

Top Glove Corporation Bhd.
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Directors' Report and Audited Financial Statements
31 August 2024

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Directors' report

The directors hereby submit their report together with the audited financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2024.

Principal activities

The principal activities of the Company are investment holding and provision of management services.

The principal activities and other information of the subsidiaries are described in Note 18 to the financial statements.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of these principal activities during the financial year.

Results

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
(Loss)/profit net of tax	<u>(21,412)</u>	<u>11,666</u>
(Loss)/profit attributable to:		
Owners of the parent	(64,876)	11,666
Holders of Perpetual Sukuk	46,610	-
Non-controlling interests	<u>(3,146)</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>(21,412)</u>	<u>11,666</u>

There were no material transfers to or from reserves or provisions during the financial year other than as disclosed in the financial statements.

In the opinion of the directors, the results of the operations of the Group and of the Company during the financial year were not substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature.

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Dividends

The directors do not recommend the payment of any dividend for the financial year ended 31 August 2024.

Directors

The names of the directors of the Company in office since the beginning of the financial year to the date of this report are:

Tan Sri Dr Lim Wee Chai*

Lim Hooi Sin*

Lim Cheong Guan*

Ng Yong Lin*

Datuk Dr. Norma Binti Mansor

Azrina Binti Arshad

Dr. Ngo Get Ping

Gan Mei Mei (Appointed on 26/03/2024)

Lee Ah Too (Appointed on 30/06/2024)

Dr Chong Su-Lin (Resigned on 26/02/2024)

Rowina Ghazali Seth (Resigned on 08/03/2024)

Martin Giles Manen (Resigned on 30/06/2024)

Sharmila Sekarajasekaran (Retired on 18/03/2024)

Dato' Lee Kim Meow (Stepped down on 08/03/2024)

*These directors are also directors of the Company's subsidiaries.

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Directors (cont'd)

The names of the directors of the Company's subsidiaries in office since the beginning of the financial year to the date of this report, not including those directors listed above are:

Chia Hock Yi
Choh Ai Ying
Chong Fei Meng
Chookiad Usaha
Dato' Dr. Sharifah Fauziah Alhabshi
Dato' Ir Haji Ahmad Bin Hassan
Dato' Julie Wong Seng Choo
Dr. Navindra A/L Nageswaran
Dr. Pongsak Kerdvonbundit
Galuh Faradisa
Ho Chee Meng Edmund
Ho Kim Nam
Hue Kon Fah
Lam Yat Hing
Law Eng Lim
Leong Chew Mun
Liew Say Keong
Lim Hwa Chuan
Lim Jin Feng
Lim Keuw Wei
Ling Siew Szen
Low Lee Lee
Lee Sow Theng
Masato Katayama
Ng Seow Wei
Norhazlin Binti Hamzah
Oh Teik Chye
Ong Ah Chye
Phattaraporn Fueangthong
Puah Kean Seng
Puon Tuck Seng
Ravi A/L Supramaniam
Saw Eng Kooi
Svami Utama Batang Taris
Tan Chee Hoong
Tee Sui Ling
Thomas Petermoeller
Wilawan Sakulsongboonsiri
Yap Rueh Yinn

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Directors (cont'd)

The names of the directors of the Company's subsidiaries in office since the beginning of the financial year to the date of this report, not including those directors listed above are (cont'd):

Chen Feng	(Appointed on 08/07/2024)
Dato' Yeo Kok Sing	(Appointed on 08/07/2024)
Mao Li Fei	(Appointed on 08/07/2024)
Cheng Thian Foong	(Appointed on 12/11/2024)
Stephanie Thong Pei Ling	(Resigned on 27/10/2023)
Lew Sin Chiang	(Resigned on 30/11/2023)
Bong Khoon Sheng	(Resigned on 30/01/2024)
Chong Fook Siong	(Resigned on 30/01/2024)
Wu Kin Yeap	(Resigned on 20/02/2024)
Siow Chun Min	(Resigned on 19/09/2024)

Directors' benefits

Neither at the end of the financial year, nor at any time during that year, did there subsist any arrangement to which the Company was a party, whereby the directors might acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate, other than those arising from the share options granted under the employees share options scheme ("ESOS") and the employees share grant plan ("ESGP").

Since the end of the previous financial year, no director has received or become entitled to receive a benefit (other than benefits included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by the directors or the fixed salary of a full-time employee of the Company as shown below) by reason of a contract made by the Company or a related corporation with a director or with a firm of which the director is a member, or with a company in which the director has a substantial financial interest, except as disclosed in the Note 39 to the financial statements.

The directors' benefits are as follows:

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Salaries and other emoluments	7,474	2,705
Fees	1,258	1,187
Pension costs - defined contribution plan	606	310
Social security contributions	84	1
Benefits-in-kind	166	62
	9,588	4,265

The Company maintains a liability insurance for the directors and officers of the Group. The total amount of sum insured for the directors and officers of the Group for the financial year amounted to RM10,000,000 whilst the total amount of premium paid was RM70,000. The directors or officers shall not be indemnified by such insurance for any deliberate negligence, fraud, intentional breach of law or breach of trust proven against them.

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Directors' interests

According to the register of directors' shareholdings, the interests of directors in office at the end of the financial year in shares and options over shares in the Company during the financial year were as follows:

	<----- Number of ordinary shares ----->			
	At			At
	1.9.2023	Acquired	Sold	31.8.2024
Tan Sri Dr <u>Lim</u> Wee Chai				
- direct	2,229,843,256	5,785,600	-	2,235,628,856
- indirect	692,691,448	12,916,800	-	705,608,248
Lim Hooi Sin				
- direct	100,061,244	12,916,800	-	112,978,044
- indirect	2,822,273,460	5,785,600	-	2,828,059,060
Lim Cheong Guan				
- direct	418,000	100,000	-	518,000
Datuk Dr. Norma Binti Mansor				
- indirect	42,900	-	-	42,900
Azrina Binti Arshad				
- direct	10,000	20,487	-	30,487
Dr. Ngo Get Ping				
- direct	770,000	-	-	770,000
Gan Mei Mei				
- direct	8,000	-	-	8,000

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Directors' interests (cont'd)

According to the register of directors' shareholdings, the interests of directors in office at the end of the financial year in shares and options over shares in the Company during the financial year were as follows (cont'd):

	<----- Number of options over ordinary shares ----->			
	At			At
	1.9.2023	Granted	Exercised	31.8.2024
Tan Sri Dr <u>Lim</u> Wee Chai	5,697,100	-	-	5,697,100
Lim Hooi Sin	1,253,900	-	-	1,253,900
Lim Cheong Guan	1,039,000	-	-	1,039,000
Ng Yong Lin	1,075,200	-	-	1,075,200

None of the other directors in office at the end of the financial year had any interest in shares in the Company or its related corporations during the financial year.

Issue of shares

During the financial year, the Company increased its issued and paid-up ordinary share capital from RM1,843,271,000 to RM1,846,990,000 by way of issuance of 2,853,300 (2023: 819,600) ordinary shares pursuant to the Company's ESOS at an exercise price between RM0.88 to RM3.30 (2023: between RM0.89 to RM0.99) per ordinary share.

The new ordinary shares issued during the financial year ranked pari passu in all respects with the existing ordinary shares of the Company.

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Employees share options scheme ("ESOS")

At an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 9 January 2018, shareholders approved the ESOS for the granting of non-transferable options that are settled by physical delivery of the ordinary shares of the Company, to the eligible employees and executive directors respectively of the Company and its subsidiaries.

The committee administering the ESOS comprise three executive directors, Tan Sri Dr Lim Wee Chai, Lim Cheong Guan and Ng Yong Lin; three independent non-executive directors, Azrina Arshad, Dr. Ngo Get Ping and Datuk Dr. Norma Binti Mansor and one management staff, Lim Jin Feng.

The salient features and other terms of the ESOS are disclosed in Note 38(i) to the financial statements.

During the financial year, the Company granted 3,073,200 share options under ESOS. These options will expire on 31 May 2028 and are exercisable if the employee has not served a notice of resignation or receive a notice of termination from the date of grant and certain conditions as detailed in Note 38(i) to the financial statements are met.

Details of the options exercised to subscribe for ordinary shares of the Company pursuant to the ESOS as at 31 August 2024 are as follows:

Expiry date	Exercise price RM	Number of options '000
31 May 2028	3.30	0.1
31 May 2028	0.99	1,741.6
31 May 2028	0.89	100.3
31 May 2028	0.88	664.7
31 May 2028	0.92	346.6
		<u>2,853.3</u>

Details of share options granted to directors are disclosed in the section on Directors' interests in this report.

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Employees share grant plan ("ESGP")

At an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 6 January 2016, shareholders approved the ESGP for the eligible employees and executive directors of the Company and its subsidiaries.

The committee administering the ESGP comprise three executive directors, Tan Sri Dr Lim Wee Chai, Lim Cheong Guan and Ng Yong Lin; three independent non-executive directors, Azrina Arshad, Dr. Ngo Get Ping and Datuk Dr. Norma Binti Mansor and one management staff, Lim Jin Feng.

The salient features and other terms of the ESGP are disclosed in Note 38(ii) to the financial statements.

During the financial year, no share grants under the ESGP to eligible employees and executive directors were granted.

Details of shares granted to directors are disclosed in the section on Directors' benefits in Note 12 of this report.

Treasury shares

As at 31 August 2024, the Company held as treasury shares a total of 199,764,300 of its 8,210,778,000 issued ordinary shares. Such treasury shares are held at a carrying amount of RM1,412,270,000 and further relevant details are disclosed in Note 34 to the financial statement.

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Other statutory information

- (a) Before the statements of comprehensive income and statements of financial position of the Group and of the Company were made out, the directors took reasonable steps:
 - (i) to ascertain that proper action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad debts and the making of allowance for expected credit loss and satisfied themselves that all known bad debts had been written off and that adequate provision had been made for expected credit loss; and
 - (ii) to ensure that any current assets which were unlikely to realise their values as shown in the accounting records in the ordinary course of business had been written down to an amount which they might be expected so to realise.
- (b) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances which would render:
 - (i) the amount written off for bad debts or the amount of the allowance for expected credit loss in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company inadequate to any substantial extent; and
 - (ii) the values attributed to the current assets in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading.
- (c) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances which have arisen which would render adherence to the existing method of valuation of assets or liabilities of the Group and of the Company misleading or inappropriate.
- (d) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances not otherwise dealt with in this report or financial statements of the Group and of the Company which would render any amount stated in the financial statements misleading.
- (e) At the date of this report, there does not exist:
 - (i) any charge on the assets of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year which secures the liabilities of any other person; or
 - (ii) any contingent liability of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year.
- (f) In the opinion of the directors:
 - (i) no contingent or other liability has become enforceable or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which will or may affect the ability of the Group or of the Company to meet their obligations when they fall due; and
 - (ii) no item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature has arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report which is likely to affect substantially the results of the operations of the Group or of the Company for the financial year in which this report is made.

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Auditors

The auditors, Ernst & Young PLT, have expressed their willingness to continue in office.

Auditors' remuneration is as follows:

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Ernst & Young PLT	970	320
Other auditors	569	-
	<u>1,539</u>	<u>320</u>

To the extent permitted by law, the Company has agreed to indemnify its auditors, Ernst & Young PLT, as part of the terms of its audit engagement against claims by third parties arising from the audit for an unspecified amount. No payment has been made to indemnify Ernst & Young PLT for the financial year ended 31 August 2024.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the directors dated 26 November 2024.

Lim Cheong Guan

Lee Ah Too

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**Statement by directors
Pursuant to Section 251(2) of the Companies Act 2016**

We, Lim Cheong Guan and Lee Ah Too, being two of the directors of Top Glove Corporation Bhd., do hereby state that, in the opinion of the directors, the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 19 to 154 are drawn up in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 August 2024 and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the directors dated 26 November 2024.

Lim Cheong Guan

Lee Ah Too

**Statutory declaration
Pursuant to Section 251(1)(b) of the Companies Act 2016**

I, Lim Cheong Guan, being the director primarily responsible for the financial management of Top Glove Corporation Bhd., do solemnly and sincerely declare that the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 19 to 154 are to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1960.

Subscribed and solemnly declared by the
above named, Lim Cheong Guan
at Shah Alam
on 26 November 2024.

Lim Cheong Guan

Before me,

Commissioner for Oaths

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Independent auditors' report to the members of
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Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Top Glove Corporation Bhd., which comprise the statements of financial position as at 31 August 2024 of the Group and of the Company, and statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information, as set out on pages 19 to 154.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 August 2024, and of their financial performance and their cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence and other ethical responsibilities

We are independent of the Group and of the Company in accordance with the By-Laws (on Professional Ethics, Conduct and Practice) of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("By-Laws") and the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) ("IESBA Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the By-Laws and the IESBA Code.

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 Group and of the Company for the current year. We have determined that there are no key audit matters to communicate in our report on the financial statements of the Company. The key audit matters for the audit of the financial statements of the Group are described below. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements of the Group as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

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Key audit matters (cont'd)

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis of our audit opinion on the accompanying financial statements.

Impairment assessment of non-financial assets

MFRS 136 Impairment of Assets requires an entity to assess at the end of each reporting date whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, management shall estimate the recoverable amount of the asset.

In addition, irrespective of whether there is any indication of impairment, an entity shall also test goodwill acquired in a business combination for impairment annually.

- a) Annual impairment test of goodwill arising from the acquisition of Aspion Sdn. Bhd. ("Aspion")
(Refer to Note 4.1, Note 7.2(b) and Note 22 to the financial statements)

As at 31 August 2024, the Group recorded a goodwill of RM796 million arising from the past acquisition of Aspion, which represented 11% of the Group's total assets. The goodwill amount has been allocated to cash generating unit ("CGU") for impairment testing purposes. The Group estimated the recoverable amount of the CGU to which the goodwill is allocated to based on value-in-use ("VIU").

- b) Impairment assessment of property, plant and equipment ("PPE") and rights-of-use assets ("RoU")
(Refer to Note 4.13, Note 4.15, Note 7.2(c), Note 15 and Note 16 to the financial statements)

As at 31 August 2024, the carrying amounts of the property, plant and equipment ("PPE") and right of-use assets ("RoU") of the Group are RM3,605 million and RM174 million respectively, which represented 54% of the Group's total assets.

There were indications that the carrying amounts of the Group's PPE and RoU may be impaired due to lower production utilisation rate as well as lower average selling price of gloves.

Management has determined the recoverable amounts of these assets based on either the estimated VIU or the fair value less cost to sell ("FVLCTS") of the respective CGU, whichever is higher.

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Key audit matters (cont'd)

Impairment assessment of non-financial assets (cont'd)

We have identified the impairment reviews of the goodwill arising from the acquisition of Aspion and the Group's PPE and RoU as areas of audit focus because the reviews involve significant management judgements and estimates, particularly in respect of the assumptions on projected revenue, profit margins, terminal growth rates (which take into consideration the replacement of capital expenditure) and discount rates.

On each of the impairment review, our audit procedures include, amongst others, the following:

- a) Evaluated management's key assumptions on projected revenue, profit margins and terminal growth rates, by considering the current and expected future economic conditions. We compared the projected revenue to the past trends and compared expected revenue growth rates to relevant future market demand. We also evaluated management's estimates of replacement of capital expenditure included in the terminal cash flow by considering the historical replacement cycle and costs incurred, as well as the expected cost escalation.
- b) Together with EY valuation specialists, we evaluated the discount rate used to determine the present value of the cash flows and assessed whether the rate used reflects the current market assessment of the time value of money and the risk specific to the asset is the return that the investors would require if they were to choose an investment that would generate cash flows of amounts, timing and risk profile equivalent to those that the entity expects to derive from the asset.
- c) Assessed the sensitivity of the cash flows to changes in the key assumptions to understand the impact that reasonable alternative assumptions would have on the overall recoverable amount.
- d) Evaluated the adequacy of the Group's disclosures in the financial statements concerning those key assumptions to which the outcome of the impairment assessment is most sensitive.
- e) To the extent that management relied on valuation reports provided by independent professional valuers, we have considered the competence, capabilities and objectivity of the professional valuers. We have also assessed the key assumptions and methodology used by independent professional valuers. This would include comparisons with recent transactions involving other similar assets and where applicable, the age, size and tenure.

