

FUJAIRAH GOLD FZC

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31 MARCH 2026

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR’S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDER 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 2026, 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 2026, 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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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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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.

Ernst & Young Middle East (Sharjah Branch)

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Thodla Hari Gopal
Registration No: 689

18 June 2026

Sharjah, United Arab Emirates

Fujairah Gold FZC

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 March 2026

	<i>Notes</i>	2026 AED	2025 AED
Revenue from contract with customers	15	3,515,956,588	2,763,897,609
Direct costs	16	(3,468,357,013)	(2,748,262,154)
GROSS PROFIT		47,599,575	15,635,455
General and administrative expenses	17	(3,992,783)	(3,537,879)
Selling and distribution expenses	18	(11,992,054)	(13,066,649)
Finance costs	19	(40,738,448)	(43,236,037)
Interest and other income	20	4,565,974	5,443,863
LOSS FOR THE YEAR		(4,557,736)	(38,761,247)
Other comprehensive income:			
<i>Other comprehensive income that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>			
Net gain / (loss) on cash flow hedges		9,629,993	(2,265,922)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR		5,072,257	(41,027,169)

The attached notes 1 to 29 form part of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2026

	<i>Notes</i>	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	5	55,353,212	59,315,508
Right-of-use assets	22	5,300,922	5,686,443
		<u>60,654,134</u>	<u>65,001,951</u>
Current assets			
Inventories	6	51,349,736	69,735,214
Due from related parties	7	2,967,300	579,375
Loan to a related party	7	13,429,345	13,538,789
Accounts receivables, prepayments and other receivables	8	55,713,800	53,012,900
Other current financial assets	12(a)	19,004,488	4,556,271
Cash and cash equivalents	9	76,810,923	61,073,831
		<u>219,275,592</u>	<u>202,496,380</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u><u>279,929,726</u></u>	<u><u>267,498,331</u></u>
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital	10	3,359,030,000	3,359,030,000
Legal reserve	11	14,773,023	14,773,023
Cash flow hedge reserve		7,051,341	(2,578,652)
Other reserve	7	(3,449,263,158)	(3,449,263,158)
Accumulated losses		(320,883,244)	(314,149,038)
Deficiency of assets		<u>(389,292,038)</u>	<u>(392,187,825)</u>
Non-current liabilities			
Employees' end of service benefits	13	669,495	556,363
Lease liabilities	22	4,661,254	4,941,003
		<u>5,330,749</u>	<u>5,497,366</u>
Current liabilities			
Due to related parties	7	145,812,482	114,816,944
Loan from a related party	7	419,660,640	419,660,640
Accounts payable, accruals and other payables	14	97,824,588	119,203,902
Lease liabilities	22	593,305	507,304
		<u>663,891,015</u>	<u>654,188,790</u>
Total liabilities		<u>669,221,764</u>	<u>659,686,156</u>
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		<u><u>279,929,726</u></u>	<u><u>267,498,331</u></u>



Mr. Gaurav Goyal
COO



Mr. Bhuvish Aggarwal
CFO

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 March 2026

	<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 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 income for the year	-	-	(2,265,922)	-	-	(2,265,922)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(2,265,922)	-	(38,761,247)	(41,027,169)
Balance at 31 March 2025	<u>3,359,030,000</u>	<u>14,773,023</u>	<u>(2,578,652)</u>	<u>(3,449,263,158)</u>	<u>(314,149,038)</u>	<u>(392,187,825)</u>
Balance as at 1 April 2025	3,359,030,000	14,773,023	(2,578,652)	(3,449,263,158)	(314,149,038)	(392,187,825)
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(4,557,736)	(4,557,736)
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	9,629,993	-	-	9,629,993
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	9,629,993	-	(4,557,736)	5,072,257
Reimbursement for the employees' share based payments scheme ¹	-	-	-	-	(2,176,470)	(2,176,470)
Balance at 31 March 2026	<u>3,359,030,000</u>	<u>14,773,023</u>	<u>7,051,341</u>	<u>(3,449,263,158)</u>	<u>(320,883,244)</u>	<u>(389,292,038)</u>

¹ During the year, the Company reimbursed an amount of AED 2,176,470 to its Intermediate Parent Company with respect to the shares bought from the open market by the Intermediate Parent Company and transferred to the employees of the Company under the Employee Stock Option Plan by the Intermediate Parent Company. These awards are treated as equity-settled share-based payment transactions in the Company's financial statements as the Company receives the related employee services but has no obligation to settle the awards directly with the employees. Consequently, the reimbursement has been recognised directly within equity as it represents a return on the capital contribution.

