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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF YANBU NATIONAL PETROCHEMICAL COMPANY (YANSAB) (A SAUDI JOINT STOCK COMPANY)

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Yanbu National Petrochemical Company (YANSAB) (A Saudi Joint Stock Company) ("the Company"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2020, and the statement of income, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2020, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia ("KSA") and other standards and pronouncements that are endorsed by the Saudi Organization for Certified Public Accountants ("SOCPA"), (collectively referred to as "IFRSs endorsed in KSA").

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ("ISA") that are endorsed in KSA. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the 'Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements' section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with professional code of conduct and ethics endorsed in KSA that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming auditor's opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the 'Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements' section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying financial statements.



Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

Key Audit Matters (continued)

Key Audit Matters (continued)	T
Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in our audit
Employees' benefits	
As at 31 December 2020, the Company has employee benefits including defined benefit obligation amounting to SR 887.8 million. Accounting for employee benefits and the present value of the defined benefit obligation is dependent on significant assumptions, including an assessment of the discount rate, inflation rate, salary increments and key demographic figures including employees turnover and mortality rates. Small change in any of these assumptions could have a material impact on the present value of the defined benefit obligation on the Company's statement of financial position. These accounting judgements are inherently complex, require a high level of management judgement and specialist actuarial input. Refer to note 4.11 to the financial statements for the significant accounting policy, note 3.2.3 for the critical accounting estimates and judgements and note 18 which details the disclosure of employee benefits.	We engaged our internal actuarial specialists to assess the appropriateness of the methodology and assumptions used by the Company's actuary to account for the defined benefit obligations. This included comparison of key data with market benchmarks and to assess the methodology used by the actuary of the Company. We considered whether each of the key assumptions was reasonable in isolation and collectively in determining the defined benefit obligation at the date of statement of financial position. We performed procedures to assess accuracy and completeness of the underlying data provided to the Company's actuary in determining the underlying value of the liabilities. We validated the appropriateness and completeness of the related disclosure in note 18 to the financial statements.
Impairment of inventories	
As at 31 December 2020, the Company had inventories amounting to SR 868.98 million and related provision for slow moving and obsolete inventories amounting to SR 60.56 million. These inventories comprise raw materials, finished goods, spare parts and goods-in-transit.	In addition to the other audit procedures in this area, we tested the inventory provision calculations against the Company's policy for obsolete and slow-moving inventories. We attended stock counts at the year-end to observe and understand the Company's procedures for identifying obsolete inventory and we observed such inventories at the count.



Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

Key Audit Matters (continued)

Kev audit matter How the matter was addressed in our audit Impairment of inventories (continued) We evaluated the assumptions and reasonableness For raw material and finished goods, the Company adopts a policy of providing for inventories when of judgements used by management for provision there are specific quality/net realisable value assessment. concerns. For raw material and finished goods, we traced on a For spares, including supplies and other items, sample basis inventories to sales subsequent to the management considers them to be impaired when year end and ensured that they were sold at more there is evidence of deterioration in the physical than carrying value. condition and/or no movements in the specific period. For spares, including supplies and other items, which We considered this as a key audit matter because are assessed for impairment as per policy, on a establishing a provision for slow-moving, obsolete and sample basis, we performed the following damaged inventories involves significant procedures: management judgement in respect of factors such as identifying those slow moving, dormant and obsolete • We obtained an understanding of how the spare parts, and assessing their future use and Company's management identifies the slowrespective allowance. The gross inventories and moving and obsolete spare parts and assessed related provision are material to the financial the amount of allowance for inventories: statements. We obtained an understanding and evaluated the Refer to note 4.8 to the financial statements for the appropriateness of the basis of identification of accounting policy relating to the inventories, note slow-moving, dormant and obsolete the 3.2.5 for the critical accounting estimates and inventories; and judgements and note 11 for the disclosures of movement in provision for slow moving and obsolete • We have tested the accuracy of the aging analysis inventories. of inventories, on a sample basis.

Other information included in the Company's 2020 Annual Report

Other information consists of the information included in the Company's 2020 annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Management is responsible for the other information in its annual report. The Company's 2020 annual report is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When we read the Company's 2020 annual report, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance.



Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRSs endorsed in KSA and the provisions of Companies' Law and Company's By-laws, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA that are endorsed in KSA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA that are endorsed in KSA, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.



Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

for Ernst & Young

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

	Note	2020	2019
ASSETS			
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	7	11,078,498	11,848,879
Right-of-use assets	8	147,201	170,935
Intangible assets	9	26,176	27,291
Other non-current assets	10	149,809	180,599
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		11,401,684	12,227,704
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories	11	808,412	735,943
Trade receivables	12	1,792,691	1,753,273
Prepayments and other current assets	13	302,013	166,417
Short-term investments	14	3,015,200	3,050,800
Cash and cash equivalents	15	19,758	136,270
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		5,938,074	5,842,703
TOTAL ASSETS		17,339,758	18,070,407
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
EQUITY			
Share capital	16	5,625,000	5,625,000
Statutory reserve	17	1,687,500	1,687,500
Actuarial reserve		(155,423)	(7,994)
Retained earnings		7,828,380	8,838,306
TOTAL EQUITY		14,985,457	16,142,812
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Lease liabilities	8	127,153	154,186
Employee benefits	18	887,758	620,651
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,014,911	774,837
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Lease liabilities – current portion	8	19,295	14,058
Trade payables	19	589,661	457,346
Accruals and other current liabilities	20	593,973	555,418
Zakat payable	24	136,461	125,936
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,339,390	1,152,758
TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,354,301	1,927,595
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		17,339,758	18,070,407

The attached notes from 1 to 35 form an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

	Note	2020	2019
Revenue from contracts with customers		5,034,940	6,064,834
Cost of revenue		(3,946,224)	(4,566,563)
GROSS PROFIT		1,088,716	1,498,271
Selling and distribution expenses		(74,031)	(65,971)
General and administrative expenses	21	(287,085)	(336,150)
INCOME FROM MAIN OPERATIONS		727,600	1,096,150
Finance income		50,759	90,718
Finance costs, net	22	(24,775)	(26,082)
Other income, net	23	63,900	64,446
INCOME BEFORE ZAKAT		817,484	1,225,232
Zakat	24	(139,910)	(135,460)
NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR		677,574	1,089,772
Earnings per share			
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)	25	562,500	562,500
Basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company (Saudi Riyals)	25	1.20	1.94

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

	Note	2020	2019
Net income for the year		677,574	1,089,772
Other comprehensive income			
Items not to be reclassified to statement of income in subsequent periods:			
Re-measurement loss on defined benefit plans	18.1	(147,429)	(93,280)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR		530,145	996,492

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 December 2020 (All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

	Share capital	Statutory reserve	Actuarial reserve	Retained earnings	Total equity
Balance as at 1 January 2019	5,625,000	1,687,500	85,286	9,857,909	17,255,695
Net income for the year	-	-	-	1,089,772	1,089,772
Other comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(93,280)	-	(93,280)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(93,280)	1,089,772	996,492
Dividends (note 33)	-	-	-	(2,109,375)	(2,109,375)
Balance as at 31 December 2019	5,625,000	1,687,500	(7,994)	8,838,306	16,142,812
Net income for the year	-	-	-	677,574	677,574
Other comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(147,429)	-	(147,429)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(147,429)	677,574	530,145
Dividends (note 33)	-	-	-	(1,687,500)	(1,687,500)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	5,625,000	1,687,500	(155,423)	7,828,380	14,985,457

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

	Note	2020	2019
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Income before zakat		817,484	1,225,232
Adjustment to reconcile income before zakat to net cash inflow from operating activities:			
Depreciation and impairment of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets Amortisation of intangible assets Reversal of provision for slow moving and obsolete inventories	7&8 9	1,169,040 4,599 (18,137)	1,235,067 4,540
Provision for employee benefits Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	18	111,750 2,176	44,599 -
Finance costs Finance income	22	24,775 (50,759)	26,082 (90,718)
Working capital changes:		2,060,928	2,444,802
(Increase)/decrease in inventories (Increase)/decrease in trade receivables (Increase)/decrease in prepayments and other current assets Decrease in other non-current assets Increase in trade payables Increase/(decrease) in accruals and other current liabilities		(54,332) (39,418) (147,886) 30,790 132,315 39,099	33,895 351,866 63,984 13,411 47,200 (259,712)
Cash from operations		2,021,496	2,695,446
Finance costs paid Employees' benefits paid Zakat paid	18 24	(7,095) (9,752) (129,385)	(7,971) (6,351) (128,795)
Net cash flows from operating activities		1,875,264	2,552,329
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Short-term investments made Proceeds from maturity of short-term investments Purchase of property, plant and equipment Purchase of intangible assets Finance income received	7	(6,413,000) 6,448,600 (378,477) (1,359) 63,049	(6,039,100) 6,078,288 (447,521) - 90,882
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(281,187)	(317,451)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities Dividends paid	8 33	(22,545) (1,688,044)	(12,352) (2,112,456)
Net cash flows used in financing activities		(1,710,589)	(2,124,808)
(DECREASE)/INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(116,512)	110,070
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		136,270	26,200
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR		19,758	136,270
SUPPLEMENTARY NON-CASH INFORMATION Right-of-use assets and lease liabilities Prepayments transferred to right of use asset		19,619	171,107 7,638

The attached notes from 1 to 35 form an integral part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

1 COMPANY INFORMATION

Yanbu National Petrochemical Company (YANSAB) (the "Company") is a Saudi Joint Stock Company registered in Yanbu, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia under Commercial Registration number 4700009432 dated 14 Muharram 1427H (corresponding to 13 February 2006) in accordance with the Ministerial Resolution No. 49 dated 12 Muharram 1427H (corresponding to 11 February 2006) for the incorporation of the Company. The Company obtained its Industrial License number S/1367 on 18 Rajab 1426H (corresponding to 23 August 2005) and is engaged in the manufacturing of petrochemical products in accordance with the Company's by-laws and other Saudi Arabian applicable regulations. The Company commenced commercial operations on 1 March 2010. The registered office is located at Yanbu, P.O. Box 31396, Yanbu industrial city 41912.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

2.1 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") that are endorsed in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia ("KSA") and other standards and pronouncements that are endorsed by the Saudi Organization for Certified Public Accountants ("SOCPA") (collectively referred to "IFRSs endorsed in KSA").

2.2 Basis of measurement

These financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention. For employee post-employment defined benefits plans, actuarial present value calculations are used.

