



TriTech

TRITECH GROUP LIMITED

**EVOLVING
THE ART**
OF SMART
URBAN
DEVELOPMENT

ANNUAL REPORT 2024



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CORPORATE PROFILE

Established in 1999, Trittech Group Limited ("Trittech" and together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") has grown into a leading water and environmental group with two key business segments – "Smart Urban Development Business" under ADAS Group, and "Water and Environmental Protection Business" under Trittech Water Technologies (Group). Since inception, Trittech has built an excellent reputation as a specialist engineering group with capabilities to provide full range of engineering services from project planning, site investigations, design and consultancy, instrumentation and monitoring, land surveying, construction, supervision and management. The Group serves a broad range of industries, such as infrastructure, oil and gas, commercial and high-end residential property developments. Led by an experienced management team of highly qualified professionals that includes eight PhD holders, the Group is one of few engineering groups in Singapore with the technical expertise and capabilities to provide services that span across the entire value chain.

Over the years, the Group has established a strong foothold in projects for government statutory boards such as the Jurong Town Corporation, Land Transport Authority, Housing and Development Board and Public Utilities Board. It has a proven track record in a multitude of high profile public and private sector projects in Singapore, including the MRT Circle, Downtown and Thomson-East Coast Lines, Jurong Rock Cavern, Underground Drainage and Reservoir System, Reflections @ Keppel Bay, Interlace and Marina One.

As part of the Group's strategy to strengthen its growth prospects, Trittech has expanded into the Water & Environmental Protection business. For its Water and Environmental Protection business, the Group has built a unique platform to provide total solutions for water and environmental problems in the People's Republic of China ("PRC") and region.

Trittech was listed on SGX Catalist in Singapore on 21 August 2008.

BUSINESS SEGMENTS

SMART URBAN DEVELOPMENT BUSINESS

- ▶ Provision of geotechnical instrumentation and monitoring services, geotechnical and geological site explorations, investigations, analysis and testing for general and infrastructure construction
- ▶ Provision of Automatic Tunnel Monitoring Survey ("ATMS") and other land surveying work
- ▶ Provision of design, consultancy and project management services for infrastructure, environmental, geotechnical, civil and rock engineering works
- ▶ Conducting IoTs, data collection, data analytics, cloud computing
- ▶ Planning, design, consultancy and management of urban development by Artificial Intelligence ("AI") digital platform

WATER & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUSINESS

- ▶ Supply of membranes for water treatment and desalination systems, portable small-to-medium scale desalinations
- ▶ Production and sale of bottled drinking water and dispensers, and marketing of related technologies, systems and services
- ▶ Supply of water quality monitoring products and services
- ▶ Production and sale of VaVie™ Clean Wash Sanitize
- ▶ Providing one stop product-technology-design-build-operation services for water treatment & environmental protection projects

BUSINESS MODEL

SMART URBAN DEVELOPMENT BUSINESS

GEOTECHNICAL SERVICES

- ▶ Geotechnical instrumentation, installation and maintenance
- ▶ Monitoring services
- ▶ Geotechnical investigation, exploration, analysis and testing for construction

ENGINEERING SURVEY

- ▶ Provision of Automatic Tunnel Monitoring Survey ("ATMS") and other land surveying work

DESIGN, CONSULTANCY AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES

- ▶ Services range from initial feasibility study to planning, site investigation, design and construction control services

AI-BASED DATA ANALYTICS SYSTEM ("ADAS")

- ▶ Conduction of IoTs, data collection, big data analytics, cloud computing and 4D simulation for urban development
- ▶ Planning, design, consultancy and management of urban development by Artificial Intelligence ("AI") digital platform

WATER & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUSINESS

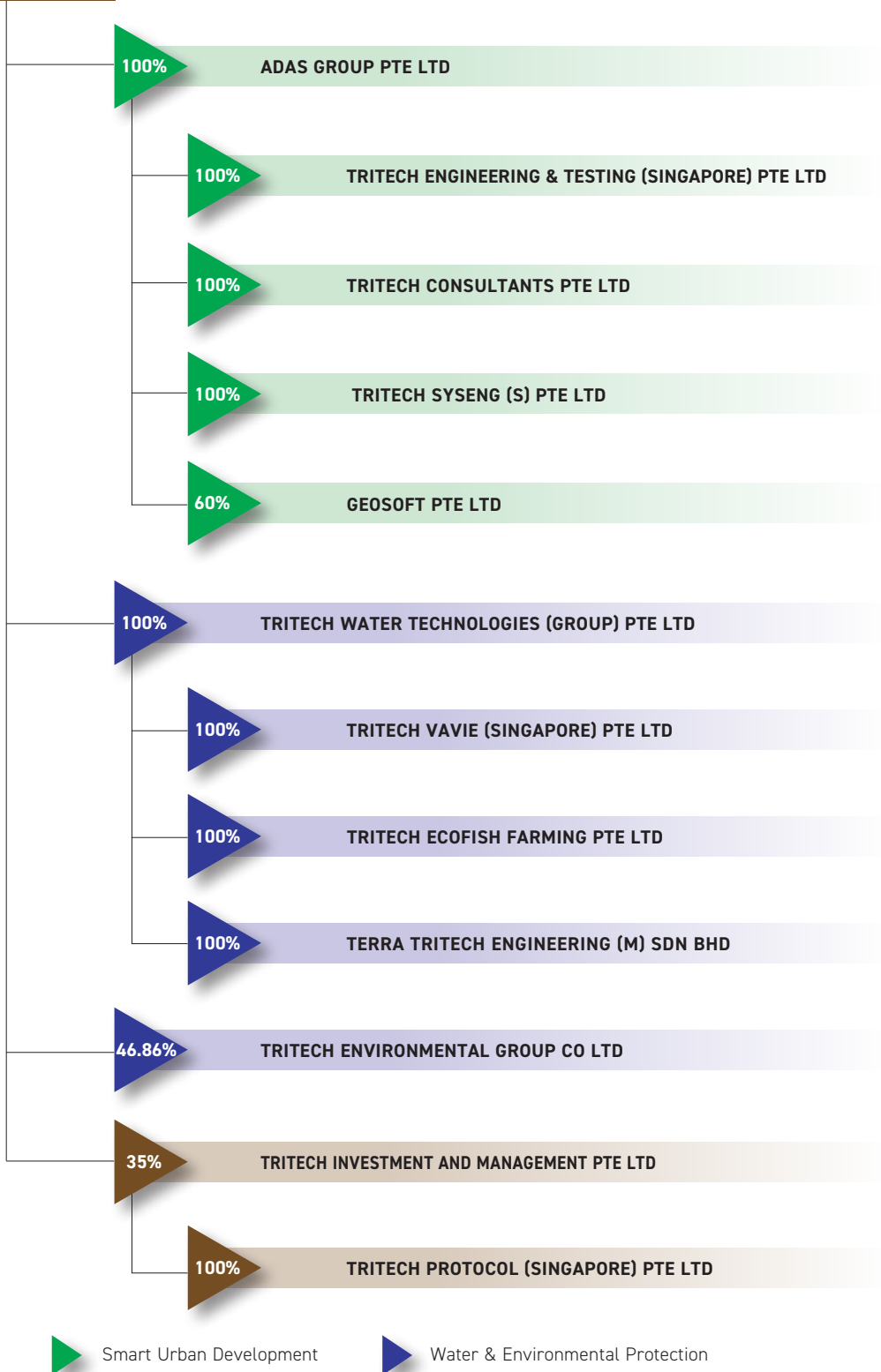
WATER TREATMENT TECHNOLOGIES

- ▶ Convert seawater or raw municipal water into potable water
- ▶ Bottled drinking water and water dispenser
- ▶ Supply of membranes for waste water, seawater desalination, and potable water plants for existing industries and residents
- ▶ Developed and produced an environmentally friendly, odourless, colourless and alcohol free cleaning solution with high alkalinity called VaVie™ Clean Wash Sanitize
- ▶ Providing one-stop product-technology-design-build-operation services for water treatment & environmental protection projects, covering membrane products, smart technologies, engineering solutions, design & consultancy, construction, operation and maintenance



GROUP STRUCTURE

TriTech TRITECH GROUP LIMITED (AS AT 31 MARCH 2024)



MESSAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS



DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we are pleased to present the annual report of Trittech Group Limited ("**Trittech**" or the "**Company**", and together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 ("**FY2024**").

According to the Ministry of Trade and Industry ("**MTI**"), the external economic environment has remained resilient due to better-than-expected economic growth in the United States and China in Q1 2024. However, MTI forecasts that GDP growth in major economies would taper gradually during the year as a result of tight financial conditions, before picking up in conjunction with anticipated policy rate cuts that are slated to happen in the later part of the year¹.

Despite this, there is likely to be a delay in rate cuts by the US Federal Reserve with persistently high inflation and robust performance of the US economy. As such, this could add immediate pressure on the US economy before a pickup in growth is seen alongside easing monetary policy towards the year end.

Concurrently, there are a series of events taking place around the world which could lead to economic uncertainty as downside risks remain in the global economy. Some of these events include escalations in geopolitical tensions in the Middle East and Ukraine-Russia war, as well as supply chain and commodity markets disruptions².

In light of these factors, the Group's business operations were affected during the year but we implemented prudent business measures to cut costs and boost productivity. Hence, we managed to narrow our losses in FY2024 as we remain vigilant and monitor risks to inflation and growth, while adjusting our business strategies accordingly.

MESSAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS

FY2024 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

During the year, Group's revenue fell by 0.8% to \$27.3 million due to completion of specific projects within the Smart Urban Development business.

Gross profit for the year decreased 10.6% from \$9.4 million in FY2023 to \$8.4 million in the reporting year, while gross profit margin dipped by 3 percentage point to 31% largely attributed to the Smart Urban Development segment.

Where segmental revenue is concerned, revenue contributed by our Smart Urban Development business decreased slightly to \$27.3 million in FY2024 from \$27.5 million in FY2023. Nevertheless, profit before tax for the division increased to \$2.1 million as compared to \$1.8 million in FY2023.

Separately, our Water and Environmental segment reported revenue of \$28,000 in FY2024 against \$74,000 in FY2023. Despite the decrease in revenue in our Water and Environmental segment, segment loss before tax narrowed to \$1.0 million from segment loss before tax of \$2.2 million in the previous year, mainly attributed to reduced legal costs and a decrease in headcount.

The Group reported a narrowed loss after tax of \$2.3 million in FY2024 against a loss after tax of \$12.0 million in FY2023.

BUSINESS PROSPECTS

The Group expects industrial prospects to remain challenging amidst increasing economic uncertainty due to several global events, such as geopolitical tensions, longer than expected inflationary pressure and rising costs.

As a result, the Group's operations in Singapore continue to be highly competitive, adding pressure to the profit margin for the projects that the Group had successfully tendered for.

While management expects market conditions to remain tough, the Group will continue to explore strategic opportunities to grow our business so as to improve our business performance and revenue. At the same time, the Group will step up efforts to implement measures to cut cost, increase cost-savings and enhance its competitiveness to boost its revenue and raise its profit margins.

As the economy faces growing uncertainty amidst signs of slowing, the MTI stated in May that growth forecast for 2024 will remain at 1 per cent to 3 per cent, following the downtrend of economy growth at 1.1 per cent in 2023 and 3.8 per cent in 2022³. In light of this development, the Group is cautiously optimistic about its performance in the year ahead.

In FY2024, Group revenue decreased slightly to \$27.3 million, reflecting the challenging business environment.

In June 2024, the Group disposed a leasehold property located at 8A Admiralty Street #06-28, Singapore 757437 (the "Property") for a consideration of \$2.05 million. The Board believes that the disposal of Property is in the best interests of the Group and the shareholders as it will enable the Group to realise the value of the Property. The disposal will enable the Group to use the proceeds from the disposal towards repayment of the amounts under the mortgage, thereby reducing the liabilities of the Group and interest accrued thereunder, and improving the liquidity of the Group.

In relation to the proposed options grant, the Company had on 4 June 2024 entered into a fourth supplement agreement, with effect from 7 June 2024, to extend the option exercise period for the proposed option grant for a further six months from 7 June 2024 to 7 December 2024.



MESSAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to Professor Yong Kwet Yew ("Professor Yong") who will be retiring as a Director of the Company upon conclusion of the forthcoming annual general meeting for his insightful guidance and strategic contributions to our Group over the years. His expertise and dedication to upholding the highest standards of governance have been instrumental in shaping our strategic direction and fostering a culture of integrity. We deeply appreciate Professor Yong's invaluable leadership and wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

Additionally, we warmly welcome Mr Tan Chade Phang, who came onboard as Independent Director on 1 January 2024. We are delighted to be working with him and look forward to his invaluable contribution towards the Group.

On behalf of the Board, we would like to thank our valued shareholders, customers, suppliers and business associates for their unwavering support that has helped the Group to ride through the ups and downs and come this far in our journey. With their strong support, we are confident that we will be able to overcome obstacles in our way to emerge stronger.

MESSAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS

We would also like to express our gratitude to our Board of Directors for their guidance and insights that have helped steer the Group towards greater achievements over the years. Finally, we want to express our appreciation for our management team and staff for their dedication and perseverance during times of uncertainty.

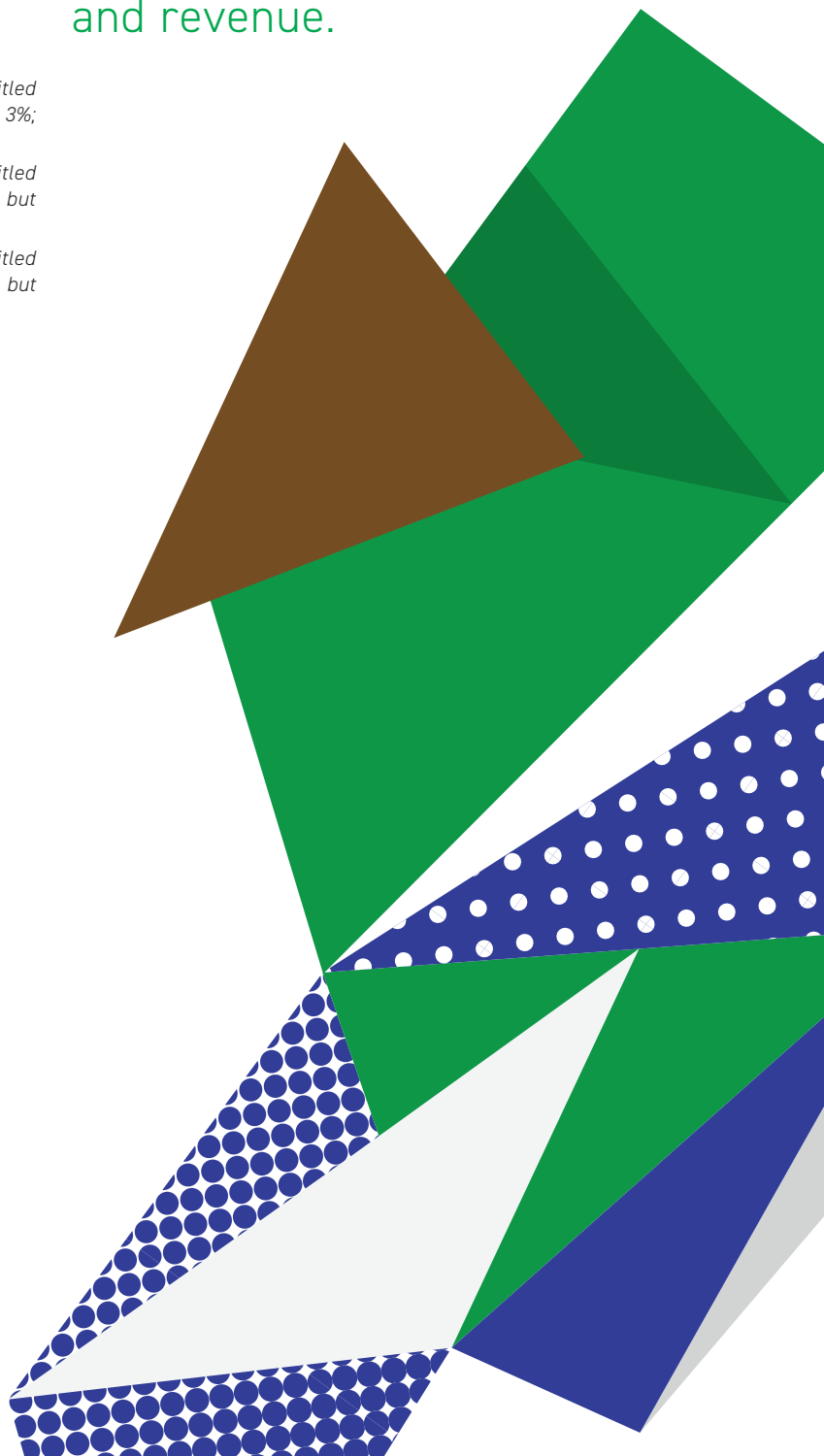
Going forward, we would forge on ahead and ride through the headwinds to create greater value for our shareholders.

The Group will continue to explore strategic opportunities to grow our business so as to improve our business performance and revenue.

¹ Source: Channel News Asia news report on 23 May 2024 titled "Singapore maintains 2024 GDP growth forecast at 1% to 3%; economy grew 2.7% in Q1".

² Source: The Straits Times news report on 23 May 2024 titled "Singapore's economic growth slows quarter on quarter but gradual pickup still likely".

³ Source: The Straits Times news report on 12 June 2024 titled "Economists keep Singapore's 2024 growth forecast at 2.4%, but manufacturing outlook hit: MAS survey".



FINANCIAL REVIEW

INCOME STATEMENT

The Group's revenue fell by 0.8% to \$27.3 million due to completion of specific projects within the Smart Urban Development business.

Cost of sales rose by \$0.8 million from \$18.2 million in FY2023 to \$19.0 million in FY2024 largely attributed to higher direct wages and subcontractor costs as a result of an expanded project scope in the Smart Urban Development business.

Consequently, gross profit for the Group was \$8.4 million during the year as compared to \$9.4 million in the previous year, while gross profit margin fell by 3 percentage point to 31% due to the Smart Urban Development business.

Separately, other income gained \$4.1 million to \$5.0 million in FY2024 from \$0.9 million in FY2023 at the back of one-off fair value gain on contingent consideration and the write-back of impairment loss on financial assets in FY2024.

Where expenses were concerned, distribution expenses lowered by \$0.2 million to \$0.4 million during the year alongside a reduction in headcount of marketing staff in the Water and Environmental business segment. Administrative expenses also decreased by \$1.3 million from \$7.6 million in FY2023 to \$6.3 million in FY2024 in the absence of one-off expenses such as professional fees related to placement exercise, as well as a reduction in legal fees associated with corporate and Water and Environmental business activities.

Other operating expenses dipped \$2.2 million from \$5.7 million in FY2023 to \$3.5 million in the reporting year largely due to the absence of one-off expenses such as fair value loss of contingent consideration and impairment of intangible assets.

Meanwhile, impairment loss on financial assets increased by \$3.9 million to \$5.2 million in FY2024 owing to impairment loss on other receivables.

Share of results of associate narrowed to less than \$1,000 in FY2024 against share of loss of associate of \$6.3 million in FY2023. Although associated companies incurred losses in FY2024, no further share of losses was recorded as the share of losses of associate exceeded the investment in associate.

In view of the above factors, the Group reported a narrowed loss after tax of \$2.3 million in FY2024 as compared to a loss after tax of \$12.0 million in FY2023.

FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2024, non-current assets of the Group were \$12.5 million, a decrease of \$3.2 million from \$15.7 million as at 31 March 2023. This was mainly due to a \$4.1 million impairment of amount due from associates, reclassification of \$1.3 million in investment property from non-current assets to assets held for sale under current assets, along with depreciation charges



FINANCIAL REVIEW

and amortisation expenses. The decrease was partially offset by additional investments in new property, plant and equipment, as well as intangible assets.

Current assets declined \$5.1 million to \$14.9 million largely attributed to decrease of \$6.6 million in trade and other receivables, prepayment, investment securities, along with decrease of \$0.5 million in cash and short-term deposits. This was partially offset by an increase in contract assets and the recognition of asset held for sale.

Concurrently, current liabilities decreased \$5.7 million from \$22.3 million as at 31 March 2023 to \$16.6 million as at 31 March 2024 as a result of a reduction in trade and other payables and contract liabilities totalling \$7.1 million, which was caused by a derecognition of contingent liabilities and lower amounts were recognised for other payables following the finalisation of a settlement deed with the purchaser. Meanwhile, contraction in contract liabilities was driven by the timing of revenue recognition. This decrease was partially offset by the increase in bank borrowings and lease liabilities amounting to \$1.8 million.

Non-current liabilities were relatively stable at \$8.9 million and \$9.0 million as at 31 March 2024 and 31 March 2023 respectively.

As at 31 March 2024, the Group narrowed its negative working capital to \$1.7 million as compared to a negative working capital of \$2.3 million as at 31 March 2023. Towards this end, the Group implemented measures to address this situation by ensuring on-time projects completion to achieve the projected positive margin and net cash inflows, as well as maintaining its ability to exercise the put option for the second tranche of placement shares as needed to secure timely funds to meet obligations as they arise.

CASH FLOW STATEMENT

During the year, the Group registered net cash generated from operating activities of \$1.4 million. This was mainly contributed by operating cash inflow before working capital changes of \$1.3 million and net cash inflow of approximately \$0.1 million from working capital change.

Net cash used in investing activities for the year was \$1.5 million due to cash outflow used in purchase of plant and equipment.

Net cash used in financing activities in FY2024 stood at \$0.4 million on the back of repayment of bank borrowings, lease liabilities and loan interest, which amounted to \$2.2 million. This was partially offset by cash inflow from proceeds from bank borrowings of \$1.8 million.





SMART URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Despite a slight decrease in revenue, profit before tax for the Smart Urban Development Business increased to \$2.1 million in FY2024, up from \$1.8 million in FY2023. The Group will intensify efforts to implement cost-cutting measures, enhance competitiveness and leveraging technology to enhance operational efficiency and bolster revenue and profit margins.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS



PROFESSOR YONG KWET YEW

Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Director

Professor Yong Kwet Yew is our Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Director and was first appointed to the board of directors on 9 June 2008. He was last re-elected to the board of directors at the Company's annual general meeting held on 29 July 2021. He is the Professor of Civil & Environmental Engineering at the National University of Singapore. Professor Yong is a respected academic and engineer and his research and practice in geotechnical and civil engineering for over 45 years is a microcosm of the infrastructure development in Singapore, with more than 200 technical publications and delivery of over 30 keynote lectures at international conferences. He has also served as a consultant to government agencies as well as local and international companies on over 100 major construction projects in Singapore, ASEAN and China. He has chaired and served on the advisory committees of several statutory boards and ministries including BCA, LTA, PUB, MINDEF, MOM, MND and MOF, and was appointed Board member of PUB, Singapore's National Water Agency. Professor Yong has received many national awards including the Public Administration Medal, the Public Service Medal and Public Service Star in the year of 2000, 2004 and 2008 respectively for significant contributions to university administration, construction safety and land transport development respectively. He is a Life member and Fellow of the Institution of Engineers, Singapore, a member of Singapore Institute of Directors and a registered Professional Engineer in Singapore. Professor Yong's experience and established business networks as a consultant in major construction projects are useful to our Group's plans to expand our business in the region.

Other Principal Commitments
National University of Singapore

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)
BBR Holdings (S) Ltd
Boustead Singapore Ltd

DR JEFFREY WANG

Managing Director

Dr Jeffrey Wang is our Managing Director and was first appointed to the board of directors on 13 May 2008. He was last re-elected to the board of directors at the Company's annual general meeting held on 29 July 2022. He is in charge of overall operation and business development of our Group. Before the commencement of our Group's business in 2000, he was a senior engineer in an engineering consultancy firm from 1991 to 1996, and a chief engineer in an engineering company listed on the SGX-ST from 1996 to 2000. During his employment in these companies, Dr Wang was in charge of the design and supervision of many infrastructural projects in Singapore. Dr Wang has more than 32 years of experience in geotechnical engineering. He has published many technical papers in geotechnical engineering. Dr Wang is also a registered professional engineer in Singapore. He holds a PhD from the Chinese Academy of Sciences (where he was awarded the Minister Award of Chinese Academy of Sciences in recognition of his outstanding performance) and a Doctorate Degree in Philosophy from the National University of Singapore. In September 2007, Dr Wang was awarded the Best Entrepreneur Award for Faculty of Engineering by the National University of Singapore.

Other Principal Commitments
Director of Trittech's Group of Companies

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)
None

MR TAN CHADE PHANG, ROGER

Independent Director

Mr Tan was the CEO and founder of Voyage Research from 2009 till 2023. Prior to setting up Voyage Research, he was an Investment Analyst with Standard Chartered Bank Singapore from 2007 to 2008, and was also the lead Investment Analyst in SIAS Research from 2005 to 2006. Mr Tan is currently the President of the Small and Middle Capitalisation Companies Association. Mr Tan is an Independent Director of OUE Healthcare Limited, Y Ventures Group Ltd, SMI Vantage Limited and Luminor Financial Holdings Limited.

He graduated with a Bachelor of Business in Accountancy Degree from RMIT University and obtained a Master of Finance from the same university.

Other Principal Commitments
President of Small and Middle Capitalisation Companies Association

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)
OUE Healthcare Limited
Y Ventures Group Ltd
SMI Vantage Limited
Luminor Financial Holdings Limited

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MR ZHOU XINPING

Executive Director

Mr Zhou Xinping is our Executive Director and was first appointed to the board of directors on 27 January 2022. He was last re-elected to the board of directors at the Company's annual general meeting held on 14 September 2023. Mr Zhou is responsible for the overall operation, management, strategic planning and business development in Water & Environmental Protection Business, taking charge of Trittech Environmental Group Co., Ltd. Before he was employed by our Group in 2020, he was the director and CEO of an environmental engineering company and manager of a water treatment company in charge of the management of all the water treatment projects. Mr Zhou is an experienced leader with strong technology background with more than 26 years of experience in water treatment industry across both Mainland China and Asia. Mr Zhou has participated as a leader in more than 50 projects in Mainland China for investing, building and operating water treatment plants. Mr Zhou is a Senior Engineer of Environmental Protection under China Inspection of Senior Professional Qualification Evaluation Committee.

Other Principal Commitments

Trittech Environmental Group Co., Ltd

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)

None

MR AW ENG HAI

Independent Director

Mr Aw Eng Hai is our Independent Director and was first appointed to the board of directors on 4 September 2009. He was last re-elected to the board of directors at the Company's annual general meeting held on 29 July 2021. Mr Aw is a public accountant and a partner of Foo Kon Tan LLP where he is in charge of the various departments providing specialist advisory services. He has more than 21 years of experience providing business advisory services to companies. Prior to joining the commercial sector, Mr Aw was an investigator in the Commercial Affairs Department ("CAD") where he was involved in complex commercial fraud investigation. Mr Aw is a practising member of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants ("ISCA"), a Fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants ("ACCA"), a Fellow of Insolvency Practitioners Association of Singapore ("IPAS"), a member of INSOL International and a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors ("SID").

Other Principal Commitments

Foo Kon Tan LLP

Foo Kon Tan Advisory Services Pte Ltd

Foo Kon Tan Transaction Services Pte Ltd

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)

TOTM Technologies Limited

GDS Global Limited

Luminor Financial Holdings Limited

MR ONG ENG KEANG

Independent Director

Mr Ong Eng Keang is our Independent Director and was first appointed to the board of directors on 1 January 2022. He was last re-elected to the board of directors at the Company's annual general meeting held on 14 September 2023. Mr Ong is the chief financial officer of Vena Energy, a leading renewable energy company that owns, develops, constructs and operates a diversified portfolio of solar, wind and battery projects committed to sustainability in its strategy and practice in Asia Pacific. Mr Ong has more than 30 years of corporate finance and project investment experience in USA, Singapore and the Middle East/North Africa regions related to public private partnership platforms and green infrastructure development in the waste, water and energy businesses worldwide. Mr Ong holds a MBA from Drake University, USA and a Bachelor's Degree in Economics from the University of Alberta, Canada.

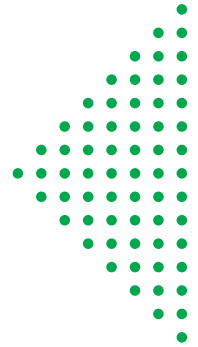
Other Principal Commitments

Vena Energy

Present directorship in listed Company (other than the Company)

None





WATER & ENVIRONMENTAL BUSINESS

The Group remains committed to strengthening our Water and Environmental Business by exploring innovative collaborations and solutions to address industry challenges and enhance sustainability efforts.

