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REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL INFORMATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ALDAR PROPERTIES PJSC

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Aldar Properties PJSC (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (together, the "Group") as at 31 March 2021 and the related condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss, comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the three-month period then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* (IAS 34). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity." A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

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Condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2021

	Notes	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	5	2,929,402	2,961,523
Intangible assets and goodwill	6	188,487	28,085
Investment properties	7	16,867,582	16,462,916
Investment in associates and joint ventures	8	124,372	123,889
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive			
income ("FVTOCI")	9	47,202	53,905
Trade and other receivables	10	232,940	238,321
Total non-current assets		20,389,985	19,868,639
Current assets		W	
Land held for sale		4,791,142	4,788,652
Development work in progress	11	2,277,499	2,719,770
Inventories	12	855,787	892,288
Contract assets		1,187,134	1,017,866
Trade and other receivables	10	5,772,061	5,447,615
Cash and bank balances	13	5,427,945	5,497,818
Total current assets		20,311,568	20,364,009
TOTAL ASSETS		40,701,553	40,232,648

Condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2021 (continued)

EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	Notes	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Equity			
Share capital		7,862,630	7,862,630
Statutory reserve		3,931,315	3,931,315
Cash flow hedging reserve		(32,146)	(31,054)
Investment revaluation reserve		11,440	18,142
Retained earnings		13,252,424	13,849,760
Equity attributable to the owners of the Company		25,025,663	25,630,793
Non-controlling interests		72,001	70,892
Total equity		25,097,664	25,701,685
Non-current liabilities			
Non-convertible sukuk	14	3,636,303	3,634,684
Bank borrowings	14	3,602,664	3,764,392
Retentions payable		360,815	270,252
Lease liabilities		283,975	304,611
Employees benefits		208,363	182,665
Derivative financial instruments		12,798	13,675
Total non-current liabilities		8,104,918	8,170,279
Current liabilities			·
Non-convertible sukuk	14	32,647	36,423
Bank borrowings	14	507,190	569,662
Retentions payable		677,252	609,309
Lease liabilities		47,821	35,087
Derivative financial instruments			1,655
Advances from customers	15	335,467	375,169
Contract liabilities		260,698	250,497
Trade and other payables	16	5,637,896	4,482,882
Total current liabilities		7,498,971	6,360,684
Total liabilities		15,603,889	14,530,963
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		40,701,553	40,232,648

To the best of our knowledge, and in accordance with the applicable reporting principles for interim financial reporting, the condensed consolidated financial statements present fairly in all material respects the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Group.

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Mohamed Al Mubarak

Chairman

Talal Al Dhiyebi
Chief Executive Officer

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Greg Fewer
Chief Financial & Sustainability Officer

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

Condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss for the period ended 31 March 2021

	Notes	3 months end	ed 31 March
		2021	2020
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)
		AED'000	AED'000
Revenue and rental income	23	2,041,019	1,757,011
Direct costs	23	(1,264,605)	(1,058,345)
Gross profit		776,414	698,666
Selling and marketing expenses		(37,881)	(18,236)
General and administrative expenses			
Staff costs		(60,248)	(58,185)
Depreciation and amortisation		(61,936)	(66,083)
Provisions, impairments and write downs - net		(47,494)	(33,225)
Others		(44,957)	(21,137)
Loss on revaluation of investment properties Gain on transfer from development work in progress to	7	(46,990)	(134,928)
investment properties due to change in use		E	3,855
Share of results of associates and joint ventures	8	(1,958)	(903)
Gain on disposal of investment properties		1,374	176
Gain on bargain purchase	28.1	99,469	
Finance income	17	12,270	21,640
Finance costs	18	(64,344)	(91,097)
Other income	19	20,136	1,832
Profit for the period		543,855	302,375
Attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		542,746	300,101
Non-controlling interests		1,109	2,274
		543,855	302,375
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	20	0.069	0.038
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Condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the period ended 31 March 2021

	3 months ended	31 March
	2021 (unaudited) AED'000	2020 (unaudited) AED'000
Profit for the period	543,855	302,375
Other comprehensive income Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Fair value loss on revaluation of financial assets at FVOCI	(6,702)	(3,507)
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Fair value gain/(loss) arising on hedging instruments during the period classified under cash flow hedges Cumulative (gain)/loss arising on hedging instruments	877	(7,438)
reclassified to profit or loss (note 18)	(1,969)	1,724
Other comprehensive loss for the period	(7,794)	(9,221)
Total comprehensive income for the period	536,061	293,154
Attributable to:		
Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	534,952 1,109	290,880 2,274
	536,061	293,154
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Condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity for the period ended 31 March 2021

	Share capital AED'000	Legal reserve AED'000	Cash flow hedging reserve AED'000	Investment revaluation reserve AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Equity attributable to Owners of the Company AED'000	Non- controlling interests AED'000	Total AED'000
Balance at 1 January 2020 (audited)	7,862,630	3,931,315	(33,482)	19,439	13,057,604	24,837,506	113,744	24,951,250
Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period Dividends (note 25)	1 1 1	1 1 1	(5,714)	(3,507)	300,101	300,101 (9,221) (1,140,082)	2,274	302,375 (9,221) (1,140,082)
Balance at 31 March 2020 (unaudited)	7,862,630	3,931,315	(39,196)	15,932	12,217,623	23,988,304	116,018	24,104,322
Balance at 1 January 2021 (audited)	7,862,630	3,931,315	(31,054)	18,142	13,849,760	25,630,793	70,892	25,701,685
Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period Dividends (note 25)		E E F	- (1,092)	(6,702)	542,746	542,746 (7,794) (1,140,082)	1,109	543,855 (7,794) (1,140,082)
Balance at 31 March 2021 (unaudited)	7,862,630	3,931,315	(32,146)	11,440	13,252,424	25,025,663	72,001	25,097,664

