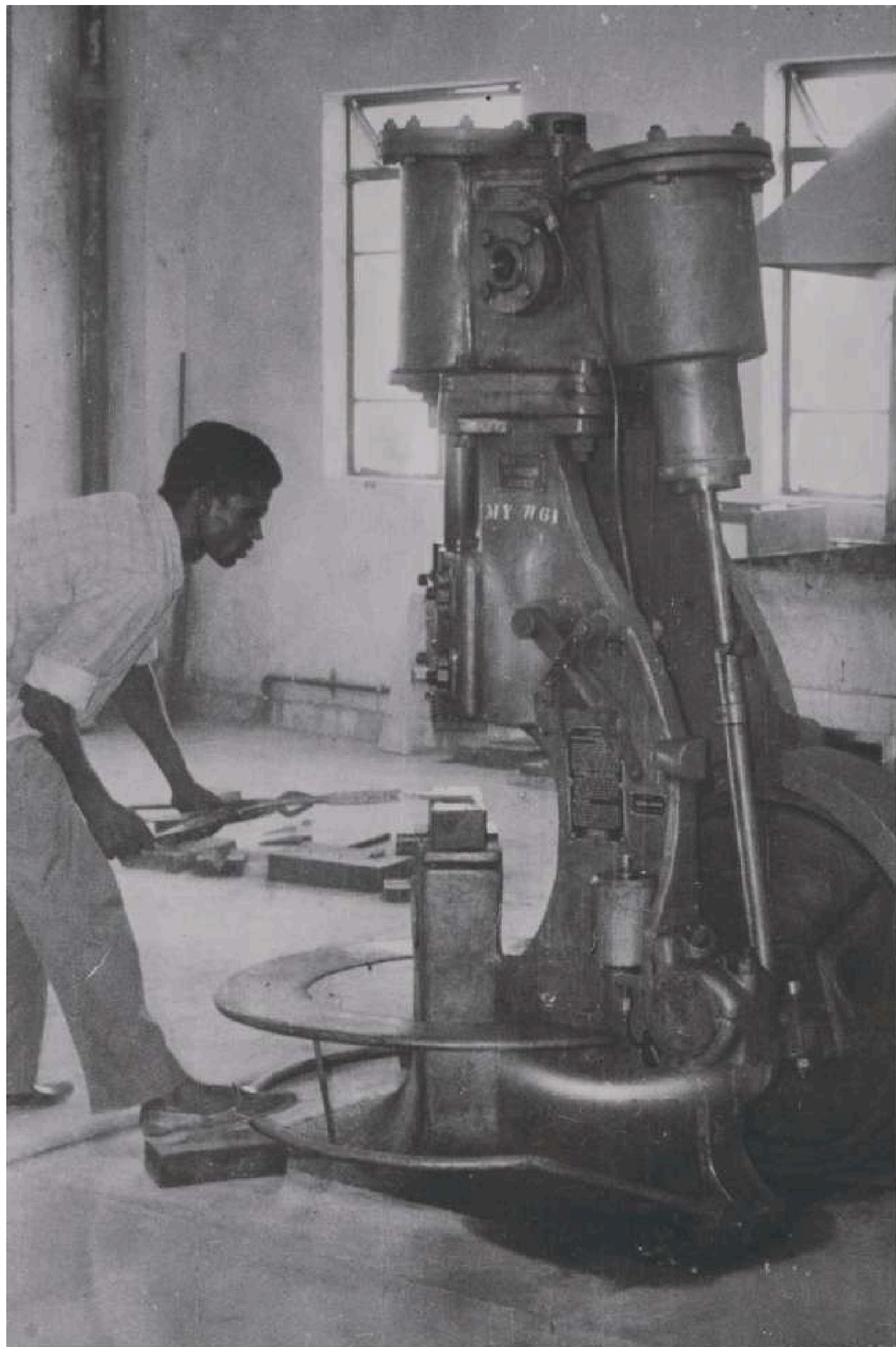
Old image of Sach Foot Shop



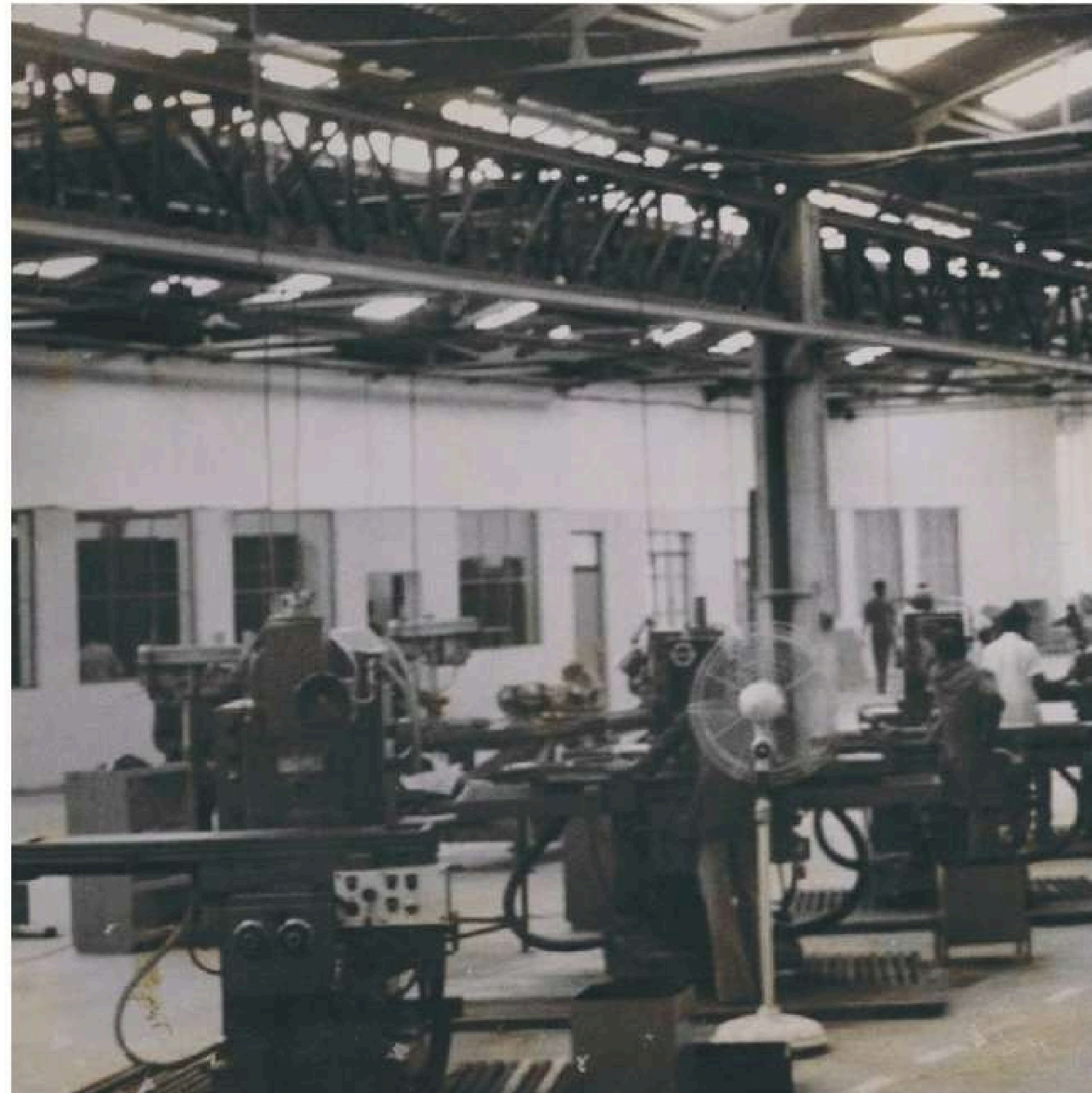
Wooden legs and block



Old picture of wodden logs used for making prosthetics

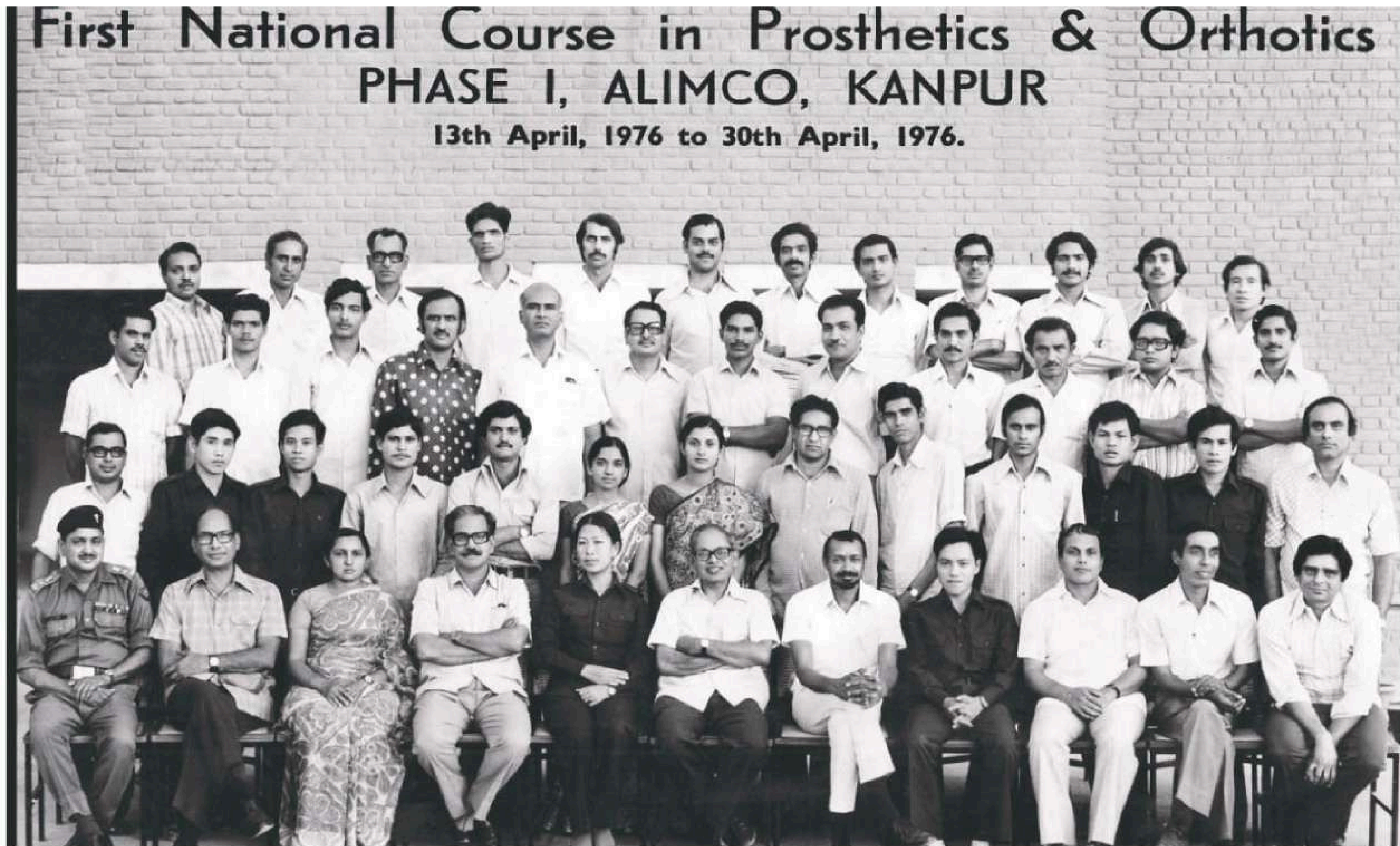


Old Forging Shop



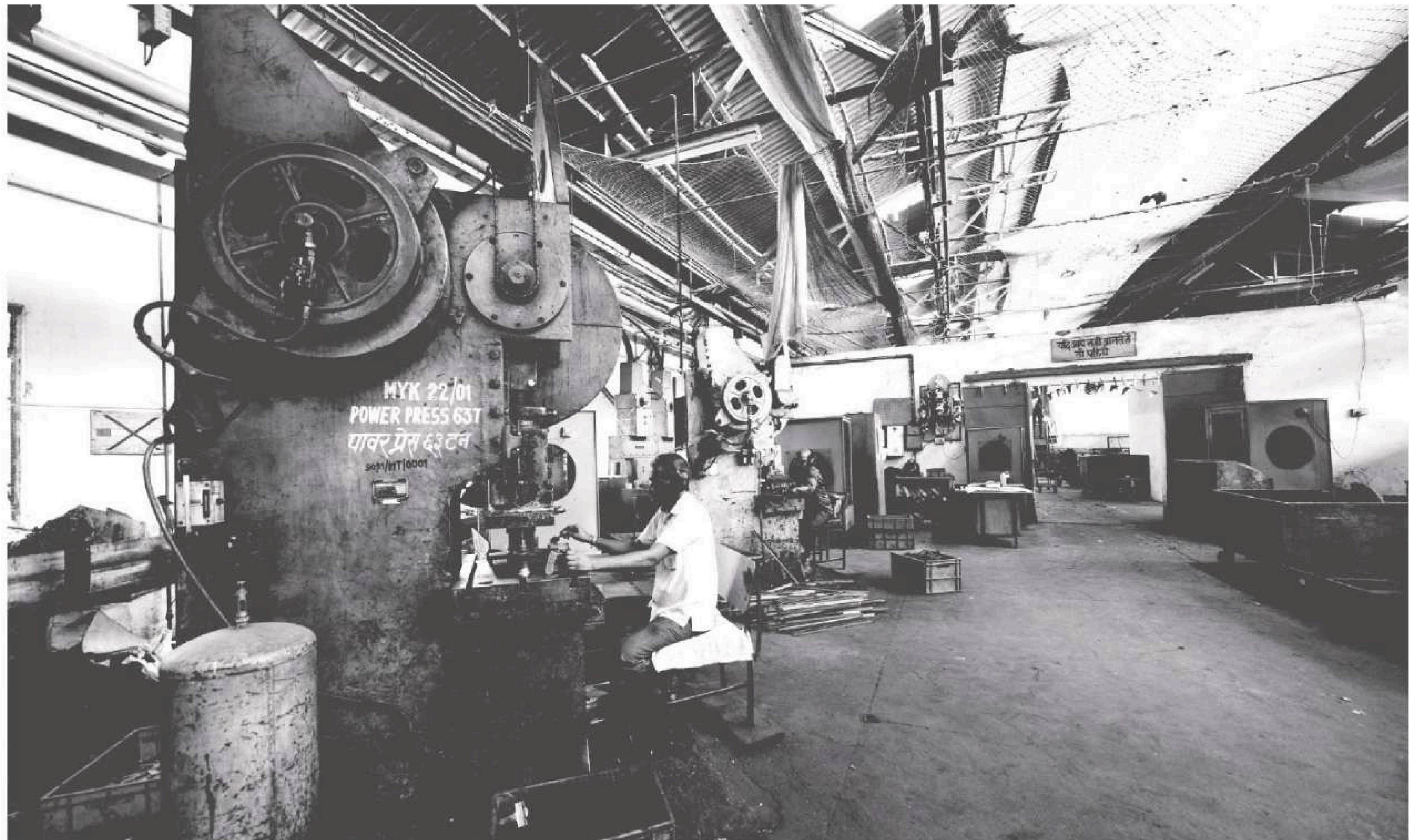
Old picture of Machine Shop





First batch of trained PO Professionals for National Course in Prosthetics in Kanpur, 1976