1999-2024 MILESTONES

1999

15 Dec 1999

Registration of Tritech Engineering & Testing (Singapore) Pte Ltd to provide engineering services including instrumentation and site exploration

2000

1 Aug 2000

Tritech Malaysia registered, to expand the Group's operations in Malaysia

2001

21 Jan 2001

Tritech Consultants registered to enable Tritech to become a leading geotechnical consultants in Singapore

2002

November 2002 - July 2003
SARS Pandemic



4 Apr 2002

Tritech Geokon registered, a distributor of Geokon Inc in Singapore

2 Dec 2002

Tritech Consultants became Tritech Consultants Pte. Ltd., to start providing ground improvement services

2004



Jan 2004

Tritech entered into various Oil & Gas contracts, as a leading consultant for underground oil storage

4 Feb 2004

Registration of Tritech Water Technologies

2005

Jan 2005

Tritech was awarded a contract for providing instrumentation and monitoring services for MRT Circle Line project, the first contract for instrumentation and monitoring works awarded by LTA to a main contractor in Singapore

4 Jan 2005

Registration of Beijing Wisetec, to expand the Group's operations into China

26 Nov 2005

Acquired 30% of SysEng (S) Pte Ltd to enable our Group to tap into and leverage on the machine-to-machine monitoring technologies, which enabled Tritech to be the leading player in this area

2006

2 Dec 2006

Acquired 100% of Presscrete

Nov 2006

Tritech Engineering was awarded Enterprise 50, and was ranked 13 out of 50 companies

2007

Nov 2007

Tritech Engineering was awarded Enterprise 50, and was ranked 26 out of 50 companies

2008



Aug 2008

Tritech successfully completed its IPO

Early 2008 - mid 2009
Global Financial Crisis

2009

22 Jul 2009

Acquired the remaining 70% of SysEng (S) Pte Ltd

2010



18 Jan 2010

Registration of Tritech Qingdao

27 Aug 2010

Registration of Tritech Water Institute

2011

30 Mar 2011

Acquired Terratech Resources Pte. Ltd. and CEP Resources Entity Sdn Bhd and entered the limestone quarrying business

2012

Apr 2012

Tritech Group Ltd was awarded the Singapore Brands 2012 (新加坡品牌2012)

14 Sep 2012

Announcement of Proposed Spin-Off and Listing of Subsidiaries in the Marble Resource Business

1999-2024 MILESTONES

2014



28 Feb 2014

Tritech Group Limited was awarded the "Asia Pacific Brand Award 2014"



30 Jul 2014

Our Group's subsidiary, Terratech Group Limited, has been successfully listed on SGX Catalyst

2015



Jun 2015

SINTEF-TRITECH-MULTICONSULT Consortium was awarded the Singapore Design 2015 for the Jurong Rock Cavern Project

2016

15 Jan 2016

Completion of Water-related and Environmental Business restructuring

22 Jan 2016

Acquired 54% of Geosoft Pte Ltd to enable the Group to own and market the geotechnical engineering commercial program product 2D and 3D GeoFEA

2017

4 May 2017

Completion of disposal and Cessation of subsidiaries in the Marble Resource Business

29 May 2017

Completion of Engineering – Related Business Restructuring

2018



6 Sep 2018

Tritech Engineering was awarded the Annual Safety Award 2018 by LTA for Contract T2209

2019

21 May 2019

Completion of Sale of Wholly-Owned Subsidiary – Presscrete Engineering Pte Ltd

5 Aug 2019

Completion of partial disposal of Tritech Environmental Group and its direct wholly-owned China subsidiaries

2020



21 May 2020

Vavie™ Clean Wash Sanitize (f.k.a Vavie Strong Alkaline Cleaning Water) has been listed on NEA Interim List of Household Products Effective Against Coronavirus

2021

18 May 2021

TGL Engineering Group Pte. Ltd. had changed its name to ADAS Group Pte. Ltd.

Aug 2021

Contribution of Vavie CWS to frontline workers in about 100 quarantine facilities with the Singapore Tourism Board



9 Nov 2021

Tritech Consultants was awarded the Annual Safety, Health and Environmental Award 2021 by LTA for QPS Contract T3131

2022

20 Jan 2022

Tritech Water Technologies Pte Ltd had changed its name to Tritech Water Technologies (Group) Pte Ltd

Mar 2022

Tritech Engineering is one of the finalists for the Land Transport Excellence Awards 2022 under Most Innovative Solution category

Tritech Consultants and its partner is one of the finalists for the Land Transport Excellence Awards 2022 under Best Design Rail/Road Infrastructure – Project Partner category

12 Sep 2022

Tritech Consultants was awarded the Annual Safety, Health and Environmental Award 2022 by LTA for QPS Contract T3131



2023

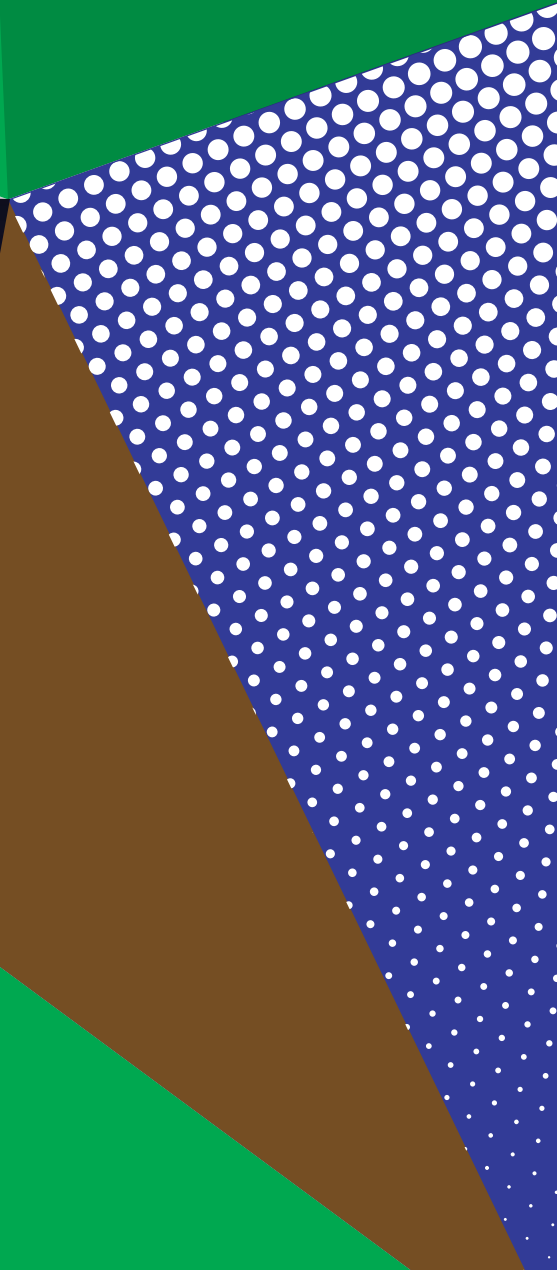
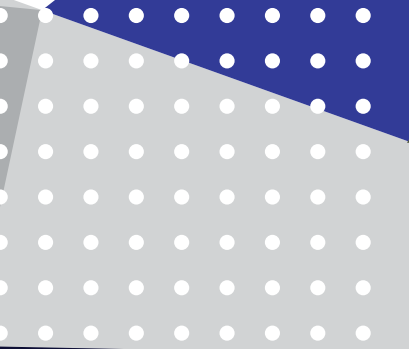
For FY2023, Tritech Engineering and Tritech Syseng have been awarded a few contracts totalling around \$16.7 million by PUB, HDB and NParks



WORKING TOWARDS OUR GOAL

ADAS is actively utilised in our Smart Urban Development and Water and Environment Projects to foster integration and collaborative advancements across the full value chain.





CORPORATE INFORMATION

▶ BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PROFESSOR YONG KWET YEW

Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Director

DR WANG XIAONING (JEFFREY WANG)

Managing Director

MR ZHOU XINPING

Executive Director

MR AW ENG HAI

Independent Director

MR ONG ENG KEANG

Independent Director

MR TAN CHADE PHANG

Independent Director

▶ NOMINATING COMMITTEE

PROFESSOR YONG KWET YEW | *Chairman*

DR WANG XIAONING (JEFFREY WANG)

MR AW ENG HAI

MR ONG ENG KEANG

MR TAN CHADE PHANG

▶ AUDIT COMMITTEE

MR AW ENG HAI | *Chairman*

PROFESSOR YONG KWET YEW

MR ONG ENG KEANG

MR TAN CHADE PHANG

▶ REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

PROFESSOR YONG KWET YEW | *Chairman*

MR AW ENG HAI

MR ONG ENG KEANG

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Partner-in-charge: **LAO MEI LENG**

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CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

DISCLOSURE TABLE FOR COMPLIANCE TO THE CODE OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND CATALIST RULES

The Board of Directors (the "**Board**") and the management (the "**Management**") of Trittech Group Limited (the "**Company**" and together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") are committed to maintaining high standards of corporate governance and place importance on its corporate governance processes and systems so as to ensure greater transparency, accountability and maximisation of long-term shareholder value.

This report outlines the Company's corporate governance practices that were in place during the financial year ended 31 March 2024 ("**FY2024**"), with specific reference to the principles and provisions of the Code of Corporate Governance 2018 (last amended 11 January 2023) (the "**Code**"), its related practice guidance ("**PG**") and the Catalist Rules, where applicable. For FY2024, the Board and Management are pleased to confirm that the Company has adhered to the principles of the Code and the Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist (the "**Catalist Rules**"). Where there is a deviation from the provisions of the Code, an explanation of the reason for variation and how the practices the Company has adopted are consistent with the intent of the relevant principle of the Code have been explicitly stated.

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	<u>Role of Board</u>	<p>The Board is entrusted to lead and oversee the Group, with the fundamental principle to act in the best interests of the Group. In addition to its statutory duties, the Board's principal functions are to, <i>inter alia</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provide entrepreneurial leadership, set out overall long-term strategic plans and objectives for the Group, and ensure that the necessary financial and human resources are in place for the Group to meet its objectives; • establish a framework of prudent and effective internal controls and risk management strategies which enable risk to be assessed and managed, including safeguarding of shareholders' interests and the Group's assets; • review the performance of Management and key management personnel; • ensure good corporate governance practices to protect the interests of shareholders; • identify the key stakeholder groups and recognise their perceptions affect the Group's reputation; • set the Group's values and standards (including ethical standards), and ensure that obligations to shareholders and other stakeholders are understood and met; • consider sustainability issues such as environmental and social factors, as part of the Company's strategic formulation; • oversee, through the NC, <i>inter alia</i>, the appointment, re-election and resignation of Directors and the key management personnel; • oversee, through the AC, <i>inter alia</i>, appointment and review and evaluate the performance of External Auditors ("EA"); • oversee, through the RC, <i>inter alia</i>, the design and operation of an appropriate remuneration framework; and • to chart board policies and strategies of the Company.
	<u>Practices relating to conflict of interest</u>	<p>The Board is guided by the regulations of the constitution of the Company (the "Constitution"), which aim to avoid situations in which their own personal or business interests, directly or indirectly conflict, or appear to conflict with the interest of the Company. The Company has in place practices to address potential conflicts of interests. All Directors are required to notify the Company promptly of all conflicts of interests as soon as practicable as well as when required and refresh the required declarations annually. Directors are required to recuse themselves from all deliberations/voting in relation to the matters which he has a conflict of interest unless the Board is of the opinion that the participation of the conflicted Director is of the best interest to the Company.</p>
	<u>Code of Ethics and Conduct</u>	<p>The Board has put in place a Code of Ethics and Conduct to create a corporate culture within the Group to operate the business of the Group in an ethical manner and to uphold the highest standards of professionalism and exemplary corporate conduct.</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Woh Hup Distinguished Lecture "Confronting Rising Sea Levels and the Swelling Risk of Coastal Flooding" by Prof Michael Oppenheimer, Princeton University at NUS Engineering Auditorium, 25 July 2023 • Nikkei 14th Asia Undercurrent Webinar "The Road to a Sustainable Energy Future in Japan, Asia and beyond", 26 July 2023 • Malaysian Geotechnical Society (MGS) Webinar Seminar on Infrastructure Instability and Ground Movement monitoring with Satellite InSAR by Alastair Belson, SEA Area Business Manager, TRE Altamira (Italy), 29 August 2023 • NUS Cities Seminar on "Optimizing Land to Meet Singapore's Needs" by Colin Low, Chief Executive, Singapore Land Authority, NUS SDE LT424, 11 September 2023 • Geotechnical Society of Singapore (GeoSS) Webinar on "Understanding Geotechnical Risk in Underground Construction", 20 September 2023. • Woh Hup Distinguished Lecture "Offshore Aquaculture and Renewable Energy Production" by Prof C M Wang, University of Queensland, NUS LT7A, 26 September 2023 • ARUP Momentus – a special event connecting great minds and brave actions for a sustainable future, streamed live from Sydney Opera House on 11 October 2023. • 21st Southeast Asian Geotechnical Conference (SEAGC2023) at Centara Grand & Bangkok Convention Centre, 25-27 October 2023, in his capacity as Past President of Southeast Asia Geotechnical Society. <p>2. Mr Aw Eng Hai</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data Analytics, 11 October 2023 • FRSP Training, 27 November 2023 • Inspection/Quality Control – sharing of findings and remedial, 7 December 2023 • Red Flag for Partners and Managers, 20 October 2023 • Annual Ethics Training, 4 July 2023 • New/Revised FRS – Practical Applications, 7 November 2023 • Blockchain Basics, 28 November 2023 • PTIB dialogue, 7 June 2023 • Prescribed Anti-Money Laundering Combating the Financing of Terrorism ("AML/CFT"), 10 May 2023 • ACCA Annual Conference 2023, 4 October 2023 • Singapore insolvency Conference 2023, 22 November 2023

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		<p>3. Dr Wang Xiaoning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TE1 – Geology of Singapore and Tunnel Design, 5 October – 21 November 2023 • IES – Module 1 & 2 Construction of Underground and Related Structures Piling and Foundations and earth Retaining Structures, 10 July 2023 • IES – The Need for Good Risk Management at Project Sites and the Technical Application of Construction Insurance, 7 – 8 September 2023 • IES – Module 3 & 4 Construction of Underground & Related Structures Basements & Tunnelling, 24 July 2023 • IES – Perform Design for Safety Professional Duties, 22 – 23 June 2023 <p>4. Mr. Ong Eng Keang</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mercer Salary Benchmarking methodology and process, March 2024 • Growth Faculty livestream James Clear Atomic Habits, September 2023 <p>In addition, briefing and updates for the Directors in FY2024 included the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • briefing and updates from the EA and IA on new and revised amendments to accounting standards and regulatory changes • briefing and updates from the Company Secretary, where appropriate, on the regulatory changes under the Catalist Rules, the Companies Act 1967 of Singapore ("Companies Act") and the Code.
1.3	<u>Matters requiring Board's approval</u>	<p>Matters and transactions that require the Board's approval include, amongst others, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corporate or financial restructuring; • corporate strategy and business plans; • material acquisitions and disposals; • share issuances (including stock options or other equity awards), dividends and other capital transactions and returns to shareholders; • approval of annual audited financial statements of the Group and the Directors' Report thereto; • any public reports or press releases reporting the financial results of the Group's operations; and • matters involving a conflict or potential conflict of interest involving a substantial shareholder or a Director.

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1.4	<u>Delegation to Board Committees</u>	The Board has delegated certain responsibilities to the Audit Committee (" AC "), Remuneration Committee (" RC ") and Nominating Committee (" NC ") (collectively, the " Board Committees "). The composition of the Board Committees is set out in Section 1.1 of Table I. The terms of reference of each Board Committees are set out in Sections 4.1, 6.1 and 10.1 of Table I.																																																						
1.5	<u>Attendance of Board and Board Committees</u>	<p>The Board and AC will be meeting on a half-yearly basis, and as and when circumstances require. In FY2024, the number of meetings held and the attendance of each board member are shown below.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Board</th> <th>AC</th> <th>NC</th> <th>RC</th> <th>Annual General Meeting</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Number of Meetings Held</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <th>Name of Director</th> <th colspan="5">Number of Meetings Attended</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Professor Yong Kwet Yew</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>-</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dr Wang Xiaoning</td> <td>2</td> <td>2[^]</td> <td>1</td> <td>1[^]</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr Zhou Xiping</td> <td>1</td> <td>1[^]</td> <td>1[^]</td> <td>1[^]</td> <td>-</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr Aw Eng Hai</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr Ong Eng Keang</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr Tan Chade Phang¹</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>[^] By Invitation</p> <p>1. Appointed as Non-Executive and Independent Director, Member of Nominating Committee and Audit Committee on 1 January 2024.</p> <p>The Constitution allows for meetings to be held in person, through telephone and/or video-conference.</p> <p>The NC has also reviewed and confirmed that during the financial year, where the Director with multiple board representations, he was able to and has been adequately carrying out his duties as a Director and sufficient time and attention are given to the affairs of the Company.</p>		Board	AC	NC	RC	Annual General Meeting	Number of Meetings Held	2	2	1	1	1	Name of Director	Number of Meetings Attended					Professor Yong Kwet Yew	2	2	1	1	-	Dr Wang Xiaoning	2	2 [^]	1	1 [^]	1	Mr Zhou Xiping	1	1 [^]	1 [^]	1 [^]	-	Mr Aw Eng Hai	2	2	1	1	1	Mr Ong Eng Keang	2	2	1	1	1	Mr Tan Chade Phang ¹	-	-	-	-	-
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1.6	<u>Access to information</u>	<p>Directors are provided with complete, adequate and timely information related to agenda items for meetings or as required for them to make informed decisions and discharge their duties and responsibilities.</p> <p>Management provides the Board with the requisite information in a timely manner prior to meetings and whenever required. The information provided to Directors for FY2024 is set out in the table below.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">Types of information provided by Management</th> </tr> <tr> <th>No.</th> <th>Information</th> <th>Frequency</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1.</td> <td>Board papers (with background or explanatory information relating to the matters brought before the Board, where necessary)</td> <td>Half-yearly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2.</td> <td>Updates to the Group's operations and the markets in which the Group operates in</td> <td>Half-yearly/as and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3.</td> <td>Management accounts (with financial analysis)</td> <td>Half-yearly/as and when requested by the Board</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4.</td> <td>EA reports</td> <td>Yearly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5.</td> <td>Internal Auditors' ("IA") report(s)</td> <td>Yearly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6.</td> <td>Shareholding statistics</td> <td>Yearly/as and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7.</td> <td>Changes or updates to enterprise risk framework</td> <td>As and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8.</td> <td>Significant project updates</td> <td>As and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9.</td> <td>Reports on on-going or planned corporate actions</td> <td>As and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10.</td> <td>Regulatory updates and implications</td> <td>As and when relevant</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11.</td> <td>Research report(s)</td> <td>As and when relevant</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Management recognises the importance of circulating information on a timely basis to ensure that the Board has adequate time to review the materials to facilitate a constructive and effective discussion during the scheduled meetings. As such, Management endeavours to circulate information in advance prior to the meetings to allow sufficient time for review by the Directors.</p> <p>Management will also on best endeavours, encrypt documents which involve material price sensitive information when circulating documents electronically. Management will also provide any additional material information that is requested by Directors or that is necessary to enable the Board to make a balanced and informed assessment of the Group's performance, position and prospects.</p>	Types of information provided by Management			No.	Information	Frequency	1.	Board papers (with background or explanatory information relating to the matters brought before the Board, where necessary)	Half-yearly	2.	Updates to the Group's operations and the markets in which the Group operates in	Half-yearly/as and when relevant	3.	Management accounts (with financial analysis)	Half-yearly/as and when requested by the Board	4.	EA reports	Yearly	5.	Internal Auditors' ("IA") report(s)	Yearly	6.	Shareholding statistics	Yearly/as and when relevant	7.	Changes or updates to enterprise risk framework	As and when relevant	8.	Significant project updates	As and when relevant	9.	Reports on on-going or planned corporate actions	As and when relevant	10.	Regulatory updates and implications	As and when relevant	11.	Research report(s)	As and when relevant
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1.7	<u>Appointment and removal of Company Secretary</u> <u>Access to Management and Company Secretary</u> <u>Access to professional advice</u>	<p>The appointment and removal of the Company Secretary is a matter for the Board as a whole. There was no change of Company Secretary during the financial year.</p> <p>Directors have separate and independent access to the Management and Company Secretary at all times. The Company Secretary and her representatives attend all Board and Board Committees' meetings and are responsible to ensure that board procedures are followed and that the Constitution of the Company, Catalist Rules and other relevant rules and regulations applicable to the Company are complied with. The Company Secretary and her representatives assist the Management in ensuring that the Company complies with rules and regulations which are applicable to the Company.</p> <p>Individually or collectively, in order to execute their duties, Directors can obtain independent professional advice at the Company's expense when required.</p>																																							

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Principle 2: The Board has an appropriate level of independence and diversity of thought and background in its composition to enable it to make decisions in the best interests of the company.		
2.1 2.2 2.3	<u>Board Composition</u>	<p>The Board has adopted the criteria on an independent director given in Provision 2.1 of the Code and Rule 406(3)(d) of the Catalist Rules. The independence of each Director is reviewed annually by the NC in accordance with the guidance provided in the Code. No individual or group of individuals dominates the Board's decision making.</p> <p>As at the date of this report, the Non-Executive and Independent Directors make up a majority of the Board which is in compliance with Provisions 2.2 and 2.3 of the Code. The NC and the Board are satisfied that the Board has substantial independent elements to ensure that objective judgment is exercised on corporate affair.</p>
2.1 2.4 4.4	<u>Independence Assessment of Directors</u>	<p>The Board considers the existence of relationships or circumstances, including those identified by the Code and the Catalist Rules that are relevant to determine whether a Director is independent. In addition, the NC annually reviews the individual director's declaration in their assessment of independence, and as and when circumstances require.</p> <p>Professor Yong Kwet Yew and Mr Aw Eng Hai have served as Independent Directors of the Company for an aggregate period of more than 9 years. Under Rule 406(3)(d)(iv) of the Catalist Rules, Professor Yong Kwet Yew and Mr Aw Eng Hai will no longer be deemed independent after the conclusion of the forthcoming AGM of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2024. As such, Professor Yong Kwet Yew has expressed his intention not to seek for re-election and will retire upon the conclusion of the forthcoming annual general meeting to facilitate Board's renewal. Mr Aw Eng Hai will be re-designated as Non-Executive Chairman and Non-Independent Director of the Company, and will be stepping down as Chairman of Audit Committee and remain as a member of Audit Committee, Nominating Committee and Remuneration Committee.</p> <p>Following the retirement of Professor Yong Kwet Yew and re-designation of Mr Aw Eng Hai at the conclusion of the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company, Mr Tan Chade Phang, who is eligible for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company, has signified his consent to seek for re-election, will remain as Independent Director of the Company and a member of Nominating Committee, and will be appointed as Chairman of Audit Committee in place of Mr Aw Eng Hai and Chairman of Remuneration Committee in place of Professor Yong Kwet Yew. Mr Ong Eng Keang will be appointed as Chairman of Nominating Committee in place of Professor Yong Kwet Yew.</p> <p>None of the Non-Executive and Independent Directors and their immediate family member are a substantial shareholder of or partner in or an executive officer of or a director of, any organisation to which the Company or any of its subsidiaries made, or from which the Company or any of its subsidiaries received, significant payments or materials services aggregated over any financial year in excess of \$50,000 (to an individual) or \$200,000 (to a firm), which may include auditing, banking, consulting and legal services, in the current or immediate past financial year.</p> <p>The NC has reviewed and confirmed that the independence of the Independent Directors is in accordance with the Code, PG and Catalist Rules. The Independent Directors have also confirmed their independence in accordance with the Code, PG and Catalist Rules. The NC members, Professor Yong Kwet Yew, Mr Aw Eng Hai, Mr Ong Eng Keang and Mr Tan Chade Phang have abstained from participating in the discussion and voting on any resolution related to his independence. The Company would continue to build on the acquired experience and expertise by preserving continuity and stability through orderly succession.</p>

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	Board diversity	<p>The Board has adopted a Board Diversity Policy to assist the NC and the Board in identifying prospective candidates for Directorship that meet the criteria as determined by the NC and that support the diversity's objectives. The Board Diversity Policy promotes the diversity among the Directors in order to improve performance and to avoid groupthink and foster constructive debate and ensure that composition is optimal to support the Group's needs in the short and long term. The diversity includes the appropriate mix of complementary skills, business and industry experience, gender, age, ethnicity, geographic background, length of service and other distinctive qualities of the board members. The Company recognises that an effective board requires Directors to possess not only integrity, commitment, relevant experiences, qualifications and skills in carrying out their duties effectively but also include diverse background towards promoting good corporate governance. The NC will discuss and agree on the relevant measurable objectives to ensure the existing skill sets and core competencies of the Board are complementary and enhances the efficacy of the Board for promoting and achieving diversity on the Board are assessed from time to time and make recommendations for consideration and approval by the Board based on the composition of the Board and operations of the Group at the relevant time.</p> <p>As there is currently no female Director appointed to the Board, the Board does not rule out the possibility of appointing a female Director if a suitable candidate is nominated for the Board's consideration. The composition of the Board is reviewed on an annual basis by the NC to ensure that the Board has the appropriate mix of skills, knowledge, expertise, experience, diversity and gender, and collectively possesses the necessary core competencies for effective functioning and informed decision-making. The NC has not set a specific target for board diversity as it may detract from the more fundamental principle that the candidate must be of the right fit and meet the relevant needs and vision of the Company. The NC shall endeavour to ensure that female candidates are included for consideration when identifying candidates to be appointed as new Directors. The NC will review and modify this Board Diversity Policy periodically, as appropriate, to ensure effective governance of the Company.</p> <p>The current board composition provides a diversity of skills, experience and knowledge to the Company as follows:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">Diversity of the Board</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>Number of Directors</th> <th>Proportion of Board</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td colspan="3">Core Competencies</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Accounting or finance</td> <td>3</td> <td>50%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Business management</td> <td>6</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Legal or corporate governance</td> <td>4</td> <td>67%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Relevant industry knowledge or experience</td> <td>6</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Strategic planning experience</td> <td>6</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Customer based experience or knowledge</td> <td>6</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Gender</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Male</td> <td>6</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Female</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Diversity of the Board				Number of Directors	Proportion of Board	Core Competencies			Accounting or finance	3	50%	Business management	6	100%	Legal or corporate governance	4	67%	Relevant industry knowledge or experience	6	100%	Strategic planning experience	6	100%	Customer based experience or knowledge	6	100%	Gender			Male	6	100%	Female	-	-
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2.5	<u>Meeting in the absence of the Management</u>	The Non-Executive and Independent Directors will meet or confer in discussions without the presence of Management or Executive Directors when circumstances warrant, and the Independent Directors meet regularly without the presence of Management in the meetings with EA and IA at least annually, and on such other occasions as may be required and the Chairman of such meetings provides feedback to the Board and/or the Chairman of the Board as appropriate.
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3.1 3.2 3.3	<u>Role of Chairman and Managing Director</u>	<p>The Group's policy is to have a distinct separation of responsibilities between the role of Non-Executive Chairman and Managing Director in order to provide an appropriate balance of power, increased accountability and greater capacity of the Board for independent decision-making. Professor Yong Kwet Yew is the Non-Executive Chairman and Dr Wang Xiaoning is the Managing Director of the Company.</p> <p>There is a clear division of responsibilities between the Non-Executive Chairman and the Managing Director, which ensures there is a balance of power and authority, and that accountability and independent decision-making are not compromised.</p> <p>The Managing Director has full executive responsibilities in the business directions and operational efficiency of the Group. He oversees the execution of the Group's corporate and business strategies and is responsible for the day-to-day running of the business.</p> <p>The Non-Executive Chairman oversees the business of the Board. He leads the board discussion and ensures that board meetings are convened when necessary. He sets the board's meeting agenda in consultation with the Managing Director and ensures that quality, quantity and timely information between the Board and key management personnel to facilitate efficient decision making, effective contribution and promote high standards of corporate governance.</p>
	<u>Relationship between Chairman and Managing Director</u>	Both the Non-Executive Chairman and the Managing Director are not related to each other. The Non-Executive Chairman is also an Independent Director who is not part of the Management. The Board is of the view that there are sufficient safeguards and checks that the process of decision making by the Board is independent and based on collective decisions, without any individual or group of individuals exercising any considerable concentration of power or influence.
	<u>Lead Independent Director</u>	The NC has deliberated and is of the view that the appointment of the Lead Independent Director is not necessary and is in compliance with Provision 3.3 of the Code given that the Chairman of the Board is independent in FY2024.

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REMUNERATION MATTERS		
PROCEDURES FOR DEVELOPING REMUNERATION POLICIES		
<p>Principle 6: The Board has a formal and transparent procedure for developing policies on director and executive remuneration, and for fixing the remuneration packages of individual directors and key management personnel. No director is involved in deciding his or her remuneration.</p>		
6.1 6.3	<u>Role of the RC</u>	<p>The RC is guided by the terms of reference and its key functions include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Review and recommend to the Board a general framework of remuneration and specific remuneration packages for each Director and key management personnel; (b) Consider and approve termination payments, retirement payments, gratuities, ex-gratia payment, severance payments and other similar payments to each member of key management personnel; (c) Review all aspects of remuneration, including but not limited to Directors' fees, salaries, allowances, bonuses, options, share-based incentives, awards and benefits-in-kind;

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6.4	<p><u>Engagement of Remuneration Consultants</u></p> <p><u>"Claw-back" Provisions</u></p>	<p>No remuneration consultants were engaged by the Company in FY2024 for the remuneration packages of its Directors and key management personnel as the Company is of the view that the annual review by the RC, giving due regard to prevailing market conditions as well as the financial, commercial health and business needs of the Group, is currently sufficient to ensure the continued relevance of such remuneration packages to the Group's strategic business objectives and alignment with market practices.</p> <p>There are no contractual provisions which allow the Company to reclaim incentives from the Executive Directors and key management personnel in certain circumstances. The Board is of the view that as the Group pays performance bonuses based on the actual performance of the Group and/or Company (and not on forward-looking results) as well as the actual results of its Executive Directors and key management personnel, "claw-back" provisions in the service agreements may not be relevant or appropriate.</p>
<p>LEVEL AND MIX OF REMUNERATION AND DISCLOSURE OF REMUNERATION</p> <p>Principle 7: The level and structure of remuneration of the Board and key management personnel are appropriate and proportionate to the sustained performance and value creation of the company, taking into account the strategic objectives of the company.</p> <p>Principle 8: The company is transparent on its remuneration policies, level and mix of remuneration, the procedure for setting remuneration, and the relationships between remuneration, performance and value creation.</p>		
7.1 7.3 8.1	<p><u>Remuneration Policy</u></p> <p><u>Remuneration Structure for Executive Directors and Key Management Personnel</u></p>	<p>The Company's remuneration policy covers all aspects of remuneration, including but not limited to Directors' fees, salaries, allowances, benefits-in-kind, bonuses, options, share-based incentives and awards is one that seeks to attract, retain and motivate the Directors to provide good stewardship of the Company and the key management to successfully manage the Company. The policy allows the Company to align the interest of individual Directors and key management to those of the shareholders and promotes the long-term success of the Company. In its deliberations, the RC takes into account the risk policies of the Company, symmetry with risk outcomes and time horizon of risks as well as industry benchmarks and norms in compensation.</p> <p>The remuneration received by the Executive Directors and key management personnel is designed to align remuneration with the interests of shareholders and link rewards to corporate and individual performance to promote the long-term sustainability of the Group. The remuneration package takes into consideration the Director's individual performance and contribution towards the overall performance of the Group for FY2024. Their remuneration is made up of fixed and variable compensations. The fixed compensation consists of an annual base salary, fixed allowance and annual wage supplement. The variable compensation is determined based on the level of achievement of corporate and individual performance objectives.</p>

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	<u>Management of Risk</u>	<p>Given the nature and size of the Group's business and operations, the Company has not established a separate Risk Management Committee. Instead, the review of the Group's risk management and internal control systems including, financial, operational, compliance and information technology controls, falls under the purview of the AC.</p> <p>The Directors and the AC reviews all significant control policies and procedures of the Group on a periodic basis, including through the annual internal audits conducted by the IA.</p> <p>Where there were no material weaknesses identified, the Board noted that there are some areas requiring improvement as identified by the IA during the course of their audit performed in FY2024. The Board has accepted the IA's recommendations and has implemented the recommendations to address such deficiencies identified.</p> <p>The Board noted that the system of internal controls and risk management established by the Company provides reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the Company will not be adversely affected by any event that could be reasonably foreseen as it strives to achieve its business objectives. In this regard, the Board also noted that no system of internal controls and risk management can provide absolute assurance against the occurrence of material errors, poor judgment in decision making, human error, losses, fraud or other irregularities.</p>
9.2	<u>Confirmation of Internal Controls</u>	<p>The Board with the concurrence of the AC, is of the opinion that the Group's internal controls (including financial, operational, compliance and information technology risks) and risk management systems were adequate and effective for FY2024.</p> <p>The bases for the Board's view are as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> assurance has been received from the Managing Director and Financial Controller that the financial records have been properly maintained and the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's operations and finances, and the Company's risk management and internal control systems are adequate and effective; an internal audit has been done by the IA, and significant matters highlighted to the AC and key management personnel were appropriately addressed; key management personnel evaluate, monitor material risks and report to the AC on a regular basis; and discussions were held between the AC and auditors in the absence of Management to review and address any potential concerns. <p>The Board has also relied on the EA's report as set out in this Annual Report that the financial statements provide a true and fair view of the Company's financial position and performance.</p> <p>The Board has additionally relied on IA's report issued to the Company in respect of FY2024 as assurances that the Company's risk management and internal control systems to the matters reported upon are adequate and sufficiently effective.</p>
AUDIT COMMITTEE		
Principle 10: The Board has an Audit Committee ("AC") which discharges its duties objectively.		
10.1 10.3	<u>Role of the AC</u>	All members of the AC are Non-Executive and Independent Directors and do not have any management and business relationships with the Company or any substantial shareholder of the Company. None of the AC members were previously partners or directors of the Company's external audit firm within a period of two years commencing on the date of their ceasing to be a partner of the external audit firm and none of the AC members hold any financial interest in the external audit firm.

