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Report of the Board of Directors

On financial performance during the year 2020 10 February 2021

Dear Members,

It is our pleasure to present the business & operations report for the year 2020, along with the consolidated financial statements for the Group as on 31 December 2020.

Impact of COVID-19

COVID-19 has had a significant impact on real estate and tourism, with lockdowns and restrictions resulting in reduced demand for RAK Ceramics' products in the first half of 2020. Additionally, due to the slump in real estate, and in line with the Company's accounting policy to assess impairment to the carrying values of investment properties annually, RAK Ceramics revalued its land assets which resulted in an impairment loss of AED 213.2 million. The Company also recorded a provision of AED 23.1 million in relation to one of its hotel assets.

Strong performance in Q4 2020

Operations, across global markets, in the UAE, Saudi Arabia, India, Bangladesh and Europe continued to rebound in Q4 2020, leading to a 15% quarter on quarter increase in Q4 revenue to AED 719.7 million. The Company reported a strong Like for like net profit in Q4 which increased by 39.3% year on year to AED 77.5 million. Total gross profit margin increased by 80bps year on year to 34.4% in Q4 2020 and tiles gross profit margin is at an all-time high of 34.8% - increased by 350bps year on year. The increases in gross profit margins reflect improved efficiencies and streamlined operations, placing the company in a strong position to continue to recover from the impact of COVID-19.

FY20 Performance remains stable and rebounds across international operations

The Company reported total revenues of AED 2.35 billion, a decline of 8.7% due to a decrease in Q2 2020 revenue caused by COVID-19 lockdowns. Excluding Q2 2020, revenue increased by 1% to AED 1.94 billion. Performance started well in Q1 2020 but was negatively impacted in Q2 2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic lockdowns across all our core markets. Markets recovered to pre-COVID levels in Q3 2020 in both tiles and sanitary-ware segments; however, tableware performance continued to suffer due to the second wave of COVID-19 lockdowns and hotel closures.

In Saudi Arabia, revenue increased by 57.9% year on year, the introduction of differentiated tile sizes and a focus on retail and wholesale sales and also backed by the imposition of anti-dumping duties. There is strong demand in Saudi Arabia for RAK Ceramics' premium products. In Europe, revenue increased by 2.7% year on year, driven by growth in the sanitary-ware and tiles market. In the Middle East (excluding UAE and KSA), revenue increased by 12% year on year.

Total gross profit margin decreased by 120bps to 32.0% year on year due to lower revenue and plant shutdown losses during lockdowns in Q2 2020. Reported net loss was AED 126.2 million due to decrease in revenues and impairment and provisioning costs in relation to the impact of COVID-19. Like-for-like net profit was AED 147.3 million demonstrating RAK Ceramics' healthy performance, when excluding the one-offs.

Healthy cash position

Despite the pandemic, RAK Ceramics was able to increase their cash flow from operating activities from AED 466 million in December 2019 to AED 523 million in December 2020. Additionally, the Company's Net Debt level decreased by 10.6% year on year to AED 1.23 billion, reflecting the strength of the business.

Financial highlights for year 2020

Particulars	Unit	Year 2020	Year 2019	Change
Total Revenue	AED Mio	2,349.5	2,574.5	-8.7%
Gross Profit	AED Mio	752.9	855.5	-12.0%
GP Margin	%	32.0%	33.2%	-120bps
EBITDA	AED Mio	354.8	482.8	-26.5%
EBITDA Margin	%	15.1%	18.8%	-370bps
Reported Net Income/ (loss)	AED Mio	(126.2)	205.2	-161.5%
Reported Net Income/ (loss) margin	%	(5.4%)	8.0%	-260bps
Net income before one-off, provisions & strategic gains	AED Mio	147.3	195.1	-24.5%
Net income margin before one-off, provisions & strategic gains	%	6.3%	7.6%	-130bps
Reported Profit/ (loss) after NCI (Minority)	AED Mio	(129.7)	164.4	-178.9%
Reported Earnings/ (loss) per share	AED	(0.13)	0.17	-
		31 December 2020	31 December 2019	Change
Total Assets	AED Mio	5,247.5	5,486.8	-4.4%
Share Capital	AED Mio	993.7	946.4	5%
Shareholder's Equity	AED Mio	2,143.0	2,426.3	-11.7%
Net Debt	AED Mio	1,229.2	1,374.3	-10.6%
Net Debt / EBITDA	Times	3.5	2.9	-
Cost of Debt	%	3.7%	4.2%	-50bps

EBITDA amount for year 2020 is after considering impairment loss on dues in relation to leased hotel, AED 23.1 million.

CSR activities, exhibitions, sponsorships and awards

During the year, the Company participated in KBB exhibition in the UK and Revestir exhibition in Brazil and exhibited its latest range of products and innovations. Majority of the regular exhibitions were suspended due to COVID 19 pandemic.

The Company has been awarded as 'Best Tiling Brand' as well as 'Best Sanitary-ware Brand' by BKU Awards (UK). The Company also secured 2nd Place in Environmental Sustainability Award in the Industrial Sector organized by Environment Protection and Development Authority (EPDA) of Ras Al Khaimah. The Company has also received the Best Ceramic Tile Provider – UAE award from the MEA Business Award.

The Company sponsored an important event in Dubai, in collaboration with 'Surge for Water', about water saving, sustainability, hygiene and healthcare. The event, titled "Design makes the difference" was held in Dubai and the Company was recognized as a Community Developer Sponsor. It was an opportunity for us the occasion to present our RAK-Sanit product range and water saving solutions.

Future Outlook

2020 was a challenging year across the board. RAK Ceramics was particularly impacted due to our exposure to the hospitality and real estate industries. However, given our ability to act decisively during times of crisis, we were able to implement measures to manage the impact of COVID-19 which allowed us to witness early signs of recovery starting from Q3 2020 and deliver healthy revenue for the year. We were able to capitalise on the opportunity in Saudi Arabia and enhance our business in that market, while managing costs and delivering stable revenue in other markets. Our operations in Europe and India have improved, reflected in our margins.

Looking ahead to 2021, our priority will be to protect our market share in the UAE, Saudi Arabia and Bangladesh, while diversifying and improving profitability in export markets. We will also continue to invest in branding by opening new showrooms in core markets, while implementing measures to continue to manage the impact of COVID-19.

Financial Reporting

The consolidated financial statements of the Company, prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs), fairly presents its financial position, the result of its operations, cash flows and changes in equity. Appropriate accounting policies have been consistently applied and accounting estimates are based on reasonable and prudent judgments. There are no matters which call into question the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Vote of Thanks

The Board would like to take this opportunity to thank Government bodies, the shareholders, investors, bankers & employees for their continuous commitment, co-operation, confidence & support in achieving the Company's objectives.

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Group Chief Executive Officer





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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Shareholders of R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C. Ras Al Khaimah United Arab Emirates

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C. ("the Company") and its subsidiaries (together the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2020 and the consolidated statement of profit or loss, consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2020, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).

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 Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated 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.

Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current year and include the most significant assessed risks of material misstatement (whether or not due to fraud) that we identified. These matters included those which had the greatest effect on the overall audit strategy, the allocation of resources in the audit; and directing the efforts of the engagement team.

These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF R.A.K. CERAMICS P.J.S.C. (continued)

Key audit matters (continued)

Key audit matter

Valuation of goodwill

As at 31 December 2020, the carrying value of goodwill as disclosed in note 15 to the consolidated financial statements includes goodwill recognised on acquisition of subsidiaries - Ceramin FZ LLC, ARK International Trading Company Limited and RAK Saudi LLC amounted to AED 108.9 million which is 2.1% of total assets.

In accordance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) 36 Impairment of Assets, an entity is required to test goodwill acquired in a business combination for impairment at least annually irrespective of whether there is any indication of impairment. An impairment is recognised in profit or loss when the recoverable amount is less than the net carrying amount in accordance with IAS 36.

The determination of the recoverable amount is mainly based on the identification of the relevant cash generating unit ("CGU") and the related discounted future cash flows. We considered the impairment of goodwill recognised on acquisition of Ceramin FZ LLC, ARK International Trading Company Limited and RAK Saudi LLC to be a key audit matter, given the significant judgements applied and estimates made when determining the recoverable amount.

How our audit addressed the key audit matter

Our audit procedures included but were not limited to the following:

- We obtained an understanding of management's process to identify the CGU and the related discounted cash flows;
- We evaluated the design and determined the implementation of relevant controls over the determination of the recoverable amount of goodwill to determine if they had been appropriately designed and implemented;
- We assessed the principles and methods used for determining the recoverable amount of the CGU to which the goodwill was allocated in accordance with the requirements of IAS 36;
- We reconciled the net carrying amount of the goodwill allocated to the CGU to the Group's accounting records;
- We enquired of management about the assumptions on which budget estimates underlying the cash flows used in the valuation models are based and further assessed the assumptions including the growth rates used in calculations based on the results of our audit procedures. For this purpose, we also compared the estimates of cash flow projections of previous periods with actual corresponding results, to assess the pertinence and reliability of the cash flow forecasting process;
- We assessed the discount rates applied in forming the impairment review against external benchmarks and used our internal valuation specialists in this assessment;
- We performed a sensitivity analysis in respect of key assumptions to determine at what level changes in these would result in impairment;
- We tested the arithmetical accuracy of the cash flow forecasts prepared by the Group;
- Assessment of any evidence contradictory to management's assumptions; and
- We assessed the disclosures in the consolidated financial statements relating to goodwill against the requirements of IFRSs.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF R.A.K. CERAMICS P.J.S.C. (continued)

Key audit matters (continued)

Key audit matter

Valuation of investment properties

Investment properties represented 17.6% of total assets as at 31 December 2020. Investment properties are measured in accordance with the cost model described in International Accounting Standard 40 *Investment Properties*. Management obtained valuations from independent external valuers for the purposes of identifying impairment indicators and compiling fair value disclosures.

The valuation of investment properties, as detailed in Note 18, requires significant judgement and estimates be made by both management and the independent external valuers. Consequently, we considered this to be a key audit matter.

How our audit addressed the key audit matter

We obtained an understanding of management's process of valuing investment properties. Further, we performed the following:

- We obtained an understanding of management's process of determining the valuation of the investment properties;
- We evaluated the design and determined the implementation of relevant controls over the determination of the fair value of investment property to determine if they had been appropriately designed and implemented;
- We assessed the competence, skills, qualifications and objectivity of the independent external valuer;
- We reviewed the scope of the engagement between the external valuer and the Group to determine if this was sufficient for audit purposes;
- We verified the accuracy, completeness and relevance of the input data used for deriving fair values:
- We utilised our internal valuation experts on a sample basis to evaluate the methodology used and the appropriateness of the model and key assumptions used in the investment property valuations:
- We reperformed the mathematical accuracy of the valuations on a sample basis;
- We agreed the results of the valuations to the amounts disclosed in the consolidated financial statements; and
- We assessed the adequacy of disclosures included in the consolidated financial statements against the requirements of IFRSs.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF R.A.K CERAMICS PJSC (continued)

Other information

The Board of Directors and management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the annual report of the Group. We obtained the Directors' report prior to the date of this auditor's report and the remaining information of the annual report is expected to be made available to us after that date. The other information does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

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

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

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained up to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

When we read the remaining information of the annual report of the Group, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the consolidated financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRSs and their preparation in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company and UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group'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 Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF R.A.K. CERAMICS P.J.S.C. (continued)

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

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 consolidated 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 Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group'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 consolidated 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 auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements.
 We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

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

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

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF R.A.K. CERAMICS P.J.S.C. (continued)

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Further, as required by the UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015, we report that for the year ended 31 December 2020:

- i) we have obtained all the information we considered necessary for the purposes of our audit;
- ii) the consolidated financial statements have been prepared and comply, in all material respects, with the applicable provisions of the UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015;
- iii) the Group has maintained proper books of account;
- iv) the financial information included in the Directors' report, is consistent with the books of account of the Group;
- v) Note 11 (ii) and 31.a.(i) to the consolidated financial statements discloses the Group's purchases of shares during the year ended 31 December 2020;
- vi) Note 21 to the consolidated financial statements discloses material related party transactions and the terms under which they were conducted;
- vii) based on the information that has been made available to us, nothing has come to our attention which causes us to believe that the Group has contravened during the financial year ended 31 December 2020 any of the applicable provisions of the UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015 or in respect of the Company, its Articles of Association, which would materially affect its activities or its financial position as at 31 December 2020; and
- viii) Note 7 to the consolidated financial statements discloses the social contributions made during the financial year ended 31 December 2020.

Deloitte & Touche (M.E.)

Signed by:

Mohammad Khamees Al Tah

Registration No. 717

10 February 2021

Sharjah, United Arab Emirates

Consolidated statement of profit or loss

for the year ended 31 December 2020

	Notes	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
	Notes	AED 000	AED 000
Revenue	5	2,349,489	2,574,533
Cost of sales	6	(1,596,625)	(1,718,998)
Gross profit		752,864	855,535
Administrative and general expenses	7	(199,305)	(210,680)
Selling and distribution expenses	8	(409,188)	(411,622)
Other operating income	9	57,380	56,163
Finance costs	10	(84,277)	(90,069)
Finance income	10	21,764	8,878
Loss on net monetary position	34	(3,215)	-
Share of profit in equity accounted investees	11	16,741	13,630
Profit before impairment loss		152,764	221,835
Impairment (loss)/reversal	7(i)	(51,184)	10,013
Impairment loss on investment properties	18	(213,170)	-
(Loss)/profit before tax		(111,590)	231,848
Income tax	12	(14,564)	(26,692)
(Loss)/profit for the year		(126,154)	205,156
(Loss)/profit attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(129,720)	164,378
Non-controlling interests		3,566	40,778
(Loss)/profit for the year		(126,154)	205,156
(Loss)/earnings per share			
- basic and diluted (AED)	13	(0.13)	0.17

Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the year ended 31 December 2020

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
(Loss)/profit for the year	(126,154)	205,156
Other comprehensive (loss)/income		
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		
Foreign exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	(25,282)	(81,180)
Cash flow hedges – effective portion of changes in fair value loss on hedging instruments	(19,470)	(16,148)
Effects of application of hyperinflation accounting (note 34)	38,151	
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year	(132,755)	107,828
Total comprehensive (loss)/income attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	(136,878)	69,690
Non-controlling interests	4,123	38,138
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year	(132,755)	107,828

Consolidated statement of financial position

as at 31 December 2020

Total current liabilities Total liabilities		1,964,948 2,897,589	1,677,663 2,822,20
Total current liabilities	20day 20d00000 6000	1,964,948	1,6//,66
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Provision for taxation	12	175,946	170,68
Lease liabilities	27	22,737	23,07
Derivative financial liabilities	22	22,720	15,63
Due to related parties	21	35,836	38,34
Trade and other payables	28	633,877	656,19
nterest bearing bank financing	26b(i)	671,350	486,70
slamic bank financing	26a(i)	402,482	287,03
Current liabilities	Ballionnissis; messen Westphysenschunesbillingsgegenflichte, der zich wenne zetwa		
Fotal non-current liabilities		932,641	1,144,53
Deferred tax liabilities	12	16,118 10,697	8,41
Perivative financial liabilities	22	58,913 16,118	68,69
ease liabilities	29 27	78,123 58 913	83,86
rovision for employees' end of service benefits	26b(ii) 29	353,081	486,07
slamic bank financing nterest bearing bank financing	26a(ii)	415,709	497,49
on-current liabilities	36.70	447 700	407.10
otal equity		2,349,899	2,664,57
Non-controlling interests	25	206,902	238,25
quity attributable to owners of the Company		2,142,997	2,426,31
hare capital Reserves	24 24	993,703 1,149,294	946,38 1,479,93
quity and liabilities Capital and reserves			
	elementation of the contraction where a security framework for the contraction of the con	5,247,488	5,486,77
otal current assets	theritarium anamum and an anamum and an	2,853,157	2,817,18
PROPERTY (PROMEORIAL SANDAMANANA)	23	469,793	243,57
ask deposits with an original maturity of more than three months ash and cash equivalents	23 23	143,671	139,4
ank deposits with an original maturity of more than three months	22	142 034	4,3
rue from related parties Perivative financial assets	21	29,895	37,3
rade and other receivables Due from related parties	19	1,133,900	1,178,9
nventories Trade and other receivables	20	1,075,898	1,213,47
current assets		4 000	
otal non-current assets		2,394,331	2,669,59
eferred tax assets	12	4,066	3,96
Perivative financial assets	22	4,793	
ong-term receivables	19(i)	31,125	65,72
nvestments in equity accounted investees	11	50,596	40,04
evestment properties	18	926,159	1,176,39
ntangible assets	17	27,402	25,83
ight-of-use assets	16	77,349	83,26
ioodwill	15	120,561	120,37
roperty, plant and equipment	14	1,152,280	1,153,99
Ion-current assets			
Assets	Mores	AED'000	AED 00
	Notes		AED'00
		2020	2019

To the best of our knowledge the consolidated financial statements present fairly in all respects, the consolidated financial condition, consolidated financial performance and consolidated cash flows of the Group as of, and periods presented there

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BF39DDA5BA19454 Chairman

10 FEB 2021

Chief Executive Officer



Consolidated statement of cash flows

for the year ended 31 December 2020

joi the year ended 31 Determber 2020	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Operating activities		
(Loss)/profit for the year before tax	(111,590)	231,848
Adjustments for:		
Share of profit in equity accounted investees	(16,741)	(13,630)
Interest expense	53,293	50,348
Profit expense on Islamic financing	19,370	24,784
Interest income	(7,105)	(6,022)
Profit on wakala deposits	(251)	(190)
Interest expense on lease liabilities	5,383	5,913
Net change in derivative financial instruments	3,261	(2,666)
Loss/(gain) on disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,438	(1,379)
Gain on acquisition of shares in equity accounted associate	(103)	-
Impairment loss on investment properties	213,170	-
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment	137,922	136,623
Depreciation on investment properties	11,336	10,616
Amortization of intangible assets	6,678	6,365
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	25,246	23,801
Capital work in progress written off	12	119
Provision for employees' end-of-service benefits	12,610	17,528
Loss on net monetary position	3,215	, -
Allowance for slow moving inventories	20,245	9,781
Write-down of net realizable value of finished goods	39,594	19,819
Allowance for impairment loss on trade receivables	46,722	12,991
Allowance for impairment loss on other receivables	8,866	,-
Reversal for impairment loss on due from related parties	(4,404)	(23,004)
Champanin	468,167	503,645
Changes in: - inventories	77,740	6,428
- trade and other receivables (including long-term portion)	32,174	(5,911)
- due from related parties	11,872	100,921
- trade and other payables	(22,322)	(64,726)
- due to related parties	(2,504)	(11,174)
Income tax paid	(15,206)	(21,223)
Employees' end-of-service benefits paid	(18,053)	(17,769)
Currency translation adjustments	(8,746)	(24,067)
Net cash generated from operating activities	523,122	466,124