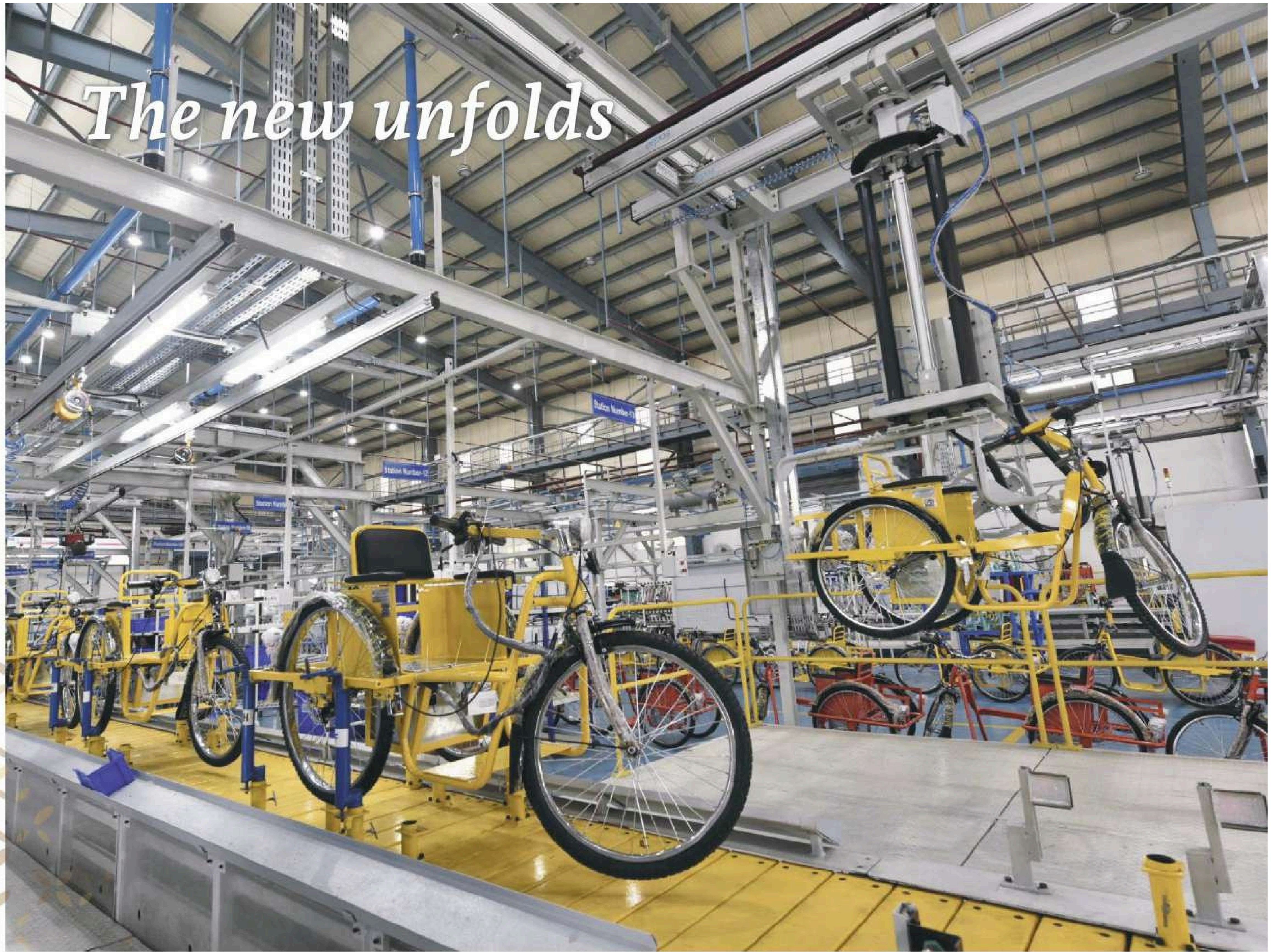




Existing Press Shop (Old) for production of sheet metal parts for T/c, MTC, WC Rollators and Orthotic lower components



The new unfolds



Assembly line with automatic conveyor for assembly of Motorised Tricycle and Wheel chair.



Modern Conveyorized Motorized Tricycles assembly line



Tool room for die making and its maintenance.

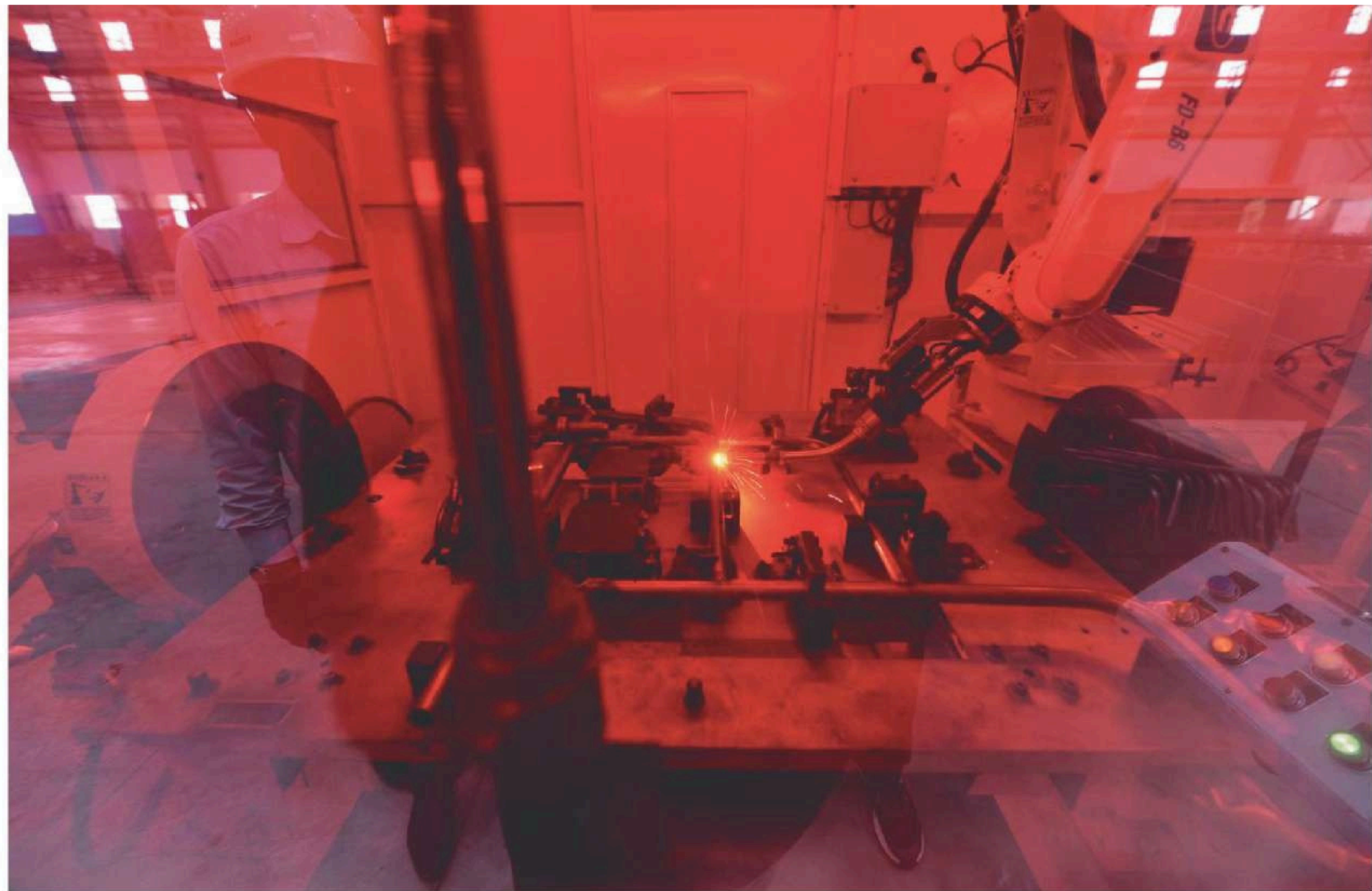




PU molding shop for SACH foot and manufacturing at high and prosthetics shop.



Work Centre - 2 (New Tube and sheet preparation shop) 3 axis & 5 axis bending machines, laser tube and sheet cutting machine.



Robotic Welding Machine for frame of Wheel chair.

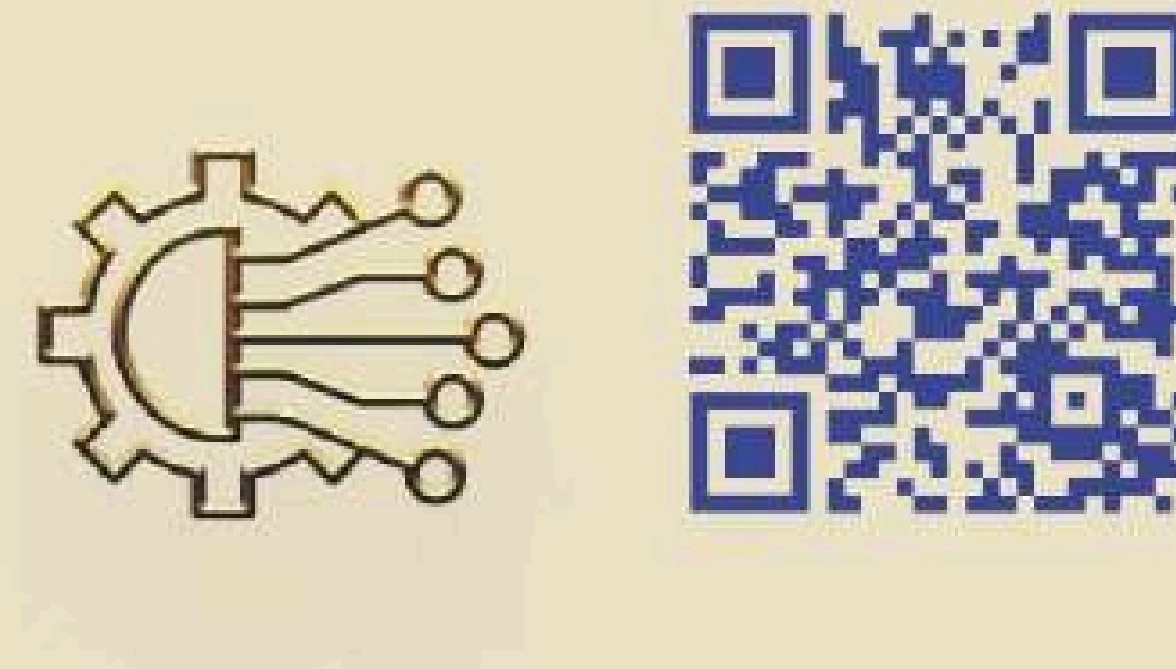




The building that houses the R&D Department



Modernization Project Takes Centerstage



With the Modernization plan of the Corporation getting approved by Standing Finance Committee (SFC) on 21.03.2018, for the upgradation and modernization, ALIMCO's production capacity increased upto many folds as compared to the capacity at pre-modernization time.

- Construction of AAPC Ujjain: Under Modernization plan of ALIMCO, ALIMCO Auxiliary Production Centre (AAPC) at Ujjain was inaugurated on 28th April 2018 by Hon'ble Chief Minister, Madhya Pradesh. The Plant is operational since then.
- Establishment of High-End Prosthesis Shop (HEPS) at ALIMCO HQ: Under the ToT signed between ALIMCO with M/s Ottobock HealthCare India Pvt. Ltd. HEPS is established with CNC Machines and other high-end Machineries for production of Above & Below Knee joint components.
- Establishment of Township at Kanpur
- Establishment of R&D Building: The facilities in the R&D building immensely improved the capability of ALIMCO in upgradation of the existing product and design and development of new aids and assistive.
- Establishment of ALIMCO's Prosthesis & Orthotic Center (APOC): State of Art Limb Fitting Center was created at APOC to serve the Divyangjans.
- State-of-the-Art G+4 Township was constructed with 24 flats and the same is being used by ALIMCO employees.
- Renovation & Re-modelling of Modern Canteen Facilities for Workers and Executives was done. The canteen has been fully functional since May 2018.
- Work Centers: Modern Work Centers with state-of-the-art machines and facilities were created as a part of the Modernization Project. These Work Centers are dedicated to operations/facilities such as Cutting, Bending, Welding, Surface Plating, Painting, Machining and Assembly.



Woman power to the fore in the Toolroom's machine area



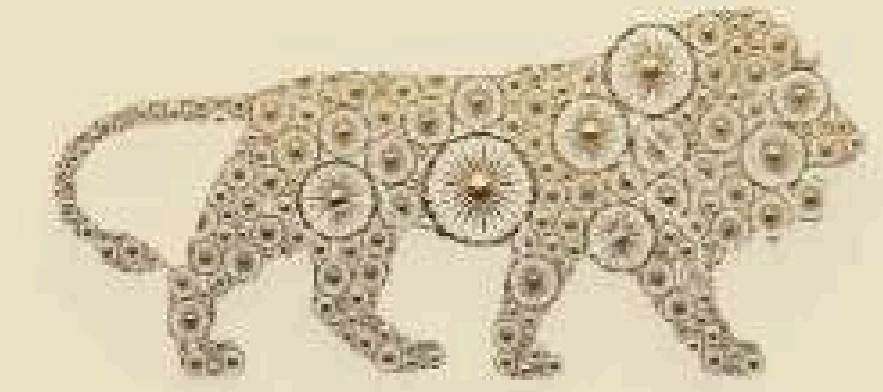
ALIMCO Modernized infrastructure have provision of roof top solar panel system with installed capacity of 1250 KW.

MOU & ToT DETAILS BY ALIMCO

ALIMCO signed two agreements for “Technical & Consultancy Service” and “Transfer of Technology (ToT)” on 20.05.2015 for mass manufacturing of new generation prosthetic and orthotic devices for Persons with Disabilities in the country at an affordable price.

Further, Transfer of Technology agreement has also been signed with a Trust U.K. on 21.12.2016 for in-house manufacturing of WHO compliance Active folding Wheelchairs. This will help in contributing towards the ‘Make in India’ initiative of the Hon’ble Prime Minister.

Launch of Sugamya Cane: In House developed, designed and manufactured electronic cane for visually impaired.



CNC machines and foot preparation area at high ends prosthesis shop.



Conveyorized Wheelchair assembly line at WC7.



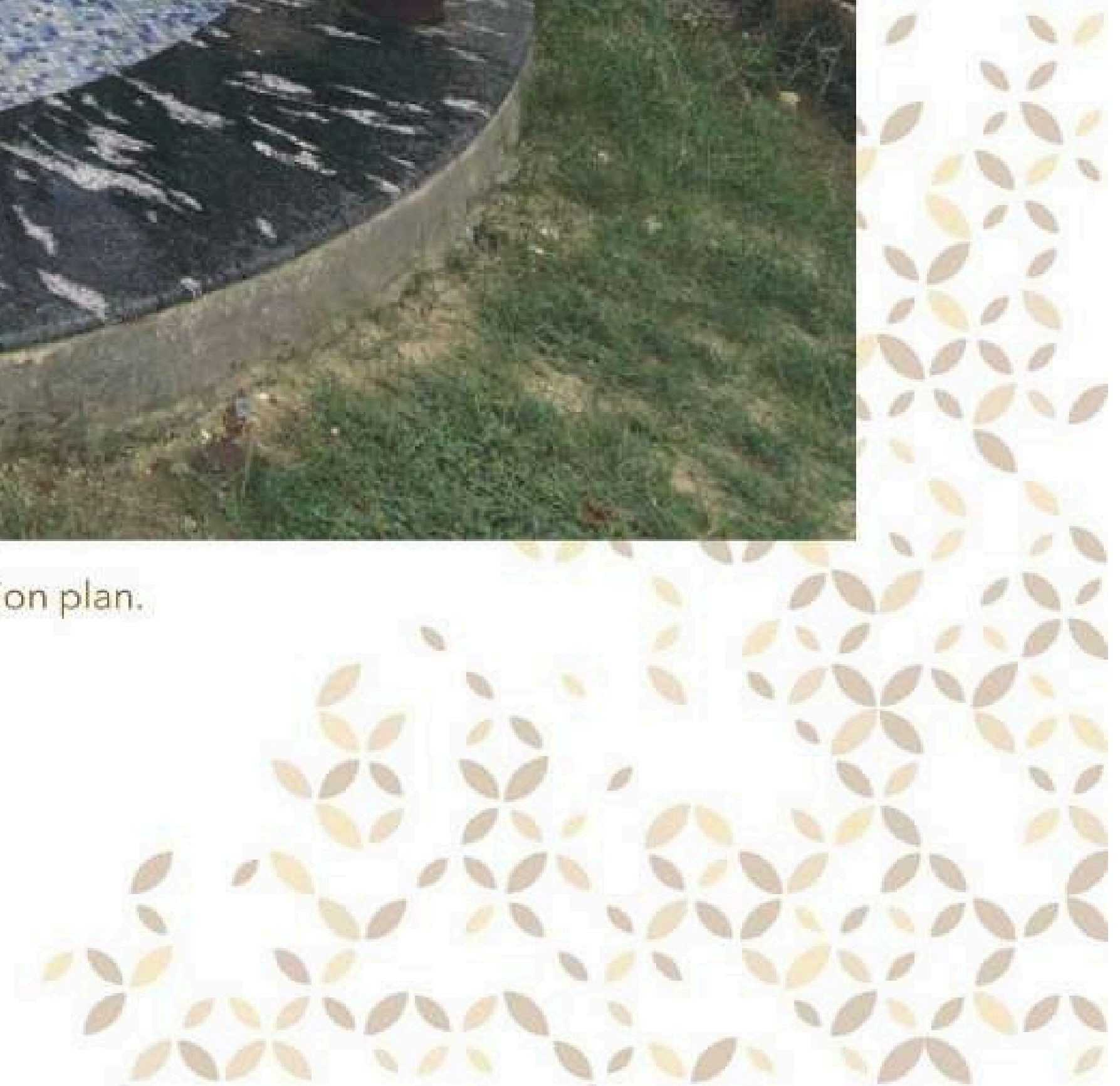
Motorized Tri-cycle assembly line on automatic conveyor system.