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	Whistle Blowing Policy	<p>The AC is guided by the terms of reference and its key functions include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) reviewing the significant financial reporting issues and judgements to ensure the integrity of the financial statements of the Company and any announcements relating to the Group's financial performance; (b) reviewing and reporting to the Board at least annually the adequacy and effectiveness of the Company's internal controls, including financial, operational, compliance and information technology controls; (c) reviewing the assurance from the Managing Director and the Financial Controller on the financial records and financial statements; (d) making recommendations to the Board on the proposals to the shareholders on the appointment, re-appointment and removal of the EA, and the remuneration and terms of engagement of the EA; (e) reviewing the adequacy, effectiveness, independence, scope and results of the external audit and internal audit function; (f) reviewing the policy and arrangements for concerns about possible improprieties in financial reporting or other matters to be safely raised, independently investigated and appropriately followed up on; and (g) reviewing interested person transactions in accordance with the Catalist Rules. <p>The AC has in consultation with the Board, initiated the implementation of a fraud and whistle-blowing policy and incorporated the whistle-blowing policy into the Company's internal control procedures to provide a channel for all employees and other persons including employees of the Company's overseas subsidiaries to report in good faith and in confidence, without fear of reprisals, concerns about possible improprieties, suspected fraud, corruption, dishonest practices in matter of financial reporting or other matters. The objective of the policy is to ensure an independent investigation of such matters and for appropriate follow-up actions and seeks to encourage reporting in good faith of suspected improprieties (e.g. conduct that is dishonest, fraudulent, corrupt, illegal, other serious improper conduct, unsafe work practice or any other conduct which may cause financial or non-financial loss to the Company or damage to the Company's reputation). The AC is responsible for oversight and monitoring of whistle blowing.</p> <p>While the policy aims to provide an avenue for employees to raise concerns with the reassurance that they will be protected from reprisals or victimisation for whistle-blowing in good faith, a person who files a report or provides evidence which he/she knows to be false, or without a reasonable belief in the truth and accuracy of such information, will not be protected by the whistle-blowing policy and may be subject to administrative and/or disciplinary action. Similarly, a person may be subject to administrative and/or disciplinary action if he/she subjects (i) a person who has made or intends to make a report in accordance with the whistle-blowing policy, or (ii) a person who was called or may be called as a witness, to any form of reprisal which would not have occurred if he/she did not intend to, or had not made the report, or be a witness. The details of the whistle-blowing policy are made available to all employees.</p> <p>The Company's staff and any other persons may, in confidence, raise concerns about possible improprieties in matters of financial reporting or other matters by submitting a whistle-blowing report to the members of the AC via email: whistleblow@tritech.com.sg.</p> <p>The key details on the Company's whistle-blowing policy are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the AC has authority to investigate any matter including whistle-blowing within its terms of reference; • all whistle-blower complaints will be reviewed by the AC to ensure independent and thorough investigation and adequate follow-up; • the Company has maintained a whistle-blowing register to record all the whistle-blowing incidents;

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> reports made anonymously will not be considered unless as directed by the AC. The AC will consider factors such as the severity of the matters raised to determine if the AC may accept such anonymous disclosures. If accepted by the AC, anonymity and confidentiality will be honoured throughout the process; identity of the whistle-blower is kept confidential and the Company is committed to ensure protection of the whistle-blower against detrimental or unfair treatment; and all contents of the whistle-blowing register are reviewed by the AC during its meetings. <p>To-date, there were no reports received through the whistle-blowing channel.</p>
10.2	<u>Qualification of the AC Members</u>	The Board considers Mr Aw Eng Hai, who has extensive and practical accounting and financial management knowledge and experience, to be well qualified to chair the AC and other members of the AC, including Mr. Tan Chade Phang and Mr Ong Eng Keang who have extensive knowledge and experience in financial management, internal control and risk management, and Professor Yong Kwet Yew who has extensive experience as a director and a member of the audit committee in another listed company, to have sufficient experience to be appropriately qualified to discharge their responsibilities in the AC.
10.4	<u>Internal Audit Function</u>	<p>The Company does not have an in-house internal audit function.</p> <p>The Company's internal audit function is outsourced to In.Corp Business Advisory Pte. Ltd. ("INCORP"). INCORP offers diversified business advisory services in Singapore and overseas, including secretarial and compliance, share registry, accounting and finance, tax advisory, human resource and immigration, business advisory, fund administration and family office, and internal audit and risk assurance.</p> <p>The internal audit engagement team comprises of an Engagement Director (Ms Ruby Rouben), Engagement Senior Manager (Ms Kwok Jing Yi) and other team members. Ms Ruby Rouben is the Head of Risk Assurance Services and she has more than 13 years of experience in the audit profession. Ms Ruby Rouben has led the internal audit, governance advisory and risk management engagements with various Ministries, Organs of State, Statutory Boards, Institutions of Higher Learning, Multinationals, Public Listed Companies, Financial Institutions, Charities and Institutions of a Public Character.</p> <p>INCORP reports directly to the AC Chairman on any material weaknesses and risks identified in the course of the audit and administratively to the Managing Director. Management would update the AC on the status of the remedial action plans. The AC is responsible for the hiring, removal, evaluation and compensation of the accounting or auditing firm or corporation to whom the internal audit function of the Company is outsourced to. The AC reviews and approves the internal audit plan to ensure the adequacy of the scope of audit.</p> <p>The internal audit work carried out in FY2024 was guided by the International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing (IIA Standards) laid down in the International Professional Practices Framework issued by the Institute of Internal Auditors.</p> <p>The AC is satisfied and is of the opinion that INCORP is independent, effective, adequately qualified and resourced, and has the appropriate standing in the Company to discharge its duties effectively given, <i>inter alia</i>, its involvement in certain AC meetings and its unfettered access to all the Group's documents, records, properties and personnel, including direct access to the AC. INCORP has provided a confirmation on their independence to the AC.</p>
10.5	<u>Met Auditors in Management's Absence</u>	The AC has met with the IA and EA separately without the presence of the Management in FY2024.

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SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS AND ENGAGEMENT		
SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS AND CONDUCT OF GENERAL MEETINGS		
Principle 11: The company treats all shareholders fairly and equitably in order to enable them to exercise shareholders' rights and have the opportunity to communicate their views on matters affecting the company. The company gives shareholders a balanced and understandable assessment of its performance, position and prospects.		
11.1	<u>Shareholder's participation at General Meetings</u> <u>Appointment of Proxies</u>	Shareholders are entitled to attend the general meetings and are given the opportunity to participate effectively in and vote at general meetings. An independent polling agent is appointed by the Company for general meetings who will explain the rules, including the voting procedures that govern the general meetings of shareholders. The Company also appoints an independent scrutineer to provide assurance of the conduct and integrity of the voting process and results in its general meetings in accordance with the Catalist Rules. In the usual circumstances, the Constitution allows a shareholder to appoint up to two proxies to attend and vote in the shareholder's place at the general meetings of shareholders. Under the multiple proxies regime under the Companies Act, investors who hold the Company's shares through relevant intermediaries, such as a nominee company or custodian bank or through a Central Provident Fund agent bank may attend and vote at general meetings.
11.2	<u>Bundling of Resolutions</u>	Resolutions requiring shareholders' approval are tabled separately for adoption at the Company's general meetings unless they are closely related and are more appropriately tabled together. Reasons and implications of why resolutions are bundled will be set out in the circulars and notices.
11.3	<u>Directors' Attendance</u>	The Company requires all Directors (including the respective chairman of the Board Committees) to be present at all general meetings, unless of exigencies. The EA is also invited to attend the general meetings to address shareholders' queries about the conduct of audit and the preparation of content of the EA's report. The Directors' attendance at general meetings held in FY2024 is disclosed in Section 1.5 above.
11.4	<u>Absentia Voting</u>	The Constitution allows for absentia voting (including but not limited to the voting by mail, electronic mail or facsimile).
11.5	<u>Publication of Minutes</u>	The minutes of general meetings which include substantial and relevant queries from shareholders relating to the agenda of the general meeting, and responses from the Board and Management must be published on SGXNet and if available, the Company's website within one month after the general meetings. The minutes will also be made available to shareholders upon their request within 14 days of such request after the general meeting.
11.6	<u>Dividend Policy</u>	The Company currently does not have a fixed dividend policy. The declaration and payment of dividends by the Company from time to time is subject to various factors, <i>inter alia</i> , the Company's results of operations, cash flows and financial position, the Company's expansion requirements and working capital requirements, dividend payment by the Company's subsidiaries and the Company's future growth and prospects. Nonetheless, key management personnel will review, <i>inter alia</i> , the Group's performance in the relevant financial period, projected capital needs and working capital requirements and make the appropriate recommendations to the Board on dividend declarations, if applicable. The Board did not declare dividends to shareholders for FY2024 in view of the Company's accumulated losses.

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ENGAGEMENT WITH SHAREHOLDERS		
Principle 12: The company communicates regularly with its shareholders and facilitates the participation of shareholders during general meetings and other dialogues to allow shareholders to communicate their views on various matters affecting the company.		
12.1 12.2 12.3 13.3	<p><u>Communication with Shareholders</u></p> <p><u>Investor relations policy</u></p>	<p>The Company firmly believes in high standards of transparent corporate disclosure by disclosing to its stakeholders, including its shareholders, the relevant information on a timely basis through SGXNET. Communication is made through:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Board ensures that the annual report sent to all shareholders has includes all relevant material information about the Company and the Group, including future developments and other disclosures required by the relevant rules and regulations; 2. Half-yearly and full year announcements containing a summary of the financial information and affairs of the Group for that period; 3. Notices of explanatory memoranda for the AGM and extraordinary general meetings ("EGM"). The notice of AGM and EGM are also advertised in a national newspaper, if required; and 4. Press and new releases on major developments of the Company and the Group. <p>Shareholders are also able to reach out to the Company with their concerns and/ or feedback via shareholder@tritech.com.sg.</p> <p>The Company currently does not have a dedicated investor relations team, but considers advice from its corporate lawyers and professionals on appropriate disclosure requirements before announcing material information to shareholders.</p> <p>The Company will consider the appointment of a professional investor relations officer to manage the function should the need arise.</p> <p>Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board endeavours to establish and maintain regular dialogue with shareholders as to gather view or inputs and address shareholders' concern. The Board will also engage in investor relations activities to allow the Company to engage shareholders as and when it deems necessary and appropriate.</p> <p>Apart from the SGXNET announcements and its annual report, the Company updates shareholders on its corporate developments through its corporate website at www.tritech.com.sg.</p> <p>All materials presented in general meetings are uploaded on the SGXNET.</p> <p>For enquiries and all other matters, shareholders and all other parties can contact the Company at shareholder@tritech.com.sg.</p>
MANAGING STAKEHOLDERS RELATIONSHIP		
ENGAGEMENT WITH STAKEHOLDERS		
Principle 13: The Board adopts an inclusive approach by considering and balancing the needs and interests of material stakeholders, as part of its overall responsibility to ensure that the best interests of the company are served.		
13.1 13.2	<u>Stakeholders Management</u>	<p>On an annual basis, the Company identifies and engages with its material stakeholders to promote the adoption of sustainable practices along its value chain. The Company assesses the material environmental, social and governance ("ESG") factors that affect the Group.</p>

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711A, 711B	<u>Sustainability Reporting</u>	<p>The Company will publish its sustainability report for FY2024 by 29 July 2024, on SGXNET and the Company's website which had highlighted, <i>inter alia</i>, the key ESG factors currently being considered by the Company.</p> <p>The sustainability report for FY2024 was prepared with reference to the Global Reporting Initiative – G4 Sustainability Reporting Guidelines issued by the Global Sustainability Standards Board, Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures framework as well as Practice Note 7F of the Sustainability Reporting Guide under the Catalist Rules. In addition, internal review has been conducted on the Company's sustainability reporting process.</p>															
720(5)	<u>Information relating to Directors seeking re-election</u>	Information relating to the Directors seeking re-election as per Appendix 7F of the Catalist Rules is set out in Table III of this report.															
1204(6)(A)	<u>Audit and Non-audit fees</u>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">Table 1204(6)(A) – Fees Paid/Payable to the EA for FY2024</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>\$</th> <th>% of total</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Audit Fees</td> <td>198,000</td> <td>100</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Non-Audit Fees</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>198,000</td> <td>100</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Table 1204(6)(A) – Fees Paid/Payable to the EA for FY2024				\$	% of total	Audit Fees	198,000	100	Non-Audit Fees	-	-	Total	198,000	100
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1204(6)(B)	<u>Confirmation by AC</u>	The AC reviews the independence of the EA annually. The AC notes that there was no non-audit services provided by the EA for FY2024 and is of the opinion that the EA is independent for the purpose of the Group's statutory audit. The EA has also provided confirmation on their independence. The AC has recommended the re-appointment of the EA at the forthcoming AGM of the Company.															
1204(6)(C)	<u>Appointment of Auditors</u>	The Company confirms its compliance to Rules 712, 715 and 716 of the Catalist Rules. Pursuant to Rule 716, the Board and AC are satisfied that the appointment would not compromise the standard and effectiveness of the audit of the Company.															
1204(8)	<u>Material Contracts</u>	There were no material contracts entered into by the Group involving the interest of any Director or controlling shareholder, which are either still subsisting at the end of FY2024 or if not subsisting, entered into since the end of the previous financial year.															
1204(10)	<u>Adequacy and effectiveness of Internal Controls</u>	Please refer to the confirmation provided by the Board in Section 9.2 of Table I.															
1204(10C)	<u>Internal Audit Function</u>	Please refer to the confirmation provided in Section 10.4 of Table I.															
1204(17)	<u>Interested Person Transactions ("IPTs")</u>	The Group has procedures governing all IPTs to ensure that they are properly documented and reported on a timely manner to the AC and that they are carried out on normal commercial terms and are not prejudicial to the interest of the Company and its minority shareholders. There were no discloseable IPTs entered into by the Group during the year under review.															
1204(19)	<u>Dealing in Securities</u>	<p>The Company has adopted an internal policy which prohibits the Directors and officers from dealing in the securities of the Company while in possession of price-sensitive information.</p> <p>The Company, its Directors and officers are also discouraged from dealing in the Company's shares on short term considerations and are prohibited from dealing in the Company's securities during the period commencing one month before the announcement of the Group's half-year and full-year financial results respectively, and ending on the date of the announcement of the relevant results.</p> <p>The Company, its Directors and officers are also expected to observe insider trading laws at all times even when dealing with Company's securities within the permitted trading period.</p>															
1204(21)	<u>Non-Sponsor Fees</u>	With reference to Rule 1204(21) of the Catalist Rules, there were no non-sponsor fees paid to the Company's Sponsor, UOB Kay Hian Private Limited for FY2024.															

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Pursuant to Rule 720(5) of the Catalist Rules, the information relating to the retiring Directors seeking re-election at the AGM as set out in Appendix 7F of the Catalist Rules is disclosed below:

TABLE III - INFORMATION RELATING TO DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-ELECTION		
	Name of Director to be Re-Elected	
	Mr Aw Eng Hai	Mr Tan Chade Phang
Date of Appointment	4 September 2009	1 January 2024
Date of Last Re-Appointment (if applicable)	29 July 2021	Not Applicable
Age	56	48
Country of Principal Residence	Singapore	Singapore
Professional Qualifications	National University of Singapore – Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours) Chartered Accountant of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants Fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants Fellow of Insolvency Practitioners Association of Singapore Member of INSOL International Member of Singapore Institute of Directors	March 2000 to March 2002 – Master of Finance (RMIT University) January 1998 to January 2000 – Bachelor of Business in Accountancy (RMIT University) July 1994 to June 1997 – Diploma in Risk and Insurance Management (Nanyang Polytechnic)
Job Title	Non-Independent Non-Executive Chairman, member of the Audit Committee, Nominating Committee and Remuneration Committee	Independent Director, Chairman of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee and member of the Nominating Committee
<p>>> Other Principal Commitments* including Directorships#</p> <p>* "Principal Commitments" has the same meaning as defined in the Code.</p> <p># These fields are not applicable for announcements of appointments pursuant to Catalist Rule 704(8)</p>		
Past (for the last 5 years)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Capital World Limited TXZ Tankers Pte. Ltd. Century Masters Pte. Ltd Hunting Airtrust Tubulars Pte Ltd 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Revez Corporation Ltd. Camsing Healthcare Limited TIH Limited
Present	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> GDS Global Limited TOTM Technologies Limited Foo Kon Tan Advisory Services Pte. Ltd. Foo Kon Tan Transaction Services Pte. Ltd. Insolvency Practitioners Association of Singapore Limited Airtrust (Singapore) Pte Limited Luminor Financial Holdings Limited 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> SMI Vantage Limited Y Ventures Group Ltd. OUE Healthcare Limited Luminor Financial Holdings Limited
Shareholding interest in the Company and its subsidiaries	11,765,000 ordinary shares	Nil

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	Name of Director to be Re-Elected	
	Mr Aw Eng Hai	Mr Tan Chade Phang
The Board's comments on this appointment (including rationale, selection criteria, board diversity considerations, and the search and nomination process)	<p>The Board has considered, among others, the recommendation of the NC and has reviewed and considered the qualifications, work experience, suitability and performance of Mr Aw Eng Hai for redesignation as the Non-Independent Non-Executive Chairman and member of the Audit, Nominating and Remuneration Committee. The Board has reviewed and concluded that Mr Aw Eng Hai possesses the experience, expertise, knowledge and skills to contribute towards the core competencies of the Board and the relevant Board Committees.</p> <p>The Board considers Mr Aw Eng Hai to be not independent for the purpose of Rule 704(7) of the Catalist Rules of the SGX-ST.</p>	<p>The Board has considered, among others, the recommendation of the NC and has reviewed and considered the qualifications, work experience, suitability and performance of Mr Tan Chade Phang for re-appointment as Independent Director and member of the Nominating Committee, and appointment as Chairman of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee. The Board has reviewed and concluded that Mr Tan Chade Phang possesses the experience, expertise, knowledge and skills to contribute towards the core competencies of the Board and the relevant Board Committees.</p> <p>The Board considers Mr Tan Chade Phang to be independent for the purpose of Rule 704(7) of the Catalist Rules of the SGX-ST.</p>
Whether the appointment is executive. If so, please state the area of responsibility	Non-Executive	Non-Executive
Working experience and occupation(s) during the past 10 years	March 2003 to Present - Foo Kon Tan LLP - Partner	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. November 2015 to Present - President (Small and Middle Capitalization Companies Association) 2. January 2009 to September 2023 - Chief Executive Officer (Voyage Research Pte. Ltd. (formerly known as SIAS Research Pte. Ltd.))
Any relationship (including immediate family relationships) with any existing director, existing executive officer, the issuer and/or substantial shareholder of the listed issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries	Mr Aw Eng Hai has been an independent director of Luminor Financial Holdings Limited since 21 June 2024. Mr Tan Chade Phang, an independent director of Trittech Group Limited, is also an independent director of Luminor Financial Holdings Limited.	Mr Tan Chade Phang, an independent director of Trittech Group Limited, is also an independent director of Luminor Financial Holdings Limited. Mr Aw Eng Hai has been an independent director of Luminor Financial Holdings Limited since 21 June 2024.
Conflict of interest (including any competing business)	None	None
Undertaking (in the format set out in Appendix 7H) under rules 720(1) has been submitted to the listed issuer	Yes	Yes

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	Name of Director to be Re-Elected	
	Mr Aw Eng Hai	Mr Tan Chade Phang
The general statutory disclosures of the Directors are as follows:		
(a) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any bankruptcy law of any jurisdiction was filed against him or against a partnership of which he was a partner at the time when he was a partner or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a partner?	No	No
(b) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any law of any jurisdiction was filed against an entity (not being a partnership) of which he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive, at the time when he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity, for the winding up or dissolution of that entity or, where that entity is the trustee of a business trust, that business trust, on the ground of insolvency?	No	No
(c) Whether there is any unsatisfied judgment against him?	No	No
(d) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving fraud or dishonesty which is punishable with imprisonment, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such purpose?	No	No
(e) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such breach?	No	No

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(f) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, judgment has been entered against him in any civil proceedings in Singapore or elsewhere involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or a finding of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part, or he has been the subject of any civil proceedings (including any pending civil proceedings of which he is aware) involving an allegation of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part?	No	No
(g) Whether he has ever been convicted in Singapore or else where of any offence in connection with the formation or management of any entity or business trust?	No	No
(h) Whether he has ever been disqualified from acting as a Director or an equivalent person of any entity (including the trustee of a business trust), or from taking part directly or indirectly in the management of any entity or business trust?	No	No
(i) Whether he has ever been the subject of any order, judgment or ruling of any court, tribunal or governmental body, permanently or temporarily enjoining him from engaging in any type of business practice or activity?	No	No
(j) Whether he has ever, to his knowledge, been concerned with the management or conduct, in Singapore or elsewhere, of the affairs of:		
(i) any corporation which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing corporations in Singapore or elsewhere; or	No	Yes. Appointed as Independent Director of Dapai International Holdings Co. Ltd. in March 2016 and was subsequently appointed as Audit Committee Chairman to oversee the agreed upon procedures (conducted by BDO) and special audit (conducted by KordaMentha) in consultation with SGX on matters prior to the appointment. The findings of the special audit report was released to SGXNet on 7 July 2017.
(ii) any entity (not being a corporation) which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing such entities in Singapore or elsewhere; or	No	No
(iii) any business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing business trusts in Singapore or elsewhere; or	No	No

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TABLE III - INFORMATION RELATING TO DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-ELECTION		
	Name of Director to be Re-Elected	
	Mr Aw Eng Hai	Mr Tan Chade Phang
(iv) any entity or business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, in connection with any matter occurring or arising during that period when he was so concerned with the entity or business trust?	<p>Yes. On 27 August 2015, Mr Aw Eng Hai was issued a warning letter by the Monetary Authority of Singapore ("Authority") for a breach of Section 133 of the Securities and Futures Act ("SFA") in relation to his late notification on 22 April 2014 to Trittech Group Limited ("Trittech") following the issuance of bonus warrants to him by Trittech on 31 March 2014. Mr Aw Eng Hai has been an Independent Director of Trittech from 4 September 2009 to date.</p> <p>Trittech was issued a warning letter ("Trittech Warning Letter") by the Authority on 13 February 2017 for a breach of Section 136 of the SFA for Trittech's late notification dated 24 June 2016 to the Company following the completion of the placement of shares in the Company on 21 April 2016, which resulted in a change in percentage of Trittech's shareholding interests in the Company. The Authority has informed Trittech that no further regulatory action will be taken against Trittech in respect of such breach. Neither Mr Aw Eng Hai nor any of the directors of Trittech were the subject of the Trittech Warning Letter.</p>	No
(k) Whether he has been the subject of any current or past investigation or disciplinary proceedings, or has been reprimanded or issued any warning, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or any other regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government agency, whether in Singapore or elsewhere?	Yes. Please refer to the disclosure under paragraph (j)(iv).	No
Prior Experience as a Director of a Listed Company on the Exchange		
Any prior experience as a Director of an issuer listed on the Exchange?	Not applicable. This relates to the re-election of Directors.	
Attended or will be attending training on the roles and responsibilities of a Director of a listed issuer as prescribed by the Exchange?		
Please provide details of relevant experience and the Nominating Committee's reasons for not requiring the Director to undergo training as prescribed by the Exchange (if applicable).		

DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

The directors present their statement to the members together with the audited consolidated financial statements of Trittech Group Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") and the statement of financial position of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2024.

In the opinion of the directors,

- (a) the consolidated financial statements of the Group and the statement of financial position of the Company are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 March 2024 and the financial performance, changes in equity and cash flows of the Group for the financial year ended on that date; and
- (b) at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

1 Directors

The directors of the Company in office at the date of this statement are:

Professor Yong Kwet Yew
 Dr Wang Xiaoning
 Aw Eng Hai
 Ong Eng Keang
 Zhou Xinping
 Tan Chade Phang (Appointed on 1 January 2024)

2 Arrangements to Enable Directors to Acquire Shares and Debentures

Neither at the end of nor at any time during the financial year was the Company a party to any arrangement, whose objects are, or one of whose objects is, to enable the directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate.

3 Directors' Interests in Shares and Debentures

The following directors, who held office at the end of the financial year, had, according to the register of directors' shareholdings required to be kept under Section 164 of the Companies Act 1967, an interest in shares of the Company and related corporations (other than wholly-owned subsidiaries) as stated below:

Name of director	Direct interest		Deemed interest	
	At the beginning of financial year	At the end of financial year	At the beginning of financial year	At the end of financial year
Trittech Group Limited				
<i>Ordinary shares</i>				
Professor Yong Kwet Yew	11,300,000	11,300,000	-	-
Dr Wang Xiaoning	120,673,628	120,673,628	-	-
Aw Eng Hai	11,765,000	11,765,000	-	-
Zhou Xinping	6,000	6,000	-	-

There was no change in any of the above-mentioned interests in the Company between the end of the financial year and 21 April 2024.

Except as disclosed in this statement, no director who held office at the end of the financial year had interests in shares, share options, warrants or debentures of the Company, or of related corporations, either at the beginning of the financial year, or date of appointment if later, or at the end of the financial year.

4 Performance Share Awards

The Company implemented an employee share award scheme known as the Trittech Group Performance Share Plan 2021 ("Share Plan"), whereby eligible participants are granted awards by the Company conferring rights to be issued or transferred shares ("Awards"), for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to eligible employees and directors of the Group. The Share Plan was approved and adopted by the shareholders at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 29 July 2021. The Company's equity instruments granted to the employees and directors are subject to approval in advance by the board of directors of the Company.

DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

4 Performance Share Awards (Continued)

The Share Plan is administered by the Company's Remuneration Committee comprising Professor Yong Kwet Yew, Mr Aw Eng Hai and Mr Ong Eng Keang and applies to group employees, group executive directors and group non-executive directors (including independent directors). Persons who are controlling shareholders or associates of a controlling shareholder will not be eligible for participation in the Share Plan.

The share awards are subject to certain vesting conditions and are convertible into the ordinary shares of the Company when vested.

There were no Awards granted by the Company or its subsidiaries under the Share Plan during the financial year.

5 Share Options

On 22 March 2022, the Company entered into a placement agreement ("Placement Agreement") with the Placees for the placement of up to 742,166,667 new ordinary shares in the capital of the Company ("Placement Shares") to the Placees over two tranches, for an aggregate cash consideration of up to S\$33,775,000 ("Proposed Placement"). Under the Proposed Placement, the Placees shall subscribe for 166,666,667 Placement Shares under the First Tranche at the issue price of S\$0.03 per Placement Share and 575,500,000 Placement Shares under the Second Tranche at the issue price of S\$0.05 per Placement Share.

On 4 May 2022, the Company and the Placees entered into a supplemental agreement to the original Placement Agreement ("Supplemental Agreement") pursuant to which they have agreed that instead of retaining the conditional agreement for the Company to allot and issue, and the Placees to subscribe for, a second tranche of the Placement Shares in accordance with the terms of the original Placement Agreement, the Company shall grant a call option to each of the Placees in respect of such Placee's relevant proportion of the option shares, and each of the Placees shall grant a put option to the Company in respect of such Placee's relevant proportion of the option shares ("Proposed Option grant"), pursuant to which, upon the exercise of the relevant options, the Company shall allot and issue, and the Placees shall subscribe for effectively the same number of shares, at the same price and on substantively the same conditions and terms for the allotment and issuance of such shares as was originally contemplated in relation to the Second Tranche Placement Shares.

The Proposed Options are subject to

- (i) the allotment and issuance of all of the 575,500,000 Second Tranche Placement Shares, and
- (ii) to seek a ruling from the SIC that the Placees are not persons acting in concert with each other, or alternatively, to seek the Whitewash Waiver from the SIC to waive the obligation of the Concert arising from the allotment and offer of the Second Tranche Placement Shares to the Placees, to make an offer for all the Shares not owned or controlled by the Placees and their concert parties.

On 7 June 2022, the Company had completed the allotment and issuance of the Placement Shares to the Placees. On 17 October 2022, the Company received a ruling from the SIC ("SIC Ruling") that the Placees are parties acting in concert with respect to the Company; and the Placees will not be required to make a general offer for the Company pursuant to Rule 14.1 of the Code in the event the Placees acquire 30% or more of the voting rights of the Company based on the Company's enlarged issued capital as a result of the acquisition of the Option Shares by the Placees, subject to the conditions of the SIC Ruling.