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Key audit matters (cont'd)

Review of costing of finished goods inventories
(Refer to Note 4.16, Note 7.2(a) and Note 23 to the financial statements)

As at 31 August 2024, the Group held RM215 million of finished goods inventories. This represented 3% of total assets of the Group. Total cost of inventories relating to finished goods charged to the consolidated income statement for the year ended 31 August 2024 amounted to RM2,249 million, accounting for 83% of total expenditure (comprises of cost of sales, distribution and selling costs and administrative and general expenses) of the Group.

The finished goods inventories are carried at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The costs of production comprises the cost of purchase of raw materials, labour costs, plus conversion costs such as variable and fixed overhead costs. Significant estimates are involved in determining the basis of allocating the costs of production to the products produced by the Group. The Group relies heavily on the information technology system ("IT system") to ensure that the costs of raw materials, labour costs and overhead costs are correctly allocated to the respective products. Due to the significant estimation involved in the valuation of finished goods inventories, we considered this a key area of audit focus.

Our audit procedures include, amongst others, the following:

- a) Obtained an understanding of the Group's current inventories costing policy, production processes and the types of costs included in the valuation of finished goods inventories.
- b) Evaluated the general and logical access controls surrounding the IT system by involving our IT audit professionals.
- c) Agreed, on a sampling basis, the costs of purchase of raw materials to suppliers' invoices and tested other components of costs of production to the underlying supporting documentation.
- d) Assessed the appropriateness of the basis used by management in allocating the costs of production to the products produced by the Group and tested the relevant application controls surrounding the allocation.

Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon

The directors of the Company are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, but does not include the financial statements of the Group and of the Company and our auditors' report thereon.

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

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Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon (cont'd)

In connection with our audit of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements of the Group and of the Company 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 the directors for the financial statements

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of financial statements of the Group and of the Company that give a true and fair view in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements of the Group and of the Company that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, the directors are responsible for assessing the Group's and the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements of the Group and of the Company as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' 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 approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing 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.

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Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (cont'd)

As part of an audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing, 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 of the Group and of the Company, 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 and of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' 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 or the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group or the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements of the Group and of the Company 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 financial statements of the Group. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

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Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (cont'd)

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, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

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 Group and of the Company for the current year and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' 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 accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia, we report that the subsidiaries of which we have not acted as auditors are disclosed in Note 18 to the financial statements.

Other matters

This report is made solely to the members of the Company, as a body, in accordance with Section 266 of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility to any other person for the content of this report.

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26 November 2024

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Top Glove Corporation Bhd.
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Statements of profit or loss
For the financial year ended 31 August 2024

		Group		Company	
		2024	2023	2024	2023
	Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue	8	2,514,408	2,257,221	4,277	205,229
Cost of sales		(2,249,085)	(2,192,901)	-	-
Gross profit		<u>265,323</u>	<u>64,320</u>	<u>4,277</u>	<u>205,229</u>
Other items of income					
Interest income	9	12,773	17,357	4,622	12,921
Other income	10	164,870	44,276	13,628	14,936
Other items of expense					
Distribution and selling costs		(76,190)	(76,665)	-	-
Administrative and general expenses		(379,686)	(525,657)	(10,116)	(27,110)
Impairment losses on goodwill, property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets	11	-	(208,337)	-	-
Property, plant and equipment written off	11	(10,212)	(197,183)	-	-
Finance costs		(9,941)	(12,746)	(8)	(11)
Share of results of an associate		1,722	(5,780)	-	-
(Loss)/profit before tax	11	<u>(31,341)</u>	<u>(900,415)</u>	<u>12,403</u>	<u>205,965</u>
Income tax credit/(expense)	13	9,929	14,866	(737)	(3,669)
(Loss)/profit net of tax		<u>(21,412)</u>	<u>(885,549)</u>	<u>11,666</u>	<u>202,296</u>
(Loss)/profit attributable to:					
Owners of the parent		(64,876)	(925,218)	11,666	202,296
Holders of Perpetual Sukuk		46,610	46,610	-	-
Non-controlling interests		(3,146)	(6,941)	-	-
		<u>(21,412)</u>	<u>(885,549)</u>	<u>11,666</u>	<u>202,296</u>
Loss per share attributable to owners of the parent (sen):					
- Basic	14	(0.81)	(11.55)		
- Diluted	14	<u>(0.81)</u>	<u>(11.55)</u>		

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Statements of comprehensive income
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	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
(Loss)/profit net of tax	(21,412)	(885,549)	11,666	202,296
Other comprehensive (loss)/income:				
<i>Items that may be reclassified</i>				
<i>subsequently to profit or loss:</i>				
Net movement on debt securities at fair value through other comprehensive income (Note 35)	4,263	(3,279)	4,263	(3,279)
Foreign currency translation differences of foreign operations	(46,201)	53,036	-	-
Revaluation of right-of-use assets upon transfer of properties to investment properties	-	10	-	-
Revaluation of property, plant and equipment upon transfer of properties to investment properties	19,517	9,751	-	-
Income tax effect relating to the components of other comprehensive income	(1,952)	(976)	-	-
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year, net of tax	(24,373)	58,542	4,263	(3,279)
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year	(45,785)	(827,007)	15,929	199,017
Total comprehensive (loss)/income attributable to:				
Owners of the parent	(88,481)	(868,495)	15,929	199,017
Holders of Perpetual Sukuk	46,610	46,610	-	-
Non-controlling interests	(3,914)	(5,122)	-	-
	(45,785)	(827,007)	15,929	199,017

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Statements of financial position (Group)
As at 31 August 2024

	Note	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Assets			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	15	3,605,167	3,893,084
Right-of-use assets	16	173,689	187,096
Investment properties	17	468,316	419,699
Investment in an associate	19	5,301	3,579
Deferred tax assets	20	11,751	4,583
Biological assets		888	647
Investment securities: Unquoted investments	21	392	392
Intangible assets	22	861,182	864,465
		<u>5,126,686</u>	<u>5,373,545</u>
Current assets			
Inventories	23	376,298	301,496
Trade and other receivables	24	359,048	182,622
Other current assets	25	74,716	85,255
Tax recoverable		8,010	10,202
Investment securities: Money market funds	21	618,173	630,186
Investment securities: Debt securities	21	32,213	32,864
Derivative financial instruments	26	245	-
Cash and bank balances	27	351,187	285,416
		<u>1,819,890</u>	<u>1,528,041</u>
Assets held for sale	28	11,517	159,984
		<u>1,831,407</u>	<u>1,688,025</u>
Total assets		<u>6,958,093</u>	<u>7,061,570</u>
Equity and liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Loans and borrowings	29	397,986	540,356
Trade and other payables	30	433,009	265,261
Contract liabilities	31	108,203	102,995
Lease liabilities	32	2,161	1,710
Income tax payable		8,444	13,038
Derivative financial instruments	26	-	507
		<u>949,803</u>	<u>923,867</u>
Net current assets		<u>881,604</u>	<u>764,158</u>

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Statements of financial position (Group)
As at 31 August 2024 (cont'd)

	Note	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Non-current liabilities			
Loans and borrowings	29	-	14,149
Lease liabilities	32	21,945	25,630
Deferred tax liabilities	20	142,057	160,119
Provisions		8,792	11,690
		<u>172,794</u>	<u>211,588</u>
Total liabilities		<u>1,122,597</u>	<u>1,135,455</u>
Net assets		<u>5,835,496</u>	<u>5,926,115</u>
Equity attributable to owners of the parent			
Share capital	33	1,846,990	1,843,271
Treasury shares	34	(1,412,270)	(1,412,270)
Other reserves	35	114,433	149,304
Retained earnings	37	4,080,821	4,134,229
		<u>4,629,974</u>	<u>4,714,534</u>
Perpetual Sukuk	36	1,175,694	1,175,694
Non-controlling interests		29,828	35,887
Total equity		<u>5,835,496</u>	<u>5,926,115</u>
Total equity and liabilities		<u>6,958,093</u>	<u>7,061,570</u>

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As at 31 August 2024

	Note	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Assets			
Non-current assets			
Investment in subsidiaries	18	2,339,365	2,339,971
Right-of-use assets	16	124	202
		<u>2,339,489</u>	<u>2,340,173</u>
Current assets			
Other receivables	24	103,727	9,607
Other current assets	25	95	-
Tax recoverable		429	331
Investment securities: Money market funds	21	345,834	424,592
Investment securities: Debt securities	21	32,213	32,864
Cash and bank balances	27	5,996	484
		<u>488,294</u>	<u>467,878</u>
Total assets		<u>2,827,783</u>	<u>2,808,051</u>
Equity and liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Other payables	30	1,588	1,626
Lease liabilities	32	84	80
		<u>1,672</u>	<u>1,706</u>
Net current assets		<u>486,622</u>	<u>466,172</u>
Non-current liability			
Lease liabilities	32	50	134
Total liabilities		<u>1,722</u>	<u>1,840</u>
Net assets		<u>2,826,061</u>	<u>2,806,211</u>

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As at 31 August 2024 (cont'd)

	Note	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Equity attributable to owners of the Company			
Share capital	33	1,846,990	1,843,271
Treasury shares	34	(1,412,270)	(1,412,270)
Other reserves	35	30,481	37,526
Retained earnings	37	2,360,860	2,337,684
Total equity		2,826,061	2,806,211
Total equity and liabilities		2,827,783	2,808,051

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Statements of changes in equity
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2024 Group	Attributable to owners of the parent ----->							
		Total equity attributable to owners of the parent RM'000	<----- Non-distributable ----->			Distributable		Non- controlling interests ("NCI") RM'000
	Total equity RM'000	of the parent RM'000	Share capital RM'000	Treasury shares RM'000	Other reserves RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000	Perpetual Sukuk RM'000	
Opening balance at 1 September 2023	5,926,115	4,714,534	1,843,271	(1,412,270)	149,304	4,134,229	1,175,694	35,887
(Loss)/profit net of tax	(21,412)	(64,876)	-	-	-	(64,876)	46,610	(3,146)
Other comprehensive loss	(24,373)	(23,605)	-	-	(23,605)	-	-	(768)
Total comprehensive (loss)/income	(45,785)	(88,481)	-	-	(23,605)	(64,876)	46,610	(3,914)
Transactions with owners								
Issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to Employees Share Options Scheme ("ESOS") (Note 33 and Note 38)	2,725	2,725	2,725	-	-	-	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS (Note 35)	1,199	1,199	-	-	1,199	-	-	-
Transfer from share option reserve (Note 33 and Note 35)	-	-	997	-	(12,507)	11,510	-	-
Transfer from retained earnings (Note 35)	-	-	-	-	42	(42)	-	-
Transaction cost (Note 33)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution to holders of Perpetual Sukuk	(46,610)	-	-	-	-	-	(46,610)	-
Dividends on NCI	(2,145)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,145)
Total transactions with owners	(44,834)	3,921	3,719	-	(11,266)	11,468	(46,610)	(2,145)
Closing balance at 31 August 2024	5,835,496	4,629,974	1,846,990	(1,412,270)	114,433	4,080,821	1,175,694	29,828

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	Attributable to owners of the parent							
	Total equity attributable to owners of the parent		<----- Non-distributable ----->			Distributable		
	Total equity	of the	Share	Treasury	Other	Retained	Perpetual	Non-controlling
	RM'000	RM'000	capital	shares	reserves	earnings	Sukuk	interests
			RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	("NCI")
								RM'000
2023								
Group								
Opening balance at 1 September 2022	6,793,235	5,579,222	1,842,189	(1,412,270)	107,633	5,041,670	1,175,694	38,319
(Loss)/profit net of tax	(885,549)	(925,218)	-	-	-	(925,218)	46,610	(6,941)
Other comprehensive income	58,542	56,723	-	-	56,723	-	-	1,819
Total comprehensive (loss)/income	(827,007)	(868,495)	-	-	56,723	(925,218)	46,610	(5,122)
Transactions with owners								
Issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to Employees Share Options Scheme ("ESOS") (Note 33 and Note 38)	813	813	813	-	-	-	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS (Note 35)	2,639	2,639	-	-	2,639	-	-	-
Transfer from share option reserve (Note 33 and Note 35)	-	-	270	-	(16,784)	16,514	-	-
Transfer to retained earnings (Note 35)	-	-	-	-	(941)	941	-	-
Transaction cost (Note 33)	(1)	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution to holders of Perpetual Sukuk	(46,610)	-	-	-	-	-	(46,610)	-
Changes in ownership interest in subsidiaries	3,046	356	-	-	34	322	-	2,690
Total transactions with owners	(40,113)	3,807	1,082	-	(15,052)	17,777	(46,610)	2,690
Closing balance at 31 August 2023	5,926,115	4,714,534	1,843,271	(1,412,270)	149,304	4,134,229	1,175,694	35,887

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	<----- Non-distributable----->				Distributable
2024 Company	Total equity RM'000	Share capital RM'000	Treasury shares RM'000	Other reserves RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000
Opening balance at 1 September 2023	2,806,211	1,843,271	(1,412,270)	37,526	2,337,684
Profit net of tax	11,666	-	-	-	11,666
Other comprehensive income	4,263	-	-	4,263	-
Total comprehensive income	15,929	-	-	4,263	11,666
Transactions with owners					
Issuance of ordinary shares					
pursuant to ESOS (Note 33 and Note 38)	2,725	2,725	-	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS (Note 35)	1,199	-	-	1,199	-
Transfer from share option reserve (Note 33 and Note 35)	-	997	-	(12,507)	11,510
Transaction cost (Note 33)	(3)	(3)	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners	3,921	3,719	-	(11,308)	11,510
Closing balance at 31 August 2024	2,826,061	1,846,990	(1,412,270)	30,481	2,360,860

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	<----- Non-distributable----->				Distributable
2023 Company	Total equity RM'000	Share capital RM'000	Treasury shares RM'000	Other reserves RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000
Opening balance at 1 September 2022	2,603,743	1,842,189	(1,412,270)	54,950	2,118,874
Profit net of tax	202,296	-	-	-	202,296
Other comprehensive loss	(3,279)	-	-	(3,279)	-
Total comprehensive income/(loss)	199,017	-	-	(3,279)	202,296
Transactions with owners					
Issuance of ordinary shares					
pursuant to ESOS (Note 33 and Note 38)	813	813	-	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS (Note 35)	2,639	-	-	2,639	-
Transfer from share option reserve (Note 33 and Note 35)	-	270	-	(16,784)	16,514
Transaction cost (Note 33)	(1)	(1)	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners	3,451	1,082	-	(14,145)	16,514
Closing balance at 31 August 2023	2,806,211	1,843,271	(1,412,270)	37,526	2,337,684

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Statements of cash flows
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	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Operating activities				
(Loss)/profit before tax	(31,341)	(900,415)	12,403	205,965
<u>Adjustments for:</u>				
Gross dividends	-	-	-	(200,200)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	277,764	332,597	-	-
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 16)	5,953	6,663	78	78
Amortisation of intangible assets (Note 22)	3,775	3,752	-	-
(Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(14,239)	1,173	-	-
Gain on disposal of right-of-use assets	(24,776)	-	-	-
Gain on lease modifications	(865)	(20)	-	-
Gain on lease termination	-	(40)	-	-
Gain on disposal of investment property	(90)	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of assets held for sale	(56,890)	-	-	-
Revaluation loss of property, plant and equipment (Note 11)	-	2,982	-	-
Net (gain)/loss from fair value remeasurement on investment properties (Note 17)	(4,653)	74	-	-
Bad debts written off	17	839	-	-
Net allowance for expected credit loss (Note 24)	280	2,976	-	-
Gain on disposal of debt securities	(7)	(1,063)	(7)	(1,063)
Gain on disposal of money market funds	(5,945)	(4,808)	(2,616)	(269)
Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	-	54,660	-	-
Impairment loss on right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	16,124	-	-
Impairment loss on goodwill (Note 22)	-	137,553	-	-
Impairment loss on assets held for sales (Note 28)	-	5,073	-	-
Reversal of allowance for inventories written down on unsold goods	(50,617)	(33,650)	-	-
Inventories written off	198	21	-	-
Property, plant and equipment written off	10,212	197,183	-	-
Biological assets written off	-	1,064	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS	1,199	2,639	-	218
Unrealised foreign exchange (gain)/loss	(3,116)	7,356	2,229	(2,033)