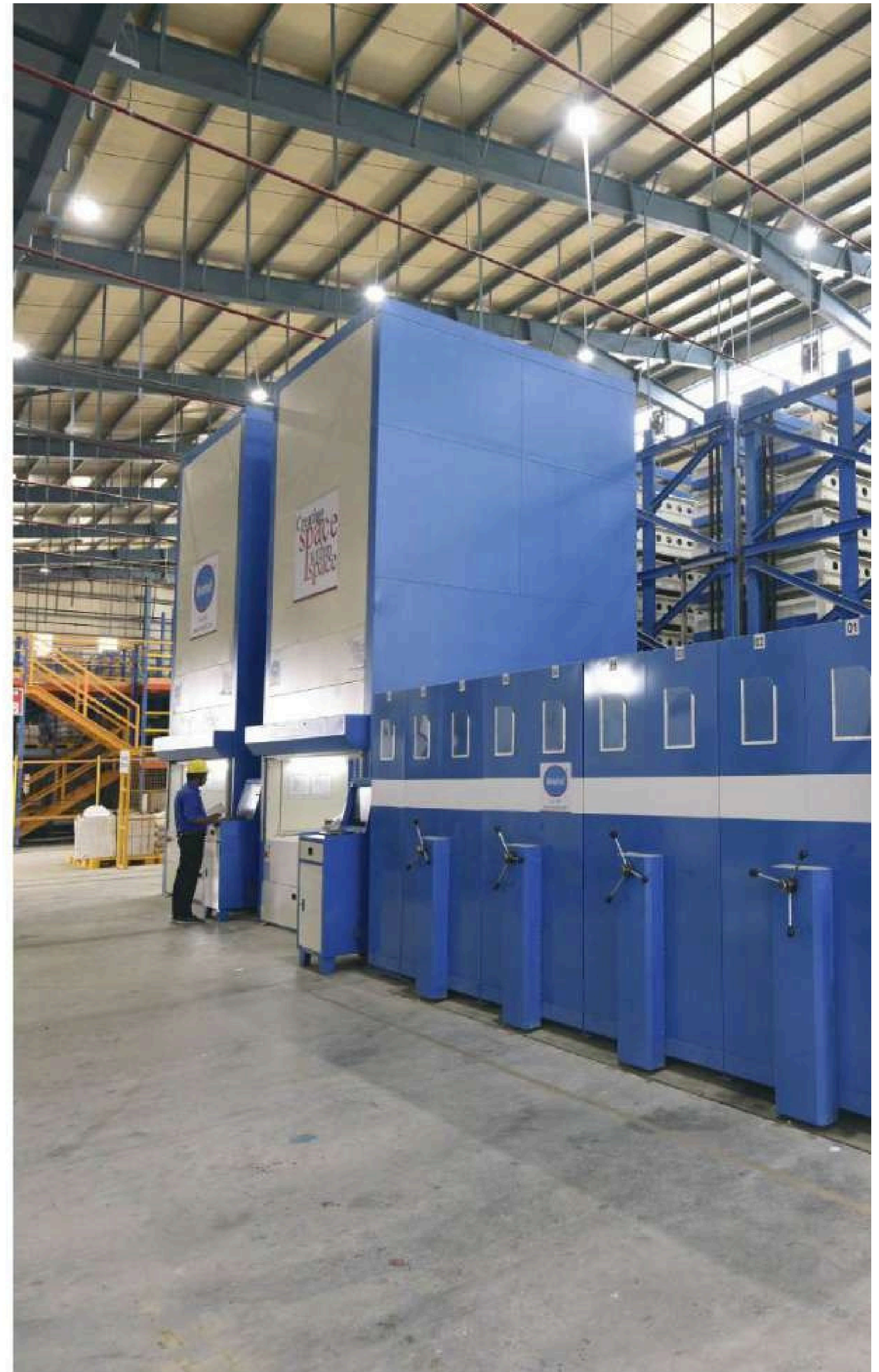
Powder coating booth at work center-6.



Beautification of old entrance done under modernization plan.



Automate Storage & Retrieval System (work centre 1) :



Storage and Retrieval System with Automatic Controls for storage and easy retrieval of tubes, Sheets, tools & bought out parts.

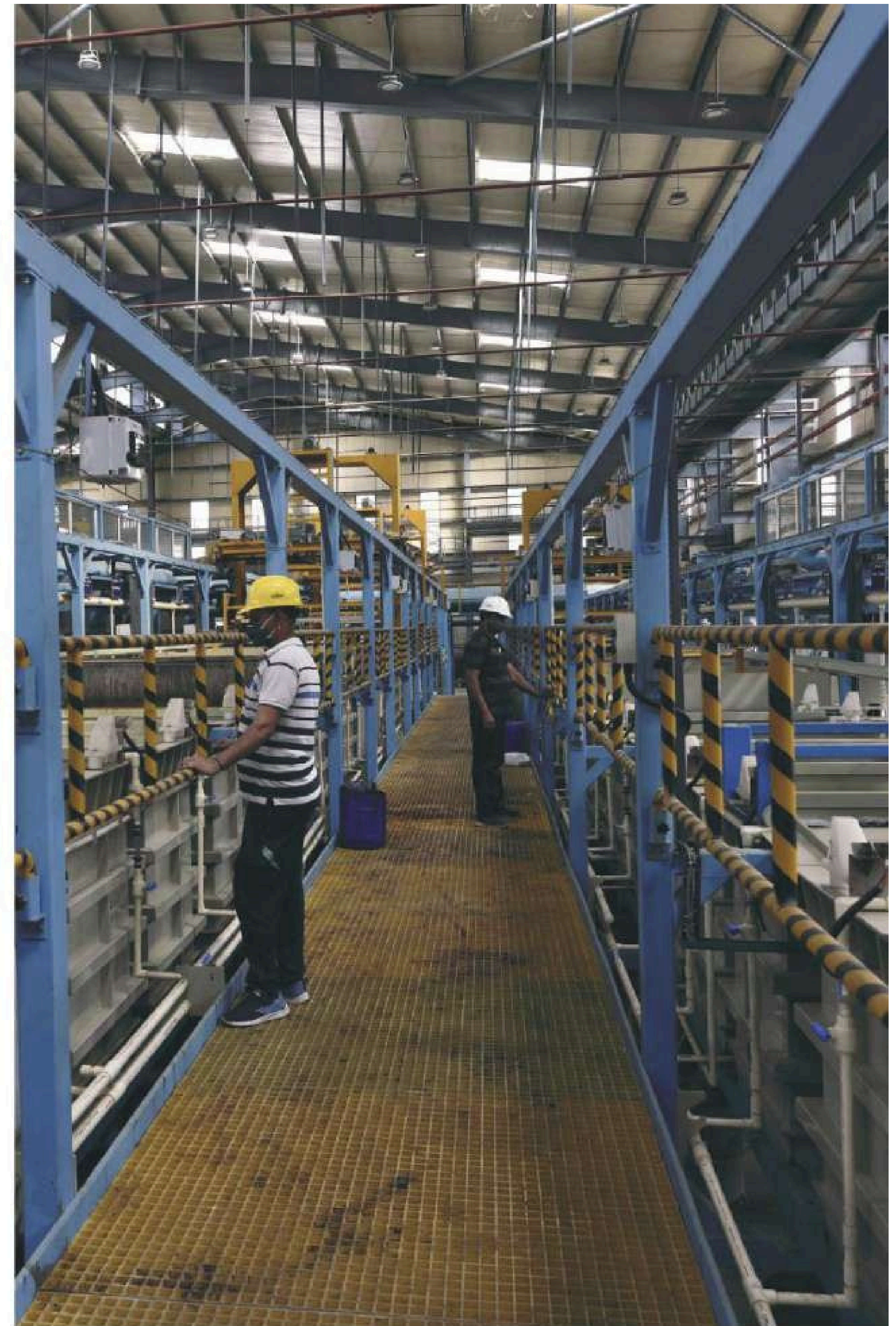


Metal Preparation Shop (work centre 2) :



It is a metal preparation shop for pipe cutting, bending, notching and equipped Work Centre for cutting, profiling, piercing etc of tubes and sheets. The Shop houses CNC Tube & Sheet Cutting Machines, 3 & 5 Axis CNC bending machines.

Surface Preparations Shop (work centre 3) :



The Plant is for Ni-Cr plating, Anodizing, Zinc Plating and Eletopolishing of various parts. The plant is operated auromatically with minimal maual intervention. The parameters are monitored is real time for better process control.

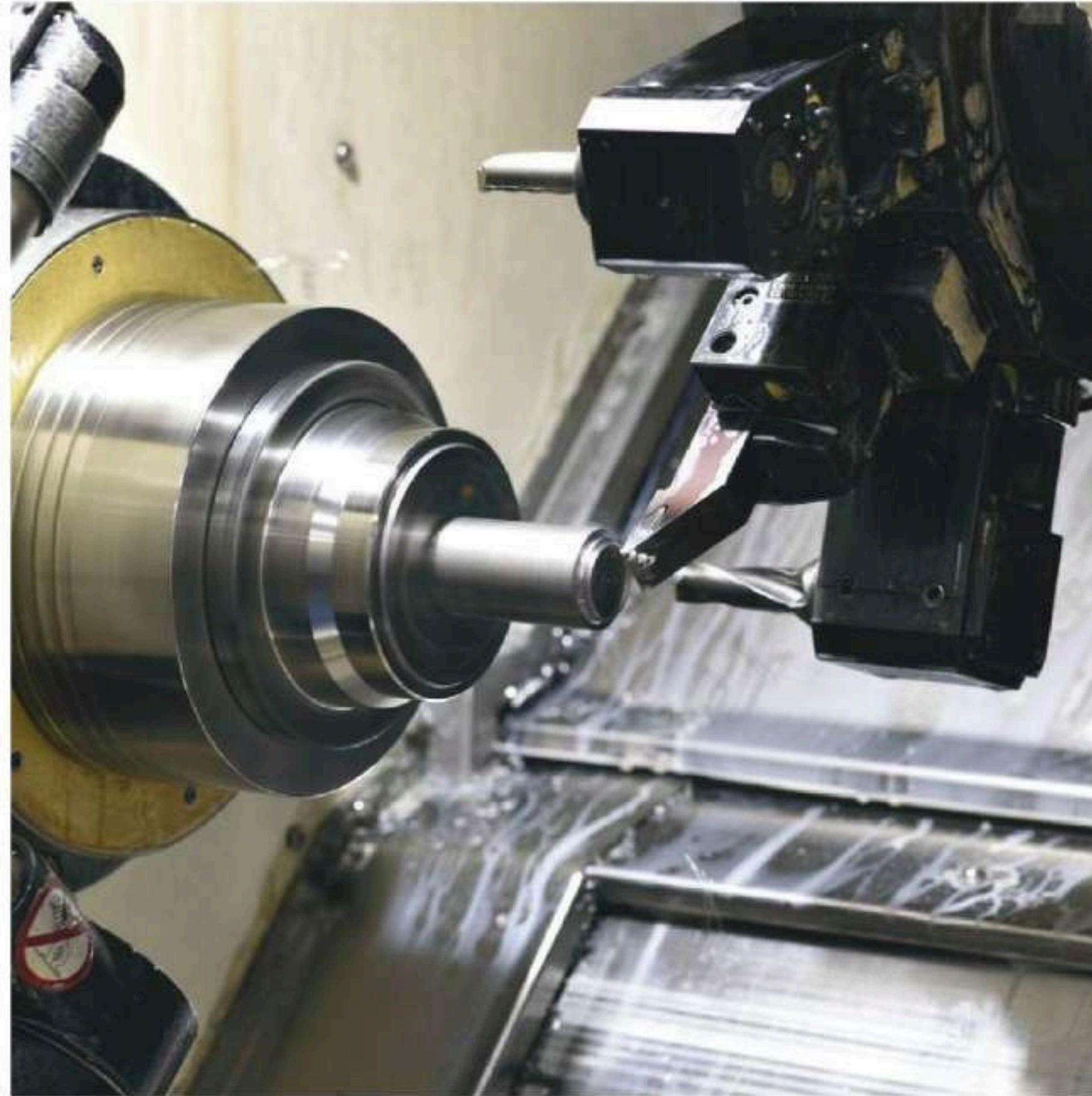


Houses Robots arranged in a sequence which are programmed to perform Mig Welding on child parts and structural frames of Wheel Chairs.

Robotic Welding Shop (work centre 4) :



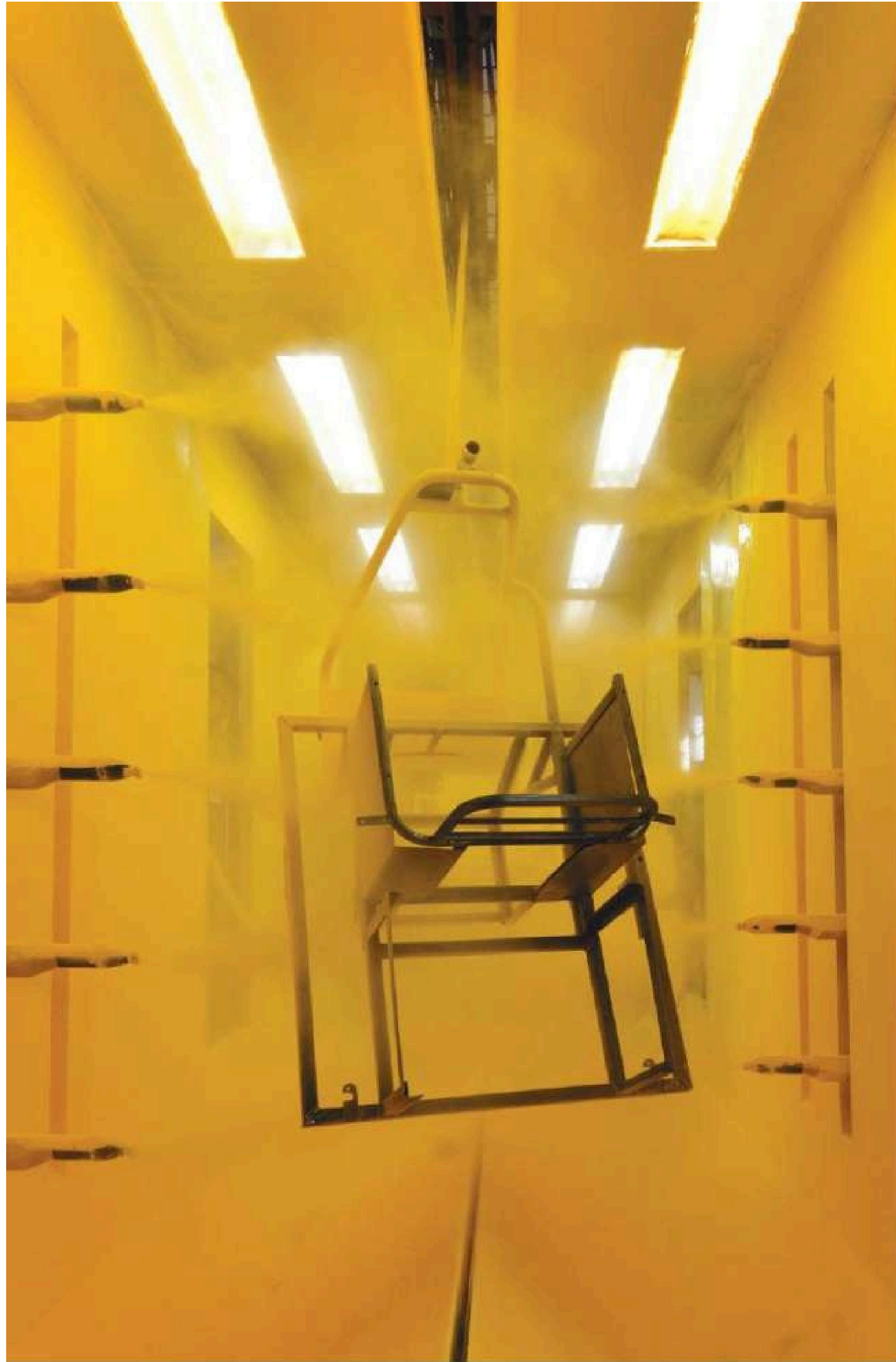
Hi-End Prosthesis Shop (HEPS/ Work Centre5) :



This work centre is a major place for manufacturing prosthetics. The shop is designed here with modern concepts of machining having high end CNC, PU Foaming machines, (3+2) axis CNC milling and CNC turnmill machines.