On 18 November 2022, the Company entered into Second Supplemental Agreement to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant from six months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the First Tranche Placement Shares to twelve months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the First Tranche Placement Shares, or such other date as the Parties may agree to in writing. With this extension, the Options Exercise Period will expire on 7 June 2023.

Under the Supplemental Agreement read with the Second Supplemental Agreement, subject to the performance and fulfilment of the Options Conditions Precedent and in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Supplemental Agreement, the Company agrees to grant each Placee, at nil consideration, a call option to require the Company to allot and issue to such Placee its Relevant Proportion of the Option Shares and each Placee agrees to grant the Company, at nil consideration, a put option to require such Placee to subscribe for its Relevant Proportion of the Option Shares at the option exercise price of S\$0.05 for each Option Share.

An Option may only be exercised subject to and conditional upon the performance or fulfilment of the Options Conditions Precedent and within the period of 12 months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the Placement Shares ("Options Exercise Period"). Any Option shall be exercised before the expiry of the Options Exercise Period, failing which such unexercised Option shall immediately lapse and become null and void.

On 23 December 2022, an Extraordinary General Meeting was held that the proposed options grant and the allotment and issuance of 575,500,000 Option Shares to the Placees was approved pursuant to the exercise of the relevant options.

DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

5 Share Options (Continued)

On 7 June 2023, the Parties entered into a Third Supplemental Agreement to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant for a further six months from 7 June 2023 to 7 December 2023, or such other date as the Parties may agree to in writing. Additionally, pursuant to the terms of the Third Supplemental Agreement, in the event that the Options have not been exercised on or prior to 7 December 2023, unless otherwise mutually agreed by all Parties, the Options Exercise Period shall automatically be renewed for a further six months to 7 June 2024.

Please refer to Note 36 to the financial statements for further extension of the Option Exercise Period.

Except as disclosed above, there were no options granted by the Company or its subsidiaries to any person to take up unissued shares in the Company or its subsidiaries.

Except as disclosed above, there were no unissued shares of the Company or its subsidiaries under share option as at the end of the financial year.

6 Audit Committee

The Audit Committee ("AC") comprises the following who are all non-executive and majority are independent directors. The members of the AC during the financial year and at the date of this statement are:

Aw Eng Hai (Chairman)
Professor Yong Kwet Yew
Ong Eng Keang
Tan Chade Phang (Appointed on 1 January 2024)

The AC performed the functions in accordance with Section 201B(5) of the Companies Act 1967, including the following:

- Reviews the audit plans of the internal and external auditors of the Group and the Company and reviews the internal auditors' evaluation of the adequacy of the Company's system of internal accounting controls and the assistance given by the Group's and the Company's management to the external and internal auditors;
- Reviews the half-yearly and annual financial statements and the auditor's report on the annual financial statements of the Group and the Company before their submission to the board of directors;
- Reviews the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's and the Company's material internal controls, including financial, operational and compliance controls and risk management via reviews carried out by the internal auditor;
- Meets with the external and internal auditors and management in separate executive sessions to discuss any matters that these groups believed should be discussed privately with the AC;
- Reviews legal and regulatory matters that may have a material impact on the financial statements, related compliance policies and programmes and any reports received from regulators;
- Reviews the cost effectiveness and the independence and objectivity of the external auditor;
- Reviews the nature and extent of non-audit services provided by the external auditor;
- Recommends to the board of directors the external auditor to be nominated, approves the compensation of the external auditor, and reviews the scope and results of the audit;
- Reports actions and minutes of the AC to the board of directors with such recommendations as the AC considered appropriate; and
- Reviews interested person transactions in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Manual (Section B: Rules of Catalist) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST").

The AC convened two meetings during the year with full attendance from all members. The AC has also met with internal and external auditors, without the presence of the Company's management, at least once a year.

Further details regarding the AC are disclosed in the Report on Corporate Governance.

DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

7 Independent Auditors

The independent auditors, Moore Stephens LLP, Public Accountants and Chartered Accountants have expressed their willingness to accept re-appointment.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,

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Dr Wang Xiaoning
Director

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Zhou Xinping
Director

Singapore
10 July 2024

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Trittech Group Limited

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Trittech Group Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position of the Group and statement of financial position of the Company as at 31 March 2024, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated cash flow statement of the Group for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Group and the statement of financial position of the Company are properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1967 ("the Act") and Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) ("SFRS(I)") so as to give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group and the financial position of the Company as at 31 March 2024 and of the consolidated financial performance, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing ("SSAs"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority ("ACRA") Code of Professional Conduct and Ethics for Public Accountants and Accounting Entities ("ACRA Code") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Singapore, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ACRA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 3.1 of the financial statements. The Group incurred a net loss and a total comprehensive loss of S\$2,318,183 (2023: S\$11,953,260) and S\$2,319,547 (2023: S\$12,325,689) respectively for the financial year ended 31 March 2024. As at that date, the Group and the Company's net current liabilities amounted to S\$1,710,797 (2023: S\$2,343,287) and S\$3,282,995 (2023: S\$6,997,756) respectively. These factors indicate the existence of a material uncertainty which may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Group and Company to continue as going concerns.

The directors are of the view that it is appropriate to prepare financial statements of the Group and of the Company on a going concern basis for reasons disclosed in Note 3.1 to the financial statements. If the Group and the Company are unable to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, the Group and the Company may be unable to discharge their liabilities in the normal course of business and adjustments may have to be made to reflect the situation that assets may need to be realised other than in the normal course of business and at amounts which could differ from the amounts at which they are currently recorded in the statements of financial position. In addition, the Group and the Company may have to reclassify non-current assets and non-current liabilities as current assets and current liabilities respectively. No such adjustments have been made to these financial statements. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Tritech Group Limited

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (Continued)

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. In addition to the matter described in the *Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern* section, we have determined the matters described below to be the key audit matters to be communicated in our report.

Key Audit Matter	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
<p>Accounting for revenue recognition</p> <p>We refer to Note 3.20(a), Note 4(b)(i) and Note 5 to the financial statements.</p> <p>During the financial year ended 31 March 2024, the Group's revenue amounted to S\$27.33 million of which S\$27.30 million arose from services rendered which was recognised over time.</p> <p>The amount of revenue recognised over time is based on the Group's progress towards completion of the various geotechnical projects, determined based on the proportion of the actual costs incurred to date to the estimated budgeted costs for each project ("input method"). The Group uses the input method to measure project progress and recognises contract revenue in accordance with SFRS(I) 15 <i>Revenue from Contracts with Customers</i>. If the unavoidable costs of meeting the obligations under a contract exceeds the economic benefits expected to be received for the contract, a provision for onerous contract is recognised.</p> <p>The determination of estimated revenue, total contract costs and costs to complete require significant judgement which may impact on the amounts of revenue and profits recognised during the year, including the provision for onerous contracts. These uncertainties are partly due to the nature of the operations, which may be impacted by the geotechnical complexity of projects, the precision of cost estimation during the budgeting process and the actual progress of each project during the financial year. We have therefore, identified this as a key audit matter.</p>	<p>Our response</p> <p>We have performed the following key audit procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtained an understanding of the Group's processes and controls for the initiation of the budgeted cost, budgeted revenue and monitoring processes; • Assessed the reasonableness of the basis used by management in determining the total contract revenue and revenue recognised by reviewing the contractual terms and conditions of the projects and their contractual sums, testing project revenues and the actual costs incurred-to-date against underlying supporting documents to determine the satisfaction of performance obligation of the projects and assessing management's judgement in recognising variation orders from customers; • Reviewed the Group's project correspondences with customers and subcontractors, and discussed the progress of the projects with project managers to identify any potential disputes, variation order claims, known technical issues or significant events that could impact the estimated total contract costs. We also analysed changes in the estimation of costs and profits from prior periods and inquired management on the reasons; • Performed re-computation of the revenue to be recognised based on percentage of completion and checked to the mathematical accuracy; • Reviewed the budgeted costs for inadequacy by assessing the reasonableness of the remaining costs to be incurred to complete the projects. We evaluated management's estimates of the remaining budgeted revenue and budgeted cost of the projects, taking into consideration the effect of variation orders, contingencies and any known technical issues. We also evaluated management's assessment of onerous contracts for the ongoing projects; and • Assessed the adequacy of the disclosures of the key accounting estimates and the sensitivity of the inputs to the estimates and found the disclosures in the financial statements to be appropriate. <p>Our findings</p> <p>We found the areas of judgements and estimates applied by management in the recognition of revenue from projects to be reasonable and the relevant disclosures made in the financial statements to be adequate.</p>

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Trittech Group Limited

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (Continued)

Key Audit Matters (Continued)

Key Audit Matter	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
<p>Impairment assessment of patents</p> <p>We refer to Note 3.8(c), Note 4(b)(iv) and Note 15 to the financial statements.</p> <p>As at 31 March 2024, included in the Group's intangible assets of S\$5.96 million is an amount of S\$3.01 million relating to patents acquired from Trittech Environmental Group Co., Ltd and its subsidiaries ("TEG Group") based on an external valuation as at 31 August 2023. The Group paid for these patents by offsetting the amounts owed by TEG Group to the Group previously (Note 15).</p> <p>Management performed an impairment assessment of these patents and had estimated the recoverable amount based on the patents' value-in-use using the discounted cash flow method.</p> <p>We have identified the impairment assessment of patents to be a key audit matter in view of the material carrying value of the patents as well as the high degree of judgement and significant estimation uncertainties involved in the determination of the recoverable amount of these patents.</p>	<p>Our response</p> <p>We have performed the following key audit procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessed the appropriateness of the discounted cash flow method used by management, including reviewing the key assumptions such as projected cash flows and discount rates; Compared management's assumptions with available market data and industry benchmarks to validate reasonableness; Engaged our valuation specialist to assist us in evaluating the appropriateness of the impairment test performed by management; and Performed sensitivity analysis by considering the downside scenarios against reasonably plausible changes to certain key assumptions used in management's value-in-use calculations. <p>Our findings</p> <p>We found the assumptions and estimates used by management in the value-in-use calculation to determine the recoverable amount of the patents to be reasonable.</p>

Other Matters

The financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 March 2023 were audited by another firm of auditors who expressed an unmodified opinion on those financial statements in their report dated 29 August 2023.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the 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 financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information, and in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, 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.

Responsibilities of Management and Directors for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provisions of the Act and SFRS(I), and for devising and maintaining a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss from unauthorised use or disposition; and transactions are properly authorised and that they are recorded as necessary to permit the preparation of true and fair financial statements and to maintain accountability of assets.

In preparing the 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.

The directors' responsibilities include overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Tritech Group Limited

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements (Continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

As part of an audit in accordance with SSAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 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 the directors 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 the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

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

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Act to be kept by the Company and by those subsidiary corporations incorporated in Singapore of which we are the auditors have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Lao Mei Leng.

Moore Stephens LLP
Public Accountants and
Chartered Accountants

Singapore
10 July 2024

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the financial year ended 31 March 2024

		Group	
	Note	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Revenue	5	27,333,175	27,545,993
Cost of sales		(18,963,663)	(18,155,914)
Gross profit		8,369,512	9,390,079
Other income	6	5,043,801	864,361
Distribution costs		(358,852)	(615,617)
Administrative costs		(6,258,558)	(7,579,146)
Other operating costs		(3,546,683)	(5,726,630)
Finance costs	7	(784,432)	(711,974)
Impairment loss on financial assets	8	(5,171,942)	(1,328,950)
Share of results of associates	14	(350)	(6,259,069)
Loss before income tax	8	(2,707,504)	(11,966,946)
Income tax credit	9	389,321	13,686
Loss for the year		(2,318,183)	(11,953,260)
Other comprehensive loss:			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss			
Exchange differences arising from translation of foreign operations		(1,364)	(1,166)
Exchange differences arising from translation of associate		-	(371,263)
Other comprehensive loss for the year, net of tax		(1,364)	(372,429)
Total comprehensive loss for the year		(2,319,547)	(12,325,689)
(Loss)/profit attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(2,321,154)	(11,919,006)
Non-controlling interests		2,971	(34,254)
		(2,318,183)	(11,953,260)
Total comprehensive (loss)/income attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(2,322,518)	(12,291,435)
Non-controlling interests		2,971	(34,254)
		(2,319,547)	(12,325,689)
Loss per share attributable to owners of the Company (cents)			
Basic	10	(0.20)	(1.04)
Diluted	10	(0.20)	(1.04)

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2024

	Note	Group		Company	
		2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
ASSETS					
Non-Current Assets					
Property, plant and equipment	11	3,697,370	3,014,021	38,335	49,749
Investment property	12	-	1,377,591	-	1,377,591
Investments in subsidiaries	13	-	-	17,535,288	17,535,288
Investment in associates	14	-	-	-	-
Right-of-use assets	26	2,872,279	3,733,962	-	-
Intangible assets	15	5,964,887	3,405,203	-	-
Other receivables	16	-	4,139,043	-	4,139,043
		12,534,536	15,669,820	17,573,623	23,101,671
Current Assets					
Inventories	17	57,030	77,213	-	-
Trade and other receivables	16	2,574,100	9,027,611	5,135,224	5,945,445
Contract assets	5	5,821,939	5,117,130	-	-
Tax recoverable		52	2,432	-	-
Prepayments		332,639	393,176	16,843	14,973
Investment securities	18	50,280	125,700	50,280	125,700
Cash and short-term deposits	19	4,749,271	5,238,911	20,680	157,421
		13,585,311	19,982,173	5,223,027	6,243,539
Asset held for sale	20	1,340,382	-	1,340,382	-
		14,925,693	19,982,173	6,563,409	6,243,539
TOTAL ASSETS		27,460,229	35,651,993	24,137,032	29,345,210
EQUITY					
Equity attributable to owners of the Company					
Share capital	21	85,269,754	85,269,754	85,269,754	85,269,754
Reserves	22	(83,374,801)	(81,052,283)	(77,053,015)	(74,323,161)
		1,894,953	4,217,471	8,216,739	10,946,593
Non-controlling interests		62,665	59,694	-	-
Total Equity		1,957,618	4,277,165	8,216,739	10,946,593
LIABILITIES					
Non-Current Liabilities					
Other payables	23	1,374,718	-	1,374,718	-
Borrowings	24	361,721	1,177,895	35,906	437,219
Loans from a shareholder	25	4,417,700	4,498,100	4,417,700	4,498,100
Lease liabilities	26	2,451,209	3,136,162	-	-
Deferred tax liabilities	27	260,773	237,211	245,565	222,003
		8,866,121	9,049,368	6,073,889	5,157,322
Current Liabilities					
Trade and other payables	23	10,664,397	15,454,701	8,103,501	11,261,735
Contract liabilities	5	1,143,228	3,454,374	-	-
Borrowings	24	3,867,408	2,172,552	1,737,333	1,557,922
Lease liabilities	26	955,887	828,070	-	-
Provision for taxation		5,570	415,763	5,570	421,638
		16,636,490	22,325,460	9,846,404	13,241,295
Total Liabilities		25,502,611	31,374,828	15,920,293	18,398,617
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		27,460,229	35,651,993	24,137,032	29,345,210

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the financial year ended 31 March 2024

	Attributable to owners of the Company						Total equity S\$
	Share capital (Note 21) S\$	Gains on disposals to non-controlling interests (Note 22) S\$	Foreign currency translation reserve (Note 22) S\$	Accumulated losses (Note 22) S\$	Equity attributable to the owners of the Company S\$	Non-controlling interests S\$	
Group							
2024							
At 1 April 2023	85,269,754	34,944,540	(272,562)	(115,724,261)	4,217,471	59,694	4,277,165
(Loss)/Profit for the year	-	-	-	(2,321,154)	(2,321,154)	2,971	(2,318,183)
Other comprehensive loss							
Exchange differences arising from translation of foreign operations	-	-	(1,364)	-	(1,364)	-	(1,364)
Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the year	-	-	(1,364)	(2,321,154)	(2,322,518)	2,971	(2,319,547)
At 31 March 2024	85,269,754	34,944,540	(273,926)	(118,045,415)	1,894,953	62,665	1,957,618
2023							
At 1 April 2022	80,282,764	34,944,540	99,867	(103,805,255)	11,521,916	93,948	11,615,864
Loss for the year	-	-	-	(11,919,006)	(11,919,006)	(34,254)	(11,953,260)
Other comprehensive loss							
Exchange differences arising from translation of foreign operations	-	-	(1,166)	-	(1,166)	-	(1,166)
Exchange differences arising from translation of associate	-	-	(371,263)	-	(371,263)	-	(371,263)
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(372,429)	(11,919,006)	(12,291,435)	(34,254)	(12,325,689)
Contributions by and distributions to owners							
Issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to new share placement	5,000,000	-	-	-	5,000,000	-	5,000,000
Share issuance expenses	(13,010)	-	-	-	(13,010)	-	(13,010)
Total contributions by and distributions to owners	4,986,990	-	-	-	4,986,990	-	4,986,990
At 31 March 2023	85,269,754	34,944,540	(272,562)	(115,724,261)	4,217,471	59,694	4,277,165

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CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the financial year ended 31 March 2024

	Note	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			
Loss before income tax		(2,707,504)	(11,966,946)
Adjustments for:			
Amortisation of intangible assets	8	453,945	566,870
Unrealised foreign exchange loss		157,891	309,749
Impairment loss on financial assets	8	5,171,942	1,328,950
Impairment loss on intangible assets		-	582,819
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	8	1,114,100	903,278
Depreciation of investment property	8	37,209	37,209
Depreciation of right-of-use asset	8	861,683	802,957
Fair value (gain)/loss on contingent consideration	6	(3,324,165)	339,837
Deemed interest income on non-current payable	6	(155,282)	-
Fair value loss on investment securities	8	75,420	-
Net gain on disposal of plant and equipment	6	(22,951)	(1,000)
Interest income	6	(279,820)	(369,603)
Interest expense	7	784,432	711,974
Write-off of plant and equipment	8	1,105	1,541
Contract assets written off	8	104,513	-
Write-back of impairment loss on financial assets	6	(904,042)	(86,766)
Share of results of associate		350	6,259,069
Operating cash flows before working capital changes		1,368,826	(580,062)
Decrease/(increase) in:			
Inventories		20,183	(32,164)
Trade and other receivables		3,350,579	(630,492)
Contract assets		(809,322)	(291,951)
Prepayments		60,537	(76,080)
(Decrease)/increase in:			
Trade and other payables		(205,567)	1,140,230
Contract liabilities		(2,311,146)	(3,473,592)
Cash generated from/(used in) operations		1,474,090	(3,944,111)
Income tax refunded/(paid)		5,070	(4,001)
Interest paid		(88,815)	-
Interest received		15,461	4,887
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities		1,405,806	(3,943,225)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities			
Purchase of plant and equipment	11	(1,515,112)	(1,213,985)
Additions to intangible assets		(63)	(118,071)
Proceeds from disposal of plant and equipment		25,509	1,000
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,489,666)	(1,331,056)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities			
Decrease in short-term deposits pledged		-	73,068
Proceeds from borrowings		1,800,000	-
Repayments of borrowings		(931,905)	(821,257)
Repayments of lease liabilities		(843,136)	(865,864)
Interest paid		(439,962)	(667,228)
Net cash used in financing activities		(415,003)	(2,281,281)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(498,863)	(7,555,562)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		2,350,284	9,906,520
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(1,364)	(674)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	19	1,850,057	2,350,284

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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These notes form an integral part of and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements:

1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Tritech Group Limited (the "Company") is a limited liability company, which is incorporated and domiciled in Singapore and is listed on the Catalist board of the SGX-ST.

The registered office and principal place of business of the Company is located at 31 Changi South Avenue 2, Singapore 486478.

The principal activity of the Company is that of investment holding and provision of management services. The principal activities of the subsidiaries and associates are disclosed in Note 13 and Note 14 to the financial statements respectively.

The financial statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company on the date of the Directors' Statement.

2 APPLICATION OF SINGAPORE FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (INTERNATIONAL) ("SFRS(I)S")

(a) Adoption of New and Amended Standards and Interpretations

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except that in the current financial year, the Group has adopted all the new and amended standards which are relevant to the Group and are effective for annual financial years beginning on or after 1 April 2023. The adoption of these standards did not have any material effect on the financial performance or position of the Group or on the Group's accounting policies except as disclosed below:

Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-1 *Presentation of Financial Statements*: Disclosure of Accounting Policies and SFRS(I) Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgements

The amendments require entities to disclose their material accounting policies information rather than their significant accounting policies. It clarifies that accounting policy information may be material because of its nature, even if the related amounts are immaterial. Accounting policy information is material if users of an entity's financial statements would need it to understand other material information in the financial statements. If an entity discloses immaterial accounting policy information, such information must not obscure material accounting policy information. The amended SFRS(I) Practice Statement 2 explains and demonstrates the application of the materiality process to accounting policy disclosures. The Group has applied materiality guidance in SFRS(I) Practice Statement 2 in identifying its material accounting policies for disclosures in the related notes. The previous term 'Significant Accounting Policies' used throughout the financial statements has been replaced with 'Material Accounting Policies'.

(b) Standards Issued but Not Yet Effective

The Group has not adopted the following standards that have been issued but not yet effective:

Description	Effective for Annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-1 Presentation of Financial Statements: <i>Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current</i>	1 January 2024
Amendments to SFRS(I) 16 Leases: <i>Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback</i>	1 January 2024
Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-1 Presentation of Financial Statements: <i>Non-current Liabilities with Covenants</i>	1 January 2024
Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-7 Statement of Cash Flows and SFRS(I) 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures: <i>Supplier Finance Arrangements</i>	1 January 2024
Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-21 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates: <i>Lack of Exchangeability</i>	1 January 2025
Amendments to SFRS(I) 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and SFRS(I) 1-28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures: <i>Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture</i>	Date to be determined

The Group expects that the adoption of the standards above will have no material impact on the financial statements in the year of initial application.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

3.1 Basis of Preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) ("SFRS(I)") under the historical cost convention, except as disclosed in the accounting policies below.

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with SFRS(I) requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies. It also requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates and assumptions. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in Note 4 to the financial statements.

The financial statements are presented in Singapore Dollar ("S\$") except when otherwise indicated.

Fundamental accounting concept – Going Concern assessment

The Group incurred a net loss and a total comprehensive loss of S\$2,318,183 (2023: S\$11,953,260) and S\$2,319,547 (2023: S\$12,325,689) respectively for the financial year ended 31 March 2024. As at that date, the Group and the Company's net current liabilities amounted to S\$1,710,797 (2023: S\$2,343,287) and S\$3,282,995 (2023: S\$6,997,756) respectively. These factors indicate the existence of a material uncertainty which may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Group and Company to continue as going concerns.

Notwithstanding the above, the directors are of the view that it is appropriate to prepare these financial statements on a going concern basis after considering the following in the cashflow forecast for the next 12 months from the date of these financial statements:

- (a) The Group will be able to complete its projects as scheduled and achieve the projected positive margin and net cash inflows;
- (b) The Group having sufficient bank facilities and cash balances to fund their daily operations;
- (c) The Group's ability to exercise the put option, as described in the "Share Options" section under the Directors' Statement and Note 36, for the Second Tranche of Placement Shares when the need arises and receive funds on a timely basis, to meet its obligations as and when they fall due.

If the Group and the Company are unable to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, the Group and the Company may be unable to discharge their liabilities in the normal course of business and adjustments may have to be made to reflect the situation that assets may need to be realised other than in the normal course of business and at amounts which could differ from the amounts at which they are currently recorded in the statements of financial position. In addition, the Group and the Company may have to reclassify non-current assets and non-current liabilities as current assets and current liabilities respectively. No such adjustments have been made to these financial statements.

3.2 Foreign Currency

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in Singapore Dollars, which is also the Company's functional currency. Each entity in the Group determines its own functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency.

a. Transactions and Balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are measured in the respective functional currencies of the Company and its subsidiaries and are recorded on initial recognition in the functional currencies at exchange rates approximating those ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the end of the reporting period. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates as at the date of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was measured.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items or on translating monetary items at the end of the reporting period are recognised in profit or loss.

Exchange differences arising on monetary items that form part of the Group's net investment in foreign operations are recognised initially in other comprehensive income and accumulated under foreign currency translation reserve in the equity. The foreign currency translation reserve is reclassified from equity to profit or loss of the Group on disposal of the foreign operations.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.2 Foreign Currency (Continued)

b. Consolidated Financial Statements

For consolidation purpose, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into S\$ at the rate of exchange ruling at the end of the reporting period and their profit or loss are translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transactions. The exchange differences arising on the translation are recognised in other comprehensive income. On disposal of a foreign operation, the component of other comprehensive income relating to that particular foreign operation is recognised in profit or loss.

3.3 Subsidiaries

A subsidiary is an investee that is controlled by the Group. The Group controls an investee when it is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee.

In the Company's separate financial statements, investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost less impairment losses.

3.4 Basis of Consolidation and Business Combinations

a. Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as at the end of the reporting period. The financial statements of the subsidiaries used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are prepared for the same reporting date as the Company. Consistent accounting policies are applied to like transactions and events in similar circumstances.

All intra-group balances, income and expenses and unrealised gains and losses resulting from intra-group transactions and dividends are eliminated in full.

Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date of acquisition, being the date on which the Group obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date that such control ceases.

Losses within a subsidiary are attributed to the non-controlling interest even if that results in a deficit balance.

b. Business Combinations and Goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for by applying the acquisition method. Identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination are measured initially at their fair values at the acquisition date. Acquisition-related costs are recognised as expenses in the periods in which the costs are incurred and the services are received.

Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer will be recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Subsequent changes to the fair value of the contingent consideration which is deemed to be an asset or liability will be recognised in profit or loss.

Non-controlling interest in the acquiree, that are present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of net assets of the acquiree are recognised on the acquisition date at either fair value, or the non-controlling interest's proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets.

Any excess of the sum of the fair value of the consideration transferred in the business combination, the amount of non-controlling interest in the acquiree (if any), and the fair value of the Group's previously held equity interest in the acquiree (if any), over the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets and liabilities is recorded as goodwill. In instances where the latter amount exceeds the former, the excess is recognised as a gain on bargain purchase in profit or loss on the acquisition date.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost. Following initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to the Group's cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination.

The cash-generating units to which goodwill have been allocated is tested for impairment annually and whenever there is an indication that the cash-generating unit may be impaired. Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each cash-generating unit (or group of cash-generating units) to which the goodwill relates.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.5 Transactions with Non-Controlling Interests

Non-controlling interest represents the equity in subsidiaries not attributable, directly or indirectly, to owners of the Company.

Changes in the Company's ownership interest in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions. In such circumstances, the carrying amounts of the controlling and non-controlling interests are adjusted to reflect the changes in their relative interests in the subsidiary. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interest is adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognised directly in equity and attributed to owners of the Company.

3.6 Property, Plant and Equipment

All items of property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. Subsequent to recognition, property, plant and equipment other than leasehold properties are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

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

Motor vehicles	-	5 – 6 years
Furniture, fittings and fixtures	-	5 – 10 years
Machinery, instrumentation and tools	-	4 – 20 years
Office equipment	-	3 – 10 years
Renovation	-	5 – 10 years

Assets under construction included in property, plant and equipment are not depreciated as these assets are not yet available for use.

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

The residual value, useful life and depreciation method are reviewed at each financial year-end, and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss on de-recognition of the asset is included in profit or loss in the year the asset is derecognised.

3.7 Investment Properties

Investment properties are properties that are either owned by the Group or right-of-use assets that are held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation, or both, rather than for use in the production or supply of goods or services, or for administrative purposes, or in the ordinary course of business. Investment properties comprise completed investment properties and properties that are being constructed or developed for future use as investment properties.

Investment properties are initially measured at cost, including transaction costs.

Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis over the remaining lease term.

Transfers are made to (or from) investment property only when there is a change in use. For a transfer from investment property to owner-occupied property, the deemed cost for subsequent accounting is the fair value at the date of change in use. If owner-occupied property becomes an investment property, the Group accounts for such property in accordance with the policy stated under property, plant and equipment up to the date of change in use.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.8 Intangible Assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured initially at cost. Following initial acquisition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalised development costs, are not capitalised and expenditure is reflected in profit or loss in the year in which the expenditure is incurred.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed as either finite or indefinite.

Intangible assets with finite useful lives are amortised over the estimated useful lives and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method are reviewed at least at each financial year-end. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset is accounted for by changing the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives or not yet available for use are tested for impairment annually, or more frequently if the events and circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. Such intangible assets are not amortised. The useful life of an intangible asset with an indefinite useful life is reviewed annually to determine whether the useful life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

a. Club Memberships

Transferable individual club memberships are initially recognised at cost and are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated impairment losses, if any.

b. Development Expenditures

Research costs are expensed as incurred. Deferred development expenditures arising on an individual project are recognised as an intangible asset when the Group can demonstrate the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale, its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset, how the asset will generate future economic benefits, the availability of resources to complete and the ability to measure reliably the expenditures during the development.

Following initial recognition of the deferred development expenditures as an intangible asset, it is carried at cost less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Amortisation of the intangible asset begins when development is complete and the asset is available for use. Deferred development costs have a finite useful life and are amortised over the period of expected sales from the related project of 10 years on a straight-line basis.

c. Intangible Assets Acquired Separately

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured initially at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets acquired separately are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Intangible assets acquired separately are amortised on a straight-line method over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Intellectual property right	-	1 – 20 years
Software	-	7 years

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.9 Impairment of Non-Financial Assets

The Group assesses at each reporting date whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, or when annual impairment assessment for an asset is required, the Group makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount.

An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. Where the carrying amount of an asset or cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss, except for assets that are previously revalued where the revaluation was taken to other comprehensive income. In this case, the impairment is also recognised in other comprehensive income up to the amount of any previous revaluation.

A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. If that is the case, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount. That increase cannot exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised previously. Such reversal is recognised in profit or loss unless the asset is measured at revalued amount, in which case the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

3.10 Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition are accounted for as follows:

- Raw materials: purchase costs on a first-in first-out basis.
- Finished goods and work-in-progress: costs of direct materials and labour and a proportion of manufacturing overheads based on normal operating capacity. These costs are assigned on a first-in first-out basis.

Where necessary, allowance is provided for damaged, obsolete and slow-moving items to adjust the carrying value of inventories to the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

3.11 Associate

An associate is an entity over which the Group has the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee but does not have control of those policies.