2.3 Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Saudi Riyals (SR), which is the functional currency of the Company. All values are rounded off to nearest thousands (SR '000), except when otherwise indicated.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of the Company's financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. These estimates and assumptions are based upon experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances and are used to judge the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised or in the revision year and future years if the changed estimates affect both current and future years.

However, in the view of the current uncertainty due to COVID-19, any future change in the assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of the assets or liabilities affected in the future periods. As the situation is rapidly evolving with future uncertainties, management will continue to assess the impact based on prospective developments (see also note 34).

Other disclosures relating to the Company's exposure to risks and uncertainties includes:

- Sensitivity analyses disclosures (notes 18 and 27)
- Financial instruments risk management (note 27)
- Capital management (note 28)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

3.1 Judgements

The Company has exercised judgement in evaluating the impact of COVID-19 on the financial statements. In addition to the key sources of estimation uncertainty, the areas where COVID-19 has been considered are:

- Provision for expected credit losses (ECLs) of trade receivables
- · Carrying value of property, plant and equipment and inventories
- Going concern

In the process of applying the Company's accounting policies, management has made the following judgements, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements:

3.1.1 Revenue from contracts with customers - Principal versus agent considerations

The Company enters into tolling arrangement with a related party where feedstock or other semi-finished inventory (work in progress) owned by related party is provided for further processing. Under this arrangement, the Company receive feedstock from the related party and after processing the feedstock, these are provided to the customer. The Company determined that it does not control the goods before they are transferred to the tollee, and it does not have the ability to direct the use of the feedstock or obtain benefits from the feedstock. The following factors indicate that the Company does not control the goods before they are being transferred to the tollee:

- > The Company is not primarily responsible for fulfilling the promise to provide the specified petrochemical products.
- The Company does not have inventory risk before or after the specified petrochemicals has been transferred to the tollee as the feedstock is provided by the tollee and transferred to the tollee after further processing.

Therefore, the Company determined that it is an agent in these arrangements. In addition, the Company has no discretion in establishing the price for the specified petrochemical products. The Company's consideration in these contracts is toll service charges only based on agreed formula as per the tolling agreement.

3.1.2 Component parts of property, plant and equipment

The Company's assets, classified within property, plant and equipment, are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their economic useful lives. When determining the economic useful life of an asset, it is broken down into significant component parts such that each significant component part is depreciated separately. Judgement is required in ascertaining the significant components of a larger asset, and while defining the significance of a component, management considers quantitative materiality of the component part as well as qualitative factors such as difference in useful life as compared to mother asset, its pattern of consumption, and its replacement cycle/maintenance schedule.

3.1.3 Leases - extension and termination options - Company as lessee

In determining the lease term, management considers all facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive to exercise an extension option, or not exercise a termination option. Extension options (or periods after termination options) are only included in the lease term if the lease is reasonably certain to be extended (or not terminated). The Company assesses at lease commencement whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the extension options. The Company reassesses whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the options if there is a significant event or significant change in circumstances within control.

3.1.4 Going concern

The Company's management has made an assessment of its ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that it has the resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. Furthermore, management is not aware of any material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Therefore, the financial statements continue to be prepared on the going concern basis. The assessment of COVID-19 is disclosed in note 34.

3.2 Estimates and assumptions

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the statement of financial position date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are described below. The Company based its assumptions and estimates on parameters available when the financial statements were prepared. Existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments, however, may change due to market changes or circumstances arising that are beyond the control of the Company. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2020

(All amounts in Saudi Riyals '000 unless otherwise stated)

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

3.2 Estimates and assumptions (continued)

3.2.1 Impairment of non-financial assets

Impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset or cash generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, which is the higher of its fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The fair value less costs of disposal calculation is based on available data from binding sales transactions, conducted at arm's length, for similar assets or observable market prices less incremental costs for disposing of the asset. The value in use calculation is based on a Discounted Cash Flow ("DCF") model. The cash flows are derived from the budget for the next five years and do not include restructuring activities that the Company is not yet committed to or significant future investments that will enhance the asset's performance of the Cash Generating Unit ("CGU") being tested. The recoverable amount is sensitive to the discount rate used for the DCF model as well as the expected future cash-inflows and the growth rate used for extrapolation purposes. The impact of COVID-19 on the impairment of non-financial assets has been considered. However, to date, COVID-19 has not had a material impact on the Company's assessment of the impairment of non-financial assets since the commencement of the pandemic.

3.2.2 Provisions

By their nature, provisions are dependent upon estimates and assessments whether the criteria for recognition have been met, including estimates of the probability of cash outflows. Management's estimates related to provisions for environmental matters are based on the nature and seriousness of the contamination, as well as on the technology required for clean-up. Provisions for litigation are based on an estimate of the costs, taking into account legal advice and other information presently available. Provisions for termination benefits and exit costs, if any, also involve management's judgment in estimating the expected cash outflows for severance payments and site closures or other exit costs. Provisions for uncertain liabilities involve management's best estimate of whether cash outflows are probable.

3.2.3 Long-term assumptions for employee benefits

Post-employment defined benefits, end-of-service benefits and indemnity payment represent obligations that will be settled in the future and require assumptions to project obligations. The accounting requires management to make further assumptions regarding variables such as discount rates, rate of compensation increases, mortality rates, employment turnover and future healthcare costs. Periodically, management of the Company consults with external actuary regarding these assumptions. Changes in key assumptions can have a significant impact on the projected benefit obligations and/or periodic employee defined benefit costs incurred.

3.2.4 Estimating variable consideration for market price adjustments

The Company estimates variable considerations to be included in the transaction price for the sale of petrochemicals. The Company developed a statistical model for forecasting the provisional selling price of the products. The model uses the historical market price trends to estimate the provisional selling price. Any significant changes in experience as compared to historical price pattern will impact the provisional selling price estimated by the Company.

3.2.5 Allowance for inventory losses

The Company recognizes an allowance for inventory losses due to factors such as obsolescence, physical damage, etc. The estimation of such losses includes the consideration of factors including but not limited to introduction of new models or technology by the manufacturer, past trends and both existing and emerging market conditions. The impact of COVID-19 on the impairment of inventories has been considered. However, to date, COVID-19 has not had a material impact on the Company's assessment of the net realisable value of inventory since the commencement of the pandemic.

3.2.6 Provision for expected credit losses (ECLs) of trade receivables

The Company uses a provision matrix to calculate ECLs for trade receivables. The provision matrix is initially based on the Company's historical observed default rates. The Company calibrates the matrix to adjust the historical credit loss experience with forward-looking information. At every reporting date, the historical observed default rates are updated and changes in the forward-looking estimates are analysed. The assessment of the correlation between historical observed default rates, forecast economic conditions and ECLs is a significant estimate. The amount of ECLs is sensitive to changes in circumstances and of forecast economic conditions. The Company's historical credit loss experience and forecast of economic conditions may also not be representative of customers' actual default in the future. At reporting date, the expected impact of COVID-19 regarding recoverability of receivables has been captured via provision matrix. Notwithstanding that credit model inputs and assumptions, including forward-looking macroeconomic assumptions, were revised in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the fundamental credit model mechanics and methodology underpinning the Company's calculation of ECLs have remained consistent with prior periods. The information about the ECLs on the Company's trade receivables is disclosed in note 27.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

3.2 Estimates and assumptions (continued)

3.2.7 Leases - Estimating the incremental borrowing rate

The Company cannot readily determine the interest rate implicit in the lease, therefore, it uses its incremental borrowing rate (IBR) to measure lease liabilities. The IBR is the rate of interest that the Company would have to pay to borrow over a similar term, and with a similar security, the funds necessary to obtain an asset of a similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment. The IBR therefore reflects what the Company 'would have to pay', which requires estimation when no observable rates are available or when they need to be adjusted to reflect the terms and conditions of the lease (for example, when leases are not in the Company's functional currency). The Company estimates the IBR using observable inputs (such as market interest rates) when available and is required to make certain entity-specific estimates.

4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently, except for the adoption of new interpretations and amendments as mentioned in note 5 in the preparation of these financial statements.

4.1 Foreign currency transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded at their respective functional currency spot rates at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency spot rates of exchange at the reporting date. Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in the statement of income.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions.

4.2 Current versus non-current classification

The Company presents assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position based on current/non-current classification.

An asset is current when it is:

- Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in normal operating cycle;
- Held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- Expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting year; or
- Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months
 after the reporting year.

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

- It is expected to be settled in normal operating cycle;
- It is held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting year; or
- There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting year.

The Company classifies all other liabilities as non-current.

4.3 Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Such costs include the cost of replacing part of the property, plant and equipment and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects (qualifying assets), if the recognition criteria is met. Where such assets are constructed in-house, their costs include all amounts necessary to bring the asset to the present condition and location to be ready for intended use by management and exclude all other costs not directly attributable to, such as general and administrative expenses and training costs. Any feasibility study costs are expensed as incurred unless they relate to specifically identifiable asset being constructed in-house and are directly attributable to it. Pre-operating costs during startup period net of proceeds from sale of trial production, are included as part of cost of the relevant item of property, plant and equipment, provided it is a directly attributable cost which meets the recognition criteria, and only up to the point the asset is in a condition ready for intended use.

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SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.3 **Property, plant and equipment (continued)**

When parts of property, plant and equipment are significant in cost in comparison to the total cost of the item, and where such parts/components have a useful life different than other parts and are required to be replaced at different intervals, the Company recognise such parts as individual assets with specific useful lives and depreciate them accordingly. Likewise, when a major inspection (turnaround/shutdown, planned or unplanned) is performed, its directly attributable cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the plant and equipment if the recognition criteria are satisfied. This is recorded as a separate component with a useful life generally equal to the time period up to the next scheduled major inspection (turnaround). If the next turnaround occurs prior to the planned date, any existing book value of the previous turnaround is expensed immediately. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in the statement of income as incurred.

The present value of the expected cost for the decommissioning of an asset after its use is included in the cost of the respective asset if the recognition criteria for a provision are met. The Company periodically assesses the expectation and estimation for the decommissioning liability.

Environment, health, safety and security (EHS&S) related expenditures, including contamination treatment costs, are capitalised if they meet the recognition criteria, mainly, that such costs are required by prevailing applicable legislation and are required to continue the license to operate or is imposed by the Company's own mandatory requirements relating to EHS&S. These are capitalised together with the cost of the relevant item of property, plant and equipment to which they relate.

Depreciation is calculated from the date the items of property, plant and equipment are available for its intended use or in respect of self-constructed assets, from the date such assets ready for the intended use.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the useful life of the asset as follows:

Buildings and leasehold improvements	13 - 40 years
Plant, machinery and heavy equipment	4 - 50 years
Furniture, vehicles and computers	3 - 10 years
Laboratory and safety equipment	4 - 50 years
Catalysts	1.5 - 20 years

The assets residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, at each financial year end.