The attached notes 1 to 29 form part of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 March 2026

	<i>Notes</i>	2026 AED	2025 AED
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Loss for the year		(4,557,736)	(38,761,247)
Adjustment to reconcile the loss to net operating cash flows:			
Depreciation and amortization	5, 22	8,297,003	8,295,089
Loss / (gain) on disposal of property, plant and equipment		3,905	(28,000)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	13	166,954	175,234
Provision for the allowance for non-moving inventories	6	223,325	70,984
Finance costs	19	40,738,448	43,236,037
		44,871,899	12,988,097
Working capital adjustments			
Decrease in inventories		19,938,828	10,523,564
(Increase) / decrease in derivative financial instruments		(4,504,617)	200,963
(Increase) / decrease in due from related parties		(2,387,925)	173,425
(Increase) / decrease in accounts receivables, prepayments and other receivables		(2,700,900)	25,509,207
Increase / (decrease) in due to related parties		2,877,665	(3,385,308)
(Decrease) / increase in accounts payable, accruals and other payables		(21,262,859)	148,259
Cash flows from operations		34,832,091	46,158,207
Employees' end of service benefits paid	13	(53,822)	(360,291)
Interest paid		(12,395,693)	(8,423,465)
Net cash flows generated from operating activities		22,382,576	37,374,451
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	5	(3,961,707)	(1,945,106)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		8,616	33,000
Loan provided to a related party	7	109,444	(13,538,789)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(3,843,647)	(15,450,895)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Payment of lease liabilities including interest	22	(625,367)	(882,253)
Settlement of share-based payment liability to the Intermediate Holding Company *		(2,176,470)	-
Cash flows used in financing activities		(2,801,837)	(882,253)
INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		15,737,092	21,041,303
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		61,073,831	40,032,528
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR	9	76,810,923	61,073,831

*Refer to the Statement of Changes in Equity for further information.

The attached notes 1 to 29 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”) in relation to the proposed demerger of various businesses of Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as “the Vedanta Group”). The Scheme, inter alia, provides for the reorganisation and demerger of certain businesses of Vedanta Limited into separate resulting entities, with the objective of creating independent, sector-focused listed companies. Pursuant to the Scheme, Fujairah Gold FZC is proposed to form part of Vedanta Limited, subject to the terms and conditions set out in the Scheme. The Scheme was approved by the Hon’ble National Company Law Tribunal (“NCLT”) on 16 December 2025.

Subsequent to the reporting date, the Board of Directors of Vedanta Limited, at its meeting held on 20 April 2026, inter alia, approved the Scheme of Arrangement (Demerger) of Vedanta Limited to become effective on 1 May 2026. The impact of the demerger will be recognised in the financial statements on the date of effectiveness of the Scheme.

As at 31 March 2026, the Scheme has had no impact on the Company's financial statements. For further information regarding the Scheme, including its structure and proposed implications, reference should be made to the consolidated financial statements of the Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries.

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) and as per the requirements of applicable laws in United Arab Emirates.

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 4,557,736 for the year ended 31 March 2026 (2025: AED 38,761,247) and had a deficiency of assets of AED 389,292,038 as at 31 March 2026 (2025: AED 392,187,825). Further, the Company had net current liabilities of AED 444,615,423 as at 31 March 2026 (2025: AED 451,692,410) and has accumulated losses as of that date of AED 320,883,244 (2025: AED 314,149,038). 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 confirmed in writing 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 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

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 2025, except for the adoption of the following new standards, amendments and interpretation effective as of 1 January 2025.

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 2025 as noted below:

- Amendments to IAS 21 - Lack of Exchangeability (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025)

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.

- Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 - Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments (effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026)
- Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 - Power Purchase Agreements (effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026)
- Annual improvements to IFRS Accounting Standards-Volume 11(effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026)
- IFRS 18 - Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements (effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2027)
- IFRS 19 - Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures (effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2027)
- Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 - Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate of Joint Venture (Effective period deferred indefinitely)

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)

Rendering 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 and cash equivalents, accounts and other receivables, loan from a related party, 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 and cash equivalents, accounts and other receivables (not subject to provisional pricing), due from related parties, loan from a related party and margin money held with brokers. Refer below to ‘Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss’ for a discussion of trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing) and derivative financial assets.

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 accounts and other receivables (not subject to provisional pricing), cash and cash equivalents, loan from a related party 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 accounts 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 the company 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 52,681,241 (2025: AED 70,843,394) and the provision for slow and obsolete inventories was AED 1,331,505 (2025: AED 1,108,180). 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 237,404,486 (2025: AED 235,016,561) and there was a provision of AED 234,437,186 (2025: 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 13,429,345 (2025: AED 13,538,789) 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

Management's assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, including the existence of a material uncertainty and the basis for preparation on a going concern basis, is disclosed in Note 2.2.

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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>
Cost:						
At 1 April 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)
At 31 March 2025	13,481,650	113,746,944	191,764	1,499,302	4,120,637	133,040,297
Additions	51,306	3,332,683	-	200,654	377,064	3,961,707
Transfers	-	3,707,888	-	-	(3,707,888)	-
Disposals	-	-	(40,000)	1,347	-	(38,653)
At 31 March 2026	13,532,956	120,787,515	151,764	1,701,303	789,813	136,963,351
Accumulated depreciation:						
At 1 April 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)
At 31 March 2025	4,813,240	67,364,888	138,060	1,408,601	-	73,724,789
Charge for the year	598,335	7,230,162	26,188	56,797	-	7,911,482
Relating to disposals	-	-	(27,479)	1,347	-	(26,132)
At 31 March 2026	5,411,575	74,595,050	136,769	1,466,745	-	81,610,139
Net carrying amount:						
At 31 March 2026	8,121,381	46,192,465	14,995	234,558	789,813	55,353,212
At 31 March 2025	8,668,410	46,382,056	53,704	90,701	4,120,637	59,315,508

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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 office renovations and new refractory and mechanical and erection costs. These assets are planned to be put to use and capitalised before March 2027.

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

	2026	2025
	AED	AED
Direct costs (note 16)	7,828,498	7,829,628
General and administrative expenses (note 17)	82,984	100,439
	<u>7,911,482</u>	<u>7,930,067</u>

Impairment testing approach

Property, plant and equipment (excluding capital work-in-progress) and right-of-use assets (note 22) as at 31 March 2026 has been allocated to cash-generating unit for impairment testing as follows:

Continuous Copper Cast Rod (CCR) cash-generating unit – AED 41,255,728 (2025: AED 43,648,105)
 Precious Metals Refinery (PMR) cash-generating unit – AED 13,684,738 (2025: AED 15,667,406)

The Company performed its annual impairment test in March 2026 and 2025. 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 2026 was 15.40% (2025: 15.30%) 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 2026 (2025: Nil).

6 INVENTORIES

	2026	2025
	AED	AED
Finished goods (a)	11,312,132	14,669,550
Work-in-progress (a)	34,674,041	31,166,387
Raw materials (b)	2,140,604	19,143,160
Spare parts and consumables	4,554,464	5,864,297
(Less): Allowance for slow and non-moving inventories	(1,331,505)	(1,108,180)
Total inventories at the lower of cost and net realisable value	<u>51,349,736</u>	<u>69,735,214</u>

(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 AED 10,159,005 as at 31 March 2026 (2025: AED 6,907,734).

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

6 INVENTORIES (continued)

See note 16 for details of inventories recognised as an expense during the years ended 31 March 2026 and 2025.

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

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
At 1 April	1,108,180	1,037,196
Charge for the year	223,325	70,984
At 31 March	<u>1,331,505</u>	<u>1,108,180</u>

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.