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

Condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the period ended 31 March 2021

		3 months en	ded 31 March
		2021	2020
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	Notes	AED'000	AED'000
Net cash generated from operating activities		314,784	159,532
Cash flows from investing activities		 	 x
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	5	(19,635)	(6,778)
Purchases of intangible assets	6	(2,550)	(1,641)
Additions to investment properties	7	(22,998)	(10,086)
Proceeds from disposal of investment properties		16,032	4,925
Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	28	(62,339)	-
Decrease in term deposits with original maturities greater		(,)	
than three months		177,182	128,692
Decrease in restricted bank balances		1,524	235,013
Finance income received		10,146	51,865
Net cash generated from investing activities		97,362	401,990
Cash flows from financing activities			-
Repayments of bank borrowings		(1,014,500)	()
Proceeds from bank borrowings		803,774	
Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities		(10,466)	(17,237)
Finance costs paid		(80,094)	(90,871)
Dividends paid		(372)	(748)
Cash paid due to the settlement of the derivative		, , ,	, ,
financial instrument used to hedge interest rate risk		(1,655)	-
Net cash used in financing activities		(303,313)	(108,856)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		108,833	452,666
		100,000	132,000
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	13	2,586,485	2,290,112
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	13	2,695,318	2,742,778

Refer to note 26 for details of non-cash transactions excluded from the condensed consolidated statement of cash flows.

1 General information

The establishment of Aldar Properties PJSC (the "Company") was approved by Decision No. (16) of 2004 of the Abu Dhabi Department of Planning and Economy dated 12 October 2004. The Company's incorporation was declared by Ministerial Resolution No. (59) of 2005 issued by the UAE Minister of Economy dated 23 February 2005.

The Company is domiciled in the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and its registered office address is P.O. Box 51133, Abu Dhabi.

The Company's ordinary shares are listed on the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange.

The Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group") are engaged in various businesses primarily the development, sales, investment, construction, leasing, management and associated services for real estate. In addition, the Group is also engaged in development, construction, management and operation of hotels, schools, marinas, restaurants, beach clubs and golf courses.

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

The following new and revised IFRSs, which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021, have been applied in these condensed consolidated financial statements:

Interest Rate Benchmark Reform - Phase 2: Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16

The amendments provide temporary reliefs which address the financial reporting effects when an interbank offered rate (IBOR) is replaced with an alternative nearly risk-free interest rate (RFR). The amendments include the following practical expedients:

- A practical expedient to require contractual changes, or changes to cash flows that are directly required
 by the reform, to be treated as changes to a floating interest rate, equivalent to a movement in a market
 rate of interest.
- Permit changes required by IBOR reform to be made to hedge designations and hedge documentation without the hedging relationship being discontinued.
- Provide temporary relief to entities from having to meet the separately identifiable requirement when an RFR instrument is designated as a hedge of a risk component.

The Group applied the Phase 2 amendments retrospectively. However, in accordance with the exceptions permitted in the Phase 2 amendments, the Group has elected not to restate the prior period to reflect the application of these amendments, including not providing additional disclosures for 2020. There is no impact on opening equity balances as a result of retrospective application.

The Phase 2 amendments provide practical relief from certain requirements in IFRS Standards. These reliefs relate to modifications of financial instruments and lease contracts or hedging relationships triggered by a replacement of a benchmark interest rate in a contract with a new alternative benchmark rate.

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

<u>Interest Rate Benchmark Reform – Phase 2: Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16</u> (continued)

If the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of a financial asset or financial liability measured at amortised cost changes as a result of interest rate benchmark reform, then the Group updates the effective interest rate of the financial asset or financial liability to reflect the change that is required by the reform. A change in the basis for determining the contractual cash flows is required by interest rate benchmark reform if the following conditions are met:

- the change is necessary as a direct consequence of the reform; and
- the new basis for determining the contractual cash flows is economically equivalent to the previous basis i.e. the basis immediately before the change.

If changes are made to a financial asset or financial liability in addition to changes to the basis for determining the contractual cash flows required by interest rate benchmark reform, then the Group first updates the effective interest rate of the financial asset or financial liability to reflect the change that is required by interest rate benchmark reform. Subsequently, the Group applies the policies on accounting for modifications set out above to the additional changes.

The amendments also provide an exception to use a revised discount rate that reflects the change in interest rate when remeasuring a lease liability because of a lease modification that is required by interest rate benchmark reform.

Finally, the Phase 2 amendments provide a series of temporary exceptions from certain hedge accounting requirements when a change required by interest rate benchmark reform occurs to a hedged item and/or hedging instrument that permit the hedge relationship to be continued without interruption. The Group applies the following reliefs as and when uncertainty arising from interest rate benchmark reform is no longer present with respect to the timing and the amount of the interest rate benchmark-based cash flows of the hedged item or hedging instrument:

- the Group amends the designation of a hedging relationship to reflect changes that are required by the reform without discontinuing the hedging relationship; and
- when a hedged item in a cash flow hedge is amended to reflect the changes that are required by the reform, the amount accumulated in the cash flow hedge reserve is deemed to be based on the alternative benchmark rate on which the hedged future cash flows are determined.

While uncertainty persists in the timing or amount of the interest rate benchmark-based cash flows of the hedged item or hedging instrument, the Group continues to apply the existing accounting policies.

Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions (Amendment to IFRS 16)

The amendment provides lessees with an exemption from assessing whether a COVID-19-related rent concession is a lease modification. These amendments didn't have any material impact on the condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

3 Summary of significant accounting policies

3.1 Statement of compliance

These condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* and comply with the applicable requirements of the laws in the UAE.

These condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual consolidated financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020. In addition, results for the three-months period ended 31 March 2021 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2021.