Assets under construction, which are not ready for its intended use, are not depreciated.

An item of property, plant and equipment and any significant part initially recognised is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on de-recognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of income when the asset is derecognised.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

4.4 Leases

The Company assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

Company as a lessee

The Company applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Company recognises lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

Right-of-use assets

The Company recognises right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognised, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

- Leasehold land 30 to 50 years;
- Housing 5 to 11 years; Motor vehicles 5 years; and
- Pipeline 5 years

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.4 Leases (continued)

If ownership of the leased asset transfers to the Company at the end of the lease term or the cost reflects the exercise of a purchase option, depreciation is calculated using the estimated useful life of the asset. The right-of-use assets are also subject to impairment.

Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Company recognises lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including insubstance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Company and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Company exercising the option to terminate. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognised as expenses (unless they are incurred to produce inventories) in the period in which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs).

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset. The unwinding component of finance cost is included in the statement of income.

Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets

The Company applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases that are considered to be low value. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

4.5 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured at cost upon initial recognition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful economic life on a straight-line basis and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortization period and the amortization method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at each financial year-end. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset, are accounted for by changing the amortization period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortization expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in statement of income in the expense category consistent with the function of the intangible asset.

The amortization period for intangible assets with a finite useful life is as follows:

Software and others 3 - 15 years

The useful life of an intangible asset with a definite life is reviewed regularly to determine whether there is any indication that its current life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life assessment is made on a prospective basis. Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually either individually or at the aggregated CGU level.

Gains or losses arising from derecognizing an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the statement of income when the asset is derecognised.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.5 Intangible assets (continued)

Software

Costs associated with maintaining software programs are recognised as an expense as incurred. Development costs that are directly attributable to the design and testing of identifiable and unique software products controlled by the Company are recognised as intangible assets when the following criteria are met:

- it is technically feasible to complete the software so that it will be available for use;
- management intends to complete the software and use or sell it;
- there is an ability to use or sell the software;
- it can be demonstrated how the software will generate probable future economic benefits;
- adequate technical, financial and other resources to complete the development and to use or sell the software are available; and
- the expenditure attributable to the software during its development can be reliably measured.

Directly attribute costs that are capitalised as part of the software include employee costs and an appropriate portion of relevant overheads.

Capitalised development costs are recorded as intangible assets and amortised from the point at which the asset is ready for use.

4.6 Impairment of non-financial assets

The Company assesses, at each reporting date, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Company estimates the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or CGU's fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The recoverable amount is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used.

The Company bases its impairment calculation on most recent budgets and forecast calculations, which are prepared separately for each of the Company's CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecast calculations generally cover a period of five years. A long-term growth rate is calculated and applied to project future cash flows after the fifth year.

Impairment losses of continuing operations are recognised in the statement of profit or loss in expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset.

For assets excluding goodwill, an assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses no longer exist or have decreased. If such indication exists, the Company estimates the asset's or CGU's recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the assumptions used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in the statement of profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case, the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

Intangible assets, excluding goodwill, with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually as at 31 December at the CGU level, as appropriate, and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.7 Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

i) Financial assets

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, as subsequently measured at amortised cost, or fair value through other comprehensive income (OCI) or fair value through income statement (FVIS).

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Company's business model for managing them. With the exception of trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Company has applied the practical expedient, the Company initially measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through income statement, transaction costs. Trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Company has applied the practical expedient are measured at the transaction price determined under IFRS 15.

In order for a financial asset to be classified and measured at amortised cost or fair value through OCI, it needs to give rise to cash flows that are 'solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI)' on the principal amount outstanding. This assessment is referred to as the SPPI test and is performed at an instrument level. Financial assets with cash flows that are not SPPI are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, irrespective of the business model.

Initial recognition and measurement (continued)

The Company's business model for managing financial assets refers to how it manages its financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The business model determines whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling the financial assets, or both. Financial assets classified and measured at amortised cost are held within a business model with the objective to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows while financial assets classified and measured at fair value through OCI are held within a business model with the objective of both holding to collect contractual cash flows and selling.

Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e., the date that the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset.

Subsequent measurement

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in following categories:

- Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)
- Financial assets at fair value through OCI with recycling of cumulative gains and losses (debt instruments)
- Financial assets designated at fair value through OCI with no recycling of cumulative gains and losses upon derecognition (equity instruments)
- Financial assets at fair value through income statement.

Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)

This category is relevant to the Company. Financial assets at amortised cost are subsequently measured using the effective interest rate (EIR) method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in income statement when the asset is derecognised, modified or impaired. The Company's financial assets at amortised cost includes cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments and trade and other receivables.

Financial assets at fair value through OCI (debt instruments)

For debt instruments at fair value through OCI, interest income, foreign exchange revaluation and impairment losses or reversals are recognised in the statement of income and computed in the same manner as for financial assets measured at amortised cost. The remaining fair value changes are recognised in OCI. Upon derecognition, the cumulative fair value change recognised in OCI is recycled to statement of income.

Currently, the Company does not have any financial assets at fair value through OCI.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.7 Financial instruments (continued)

i) Financial assets (continued)

Financial assets designated at fair value through OCI (equity instruments)

Upon initial recognition, the Company can elect to classify irrevocably its equity investments as equity instruments designated at fair value through OCI when they meet the definition of equity under IAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation and are not held for trading. The classification is determined on an instrument-by-instrument basis.

Gains and losses on these financial assets are never recycled to statement of income. Dividends are recognised as other operating income in the statement of income when the right of payment has been established, except when the Company benefits from such proceeds as a recovery of part of the cost of the financial asset, in which case, such gains are recorded in OCI. Equity instruments designated at fair value through OCI are not subject to impairment assessment.

Currently, the Company does not have any financial assets designated at fair value through OCI.

Financial assets at fair value through income statement

Financial assets at fair value through income statement are carried in the statement of financial position at fair value with net changes in fair value recognised in the statement of income.

Currently, the Company does not have any financial assets designated at fair value through income statement.

Derecognition

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e., removed from the Company's statement of financial position) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- The Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either (a) the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass through arrangement, it evaluates if, and to what extent, it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of its continuing involvement. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Company could be required to repay.

Impairment

The Company recognises an allowance for expected credit losses (ECLs) for all debt instruments not held at fair value through income statement. For trade receivables, the Company applies a simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the Company does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Company has established a provision matrix that is based on its historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

The Company considers a financial asset in default when contractual payments are 90 days past due. However, in certain cases, the Company may also consider a financial asset to be in default when internal or external information indicates that the Company is unlikely to receive the outstanding contractual amounts in full before taking into account any credit enhancements held by the Company. A financial asset is written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovering the contractual cash flows.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.7 Financial instruments (continued)

ii) Financial liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through income statement, borrowings, payables, as appropriate. All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and, in the case of borrowings, net of directly attributable transaction costs. The Company's financial liabilities include trade payable, lease liabilities and other liabilities.

Subsequent measurement

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial liabilities are classified in two categories:

- Financial liabilities at fair value through income statement; and
- Financial liabilities at amortised cost (lease liabilities and trade and other payables).

Financial liabilities at fair value through income statement

Financial liabilities at fair value through income statement include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through income statement. Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term.

Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the statement of income. Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through income statement are designated at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in IFRS 9 are satisfied. The Company has not designated any financial liability as at fair value through income statement.

Financial liabilities at amortised cost (lease liabilities and trade and other payables)

This category is relevant to the Company. After initial recognition, lease liabilities and trade and other payables are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate ("EIR") method. Gains and losses as a result of unwinding of interest cost through EIR amortization process and on de-recognition of financial liabilities are recognized in the statement of income.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of income.

Derecognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the statement of income.

iii) Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statement of financial position if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

4.8 Inventories

Inventories, including raw materials, work in progress, finished goods and consumables (spares) are valued at the lower of cost i.e. historical purchase prices based on the weighted average principle plus directly attributable costs (primarily duty and transportation), and the net realisable value.

Inventories of work in progress and finished goods include cost of materials, labor and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed direct overheads.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.8 Inventories (continued)

Abnormal inventory losses due to quality or other issues and overheads incurred during unplanned maintenance / shut down period are excluded from inventory cost. The allocation of overheads at year end for the purpose of inventory valuation are based on the higher of normal capacity or actual production for the year. Costs are assigned to individual items of inventory on the basis of weighted average costs. Costs of purchased inventory are determined after deducting rebates and discounts. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to complete a sale.

Scrap inventory, co-product and by-product

Production process in the Company sometimes results in production of co-product simultaneously, or may result in some by-products or scraps (either non-usable or recyclable). When the costs of conversion of such co/by-product and/or scrap are not separately identifiable from the main product cost, these are allocated on a rational and consistent basis to such products and co/by-product and scrap. The allocation is based on the relative sales value of each product either at the stage in the production process when the products become separately identifiable, or at the completion of production.

Where by-products and scrap are immaterial and where costs cannot be allocated to them or it is inefficient to do so, these items are measured under inventory at net realisable value and this value is deducted from the cost of the main product. As a result, the carrying amount of the main product inventory is not materially different from its cost.

In the statement of income, the net realisable value for the by-products and scrap reduces the cost of revenue for the year. Upon subsequent sale of such by-product, the proceeds are recorded as revenue with a corresponding cost of revenue being recorded based on earlier recorded net realisable value, while for scrap, the proceeds, net of cost is recorded as other income.

Consumable spare parts

Consumables are ancillary materials which are consumed in the production of semi-finished and finished products. Consumables may include engineering materials, one-time packaging materials and certain catalysts.

Spare parts are the interchangeable parts of plant and equipment which are considered to be essential to support routine maintenance, repair and overhaul of plant and equipment or to be used in emergency situations for repairs. The Company maintains the following different types of spare parts:

- Stand-by equipment items acquired together with the plant/production line or purchased subsequently but related to a particular plant or production line and will rarely be required are critical to plant operation and must be available at stand-by at all times. These are capitalised as part of property, plant and equipment and depreciated from purchase date over a period which is shorter of the component's useful life or the remaining useful life of the plant in which it is to be utilised. These do not form part of inventory provided capitalization criteria under property, plant and equipment is met.
- Repairable items that are plant/production line specific with long lead times and will be replaced and refurbished frequently (mostly during turnarounds). These are capitalised as part of property, plant and equipment where the capitalization criteria are met. Depreciation is started from day of installation of these items in the plant, and the depreciation period is the shorter of the useful life of the component and the remaining useful life of the plant and equipment in which it is installed. These do not form part of inventory.

