

# **FUJAIRAH GOLD FZC**

## **FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**31 MARCH 2025**

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR’S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF FUJAIRAH GOLD FZC**

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Fujairah Gold FZC (the “Company”), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 March 2025, and the 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 material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at 31 March 2025, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (“ISAs”). 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 the *International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants’ International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)* (the “IESBA Code”) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the United Arab Emirates, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Responsibilities of Management and the Shareholder for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards, and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Company’s Articles of Association 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.

The Shareholder is responsible for overseeing the Company’s financial reporting process.



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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDER OF FUJAIRAH GOLD FZC (continued)**

### **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 ISAs 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 ISAs, 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 the 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.



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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDER OF  
FUJAIRAH GOLD FZC (continued)**

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

We communicate with the Shareholder 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.

For Ernst & Young

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Thodla Hari Gopal  
Registration No: 689

13 June 2025

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

## Fujairah Gold FZC

### STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 March 2025

	<i>Notes</i>	<b>2025</b> <b>AED</b>	<b>2024</b> <b>AED</b>
Revenue from contract with customers	15	<b>2,763,897,609</b>	2,172,578,087
Direct costs	16	<b>(2,748,262,154)</b>	(2,157,883,449)
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>		<b>15,635,455</b>	14,694,638
General and administrative expenses	17	<b>(3,537,879)</b>	(3,753,933)
Selling and distribution expenses	18	<b>(13,066,649)</b>	(11,148,112)
Finance costs	19	<b>(43,236,037)</b>	(40,891,624)
Interest and other income	20	<b>5,443,863</b>	7,836,767
<b>LOSS FOR THE YEAR</b>		<b>(38,761,247)</b>	(33,262,264)
<b>Other comprehensive income:</b>			
<i>Other comprehensive income that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>			
Net (loss) / gain on cash flow hedges		<b>(2,265,922)</b>	122,593
<b>TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR</b>		<b>(41,027,169)</b>	(33,139,671)


The attached notes 1 to 28 form part of these financial statements.


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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2025

	Notes	2025 AED	2024 AED
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	5	59,315,508	65,305,469
Right-of-use assets	22	5,686,443	75,880
		<u>65,001,951</u>	<u>65,381,349</u>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Inventories	6	69,735,214	80,400,746
Due from related parties	7	579,375	752,800
Loan to a related party	7	13,538,789	-
Accounts receivables, prepayments and other receivables	8	53,012,900	78,522,107
Other current financial assets	12(a)	4,556,271	9,550,269
Cash and cash equivalents	9	61,073,831	40,032,528
		<u>202,496,380</u>	<u>209,258,450</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<u><u>267,498,331</u></u>	<u><u>274,639,799</u></u>
<b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Equity</b>			
Share capital	10	3,359,030,000	3,359,030,000
Legal reserve	11	14,773,023	14,773,023
Cash flow hedge reserve		(2,578,652)	(312,730)
Other reserve	7	(3,449,263,158)	(3,449,263,158)
Accumulated losses		(314,149,038)	(275,387,791)
<b>Deficiency of assets</b>		<u>(392,187,825)</u>	<u>(351,160,656)</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Employees' end of service benefits	13	556,363	741,420
Lease liabilities	22	4,941,003	-
		<u>5,497,366</u>	<u>741,420</u>
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Due to related parties	7	114,816,944	83,695,885
Loan from a related party	7	419,660,640	419,660,640
Accounts payable, accruals and other payables	14	119,203,902	119,175,397
Lease liabilities	22	507,304	-
Other current financial liabilities	12(b)	-	2,527,113
		<u>654,188,790</u>	<u>625,059,035</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u><u>659,686,156</u></u>	<u><u>625,800,455</u></u>
<b>TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>		<u><u>267,498,331</u></u>	<u><u>274,639,799</u></u>

  
Mr. Puneet Khurana  
CEO

  
Mr. Bhuvish Aggarwal  
CFO

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 March 2025

	<i>Share capital AED</i>	<i>Legal reserve AED</i>	<i>Cash flow hedge reserve AED</i>	<i>Other reserve AED</i>	<i>Accumulated losses AED</i>	<i>Total AED</i>
Balance as at 1 April 2023	3,359,030,000	14,773,023	(435,323)	(3,449,263,158)	(242,125,527)	(318,020,985)
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(33,262,264)	(33,262,264)
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	122,593	-	-	122,593
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	122,593	-	(33,262,264)	(33,139,671)
Balance at 31 March 2024	<u>3,359,030,000</u>	<u>14,773,023</u>	<u>(312,730)</u>	<u>(3,449,263,158)</u>	<u>(275,387,791)</u>	<u>(351,160,656)</u>
Balance as at 1 April 2024	3,359,030,000	14,773,023	(312,730)	(3,449,263,158)	(275,387,791)	(351,160,656)
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(38,761,247)	(38,761,247)
Other comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(2,265,922)	-	-	(2,265,922)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(2,265,922)	-	(38,761,247)	(41,027,169)
<b>Balance at 31 March 2025</b>	<b><u><u>3,359,030,000</u></u></b>	<b><u><u>14,773,023</u></u></b>	<b><u><u>(2,578,652)</u></u></b>	<b><u><u>(3,449,263,158)</u></u></b>	<b><u><u>(314,149,038)</u></u></b>	<b><u><u>(392,187,825)</u></u></b>

The attached notes 1 to 28 form part of these financial statements.

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## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 March 2025

	<i>Notes</i>	<b>2025</b> <b>AED</b>	<b>2024</b> <b>AED</b>
<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Loss for the year		<b>(38,761,247)</b>	(33,262,264)
Adjustment to reconcile the profit to net cash flows:			
Depreciation and amortization	5, 22	<b>8,295,089</b>	6,616,916
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		<b>(28,000)</b>	(12,445)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	13	<b>175,234</b>	164,064
Reversal of allowance for non-moving inventories	6	<b>70,984</b>	(145,420)
Finance costs	19	<b>43,236,037</b>	40,891,624
		<b>12,988,097</b>	14,252,475
Working capital adjustments			
Decrease / (increase) in inventories		<b>10,523,564</b>	(39,884,792)
(Increase) / decrease in derivative financial instruments		<b>200,963</b>	9,519,200
Decrease / (increase) in due from related parties		<b>173,425</b>	(190,530)
Decrease in accounts receivables, prepayments and other receivables		<b>25,509,207</b>	27,314,948
(Decrease) / increase in due to related parties		<b>(3,385,308)</b>	1,218,789
Increase in accounts payable, accruals and other payables		<b>148,259</b>	8,285,838
Cash flows from operations		<b>46,158,207</b>	20,515,928
Employees' end of service benefits paid	13	<b>(360,291)</b>	(36,315)
Interest paid		<b>(8,423,465)</b>	(10,604,763)
<b>Net cash flows from operating activities</b>		<b>37,374,451</b>	9,874,850
<b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	5	<b>(1,945,106)</b>	(8,079,107)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		<b>33,000</b>	359,828
Loan provided to a related party	7	<b>(13,538,789)</b>	-
<b>Net cash flows used in investing activities</b>		<b>(15,450,895)</b>	(7,719,279)
<b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Payment of lease liabilities including interest	22	<b>(882,253)</b>	(240,339)
<b>Cash flows used in financing activities</b>		<b>(882,253)</b>	(240,339)
<b>INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>		<b>21,041,303</b>	1,915,232
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		<b>40,032,528</b>	38,117,296
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR</b>	9	<b>61,073,831</b>	40,032,528

The attached notes 1 to 28 form part of these financial statements.



### 1 COMPANY AND OPERATIONS

Fujairah Gold FZC (the “Company”) is a Limited Liability Company established on 28 August 2007 in Fujairah, United Arab Emirates and commenced its commercial operation on 7 April 2009. The Company operates in Fujairah Free Zone area vide a trade license issued by Fujairah Free Zone Authority. The address of the Company’s registered office is P.O. Box 3992, Fujairah, United Arab Emirates (UAE). The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Malco Energy Limited (the “Parent Company” or “Shareholder”). The Parent Company is incorporated and domiciled in India, a public limited company.

The Company undertakes the activity of manufacturing, refining, trading and laboratory testing of all types of Concentrates & all associated products for copper, zinc, Iron, aluminium, bauxite and various precious metals.

The Ultimate Parent and Controlling Company is Vedanta Incorporated (Erstwhile “Volcan Investments Limited”) (“Ultimate Parent Company”), Bahamas and the Intermediate Holding Company is Vedanta Limited (“Intermediate Holding Company”).

During the year ended 31 March 2024, the Intermediate Holding Company approved a Scheme of Arrangement (“the Scheme”) relating to the proposed demerger of various businesses of Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as “the Vedanta Group”). The Scheme is currently under review and is pending receipt of certain regulatory and other substantive approvals.

As of 31 March 2025, the Scheme has no impact on the Company’s financial statements. For further information regarding the Scheme, including its structure and proposed implications, please refer to the consolidated financial statements of the Vedanta Group.

### 2 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for derivative financial instruments and trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing), which are measured at fair value.

The financial statements of the Company are presented in the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates (i.e. functional currency). For the purpose of the financial statements, the results and financial position of the Company are expressed in United Arab Emirates Dirhams (“AED”), which is the functional currency for the financial statements.

#### 2.2 FUNDAMENTAL ACCOUNTING CONCEPT

The Company incurred a loss of AED 38,761,247 for the year ended 31 March 2025 (2024: AED 33,262,264) and had a deficiency of assets of AED 392,187,825 as at 31 March 2025 (2024: AED 351,160,656). Further, the Company had net current liabilities of AED 451,692,410 as at 31 March 2025 (2024: AED 415,800,585) and has accumulated losses as of that date of AED 314,149,038 (2024: AED 275,387,791). These conditions indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast a significant doubt on the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern. These financial statements, however, have been prepared on a going concern basis as the Company expects cash inflows from its future operations to partially cover its obligations and also due to the fact that the Intermediate Holding Company has agreed to provide necessary financial support to the Company to enable it to continue its operations and meet its obligations as and when required.