3.2 Basis of preparation

These condensed consolidated financial statements are presented in UAE Dirhams ("AED") which is functional and presentation currency of the Group and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand except when otherwise indicated.

These condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, except for the measurement at fair value of certain financial instruments and investment properties.

The accounting policies used in the preparation of these condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those applied to the audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020, except for the adoption of new standards and interpretations effective 1 January 2021.

4 Critical accounting judgments and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of these condensed consolidated financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

In preparing these condensed consolidated financial statements, the significant judgments made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies, and the key sources of estimates uncertainty were the same as those applied in the Group consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2020, except for the adoption of new standards and interpretations effective 1 January 2021.

5 Property, plant and equipment

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Balance at the beginning of the period/year Additions during the period/year Acquisition of subsidiaries (note 28) Depreciation charge for the period/year Derecognised on sale of subsidiaries Derecognised on sale of businesses Disposals Impairment for the period/year	2,961,523 19,635 5,830 (56,174) - (1,412)	3,504,590 95,877 - (260,334) (302,883) (73,734) (597) (1,396)
Balance at the end of the period/year	2,929,402	2,961,523

Property, plant and equipment includes right-of-use assets mainly with respect to leases of plots of land amounting to AED 88,122 thousand (31 December 2020: AED 86,609 thousand).

No impairment indications were observed for any items of property, plant and equipment during the period ended 31 March 2021.

6 Intangible assets and goodwill

During the period, the Group recognised intangible assets and goodwill amounting to AED 164,950 thousand (31 March 2020: nil) as part of business combinations during the period (Note 28). The remaining movement in the intangible assets and goodwill relates to amortisation of intangible assets for the period amounting to AED 7,098 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 3,369 thousand) and additions amounting to AED 2,550 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 1,641 thousand).

7 Investment properties

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Balance at the beginning of the period/year Additions during the period/year Fair value loss, net Disposals Transfer from development work in progress* (note 11)	16,462,916 22,998 (46,990) (14,658) 443,316	16,782,476 69,010 (399,850) (72,116) 83,396
Balance at the end of the period/year	16,867,582	16,462,916

^{*} This represent transfer of a property from development work in progress due to change in use since the Group entered into operating leases with other parties for the property. The Group recorded a fair value gain of nil (31 December 2020: AED 3,343 thousand) on the transfer.

Investment properties include right-of-use assets mainly with respect to leases of plots of and amounting to AED 279,924 thousand as at 31 March 2021 (31 December 2020: AED 290,400 thousand).

During the period, the fair values of major investment properties were reassessed on the basis of internal valuations that resulted in a net fair value loss of AED 46,990 thousand at 31 March 2021 (31 March 2020: AED 134,928 thousand). The investment properties are categorised under Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

The Group also conducted sensitivity analysis on the capitalisation rates and rental rates for the major investment properties on which net fair value loss was recognised as of 31 March 2021. Based on this sensitivity analysis:

- a decrease in the capitalisation rates by 50bps would result in AED 807,103 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 460,450 thousand) increase in the valuation, whilst an increase in the capitalisation rates by 50bps would result in AED 688,304 (31 March 2020: AED 401,508 thousand) decrease in the valuation of those properties; and
- an increase in the rental rates by 10% would result in AED 957,995 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 631,053 thousand) increase in the valuation, whilst a decrease in the rental rates by 10% would result in AED 957,995 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 631,053 thousand) decrease in the valuation of those properties.

8 Investment in associates and joint ventures

The movement in the investment in associates and joint ventures relates to share of the losses amounting to AED 1,958 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 903 thousand). The Company considers that its amount receivable from one of the joint venture is part of the Company's interest in the joint venture and, accordingly, loss recognised using the equity method in excess of the Group's investment in ordinary shares amounting to AED 2,441 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 1,943 thousand) was applied to the Group's receivable from the joint venture.

9 Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

	31 March 2021	31 December 2020
	(unaudited) AED'000	(audited) AED'000
Investment in UAE quoted securities Investment in UAE unquoted securities	37,450 9,752	37,500 16,405
	47,202	53,905

As at 31 March 2021 and 31 December 2020, the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

	Level 1 AED'000	Level 2 AED'000	Level 3 AED'000	Total AED'000
31 March 2021 (unaudited) Investments in financial assets at FVTOCI	37,450		9,752	47,202
31 December 2020 (audited) Investments in financial assets at FVTOCI	37,500		16,405	53,905

There were no transfers during the period from level 1 and level 2.

10 Trade and other receivables

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Non-current portion		
Receivables relating to project finance	136,943	137,226
Due from associates and joint ventures	177,292	176,476
Others	79,378	83,430
	393,613	397,132
Less: allowance for expected credit loss	(160,673)	(158,811)
	232,940	238,321
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10 Trade and other receivables (continued)

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Current portion Trade receivables Refundable costs Receivables relating to project finance Receivables from the Government of Abu Dhabi Due from associates and joint ventures Advances and prepayments Accrued interest Receivable related to sale of subsidiaries and businesses Others	2,945,224 188,730 6,670 100,734 26,350 1,034,039 17,167 968,223 682,733	3,059,385 248,831 9,099 97,408 26,272 590,251 20,232 999,560 602,138
Less: allowance for expected credit loss	5,969,870 (197,809) ————————————————————————————————————	5,653,176 (205,561)

Subsequent to the reporting period, the Company received AED 916,568 thousand relating to sale of subsidiaries.

During the period, allowance for expected credit loss of AED 2,705 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 32,060 thousand) was made against trade receivables and trade receivables amounting to AED 10,457 thousand were written off (31 March 2020: AED 444 thousand).