General capital spares and other consumables items which are not of a critical nature and are of a general nature, i.e., not plant specific and can be used in multiple plants or production lines and any other items which may be required at any time for facilitating plant operations. They are generally classified as 'consumables and spare parts' under inventory, unless they exceed the threshold and have a useful life of more than one year, under which case they are recorded under property, plant and equipment. Items recorded under inventory are subject to assessment for obsolescence provision and are charged to the statement of income upon their installation or use. Where such items meet criteria for capitalization, their depreciation method is similar to repairable items as noted above.

Inventory swaps

The Company has various types of inventory swap transactions, which are qualified as either location or time swaps.

Location swap

Where the inventory swap transactions represent exchange of similar items within a limited short period of time, these transactions do not generally carry commercial substance. Revenue can only be recognised for exchange of goods if they are dissimilar in nature or the exchange results in a significant change in the configuration of cash flows of the transferor. Where this is not the case, these transactions are recorded as stock transfers at cost and the corresponding effect is recorded as receivables and payables.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.8 Inventories (continued)

Time swaps

Where the swaps are for longer period of time during which prices fluctuate significantly, or where swaps include sending finished goods to third party customers (of any company), these generally indicate commercial substance and are recorded as sales and purchase based on agreed transfer pricing.

Toll manufacturing

In the toll manufacturing arrangement, the Company established that it is agent and ownership of the inventory is with tollee, the Company records toll service charges only based on agreed formula as per the tolling agreement as 'other income' in its statement of income (note 4.15).

4.9 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, bank balances, short-term deposits, demand deposits and highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

4.10 Provisions

General

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Where management of the Company expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in statement of income net of any reimbursement. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance costs.

Onerous contracts

A provision for onerous contracts is recognised when the expected benefits to be derived by the Company from a contract are lower than the unavoidable cost meeting its obligation under the contract.

4.11 Employee benefits

Short-term obligations

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and accumulating leaves, air fare, child education allowance, furniture allowance that are expected to be settled wholly within twelve months after the end of the year in which the employees render the related service are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. The liabilities are presented as current employee benefit obligations in statement of financial position.

Long-term employee benefit obligations

Long-term employee benefit obligations (including continuous service awards, long service leave and annual leave which are not expected to be settled wholly within twelve months after the end of the year in which the employees render the related service), are measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the end of the reporting year using the projected unit credit method and recorded as non-current liabilities. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures, historic attrition rates and years of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the end of the reporting year of high-quality corporate bonds with terms and currencies that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows. Re-measurements as a result of experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income.

Post-employment obligation

The Company operates various post-employment schemes, including both defined benefit and defined contribution plans and post-employment medical and life insurance plans for eligible employees and their dependents.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.11 Employee benefits (continued)

Defined contribution plans

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which the Company pays fixed contributions in to a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay amounts. The contributions are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments is available. Eligible employees who participate in defined contribution plan may also invest a portion of their earnings in various program funds.

The Company operates a saving plan to encourage its Saudi employees to make savings in a manner that will warrant an increase in their income and contribute to securing their future according to the established plan. The saving contributions from the participants are deposited in a separate bank account other than the Company's normal operating bank accounts. This cash is a restricted balance and for purpose of presentation in the financial statement, it is offset with the related liability under the savings plan and net liability to employees is reported under the employee benefits liability.

Defined benefit plans

A defined benefit plan is a post-employment benefit plan other than a defined contribution plan. The Company primarily has end of service benefits, post-retirement medical and life insurance plans which qualify as defined benefit plans.

End of services benefits

The net pension asset or liability recognised in the statement of financial position in respect of defined benefit post-employment plans is the fair value of plan assets, if any, less the present value of the projected defined benefit obligation (DBO) at the reporting date. The defined benefit obligation is calculated annually by independent actuary using the projected unit credit method. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined by discounting the estimated future cash outflows using interest rates of high-quality corporate bonds that are denominated in the currency in which the benefits will be paid, and that have terms approximating to the terms of the related obligation. If there is no deep market in such bonds, the market rates on government bonds are used. The net interest cost is calculated by applying the discount rate to the net balance of the defined benefit obligation and the fair value of plan assets. This cost is included in employee benefit expense in the statement of income.

Re-measurement gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in the period in which they occur in OCI.

Changes in the present value of the defined benefit obligation resulting from plan amendments or curtailments are recognised immediately in the statement of income as past service costs.

The costs relating to such plans primarily consist of the present value of the benefits attributed on an equal basis to each year of service and the interest on this obligation in respect of employee service in previous years.

Current and past service costs related to post-employment benefits are recognised immediately in the statement of income while unwinding of the liability at discount rates used are recorded as finance cost. Any changes in net liability due to actuarial valuations and changes in assumptions are taken as re-measurement in other comprehensive income.

The actuarial valuation process takes into account the provisions of the Saudi Arabian Labor and Workmen law as well as Company policy.

Medical and life insurance

The Company provides post-retirement healthcare and life insurance benefits to their eligible retirees and their dependents. The expected costs of these benefits are accrued over the period of employment using the same accounting methodology as used for defined benefit plans. Re-measurement gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are charged or credited to OCI in the year in which they arise. These obligations are valued annually by independent qualified actuary.

Short-term and long-term incentive plans

The Company recognises a liability and an expense for bonuses and incentive plans based on a formula that takes into consideration the estimated expected payable amount given the performance of the Company. The Company recognises a provision where contractually obliged or where there is a past practice that has created a constructive obligation, and where the amount is accrued over the period based on the target expectation and a reliable estimate of the obligation can be made.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.11 Employee benefits (continued)

Termination benefits (early retirement program)

Termination benefits are payable when employment is terminated by the Company before the normal retirement date, or when an employee accepts voluntary redundancy in exchange for these benefits. The Company recognises termination benefits at the earlier of the following dates: (a) when the Company can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits; and (b) when the Company recognises costs for a restructuring that involves the payment of terminations benefits. In the case of an offer made to encourage voluntary redundancy, the termination benefits are measured based on the number of employees expected to accept the offer. Benefits falling due more than twelve months after the end of the reporting year are discounted to present value.

Employee Home Ownership Program (HOP)

The Company has established HOP that offer eligible employees the opportunity to buy residential units constructed through a series of payments over a particular number of years. Ownership of the houses is transferred upon completion of full payment.

Under the HOP, the amounts paid by the employee towards the house are repayable back to the employee in case the employee discontinues employment and the house is returned back to the Company. HOP is recognised as a non-current prepayment asset at time the residential units are allocated to the employees and are amortised over the repayment period of the facility due from employees.

Employee Home Loan Program (HLP)

The Company provides interest free home loan to its eligible employees for one time only during the period of the service for purposes related to purchase or building of a house or apartment. The loan is repaid on monthly instalment by deduction of employee's housing allowances.

HLP is initially recognised as a non-current financial asset at fair value and measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. The difference between the fair value and the actual amount of cash given to the employee is recognised as a "non-current prepaid employee benefits" and is amortised as an expense equally over the period of service. The same amount is also amortised as interest income against the receivable from employees.

Executive vehicles

The Company grants eligible employees a company owned vehicle up to a specific value. The benefit is provided to employees against their services for a fixed period of years. The employee also has an option to opt for a higher value vehicle and the difference in value is contributed by the employee. The vehicle shall remain the property of the Company. The Company's Human Resource policy governs the arrangement with the employee and may define conditions under which such vehicle can be transferred to employee.

4.12 Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing:

- the income attributable to equity holders of the Company, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares
- by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the year and excluding treasury shares

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account:

- by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, and
- the weighted average number of additional ordinary shares that would have been outstanding assuming the conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares.

4.13 Zakat and taxes

Zakat

Zakat is levied at the higher of adjusted income subject to zakat or the zakat base in accordance with the Regulations of the General Authority of Zakat and Tax ("GAZT") in KSA. The Company computes its zakat by using the zakat base, which makes this a levy not based on income subject to zakat. The zakat provision is charged to the statement of income.

Withholding tax

Withholding tax related to dividends, royalties, interest and service fees are recorded as liabilities.

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4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES (continued)

4.14 Cash dividend and non-cash distribution to equity holders

The Company recognises a liability to make cash distribution to equity holders of the Company when the distribution is authorised and the distribution is no longer at the discretion of the Company. Distribution authorization is assessed in line with the Companies Law in KSA, of which a distribution is authorised when approved by the shareholders. A corresponding amount is recognised directly in equity. Interim dividends, if any, are recorded when approved by the Board of Directors.

Non-cash distributions, if any, shall be measured at the fair value of the assets to be distributed with fair value re-measurement recognised directly in equity. Upon distribution of non-cash assets, any difference between the carrying amount of the liability and the carrying amount of the assets distributed is recognised in the statement of income.

4.15 Revenue from contracts with customers

Sales revenue

The Company recognises revenue when control of the products sold, transfers to the customer, after applying the applicable shipping terms. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, taking into account contractually defined terms of payment and excluding taxes or duty. Revenue arrangements are assessed against specific criteria to determine whether the Company is acting as a principal or agent.

Variable pricing – preliminary pricing

The Company sales its products with variable pricing arrangements. Such arrangements determine that a preliminary price is charged to the customer at the time of transfer of control of the products while the final price for the products can only be determined by reference to a time period ending after that time. In such cases, and irrespective of the formula used for determining preliminary and final prices, revenue is recorded at the time of transfer of control of the products at an amount representing the expected final amount of consideration that the Company receives.

Where the Company records an 'accounts receivable' for the preliminary price, subsequent changes in the estimated final price shall not be recorded as revenue until such point in time at which the actual final price is determined (as long as these changes result from changes in the market price/market price index of the products). They may however be considered in subsequent re-measurement as a financial asset at fair value. Such re-measurement may be recorded as a separate revenue.

All other updates to the preliminary price is recorded against revenue with the additional receivable amount recorded under a trade receivable.

Tolling arrangements

The Company act as principal in all arrangements except toll manufacturing arrangements. The Company's consideration in these toll manufacturing contracts is toll service charges only based on agreed formula as per the tolling agreement as 'other income' in statement of income.

4.16 Finance income

For all financial instruments measured at amortised cost, interest income is recorded using the EIR method. EIR is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or liability. Interest income is included in finance income in the statement of income. Earnings on time deposits are recognised on an accrual basis.