Further, note 24 to the financial statements sets out the Company’s objectives, policies and processes for managing Company’s financial risk including capital management and provide details of Company’s exposure to credit risk, liquidity risk and interest risk from financial instruments.

### 2.3 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES & DISCLOSURES

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024, except for the adoption of the following new standards, amendments and interpretation effective as of 1 January 2024.

#### **New and amended standards and interpretations**

The Company applied for the first-time certain standards and amendments, which are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 as noted below:

- Supplier Finance Arrangements - Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7
- Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback – Amendments to IFRS 16
- Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current – Amendments to IAS 1
- Non-current Liabilities with Covenants – Amendments to IAS 1

The adoption of the above amendments and improvements had no significant impact on the financial statements of the Company.

#### **Standards, amendments and interpretations issued but not yet effective**

The new and amended standards and interpretations that are issued, but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance 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.

- Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments -Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7
- Lease liability in a sale and leaseback – Amendments to IFRS 16
- Lack of Exchangeability - Amendments to IAS 21
- IFRS 18 Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements
- IFRS 19 Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures
- IFRS 10 and IAS 28 – Sale or contribution of assets between an Investors and its Associates or Joint Ventures

With the exception of IFRS 18 Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements, the impact of which is currently under assessment by the Company, management does not expect that the adoption of the above standards, amendments and interpretations will have a material impact on the Company's financial statements in future reporting periods when they become effective.

### 3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION

The material accounting policy information used in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below:

#### **Revenue Recognition**

##### ***Revenue from contracts with customers***

The Company is in the business of manufacturing, refining and trading of precious metals and various copper products. Revenue from contracts with customers is recognised when control of the goods is transferred to the customer at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods. The Company has generally concluded that it is the principal in its revenue arrangements because it typically controls the goods before transferring to the customer.

The disclosures of significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions relating to revenue from contracts with customers are provided in note 4.

##### ***Sale of goods***

Revenue from sale of goods is recognised at the point in time when control of the goods is transferred to the customer, generally on delivery of the goods. The Company also considers whether there are other promises in the contract that are separate performance obligations to which a portion of the transaction price needs to be allocated. The Company considers single performance obligation in the contract i.e. sale of goods.

In determining the transaction price for the sale of goods, the Company considers the effects of variable consideration, the existence of significant financing components, noncash consideration, and consideration payable to the customer (if any).

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Revenue Recognition (continued)**

*Sale of services*

Revenue from tolling services is recognised over the period of time over which the services are rendered as the Company's performance creates or enhances an asset which is already controlled by the customer. The Company also considers whether there are other promises in the contract that are separate performance obligations to which a portion of the transaction price needs to be allocated. The Company considers single performance obligation in the contract i.e. sale of services.

In determining the transaction price for the sale of services, the Company considers the effects of variable consideration, the existence of significant financing components, noncash consideration, and consideration payable to the customer (if any).

*Interest income*

Interest income is recognised as the interest accrues using the effective interest rate (EIR), under which the rate used exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset. Interest income is included in other income in the statement of comprehensive income.

*Contract balances*

*Trade receivables*

A receivable is recognised if an amount of consideration that is unconditional is due from the customer (i.e., only the passage of time is required before payment of the consideration is due). Refer to accounting policies of financial assets in the section Financial instruments - initial recognition and subsequent measurement.

*Contract assets*

A contract asset is the right to consideration in exchange for goods to the customer. If the Company performs by transferring goods to a customer before the customer pays consideration or before payment is due, a contract asset is recognised for the earned consideration that is conditional.

*Contract liabilities*

A contract liability is the obligation to transfer goods or services to a customer for which the Company has received consideration (or an amount of consideration is due) from the customer. If a customer pays consideration before the Company transfers goods or services to the customer, a contract liability is recognised when the payment is made or the payment is due (whichever is earlier). Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue when the Company performs under the contract.

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is received. 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. The Company has concluded that it is a principal in all its revenue arrangements, since it is the primary obligor in all the revenue arrangements, has pricing latitude, and is also exposed to credit risks. The specific recognition criteria described below must also be met before revenue is recognised.

**Taxation**

The income tax expense represents the sum of current and deferred income tax expense.

*Current tax*

Current income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date in the countries where the Company operates and generates taxable income.

Current income tax relating to items recognised directly in equity is recognised in equity and not in the statement of profit or loss. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in the tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulations are subject to interpretation and establishes provisions where appropriate.

*Deferred tax*

Deferred tax is provided using the liability method on temporary differences between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes at the reporting date.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Taxation (continued)**

*Deferred tax (continued)*

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except:

- When the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss and does not give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary differences
- In respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint arrangements, when the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled, and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, the carry forward of unused tax credits and any unused tax losses. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:

- When the deferred tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss and does not give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary differences
- In respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint arrangements, deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised. Unrecognised deferred tax assets are re-assessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

In assessing the recoverability of deferred tax assets, the Company relies on the same forecast assumptions used elsewhere in the financial statements and in other management reports, which, among other things, reflect the potential impact of climate-related development on the business, such as increased cost of production as a result of measures to reduce carbon emission. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date. Deferred tax relating to items recognised outside profit or loss is recognised outside statement of profit or loss. Deferred tax items are recognised in correlation to the underlying transaction either in OCI or directly in equity.

Tax benefits acquired as part of a business combination, but not satisfying the criteria for separate recognition at that date, are recognised subsequently if new information about facts and circumstances change. The adjustment is either treated as a reduction in goodwill (as long as it does not exceed goodwill) if it was incurred during the measurement period or recognised in the statement of profit or loss.

The Company offsets deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities if and only if it has a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets and current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend either to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered.

**Value Added Tax (VAT)**

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised at amounts net of value added tax except:

- where VAT incurred on purchase of assets or services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the VAT is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or part of the expense items, as applicable.
- where receivables and payables are stated with the amount of VAT included.

The net amount of VAT recoverable from or payable to the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)****Property, plant and equipment**

Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Such cost includes the cost of replacing part of the property, plant and equipment and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects if the recognition criteria are met. When significant parts of property, plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the Company depreciates them separately based on their specific useful lives. Likewise, when a major inspection is performed, its cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the property, plant and equipment as a replacement if the recognition criteria are satisfied. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as incurred.

Capital work in progress is stated at cost less any recognised impairment loss.

Depreciation is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of property, plant and equipment. No depreciation is provided on capital work-in-progress until such time the relevant assets are capitalised and commissioned.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the other assets as follows:

	<i>Years</i>
Factory buildings	Upto 30
Plant and machinery	Upto 21
Vehicles	Upto 5
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	1 – 8

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 derecognition 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 comprehensive income in the year the asset is derecognised.

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each financial year end and when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. If any such indication exists and where the carrying values exceed the estimated recoverable amount, the assets are written down to their recoverable amount, being the higher of their fair value less costs to sell and their value in use.

The asset's residual values, useful lives and method of depreciation are reviewed at each financial year end, and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

**Intangible assets**

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

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible assets may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at each reporting period. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, and treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

An intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal (i.e., at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising upon derecognition 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 comprehensive income.

Intangible asset includes software and it is amortised over the estimated useful life of the software license of 5 years.

### 3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

#### **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 such indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Company makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating units (CGU) fair value less costs to sell and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or Company of assets. Where the carrying amount of an asset 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 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 cost to sell, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices or other available fair value indicators.

The Company bases its impairment calculation on most recent budgets and forecasts, which are prepared separately for each of the CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecasts generally cover a period of nine years. Impairment losses of continuing operations are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset.

An assessment is made at each reporting date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognised impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the Company makes an estimate of recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates 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 losses been recognised for the asset in the prior years. Such reversal is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories of raw materials finished goods and semi-finished goods are physically measured and estimated by the Company's technicians and valued at lower of cost or net realisable value except for scrap and by-products which are valued at net realisable value.

Cost of inventories of finished goods and work-in-process includes material cost, cost of conversion and indirect costs incurred in various production processes to bring inventories to their present location and condition.

Cost of inventories of raw material and material cost of finished goods and work-in-process is determined on First in First out (FIFO) basis except consumables and spare parts which are valued at weighted average cost.

Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price for inventories less all estimated costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale.

Goods in transit are recorded at cost when the rights and obligations relating to the goods are transferred to the Company.

#### **Financial instruments – Initial recognition and subsequent measurement**

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, fair value through other comprehensive income (OCI), and fair value through profit or loss. 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 profit or loss, 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. Refer to the accounting policy in Revenue from contracts with customers.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Financial instruments – Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)**

**i. Financial assets (continued)**

***Initial recognition and measurement (continued)***

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.

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 marketplace (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e., the date that the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset.

The Company’s financial assets consist of cash at banks, trade and other receivables, refundable deposits, due from related parties and derivative financial instruments.

***Subsequent measurement***

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in four 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 profit or loss

***Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)***

Financial assets at amortised cost are subsequently measured using the effective interest (EIR) method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the asset is derecognised, modified or impaired.

The Company’s financial assets at amortised cost include cash at banks, trade and other receivables (not subject to provisional pricing), due from related parties and derivative financial instruments. Refer below to ‘Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss’ for a discussion of trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing).

***Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss***

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading, e.g., derivative instruments, financial assets designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss, e.g., debt or equity instruments, or financial assets mandatorily required to be measured at fair value, i.e., where they fail the SPPI test. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling or repurchasing in the near term. Derivatives, including separated embedded derivatives, are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments. Financial assets with cash flows that do not pass the SPPI test are required to be classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, irrespective of the business model. Notwithstanding the criteria for debt instruments to be classified at amortised cost or at fair value through OCI, as described above, debt instruments may be designated at fair value through profit or loss on initial recognition if doing so eliminates, or significantly reduces, an accounting mismatch.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Financial instruments – Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)**

**i. Financial assets (continued)**

*Subsequent measurement (continued)*

*Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)*

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

A derivative embedded in a hybrid contract with a financial liability or non-financial host, is separated from the host and accounted for as a separate derivative if: the economic characteristics and risks are not closely related to the host; a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative; and the hybrid contract is not measured at fair value through profit or loss. Embedded derivatives are measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. Reassessment only occurs if there is either a change in the terms of the contract that significantly modifies the cash flows that would otherwise be required or a reclassification of a financial asset out of the fair value through profit or loss category.

As IFRS 9 has the SPPI test for financial assets, the requirements relating to the separation of embedded derivatives is no longer needed for financial assets. An embedded derivative will often make a financial asset fail the SPPI test thereby requiring the instrument to be measured at fair value through profit or loss in its entirety. This is applicable to the Company's trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing). These receivables relate to sales contracts where the selling price is determined after delivery to the customer, based on the market price at the relevant QP stipulated in the contract. This exposure to the commodity price causes such trade receivables to fail the SPPI test. As a result, these receivables are measured at fair value through profit or loss from the date of recognition of the corresponding sale, with subsequent movements being recognised in 'fair value gains/losses on provisionally priced trade receivables' in the statement of comprehensive income and other comprehensive income.

***Derecognition of financial assets***

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of an Company 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 the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred assets 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.



**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Financial instruments – Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)**

**i. Financial assets (continued)**

***Impairment of financial assets***

The Company recognises an allowance for expected credit losses ("ECL") for all debt instruments not held at fair value through profit or loss. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Company expects to receive, discounted at an approximation to the asset's original effective interest rate. The expected cash flows will include cash flows from the sale of collateral held or other credit enhancements that are integrated to the contractual terms.

ECLs are recognised in two stages. For credit exposures for which there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, ECLs are provided for credit losses that result from default events that are possible within the next 12-months (a 12-month ECL). For those credit exposures for which there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, a loss allowance is required for credit losses expected over the remaining life of the exposure, irrespective of the timing of the default (a lifetime ECL).

The Company considers a financial asset in default when contractual payments are past due for more than 1 year. 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.

For trade receivables (not subject to provisional pricing), bank balance and due from related parties, the Company applies a simplified approach in calculating ECLs based on lifetime expected credit losses at each reporting date. The Company has established a provision matrix that is based on the Company's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment. The expected credit losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

**ii. Financial liabilities**

***Initial recognition and measurement***

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings, payables, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and, in the case of loans and borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable transaction costs.

The Company's financial liabilities include amounts due to related parties, loan from a related party, lease liabilities and trade and other payables.

***Subsequent measurement***

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

- Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss
- Financial liabilities at amortised cost (loan from a related party and borrowings)

***Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss***

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss. Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

This category includes accounts payable and accruals (including amounts due to related parties which are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods or services received, whether billed by the supplier or not.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Financial instruments – Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)**

**ii. Financial liabilities (continued)**

*Subsequent measurement (continued)*

*Financial liabilities at amortised cost (loan from a related party and borrowings)*

This is the category most relevant to the Company. After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in statement of comprehensive income when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

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 comprehensive income. This category generally applies to interest-bearing loans and borrowings.

Instalments due within one year are shown as a current liability. Interest is charged as an expense as it accrues, with unpaid amounts included in “Accounts payable and accruals”.

*Derecognition of financial liabilities*

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 comprehensive income.

**iii. Offsetting of financial instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset, and the net amount reported in the statement of financial position if, and only if:

- There is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts; and
- There is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

**Fair value measurement**

The fair values of financial instruments measured at amortised cost are disclosed in note 23. Derivative financial instruments are measured at fair value. There are no other financial assets and liabilities which are measured and carried at fair value in the financial statements.

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. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible to by the Company.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

### 3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

#### **Fair value measurement (continued)**

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 - Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines whether transfers have occurred between Levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each financial year.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy, as explained above.

#### **Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting**

##### *Initial recognition and subsequent measurement*

The Company uses derivative financial instruments i.e., future commodity contracts, to hedge its commodity price risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are carried as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative. The Company does not hold any derivative financial instruments for speculative purposes.

For the purpose of hedge accounting, hedges are classified as:

- Fair value hedges when hedging the exposure to changes in the fair value of a recognised asset or liability or an unrecognised firm commitment.
- Cash flow hedges when hedging the exposure to variability in cash flows that is either attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction or the foreign currency risk in an unrecognised firm commitment.

At the inception of a hedge relationship, the Company formally designates and documents the hedge relationship to which it wishes to apply hedge accounting and the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge. The documentation includes identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item or transaction, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the Company will assess whether the hedging relationship meets the hedge effectiveness requirements (including the analysis of sources of hedge ineffectiveness and how the hedge ratio is determined). A hedge relationship qualifies for hedge accounting if it meets all of the following effectiveness requirements:

- There is 'an economic relationship' between the hedged item and hedging instrument.
- The effect of credit risk does not 'dominate the value changes' that result from that economic relationship.
- The hedge ratio of the hedging relationship is the same as that resulting from the quantity of the hedged item that the Company actually hedges and the quantity of the hedging instrument that the Company actually uses to hedge that quantity of hedged item.

Hedges that meet all the qualifying criteria for hedge accounting are accounted for, as described below:

##### *Fair value hedges*

The change in the fair value of a hedging instrument is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as direct costs. The change in the fair value of the hedged item attributable to the risk hedged is recorded as part of the carrying value of the hedged item and is also recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as part of direct costs.

**3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)**

**Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting (continued)**

*Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)*

*Fair value hedges (continued)*

For fair value hedges relating to items carried at amortised cost, any adjustment to carrying value is amortised through profit or loss over the remaining term of the hedge using the EIR method. EIR amortisation may begin as soon as an adjustment exists and no later than when the hedged item ceases to be adjusted for changes in its fair value attributable to the risk being hedged.

If the hedged item is derecognised, the unamortised fair value is recognised immediately in statement of comprehensive income.

When an unrecognised firm commitment is designated as a hedged item, the subsequent cumulative change in the fair value of the firm commitment attributable to the hedged risk is recognised as an asset or liability with a corresponding gain or loss recognised in statement of comprehensive income.

*Cash flow hedges*

The effective portion of the gain or loss on the hedging instrument is recognised in other comprehensive income (OCI) in the cash flow hedge reserve, while any ineffective portion is recognised immediately in the statement of comprehensive income. The cash flow hedge reserve is adjusted to the lower of the cumulative gain or loss on the hedging instrument and the cumulative change in fair value of the hedged item.

Amounts recognised as OCI are transferred to profit or loss when the hedged transaction affects profit or loss, such as when the hedged financial income or financial expense is recognised or when a forecast sale occurs. When the hedged item is the cost of a non-financial asset or non-financial liability, the amounts recognised as OCI are transferred to the initial carrying amount of the non-financial asset or liability.

If the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised without replacement or rollover (as part of the hedging strategy), or if its designation as a hedge is revoked, or when the hedge no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting, any cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI remains separately in equity until the forecast transaction occurs.

**Cash and cash equivalents**

For the purpose of statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise of bank balances, net of outstanding bank overdraft, if any.

**Borrowing costs**

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the asset, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

**Provisions**

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 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 the statement of comprehensive income net of any reimbursement.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax 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 in the statement of comprehensive income.

Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed to the statement of comprehensive income.

### 3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

#### Employee benefits

##### *Annual leave and leave passage*

An accrual is made for the estimated liability for employees' entitlement to annual leave and leave passage as a result of services rendered by eligible employees up to the end of the year.

##### *Provision for employees' end of service benefits*

The Company provides end of service benefits to their employees. The entitlement to these benefits is based upon the employees' final salary and length of service, subject to the completion of a minimum service period. The expected costs of these benefits are accrued over the period of employment.

The accrual relating to annual leave and leave passage is disclosed as a current liability, while the provision relating to end of service benefit is disclosed as a non-current liability.

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

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

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

The Company classifies all other liabilities as non-current.

#### Contingencies

Contingent liabilities are not recognised in the financial statements. They are disclosed unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote. A contingent asset is not recognised in the financial statements but disclosed when an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

#### Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded by the Company at the respective functional currency spot rates at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the functional currency spot rate of exchange at the reporting date.

Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates as at the dates of the initial transactions.

#### Leases

Set out below are the new accounting policies of the Company upon adoption of IFRS 16, which have been applied from the date of initial application.

### 3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

#### Leases (continued)

##### *Company as a lessee*

##### *(i) 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. Unless the Company is reasonably certain to obtain ownership of the leased asset at the end of the lease term, the recognised right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of its estimated useful life and the lease term. Right-of-use assets are subject to impairment, refer the accounting policy on impairment of non-financial assets.

##### *(ii) 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 in-substance 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 a lease, if the lease term reflects the Company exercising the option to terminate. The variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognised as expense in the period on which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Company uses the incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date if 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 in-substance fixed lease payments or a change in the assessment to purchase the underlying asset. Refer note 22 for the Company's lease liabilities.

##### *(iii) Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets*

The Company applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases of machinery and leasehold premises (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 of office equipment that are considered of low value (i.e., below USD 5,000). 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 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING 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 disclosure of contingent liabilities at the reporting date. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in the future.

#### Judgements

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:

##### *Revenue from contracts with customers*

The Company applied the following judgements that significantly affect the determination of the amount and timing of revenue from contracts with customers:

- *Identifying performance obligation*

The Company is in the business of manufacturing, refining and trading of precious metals and various copper products and based on the contracts with the customers, the Company has concluded that the delivery of the materials is the only single performance obligation of the Company.