The Group accounts for its investment in an associate using the equity method from the date on which it becomes an associate.

On acquisition of the investment, any excess of the cost of the investment over the Group's share of the net fair value of the investee's identifiable assets and liabilities represents goodwill and is included in the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the investee's identifiable assets and liabilities over the cost of the investment is included as income in the determination of the entity's share of the associate's profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

Under the equity method, the investment in an associate is carried in the statement of financial position at cost plus post-acquisition changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate. The profit or loss reflects the share of results of the operations of the associate. Distributions received from the associate reduces the carrying amount of the investment. Where there has been a change recognised in other comprehensive income by the associate, the Group recognises its share of such changes in other comprehensive income. Unrealised gains and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and associate are eliminated to the extent of the interest in the associates.

When the Group's share of losses in an associate equals or exceeds its interest in the associate, the Group does not recognise further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

After application of the equity method, the Group determines whether it is necessary to recognise an additional impairment loss on the Group's investment in an associate. The Group determines at the end of each reporting period whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in the associate is impaired. If this is the case, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the associate and its carrying value and recognises the amount in profit or loss.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.12 Financial Instruments

a. Financial Assets

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are recognised when, and only when, the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument.

At initial recognition, the Group measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Transaction costs of financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in profit or loss.

Trade receivables are measured at the amount of consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring promised goods or services to a customer, excluding amounts collected on behalf of third party, if the trade receivables do not contain a significant financing component at initial recognition.

Subsequent measurement

Investments in debt instruments

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depends on the Group's business model for managing the asset and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the asset. The three measurement categories for classification of debt instruments are:

(i) Amortised cost

Financial assets that are held for the collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest are measured at amortised cost. Financial assets are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the assets are derecognised or impaired, and through amortisation process.

(ii) Fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI")

Financial assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows and for selling the financial assets, where the assets' cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest, are measured at FVOCI. Financial assets measured at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. Any gains or losses from changes in fair value of the financial assets are recognised in other comprehensive income, except for impairment losses, foreign exchange gains and losses and interest calculated using the effective interest method are recognised in profit or loss. The cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment when the financial asset is de-recognised.

(iii) Fair value through profit or loss

Assets that do not meet the criteria for amortised cost or FVOCI are measured at fair value through profit or loss. A gain or loss on a debt instrument that is subsequently measured at fair value through profit or loss and is not part of a hedging relationship is recognised in profit or loss in the period in which it arises.

Investments in equity instruments

On initial recognition of an investment in equity instrument that is not held for trading, the Group may irrevocably elect to present subsequent changes in fair value in other comprehensive income which will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss. Dividends from such investments are to be recognised in profit or loss when the Group's right to receive payments is established, except when the Group benefits from such proceeds as a recovery of part of the cost of the financial asset, in which case, such gains are recorded in other comprehensive income.

For investments in equity instruments which the Group has not elected to present subsequent changes in fair value in other comprehensive income, changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.12 Financial Instruments (Continued)

a. Financial Assets (Continued)

De-recognition

A financial asset is de-recognised where the contractual right to receive cash flows from the asset has expired. On de-recognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and any cumulative gain or loss that had been recognised in other comprehensive income is recognised in profit or loss.

b. Financial Liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are recognised when, and only when, the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. The Group determines the classification of its financial liabilities at initial recognition.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value plus, in the case of financial liabilities not at fair value through profit or loss, directly attributable transaction costs.

Subsequent measurement

After initial recognition, financial liabilities that are not carried at fair value through profit or loss are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised, and through the amortisation process.

De-recognition

A financial liability is de-recognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. On derecognition, the difference between the carrying amounts and the consideration paid is recognised in profit or loss.

3.13 Impairment of Financial Assets

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

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

For trade receivables and contract assets, the Group applies a simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the group does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Group has established a provision matrix that is based on its historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

For debt instruments at FVOCI, the Group applies the low credit risk simplification. At every reporting date, the Group evaluates whether the debt instrument is considered to have low credit risk using all reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort. In making that evaluation, the Group reassesses the internal credit rating of the debt instrument. In addition, the Group considers that there has been a significant increase in credit risk when the contractual payments are more than 30 days past due.

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

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.14 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and on hand, demand deposits, and short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in values. These also include bank overdrafts that form an integral part of the Group's cash management.

3.15 Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and the amount of the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Provisions are reviewed at the end of each reporting period and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of economic resources will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

3.16 Financial Guarantee

A financial guarantee contract is a contract that requires the issuer to make specified payments to reimburse the holder for a loss it incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the terms of a debt instrument.

Financial guarantees are recognised initially as a liability at fair value, adjusted for transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issuance of the guarantee. Subsequent to initial recognition, financial guarantees are measured at the higher of the amount of expected credit loss determined in accordance with the policy set out in Note 3.13 and the amount initially recognised less, when appropriate, the cumulative amount of income recognised over the period of the guarantee.

3.17 Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs are capitalised as part of the cost of a qualifying asset if they are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of that asset. Capitalisation of borrowing costs commences when the activities to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are in progress and the expenditures and borrowing costs are incurred. Borrowing costs are capitalised until the assets are substantially completed for their intended use or sale. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

3.18 Employee Benefits

a. Defined Contribution Plans

The Group participates in the national pension schemes as defined by the laws of the countries in which it has operations. In particular, the Singapore companies in the Group make contributions to the Central Provident Fund scheme in Singapore, a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions to defined contribution pension schemes are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is performed.

b. Employee Leave Entitlement

Employee entitlements to annual leave are recognised as a liability when they are accrued to the employees. The undiscounted liability for leave expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period is recognised for services rendered by employees up to the end of the reporting period. The liability for leave expected to be settled beyond twelve months from the end of the reporting period is determined using the projected unit credit method. The net total of service costs, net interest on the liability and remeasurement of the liability are recognised in profit or loss.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.18 Employee Benefits (Continued)

c. Employee share award plans

Employees of the Group receive remuneration in the form of share awards as consideration for services rendered. The cost of these equity-settled share-based payment transactions with employees is measured by reference to the fair value of the awards at the date on which the awards are granted which takes into account market conditions and non-vesting conditions. This cost is recognised in profit or loss, with a corresponding increase in the employee share award reserve, over the vesting period. The cumulative expense recognised at each reporting date until the vesting date reflects the extent to which the vesting period has expired and the Group's best estimate of the number of awards that will ultimately vest. The charge or credit to profit or loss for a period represents the movement in cumulative expense recognised as at the beginning and end of that period and is recognised in employee benefits expense.

The employee share award reserve is transferred to retained earnings upon expiry of the share award. When the share awards are vested, the employee share award reserve is transferred to share capital if new shares are issued.

3.19 Leases

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

Group as a Lessee

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

a. Right-of-Use Assets

The Group recognises right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e. the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognised, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the lease term of 60 months.

The right-of-use assets are also subject to impairment. Refer to the accounting policies in Note 3.9.

b. Lease Liabilities

Lease liabilities are initially measured at the net present value of lease payments at the commencement date of the lease. It consists of the following lease payments throughout the lease term:

- fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentive receivable;
- variable lease payments that are based on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- amounts expected to be payable by the Group under residual value guarantees;
- the exercise price of a purchase option if the Group is reasonably certain to exercise the option; and
- payment of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Group exercising that option.

Variable lease payments that are not based on an index or rate, are expensed in the relevant period that they are incurred.

The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease. If that rate cannot be readily determined, which is generally the case for leases in the Group, the lessee's incremental borrowing rate is used, being the rate the lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment with similar terms security and conditions.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.19 Leases (Continued)

Group as a Lessee (Continued)

b. Lease Liabilities (Continued)

Lease liabilities are measured at amortised cost, and are remeasured when:

- there is a change in future lease payments arising from changes in an index or rate;
- there is a change in the Group's assessment of whether it will exercise lease extension and termination options;
- there is a change in the Group's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee; or
- there is a modification to the lease term.

Lease liabilities are remeasured with a corresponding adjustment to the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

c. Short-Term Leases and Leases of Low-Value Assets

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

Group as a Lessor

Leases in which the Group does not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset are classified as operating leases. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised over the lease term on the same bases as rental income. The accounting policy for rental income is set out in Note 3.20(d). Contingent rents are recognised as revenue in the period in which they are earned.

3.20 Revenue

Revenue is measured based on the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring promised goods or services to a customer, excluding amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

Revenue is recognised when the Group satisfies a performance obligation by transferring a promised good or service to the customer, which is when the customer obtains control of the good or service. A performance obligation may be satisfied at a point in time or over time. The amount of revenue recognised is the amount allocated to the satisfied performance obligation.

a. Revenue from geotechnical projects

The Group is involved in geotechnical projects whereby they are restricted contractually from directing the product for another use as they are being performed and has an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date. Revenue is recognised over time using the input method, based on the costs incurred to date as a proportion of the total budgeted costs to be incurred for each project.

Progress billings to the customers are based on a payment schedule in the contract and are typically triggered upon achievement of specified milestones. A contract asset is recognised when the Group has performed under the contract but has not yet billed the customer. Conversely, a contract liability is recognised when the Group has not yet performed under the contract but has received advanced payments from the customer. Contract assets are transferred to receivables when the rights to consideration become unconditional. Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue as the Group performs under the contract.

For contract modifications that add distinct goods or services but not at their standalone selling prices, the Group combines the remaining consideration in the original contract with the consideration promised in the modification to create a new transaction price that is then allocated to all remaining performance obligations. For contract modifications that do not add distinct goods or services, the Group accounts for the modification as continuation of the original contract and is recognised as a cumulative adjustment to revenue at the date of modification.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.20 Revenue (Continued)

b. Sale of Goods

Revenue is recognised when the goods are delivered to the customer and all criteria for acceptance have been satisfied.

The amount of revenue recognised is based on the estimated transaction price, which comprises the contractual price, net of the estimated volume discounts and adjusted for expected returns. Based on the Group's experience with similar types of contracts, variable consideration is typically constrained and is included in the transaction only to the extent that it is a highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur when the uncertainty associated with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved.

The Group recognises the expected volume discounts payable to customer where consideration have been received from customers and refunds due to expected returns from customers as refund liabilities. Separately, the Group recognises a related asset for the right to recover the returned goods, based on the former carrying amount of the good less expected costs to recover the goods, and adjusts them against cost of sales correspondingly.

At the end of each reporting date, the Group updates its assessment of the estimated transaction price, including its assessment of whether an estimate of variable consideration is constrained. The corresponding amounts are adjusted against revenue in the period in which the transaction price changes. The Group also updates its measurement of the asset for the right to recover returned goods for changes in its expectations about returned goods.

c. Interest Income

Interest income is recognised using the effective interest method.

d. Rental Income

Rental income arising from operating leases on investment properties is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease terms.

3.21 Government Grants

Government grants are recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and all attaching conditions will be complied with. Where the grant relates to an asset, the fair value is recognised as deferred capital grant on the statement of financial position and is amortised to profit or loss over the expected useful life of the relevant asset by equal annual instalments.

Where loans or similar assistance are provided by governments or related institutions with an interest rate below the current applicable market rate, the effect of this favourable interest is regarded as additional government grant.

3.22 Income Taxes

a. Current Income Tax

Current income tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period, in the countries where the Group operates and generates taxable income.

Current income taxes are recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that the tax relates to items recognised outside profit or loss, either in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in the tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulations are subject to interpretation and establishes provisions where appropriate.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.22 Income Taxes (Continued)

b. Deferred Tax

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

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

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

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

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

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

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of each reporting period.

Deferred tax relating to items recognised outside profit or loss is recognised outside profit or loss. Deferred tax items are recognised in correlation to the underlying transaction either in other comprehensive income or directly in equity and deferred tax arising from a business combination is adjusted against goodwill on acquisition.

3.23 Contingencies

A contingent liability is:

- a. a possible obligation that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group; or
- b. a present obligation that arises from past events but is not recognised because:
 - (i) It is not probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; or
 - (ii) The amount of the obligation cannot be measured with sufficient reliability.

A contingent asset is a possible asset that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group.

Contingent liabilities and assets are not recognised on the statement of financial position of the Group, except for contingent liabilities assumed in a business combination that are present obligations and which the fair values can be reliably determined.

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3 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3.24 Share Capital and Share Issuance Expenses

Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares are recognised as share capital in equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of ordinary shares are deducted against share capital.

3.25 Non-Current Assets Held for Sale

The Group classifies non-current assets as held for sale if their carrying amounts will be recovered principally through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use. Non-current assets classified as held for sale are measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell. Costs to sell are the incremental costs directly attributable to the disposal of an asset, excluding finance costs and income tax expense.

The criteria for held for sale classification is regarded as met only when the sale is highly probable, and the asset is available for immediate sale in its present condition. Actions required to complete the sale should indicate that it is unlikely that significant changes to the sale will be made or that the decision to sell will be withdrawn.

Investment property is not depreciated once classified as held for sale.

4 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

The preparation of the Group's consolidated financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the end of each reporting period. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in the future periods.

(a) Judgements made in Applying Accounting Policies

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

(i) Taxes

The Group establishes provisions, based on reasonable estimates, for possible consequences of audits by the tax authorities of the respective countries in which it operates. The amount of such provisions is based on various factors, such as experience of previous tax audits and differing interpretations of tax regulations by the taxable entity and the relevant tax authority. Such differences of interpretation may arise on a wide variety of issues depending on the conditions prevailing in the respective company's domicile.

Given the wide range of international business relationships and the long-term nature and complexity of existing contractual agreements, differences arising between the actual results and the assumptions made, or future changes to such assumptions, could necessitate future adjustments to tax provisions already recorded. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recognised, such differences will impact the income tax and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

(b) Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period are discussed below. The Group based its assumptions and estimates on parameters available when the financial statements were prepared. Existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments, however, may change due to market changes or circumstances arising beyond the control of the Group. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

(i) Geotechnical contracts

For geotechnical contracts where the Group satisfies its performance obligations over time, management has determined that a cost-based input method provides a faithful depiction of the Group's performance in transferring control of the contracts to the customers, as it reflects the Group's efforts incurred to date relative to the total inputs expected to be incurred for the geotechnical contracts. The measure of progress is based on the costs incurred to date as a proportion of total costs expected to be incurred up to the completion of the geotechnical contracts.

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4 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (CONTINUED)

(b) Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty (Continued)

(i) *Geotechnical contracts* (Continued)

Significant estimates are required to determine the total budgeted costs and the recoverable variation works that affect the progress of geotechnical contracts. In making these estimates, management has relied on past experience and knowledge of the project engineers and quantitative surveyor.

Contract revenue and contract costs recognised for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 are disclosed in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. Contract assets and liabilities are disclosed in Note 5 to the financial statements.

(ii) *Provision for expected credit losses of trade receivables and contract assets*

The Group uses a provision matrix to calculate ECLs for trade receivables and contract assets. The provision rates are based on days past due for groupings of various customer segments that have similar loss patterns.

The provision matrix is initially based on the Group's historical observed default rates. The Group will calibrate the matrix to adjust historical credit loss experience with forward-looking information. At every reporting date, historical default rates are updated and changes in the forward-looking estimates are analysed.

The assessment of the correlation between historical observed default rates, forecast economic conditions and ECLs is a significant estimate. The amount of ECLs is sensitive to changes in circumstances and forecast economic conditions. The Group's historical credit loss experience and forecast of economic conditions may also not be representative of a customer's actual default in the future. The information about the ECLs on the Group's trade receivables and contract assets is disclosed in Note 32(c).

The carrying amount of trade receivables and contract assets is disclosed in Notes 16 and 5 to the financial statements.

(iii) *Impairment of investment in subsidiaries/associates, loan and amounts due from subsidiaries/associates*

The Company has applied the applicable accounting guidance in determining whether any impairment on the carrying value of investment in subsidiaries and associates and loan and amounts due from subsidiaries and associates as at year-end is required. When indicators of impairment exist, significant estimates is required to be made by the Company to determine the recoverable amount of the cost of investments. The Company has to evaluate, among other factors, the growth rates, business forecasts and discount rate for the assessment of impairment on the investment in subsidiaries and associates.

In relation to the assessment of the loss allowance for the loan and amounts due from subsidiaries and associates, certain assumptions are made, including the future repayment by the subsidiaries and associates, the business environment and economic outlook and growth rate.

The carrying amounts of the Company's investment in subsidiaries and amounts due from subsidiaries are disclosed in Notes 13 and 16 to the financial statements respectively.

The carrying amount of the Company's investment in associates and amounts due from associates are disclosed in Notes 14 and 16 to the financial statements respectively.

(iv) *Impairment assessment of patents*

Management assesses for indicators of impairment of patents at least on an annual basis. This requires an estimation of the value-in-use of the patents. The value-in-use calculation is based on a discounted cash flow model. The recoverable amount is most sensitive to the discount rate used for the discounted cash flow model as well as the expected future cash inflows and the growth rate used for extrapolation purposes. The assumptions and estimates used are inherently subjective, and may be affected by uncertainties around future market or economic conditions.

The carrying amount of the patents is disclosed in Note 15 to the financial statements.

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5 REVENUE

(a) Disaggregation of Revenue

	Sale of goods		Group Services rendered		Total revenue	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$	S\$	S\$	S\$	S\$
<u>Primary geographical markets</u>						
Singapore	28,391	77,280	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,333,175	27,540,252
Vietnam	-	5,741	-	-	-	5,741
	28,391	83,021	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,333,175	27,545,993
<u>Major product or service lines</u>						
Smart urban development business	-	9,050	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,304,784	27,472,022
Water and environmental business	28,391	73,971	-	-	28,391	73,971
	28,391	83,021	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,333,175	27,545,993
<u>Timing of transfer of goods or services</u>						
At a point in time	28,391	83,021	-	-	28,391	83,021
Over time	-	-	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,304,784	27,462,972
	28,391	83,021	27,304,784	27,462,972	27,333,175	27,545,993

(b) Contract Assets and Contract Liabilities

Information about receivables, contract assets and contract liabilities from contracts with customers is disclosed as follows:

	Group		
	2024 S\$	31 March 2023 S\$	1 April 2022 S\$
Receivables from contracts with customers (Note 16)	1,207,419	2,998,713	2,436,790
Contract assets	5,821,939	5,117,130	4,825,179
Contract liabilities	1,143,228	3,454,374	6,927,966

Contract assets primarily relate to the Group's right to consideration for work completed but not yet billed at reporting date for revenue from construction contracts. Contract assets are transferred to receivables when the rights become unconditional.

Contract liabilities primarily relate to the Group's obligation to transfer goods or services to customers for which the Group has received advances from customers for revenue from construction contracts. Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue as the Group performs under the contract.

Significant changes in the contract assets and contract liabilities balances during the reporting are disclosed as follows:

	Group		
	2024 S\$	31 March 2023 S\$	1 April 2022 S\$
Contract assets			
Contract asset reclassified to receivables	3,349,497	3,624,258	3,762,523
Contract liabilities			
Revenue recognised that was included in the contract liability balance at the beginning of the year	3,454,374	6,711,892	3,363,787

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5 REVENUE (CONTINUED)

(c) Transaction Price Allocated to Remaining Performance Obligations

The aggregate amount of transaction price allocated to the unsatisfied (or partially unsatisfied) performance obligations as at 31 March 2024 is S\$49,281,974 (2023: S\$68,408,393). This amount has not included the following:

- Performance obligations for which the Group has applied the practical expedient not to disclose information about its remaining performance obligations if the performance obligation is part of a contract that has an original expected duration for one year or less.
- Variable consideration that is constrained and therefore is not included in the transaction price.

The Group expects to recognise all its unsatisfied (or partially satisfied) performance obligations as at 31 March 2024 within 5 years (2023: 5 years) of the reporting date.

6 OTHER INCOME

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	22,951	1,000
Government grants	120,682	200,387
Interest income	279,820	369,603
Insurance claim	68,350	45,675
Sundry income	18,484	5,889
Rental income	128,646	137,000
Write-back of impairment loss on financial assets	904,042	86,766
Fair value gain on contingent consideration (Note 23)	3,324,165	-
Deemed interest income on non-current payable	155,282	-
Others	21,379	18,041
	5,043,801	864,361

7 FINANCE COSTS

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Interest expense on:		
- Bank overdraft	85,880	83,955
- Lease liabilities	228,615	224,927
- Term loans and working capital loans	56,539	16,806
- Loans from shareholders	344,470	359,736
- Mortgage loan	12,832	14,501
Other bank charges	56,096	12,049
	784,432	711,974

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8 LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAX

The following items have been included in arriving at loss before income tax:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Audit fees paid/payable to		
- Auditor of the Company	198,000	343,500
- Other auditors	43,795	5,041
Non-audit fees paid/payable to		
- Auditor of the Company	-	39,200
- Other auditors	29,198	1,525
Contract asset written off	104,513	-
Cost of inventories	5,752	19,674
Consultancy fee	557,463	889,545
Amortisation of intangible assets	453,945	566,870
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,114,100	903,278
Depreciation of investment property	37,209	37,209
Depreciation of right-of-use asset	861,683	802,957
Employee benefits expense	16,956,387	17,862,023
Fair value loss on contingent consideration	-	339,837
Fair value loss on investment securities	75,420	-
Foreign exchange loss, net	155,647	310,848
Impairment loss on financial assets ^(a) (Note 16)	5,171,942	1,328,950
Impairment loss on intangible assets	-	582,819
Expenses relating to short-term leases and low value assets	56,899	57,529
Plant and equipment written off	1,105	1,541
Professional fees ^(b)	1,400,309	2,586,288
Subcontractor costs	2,238,914	3,277,402
Upkeep of motor vehicles	315,986	302,285
Employee benefits expense comprise the following:		
Employee benefits expense:		
- salaries, bonuses and other benefits	15,811,383	16,679,970
- contributions to defined contribution plans	1,145,004	1,182,053
	16,956,387	17,862,023

(a) Included in impairment loss on financial assets are impairment losses on loans and amounts due from associate, Trittech Environmental Group Co., Ltd, and its subsidiaries ("TEG Group") amounting to S\$4,930,072.

(b) Included in professional fees are legal fees paid to a law firm in Singapore and a law firm in The People's Republic of China ("PRC") amounting to S\$452,301 and S\$9,148 (2023: S\$828,101 and S\$27,010) respectively in relation to the lawsuit initiated by the Group against two former employees involving tort and patent infringement (Note 30).

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9 INCOME TAX CREDIT

Major components of income tax credit

The major components of income tax credit for the financial years ended 31 March 2024 and 2023 are:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Consolidated statement of comprehensive income:		
Current income tax:		
- Current income taxation	464	6,009
- Over provision in respect of previous years	(413,347)	(32,096)
	(412,883)	(26,087)
Deferred tax:		
- Origination and reversal of temporary differences	4,578	(8,755)
- Under provision in respect of previous years	18,984	21,156
	23,562	12,401
Income tax credit recognised in profit or loss	(389,321)	(13,686)

Domestic income tax is calculated at 17% (2023: 17%) of the estimated assessable profit for the financial year. Taxation for other jurisdictions is calculated at the rates prevailing in the relevant jurisdictions. The taxable profits of the Group's subsidiary in Malaysia are subject to corporate income tax of 24% (2023: 24%).

Relationship between income tax credit and accounting loss

The reconciliation between income tax credit and the product of accounting loss multiplied by the applicable corporate tax rates for the financial years ended 31 March 2024 and 31 March 2023 are as follows:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Loss before income tax	(2,707,504)	(11,966,946)
Tax at Singapore statutory tax rate of 17%	(460,276)	(2,034,381)
Adjustments:		
Effect of different tax rates of overseas operations	(5)	1,076
Non-deductible expenses	1,381,275	1,011,989
Income not subject to taxation	(719,458)	(4,323)
Tax incentives	(11,254)	(13,112)
Effect of partial tax exemption	-	(8,451)
Overprovision of current income tax	(413,347)	(32,096)
Under provision of deferred tax	18,984	21,156
Deferred tax assets not recognised	245,362	385,666
Utilisation of deferred tax asset previously not recognised	(430,662)	(405,252)
Share of results of associates	60	1,064,042
Income tax credit recognised in profit or loss	(389,321)	(13,686)

Unrecognised tax losses and capital allowances

As at 31 March 2024, the Group has unutilised tax losses and capital allowances of approximately S\$31,402,000 (2023: S\$31,944,000) and S\$838,000 (2023: S\$1,386,000) respectively that are available for offset against future taxable profits of the companies in which the losses arose, for which no deferred tax asset is recognised due to uncertainty of its recoverability. The use of these unutilised tax losses and capital allowances is subject to the agreement of the tax authorities and compliance with certain provisions of the tax legislation. The unutilised tax losses have no expiry date.

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10 LOSS PER SHARE

Basic loss per share amounts are calculated by dividing loss for the year, net of tax, attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year.

Diluted earnings per share amounts are calculated by dividing loss for the year, net of tax, attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on the conversion of all the dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares.

The following table reflects the loss and share data used in the computation of basic and diluted loss per share for the financial years ended 31 March:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Loss for the year, attributable to owners of the Company for basic and diluted loss per share	<u>(2,321,154)</u>	<u>(11,919,006)</u>
Weighted average number of ordinary shares on issue applicable to basic and diluted loss per share	<u>1,181,534,398</u>	<u>1,150,940,791</u>

Diluted loss per share for the financial years ended 31 March 2024 and 31 March 2023 is the same as the basic loss per share because the potential ordinary shares to be converted are anti-dilutive for the years presented.

11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Motor vehicles S\$	Furniture, fittings and fixtures S\$	Machinery, instrumentation and tools S\$	Office equipment S\$	Renovation S\$	Total S\$
Group						
2024						
<u>Cost</u>						
At 1 April 2023	1,550,472	390,356	15,557,151	2,119,193	771,620	20,388,792
Additions	39,181	-	1,572,176	189,755	-	1,801,112
Disposals	(67,148)	-	-	-	-	(67,148)
Write-off	-	(194,071)	(42,703)	(1,288)	(99,535)	(337,597)
At 31 March 2024	<u>1,522,505</u>	<u>196,285</u>	<u>17,086,624</u>	<u>2,307,660</u>	<u>672,085</u>	<u>21,785,159</u>
<u>Accumulated depreciation</u>						
At 1 April 2023	1,327,838	279,978	13,586,021	1,826,079	354,855	17,374,771
Depreciation	69,395	21,570	775,147	182,775	65,213	1,114,100
Disposals	(64,590)	-	-	-	-	(64,590)
Write-off	-	(194,071)	(42,703)	(183)	(99,535)	(336,492)
At 31 March 2024	<u>1,332,643</u>	<u>107,477</u>	<u>14,318,465</u>	<u>2,008,671</u>	<u>320,533</u>	<u>18,087,789</u>
Net book value						
At 31 March 2024	<u>189,862</u>	<u>88,808</u>	<u>2,768,159</u>	<u>298,989</u>	<u>351,552</u>	<u>3,697,370</u>
2023						
<u>Cost</u>						
At 1 April 2022	1,435,014	425,183	18,539,831	2,183,462	604,007	23,187,497
Additions	115,458	41,996	788,445	160,473	167,613	1,273,985
Disposals	-	-	(79,365)	-	-	(79,365)
Write-off	-	(76,823)	(3,691,760)	(224,742)	-	(3,993,325)
At 31 March 2023	<u>1,550,472</u>	<u>390,356</u>	<u>15,557,151</u>	<u>2,119,193</u>	<u>771,620</u>	<u>20,388,792</u>
<u>Accumulated depreciation</u>						
At 1 April 2022	1,274,764	337,137	16,724,482	1,908,388	297,871	20,542,642
Depreciation	53,074	19,664	632,664	140,892	56,984	903,278
Disposals	-	-	(79,365)	-	-	(79,365)
Write-off	-	(76,823)	(3,691,760)	(223,201)	-	(3,991,784)
At 31 March 2023	<u>1,327,838</u>	<u>279,978</u>	<u>13,586,021</u>	<u>1,826,079</u>	<u>354,855</u>	<u>17,374,771</u>
Net book value						
At 31 March 2023	<u>222,634</u>	<u>110,378</u>	<u>1,971,130</u>	<u>293,114</u>	<u>416,765</u>	<u>3,014,021</u>

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

	Furniture, fittings and fixtures S\$	Office equipment S\$	Total S\$
Company			
2024			
<u>Cost</u>			
At 1 April 2023 and 31 March 2024	27,428	32,157	59,585
<u>Accumulated depreciation</u>			
At 1 April 2023	2,812	7,024	9,836
Charge for the year	5,486	5,928	11,414
At 31 March 2024	8,298	12,952	21,250
<u>Net book value</u>			
At 31 March 2024	19,130	19,205	38,335
2023			
<u>Cost</u>			
At 1 April 2022	-	5,255	5,255
Additions	27,428	26,902	54,330
At 31 March 2023	27,428	32,157	59,585
<u>Accumulated depreciation</u>			
At 1 April 2022	-	3,687	3,687
Charge for the year	2,812	3,337	6,149
At 31 March 2023	2,812	7,024	9,836
<u>Net book value</u>			
At 31 March 2023	24,616	25,133	49,749

As at the end of the financial year, the carrying amounts of plant and equipment which were acquired under finance lease arrangements are as follows:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Motor vehicles	80,560	109,046
Machinery, instrumentation and tools	326,625	-
Office equipment	75,198	87,167
	482,383	196,213

Finance leased assets are pledged as a security for the related finance lease liabilities (Note 26).

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, the Group's additions to plant and equipment are financed as follows:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Additions of plant and equipment	1,801,112	1,273,985
Acquired under finance lease arrangements	(286,000)	(60,000)
Cash payments to acquire plant and equipment	1,515,112	1,213,985

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12 INVESTMENT PROPERTY

	Group and Company	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
<u>Cost</u>		
At beginning of the year	1,600,000	1,600,000
Reclassification to asset held for sale (Note 20)	(1,600,000)	-
At end of the year	-	1,600,000
<u>Accumulated depreciation</u>		
At beginning of the year	222,409	185,200
Charge for the year	37,209	37,209
Reclassification to asset held for sale (Note 20)	(259,618)	-
At end of the year	-	222,409
<u>Net book value</u>		
At end of the year	-	1,377,591
The following amount is recognised in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income:		
Rental income	118,800	112,500
Direct operating expenses arising from investment property	17,642	26,579

Details of the investment property is disclosed as follows:

Location	Description	Tenure	Approximate site area (sq. m.)
8A Admiralty Street #06-28 Food Xchange, Singapore	Factory building, office and warehouse	60 years lease from 2000	256.00

As at the end of the financial year, the Group's and the Company's investment property has a remaining lease term of 36 years and is pledged as security for certain bank borrowings (Note 24).