Consolidated statement of cash flows (continued)

for the year ended 31 December 2020

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Investing activities	AED 000	AED 000
Additions to property, plant and equipment	(102,469)	(172,714
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	2,010	2,882
Additions to intangible assets	(3,971)	(3,663)
Additions to investment property	(38)	(271
Dividend received from equity accounted investees	7,978	13,544
Interest received	7,105	6,022
Profit received on Wakala deposits	251	190
Change in bank deposits with maturity more than three months	(4,198)	(139,473)
Consideration paid for acquisition of subsidiary	(652)	-
Consideration paid for acquisition of an associate	(604)	-
Net cash used in investing activities	(94,588)	(293,483)
Financing activities		
Bank financing availed	104,630	9,466
Bank financing repaid	(232,808)	(228,207)
Islamic bank financing availed	75,000	387,516
Islamic bank financing repaid	(152,217)	(221,021
Repayment of lease liabilities	(33,707)	(31,957
Net movement in short-term bank financing	147,402	51,141
Net movement in short-term Islamic bank financing	110,878	(61,600
Interest paid	(53,293)	(50,348
Profit paid on Islamic bank financing	(19,370)	(24,784
Remuneration paid to Board of Directors	(3,700)	(3,700
Dividend paid	(141,958)	(135,198
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	(35,608)	(13,808
Funds invested by non-controlling interests	-	2,320
Net cash used in financing activities	(234,751)	(320,180)
Net increase/ (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	193,783	(147,539
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	172,295	319,834
Net cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	366,078	172,295
Represented by: Cash and cash equivalents (refer note 22)	460 702	243,576
Cash and cash equivalents (refer note 23) Bank overdraft	469,793 (103,715)	(71,281)
	366,078	172,295

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

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					Attributable t	o owners of th Reserves	ne Company						
	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Legal reserve AED'000	Translation reserve AED'000	Hyper- inflation reserve AED'000	Hedging reserve AED'000	General reserve AED'000	Capital reserve AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Total reserves AED'000	Total AED'000	Non- controlling interests (NCI) AED'000	Total equity AED'000
Balance as at 31 December 2019	946,384	221,667	567,053	(120,389)	(183,848)	(14,344)	82,805	75,040	851,949	1,479,933	2,426,317	238,255	2,664,572
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year													
(Loss)/profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(129,720)	(129,720)	(129,720)	3,566	(126,154)
Other comprehensive (loss)/income Foreign exchange differences on translation of foreign operations				3,476	(29,315)					(25,839)	(25,839)	557	(25,282)
Changes in cash flow hedges	-	-	-	-	(23,313)	(19,470)	-	-	-	(19,470)	(19,470)	-	(19,470)
Effects of application of IAS 29 (refer note 34)	-	-	-	-	38,151	-	-	-	-	38,151	38,151	-	38,151
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year Other equity movements	-	-	-	3,476	8,836	(19,470)	-	-	(129,720)	(136,878)	(136,878)	4,123	(132,755)
Transfer to legal reserve	-	-	967	-	-	-	-	-	(967)	-	-	-	-
Directors' remuneration (refer note 24 (x)) Transaction with owners	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,700)	(3,700)	(3,700)	-	(3,700)
Dividend paid (refer note 24 (ix))	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(141,958)	(141,958)	(141,958)	-	(141,958)
Bonus shares issued (refer note 24 (ix))	47,319	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(47,319)	(47,319)	-	-	-
Dividend paid to NCI Change in NCI due to acquisitions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(784)	(784)	(784)	(35,608) 132	(35,608) (652)
Balance at 31 December 2020	993,703	221,667	568,020	(116,913)	(175,012)	(33,814)	82,805	75,040	527,501	1,149,294	2,142,997	206,902	2,349,899

R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C. and its subsidiaries

Consolidated statement of changes in equity (continued)

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					Attributable t	o owners of the Reserves	he Company						
	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Legal reserve AED'000	Translation reserve AED'000	Hyper- inflation reserve AED'000	Hedging reserve AED'000	General reserve AED'000	Capital reserve AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Total reserves AED'000	Total AED'000	Non- controlling interests (NCI) AED'000	Total equity AED'000
Balance as at 31 December 2018 Adjustment on application of IFRS 16	901,318	221,667	553,001 -	(113,688)	(112,009) -	1,804 -	82,805 -	63,419	903,095 (5,887)	1,600,094 (5,887)	2,501,412 (5,887)	212,697 (1,092)	2,714,109 (6,979)
Balance at 1 January 2019 (restated)	901,318	221,667	553,001	(113,688)	(112,009)	1,804	82,805	63,419	897,208	1,594,207	2,495,525	211,605	2,707,130
Total comprehensive income for the year													
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	164,378	164,378	164,378	40,778	205,156
Other comprehensive (loss)/income Foreign exchange differences on													
translation of foreign operations Changes in cash flow hedges	-	-	-	(6,701) -	(71,839) -	- (16,148)	-	-	-	(78,540) (16,148)	(78,540) (16,148)	(2,640)	(81,180) (16,148)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for													
the year Other equity movements	-	-	-	(6,701)	(71,839)	(16,148)	-	-	164,378	69,690	69,690	38,138	107,828
Transfer to legal reserve	-	-	14,052	-	-	-	-	-	(14,052)	-	-	-	-
Directors' remuneration (refer note 24 (x))	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,700)	(3,700)	(3,700)	-	(3,700)
Capitalization of retained earnings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,621	(11,621)	-	-	-	-
Transaction with owners Dividend paid	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	(135,198)	(135,198)	(135,198)	_	(135,198)
Bonus shares issued	45,066	_	-	-	-	-	_	_	(45,066)	(45,066)	(133,138)	-	(133,136)
Dividend paid to NCI Funds invested by NCI	-	-	-	-	-	-			-	-	-	(13,808) 2,320	(13,808) 2,320
Balance at 31 December 2019	946,384	221,667	567,053	(120,389)	(183,848)	(14,344)	82,805	75,040	851,949	1,479,933	2,426,317	238,255	2,664,572

Notes to the consolidated financial statements

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1. General information

R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C. ("the Company" or "the Holding Company") was incorporated under Emiri Decree No. 6/89 dated 26 March 1989 as a limited liability company in the Emirate of Ras Al Khaimah, UAE. Subsequently, under Emiri Decree No. 9/91 dated 6 July 1991, the legal status of the Company was changed to Public Shareholding Company. The registered address of the Company is P.O. Box 4714, Al Jazeerah Al Hamra City, Ras Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates. The Company is listed on Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange, UAE.

These consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2020 comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as "the Group" and individually as "the Group entities") and the Group's interest in equity accounted investees. The Group's subsidiaries and equity accounted investees, their principal activities and the Group's interest have been disclosed in note 36 to these consolidated financial statements.

The principal activities of the Group are manufacturing and sale of a variety of ceramic products including tiles, bathroom sets, sanitary wares and table wares. The Company and certain entities in the Group are also engaged in investing in other entities, in the UAE or globally, that undertake similar or ancillary activities. Accordingly, the Company also acts as a Holding Company of the Group entities. The Group is also engaged in contracting and other industrial manufacturing activities.

Federal Decree-Law No. 26 of 2020 which amends certain provisions of Federal Law No. 2 of 2015 on Commercial Companies was issued on 27 September 2020 and the amendments came into effect on 2 January 2021. The Company is in the process of reviewing the new provisions and will apply the requirements thereof no later than one year from the date on which the amendments came into effect.

2. Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs")

2.1 New and revised IFRSs applied by the Group

In the current year, the Group has applied the following amendments to IFRSs issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") that are mandatorily effective for an accounting period that begins on or after 1 January 2020. Their adoption has not had any material impact on the amounts reported in these consolidated financial statements.

- **Definition of Material** Amendments to IAS 1 'Presentation of Financial Statements' and IAS 8 'Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors'.
- **Definition of a Business** Amendments to IFRS 3 'Business Combinations'
- Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards. The standards which are amended are IFRS 2, IFRS 3, IFRS 6, IFRS 14, IAS 1, IAS 8, IAS 34, IAS 37, IAS 38, IFRIC 12, IFRIC 19, IFRIC 20, IFRIC 22 and SIC32.
- Amendments to IFRS 7 'Financial Instruments: Disclosures' and IFRS 9 'Financial Instruments' relating to
 Interest Rate Benchmark Reforms.

In September 2019, the IASB issued Interest Rate Benchmark Reforms (Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39 and IFRS 7). These amendments modify specific hedge accounting requirements to allow hedge accounting to continue for affected hedges during the period of uncertainty before the hedged items or hedging instruments affected by the current interest rate benchmarks are amended as a result of the on-going interest rate benchmark reforms.

The amendments are relevant to the Group given that it applies hedge accounting to its benchmark interest rate exposures. The application of the amendments impacts the Group's accounting in the following ways:

• The Group has floating rate debt, linked to USD and GBP IBOR, which it hedges using interest rate swaps. The amendments permit continuation of hedge accounting even though there is uncertainty about the timing and amount of the hedged cash flows due to the interest rate benchmark reforms.

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2. Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") (continued)

2.1 New and revised IFRSs applied by the Group (continued)

- The Group will retain the cumulative gain or loss in the cash flow hedge reserve for designated cash flow hedges that are subject to interest rate benchmark reforms even though there is uncertainty arising from the interest rate benchmark reform with respect to the timing and amount of the cash flows of the hedged items. Should the Group consider that the hedged future cash flows are no longer expected to occur due to reasons other than interest rate benchmark reform, the cumulative gain or loss will be immediately reclassified to profit or loss.
- Amendment to IFRS 16 'Leases' to provide lessees with an exemption from assessing whether a COVID-19 related rent concession is a lease modification. The effective date is 1 June 2020.

In May 2020, the IASB issued Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions (Amendment to IFRS 16) that provides practical relief to lessees in accounting for rent concessions occurring as a direct consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic, by introducing a practical expedient to IFRS 16. The practical expedient permits a lessee to elect not to assess whether a COVID-19-related rent concession is a lease modification. A lessee that makes this election shall account for any change in lease payments resulting from the COVID-19-related rent concession the same way it would account for the change applying IFRS 16 if the change were not a lease modification.

The practical expedient applies only to rent concessions occurring as a direct consequence of COVID-19 and only if all of the following conditions are met:

- The change in lease payments results in revised consideration for the lease that is substantially the same as, or less than, the consideration for the lease immediately preceding the change;
- Any reduction in lease payments affects only payments originally due on or before 30 June 2021 (a rent
 concession meets this condition if it results in reduced lease payments on or before 30 June 2021 and
 increased lease payments that extend beyond 30 June 2021); and
- There is no substantive change to other terms and conditions of the lease.

2.2 New and revised IFRS standards and interpretations but not yet effective

Management does not expect that the adoption of the below standards will have material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

- IFRS 17 'Insurance Contracts' implementation challenges and those relating to providing a more uniform measurement and presentation approach for all insurance contracts (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023).
- Amendments to IFRS 10 'Consolidated Financial Statements' and IAS 28 'Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures' (2011) relating to the treatment of the sale or contribution of assets from an investor and its associate or joint venture (effective date deferred indefinitely, early adoption permitted).
- IAS 1 'Presentation of Financial Statements' Amendments on Classifications. Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023, early adoption permitted.
- Amendments relating to IAS 16, IAS 37, IFRS 3 and some annual improvements on IFRS 1, IFRS 9, IAS 41 and IFRS 16 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022).
- IFRS 4 relating to amendments regarding the expiry date of the deferral approach. The fixed expiry date for the temporary exemption in IFRS 4 from applying IFRS 9 is now 1 January 2023.
- Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16 relating to 'Interest Rate Benchmark Reform —
 Phase 2', that address issues that might affect financial reporting after the reform of an interest rate
 benchmark, including its replacement with alternative benchmark rates. The amendments are effective for
 annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021, with earlier application permitted.
- Amendments to IFRS 9 that clarifies that for the purpose of performing the "10 per cent test' for
 derecognition of financial liabilities in determining those fees paid net of fees received, a borrower includes
 only fees paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either
 the borrower or lender on the other's behalf. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning
 on or after 1 January 2022, with earlier application permitted.

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3 Basis of preparation

(a) Statement of compliance

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and comply with the Articles of Association of the Company and the UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015. Details of the Group's accounting policies are included in Note 4.

(b) Basis of measurement

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost convention except for certain financial instruments which are carried at fair value, as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

(c) Functional and presentation currency

These consolidated financial statements are presented in United Arab Emirates Dirhams ("AED"), which is the functional currency of the Company. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest thousand, unless otherwise indicated.

(d) Use of estimates and judgments

In preparing these consolidated financial statements, management has made judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of the Group's accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors which are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed by the management on an ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognized prospectively.

Information about significant areas of estimation uncertainty and critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements are described in note 37.

(e) Measurement of fair values

Fair value is the price that would be received on sale of an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique.

In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in these consolidated financial statements is determined on such basis, except for share-based payment transactions that are within the scope of IFRS 2, leasing transactions that are within the scope of IFRS 16, and measurements that have some similarities to fair value but are not fair value, such as net realizable value in IAS 2 or value in use in IAS 36.

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

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

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

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

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3. Basis of preparation (continued)

(f) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements of the Group incorporate the financial statements of the Company and the Group entities controlled by the Company (its Subsidiaries) made up to 31 December each year.

Control is achieved when the Company:

- has power over the investee;
- is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.

The Company reassesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control listed above.

When the Company has less than a majority of the voting rights of an investee, it has power over the investee when the voting rights are sufficient to give it the practical ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee unilaterally.

The Company considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether or not the Company's voting rights in an investee are sufficient to give it power, including:

- the size of the Company's holding of voting rights relative to the size and dispersion of holdings of the other vote holders;
- potential voting rights held by the Company, other vote holders or other parties;
- rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- any additional facts and circumstances that indicate that the Company has, or does not have, the current ability to direct the relevant activities at the time that decisions need to be made, including voting patterns at previous shareholders' meetings.

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Company obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Company loses control of the subsidiary. Specifically, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated income statement and consolidated statement of other comprehensive income from the date the Company gains control until the date when the Company ceases to control the subsidiary.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests. Total comprehensive income of subsidiaries is attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.

When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the Group's accounting policies.

All intragroup assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

Changes in the Group's interests in subsidiaries that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions. The carrying amount of the Group's interests and the non-controlling interests are adjusted to reflect the changes in their relative interests in the subsidiaries. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognized directly in equity and attributed to the owners of the Company.

When the Group loses control of a subsidiary, the gain or loss on disposal recognized in profit or loss is calculated as the difference between (i) the aggregate of the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any retained interest and (ii) the previous carrying amount of the assets (including goodwill), less liabilities of the subsidiary and any non-controlling interests. All amounts previously recognized in other comprehensive income in relation to that subsidiary are accounted for as if the Group had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities of the subsidiary (i.e. reclassified to profit or loss or transferred to another category of equity as required/permitted by applicable IFRS Standards). The fair value of any investment retained in the former subsidiary at the date when control is lost is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition for subsequent accounting under IFRS 9 when applicable, or the cost on initial recognition of an investment in an associate or a joint venture.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies

(a) Business combinations

Acquisitions of businesses are accounted for using the acquisition method. The consideration transferred in a business combination is measured at fair value, which is calculated as the sum of the acquisition-date fair values of the assets transferred by the Group, liabilities incurred by the Group to the former owners of the acquiree and the equity interests issued by the Group in exchange for control of the acquiree. Acquisition-related costs are generally recognized in profit or loss as incurred.

At the acquisition date, the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed are recognized at their fair value.

Goodwill is measured as the excess of the sum of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree, and the fair value of the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquiree (if any) over the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed. If, after reassessment, the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed exceeds the sum of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree and the fair value of the acquirer's previously held interest in the acquiree (if any), the excess is recognized immediately in profit or loss as a bargain purchase gain.

Non-controlling interests are the present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of the entity's net assets in the event of liquidation may be initially measured either at fair value or at the non-controlling interests' proportionate share of the recognized amounts of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. The choice of measurement basis is made on a transaction-by-transaction basis. Other types of non-controlling interests are measured at fair value or, when applicable, on the basis specified in another IFRS.

When a business combination is achieved in stages, the Group's previously held equity interest in the acquiree is re-measured to fair value at the acquisition date (i.e. the date when the Group obtains control) and the resulting gain or loss, if any, is recognized in profit or loss. Amounts arising from interests in the acquiree prior to the acquisition date that have previously been recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss where such treatment would be appropriate if those interests were disposed of.

(b) Goodwill

Goodwill is not amortized but is reviewed for impairment at least annually. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill is allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units (or groups of cash-generating units) expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination. Cash-generating units to which goodwill has been allocated are tested for impairment annually, or more frequently when there is an indication that the unit may be impaired. If the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit is less than the carrying amount of the unit, the impairment loss is allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the unit and then to the other assets of the unit pro-rata on the basis of the carrying amount of each asset in the unit. An impairment loss recognized for goodwill is not reversed in a subsequent period. On disposal of a cash-generating unit, the attributable amount of goodwill is included in the determination of the profit or loss on disposal.

(c) Interests in equity accounted investees

An associate is an entity over which the Group has significant influence and that is neither a subsidiary nor an interest in a joint venture. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee but is not control or joint control over those policies.

A joint venture is a joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the joint arrangement. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

Notes to the consolidated financial statements (continued)

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(c) Interests in equity accounted investees (continued)

The results and assets and liabilities of associates or joint ventures are incorporated in these consolidated financial statements using the equity method of accounting, except when the investment is classified as held for sale, in which case it is accounted for in accordance with IFRS 5.

Under the equity method, an investment in an associate or a joint venture is recognized initially in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost and adjusted thereafter to recognize the Group's share of the profit or loss and other comprehensive income of the associate or joint venture. When the Group's share of losses of an associate or a joint venture exceeds the Group's interest in that associate or joint venture (which includes any long-term interests that, in substance, form part of the Group's net investment in the associate or joint venture), the Group discontinues recognizing its share of further losses. Additional losses are recognized only to the extent that the Group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate or joint venture.

On acquisition of the investment in an associate or a joint venture, any excess of the cost of the investment over the Group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the investee is recognized as goodwill, which is included within the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities over the cost of the investment, after reassessment, is recognized immediately in profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

The requirements of IAS 36 are applied to determine whether it is necessary to recognize any impairment loss with respect to the Group's investment in an associate or a joint venture. When necessary, the entire carrying amount of the investment (including goodwill) is tested for impairment in accordance with IAS 36 as a single asset by comparing its recoverable amount (higher of value in use and fair value less costs of disposal) with its carrying amount. Any impairment loss recognized is not allocated to any asset, including goodwill that forms part of the carrying amount of the investment. Any reversal of that impairment loss is recognized in accordance with IAS 36 to the extent that the recoverable amount of the investment subsequently increases.

The Group discontinues the use of the equity method from the date when the investment ceases to be an associate or a joint venture. When a Group entity transacts with an associate or a joint venture of the Group, profits and losses resulting from the transactions with the associate or joint venture are recognized in the Group's consolidated financial statements only to the extent of interests in the associate or joint venture that are not related to the Group.

(d) Hyperinflation

The financial statements of subsidiary companies whose functional currency is the currency of a hyperinflationary economy are adjusted for inflation in accordance with IAS 29 *Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies*, prior to their translation to AED for its consolidation into the consolidated financial statements. Amounts shown for prior years for comparative purposes are not restated at consolidation level as the presentation currency of the Group is not that of a hyperinflationary economy. On consolidation, the effect of price changes in the prior periods on the financial statements of the subsidiary is recognized in other comprehensive income and presented in the hyperinflation reserve in equity.