4.17 Costs and expenses

Cost of revenue

Production costs and direct manufacturing expenses are classified as cost of revenue. This includes raw material, direct labor and other attributable overhead costs.

Selling and distribution expenses

These include any costs incurred to carry out or facilitate selling activities of the Company. These costs typically include salaries of the sales staff, marketing and distribution and logistics expenses as well as sale commissions and such fees. These also include allocations of certain general overheads.

General and administrative expenses

These pertain to operation expenses which are not directly related to the production of any goods or services. These also include allocations of general overheads which are not specifically attributed to cost of revenue or selling and distribution expenses.

Allocation of overheads among cost of revenue, selling and distribution expenses, and general and administrative expenses, where required, is made on a consistent basis.

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5 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

New and amended standards and interpretations

The Company applied for the first-time certain amendments, which are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020. The Company has not early adopted any other standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

5.1 Amendments to IFRS 3: Definition of a Business

The amendment to IFRS 3 Business Combinations clarifies that to be considered a business, an integrated set of activities and assets must include, at a minimum, an input and a substantive process that, together, significantly contribute to the ability to create output. Furthermore, it clarifies that a business can exist without including all of the inputs and processes needed to create outputs. These amendments had no impact on the financial statements of the Company, but may impact future periods should the Group enter into any business combinations.

5.2 Amendments to IFRS 7, IFRS 9 and IAS 39 Interest Rate Benchmark Reform

The amendments to IFRS 9 and IAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* provide a number of reliefs, which apply to all hedging relationships that are directly affected by interest rate benchmark reform. A hedging relationship is affected if the reform gives rise to uncertainty about the timing and/or amount of benchmark-based cash flows of the hedged item or the hedging instrument. These amendments have no impact on the financial statements of the Company as it does not have any interest rate hedge relationships.

5.3 Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8 Definition of Material

The amendments provide a new definition of material that states, "information is material if omitting, misstating or obscuring it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements, which provide financial information about a specific reporting entity." The amendments clarify that materiality will depend on the nature or magnitude of information, either individually or in combination with other information, in the context of the financial statements. A misstatement of information is material if it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions made by the primary users. These amendments had no impact on the financial statements of, nor is there expected to be any future impact to the Company.

5.4 Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting issued on 29 March 2018

The Conceptual Framework is not a standard, and none of the concepts contained therein override the concepts or requirements in any standard. The purpose of the Conceptual Framework is to assist the IASB in developing standards, to help preparers develop consistent accounting policies where there is no applicable standard in place and to assist all parties to understand and interpret the standards. This will affect those entities which developed their accounting policies based on the Conceptual Framework. The revised Conceptual Framework includes some new concepts, updated definitions and recognition criteria for assets and liabilities and clarifies some important concepts. These amendments had no impact on the financial statements of the Company.

5.5 Amendments to IFRS 16 Covid-19 Related Rent Concessions

On 28 May 2020, the IASB issued *Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions - amendment to IFRS 16 Leases*. The amendments provide relief to lessees from applying IFRS 16 guidance on lease modification accounting for rent concessions arising as a direct consequence of the Covid-19 pandemic. As a practical expedient, a lessee may elect not to assess whether a Covid-19 related rent concession from a lessor is a lease modification. A lessee that makes this election accounts for any change in lease payments resulting from the Covid-19 related rent concession the same way it would account for the change under IFRS 16, if the change were not a lease modification.

The amendment applies to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 June 2020. Earlier application is permitted. This amendment had no impact on the financial statements of the Company.

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6 STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

The new and amended standards and interpretations that are issued, but not yet effective, up to the date of the Company's financial statements are disclosed below. The Company intends to adopt these new and amended standards and interpretations, if applicable, when they become effective.

6.1 IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts

In May 2017, the IASB issued IFRS 17 *Insurance Contracts* (IFRS 17), a comprehensive new accounting standard for insurance contracts covering recognition and measurement, presentation and disclosure. Once effective, IFRS 17 will replace IFRS 4 *Insurance Contracts* (IFRS 4) that was issued in 2005. IFRS 17 applies to all types of insurance contracts (i.e., life, non-life, direct insurance and re-insurance), regardless of the type of entities that issue them, as well as to certain guarantees and financial instruments with discretionary participation features. A few scope exceptions will apply. The overall objective of IFRS 17 is to provide an accounting model for insurance contracts that is more useful and consistent for insurers. In contrast to the requirements in IFRS 4, which are largely based on grandfathering previous local accounting policies, IFRS 17 provides a comprehensive model for insurance contracts, covering all relevant accounting aspects. The core of IFRS 17 is the general model, supplemented by:

- A specific adaptation for contracts with direct participation features (the variable fee approach)
- A simplified approach (the premium allocation approach) mainly for short-duration contracts

IFRS 17 is effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023, with comparative figures required. Early application is permitted, provided the entity also applies IFRS 9 and IFRS 15 on or before the date it first applies IFRS 17. This standard is not applicable to the Company.

6.2 Amendments to IAS 1: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current

In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to paragraphs 69 to 76 of IAS 1 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. The amendments clarify:

- What is meant by a right to defer settlement;
- That a right to defer must exist at the end of the reporting period;
- That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right; and
- That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument would the terms of a liability not impact its classification

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 and must be applied retrospectively. The Company is currently assessing the impact the amendments will have on current practice and whether existing loan agreements may require renegotiation.

6.3 Reference to the Conceptual Framework – Amendments to IFRS 3

In May 2020, the IASB issued Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations - Reference to the Conceptual Framework. The amendments are intended to replace a reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements, issued in 1989, with a reference to the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting issued in March 2018 without significantly changing its requirements. The Board also added an exception to the recognition principle of IFRS 3 to avoid the issue of potential 'day 2' gains or losses arising for liabilities and contingent liabilities that would be within the scope of IAS 37 or IFRIC 21 Levies, if incurred separately. At the same time, the Board decided to clarify existing guidance in IFRS 3 for contingent assets that would not be affected by replacing the reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements. The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022 and apply prospectively.

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6 STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

6.4 Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use – Amendments to IAS 16

In May 2020, the IASB issued Property, Plant and Equipment — Proceeds before Intended Use, which prohibits entities deducting from the cost of an item of property, plant and equipment, any proceeds from selling items produced while bringing that asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Instead, an entity recognises the proceeds from selling such items, and the costs of producing those items, in profit or loss. The amendment is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022 and must be applied retrospectively to items of property, plant and equipment made available for use on or after the beginning of the earliest period presented when the entity first applies the amendment. The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Company.

6.5 Onerous Contracts – Costs of Fulfilling a Contract – Amendments to IAS 37

In May 2020, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 37 to specify which costs an entity needs to include when assessing whether a contract is onerous or loss-making. The amendments apply a "directly related cost approach". The costs that relate directly to a contract to provide goods or services include both incremental costs and an allocation of costs directly related to contract activities. General and administrative costs do not relate directly to a contract and are excluded unless they are explicitly chargeable to the counterparty under the contract. The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022. The Company will apply these amendments to contracts for which it has not yet fulfilled all its obligations at the beginning of the annual reporting period in which it first applies the amendments.

6.6 IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards – Subsidiary as a first-time adopter

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process, the IASB issued an amendment to IFRS 1 *First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards*. The amendment permits a subsidiary that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1 to measure cumulative translation differences using the amounts reported by the parent, based on the parent's date of transition to IFRS. This amendment is also applied to an associate or joint venture that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1. The amendment is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022 with earlier adoption permitted.

6.7 IFRS 9 Financial Instruments – Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process the IASB issued amendment to IFRS 9. The amendment clarifies the fees that an entity includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability. These fees include only those paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the borrower or lender on the other's behalf. An entity applies the amendment to financial liabilities that are modified or exchanged on or after the beginning of the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the amendment.

The amendment is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022 with earlier adoption permitted. The Company will apply the amendments to financial liabilities that are modified or exchanged on or after the beginning of the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the amendment. The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Company.

6.8 IAS 41 Agriculture – Taxation in fair value measurements

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process the IASB issued amendment to IAS 41 *Agriculture*. The amendment removes the requirement in paragraph 22 of IAS 41 that entities exclude cash flows for taxation when measuring the fair value of assets within the scope of IAS 41. An entity applies the amendment prospectively to fair value measurements on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2022 with earlier adoption permitted. The amendments are not applicable to the Company.

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PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	31 December 2020								
	Buildings & leasehold improvements	Plant, machinery & heavy equipment	Furniture	Vehicles	Computers	Laboratory & safety equipment	Catalyst	Capital work in progress	Total
Cost:									
At the beginning of the year	204,630	20,724,705	13,574	31,922	104,715	48,624	136,676	764,279	22,029,125
Additions	2,211	60,762	-	-	-	-	-	315,504	378,477
Transfers	3,163	152,668	5,105	-	2,041	-	24,021	(189,123)	(2,125)
Disposals	-	(2,250)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,250)
At the end of the year	210,004	20,935,885	18,679	31,922	106,756	48,624	160,697	890,660	22,403,227
Depreciation and impairment:									
At the beginning of the year	72,683	9,743,519	12,719	29,599	93,127	48,227	108,980	71,392	10,180,246
Charge for the year	8,745	1,123,106	725	721	5,581	397	5,282	- -	1,144,557
Disposal	- -	(74)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(74)
At the end of the year	81,428	10,866,551	13,444	30,320	98,708	48,624	114,262	71,392	11,324,729
Net book amounts:									
At 31 December 2020	128,576	10,069,334	5,235	1,602	8,048	-	46,435	819,268	11,078,498

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7 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

		31 December 2019								
	Buildings & leasehold improvements	Plant, machinery & heavy equipment	Furniture	Vehicles	Computers	Laboratory & safety equipment	Catalyst	Capital leases - C pipeline	apital work in progress	Total
Cost:										
At the beginning of the year	179,773	19,861,805	13,574	31,922	99,731	48,624	117,916	2,083	1,281,978	21,637,406
Additions	2,075	88,934	-	-	2,191	-	-	-	354,321	447,521
Transfers	22,782	827,685	-	-	2,793	-	18,760	(2,083)	(872,020)	(2,083)
Disposals	-	(53,719)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(53,719)
At the end of the year	204,630	20,724,705	13,574	31,922	104,715	48,624	136,676	-	764,279	22,029,125
Depreciation and impairment:										
At the beginning of the year	64,088	8,673,989	11,362	26,451	88,446	47,646	106,491	1,497	-	9,019,970
Charge for the year	8,595	1,123,249	1,357	3,148	4,681	581	2,489	-	-	1,144,100
Impairment for the year (see note (d))	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	71,392	71,392
Disposal	-	(53,719)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(53,719)
Transfer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,497)	-	(1,497)
At the end of the year	72,683	9,743,519	12,719	29,599	93,127	48,227	108,980	-	71,392	10,180,246
Net book amounts:										
At 31 December 2019	131,947	10,981,186	855	2,323	11,588	397	27,696		692,887	11,848,879

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7 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

- a) The plants are situated on land leased from the Royal Commission of Jubail and Yanbu. The lease is renewable at the option of the parties.
- b) Capital work in progress include ongoing projects in addition to cost being incurred on existing plants regarding ongoing turnaround and major overhauling.
- c) Plant includes costs incurred to capture the planned turnaround cost. This cost will be depreciated over the period until the date of next planned turnaround. The net book value of such costs as at 31 December 2020 amounted to SR 75.7 million (2019: SR 162.4 million).
- d) Property, plant and equipment of gross carrying amount of SR 908.1 million (2019: SR 117.2 million) are fully depreciated but are still in use.
- e) Allocation of depreciation charge for the year:

	2020	2019
Cost of revenue General and administrative expenses (note 21)	1,106,818 37,739	1,106,128 37,972
	1,144,557	1,144,100

8 LEASES

The Company has lease contracts for various parcels of land, housing units, motor vehicles and pipeline used in its operations. Leases of land generally have lease terms between 30 and 50 years, housing units 5 to 11 years, motor vehicles 5 years and pipeline 5 years.