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	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
<u>Adjustments for: (cont'd)</u>				
Share of results of an associate	(1,722)	5,780	-	-
Net fair value (gain)/loss on derivative financial instruments	(752)	437	-	-
Net fair value (gain)/loss on investment securities at fair value through profit or loss	(12,169)	11,043	(10,948)	11,648
Finance costs	9,941	12,746	8	11
Interest income	(12,773)	(17,357)	(4,622)	(12,921)
Impairment loss on investment in subsidiaries (Note 18)	-	-	606	8,793
Impairment loss on other receivables (Note 11)	-	-	-	1
Total adjustments	120,725	745,797	(15,272)	(195,737)
Operating cash flows before changes in working capital	89,384	(154,618)	(2,869)	10,228
<u>Changes in working capital</u>				
Inventories	(24,383)	307,395	-	-
Receivables	(185,236)	74,677	(762)	2,126
Other current assets	10,539	10,806	(95)	-
Payables and provision	156,127	(188,196)	(38)	(4,470)
Contract liabilities	5,208	(113,570)	-	-
Total changes in working capital	(37,745)	91,112	(895)	(2,344)
Cash flows generated from/ (used in) operations	51,639	(63,506)	(3,764)	7,884
Interest paid	(9,941)	(12,746)	(8)	(11)
Income taxes paid	(22,459)	(35,202)	(98)	(4,338)
Income taxes refund	1,463	232,497	-	-
Net cash flows generated from/ (used in) operating activities	20,702	121,043	(3,870)	3,535
Investing activities				
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(142,511)	(364,154)	-	-
Additions to investment properties	(2,090)	(74)	-	-
Purchase of intangible assets	(492)	(445)	-	-
Purchase of biological assets	(241)	(541)	-	-
Placement of money market funds	(123,928)	(657,785)	(207)	(434,223)
Withdrawal of money market funds	154,055	313,341	92,529	37,914
Purchase of debt securities	-	(839)	-	(839)
Proceeds from disposal of debt securities	2,805	190,216	2,805	190,216

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	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Investing activities (cont'd)				
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	95,989	120,907	-	-
Proceeds from disposal of right-of-use assets	29,615	-	-	-
Proceeds from disposal of investment property	740	-	-	-
Proceeds from disposal of assets held for sale	216,874	-	-	-
Interest received (Note 9)	12,773	17,357	4,622	12,921
Net decrease/(increase) in bank balances pledged with banks	3,867	(1,241)	-	-
Dividends from subsidiaries	-	-	-	200,200
Additions to investment in subsidiaries	-	-	-	(37,012)
(Advance to)/repayment from subsidiaries	-	-	(93,074)	24,763
Net cash flows generated from/ (used in) investing activities	247,456	(383,258)	6,675	(6,060)
Financing activities				
Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to ESOS	2,725	813	2,725	813
Transaction cost	(3)	(1)	(3)	(1)
Dividends paid on NCI	(2,145)	-	-	-
Repayment of loans and borrowings	(361,689)	(130,520)	-	-
Drawdown of loans and borrowings	228,040	270,531	-	-
Distribution paid to holders of Perpetual Sukuk	(46,610)	(46,610)	-	-
Proceeds from part disposal of equity interest in a subsidiary company	-	3,046	-	-
Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities	(1,977)	(2,506)	(80)	(77)
Net cash flows (used in)/ generated from financing activities	(181,659)	94,753	2,642	735
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	86,499	(167,462)	5,447	(1,790)
Effect of changes in foreign exchange rate	(16,861)	14,040	65	(1,239)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 September 2023/2022	280,015	433,437	484	3,513
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 August (Note 27)	349,653	280,015	5,996	484

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(a) Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities

	<div><----- Movements -----></div> <div><----- Cash flows -----> <----- Non-cash changes -----></div>								
	1 September 2023 RM'000	Principal movement RM'000	Interest paid RM'000	Interest cost RM'000	Adjustment for lease modification RM'000	New leases RM'000	Termination RM'000	Foreign exchange movement RM'000	31 August 2024 RM'000
2024									
Group									
Loans and borrowings (Note 29)	554,505	(133,649)	(8,743)	8,743	-	-	-	(22,870)	397,986
Lease liabilities (Note 32)	27,340	(1,977)	(1,198)	1,198	(3,604)	2,819	-	(472)	24,106
Company									
Lease liabilities (Note 32)	214	(80)	(8)	8	-	-	-	-	134

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(a) Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities (cont'd)

		Movements							
		Cash flows		Non-cash changes					
	1 September 2022 RM'000	Principal movement RM'000	Interest paid RM'000	Interest cost RM'000	Adjustment for lease modification RM'000	New leases RM'000	Termination RM'000	Foreign exchange movement RM'000	31 August 2023 RM'000
2023									
Group									
Loans and borrowings (Note 29)	399,086	140,011	(11,787)	11,787	-	-	-	15,408	554,505
Lease liabilities (Note 32)	17,982	(2,506)	(959)	959	102	11,284	(620)	1,098	27,340
Company									
Lease liabilities (Note 32)	291	(77)	(11)	11	-	-	-	-	214

The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

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**Notes to the financial statements
For the financial year ended 31 August 2024**

1. Corporate information

Top Glove Corporation Bhd. ("the Company") is a public limited liability company incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia, and is listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and Main Board of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited. The principal place of business of the Company is located at Level 21, Top Glove Tower, 16, Persiaran Setia Dagang, Setia Alam, Seksyen U13, 40170 Shah Alam, Selangor.

The principal activities of the Company are investment holding and provision of management services. The principal activities of the subsidiaries are described in Note 18. There have been no significant changes in the nature of the principal activities during the financial year.

2. Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") as issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB"), International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia.

The financial statements have also been prepared on a historical basis, unless otherwise indicated in the accounting policies below.

The financial statements are presented in Ringgit Malaysia ("RM") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand ("RM'000") except when otherwise indicated.

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3. Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as at 31 August 2024. Control is achieved when the Group 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. Specifically, the Group controls an investee if, and only if, the Group has:

- Power over the investee (i.e. existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee);
- Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.

When the Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- The contractual arrangement with the other vote holders of the investee;
- Rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- The Group's voting rights and potential voting rights.

The Group re-assesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control. Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income ("OCI") are attributed to the equity holders of the parent of the Group and to the non-controlling interests, even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance. When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the Group's accounting policies. All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses, unrealised gains and losses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary, without a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction.

If the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the related assets (including goodwill), liabilities, non-controlling interest and other components of equity, while any resultant gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any investment retained is recognised at fair value.

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4. Material accounting policy information

4.1 Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the consideration transferred, measured at acquisition date fair value and the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. For each business combination, the Group elects whether it measures the non-controlling interest in the acquiree either at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred and included in administrative expenses.

The Group determines that it has acquired a business when the acquired set of activities and assets include an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create outputs. The acquired process is considered substantive if it is critical to the ability to continue producing outputs, and the inputs acquired include an organised workforce with the necessary skills, knowledge, or experience to perform that process or if significantly contributes to the ability to continue producing outputs and is considered unique or scarce or cannot be replaced without significant cost, effort, or delay in the ability to continue producing outputs.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts by the acquiree.

If the business combination is achieved in stages, any previously held equity interests in the acquiree are re-measured to fair value at the acquisition date with any corresponding gain or loss recognised in profit or loss.

Any excess of the cost of business combination, as the case may be, over the net amount of the fair value of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed is recognised as goodwill. For business combinations, provisions are made for the acquiree's contingent liabilities existing at the date of acquisition as the Group deems that it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligations.

Any excess in the Group's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed over the cost of business combination is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.1 Business combinations and goodwill (cont'd)

Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer will be recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not remeasured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity. Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability that is a financial instrument and within the scope of MFRS 9 *Financial Instruments*, is measured at fair value with the changes in fair value recognised in the statement of profit or loss in accordance with MFRS 9. Other contingent consideration that is not within the scope of MFRS 9 is measured at fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost, being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount recognised for non-controlling interests, and any previous interest held, over the net identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed. If the fair value of the net assets acquired is in excess of the aggregate consideration transferred, the Group re-assesses whether it has correctly identified all of the assets acquired and all of the liabilities assumed and reviews the procedures used to measure the amounts to be recognised at the acquisition date. If the re-assessment still results in an excess of the fair value of net assets acquired over the aggregate consideration transferred, then the gain is recognised in profit or loss.

After 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 each of the Group's cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the acquiree are assigned to those units.

Where goodwill has been allocated to a cash-generating unit and part of the operation within that unit is disposed of, the goodwill associated with the disposed operation is included in the carrying amount of the operation when determining the gain or loss on disposal. Goodwill disposed in these circumstances is measured based on the relative values of the disposed operation and the portion of the cash-generating unit retained.

Business combinations involving entities under common control are accounted for by applying the pooling of interest method. The assets and liabilities of the combining entities are reflected at their carrying amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements of the controlling holding company. Any difference between the consideration paid and the share capital of the entity acquired is reflected within equity as merger reserve. The statement of comprehensive income reflects the results of the combining entities for the full year, irrespective of when the combination takes place. Comparatives are presented as if the entities have always been combined since the date the entities had come under common control.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.2 Transactions with non-controlling interests

Non-controlling interests represent the equity in subsidiaries not attributable, directly or indirectly, to owners of the Company, and is presented separately in the consolidated statement of profit or loss, consolidated statement of comprehensive income and within equity in the consolidated statement of financial position, separately from equity attributable to owners of the Company.

Changes in the Company's 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 interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognised directly in equity and attributed to owners of the parent.

4.3 Investment in subsidiaries

A subsidiary is an entity over which the Group has all the following:

- (i) Power over the investee (i.e. existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee);
- (ii) Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- (iii) The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.

In the Company's separate financial statements, investment in subsidiaries is accounted for at cost less impairment losses. On disposal of such investment, the difference between net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount is included in profit or loss.

4.4 Investment in an associate

An associate is an entity over which the Group has significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee, but is not control or joint control over those policies. An associate is equity accounted for from the date the Group obtains significant influence until the date the Group ceases to have significant influence over the associate.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.4 Investment in an associate (cont'd)

The Group's investment in an associate is accounted for using the equity method. Under the equity method, the investment in an associate is measured in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost plus post-acquisition changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate. Goodwill relating to associate is included in the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the associate's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of the investment is excluded from the carrying amount of the investment and is instead included as income in the determination of the Group's share of the associate's profit or loss for the period in which the investment is acquired.

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 impairment loss on its investment in its associate. The Group determines at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in the associate is impaired. If there is such evidence, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the associate and its carrying value and recognises the loss within share of profit of an associate in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

The financial statements of the associate are prepared as of the same reporting date as the Group unless it is impracticable to do so. When the financial statements of the associate used in applying the equity method are prepared as of a different reporting date from that of the Group, adjustments are made for the effects of significant transactions or events that occur between that date and the reporting date of the Group. When necessary, adjustments are made to bring the accounting policies in line with those of the Group.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.5 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured at cost on initial recognition. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangibles, excluding capitalised development costs, are not capitalised and the related expenditure is reflected in profit or loss in the period in which the expenditure is incurred.

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

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

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. The assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether the indefinite life continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

An intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising upon derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of profit or loss.

(a) Customer relationships

The cost of customer relationships acquired in a business combination is measured at their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following the initial recognition, they are carried at cost less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses.

The customer relationships are amortised on a straight line basis over its estimated economic useful lives of eleven years and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the customer relationships may be impaired.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.5 Intangible assets (cont'd)

(b) Patents

The Group does not recognise internally generated brands, licenses and other similar intellectual property which cannot be distinguished from the cost of developing the Group's business as a whole.

Acquired patents are recognised as an asset and initially measured at cost, which is the fair value of the consideration paid. After initial recognition, patents are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Amortisation is recognised in profit or loss on a straight line basis over the estimated economic useful lives of the patents.

4.6 Current versus non-current classification

The Group and the Company present assets and liabilities in the statements of financial position based on a current/non-current classification. An asset is current when it is:

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

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

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

The Group and the Company classify all other liabilities as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.7 Fair value measurement

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

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

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

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

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

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

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

Level 1 - Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities

Level 2 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable

Level 3 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.7 Fair value measurement (cont'd)

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

Policies and procedures are determined by senior management for both recurring fair value measurement and for non-recurring measurement.

External valuers are involved for valuation of significant assets and significant liabilities. Involvement of external valuers is decided by senior management. Selection criteria include market knowledge, reputation, independence and whether professional standards are maintained. The senior management decides, after discussions with the external valuers, which valuation techniques and inputs to use for each case.

At each reporting date, the senior management analyses the movements in the values of assets and liabilities which are required to be re-measured or re-assessed as per the Group's accounting policies. For this analysis, the senior management verifies the major inputs applied in the latest valuation by agreeing the information in the valuation computation to contracts and other relevant documents.

The senior management, in conjunction with the external valuers, also compares the changes in the fair value of each asset and liability with relevant external sources to determine whether the change is reasonable.

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

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.8 Foreign currencies

(a) Functional and presentation currency

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in RM which is also the parent company's functional currency. For each entity, the Group determines the functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency.

(b) Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded by the Group entities at the functional currency spot rates at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency spot rates at the reporting date.

Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in profit or loss with the exception of monetary items that are designated as part of the hedge of the Group's net investment of a foreign operation. These are recognised in foreign exchange reserve OCI until the net investment is disposed of, at which time, the cumulative amount is reclassified to profit or loss. Tax charges and credits attributable to exchange differences on those monetary items are also recorded in OCI.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates 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 is determined. The gain or loss arising on translation of non-monetary items measured at fair value is treated in line with the recognition of gain or loss on change in fair value of the item (i.e. translation differences on items whose fair value gain or loss is recognised in OCI or profit or loss are also recognised in OCI or profit or loss, respectively).

In determining the spot exchange rate to use on initial recognition of the related asset, expense or income (or part of it) on the derecognition of a non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability arising from the advance consideration. If there are multiple payments or receipts in advance, the Group determines the transaction date for each payment or receipt of advance consideration.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.8 Foreign currencies (cont'd)

(c) Group companies

On consolidation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into RM at the rate of exchange prevailing at the reporting date and their statements of profit or loss are translated at exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. The exchange differences arising on translation for consolidation are recognised in OCI. On disposal of a foreign operation, the component of OCI relating to that particular foreign operation is recognised in profit or loss.

Any goodwill arising on the acquisition of a foreign operation and any fair value adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities arising on the acquisition are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and translated at the spot rate of exchange at the reporting date.

4.9 Revenue and other income recognition

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) Sale of goods

The Group is involved in manufacturing and trading of gloves and healthcare related products.

Revenue is recognised at a point in time upon transfer of control of the goods to the customers. Revenue is not recognised to the extent where there are significant uncertainties regarding recovery of the consideration due, associated costs or the possible return of goods.

The amount of revenue recognised is based on the estimated transaction price, which comprises the contractual price, net of the estimated volume rebates. 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.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.9 Revenue and other income recognition (cont'd)

(b) Dividend income

Dividend income is recognised when the Group's and the Company's right to receive payment is established.

(c) Management fees

Management fees are recognised when services are rendered.

(d) Interest income

Interest income is recognised on an accrual basis using the effective interest rate method.

(e) Rental income

Rental income is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease terms. The aggregate costs of incentives provided to lessees are recognised as a reduction of rental income over the lease term on a straight-line basis.

4.10 Employee benefits

(a) Short term benefits

Wages, salaries, bonuses and social security contributions are recognised as expenses in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees. Short term accumulated compensated absences such as paid annual leave are recognised when services are rendered by employees that increase their entitlement to future compensated absences. Short term non-accumulating compensated absences such as sick leave are recognised when the absences occur.

(b) Defined contribution plans

Defined contribution plans are post-employment benefit plans under which the Group and the Company pay fixed contributions into separate entities or funds and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions if any of the funds do not hold sufficient assets to pay all employee benefits relating to employee services in the current and preceding financial years. Such contributions are recognised as an expense in profit or loss as incurred. As required by law, companies in Malaysia make such contributions to the Employees Provident Fund ("EPF"). All contributions to pension plans are fully and immediately vested and the Group had no unvested benefits available to reduce its future contributions.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.10 Employee benefits (cont'd)

(c) Employees Share Options Scheme ("ESOS")

Employees of the Group and of the Company receive remuneration in the form of share options as consideration for services rendered. The cost of these equity-settled transactions with employees is measured by reference to the fair value of the options at the date on which the options are granted. This cost is recognised in profit or loss. 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 and the Company's best estimate of the number of options that will ultimately vest. The charge or credit to profit or loss for a period represents the movement in cumulative expense recognised at the beginning and end of that period.