#### 4 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

##### Judgements (continued)

###### *Revenue from contracts with customers (continued)*

- *Determining the timing of satisfaction of performance obligation*

The Company has concluded that the revenue from delivery of materials is to be recognised at a point in time when the control of the goods is transferred to the customer, being when the goods are delivered to the customers, the customer has full discretion over the channel and the price to sell the goods, and there is no unfulfilled obligation that could affect the customer's acceptance of the products. Delivery occurs when the products have been shipped to the specific location or handed over to the customer, the risks of obsolescence and loss have been transferred to the customer, and either the customer has accepted the products in accordance with the sales contract, the acceptance provisions have lapsed, or the Company has objective evidence that all criteria for acceptance have been satisfied. A receivable is recognised when the goods are delivered as this is the point in time that the consideration is unconditional because only the passage of time is required before the payment is due.

- *Determining the transaction price and allocating to performance obligation*

Revenue from the sale of goods to the customers is recognised based on the price specified in the contract with the customers and the entire transaction price is allocated to the performance obligation of delivery of materials as the Company has concluded that this is the only single performance obligation of the Company. The Company has concluded that there are no variable consideration included in the transaction price.

- *Consideration of significant financing component in a contract*

The Company has concluded that there is no element of financing deemed to be present in its contract with the customers as the sales are made on credit terms of 0 to 60 days, which is consistent with market practice.

##### *Leases*

The Company makes certain judgements in determining the lease term for contracts that is or contains a lease:

- The Company determines the lease term as the non-cancellable term of the lease, together with any periods covered by an option to extend the lease if it is reasonably certain to be exercised, or any periods covered by an option to terminate the lease, if it is reasonably certain not to be exercised.
- The Company has the option to renew the lease term for some of its leases. The Company applies judgement in evaluating whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the option to renew. That is, it considers all relevant factors that create an economic incentive for it to exercise the renewal. After the commencement date, the Company reassesses the lease term if there is a significant event or change in circumstances that is within its control and affects its ability to exercise (or not to exercise) the option to renew (e.g. a change in a business strategy).
- The determination of whether an arrangement is or contains a lease is based on the substance of the arrangement at inception date and whether the fulfilment of the arrangement is dependent of the use of a specific asset or assets or the arrangement conveys the right to use the asset.
- The Company has several lease contracts that include termination options. However, the Management does not expect to exercise termination options included in the lease contracts.

##### **Use of estimates**

The preparation of the financial statements, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards, requires that the management make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting 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 discussed below.

###### *Provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables*

The Company uses a provision matrix to calculate ECLs for trade receivables. The provision rates are based on days past due for Companyings of various customer segments that have similar loss patterns (i.e., by geography, product type, customer type and rating, and coverage by letters of credit and other forms of credit insurance).

#### 4 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

##### Use of estimates (continued)

###### *Provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables (continued)*

The provision matrix is initially based on the Company's historical observed default rates. The Company will calibrate the matrix to adjust the historical credit loss experience with forward-looking information. For instance, if forecast economic conditions (i.e., gross domestic product) are expected to deteriorate over the next year which can lead to an increased number of defaults in the manufacturing sector, the historical default rates are adjusted. 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 customer's actual default in the future. The information about the ECLs on the Company's trade receivables is disclosed in note 23.

###### *Useful lives and depreciation and amortisation of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets*

The Company's management determines the estimated useful lives of its property, plant and equipment and intangible assets for calculating depreciation and amortisation. This estimate is determined after considering the expected usage of the asset or physical wear and tear. Management reviews the residual value and useful lives annually and future depreciation and amortisation charge would be adjusted where management believes the useful lives differ from previous estimates.

###### *Impairment losses on 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 of disposing of the asset. The value in use calculation is based on a DCF model.

The cash flows are derived from the budget of one year and forecasts of the next eight years and do not include restructuring activities that the Company is not yet committed to or significant future investments that will enhance the performance of the assets of the 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. These estimates are most relevant to non-financial assets attributable to the PMR division of the Company. The key assumptions used to determine the recoverable amount for the different CGUs, including a sensitivity analysis, are disclosed and further explained in Note 5.

###### *Impairment of inventories*

Inventories are held at the lower of cost and net realisable value. When inventories become old or obsolete, an estimate is made of their net realisable value. For individually significant amounts this estimation is performed on an individual basis. Amounts which are not individually significant, but which are old or obsolete, are assessed collectively and a provision applied according to the inventory type and the degree of ageing or obsolescence, based on historical selling prices.

At the reporting date, gross inventories were AED 70,843,394 (2024: AED 81,437,942) and the provision for slow and obsolete inventories was AED 1,108,180 (2024: AED 1,037,196). Any difference between the amounts actually realised in future periods and the amounts expected will be recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. Refer note 6 for further details.

###### *Impairment of due from related parties*

An estimate of the collectible amount of due from a related party is made when collection of the full amount is no longer probable. For individually significant amounts, this estimation is performed on an individual basis. Amounts which are not individually significant, but which are past due, are assessed collectively and a provision applied according to the length of time past due, based on historical recovery rates.

At the reporting date, gross amounts due from related parties was AED 235,016,561 (2024: AED 235,189,986) and there was a provision of AED 234,437,186 (2024: AED 234,437,186) for doubtful advances. Refer note 7 for further details.



**4 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)**

**Use of estimates (continued)**

*Impairment of loan to a related party*

An estimate of the collectible amount of loan to a related party is made when collection of the full amount is no longer probable. For individually significant amounts, this estimation is performed on an individual basis. Amounts which are not individually significant, but which are past due, are assessed collectively and a provision applied according to the length of time past due, based on historical recovery rates.

At the reporting date, gross amount of loan extended to a related party was AED 13,538,789 (2024: AED Nil) and no provision for doubtful debts has been recognized in respect of this balance. Refer note 7 for further details.

*Valuation of inventories*

Physical quantities of finished and semi processed inventory are estimated based on the metal content as per laboratory assessments conducted by the Company's technicians and valued at lower of cost or net realisable value except for scrap and byproducts which are valued at net realisable value.

*Fair value of financial instruments*

When the fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded in the statement of financial position cannot be derived from active markets, their fair value is determined using valuation techniques including the discounted cash flow model. The inputs to these models are taken from observable markets where possible, but where this is not feasible, a degree of judgment is required in establishing fair values. The judgment includes consideration of inputs such as liquidity risk, credit risk and volatility.

*Going concern*

The management has made an assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that the Company 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 are prepared on the going concern basis.

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5 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	<i>Factory buildings AED</i>	<i>Plant and machinery AED</i>	<i>Vehicles AED</i>	<i>Furniture, fixtures and office equipment AED</i>	<i>Capital work- in-progress AED</i>	<i>Total AED</i>
<b>Cost:</b>						
At 1 April 2023	9,292,902	97,320,332	342,500	1,453,937	15,179,741	123,589,412
Additions	4,188,748	3,753,230	91,764	45,365	-	8,079,107
Transfers	-	12,016,954	-	-	(12,016,954)	-
Disposals	-	-	(88,000)	-	-	(88,000)
Transfer to a related party (Note 7)	-	-	-	-	(330,828)	(330,828)
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At 31 March 2024	13,481,650	113,090,516	346,264	1,499,302	2,831,959	131,249,691
Additions	-	104,287	-	-	1,840,819	1,945,106
Transfers	-	552,141	-	-	(552,141)	-
Disposals	-	-	(154,500)	-	-	(154,500)
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At 31 March 2025	<b>13,481,650</b>	<b>113,746,944</b>	<b>191,764</b>	<b>1,499,302</b>	<b>4,120,637</b>	<b>133,040,297</b>
<b>Accumulated depreciation:</b>						
At 1 April 2023	3,803,943	54,424,402	256,861	1,284,372	-	59,769,578
Charge for the year	418,749	5,701,406	48,436	77,498	-	6,246,089
Relating to disposals	-	-	(71,445)	-	-	(71,445)
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At 31 March 2024	4,222,692	60,125,808	233,852	1,361,870	-	65,944,222
Charge for the year	590,548	7,239,080	53,708	46,731	-	7,930,067
Relating to disposals	-	-	(149,500)	-	-	(149,500)
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At 31 March 2025	<b>4,813,240</b>	<b>67,364,888</b>	<b>138,060</b>	<b>1,408,601</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>73,724,789</b>
<b>Net carrying amount:</b>						
At 31 March 2025	<b>8,668,410</b>	<b>46,382,056</b>	<b>53,704</b>	<b>90,701</b>	<b>4,120,637</b>	<b>59,315,508</b>
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At 31 March 2024	9,258,958	52,964,708	112,412	137,432	2,831,959	65,305,469
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**5 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)**

- Factory buildings are constructed on a plot of land leased from the Fujairah Free Zone Authority for a period of 15 years with effect from 1 July 2009. On 19 June 2024, the lease was renewed for a further 15 year period, and is set to expire on 31 December 2039. Refer note 22 for further details.
- Capital work-in-progress mainly represents cost of purchase and installation of firefighting alarm system and new refractory, and effluent treatment plant purchased. These assets are planned to be put to use and capitalised in December 2025.

The depreciation charge has been allocated in the statement of comprehensive income as follows:

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Direct costs (note 16)	<b>8,194,650</b>	6,490,982
General and administrative expenses (note 17)	<b>100,439</b>	125,934
	<b>8,295,089</b>	6,616,916

**Impairment testing approach**

Property, plant and equipment (excluding capital work-in-progress) and right-of-use assets (note 23) as at 31 March 2025 has been allocated to cash-generating unit for impairment testing as follows:

Continuous Copper Caste Rod (CCR) cash-generating unit – AED 43,648,105  
Precious Metals Refinery (PMR) cash-generating unit – AED 15,667,406

The Company performed its annual impairment test in March 2025 and 2024. The recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit is determined based on a value in use calculation, using cash flow projections based on budgets and forecasts approved by senior management. The key assumptions are as follows:

*Cash flow projections*

The cash flow projections are derived from the budget of one year and forecasts of the next eight years. The cash flows are considered to be constant from year 5 onwards based on management's estimate.