The Shop houses CNC milling, CNC turning and PU foaming machines for machining and production of various parts of the above & Below knee Prosthesis.



Automatic Powder Coating booth plant.

Automated Powder Coating Plant (Work Centre6) :

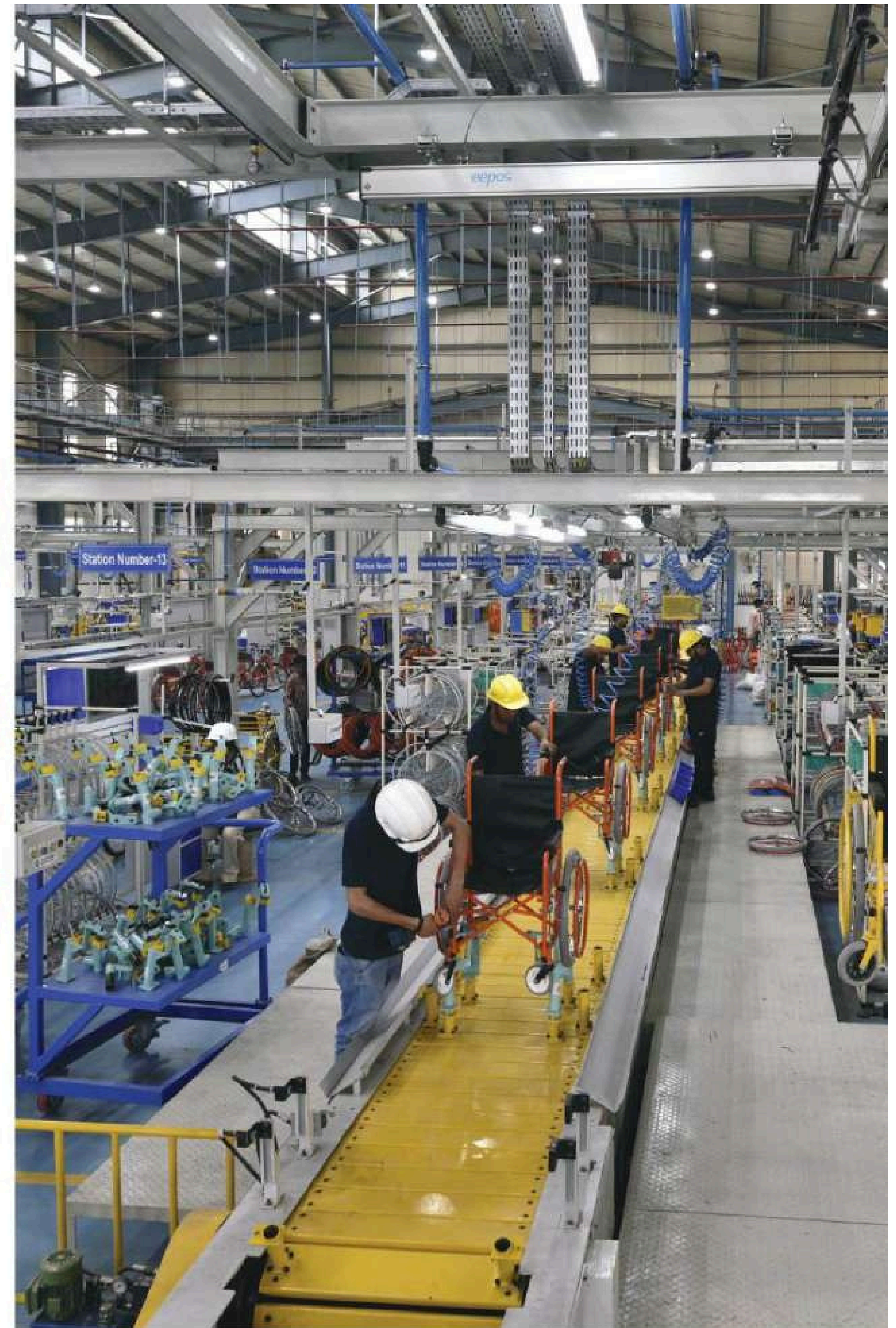


The plant houses an aurtomated conveyORIZED line with SCADA System for pre-treatment & Powder Coating of child parts, frames and various parts of Wheel Chairs, Tricycles, Motorized Tricycles etc.

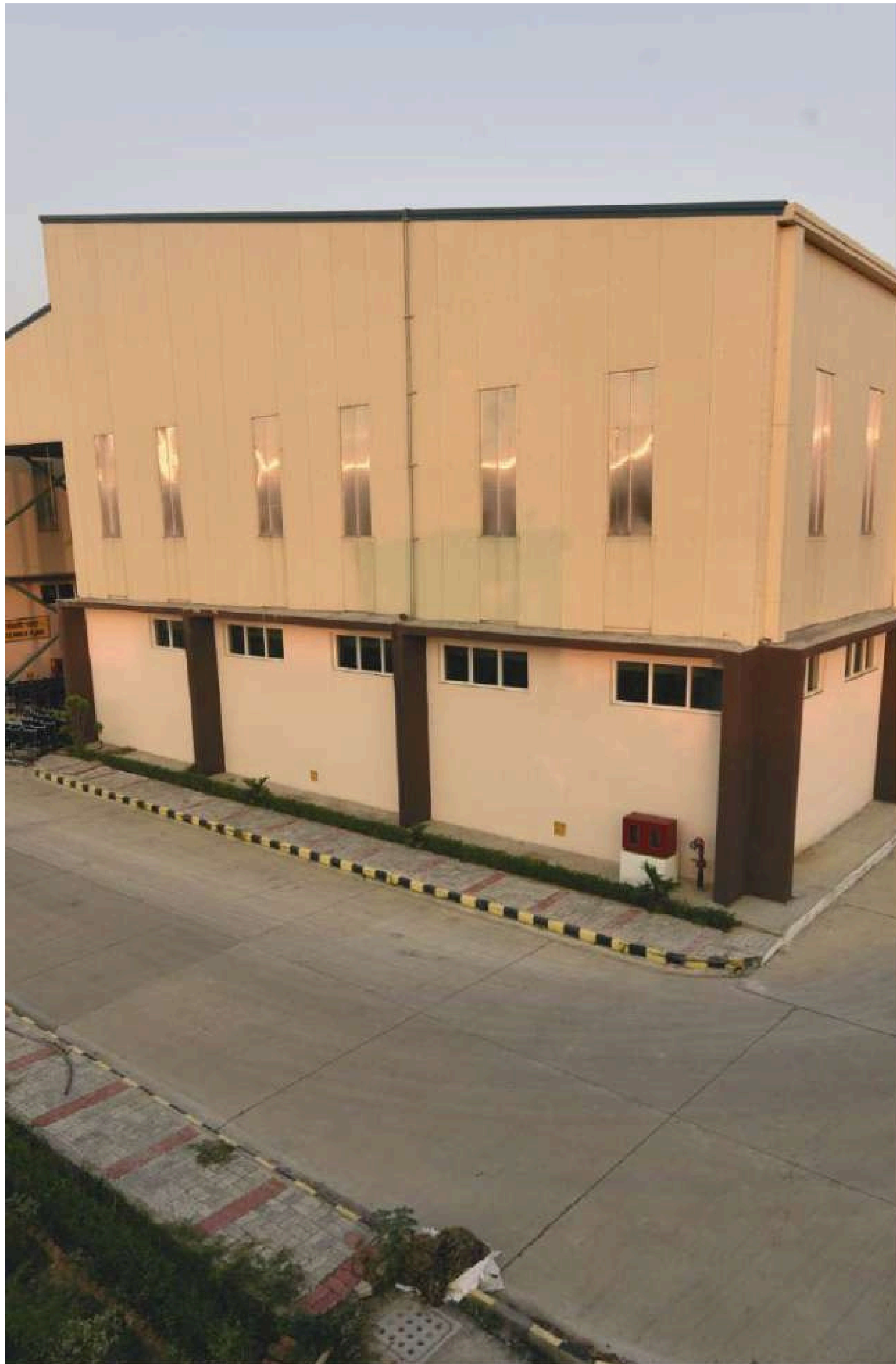
Final Assembly Shop (Work Centre 7A) :



It is designed for final assemblies of Wheelchair, Motorized Tricycles and wheels. The Conveyor, lightings, Electric Panels, Work Stations, Overhead Rails have been installed.

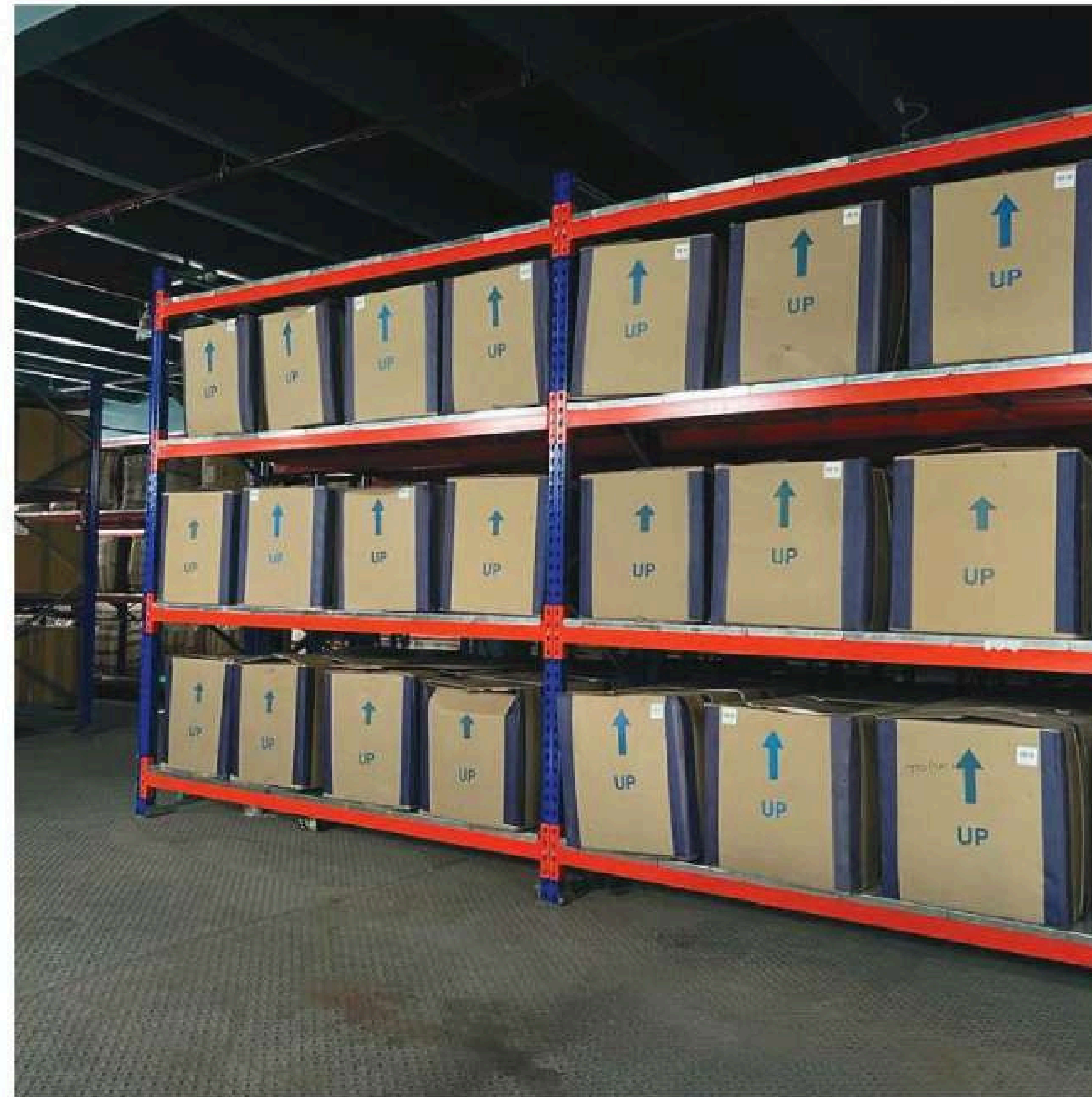


Final Assembly line with automatic conveyors for final assembly of Motorized Tricycles and Wheelchairs.



Covered storage with G+2 storage levels for storage of finished goods equipped with goods lift.

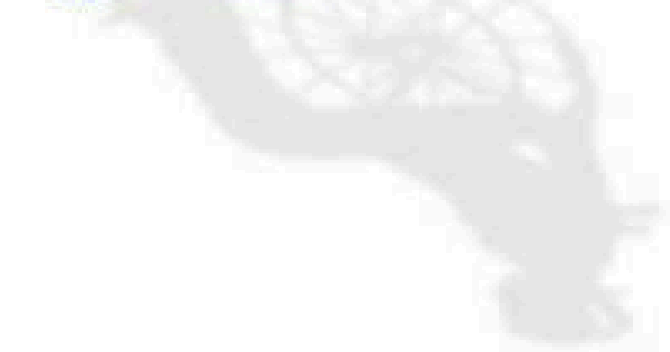
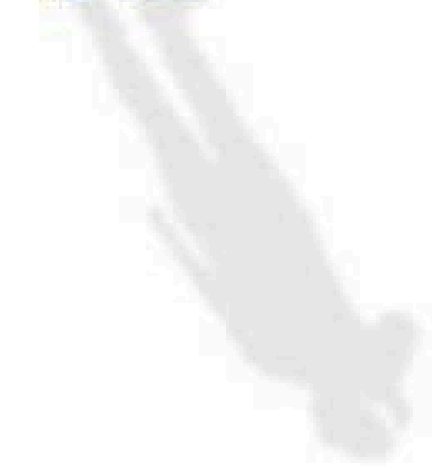
Finished Goods Warehouse (Work Centre 7B) :



The Warehouse is complete in all respects. In addition to the above infrastructure, a 33 KV HT Line substation with independent feeder has been established to give uninterrupted power supply. The entire campus around the new plant has been freshly landscaped.



A view of APMC Bhubaneswar



Front view of APMC Bhubaneswar



Front view of APMC Bangalore



Inside the Bangalore unit



A view of APMC Mohali



A view of AAPC Ujjain



Front view of AAPC Ujjain

A view of Metal Preparation Shop (Work Centre2) :



Large strides for betterment



Automatic vertical storage SRAS system (Inside view of the Store)

50  years OF ALIMCO

50 YEARS AND GOING STRONG

ALIMCO is a Corporation that is working with the mission to restore the Dignity of Persons with Disabilities. Born in the aftermath of historic Indo-Pak conflict of 1971 which left many homeless and a large number of population grievously injured / incapacitated, saw the birth of the Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) that today stands tall as a Mini Ratna PSU under Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment and is proud to have served millions of countrymen requiring artificial limbs and assistive devices to overcome their disability conditions.

In the year 1972, ALIMCO was incorporated under Welfare Ministry and the foundation stone of ALIMCO was laid on 18th November, 1973 by the then Hon'ble Prime Minister Late Smt. Indira Gandhi. The factory was established in Kanpur, the industrial city of Uttar Pradesh and the production started in 1976. Padma awardee Dr. B Sankaran was appointed as the first Chairman of the corporation.



Shri B. Shankaran the first Chariman of ALIMCO briefing the then Prime Minister Late Smt. Indira Gandhi during her visit at ALIMCO factory.



Lt Major General K. Raghunath, first MD of ALIMCO, briefing about the Orthosis made at ALIMCO to one of the visiting guests.