The Group has no restrictions on the realisability of its investment property and no contractual obligations to purchase, construct or develop investment property or for repairs, maintenance or enhancements.

The Group plans to dispose the investment property within the next 12 month. As a result, as at 31 March 2024, the Group has reclassified the investment property as asset held for sale (Note 20).

The fair value of the investment property as at 31 March 2023 was S\$2,100,000 based on independent external valuation using sales comparison method.

13 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

	Company	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
Unquoted equity shares, at cost	41,405,800	41,405,800
Less: Provision for impairment losses	(23,870,512)	(23,870,512)
Net carrying amount	17,535,288	17,535,288

Movement in impairment losses during the financial year was as follows:

At beginning of the year	23,870,512	22,223,512
Charged to profit or loss	-	1,647,000
At end of the year	23,870,512	23,870,512

The Company's investment in Trittech Water Technologies (Group) Pte Ltd was fully impaired since prior years. An impairment loss of S\$Nil (2023: S\$1,647,000) was recognised for the year ended 31 March 2024 to write down the carrying amount of the investment in ADAS Group Pte Ltd to its recoverable amount.

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13 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

The recoverable amount was determined based on a value-in-use calculation using cash flow projections from financial budgets approved by management covering a five-year period. The cash flow projections are based on the long-term growth rate of Nil% (2023: Nil%) and pre-tax discount rate of 17.94% (2023: 10.53%).

Key assumptions used in value-in-use calculations

The calculations of value-in-use for the above subsidiaries are most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Forecast revenue and gross margins – Revenue are based on average values achieved in the recent years preceding to the start of the forecast period. These are increased over the forecast period for anticipated retention of customers, expansion in business, synergies and efficiency improvements.

Growth rates – Management's estimates of the forecasted growth rates, with reference to related industry. The forecasted growth rate adopted by the Company, do not exceed the long-term average growth rate for the industries relevant to the subsidiaries.

Pre-tax discount rates – Discount rates represent the current market assessment of the risks specific to each subsidiary and consider the time value of money. The computation of discount rate is based on the specific circumstances of the subsidiaries and derived from its weighted average cost of capital ("WACC"). The WACC takes into account both debt and equity. The cost of equity is derived from the expected return on investment by the Company. The cost of debt is based on the bank lending rate as quoted by Monetary Authority of Singapore. Segment-specific risk is incorporated by applying individual beta factors. The beta factors are evaluated annually based on publicly available market data.

Sensitivity to changes in assumptions

With regards to the assessment of value-in-use for ADAS Group Pte Ltd, if the discount rate has been 100 basis points higher, the estimated recoverable amount would still exceed the net carrying value of the investment in ADAS Group Pte Ltd.

Details of the subsidiaries are as follows:

Name of Subsidiary	Country of incorporation/ operation	Principal activities	Proportion of ownership interest	
			2024 %	2023 %
<i>Held by the Company:</i>				
ADAS Group Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Investment holding company	100	100
Tritech Water Technologies (Group) Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Manufacture and supply of membranes, membrane-related products and environmental monitoring products	100	100
<i>Held through ADAS Group Pte Ltd:</i>				
Tritech Engineering & Testing (Singapore) Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Geological, geotechnical and geophysical investigation, land surveying, instrumentation and analytical study and other related services	100	100
Tritech Consultants Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Architectural, engineering and professional consultancy services	100	100
Tritech Syseng (S) Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Design and development of automation and engineering system, manufacturer, and provision of remote water monitoring services	100	100

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13 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

Details of the subsidiaries are as follows: (Continued)

Name of Subsidiary	Country of incorporation/ operation	Principal activities	Proportion of ownership interest	
			2024 %	2023 %
<i>Held through ADAS Group Pte Ltd:</i>				
(Continued)				
Geosoft Pte Ltd ⁽²⁾	Singapore	Development and sale of engineering finite element analysis programs in the geotechnical field	60	60
<i>Held through Trittech Water Technologies (Group) Pte Ltd:</i>				
Trittech Vavie (Singapore) Pte Ltd ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Manufacture of bottled alkaline drinking water and Vavie™ clean wash sanitizer	100	100
Trittech Ecofish Farming Private Limited ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Operation of fish hatcheries and fish farms	100	100
Terra Trittech Engineering (M) Sdn Bhd ⁽³⁾	Malaysia	Providing civil engineering services	100	100

(1) Audited by Moore Stephens LLP, Singapore.

(2) Audited by Teo Boon Tieng & Co, Chartered Accountants, Singapore.

(3) Audited by Moore Stephens Associates PLT, Chartered Accountants, Malaysia.

Interest in a subsidiary with material non-controlling interest ("NCI")

The Group has the following subsidiary that has NCI that is material to the Group.

Name of Subsidiary	Principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest held by NCI %	Profit/(Loss) allocated to NCI during the reporting period S\$	Accumulated NCI at the end of reporting period S\$
2024 Geosoft Pte Ltd	Singapore	40	2,971	62,665
2023 Geosoft Pte Ltd	Singapore	40	(34,254)	59,694

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13 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

Summarised financial information about a subsidiary with material NCI

Summarised financial information of a subsidiary with material NCI is as follows:

	Geosoft Pte Ltd	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Summarised statement of financial position		
<u>Current</u>		
Assets	177,133	160,043
Liabilities	(21,487)	(11,825)
Net current assets	155,646	148,218
<u>Non-current</u>		
Assets	1,228	1,236
Liabilities	(210)	(210)
Net non-current assets	1,018	1,026
Net assets	156,664	149,244
Summarised statement of comprehensive income		
Revenue	28,800	38,400
Profit/(loss) before tax	4,328	(105,613)
Income tax credit	3,100	19,987
Profit/(loss) after tax and total comprehensive income	7,428	(85,626)
<u>Other summarised information</u>		
Net cash flows from operations	4,983	2,949

14 INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATES

The Group's investment in associates is summarised as below:

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
At beginning of the year	-	6,630,332	-	7,148,358
Additions	350	-	350	-
Impairment loss	-	-	(350)	(7,148,358)
Share of associate's results	(350)	(6,259,069)	-	-
Foreign currency differences	-	(371,263)	-	-
At end of the year	-	-	-	-

Details of the associates are as follows:

Name of Associate	Country of incorporation/ operation	Principal activities	Proportion of ownership interest	
			2024 %	2023 %
<u>Held by the Company:</u>				
Tritech Environmental Group Co., Ltd ⁽¹⁾	PRC	Production and sale of membranes for use in waste treatment systems and water treatment systems	46.86	46.86
Tritech Investment and Management Pte Ltd ⁽²⁾	Singapore	Investment holding company	35.00	35.00
<u>Held by Tritech Investment and Management Pte Ltd:</u>				
Tritech Protocol (Singapore) Pte Ltd ⁽²⁾	Singapore	Wholesale trading of goods	100.00	100.00

(1) Not required to be audited under the laws of incorporation.

(2) The entity is unaudited because it is dormant during the financial year.

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14 INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

During the financial year ended 31 March 2024, management performed impairment tests for the investment in associates as the associates had been loss making. An impairment loss of S\$350 (2023: S\$7,148,358) was recognised at Company level for the year ended 31 March 2024 to write down the carrying amount to its estimated recoverable amount.

In the previous year, the recoverable amount of Trittech Environmental Group Co., Ltd ("TEG") was determined based on a value-in-use calculation using cash flow projections from financial budgets approved by management. The cash flow projections are based on the long term growth rate of Nil% and pre-tax discount rate of 10.50%.

Key assumptions used in value-in-use calculations

The calculations of value-in-use for TEG are most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Forecast revenue and gross margins – Revenue is based on contractual sum. Gross margins are based on preceding years cost which are less judgmental than growth rate and weighted average cost of capital where the value-in-use is most sensitive to.

Growth rates – Management's estimates of the forecasted growth rates, with reference to related industry. The forecasted growth rate adopted by the Company, does not exceed the long-term average growth rate for the industries relevant to the associate.

Pre-tax discount rates – Discount rates represent the current market assessment of the risks specific to the associate and consider the time value of money. The computation of discount rate is based on the specific circumstances of the associate and derived from its weighted average cost of capital ("WACC"). The WACC takes into account both debt and equity. The cost of equity is derived from the expected return on investment by the Company. The cost of debt is based on the interest-bearing borrowings the Company is obliged to service. Segment-specific risk is incorporated by applying individual beta factors. The beta factors are evaluated annually based on publicly available market data.

Sensitivity to changes in assumptions

With regards to the assessment of value-in-use of TEG, if the discount rate had been 50 basis points lower, the estimated recoverable amount would still be lower than the carrying value at Group level and at Company level. An impairment loss of S\$7,148,358 was recognised at Company level during the financial year ended 31 March 2023 to write down the carrying amount to nil.

The summarised financial information in respect of TEG and its subsidiaries ("TEG Group") and a reconciliation with the carrying amount of the investment in the consolidated financial statements are as follows:

	TEG Group	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
Summarised statement of financial position		
Current assets	46,712,185	88,237,044
Non-current assets	60,613,868	34,135,688
Current liabilities	(60,266,090)	(69,921,789)
Non-current liabilities	(52,807,800)	(54,474,708)
Net liabilities	(5,747,837)	(2,023,765)
Proportion of the Group's ownership	46.86%	46.86%
Group's share of net liabilities	(2,693,436)	(948,336)
Difference between fair value and cost of identifiable assets and liabilities	446,765	446,765
Subtotal	(2,246,671)	(501,571)
Carrying amount of the investment	.*	.*
Summarised statement of comprehensive income		
Revenue	9,517,582	9,905,965
Loss before tax	(12,731,557)	(15,303,599)
Loss after tax	(10,946,680)	(14,411,119)
Group's share of loss for the year	.*	(6,259,069)*

* The Group has not recognised losses relating to TEG Group where its share of losses exceeds the Group's interest in this associate. The Group's share of unrecognised losses at the end of the reporting period was S\$5,623,595 (2023: S\$493,981). The Group had no obligation in respect of further losses.

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14 INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Goodwill arising from acquisition

On 12 July 2021, the Group and Company increased its equity interest in TEG from 40% to 46.86% by way of capitalization of amount due from TEG of S\$2,087,000 (CNY10,000,000) to the Company and assignment of certain intellectual property rights owned by the Company (including a patent filed in the PRC) to TEG which all TEG's shareholders have agreed to ascribe a value of S\$3,692,685 (CNY17,693,747). As a result, the Group/Company capitalised the intellectual property rights of S\$1,962,293 (being the extent of unrelated interest in the associate) and S\$2,087,000 (CNY10,000,000) in the cost of investment in associate.

As at 31 March 2022, the initial accounting for the acquisition of 6.86% equity interest in TEG was based on preliminary fair value adjustments upon available information and certain assumptions that the Group believes are reasonable under the circumstances and may be revised as additional information becomes available. The final valuation will be based on the actual assessment of the fair value of tangible and intangible assets and liabilities of TEG. If new information obtained within one year from the date of acquisition about facts and circumstances that existed at the date of acquisition identifies adjustments to the above amounts of any additional provisions existed at the date of acquisition, then the accounting for the acquisition will be revised.

As at 31 March 2023, the Group and Company had finalised the Purchase Price Allocation exercise, the fair value of net assets acquired has been determined based on an independent valuation performed by an external specialist. Management has assessed and adjusted the fair values accordingly to the tangible and intangible assets and liabilities of TEG. As a result, goodwill amounting to S\$446,765 arose from the acquisition of 6.86% equity interest in TEG.

Sales of land and factory for the repayment of matured bank loan by TEG

On 14 November 2022, Shanghai Pudong Development Bank (the "Bank") commenced legal action against Tritech Environmental Group Co., Ltd ("TEG") in respect of default principal and interest amounting to CNY75.69 million (S\$14.50 million). In March 2023, the Bank had transferred the debt to Citic Qingdao Asset Management Co., Ltd. On 3 April 2023, Qingdao Laoshan People's Court (the "Court") delivered its judgement on the case that TEG is liable for the outstanding principal and interest based on terms and conditions stated in the loan agreement and is to bear the legal costs arising from the lawsuit. In June 2023, Citic Qingdao Asset Management Co., Ltd had transferred the debt to a third party.

The Court has also instructed TEG to dispose its pledged asset, i.e. the land and factory owned by TEG, within 2 years from 3 April 2023 and use the proceeds to repay the default loan principal and interest and the related legal cost arising from the lawsuit. TEG is in the process of disposing its land and building in Qingdao. The negotiations are ongoing as at date of the financial statements.

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15 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Goodwill S\$	Transferable club memberships S\$	Development expenditures S\$	Intellectual property right S\$	Software S\$	Total S\$
Group						
2024						
<u>Cost</u>						
At 1 April 2023	454,229	31,500	4,858,729	198,700	823,000	6,366,158
Additions	-	-	63	3,013,566	-	3,013,629
At 31 March 2024	454,229	31,500	4,858,792	3,212,266	823,000	9,379,787
<u>Accumulated amortisation</u>						
At 1 April 2023	454,229	-	1,549,138	134,591	822,997	2,960,955
Amortisation	-	-	444,007	9,935	3	453,945
At 31 March 2024	454,229	-	1,993,145	144,526	823,000	3,414,900
<u>Net book value</u>						
At 31 March 2024	-	31,500	2,865,647	3,067,740	-	5,964,887
2023						
<u>Cost</u>						
At 1 April 2022	454,229	31,500	4,740,658	198,700	823,000	6,248,087
Additions	-	-	118,071	-	-	118,071
At 31 March 2023	454,229	31,500	4,858,729	198,700	823,000	6,366,158
<u>Accumulated amortisation/impairment</u>						
At 1 April 2022	-	-	981,184	124,656	705,426	1,811,266
Amortisation	-	-	439,364	9,935	117,571	566,870
Impairment	454,229	-	128,590	-	-	582,819
At 31 March 2023	454,229	-	1,549,138	134,591	822,997	2,960,955
<u>Net book value</u>						
At 31 March 2023	-	31,500	3,309,591	64,109	3	3,405,203

At the end of the reporting period, the transferable club memberships are held in trust by a director of the Company.

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, the Group's additions to intangible assets are financed as follows:

	2024 S\$	Group 2023 S\$
Additions of intangible assets	3,013,629	-
Acquired under offsetting arrangements	(3,013,566)	-
Cash payments to acquire intangible assets	63	-

The Group purchased certain patents and trademarks from TEG Group during the year at an agreed price of S\$3.0 million. The Group paid for these patents and trademarks by offsetting the amounts owed by TEG Group to the Group previously. In accordance with the Sale and Purchase Agreement, the Group has full and exclusive ownership of the patents and trademarks and TEG Group has no further rights or claims to the patents and trademarks.

Impairment testing of goodwill

During the previous financial year, an impairment loss of S\$454,229 was recognised to write down the carrying amount of the cash-generating unit ("CGU") attributed to Geosoft Pte Ltd to its recoverable amount.

The recoverable amount of the CGU was determined based on value-in-use calculations, using cash flow projections from financial budgets prepared by management covering a five-year period.

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16 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
<u>Non-current assets</u>				
Loans due from an associate	2,009,253	5,518,724	2,009,253	5,518,724
Less: Expected credit losses	(2,009,253)	(1,379,681)	(2,009,253)	(1,379,681)
Net carrying amount	-	4,139,043	-	4,139,043
<u>Current assets</u>				
<u>Trade receivables</u>				
- Trade receivables from third parties	1,491,982	3,460,724	-	-
- Amounts due from subsidiaries	-	-	580,500	498,150
	1,491,982	3,460,724	580,500	498,150
Less: Expected credit losses	(284,563)	(462,011)	(385,650)	(385,650)
Net carrying amount	1,207,419	2,998,713	194,850	112,500
<u>Other receivables</u>				
- Goods and Services Tax ("GST") refundable	20,920	25,285	10,864	11,545
- Other receivables from third parties	489,377	674,342	240,260	321,454
	510,297	699,627	251,124	332,999
Less: Expected credit losses	(448,500)	(208,240)	(240,260)	-
Net carrying amount	61,797	491,387	10,864	332,999
Amounts due from subsidiaries	-	-	8,044,895	4,868,714
Amounts due from an associate	3,766,297	4,490,872	3,766,297	3,904,647
Less: Expected credit losses	-	-	(3,135,635)	(3,135,635)
- Subsidiaries	-	-	(3,766,297)	(170,097)
- Associate	(3,766,297)	(190,781)	(3,766,297)	(170,097)
Net carrying amounts	-	4,300,091	4,909,260	5,467,629
Advances to employees	6,373	7,500	-	-
Advance payment	9,996	35,172	-	-
Deposits	1,276,847	1,194,363	20,250	32,317
Interest receivable	11,668	385	-	-
	1,304,884	5,537,511	4,929,510	5,499,946
Total trade and other receivables	2,574,100	13,166,654	5,135,224	10,084,488

Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and generally on 30 to 90 (2023: 30 to 90) days' credit terms.

Other receivables

Included in other receivables is an amount of S\$0.24 million loan made to a third party since 27 June 2022. Management has since fully impaired this amount in the current financial year ended 31 March 2024 as the amount is not recoverable.

Amounts due from subsidiaries

The amounts due from subsidiaries mainly comprise management fee income, rechargeable expenses and loans. The trade and non-trade amounts due from subsidiaries amounting to S\$5,104,110 (2023: S\$1,845,579) are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand.

Loans due from an associate

Non-current assets

As at 31 March 2024, out of the amount of S\$2,009,253 (2023: S\$5,518,724) of loans due from an associate, S\$2,009,253 (2023: S\$2,585,870) is denominated in Chinese Yuan.

The loans due from an associate are denominated in Chinese Yuan and bear an effective interest rate of 6.5% (2023: 6.5%) per annum.

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16 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

Amounts due from associate

Current assets

The amounts due from associate mainly comprise expenses recharged and advances which are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand. As at 31 March 2024, out of the amount of S\$3,766,297 (2023: S\$4,490,872) due from associate, S\$3,766,297 (2023: S\$3,870,000) is denominated in Chinese Yuan.

Trade and other receivables are denominated in the following foreign currency as at 31 March:

	Group and Company	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
Chinese Yuan	5,775,550	6,455,870

Expected credit losses

The movement in allowance for expected credit losses of trade receivables, loans and amount due from associates and contract assets computed based on lifetime ECL is as follows:

	Trade and other receivables S\$	Loans due from associate (non-current) S\$	Amounts due from associate (current) S\$	Contract assets S\$
Group				
<u>2024</u>				
Movement in allowance accounts:				
At 1 April 2023	670,251	1,379,681	190,781	6,604
Charge for the year	241,870	1,333,522	3,596,550	-
Utilised during the year	-	-	-	(6,604)
Write-back of allowance	(179,058)	(703,950)	(21,034)	-
At 31 March 2024	733,063	2,009,253	3,766,297	-
<u>2023</u>				
Movement in allowance accounts:				
At 1 April 2022	754,777	220,828	20,684	35,911
Charge for the year	2,240	1,158,853	170,097	-
Utilised during the year	-	-	-	(29,307)
Write-back of allowance	(86,766)	-	-	-
At 31 March 2023	670,251	1,379,681	190,781	6,604

During the financial year ended 31 March 2024, the Group and the Company have recognised impairment losses to write down the carrying amounts of the loans and amounts due from an associate to nil. The associate, TEG, is in financial difficulties and had defaulted on the outstanding principal and interest amounts previously owing to Shanghai Pudong Development Bank.

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17 INVENTORIES

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
<u>Consolidated statement of financial position:</u>		
Raw materials	50,693	50,883
Finished goods	6,337	26,330
	<u>57,030</u>	<u>77,213</u>
<u>Consolidated statement of comprehensive income:</u>		
Inventories recognised as an expense in cost of sales	5,752	19,674

The Group's inventories that are written down at the end of the reporting period and the movement of the allowance account is as follows:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
At beginning and end of the year	<u>13,698</u>	<u>13,698</u>

18 INVESTMENT SECURITIES

	Group and Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Current:		
<i>At fair value through profit or loss</i>		
- Equity securities (quoted)	<u>50,280</u>	<u>125,700</u>

19 CASH AND SHORT-TERM DEPOSITS

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Cash and bank balances	<u>3,106,350</u>	3,595,503	<u>20,680</u>	157,421
Short-term deposits	<u>1,642,921</u>	1,643,408	<u>-</u>	-
Cash and short-term deposits	<u>4,749,271</u>	5,238,911	<u>20,680</u>	157,421

Cash at banks earns interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposits. Short-term deposits mature on 2 to 6 months (2023: 2 to 6 months) from the end of the reporting period. The effective interest rates on the short-term deposits range from 0.10% to 3.00% (2023: 0.10% to 2.50%) per annum. The short-term deposits of the Group amounting to S\$1,563,196 (2023: S\$1,563,196) are pledged to banks for facilities granted to the Group.

Cash and short-term deposits are denominated in the following foreign currencies as at 31 March:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
United States Dollar	-	13,670
Chinese Yuan	<u>312</u>	<u>788</u>

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19 CASH AND SHORT-TERM DEPOSITS (CONTINUED)

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following at the end of the reporting period:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Cash and short-term deposits	4,749,271	5,238,911
Bank overdrafts (Note 24)	(1,336,018)	(1,325,431)
Short-term deposits pledged	(1,563,196)	(1,563,196)
Cash and cash equivalents as presented in the consolidated cash flow statement	<u>1,850,057</u>	<u>2,350,284</u>

20 ASSET HELD FOR SALE

	Investment Property 2024 S\$
Group and Company	
Cost, representing net carrying amount:	
Reclassification from investment property (Note 12)	<u>1,340,382</u>

During the year, the Company entered into an agreement to sell its investment property at a consideration of S\$2.05 million to a third party who paid a deposit of S\$0.02 million. Accordingly, the investment property was classified as held for sale at the end of the financial year. The sale was completed subsequent to year end as disclosed in Note 36.

21 SHARE CAPITAL

	Group and Company			
	2024		2023	
	No. of shares	S\$	No. of shares	S\$
Issued and fully paid ordinary shares				
At beginning of the year	1,181,534,398	85,269,754	1,014,867,731	80,282,764
Issuance of ordinary share pursuant to new share placement	-	-	166,666,667	5,000,000
Share issue expense	-	-	-	(13,010)
At end of the year	<u>1,181,534,398</u>	<u>85,269,754</u>	<u>1,181,534,398</u>	<u>85,269,754</u>

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as and when declared by the Company. All ordinary shares carry one vote per share without restriction. The ordinary shares have no par value.

On 22 March 2022, the Company entered into a placement agreement ("Placement Agreement") with certain placees ("Placees") for the placement of up to 742,166,667 new ordinary shares in the capital of the Company ("Placement Shares") to the Placees over two tranches, for an aggregate cash consideration of up to S\$33,775,000 ("Proposed Placement"). Under the Proposed Placement, the Placees shall subscribe for 166,666,667 Placement Shares under the First Tranche at the issue price of S\$0.03 per Placement Share and 575,500,000 Placement Shares under the Second Tranche at the issue price of S\$0.05 per Placement Share.

On 4 May 2022, the Company and the Placees entered into a supplemental agreement to the original Placement Agreement ("Supplemental Agreement") pursuant to which they have agreed that instead of retaining the conditional agreement for the Company to allot and issue, and the Placees to subscribe for, a second tranche of the Placement Shares in accordance with the terms of the original Placement Agreement, the Company shall grant a call option to each of the Placees in respect of such Placee's relevant proportion of the option shares, and each of the Placees shall grant a put option to the Company in respect of such Placee's relevant proportion of the option shares ("Proposed Option grant"), pursuant to which, upon the exercise of the relevant options, the Company shall allot and issue, and the Placees shall subscribe for effectively the same number of shares, at the same price and on substantively the same conditions and terms for the allotment and issuance of such shares as was originally contemplated in relation to the Second Tranche Placement Shares.

On 7 June 2022, the Company has allotted and issued 166,666,667 ordinary shares at S\$0.03 each to the Placees pursuant to the placement agreement dated 22 March 2022.

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21 SHARE CAPITAL (CONTINUED)

On 18 November 2022, the Company entered into Second Supplemental Agreement to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant from six months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the First Tranche Placement Shares to twelve months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the First Tranche Placement Shares, or such other date as the Parties may agree to in writing. With this extension, the Options Exercise Period will expire on 7 June 2023.

Under the Supplemental Agreement read with the Second Supplemental Agreement, subject to the performance and fulfilment of the Options Conditions Precedent and in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Supplemental Agreement, the Company agrees to grant each Placee, at nil consideration, a call option to require the Company to allot and issue to such Placee its Relevant Proportion of the Option Shares and each Placee agrees to grant the Company, at nil consideration, a put option to require such Placee to subscribe for its Relevant Proportion of the Option Shares at the option exercise price of S\$0.05 for each Option Share.

An Option may only be exercised subject to and conditional upon the performance or fulfilment of the Options Conditions Precedent and within the period of 12 months from the date of the allotment and issuance of the Placement Shares ("Options Exercise Period"). Any Option shall be exercised before the expiry of the Options Exercise Period, failing which such unexercised Option shall immediately lapse and become null and void.

On 23 December 2022, an Extraordinary General Meeting was held that the proposed options grant and the allotment and issuance of 575,500,000 Option Shares to the Placees was approved pursuant to the exercise of the relevant options.

On 7 June 2023, the Parties entered into a Third Supplemental Agreement to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant for a further six months from 7 June 2023 to 7 December 2023, or such other date as the Parties may agree to in writing. Additionally, pursuant to the terms of the Third Supplemental Agreement, in the event that the Options have not been exercised on or prior to 7 December 2023, unless otherwise mutually agreed by all Parties, the Options Exercise Period shall automatically be renewed for a further six months to 7 June 2024.

On 4 June 2024, the Company and the Placees entered into a Fourth Supplemental Agreement to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant (Note 36).

22 RESERVES

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Gains on disposal to non-controlling interests ^(a)	34,944,540	34,944,540	-	-
Foreign currency translation reserve ^(b)	(273,926)	(272,562)	-	-
Accumulated losses	(118,045,415)	(115,724,261)	(77,053,015)	(74,323,161)
	(83,374,801)	(81,052,283)	(77,053,015)	(74,323,161)

(a) Gains on disposal to non-controlling interests

The gains on the disposal and deemed disposal of shares in a subsidiary represent the excess of the deemed considerations received from the respective parties against the share of the subsidiary's net assets disposed of.

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
At beginning and end of the year	34,944,540	34,944,540

(b) Foreign currency translation reserve

The foreign currency translation reserve account comprises of foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations whose functional currencies are different from that of the Group's presentation currency of Singapore Dollar and is non-distributable. Movement in this account is set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

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23 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
<u>Current liabilities</u>				
Trade payables				
- Trade payables to third parties	2,258,325	1,519,310	-	-
- Amount due to associate	-	301,389	-	-
	2,258,325	1,820,699	-	-
Other payables				
- Goods and Services Tax ("GST") payable	484,866	427,747	-	-
- Accrued operating expenses	4,086,071	3,510,963	1,277,471	1,103,971
- Accrued unutilised leave	219,545	321,676	-	-
- Deposits received	50,624	28,000	47,500	27,000
- Other payable	2,529,151	1,370,265	1,425,268	359,060
- Interest payable	1,035,815	780,160	1,035,815	780,160
- Amounts due to subsidiaries	-	-	4,317,447	1,859,829
- Amount due to associate	-	931,344	-	867,868
- Contingent consideration	-	6,263,847	-	6,263,847
	10,664,397	15,454,701	8,103,501	11,261,735
<u>Non-current liabilities</u>				
Other payable	1,374,718	-	1,374,718	-
Total trade and other payables	12,039,115	15,454,701	9,478,219	11,261,735

Trade payables

Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled between 30 to 90 (2023: 30 to 90) days' terms.

Amounts due to subsidiaries (current)

Amounts due to the subsidiaries mainly comprise rechargeable expenses which are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand in cash.

Amount due to associate

As at 31 March 2023, the trade and non-trade amounts due to the associate mainly comprised purchases and rechargeable expenses which were unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand in cash.

Contingent consideration and other payable

On 12 May 2019, the Group, ADAS Group Pte. Ltd. ("ADAS Group"), and Lim Wen Heng Construction (the "Purchaser") entered into a Sale and Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") for the sale of entire shareholding of Presscrete Engineering Pte Ltd ("PE"). One of the components of the sales consideration ("Contingent Consideration") is the share of 50% of net profits or net losses after tax, to be generated from PE's 12 Agreed Projects ("Agreed Projects") as stipulated in the Agreement from 1 January 2019 to the final completion of all the 12 Agreed Projects (the "Agreed Period").

The Contingent Consideration met the definition of a financial asset/liability and was accounted for at fair value through profit or loss at the end of the financial year end. The fair value of the Contingent Consideration was determined by the profits from the Agreed Projects which were expected to be completed in 2024.

On the date of disposal on 12 May 2019, the fair value of the Contingent Consideration was assessed to be approximately S\$4.0 million and payment of S\$4.0 million was received by the Group for the financial year ended 31 March 2020. As at 31 March 2020, the Group re-assessed and determined the fair valuation of the Contingent Consideration to be S\$4.0 million.

As at 31 March 2021, the Group was informed by PE that the expected profitability of the Agreed Projects was affected by the escalation in costs due to COVID-19 implications. As at 31 March 2023, PE stated that the Agreed Projects encountered unexpected complexities, which resulted in further escalation of costs and also in the extension of the completion timelines for the projects.

In December 2022, the Group and ADAS Group commenced legal action in the General Division of the High Court of the Republic of Singapore against the Purchaser and certain of its directors (collectively, "Defendants") for certain declarations and damages to be assessed by the Court ("Suit"). The Group and ADAS Group's claim was that they suffered losses and damages arising out of, amongst other bases, the Purchaser's breach of the Agreement from its failure to calculate the net profits or net losses of the Agreed Projects, and consequently the consideration, in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.

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23 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES (CONTINUED)

Contingent consideration and other payable (Continued)

On 22 December 2022, the Group and ADAS Group were served with the Defendants' Defence and the Purchaser's Counterclaim. In the Counterclaim, the Purchaser raised a counterclaim for approximately S\$21 million, alleging inter alia that the costs budgeted to complete the Agreed Projects at the time the Agreement was entered into, were inaccurate, false or untrue, and an additional counterclaim for S\$89,000 for a fine imposed on PE for damages caused to an electricity cable. The Purchaser also raised an alternative counterclaim for S\$5.9 million, this amount being payment of the balance consideration.