The financial statements of subsidiaries whose functional currency is the currency of a hyperinflationary economy are adjusted to reflect the changes in purchasing power of the local currency, such that all items in the statement of financial position not expressed in current terms (non-monetary items) are restated by applying a general price index at the reporting date and all income and expenses are restated quarterly by applying appropriate conversion factors. The difference from initial adjusted amounts is taken to profit or loss.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(d) Hyperinflation (continued)

When a functional currency of a subsidiary ceases to be hyperinflationary, the Group discontinues hyperinflation accounting in accordance with IAS 29 for annual periods ending on or after the date that the economy is identified as being non-hyperinflationary. The amounts expressed in the measuring unit current at the end of the last period in which IAS 29 was applied are used as the basis for the carrying amounts in subsequent financial statements.

To determine the existence or cessation of hyperinflation, the Group assesses the qualitative characteristics of the economic environment of the country, such as the trends in inflation rates over the preceding 36 months to the reporting date.

(e) Foreign currencies

In preparing the financial statements of the Group entities, transactions in currencies other than the entity's functional currency (foreign currencies) are recognized at the rates of exchange prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At each reporting date, monetary assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated. Exchange differences are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they arise except for:

- exchange differences on foreign currency borrowings relating to assets under construction for future productive use, which are included in the cost of those assets when they are regarded as an adjustment to interest costs on those foreign currency borrowings;
- exchange differences on transactions entered into to hedge certain foreign currency risks (see below under financial instruments/hedge accounting); and
- exchange differences on monetary items receivable from or payable to a foreign operation for which
 settlement is neither planned nor likely to occur in the foreseeable future (therefore forming part of the
 net investment in the foreign operation), which are recognized initially in other comprehensive income
 and reclassified from equity to profit or loss on disposal or partial disposal of the net investment.

For the purpose of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the Group's foreign operations are translated at exchange rates prevailing on the reporting date. Income and expense items are translated at the average exchange rates for the period, unless exchange rates fluctuate significantly during that period, in which case the exchange rates at the date of transactions are used. Exchange differences arising, if any, are recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in a foreign exchange translation reserve. Foreign currency translation differences pertaining to hyperinflationary economies are recorded in the hyperinflation reserve in equity.

On the disposal of a foreign operation (i.e. a disposal of the Group's entire interest in a foreign operation, or a disposal involving loss of control over a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation or a partial disposal of an interest in a joint arrangement or an associate that includes a foreign operation of which the retained interest becomes a financial asset), all of the exchange differences accumulated in a foreign exchange translation reserve in respect of that operation attributable to the owners of the Company are reclassified to profit or loss.

In addition, in relation to a partial disposal of a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation that does not result in the Group losing control over the subsidiary, the proportionate share of accumulated exchange differences are re-attributed to non-controlling interests and are not recognized in profit or loss. For all other partial disposals (i.e. partial disposals of associates or joint arrangements that do not result in the Group losing significant influence or joint control), the proportionate share of the accumulated exchange differences is reclassified to profit or loss.

Goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on the acquisition of a foreign entity are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign entity and are translated at the closing rate. Exchange differences arising at the time of translation are recognized in other comprehensive income.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognized in the Group's consolidated statement of financial position when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

Financial assets

All regular purchases or sales of financial assets are recognized and derecognized on a trade date basis. Regular purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the marketplace. All recognized financial assets are measured subsequently in their entirety at either amortized cost or fair value, depending on the classification of the financial assets.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and short-term bank deposits with an original maturity of three months or less, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

Classification of financial assets

Debt instruments that meet the following conditions are measured subsequently at amortized cost:

- the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and
- the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

Debt instruments that meet the following conditions are measured subsequently at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI):

- the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial assets; and
- the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

By default, all other financial assets are measured subsequently at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

Amortized cost and effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortized cost of a debt instrument and of allocating interest income over the relevant period.

The amortized cost of a financial asset is the amount at which the financial asset is measured at initial recognition minus the principal repayments, plus the cumulative amortization using the effective interest method resulting in any difference between that initial amount and the maturity amount, adjusted for any loss allowance. The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is the amortized cost of a financial asset before adjusting for any loss allowance.

For financial assets, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset. For financial assets that have subsequently become credit-impaired, interest income is recognized by applying the effective interest rate to the amortized cost of the financial asset. If, in subsequent reporting periods, the credit risk on the credit-impaired financial instrument improves so that the financial asset is no longer credit-impaired, interest income is recognized by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

A financial asset is held for trading if:

- it has been acquired principally for the purpose of selling it in the near term; or
- on initial recognition it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Group manages together and has evidence of a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or
- it is a derivative (except for a derivative that is a financial guarantee contract or a designated and effective hedging instrument).

Financial assets at FVTPL are measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period, with any fair value gains or losses recognized in profit or loss to the extent they are not part of a designated hedging relationship (see hedge accounting policy). The net gain or loss recognized in profit or loss includes any dividend or interest earned on the financial asset and is included in the 'other gains and losses'.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group recognizes a loss allowance for expected credit losses (ECL) on other receivables, due from related parties and trade receivables as well as on financial guarantee contracts. The amount of expected credit losses is updated at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition of the respective financial instrument.

The Group estimates impairment allowances using the general or simplified approach. Under the general approach, the Group applies a three stage approach to estimate allowance for credit losses, using an expected credit loss approach as required under IFRS 9, for the financial assets that are not measured at FVTPL or FVTOCI. Financial assets migrate through three stages based on the change in credit risk since initial recognition.

The three stage ECL model is based on the change in credit quality of financial assets since initial recognition:

- Under Stage 1, where there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, an amount equal to 12 months ECL will be recorded.
- Under Stage 2, where there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition but the
 financial instruments are not considered as credit impaired, an amount equal to the default probabilityweighted lifetime ECL will be recorded.
- Under the Stage 3, where there is objective evidence of impairment at the reporting date these financial instruments are classified as credit impaired and an amount equal to the lifetime ECL will be recorded for the financial assets.

ECLs under the general approach, are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive). ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

Under the simplified approach, the Group uses an allowance matrix to measure the ECLs of trade receivables from individual customers. Loss rates are calculated using a 'roll rate' method based on the probability of a receivable progressing through successive stages of delinquency to write-off. Impairment allowances are always measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECL.

Lifetime ECL represents the expected credit losses that will result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. In contrast, 12-month ECL represents the portion of lifetime ECL that is expected to result from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date.

The Group always recognizes lifetime expected credit losses (ECL) for trade receivables, contract assets and lease receivables. The expected credit losses on these financial assets are estimated using a provision matrix based on the Group's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors, general economic conditions and an assessment of both the current as well as the forecast direction of conditions at the reporting date, including the time value of money where appropriate.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Impairment of financial assets (continued)

For all other financial instruments, the Group recognizes lifetime ECL when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. However, if the credit risk on the financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Group measures the loss allowance for that financial instrument at an amount equal to 12-month ECL.

Significant increase in credit risk

In assessing whether the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Group compares the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument at the reporting date with the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument at the date of initial recognition. In making this assessment, the Group considers both quantitative and qualitative information that is reasonable and supportable, including historical experience and forward-looking information that is available without undue cost or effort. Forward-looking information considered includes the future prospects of the industries in which the Group's debtors operate, obtained from economic expert reports, financial analysts, governmental bodies, relevant think-tanks and other similar organizations, as well as consideration of various external sources of actual and forecast economic information that relate to the Group's core operations.

In particular, the following information is taken into account when assessing whether credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition:

- an actual or expected significant deterioration in the financial instrument's external (if available) or internal credit rating;
- significant deterioration in external market indicators of credit risk for a particular financial instrument, e.g. a significant increase in the credit spread, the credit default swap prices for the debtor, or the length of time or the extent to which the fair value of a financial asset has been less than its amortized cost;
- existing or forecast adverse changes in business, financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant decrease in the debtor's ability to meet its debt obligations;
- an actual or expected significant deterioration in the operating results of the debtor;
- significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same debtor; and
- an actual or expected significant adverse change in the regulatory, economic, or technological environment of the debtor that results in a significant decrease in the debtor's ability to meet its debt obligations.

Despite the foregoing, the Group assumes that the credit risk on a financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition if the financial instrument is determined to have low credit risk at the reporting date. A financial instrument is determined to have low credit risk if:

- the financial instrument has a low risk of default;
- the debtor has a strong capacity to meet its contractual cash flow obligations in the near term; and
- adverse changes in economic and business conditions in the longer term may, but will not necessarily, reduce the ability of the borrower to fulfil its contractual cash flow obligations.

The Group considers a financial asset to have low credit risk when the asset has external credit rating of 'investment grade' in accordance with the globally understood definition or if an external rating is not available, the asset has an internal rating of 'performing'. Performing means that the counterparty has a strong financial position and there is no past due amounts.

For financial guarantee contracts, the date that the Group becomes a party to the irrevocable commitment is considered to be the date of initial recognition for the purposes of assessing the financial instrument for impairment.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Significant increase in credit risk (continued)

In assessing whether there has been a significant increase in the credit risk since initial recognition of a financial guarantee contract, the Group considers the changes in the risk that the specified debtor will default on the contract. The Group regularly monitors the effectiveness of the criteria used to identify whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk and revises them as appropriate to ensure that the criteria are capable of identifying significant increase in credit risk before the amount becomes past due.

Definition of default

The Group considers the following as constituting an event of default for internal credit risk management purposes as historical experience indicates that financial assets that meet either of the following criteria are generally not recoverable:

- when there is a breach of financial covenants by the debtor; or
- information developed internally or obtained from external sources indicates that the debtor is unlikely to pay its creditors, including the Group, in full (without taking into account any collateral held by the Group).

Irrespective of the above analysis, the Group considers that default has occurred when a financial asset is more than 180 days past due unless the Group has reasonable and supportable information to demonstrate that a more lagging default criterion is more appropriate.

Write-off policy

The Group writes off a financial asset when there is information indicating that the debtor is in severe financial difficulty and there is no realistic prospect of recovery, e.g. when the debtor has been placed under liquidation or has entered into bankruptcy proceedings. Financial assets written off may still be subject to enforcement activities under the Group's recovery procedures, taking into account legal advice where appropriate. Any recoveries made are recognized in profit or loss.

Measurement and recognition of ECL

The measurement of ECL is a function of the probability of default, loss given default (i.e. the magnitude of the loss if there is a default) and the exposure at default. The assessment of the probability of default and loss given default is based on historical data adjusted by forward-looking information as described above. As for the exposure at default, for financial assets, this is represented by the assets' gross carrying amount at the reporting date; for financial guarantee contracts, the exposure includes the amount drawn down as at the reporting date, together with any additional amounts expected to be drawn down in the future by default date determined based on historical trend, the Group's understanding of the specific future financing needs of the debtors, and other relevant forward-looking information.

For financial assets, ECL is estimated as the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Group in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

For a financial guarantee contract, as the Group is required to make payments only in the event of a default by the debtor in accordance with the terms of the instrument that is guaranteed, the expected loss allowance is the expected payments to reimburse the holder for a credit loss that it incurs less any amounts that the Group expects to receive from the holder, the debtor or any other party.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Measurement and recognition of ECL (continued)

If the Group has measured the loss allowance for a financial instrument at an amount equal to lifetime ECL in the previous reporting period, but determines at the current reporting date that the conditions for lifetime ECL are no longer met, the Group measures the loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month ECL at the current reporting date, except for assets for which the simplified approach was used.

The Group recognizes an impairment gain or loss in profit or loss for all financial instruments with a corresponding adjustment to their carrying amount through a loss allowance account.

Derecognition of financial assets

The Group derecognizes a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. If the Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Group recognizes its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Group retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Group continues to recognize the financial asset and also recognizes a collateralized borrowing for the proceeds received.

Hedge accounting

The Group designates certain derivatives as hedging instruments in respect of foreign currency risk and interest rate risk in fair value hedges, hedges of certain interest rate and commodity derivatives as cash flow hedges.

At the inception of the hedge relationship, the Group documents the relationship between the hedging instrument and the hedged item, along with its risk management objectives and its strategy for undertaking various hedge transactions. Furthermore, at the inception of the hedge and on an ongoing basis, the Group documents whether the hedging instrument is effective in offsetting changes in fair values or cash flows of the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk, which is when the hedging relationship meets all of the following hedge effectiveness requirements:

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

If a hedging relationship ceases to meet the hedge effectiveness requirement relating to the hedge ratio but the risk management objective for that designated hedging relationship remains the same, the Group adjusts the hedge ratio of the hedging relationship (i.e. rebalances the hedge) so that it meets the qualifying criteria again.

The Group designates the full change in the fair value of a forward contract (i.e. including the forward elements) and interest rate swap contracts as the hedging instrument for all of its hedging relationships involving forward/interest rate swap contracts.

The Group designates only the intrinsic value of option contracts as a hedged item, i.e. excluding the time value of the option. The changes in the fair value of the aligned time value of the option are recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the cost of hedging reserve. If the hedged item is transaction-related, the time value is reclassified to profit or loss when the hedged item affects profit or loss. If the hedged item is time-period related, then the amount accumulated in the cost of hedging reserve is reclassified to profit or loss on a rational basis — the Group applies straight-line amortization. Those reclassified amounts are recognized in profit or loss in the same line as the hedged item. If the hedged item is a non-financial item, then the amount accumulated in the cost of hedging reserve is removed directly from equity and included in the initial carrying amount of the recognized non-financial item. Furthermore, if the Group expects that some or all of the loss accumulated in cost of hedging reserve will not be recovered in the future, that amount is immediately reclassified to profit or loss.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Hedge accounting (continued)

Fair value hedges

The fair value change on qualifying hedging instruments is recognized in profit or loss.

The carrying amount of a hedged item not already measured at fair value is adjusted for the fair value change attributable to the hedged risk with a corresponding entry in profit or loss.

Where hedging gains or losses are recognized in profit or loss, they are recognized in the same line as the hedged item.

The Group discontinues hedge accounting only when the hedging relationship (or a part thereof) ceases to meet the qualifying criteria (after rebalancing, if applicable). This includes instances when the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised. The discontinuation is accounted for prospectively. The fair value adjustment to the carrying amount of the hedged item arising from the hedged risk is amortized to profit or loss from that date.

Cash flow hedges

The effective portion of changes in the fair value of derivatives and other qualifying hedging instruments that are designated and qualify as cash flow hedges is recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated under the heading of cash flow hedging reserve, limited to the cumulative change in fair value of the hedged item from inception of the hedge. The gain or loss relating to the ineffective portion is recognized immediately in profit or loss, and is included in the 'other gains and losses'.

Amounts previously recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity are reclassified to profit or loss in the periods when the hedged item affects profit or loss. However, when the hedged forecast transaction results in the recognition of a non-financial asset or a non-financial liability, the gains and losses previously recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity are transferred from equity and included in the initial measurement of the cost of the non-financial asset or non-financial liability. This transfer does not affect other comprehensive income. Furthermore, if the Group expects that some or all of the loss accumulated in the cash flow hedging reserve will not be recovered in the future, that amount is immediately reclassified to profit or loss.

The Group discontinues hedge accounting only when the hedging relationship (or a part thereof) ceases to meet the qualifying criteria (after rebalancing, if applicable). This includes instances when the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised. The discontinuation is accounted for prospectively. Any gain or loss recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in cash flow hedge reserve at that time remains in equity and is reclassified to profit or loss when the forecast transaction occurs. When a forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, the gain or loss accumulated in the cash flow hedge reserve is reclassified immediately to profit or loss.

Derivative financial instruments

The Group enters into a variety of derivative financial instruments to manage its exposure to interest rate, foreign exchange rate and commodity price risks, including foreign exchange forward contracts, options and interest rate swaps.

Derivatives are recognized initially at fair value at the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured to their fair value at each reporting date. The resulting gain or loss is recognized in profit or loss immediately unless the derivative is designated and effective as a hedging instrument, in which event the timing of the recognition in profit or loss depends on the nature of the hedge relationship.

A derivative with a positive fair value is recognized as a financial asset whereas a derivative with a negative fair value is recognized as a financial liability. Derivatives are not offset in the financial statements unless the Group has both a legally enforceable right and intention to offset. A derivative is presented as a non-current asset or a non-current liability if the remaining maturity of the instrument is more than 12 months and it is not due to be realized or settled within 12 months. Other derivatives are presented as current assets or current liabilities.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Derivative financial instruments (continued)

Embedded derivatives

An embedded derivative is a component of a hybrid contract that also includes a non-derivative host — with the effect that some of the cash flows of the combined instrument vary in a way similar to a stand-alone derivative.

Derivatives embedded in hybrid contracts with a financial asset host within the scope of IFRS 9 are not separated. The entire hybrid contract is classified and subsequently measured as either amortized cost or fair value as appropriate.

Derivatives embedded in hybrid contracts with hosts that are not financial assets within the scope of IFRS 9 (e.g. financial liabilities) are treated as separate derivatives when they meet the definition of a derivative, their risks and characteristics are not closely related to those of the host contracts and the host contracts are not measured at FVTPL.

If the hybrid contract is a quoted financial liability, instead of separating the embedded derivative, the Group generally designates the whole hybrid contract at FVTPL.

An embedded derivative is presented as a non-current asset or non-current liability if the remaining maturity of the hybrid instrument to which the embedded derivative relates is more than 12 months and is not expected to be realized or settled within 12 months.

Financial liabilities and equity

Financial liabilities

All financial liabilities are measured subsequently at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortized cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or (where appropriate) a shorter period, to the amortized cost of a financial liability.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

The Group derecognizes financial liabilities when, and only when, the Group's obligations are discharged, cancelled or have expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid and payable is recognized in profit or loss.

Classification as debt or equity

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Group are recognized at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

Repurchase of the Company's own equity instruments is recognized and deducted directly in equity. No gain or loss is recognized in profit or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of the Company's own equity instruments.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of ordinary shares are recognized as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments (continued)

Offsetting

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Group currently has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and it intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

(g) Property, plant and equipment

Recognition and measurement

Items of property plant and equipment (except land and capital work in progress) are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and identified impairment losses (see accounting policy on impairment), if any.

Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. The cost of self-constructed assets includes the following:

- cost of materials and direct labour;
- any other costs directly attributable to bringing the assets to a working condition for their intended use;
 and
- capitalized borrowing costs.

Purchased software that is integral to the functionality of the related equipment is capitalized as part of that equipment. If significant parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment. Any gain or loss on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognized in the profit or loss.

Subsequent expenditure

Subsequent expenditure is capitalized only when it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the expenditure will flow to the Group. Ongoing repairs and maintenance is expensed as incurred.

Reclassification to investment property

When the use of a property changes from owner-occupied to investment property, the property is reclassified as investment property at its carrying value at the time of reclassification considering that the accounting policy for investment property is the 'Cost Model' in accordance with IAS 40.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost of items of property, plant and equipment (except land and capital work in progress) less their estimated residual values using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives. Leased assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives unless it is reasonably certain that the Group will obtain ownership by the end of the lease term. Land is not depreciated. The estimated useful lives for the current and comparative years of significant items of property, plant and equipment are as follows:

		Life (years)
•	Buildings	20-35
•	Plant and equipment	4-15
•	Vehicles	3-10
•	Furniture and fixtures	3-10
•	Office equipment	2-10
•	Roads and asphalting	5-10

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted if appropriate.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(h) Capital work in progress

Capital work in progress is stated at cost less impairment, if any, until the construction is completed. Upon completion of construction, the cost of such assets together with the cost directly attributable to construction, including capitalized borrowing costs are transferred to the respective class of asset. No depreciation is charged on capital work in progress.