During 2020, the Company sold its district cooling operations (the "Cooling Entities") comprising the Group's entire interest in Saadiyat Cooling LLC (a 85% owned subsidiary) and Saadiyat District Cooling LLC (a wholly owned subsidiary). As per the Sale Purchase Agreements and earn out agreement, the Group is also entitled to earn out consideration in the form of additional fee for each additional load for which the buyer contracts from these cooling operations. At 31 March 2021 and 31 December 2020, the management assessed that the deferred consideration is a contingent asset as its existence will be confirmed by occurrence of future uncertain events not within the control of the Group and is accordingly not recognised as asset.

11 Development work in progress

Development work in progress represents development and construction costs incurred on properties being constructed for sale. Movement during the period/year is as follows:

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Balance at beginning of the period/year	2,719,770	2,546,972
Development costs incurred during the period/year	485,099	2,556,156
Recognised in costs of properties sold	(441,408)	(1,600,469)
Write-down	(42,646)	(101,961)
Transfers to:	Section Control	2 November 1997 (1997) (1997) (1997)
Land held for sale	Œ.	(37,320)
Inventories (note 12)	; e	(563,555)
Investment properties (note 7)	(443,316)	(80,053)
Balance at the end of the period/year	2,277,499	2,719,770

As at 31 March 2021, the Group determined net realisable value of its development work in progress and recorded a write-down of AED 42,646 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 1,644 thousand) relating to projects under planning. The estimates of net realisable values are based on the most reliable evidence available at the reporting date, of the amount that the Group is expected to realise in its ordinary course of business. These estimates also take into consideration the purpose for which the asset is held.

All development work in progress projects are located in the United Arab Emirates.

12 Inventories

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Completed properties Other operating inventories	808,960 46,827	848,716 43,572
Balance at the end of the year	855,787	892,288

During the period/year, properties with a value of nil (31 December 2020: AED 563,555 thousand) were transferred to inventories upon completion (note 11).

Completed properties in inventories are located in the United Arab Emirates.

13 Cash and cash equivalents

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Cash and bank balances Short term deposits held with banks	3,639,046 1,788,899	3,819,959 1,677,859
Cash and bank balances	5,427,945	5,497,818
Short term deposits with original maturities greater than three months Restricted bank balances	(524,232) (2,208,395)	(701,414) (2,209,919)
Cash and cash equivalents	2,695,318	2,586,485

Restricted bank balances include balances amounting to AED 1,500,008 thousand (31 December 2020: AED 1,350,791 thousand) which are deposited into escrow accounts representing cash received from customers against sale of development properties.

The interest rate on term deposits during the period/year ranges between 0.015 % and 1.43 % (31 December 2020: between 0.0033% and 1.43%) per annum. All bank deposits are placed with local banks in the United Arab Emirates.

14 Bank borrowings and non-convertible sukuk

Non-convertible Sukuk		Non-convertible Sukuk		rowings
	31 March	31 December	31 March	31 December
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(audited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Current				
Within one year	32,647	36,423	507,190	569,662
Non-current				
More than one year	3,636,303	3,634,684	3,602,664	3,764,392
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	3,668,950	3,671,107	4,109,854	4,334,054
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14 Bank borrowings and non-convertible sukuk (continued)

Certain bank borrowings are secured in the form of mortgage over plots of land included in land held for sale (AED 1,021,737 thousand) and operating assets under investment properties (AED 3,229,754 thousand) and carry a net worth covenant.

During the period, the Group cancelled the outstanding AED 4.79 billion Revolving Credit Facility (RCF) of May 2018 and entered into four new revolving credit facilities totaling AED 5 billion for general corporate purposes with two financial institutions. Two of the facilities with one bank totaling AED 3 billion are unsecured, carrying an interest rate at 1% plus relevant EIBOR for loans outstanding up to 66% of total commitments. An interest rate of 1.30% plus relevant EIBOR applies to both loans once total outstanding exceed 66% of total commitments. These two revolving facilities are repayable at three and five years respectively from agreement dates with an option to extend each of them by a maximum of a further two years. The other two revolving credit facilities totaling AED 2 billion with another financial institution carry interest rate at relevant EIBOR plus a minimum margin of 1.10% based on the value of secured assets provided as collateral. Both of these revolving facilities are repayable at five years from agreement date with an option to extend each of them by a maximum of a further two years.

During the period, the Group also cancelled a RCF of AED 240 million previously signed with a local bank on 30 June 2014 and having a maturity date of 31 March 2023. At the time of cancelation, the facility remained fully undrawn.

As at 31 March 2021, the Group had AED 4,196,226 thousand of undrawn, committed revolving credit facilities in the form of bilateral agreements with two financial institutions having a maturity for AED 839,731 thousand in March 2024 and for AED 3,356,495 thousand in March 2026.

15 Advances from customers

Advances from customers represent mainly instalments collected from customers for the sale of the Group's property developments and security deposits.

16 Trade and other payables

*	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Trade payables	274,108	387,917
Accrual for contractors' costs	2,865,989	2,796,945
Dividends payable (note 25)	1,229,145	89,059
Due to the Government of Abu Dhabi	196,756	67,028
Advances from the Government of Abu Dhabi (note 21.1)	133,855	178,025
Deferred income	295,255	275,392
Provision for onerous contracts	15,926	16,430
Other liabilities	626,862	672,086
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	5,637,896	4,482,882

The Group has financial and risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are paid within the pre-agreed credit terms.