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Loan to a related party:		
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)	13,429,345	13,538,789
	<u>13,429,345</u>	<u>13,538,789</u>
Due from related parties:		
Konkola Copper Mines Plc (c)	234,437,186	234,437,186
(Less:) Provision for doubtful advances (c)	(234,437,186)	(234,437,186)
FACOR (d)	-	8,108
Cairn India Holdings Limited (d)	-	29,405
Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited (f)	445,000	541,862
Black Mountain Mining (Pty) Ltd (d)	1,526,336	-
Vedanta Limited, India (d)	995,964	-
	<u>2,967,300</u>	<u>579,375</u>
Due to related parties:		
Cairn India Holdings Limited (e)	138,766,559	111,035,857
Hindustan Zinc Ltd, India (d)	4,804,582	2,760,605
Vedanta Limited – Corporate (d)	798,178	659,013
Vedanta Limited, India (d)	-	361,469
Vedanta Limited – Lanjigarh (d)	1,443,163	-
	<u>145,812,482</u>	<u>114,816,944</u>
Loan from a related party:		
Cairn India Holdings Limited (e)	419,660,640	419,660,640

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 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.

- (d) The outstanding amounts are unsecured, interest free and will be settled on demand. No guarantees have been received or given.

7 RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS (continued)

- (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 for 2 years. On 5 May 2021, Cairn India Holdings Limited, increased the total limit of an unsecured loan to USD 150 million. The amount utilised as at the reporting date is USD 114.24 million (2025: USD 114.24 million). The loan was scheduled for repayment in the current year; however, the term was extended to 31 March 2030 subsequent to the year end, at a revised interest rate of 8.39% p.a. (2025: 7.61% p.a.). Refer to note 27 for the subsequent events.

Further, the amount due to Cairn India Holdings Limited relates to the interest accrued on the unsecured loan till the reporting date.

- (f) In May 2024, the Company extended an unsecured loan facility to Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited (“VCI”) amounting to USD 1.13 million, bearing interest at a rate of SOFR plus 400 bps p.a. with a tenure of one year. In December 2025, an additional tranche of USD 1 million was disbursed under the same facility, carrying interest at a rate of SOFR plus 400 bps p.a., also for a one-year term. Later in January 2026 and February 2026, an additional tranche of USD 0.73 million and USD 0.80 million respectively 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 December 2025, the loan agreement was amended to revise the maximum drawable limit under the facility and was increased to USD 8.50 million. As at 31 March 2026, the total amount drawn including accrued interest under this arrangement stood at USD 3.79 million. During September and December 2025, further disbursements were made in lieu of repayment of earlier balance, under which the outstanding amounts became repayable within one year from the respective dates of disbursement. Subsequently, partial repayments amounting to USD 1.13 million were made against the outstanding balance. The amount due from Vedanta Copper International VCI Limited relates 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:

	2026	2025
	AED	AED
Sale of copper (note 15)	171,605,673	19,446,235
Income from tolling services (note 15)	1,433,876	3,927,544
Interest income (note 20)	445,000	541,861
Purchase of slime	(275,485)	(5,173,755)
Purchase of silver sand	(37,407,936)	(15,556,885)
Interest charged by a related party (note 19)	(31,587,932)	(34,457,597)
Expenses recharged to / (by) the Company, net	2,229,347	(1,065,427)
Allocation of stock option plans	(154,505)	(433,404)
Loan repaid to a related party	3,673,500	-

Remunerations and bonuses to key management personnel during the year amounted to AED 5,458,959 (2025: AED 6,801,522).

8 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES, PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2026	2025
	AED	AED
Trade receivables – amortised cost - (note 15.2)	22,329,730	32,555,057
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing) – fair value (note 15.2)	1,108,676	2,000,222
VAT receivables	13,677,731	7,995,759
Advances and other receivables *	12,629,076	10,091,845
Refundable deposits	5,968,588	370,017
	55,713,801	53,012,900

8 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES, PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (continued)

* Includes an amount of AED 3,988,273 (2025: 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 2026, trade receivables amounting to AED 7,898,774 (31 March 2025: AED 16,398,986) 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 2026 and 2025.

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

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Not due</i>	<i>Past due but not impaired</i>			
			<i><60</i>	<i>61-90</i>	<i>91-180</i>	<i>>180</i>
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>days</i>	<i>days</i>	<i>days</i>	<i>days</i>
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>
2026	23,438,406	23,438,406	-	-	-	-
2025	34,555,279	31,192,111	-	-	-	3,363,168

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 Quotational period (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

	<i>2026</i>	<i>2025</i>
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>
Cash at banks *	76,810,923	61,073,831

* Bank balances are held in the current account and are non-interest bearing. There is no outstanding bank overdraft as at 31 March 2026 (2025: nil).