*Discount rates*

The Company uses the post-tax industry average, Weighted Average Cost of Capital ("WACC") which reflects the country specific risk adjusted discount rate. Discount rates used for the year ended 31 March 2025 was 15.30% (2024: 16.79%) have been determined and applied. The assumptions used for the projected cash flows and discount rates require significant judgements and any adverse variation can result in a potential impact.

No impairment charge was recognised during the year ended 31 March 2025 (2024: Nil).

**6 INVENTORIES**

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Finished goods (a)	<b>14,669,550</b>	23,942,286
Work-in-progress (a)	<b>31,166,387</b>	31,012,658
Raw materials (b, c)	<b>19,143,160</b>	20,792,244
Spare parts and consumables	<b>5,864,297</b>	5,690,754
Less: Allowance for slow and non-moving inventories	<b>(1,108,180)</b>	(1,037,196)
Total inventories at the lower of cost and net realisable value	<b>69,735,214</b>	80,400,746

(a) Finished goods and work in progress mainly comprise copper, silver, gold, platinum and palladium. Included within finished goods, is an amount of in-transit finished goods amounting to Nil as at 31 March 2025 (2024: AED 3,439,827).

(b) Raw materials in hand comprise copper cathode and precious metals.

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**6 INVENTORIES (continued)**

- (c) Also included with raw materials, goods in transit comprising of copper cathode and silver sand for precious metals delivered by the supplier to the shipping agent and the bill of lading is issued according to the terms of the purchase agreement signed between the Company and its supplier. Raw materials in transit as at 31 March 2025 amounted to AED Nil (2024: AED 2,475,023).

See note 16 for details of inventories recognised as an expense during the years ended 31 March 2025 and 2024.

Movements in the allowance for slow and non-moving inventories were as follows:

	2025 AED	2024 AED
At 1 April	1,037,196	1,182,616
Charge / (reversal) for the year	70,984	(145,420)
<b>At 31 March</b>	<b>1,108,180</b>	<b>1,037,196</b>

**7 RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS**

Related parties represent parent, intermediate and ultimate parent, associated companies, affiliate entities, 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.

Balances with related parties included in the statement of financial position excluding those disclosed in note 14 are as follows:

	2025 AED	2024 AED
<b>Loan to a related party:</b>		
Twin Star Mauritius Holding Limited, Mauritius (a)	-	-
Bloom Fountain Limited (b)	3,449,263,158	3,449,263,158
Less: Adjustment of the loan (a)	(3,449,263,158)	(3,449,263,158)
Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited (f)	13,538,789	-
	<u>13,538,789</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Due from related parties:</b>		
Konkola Copper Mines Plc (c)	234,437,186	234,437,186
(Less:) Provision for doubtful advances (c)	(234,437,186)	(234,437,186)
Vedanta Limited, India (d)	-	659,289
Vedanta Limited, Jharsuguda (d)	-	55,998
FACOR (d)	8,108	8,108
Cairn India Holdings Limited (d)	29,405	29,405
Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited (f)	541,862	-
	<u>579,375</u>	<u>752,800</u>
<b>Due to related parties:</b>		
Cairn India Holdings Limited (e)	111,035,857	76,971,793
Hindustan Zinc Ltd, India (d)	2,760,605	6,619,605
Vedanta Limited – Corporate (d)	659,013	104,487
Vedanta Limited, India (d)	361,469	-
	<u>114,816,944</u>	<u>83,695,885</u>
<b>Loan from a related party:</b>		
Cairn India Holdings Limited (e)	<u>419,660,640</u>	<u>419,660,640</u>

**7 RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS (continued)**

- (a) During the year ended 31 March 2016, the Company had advanced loans of USD 900 million to Twin Star Mauritius Holdings Limited (“TSMHL”), a related party. The loan carried an interest rate of 4 % per annum until December 2016 and thereafter it was re-priced to 3% per annum. The full amount of short-term loan and all the other obligations mentioned in the approved loan agreement with TSMHL were fully secured until 27 March 2017 by a corporate guarantee by Vedanta Resources Plc, U.K. in favor of the Company.

TSMHL was holding shares of Cairn India Limited (“Cairn India”), another related party of the Company. During the year ended 31 March 2017, the merger of Cairn India into the Company's intermediate holding company, Vedanta Limited (“Vedanta”), was substantially completed on 26 March 2017 and thereafter fully implemented during the month of April 2017 by allotment of shares of Vedanta to the shareholders of Cairn India. As per the terms of the Scheme of merger, Vedanta and its subsidiaries (including TSMHL) did not receive any consideration in lieu of their holding in Cairn India and their shareholding interest stood extinguished upon the merger being implemented. As a result, the corporate guarantee of Vedanta Resources Plc issued in favor of the Company, as indicated earlier, had been revoked. Hence, in accordance with the accounting policies described in note 2, the Company fully adjusted the short-term loan balance (including accrued interest) as at 27 March 2017, that had been extended to TSMHL directly in the statement of changes in equity.

- (b) On 22 March 2018, the Company has entered into an assignment agreement with TSMHL and Bloom Fountain Limited (BFL) with respect to the assignment of the loan payable by TSMHL to the Company of an amount of USD 900 million along with the corresponding interest accrued till date to BFL.

- (c) During the year ended 31 March 2019, the Company had given trade advance of USD 69 million to Konkola Copper Mines Plc (“KCM”) (one of the fellow subsidiaries domiciled in Zambia) for procurement of copper cathodes.

A provisional liquidator (‘PL’) was appointed to manage the KCM’s affairs on 21 May 2019, after ZCCM Investments Holdings Plc (ZCCM-IH), an entity majority owned by the Government of Zambia and a 20.6% shareholder in KCM, filed a winding up petition against KCM. KCM’s majority shareholder, Vedanta Resources Holdings Limited (VRHL), and its parent company, Vedanta Resources Limited (VRL), contested the winding up petition in the Zambian courts and had commenced arbitration against ZCCM-IH, consistent with their position that arbitration is the agreed dispute resolution process, together with an application to the South African courts to stay the winding up proceedings consistent with the agreement to arbitrate.

On 16 February 2022, VRHL, VRL, ZCCM-IH and the PL had signed an agreement to postpone the arbitration hearing in order to negotiate a commercial settlement for the disputes that are the subject of the arbitration. The arbitration tribunal was notified of this agreement and confirmed that it was available to reconvene the hearing on 9 January 2023 which was later vacated on account of violation of terms of the legal suspension agreement by the PL. Further, on September 05, 2023, the Government of Zambia has announced its intention to give control of KCM back to majority shareholder VRL. On November 06, 2023, the parties signed a new shareholder agreement for KCM as well as an Implementation Agreement that sets out the terms for VRHL’s re-entry and new investment into KCM.

Various ancillary agreements have been finalised and executed to launch the Creditor Scheme of Arrangement in the High Court of Zambia and The High Court of Zambia vide order dated February 21, 2024 directed to convey meeting of creditors to consider scheme of arrangement subject to unresolved matters relating to the creditor scheme mechanics first have to be resolved between the parties before the creditor meetings are called.

Scheme of arrangement Scheme meetings were held on 24 and 30 May 2024, and thereafter, the application to sanction filed and heard. On 28 June 2024, the High Court approved the scheme of arrangement. Post the completion of scheme of arrangement, the provisional liquidator has been removed in late July 2024 and the Board of KCM has been re-instated on 31 July 2024. The balance of outstanding receivables from KCM as at the reporting date is Nil (after providing for AED 234,437,186 as doubtful advances). Management, based on its assessment of the merits of the case, does not expect any further material adjustment to the net carrying amount of the advance recoverable.

**7 RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS (continued)**

- (d) The outstanding amounts are unsecured, interest free and will be settled on demand. No guarantees have been received or given.
- (e) During October 2019, the company has availed an unsecured loan from Cairn India Holdings Limited, Jersey with a total limit of USD 100 million at an interest rate of 12 months SOFR plus 200 bps p.a. for 2 years. On 5 May 2021, Cairn India Holdings Limited, increased the total limit of an unsecured loan to USD 150 million at a revised interest rate of 12 months SOFR plus 250 bps p.a. The amount utilised as at the reporting date is USD 114.24 million (2024: USD 114.24 million). The loan was scheduled for repayment in the prior year; however, the term was extended to 31 December 2024. Subsequent to the reporting date, the repayment date was further revised, and the loan is now due for settlement on December 31, 2026. Also, refer to note 27 for subsequent event details.

The amount due to Cairn India Holdings Limited relate to the interest accrued on the unsecured loan till the reporting date.

- (f) In April 2024, the Company extended an unsecured loan facility to Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited (“VCI”) amounting to USD 1 million (the “first tranche”), bearing interest at a rate of SOFR plus 320 bps p.a. with a tenure of one year. Subsequently, in July 2024, an additional tranche of USD 2 million (the “second tranche”) was disbursed under the same facility, carrying interest at a rate of SOFR plus 400 bps p.a., also for a one-year term.

In October 2024, the loan agreement was amended to revise the repayment terms, stipulating that each tranche, along with the accrued interest, would be repayable within one year from the respective dates of disbursement. Additionally, the maximum drawable limit under the facility was increased to USD 6.50 million. As at 31 March 2025, the total amount drawn including accrued interest under this arrangement stood at USD 3.83 million. In May 2025, a further extension agreement was executed, extending the final repayment date for outstanding amounts to 31 May 2026.