17 Finance income

	3 months ended 31 March	
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	AED'000	AED'000
Interest/profit earned on:		
Islamic deposits	3,832	8,428
Bank fixed deposits	32	2,052
Call and current accounts	1,853	5,561
Total interest/profit earned	5,717	16,041
Finance income earned on receivables from project finance	3,006	3,041
Other finance income	3,547	2,558
	12,270	21,640
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18	Finance costs
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	3 months ended 31 March	
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
•	AED'000	AED'000
Finance costs on bank borrowings and non-convertible sukuk Unwinding of finance cost on operating	61,404	84,669
lease liabilities (note 22.2)	3,625	3,586
Others	1,284	1,118
	66,313	89,373
Cumulative (gain)/loss arising on hedging instruments reclassified		
to profit or loss	(1,969)	1,724
	64,344	91,097
19 Other income	2 m anába an da	J 21 Maugh
	3 months ende	
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)

	3 months ended 31 March	
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	AED'000	AED'000
Income recognised upon handover of infrastructure	3,323	=
Others	16,813	1,832
	20,136	1,832

Others included AED 9,203 thousand received from an affiliate of a major shareholder in respect of costs incurred previously by the Company.

20 Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share amounts are calculated by dividing profit for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. As there are no dilutive instruments outstanding, basic and diluted earnings per share are identical. The calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to the owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	3 months ended 31 March	
-	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
Earnings (AED'000)		
Earnings for the purpose of basic and diluted earnings per share		
(profit for the period attributable to Owners of the Company)	542,746	300,101
Weighted average number of shares (000)		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of basic		
and diluted earnings per share	7,862,630	7,862,630
	:	
Basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to owners of the		
Company in AED	0.069	0.038

21 Transactions and balances with related parties

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions. Related parties comprise of major shareholder, associated companies, directors, key management personnel of the Group and their related entities. The terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management and are made on terms agreed by the Board of Directors or management. Government of Abu Dhabi is an indirect major shareholder of the Company. The balances and transactions disclosed below with reference to Government of Abu Dhabi also include the entities controlled by Government of Abu Dhabi.

21.1 Related party balances:

	31 March	31 December
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(audited)
	AED'000	AED'000
(1) Government of Abu Dhabi:		
Trade and other receivables	615,276	604,190
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Trade and other payables	(196,756)	(67,049)
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Contract liabilities	(75,053)	(71.166)
Contract natifices	(75,873)	(74,466)
		
Advances received (note 16)	(133,855)	(178,025)
(1000-10)	(100,000)	(170,023)

21 Transactions and balances with related parties (continued)

21.1 Related party balances (continued):

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
(2) Major shareholder and its affiliates:		
Trade and other receivables	993,829	1,008,558
		-
Trade and other payables	(3,500)	(4,635)
(3) Due from associates and joint ventures Trade and other receivables	26,838	27,806
(4) Due to joint ventures for project-related work Trade and other payables	(32,692)	(32,692)

Certain receivables from joint ventures carry interest of 9% per annum and are repayable within 2 to 5 years.

21.2 Related party transactions:

	3 months end	ed 31 March
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	AED'000	AED'000
(1) Government of Abu Dhabi:		
Revenue	485,193	234,678
	-	
Other income	3,323	
		-
(2) Finance income from project finance	2,201	2,231
	=	
(3) Major shareholder and its affiliates:		
Revenue	9,932	9,210
Other income (note 10)	0.202	
Other income (note 19)	9,203	
(4) Finance income from joint ventures	1,862	1,862

During the period, the Group acquired Aldar Projects LLC from Modon Properties PJSC, a Government of Abu Dhabi owned entity, for a total consideration of AED 7,945 thousand (note 28).

21 Transactions and balances with related parties (continued)

	3 months ended 31 March			
	2021	2020		
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)		
	AED'000	AED'000		
(5) Key management compensation:				
Salaries, bonuses and other benefits	4,979	3,878		
Post-employment benefits	231	134		
Long term incentives	1,758	1,394		
	6,968	5,406		
(6) Directors' remuneration - expense	4,000	1,500		

During the period, the Company paid Directors' remunerations amounting to AED 20,700 thousand (31 March 2020: AED 13,950 thousand).

22 Commitment and contingencies

22.1 Capital commitment

Capital expenditure contracted for but not yet incurred is as follows:

	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
Projects under development Reimbursable projects works in progress	1,076,236 10,121,336	1,294,780 1,150,779
	11,197,572	2,445,559

Reimbursable projects works in progress represent remaining contractual amounts relating to projects managed by the Group, of which the related agreements with contractors were entered by and continued to be under the name of the Group on behalf of the Government of Abu Dhabi. This include AED 9,281,722 thousand of commitment acquired as part of acquisition of Aldar Projects LLC (note 28.1) which will be funded by the Government of Abu Dhabi.

The above commitments are spread over a period of one to five years.

22 Commitment and contingencies

22.2 Operating lease commitment

The future minimum rentals receivable under non-cancellable operating leases contracted are as follows:

The Group as a lessor Within one year	31 March 2021 (unaudited) AED'000	31 December 2020 (audited) AED'000
In the second to fifth year	1,831,153	871,763 1,838,969
After five years	1,302,587	1,500,663
	4,100,073	4,211,395
	3 months e	aded 31 March
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	AED'000	AED'000
The Group as a lessee		
Unwinding of interest expense on lease liabilities		2 200
during the period	3,625	3,586
		-
Cash outflow in respect of leases	14,560	25,650
22.3 Contingencies		
	31 March	31 December
	2021	2020
	(unaudited)	(audited)
	AED'000	AED'000
Letters of credit and bank guarantees:	004.000	
Issued by the Group	906,892	953,119
		-
Group's share in contingencies of joint ventures and associates	3	3
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Included in the above are bank guarantees and letters of credit amounting to AED 532,428 thousand (31 December 2020: AED 586,564 thousand) pertaining to a construction related subsidiary.

23 Segment information

23.1 Operating segments

During the period, the Group adopted a new group operating model. The new model promotes agility and accountability throughout the organisation, identifies key responsibilities of management and internal management reporting, with two core businesses: Property Development and Management, and Asset Management. As a result of the above, the Group realigned its segments reflecting the new operating model. Following the realignment, education and principal investments activities which were grouped under 'Adjacencies' operating segment previously were identified as separate operating segments and development management was rebranded as 'Project management services'. Comparative periods were restated accordingly.