No expense is recognised for options that do not ultimately vest, except for options where vesting is conditional upon a market or non-vesting condition, which are treated as vested irrespective of whether or not the market or non-vesting condition is satisfied, provided that all other performance and/or service conditions are satisfied.

When the options are exercised, the employees share option reserve is transferred to share capital if new shares are issued.

The employees share option reserve is transferred to retained earnings upon forfeiture or expiry of the share options.

(d) Employees Share Grant Plan ("ESGP")

Employees of the Group and of the Company are entitled to performance based shares as consideration for services rendered. The ESGP may be settled by way of issuance or transfer of shares of the Company or by cash at the discretion of the ESGP Committee. Trusts have been set up and are administered by an appointed trustee ("ESGP Trusts"). The trustee will be entitled from time to time, to accept advances from the Company, upon such terms and conditions as the Company and the trustee may agree to purchase the ordinary shares of the Company ("Trust Shares") from the open market for the ESGP Trusts. The value of the ESGP Awards granted to Eligible Employees is recognised as an employee cost.

The ESGP Trusts' asset is consolidated into the Group's consolidated financial statements. Dividends received by the ESGP Trusts are eliminated against the Company's dividend payment.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.11 Taxes

(a) Current income tax

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

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

(b) Deferred tax

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

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

- (i) when 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
- (ii) in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries and associate, 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.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.11 Taxes (cont'd)

(b) Deferred tax (cont'd)

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

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

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

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 OCI or directly in equity.

The Group offsets deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities if and only if it has a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets and current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.11 Taxes (cont'd)

(c) Sales and services tax ("SST")

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of SST, except:

- (i) when the SST incurred on a purchase of assets or services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case, the SST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the assets or as part of the expense item as applicable; and
- (ii) when receivables and payables are stated with the amount of SST included.

The payable amount of SST to the taxation authority is included as part of payables in the statements of financial position.

4.12 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the asset. 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.

4.13 Property, plant and equipment

Capital work-in-progress is stated at cost, net of accumulated impairment losses, if any. Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Such cost includes the cost of replacing component parts of the property, plant and equipment and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects if the recognition criteria are met.

When significant parts of property, plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the Group derecognises the replaced part, and recognises the new part with its own associated useful life and depreciation. Likewise, when a major inspection is performed, its cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the plant and equipment as a replacement if the recognition criteria are satisfied. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in the profit or loss as incurred. The present value of the expected cost for the decommissioning of the asset after its use is included in the cost of the respective asset if the recognition criteria for a provision are met.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.13 Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

Freehold land has an unlimited useful life and therefore is not depreciated. Capital work-in-progress are not depreciated as these assets are not available for use. Depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

Buildings	20 to 50 years
Plant and equipment	3 to 20 years
Other assets	5 to 10 years

An item of property, plant and equipment and any significant part initially recognised is derecognised upon disposal (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss on derecognition of the asset is included in the statement of profit or loss when the asset is derecognised.

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of property, plant and equipment are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

4.14 Investment properties

Investment properties are properties which are held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or for both. Investment properties are initially measured at cost, including transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are measured at fair value which reflects market conditions at the reporting date. Fair value is arrived at using the investment method that makes reference to estimated market rental values and equivalent yields, or comparison method that makes reference to recent transaction prices of similar properties. Valuation is performed by accredited independent valuer having an appropriate recognised professional qualification and recent experience in the location and category of the properties being valued. Gains or losses arising from changes in the fair values of investment properties are included in profit or loss in the year in which they arise, including the corresponding tax effect.

Investment properties are derecognised either when they have been disposed of (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when the investment property is permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit is expected from its disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset is recognised in the profit or loss in the period of derecognition.

Transfers are made to (or from) investment properties 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 accounting policy for property, plant and equipment set out in Note 4.13 up to the date of change in use.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.15 Leases

The Group and the Company assess 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.

(a) Group as a lessee

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

(i) Right-of-use assets

The Group and the Company recognise 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 shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Leasehold land	50 to 99 years
Buildings	20 to 50 years
Plant and equipment	4 to 20 years
Other assets	5 to 10 years

If ownership of the leased asset transfers to the Group and the Company by the end of the lease term or the cost reflects the exercise of a purchase option, depreciation is calculated using the estimated useful life of the asset.

The right-of-use assets are also subject to impairment in accordance with the accounting policy set out in Note 4.17.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.15 Leases (cont'd)

(a) Group as a lessee (cont'd)

(ii) Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Group and the Company recognise lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Group and the Company and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Group and the Company exercising the option to terminate.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Group and the Company use its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

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

The Group and the Company apply the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases of hostels, automated teller machine ("ATM") and forklift (i.e. those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases of photocopiers 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.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.15 Leases (cont'd)

(b) Group as a lessor

Leases in which the Group and the Company do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an asset are classified as operating leases. Rental income arising is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease terms and is included in other income in the statement of profit or loss due to its operating nature. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised over the lease term on the same basis as rental income. Contingent rents are recognised as other income in the period in which they are earned.

4.16 Inventories

Inventories are valued 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, consumables and hardware: purchase costs on a weighted average basis.
- Finished goods and work-in-progress: costs of direct materials and labour and a proportion of manufacturing overheads based on normal operating capacity, excluding borrowing costs.

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.

4.17 Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group and the Company assess, at each reporting date, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Group and the Company estimate the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's ("CGU") fair value less costs of disposal and its value-in-use. The recoverable amount 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. When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.17 Impairment of non-financial assets (cont'd)

In assessing value-in-use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices for publicly traded companies or other available fair value indicators.

The Group and the Company base their impairment calculation on most recent budgets and forecast calculations, which are prepared separately for each of the Group's and the Company's CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecast calculations generally cover a period of five years. A long-term growth rate is calculated and applied to project future cash flows after the fifth year.

Impairment losses of continuing operations, including impairment on inventories, are recognised in profit or loss in expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset.

Goodwill is tested for impairment annually at each reporting date and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each CGU (or group of CGUs) to which the goodwill relates. When the recoverable amount of the CGU is less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Impairment losses relating to goodwill cannot be reversed in future periods.

For assets other than goodwill, an assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses no longer exist or have decreased. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset or CGU is estimated. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the assumptions used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in profit or loss.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

(a) Financial assets

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, as subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through OCI, or fair value through profit or loss.

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Group's and the Company's business model for managing them. With the exception of trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group and the Company have applied the practical expedient, the Group and the Company initially measure a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs. Trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group and the Company have applied the practical expedient are measured at the transaction price determined under MFRS 15.

In order for a financial asset to be classified and measured at amortised cost or fair value through OCI, it needs to give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest ("SPPI") on the principal amount outstanding. This assessment is referred to as the SPPI test and is performed at an instrument level.

The Group's and the Company's business model for managing financial assets refers to how they manage their financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The business model determines whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling the financial assets, or both.

Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e. the date that the Group and the Company commit to purchase or sell the asset.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Subsequent measurement

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in four categories:

- Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments);
- Financial assets at fair value through OCI with recycling of cumulative gains and losses (debt instruments);
- Financial assets designated at fair value through OCI with no recycling of cumulative gains and losses upon derecognition (equity instruments); and
- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss.

The Group and the Company have no financial assets carried at fair value through OCI for equity instruments.

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

The Group and the Company measure financial assets at amortised cost if both of the following conditions are met:

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

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

The Group's and the Company's financial assets at amortised cost include cash and bank balances, trade and other receivables and other non-current financial assets.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Subsequent measurement (cont'd)

(ii) Financial assets at fair value through OCI (debt instruments)

The Group and the Company measure debt instruments at fair value through OCI if both of the following conditions are met:

- The financial asset is held within a business model with the objective of both holding to collect contractual cash flows and selling; and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

For debt instruments at fair value through OCI, interest income, foreign exchange revaluation and impairment losses or reversals are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and computed in the same manner as for financial assets measured at amortised cost. The remaining fair value changes are recognised in OCI. Upon derecognition, the cumulative fair value change recognised in OCI is recycled to profit or loss.

The Group's and the Company's debt instruments at fair value through OCI include investments in quoted debt securities included under other current financial assets.

(iii) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

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

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Subsequent measurement (cont'd)

(iii) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (cont'd)

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

This category includes derivative instruments which the Group had not irrevocably elected to classify at fair value through OCI.

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

A derivative embedded within a hybrid contract containing a financial asset host is not accounted for separately. The financial asset host together with the embedded derivative is required to be classified in its entirety as a financial asset at fair value through profit or loss.

The Group has designated derivatives that do not qualify for hedge accounting, money market funds, debt securities and unquoted investments at fair value through profit or loss.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Derecognition

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e. removed from the Group's and the Company's statements of financial position) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- The Group and the Company have transferred their rights to receive cash flows from the asset or have assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either (a) the Group and the Company have transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Group and the Company have neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but have transferred control of the asset.

When the Group and the Company have transferred their rights to receive cash flows from an asset or have entered into a pass-through arrangement, they evaluate if, and to what extent, they have retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When they have neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Group and the Company continue to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of their continuing involvement. In that case, the Group and the Company also recognise an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group and the Company have retained.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group and the Company recognise an allowance for expected credit losses ("ECLs") for all debts instruments not held at fair value through profit or loss. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group and the Company expect to receive, discounted at an approximation of the original EIR. The expected cash flows will include cash flows from the sales of collateral held or other credit enhancements that are integral to the contractual terms.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Impairment of financial assets (cont'd)

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

For trade receivables, the Group applies simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the Group does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECL at each reporting date. The Group has established a provision matrix that is based on historical credit experience. The Group considers forward looking factors do not have significant impact to credit risk given the nature of its industry and the amount of ECLs is insensitive to changes to forecast economic conditions.

For debt instruments at fair value through OCI, the Group and the Company apply the low credit risk simplification. At every reporting date, the Group and the Company evaluate 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 and the Company reassess the internal credit rating of the debt instrument. In addition, the Group and the Company consider that there has been a significant increase in credit risk when contractual payments are more than 30 days past due.

The Group's and the Company's debt instruments at fair value through OCI comprise solely of quoted bonds that are graded in the top investment category (Very Good and Good) by the Good Credit Rating Agency and, therefore, are considered to be low credit risk investments. It is the Group's and the Company's policy to measure ECLs on such instruments on a 12-month basis. However, when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since origination, the allowance will be based on the lifetime ECL. The Group and the Company use the ratings from the Good Credit Rating Agency both to determine whether the debt instrument has significantly increased in credit risk and to estimate ECLs.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(a) Financial assets (cont'd)

Impairment of financial assets (cont'd)

The Group and the Company generally consider a financial asset to be in default when contractual payments are 120 days past due, except for certain major or specific customers where the period may extend beyond 120 days. In certain cases, the Group and the Company may also consider a financial asset to be in default when internal and external information indicates that the Group and the Company are unlikely to receive the outstanding contractual amounts in full before taking into account any credit enhancements held by the Group and the Company. A financial asset is written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovering the contractual cash flows.

(b) Financial liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement

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

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

The Group and the Company's financial liabilities include trade and other payables, lease liabilities, derivative financial instruments, and loans and borrowings.

Subsequent measurement

The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification, as described below:

(i) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(b) Financial liabilities (cont'd)

Subsequent measurement (cont'd)

The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification, as described below (cont'd):

(i) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (cont'd)

Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term. This category also includes derivative financial instruments entered into by the Group that are not designated as hedging instruments in hedge relationships as defined by MFRS 9. Separated embedded derivatives are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments.

Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the statement of profit or loss.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in MFRS 9 are satisfied. The Group has designated derivative financial instruments as financial liability at fair value through profit or loss.

(ii) Financial liabilities at amortised cost

This is the category most relevant to the Group and the Company. After initial recognition, trade and other payables, and interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of profit or loss.

This category generally applies to trade and other payables, interest-bearing loans and borrowings and lease liabilities.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.18 Financial instruments (cont'd)

(b) Financial liabilities (cont'd)

Derecognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the statement of profit or loss.

(c) Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the consolidated and separate statement of financial position if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

4.19 Derivative financial instruments and hedging activities

Initial recognition and subsequent measurement

The Group uses derivative financial instruments, such as forward currency contracts to hedge its foreign currency risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are carried as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative.

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

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

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.19 Derivative financial instruments and hedging activities (cont'd)

Initial recognition and subsequent measurement (cont'd)

At the inception of a hedge relationship, the Group formally designates and documents the hedge relationship to which it wishes to apply hedge accounting and the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge.

The documentation includes identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the Group will assess whether the hedging relationship meets the hedge effectiveness requirements (including the analysis of sources of hedge ineffectiveness and how the hedge ratio is determined). A hedging relationship qualifies for hedge accounting if it meets all of the following effectiveness requirements:

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

4.20 Cash and bank balances

Cash and bank balances in the statements of financial position comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits.

For the purpose of the statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term deposits with a maturity of three months or less excluding deposits pledged with banks that are not available for use.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.21 Equity instruments and related expenses

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the Group and the Company after deducting all of its liabilities. Ordinary shares and Perpetual Sukuk are classified as equity instruments.

Dividends on ordinary shares and distribution on Perpetual Sukuk are recognised in equity in the period in which they are declared.

The transaction costs of an equity transaction are accounted for as a deduction from equity, net of tax. Equity transaction costs comprise only those incremental external costs directly attributable to the equity transaction which would otherwise have been avoided.

4.22 Treasury shares

Own equity instruments that are reacquired (treasury shares) are recognised at cost and deducted from equity. No gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of the Group's and the Company's own equity instruments. Any difference between the carrying amount and the consideration, if reissued, is recognised in the retained earnings.

4.23 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 a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. When the Group expects that some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example, under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset, but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to a provision is presented in the statement of profit or loss net of any reimbursement.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.24 Contract liabilities

A contract liability is recognised if a payment is received or a payment is due (whichever is earlier) from a customer before the Group transfers the related goods or services. Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue when the Group performs under the contract (i.e. transfers control of the related goods or services to the customer).

4.25 Contingencies

A contingent liability or asset is a possible obligation or asset that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of uncertain future event(s) not wholly within the control of the Group and of the Company.

Contingent liabilities and assets are not recognised in the statements of financial position of the Group and of the Company.

4.26 Segment reporting

For management purposes, the Group is organised into operating segments based on their geographical location which are independently managed by the respective segment managers responsible for the performance of the respective segments under their charge. The segment managers report directly to the management of the Group who regularly review the segment results in order to allocate resources to the segments and to assess the segment performance. Additional disclosures on each of these segments are shown in Note 46, including the factors used to identify the reportable segments and the measurement basis of segment information.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.27 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. Management must be committed to the plan to sell the asset and the sale is expected to be completed within one year from the date of the classification.

Property, plant and equipment is not depreciated once classified as held for sale.

Assets classified as held for sale are presented separately as current items in the statement of financial position.

Additional disclosures are provided in Note 28. All other notes to the financial statements include amounts for continuing operations, unless indicated otherwise.

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4. Material accounting policy information (cont'd)

4.28 Climate-related matters

The Group considers climate-related matters in estimates and assumptions, where appropriate. This assessment includes a wide range of possible impacts on the group due to both physical and transition risks. Even though the Group believes its business model and products will still be viable after the transition to a low-carbon economy, climate-related matters increase the uncertainty in estimates and assumptions underpinning several items in the financial statements. Even though climate-related risks might not currently have a significant impact on measurement, the Group is closely monitoring relevant changes and developments, such as new climate-related legislation. The items and considerations that are most directly impacted by climate-related matters are:

(a) Useful life of property, plant and equipment

When reviewing the residual values and expected useful lives of assets, the Group considers climate-related matters, such as climate-related legislation and regulations that may restrict the use of assets or require significant capital expenditures.

(b) Impairment of non-financial assets

The value-in-use may be impacted in several different ways by transition risk in particular, such as climate-related legislation and regulations and changes in demand for the Group's products.

(c) Fair value measurement

For property, plant and equipment, the Group considers the effects of physical and transition risks and whether investors would consider those risks in their valuation. The Group believes it is not currently exposed to severe physical risks, but believes that investors, to some extent, would consider impacts of transition risks in their valuation, such as increasing requirements for energy efficiency of buildings due to climate-related legislation and regulations as well as tenants' increasing demands for low-emission buildings.