The amount due from Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited relate to the interest accrued on the unsecured loan till the reporting date.

**Transactions:**

The nature of significant related party transactions and the amounts involved were as follows:

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>AED</b>	<b>AED</b>
Sale of copper (note 15)	<b>19,446,235</b>	64,077,163
Transfer of capital work in progress (Note 5)	-	330,828
Income from tolling services (note 15)	<b>3,927,544</b>	2,689,992
Interest income (note 20)	<b>541,861</b>	-
Other Income (note 20)	-	657,554
Purchase of slime	<b>(5,173,755)</b>	(1,710,898)
Purchase of silver sand	<b>(15,556,885)</b>	(26,536,855)
Interest charged by a related party (note 19)	<b>(34,457,597)</b>	(32,311,063)
Expenses charged to the Company, net	<b>(1,065,427)</b>	(270,902)
Allocation of stock option plans	<b>(433,404)</b>	(446,140)

Remunerations and bonuses to key management personnel during the year amounted to AED 6,801,522 (2024: AED 6,584,212).

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#### 8 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES, PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Trade receivables – amortised cost - (note 15.2)	32,555,057	39,815,759
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing) – fair value (note 15.2)	2,000,222	26,479,517
Advances and other receivables *	10,091,845	10,831,908
VAT receivables	7,995,759	1,025,467
Refundable deposits	370,017	369,456
	<u>53,012,900</u>	<u>78,522,107</u>

\* Includes an amount of AED 3,988,273 (2024: AED 3,988,273) due from a related party.

In determining the recoverability of a trade receivable, the Company considers any change in the credit quality of the trade receivable from the date credit was initially granted up to the reporting date. As at 31 March 2025, trade receivables amounting to AED 16,398,986 (31 March 2024: AED 7,627,786) were secured through letters of credit in favour of the Company with the balance being secured by cash advances against documents. Interest is charged to customers for credit periods allowed as per signed sale agreements. There are no impaired trade receivables as at 31 March 2025 and 2024.

As at 31 March, the ageing analysis of unimpaired trade receivables is as follows:

	Total AED	Not due AED	<i>Past due but not impaired</i>			
			<60 days AED	61-90 days AED	91-180 days AED	>180 days AED
2025	34,555,279	31,192,111	-	-	-	3,363,168
2024	66,295,276	65,887,463	-	-	407,813	-

Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing), are exposed to future commodity price movements over the quotation period and, hence, fail the SPPI test and are measured at fair value up until the date of settlement. These trade receivables are initially measured at the amount at which the Company expects to be entitled, being the estimate of the price expected to be received at the end of the QP. As per the prevailing market practice, where quotational period price are not finalised as at the reporting date, the prices are restated at Forward London Metal Exchange (LME) / London Bullion Market Association (LBMA) rates as at the reporting date and adjustments are made based on the metal contents as per laboratory assessments done by the Company's technicians pending final invoice.

#### 9 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Cash at banks *	<u>61,073,831</u>	<u>40,032,528</u>

\* Bank balances are held in the current account and non-interest bearing.

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#### 10 SHARE CAPITAL

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Authorised share capital of 37,246,600 shares at par value of AED 100 each	<u>3,724,660,000</u>	<u>3,724,660,000</u>
Issued and paid up share capital of 33,590,300 shares at par value of AED 100 each	<u>3,359,030,000</u>	<u>3,359,030,000</u>

The capital contributed by the Shareholders was as follows:

##### At 31 March 2025:

	<i>Shareholding %</i>	<i>No. of shares</i>	<i>AED</i>
Malco Energy Limited, India	99.999997%	33,590,299	3,359,029,900
Mr. Bhuvish Aggarwal (Nominee of Malco Energy Limited, India)	0.000003%	1	100
	<u>100%</u>	<u>33,590,300</u>	<u>3,359,030,000</u>

##### At 31 March 2024:

	<i>Shareholding %</i>	<i>No. of shares</i>	<i>AED</i>
Malco Energy Limited, India	99.999997%	33,590,299	3,359,029,900
Mr. Bhuvish Aggarwal (Nominee of Malco Energy Limited, India)	0.000003%	1	100
	<u>100%</u>	<u>33,590,300</u>	<u>3,359,030,000</u>

#### 11 LEGAL RESERVE

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, the Company has to establish a legal reserve by appropriation of 10% of the profit for each year. The appropriations to legal reserve may be discontinued once its balance reaches 50% of the paid-up share capital. This reserve is not available for distribution except in the circumstances stipulated by the Articles of Incorporation.

#### 12(a) OTHER CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Derivative financial assets*	5,762	-
Margin money	<u>4,550,509</u>	<u>9,550,269</u>
	<u>4,556,271</u>	<u>9,550,269</u>



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**12(b) OTHER CURRENT FINANCIAL LIABILITIES**

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Derivative financial liabilities*	-	2,527,113

\* The derivative financial assets and liabilities as at 31 March relates to futures commodity contracts of nominal amount of AED 70,574,078 with net sell position outstanding as at 31 March 2025 (2024: Net sell position AED 61,950,865). These financial instruments are due for maturity by May 2025.

**13 EMPLOYEES' END OF SERVICE BENEFITS**

Movements in the provision recognised in the statement of financial position are as follows:

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Balance at the beginning of the year	741,420	613,671
Provided during the year	175,234	164,064
Paid during the year	(360,291)	(36,315)
Balance at the end of the year	<u>556,363</u>	<u>741,420</u>

**14 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, ACCRUALS AND OTHER PAYABLES**

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Trade payables	90,153,685	91,641,542
Accruals and other payables	11,345,366	11,602,985
Contract liabilities (note 15.2)	17,704,851	15,930,870
	<u>119,203,902</u>	<u>119,175,397</u>

Terms and conditions of the above financial liabilities:

- Trade payables are mostly interest bearing based on the terms agreed with vendors.
- Accruals and other payables are non-interest bearing and have an average term of two to three months.

For explanations on the Company's liquidity risk management processes, refer to note 25.

Contract liabilities as of 31 March 2025 include amount received from a related party amounting to AED 11,364,595 (2024: Nil).

**15 REVENUE FROM CONTRACT WITH CUSTOMERS**

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Sale of goods	2,759,970,065	2,169,888,095
Income from tolling services (job work)	3,927,544	2,689,992
	<u>2,763,897,609</u>	<u>2,172,578,087</u>

**15.1 Disaggregated revenue information**

Set out below is the disaggregation of the Company's revenue from contracts with customers:

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
<b>Geographical markets based on the Customer's locations</b>		
Switzerland	843,094,752	741,814,488
Sultanate of Oman	537,225,620	396,578,111
United Arab Emirates	361,695,524	273,835,132
India	246,009,206	196,560,077
Kuwait	225,617,124	3,598,688
Jordan	164,137,618	12,611,277
Qatar	140,317,302	48,751,534
Kenya	83,645,033	64,658,952
South Africa	22,240,533	79,338,675
Hong Kong	22,372,863	34,008,508
Japan	21,108,093	34,912,516
United States of America	8,819,079	163,742,220
Others	87,614,862	122,167,909
	<u>2,763,897,609</u>	<u>2,172,578,087</u>
<b>Timing of revenue recognition</b>		
Goods transferred at a point in time	2,759,970,065	2,169,888,095
Services provided over the period of time	3,927,544	2,689,992
	<u>2,763,897,609</u>	<u>2,172,578,087</u>

Revenue from contract with customers for the year ended 31 March 2025 include sale of copper cathode to a related party amounting to AED 19,446,235 (2024: AED 64,077,163) and job work income from a related party of AED 3,927,544 (2024: AED 2,689,992). Refer note 7 for further details.

**15.2 Contract balances**

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Trade receivables (note 8)	<u>34,555,279</u>	<u>66,295,276</u>
Contract liabilities (note 14)	<u>(17,704,851)</u>	<u>(15,930,870)</u>

**15 REVENUE FROM CONTRACT WITH CUSTOMERS (continued)**

**15.2 Contract balances (continued)**

During the year, the Company recognised revenue amounting to AED 15,930,870 (2024: 5,548,600 AED) that were included in the contract liabilities as at the beginning of the year. The Company has not recognised any revenue during the current year from performance obligations satisfied during the previous periods as the Company recognises revenue at a point in time.

The Company bills and receives payments from customers based on the billing schedule and terms of payment agreed with the customers as mentioned in the contracts with the customers. Contract liabilities relate to payments received in advance of performance under the contract. Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue as (or when) the Company performs the obligations under the contract.

During the year, the Company has not recognised any provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables.

**15.3 Performance obligations:**

Information about the Company's performance obligations is summarised below:

The Company is involved in the activity of manufacturing, refining and trading of precious metals and various copper products. Based on the contracts with the customers, the Company has concluded that the delivery of the materials is the only single performance obligation of the Company. The Company has concluded that the revenue from delivery of materials is to be recognised at a point in time when the control of the goods is transferred to the customer, being when the goods are delivered to the customers, the customer has full discretion over the channel and the price to sell the goods, and there is no unfulfilled obligation that could affect the customer's acceptance of the products. Delivery occurs when the products have been shipped to the specific location or handed over to the transporter at the port of origin and bill of lading is issued, the risks of obsolescence and loss have been transferred to the customer, and either the customer has accepted the products in accordance with the sales contract, the acceptance provisions have lapsed, or the Company has objective evidence that all criteria for acceptance have been satisfied. A receivable is recognised when the goods are delivered as this is the point in time that the consideration is unconditional because only the passage of time is required before the payment is due.

The performance obligation is satisfied when control of the goods is transferred to the customer and the payment is generally due within 30 to 180 days from the date of transfer of control of the goods. The contracts with the customers generally do not provide the customers with a right of return except for any defects in the specification of the products, which is considered as an assurance-type warranty and accounted for under IAS 37 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets. Such transactions are not material to the financial statements.