10 SHARE CAPITAL

	<i>2026</i>	<i>2025</i>
	<i>AED</i>	<i>AED</i>
Authorised share capital of 37,246,600 shares at par value of AED 100 each	3,724,660,000	3,724,660,000
Issued and paid up share capital of 33,590,300 shares at par value of AED 100 each	3,359,030,000	3,359,030,000

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10 SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

The capital contributed by the Shareholder is as follows:

At 31 March 2026:

	<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)	00003%	1	100
	<u>100%</u>	<u>33,590,300</u>	<u>3,359,030,000</u>

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)	0.0003%	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

	<i>2026 AED</i>	<i>2025 AED</i>
Derivative financial assets*	9,949,362	5,762
Margin money with brokers	9,055,126	4,550,509
	<u>19,004,488</u>	<u>4,556,271</u>

12(b) OTHER CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS – NOTIONAL VALUES

* The derivative financial assets as at 31 March relates to futures commodity contracts of nominal amount of AED 128,570,819 with net sell position outstanding as at 31 March 2026 (2025: Net sell position AED 70,574,078). These financial instruments are due for maturity by May 2026.

13 EMPLOYEES' END OF SERVICE BENEFITS

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

	<i>2026 AED</i>	<i>2025 AED</i>
Balance at the beginning of the year	556,363	741,420
Provided during the year	166,954	175,234
Paid during the year	(53,822)	(360,291)
	<u>669,495</u>	<u>556,363</u>

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14 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, ACCRUALS AND OTHER PAYABLES

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Trade payables	72,891,073	90,153,685
Contract liabilities (note 15.2)	13,475,489	17,704,851
Accruals and other payables	11,458,026	11,345,366
	97,824,588	119,203,902

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 24.

Contract liabilities as of 31 March 2026 include amount received from a related party amounting to AED 9,048,783 (2025: AED 11,364,595).

15 REVENUE FROM CONTRACT WITH CUSTOMERS

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Sale of goods	3,514,522,712	2,759,970,065
Income from tolling services (job work income)	1,433,876	3,927,544
	3,515,956,588	2,763,897,609

15.1 Disaggregated revenue information

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

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Geographical markets based on the Customer's locations		
India	994,037,853	246,009,206
Switzerland	813,994,653	843,094,752
Sultanate of Oman	657,083,368	537,225,620
United Arab Emirates	478,717,666	361,695,524
Kuwait	211,371,265	225,617,124
Hong Kong	106,937,585	22,372,863
Kenya	76,748,674	83,645,033
Jordan	59,930,682	164,137,618
Japan	10,925,133	21,108,093
United States of America	6,497,004	8,819,079
South Africa	4,511,554	22,240,533
Qatar	-	140,317,302
Others	95,201,151	87,614,862
	3,515,956,588	2,763,897,609

15 REVENUE FROM CONTRACT WITH CUSTOMERS (continued)**15.1 Disaggregated revenue information (continued)**

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Timing of revenue recognition		
Goods transferred at a point in time	3,514,522,712	2,759,970,065
Services provided over a period of time	1,433,876	3,927,544
	<u>3,515,956,588</u>	<u>2,763,897,609</u>

Revenue from contract with customers for the year ended 31 March 2026 include sale of copper products to a related party amounting to AED 171,605,673 (2025: AED 19,446,235) and job work income from a related party of AED 1,433,876 (2025: AED 3,927,544). Refer note 7 for further details.

15.2 Contract balances

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Trade receivables (note 8)	<u>23,438,406</u>	<u>34,555,279</u>
Contract liabilities (note 14)	<u>(13,475,489)</u>	<u>(17,704,851)</u>

During the year, the Company recognised revenue from sale of goods amounting to AED 17,704,851 (2025: AED 15,930,870) that was included in the contract liabilities as at the beginning of the year. In case of sale of goods and services, no revenue has been recognised during the current year from performance obligations satisfied in previous periods.

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.

15 REVENUE FROM CONTRACT WITH CUSTOMERS (continued)**15.3 Performance obligations: (continued)**

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).