(i) Intangible assets

Recognition and measurement

Other intangible asset, which are acquired by the Group and have finite useful lives are measured at cost less accumulated amortization and identified impairment losses, if any. Trademarks are initially measured at the purchase cost and are amortized on a straight line basis over their estimated lives.

Subsequent expenditure

Subsequent expenditure is capitalized only when it increases the future economic benefits embodied in the specific asset to which it relates.

Amortization

Amortization is calculated to write off the cost of intangible assets less their estimated residual values using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives of 5 to 15 years from the date that they are available for use, and is generally recognized in profit or loss. Amortization methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted if appropriate.

(j) Investment properties

Investment properties are properties held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or for both, but not for sale in the ordinary course of business, use in the production or supply of goods or rendering services or for administrative purposes.

Investment properties are accounted for using the "Cost Model" under the IAS 40 "Investment Property" and is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. Depreciation on buildings is charged over its estimated useful life of 20 to 35 years. Investment properties are individually tested for impairment, at least annually, based on their prevailing fair market values. Any impairment to the carrying value is charged to profit or loss.

Cost includes expenditure which is directly attributable to the acquisition of the investment property. The cost of self-constructed investment properties includes the cost of materials and direct labour, any other costs directly attributable to bringing the investment property to a working condition for their intended use and capitalized borrowing costs.

The cost of investment properties acquired in exchange for a non-monetary asset or assets, or a combination of monetary and non-monetary assets, comprises the fair value of the asset received or asset given up. If the fair value of the asset received and asset given up can be measured reliably, the fair value of the asset given up is used to measure cost, unless the fair value of the asset received is more clearly evident. Any gain or loss on disposal of investment properties (calculated as the difference between the net proceeds from disposal and the carrying amount of the item) is recognized in profit or loss.

When the use of properties changes such that it is reclassified as property, plant and equipment or inventory, the transfer is effected at the carrying value of such property at the date of reclassification.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(k) Leases

At inception of the contract, the Group assesses whether a contract is or contains a lease. The Group recognizes a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability with respect to all lease arrangements in which it is the lessee, except for short-term leases (defined as leases with a lease term of 12 months or less) and leases of low value assets. For these leases, the Group recognizes the lease payments as an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease unless another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased assets are consumed.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted by using the rate implicit in the lease. If this rate cannot be readily determined, the lessee uses its incremental borrowing rate.

Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability comprise:

- fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable,
- amounts expected to be payable by the lessee under residual value guarantees,
- the exercise price of a purchase option if the lessee is reasonably certain to exercise that option, and
- payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the lessee exercising that option.

The lease liability is subsequently measured by increasing the carrying amount to reflect interest on the lease liability (using the effective interest method) and by reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made.

The Group re-measures the lease liability (and makes a corresponding adjustment to the related right-of-use asset) whenever:

- The lease term has changed or there is a significant event or change in circumstances resulting in a change
 in the assessment of exercise of a purchase option, in which case the lease liability is re-measured by
 discounting the revised lease payments using a revised discount rate.
- The lease payments change due to changes in an index or rate or a change in expected payment under a
 guaranteed residual value, in which cases the lease liability is re-measured by discounting the revised lease
 payments using an unchanged discount rate. If the change in lease payments is due to a change in a floating
 interest rate, then the discount rate is also revised.
- A lease contract is modified and the lease modification is not accounted for as a separate lease, in which case the lease liability is re-measured based on the lease term of the modified lease by discounting the revised lease payments using a revised discount rate at the effective date of the modification.

The Group did not make any such adjustments during the period(s) presented.

The right-of-use assets comprise the initial measurement of the corresponding lease liability, lease payments made at or before the commencement day, less any lease incentives received and any initial direct costs. They are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Whenever the Group incurs an obligation for costs to dismantle and remove a leased asset, restore the site on which it is located or restore the underlying asset to the condition required by the terms and conditions of the lease, a provision is recognized and measured under IAS 37. To the extent that the costs relate to a right-of-use asset, the costs are included in the related right-of-use asset, unless those costs are incurred to produce inventories.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(k) Leases (continued)

Right-of-use assets are depreciated over the shorter period of lease term and useful life of the underlying asset. If a lease transfers ownership of the underlying asset or the cost of the right-of-use asset reflects that the Group expects to exercise a purchase option, the related right-of-use asset is depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset. The depreciation starts at the commencement date of the lease.

The Group applies IAS 36 to determine whether a right-of-use asset is impaired and accounts for any identified impairment loss as described in the 'Property, Plant and Equipment' policy. As a practical expedient, IFRS 16 permits a lessee not to separate non-lease components, and instead account for any lease and associated non-lease components as a single arrangement. The Group has not used this practical expedient.

The Group as lessor

The Group enters into lease agreements as a lessor with respect to some of its investment properties.

Leases for which the Group is a lessor are classified as finance or operating leases. Whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee, the contract is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

When the Group is an intermediate lessor, it accounts for the head lease and the sublease as two separate contracts. The sublease is classified as a finance or operating lease by reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease.

Rental income from operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Amounts due from lessees under finance leases are recognized as receivables at the amount of the Group's net investment in the leases. Finance lease income is allocated to accounting periods so as to reflect a constant periodic rate of return on the Group's net investment outstanding in respect of the leases. When a contract includes lease and non-lease components, the Group applies IFRS 15 to allocate the consideration under the contract to each component.

Leased assets

Leases of assets that transfer to the Group substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as finance leases. The leased assets are measured initially at an amount equal to the lower of their fair value and the present value of the minimum lease payments. Subsequent to initial recognition, the assets are accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy applicable to that asset.

Assets held under other leases are classified as operating leases and are not recognized in the Group's consolidated statement of financial position

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(I) Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value. The cost of inventories is based on the weighted average cost method, and includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories, production or conversion costs, and other costs incurred in bringing them to their existing location and condition. In the case of manufactured inventories and work in progress, cost includes an appropriate share of production overheads based on normal operating capacity. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the estimated costs of completion and selling expenses.

(m) Impairment of non-financial assets

At each reporting date, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of its non-financial assets (other than investment property, inventories and deferred tax assets) to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. Goodwill is tested annually for impairment or more frequently if there are indicators that goodwill might be impaired. Where the asset does not generate cash flows that are independent from other assets, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. When a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual cash-generating units, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of cash-generating units for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Intangible assets with an indefinite useful life are tested for impairment at least annually or whenever there is an indication at the end of a reporting period that the asset may be impaired.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized immediately in profit or loss to the extent that it eliminates the impairment loss which has been recognized for the asset in prior years.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(n) Employee benefits

Short- term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are expensed as the related service is provided. A liability is recognized for the amount expected to be paid if the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Defined contribution plans

UAE national employees of the Group are members of the Government-managed retirement pension and social security benefit scheme pursuant to U.A.E. labour law no. 7 of 1999. The Group is required to contribute 12.5% of the "contribution calculation salary" of payroll costs to the retirement benefit scheme to fund the benefits. The employees and the Government contribute 5% and 2.5% of the "contribution calculation salary" respectively, to the scheme. The only obligation of the Group with respect to the retirement pension and social security scheme is to make the specified contributions. The contributions are charged to profit or loss.

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.

Terminal benefits

The provision for staff terminal benefits is based on the liability which would arise if the employment of all staff was terminated at the reporting date and is calculated in accordance with the provisions of UAE Federal Labour Law and the relevant local laws applicable to overseas subsidiaries. Management considers these as long-term obligations and accordingly they are classified as long-term liabilities.

(o) Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that the Group will be required to settle that obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

The amount recognized as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. Where a provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation, its carrying amount is the present value of those cash flows (when the effect of the time value of money is material).

When some or all of the economic benefits required to settle a provision are expected to be recovered from a third party, if it is virtually certain that such reimbursement will be received and the amount of the receivable can be measured reliably, a receivable is recognized as an asset.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(p) Warranties

A provision for warranties is recognized when the underlying products or services are sold, based on historical warranty data and a weighting of possible outcomes against their associated probabilities.

(q) Assets held for sale

Non-current assets (and disposal groups) classified as held for sale are measured at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

Non-current assets and disposal groups are classified as held for sale if their carrying amount will be recovered through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use. This condition is regarded as met only when the sale is highly probable and the asset (or disposal group) is available for immediate sale in its present condition. Management must be committed to the sale which should be expected to qualify for recognition as a completed sale within one year from the date of classification.

When the Group is committed to a sale plan involving loss of control of a subsidiary, all of the assets and liabilities of that subsidiary are classified as held for sale when the criteria described above are met, regardless of whether the Group will retain a non-controlling interest in its former subsidiary after the sale.

When the Group is committed to a sale plan involving disposal of an investment in an associate or, a portion of an investment in an associate, the investment, or the portion of the investment in the associate, that will be disposed of is classified as held for sale when the criteria described above are met. The Group then ceases to apply the equity method in relation to the portion that is classified as held for sale. Any retained portion of an investment in an associate that has not been classified as held for sale continues to be accounted for using the equity method.

(r) Revenue

The Group recognizes revenue mainly from sale of goods consisting of tiles, sanitary wares, and related items. Revenue is measured based on the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in a contract with a customer and excludes amounts collected on behalf of third parties. The Group recognizes revenue when it transfers control of a product or service to a customer.

For sales of goods to the wholesale market, revenue is recognized when control of the goods has transferred, being when the goods have been shipped to the wholesaler's specific location (delivery). Following delivery, the wholesaler has full discretion over the manner of distribution and price to sell the goods, has the primary responsibility when on-selling the goods and bears the risks of obsolescence and loss in relation to the goods. A receivable is recognized by the Group when the goods are delivered to the wholesaler as this represents the point in time at which the right to consideration becomes unconditional, as only the passage of time is required before payment is due.

For sales of goods to retail customers, revenue is recognized when control of the goods has transferred, being at the point the customer purchases the goods at the retail outlet. Payment of the transaction price is due immediately at the point the customer purchases the goods.

The Group has a right to recover the product when customers exercise their right of return. Consequently, the Group recognizes a right to returned goods asset and a corresponding adjustment to cost of sales. The Group uses its past experience to estimate the number of returns on a portfolio level using the expected value method. It is considered highly probable that a significant reversal in the cumulative revenue recognized will not occur given the consistent level of returns over previous years.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(r) Revenue (continued)

Rendering of services

Revenue is recognized point in time as services are provided. Invoices for services are issued when the Group provides services and are payable in accordance with the credit terms or agreements.

Dividend income

Dividend income is recognized in profit or loss on the date that the Group's right to receive the payment is established.

(s) Finance income and finance costs

Finance income comprises interest income on bank deposits, profit on wakala deposits and amount due from related parties. Finance income is recognized in profit or loss as it accrues, using the effective interest rate method.

Finance cost comprises interest expense on bank borrowings, profit expense on Islamic financing and bank charges. All finance costs are recognized in profit or loss using the effective interest rate method. However, borrowing costs which are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of a qualifying asset are capitalized as part of the cost of that asset.

A qualifying asset is an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale. Capitalization of borrowing costs ceases when substantially all the activities necessary to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are complete.

Foreign currency gains and losses are reported on a net basis as either finance income or finance cost depending on whether the foreign currency movements are in a net gain or net loss position.

(t) Tax

The income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in profit or loss because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Group's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

A provision is recognized for those matters for which the tax determination is uncertain but it is considered probable that there will be a future outflow of funds to a tax authority. The provisions are measured at the best estimate of the amount expected to become payable. The assessment is based on the judgement of tax professionals within the Company supported by previous experience in respect of such activities.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(t) Tax (continued)

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the liability method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognized for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilized. Such assets and liabilities are not recognized if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit. In addition, a deferred tax liability is not recognized if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of goodwill.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for taxable temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries and associates, and interests in joint ventures, except where the Group is able to control the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences associated with such investments and interests are only recognized to the extent that it is probable that there will be sufficient taxable profits against which to utilize the benefits of the temporary differences and they are expected to reverse in the foreseeable future.

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 profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realized based on tax laws and rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Group expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Group intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

Current tax and deferred tax for the year

Current and deferred tax are recognized in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognized in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred tax are also recognized in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively. Where current tax or deferred tax arises from the initial accounting for a business combination, the tax effect is included in the accounting for the business combination.

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4. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(t) Tax (continued)

Zakat

In respect of operations in certain subsidiaries and equity accounted investees, zakat is provided in accordance with relevant fiscal regulations. Zakat is recognized in profit or loss except to the extent it relates to items recognized directly in equity, in which case it is recognized in equity.

The provision for zakat is charged to profit or loss. Additional amount, if any, that may become due on finalization of an asset is accounted for in the year in which assessment is finalized.

(u) Basic and diluted earnings per share

The Group presents basic and diluted earnings per share data for its ordinary shares. Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year, adjusted for own shares held. Diluted earnings per share is determined by adjusting the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders and the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding, adjusted for own shares held, for the effects of all dilutive potential ordinary shares.

(v) Segment reporting

An operating segment is a component of the Group which engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses, including revenues and expenses that relate to transactions with any of the Group's other components.

Segment results which are reported to the Company's CEO (chief operating decision maker) include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those which can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Segment capital expenditure is the total cost incurred during the year to acquire property, plant and equipment, and intangible assets other than goodwill.

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5. Revenue

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Sale of goods Others	2,334,467 15,022	2,554,204 20,329
	2,349,489	2,574,533

The Group derives its revenue from contracts with customers for transfer of goods at a point in time.

(a) Disaggregation of revenue by geographical markets

31 December 2020	Ceramic products AED'000	Other industrial AED'000	Others AED'000	Total AED'000
Middle East (ME)	1,186,652	50,673	12,838	1,250,163
Europe	387,216	144	-	387,360
Asian countries	527,779	60,812	2,184	590,775
Other regions	117,204	3,987	-	121,191
	2,218,851	115,616	15,022	2,349,489
31 December 2019	Ceramics	Other		
	products	industrial	Others	Total
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Middle East (ME)	1,206,421	44,679	17,974	1,269,074
Europe	425,281	-	-	425,281
Asian countries	648,391	71,021	2,355	721,767
Other regions	155,791	2,620	-	158,411
	2,435,884	118,320	20,329	2,574,533

6. Cost of sales

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Raw materials consumed	663,356	758,556
Change in inventory of finished goods Allowance for slow moving inventories – net (refer note 20)	140,211 20,245	52,098 9,781
Direct labor	189,082	218,635
Power and fuel	112,884	130,299
LPG and natural gas	147,020	189,838
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	110,879	111,537
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (refer note 16)	104	157
Repairs and maintenance expense	87,490	98,674
Packing material expenses	85,591	102,866
Others	39,763	46,557
	1,596,625	1,718,998

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7. Administrative and general expenses

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Staff salaries and other associated costs	83,073	97,424
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	19,660	18,502
Depreciation on investment properties (refer note 18)	11,336	10,616
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (refer note 16)	1,530	2,041
Amortization of intangible assets (refer note 17)	6,678	6,365
Telephone, postal and office supplies	4,073	5,548
Repairs and maintenance expenses	5,139	6,100
Legal and professional fees	13,773	12,552
Utility expenses	4,206	4,797
Security charges	2,717	2,005
Information technology licenses and consultancy expenses	10,420	10,677
Expenses on investment properties	9,285	8,935
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,438	-
Others	25,977	25,118
	199,305	210,680

Others include AED 0.48 million (2019: AED 0.18 million) towards social contribution expenses.

7(i) Impairment loss/(reversal)

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Impairment loss on trade receivables Impairment loss on other receivables	46,722 8,866	12,991 -
Reversal of impairment loss on due from related parties	(4,404)	(23,004)
	51,184	(10,013)

Includes impairment loss of AED 23.1 million on dues in relation to leased hotel (2019: Nil).

8. Selling and distribution expenses

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Staff salaries and other associated costs	119,897	143,272
Freight and transportation	178,297	133,879
Agents' commission	22,233	28,032
Advertisement and promotions expenses	35,595	51,094
Rental expenses	2,827	5,835
Travel and entertainment expenses	2,210	5,077
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	7,383	6,584
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (refer note 16)	23,612	21,603
Others	17,134	16,246
	409,188	411,622

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9. Other operating income

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Rental income from investment properties (refer note 18(iii))	27,775	30,558
Sale of scrap and miscellaneous items	3,015	2,211
Insurance claims	769	3,417
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	1,379
Discount earned	5,642	2,684
Other miscellaneous income	20,179	15,914
	57,380	56,163

10. Finance costs and income

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Finance costs		
Interest on bank financing	53,280	50,315
Profit expense on Islamic financing	19,370	24,784
Interest on amount due to related parties (refer note 21)	13	33
Interest expense on lease liabilities	5,383	5,913
Bank charges	2,970	2,919
Net foreign exchange loss	-	6,105
Net change in the fair value of derivatives	3,261	-
Total (A)	84,277	90,069
Finance income		
Interest on bank deposits	7,105	6,022
Profit on wakala deposits	251	190
Net change in the fair value of derivatives	-	2,666
Net foreign exchange gain	14,408	-
Total (B)	21,764	8,878
Net finance costs (A-B)	62,513	81,191

11. Investments in equity accounted investees

Movement in investments in equity accounted investees is set out below:

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Balance at 1 January	40,042	42,606
Acquisition of an equity accounted investee	604	-
Gain on acquisition of equity accounted investee	103	-
Share of profit	16,741	13,630
Dividend received during the year	(7,978)	(16,194)
Effect of movement in exchange rates	1,084	
Balance at 31 December	50,596	40,042

Details of interest in equity accounted investees are disclosed in Note 36.

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11. Investments in equity accounted investees (continued)

The following summarizes the information relating to the Group's investment in equity accounted investees:

	Kludi RAK L	.LC (51%)	Othe	ers	Tot	al
December	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019
			AED'000			
Non-current assets	9,989	7,998	13,897	14,097	23,886	22,095
Current assets						
(*includes cash & cash equivalents of AED 16.66 million (2019: AED 2.51 million)	98,995*	90,285*	29,322	21,849	128,317	112,134
Non-current liabilities						
(*comprises provision for employees' end of service benefits)	8,921*	3,336*	8,279	12,726	17,200	16,062
Current liabilities						
(*comprises trade payables and provisions)	25,837*	32,906*	8,747	7,061*	34,584	39,967*
Net assets	74,226	62,041	26,193	16,159	100,419	78,200
Group's share of net assets	37,855	31,641	12,741	8,401	50,596	40,042
Revenue	142,186	153,885	23,366	19,639	165,552	173,524
Depreciation and amortization	1,596	1,732	-	-	1,596	1,732
Interest income	152	151	-	-	152	151
Profit	27,184	27,598	5,692	257	32,876	27,855
Group's share of profit	13,864	14,075	2,877	(445)	16,741	13,630
Dividend received by the Group	7,650	15,810	328	384	7,978	16,194

⁽i) RAK Watertech LLC, RAK Chimica LLC, Kludi RAK LLC have been considered as Joint Ventures of the Group since the Group has joint control of these entities with other partners and has rights to the net assets of the arrangement.