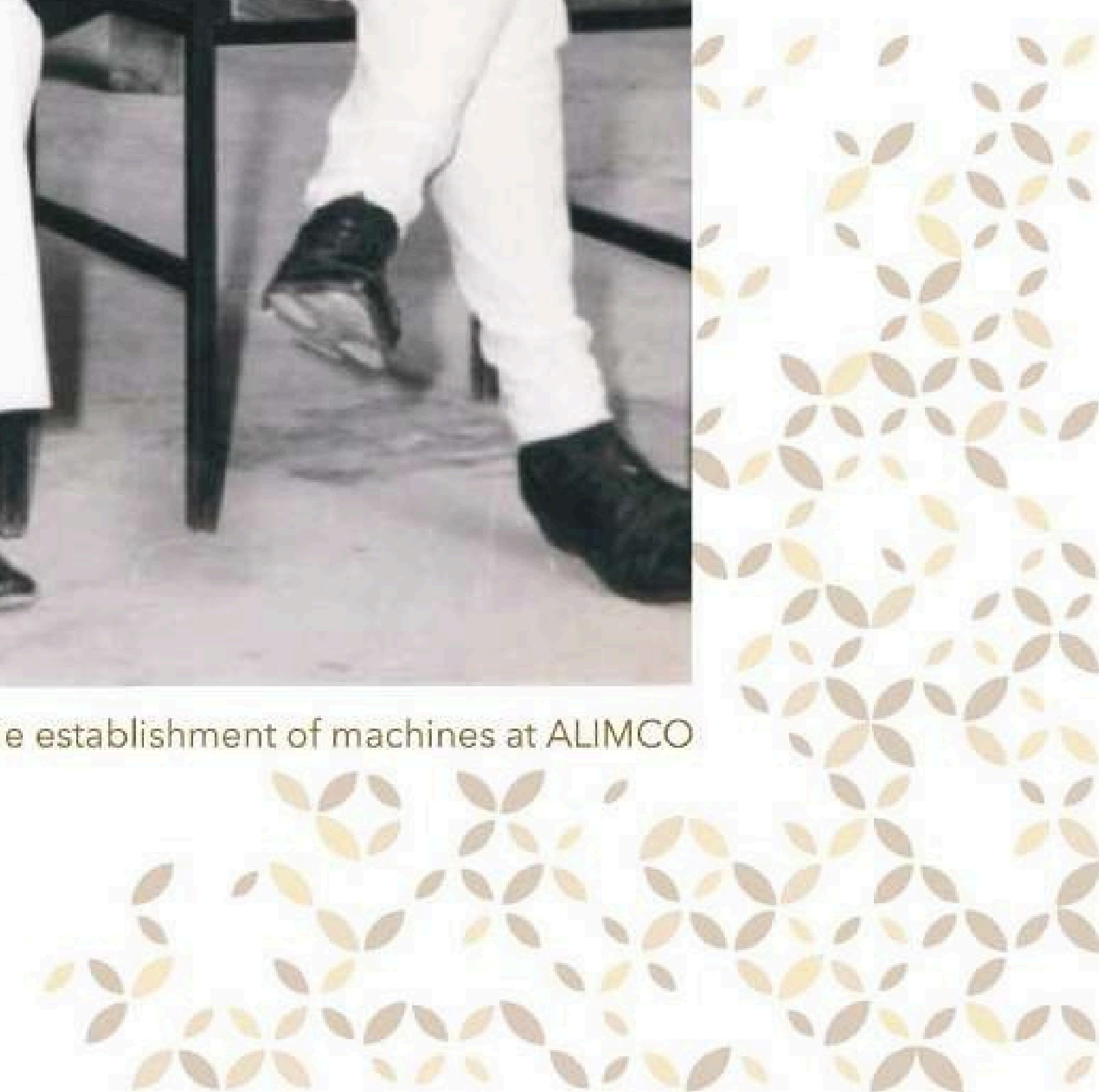


The then Prime Minister of India, Mrs Indira Gandhi, laid the Foundation Stone for Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation (ALIMCO), in Kanpur on November 18, 1973.





Representatives of different religions were present during the establishment of machines at ALIMCO





Dr. Kalam checked out the ALIMCO-made Prosthesis and took keen interest in other products too. He gave his valuable suggestions on development of new products, particularly for Prosthesis and Orthosis



The then President of India, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam being explained about battery operated tricycle developed by ALIMCO, by Mr Collin Murray on the occasion of World Disabled Day

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PRADHAN MANTRI DIVYASHA KENDRA (PMDKS)

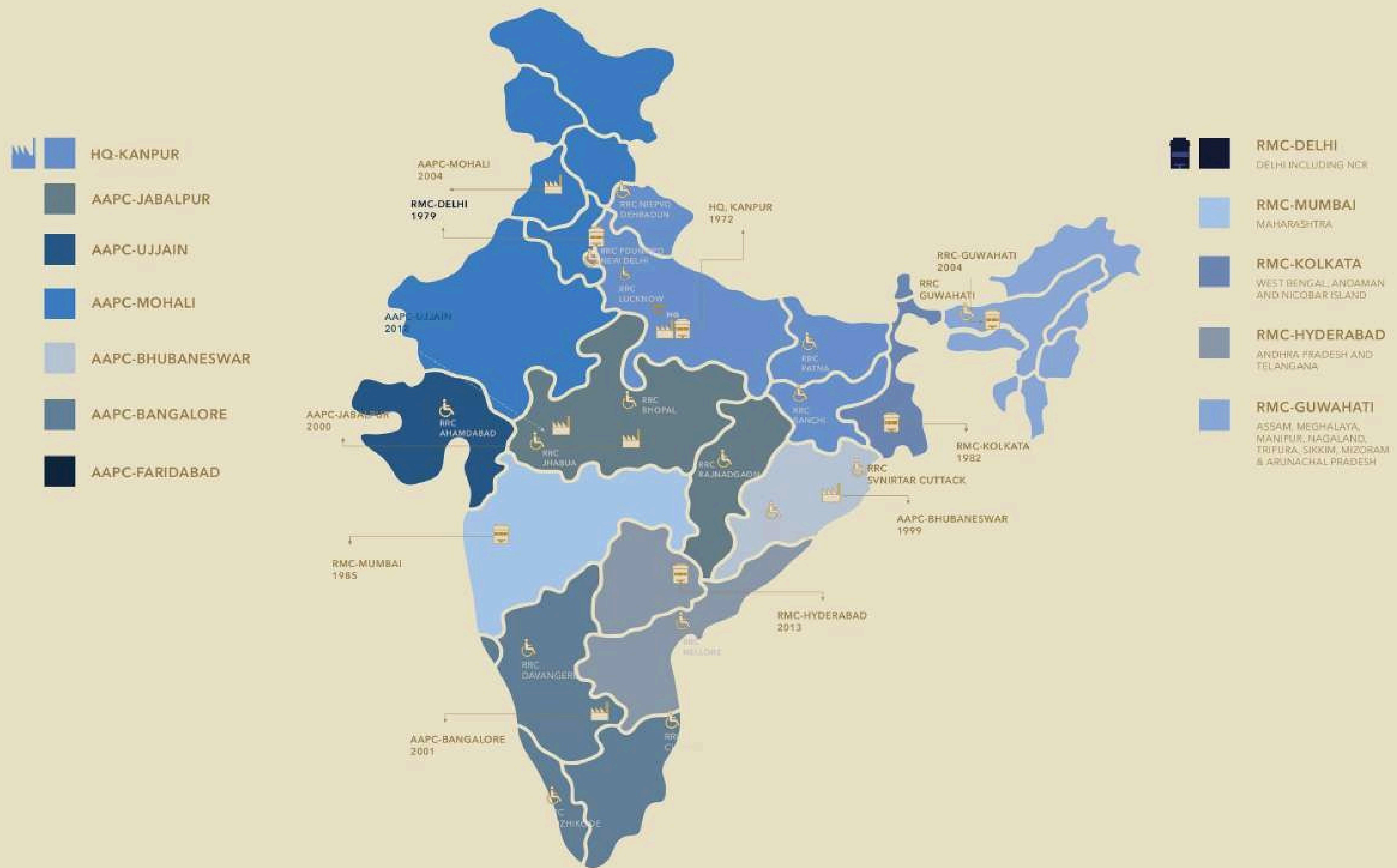
With an endeavor to enhance the outreach the benefit of ADIP and RVY schemes of Govt. of India for providing free of Cost Aids & Assistive devices to Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) and Sr. Citizens, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt of India has decided to open a permanent center in every 100 KM radius of the Country so that the benefit of Assistive Devices can be made available to the eligible beneficiary nearer to his or her door step with minimum waiting time. ALIMCO, in compliance of above instruction have started Opening of Pradhan Mantri Divyasha Kendra (PMDKs) and as of now 46 PMDKs have already been opened covering all State/UTs of the Country. At these PMDKs following Services are being Offered:

- Free distribution of Aids and Appliances Devices to eligible Divyangjan & Sr. Citizen under the scheme of Govt. Of India.
- Prosthesis & Orthosis Fitment.
- Audiometry room for assessing hearing loss with the provision of providing free of Cost Digital and Digital Programmable Hearing Aids and subsequent training to already fitted user.
- After- Sales Service cum Technical Support for the appliances being distributed.

STATE	PMDK	STATE	PMDK
1. Andaman & Nicobar Island	Port Blair	24. Maharashtra	Bandra- Mumbai
2. Andhra Pradesh	Nellore	25. Maharashtra	Nagpur
3. Arunachal Pradesh	Naharlagun	26. Manipur	Senapati
4. Assaam	Guwahati	27. Meghalaya	Shillong
5. Bihar	Patna	28. Mizoram	Aizawal
6. Chandigarh	Chandigarh	29. Nagaland	Dimapur
7. Chattisgarh	Rajnandgaon	30. Odisha	Cuttack
8. DH&DD	Daman	31. Odisha	Balangir
9. Delhi	Delhi	32. Puducherry	Puducherry
10. Gujarat	Ahmedabad	33. Punjab	Bathinda
11. Haryana	Faridabad	34. Punjab	Mohali
12. Himanchal Pradesh	Sundernagar	35. Rajasthan	Jaipur
13. Jammu & Kashmir	Jammu	36. Rajasthan	Tonk
14. Jammu & Kashmir	Srinagar	37. Sikkim	Gangtok
15. Jharkhand	Ranchi	38. Tamilnadu	Chennai(NIEPMD)
16. Karnataka	Davangere	39. Tamilnadu	Chennai(NIEPVD)
17. Kerala	Kozhikode	40. Telangana	Secunderabad
18. Ladakh	Leh	41. Tripura	Agartala
19. Ladakh	Kargil	42. Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow
20. Lakshadweep	Kavaratti	43. Uttar Pradesh	Noida
21. Madhya Pradesh	Chhattarpur	44. Uttrakhand	Dehradun
22. Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	45. Goa	Panji
23. Madhya Pradesh	Jhabua	46. West Bengal	Kolkata

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PRODUCTION, MARKETING & REHABILITATION CENTRE (PMDKs)



The Illustrious Journey

1972 to 1982

ALIMCO saw the light of day in the year 1972, when the NATIONAL DEFENCE FUND granted Rs 4 crore and 44 acre land was spared by IIT Kanpur, to facilitate its establishment. It was National Industrial Development Corporation Limited, that was at this time consultant for plant and machinery needed to set up ALIMCO. Initially National Institute for Prosthetic and Orthotic Training (NIPOT) was set up for training and research, that was conducted to develop Limb Fitting centres. In the years 1977-1978 new products, wheelchair, crutches, tools and devices for making artificial limbs and artificial leg (Lower extremities prosthetics) were developed and produced. In 1981 the scheme was launched for the purchase and fitting of AIDS and Appliances under ALIMCO's Aids and Assisted Devices (ADIP) for Assistance to Disabled /Divyangjan.

1983-1984

This was truly the MILESTONE YEAR when several new products were developed. These included the Tricycle that was hand propelled and liver driven. Diversification into development and manufacture of products for other disabilities too started with the Braille Slate, Plastic Cane for Blinds.

1984-1985

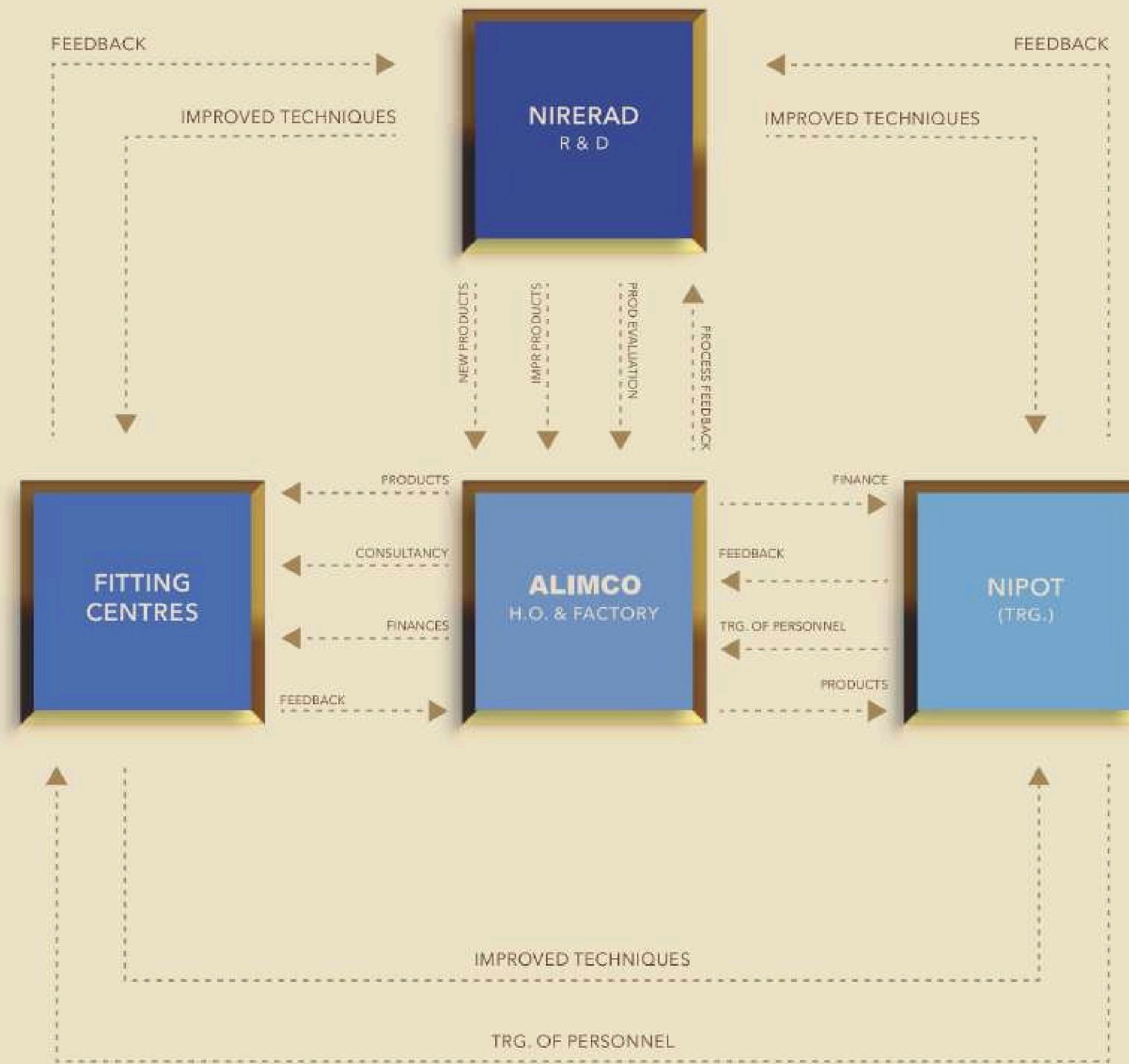
This was the year when hand operated, liver driven wheelchairs were manufactured at ALIMCO.

1985-1986

Production of Cervical Collars happened in this year.

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INITIAL WORK PROFILE



1988-1989

This was the landmark year when the Janata Tri-Wheeler was successfully launched and distributed among 200 valued customers.

1991-1992

The '90s saw a spate of product enhancement. The design of wheelchair for Indian Railways and National Airport Authorities was accepted by the Railways and Indian Airlines.

1996-1997

This year saw the wheelchair, both standard and deluxe for adults, acquire the Indian Standards Institution (ISI) mark.

1997-1998

ALIMCO started manufacturing ISI mark wheelchairs.

1998-1999

For manufacturing hearing aid, Regional Production Centres were planned for Bhubaneswar, Hyderabad, Abu Road in Rajasthan, Mumbai/ Pune. In addition to this, in Oct 1999, 6000 MT of food supplies were dispatched to Super Cyclone hit Orissa areas.