16 DIRECT COSTS

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Raw materials costs	3,416,743,024	2,693,679,597
Employees cost	15,988,517	16,883,581
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets [note 5 and 22]	8,214,019	8,194,650
Freight inward charges	7,516,956	7,831,577
LPG, diesel and lubricants	7,513,959	7,508,459
Packing materials, spares consumption and repairs	5,650,772	6,857,434
Electricity and water charges	2,969,726	3,230,472
Expenses relating to short-term leases and leases of low-value assets (Note 22)	814,325	777,610
Others	2,945,715	3,298,774
	<u>3,468,357,013</u>	<u>2,748,262,154</u>

17 GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Employees cost	1,099,298	968,829
Legal and professional charges	1,008,375	1,102,362
Insurance	882,039	324,482
Travelling expenses	542,414	603,518
Communication costs	250,708	289,770
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment [Note 5]	82,984	100,439
Cash discount	29,085	10,879
Maintenance expenses	8,099	7,720
Others	89,781	129,880
	<u>3,992,783</u>	<u>3,537,879</u>

18 SELLING AND DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES

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

19 FINANCE COSTS

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Interest charged by a related party (note 7)	31,587,932	34,457,597
Export bill negotiation charges	3,807,867	5,101,108
Interest on trust receipts	3,003,924	1,806,367
Accretion of interest on lease liabilities (note 22)	431,619	354,975
Other bank charges	1,907,106	1,515,990
	<u>40,738,448</u>	<u>43,236,037</u>

20 INTEREST AND OTHER INCOME

	<i>2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>2025</i> <i>AED</i>
Interest income from customers*	3,940,045	4,619,712
Other income**	625,929	824,151
	<u>4,565,974</u>	<u>5,443,863</u>

* Interest income from customers includes interest income from related parties totalling AED 445,000 (2025: 541,861).

** Other income includes insurance claim of AED 327,358 (2025: nil).

21 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND COMMITMENTS

As at 31 March 2026, the Company had contingent liabilities in respect of bank guarantees amounting to AED 12,050,000 (2025: AED 4,050,000).

Capital commitment as at 31 March 2026 amounted to AED 286,408 (2025: AED 1,424,601).

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 814,325 (2025: AED 777,610) are recorded under the direct costs (note 16).

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22 LEASES (continued)

a) Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-of-use assets recognised and the movements during the year ended 31 March 2026:

	<i>Land AED</i>	<i>Building AED</i>	<i>Total AED</i>
Cost:			
At 1 April 2024	495,866	1,425,734	1,921,600
Lease modifications (extensions)	2,377,364	3,598,221	5,975,585
	<u>2,873,230</u>	<u>5,023,955</u>	<u>7,897,185</u>
At 31 March 2025	2,873,230	5,023,955	7,897,185
At 1 April 2025 and 31 March 2026	<u>2,873,230</u>	<u>5,023,955</u>	<u>7,897,185</u>
Accumulated depreciation:			
At 1 April 2024	476,479	1,369,241	1,845,720
Charge for the year (note 16)	171,527	193,495	365,022
	<u>648,006</u>	<u>1,562,736</u>	<u>2,210,742</u>
At 31 March 2025	648,006	1,562,736	2,210,742
Charge for the year (note 16)	153,378	232,143	385,521
	<u>801,384</u>	<u>1,794,879</u>	<u>2,596,263</u>
At 31 March 2026	<u>801,384</u>	<u>1,794,879</u>	<u>2,596,263</u>
Net carrying amount			
At 31 March 2025	<u>2,225,224</u>	<u>3,461,219</u>	<u>5,686,443</u>
At 31 March 2026	<u>2,071,846</u>	<u>3,229,076</u>	<u>5,300,922</u>

b) Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the year ended 31 March 2026 and 2025:

	<i>2026 AED</i>	<i>2025 AED</i>
At 1 April	5,448,307	5,975,585
Accretion of interest (note 19)	431,619	354,975
Payments	(625,367)	(882,253)
	<u>5,254,559</u>	<u>5,448,307</u>
At 31 March	<u>5,254,559</u>	<u>5,448,307</u>
Current liabilities	593,305	507,304
Non-current liabilities	4,661,254	4,941,003
	<u>5,254,559</u>	<u>5,448,307</u>
At 31 March	<u>5,254,559</u>	<u>5,448,307</u>

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

	<i>2026 AED</i>	<i>2025 AED</i>
Depreciation expense in respect of right-of-use assets (note 16)	385,521	365,022
Finance cost recognised associated with the lease liabilities (note 19)	431,619	354,975
Expenses relating to short term leases and leases of low-value assets (note 16)	814,325	777,610
	<u>1,631,465</u>	<u>1,497,607</u>

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.