The amount of consideration for the goods is fixed based on the transaction price agreed with the customers and there are no other promises in the contract with the customers that are determined as separate performance obligations to which a portion of the transaction price needs to be allocated. In determining the transaction price for the sale of the materials, the Company considered the effects of variable consideration, the existence of significant financing components, noncash consideration and consideration payable to the customer (if any) and has concluded that there are no such considerations included in the transaction price.

The Company has elected to recognise the cost for freight and shipping when control over the goods is transferred to the customer as an expense in the cost of sales. There are no transactions price allocated to unsatisfied performance obligations as of the reporting date except for advances received from customers to deliver materials and these advances have been disclosed as contract liabilities (note 14).

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#### 16 DIRECT COSTS

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Raw materials costs	2,693,679,597	2,106,012,997
Employees cost	16,883,581	18,067,648
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets [Note 5 and 22]	8,194,650	6,490,982
Freight inward charges	7,831,577	6,221,002
LPG, diesel and lubricants	7,508,459	6,753,603
Packing materials, spares consumption and repairs	6,857,434	7,393,551
Electricity and water charges	3,230,472	2,890,882
Expenses relating to short-term leases and leases of low-value assets (Note 22)	777,610	856,237
Others	3,298,774	3,196,547
	<u>2,748,262,154</u>	<u>2,157,883,449</u>

#### 17 GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Legal and professional charges	1,102,362	1,019,998
Employees cost	968,829	949,569
Travelling expenses	603,518	916,584
Insurance	324,482	291,608
Communication costs	289,770	275,529
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment [Note 5]	100,439	125,934
Cash discount	10,879	-
Maintenance expenses	7,720	10,683
Others	129,880	164,028
	<u>3,537,879</u>	<u>3,753,933</u>

#### 18 SELLING AND DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES

Selling and distribution expenses represent mainly freight, insurance and legalisation charges.

#### 19 FINANCE COSTS

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Interest charged by a related party (note 7)	34,457,597	32,311,063
Export bill negotiation charges	5,101,108	4,614,626
Interest on trust receipts	1,806,367	2,693,286
Accretion of interest on lease liabilities (note 22)	354,975	42,892
Other bank charges	1,515,990	1,229,757
	<u>43,236,037</u>	<u>40,891,624</u>

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#### 20 INTEREST AND OTHER INCOME

	2025 AED	2024 AED
Interest income from customers	4,619,712	4,731,353
Other income*	824,151	3,105,414
	<u>5,443,863</u>	<u>7,836,767</u>

\*Other income includes AED nil (2024: AED 657,554) representing amounts recoverable from related parties, interest income from related parties totalling AED 541,861 (2024: nil) and insurance claim of AED nil (2024: 2,733,955).

#### 21 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND COMMITMENTS

As at 31 March 2025, the Company had contingent liabilities in respect of bank guarantees amounting to AED 4,050,000 (2024: AED 4,050,000).

Capital commitment as at 31 March 2025 amounted to AED 1,424,601(2024: AED 1,962,650).

#### 22 LEASES

The Company has lease contracts for land, factory building, staff accommodation, machineries and equipment used in its operations. Leases of land and building generally have lease terms of 15 years. Staff accommodation, machineries and equipment are normally on a lease for an annual basis with a renewal option. Generally, the Company is restricted from assigning and subleasing the leased assets. On 19 June 2024, the lease for factory land and building was renewed for a further 15 year period, set to expire on 31 December 2039.

The Company also has certain leases of staff accommodation, machineries and equipment with lease terms of 12 months or less or low value assets. The Company applies the 'short-term lease' and 'lease of low-value assets' recognition exemptions for these leases. The rental expenses associated with such short-term and low-value leases of AED 777,610 (2024: AED 856,237) are recorded under the direct costs (note 16).

a) Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-of-use assets recognised and the movements during the year ended 31 March 2025:

	<i>Land</i> AED	<i>Building</i> AED	<i>Total</i> AED
Cost:			
At 1 April 2023 and 1 April 2024	495,866	1,425,734	1,921,600
Lease modifications (extensions)	2,377,364	3,598,221	5,975,585
At 31 March 2025	<u>2,873,230</u>	<u>5,023,955</u>	<u>7,897,185</u>
Accumulated depreciation:			
At 1 April 2023	380,728	1,094,165	1,474,893
Charge for the year	95,751	275,076	370,827
At 31 March 2024	476,479	1,369,241	1,845,720
Charge for the year	171,527	193,495	365,022
At 31 March 2025	<u>648,006</u>	<u>1,562,736</u>	<u>2,210,742</u>
Net carrying amount			
At 31 March 2024	<u>19,387</u>	<u>56,493</u>	<u>75,880</u>
At 31 March 2025	<u>2,225,224</u>	<u>3,461,219</u>	<u>5,686,443</u>

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**22 LEASES (continued)**

b) Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the year ended 31 March 2025 and 2024:

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
At 1 April	<b>5,975,585</b>	197,447
Accretion of interest (note 19)	<b>354,975</b>	42,892
Payments	<b>(882,253)</b>	(240,339)
At 31 March	<b>5,448,307</b>	-
Current liabilities	<b>507,304</b>	-
Non-current liabilities	<b>4,941,003</b>	-
At 31 March	<b>5,448,307</b>	-

c) The following are the amounts recognised in the statement of comprehensive income:

	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>AED</i>
Depreciation expense in respect of right-of-use assets (note 16)	<b>365,022</b>	370,827
Finance cost recognised associated with the lease liabilities (note 19)	<b>354,975</b>	42,892
Expenses relating to short term leases and leases of low-value assets (note 16)	<b>777,610</b>	856,237
<b>Total amount recognised in the statement of comprehensive income</b>	<b>1,497,607</b>	1,269,956

**23 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

Details of the accounting policy and the methods adopted, including the criteria for recognition, the basis of measurement and the basis on which income and expenses are recognised, in respect of each class of financial asset, financial liability and equity instrument are disclosed in note 3 to the financial statements.

**Fair value measurement**

The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities are determined as follows:

- The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities with standard terms and conditions and traded on active liquid markets are determined with reference to quoted market bid prices at the close of the business on the reporting date.
- The fair values of other financial assets and financial liabilities are determined in accordance with generally accepted pricing models based on discounted cash flow analysis using prices from observable current market transactions and dealer quotes for similar instruments.

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**23 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)**

Some of the Company's financial assets are measured at fair value at the reporting date. The following table gives information about how the fair values of these financial assets are determined:

<i>Nature</i>	<i>Fair value as at</i>		<i>Fair value hierarchy</i>	<i>Valuation techniques and key inputs</i>
	<i>31 March 2025</i>	<i>31 March 2024</i>		
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>		
Derivative financial (liability)/asset	<b>5,762</b>	(2,527,113)	Level 2	Broker statements based on LME / LBMA market prices
Trade receivables	<b>2,000,222</b>	26,479,517	Level 2	Market observable inputs

*Fair value hierarchy*

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable.

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	<i>Level 1</i>	<i>Level 2</i>	<i>Level 3</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>
Derivative financial asset	-	<b>5,762</b>	-	<b>5,762</b>
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing)	-	<b>2,000,222</b>	-	<b>2,000,222</b>

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Derivative financial (liability)	-	(2,527,113)	-	(2,527,113)
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing)	-	26,479,517	-	26,479,517

There were no transfers between levels during the year and previous year.

**24 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT****Financial risk management objectives**

The Company's management manages the financial risks relating to the operations of the Company through analysing risk exposures by degree and magnitude of risks. The main risks arising from Company's financial instruments are market risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and currency risk.

The Company seeks to minimise the effects of risks related to financial instruments. The Company's policies in this regard are set and approved by the shareholders who draw the overall guidelines on foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, and the investment of excess liquidity. Compliance with policies and exposure limits is reviewed by the Board of Directors on regular basis. The Company does not enter into or trade financial instruments, including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes.

**Market risk**

The Company's activities expose it primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates.

Market risk exposures are measured using sensitivity analysis.

There has been no change to the Company's exposure to market risks or the manner in which it manages and measures the risk.

**24 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)****Interest rate risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's exposure to interest rate price risk relates to borrowings at fixed and variable interest premiums from banks. The Company manages interest rate risk by maintaining appropriate mix between fixed and floating rate borrowings and, where applicable.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in interest rates on that portion of loans and borrowings affected. With all other variables held constant, the Company's loss before tax is affected through the impact on floating rate borrowings, as follows:

	<i>Increase/ decrease in basis points</i>	<i>Effect on loss before tax</i>	
		<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
AED	+50	(2,098,303)	(2,260,941)
AED	- 50	2,098,303	2,260,941

**Credit risk management**

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Company. The Company has adopted a policy of only dealing with creditworthy counterparties and obtaining sufficient collateral, where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. The Company gathers information about the credit worthiness of counterparties from publicly available financial information and its own trading records. The Company's exposure and the credit ratings of its counterparties are continuously monitored and the aggregate value of transactions concluded is spread amongst approved counterparties. Credit exposure is controlled by counterparty limits that are reviewed and approved periodically by the management.

The Company is exposed to credit risk on its financial assets as follows:

	<i>2025 AED</i>	<i>2024 AED</i>
Due from related parties (note 7)	579,375	752,800
Trade receivables (note 8)	34,555,279	66,295,276
Bank balances (note 9)	61,073,831	40,032,528
Refundable deposits (note 8)	370,017	369,456
Margin Money (note 12 a)	4,550,509	9,550,269
Loan to a related party (note 7)	13,538,789	-
	<b>114,667,800</b>	<b>117,000,329</b>

*Bank balances*

Credit risk from balances with banks is managed by the Company's finance department in accordance with the Company's policy. Counterparty credit limits are reviewed and updated throughout the year. The limits are set to minimise the concentration of risks and therefore mitigate financial loss through a counterparty's potential failure to make payments.