2000

Telescopic handy walking stick for orthopedically handicapped was added to the product range and the commercial production of Hearing Aids that was started in 1999, was taken forward.

2001

This was the year of the catastrophic Bhuj earthquake. Within 7 hours of its occurrence, 350 wheelchairs, 1900 crutches, 750 elbow crutches, 500 walking sticks, 250 cervical collars and 50 braces were delivered to the quake victims by ALIMCO. Also, a gift cargo containing 400 MT of food, medicine, hospital and relief supplies were sent on priority for those hit by the Gujarat earthquake.

2001-2002

Bhubaneswar Auxiliary Production Centre (APC) became functional with the production starting of wheelchairs, tricycles in 2001 July. In the meanwhile, in Jabalpur, possession of allotted land was done with 2003 as deadline for production to start there. APC in Punjab was on the anvil by then and land was provided for APC in Bangalore.

2002-2003

The Offset Printing Machine got commissioned. Pocket-type hearing aid with telecoil and also behind the ear (BTE) was developed. ALIMCO also went on to add the prototype of motorized battery driven wheelchair, tri-wheeler/ tricycle in its long manufacturing list. ALIMCO provided artificial limbs to 1000 landmine blast victims.

2003-2004

The Jabalpur unit became functional and started wheelchair and tricycle production. In Kanpur, a new device Rollator or wheeled walker that consists of a frame with three or four large wheels, handlebars and a built-in seat, was developed. It is in fact a mobility aid for the elderly and the bodily weak.

ADIP got a further boost with the motive to provide artificial limbs to school going children, under the Ministry of HRD and Ministry of Social Justice cost-sharing scheme. Under Right to Education (RTE), nobody was to be deprived of education, as the plan was linked to Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan that was later revised as Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA). ALIMCO was the sole implementing agency for this PAN India.

2005-2006

Bangalore unit became functional and bilateral activities too took place, with duty free relief cargo coming from UK, US, Sweden, Germany and Switzerland.

ALIMCO now moved from Ministry of Health to Ministry of Social Justice that was earlier Ministry of Welfare.

STEPPING INTO THE
Golden Era



Hon'ble Prime Minister felicitated Divyangjan at Vadodara 'Samajik Adhikarita Shivir' on 22 Oct, 2016 for providing Aids and Assistive Devices. A Mega distribution camp under the ADIP scheme of government of India wherein more that 10K beneficiaries got benefit of the scheme.





Navsari Camp



Vadodara Camp



Hon'ble Prime Minister, Narendra Modi, interacting with Divyang provided MTC at Distribution organised in Prayagraj



Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi taking a selfie with a visually impaired beneficiary at Prayagraj Mega Distribution Camp.



Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi graced the Mega Distribution camp organised by DEPwD in association with ALIMCO as a nodal agency under ADIP and RVY scheme of GOI in Prayagraj (U.P) on 29.02.2020



Shri Ram Nath Kovind, the then President of India distributing Motorised Tricycle to Divyang Beneficiary under ADIP Scheme in a Mega camp organised by ALIMCO on behalf of DEPwD, GOI in Gwalior (M.P) on 11.02.2018



Group photograph with Union Minister Dr. Virendra Kumar and Kumari Pratima Bhaumik , Union MoS for Social Justice & Empowerment at the center along with team ALIMCO and senior officers from Parliament Administration.



Lok Sabha Speaker Shri Om Birla having a look at ALIMCO's 'Sugamya Cane' at Exhibition stall of ALIMCO in Parliament Annexe, while Union Minister Dr. Virendra Kumar highlights the key points of the sensor based electronic Cane indigenously designed and manufactured by ALIMCO





Distribution for providing aids and assistive devices under the ADIP Scheme in Mumbai in the presence of Hon'ble MoS Shri Ramdas Athawale.





Hon'ble Union MoS for Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution and Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India Shri B.L Verma distributed assistive device to Divyangjan under ADIP scheme in mega camp organized by ALIMCO in Badayun (U.P) on 18.07.2024.



Hon'ble MoS Ku. Pratima Bhoumik's visit at ALIMCO, Kanpur



Union Minister Dr. Virendra Kumar interacting with beneficiary fitted with Lower limb prosthetic of ALIMCO also present is Shri Rajesh Aggarwal, Secretary, DEPwD, Govt.of India during the mega distribution camp organized in Jhabua (M.P)

2013 to 2023

These were the years that saw ALIMCO climb from one milestone to another as a Mini Ratna PSU under Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. As a 'Not for Profit' motive PSU, the Corporation has been in the forefront manufacturing Aid and Assitive Devices for Divyangjan. ALIMCO became the largest Implementing Agency of ADIP Scheme, since its introduction in the year 1981.



Hon'ble Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment Dr. Virendra Kumar inaugurated 'Samajik Adhikarita Shivirs' across 74 locations nationwide and graced the main distribution camp organised in Tikamgarh, Madhya Pradesh under ADIP scheme for providing Aids and Assistive Devices to Divyangjan on 24 September 2023.



हमारे दिव्यांगों का भी देश के विकास में उनका सामूहिक प्रयास व सहभागिता जुड़े: डॉ. वीरेंद्र कुमार

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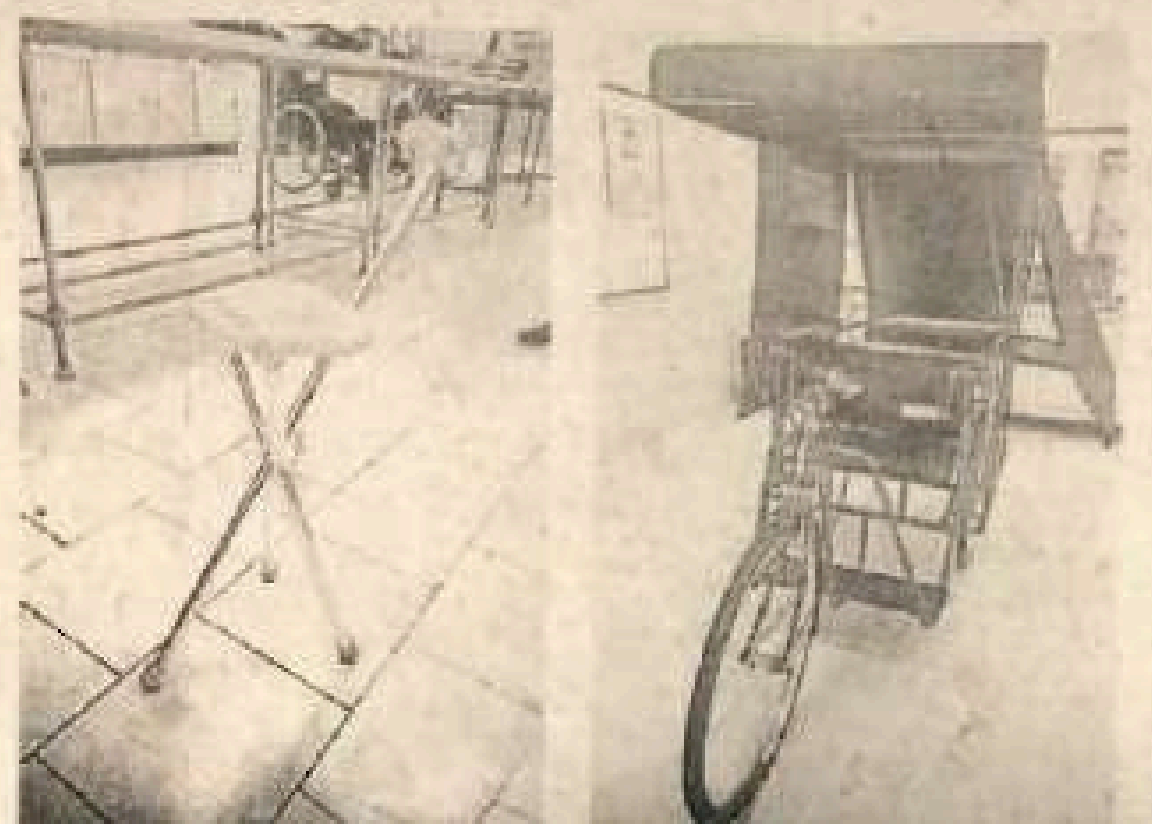
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आज की जगह पर हमें यह समझना पड़ेगा कि 14 जनवरी को क्या साधारण के अतिरिक्त एक और अतिरिक्त दिवस के रूप में निर्धारित किया जा रहा है। 14 जनवरी को अतिरिक्त दिवस के रूप में निर्धारित किया जा रहा है।

वृद्धजन का जीवन भी सुगम बना रहा एलिम्को

जयपुर: भारतीय कृत्रिम अंग निर्माण निगम (एलिम्को) दिव्यांगों के साथ ही असहाय वृद्धजन का जीवन भी सुलभ बनाने में जुटा है। जो लोग ठीक से चल नहीं पाते थे, वे आज कृत्रिम अंगों की बढौलत वौद रहे हैं और जो दृष्टिहीन असहाय होकर घर के एक कोने में बैठे रहते थे, वह संसर युक्त छड़ी की बढौलत खुद चलकर अपने काम कर रहे हैं। जो हां, 50 वर्षों से एलिम्को इसी तरह दिव्यांगों की सेवा कर रहा है।



एलिम्को में बरिष्ठ नागरिकों हेतु बनी छड़ी सीट सहित कागज़। एलिम्को में दिव्यांगों को रोजगार देने के लिए बनाई गयी ट्राइसाइकिल का उद्घाटन।

जैती रोड पर नारमज क्रासिंग के सामने स्थित एलिम्को संस्थान की स्थापना भारत सरकार ने सामाजिक न्याय एवं अधिकारिता मंत्रालय के अधीन वर्ष 1972 में की थी। निगम सरकार की ओर से संचालित दिव्यांगजन की सहायता (एडिप), समग्र शिक्षा अभियान और राष्ट्रीय बवोश्री योजना के तहत दिव्यांगजन और वृद्धजनों को आत्मनिर्भर व सक्षम बनाने के लिए तकनीकी उपकरण उपलब्ध करा रहा है। एडिप व समग्र शिक्षा अभियान के तहत ऐसे नागरिक, जिनकी मासिक आय 15 हजार रुपये से कम है, उन्हें निःशुल्क उपकरण दिए जाते हैं। साथ ही जिनकी आय 15 हजार से ज्यादा व 20 हजार से कम है, उन्हें आधे मूल्य पर उपकरण दिए जाते हैं। संसद में होगा एलिम्को की सुगम छड़ी का विमोचन: एलिम्को की ओर से तीन मीटर दूर तक अवरोध को अल्ट्रासोनिक सेंसर के जरिए पहचानने वाली सुगम कैन (छड़ी) का उद्घाटन संसद के शीतकालीन सत्र में कराने की तैयारी हो रही है। इस छड़ी की खासियत है कि सामने किसी वस्तु के आने पर छड़ी से तरंग उत्पन्न होने लगती है। छड़ी को पकड़कर चलने वाले को अहसास हो जाता है और वह दिशा बदल सकता है। वहीं, निगम के अधिकारियों ने बताया कि विशेष मांग होने पर वह रोजगार करने के लिए भी ट्राइसाइकिल बनवाते हैं। ट्राइ साइकिल में सामान रखने व काउंटर की तरह सिस्टम तैयार किया गया है।

- 50 से ज्यादा उपकरण लांच करके दिव्यांगों को बनाया आत्मनिर्भर
- यह है विशेषताएं
 - पांच सहायक उत्पादन केंद्र, पांच क्षेत्रीय विपणन केंद्र व करीब 100 में निर्माणशील उत्पादन केंद्र।
 - भारतीय मानक ब्यूरो 9001-2015 और 14001-2015 की ओर से प्रमाणित
 - 26 श्रेणियों के 273 प्रकार के पुनर्वास उत्पादों का निर्माण, जिसमें 18 उपकरण आइएसआइ मार्क के।
 - निगम की ओर से नौ विभिन्न श्रेणियों में नौ गिनीज बुक ऑफ वर्ल्ड रिकार्ड बनाया।

Distributes Devices To Spl Persons

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

Varanasi: While over 9,000 differently abled persons received assistive devices at the mega camp organised by the ministry of social justice and empowerment at Diesel Locomotive Works, Prime Minister Narendra Modi personally gave devices to 20 differently abled persons here on Friday. He also met five widows and presented them with sewing machines.

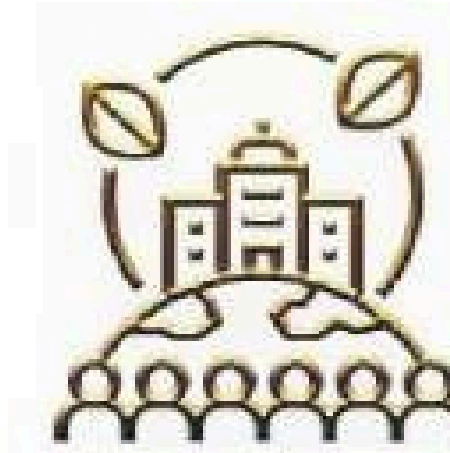


The devices Modi handed out were motorized tricycles, smart canes for the visually impaired, braille kit, smart phone with screen reading software, learning material kit, hearing aid, laptop and tablet. Rahul Sonkar, a mentally retarded boy received a laptop from the PM and operated it before Modi. So impressed was Modi that he even mentioned Rahul's name in his address. Others were Divya Pandey, Rishim, Jyoti, Shru Singh, Poonam Manjit Sharma, Hanchal Kumar, Sunil Gupta, Rukaiyya Bibi, Rekha, Shaktuntala, Kanchan Ojha, and Aditi Mishra. Besides, five widows, Nisha, Sheela, Punam, Kalawati and Reena, received sewing machines on the occasion. The PM also met five children with cochlear implants. A total of 25,840 assistive devices worth Rs 7.60 crore

PM Narendra Modi distributes aid & assistive devices to differently abled persons at DLW ground on Friday were distributed among 9,296 persons at the camp. Those devices include tricycles (3674), wheel chairs (906), crutches (1880), walking sticks (371), Braille canes (880), MSID kits (446), rollers (309), Braille slates (323), Braille kits (92), ADL kit leprosy (120), screen reader smartphones (70), mag-

nifier smartphones (26), tablets for the blind (60), tricycle attachment clips (241), TLM kits (353), laptops (20), hearing aids (2490), and limbs (589).

A preferred CSR implementing agency



ALIMCOs CSR INITIATIVES

ALIMCO has joined hands with more than 50 CPSUs including NTPC Ltd, APCPL, Rural Electrification Corporation Ltd, Power Grid Corporation Ltd., GAIL (India) Ltd, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd, ONGC Ltd, Airports Authority of India, Indian Railway Finance Corporation, Engineers India Ltd, The New India Assurance Co. Ltd., Northern Coalfields Ltd, Central Coalfields Ltd, etc. to organize Assessment and Distribution Camps to provide Aids & Assistive devices to 3.21 Lakh beneficiaries throughout India under their CSR programme during since 2011.

- ALIMCO is a Central PSU under the administrative control of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India.
- Only Manufacturing Corporation, registered under Section 8 of the Companies Act 2013 as "Not For Profit Motive" Company and has the mandate to undertake CSR activities as per the notified Companies Act 2013.
- Catering to the poorest of poor population/vulnerable section of the society mandated under list of CSR activities under Schedule VII (i) under 'promoting health care including preventive health care' of the Companies Act, 2013.
- All the CSR activities are undertaken in Project Mode.
- All CSR Projects are carried out as per "Assistance to Disabled Persons Scheme (ADIP)" issued by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India.
- Transparency is ensured by involving District Administration Officials during both assessment and distribution.
- ALIMCO ensures brand Visibility, Community Goodwill Branding Opportunities.

OUR CSR PARTNER'S



AASRA SHOWS THE WAY FORWARD



AASRA CENTRES-KEY POINTS

Intend to provide the facility of repair service and spare parts of ALIMCO products at the nearest location of Divyangjan.
ALIMCO AASRA provides the opportunity of self-employment.
Free of cost skill training is imparted to Divyangjan to repair the majorly distributed products of ALIMCO like Motorized Tricycle, Wheelchair, Tricycle and Behind The Ear Hearing Aid Machine



Under AASRA, ALIMCO imparts free of cost training to the Divyangjan to repair the majorly distributed products of ALIMCO like Motorized Tricycle (MTC), Tricycle, Wheelchair and Behind the Ear (BTE) Hearing Aid machine etc.