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5. New and amended standards and interpretations

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except for the adoption of the following new/revised MFRSs, amendments to MFRSs and interpretations:

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
MFRS 17: Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 17: Initial Application MFRS 17 and MFRS 9 - Comparative Information	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 101 and MFRS Practice Statement 2: Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 108: Definition of Accounting Estimates	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 112: Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 112: International Tax Reform - Pillar Two Model Rules	1 January 2023

The adoption of the above accounting standards, amendments and interpretations, where relevant, did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the Group and of the Company, except for:

Amendments to MFRS 101 and MFRS Practice Statement 2

The amendments to MFRS 101 and MFRS Practice Statement 2 provide guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their "significant" accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their "material" accounting policies and adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures.

The amendments did not have any material impact on the Group's and the Company's disclosures of accounting policies. The amendments do not impact the measurement, recognition and presentation of any items in the Group's and the Company's financial statements.

Amendments to MFRS 112 International Tax Reform - Pillar Two Model Rules

The Group has adopted International Tax Reform - Pillar Two Model Rules on 1 September 2023. The amendments provide a temporary mandatory relief from deferred tax accounting for the top-up tax, which is effective immediately and require new disclosures about the Pillar Two exposure.

The Group has applied the temporary exception to recognising and disclosing information about the impact of this International Tax Reform. The Group is currently in the midst of assessing its exposure to the Pillar Two income taxes.

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6. New and amended standards and interpretations issued but not yet effective

The standards and interpretations that are issued but not yet effective up to the date of issuance of the Group's and of the Company's financial statements are discussed below. The Group and the Company intend to adopt these standards, if applicable, when they become effective.

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to MFRS 101: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 16: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 107 and MFRS 7: Disclosures of Supplier Finance Arrangements	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 121: Lack of exchangeability	1 January 2025
Amendments to MFRS 9 and MFRS 7: Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments	1 January 2026
Amendments to MFRS 1, MFRS 7, MFRS 9, MFRS 10 and MFRS 107: Annual Improvements - Volume 11	1 January 2026
MFRS 18: Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements	1 January 2027
MFRS 19: Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures	1 January 2027
Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128: Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Deferred

The Group and the Company will adopt the abovementioned standards, amendments and interpretations, if applicable, when they become effective in the respective financial year. These pronouncements are not expected to have any impact to the financial statements of the Group and of the Company upon their initial application.

7. Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the Group's and of the Company's 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 the reporting period. However, 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 future periods.

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7. Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions (cont'd)

7.1 Judgements made in applying accounting policies

In the process of applying the Group's and the Company's accounting policies, management has not made any critical judgements, apart from those involving estimations, which could have a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements except as discussed below:

Classification between investment properties and property, plant and equipment

The Group has developed certain criteria based on MFRS 140 in making judgement whether a property qualifies as an investment property. Investment properties are properties held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both.

Some properties comprise a portion that is held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation and another portion that is held for use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. If these portions could be sold separately (or leased out separately under a finance lease), the Group would account for the portions separately. If the portions could not be sold separately, the property is an investment property only if an insignificant portion is held for use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Judgement is made on an individual property basis to determine whether ancillary services are so significant that a property does not qualify as investment property. The Group has determined that its properties held to earn rental income or capital appreciation are investment properties as only an insignificant portion of the properties is used in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes and ancillary services are not significant to the properties.

7.2 Estimates and assumptions

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are described 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.

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7. Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions (cont'd)

7.2 Estimates and assumptions (cont'd)

(a) Inventories costing

In determining the costing of inventories, management's estimate is required in determining the basis of valuation for finished goods and work-in-progress which comprise costs of raw materials, direct labour, other direct costs, and the appropriate allocation of overheads based on normal operating capacity.

(b) Impairment of goodwill

Goodwill is tested for impairment at each reporting period and at other times when such indicators exist. This requires an estimation of the value-in-use of the cash-generating units to which goodwill is allocated.

When value-in-use calculations are undertaken, management must estimate future cash flows from the cash-generating unit and choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present values of those cash flows. Further details of the carrying value, the key assumptions applied in the impairment assessment and sensitivity analysis to changes in the assumptions are disclosed in Note 22.

(c) Impairment of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets

At each reporting date, the Group assesses if any indication of impairment exists for property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets. The recoverable amounts are determined based on the higher of value-in-use and fair value less costs of disposal.

When value-in-use calculations are undertaken, management must estimate future cash flows from the cash-generating unit and choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present values of those cash flows. Further details of the carrying value, the key assumptions applied in the impairment assessment are disclosed in Note 15.

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8. Revenue

(a) Disaggregated revenue information

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from contracts with customers				
Business units by geographical area				
Malaysia	2,226,130	1,992,825	-	-
Thailand	147,609	138,878	-	-
The People's Republic of China	10,088	8,789	-	-
Others	130,581	116,729	-	-
	<u>2,514,408</u>	<u>2,257,221</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Revenue from other sources				
Management fees from subsidiaries	-	-	4,277	5,029
Dividend income from subsidiaries	-	-	-	200,200
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,277</u>	<u>205,229</u>
Total revenue	<u>2,514,408</u>	<u>2,257,221</u>	<u>4,277</u>	<u>205,229</u>
Timing of revenue recognition				
Goods transferred at a point in time	2,514,408	2,257,221	-	-

(b) Performance obligation

The Group is in the business of manufacturing and trading of gloves and healthcare related products.

The performance obligation is satisfied upon transfer of control of the goods to the customers and payment is generally due within 30 to 90 (2023: 30 to 90) days.

The transaction price allocated to the remaining performance obligations (unsatisfied) as at 31 August 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Within one year	<u>108,203</u>	<u>102,995</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

All remaining performance obligations are expected to be recognised within one year.

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9. Interest income

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Interest income from:				
Financial assets at fair value through OCI	1,971	2,171	1,971	2,171
Financial assets at amortised cost	6,433	3,183	1,578	789
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	4,108	11,674	1,073	9,961
Others	261	329	-	-
	12,773	17,357	4,622	12,921

10. Other income

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Realised gain on foreign exchange	-	8,346	57	11,571
Unrealised gain on foreign exchange	3,116	-	-	2,033
Net fair value gain on derivative financial instruments	752	-	-	-
Net fair value gain on investment securities at fair value through profit or loss	12,169	-	10,948	-
Rental income	17,041	7,383	-	-
Gain on disposal of debt securities	7	1,063	7	1,063
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	14,239	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of right-of-use assets	24,776	-	-	-
Gain on lease modifications	865	20	-	-
Gain on lease termination	-	40	-	-
Gain on disposal of investment property	90	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of assets held for sale	56,890	-	-	-
Net gain from fair value remeasurement of investment properties (Note 17)	4,653	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of money market fund	5,945	4,808	2,616	269
Sales of scrap items	8,007	5,386	-	-
Insurance claims	7,626	11,416	-	-
Sundry income	8,694	5,814	-	-
	164,870	44,276	13,628	14,936

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11. (Loss)/profit before tax

The following items have been charged/(credited) in arriving at (loss)/profit before tax:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Auditors' remuneration:				
Ernst & Young PLT				
- Statutory audit				
- Current year	970	899	320	233
- Over provision in prior year	(15)	(23)	-	(2)
Other auditors				
- Statutory audit				
- Current year	569	562	-	-
- Over provision in prior year	-	(2)	-	-
Inventories written off	198	21	-	-
Reversal of allowance for inventories written down on unsold goods	(50,617)	(33,650)	-	-
Bad debts written off	17	839	-	-
Net allowance for expected credit loss (Note 24)	280	2,976	-	-
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	277,764	332,597	-	-
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 16)	5,953	6,663	78	78
Amortisation of intangible assets (Note 22)	3,775	3,752	-	-
Direct operating expenses arising from investment properties				
- Rental generating properties	3,671	3,448	-	-
Impairment loss on investment in subsidiaries (Note 18)	-	-	606	8,793
Realised loss on foreign exchange	11,094	-	-	-
Unrealised loss on foreign exchange	-	7,356	2,229	-
Revaluation loss of property, plant and equipment	-	2,982	-	-
Net loss from fair value remeasurement on investment properties (Note 17)	-	74	-	-
Net fair value loss on derivatives	-	437	-	-
Net fair value loss on investment securities at fair value through profit or loss	-	11,043	-	11,648

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11. (Loss)/profit before tax (cont'd)

The following items have been charged/(credited) in arriving at (loss)/profit before tax (cont'd):

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	1,173	-	-
Loss on disposal of right-of-use assets	25	-	-	-
Impairment loss on other receivables	-	-	-	1
Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	-	54,660	-	-
Impairment loss on right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	16,124	-	-
Impairment loss on goodwill (Note 22)	-	137,553	-	-
Impairment loss on assets held for sales (Note 28)	-	5,073	-	-
Biological assets written off	-	1,064	-	-
Property, plant and equipment written off	10,212	197,183	-	-

12. Employee benefits expenses

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Wages, salaries and bonus	382,589	468,327	2,755	3,265
Social security costs	6,065	7,744	2	2
Pension costs - defined contribution plan	20,223	31,984	320	373
Share options granted under ESOS	1,199	2,639	-	218
Other staff related expenses	8,330	22,239	64	58
Executive directors' fees				
- Company	398	398	398	398
- Subsidiaries	69	79	-	-
	418,873	533,410	3,539	4,314

Included in employee benefits expenses of the Group and of the Company are executive directors' remuneration amounting to RM4,793,000 (2023: RM5,496,000) and RM3,354,000 (2023: RM3,957,000) respectively.

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12. Employee benefits expenses (cont'd)

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
<u>Directors' remuneration</u>				
Directors of the Company				
Executive:				
Salaries and other emoluments	3,905	4,411	2,583	3,022
Pension costs - defined contribution plan	378	435	310	363
Social security contributions	47	42	1	1
Share options granted under ESOS	-	123	-	90
Fees	398	398	398	398
Benefits-in-kind	65	87	62	83
	<u>4,793</u>	<u>5,496</u>	<u>3,354</u>	<u>3,957</u>
Non-executive:				
Salaries and other emoluments	122	157	122	155
Fees	789	967	789	967
	<u>911</u>	<u>1,124</u>	<u>911</u>	<u>1,122</u>
Analysis excluding benefits-in-kind:				
Total executive directors' remuneration	4,728	5,409	3,292	3,874
Total non-executive directors' remuneration	911	1,124	911	1,122
Total directors' remuneration (excluding benefits-in-kind)	5,639	6,533	4,203	4,996
Benefits-in-kind	65	87	62	83
Total directors' remuneration (including benefits-in-kind)	<u>5,704</u>	<u>6,620</u>	<u>4,265</u>	<u>5,079</u>

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12. Employee benefits expenses (cont'd)

The remuneration of the directors of the subsidiaries during the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023 is set as below:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Executive:				
Salaries and other emoluments	3,447	4,937	-	-
Pension costs - defined contribution plan	228	366	-	-
Social security contributions	37	41	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS	-	39	-	-
Fees	69	79	-	-
Benefits-in-kind	101	7	-	-
	<u>3,882</u>	<u>5,469</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Non-executive:				
Fees	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Analysis excluding benefits-in-kind:				
Total executive directors' remuneration	3,781	5,462	-	-
Total non-executive directors' remuneration	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total directors' remuneration (excluding benefits-in-kind)	3,783	5,464	-	-
Benefits-in-kind	<u>101</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total directors' remuneration (including benefits-in-kind)	<u>3,884</u>	<u>5,471</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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13. Income tax (credit)/expense

Major components of income tax (credit)/expense

The major components of income tax (credit)/expense for the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Current income tax:				
- Malaysian income tax	18,805	40,231	735	3,040
- Foreign tax	5,882	2,984	-	-
- Withholding tax	-	10,282	-	-
- Group tax relief on losses surrendered	(18,032)	(36,700)	-	-
- Real property gain tax ("RPGT")	11,455	-	-	-
- Under provision in respect of previous years	484	7,066	2	629
	<u>18,594</u>	<u>23,863</u>	<u>737</u>	<u>3,669</u>
Deferred income tax (Note 20):				
- Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences	(32,814)	(34,973)	-	-
- Under/(over) provision in respect of previous years	4,291	(3,756)	-	-
	<u>(28,523)</u>	<u>(38,729)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Income tax (credit)/expense recognised in profit or loss	<u>(9,929)</u>	<u>(14,866)</u>	<u>737</u>	<u>3,669</u>

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13. Income tax (credit)/expense (cont'd)

Reconciliation between tax (credit)/expense and accounting (loss)/profit

The reconciliation between tax (credit)/expense and the product of accounting (loss)/profit multiplied by the applicable corporate tax rate for the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
(Loss)/profit before tax	(31,341)	(900,415)	12,403	205,965
Tax at Malaysian statutory tax rate of 24% (2023: 24%)	(7,522)	(216,100)	2,977	49,432
<u>Adjustments:</u>				
Withholding tax from foreign income	-	5,790	-	-
Different tax rates in other countries	2,430	4,883	-	-
Effects of tax incentives claimed by foreign subsidiaries	(35)	(146)	-	-
Effects of income subject to RPGT	11,455	-	-	-
Income not subject to tax	(36,025)	(7,675)	(3,453)	(48,854)
Non-deductible expenses	4,137	54,213	1,211	2,462
Utilisation of tax incentives	-	(148)	-	-
Utilisation of previously unrecognised tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowance	(4,665)	(62)	-	-
Deferred tax assets not recognised in respect of current year's tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowance	38,876	131,504	-	-
Deferred tax assets not recognised in respect of prior year's tax losses	-	9,324	-	-
Deferred tax assets recognised in respect of previously unrecognised tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowance	(7,220)	-	-	-
Deferred tax assets recognised in respect of reinvestment allowance	(15,722)	(1,146)	-	-
Share of results of an associate	(413)	1,387	-	-
Over provision of deferred tax in respect of previous years	4,291	(3,756)	-	-
Under provision of income tax in respect of previous years	484	7,066	2	629
Income tax (credit)/expense recognised in profit or loss	(9,929)	(14,866)	737	3,669

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13. Income tax (credit)/expense (cont'd)

Reconciliation between tax (credit)/expense and accounting (loss)/profit (cont'd)

Domestic income tax is calculated at the Malaysian statutory tax rate of 24% (2023: 24%) of the estimated assessable profit for the year. Taxation for other jurisdictions is calculated at the rates prevailing in the respective jurisdictions.

The above reconciliation is prepared by aggregating separate reconciliations for each national jurisdiction.

14. Loss per share

(a) Basic

Basic loss per share is calculated by dividing loss for the year, net of tax, attributable to owners of the parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, excluding treasury shares held by the Company.

	2024	2023
Loss net of tax attributable to owners of the parent (RM'000)	(64,876)	(925,218)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	8,008,766	8,008,644
Basic loss per share (sen)	<u>(0.81)</u>	<u>(11.55)</u>

(b) Diluted

Diluted loss per share is calculated by dividing loss for the year, net of tax, attributable to owners of the parent 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.