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 2026</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>31 March 2025</i> <i>AED</i>		
Derivative financial asset	9,949,362	5,762	Level 2	Broker statements based on LME / LBMA market prices
Trade receivables	1,108,676	2,000,222	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>AED</i>	<i>Level 2</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>Level 3</i> <i>AED</i>	<i>Total</i> <i>AED</i>
Derivative financial asset	-	9,949,362	-	9,949,362
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing)	-	1,108,676	-	1,108,676

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Derivative financial asset	-	5,762	-	5,762
Trade receivables (subject to provisional pricing)	-	2,000,222	-	2,000,222

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. 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.

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 borrowings are at fixed interest rates. Accordingly, the Company is not exposed to cash flow interest rate risk arising from fluctuations in market interest rates. Since the Company's fixed-rate borrowings are carried at amortised cost, changes in market interest rates do not affect the carrying amount or the reported results of the Company. Accordingly, no sensitivity analysis has been presented.

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:

	2026	2025
	AED	AED
Due from related parties (note 7)	2,967,300	579,375
Trade receivables (note 8)	23,438,406	34,555,279
Bank balances (note 9)	76,810,923	61,073,831
Refundable deposits (note 8)	5,968,588	370,017
Margin Money (note 12 a)	9,055,126	4,550,509
Loan to a related party (note 7)	13,429,345	13,538,789
	<u>131,669,688</u>	<u>114,667,800</u>

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.

24 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)**Credit risk management (continued)***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. 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. Its five largest customers account for 99% of outstanding trade receivable as at 31 March 2026 (2025: 65%).

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 2026:

	<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 *	-	419,660,640	-	419,660,640
Trade payable	72,891,073	-	-	72,891,073
Due to related parties *	7,045,923	279,604,699	-	286,650,622
Accruals and other payables	11,458,026	-	-	11,458,026
Leases	593,306	2,516,167	5,743,780	8,853,253
	<u>91,988,328</u>	<u>701,781,506</u>	<u>5,743,780</u>	<u>799,513,614</u>

*The maturity profile for the loan from a related party and the accrued interest included in the due to related parties are after considering the non-adjusting subsequent event as disclosed in note 27.

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

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	419,660,640	-	-	419,660,640
Trade payable	90,153,685	-	-	90,153,685
Due to related parties	148,893,388	-	-	148,893,388
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>

Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities

	<i>1 April 2025 AED</i>	<i>Net cashflow movement AED</i>	<i>Other non- cash items AED</i>	<i>31 March 2026 AED</i>
Loan from a related party	419,660,640	-	-	419,660,640
Lease liabilities (current and non-current) (note 22)	5,448,307	(625,367)	431,619	5,254,559
	<u>425,108,947</u>	<u>(625,367)</u>	<u>431,619</u>	<u>424,915,199</u>
	<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	419,660,640	-	-	419,660,640
Lease liabilities (current and non-current) (note 22)	-	(882,253)	6,330,560	5,448,307
	<u>419,660,640</u>	<u>(882,253)</u>	<u>6,330,560</u>	<u>425,108,947</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 2026 and 2025.

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 2026 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 Global Anti-Base Erosion (“GloBE”) Model Rules, which are designed to ensure that in-scope multinational enterprise (“MNE”) groups are subject to a minimum effective tax rate of 15% on a jurisdictional basis. The Company is part of a group that is within the scope of Pillar Two, as the consolidated group revenue exceeds the €750 million threshold.

In the United Arab Emirates (“UAE”), Federal Decree-Law No. 60 of 2023 was issued to amend certain 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 BEPS framework. In addition, Cabinet Decision No. 142 of 2024 on the Imposition of Top-Up Tax on Multinational Enterprises introduced a UAE Domestic Minimum Top-Up Tax (“UAE DMTT”), applicable to fiscal years beginning on or after 1 January 2025.