⁽ii) In April 2020, the Group acquired a 25% equity interest in Naranjee Hirjee Hotel Supplies LLC (Oman), at a total consideration of AED 0.60 million resulting in a gain on acquisition amounting to AED 0.10 million.

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12. Income tax

Foreign operations of the Group are liable for corporate taxes in the respective jurisdictions at prevailing tax rates. The corporate taxes are payable on the total income of the foreign operations after making the adjustments for certain disallowable expenses, exempt income and investment and other allowances.

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Current tax		
In respect of current year	11,884	19,635
Deferred tax		
Origination and reversal of temporary tax differences during the year	2,680	7,057
Tax expense for the year	14,564	26,692
Provision for tax	175,946	170,682
Deferred tax assets	4,066	3,966
Deferred tax liabilities	10,697	8,413

The Company operates in an income tax free jurisdiction. The Group's consolidated effective tax rate is 8.33% for 2020 (2019: 8.53%) which is primarily due to the effect of tax rates in foreign jurisdictions.

13. (Loss)/earnings per share

,703	993,703
720)	164,378
	2020 9,720)

There was no dilution effect on the basic (loss)/earnings per share as the Company does not have any such outstanding share commitments as at the reporting date.

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14. Property, plant and equipment

	Land and buildings AED'000	Plant and equipment AED'000	Vehicles AED'000	Furniture and fixtures AED'000	Office equipment AED'000	Road and asphalting AED'000	Capital work in progress AED'000	Total AED'000
Cost	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000	AED 000
Balance at 1 January 2019	611,168	2,835,402	48,260	54,455	70,200	21,607	143,776	3,784,868
Additions during the year	33,066	10,847	1,539	3,355	2,990	160	120,757	172,714
Transfer from capital work in progress	32,047	174,306	69	1,598	460	3,611	(212,091)	-
Transfer to intangible assets (refer note 17)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,380)	(1,380)
Transfer to investment properties (refer note 18)	(17,318)	-	-	-	-	-	(279)	(17,597)
Eliminated on disposals/write offs	(2,259)	(140,205)	(1,968)	(1,400)	(4,057)	-	(119)	(150,008)
Effect of movements in exchange rates	(37,299)	(179,366)	(2,927)	(1,497)	(838)	(1,508)	(4,174)	(227,609)
Balance at 31 December 2019	619,405	2,700,984	44,973	56,511	68,755	23,870	46,490	3,560,988
Balance at 1 January 2020	619,405	2,700,984	44,973	56,511	68,755	23,870	46,490	3,560,988
Hyperinflation impact (refer note 34)	-	169,614	3,075	599	554	1,671	8	175,521
Additions during the year	2,364	2,160	1,081	2,892	1,753	100	92,119	102,469
Transfer from capital work in progress	18,681	45,227	-	3,072	376	-	(67,356)	-
Transfer to intangible assets (refer note 17)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,050)	(4,050)
Transfer from investment properties (refer note 18)	41,662	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,662
Eliminated on disposals/write offs	(2,047)	(10,254)	(1,227)	(5,870)	(3,939)	-	(12)	(23,349)
Effect of movements in exchange rates	9,496	(114,501)	(2,058)	187	(169)	(1,238)	(15)	(108,298)
Balance at 31 December 2020	689,561	2,793,230	45,844	57,391	67,330	24,403	67,184	3,744,943

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14. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

	Land and buildings AED'000	Plant and equipment AED'000	Vehicles AED'000	Furniture and fixtures AED'000	Office equipment AED'000	Road and asphalting AED'000	Capital work in progress AED'000	Total AED'000
Accumulated depreciation and impairment								
Balance at 1 January 2019	328,384	2,115,332	43,894	41,005	58,019	16,933	-	2,603,567
Charge for the year	18,249	104,206	1,440	6,232	5,520	976	-	136,623
Transfer to investment properties	(11,158)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(11,158)
Eliminated on disposals/write offs	(1,783)	(139,310)	(1,880)	(1,377)	(4,036)	-	-	(148,386)
Effect of movements in exchange rates	(23,506)	(144,767)	(2,871)	(473)	(541)	(1,492)	-	(173,650)
Balance at 31 December 2019	310,186	1,935,461	40,583	45,387	58,962	16,417	-	2,406,996
Balance at 1 January 2020	310,186	1,935,461	40,583	45,387	58,962	16,417	-	2,406,996
Hyperinflation impact (refer note 34)	-	152,627	3,051	415	297	1,494	-	157,884
Charge for the year	18,759	107,602	1,057	4,888	4,504	1,112	-	137,922
Transfer from investment properties	11,539	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,539
Eliminated on disposals/write offs	(1,216)	(9,544)	(1,118)	(4,090)	(3,921)	-	-	(19,889)
Effect of movements in exchange rates	2,009	(100,814)	(2,029)	205	(56)	(1,104)	-	(101,789)
Balance at 31 December 2020	341,277	2,085,332	41,544	46,805	59,786	17,919	-	2,592,663
Carrying amount								
31 December 2020	348,284	707,898	4,300	10,586	7,544	6,484	67,184	1,152,280
31 December 2019	309,219	765,523	4,390	11,124	9,793	7,453	46,490	1,153,992

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14. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The depreciation charge has been allocated as follows:

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Cost of sales (refer note 6)	110,879	111,537
Administrative and general expenses (refer note 7)	19,660	18,502
Selling and distribution expenses (refer note 8)	7,383	6,584
	137,922	136,623

(i) Land and buildings

Certain of the Group's factory buildings are constructed on plots of land measuring in total 46,634,931 sq.ft. which were received free of cost from the Government of Ras Al Khaimah under an Emiri Decree.

(ii) Capital work-in-progress

Capital work in progress mainly comprises building structures under construction and heavy equipment, machinery and software under installation.

(iii) Impairment of property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment includes AED 20.19 million (2019: AED 23.83 million) pertaining to one of the manufacturing units of the Group where production had previously been suspended. Management carried out an impairment test for this property, plant and equipment based on the fair value as determined by an independent valuer. The fair value measurement has been categorized as a Level 3 fair value based on the inputs to the valuation technique used. Based on the valuation, no impairment loss has been recorded against plant and equipment in the current year (2019: nil).

(iv) Transfer from/(to) investment properties

During the year, the Group transferred an investment property to a self-occupied property with a carrying amount of AED 30.12 million. During 2019, the Group reclassified land and buildings with a carrying amount of AED 6.16 million from property, plant and equipment to investment properties due to the change in nature of its use.

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15. Goodwill

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Balance as at 1 January Add: effect of movements in exchange rate	120,378 183	120,144 234
Balance as at 31 December	120,561	120,378

As at 31 December 2020, Goodwill comprises AED 50.4 million, AED 5.5 million, AED 6.2 million, AED 27 million and AED 31.5 million recognized on acquisition of Ceramin FZ LLC, RAK Ceramics UK Limited, RAK Distribution Europe S.A.R.L, ARK International Trading Company Limited and RAK Saudi LLC respectively.

The Group tests goodwill annually for impairment, or more frequently if there are indications that goodwill might be impaired.

During the current year, management carried out impairment tests based on "value in use" method of goodwill recognized on the acquisition of subsidiaries. These calculations were based on cash flow projections using forecasted operating results of the respective cash generating units. The key assumptions used to determine the values were as follows:

	2020	2019
Discount rate	8%-12%	8%-15%
Average annual growth rate	8%-13%	8%-13%
Terminal value growth rate	1%	1%
Years of forecast	5 years	5 years

Based on the assessment, the Group has not recorded any impairment loss during the year (2019: Nil) as the recoverable amounts were higher than the carrying values as at the reporting date.

The discount rate is a pre-tax measure based on the rate of 20-year US treasury bond, adjusted for country, market, size, company specific risks, etc. to reflect both the increased risk of investing in equities generally and the systematic risk of the specific CGU.

Budgeted EBITDA was based on expectations of future outcomes taking into account past experience, adjusted for anticipated revenue growth. Revenue growth was projected taking into account the average growth levels experienced over the past five years and the estimated sales volume and price growth for the next five years.

The Group has conducted an analysis of the sensitivity of the impairment test to changes in the key assumptions used to determine the recoverable amount for each of the cash generating units to which goodwill is allocated. Management believe that a reasonably possible change in key assumptions would not cause the carrying amount to exceed the recoverable amount.

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16. Rights-of-use assets

Nights-of-use assets			
	Properties AED'000	Vehicles AED'000	Total AED'000
Cost			
Balance at 1 January 2019	123,468	6,196	129,664
Additions during the year	15,321	1,447	16,768
Deletions	(3,284)	-	(3,284)
Effects of movements in exchange rate	(4,512)	(120)	(4,632)
Balance at 31 December 2019	130,993	7,523	138,516
Balance at 1 January 2020	130,993	7,523	138,516
Additions during the year	31,933	2,493	34,426
Deletions	(33,302)	(1,412)	(34,714)
Effects of movements in exchange rate	1,823	102	1,925
Balance at 31 December 2020	131,447	8,706	140,153
Accumulated depreciation			
Balance at 1 January 2019	31,986	1,562	33,548
Additions	22,266	1,535	23,801
Deletions	(1,203)	-	(1,203)
Effects of movements in exchange rate	(887)	(7)	(894)
Balance at 31 December 2019	52,162	3,090	55,252
Balance at 1 January 2020	52,162	3,090	55,252
Additions	23,908	1,338	25,246
Deletions	(18,047)	(449)	(18,496)
Effects of movements in exchange rate	751	51	802
Balance at 31 December 2020	58,774	4,030	62,804
Carrying amount			
31 December 2020	72,673	4,676	77,349
31 December 2019	78,831	4,433	83,264
The depreciation charge has been allocated as follows:			
The depreciation charge has been allocated as follows:		2020	2019
		AED'000	AED'000
Cost of sales (refer note 6)		104	157
Administrative and general expenses (refer note 7)		1,530	2,041
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The Group leases several assets including showrooms and vehicles. The average lease term is 5 years. The maturity analysis of lease liabilities is disclosed in note 27.

23,612

25,246

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23,801

Amounts recognized in consolidated statement of profit or loss

Selling and distribution expenses (refer note 8)

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Depreciation expenses of right-of-use assets	25,246	23,801
Expenses relating to short-term leases / low value assets	3,507	6,839
Interest expense on lease liabilities	5,383	5,913

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17. Intangible assets

Balance at 31 December	27,402	25,833
Effect of movement in exchange rates	226	(88)
Amortization for the year (refer note 7)	(6,678)	(6,365)
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	4,050	1,380
Additions during the year	3,971	3,663
Balance at 1 January	25,833	27,243
	AED'000	AED'000
	2020	2019

Intangible assets mainly comprise ERP software, implemented in the Company and certain subsidiaries and trademarks.

18. Investment properties

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Cost		
Balance at 1 January	1,295,906	1,279,439
Hyperinflation impact (refer note 34)	37,861	-
Additions during the year	38	271
Transfer (to)/from property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	(41,662)	17,597
Effect of movement in exchange rates	(26,379)	(1,401)
Balance at 31 December	1,265,764	1,295,906
Accumulated depreciation		
Balance at 1 January	119,513	98,248
Hyperinflation impact (refer note 34)	24,642	-
Charge for the year (refer note 7)	11,336	10,616
Impairment charge	213,170	-
Transfer (to)/from property, plant and equipment (refer note 14)	(11,539)	11,158
Effect of movement in exchange rates	(17,517)	(509)
Balance at 31 December	339,605	119,513
Carrying amount – at 31 December	926,159	1,176,393
Fair value – at 31 December	1,049,962	1,343,500

⁽i) Investment properties comprise land and buildings that are located in the United Arab Emirates, Bangladesh, Lebanon and Iran.

⁽ii) The investment properties located outside U.A.E amount to AED 41.75 million (2019: AED 46.23 million).

⁽iii) During the year ended 31 December 2020, the Group earned rental income amounting to AED 27.78 million (2019: AED 30.56 million) from its investment properties (refer note 9) and direct operating expenses incurred on these investment properties amounted to AED 9.29 million (2019: 8.94 million) (Note 7).

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18. Investment properties (continued)

The fair value of the Group's investment properties at 31 December 2020 has been arrived at on the basis of an independent property valuation as of that date. The valuers possess appropriate qualifications and recent experience in the valuation of properties in the location and category of the property being valued. As a result of the current and prospective economic impact of the COVID 19 pandemic, the valuers have reported fair market values on the basis of 'material valuation uncertainty' as per VPS-3 and VPGA-10 of the RICS Red Book Global edition. In particular, the valuers noted that "consequently, less certainty and a higher degree of caution should be attached to the valuation than what would normally be the case. As such, lesser weight could be attached to previous market evidence for comparison purposes. The current response to COVID 19 means that we are faced with an unprecedented set of circumstances on which to base a judgement."

The investment properties were valued using the residual method, investment method, comparison method or market approach, for varying properties, adjusted by the influence of the major market factors, including demand, transactions, availability, inflation, the purchasing power of money and critical judgements around approved used class of the property. The Group has considered inflation rate, risk free rate, risk premium, interest rate and statistical average growth rate. The valuation conforms to International Valuation Standards.

The fair value measurement has been categorized as a Level 3 fair value based on the inputs to the valuation technique used and in estimating the fair value, the highest and best use of the properties is their current use.

As the recoverable amount was lower than the carrying value, the Group has recorded an impairment loss of AED 213.17 million during the year (2019: Nil). A change of +/- 5% to 10% in various assumptions would result in a further change in the fair value of the impaired investment properties in the range of -7.5% and +7.8%.

(iv) As disclosed in Note 14(iv), during the year, the Group transferred an investment property to property, plant and equipment with a carrying amount of AED 30.12 million and during the previous year the Group reclassified land and buildings with a carrying amount of AED 6.16 million from property, plant and equipment to investment properties due to the change in nature of its use.

19. Trade and other receivables

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Trade receivables	1,029,676	1,068,375
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	(226,655)	(227,318)
Subtotal (A)	803,021	841,057
Other receivables Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	123,833 (8,866)	130,093
Subtotal (B)	114,967	130,093
Advances and prepayments (C) Deposits (D)	186,427 29,485	180,172 27,651
Total (A+B+C+D)	1,133,900	1,178,973

Trade receivables amounting to AED 154.06 million (2019: AED 113.36 million) are subject to a charge in favor of banks against facilities obtained by the Group (refer note 26(b)(ii)).

No interest is charged on outstanding trade receivables.

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19. Trade and other receivables (continued)

The Group always measures the loss allowance for trade receivables at an amount equal to lifetime ECL. The expected credit losses on trade receivables are estimated using a loss rate by reference to past default experience of the debtor and an analysis of the debtor's current financial position, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors, general economic conditions of the industry in which the debtors operate and an assessment of both the current as well as the forecast direction of conditions at the reporting date. During the current year, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, in addition to the above, the expected credit loss model used to determine the loss rate calculation has been amended to determine separate loss rates based on the geographical segmentation of receivables and its level of credit quality ie. highly stressed, stressed or non-stressed.

(i) Long-term receivables

Long-term receivables (A+B)	31,125	65,724
Long-term other receivables (B)	28,355	62,660
Less: current portion included in other receivables	(53,265)	(21,900)
	81,620	84,560
Less : Allowance for expected credit loss	(26,375)	(26,375)
Other receivables	107,995	110,935
Long-term trade receivables (A)	2,770	3,064
Less : current portion included in trade receivables	(583)	(544)
	3,353	3,608
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	(452)	(665)
Trade receivables	3,805	4,273
	AED'000	AED'000
	2020	2019

The above long-term other receivable represents amounts receivable on disposal of a subsidiary and is partially secured by post-dated cheques.

Expected credit loss assessment for trade receivables

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables (including long-term portion) as at 31 December 2020.

	Weighted average loss rate	Gross carrying amount AED'000	Loss allowance AED'000	Credit impaired
Current (not past due)	0.92%	476,197	(4,406)	No
1 – 90 days past due	2.98%	197,874	(5,895)	No
91 – 180 days past due	8.07%	51,298	(4,140)	No
181 – 360 days past due	21.19%	66,562	(14,105)	No
More than 360 days past due	82.40%	240,967	(198,561)	Yes
		1,032,898	(227,107)	

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19. Trade and other receivables (continued)

Expected credit loss assessment for trade receivables (continued)

Loss rates are based on actual credit loss experience over the past years and are multiplied by scalar factors to reflect differences between economic conditions during the period over which the historical data has been collected, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables. Scalar factors are based on GDP forecasts and industry outlook.

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables as at 31 December 2019.

	Weighted average loss rate	Gross carrying amount AED'000	Loss allowance AED'000	Credit impaired
Current (not past due)	0.86%	477,732	(4,091)	No
1 – 90 days past due	2.92%	203,731	(5,940)	No
91 – 180 days past due	10.44%	78,790	(8,229)	No
181 – 360 days past due	21.70%	75,109	(16,296)	No
More than 360 days past due	81.70%	236,742	(193,427)	Yes
		1,072,104	(227,983)	

Impairment losses

The movement in the allowance for expected credit loss of trade receivables is as follows:

At 31 December	227,107	227,983
Effect of movements in exchange rate	422	(6,670)
Written off during the year	(48,020)	(30,776)
Charge during the year (refer note 7(i))	46,722	12,991
At 1 January	227,983	252,438
	AED'000	AED'000
	2020	2019

The movement in the allowance for expected credit loss on other receivables is as follows:

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
At 1 January	26,375	26,375
Charge during the year (refer note 7(i))	8,866	-
At 31 December	35,241	26,375

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20. Inventories

Finished goods (not of not realizable value adjustments)	AED'000	AED'000
Finished goods (net of net realizable value adjustments)	882,886 (124,139)	934,808
Less : Allowance for slow-moving inventories	(124,139)	(122,151)
Subtotal (A)	758,747	812,657
Raw materials	174,640	211,272
Stores and spares*	192,847	194,836
	367,487	406,108
Less : Allowance for slow-moving inventories	(88,033)	(72,024)
Subtotal (B)	279,454	334,084
Goods-in-transit (C)	20,416	47,261
Work-in-progress (D)	17,281	19,475
Total (A+B+C+D)	1,075,898	1,213,477

^{*} Critical spares are depreciated based on the useful life of the plant until they are issued for maintenance. The depreciation charge is recognized in these consolidated financial statements under allowance for inventories.

At 31 December 2020, the Group has recognized a cumulative loss due to write-down of finished goods inventories of AED 151.30 million against cost of AED 366.80 million (2019: AED 112.01 million against cost of AED 346.92 million) to bring it to its net realizable value which was lower than the cost. The difference in write down of AED 39.59 million (2019: AED 19.82 million) is included in cost of sales in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Inventories amounting to AED 199.58 million (2019: AED 253.88 million) have been pledged as security in favour of certain banks against facilities obtained by the Group (refer note 26 (b)(ii)).