	2024	2023
Loss net of tax attributable to owners of the parent (RM'000)	(64,876)	(925,218)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	8,008,766	8,008,644
Effect of dilution from:		
Assumed exercise of share options ('000)	<u>350</u>	<u>-</u>
Adjusted weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue and issuable ('000)	<u>8,009,116</u>	<u>8,008,644</u>
Diluted loss per share (sen)	<u>(0.81)</u>	<u>(11.55)</u>

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15. Property, plant and equipment

Group	Land and buildings RM'000	Plant and equipment RM'000	* Other assets RM'000	Capital work-in- progress RM'000	Total RM'000
Cost					
At 1 September 2022	1,588,416	3,085,728	425,201	1,194,699	6,294,044
Additions	106,931	44,998	7,794	204,431	364,154
Revaluation adjustment	7,521	-	-	(752)	6,769
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(106,351)	-	(94)	(80,908)	(187,353)
Transfer from/(to) right-of-use assets (Note 16)	14,060	537	6,465	(103)	20,959
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(155,154)	(557)	(449)	(10,187)	(166,347)
Reclassification	58,147	16,937	1,434	(76,518)	-
Written off	(4,688)	(595,635)	(66,754)	(11,543)	(678,620)
Disposals	(1,101)	(42,898)	(7,241)	(117,418)	(168,658)
Exchange differences	7,622	24,610	3,003	20,891	56,126
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	1,515,403	2,533,720	369,359	1,122,592	5,541,074
Additions	45,557	66,949	7,891	22,114	142,511
Revaluation adjustment	19,517	-	-	-	19,517
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(45,864)	-	-	(681)	(46,545)
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(9,396)	-	(502)	-	(9,898)
Reclassification	15,997	102,488	3,140	(121,625)	-
Written off	(264)	(25,876)	(2,849)	(1,212)	(30,201)
Disposals	(69,820)	(62,578)	(5,220)	(8,221)	(145,839)
Exchange differences	(7,450)	(18,028)	(1,997)	(15,525)	(43,000)
At 31 August 2024	1,463,680	2,596,675	369,822	997,442	5,427,619

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15. Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

	Land and buildings RM'000	Plant and equipment RM'000	* Other assets RM'000	Capital work-in- progress RM'000	Total RM'000
Group					
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 September 2022	136,414	1,413,541	222,679	-	1,772,634
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	18,644	274,968	38,985	-	332,597
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(3,427)	-	-	-	(3,427)
Transfer from right-of-use assets (Note 16)	992	254	346	-	1,592
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(824)	(280)	(186)	-	(1,290)
Reclassification	-	1	(1)	-	-
Written off	(3,173)	(440,632)	(37,632)	-	(481,437)
Disposals	(996)	(39,018)	(6,564)	-	(46,578)
Exchange differences	1,279	14,757	1,736	-	17,772
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	148,909	1,223,591	219,363	-	1,591,863
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	20,056	225,859	31,849	-	277,764
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(2,109)	-	-	-	(2,109)
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(5)	-	(288)	-	(293)
Written off	(29)	(18,181)	(1,779)	-	(19,989)
Disposals	(14,953)	(44,611)	(4,525)	-	(64,089)
Exchange differences	(1,202)	(10,501)	(1,216)	-	(12,919)
At 31 August 2024	150,667	1,376,157	243,404	-	1,770,228
Accumulated impairment					
At 1 September 2022	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment charged for the year (Note 11)	10,541	22,353	351	21,415	54,660
Exchange differences	283	600	9	575	1,467
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	10,824	22,953	360	21,990	56,127
Exchange differences	(753)	(1,596)	(25)	(1,529)	(3,903)
At 31 August 2024	10,071	21,357	335	20,461	52,224

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15. Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

	Land and buildings RM'000	Plant and equipment RM'000	* Other assets RM'000	Capital work-in- progress RM'000	Total RM'000
Net carrying amount					
At 31 August 2023	1,355,670	1,287,176	149,636	1,100,602	3,893,084
At 31 August 2024	1,302,942	1,199,161	126,083	976,981	3,605,167

* Other assets comprise motor vehicles, computer and software systems, office equipment, signages, small value assets, fire extinguishers, furniture and equipment.

Land and buildings

	Freehold land RM'000	Buildings RM'000	Total RM'000
Group			
Cost			
At 1 September 2022	746,595	841,821	1,588,416
Additions	64,200	42,731	106,931
Revaluation adjustment	4,911	2,610	7,521
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(62,585)	(43,766)	(106,351)
Transfer from right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	14,060	14,060
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(145,664)	(9,490)	(155,154)
Reclassification	(10,125)	68,272	58,147
Written off	(10)	(4,678)	(4,688)
Disposals	-	(1,101)	(1,101)
Exchange differences	2,040	5,582	7,622
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	599,362	916,041	1,515,403
Additions	1,983	43,574	45,557
Revaluation adjustment	14,868	4,649	19,517
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(20,179)	(25,685)	(45,864)
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	(9,391)	(5)	(9,396)
Reclassification	7,515	8,482	15,997
Written off	-	(264)	(264)
Disposals	(45,765)	(24,055)	(69,820)
Exchange differences	(1,674)	(5,776)	(7,450)
At 31 August 2024	546,719	916,961	1,463,680

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15. Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

	Freehold land RM'000	Buildings RM'000	Total RM'000
Group			
Accumulated depreciation			
At 1 September 2022	-	136,414	136,414
Depreciation charged for the year	-	18,644	18,644
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	-	(3,427)	(3,427)
Transfer from right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	992	992
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	-	(824)	(824)
Written off	-	(3,173)	(3,173)
Disposals	-	(996)	(996)
Exchange differences	-	1,279	1,279
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	-	148,909	148,909
Depreciation charged for the year	-	20,056	20,056
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	-	(2,109)	(2,109)
Transfer to assets held for sale (Note 28)	-	(5)	(5)
Written off	-	(29)	(29)
Disposals	-	(14,953)	(14,953)
Exchange differences	-	(1,202)	(1,202)
At 31 August 2024	-	150,667	150,667
Accumulated impairment			
At 1 September 2022	-	-	-
Impairment charged for the year	-	10,541	10,541
Exchange differences	-	283	283
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	-	10,824	10,824
Exchange differences	-	(753)	(753)
At 31 August 2024	-	10,071	10,071
Net carrying amount			
At 31 August 2023	599,362	756,308	1,355,670
At 31 August 2024	546,719	756,223	1,302,942

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15. Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

Included in the property, plant and equipment of the Group are fully depreciated assets which are still in use, with their carrying costs as follows:

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Buildings	661	2,837
Plant and equipment	535,104	492,607
Other assets	114,308	103,053
	<u>650,073</u>	<u>598,497</u>

During the financial year, the property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets of the Group were tested for impairment due to impairment indicators arising from drop in demand for gloves and decrease in average selling price of gloves. Management had undertaken an assessment of the recoverable amount of these assets during the financial year. Recoverable amount is defined as the higher of value-in-use and fair value less costs of disposal and determined at the CGU of each asset.

Recoverable amount determined from fair value less costs of disposal

The fair values of certain property, plant and equipment and rights-of-use assets were determined by independent professional valuers.

Recoverable amount determined from value-in-use ("VIU")

The following describes each key assumption on which management has based its cash flows projection to undertake impairment testing of certain property, plant and equipment:

- (i) Growth rate for the cash flows projection is determined based on management's estimate of the industry trends and past performances of the segments, thereafter terminal growth rate including maintainable capital expenditure is assumed to be 0% - 1% (2023: 0% - 1%).
- (ii) A range of pre-tax discount rate of 16.4% - 18.7% (2023: 16.4% - 18.1%) was applied in determining the recoverable amount of the CGUs. The discount rates used to discount the future cash flows reflect the specific risks relating to the respective CGUs.
- (iii) Budgeted profit margin is determined based on management's estimate of the industry trends for the average selling price of gloves and the production utilisation rate.

In the current financial year, the above mentioned impairment testing did not give rise to impairment losses of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets.

In the previous financial year, based on the impairment assessment, the Group recorded impairment losses of RM70.8 million for certain property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets owned by a subsidiary in Vietnam on the basis that the carrying amounts exceeded the recoverable amounts. This impairment losses is included in profit and loss as disclosed in Note 11.

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16. Right-of-use assets

	Land RM'000	Buildings RM'000	Plant and equipment RM'000	Office equipment RM'000	Total RM'000
Group					
At 1 September 2022	200,403	22,294	1,521	408	224,626
Additions	-	-	11,284	-	11,284
Revaluation adjustment	10	-	-	-	10
Transfer to property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	-	(19,187)	(180)	-	(19,367)
Transfer to investment properties (Note 17)	(8,373)	-	-	-	(8,373)
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	(4,628)	(1,873)	(100)	(62)	(6,663)
Impairment charged for the year (Note 11)	(16,124)	-	-	-	(16,124)
Adjustment due to lease modification	-	122	-	-	122
Termination	-	(464)	(6)	(110)	(580)
Exchange differences	2,090	71	-	-	2,161
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	173,378	963	12,519	236	187,096
Additions	1,783	1,036	-	-	2,819
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	(4,032)	(699)	(1,178)	(44)	(5,953)
Adjustment due to lease modification	(2,739)	-	-	-	(2,739)
Disposal	(4,805)	-	(34)	-	(4,839)
Exchange differences	(2,714)	19	-	-	(2,695)
At 31 August 2024	160,871	1,319	11,307	192	173,689
Company					
At 1 September 2022	-	280	-	-	280
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	-	(78)	-	-	(78)
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	-	202	-	-	202
Depreciation charged for the year (Note 11)	-	(78)	-	-	(78)
At 31 August 2024	-	124	-	-	124

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17. Investment properties

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Group		
Fair value of investment properties:		
At 1 September 2023/2022	419,699	227,400
Additions	2,090	74
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	44,436	183,926
Transfer from right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	8,373
Transfer to assets held for sales (Note 28)	(1,912)	-
Disposal	(650)	-
Net gain/(loss) from fair value remeasurement (Note 10 and 11)	4,653	(74)
At 31 August	<u>468,316</u>	<u>419,699</u>

Rental income arising from investment properties is RM14,576,000 (2023: RM5,154,000). Direct operating expenses arising from investment properties are disclosed in Note 11.

Reconciliation of fair value:

	Building	Freehold	Leasehold	Total
	RM'000	land	land	RM'000
Group				
At 1 September 2022	136,300	91,100	-	227,400
Additions	27	47	-	74
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	121,341	62,585	-	183,926
Transfer from right-of-use assets (Note 16)	-	-	8,373	8,373
Net loss from fair value remeasurement (Note 11)	(27)	(47)	-	(74)
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	<u>257,641</u>	<u>153,685</u>	<u>8,373</u>	<u>419,699</u>
Additions	2,041	49	-	2,090
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	24,138	20,298	-	44,436
Transfer to assets held for sales (Note 28)	(1,912)	-	-	(1,912)
Disposal	(650)	-	-	(650)
Net gain/(loss) from fair value remeasurement (Note 10)	644	4,035	(26)	4,653
At 31 August 2024	<u>281,902</u>	<u>178,067</u>	<u>8,347</u>	<u>468,316</u>

Fair value hierarchy disclosures for investment properties are in Note 42(ii).

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17. Investment properties (cont'd)

The fair value of investment properties were determined based on valuations performed by registered independent valuers using the following methods:

(a) Comparison method

Fair value is arrived at by reference to market evidence of transaction prices for similar properties, adjustments are made to account for factors such as differences in location, age, size and type of property.

An upward/(downward) change in the adjustments for factors such as differences in location, age, size and type of property will result in a higher/(lower) fair value of the investment properties.

(b) Investment method

This method considers the present value of net rental income to be generated from the property, taking into account the expected rental growth rate, occupancy rate and lease incentive. This net rental income is discounted at a risk-adjusted discount rate to arrive at its present value. The key inputs to the valuation of investment properties are as follows:

	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable inputs	Range	
			2024	2023
Freehold land and building	Investment method (Discounted cash flows method)	Estimated rental value per square foot per month	RM4.00 to RM5.00	RM3.24 to RM4.02
		Term yield rate	6.5%	6.0%
		Occupancy rate	75.9%	85.5%
		Long term vacancy rate	24.1%	14.5%

Using the discounted cash flows method, fair value is estimated using assumptions regarding the benefits and liabilities of ownership over the asset's life including a terminal value. This method involves the projection of a series of cash flows on a real property interest. To this projected cash flow series, a market-derived discount rate is applied to establish the present value of the income stream associated with the asset.

The duration of the cash flows and the specific timing of inflows and outflows are determined by events such as rent reviews, lease renewal and related re-letting, redevelopment, or refurbishment. The appropriate duration is typically driven by market behaviour that is a characteristic of the class of real property. Periodic cash flow is typically estimated as gross income less vacancy, non-recoverable expenses, collection losses, lease incentives, maintenance cost, agent and commission costs and other operating and management expenses.

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17. Investment properties (cont'd)

(b) Investment method (cont'd)

The series of periodic net operating income, along with an estimate of the terminal value anticipated at the end of the projection period, is then discounted. Significant increase/(decrease) in estimated rental value in isolation would result in a significantly higher/(lower) fair value of the property. Significant increase/(decrease) in the long term vacancy rate and yield rates in isolation would result in a significantly lower/(higher) fair value.

Generally, a change in the assumption made for the estimated rental value is accompanied by a directionally similar change in the rent growth per annum and discount rate, and an opposite change in the long term vacancy rate.

18. Investment in subsidiaries

	Company	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Unquoted shares, at cost:	2,366,518	2,366,518
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(27,153)	(26,547)
	<u>2,339,365</u>	<u>2,339,971</u>

Movement in accumulated impairment losses:

	Company	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2023/2022	(26,547)	(17,754)
Impairment losses (Note 11)	(606)	(8,793)
At 31 August	<u>(27,153)</u>	<u>(26,547)</u>

During financial year, the Company made an allowance for impairment loss on investments in TG Healthcare Sdn. Bhd. of RM606,000. The allowance was made after considering the measurable decrease in the recoverable amount of the investments.

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Details of the subsidiaries are as follows:

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held by the Company:				
Top Glove Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of gloves
TG Medical Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of examination, surgical and nitrile gloves, general trading and investment holding
Great Glove (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Company temporarily ceased business operation
Top Glove Engineering Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and supply of engineering parts and general contractors of all kinds of rubber gloves machinery
TG Medical (U.S.A.), Inc.#	United States of America	100	100	Trading of gloves

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held by the Company (cont'd):				
Top Quality Glove Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of gloves, rubber products and cast polyethylene products
Top Care Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
GMP Medicare Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of gloves and rubber products and general trading
Eastern Press Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing of packaging materials, boxes and cartons
Top Feel Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacture and sale of condoms, rubber related products, and disposable and medical face masks
Top Glove Labuan Ltd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
Top Glove Global Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Provision of management services
TG Healthcare Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of personal care and home care products
TG Worldwide Sdn Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Trading and provision of value added services

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through Top Glove Sdn. Bhd.:				
Great Glove (Thailand) Co. Ltd.#	Thailand	74	74	Manufacturing and trading of gloves
Top Glove Medical (Thailand) Co. Ltd.#^	Thailand	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of gloves
Top Glove Technology (Thailand) Co. Ltd.#	Thailand	100	100	Producing and selling rubber products
B Tech Industry Co. Ltd.#	Thailand	100	100	Producing and selling concentrate latex
Top Quality Gloves (Thailand) Co. Ltd.#	Thailand	100	100	Dormant
Top Glove Europe GmbH @	Germany	97.5	97.5	Trading of gloves
Great Glove (Xinghua) Co. Ltd.#	The People's Republic of China	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of gloves
TG Medical Suzhou Co. Ltd.#	The People's Republic of China	-	100	Trading of gloves

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. (cont'd):				
Top Glove International Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Research and development on gloves and rubber goods and provision of analytical services
Top Glove Properties Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Property investment, consultancy services and electrical engineering works
Medi-Flex Pte. Ltd.#	Singapore/ Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
BestStar Enterprise Ltd.#	The British Virgin Islands/ Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
Flexitech Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing of gloves, general trading, property investment
TG Porcelain Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing of formers
TGGD Medical Clinic Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	75	75	Providing clinical and specialist medical services, medical related consultancy and advisory services and emergency medical services
TG FMT Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	70	70	Manufacturing and trading of functional fillers

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. (cont'd):				
Top Glove Chemicals Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Providing advisory services and manufacturing of chemicals and chemical compounds
Top Glove Vietnam Company Limited#	Vietnam	100	100	Manufacturing of vinyl gloves and other products
TG Excellence Berhad*	Malaysia	100	100	Special purpose vehicle solely for issuance of Perpetual Sukuk
Top Academy Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Organise in-house trainings and public trainings/programs
Top Biotech Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing of medical devices
Top Protect UK Ltd.@	United Kingdom	100	100	Agents involved in the sale of variety of goods, wholesale of pharmaceutical goods, buying and selling of own real estate
Held through Great Glove (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.:				
TG Meditech Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of healthcare products

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through TG Medical Sdn. Bhd.:				
Top Healthy Fitness Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Establishing and maintaining of fitness related business, including healthcare, slimming centres, gymnasiums and other related activities
TG Raytech Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	99.4	99.4	Gamma irradiation for sterilisation of gloves and medical devices
Top Synthetic Rubber Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and trading of chemical products
Held through Great Glove (Xinghua) Co. Ltd.:				
TG Medical (Xinghua) Co. Ltd.#	The People's Republic of China	-	100	Trading of gloves and healthcare related products
Held through Top Care Sdn. Bhd.:				
Best Advance Resources Limited#	Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
Green Resources Limited#	Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
Aspion Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
TG Efficient Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing of rubber gloves
Great Glove (Su Zhou) Co. Ltd.	The People's Republic of China	60	-	Trading of gloves and healthcare related products