The Company also has certain leases of accommodation buildings with lease terms of 12 months or less and leases of office equipment with low value. The Company applies the 'short-term lease' and 'lease of low-value assets' recognition exemptions for these leases.

Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-of-use assets recognised and the movements during the year:

	Leasehold lands	Housing Units	Motor vehicles	Pipeline	Total
As at 1 January 2019	21,835	146,667	10,244	585	179,331
Additions	10,652	527	-	-	11,179
Depreciation expense	(3,642)	(13,141)	(2,655)	(137)	(19,575)
As at 31 December 2019	28,845	134,053	7,589	448	170,935
Additions	19,619	-	-	-	19,619
Modification of lease period	-	(18,870)	-	-	(18,870)
Depreciation expense	(7,360)	(14,324)	(2,662)	(137)	(24,483)
As at 31 December 2020	41,104	100,859	4,927	311	147,201

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8 LEASES (continued)

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the year:

	2020	2019
As at 1 January	168,244	171,789
Additions	19,619	8,807
Adjustment	(18,870)	-
Accretion of interest (note 22)	7,623	10,014
Payments	(30,168)	(22,366)
As at 31 December	146,448	168,244
Less: Current portion	19,295	14,058
Non-current portion	127,153	154,186
The maturity analysis of lease liabilities are disclosed in note 27.		
The following are the amounts recognised in statement of income:		
	2020	2019
Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets	24,483	19,575
Interest expense on lease liabilities	7,623	10,014
Expense relating to short-term leases (included in cost of revenue)	-	377
Expense relating to leases of low-value assets (included in general and	2.721	2 251
administrative expenses)	2,721	3,351
Total amount recognised in statement of income	34,827	33,317

During the year, the Company had total cash outflows for leases of SR 34,827 (2019: SR 33,317). The Company also had non-cash additions to right-of-use assets and lease liabilities of SR 19,619, respectively (2019: SR 11,179 and SR 8,807).

9 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	31 December 2020		
	Software and IT	Under	
	development	development	Total
Cost:			
At the beginning of the year	27,774	18,491	46,265
Additions	120	1,239	1,359
Transfer from property, plant and equipment	2,125	-	2,125
At the end of the year	30,019	19,730	49,749
Amortization:			
At the beginning of the year	18,974	-	18,974
Charge for the year	4,599	-	4,599
At the end of the year	23,573	<u> </u>	23,573
Net book amounts			
At 31 December 2020	6,446	19,730	26,176

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9 INTANGIBLE ASSETS (continued)

	31 December 2019			
	Software and IT development	Under development	Total	
Cost:		r		
At the beginning of the year	26,731	20,791	47,522	
Additions	1,043	-	1,043	
Transfers to property, plant and equipment	-	(2,300)	(2,300)	
At the end of the year	27,774	18,491	46,265	
Amortization:				
At the beginning of the year	14,434	-	14,434	
Charge for the year	4,540	-	4,540	
At the end of the year	18,974	-	18,974	
Net book amounts				
At 31 December 2019	8,800	18,491	27,291	

Based on the annual impairment test performed by the Company during the year ended 31 December 2020, no impairment risk was identified.

10 OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS

	2020	2019
Home ownership receivables	79,610	99,076
Employee advances	62,699	69,290
Other (note 26)	7,500	12,233
	149,809	180,599
11 INVENTORIES		
	2020	2019
Finished goods	393,676	297,530
Spare parts	352,079	376,406
Raw materials	109,355	133,476
Goods in transit	13,865	7,231
	868,975	814,643
Less: Provision for slow moving and obsolete items	(60,563)	(78,700)
	808,412	735,943

During 2020, SR 2,032 million (2019: SR 2,576 million) was recognised as an expense in the cost of revenue.

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11 INVENTORIES (continued)

Movement in the provision for slow moving and obsolete inventories was as follows:

						2020	2019
Balance at 1 Reversal duri						78,700 (18,137)	78,700 -
Balance at 31	December					60,563	78,700
12 TRAI	DE RECEIVABL	LES					
						2020	2019
	e from related part	ies (note 26)				1,790,053	1,751,156
Other						2,638	2,117
						1,792,691	1,753,273
The ageing a	nalysis of trade re	ceivables is as f	ollows:				
	Total	current	≤ 30 days	31 - 60 days	61 - 90 days	91 - 120 days	> 120 days
2020	1,792,691	1,789,350	498	1,180	68	338	1,257
2019	1,753,273	1,750,653	200	643	1	-	1,776

See financial risk management (note 27) on credit risk of trade receivables, which explain how the Company manages and measure credit quality of trade receivables.

13 PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

	2020	2019
Amounts due from related parties (note 26)	106,826	65,295
Value added tax (VAT) receivable from GAZT	108,500	19,309
Prepaid expenses	72,673	49,624
Employee advances and receivables	2,380	3,927
Other	11,634	28,262
	302,013	166,417
		

14 SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

Short-term investments represent Murabaha commodity placements with original maturity exceeding three months but less than one year and maintained with local and foreign banks. These placements yield finance income at commission rates ranging from 0.7% to 1.45%.

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15 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2020	2019
Bank balances	19,758	136,270

16 SHARE CAPITAL

The Company's authorized, issued and fully paid share capital is SR 5,625 million which is divided into 562.5 million shares of SR 10 par value each. The Company is 51% owned by Saudi Basic Industries Corporation ("SABIC") (the "Parent Company") and 49% owned by others or publicly traded.

17 STATUTORY RESERVE

In accordance with the Company's by-laws, the Company must set aside 10% of its annual net income as the statutory reserve until it reaches 30% of the share capital. This having been achieved, the Company resolved not to set aside further reserve. The reserve is not available for distribution.

18 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

	2020	2019
Defined benefits obligation		
End of service benefits	790,553	560,444
Post-retirement medical benefits	60,209	29,422
Long-term service awards	5,592	4,394
Other long town employee honefits and towningtion honefits	856,354	594,260
Other long-term employee benefits and termination benefits Saving plan	31,404	26,391
	887,758	620,651

Defined benefits obligation

The Company's management monitors the risks of all defined benefit plans of the Company and issues guidelines regarding the governance and risk management. The defined benefit plans obligations are subject to demographic and legal risks.

End of service benefits

End of service benefits are mandatory for all KSA based employees under the Saudi Arabian labour law and the Company's employment policies. End of service benefit is based on employees' compensation and accumulated period of service and is payable upon termination, resignation or retirement. The defined benefit obligation in respect of employees' end of service benefits is calculated by estimating the future benefit payment that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods. This amount is then discounted using an appropriate discount rate to determine the present value of the Company's obligation. This is an unfunded benefit. Re-measurements are recognised immediately in the statement of financial position with a corresponding debit or credit to retained earnings through OCI in the period in which they occur. Re-measurements are not reclassified to statement of income in subsequent periods.

Long-term service awards

The Company offers a long-term service award depending on years of service. This is measured similarly to a defined benefit obligation, however, any re-measurement is recognised in the current year statement of income.

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18 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (continued)

18.1 Defined benefits obligation

The following table represents the movement of the defined benefits obligation as at 31 December:

2020	2019
594,260	451,054
52,965	42,685
17,680	17,306
70,645	59,991
147,429	93,280
(9.752)	(6,351)
53,772	(3,714)
856,354	594,260
	594,260 52,965 17,680 70,645 147,429 (9,752) 53,772

Allocation of defined benefit plans charge between cost of revenue and general and administrative expenses is as follows:

	2020	2019
Cost of revenue General and administrative expenses	52,574 391	36,577 6,108
	52,965	42,685

Significant assumptions used in determining defined benefits obligations for the Company are shown below:

	2020	2019
Discount rate Salary increase rate – Executives Salary increase rate – Non-Executives Medical inflation rate Average retirement age	2.4% 4.5% 6.0% Note (a) below	3.1% 4.5% 6.0% Note (a) below 58

⁽a) As at 31 December 2020 and 31 December 2019: 9% per annum in 2020 decreasing to 5% per annum in 2024 and 5% per annum onwards.

A quantitative sensitivity analysis for significant assumptions on the defined benefits obligation as at 31 December:

	Increase/(decrease) in defined benefit obligation at 31 December	
	2020	2019
Discount rate:		
+25 BPS increase	(32,274)	(18,791)
-25 BPS decrease	33,864	19,637
Salary increase rate:		
+25 BPS increase	29,357	17,714
-25 BPS decrease	(28,183)	(17,065)
Medical inflation rate:		
+25 BPS increase	3,338	1,344
-25 BPS decrease	(3,164)	(1,276)

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18 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (continued)

18.1 Defined benefits obligation (continued)

The sensitivity analyses above have been determined based on a method that extrapolates the impact on the defined benefit obligation as a result of reasonable changes in key assumptions occurring at the end of the reporting period. The sensitivity analyses are based on a change in a significant assumption, keeping all other assumptions constant. The sensitivity analyses may not be representative of an actual change in the defined benefit obligation as it is unlikely that changes in assumptions would occur in isolation from one another.

The weighted average duration of the defined benefit obligation is 11.7 years (2019: 10.7 years).