The movement in allowance for slow moving inventories is as follows:

As at 31 December	212,172	194,175
Effect of movements in exchange rates	1,870	(2,872)
Less: written off	(4,118)	(10,917)
Add: charge for the year (refer note 6)	20,245	9,781
As at 1 January	194,175	198,183
	AED'000	AED'000
	2020	2019

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21. Related parties

The transactions of the Group with its related parties are at arm's length. The significant transactions entered into by the Group with related parties during the year, other than those disclosed elsewhere in these consolidated financial statements (see in particular notes 11 and 31), are as follows:

Transactions with related parties

		2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
A)	Equity accounted investees	ALD 000	ALD 000
	Sale of goods and services and construction contracts	1,858	1,955
	Purchase of goods and rendering of services	1,810	174
	Rental income	390	206
	Interest expenses (refer note 10)	13	33
В)	Other related parties		
	Sale of goods and services and construction contracts	88,970	104,967
	Purchase of goods and rendering of services	217,610	264,710
	Rental income	1,703	2,400

Key management personnel compensation

The remuneration of Directors and other key management personnel of the Company during the year were as follows:

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Short-term benefits	9,376	10,262
Staff terminal benefits	245	399
Board of Directors' remuneration	3,700	3,700

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21. Related parties (continued)

Due from related parties

Management of the Company, based on their review of these outstanding balances, is of the view that the existing provision is sufficient to cover any likely credit losses.

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Equity accounted investees	43,530	44,147
Other related parties	32,164	43,417
	75,694	87,564
Less : Allowance for expected credit loss	(45,799)	(50,201)
	29,895	37,363
Due to related parties		
	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Equity accounted investees	4,905	4,416
Other related parties	30,931	33,924
	35,836	38,340
The movement in the allowances for ECL on amount due from related pa	rties is as follows:	
	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
At 1 January	50,201	74,550
(Reversed) during the year (refer note 7(i))	(4,404)	(23,004)
Written off during the year	-	(1,340)
Effect of movements in exchange rate	2	(5)
At 31 December	45,799	50,201

22. Derivative financial instruments

The Group uses derivative financial instruments for risk management purposes. The Group classified interest rate swaps and commodity derivatives as cash flow hedges in accordance with the recognition criteria of IFRS 9, as it is mitigating the risk of cash flow variations due to movements in interest rates and commodity prices.

The table below shows the fair values of derivative financial instruments.

Non-current	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Derivative financial assets		
Other currency and interest rate swaps	4,793	-
	4,793	-
	2020	2019
Non-current	AED'000	AED'000
Derivative financial liabilities		
Interest rate swaps used for hedging	16,118	-
	16,118	-

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22. Derivative financial instruments (continued)

Current	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Derivative financial assets	ALD 000	ALD 000
Commodity derivative used for hedging	_	364
Other currency and interest rate swaps	<u>-</u>	3,955
The currency and interest rate swaps		
	-	4,319
	2020	2019
Current	AED'000	AED'000
Derivative financial liabilities		
Interest rate swaps used for hedging	16,305	14,708
Commodity derivative used for hedging	1,391	-
Forward exchange contracts	5,024	925
	22,720	15,633
Bank balances and cash		
	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Cash in hand	1,687	1,660
Cash at bank		
- in bank deposits with maturity less than three months	89,576	48,126
- in Wakala deposits with maturity less than three months	45,000	20,000
- in current accounts	313,727	153,465
- in margin deposits	11,409	4,419
- in call accounts	8,577	16,589
Cash and cash equivalents (excluding allowance for expected credit		
loss)	469,976	244,259
Less : Allowance for expected credit loss	(183)	(683
Cash and cash equivalents (A)	469,793	243,576
Bank deposits with an original maturity of more than three months (B)	143,671	139,473
Bank balances and cash (A+B)	613,464	383,049

Cash in hand and cash at bank includes AED 0.63 million (2019: AED 0.97 million) and AED 145.67 million (2019: AED 100.24 million) respectively, held outside the UAE.

All fixed deposits carry interest at normal commercial rates and include AED 1.63 million (2019: AED 1.61 million) which are held by bank under lien against bank facilities availed by the Group (refer note 26 (b)(i)). Wakala deposits carry profit at rates agreed with Islamic banks and placed with the banks for an original maturity period of less than three months.

Current accounts and margin deposits are non-interest bearing accounts.

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24. Capital and reserves

(i) Share capital

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Authorized, issued and paid up		
170,000,000 shares of AED 1 each paid up in cash	170,000	170,000
823,703,958 shares of AED 1 each issued as bonus shares		
(2019: 776,384,722 shares of AED 1 each issued as bonus shares)	823,703	776,384
	993,703	946,384

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends declared and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. All shares rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

(ii) Share premium reserve

Total (A+B)	221,667
Subtotal (B)	56,667
Less: share premium released on disposal	(141)
Less : share issue expenses	(3,583)
- R.A.K Ceramics (Bangladesh) Limited, Bangladesh	60,391
- R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C. (A)	165,000
On the issue of shares of :	
	AED'000
	2020

(iii) Legal reserve

In accordance with the Articles of Association of entities in the Group and Article 239 of UAE Federal Law No. (2) of 2015, 10% of the net profit for the year of the individual entities to which the law is applicable, has been transferred to a statutory reserve. Such transfers may be discontinued when the reserve equals 50% of the paid up share capital of these entities. This reserve is non-distributable except in certain circumstances as permitted by the abovementioned Law. The consolidated statutory reserve reflects transfers made post acquisition for applicable subsidiaries.

(iv) Translation reserve

The translation reserve comprises all foreign currency differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations, as well as from the translation of monetary items that form part of the Group's net investment in foreign operations, except for the translation difference of the subsidiary in Iran which is included in hyperinflation reserve. At 31 December 2020 and 2019 the balance on the translation reserve was a negative amount, reflecting the fact that cumulative losses in the account exceeded cumulative gains.

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24. Capital and reserves (continued)

(v) Hyperinflation reserve

The hyperinflation reserve comprises all foreign currency differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of RAK Ceramics PJSC Limited, Iran and the effect of translating the financial statements at the current inflation index in accordance with IAS 29.

As at 31 December 2020	(175,012)
Hyperinflation effect (refer note 34) – gain	38,151
Foreign currency translation differences	(29,315)
For the year 2020	
As at 31 December 2019	(183,848)
Foreign currency translation differences*	(71,839)
For the year 2019	
As at 1 January 2019	(112,009)
	2020 AED'000

^{*} Due to significantly adverse currency exchange rate movement of Iranian Riyal.

(vi) Hedging reserve

The hedging reserve comprises the effective portion of the cumulative net change in the fair value of hedging instruments used in cash flow hedges pending subsequent recognition in profit or loss as the hedged cash flows or items affect profit or loss. At 31 December 2020 and 2019 the cumulative losses on the hedging reserve exceeded cumulative gains.

(vii) General reserve

General reserve of AED 82.8 million (2019: AED 82.8 million) is distributable.

(viii) Capital reserve

Capital reserve of AED 75.04 million (2019: AED 75.04 million) represents the Group's share of retained earnings capitalized by various subsidiaries. The capital reserve is non-distributable.

(ix) Dividend

For 2020, the Directors have proposed a cash dividend of 7.5 fils per share (AED 74,528 thousand) which will be submitted for the approval of the shareholders at the Annual General Meeting on 30th March 2021. At the Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on 11 March 2020, the shareholders approved the cash dividend of 15 fils per share (AED 141,958 thousand) and stock dividend of 5 fils per share (AED 47,319 thousand) for the year 2019, which was proposed by the Board of Directors.

(x) Directors' remuneration

At the Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on 11 March 2020, the shareholders approved the Directors' remuneration amounting to AED 3,700 thousand for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2019: AED 3,700 thousand for the year ended 31 December 2018).

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25. Non-controlling interests

The following summarizes the information relating to the Group's non-controlling interests.

	RAK Ceramics (Bangladesh) Limited		RAK Porcelain Other		ers Elimina		nation Tot		al	
	(Banglades 2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019
NCI Percentage	31.87%	31.87%	50%	50%						
					AED'000 -					
Non-current assets	161,563	171,702	106,605	100,366						
Current assets	385,526	382,785	187,356	243,936						
Non-current liabilities	(8,764)	(9,575)	(19,914)	(21,304)						
Current liabilities	(239,480)	(233,085)	(76,387)	(68,605)						
Net assets	298,845	311,827	197,660	254,393						
Net assets attributable to NCI	95,705	99,852	103,117	131,184	22,296	21,620	(14,216)	(14,401)	206,902	238,255
Revenue	229,554	282,388	147,080	269,461						
Profit	12,635	32,093	(5,870)	51,291						
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	2,199	(6,338)	462	(360)						
Total comprehensive income/(loss)	14,834	25,755	(5,408)	50,931						
Profit/(loss) allocated to NCI Other comprehensive income/(loss)	4,027	10,227	(1,945)	29,080	1,484	1,471	-	-	3,566	40,778
allocated to NCI	678	(1,999)	309	(190)	(430)	(451)	-	-	557	(2,640

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26. Bank financing arrangements

(a) Islamic bank financing

(i)	Short-term	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
	Mudaraba facilities (A)	75,000	25,000
	Commodity Murabaha facilities (B)	187,053	126,175
	Current portion of long-term financing (refer note (ii) below)	140,429	135,857
		402,482	287,032
		2020	2019
		AED'000	AED'000
(ii)	Long-term – Islamic bank financing		
	Commodity Murabaha facilities (B)	294,401	339,475
	Ijarah facilities (C)	261,737	293,880
	Less: current portion of long-term financing	(140,429)	(135,857)
		415,709	497,498
		2020	2019
		AED'000	AED'000
	Movement:		
	Balance as at 1 January	633,355	466,860
	Availed during the year	75,000	387,516
	Less : repaid during the year	(152,217)	(221,021)
	Balance as at end of the year	556,138	633,355
	Less: current portion included in short-term (refer 26 (a)(i))	(140,429)	(135,857)
		415,709	497,498

The terms and conditions of outstanding long-term Commodity Murabaha and Ijarah facilities are as follows:

Currency	Profit range	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
USD	1.5%-3.9%	481,138	598,262
AED	2.5%-4.0%	75,000	35,093
		556,138	633,355

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26. Bank financing arrangements (continued)

(a) Islamic bank financing (continued)

Islamic financings represent facilities such as Mudaraba, Murabaha and Ijarah facilities obtained from Banks. These financings are denominated either in the functional currency of the Company or in USD, a currency to which the functional currency of the Company is currently pegged. The long-term Commodity Murabaha facilities mature up to 2027.

These financings are secured by:

- negative pledge over certain assets of the Group;
- pari passu rights among each other
- assignment of blanket insurance policy of certain Group entities in favour of the bank; and
- a promissory note for AED 483 million (2019: AED 154 million)
- (A) Mudaraba is a mode of Islamic financing where a contract is entered into by two parties whereby one party (Bank) provides funds to another party (the Group) who then invest in an activity deploying its experience and expertise for a specific pre-agreed share in the resultant profit.
- (B) In Murabaha Islamic financing, a contract is entered into between two parties whereby one party (Bank) purchases an asset and sells it to another party (the Group), on a deferred payment basis at a pre-agreed profit.
- (C) Ijarah is another mode of Islamic financing where a contract is entered into between two parties whereby one party (Bank) purchases/acquires an asset, either from a third party or from the Group, and leases it to the Group against certain rental payments and for a specific lease period.

(b) Interest bearing bank financing

		2020	2019
		AED'000	AED'000
(i)	Short-term		
	Bank overdraft	103,715	71,281
	Short-term loan	329,490	182,088
	Current portion of long-term financing	238,145	233,333
		671,350	486,702
		2020	2019
(ii)	Long-term bank loans	AED'000	AED'000
	Balance as at 1 January	719,404	938,145
	Availed during the year	104,630	9,466
	Less : repaid during the year	(232,808)	(228,207)
	Balance as at end of the year	591,226	719,404
	Less: current portion of long-term financing (refer 26 (b)(i))	(238,145)	(233,333)
		353,081	486,071

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- 26. Bank financing arrangements (continued)
- (b) Interest bearing bank financing (continued)
- (ii) Long-term bank loans (continued)

The terms and conditions of outstanding long-term loans are as follows:

Currency	Interest range	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
USD	1.7% - 3.7%	540,658	669,522
INR	7.4% - 9.7%	50,107	49,330
GBP	1.6% - 5.0%	461	536
EUR	1.5%-3.9%	-	16
		591,226	719,404

The Group has obtained long-term and short-term interest bearing bank facilities from various banks for financing the acquisition of assets, project financing or to meet its working capital requirements. The majority of these bank borrowings are denominated either in the functional currencies of the respective subsidiaries or in USD, a currency to which the functional currency of the Company is currently pegged. Rates of interest on the above bank loans are based on normal commercial rates. The long-term bank loans mature up to 2027.

These bank borrowings are secured by:

- a negative pledge over certain assets of the Group;
- pari passu rights among each other;
- a promissory note for AED 1,259 million (2019: AED 864 million);
- assignment of blanket insurance policy of certain Group entities in favour of the bank;
- hypothecation of inventories and assignment of receivables of certain Group entities (refer notes 20 and 19); and
- fixed deposits held under lien (refer note 23).

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27. Lease liabilities

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	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Analysed as:		
Non-current	58,913	68,691
Current	22,737	23,075
	81,650	91,766
Maturity analysis		
	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Year 1	27,110	27,308
Year 2	20,253	22,893
Year 3	16,477	17,148
Year 4	11,271	12,836
Year 5	8,993	7,633
Thereafter	12,004	17,853
	96,108	105,671
Less: unearned future interest	(14,458)	(13,905)
	81,650	91,766
	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Balance as at 1 January	91,766	103,095
Cash flows	(33,707)	(31,957)
Non cash changes	23,591	20,628
Balance as at end of the year	81,650	91,766
Trade and other payables		
	2020	2010
	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
	AED 000	AED 000
Trade payables	283,312	315,654
Accrued and other expenses	175,184	191,689
Advance from customers	53,995	54,002
Commission and rebates payable	65,308	60,621
Other payables	56,078	34,233
	633,877	656,199

Trade payables and accruals principally comprise amounts outstanding for trade purchases and ongoing costs. No interest is charged on the trade payables. The Group has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are paid within the pre-agreed credit terms.

The carrying amount of trade payables approximates their fair value.

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29. Provision for employees' end of service benefits

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
As at 1 January	83,865	85,464
Charge for the year	12,610	17,528
Payments made during the year	(18,053)	(17,769)
Effect of movements in exchange rate	(299)	(1,358)
As at 31 December	78,123	83,865

30. Contingent liabilities and commitments

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Contingent liabilities		
Letters of guarantee	13,752	10,760
Letters of credit	46,521	44,781
Value added tax and other tax contingencies	94,136	82,952
Commitments		
Capital commitments	20,266	41,729

In some jurisdictions, the tax returns for certain years have not been reviewed by the tax authorities and there are unresolved disputed corporate tax assessments and VAT claims by the authorities. However, the Group's management believes that adequate provisions have been recognized for potential tax contingencies.

31. Acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and non-controlling interests

(a) Acquisitions

Acquisition of subsidiaries in 2020

(i) During the year, the Group acquired further 21.6% of controlling interest in RAK Universal Plastic LLC for AED 0.65 million. This acquisition did not result in any change in control and accordingly has been accounted in accordance with IFRS 10 as an equity transaction. This is reflected as follows:

	2020 AED'000
increase in non-controlling interestdecrease in retained earnings	132 (784)
Net consideration paid	(652)

Acquisition of subsidiaries in 2019

No acquisitions of subsidiaries were made during the year

(b) Disposals

Disposals of subsidiaries in 2020 and 2019

(i) No disposals of subsidiaries took place during the year.

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32. Operating leases

As lessor

Certain investment properties are leased out to third parties under operating leases agreements. The leases typically run for a period of more than five years, with an option to renew the lease after that date. Lease rentals are usually reviewed periodically to reflect market rentals.

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Less than one year	5,000	5,000
Between two and five years	40,205	34,920
More than five years	71,275	81,560
	116,480	121,480

33. Financial instruments

Accounting classifications and fair values

The following table shows the carrying amounts and fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities, including their levels in the fair value hierarchy. It does not include fair value information for financial assets and financial liabilities not measured at fair value if the carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Accounting classifications and fair values (continued)

			Carrying value				Fair va	lue	
31 December 2020	Fair value hedging instruments AED'000	Mandatory at FVTPL* AED'000	Financial assets at amortized cost AED'000	Other financial liabilities AED'000	Total AED'000	Level 1 AED'000	Level 2 AED'000	Level 3 AED'000	Total AED'000
Financial assets measured at fair value									
Other currency and interest swaps	-	4,793	-	-	4,793	-	4,793	-	4,793
	-	4,793	-	-	4,793	-	4,793	-	4,793
Financial assets measured at amortized cost									
Long-term receivables	-	-	31,125	-	31,125	-	-	-	-
Trade and other receivables	-	-	947,473	-	947,473	-	-	-	-
Due from related parties	-	-	29,895	-	29,895	-	-	-	-
Bank balances and cash	-	-	613,464	-	613,464	-	-	-	-
	-	-	1,621,957	-	1,621,957	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities measured at fair value									
Commodity derivatives used for hedging	1,391	-	-	-	1,391	-	1,391	-	1,391
Interest rate swaps used for hedging	32,423	-	-	-	32,423	-	32,423	-	32,423
Forward exchange contracts	-	5,024	-	-	5,024	-	5,024	-	5,024
	33,814	5,024	-	-	38,838	-	38,838	-	38,838
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost									
Islamic bank financing	-	-	-	818,191	818,191	-	-	-	-
Interest bearing bank financing	-	-	-	1,024,431	1,024,431	-	-	-	-
Trade and other payables	-	-	-	579,882	579,882	-	-	-	-
Due to related parties	-	-	-	35,836	35,836	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	2,458,340	2,458,340	-	-	-	-

^{*}FVTPL: fair value through profit or loss

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Accounting classifications and fair values (continued)

	Carrying value					Fair value			
31 December 2019	Fair value hedging instruments AED'000	Mandatory at FVTPL AED'000	Financial assets at amortized cost AED'000	Other financial liabilities AED'000	Total AED'000	Level 1 AED'000	Level 2 AED'000	Level 3 AED'000	Total AED'000
Financial assets measured at fair value									
Commodity derivatives used for hedging	364	-	-	-	364	-	364	-	364
Other currency and interest swaps	-	3,955	-	-	3,955	-	3,955	-	3,955
	364	3,955	-	-	4,319	-	4,319	-	4,319
Financial assets measured at amortized cost									
Long-term receivables	-	-	65,724	-	65,724	-	-	-	-
Trade and other receivables	-	-	998,801	-	998,801	-	-	-	-
Due from related parties	-	-	37,363	-	37,363	-	-	-	-
Bank balances and cash	-	-	383,049	-	383,049	-	-	-	-
	-	-	1,484,937	-	1,484,937	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities measured at fair value									
Interest rate swaps used for hedging	14,708	-	-	-	14,708	-	14,708	-	14,708
Forward exchange contracts	-	925	-	-	925	-	925	-	925
	14,708	925	-	-	15,633	-	15,633	-	15,633
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost									
Islamic bank financing	-	-	-	784,530	784,530	-	-	-	-
Interest bearing bank financing	-	-	-	972,773	972,773	-	-	-	-
Trade and other payables	-	-	-	602,197	602,197	-	-	-	-
Due to related parties	-	-	-	38,340	38,340	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	2,397,840	2,397,840	-	-	-	-

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

During the current and previous years, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 fair value measurements, and no transfers into or out of Level 3 fair value measurements.