For internal management reporting purposes, the Group's operations are aggregated into segments with similar economic characteristics. Management considers that this is best achieved with Property development and sales, project management services, investment properties, hospitality and leisure, education and principal investments as operating segments.

Consequently, the Group has presented six reportable segments for the current and comparative periods which are as follows:

- Property development and sales develop and sell properties
- Project management services manage various projects
- Investment properties acquires, manages and leases residential, commercial and retail properties
- Hospitality and leisure hotels and leisure activities
- Education provides education services
- Principal investments includes construction, property and facilities management operations

In keeping with the requirements of IFRS 8 (management approach), this reorganisation led to a restatement in the segment report for all comparable periods. Based on the information reported to the Group's senior management for the allocation of resources, marketing strategies, management reporting lines and measurement of performance of business, the reportable segments under IFRS 8 were identified according to the structure of investment activities and services to customer groups.

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23 Segment information

23.1 Operating segments

Segment information about the Group's operations is presented below:

Three months ended 31 March 2021 (unaudited)

	Consolidated AED'000	1,434,713 187,790 418,516	2,041,019 (1,235,021) (29,584)	776,414
	Eliminations AED'000	(37,665)	(37,665)	(3,805)
	Principal investments AED'000	216,586	248,225 (209,566)	38,659
gement	Education AED'000	126,994	131,598	41,541
Asset management	Hospitality and leisure AED'000	49,407	92,819 (78,599)	14,220
	Investment properties AED'000	- 418,516 1,422	419,938 (73,804) (29,584)	316,550
pment and gement	Project management services AED'000	382,082	383,662 (293,797)	89,865
Property development and management	Property development and sales AED'000	659,644	802,442 (523,058)	279,384
		Revenue from external customers - Over a period of time - At a point in time - Leasing Inter-segments	Gross revenue (i) Cost of revenue excluding service charge Service charge expenses	Gross profit

(i) Gross revenue of investment properties include AED 29,584 thousand of revenue from service charges.

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23 Segment information (continued)

23.1 Operating segments (continued)

Three months ended 31 March 2021 (unaudited) (continued)

	Consolidated AED'000	776,414	(57,469) (47,235) (46,990)	1,374	4,604	645,965	(1,958) (42,485) (105,205) (105,205) (4,467) 12,270 (64,344) 99,469 4,869
	Eliminations AED'000	(3,805)	1,139	- (2,319)	190	(191)	
·	Principal investments AED'000	38,659	(5,540) (1,853)	4,501	(104)	35,663	
ement	Education AED'000	41,541	(10,934) (488)			30,119	
Asset management	Hospitality and leisure AED'000	14,220	(34,754)	E II	T T	(20,484)	
	Investment properties AED'000	316,550	(3,231)	1,374	C. Y	268,263	
Property development and management	Project management services AED'000	89,865	(4,018)	£ 4	(88)	85,761	
Property developn	Property development and sales AED'000	279,384	(131) (44,944)	12,525	T T	246,834	
		Gross profit	Depreciation and amortisation Provisions, impairments and write downs-net Loss on revaluation of investment properties	Gain on disposal of investment properties Other income	Finance cost Selling and marketing expenses	Segment profit	Share of results of associates and joint ventures Selling and marketing expenses Provisions, impairments and write downs-net General and administrative expenses Depreciation and amortisation Finance income Finance costs Gain on bargain purchase Other income

543,855

Profit for the period

Notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements for the period ended 31 March 2021 (continued)

23 Segment information

23.1 Operating segments

Three months ended 31 March 2020 (unaudited) - as restated

	Eliminations Co	AED'000 AED'000 AED'000	262,742 - 1,106,3	- 232,701	3	17,887 (19,697)	280,629 (19,697) 1,757,01	(238,792) 22,018 (1,030,090)		41,837 2,321 698,666	
ment	Education	AED,000	127,699	i	ï	1,151	128,850	(98,905)	1	29,945	
Asset management	Hospitality and leisure	AED'000	71,529	69,405		128	141,062	(122,573)	1	18,489	
	Investment properties	AED,000	,	t	417,973	531	418,504	(70,976)	(28,255)	319,273	
pment and lent	Project management services	AED'000	122,886	1,933	3	Ē.	124,819	(108,621)		16,198	
Property development and management	Property development and sales	AED,000	521,481	161,363		ı:	682,844	(412,241)		270,603	
			Revenue from external customers - Over a period of time	- At a point in time	- Leasing	Inter-segments	Gross revenue (1)	Cost of revenue excluding service charge	Service charge expenses	Gross profit	

(i) Gross revenue of investment properties include AED 28,255 thousand of revenue from service charges.

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Segment information (continued) 23

Operating segments (continued) 23.1

Three months ended 31 March 2020 (unaudited) - as restated (continued)

	Consolidated AED'000	999,669	(61,938) (32,963) (134,928)	3,855	(2,531)	471,488	(903) (19,387) (262) (79,322) (4,145) 21,640 (91,097) 4,363	2,7,420
	Eliminations AED'000	2,321	319	i.	(3,926)	(135)		
	Principal investments AED'000	41,837	(9,846) 397			32,388		
gement	Education AED'000	29,945	(10,556) (4,217)	L SI		15,172		
Asset management	Hospitality and leisure AED'000	18,489	(39,692)	- 81	1,394	(19,793)		
	Investment properties AED'000	319,273	(2,163) (27,235) (134,928)	158	Î. J	155,105		
development and management	Project management services AED'000	16,198	9 1 1	r 0	1.1	16,198		
Property development and management	Property development and sales AED'000	270,603	- (906'1)	3,855	- 1	272,553		
		Gross profit	Depreciation and amortization Provisions, impairments and write downs-net Loss on revaluation of investment properties	Gain on transfer from development work in progress to investment properties Gain on disposal of investment properties	Other income Selling and marketing expenses	Segment profit	Share of results of associates and joint ventures Selling and marketing expenses Provisions, impairments and write downs-net General and administrative expenses Depreciation and amortisation Finance income Finance costs Other income	Profit for the period

Notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements for the period ended 31 March 2021 (continued)

23 Segment information (continued)

23.1 Business segments (continued)

The segment assets and capital and project expenditures are as follows:

		Consolidated AED'000	40,701,553	25,465	508,097	40,232,648	6,778	909,605
		Elimination AED'000	2,028	3	9	1,375	•	'
		Unallocated AED'000	4,380,651	427		3,838,327	852	
	Principal	investments AED'000	899,805	5,192	,	902,667	1	1
Asset management		Education AED'000	793,227	8,657		802,207	4,347	,
V	Hospitality	and leisure AED'000	2,292,225	3,592	I	2,356,833	1,375	
	Investment	properties AED'000	17,933,142	2,144	22,998	17,976,940	204	10,063
lopment and	Project management	services AED'000	1,961,578	5,453		1,543,970	'	
Property development and management	Property development	and sales AED'000	12,438,897		485,099	12,810,329	2	650,542
			As at 31 March 2021 (unaudited) Assets	Period ended 31 March 2021 (unaudited) Capital expenditures	Project expenditures	As at 31 December 2020 (audited) – as restated Assets	Period ended 31 March 2020 (unaudited) – as restated Capital expenditures	Project expenditures

23 Segment information (continued)

23.2 Geographical segments

The Group operated mainly in one geographical segment, i.e., United Arab Emirates.

Segment profit represents the profit or loss earned by each segment without allocation of central administration, selling and marketing costs and directors' salaries, share of results of associates and joint ventures, gain on bargain purchase, other gains and losses, finance income and finance costs. These are not allocated to individual segments as these are managed on an overall group basis. This is the measure reported to the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance.

24 Seasonality of results

The seasonal nature of the Group's activities only concerns the hospitality and leisure segment, whose revenue has variability during the first and last quarters of the year.

25 Dividend distribution

At the annual general meeting held on 24 March 2021, the shareholders approved distribution of cash dividend of AED 1,140,082 thousand for the year ended 31 December 2020, being 14.5 fils per share (for the year 2019: cash dividend of AED 1,140,082 thousand, being 14.5 fils per share), which was paid subsequent to the period end.

26 Non-cash transactions

The following were the significant non-cash transactions relating to investing and financing activities of cash flow statement:

	3 months ended 31 March	
	2021 (unaudited) AED'000	2020 (unaudited) AED'000
Transfer between investment properties and development work in progress (note 7)	443,316	77,341
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27 Fair value of financial instruments

Except as disclosed in the following table, management considers that the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities recognised at amortised cost in the condensed consolidated financial statements approximate their fair values.

	31 Marc (unaud		31 December 2020 (audited)	
	Gross carrying amount AED'000	Fair value AED'000	Gross carrying amount AED'000	Fair value AED'000
Financial liabilities at amortised cost Sukuk No.1 (note 14) Sukuk No. 2 (note 14)	1,817,372 1,851,578	2,050,309 1,973,386	1,837,805 1,833,302	2,058,611 1,991,974

28 Business combinations

28.1 Aldar Projects LLC

On 25 October 2020, Abu Dhabi Development Holding Company PJSC ("ADQ") and the Company signed a Memorandum of Understating ("MoU") under which the Company or any of its subsidiary will take over development and management of certain capital projects for and on behalf of the Government of Abu Dhabi by acquiring a subsidiary of Modon Properties PJSC ("Modon"). As part of the MoU, the Company will also have management oversight of the projects carried out by Musanada. The Government of Abu Dhabi will continue to fund the projects and Aldar will earn management fees for project management services.

Subsequently in January 2021, the Abu Dhabi Executive Council has approved a framework between Abu Dhabi Government and the Company for the development of capital projects as mentioned above in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. Further on 1 February 2021, the Company signed an agreement with Modon and acquired 100% of the issued share capital of its wholly owned subsidiary, Aldar Projects LLC ("Aldar Projects") for a total consideration of AED 7,945 thousand. Aldar Projects is a limited liability company incorporated in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. Aldar Projects is a project manager mandated by the Government of Abu Dhabi to build vibrant and sustainable communities in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi with principal activities mainly of managing and providing options of housing complex projects, housing design, management and follow-up of housing construction projects. The business acquired qualifies as a business combination under IFRS 3. The acquisition has been accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting, and accordingly, the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed, have been recognised at their respective provisional fair values. The condensed consolidated financial statements include the results of Aldar Projects for the two months period from the acquisition date.

28 Business combinations (continued)

28.1 Aldar Projects LLC (continued)

The amounts recognised in respect of the provisional fair values at the date of acquisition of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed are set out in the table below:

	Provisional fair values recognised on acquisition AED'000
Assets	
Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets *	5,453 103,687
Trade and other receivables	537,776
Total assets	646,916
Liabilities	
Employees benefits	1,076
Trade and other payables	538,426
Total liabilities	539,502
Total identifiable net assets at provisional fair value	107,414
Less: purchase consideration	(7,945)
Bargain purchase gain	99,469
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Acquisition related costs amounted to AED 5,666 thousand were expensed during the period and are included in general and administrative expenses. From the date of acquisition, Aldar Projects contributed revenue of AED 48,809 thousand and net profit of AED 33,284 thousand towards the operations of the Group. If the acquisition had taken place at the beginning of the period, revenue of the Group would have been higher by AED 7,278 thousand and net profit would have been higher by AED 3,145 thousand. The net assets recognised in these condensed consolidated financial statements were based on a provisional assessment of their fair values.