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through Top Feel Sdn. Bhd.:				
Duramedical Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	85	85	Manufacturing of rubber dental dams and exercise bands
Held through Best Advance Resources Limited:				
PT. Topglove Indonesia#^^	Indonesia	100	100	Providing management services in plantation sector and processing of plantation produce
Held through PT. Topglove Indonesia:				
PT. Agro Pratama Sejahtera#	Indonesia	95	95	Industrial forest plantation
Held through PT. Agro Pratama Sejahtera:				
PT. Top Green Forestry#Ω	Indonesia	57	57	Forestry and industry
Held through Aspion Sdn. Bhd.:				
Adventa Health Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Distribution of medical gloves and other hospital related products
Terang Nusa (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and distribution of sterile surgical gloves
Cytotec (M) Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Generation and supply of energy and electricity using biomass technology

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activities
		2024	2023	
Held through Aspion Sdn. Bhd. (cont'd):				
Purnabina Sdn. Bhd.*^^	Malaysia	97.2	97.2	Manufacturing and distribution of medical gloves
Sentienx Sdn. Bhd.*	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and distribution of medical gloves and synthetic latex
Terang Nusa Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Dormant
Ulma International GmbH @	Germany	51	51	Distribution of medical gloves and other hospital related products
Suizze Health Ltd#	Hong Kong/ Malaysia	100	100	Investment holding
Held through GMP Medicare Sdn. Bhd.:				
TG Ecommerce Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	E-commerce activities for glove trading and other healthcare products
Held through Suizze Health Ltd:				
Kevenoll Do Brasil Produtos Medicos Hospitalares LTDA#^^^	Brazil	100	100	Distribution of medical products and medical devices
Held through Top Glove Properties Sdn. Bhd.:				
Healthy Hostel Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	100	100	Provision of accommodation services

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

* Audited by Ernst & Young PLT

Audited by firms other than Ernst & Young PLT

@ Statutory audit is not required under local regulations

^ The total equity interests held by the Group is 100% and it is held by the following subsidiaries:

	2024	2023
(i) Top Glove Sdn. Bhd.	61.5%	61.5%
(ii) TG Medical Sdn. Bhd.	38.5%	38.5%

^^ The total equity interests held by the Group is 100% and it is held by the following subsidiaries:

	2024	2023
(i) Best Advance Resources Limited	99.9%	99.9%
(ii) Green Resources Limited	0.1%	0.1%

^^^ The total equity interests held by the Group is 97.2% and it is held by the following subsidiaries:

	2024	2023
(i) Aspion Sdn. Bhd.	95.2%	95.2%
(ii) Terang Nusa (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.	2.0%	2.0%

^^^^ The total equity interests held by the Group is 100% and it is held by the following subsidiaries:

	2024	2023
(i) Aspion Sdn. Bhd.	0.1%	0.1%
(ii) Suizze Health Ltd	99.9%	99.9%

Ω The total effective equity interests held by the Group is 57% and it is held by the following subsidiary:

	2024	2023
PT. Agro Pratama Sejahtera	60.0%	60.0%

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18. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd)

Changes in group structure

(a) Incorporation of Great Glove (Su Zhou) Co. Ltd. (“Great Glove (Su Zhou)”)

On 8 July 2024, the Company, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Top Care Sdn. Bhd., incorporated Great Glove (Su Zhou) in The People's Republic of China with approval from State Administration for Industry and Commerce of the People's Republic of China with an issued and paid up capital of RMB1,000,000 comprising 1,000,000 ordinary share. Top Care Sdn. Bhd. owns 600,000 shares in Great Glove (Su Zhou), representing 60% of the issued and paid up capital of Great Glove (Su Zhou) upon which, Great Glove (Su Zhou) becomes a 60% owned subsidiary of Top Care Sdn. Bhd.

(b) Deregistration of TG Medical (Xinghua) Co. Ltd. (“TG Medical (Xinghua)”)

On 29 December 2023, the Company through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Great Glove (Xinghua) Co. Ltd. received approval from State Administration for Industry and Commerce of the People's Republic of China to deregister its wholly-owned subsidiary, TG Medical (Xinghua). Upon deregistration, TG Medical (Xinghua) ceased to be a subsidiary of the Company at the end of the financial year.

(c) Deregistration of TG Medical (Suzhou) Co. Ltd. (“TG Medical (Suzhou)”)

On 15 May 2024, the Company through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. received approval from State Administration for Industry and Commerce of the People's Republic of China to deregister its wholly-owned subsidiary, TG Medical (Suzhou). Upon deregistration, TG Medical (Suzhou) ceased to be a subsidiary of the Company at the end of the financial year.

(d) Non-controlling interests

Summarised financial information for non-controlling interests has not been disclosed as the carrying amount of the non-controlling interests in the consolidated statements of financial position is immaterial to the Group.

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19. Investment in an associate

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Unquoted shares at cost	12,204	12,204
Share of post-acquisition reserves	(6,903)	(8,625)
	<u>5,301</u>	<u>3,579</u>

Details of the associate are as follows:

Name	Country of incorporation/ principal place of business	Proportion of ownership interest (%)		Principal activity
		2024	2023	
Held through Top Glove Sdn. Bhd.:				
Value Add Sdn. Bhd.#	Malaysia	27	27	Investment holding

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The financial year end of the above associate is non-coterminous with the Group. For the purpose of applying the equity method of accounting, the latest available financial information has been used and appropriate adjustments have been made for the effects of significant transactions between the dates of the latest available financial information and financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023.

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19. Investment in an associate (cont'd)

The summarised financial information of the associate, not adjusted for the proportion of ownership interest held by the Group, is as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Assets and liabilities		
Non-current assets	255,011	255,013
Current assets	2,699	1,732
Total assets	<u>257,710</u>	<u>256,745</u>
Non-current liabilities	(16,948)	(13,686)
Current liabilities	(221,130)	(229,803)
Total liabilities	<u>(238,078)</u>	<u>(243,489)</u>
Net assets	<u>19,632</u>	<u>13,256</u>
Results		
Revenue	8,090	4,898
Profit/(loss) for the year	<u>6,376</u>	<u>(21,408)</u>

Reconciliation of the summarised financial information presented above to the carrying amount of the Group's interest in an associate:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Net assets of the associate as at 1 September 2023/2022	13,256	34,664
Profit/(loss) for the year	6,376	(21,408)
Net assets of the associate as at 31 August	<u>19,632</u>	<u>13,256</u>
Group's share of net assets	<u>5,301</u>	<u>3,579</u>

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20. Deferred tax liabilities/(assets)

Deferred income tax as at 31 August 2024 and 2023 relates to the following:

Group	<i>Deferred tax liabilities</i>	<i>Deferred tax assets</i>		Total RM'000
	Property, plant and equipment, right-of-use assets and investment properties RM'000	Unabsorbed export allowance, business losses, capital and reinvestment allowance RM'000	Others RM'000	
At 1 September 2022	302,724	(62,786)	(46,569)	193,369
Recognised in profit or loss (Note 13)	(43,322)	(5,696)	10,289	(38,729)
Recognised in other comprehensive income	976	-	-	976
Exchange differences	10	-	(90)	(80)
At 31 August 2023/ 1 September 2023	260,388	(68,482)	(36,370)	155,536
Recognised in profit or loss (Note 13)	4,665	(39,633)	6,445	(28,523)
Recognised in other comprehensive income	1,952	-	-	1,952
Exchange differences	(17)	-	1,358	1,341
At 31 August 2024	266,988	(108,115)	(28,567)	130,306

Presented after appropriate offsetting as follows:

	Group	
	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Deferred tax assets	(11,751)	(4,583)
Deferred tax liabilities	142,057	160,119
	130,306	155,536

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20. Deferred tax liabilities/(assets) (cont'd)

Deferred tax assets have not been recognised by the Group in respect of the following items:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Unutilised tax losses	751,612	600,952
Unabsorbed capital allowances	9,213	22,713
Other deductible temporary differences	587	569
	<u>761,412</u>	<u>624,234</u>

The unutilised tax losses, unabsorbed capital allowances and other deductible temporary differences applicable to foreign incorporated subsidiaries are pre-determined by and subject to the tax legislation of the respective countries.

The unabsorbed capital allowances and other deductible temporary differences of the Group are available indefinitely for offsetting against future taxable profits of the respective entities within the Group, subject to tax laws and guidelines issued by the tax authority enacted at the reporting date.

Tax losses for which the tax effects have not been recognised in the financial statements:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Expiring within 5 years	152,322	116,781
Expiring within 6 to 10 years	552,142	454,890
Indefinite	47,148	29,281
	<u>751,612</u>	<u>600,952</u>

Deferred tax assets have not been recognised by the Group in respect of these items as it is not probable that taxable profits of its subsidiaries would be available against which deductible temporary differences could be utilised.

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21. Investment securities

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Current				
<i>Money market funds (quoted in Malaysia)</i>				
- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	618,173	630,186	345,834	424,592
<i>Debt securities (quoted outside Malaysia)</i>				
- Financial assets at fair value through OCI	32,213	32,864	32,213	32,864
	650,386	663,050	378,047	457,456
Non-current				
<i>Unquoted investments: Golf club membership</i>				
- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	392	392	-	-
Total investment securities	650,778	663,442	378,047	457,456

22. Intangible assets

	Goodwill	Customer relationship	Patent	Total
Group	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Cost				
At 1 September 2022	980,691	40,477	523	1,021,691
Additions	-	-	445	445
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	980,691	40,477	968	1,022,136
Additions	-	-	492	492
At 31 August 2024	980,691	40,477	1,460	1,022,628

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22. Intangible assets (cont'd)

Group	Goodwill RM'000	Customer relationship RM'000	Patent RM'000	Total RM'000
Accumulated amortisation				
At 1 September 2022	-	16,253	113	16,366
Amortisation during the year (Note 11)	-	3,680	72	3,752
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	-	19,933	185	20,118
Amortisation during the year (Note 11)	-	3,680	95	3,775
At 31 August 2024	-	23,613	280	23,893
Accumulated impairment				
At 1 September 2022	-	-	-	-
Impairment during the year (Note 11)	137,553	-	-	137,553
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023/ 31 August 2024	137,553	-	-	137,553
Net carrying amount				
At 31 August 2023	843,138	20,544	783	864,465
At 31 August 2024	843,138	16,864	1,180	861,182

Goodwill has been allocated to CGUs identified as follows, which are also the subsidiaries of the Company:

	Group	
	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Aspion Sdn. Bhd.	796,401	796,401
Eastern Press Sdn. Bhd.	21,597	21,597
B Tech Industry Co. Ltd.	14,789	14,789
GMP Medicare Sdn. Bhd.	5,070	5,070
Top Glove Medical (Thailand) Co. Ltd.	2,946	2,946
Duramedical Sdn. Bhd.	2,335	2,335
	<u>843,138</u>	<u>843,138</u>

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22. Intangible assets (cont'd)

During the financial year, the goodwill and customer relationship of the Group were tested for impairment due to impairment indicators resulted by decrease in average selling price of gloves. Management had undertaken an assessment of the recoverable amount of the CGUs.

Key assumptions used in value-in-use calculations

The recoverable amount of a CGU is determined based on value-in-use calculations using cash flow projections based on financial budgets approved by management.

The following describes each key assumption on which management has based its cash flow projections to undertake impairment testing of goodwill and customer relationship:

- (i) Growth rate for the 5-year projection is determined based on the management's estimate on the industry trends and past performances of the segments, thereafter terminal growth rate including maintainable capital expenditure is assumed to be 1% (2023: 1%).
- (ii) An average pre-tax discount rate of 16.9% (2023: 16.9%) was applied in determining the recoverable amount of the unit. The discount rates used to discount the future cash flows reflect the specific risks relating to the CGU.
- (iii) Budgeted profit margin is determined based on the management's estimate on the industry trends for the average selling price of gloves and the production utilisation rate.

The abovementioned impairment testing did not give rise to impairment losses of goodwill and customer relationship, other than the goodwill of Aspion Sdn. Bhd. as disclosed below.

The Group is of the opinion that any reasonably possible change in the above key assumptions would not materially cause the recoverable amount of the CGUs to be lower than its carrying amount, other than the goodwill of Aspion Sdn. Bhd. as disclosed below.

Sensitivity to changes in key assumptions

An increase of 0.5% in the discount rate used would have decreased the value-in-use of Aspion Sdn. Bhd. by RM68,733,000 (2023: RM70,184,000).

Customer relationship

The cost of customer relationship with estimated economic definite useful life is amortised over a period of 11 years, with remaining amortisation period of 4 years (2023: 5 years).

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22. Intangible assets (cont'd)

Patent

The cost of patent with estimated economic definite useful life is amortised over a period ranging from 5 to 20 years (2023: 5 to 20 years), with remaining amortisation period ranging from 3 to 18 years (2023: 4 to 18 years).

23. Inventories

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Cost		
Raw materials	94,265	60,177
Consumables and hardware	2,357	1,892
Work-in-progress	48,348	38,816
Finished goods	163,623	116,678
	<u>308,593</u>	<u>217,563</u>
Net realisable value		
Raw materials	906	1,988
Work-in-progress	15,094	21,316
Finished goods	51,705	60,629
	<u>67,705</u>	<u>83,933</u>
	<u>376,298</u>	<u>301,496</u>

During the year, the amount of inventories recognised as an expense of the Group amounted to RM2,249 million (2023: RM2,193 million).

24. Trade and other receivables

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Trade receivables		
Third parties	344,759	170,382
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	(3,577)	(3,350)
Trade receivables, net	<u>341,182</u>	<u>167,032</u>
Other receivables		
Sundry receivables	16,066	13,860
Refundable deposits	1,800	1,730
	<u>17,866</u>	<u>15,590</u>
Total trade and other receivables	<u>359,048</u>	<u>182,622</u>

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24. Trade and other receivables (cont'd)

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Total trade and other receivables	359,048	182,622
Add: Cash and bank balances (Note 27)	351,187	285,416
Financial assets at amortised cost	<u>710,235</u>	<u>468,038</u>
	Company	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Other receivables		
Amounts due from subsidiaries	103,599	9,504
Sundry receivables	128	103
Total other receivables	<u>103,727</u>	<u>9,607</u>
Total other receivables	103,727	9,607
Add: Cash and bank balances (Note 27)	5,996	484
Financial assets at amortised cost	<u>109,723</u>	<u>10,091</u>

(a) Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on 30 to 90 days (2023: 30 to 90 days) terms. Other credit terms are assessed and approved on a case-by-case basis. They are recognised at their original invoice amounts which represent their fair values on initial recognition.

Ageing analysis of trade receivables

An ageing analysis of the trade receivables as at 31 August 2024 and 2023, based on the invoice date and net of loss allowance, is as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
1 to 30 days	152,931	87,611
31 to 60 days	128,658	42,330
61 to 90 days	37,138	14,725
91 to 120 days	1,953	2,984
More than 121 days	20,502	19,382
	<u>341,182</u>	<u>167,032</u>

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24. Trade and other receivables (cont'd)

(a) Trade receivables (cont'd)

The ageing analysis by due date of the Group's trade receivables is as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Neither past due nor impaired	287,705	133,816
1 to 30 days past due not impaired	29,387	12,505
31 to 60 days past due not impaired	4,243	1,959
61 to 90 days past due not impaired	557	14
91 to 120 days past due not impaired	372	25
More than 121 days past due not impaired	18,918	18,713
	53,477	33,216
Impaired	3,577	3,350
	<u>344,759</u>	<u>170,382</u>

Receivables that are neither past due nor impaired

Trade and other receivables that are neither past due nor impaired are creditworthy debtors with good payment records and are mostly regular customers that have been transacting with the Group.

None of the Group's trade receivables that are neither past due nor impaired have been renegotiated during the financial year.

Receivables that are past due but not impaired

The Group has trade receivables amounting to RM53,477,000 (2023: RM33,216,000) that are past due at the reporting date but not impaired. These balances mainly relate to customers who have never defaulted on payments but are slow paymasters and hence, are periodically monitored.

Receivables that are impaired

Receivables that are determined to be impaired at the reporting date when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated cash flow have occurred. These instances include adverse changes in the financial capability of the debtors and default or significant delays on payments. These receivables are not secured by any collateral or credit enhancements.

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24. Trade and other receivables (cont'd)

(a) Trade receivables (cont'd)

Allowance for expected credit loss

For receivables that are individually determined to be credit impaired at the reporting date, individual lifetime expected credit loss is recognised.

For receivables that are not individually credit impaired, the Group uses the provision matrix method to measure lifetime expected credit loss where the receivables are grouped based on shared credit risk characteristics and days past due. The calculation reflects the probability-weighted outcome, the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information that is available at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions. The Group assessed that the amount of the allowance on these balances is insignificant.