*Trade receivables*

Credit risk is managed through the Company's policy, procedures and controls relating to customer credit risk management. Credit quality of a customer is assessed based on an extensive credit rating scorecard and individual credit limits are defined in accordance with this assessment. Outstanding customer receivables are regularly monitored.



**24 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)****Credit risk management (continued)**

An impairment analysis is performed at each reporting date using a provision matrix to measure expected credit losses. The provision for expected credit loss is assessed based on days past due for groupings of various customer segments with similar loss patterns (i.e., by geographical region, product type, customer type and rating and coverage by letters of credit or other forms of credit insurance). The calculation reflects the probability-weighted outcome, the time value of money and 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. The Company does not hold collateral as security. The letters of credit and other forms of credit insurance are considered integral part of trade receivables and considered in the calculation of impairment. Further, there is no prior history of defaults. It's five largest customers account for 65% of outstanding trade receivable as at 31 March 2025 (2024: 80%).

*Deposits and margin money*

With respect to credit risk arising from deposits, the Company's exposure to credit risk arises from default of the counter party with maximum exposure equal to the carrying amount of these assets.

*Due from related parties*

Amounts due from related parties relate to transactions arising in the normal course of business and is subject to minimal credit risk.

*Loan to a related party*

Loan to a related party are amounts provided in the normal course of business to support ordinary business operations and is subject to minimal credit risk.

**Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting financial obligations due to shortage of funds. The Company's exposure to liquidity risk arises primarily from mismatches of the maturities of financial assets and financial liabilities.

Ultimate responsibility for liquidity risk management rests with the Board of Directors of the Company, who have built an appropriate liquidity risk management framework for the management of the Company's short, medium and long-term funding and liquidity management requirements. The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate reserves by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows, dealing with sound financial institutions and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

The table below summarises the maturities of the Company's undiscounted financial liabilities at 31 March, based on contractual payment dates and current market interest rates.

*At 31 March 2025:*

	<i>Less than 1 year AED</i>	<i>1 to 5 years AED</i>	<i>More than 5 years AED</i>	<i>Total AED</i>
Loan from a related party	453,737,084	-	-	453,737,084
Trade payable	90,153,685	-	-	90,153,685
Due to related parties	114,816,944	-	-	114,816,944
Accruals and other payables	11,345,366	-	-	11,345,366
Leases	573,541	2,294,164	6,559,088	9,426,793
	<u>670,626,620</u>	<u>2,294,164</u>	<u>6,559,088</u>	<u>679,479,872</u>

**24 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)****Liquidity risk (continued)**

At 31 March 2024:

	<i>Less than 1 year AED</i>	<i>1 to 5 years AED</i>	<i>More than 5 years AED</i>	<i>Total AED</i>
Loan from a related party	446,571,379	-	-	446,571,379
Trade payable	91,641,542	-	-	91,641,542
Due to related parties	83,695,885	-	-	83,695,885
Accruals and other payables	11,602,985	-	-	11,602,985
	<u>633,511,791</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>633,511,791</u>

**Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities**

	<i>1 April 2024 AED</i>	<i>Net cashflow movement AED</i>	<i>Other non- cash items AED</i>	<i>31 March 2025 AED</i>
Loan from a related party	<b>419,660,640</b>	-	-	<b>419,660,640</b>
Lease liabilities (current and non-current) (note 22)	-	<b>(882,253)</b>	<b>6,330,560</b>	<b>5,448,307</b>
	<u><b>419,660,640</b></u>	<u><b>(882,253)</b></u>	<u><b>6,330,560</b></u>	<u><b>425,108,947</b></u>
	<i>1 April 2022 AED</i>	<i>Net cashflow movement AED</i>	<i>Other non- cash items AED</i>	<i>31 March 2024 AED</i>
Loan from a related party	419,660,640	-	-	419,660,640
Lease liabilities (current and non-current) (note 22)	197,447	(240,339)	42,892	-
	<u>419,858,087</u>	<u>(240,339)</u>	<u>42,892</u>	<u>419,660,640</u>

**Foreign currency risk management**

The Company undertakes certain transactions denominated in foreign currencies. Hence, exposures to exchange rate fluctuations arise. Exchange rate exposures are managed within approved policy parameters.

There is no currency exchange risk related to transactions denominated in the US Dollars or currencies currently pegged with the US Dollars (1 USD = 3.6735 AED). The management undertakes suitable procedures to minimise risks associated with transactions denominated in currencies other than AED and US Dollars.

**Capital Management**

The Company manages its capital to ensure that it will be able to continue as a going concern while maximising the return to the stakeholders through the optimisation of the debt and equity capital. The Company's overall strategy remains unchanged for the year ended 31 March 2025 and 2024.

## 25 CORPORATE TAX

On 9 December 2022, the UAE Ministry of Finance released Federal Decree-Law No.47 of 2022 on the Taxation of Corporations and Businesses (Corporate Tax Law or the Law) to enact a Federal corporate tax (CT) regime in the UAE. The CT regime will become effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 June 2023.

Decision No. 116 of 2022 (published in December 2022 and considered to be effective from 16 January 2023) specifies that taxable income not exceeding AED 375,000 would be subject to a 0% UAE CT rate, and taxable income exceeding AED 375,000 would be subject to the 9% UAE CT rate. With the publication of this Decision, the UAE CT Law is considered to have been substantively enacted for the purposes of accounting for Income Taxes.

The Company was established under Fujairah Free Zone (“FFZ”) in the United Arab Emirates and operates as a free zone entity. According to Article 3(1) of the UAE corporate tax law, entities operating within free zones shall be liable to Corporate tax at 0% on Qualifying Income (as per Cabinet decision 100 of 2023), provided they meet all the conditions specified in Article 18 of the UAE CT Law, and undertaking qualifying activities as outlined in the Ministerial Decision 265 of 2023.

Management believes that the Company is eligible for Free Zone exemption under the UAE corporate tax law, as it is complying with all the conditions of Free Zone exemption specified in Article 18 of 2023 and its operations align with the exemption criteria established for free zone entities. The Company has conducted an impact assessment for corporate income tax for the year ending 31 March 2025 and has identified itself as a Qualifying Free Zone Person. Accordingly, the qualifying income of the Company will be subject to 0% Corporate tax rate in the UAE.

## 26 GLOBAL MINIMUM TAXATION

The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)/G20 Inclusive Framework on Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (“BEPS”) has published the Pillar Two Anti-Global Base Erosion Rules (“GloBE Rules”), which are designed to address the tax challenges arising from the digitalisation of the global economy. The Company is part of a Company that falls within the scope of the Pillar Two legislation, as its revenue exceeds the €750 million threshold, and it operates in a jurisdiction that has substantively enacted Pillar Two legislation.

The UAE, where the Company is based, published Federal Decree-Law No. 60 of 2023 on 24 November 2023. This law amends specific provisions of Federal Decree-Law No. 47 of 2022 on the Taxation of Corporations and Businesses, as part of the UAE's commitment to the OECD guidelines. The amendments introduced by Federal Decree-Law No. 60 of 2023 are intended to prepare for the introduction of the BEPS 2.0 Pillar Two Rules.

On 11 February 2025, the Ministry of Finance of the United Arab Emirates (“UAE”) released Cabinet Decision No. 142 of 2024 regarding the Imposition of Top-Up Tax on Multinational Enterprises on its website. This decision provides further details on the UAE Domestic Minimum Top-up Tax (“UAE DMTT”), which will apply to fiscal years starting on or after 1 January 2025. The UAE DMTT aims to ensure that certain in-scope UAE entities of a multinational enterprise (“MNE”) meet a 15% effective tax rate (“ETR”) on profits derived in the UAE.

As the Pillar Two legislation becomes effective in the UAE from 1 January 2025, the Company will continue to monitor the legislation and accrue any potential top-up tax from that date, in accordance with the IAS 12 Amendments and considering the transitional Country-by-Country (“CbC”) safe harbour relief. As of 31 March 2025, the Company is in the process of assessing its potential exposure to Pillar Two income taxes. The potential exposure, if any, to Pillar Two income taxes for the year ending 31 March 2026 is currently not known or reasonably estimable. The Company anticipates being in a position to report this potential exposure in 2026.

It is unclear if the Pillar Two model rules create additional temporary differences, whether to remeasure deferred taxes for the Pillar Two model rules and which tax rate to use to measure deferred taxes. In response to this uncertainty, on 23 May 2023, the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) issued amendments to IAS 12 ‘Income taxes’ introducing a mandatory temporary exception to the requirements of IAS 12 under which an entity does not recognise or disclose information about deferred tax assets and liabilities related to the proposed OECD/G20 BEPS Pillar Two model rules.

The Company has applied this mandatory exception to recognising and disclosing information about deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from Pillar Two income taxes.

**27 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Subsequent to the year-end, in April 2025, the Company successfully secured an additional committed credit facility from a bank in UAE, with a limit of USD 15 million.

This facility is secured by the following:

1. Corporate guarantee and undertaking from Vedanta Limited (“Intermediate Parent Company”).
2. General assignment and acknowledgement of the Company’s receivables.

Additionally, the Company successfully negotiated revised terms for certain unsecured loan arrangements with related parties. The repayment date of the unsecured loan obtained from Cairn India Holdings Limited has been extended to December 31, 2026, and the repayment date of the unsecured loan extended to Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited has been extended to May 31, 2026. These extensions were agreed after the balance sheet date and therefore represent non-adjusting subsequent events and accordingly, these loans continue to be classified as current as at March 31, 2025.

**28 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The financial statements were approved by the Shareholder and authorised for issue on 10 June 2025.