The following is the breakup of the actuarial (gain)/loss:

	2020	2019
Demographic assumptions	78,556	159
Financial assumptions	73,731	89,708
Experience adjustment	(4,858)	3,413
	147,429	93,280
The following payments are expected to the defined benefit plans in future years:	2020	2019
Within the next 12 months (next annual reporting period)	17,829	17,743
Between 1 and 2 years	15,432	15,455
Between 2 and 3 years	24,668	17,937
Between 3 and 4 years	18,750	25,962
Between 4 and 5 years	25,536	21,328
Between 5 and 10 years	183,923	158,083

Payments made to defined contribution plan amount to SR 10.27 million (2019: SR 5.16 million) and relates primarily to employee benefit savings' plan.

19 TRADE PAYABLES

	2020	2019
Amounts due to related parties (note 26) Trade accounts payable	567,857 21,804	274,225 183,121
	589,661	457,346

Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 60-day terms. For explanations on the Company's liquidity risk management processes, refer to note 27.

20 ACCRUALS AND OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

	2020	2019
Accrued liabilities	340,295	344,236
Amounts due to related parties (note 26)	238,340	195,300
Dividend payable	15,338	15,882
	593,973	555,418

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21 GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	2020	2019
Research and technology cost (note 26)	100,699	121,200
Employee related costs	69,082	88,152
Depreciation (note 7(e))	37,739	37,972
Shared services costs	36,253	41,749
Board of directors' remuneration (note 26)	1,400	1,400
Other	41,912	45,677
	287,085	336,150
22 FINANCE COSTS, NET		
	2020	2019
Interest cost on defined benefit plans (note 18.1)	17,680	17,306
Finance cost on lease liabilities (note 8)	7,623	10,014
Unwinding of finance cost	(557)	(1,303)
Other	29	65
	24,775	26,082
23 OTHER INCOME, NET		
	2020	2019
Tolling income, net	59,842	59,779
Withholding tax	(16,590)	-
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(2,176)	-
Foreign exchange gain	3,217	767
Reversal/(provision) for assets under construction	10,000	(10,000)
Other	9,607	13,900
	63,900	64,446
24 ZAKAT		
Charge for the year		
Zakat charge for the year consists of the following:		
	2020	2019
Provided during the year	119,910	125,936
Zakat adjustment relating to previous years	20,000	9,524
	139,910	135,460

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24 ZAKAT (continued)

The current year's provision was calculated based on the following zakat base:

	2020	2019
Equity Non-current liabilities and other adjustments	14,462,762 714,689	17,897,213 566,567
Non-current assets and other deductions	(11,536,363)	(14,270,612)
Zakatable income for the year	3,641,088 882,885	4,193,168 1,225,232
	4,523,973	5,148,400
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The differences between the financial and the zakatable results are mainly due to certain adjustments in accordance with the relevant fiscal regulations.

Movement in provision

The movement in the zakat provision during the year is as follows:

	2020	2019
At beginning of the year	125,936	119,271
Provided during the year Paid during the year	139,910 (129,385)	135,460 (128,795)
At the end of the year	136,461	125,936

Status of assessments

The Company has filed its zakat returns with the General Authority of Zakat and Tax ("GAZT") and received the zakat certificates up to 31 December 2019. The Company has settled the zakat dues and cleared its zakat assessments with GAZT up to the year ended 31 December 2015.

During 2020, the Company received assessment for the years 2016 to 2018 claiming additional zakat aggregating to SR 91 million due to certain additions to zakat base made by GAZT. The Company is currently reviewing the GAZT's assessment and plans to file an appeal against the total amount of assessment for these years. The management believes that the appeal outcome will be in the Company's favour. Moreover, an additional provision of SR 20 million has been made in these financial statements in the current year.

Further, during the year, GAZT raised an assessment with additional withholding tax liability on dividend paid to non-resident shareholders amounting to SR 10.1 million for the years 2015 to 2019, and the Company paid the amount during the year ended 31 December 2020.

The final assessment for the year 2019 has not yet been raised by GAZT.

25 EARNINGS PER SHARE

The earnings per share calculation is given below:

	2020	2019
Net income for the year (SR '000)	677,574	1,089,772
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)	562,500	562,500
Earnings per share (Saudi Riyals) – Basic and diluted	1.20	1.94

There has been no item of dilution affecting the weighted average number of ordinary shares.

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26 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

Related parties represent the shareholders, directors and key management personnel of the Company, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Company's management. Following is the list of related party transactions and balances of the Company:

Related party	Nature of transactions		ansactions	Balance as at 31 December	
a) Amounts due from related parties		2020	2019	2020	2019
Saudi Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC) – (Parent)	Sale of products Advances for purchase of materials, product sales and other	5,034,940	6,064,834	1,740,961**	1,739,869
(SADIC) – (Lacit)	transactions Long term advance for logistics	41,641	25,187	106,826*** 7,500****	65,184 7,500
Other related parties	Exchange of products Others	70,202	19,871 4,845	49,092**	11,286 4,845
				1,904,379	1,828,684
b) Amounts due to related parties					
Saudi Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC) – (Parent)	Payments on behalf of the Company Research and technology fees	2,288,843 121,349	2,015,848 144,382	310,331* 68,455*	282,015 69,270
Saudi Aramco (Ultimate Parent) and its subsidiaries (from 16 June 2020)	Procurement of feedstock and others	1,123,692	-	322,363*	-
Arabian Industrial Fibers Company (IBN RUSHD) (a related party)	Propane Tolling Agreement	217,447	273,234	103,208*	91,754
Other related parties	Storage services and others	5,226	166,765	1,840*	26,486
Board of directors	Remuneration	1,400	1,400	-	-
				806,197	469,525

^{*}included in trade payables (note 19) and accruals and other current liabilities (note 20)

^{**}included in trade receivables (note 12)

^{***}included in prepayments and other current assets (note 13)

^{****}included in other non-current assets (note 10)

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26 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (continued)

Key management compensation

Compensation for key management is as follows:

	2020	2019
Salaries and other benefits – short term Post-employment benefits – long term	6,580 1,445	6,121 832
	8,025	6,953

The amounts disclosed in the above table are the amounts recognised as an expense during the year related to key management personnel.

Significant transactions with related parties were as follows:

- a) The Company has a service level agreement with SABIC (Shared Services Organization SSO) for the provision of accounting, warehousing, human resources, information technology (ERP/SAP), transporting and arranging for delivery of materials related to the Company's spare parts, engineering, procurement and related services and other general services to the Company. The Company has also logistic service agreement with SABIC.
- b) Advances to SABIC represent the amount paid by the Company according to shared service agreement to finance the purchase of the Company's materials and services.
- c) The majority of Company's products are sold to SABIC ("the Marketers") under marketing and off-take agreements.

Terms and conditions of transactions with related parties

Outstanding balances at the year ended 31 December 2020 are unsecured, interest free and settled in cash. There have been no guarantees provided or received for any related party receivables or payables. For the year ended 31 December 2020, the Company has not recorded any impairment of receivables relating to amounts owed by related parties. This assessment is undertaken each financial year by examining the financial position of the related parties and the market in which the related party operates.

27 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- Market risk
- · Operational risk.

This note presents information about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk. Further quantitative disclosures are included throughout these financial statements.

Risk management framework

The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework. The Board has established the Risk Management Committee, which is responsible for developing and monitoring the Company's risk management policies. The committee reports regularly to the Board of Directors on its activities.

The Company's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Company, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Company's activities. The Company, through its training and management standards and procedures, aims to develop a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and obligations.

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27 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

Risk management framework (continued)

The Company's Audit Committee oversees how management monitors compliance with the Company's risk management policies and procedures, and reviews the adequacy of the risk management framework in relation to the risks faced by the Company. The Company's Audit Committee is assisted in it's oversight role by Internal Audit. Internal Audit undertakes both regular and ad-hoc reviews of risk management controls and procedures, the results of which are reported to the Audit Committee.

Financial instruments principally include cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, trade receivables, other receivables, accounts payable, lease liabilities and other liabilities.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Company's receivables from customers. The Company is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities from bank balances, short-term investments and trade receivables.

Short term investments and bank balances	2020	2019
Counterparties with external credit ratings (Moody's)		
A1	262,558	876,154
A2	430,100	344,900
A3	1,222,500	501,816
Baa1	1,119,800	1,464,200
	3,034,958	3,187,070

Trade receivables

The Company's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. However, management also considers the demographics of the Company's customer base, including the default risk of the industry and country in which customers operate, as these factors may have an influence on credit risk, particularly in the currently deteriorating economic circumstances. Also geographically there is no concentration of credit risk.

The Company trades only with recognised, credit worthy third parties or related parties. It is the Company's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. Credit quality of the customer is assessed based on an extensive credit rating scorecard. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Company's exposure to bad debts is not significant.

The Company sells its main products to SABIC only. At 31 December 2020, its balance accounts for 99.8% of outstanding trade receivables balance (2019: 99.2%). Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on 30 - 130 days terms. As at 31 December 2020, all trade receivables are fully recoverable and considered unimpaired by the management.

The Company has established a credit policy under which each new customer is analysed individually for creditworthiness before the Company's standard payment and delivery terms and conditions are offered. The Company's review includes external ratings, when available, and in some cases, bank references. Purchase limits are established for each customer, which represents the maximum open amount without requiring approval from the Risk Management Committee; these limits are reviewed quarterly. Customers that fail to meet the Company's benchmark creditworthiness may transact with the Company only on a prepayment basis.

An impairment analysis is performed at each reporting date using a provision matrix to measure expected credit losses. The calculation reflects the probability-weighted outcome, reasonable and supportable information that is available at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date is the carrying value of each class of financial assets. Outstanding trade receivables are regularly monitored. The credit risk exposure of the Company on trade receivables is insignificant due to no historical credit loss exposure of the Company.

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27 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

Credit risk (continued)

Guarantees

The Company monitors its risk to a shortage of funds using forecasting models to model impacts of operational activities on overall liquidity availability. The Company's objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of bank overdrafts, the revolving credit facilities and other sources of liquidity.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The Company's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Company's reputation.

The Company ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected operational expenses, including the servicing of financial obligations; this excludes the potential impact of extreme circumstances that cannot reasonably be predicted, such as natural disasters.

The Company has managed, and continues to actively manage, the risks arising from COVID-19. This includes a financial response plan that incorporates scenario and contingency planning, stress testing of cash flow forecasts and sensitivity analysis.

Excessive risk concentration

Concentrations arise when a number of counterparties are engaged in similar business activities, or activities in the same geographical region, or have economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic, political or other conditions. Concentrations indicate the relative sensitivity of the Company's performance to developments affecting a particular industry.