Sanitisation of all products was done at the warehouse before packing and dispatching them for distribution



Free of cost food distribution for labourers at ALIMCO, Kanpur, new construction site during COVID19 pandemic

COVID management at its best

After the lockdown phase started w.e.f 01.06.2020 onwards, the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, DEPwD, Government of India, had approved Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for distribution of aids and assistive devices to Divyangjans under the empowerment. More than 30 distribution camps were conducted under ADIP and RVY Schemes by ALIMCO ADIP Scheme on 10.06.2020.

In the wake of COVID 19 pandemic, distribution camps were continued by following approved SOP by Ministry of Social Justice & in the virtual presence of Hon'ble Union Minister/Union MoS for Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India.

The LIVE webcast of these camps was done through its official YouTube channel.

Multi-level sanitization of equipment including pre dispatch sanitization of aids and appliances, transport vehicle, sanitization of open/closed stacking area and re-sanitization of assistive devices just before the distribution of Aids and Assistive devices.



Food distribution to the labours and their families at ALIMCO, Kanpur, while maintaining social distance during Lockdown period.

INITIATIVE TAKEN FOR CORONA VACCINATION

The corporation conducted COVID 19 Vaccination drive for its all employees of all age groups at every level by associating with the Health Department of the District Administration. As much as 118 number of regular and contractual employee of ALIMCO under the age of 45 years and above age group category got vaccinated for the First Dose on 13.04.2021 of Covishield at the Headquarter. The first, second and booster dose of vaccination drive was completed on priority. Apart from the above, corporation has also donated 30 Oxygen Cylinders to GSVM Hospital, Kanpur and 500 PPE Kits to volunteers /manpower at cremation places.

CONTRIBUTION UNDER THE CSR INITIATIVE

ALIMCO contributed total Rs.1.30 Crores to PM CARES Fund to fight against Corona virus pandemic and contributed Rs 1.73 Crores out of CSR allocation:

- Rs. 55 Lacs for Management of COVID Care Facility at Kanpur.
- Rs. 08 Lacs for Free Distribution of Lunch at Covid Hospital Kanpur.
- Rs. 60 Lacs for Management of COVID Care Facility at Nagda, Ujjain.
- Rs. 25 Lacs for Management of COVID Care Facility at Khachrod, Ujjain.
- Rs. 25 Lacs for Management of COVID Care Facility at, Alot-Ratlam.



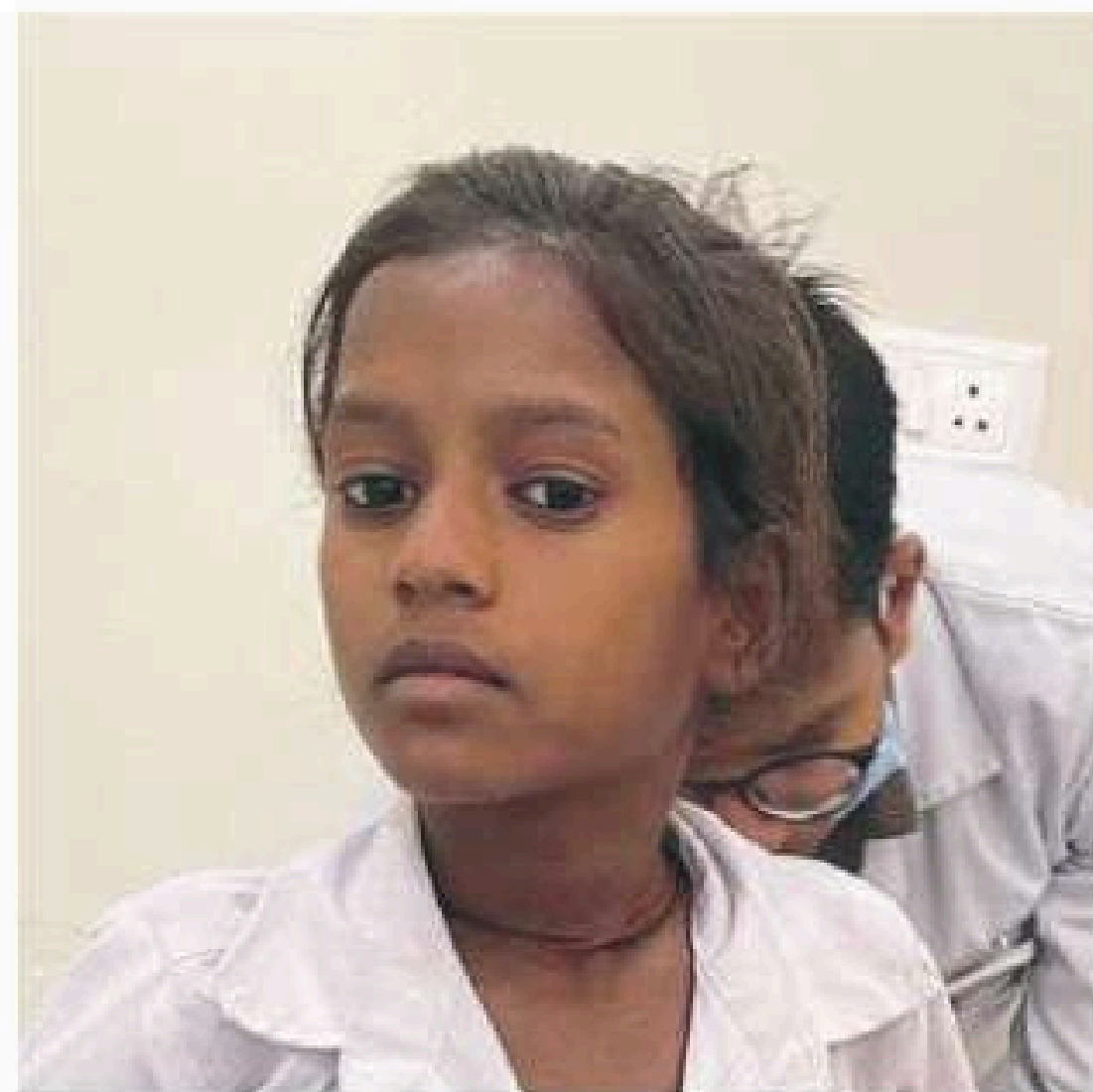
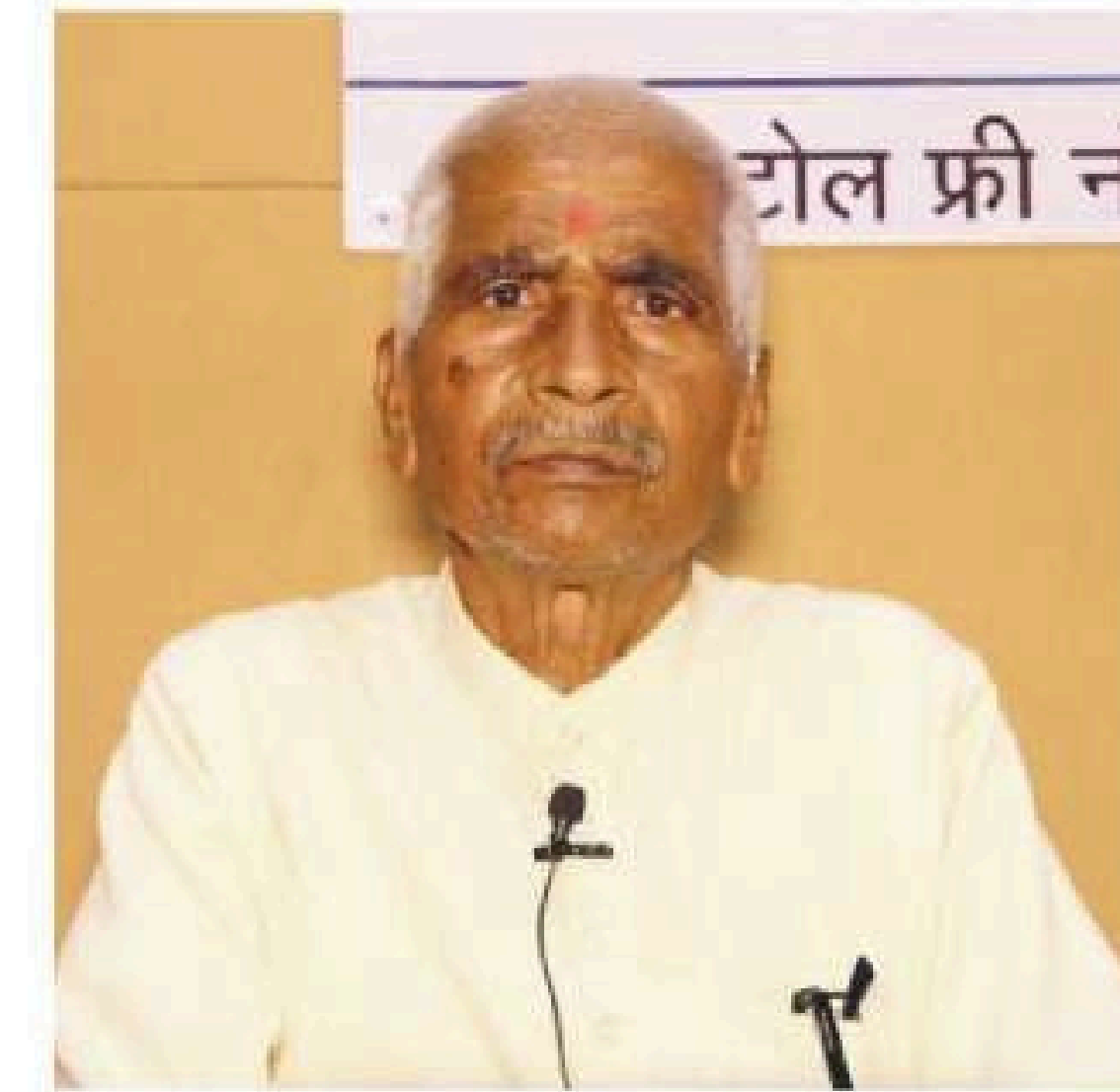
A virtual distribution camp during COVID19 times (Unlock phase)



Gratitude and Thankfulness

HEARING AID BENEFICIARIES

RABENDRA SINGH of Auraiya, **RAM SARAN TIWARI** of Mandhana in Kanpur Nagar, were given Hearing Aid by ALIMCO under its RVY Scheme. Both the beneficiaries are extremely thankful to ALIMCO for the assistance and are grateful to the Government of India for making this possible. They both feel their personal confidence as well as respect in society have now been restored.



FINALLY ACHIEVED MOBILITY

SEEMA

Seema belongs to Jamui in Bihar. It was brought to ALIMCO's knowledge that young Seema had to hop to school on one leg, carrying her bag, for all of 600 m everyday. However, once ALIMCO provided her with a wheelchair, Seema's mobility and ability to apply herself to her daily chores and studies has become far easier and better. She is a much happier and a confident student in school, thanks to this facility under the ADIP Scheme.



BENEFICIARIES FROM KARGIL AND LEH



ZOHRA BANOO, wife of Johar Ali, of Goma Minjli, Kargil, is a housewife. There came a time when her movement was completely restricted. But then, once she was given a walking stick and wheelchair by ALIMCO, these devices completely changed her life.



TAHIR HUSSAIN, son of Haji Nisar Hussain of Thaskhan Groong in Kargil is hearing impaired. The problems he faced in hearing, deprived him of both interaction, communication and confidence. Today with Assistive device, Hearing Aids from ALIMCO, that too free of cost, he finds himself better equipped to handle everyday life situations.



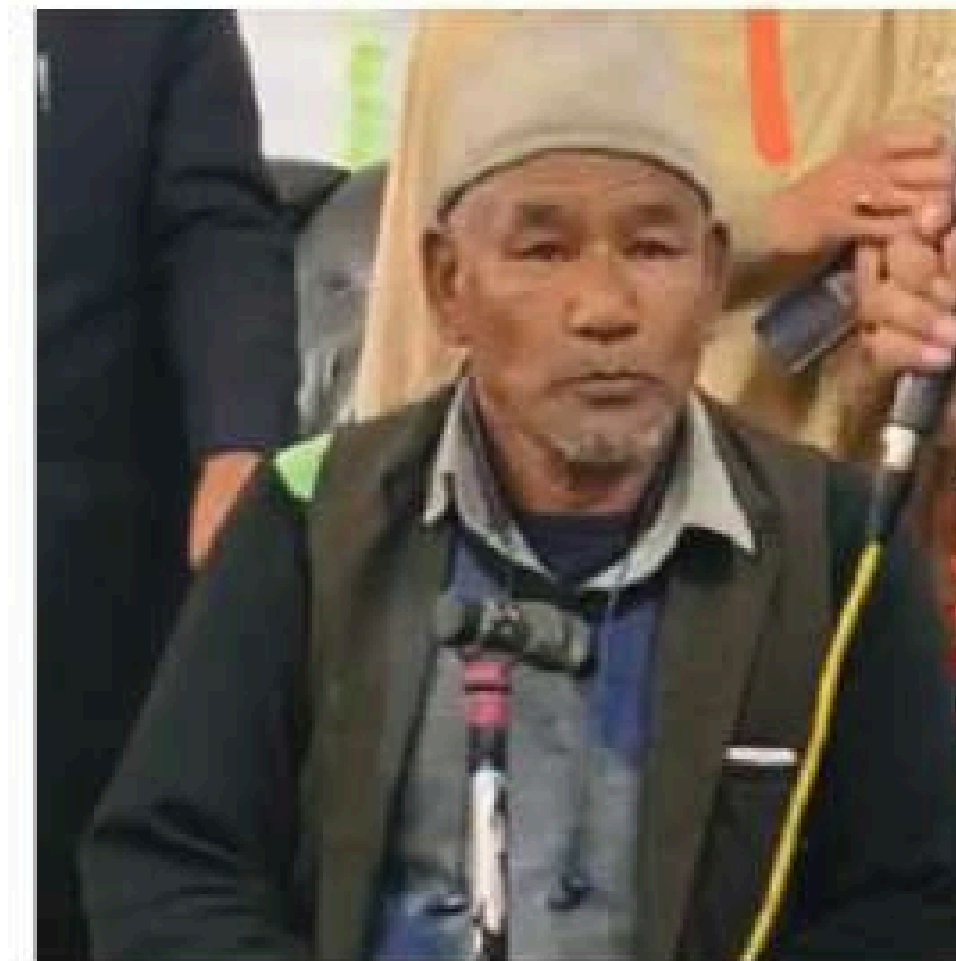
PADMA STANZIN, son of Sonam Stanzin in Chutapa Zung Shara in Leh, never knew he would ever be able to move about like he is able to today. With the assistive devices, walking stick and wheelchair from ALIMCO, he is not just mobile, but feels independent and confident of handling his own affairs.



MAKSUMA BANO, is a student studying in 10th class. She is the daughter of Md Abbas in Kargil. Her father is working as a labourer. She is thankful to ALIMCO for providing her assistive devices that are Calipers and walking stick, that now make it possible for her to manage her studies better.



FATIMA BANO (77 years), wife of Gulan Hussian of Shilikche in Kargil, is no longer a burden on the family. With assistive devices, walking stick and wheelchair from ALIMCO, she is able to look after herself and also do some minor chores and even step out whenever required.



GHULAM BEGH, son of Hussain Begh of Chikgroung Tambis in Kargil has been given assistive devices, walking stick and wheelchair. He was living in confinement at home due to problems in movement, but now due to assistance and treatment from ALIMCO, is living qualitatively a far better life.

Life changing experiences



VINOD KUMAR PANDEY

"My mobility has increased my confidence and my small business is now flourishing," says Vinod Kumar Pandey (41 years), a beneficiary under ADIP. Vinod runs a small grocery shop at Amethi, in Uttar Pradesh. By birth he was affected with mild polio. One day he came to know about ALIMCO and the ADIP scheme and he came to Kanpur to avail the benefit. He was given a wheelchair and a walking stick under the ADIP Scheme of Government of India.

Says Vinod, "I was not expecting that I will get the assistive aids so quickly and so easily. I can now move about on my own." He is thankful to the Government of India and ALIMCO for implementing welfare schemes for Divyangjan.

VEDRAM SINGH

"Artificial Limb provided by ALIMCO has completely changed my life and raised new hopes," says Vedram Singh (56 years), a farmer in a village of Rampur District. He lost his left leg in a road accident. He came to know about ALIMCO from a friend, contacted them over the Help line number and visited ALIMCO in Kanpur. Here he was fitted with above knee prosthesis, after the GAIT training and counseling. Thanking the Government Vedram says, "Such government schemes are a boon to the marginalized section of population like me. With my limited source of income I would have not been able to get myself fitted with Artificial Leg. This new lower limb has completely changed my life and raised new hope to live my life."