^{*} Intangible assets represent customer contracts acquired as part of business combination and have historically contributed to revenue and generating independent cash flows and have been valued using multi-period excess earning method.

28 Business combinations (continued)

28.1 Aldar Projects LLC (continued)

Analysis of cashflow on acquisition:

	AED'000
Cash paid for the acquisition Net cash acquired on business combination	(7,945)
Net cash outflows on acquisition (included in cash flows from investing activities)	(7,945)
Transaction costs of the acquisition (included in cash flows from operating activities)	(5,666)
Net cash outflow on acquisition	(13,611)

28.2 Asteco Property Management LLC

On 6 January 2021, Provis Real Estate Management - Sole Proprietorship LLC, Dubai Branch ("Provis", a subsidiary of the Company) acquired 100% of the capital of Asteco Property Management LLC, a limited liability company ("Asteco") registered in Dubai, United Arab Emirates assuming control of Asteco for a total consideration of AED 66,991 thousand. Asteco is mainly involved in property management and owners' association management services, brokerage and real estate advisory services and manages different types of residential, commercial, retail, hotels and mixed used prestigious properties across UAE. The acquisition has been accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting, and accordingly, the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed, have been recognised at their respective provisional fair values. Asteco was acquired as part of plan of Provis to expand by acquiring existing entities in the related industry.

The amounts recognised in respect of the provisional fair values at the date of acquisition of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed are set out in the table below:

Provisional fair values recognised on acquisition AED'000

Assets	
Property, plant and equipment	377
Intangible assets *	43,300
Trade and other receivables	19,734
Cash and bank balances	3,415
Total assets	66,826

28 Business combinations (continued)

28.2 Asteco Property Management LLC

Liabilities	
Employees benefits	9,657
Trade and other payables	8,141
Total liabilities	17,798
Total identifiable net assets at provisional fair value	49,028
Less: purchase consideration	(66,991)
Goodwill	(17,963)

As of 6 January 2021, the provisional fair value of the trade receivables acquired amounts to AED 13,725 thousand. None of the trade receivables have been impaired and it is expected that the full contractual amounts can be collected.

Acquisition related costs amounted to AED 823 thousand. From the date of acquisition, Asteco contributed revenue of AED 11,912 thousand and net profit of AED 802 thousand towards the operations of the Group. The net assets recognised in these condensed consolidated financial statements were based on a provisional assessment of their fair values. The goodwill recognised is primarily attributed to the expected synergies and other benefits from combining the assets and activities of Asteco with those of the Provis and assembled work force.

* Intangible assets mainly represent brand and customer relationships acquired as part of business combination. Brand represents the name of the company acquired "Asteco" and is valued using relief from royalty method. Customer relationships represent various customer relationships in relation to owners association, property management, valuation advisory and licensing and have been valued using multiperiod excess earning method.

Analysis of cashflow on acquisition

	AED'000
Cash paid for the acquisition Net cash acquired on business combination	(57,809) 3,415
Net cash outflows on acquisition (included in cash flows from investing activities)	(54,394)
Transaction costs of the acquisition (included in cash flows from operating activities)	(823)
Net cash outflow on acquisition	(55,217)

29 Impact of COVID-19 pandemic

The business outlook for 2021 may be impacted by significant risks and uncertainties caused by a diverse range of factors, some of which will be beyond the Group's control. In this context, the Group highlights the COVID-19 pandemic, caused by the rapid global spread of the coronavirus, as being one such factor. Since the World Health Organization proclaimed this a global pandemic in March 2020, governments around the world, including in the United Arab Emirates, have responded to this outbreak with various temporary restrictions to help contain the spread of the virus and support measures to mitigate the adverse implications on communities and economies.

As it stands, the full impact remains unclear and will be determined by factors that continue to evolve, such as the success of support measures introduced by governments, the ability of businesses to manage their operations during these times and the timing and manner of the easing of restrictions, including lockdowns, social distancing and travel. Due to the unprecedented adverse effect of the lockdown on the global economy and some success in the efforts to flatten the infection curve, many countries started easing gradually the lock down restrictions starting mid-2020. However, the lockdowns and travel restrictions are expected to have a continuous impact on the global economy.

As the effect of COVID-19 on businesses continues to evolve, there are potential risks and uncertainties on future business impact, the Group continues to update its plans accordingly.

The Group has a documented business continuity plan (BCP) that has been activated to ensure the safe and stable continuation of its business operations as well as the safety of its employees and customers. The Group has also introduced proactive comprehensive measures to address and mitigate key operational and financial issues arising from the current situation and has reasonably managed several areas of operational risks identified and implemented various measures that ensured continuity of the operations. The Group has announced support programmes for residential communities, schools, retail partners and home buyers totaling AED 190 million until 31 March 2021 in addition to various initiatives and measures to the wider community as part of Abu Dhabi's wider efforts to cushion the blow faced by the global economy due to the COVID-19 and in line with the Group commitment to long term sustainable value creation. The Group is continuously assessing the impact of COVID-19 on its operations particularly the effect on the retail, hospitality and leisure business operations.

In response to this crisis, the Group continues to monitor and respond to all liquidity and funding requirements through its plan reflecting the current economic scenarios. The Group believes that, as at 31 March 2021, liquidity position of the Group remains strong and its existing balances of cash and cash equivalents, along with undrawn borrowings and revolving credit facilities will be sufficient to satisfy its working capital needs, capital expenditures, debt repayments and other liquidity requirements associated with its existing operations.

The Group is taking proactive measures to monitor and manage the situation to the best of its abilities to support the long-term continuity of its business and make the necessary judgements and estimates as may be required.

30 Approval of condensed consolidated financial statements

These condensed consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 10 May 2021.