Transitional safe harbour (TCSH)

The OECD’s Transitional Country-by-Country Reporting (“CbCR”) Safe Harbour provides temporary simplification during the transition period and can deem the jurisdictional top-up tax to be nil where one of the prescribed tests is met, including the routine profits test, which is met when the jurisdictional profit (loss) before tax is less than or equal to the Substance-Based Income Exclusion (“SBIE”) amount.

Based on management’s assessment (using information consistent with the Transitional CbCR Safe Harbour framework) the Company satisfies the routine profits test for the year ended 31 March 2026. Accordingly, the Company expects that any Pillar Two / UAE DMTT top-up tax for the UAE jurisdiction for FY 2025–26 would be nil under the Transitional CbCR Safe Harbour, subject to continued satisfaction of the relevant conditions (including the availability of a qualified CbCR and consistent underlying data sources).

Management will continue to monitor Pillar Two developments and the Company’s position in future years, as eligibility for transitional safe harbours is time-limited and may be affected by changes in profitability, taxes, or the SBIE components.

IAS 12 amendments – temporary exception

On 23 May 2023, the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) issued amendments to IAS 12 Income Taxes introducing a mandatory temporary exception from recognising and disclosing deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from Pillar Two income taxes. The Company has applied this mandatory temporary exception in these financial statements.

27 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to the reporting date, the Board of Directors of Vedanta Limited, at its meeting held on 20 April 2026, approved a Scheme of Arrangement (the "Scheme") involving the demerger of certain businesses of Vedanta Limited, which became effective from 1 May 2026. In connection with the implementation of the Scheme, Malco Energy Limited entered into a Share Purchase Agreement dated 30 April 2026 for the transfer of its entire shareholding in Fujairah Gold FZC to Vedanta Limited. The record date for the demerger was established as 1 May 2026. The financial effects of the Scheme, including the transfer of shareholding, will be recognized in the financial statements for the period in which the Scheme becomes effective.

Additionally, the Company successfully negotiated revised terms for an unsecured loan arrangement with Cairn India Holdings Limited, a related party. The repayment date of the unsecured loan obtained from Cairn India Holdings Limited has been extended to 31 March, 2030. This extension was agreed after the balance sheet date and therefore represents a non-adjusting subsequent event in accordance with IAS 10 Events after the Reporting Period. Accordingly, the loan continues to be classified as current as at March 31, 2026. Refer to note 7(e) for further details.

Except for the above, there have been no significant events subsequent to 31 March 2026 up to the date of authorisation of financial statements which would have a material effect on these financial statements.

28 GEOPOLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS

During the reporting period, on 28 February 2026, geopolitical tensions in the Middle East escalated significantly, resulting in a regional conflict that disrupted commercial and logistical activities across parts of the Gulf region. In particular, the Company's operations were temporarily affected during March 2026 due to port closures and restrictions issued by governmental authorities, which constrained the Company's ability to import and export goods for a limited number of days.

Public communications from government and regulatory authorities continued to emphasize the resilience of the economy and the continuation of business operations across key sectors, supported by established business continuity and risk management frameworks.

Impact on recognition and measurement

Management has considered the impact of these developments on the recognition and measurement of the Company's assets, liabilities, income, and expenses as at 31 March 2026. The temporary disruption to operations did not result in a significant impact on the Company's sales volumes, production schedules, or overall financial performance for the year. Throughout the financial year, the Company recorded improved sales across all months in comparison to the corresponding months of the prior year. Accordingly, no material adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities have been identified as a consequence of these events.

Going concern assessment

Management has assessed the potential implications of these geopolitical developments on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. In making this assessment, management has considered the temporary nature of the operational disruption, the continuation of core business activities, the availability of financial support from the Intermediate Holding Company, and the adequacy of existing credit facilities. Based on information currently available, management has concluded that the going concern basis of preparation remains appropriate.

Key judgements and estimation uncertainty

In preparing these financial statements, management has exercised judgement in assessing the impact of the geopolitical events on the Company's operations, financial position and performance, including the assessment of impairment indicators, the recoverability of financial assets, and the adequacy of provisions. Based on management's evaluation, no material estimation uncertainties have been identified in connection with these events. However, the situation remains fluid, and it is not practicable to reliably estimate the full financial effect of these developments on future periods.

29 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were approved by the Shareholder and authorised for issue on 18 June 2026.