In order to avoid excessive concentrations of risk, the Company's policies and procedures include specific guidelines to focus on the maintenance of a diversified portfolio. Identified concentrations of credit risks are controlled and managed accordingly. Selective hedging is used within the Company to manage risk concentrations at both the relationship and industry levels.

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27 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

Liquidity risk (continued)

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Company's financial liabilities based on contractual undiscounted payments:

	2020						
	Within 1 year	Between 1-5 years	More than 5 years	Total			
Trade payable	589,661	-	-	589,661			
Lease liabilities	32,153	97,786	64,077	194,016			
Other	253,678	-	-	253,678			
	875,492	97,786	64,077	1,037,355			
		201	19				
	Within 1 year	Between 1-5 years	More than 5 years	Total			
Trade payable	457,346	-	-	457,346			
Lease liabilities	29,085	63,547	100,740	193,272			
Other	211,182	-	-	211,182			
	697,613	63,547	100,740	861,800			

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and equity prices will affect the Company's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimizing the return.

Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk, such as equity price risk and commodity risk.

Currency risk

The Company is exposed to currency risk on sales, purchases and borrowings that are denominated in a currency other than the functional currency of the Company, primarily the Euro (EUR). The currencies in which these transactions primarily are denominated are EUR, USD, British Pounds and Japanese Yen. Since Saudi Riyal is pegged to USD, therefore, there is no such currency risk for USD.

In respect of other monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, the Company ensures that its net exposure is kept to an acceptable level by buying or selling foreign currencies at spot rates when necessary to address short-term imbalances.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the Company to a reasonably possible change in the Saudi Riyals - EUR exchange rate, with all other variables held constant, of the Company's monetary assets and liabilities net of hedges entered into for the year ended 31 December:

	Gain (loss) through sta income	atement of
	2020	2019
	EURO	EURO
	+/- 5 %	+/- 5 %
Increase in exchange rate		
Euro/SR	2,446	884

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27 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

Exposure to foreign currency risk was as follows:

			2020		
	EUR	GBP	JPY	AED	Other
Trade payables	(10,622)	(29)	(1)		-
Total net monetary exposure	(10,622)	(29)	(1)	<u>-</u>	-
			2019		
	EUR	GBP	JPY	AED	Other
Trade payables	(4,209)	(94)	(153)	(6)	(6)
			<u>`</u>		(6)
Total net monetary exposure	(4,209)	(94)	(153)	(6)	(6)

Commodity risk

The Company is exposed to the impact of market fluctuations of the price of various inputs to production including naphtha, benzene, natural gas and electricity. From time to time, the Company manages some elements of commodity price risk through the use of fixed price contracts.

Financial assets and financial liabilities

The breakup of the classification of financial instruments is as follows:

	2020				2019			
	Total	Financial assets at amortised cost	assets at	Financial assets at FVOCI	Total	Financial assets at amortised cost	Financial assets at FVIS	Financial assets at FVOCI
Financial assets								
Trade receivables	1,792,691	1,792,691	-	-	1,753,273	1,753,273	-	-
Short term investments	3,015,200	3,015,200	-	-	3,050,800	3,050,800	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	19,758	19,758			136,270	136,270		
Total	4,827,649	4,827,649	-		4,940,343	4,940,343	-	-

		2020			2019			
	Total	Liabilities at amortised cost	Liabilities at FVIS	Total	Liabilities at amortised cost	Liabilities at FVIS		
Financial liabilities								
Lease liabilities	146,448	146,448	-	168,244	168,244	-		
Trade payables	589,661	589,661	-	457,346	457,346	-		
Other payables	253,678	253,678		211,182	211,182			
Total	989,787	989,787	-	836,772	836,772	-		

The maximum exposure to credit risk at the end of the reporting year is the carrying amount of each class of financial assets mentioned above.

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28 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

Capital is equity attributable to the equity holders of the Company. The primary objective to the Company's capital management is to support its business and maximise shareholder value.

The management's policy is to maintain a strong capital base so as to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence and to sustain future development of the business. The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, in light of change in economic conditions. The Board of Directors monitors the return on capital, which the Company defines as result from operating activities divided by total shareholders' equity. The Board of Directors also monitors the level of dividends to shareholders. There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management during the year. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

The Company's debt to adjusted capital ratio is as follows:

	2020	2019
Total liabilities Less: Cash and cash equivalents	2,354,301 (19,758)	1,927,595 (136,270)
Net debt	2,334,543	1,791,325
Total equity Add: Amount directly accumulated in equity relating to actuarial valuation	14,985,457	16,142,812
adjustments	155,423	7,994
Adjusted capital	15,140,880	16,150,806
Debt to adjusted capital ratio	15%	11%

29 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date in the principal or, in its absence, the most advantageous market to which the Company has access at that date. The fair value of a liability reflects its non-performance risk.

A number of the Company's accounting policies and disclosures require the measurement of fair values, for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

When measuring the fair value of an asset or liability, the Company uses observable market data as far as possible. Fair values are categorized into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

If the inputs used to measure the fair value of an asset or liability falls into different levels of the fair value hierarchy, then the fair value measurement is categorized in its entirety in the same level of the fair value hierarchy as the lowest input level that is significant to the entire measurement.

The Company recognizes transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the change has occurred.

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29 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT (continued)

The management assessed that cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, trade and other receivables, trade payables, lease liabilities and other current liabilities approximate their carrying amounts largely due to the short-term maturities of these instruments.

30 CHANGES IN LIABILITIES ARISING FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities:

	1 January 2020	Additions	Cash flows	Others	31 December 2020
Non-current portion of lease liabilities Current portion of lease liabilities Dividends payable (note 20)	154,186 14,058 15,882	- 749 1,687,500	- (30,168) (1,688,044)	(27,033) 34,656	127,153 19,295 15,338
Total liabilities from financing activities	184,126	1,688,249	(1,718,212)	7,623	161,786
	1 January 2019	Additions	Cash flows	Others	31 December 2019
Non-current portion of lease liabilities Current portion of lease liabilities Dividends payable (note 20)	160,290 11,499 18,963	7,954 14,911 2,109,375	(22,366) (2,112,456)	(14,058) 10,014	154,186 14,058 15,882
Total liabilities from financing activities	190,752	2,132,240	(2,134,822)	(4,044)	184,126

The 'Other' column includes the effect of reclassification of non-current portion of lease liabilities to current portion of lease liabilities and dividend declared and accrued during the year that were not yet paid at the year-end. The Company classifies interest paid as cash flows from operating activities.

31 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Company's President and Board of Directors monitor the results of the Company's operations for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment. They are collectively the chief operating decision makers (CODM) for the Company. The CODM review the results of the Company as a whole, as they believe that decision making cannot be done effectively in isolation for single products of the Company due to complex nature of the business, integrated facility where multiple products including downstream product movement are simultaneous and the nature of the products market. Hence, the whole Company is treated as a single operating segment, the results and financial position of which has been presented already.

The key evaluation criteria for segment performance is the net profit and this is evaluated and measured consistently from period to period.

The non-current assets of the Company are based in KSA and petrochemical product sales by the Company are made primarily to Parent Company (SABIC) (note 26) which is also based in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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32 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Commitments

As at 31 December 2020, the Company has commitments of SAR 317 million (2019: SR 339 million) relating to capital expenditures.

Guarantees

The Company's bankers have issued, on its behalf, bank guarantees amounting to SR 10.6 million in the normal course of business as at 31 December 2020 (2019: SR 0.5 million).

33 APPROPRIATION OF NET INCOME

On 4 April 2019, the General Assembly approved a distribution of cash dividend amounting SR 1,125 million (SR 2 per share) for the second half of the year 2018 which represents 20% of the nominal value of the shares.

On 12 May 2019, the Board of Directors announced the distribution of SR 984.37 million as cash dividends (SR 1.75 per share) for the first half of the year 2019 which represents 17.5% of the nominal value of the shares.

On 15 March 2020, the General Assembly approved a distribution of cash dividend amounting SR 984.37 million (SR 1.75 per share) for the second half of the year 2019 which represents 17.5% of the nominal value of the shares. The total dividends for the year ended 31 December 2019 was SR 1,968.74 million (SR 3.50 per share).

On 11 May 2020, the Board of Directors announced the distribution of SR 703.13 million as cash dividends (SR 1.25 per share) for the first half of the year 2020 which represents 12.5% of the nominal value of the shares. The date of eligibility for this dividend distribution was to shareholders listed on the Tadawul (Saudi Stock Exchange) by the end of trading on 9 July 2020.

On 24 December 2020, the Board of Directors proposed a distribution of cash dividends for the second half of the year 2020 amounting to SR 703.13 million (at SR 1.25 per share). The proposed dividends are subject to approval of the shareholders in the Annual General Assembly meeting which is expected in March 2021. The total dividends for the year ended 31 December 2020 would be SR 1,406.25 million (SR 2.50 per share).

34 IMPACT OF COVID-19

The outbreak of novel coronavirus ("COVID-19") since early 2020 and its spread across mainland China and then globally caused disruptions to businesses and economic activities including KSA. The World Health Organisation qualified COVID-19 as a pandemic, with governments issuing strict regulations and guidance for its populations and companies. It necessitated the Company's management to re-assess the judgments and the key sources of estimation applied to the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

During the year ended 31 December 2020, management has assessed the overall impact on the Company's operations and business aspects, and considered factors like effects on supply chain, impact of decreased oil prices, operating rates of its plants and lost volume, and products demand. Based on this assessment, the management concluded that, as at the issuance date of these financial statements, the Company did not face significant adverse impact on its operations and business due to COVID-19 pandemic and no significant changes are required to the judgements, assumptions and key estimates in the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

To preserve the health of the employees and support the prevention of contagion in the operational and administrative areas, the Company took measures, in line with the recommendations of the World Health Organisation and Saudi Ministry of Health, such as working remotely, social distancing at work place, rigorous cleaning of workplaces, distribution of personal protective equipment, testing of suspected cases, limiting non-essential travel, self-health declarations and measuring body temperature.

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34 IMPACT OF COVID-19 (continued)

The operational and financial impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic to date have been reflected in these financial statements. The strong financial position, including access to funds and absence of debt, coupled with the actions the Company has taken to date and the continued activity of its Parent Company ensures that the Company has the capacity to continue through the challenges caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. However, in view of the current uncertainty, any future change in the assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that may require a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of the assets or liabilities affected in the future periods. As the situation is rapidly evolving with future uncertainties, management will continue to assess the impact based on prospective developments.

35 APPROVAL OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 16 Rajab 1442H (corresponding to 28 February 2021).