On 15 January 2024, the Group, ADAS Group and the Purchaser have come to a full and final settlement of the differences and claims between the parties by way of a Deed of Settlement. The Group and ADAS Group agree to jointly and severally pay to the Purchaser the total sum of S\$2.5 million. Any amount due between PE, the Purchaser and/or companies related/affiliated to the Purchaser and the Group and its related/affiliated companies shall be waived and no further payments which may arise out of or in relation to the Agreement shall be due between the parties. The amount due is recognised as other payable as at 31 March 2024.

The movement in the fair value of the contingent consideration during the year is as follows:

	Group and Company S\$
<u>2024</u>	
Contingent consideration	6,263,847
Reclassification to other payable	(2,500,000)
	3,763,847
Waiver of debt assignment	(439,682)
Fair value gain recognised in profit or loss (Note 6)	3,324,165
<u>2023</u>	
At beginning of the year	5,924,010
Fair value loss recognised in profit or loss	339,837
At end of the year	6,263,847

As at 31 March 2024, included in other payable is the payable to the Purchaser amounting to S\$2,344,718 (2023: nil).

Trade and other payables are denominated in the following foreign currencies as at 31 March:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
United States Dollar	300,641	454,022
New Zealand Dollar	224,665	41,603
Euro	63,923	32,968

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24 BORROWINGS

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
<u>Current liabilities</u>				
<u>Secured</u>				
- Mortgage loan	190,210	27,618	190,210	27,618
- Bank overdrafts	1,336,018	1,325,431	1,336,018	1,325,431
	1,526,228	1,353,049	1,526,228	1,353,049
<u>Unsecured</u>				
- Term loan I	211,105	204,873	211,105	204,873
- Term loan II	633,325	614,630	-	-
- Working capital loans	1,496,750	-	-	-
	2,341,180	819,503	211,105	204,873
Total current liabilities	3,867,408	2,172,552	1,737,333	1,557,922
<u>Non-current liabilities</u>				
<u>Secured</u>				
- Mortgage loan	-	190,210	-	190,210
<u>Unsecured</u>				
- Term loan I	35,906	247,009	35,906	247,009
- Term loan II	107,351	740,676	-	-
- Working capital loans	218,464	-	-	-
	361,721	987,685	35,906	247,009
Total non-current liabilities	361,721	1,177,895	35,906	437,219
Total borrowings	4,229,129	3,350,447	1,773,239	1,995,141

The average effective interest rates per annum of the borrowings as at 31 March are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024 %	2023 %	2024 %	2023 %
Term loan I	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Term loan II	3.00	3.00	-	-
Mortgage loan	6.25	6.25	6.25	6.25
Working capital loans	5.50 - 9.60	-	-	-
Bank overdrafts	6.44	6.44	6.44	6.44

Secured

Mortgage loan from a financial institution, which is denominated in Singapore Dollar, is repayable over 210 months commencing from 11 May 2012 at the bank's commercial financing rate. Mortgage loan is secured by the legal mortgage over the Company's leasehold property (Note 12). The bank is contractually entitled to request for immediate repayment of the outstanding loan amount in the event of investment property was classified as asset held for sale, thus the Company presented the loan as a current liability as at 31 March 2024. On 24 June 2024, the mortgage loan is fully repaid.

Bank overdrafts are secured by the Company's leasehold property (Note 12). Bank overdrafts are denominated in Singapore Dollar. On 24 June 2024, the mortgage loan is fully repaid.

Unsecured

Term loan I from a financial institution, which is denominated in Singapore Dollar, is repayable over 60 months commencing from 15 June 2020.

Term loan II from a financial institution, which is denominated in Singapore Dollar, is repayable over 60 months commencing from 15 June 2020. Term loan II is secured by a corporate guarantee of the Company.

Working capital loans are denominated in Singapore Dollar and repayable over 12 months commencing from March 2024 and 60 months commencing from September 2023 respectively.

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24 BORROWINGS (CONTINUED)

Unsecured (Continued)

As at the end of the reporting period, the credit facilities utilised by and granted to the Group and the Company are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Facilities granted	4,233,110	3,365,016	1,777,220	2,394,479
Facilities utilised	4,229,129	3,350,447	1,773,239	1,995,141

A reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities is as follows:

	1 April 2023 S\$	Cash flows		Reclassification S\$	31 March 2024 S\$
		Proceeds S\$	Repayment S\$		
Borrowings					
- current	847,121	1,800,000	(931,905)	816,174	2,531,390
- non-current	1,177,895	-	-	(816,174)	361,721
Total	2,025,016	1,800,000	(931,905)	-	2,893,111

	1 April 2022 S\$	Cash flows		Reclassification S\$	31 March 2023 S\$
		Proceeds S\$	Repayment S\$		
Borrowings					
- current	821,262	-	(821,257)	847,116	847,121
- non-current	2,025,011	-	-	(847,116)	1,177,895
Total	2,846,273	-	(821,257)	-	2,025,016

25 LOANS FROM A SHAREHOLDER

The loans from a shareholder are unsecured, interest-bearing at an effective interest rate of 4.96% to 10% (2023: 4.96% to 10%) per annum and are with a maturity period of 19 to 21 months (2023: 31 to 33 months). During the previous financial year, loans from a shareholder of S\$4,498,100 had been extended for 2 years with maturity dates on 31 October 2025 and 11 December 2025 respectively.

As at 31 March 2024, the Group had loan from a shareholder of S\$2,417,700 (2023: S\$2,498,100) denominated in New Zealand Dollar.

A reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities is as follows:

	1 April 2023 S\$	Cash flows S\$	Accretion of interest S\$	Foreign exchange movement S\$	31 March 2024 S\$
Loans from a shareholder	4,498,100	-	-	(80,400)	4,417,700
Group and Company					
Loans from a shareholder	4,820,300	(366,863)	359,736	(315,073)	4,498,100

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26 LEASE LIABILITIES

As A Lessee

The Group has lease contracts for office building, machinery, instrumentation and tools, and motor vehicles. Leases of machinery and motor vehicles generally have lease terms between 48 to 60 months (2023: 36 to 60 months), while office building has a lease term of 60 months (2023: 60 months). The Group's obligations under its leases are secured by the lessor's title to the leased assets. Generally, the Group is restricted from assigning and subleasing the leased assets.

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

(a) Carrying amount of right-of-use asset

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
At beginning of the year	3,733,962	228,501
Depreciation expense	(861,683)	(802,957)
Additions	-	4,308,418
At end of the year	<u>2,872,279</u>	<u>3,733,962</u>

(b) Amounts recognised in profit or loss

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Depreciation of right-of-use asset	861,683	802,957
Interest expense on lease liabilities (Note 7)	228,615	224,927
Lease expense not capitalised in lease liabilities		
– Expense relating to short-term lease	51,649	53,701
– Expense relating to leases of low value assets	5,250	3,828
Total amount recognised in profit or loss	<u>1,147,197</u>	<u>1,085,413</u>

(c) Total cash flow

The Group had total cash outflows for leases of S\$900,035 (2023: S\$923,393) during the year.

A reconciliation of changes in lease liabilities arising from financing activities is as follows:

	Non-cash changes				
	1 April 2023 S\$	Additions S\$	Reclassification S\$	Cash flows S\$	31 March 2024 S\$
Lease liabilities					
– current	828,070	-	970,953	(843,136)	955,887
– non-current	3,136,162	286,000	(970,953)	-	2,451,209
Total	<u>3,964,232</u>	<u>286,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(843,136)</u>	<u>3,407,096</u>
	1 April 2022 S\$	Additions S\$	Reclassification S\$	Cash flows S\$	31 March 2023 S\$
Lease liabilities					
– current	368,910	4,368,418	(3,043,394)	(865,864)	828,070
– non-current	92,768	-	3,043,394	-	3,136,162
Total	<u>461,678</u>	<u>4,368,418</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(865,864)</u>	<u>3,964,232</u>

The Group's obligations under the leases are secured by the lessors' title to the leased assets (Note 12) and corporate guarantees of a subsidiary of the Company.

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27 DEFERRED TAX

Deferred income tax as at 31 March relates to the following:

	Consolidated statement of financial position		Consolidated statement of comprehensive income	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Group				
Gross deferred tax assets				
Other deductible temporary differences	117,951	117,950	1	19,987
	117,951	117,950		
Gross deferred tax liabilities				
Unremitted foreign interest income	(249,342)	(186,422)	(62,920)	(53,283)
Differences in depreciation for tax purposes	(129,382)	(168,739)	39,357	20,895
	(378,724)	(355,161)		
	(260,773)	(237,211)		
Deferred tax credit (Note 9)			(23,562)	(12,401)

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 the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority. The amounts determined after appropriate offsetting are included in the consolidated statement of financial position as follows:

	Group	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Net deferred tax liabilities	(260,773)	(237,211)
	Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Deferred tax liabilities		
Differences in depreciation of plant and equipment for tax purposes	3,777	(35,581)
Unremitted foreign interest income	(249,342)	(186,422)
	(245,565)	(222,003)

28 COMMITMENTS

Operating lease commitments – as lessor

The Group has entered into commercial leases on its operating lease premises. Future minimum rentals receivable for premises under non-cancellable operating leases at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

	Group and Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Not later than one year	26,730	118,800
Later than one year but not later than five years	-	69,300
	26,730	188,100

All leases include clauses to enable upward revision of the rental charge on an annual basis based on prevailing market conditions and renewal options. No arrangement entered for contingent rent payments.

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29 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In addition to the related party information disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements, the following significant transactions between the Group and related parties took place at terms agreed between the parties during the financial year:

(a) Sales and Purchase of Services

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
With a shareholder				
Consultancy fees charged by a shareholder	388,963	465,305	388,963	465,305
With a director				
Consultancy fees charged by a director of a subsidiary	155,100	403,240	-	-
With an associate				
Interest income charged to an associate	244,317	344,497	244,317	344,497

(b) Compensation of Key Management Personnel

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Directors' fees	213,750	202,000	213,750	202,000
Short-term benefits	1,887,980	1,837,030	588,000	700,000
Contributions to the defined contribution plans	120,133	126,603	21,274	23,640
Total compensation paid to key management personnel	2,221,863	2,165,633	823,024	925,640
Comprise amounts paid to:				
- Directors of the Company	823,024	925,640	823,024	925,640
- Directors of subsidiaries	1,246,887	1,078,055	-	-
- Other key management personnel	151,952	161,938	-	-
	2,221,863	2,165,633	823,024	925,640

The remuneration of key management personnel is determined by the Remuneration Committee having regard to the performance of individuals and market trends.

30 CONTINGENT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Corporate guarantees

The Company and a subsidiary have issued corporate guarantees for bank borrowings and finance lease liabilities of certain subsidiaries. These bank borrowings and finance lease liabilities amounted to S\$2,709,231 (2023: S\$1,503,355) at the end of reporting period and are collateralised against certain assets of the Company and the respective subsidiaries as disclosed in Notes 24 and 26 to the financial statements respectively. The fair value of such financial guarantees is not expected to be material due to the credit quality and financial standing of the subsidiaries involved. Accordingly, the financial guarantees have not been recognised in the financial statements.

Financial support

As at the end of the financial year, the Company had given undertakings to certain subsidiaries to provide continued financial support to these subsidiaries to enable them to operate as a going concern and to meet their obligations as and when they fall due for at least 12 months from the date of the authorised financial statements.

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30 CONTINGENT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

Litigation against two former employees

Tritech Water Technologies (Group) Pte Ltd ("TWT"), a subsidiary of the Company, Tritech Engineering & Testing (Singapore) Pte Ltd ("TET"), a subsidiary of the Company, and TEG (collectively referred to as the "Tritech") were involved in litigation with two former employees who were integral to its China operations.

On 25 September 2018, Tritech commenced legal proceedings, pursuing claims against two former employees for breach of confidence as well as claim to one of former employee, who had worked on a series of unsuccessful projects during the period of his employment.

On 20 October 2021, Shenzhen Intermediate People's Court has awarded for the amount of CNY1,000,000 (equivalents to S\$210,200), in favour of Tritech, for unfair competition and infringement of trade secrets. Tritech had appealed its for a higher awarded of CNY2,000,000 (equivalents to S\$420,400) but was not successful based on the judgement of the Supreme People's Court on 23 October 2023.

On 22 February 2023, the General Division of the High Court of Singapore has ruled in favour of Tritech and has awarded the amount of CNY400,000 (equivalents to S\$77,500) with interest at 5.33% from the date of the writ. On 15 March 2023, the General Division of the High Court of Singapore has ruled in favour of Tritech and has awarded the amount of S\$553,257 for the disbursement of cost of liability tranche and legal fees. The defendants did not exercise their rights to appeal and it had lapsed on 12 April 2023. The assessment of damages for tort and patent infringement is still pending as at date of the financial statement. The aggregate sum and disbursement to be received from defendant are S\$568,757 and CNY511,859 (equivalents to S\$95,600) respectively as at the date of statutory demand on 21 June 2023.

On 10 July 2023, Tritech commenced to seek bankruptcy order against the two former employees.

As at 31 March 2024 and as at the date of the authorised financial statements, the Group has not recorded the awarded amounts in the financial statement as management has assessed that the probability of net inflow of economic benefits is remote.

31 SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group is organised into business units based on their products and services, and has three reportable segments as follows:

- (i) Smart Urban Development segment, which comprises one-stop integrated service provider for smart urban development, covering urban planning, site investigation, design and consultancy, engineering survey, instrumentation and monitoring, project management, construction supervision, data collection, big data analytics, artificial intelligence and cloud computing digital platform;
- (ii) Water and Environment segment, which comprises one-stop product-technology-design-build-operation service provider for water treatment & environmental protection projects, covering membrane products, smart technologies, engineering solutions, design and consultancy, construction, operation and maintenance; and
- (iii) Corporate business, which comprises Group-level corporate services and treasury functions.

In the previous financial year, the Engineering segment had been renamed to Smart Urban Development segment following an internal restructuring of Geosoft Pte Ltd and Tritech Syseng (S) Pte Ltd under ADAS Group Pte Ltd. This change did not result in any change in the Group's principal activities or risk profile but management considered this change to be more reflective of an integrated service system which was in line with its business direction.

Management monitors the operating results of its business units separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment. Segment performance is evaluated based on operating profit or loss which in certain respects, as explained in the table below, is measured differently from operating profit or loss in the consolidated financial statements.

Transfer prices between operating segments are on an arm's length basis in a manner similar to transactions with third parties.

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31 SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

	Smart urban development business S\$	Water and environment business S\$	Corporate S\$	Adjustments S\$	Per consolidated financial statements S\$
2024					
Revenue:					
Sales to external customers	27,304,784	28,391	-	-	27,333,175
Inter-segment sales	1,273,823	7,544	840,000	(2,121,367)	-
Total revenue	<u>28,578,607</u>	<u>35,935</u>	<u>840,000</u>	<u>(2,121,367)</u>	<u>27,333,175</u>
Results:					
Segment results	2,419,290	(1,047,196)	(3,574,636)	-	(2,202,542)
Finance costs	(317,093)	-	(467,339)	-	(784,432)
Interest income	13,567	1,894	264,359	-	279,820
Share of results of associate	-	-	(350)	-	(350)
Profit/(loss) before taxation	2,115,764	(1,045,302)	(3,777,966)	-	(2,707,504)
Income tax credit					389,321
Loss for the year					<u>(2,318,183)</u>
Significant non-cash items:					
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	2,361,007	57,307	48,623	-	2,466,937
Fair value gain on contingent consideration	-	-	(3,324,165)	-	(3,324,165)
Deemed interest income on non-current payable	-	-	(155,282)	-	(155,282)
Fair value loss on investment securities	-	-	75,420	-	75,420
Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	(22,951)	-	-	-	(22,951)
Impairment loss on financial assets	1,610	-	5,170,332	-	5,171,942
Plant and equipment written off	1,105	-	-	-	1,105
Foreign exchange loss	11,205	293	144,149	-	155,647
Write-back of impairment loss on financial assets	(175,386)	(24,356)	(704,300)	-	(904,042)
Contract assets written off	104,513	-	-	-	104,513
Capital expenditure:					
Plant and equipment	1,799,920	1,192	-	-	1,801,112
Intangible assets	3,013,629	-	-	-	3,013,629
Assets	<u>22,321,104</u>	<u>1,672,795</u>	<u>3,466,330</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>27,460,229</u>
Liabilities	<u>13,019,588</u>	<u>874,304</u>	<u>11,608,719</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>25,502,611</u>

Note: Nature of adjustments relate to inter-segment revenues and are eliminated to arrive at amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements

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31 SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

	Smart urban development business S\$	Water and environment business S\$	Corporate S\$	Adjustments S\$	Per consolidated financial statements S\$
2023					
Revenue:					
Sales to external customers	27,472,022	73,971	-	-	27,545,993
Inter-segment sales	1,099,704	44,632	840,000	(1,984,336)	-
Total revenue	<u>28,571,726</u>	<u>118,603</u>	<u>840,000</u>	<u>(1,984,336)</u>	<u>27,545,993</u>
Results:					
Segment results	2,051,340	(2,158,828)	(5,258,017)	-	(5,365,505)
Finance costs	(236,976)	-	(474,998)	-	(711,974)
Interest income	3,287	1,599	364,716	-	369,602
Share of results of associate	-	-	(6,259,069)	-	(6,259,069)
Profit/(loss) before taxation	1,817,651	(2,157,229)	(11,627,368)	-	(11,966,946)
Income tax credit					13,686
Loss for the year					<u>(11,953,260)</u>
Significant non-cash items:					
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	2,210,335	56,620	43,359	-	2,310,314
Fair value loss on contingent consideration	-	-	339,837	-	339,837
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(1,000)	-	-	(1,000)
Impairment loss on intangible assets	454,229	128,590	-	-	582,819
Impairment loss on financial assets	-	-	1,328,950	-	1,328,950
Plant and equipment written off	1,541	-	-	-	1,541
Write-back of impairment loss on financial assets	(86,665)	-	-	-	(86,665)
Capital expenditure:					
Plant and equipment	1,196,125	23,530	54,330	-	1,273,985
Intangible assets	118,071	-	-	-	118,071
Assets	<u>17,485,792</u>	<u>3,000,147</u>	<u>15,166,054</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>35,651,993</u>
Liabilities	<u>14,117,165</u>	<u>718,876</u>	<u>16,538,787</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31,374,828</u>

Note: Nature of adjustments relate to inter-segment revenues and are eliminated to arrive at amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements

Geographical information

Revenue and non-current assets information based on the geographical location of customers and assets respectively are as follows:

	Revenue		Non-current assets*	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Singapore	<u>27,333,175</u>	27,540,252	<u>12,534,536</u>	11,530,777
PRC	-	-	-	4,139,043
Vietnam	-	5,741	-	-
	<u>27,333,175</u>	<u>27,545,993</u>	<u>12,534,536</u>	<u>15,669,820</u>

* Non-current assets consist of property, plant and equipment, investment property, investment in associate, right-of-use asset, intangible assets and other receivables as presented in the consolidated statement of financial position of the Group.

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31 SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Information about major customers

During the financial year ended 31 March 2024, revenue from 2 (2023: 2) major customers amounted to S\$21,638,219 (2023: S\$22,885,634) and arose from geotechnical services rendered within the smart urban development business segment.

32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Group and the Company are exposed to financial risks arising from its operations and the use of financial instruments. The key financial risks include interest rate risk, foreign currency risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The board of directors reviews and agrees policies and procedures for the management of these risks. It is, and has been throughout the years under review, the Group's policy that no trading in derivatives for speculative purposes shall be undertaken. The Group and the Company do not apply hedge accounting.

The following sections provide details regarding the Group's and the Company's exposure to the above-mentioned financial risks and the objectives, policies and processes for the management of these risks.

There has been no change to the Group's exposure to these financial risks or the manner in which it manages and measures the risks.

(a) Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of the Group's and the Company's financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Group's and the Company's exposure to interest rate risk arises primarily from the Group's short-term deposits, loan from shareholders, finance lease liabilities and borrowings.

The Group's policy is to manage interest cost by maintaining an efficient and optimal interest cost structure using a combination of fixed and variable rate debts, and long and short-term borrowings.

Sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk

At the end of the reporting period, if interest rates had been 100 (2023: 100) basis points higher/lower with all other variables held constant, the Group's loss net of tax would have been approximately S\$1,200 lower (2023: S\$1,000 lower), arising mainly as a result of higher/lower interest income on cash and short-term deposits and higher/lower interest expenses on floating rate loans and borrowings.

(b) Foreign Currency Risk

The Group operates in Asia with dominant operations in Singapore and PRC. Entities in the Group regularly transacts in currencies other than their respective functional currencies ("foreign currencies").

Currency risk arises within entities in the Group and the Company mainly from transactions and balances denominated in United States Dollar ("US\$"), New Zealand Dollar ("NZD"), Euro and Chinese Yuan ("CNY"). Exposure to foreign currency risk is monitored on an on-going basis to ensure that the net exposure is at an acceptable level.

As at the end of the reporting period, the carrying amounts of monetary assets and monetary liabilities denominated in foreign currencies other than the respective entity's functional currency are disclosed in the respective notes to the financial statements. The Group and the Company have not entered into any currency forward contracts during the financial year.

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(b) Foreign Currency Risk (Continued)

Sensitivity analysis for foreign currency risk

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in the NZD and CNY against the functional currencies of the Group's entities with all other variables held constant, on the Group's loss before tax:

	Group Increase/(decrease) Loss before tax	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
NZD against S\$		
- Strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	132,118	126,985
- Weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(132,118)	(126,985)
CNY against S\$		
- Strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	(288,793)	(322,833)
- Weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	288,793	322,833

The potential impact of foreign exchange rate fluctuation on profit or loss of the Group as described in the sensitivity analysis above is attributable mainly to foreign exchange rate fluctuations on the Group's exposure on foreign currency denominated receivables and payables as at the end of the reporting period.

(c) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of loss that may arise on outstanding financial instruments should a counterparty default on its obligations. The Group's and the Company's exposure to credit risk arises primarily from trade and other receivables. For other financial assets (including investment securities, cash and short-term deposits), the Group and the Company minimise credit risk by dealing exclusively with high credit rating counterparties.

The Group's objective is to seek continual revenue growth while minimising losses incurred due to increased credit risk exposure. The Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Group's exposure to bad debts is not significant.

The Group considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period.

The Group has determined the default event on a financial asset to be when the counterparty fails to make contractual payments, within 90 days when they fall due, which are derived based on the Group's historical information.

The Group considers "low risk" to be an investment grade credit rating with at least one major rating agency for those investments with credit rating. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk, the company compares the risk of a default occurring on the asset as at reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. The Group considers available reasonable and supportive forwarding-looking information which includes the following indicators:

- Internal credit rating
- External credit rating
- Actual or expected significant adverse changes in business, financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to the borrower's ability to meet its obligations
- Actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the borrower
- Significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same borrower
- Significant changes in the value of the collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of third-party guarantees or credit enhancements
- Significant changes in the expected performance and behaviour of the borrower, including changes in the payment status of borrowers in the group and changes in the operating results of the borrower.

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(c) Credit Risk (Continued)

The Group determined that its financial assets are credit-impaired when:

- There is significant difficulty of the issuer or the borrower;
- There is a breach of contract, such as a default or past due event;
- It is becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; or
- There is a disappearance of an active market for that financial asset because of financial difficulty.

The Group categorises a loan or receivable for potential write-off when a debtor fails to make contractual payments more than 90 days past due. Financial assets are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, such as a debtor failing to engage in a repayment plan with the Group. Where loans and receivables have been written off, the company continues to engage enforcement activity to attempt to recover the receivable due. Where recoveries are made, these are recognised in profit or loss.

The following are credit risk management practices and quantitative and qualitative information about amounts arising from expected credit losses for each class of financial assets.

(i) Debt instruments and loans at amortised cost

The Group uses three categories of internal credit risk ratings for debt instruments and loans which reflect their credit risk and how the loss provision is determined for each of those categories. These internal credit risk ratings are determined through incorporating both qualitative and quantitative information that builds on information from external credit rating companies, supplemented with information specific to the counterparty and other external information that could affect the counterparty's behaviour.

The Group compute expected credit loss for this group of financial assets using the probability of defaults approach. In calculating the expected credit loss rates, the Group considers implied probability of default from external rating agencies where available and historical loss rates for each category of counterparty, and adjusts for forward looking macroeconomic.

A summary of the Group's internal grading category in the computation of the Group's expected credit loss model for the debt instruments is as follows:

Category	Definition of category	Basis for recognition of expected credit loss provision	Basis for calculating expected credit loss
Grade I	Customers have a low risk of default and a strong capacity to meet contractual cash flows.	12-month expected credit losses	Gross carrying amount
Grade II	Loans for which there is a significant increase in credit risk; as significant increase in credit risk is presumed if interest and/or principal repayments are 30 days past due.	Lifetime expected credit losses	Gross carrying amount
Grade III	Interest and/or principal repayments are 60 days past due.	Lifetime expected credit losses	Amortised cost of carrying amount (net of credit allowance)

There are no significant changes to estimation techniques or assumptions made during the reporting period.

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(c) Credit Risk (Continued)

(ii) Financial assets at amortised cost

The movement of the loss allowance provision for financial assets at amortised cost is as follows:

	Group	
	Financial assets at amortised cost	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
As at beginning of the year	2,240,713	996,289
Loss allowance measured at:		
Lifetime ECL/12-month ECL		
– Trade and non-trade amounts (Simplified approach)	241,870	2,240
– Associate	4,930,072	1,328,950
Write-back during the year	(904,042)	(86,766)
As at end of the year	6,508,613	2,240,713

The gross carrying amount of financial assets at amortised cost (excluding GST refundable and advances) is as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	S\$	S\$
Financial assets at amortised cost		
– 12-month ECL	1,329,392	1,868,705
– Lifetime ECL	7,716,032	13,470,320
Total	9,045,424	15,339,025

The gross carrying amounts of trade and other receivables of the Group are disclosed in Note 16.

(iii) Trade receivables and contract assets

The Group provides for lifetime expected credit losses for all trade receivables, and contract assets using a provision matrix. The provision rates are determined based on the Group's historical observed default rates analysed in accordance to days past due by grouping of customers based on geographical region. The loss allowance provision as at 31 March 2024 is determined as follows, the expected credit losses below also incorporate forward looking information based on specific economic data.

Summarised below is the information about the credit risk exposure on the Group's trade-related balances using provision matrix, grouped by geographical region:

	Trade receivables					Total S\$
	Contract assets S\$	Current S\$	31-60 days S\$	61-90 days S\$	>90 days S\$	
<u>2024</u>						
Gross carrying amount	5,821,939	1,104,312	39,613	24,041	165,065	7,154,970
Loss allowance provision	-	-	-	-	(125,612)	(125,612)
<u>2023</u>						
Gross carrying amount	5,123,734	1,854,539	41,169	84,018	1,322,047	8,425,507
Loss allowance provision	(6,604)	-	-	-	(303,060)	(309,664)

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(c) Credit Risk (Continued)

(iii) Trade receivables and contract assets (Continued)

	Contract assets S\$	Trade receivables				Total S\$
		Current S\$	31-60 days S\$	61-90 days S\$	>90 days S\$	
Other geographical areas:						
<u>2024</u>						
Gross carrying amount	-	-	-	-	158,951	158,951
Loss allowance provision	-	-	-	-	(158,951)	(158,951)
<u>2023</u>						
Gross carrying amount	-	-	-	-	158,951	158,951
Loss allowance provision	-	-	-	-	(158,951)	(158,951)

Excessive risk concentration

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

In order to avoid excessive concentrations of risk, the Group's policies and procedures include specific guidelines to focus on maintaining a diversified portfolio. Identified concentrations of credit risks are controlled and managed accordingly.

Exposure to credit risk

As at the end of the reporting period, the Group's and the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by:

- the carrying amount of each class of financial assets recognised in the statements of financial position; and
- a nominal amount of S\$2,709,231 (2023: S\$1,503,355) relating to corporate guarantees provided by the Group to the banks on subsidiaries' bank loans and certain finance lease liabilities.

Credit risk concentration profile

The Group determines concentrations of credit risk by monitoring the country and industry sector profile of its trade receivables on an ongoing basis. The credit risk concentration profile of the Group's trade receivables at the end of the reporting period is as follows:

	Group				
	S\$	2024	%	2023	%
<u>By country:</u>					
Singapore	1,207,419		100.0	2,998,713	100.0
<u>By industry sector:</u>					
Smart urban development business	1,206,457		99.9	2,986,442	99.6
Water and environment business	962		0.1	12,271	0.4
	1,207,419		100.0	2,998,713	100.0

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(c) Credit Risk (Continued)

(iii) Trade receivables and contract assets (Continued)

Financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired

Trade receivables that are neither past due nor impaired are with debtors with good collection track record with the Group and the Company. Cash and short-term deposits that are neither past due nor impaired are placed with reputable commercial banks and financial institutions which are regulated in Singapore and has no history of default.

(d) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group or the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting financial obligations due to shortage of funds. The Group's and the Company's exposure to liquidity risk arises primarily from mismatches of the maturities of financial assets and liabilities. The Group's and the Company's objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and by matching the payment and receipt cycle.

The Group and the Company manage their debt maturity profile, operating cash flows and the availability of funding so as to ensure that all repayment and funding needs are met. As part of the overall prudent liquidity management, the Group and the Company maintain sufficient levels of cash and short-term deposits to meet their working capital requirements.

The following table details the Group's and Company's remaining contractual maturity for the financial instruments. The table has been drawn up based on undiscounted cash flows of financial instruments based on the earlier of the contractual date or when the Group and the Company are expected to receive or pay.