Risk management framework

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

- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- Market risk

This note presents information about the Group's exposure to each of the above risks, the Group's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Group's management of capital.

The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Group's risk management framework. The Group's senior management are responsible for developing and monitoring the Group's risk management policies and report regularly to the Board of Directors on their activities. The Group's current financial risk management framework is a combination of formally documented risk management policies in certain areas and informal risk management practices in others.

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

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

As part of the application of the risk management policies, senior management is also responsible for development and implementation of controls to address operational risks arising from a wide variety of causes associated with the Group's processes, personnel, technology and infrastructure, and from external factors arising from legal and regulatory requirements, political and economic stability in the jurisdictions that the Group operates and generally accepted standards of corporate behavior (also refer note 37 - COVID-19 impact).

The Group's non-derivative financial liabilities comprise bank borrowings, trade and other payables (excluding advances to suppliers) and amounts due to related parties. The Group has various financial assets such as trade and other receivables, bank balances and deposits and amounts due from related parties.

Due to the political situation in Iran and the imposition of stricter financial and trade sanctions and oil embargo, the movement of funds through banking channels from Iran has been restricted. Management continues to assess and monitor the implications of such changes on the business. Based on its review, management is of the view that the Group will be able to recover its investment in Iran and accordingly is of the view that no allowance for impairment is required to be recognized in these consolidated financial statements as at the reporting date.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Risk management framework (continued)

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Group's trade and other receivables, amount due from related parties and balances with banks. To manage this risk, the Group periodically assesses country and customer credit risk, assigns individual credit limits and takes appropriate actions to mitigate credit risk.

Exposure to credit risk

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date was:

, 0	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Long-term receivables Trade and other receivables	31,125	65,724
(excluding advances and prepayments)	947,473	998,801
Due from related parties	29,895	37,363
Cash at bank	611,777	381,389
	1,620,270	1,483,277

Trade and other receivables and amount due from related parties

The Group's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. However, management also considers the demographics of the Group's customer base, including the default risk of the industry and country in which the customers operate, as these factors may have an influence on credit risk. The Group's ten largest customers account for 21.9% (2019: 23.8%) of the outstanding gross trade receivables as at 31 December 2020. Geographically the credit risk is significantly concentrated in the Middle East and Asian regions.

The Group's management has established a credit policy under which each new customer is analyzed individually for credit worthiness before the Group's standard payment and delivery terms and conditions are offered. Purchase limits are established for each customer, which represents the maximum open amount without requiring approval from senior Group management. These limits are reviewed periodically.

In monitoring credit risk, customers and related parties are grouped according to their credit characteristics, including whether they are an individual or legal entity, geographic location, industry, aging profile, maturity and evidence of previous financial difficulties.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Credit risk (continued)

The maximum exposure to credit risk (trade and other receivables and amount due from related parties) at the reporting date by geographic region and operating segments was as follows.

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Middle East (ME)	594,020	653,396
Europe	108,687	87,602
Asian countries (Other than ME)	197,611	224,001
Other regions	108,175	136,889
	1,008,493	1,101,888
Trading and manufacturing	923,308	1,003,507
Other industrial	37,134	37,580
Others	48,051	60,801
	1,008,493	1,101,888

Balances with banks

The Group limits its exposure to credit risk by placing balances with international and local banks. Given the profile of its bankers, management does not expect any counter party to fail to meet its obligations. The bank balances are held with the banks and financial institutions of repute.

Impairment of cash and cash equivalents has been measured on a 12-month expected loss basis and reflects the short maturities of the exposures. The Group considers that its cash and cash equivalents have low credit risk based on the external credit ratings of the counterparties.

Market risk

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

Currency risk

The Group is exposed to currency risk on sales, purchases and borrowings which are denominated in a currency other than the respective functional currencies of the Group entities. The entities within the Group which have AED as their functional currency are not exposed to currency risk on transactions denominated in USD as AED is currently informally pegged to USD at a fixed rate. The currencies giving rise to this risk are primarily EURO and GBP.

The Group enters into forward exchange contracts to hedge its currency risk, generally with a maturity of less than one year from the reporting date. The Group also enters currency swap arrangements with a maturity of more than 1 year.

Interest on borrowings is denominated in the currency of the respective borrowing and generally, borrowings are denominated in currencies which match the cash flows generated by the underlying operations of the Group.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Currency risk (continued)

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

Exposure to currency risk

The Group's exposure to foreign currency risk is as follows:

	GBP	AUD	EUR
	'000	' 000	' 000
31 December 2020			
Trade and other receivable			
(including due from related parties)	14,895	6,310	47,858
Cash and bank balances	3,267	588	(177)
Trade and other payables	(5,954)	-	(18,134)
Bank borrowings	(23,231)	-	-
Derivative –			
currency swap / forward exchange contracts	13,231	(9,500)	(22,293)
Net exposure	2,208	(2,602)	7,254
	GBP	AUD	EUR
	'000	'000	'000
31 December 2019			
Trade and other receivable			
(including due from related parties)	10,708	7,987	38,487
Cash and bank balances	1,038	872	1,849
Trade and other payables	(3,914)	-	(17,119)
Bank borrowings	(28,393)	-	(9,696)
Derivative –			
currency swap / forward exchange contracts	20,954	(7,500)	(8,000)
Net exposure	393	1,359	5,521

The following are exchange rates applied during the year:

	Reporting date			
	Spot rate		t rate Average r	
	2020	2019	2020	2019
Great Britain Pound (GBP)	5.023	4.871	4.715	4.688
Euro (EUR)	4.486	4.118	4.193	4.111
Australian Dollar (AUD)	2.826	2.579	2.527	2.553

Sensitivity analysis

A strengthening (weakening) of the AED, as indicated below, against the EUR, GBP and AUD by 5% at 31 December would have increased (decreased) profit or loss by the amounts shown below. The analysis is based on foreign currency exchange variances that the Group considers to be reasonably possible at the reporting date. The analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular interest rates, remain constant and ignores any impact of forecast sales and purchases.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Currency risk (continued)

	Stren	Weakening		
	Profit or loss	Equity	Profit or loss	Equity
			AED'000	
31 December 2020				
GBP	(555)	-	555	-
EURO	(1,627)	-	1,627	-
AUD	368	-	(368)	-
31 December 2019				
GBP	(96)	-	96	-
EURO	(1,137)	-	1,137	-
AUD	(175)	-	175	-

The following tables detail the foreign currency forward contracts outstanding at the end of reporting period, as well as information regarding their related hedged items.

Hedging instrument	Notional value (respective foreign currency)	Notional principal value	Carrying amount of the hedging instruments assets/(liabilities)	Change in fair value used for recognizing hedge ineffectiveness
	2020	2020	2020	2020
Forward contracts	'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
- GBP	10,000	50,228	(1,412)	_
- EUR	15,000	67,297	(1,950)	-
- AUD	9,500	26,851	(1,535)	-
Currency swap				
- GBP	23,231	116,682	6,289	-
Currency option				
- EUR	1,000	4,486	(127)	-
			Carrying	Change in fair
			amount of the	value used for
	Notional value	Notional	hedging	recognizing
	(respective foreign	principal	instruments	hedge
Hedging instrument	currency)	value	assets/(liabilities)	ineffectiveness
	2019	2019	2019	2019
	'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Forward contracts				
- GBP	1,000	4,871	142	-
- EUR	8,000	32,943	(775)	-
- AUD	7,500	19,343	(292)	-
Currency swap				
- GBP	28,393	138,294	3,368	-

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Currency risk (continued)

Change in fair value used for recognizing hedge ineffectiveness	Accumulated amount of fair value hedge adjustment included in carrying amount	Notional principal value	Hedge item
2020	2020	2020	
AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	
			Trade receivables
-	(1,412)	(50,228)	- GBP
-	(2,077)	(71,783)	- EUR
-	(1,535)	(26,851)	- AUD
			Term Loan
-	6,289	(116,682)	- GBP
Change in fair value	A commulated amount		
Change in fair value used for	Accumulated amount	Notional	
recognizing hedge	of fair value hedge adjustment included in	principal	
ineffectiveness	carrying amount	value	Hadaa itam
menectiveness	carrying amount	value	Hedge item
2019	2019	2019	
AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	
			Trade receivables
-	142	(4,871)	- GBP
-	(775)	(32,943)	- EUR
-	(292)	(19,343)	- AUD
			Term Loan
-	3,368	(138,294)	- GBP

Interest rate risk

The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's long-term debt financings with floating interest/profit rates.

The Group's policy is to manage its financing cost using a mix of fixed and floating interest/profit rate. To manage this, from time to time the Group enters into interest rate swaps, whereby the Group agrees to exchange, at specified intervals, the difference between fixed and floating rate amounts calculated by reference to an agreed-upon notional principal amount. At 31 December 2020, 75.2 % (2019: 69.4%) of the Group's term financings are at a fixed rate of interest.

As the critical term of interest rate swap contracts and their corresponding hedged items are the same, the Group performs a qualitative assessment of effectiveness and is expected that the value of interest rate swap contracts and the value of corresponding hedged items will systematically change in opposite direction in response to movements in the underlying interest rates. The main source of hedge effectiveness in these hedge relationships is the effect of counterparty risk on the fair value of interest rate swap contracts, which is not reflected in the fair value of hedged items attributable to the change in interest rates. No other source of ineffectiveness emerged from these hedging relationships.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Interest rate risk (continued)

The following tables detail various information regarding interest rate swap contracts outstanding at the end of the reporting period and their related hedged items.

Cash flow hedges

	Average contracted fixed	Notional principal	Carrying amount of the hedging instruments	Change in fair value used for calculating hedge
Hedging instrument	interest rate	value	assets/(liabilities)	ineffectiveness
	2020 %	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000
Receive floating, pay fixed contracts	1.88	1,032,344	(32,423)	
			(02):20)	
			Carrying	Change in fair
	Average		amount of the	value used for
	contracted	Notional	hedging	calculating
	fixed	principal	instruments	hedge
Hedging instrument	interest rate	value	assets/(liabilities)	ineffectiveness
	2019	2019	2019	2019
	%	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Receive floating, pay fixed				
contracts	2.26	1,058,649	(14,708)	

				Balance in
				cash flow hedge reserve
	Nominal Amount	Change in value used for	Balance in cash flow hedge	for which hedge
	of the hedged	calculating	reserve for	accounting
Designated hedge items	items assets/ (liabilities)	hedge ineffectiveness	continuing hedges	is no longer applied
	2020	2020	2020	2020
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Variable rate borrowings	(1,032,344)	-	(32,423)	-

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Interest rate risk (continued)

Cash flow hedges (continued)

Designated hedge items	Nominal amount of the hedged items assets/ (liabilities)	Change in value used for calculating hedge ineffectiveness	Balance in cash flow hedge reserve for continuing hedges	Balance in cash flow hedge reserve for which hedge accounting is no longer applied
Variable rate borrowings	2019 AED'000 (1,058,649)	2019 AED'000	2019 AED'000 (14,708)	2019 AED'000

Fair Value

Hedging instrument	Notional principal value	Carrying amount of the hedging instrument assets/ (liabilities)	Change in fair value used for calculating hedge ineffectiveness
	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000
Receive floating, pay fixed contracts	27,184	(1,496)	-
Hedging instrument	Notional principal value	Carrying amount of the hedging instrument assets/ (liabilities)	Change in fair value used for calculating hedge ineffectiveness
	2019 AED'000	2019 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Receive floating, pay fixed contracts	73,103	587	
Non-designated hedged items	Nominal amount of the hedged items assets/ (liabilities)	Accumulated amount of fair value hedge adjustment included in carrying amount	Change in fair value used for recognizing hedge ineffectiveness
	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000
Variable rate borrowings	(27,184)	(1,496)	

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Interest rate risk (continued)

Cash flow hedges (continued)

Non-designated hedged items	Nominal amount of the hedged items assets/ (liabilities)	Accumulated amount of fair value hedge adjustment included in carrying amount	Change in fair value used for recognizing hedge ineffectiveness
	2019 AED'000	2019 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Variable rate borrowings	(73,103)	587	-

The Group is exposed to the following interest rate benchmarks within its hedge accounting relationships, which are subject to interest rate benchmark reform: USD IBOR and GBP IBOR (collectively 'IBORs'). The Group has closely monitored the market and the output from the various industry working groups managing the transition to new benchmark interest rates. This includes announcements made by the IBOR regulators. The regulators have made clear that, at the end of 2021, they will no longer seek to persuade, or compel, banks to submit IBORs.

None of the Group's current IBOR linked contracts include adequate and robust fallback provisions for a cessation of the referenced benchmark interest rate. Different working groups in the industry are working on fallback language for different instruments and different IBORs, which the Group is monitoring closely and it will look to implement these when appropriate.

For the Group's derivatives, the International Swaps and Derivatives Association's (ISDA) fall-back clauses were made available at the end of 2020 and the Group is in discussion with its bankers with the aim of implementing this language into its ISDA agreements.

For the Group's floating rate debt, the Group has started discussions with Banks to change benchmark reference rates and aims to finalize these amendments some time in 2021.

The Group will continue to apply the amendments to IFRS 9 until the end of the uncertainty arising from the interest rate benchmark reforms to which the Group is exposed with respect to the timing and the amount of the underlying cash flows. The Group has assumed that this uncertainty will not end until the Group's contracts that reference IBORs are amended to specify the date on which the interest rate benchmark will be replaced, the cash flows of the alternative benchmark rate and the relevant spread adjustment. This will, in part, be dependent on the introduction of fallback clauses which have yet to be added to the Group's contracts and negotiations with lenders.

At the reporting date, the interest/profit rate profile of the Group's financial instruments was:

	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000
Fixed rate instruments		
Financial assets		
Bank deposits	278,247	207,599
Due from related parties	882	-
Financial liabilities		
Islamic bank financing	719,464	538,146
Interest bearing bank financing	666,268	681,940
Due to related parties	4,000	4,000

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Interest rate risk (continued)

Variable rate instruments

Financial liability

Islamic bank financing	98,727	246,384
Interest bearing bank financing	358,163	290,833

Fair value sensitivity analysis for fixed rate instruments

The Group does not account for any fixed rate financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. Therefore, a change in interest rates at the reporting date would not affect profit or loss.

Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments

A change of 100 basis points in interest/variable profit at the reporting date would have increased/ (decreased) profit or loss by the amounts shown below. The analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign currency rates, remain constant.

	Profit o	r loss
	100bp increase AED'000	100bp decrease AED'000
31 December 2020		
Financial liability		
Variable instruments	(4,569)	4,569
31 December 2019		
Financial liability		
Variable instruments	(5,372)	5,372

Commodity price risk

Commodity price risk in the Group primarily arises from price fluctuations of Brent crude oil. The Group entered into derivative transactions to limit these risks. Hedging activities are evaluated regularly to align with Group expectations about the price changes and defined risk appetite; ensuring the most cost-effective hedging strategies are applied.

Commodity options

In the current year, the Group has designated certain commodity options as a cash flow hedge of highly probable purchases. Because the critical terms, i.e. the quantity, maturity and observation period of the commodity option and their corresponding hedged items are the same, the Group performs a qualitative assessment of effectiveness and it is expected that the intrinsic value of the commodity option and the value of the corresponding hedged items will systematically change in opposite directions in response to movements in the price of the underlying commodity.

The main potential source of hedge ineffectiveness is the effect of the counterparty and the Group's own credit risk on the fair value of the option contracts, which is not reflected in the fair value of the hedged item, and circumstances in which the forecast transaction will happen earlier or later than originally expected.

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Commodity options (continued)

Cash flow hedge

Hedging instrument	Average strike price	Quantity	Carryir amount of th hedgir instrumen	ne value used for ng calculating hedge
	2020 USD	2020 Barrels	202 AED'00	
Commodity option	57.19	60,000	(1,39	1) -
Hedging instrument	Average strike price	Quantity	Carryir amount of th hedgir instrumen	ne value used for ng calculating hedge
	2019	2019	201	
Commodity option	USD 58.76	Barrels 40,250	AED'00	
Designated hedged items	Change in value used for calculating hedge ineffectiveness	ca reserve	Balance in sh flow hedge for continuing hedges	Balance in cash flow hedge reserve for which hedge accounting is no longer applied
	2020 AED'000		2020 AED'000	2020 AED'000
Forecast purchase	-		(1,391)	
Designated hedged items	Change in value used for calculating hedge ineffectiveness 2019 AED'000	ca reserve	Balance in sh flow hedge for continuing hedges 2019 AED'000	Balance in cash flow hedge reserve for which hedge accounting is no longer applied 2019 AED'000
Forecast purchase			364	

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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Commodity options (continued)

Commodity price sensitivity analysis

If the commodity prices had been 5 per cent higher (lower) as of 31 December 2020, profit after tax would have been AED 1.85 million (2019: AED 3.59 million) lower (higher).

Liquidity risk

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

Ultimate responsibility for liquidity risk management rests with the Board of Directors, which has established an appropriate liquidity risk management framework for management of the Group's short, medium and long-term funding and liquidity management requirements. The Group manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate reserves, banking facilities and reserve borrowing facilities, by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows, and by matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

The Group's credit terms require the amounts to be received within 90-180 days (2019: 90 -180 days) from the date of invoice. Trade payables are normally settled within 45-90 days (2019: 45-90 days) of the date of purchase.

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

The following are the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's financial liabilities at the reporting dates, including estimated interest/profit payments:

		Contrac	tual cash flows	
Carrying		0-1	1-2	More than
amount	Total	year	year	2 years
AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED '000
ies				
1,842,622	(1,908,094)	(1,097,659)	(303,097)	(507,338)
579,882	(579,882)	(579,882)	-	-
35,836	(35,836)	(35,836)	-	-
2,458,340	(2,523,812)	(1,713,377)	(303,097)	(507,338)
1,391	(1,391)	(1,391)	-	-
5,024	(5,024)	(5,024)	-	-
32,423	(33,697)	(16,305)	(9,942)	(7,450)
38,838	(40,112)	(22,720)	(9,942)	(7,450)
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33. Financial instruments (continued)

Market risk (continued)

Liquidity risk (continued)

			Contra	ctual cash flows	
	Carrying amount AED'000	Total AED'000	0-1 year AED'000	1-2 year AED'000	More than 2 years AED '000
At 31 December 2019					
Non-derivative financial liabiliti	es				
Bank financing	1,757,303	(1,869,428)	(820,867)	(403,974)	(644,587)
Trade and other payables	602,197	(602,197)	(602,197)	-	-
Due to related parties	38,340	(38,340)	(38,340)	-	-
	2,397,840	(2,509,965)	(1,461,404)	(403,974)	(644,587)
Derivative financial liabilities					
Forward exchange contracts Interest rate swaps used for	925	(925)	(925)	-	-
hedging	14,708	(17,219)	(7,081)	(5,899)	(4,239)
	15,633	(18,144)	(8,006)	(5,899)	(4,239)

Equity risk

The Group is not significantly exposed to equity price risk.

Capital management

The Group's policy is to maintain a strong capital base to sustain future development of the business and maintain investor and creditor confidence. A balance between the higher returns and the advantages and security offered by a sound capital position, is maintained.