RAJIYA BANO

Rajiya Bano, (41 years) lives in Tikamgarh District of Madhya Pradesh and since childhood was struggling due to polio infection, with more than eighty percent disability. She came to know about ALIMCO's registration camp under the ADIP Scheme of government of India in her block and got herself registered. She got assessed and just after two months on 14 February 2022 she got her motorized tricycle free of cost in the distribution camp under the ADIP scheme organized in the presence of Union Minister of Social Justice and Empowerment.

She expressed her gratitude towards the Central government as now she can explore avenues of self-employment by joining one of the skill development programmes run by the government.



SHRAVAN KUMAR

Challenges of Shравan Kumar (32 years), suffering from polio, seemed unsurmountable, till one day Union Minister, Dr Virendra Kumar, happened to meet him, while on a visit to his district. He listened carefully to what Shравan had to say regarding his problems. Thereafter, he requested ALIMCO to provide him a motorized tricycle under the ADIP scheme. According to Shравan, the tricycle not only proved to be his friend but also filled him with courage and motivation to take forward his life.



NAMITA KUMARI

Namita Kumari Pandaba (45 years) of Paikarpalli of Ganjam district in Bhubaneswar says that whatever she could achieve in life, it was due to ALIMCO. Soon after her birth she was affected by polio in both her legs that were left with severe residual paralysis. She visited ALIMCO's unit at Olatpur at the age of four years and ever since then she has been wearing Calipers made out of ALIMCO components on both her legs. Namita pursued her studies and moving with the Calipers and Crutches was able to get a job to make a dignified living. Today she is married to Prava Swain and is a mother too, all due to ALIMCO.



HARDAYAL SINGH

Hardayal Singh's (49 Years) self-confidence was restored after getting Lower Prosthesis (Artificial Leg) under ADIP Scheme. Hailing from Una, Himachal Pradesh, he the sole breadwinner of the family, lost his right leg in a road accident in 2014., One day his brother told him about the distribution camps organized by the Government of India for providing aid and assistive devices for Divyangjan. Subsequently he contacted ALIMCO's Mohali center in Punjab. Right leg above knee amputee Hardayal was examined and fitted with ALIMCO-made above knee prosthesis under the ADIP scheme of Government of India and followed by GAIT training program. Says he, "Now I am planning to expand my work as my confidence is boosted with the Artificial Leg fitted onto me."

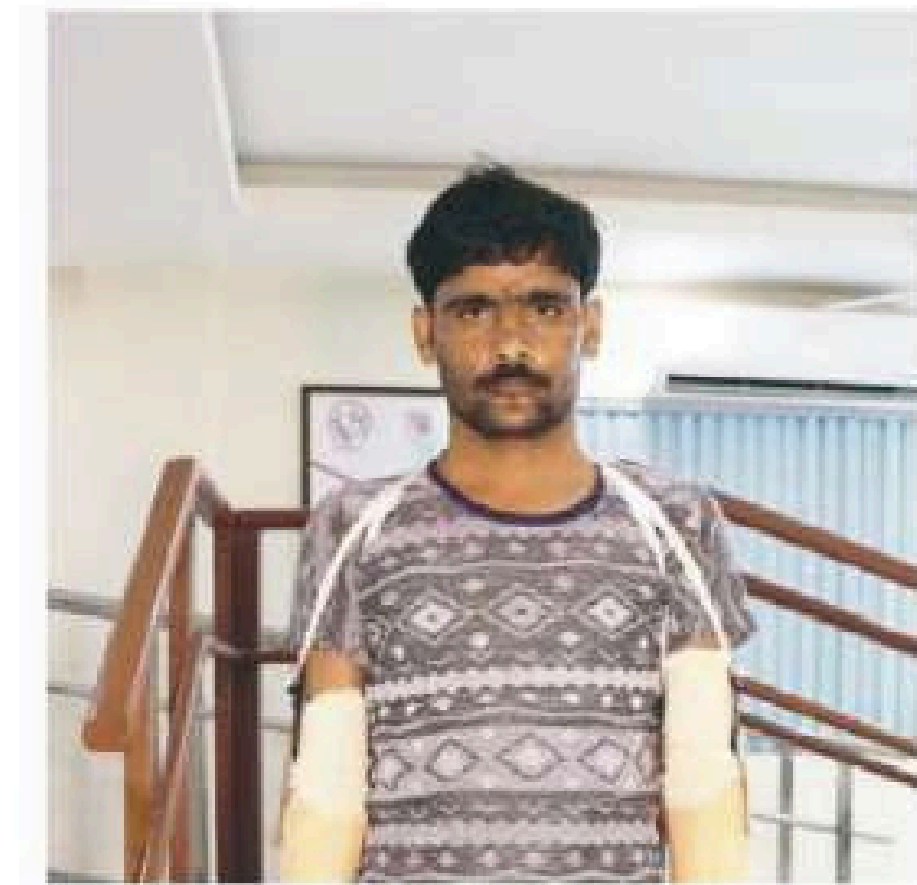


KISHOR KUMAR

Kishor Kumar (20) is visually impaired. A student, belonging to Mohali, he was provided with a Smart Phone at the ADIP distribution camp held in Chandigarh by ALIMCO. Kishor is thankful to both the Government and ALIMCO for making him capable of handling his studies better, as well as staying connected socially.

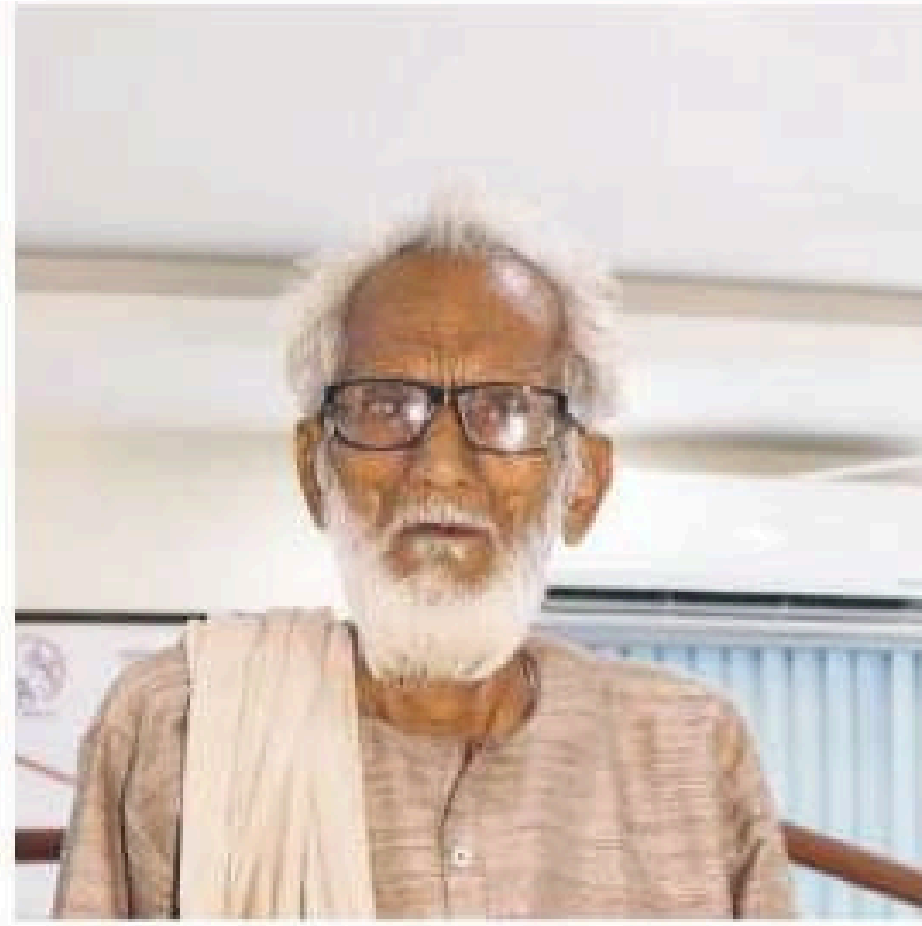
YOGESH SINGH

Yogesh Singh belongs to Auraiya. He lost both his limbs when he got electrocuted at his workplace. He was languishing at home and was unable to do anything. He came to know about ALIMCO and reached there, where he was given medical help and Upper Limb Prosthetics free of cost, under the ADIP scheme. Today he is able to live a normal, much better life for which he is thankful to ALIMCO and the Government of India.



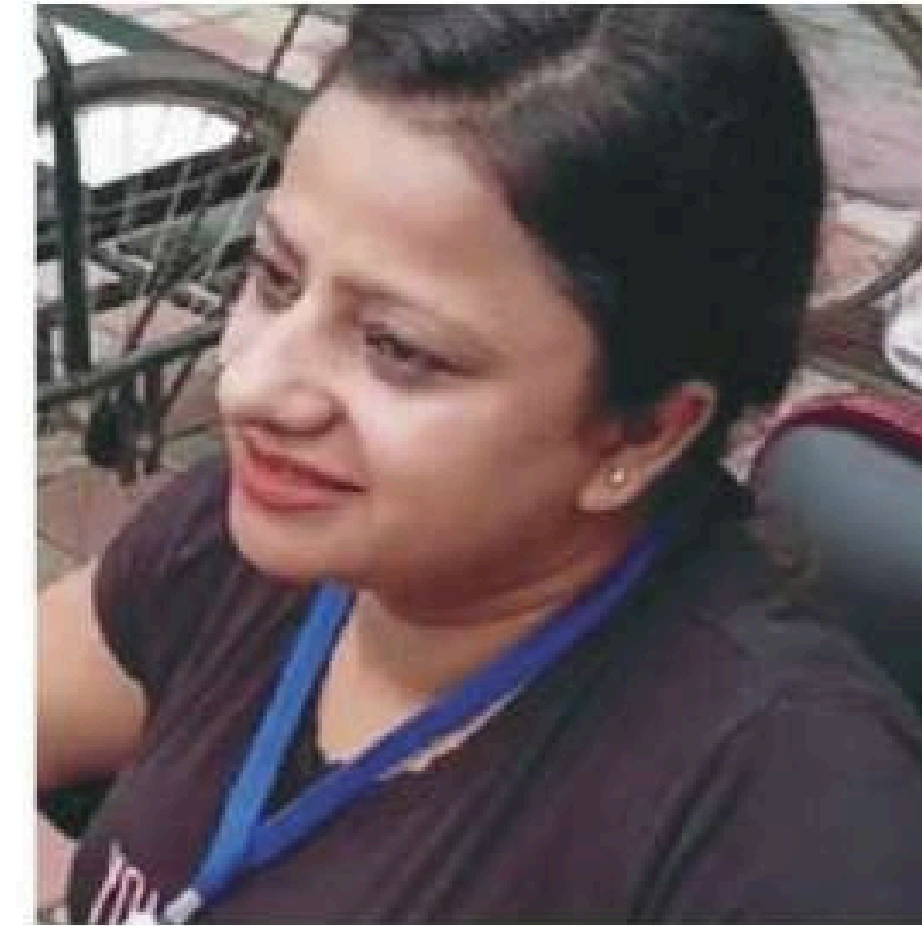
JOGINDER SHARMA

Joginder Singh (36 years), hails from Bilaspur district in Himachal Pradesh. He affected with polio. He was using caliper but he says they broke in a couple of years. One day he came to know about camp organized under ADIP scheme of Government of India in his vicinity. There he was examined by ALIMCO's professionals and later he was fitted with Bilateral Knee Ankle Foot Orthosis manufactured by ALIMCO. Today he owns a small printing press and with his newly fitted calipers he can easily work upon the machines installed in his shop. He thanks ALIMCO and government of India for implementing such a scheme which ensures the restoration of dignity of needy Divyangjan like him.



KRISHNA CHANDRA

Belonging to Amraudha, Kanpur Dehat, Krishna Chandra lost his leg in an accident. He had lost all hopes of help regarding his problem from any quarter. He came to know about ALIMCO and reached there. He was given the Lower Limb prosthetic by ALIMCO free of cost. According to him, now he can walk and even take the stairs without any problem.



SONAM

Sonam (36 years), since birth, suffers from orthopaedic disability. She attended a distribution camp in Chandigarh, where she belongs and was given a Motorized Tricycle by ALIMCO that has made her both mobile and confident. Today she can go to her place of work or the market, independently without having to seek anybody's help or support. Sonam is thankful to the Government as well as ALIMCO for this.



REKHA

Rekha (20) a student, was given a smart phone at the ADIP Distribution camp held in Chandigarh. Being a student and visually impaired, she finds the phone extremely helpful in managing her studies as well as everyday life. She is thankful to the Government and ALIMCO for making this possible for her.



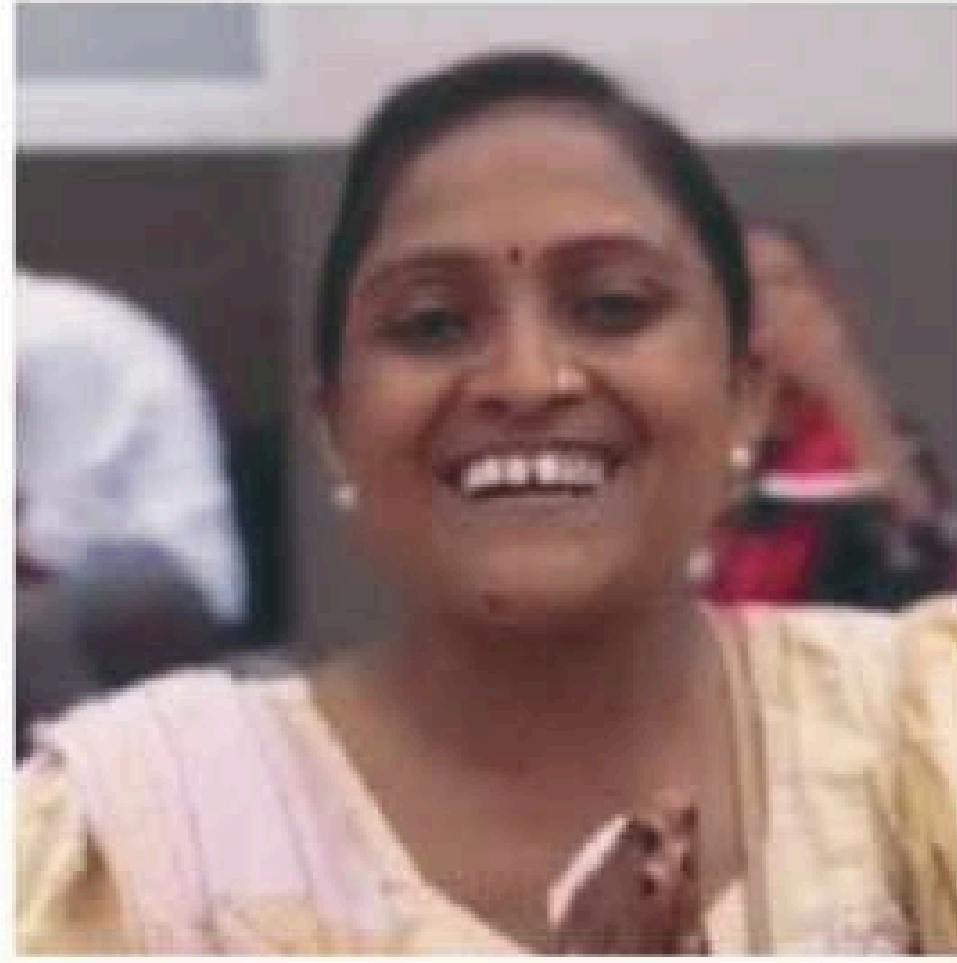
NEERAJ

Neeraj belongs to Bhausana in Kanpur. He lost his one arm while working on a machine. Once he reached ALIMCO, he is thankful for all attention and the Upper Limb Prosthetic that he was given and that too free of cost. Neeraj is thankful to ALIMCO and the Government for providing



Visually Impaired Ananya Sharma happily walking along with her parents





MS GITABEN KAPUR ji (39) from Visanagar, Dist. Mehsana, received Motorised Tricycle from ALIMCO under the ADIP scheme of GOI.



MS ARADHNA of Jalaun, U.P fitted with ALIMCO in house manufactured lower limb



SHRI RANJEET, form Kanpur (Locomotor disability) setup his own tea after benefit received from ALIMCO.



DRISHTI form Mumbai recived smart Phone under ADIP



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