	<u>One year or less S\$</u>	<u>One to five years S\$</u>	<u>Over five years S\$</u>	<u>Total S\$</u>
Group				
2024				
<u>Financial assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	2,536,811	-	-	2,536,811
Cash and short-term deposits	4,749,271	-	-	4,749,271
Total undiscounted financial assets	<u>7,286,082</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,286,082</u>
<u>Financial liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	10,179,531	1,374,718	-	11,554,249
Borrowings	4,073,169	384,500	-	4,457,669
Lease liabilities	1,142,222	2,642,732	-	3,784,954
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,969,996	-	4,969,996
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>15,394,922</u>	<u>9,371,946</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>24,766,868</u>
Total net undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>(8,108,840)</u>	<u>(9,371,946)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(17,480,786)</u>
2023				
<u>Financial assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	9,329,277	5,483,376	-	14,812,653
Cash and short-term deposits	5,238,911	-	-	5,238,911
Total undiscounted financial assets	<u>14,568,188</u>	<u>5,483,376</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>20,051,564</u>
<u>Financial liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	15,026,954	-	-	15,026,954
Borrowings	2,228,392	1,168,103	64,010	3,460,505
Lease liabilities	1,051,410	3,478,698	-	4,530,108
Loans from a shareholder	-	5,413,116	-	5,413,116
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>18,306,756</u>	<u>10,059,917</u>	<u>64,010</u>	<u>28,430,683</u>
Total net undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>(3,738,568)</u>	<u>(4,576,541)</u>	<u>(64,010)</u>	<u>(8,379,119)</u>

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32 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(d) Liquidity Risk (Continued)

	One year or less S\$	One to five years S\$	Over five years S\$	Total S\$
Company				
2024				
<u>Financial assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	5,124,360	-	-	5,124,360
Cash and short-term deposits	20,680	-	-	20,680
Total undiscounted financial assets	<u>5,145,040</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,145,040</u>
<u>Financial liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	8,103,501	1,374,718	-	9,478,219
Borrowings	1,592,096	197,837	23,560	1,813,493
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,969,996	-	4,969,996
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>9,695,597</u>	<u>6,542,551</u>	<u>23,560</u>	<u>16,261,708</u>
Total net undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>(4,550,557)</u>	<u>(6,542,551)</u>	<u>(23,560)</u>	<u>(11,116,668)</u>
2023				
<u>Financial assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	6,261,236	5,483,376	-	11,744,612
Cash and short-term deposits	157,421	-	-	157,421
Total undiscounted financial assets	<u>6,418,657</u>	<u>5,483,376</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>11,902,033</u>
<u>Financial liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	11,261,735	-	-	11,261,735
Borrowings	1,581,508	413,465	64,010	2,058,983
Loans from a shareholder	-	5,413,116	-	5,413,116
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>12,843,243</u>	<u>5,826,581</u>	<u>64,010</u>	<u>18,733,834</u>
Total net undiscounted financial liabilities	<u>(6,424,586)</u>	<u>(343,205)</u>	<u>(64,010)</u>	<u>(6,831,801)</u>

(1) Exclude GST refundable and advances.

(2) Exclude GST payable.

The table below shows the contractual expiry by maturity of the Company's and a subsidiary's corporate guarantee. The maximum amount of the financial guarantee contracts is allocated to the earliest period in which the guarantees could be called.

	One year or less	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Financial guarantees provided to subsidiaries	<u>2,709,231</u>	<u>1,503,355</u>

33 FAIR VALUE OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

(a) Fair Value Hierarchy

The Group categorises fair value measurement using a fair value hierarchy that is dependent on the valuation inputs used as follows:

Level 1 – Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active market for identical assets or liabilities that the Group can access at the measurement date;

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly, and

Level 3 – Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

Fair value measurements that use inputs of different hierarchy levels are categorised in its entirety in the same level of the fair value hierarchy as the lowest level input that is significant to the entire measurement.

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33 FAIR VALUE OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

(b) Assets and Liabilities measured at Fair Value

	Note	Quoted prices in active markets for identical instruments Level 1 S\$	Fair value measurements using		Total S\$
			Significant observable inputs other than quoted prices Level 2 S\$	Significant unobservable inputs Level 3 S\$	
Group and Company					
2024					
Assets					
<i>Financial assets:</i>					
Investment securities	18	50,280	-	-	50,280
2023					
Assets					
<i>Financial assets:</i>					
Investment securities	18	125,700	-	-	125,700
Liabilities					
<i>Financial liabilities:</i>					
Contingent consideration	23	-	-	6,263,847	6,263,847

(c) Assets and Liabilities not measured At Fair Value, for which Fair Value is disclosed

The following table shows an analysis of the Group's assets and liabilities not measured at fair value, for which fair value is disclosed:

	Note	Quoted prices in active markets for identical instruments Level 1 S\$	Fair value measurements using		Total S\$
			Significant observable inputs other than quoted prices Level 2 S\$	Significant unobservable inputs Level 3 S\$	
Group and Company					
2023					
Assets					
<i>Non-financial assets:</i>					
Investment property	12	-	-	2,100,000	2,100,000

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33 FAIR VALUE OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

(d) Level 3 Fair Value Measurements

Valuation policies and procedures

The Group's Financial Controller ("FC") oversees the Group's financial reporting valuation process and is responsible for setting and documenting the Group's valuation policies and procedures.

For all significant financial reporting valuations using valuation model and significant unobservable inputs, it is the Group's policy to engage external valuation experts to perform the valuation. The FC is responsible for selecting and engaging valuation experts that possess the relevant credentials and knowledge on the subject of valuation, valuation methodologies, and SFRS(I) 13 *Fair Value Measurement* guidance.

For valuations performed by external valuation experts, the FC reviews the appropriateness of the valuation methodologies and assumptions adopted. The FC also evaluates the appropriateness and reliability of the inputs (including those developed internally by the Group) used in the valuations.

In selecting the appropriate valuation models and inputs to be adopted for each valuation that uses significant unobservable inputs, external valuation experts are requested to calibrate the valuation models and inputs to actual market transactions (which may include transactions entered into by the Group with third parties as appropriate) that are relevant to the valuation if such information are reasonably available.

Significant changes in fair value measurements from period to period are evaluated by the FC for reasonableness. Key drivers of the changes are identified and assessed for reasonableness against relevant information from independent sources, or internal sources if necessary and appropriate.

34 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY

Set out below is the carrying amount of each of the categories of the Group's and the Company's financial instruments that are carried in the financial statements:

	Financial assets at amortised cost S\$	Financial liabilities at amortised cost S\$	Financial assets/liabilities at fair value through profit or loss S\$	Total S\$
Group				
2024				
<u>Assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	2,536,811	-	-	2,536,811
Cash and short-term deposits	4,749,271	-	-	4,749,271
Investment securities	-	-	50,280	50,280
	<u>7,286,082</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>50,280</u>	<u>7,336,362</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	-	11,554,249	-	11,554,249
Borrowings	-	4,229,129	-	4,229,129
Lease liabilities	-	3,407,096	-	3,407,096
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,417,700	-	4,417,700
	<u>-</u>	<u>23,608,174</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23,608,174</u>
2023				
<u>Assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	13,098,697	-	-	13,098,697
Cash and short-term deposits	5,238,911	-	-	5,238,911
Investment securities	-	-	125,700	125,700
	<u>18,337,608</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>125,700</u>	<u>18,463,308</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	-	8,763,107	6,263,847	15,026,954
Borrowings	-	3,350,447	-	3,350,447
Lease liabilities	-	3,964,232	-	3,964,232
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,498,100	-	4,498,100
	<u>-</u>	<u>20,575,886</u>	<u>6,263,847</u>	<u>26,839,733</u>

(1) Exclude GST refundable and advances.

(2) Exclude GST payable.

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34 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY (CONTINUED)

	Financial assets at amortised cost S\$	Financial liabilities at amortised cost S\$	Financial assets/liabilities at fair value through profit or loss S\$	Total S\$
Company				
2024				
<u>Assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	5,124,360	-	-	5,124,360
Cash and short-term deposits	20,680	-	-	20,680
Investment securities	-	-	50,280	50,280
	5,145,040	-	50,280	5,195,320
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	-	9,478,219	-	9,478,219
Borrowings	-	1,773,239	-	1,773,239
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,417,700	-	4,417,700
	-	15,669,158	-	15,669,158
2023				
<u>Assets</u>				
Trade and other receivables ⁽¹⁾	10,072,943	-	-	10,072,943
Cash and short-term deposits	157,421	-	-	157,421
Investment securities	-	-	125,700	125,700
	10,230,364	-	125,700	10,356,064
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Trade and other payables ⁽²⁾	-	4,997,889	6,263,847	11,261,736
Borrowings	-	1,995,141	-	1,995,141
Loans from a shareholder	-	4,498,100	-	4,498,100
	-	11,491,130	6,263,847	17,754,977

(1) Exclude GST refundable and advances.

(2) Exclude GST payable.

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35 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

Capital includes debt and equity items as disclosed in the table below.

The primary objective of the Group's capital management is to ensure that the Group and the Company are able to continue as a going concern and maintain an optimal capital structure so as to maximise shareholders' value.

Management constantly reviews the capital structure to ensure the Group and the Company are able to service any debt obligations (include principal repayment and interests) based on their operating cash flows. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the financial years ended 31 March 2024 and 2023.

The Group monitors capital based on a gearing ratio. The gearing ratio is calculated as net debt divided by total capital. Net debt is calculated as borrowings, lease liabilities, and trade and other payables, less cash and short-term deposits. Total capital is calculated as total equity plus net debt.

The Group monitors its capital structure as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024 S\$	2023 S\$	2024 S\$	2023 S\$
Trade and other payables	12,039,115	15,454,701	9,478,219	11,261,735
Borrowings	4,229,129	3,350,447	1,773,239	1,995,141
Lease liabilities	3,407,096	3,964,232	-	-
Less: Cash and short-term deposits	(4,749,271)	(5,238,911)	(20,680)	(157,421)
Net debt	14,926,069	17,530,469	11,230,778	13,099,455
Total equity	1,957,618	4,277,165	8,216,739	10,946,593
Total capital	16,883,687	21,807,634	19,447,517	24,046,048
Gearing ratio	88.41%	80.39%	57.75%	54.48%

In order to maintain their status with local regulatory authorities in the construction industry, certain subsidiaries of the Group are required to maintain a minimum paid up capital and minimum net worth respectively.

Certain banking facilities granted to certain subsidiaries and the Company require the Group and/or these entities to adhere to certain capital requirements. They are required to maintain certain net worth or gearing ratios in excess of specific financial thresholds.

The Group and the Company are in compliance with all externally imposed capital requirements for the financial years ended 31 March 2024 and 31 March 2023.

36 EVENTS OCCURRING AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

On 4 June 2024, the Company and the Placees (collectively referred to as the "Parties") entered into a Fourth Supplemental Agreement, with effect from 7 June 2024 ("Effective Date of the Fourth Supplemental Agreement"), to extend the Options Exercise Period for the Proposed Options Grant for a further six months from 7 June 2024 to 7 December 2024, or such other date as the Parties may agree to in writing. In consideration of the Company agreeing to a further extension of the Options Exercise Period, the Placees shall pay the Company a deposit of US\$1,000,000, within thirty days from the Effective Date of the Fourth Supplemental Agreement. The Deposit may be used to offset against the consideration payable by a relevant Placee for its relevant proportion of the Option Shares upon the exercise of options in relation to such Placee. The deposit has not been received as at the date of authorisation of the financial statements.

On 21 June 2024, the disposal of the investment property was completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Sale and Purchase Agreement.

STATISTICS OF SHAREHOLDINGS

As at 20 June 2024

SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and Fully Paid-up Ordinary Share Capital	:	85,282,052
Class of Ordinary Shares	:	Ordinary Shares
Number of Ordinary Shares	:	1,181,534,398
Number of Treasury Shares	:	Nil
Number of Subsidiary Shares	:	Nil
Voting Rights	:	1 vote per Ordinary Share

DISTRIBUTION OF SHAREHOLDINGS

SIZE OF SHAREHOLDINGS	NO. OF SHAREHOLDERS	%	NO. OF SHARES	%
1 – 99	237	15.47	4,144	0.00
100 – 1,000	32	2.09	14,168	0.00
1,001 – 10,000	194	12.66	918,136	0.08
10,001 – 1,000,000	958	62.53	173,359,878	14.67
1,000,001 AND ABOVE	111	7.25	1,007,238,072	85.25
TOTAL	1,532	100.00	1,181,534,398	100.00

TWENTY LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS

NO.	NAME	NO. OF SHARES	%
1	WANG XIAONING	120,673,628	10.21
2	PROTOCOL CAPITAL W.L.L.	83,333,334	7.05
3	ADONIS INVESTMENT HOLDINGS PTE LTD	69,317,985	5.87
4	CAI JUNGANG	62,301,805	5.27
5	LEE SUI HEE	53,310,612	4.51
6	DBS NOMINEES (PRIVATE) LIMITED	46,667,776	3.95
7	PHILLIP SECURITIES PTE LTD	45,058,716	3.81
8	TAN HONG SEOK STEPHANIE LORRAINE	36,833,333	3.12
9	LOH CHANG KAAH	32,554,014	2.76
10	JACKIE NG CHIN SIONG (HUANG ZHENXIONG)	25,000,000	2.12
11	ROADS HOLDING GROUP W.L.L.	25,000,000	2.12
12	ONG GIM LOO	22,000,000	1.86
13	XU YONGSHENG	20,000,000	1.69
14	TAN CHIEN HSIANG (CHEN JIANXIANG)	15,150,000	1.28
15	OCBC SECURITIES PRIVATE LIMITED	15,131,572	1.28
16	TAN HONG BAK	14,040,100	1.19
17	PENG MEI FERN	13,019,700	1.10
18	AW ENG HAI	11,765,000	1.00
19	YONG KWET YEOW	11,300,000	0.96
20	LIM KOK HWA	11,100,000	0.94
TOTAL		733,557,575	62.09

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS

(As recorded in the Register of Substantial Shareholders)

	Direct Interest	%	Indirect Interest	%
WANG XIAONING	120,673,628	10.21	-	-
PROTOCOL CAPITAL W.L.L.	83,333,334	7.05	-	-
ADONIS INVESTMENT HOLDINGS PTE LTD	69,317,985	5.87	-	-
CAI JUNGANG	62,301,805	5.27	-	-

PERCENTAGE OF SHAREHOLDING IN PUBLIC'S HANDS

Based on the information available to the Company as at 20 June 2024, approximately 69.64% of the ordinary issued shares of the Company are held by the public.

Accordingly, Rule 723 of the Listing Manual (Section B: Rule of Catalyst) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited has been complied with.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 15th Annual General Meeting ("AGM" or "Meeting") of the Company will be held at 31 Changi South Avenue 2, Trittech Building, Singapore 486478 on Wednesday, 31 July 2024 at 10.30 a.m. (Singapore Time) for the purposes of considering and, if thought fit, passing with or without modifications the following resolutions:

Ordinary Business

AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Statement and Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 together with the Auditors' Report thereon. **(Resolution 1)**
2. To approve the payment of Directors' fees of S\$213,750 for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 (FY2023: S\$202,000). **(Resolution 2)**
3. To re-elect Mr Aw Eng Hai, a director retiring pursuant to Regulation 117 of the Constitution of the Company. **(Resolution 3)**
(See Explanatory Notes)
4. To re-elect Mr Tan Chade Phang, a director retiring pursuant to Regulation 122 of the Constitution of the Company. **(Resolution 4)**
(See Explanatory Notes)
5. To note the retirement of Professor Yong Kwet Yew who is retiring pursuant to Regulation 117 of the Constitution of the Company and would not be seeking for re-election.

Upon the retirement of Professor Yong Kwet Yew, he will be relinquishing his position as Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Director, Chairman of Nominating Committee and Remuneration Committee, and a member of Audit Committee.
6. To re-appoint Messrs Moore Stephens LLP as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. **(Resolution 5)**

Special Business

AS ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS

7. General Authority to Allot and Issue Shares

That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act 1967 (the "**Companies Act**") and Rule 806 of the Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist ("**Catalist Rules**") of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("**SGX-ST**"), the Directors of the Company be authorised and empowered to:

- (a) (i) allot and issue shares in the Company ("**Shares**") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; and/or;
- (ii) make or grant offers, agreements or options (collectively, "**Instruments**") that might or would require shares to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) options, warrants, debentures or other instruments convertible into shares,

at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as the Directors of the Company may in their absolute discretion deem fit; and

- (b) (notwithstanding the authority conferred by this Resolution may have ceased to be in force) issue shares in pursuance of any Instruments made or granted by the Directors of the Company while this Resolution was in force,

(the "**Share Issue Mandate**")

provided always that:

- (1) the aggregate number of Shares to be issued pursuant to this Resolution (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) does not exceed one hundred per cent (100%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below), provided that the aggregate number of Shares to be issued other than on a *pro rata* basis to shareholders of the Company ("**Shareholders**") (including Shares to be issued in pursuance of Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) does not exceed fifty per cent (50%) of the total number of issued Shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company;

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- (2) (subject to such calculation as may be prescribed by the SGX-ST) for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of shares and Instruments that may be issued under sub-paragraph (1) above, the percentage of issued shares and Instruments shall be based on the number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company at the time of the passing of this Resolution, after adjusting for:
- (a) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of any convertible securities outstanding at the time this authority is given;
 - (b) (where applicable) new Shares arising from exercising share options or vesting of share awards, provided the options or awards were granted in compliance with Part VIII of Chapter 8 of the Catalist Rules; and
 - (c) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Shares;
- any adjustments made in accordance with sub-paragraphs (2)(a) or (2)(b) are only to be made in respect of new shares arising from convertible securities, share options or share awards which were issued and outstanding or subsisting at the time of the passing of the Resolution approving the mandate.
- (3) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Directors shall comply with the Catalist Rules for the time being in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST), all applicable legal requirements under the Companies Act, and otherwise, and the Constitution for the time being of the Company; and
- (4) unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, the Share Issue Mandate shall continue in force (i) until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law and the Catalist Rules to be held, whichever is earlier or (ii) in the case of shares to be issued in pursuance of the Instruments, made or granted pursuant to this Resolution, until the issuance of such shares in accordance with the terms of the Instruments.

(Resolution 6)

(See Explanatory Notes)

8. Authority to grant awards and issue shares under the Trittech Group Performance Share Plan 2021

That pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, the Directors of the Company be authorised and empowered to offer and grant awards under the Trittech Group Performance Share Plan 2021 (the "**Trittech PSP 2021**") and to issue from time to time such number of shares in the capital of the Company as may be required to be issued pursuant to the exercise of awards granted by the Company under the Trittech PSP 2021, whether granted during the subsistence of this authority or otherwise, provided always that the aggregate number of additional ordinary shares to be issued pursuant to the Scheme shall not exceed fifteen per cent (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company from time to time and that such authority shall, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, continue in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company or the date by which the next Annual General Meeting of the Company is required by law to be held, whichever is earlier.

(Resolution 7)

(See Explanatory Notes)

By Order of the Board

Siau Kuei Lian
Company Secretary

15 July 2024
Singapore

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notes:

1. Printed copies of the annual report for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 ("**Annual Report**") will not be sent to members. However, printed copies of this Notice, Proxy Form and the Request Form will be sent to members via postal mail. The Notice, Proxy Form and the Annual Report will also be made available to members on the website of the SGXNET at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements> and may be accessed at the Company's website at the URL https://www.tritech.com.sg/investor_index.html. Shareholders who wish to receive a printed copy of the Annual Report are required to complete the Request Form and return it to us by post at 31 Changi South Avenue 2, Tritech Building, Singapore 486478 or by email to shareholder@tritech.com.sg, no later than 22 July 2024.
2. A member who is not a relevant intermediary is entitled to appoint not more than two proxies. A member shall specify the proportion of his/her/its shareholding to be represented by each proxy in the instrument appointing the proxies, failing which the nomination shall be deemed to be alternative. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
3. A Relevant Intermediary may appoint more than two proxies, but each proxy must be appointed to exercise the rights attached to a different share or shares held by him/her (which number and class of shares shall be specified). Where the number and class of shares in relation to each proxy is not specified, it will be assumed that each proxy is appointed in relation to an equal number of shares divided amongst the proxies.
4. "**Relevant intermediary**" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 181(6) of the Companies Act 1967 of Singapore.
5. The duly executed instrument appointing a proxy must be sent to the Company in the following manner:
 - (a) if sent personally or by post, be received at the Company's Share Registrar, In.Corp Corporate Services Pte. Ltd. at 30 Cecil Street, #19-08 Prudential Tower, Singapore 049712; or
 - (b) if submitted by email, be sent as a clear readable image to shareregistry@incorp.asia.

in either case, no later than 10.30 a.m. (Singapore Time) on 28 July 2024, and in default the Proxy Form shall not be treated as valid.
6. The instrument appointing a proxy must be signed by the appointor or his/her attorney duly authorised in writing. Where the instrument appointing a proxy is executed by a corporation, it must be executed either under its common seal or under the hand of any officer or attorney duly authorised. A copy of the power of attorney or such other authority must be submitted together with the instrument appointing a proxy.
7. The Company shall be entitled to reject a Proxy Form which is invalid, incomplete, improperly completed, illegible or where the true intentions of the appointor are not ascertainable from the instructions of the appointor specified on the Proxy Form.
8. An investor who holds shares under the Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("**SRS Investors**") (as may be applicable) may attend and cast his/her vote(s) at the AGM in person. SRS Investors who are unable to attend the AGM but would like to vote, may inform their SRS Approved Nominees to appoint the Chairman of the AGM to act as their proxy, at least seven (7) working days before the AGM, in which case, the SRS Investors shall be precluded from attending the AGM.

Submission of questions prior to the AGM

1. Shareholders may submit questions in relation to the proposed resolutions tabled for approval at the AGM by writing to the Company in advance of the AGM. Alternatively, shareholders may also pose such questions during the AGM.
2. Questions related to the agenda of the AGM may be submitted to the Company in the following manner:
 - (a) if sent personally or by post, be received at the registered office of the Company at 31 Changi South Avenue 2, Tritech Building, Singapore 486478; or
 - (b) if submitted by email, to shareholder@tritech.com.sg.

in either case, by 22 July 2024 for the purposes of the AGM.
3. For verification purposes, when submitting any questions via email, members MUST provide the Company with their particulars (comprising full name (for individuals)/company name (for corporations), email address, contact number, NRIC/passport number/company registration number, shareholding type and number of shares held), failing which the submission will be treated as invalid.
4. For questions submitted in advance of the AGM, the Company will endeavour to address the questions which are substantial and relevant to the agenda of the AGM prior to the AGM and by publication on the SGXNET at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements> and the Company's website at the URL https://www.tritech.com.sg/investor_index.html by 25 July 2024. Where substantial and relevant questions submitted by shareholders after 22 July 2024, the Company will address them during the AGM.
5. The minutes of the AGM, shall thereafter be published on the SGXNET within one month from the conclusion of the AGM, and the minutes would include the responses to the substantial and relevant questions addressed at the AGM.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Personal Data Privacy:

By submitting an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to attend, speak and vote at the AGM and/or any adjournment thereof, a member of the Company (i) consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the member's personal data by the Company (or its agents or service providers) for the purpose of the processing, administration and analysis by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of proxies and representatives appointed for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof) and the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof), and in order for the Company (or its agents or service providers) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, regulations and/or guidelines (collectively, the "**Purposes**"), (ii) warrants that where the member discloses the personal data of the member's proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to the Company (or its agents or service providers), the member has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by the Company (or its agents or service providers) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes, and (iii) agrees that the member will indemnify the Company in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the member's breach of warranty.

Explanatory Notes on Ordinary Business to be transacted:

Resolution 3

Mr Aw Eng Hai, upon re-election as Director of the Company, will be re-designated as Non-Executive and Non-Independent Director of the Company, and will be stepping down as Chairman of Audit Committee. He will be appointed as Non-Executive Chairman of the Board and remain as a member of Audit Committee, Nominating Committee and Remuneration Committee. The Board considers Mr Aw Eng Hai to be not independent for the purpose of Rule 704(7) of the Catalyst Rules.

Resolution 4

Mr Tan Chade Phang, upon re-election as Director of the Company, will remain as Independent Director of the Company and a member of Nominating Committee, and will be appointed as Chairman of Audit Committee in place of Mr Aw Eng Hai and Chairman of Remuneration Committee in place of Professor Yong Kwet Yew. The Board considers Mr Tan Chade Phang to be independent for the purpose of Rule 704(7) of the Catalyst Rules.

Explanatory Notes on Special Business to be transacted:

Resolution 6

The Ordinary Resolution 6 proposed in item 7 above, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company, from the date of the forthcoming AGM of the Company until the next AGM of the Company, to allot and issue Shares and convertible securities in the Company, without seeking any further approval from Shareholders in a general meeting but within the limitation imposed by Ordinary Resolution 6, for such purposes as the Directors may consider would be in the best interests of the Company. The number of Shares and convertible securities that the Directors may allot and issue under Ordinary Resolution 6 would not exceed one hundred per cent (100%) of the total number of issued Shares in the capital of the Company (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time of the passing of Ordinary Resolution 6. For issue of Shares and convertible securities other than on a *pro rata* basis to all Shareholders, the aggregate number of Shares and convertible securities to be issued shall not exceed fifty per cent (50%) of the total number of issued Shares in the capital of the Company (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) at the time of the passing of Ordinary Resolution 6.

The one hundred per cent (100%) limit and the fifty per cent (50%) limit will be calculated based on the Company's issued share capital at the time of the passing of Ordinary Resolution 6, after adjusting for:

- (i) new Shares arising from the conversion or exercise of convertible securities;
- (ii) new Shares arising from the exercise of share options or vesting of share awards; and
- (iii) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Shares.

Resolution 7

The Ordinary Resolution 7 proposed in item 8 above, if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company from the date of this AGM until the next AGM of the Company, or the date by which the next AGM of the Company is required by law to be held or the date which such authority is varied or revoked by the Company in a general meeting, whichever is the earlier, to offer and grant awards under the Trittech PSP 2021 and to allot and issue shares in the Company pursuant to the exercise of awards granted or to be granted under the Trittech PSP 2021 up to a number not exceeding in aggregate (for the entire duration of the Trittech PSP 2021) fifteen per cent (15%) of the total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings) in the capital of the Company from time to time.

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TRITECH GROUP LIMITED

(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)
(Company Registration No. 200809330R)

PROXY FORM ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

(Please see notes overleaf before completing this Proxy Form)

IMPORTANT:

1. An investor who holds shares under the Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("SRS Investors") (as may be applicable) may attend and cast his/her vote(s) at the AGM in person. SRS Investors who are unable to attend the Meeting but would like to vote, may inform their SRS Approved Nominees to appoint the Chairman of the Meeting to act as their proxy, at least seven (7) working days before the AGM to, in which case, the SRS Investors shall be precluded from attending the Meeting.
2. This Proxy Form is not valid for use by SRS Investors and shall be ineffective for all intents and purposes if used or purported to be used by them.

I/We, _____ (name) of _____ (NRIC/Passport No./Company Registration No.)
of _____ (address)
being *a member/members of Trittech Group Limited (the "Company"), hereby appoint:

Name	Address	NRIC/Passport Number	Proportion of Shareholdings	
			No. of Shares	%

*and/or (delete as appropriate)

Name	Address	NRIC/Passport Number	Proportion of Shareholdings	
			No. of Shares	%

or failing him/her*, the Chairman of the Meeting as my/our* proxy/proxies* to vote for me/us* on my/our* behalf at the Meeting of the Company to be held at 31 Changi South Avenue 2, Trittech Building, Singapore 486478, on Wednesday, 31 July 2024 at 10.30 a.m. (Singapore Time), and at any adjournment thereof.

I/We* direct my/our* proxy/proxies* to vote for, against or to abstain from voting on the Resolutions to be proposed at the Meeting as indicated hereunder. If no specific direction as to voting is given or in the event of any other matter arising at the AGM and at any adjournment thereof, the proxy/proxies* (other than the Chairman of the Meeting) will vote or abstain from voting at his/her/their* discretion, as he/she/they* will on any other matter arising at the AGM and at any adjournment thereof. In appointing the Chairman of the Meeting as proxy, shareholders (whether individuals or corporates) must give specific instructions as to voting, or abstentions from voting, in the form of proxy, failing which the appointment will be treated as invalid.

The resolutions put to the vote at the AGM shall be decided by way of poll.

No.	Resolutions relating to	For	Against	Abstain
ORDINARY BUSINESSES				
Resolution 1	Directors' Statement, Audited Financial Statements and Auditors' Report for the financial year ended 31 March 2024			
Resolution 2	Directors' fees of S\$213,750 for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 (FY2023: S\$202,000)			
Resolution 3	Re-election of Mr Aw Eng Hai as Director of the Company			
Resolution 4	Re-election of Mr Tan Chade Phang as Director of the Company			
Resolution 5	Re-appointment of Messrs Moore Stephens LLP as Auditors of the Company			
SPECIAL BUSINESSES				
Resolution 6	General Authority to Allot and Issue Shares			
Resolution 7	Authority to grant awards and issue shares under the Trittech Group Performance Share Plan 2021			

Notes:

If you wish to exercise all your votes "For" or "Against" a resolution, or to "Abstain" from voting on a resolution, please tick (✓) within the box provided in respect of that resolution. Alternatively, please indicate the number of shares as appropriate.

*Delete where inapplicable

Dated this _____ day of _____ 2024

Total No. of Shares	No. of Shares
In CDP Register	
In Register of Members	

Signature(s) of Shareholder(s)/Common Seal

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ NOTES OVERLEAF



Notes:

1. Please insert the total number of Shares held by you. If you have Shares entered against your name in the Depository Register (maintained by The Central Depository (Pte) Limited), you should insert that number of Shares. If you have Shares registered in your name in the Register of Members, you should insert that number of Shares. If you have Shares entered against your name in the Depository Register and Shares registered in your name in the Register of Members, you should insert the aggregate number of Shares entered against your name in the Depository Register and registered in your name in the Register of Members. If no number is inserted, this proxy form will be deemed to relate to the entire number of ordinary Shares in the Company registered in your name(s).
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7. The Company shall be entitled to reject a Proxy Form which is invalid, incomplete, improperly completed, illegible or where the true intentions of the appointor are not ascertainable from the instructions of the appointor specified on the Proxy Form.
8. In the case of shares entered in the Depository Register, the Company may reject the proxy form if the member, being the appointor, is not shown to have shares entered against his/her/its name in the Depository Register as at 72 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting, as certified by The Central Depository (Pte) Limited to the Company.
9. An investor who holds shares under the Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("**SRS Investors**") (as may be applicable) may attend and cast his/her vote(s) at the AGM in person. SRS Investors who are unable to attend the AGM but would like to vote, may inform their SRS Approved Nominees to appoint the Chairman of the AGM to act as their proxy, at least seven (7) working days before the AGM, in which case, the SRS Investors shall be precluded from attending the AGM.

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By submitting an instrument appointing a proxy(ies) and/or representative(s), the member accepts and agrees to the personal data privacy terms set out in the Notice of AGM dated 15 July 2024.



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