The Group manages its capital structure and adjusts it in light of changes in business conditions. Capital comprises share capital, reserves, retained earnings and non-controlling interests and amounts to AED 2,350 million as at 31 December 2019 (2019: AED 2,665 million). Debt comprises Islamic and interest bearing loans and equity includes all capital and reserves of the Group that are managed as capital.

The debt equity ratio at the reporting date was as follows:

Debt equity ratio	0.78	0.66
Debt	1,842,622	1,757,303
Equity	2,349,899	2,664,572
	2020 AED'000	2019 AED'000

There was no change in the Group's approach to capital management during the current year. The Group is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

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34. Hyperinflationary economy

The Group has a subsidiary in the Islamic Republic of Iran which was designated as hyper-inflationary economy during the current year, having previously ceased to be so in 2015. The subsidiary did not have material operations during the years ended 31 December 2019 or 31 December 2020 and the total assets of the Iranian subsidiary are approximately 0.52% of the Group's consolidated total assets as at 31 December 2020.

The hyperinflation impact has been calculated by means of conversion factors derived from the Consumer Price Index (CPI). The conversion factors used to restate the financial statements of the subsidiary are as follows:

	Index	Conversion factor
31 December 2020	280.60	1.4479
31 December 2019	193.80	1.2775
31 December 2018	151.70	1.3558
31 December 2017	111.90	

The above mentioned restatement is affected as follows:

- Hyperinflation accounting was applied as of 1 January 2020;
- The statement of profit or loss is adjusted at the end of each reporting period using the change in the general price index and is converted at the closing exchange rate of each period (rather than the year to date average rate for non-hyperinflationary economies), thereby restating the year to date consolidated statement of profit or loss for both the inflation index and currency conversion;
- Monetary assets and liabilities are not restated because they are already expressed in terms of the monetary
 unit current at the date of the consolidated statement of financial position. Monetary items are money held
 and items to be recovered or paid in money;
- Non-monetary assets and liabilities are initially recorded at historical cost (e.g. property plant and equipment, investment properties etc.) and restated using an inflation index. The hyperinflation impact resulting from changes in the general purchasing power until 31 December 2019 has been reported in Hyperinflation reserve directly as a component of equity and the impact of changes in the general purchasing power from 1 January 2020 is reported through the consolidated statement of profit or loss as loss on net monetary position. In addition, depreciation is calculated and charged based on the inflation adjusted values of property, plant and equipment and investment properties.
- All items in the consolidated statement of profit or loss are restated by applying the relevant quarterly average or year-end conversion factors.

The impact of hyperinflationary accounting on the consolidated financial statements due to the subsidiary in the Republic of Iran is as follows:

	1 January 2020 AED'000
Impact on consolidated statement of financial position	
Increase in property, plant and equipment - net	17,637
Increase in investment properties - net	13,219
Increase in other assets	7,295
Increase in equity	38,151
Allocated to:	
Increase in opening equity due to cumulative hyperinflation	38,151
	2020
Impact on consolidated statement of profit or loss	AED'000
Increase in depreciation charge for the year	5,835
Loss on net monetary position	3,215
	9,050

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35. Segment reporting

Basis for segmentation

The Group has made some minor classification changes to its segment reporting during the year to better reflect operational results and the comparatives have been reclassified accordingly.

The Group has broadly three reportable segments as discussed below, which are the Group's strategic business units. The strategic business units operate in different sectors and are managed separately because they require different strategies. The following summary describes the operation in each of the Group's reportable segments:

Ceramics products includes manufacture and sale of ceramic wall and floor tiles, gres porcellanato, bath-ware and table ware products.
 Other industrial includes manufacturing and distribution of power, paints, plastics, mines, chemicals, and faucets.
 Others includes security services, material movement, real estate, construction projects and civil works.

Information about the reportable segments

Information regarding each reportable segment is set out below. Segment profit (loss) before tax is used to measure performance because management believes that this information is the most relevant in evaluating the results of respective segments relative to other entities that operate in the same industries.

	Ceramic	Other			
	products	industrial	Others	Elimination	Total
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
At 31 December 2020					
External revenue	2,218,851	115,616	15,022	-	2,349,489
Intersegment revenue	556,330	81,977	2,365	(640,672)	-
Segment revenue	2,775,181	197,593	17,387	(640,672)	2,349,489
Segment profit/(loss)	178,712	22,233	(228,025)	(99,074)	(126,154)
Segment EBITDA	441,861	27,122	(11,049)	(103,135)	354,799
Interest/profit income	7,910	240	2,425	(3,219)	7,356
Interest/profit expense	80,932	826	20	(3,732)	78,046
Depreciation and					
amortization	174,090	3,889	6,238	(3,035)	181,182
Share of profit in equity					
accounted investees	2,877	13,864	-	-	16,741
Segment assets	6,991,837	182,139	311,576	(2,238,064)	5,247,488
Segment liabilities	3,704,481	73,633	110,363	(990,888)	2,897,589

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35. Segment reporting (continued)

Information about the reportable segments (continued)

	Ceramic	Other			
	products	industrial	Others	Elimination	Total
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
At 31 December 2019					
External revenue	2,435,884	118,320	20,329	-	2,574,533
Intersegment revenue	438,207	96,238	2,361	(536,806)	-
Segment revenue	2,874,091	214,558	22,690	(536,806)	2,574,533
Segment profit	214,474	23,593	5,976	(38,887)	205,156
Segment EBITDA	483,250	28,560	13,224	(42,208)	482,826
Interest/profit income	7,166	117	2,391	(3,462)	6,212
Interest/profit expense	84,407	315	54	(3,731)	81,045
Depreciation and amortization	167,145	3,329	9,715	(2,784)	177,405
Share of profit in equity					
accounted investees	(444)	14,074	-	-	13,630
Segment assets	7,060,284	186,114	361,336	(2,120,961)	5,486,773
Segment liabilities	3,539,268	80,182	109,749	(906,998)	2,822,201

EBITDA is earnings for the period before net interest expense, net profit expense on Islamic financing, income tax expense, depreciation, amortization, gain or loss on sale of assets and impairment loss on investment properties.

Geographic information

The ceramic products, contracting and other industrial segments are managed on a worldwide basis, but manufacturing facilities are located in the UAE, India, Iran and Bangladesh.

In presenting information on the basis of geography, segment revenue is based on the geographical location of customers and segment assets are based on the geographical location of the assets. Investment in equity accounted investees is presented based on the geographical location of the entity holding the investment.

	2020	2019
	AED'000	AED'000
Revenue		
Middle East (ME)	1,250,163	1,269,074
Europe	387,360	425,281
Asian countries	590,775	721,767
Other	121,191	158,411
	2,349,489	2,574,533
Non-currents assets		
Middle East (ME)	1,902,954	2,152,726
Asian countries	353,502	384,861
Other	137,875	132,005
	2,394,331	2,669,592

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35. Segment reporting (continued)

. 0	2020 AED'000	2019
Revenues	AED 000	AED'000
Total revenue for reportable segments	2,990,161	3,111,339
Elimination of intersegment revenue	(640,672)	(536,806)
Consolidated revenue	2,349,489	2,574,533
(Loss)/profit		
Total profit or loss for reportable segments	(27,080)	244,043
Elimination of inter-segment profits	(99,074)	(38,887)
Consolidated (loss)/ profit	(126,154)	205,156
Assets		
Total assets for reportable segment	5,196,892	5,446,731
Equity accounted investees	50,596	40,042
Consolidated total assets	5,247,488	5,486,773
Other material items		
Interest/profit income	7,356	6,212
Interest/profit expense	78,046	81,045
Depreciation and amortization	181,182	177,405

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36. Subsidiaries and equity accounted investees

	Name of the entity	Country of incorporation Ownership interest		p interest	Principal activities	
	•		2020	2019	·	
Α	Subsidiaries of R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C.					
	RAK Ceramics (Bangladesh) Limited	Bangladesh	68.13%	68.13%	Manufactures of ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	RAK (Gao Yao) Ceramics Co. Limited	China	100%	100%	Manufactures of ceramic tiles	
	RAK Ceramics PJSC Limited	Iran	100%	100%	Manufactures of ceramic tiles	
	RAK Ceramics India Private Limited	India	100%	100%	Manufactures of ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	Elegance Ceramics LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Manufactures of ceramic tiles	
	RAK Ceramics Australia PTY Limited	Australia	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles	
	RAK Bathware PTY Limited	Australia	100%	100%	Trading in sanitary ware	
	Acacia Hotels LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Lease of investment property	
	RAK Ceramics Holding LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Investment company	
	Al Jazeerah Utility Services LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Provision of utility services	
	Ceramin FZ LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Manufacturing, processing import & export of industrial minerals	
	Al Hamra Construction Company LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Construction company	
	RAK Porcelain LLC (refer note (iii) below)	UAE	50%	50%	Manufacturing of porcelain tableware	
	RAK Ceramics Company LLC	Saudi Arabia	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	RAK Ceramics UK Limited	UK	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	RAK Ceramics GmbH	Germany	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	ARK International Trading Company Limited	Saudi Arabia	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
	RAK Saudi LLC (refer note (iv) below)	Saudi Arabia	-	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
В	Subsidiaries of RAK Ceramics Bangladesh Limited					
	RAK Power Private Limited	Bangladesh	100%	100%	Power generation for captive consumption	
	RAK Securities and Services Private Limited	Bangladesh	100%	100%	Providing security services	
С	Subsidiaries of RAK Ceramics Holding LLC					
	RAK Paints LLC	UAE	51%	51%	Manufacturers of paints and allied products	
	RAK Universal Plastics Industries LLC	UAE	87.6%	66%	Manufactures of pipes	

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36. Subsidiaries and equity accounted investees (continued)

	Name of the entity	Country of incorporation	Ownership interest 2020 2019		Principal activities	
D	Subsidiary of RAK Ceramics UK Limited					
	RAK Distribution Europe SARL	Italy	100%	100%	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
E	Subsidiary of RAK Distribution Europe SARL					
	RAK Ceramics CE GmbH	Germany	100%	-	Trading in ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	
F	Subsidiary of RAK Paints LLC					
	Altek Emirates LLC (refer note (i) below)	UAE	99%	99%	Manufacturers of paints and adhesive products	
G	Subsidiaries of Ceramin FZ LLC					
	Ceramin India Private Limited	India	100%	100%	Extraction, distribution and export of clay and other minerals	
	Ceramin SDN BHD	Malaysia	100%	100%	Extraction, distribution and export of clay and other minerals	
	Feldspar Mineral Company Limited (refer note (ii) below)	Thailand	40%	40%	Extraction, distribution and export of clay and other minerals	
Н	Subsidiary of Elegance Ceramics LLC					
	Venezia Ceramics	UAE	100%	100%	General trading	
ı	Subsidiaries of RAK Porcelain LLC					
	RAK Porcelain Europe S.A.	Luxemburg	91%	91%	Import and export of porcelain tableware	
	Restofair RAK LLC	UAE	47%	47%	Contracting of furnishing the public firms	
J	Subsidiary of RAK Porcelain Europe S.A.					
	RAK Porcelain USA Inc.	USA	100%	100%	Trading of tableware	
K	Subsidiaries of RAK Ceramics India Private Limited					
	Gris Ceramics Limited Liability Partnership	India	51%	51%	Manufacturers of ceramic tiles	
	Gryphon Ceramics Private Limited	India	51%	51%	Manufacturers of ceramic tiles	
	Totus Ceramics India Private Limited	India	100%	-	Trading of ceramic tiles and sanitary ware	

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36. Subsidiaries and equity accounted investees (continued)

	Name of the entity	Country of incorporation	Ownership interest		Principal activities
			2020	2019	
L	Joint Ventures of R.A.K. Ceramics P.J.S.C.				
	RAK Chimica LLC (refer note 11(i))	UAE	55.55%	55.55%	Manufacturing of chemicals used in ceramic industries
	Kludi RAK LLC (refer note 11(i))	UAE	51%	51%	Manufacturing of water tap faucets etc.
М	Associate of Ceramin FZ LLC				
	Palang Suriya Company Limited	Thailand	40%	40%	Extraction, distribution and export of clay and other minerals
N	Joint Venture of RAK Ceramics Australia PTY LTD				
	Massa Imports PTY Limited	Australia	50%	50%	Trading in ceramic tiles
0	Joint Venture of RAK Ceramics Holding LLC				
	RAK Watertech LLC (refer note 11(I))	UAE	51%	51%	Waste-water treatment works
Р	Subsidiary of Palang Suriya Company Limited				
	Feldspar Minerals Co. Limited	Thailand	60%	60%	Extraction, distribution and export of clay and other minerals
Q	Associate of Resofair RAK LLC				
•	Naranjee Hirjee Hotel Supplies LLC	Oman	25%	-	Hotel supplies

- (i) In addition to 99% equity interest in Altek Emirates LLC held by RAK Paints LLC, the remaining 1% equity interest is held by RAK Ceramics Holding LLC, a fully owned subsidiary of the Group. Accordingly, the entity has been treated as fully owned subsidiary of the Group.
- (ii) Ceramin FZ LLC holds a 40% equity interest in Feldspar Minerals Company Limited. In addition to this, Palang Suriya Company Limited in which Ceramin FZC holds a 40% equity interest, also has 60% equity interest in this entity. Accordingly, the Group effectively holds a 64% equity interest in Feldspar Minerals Company Limited.
- (iii) RAK Porcelain has been considered as a subsidiary since the Group has ability to use its power to affect its returns.
- (iv) RAK Saudi LLC has been merged with ARK International Trading Company Limited and it operates as a branch, effective from 1 January 2020.

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37. Significant accounting estimates and critical accounting judgements

The Group makes estimates and assumptions which affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year. Estimates and critical accounting judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Significant areas of estimation uncertainty and critical judgements in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements are as follows.

COVID-19 impact

The existence of novel coronavirus (Covid-19) was confirmed in early 2020 and it spread across the globe causing disruption to businesses and economic activity. Many countries adopted extraordinary containment measures with complete or partial lock-down including restrictions on the day to day activities of citizens except those deemed to be in essential roles. The Group was proactive in implementing a raft of measures designed to mitigate the impact of Covid-19, to fully implement governmental regulations and recommendations to ensure the safety and security of staff and provide, to the extent possible, uninterrupted service to its customers. The Group established a COVID 19 Command Center to closely monitor the situation and take timely decisions as part of its crisis management procedure.

Management has considered the unique circumstances of the global pandemic that have a material impact on the business operations, assets and liabilities of the Group and concluded that the main impact on the Group's profitability/ liquidity position could arise from the following possible risks:

- interruption of production,
- supply chain disruptions,
- · unavailability of personnel,
- reduction in sales due to closure of projects sites,
- · increase in expected credit losses from trade receivables, and
- impairment of non-financial assets (including goodwill).

During the current year, the construction industry in the UAE continued to operate and the Group's production lines in the UAE were running throughout the period as they were not subject to many of the restrictions. Similarly, supplies in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Europe, United Kingdom and Australia continued throughout the period amid certain intermittent supply chain issues. The operations in India and Bangladesh had to be shut down in the last week of March 2020 following government regulation. They resumed by the first week of June 2020 and were running seamlessly during the third and fourth quarters. Management is satisfied that the Group has sufficient resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future, a period of not less than 12 months from the date of this report.

The Group continues to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the consolidated financial statements.

Critical accounting judgements

Classification of properties

As disclosed in note 14(iv), the Group has started to use a building which earlier was classified as investment property, and accordingly, this building with carrying amount of AED 30.12 million has been transferred from investment property, to property, plant and equipment during the year due to change of its use.

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37. Significant accounting estimates and judgements (continued)

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting period that may 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.

Estimated useful life and residual value of property, plant and equipment and investment properties

The Group estimates the useful lives of property, plant and equipment and investment properties based on the period over which the assets are expected to be available for use. The estimated useful lives are reviewed periodically and are updated if expectations differ from previous estimates due to physical wear and tear, technical or commercial obsolescence and legal or other limits on the use of the assets. In addition, estimation of the useful lives of property and equipment is based on collective assessment of industry practice, internal technical evaluation and on historical experience with similar assets. It is possible, however, that future results of operations could be materially affected by changes in estimates brought about by changes in the factors mentioned above. The amounts and timing of recorded expenses for any period would be affected by changes in these factors and circumstances.

Fair valuation of investment properties

The Group follows the Cost Model per IAS 40 whereby investment properties are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. Fair values of investment properties is disclosed in note 18. The fair values for buildings has been determined by taking into consideration both income/profits and comparable sales approach having regard to market rental and transactional evidence. Fair values for land has been determined either having regard to recent market transactions in vicinity or by using the residual method.

Allowance for slow moving inventories and net realizable value write down on inventories

The Group reviews its inventory for any write down for net realizable value adjustments on a regular basis. In determining whether a provision for slow moving inventory should be recorded in profit and loss, the Group makes judgments as to whether there is any observable data indicating that there is any future salability of the product and the net realizable value for such product. Provision is made where the net realizable value is less than cost based on best estimates by management. The provision for slow moving inventory is based on its ageing and the past trend of consumption.

Impairment of goodwill

The Group determines whether goodwill is impaired at least on an annual basis. This requires an estimation of the value-in-use of the cash generating units to which goodwill is allocated. Estimating the value-in-use requires the Group to make an estimate of the expected future cash flows from each cash generating unit and also to choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows.

Management has carried out an impairment test for goodwill at the year end and has concluded that no impairment has taken place. For this purpose, the recoverable amount of each cash generating unit has been determined based on a value-in-use calculation using cash flow projections, based on financial budgets approved by senior management, covering a five-year period. Cash flows beyond the five-year period are extrapolated using a growth rate, which management believes approximates the long-term growth rate for the industry in which the cash generating unit operates.

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37. Significant accounting estimates and judgements (continued)

Key sources of estimation uncertainty (continued)

Impairment of goodwill (continued)

Key assumptions used for the calculation of value-in-use

The calculation of value-in-use is sensitive to the following assumptions:

Growth rate

Growth rates are based on management's assessment of the market share having regard to the forecast growth and demand for the products offered. Growth rates of 8% -13% per annum have been applied in the calculation.

Profit margins

Profit margins are based on management's assessment of achieving a stable level of performance based on the approved business plan of the cash generating unit for the next five years.

Discount rates

Management has used a discount rate of 8% - 12% per annum throughout the assessment period, reflecting the estimated weighted average cost of capital of the Group and specific market risk profile.

Calculation of loss allowance

When measuring expected credit losses, the Group uses reasonable and supportable forward looking information, which is based on assumptions for the future movement of different economic drivers and how these drivers will affect each other.

Loss given default is an estimate of the loss arising on default. It is based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due and those that the lender would expect to receive, taking into account cash flows from collateral and integral credit enhancements.

Probability of default constitutes a key input in measuring ECL. Probability of default is an estimate of the likelihood of default over a given time horizon, the calculation of which includes historical data, assumptions and expectations of future conditions.

If the ECL rates on trade receivables between 91 and 180 days past due had been 5 per cent higher (lower) as of 31 December 2020, the loss allowance on trade receivables would have been AED 0.21 million (2019: AED 0.41 million) higher (lower).

If the ECL rates on trade receivables between 181 and 360 days past due had been 5 per cent higher (lower) as of 31 December 2020, the loss allowance on trade receivables would have been AED 0.74 million (2019: AED 0.82 million) higher (lower).

38. Approval of the consolidated financial statements

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorized for issue on 10 February 2021.