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Trade receivables-nominal amounts	3,577	3,350
Less: Allowance for expected credit loss	(3,577)	(3,350)
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

Movements in the allowance accounts:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2023/2022	3,350	1,720
Written off	-	(1,407)
Net additional allowance for expected credit loss during the year	280	2,976
Exchange differences	(53)	61
At 31 August	<u>3,577</u>	<u>3,350</u>

(b) Related party balances

Amounts due from subsidiaries are unsecured, non-interest bearing and are repayable on demand except for an amount of RM100,353,000 (2023: RM5,326,000) which bears interest ranging from 4.03% to 4.61% (2023: 3.42% to 4.34%) per annum.

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25. Other current assets

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Prepaid operating expenses	32,517	34,673	95	-
Goods and service tax refundable	20,336	21,549	-	-
Advances to suppliers for raw materials	1,288	569	-	-
Advances to suppliers for purchase of property, plant and equipment	20,575	28,464	-	-
	<u>74,716</u>	<u>85,255</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>-</u>

26. Derivative financial instruments

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	Contract/ Notional amount RM'000	Fair value RM'000	Contract/ Notional amount RM'000	Fair value RM'000
Forward currency contracts				
- Derivative financial assets	30,392	245	-	-
- Derivative financial liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>68,882</u>	<u>(507)</u>

The Group uses forward currency contracts to hedge the Group's trade receivables and sales denominated in United States Dollars ("USD") extended to October 2024. Such derivatives do not qualify for hedge accounting.

During the financial year, the Group recognised a gain of RM752,000 (2023: loss of RM437,000) in profit or loss arising from changes in the fair value of the forward currency contracts.

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27. Cash and bank balances

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Cash on hand and at banks	282,839	279,773	3,106	484
Deposits with licensed banks and other financial institutions	68,348	5,643	2,890	-
Cash and bank balances	351,187	285,416	5,996	484
Less:				
Deposits pledged with banks with maturity of more than 3 months	(1,534)	(5,401)	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	349,653	280,015	5,996	484

Deposits with licensed banks and other financial institutions of the Group amounting to RM1,534,000 (2023: RM5,401,000) are pledged to banks for credit facilities granted to the Group.

The weighted average effective interest rates and maturity days of deposits with licensed banks and other financial institutions at the reporting date were as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Weighted average effective interest rates	0.20%	0.80%	0.18%	Nil
Maturity days	1 to 284 days	1 to 341 days	20 days	Nil

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28. Assets held for sale

	Property, plant and equipment RM'000
At 1 September 2022	-
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	165,057
Impairment (Note 11)	<u>(5,073)</u>
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	159,984
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 15)	9,605
Transfer from investment properties	1,912
Sales completed during the year	<u>(159,984)</u>
At 31 August 2024	<u>11,517</u>

Details of assets held for sale are as below:

(a) The Group through its wholly owned subsidiary, Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. entered into a Sales Purchase Agreement ("SPA") of which the condition precedents have yet to be satisfied as at 31 August 2024 for the following:

- (i) The sales of freehold land under Lot 4953 of approximately 1.2141 hectares to Q Centre (Teratai) Sdn. Bhd. on 19 August 2024.
- (ii) The sales of two shop offices under Lot 59640 of approximately 200 and 239 square metres respectively to Wikicareer Sdn. Bhd. on 22 August 2024.

The completion of the sales above are expected to carry out within a year. As such, the said plots of land and buildings are classified as current assets held for sale in the current financial year.

(b) The Group through its wholly owned subsidiary, Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. has completed the sales during the year for the following:

- (i) A freehold land with other associated assets under Lot 23552 of approximately 117,230 square feet to Samanea Logistic Property Sdn. Bhd..
- (ii) A freehold double storey terrace with other associated assets under Lot 31151 of approximately 139 square metres to an individual third party purchaser.
- (iii) A freehold land under Lot 97155 of approximately 13 hectares to Linx Development Sdn. Bhd..
- (iv) Two freehold land with the associated plant and equipment under Lot 106215 and Lot 6495 of approximately 881,491 square feet to H&A Holdings Sdn. Bhd. and HML Development Sdn. Bhd. respectively.

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28. Assets held for sale (cont'd)

- (b) The Group through its wholly owned subsidiary, Top Glove Sdn. Bhd. has completed the sales during the year for the following (cont'd):
- (v) A freehold double storey terrace under Lot 307 of approximately 109 square metres to an individual third party purchaser.
- (c) The Group through its wholly owned subsidiary, Top Quality Glove Sdn. Bhd. has completed the sales during the year for the following:
- (i) A freehold land under Lot 13 of approximately 6 hectares to Dynamite Empire Sdn. Bhd..
- (ii) A freehold land under Lot 5057 of approximately 3 acres to Semangat Deligasi Sdn. Bhd..

29. Loans and borrowings

		Group	
	Maturity	2024	2023
		RM'000	RM'000
Current			
<i>Unsecured:</i>			
<u>Floating Rate</u>			
EUR Revolving credit	2025/2024	-	180,111
JPY Revolving credit	2025/2024	390,794	331,920
EUR Term loan	2025/2024	7,192	28,325
		<u>397,986</u>	<u>540,356</u>
Total current loans and borrowings		<u>397,986</u>	<u>540,356</u>
Non-current			
<i>Unsecured:</i>			
<u>Floating Rate</u>			
EUR Term loan	2025	-	14,149
Total non-current loans and borrowings		<u>-</u>	<u>14,149</u>
Total loans and borrowings		<u>397,986</u>	<u>554,505</u>

The range of interest rates at the reporting date for borrowings are as follows:

	2024	2023
<u>Floating Rate</u>		
Revolving credit	0.5% to 1.1%	0.4% to 4.1%
Term loan	5.2% to 5.7%	1.5% to 5.3%

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30. Trade and other payables

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Trade payables	194,580	76,118	-	-
Other payables				
Accrued operating expenses	122,134	86,321	1,569	1,624
Sundry payables	116,295	102,822	19	2
	<u>238,429</u>	<u>189,143</u>	<u>1,588</u>	<u>1,626</u>
Total trade and other payables	<u>433,009</u>	<u>265,261</u>	<u>1,588</u>	<u>1,626</u>
Total trade and other payables	433,009	265,261	1,588	1,626
Add: Loans and borrowings (Note 29)	397,986	554,505	-	-
Lease liabilities (Note 32)	<u>24,106</u>	<u>27,340</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>214</u>
Total financial liabilities carried at amortised cost	<u>855,101</u>	<u>847,106</u>	<u>1,722</u>	<u>1,840</u>

(a) Trade payables

These amounts are non-interest bearing. The normal trade credit term granted to the Group ranges from 30 to 90 days (2023: 30 to 90 days).

(b) Other payables

These amounts are non-interest bearing. Other payables are normally settled on an average term of 30 to 90 days (2023: 30 to 90 days).

31. Contract liabilities

Contract liabilities represent advance payments received from customers. These advances are refundable to the customers shall the customers choose to cancel their orders.

The movement of contract liabilities is as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2023/2022	102,995	216,565
Revenue recognised during the year	(624,925)	(693,890)
Advance payments received during the year	630,387	579,971
Exchange differences	<u>(254)</u>	<u>349</u>
At 31 August	<u>108,203</u>	<u>102,995</u>

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32. Lease liabilities

Group as a lessee

The Group and the Company have lease contracts for land, buildings, motor vehicles and equipment with lease terms between 2 to 47 years and include extension options.

The Group and the Company also have certain leases of hostels, photocopiers and ATM with lease terms of 12 months or less or of low value. The Group and the Company apply the "short-term lease" and "lease of low-value assets" recognition exemptions for these leases.

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2023/2022	27,340	17,982	214	291
Additions	2,819	11,284	-	-
Accretion of interest	1,198	959	8	11
Payments	(3,175)	(3,465)	(88)	(88)
Adjustment due to lease modification	(3,604)	102	-	-
Termination	-	(620)	-	-
Exchange differences	(472)	1,098	-	-
At 31 August	24,106	27,340	134	214
Analysed into:				
Repayable within 12 months	2,161	1,710	84	80
Repayable after 12 months	21,945	25,630	50	134
	24,106	27,340	134	214

The maturity analysis of lease liabilities for the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023 is disclosed in Note 43(c).

The amounts recognised in profit or loss in relation to leases are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 11)	5,953	6,663	78	78
Interest expense on lease liabilities	1,198	959	8	11
Gain on lease modifications (Note 10)	(865)	(20)	-	-
Gain on lease termination (Note 10)	-	(40)	-	-
Gain on disposal of right-of-use assets (Note 10)	(24,776)	-	-	-
Expenses related to short-term, low-value and variable leases	3,024	5,406	-	-
Total amount recognised in profit or loss	(15,466)	12,968	86	89

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32. Lease liabilities (cont'd)

The Group and the Company had total cash outflows for leases amounting to RM6,199,000 and RM88,000 respectively for the financial year ended 31 August 2024 (2023: RM8,871,000 and RM88,000 respectively).

The Group has several lease contracts that include extension and termination options. These options are negotiated by management to provide flexibility in managing the leased-asset portfolio and align with the Group's business needs.

33. Share capital

	Group and Company			
	<-----2024----->		<-----2023----->	
	Number of shares '000	Monetary value RM'000	Number of shares '000	Monetary value RM'000
Issued and fully paid				
At 1 September 2023/2022	8,207,925	1,843,271	8,207,105	1,842,189
Exercise of ESOS (Note 38(i))	2,853	2,725	820	813
Transfer from share option reserve	-	997	-	270
Transaction cost	-	(3)	-	(1)
At 31 August	<u>8,210,778</u>	<u>1,846,990</u>	<u>8,207,925</u>	<u>1,843,271</u>

During the financial year, the Company increased its issued and paid-up ordinary share capital by way of issuance of 2,853,300 (2023: 819,600) ordinary shares pursuant to the Company's ESOS at an exercise price between RM0.88 to RM3.30 (2023: between RM0.89 to RM0.99) per ordinary share.

The new ordinary shares issued during the financial year ranked pari passu in all respects with the existing ordinary shares of the Company.

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34. Treasury shares

This amount relates to the acquisition cost of treasury shares net of the proceeds received on their subsequent sale or issuance.

The shareholders of the Company, by an ordinary resolution passed in the annual general meeting held on 10 January 2024, renewed their approval for the Company's plan to repurchase its own shares.

There are no any movements of treasury shares during the financial year.

Of the total 8,210,778,000 (2023: 8,207,925,000) issued and fully paid ordinary shares as at 31 August 2024, 199,764,300 (2023: 199,764,300) are held as treasury shares by the Company. As at 31 August 2024, the number of outstanding ordinary shares in issue and fully paid is therefore 8,011,013,700 (2023: 8,008,160,700) ordinary shares.

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35. Other reserves

	Foreign exchange reserve RM'000	Legal reserve RM'000	Share option reserve RM'000	Revaluation reserve RM'000	Fair value adjustment reserve RM'000	Other reserves RM'000	Total RM'000
Group							
At 1 September 2022	10,830	27,569	66,007	-	(11,057)	14,284	107,633
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	51,217	-	-	8,785	(3,279)	-	56,723
Share options granted under ESOS	-	-	2,639	-	-	-	2,639
Transfer to share capital	-	-	(270)	-	-	-	(270)
Transfer to retained earnings	-	-	(16,514)	-	-	(941)	(17,455)
Changes in ownership interest in subsidiaries	34	-	-	-	-	-	34
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	62,081	27,569	51,862	8,785	(14,336)	13,343	149,304
Other comprehensive (loss)/income	(45,433)	-	-	17,565	4,263	-	(23,605)
Share options granted under ESOS	-	-	1,199	-	-	-	1,199
Transfer to share capital	-	-	(997)	-	-	-	(997)
Transfer (to)/from retained earnings	-	-	(11,510)	(90)	-	132	(11,468)
At 31 August 2024	16,648	27,569	40,554	26,260	(10,073)	13,475	114,433

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35. Other reserves (cont'd)

Company	Share option reserve RM'000	Fair value adjustment reserve RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 September 2022	66,007	(11,057)	54,950
Other comprehensive loss	-	(3,279)	(3,279)
Share options granted under ESOS	2,639	-	2,639
Transfer to retained earnings	(16,514)	-	(16,514)
Transfer to share capital	(270)	-	(270)
At 31 August 2023/1 September 2023	51,862	(14,336)	37,526
Other comprehensive income	-	4,263	4,263
Share options granted under ESOS	1,199	-	1,199
Transfer to retained earnings	(11,510)	-	(11,510)
Transfer to share capital	(997)	-	(997)
At 31 August 2024	40,554	(10,073)	30,481

(a) Foreign exchange reserve

The foreign currency translation reserve is used to record 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. It is also used to record the exchange differences arising from monetary items which form part of the Group's net investment in foreign operations, where the monetary item is denominated in either the functional currency of the reporting entity or the foreign operation.

(b) Legal reserve

This represents a general reserve provided for in respect of subsidiaries incorporated in the People's Republic of China and Thailand.

Under the Wholly Foreign Owned Enterprise ("WFOE") Law in the People's Republic of China, at least 10% of the net profit after taxation in each financial year must be credited to this reserve, until it reaches 50% of the registered paid up capital of the subsidiary.

Under the Civil and Commercial Code in Thailand, a company is required to set aside a statutory reserve equal to at least 5% of its net profit each time when the company pays out a dividend, until it reaches 10% of the registered share capital of the company.

(c) Share option reserve

The share option reserve represents the equity-settled share options granted to employees. This reserve is made up of the cumulative value of services received from employees recorded on grant of share options.

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35. Other reserves (cont'd)

(d) Fair value adjustment reserve

This represents fair value through OCI reserves, which also represents the cumulative fair value changes, net of tax, if applicable, of fair value through OCI financial assets until they are disposed of.

(e) Revaluation reserve

Revaluation reserve represents fair value adjustments relating to transfers of property, plant and equipment to investment properties in accordance to MFRS 116: Property, Plant and Equipment.

36. Perpetual Sukuk

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2022/31 August 2023/1 September 2023/ 31 August 2024	1,175,694	1,175,694

On 22 January 2020, the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, TG Excellence Berhad ("TGE") lodged the Perpetual Sukuk Programme with the Securities Commission Malaysia ("SC"). The Perpetual Sukuk Programme, under the Shariah principle of Wakalah Bi Al-Istithmar, is guaranteed by the Company via a subordinated guarantee. The Perpetual Sukuk Programme provides TGE with the flexibility to issue unsecured and subordinated perpetual sukuk from time to time, subject to the aggregate outstanding nominal amount not exceeding RM3.0 billion at any point in time.

On 27 February 2020, TGE completed the first issuance with a nominal value of RM1.3 billion under the Perpetual Sukuk Programme. The Perpetual Sukuk was issued with a tenure of perpetual non-callable 5 years with an initial periodic distribution rate of 3.95% per annum.

The proceeds raised from the issuance of the Perpetual Sukuk are allowed to be utilised by the Group to refinance the existing financing and debt obligations, repayment of intercompany borrowings, capital expenditure, working capital requirements and general corporate purposes. All utilisation of proceeds shall be Shariah-compliant.

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36. Perpetual Sukuk (cont'd)

Under the Perpetual Sukuk Programme, TGE may, at its sole discretion, redeem the Perpetual Sukuk pursuant to certain redemption events.

There are no events of default or dissolution events which will entitle the sukuk holders to declare any or all amounts under the Perpetual Sukuk Programme to be immediately due and payable, save for certain enforcement events, as described below.

The Perpetual Sukuk Programme has been accorded an indicative credit rating of AA-IS (cg) by Malaysian Rating Corporation Berhad.

The salient features of the Perpetual Sukuk are as follows:

- (a) The Perpetual Sukuk shall constitute direct, unsecured, unconditional and subordinated obligations of TGE and shall at all times rank (i) below all present and future creditors of TGE; (ii) pari passu with any instrument issued or guaranteed by TGE that ranks pari passu with the Perpetual Sukuk; and (iii) ahead of any class of TGE's share capital, including without limitation, any ordinary shares.
- (b) Being perpetual in nature, TGE has a call option to redeem the Perpetual Sukuk under the following circumstances:
 - (i) Optional redemption at the first call date of the Perpetual Sukuk and on each periodic distribution date of the expected distribution amount thereafter.
 - (ii) Accounting event - change in accounting standards resulting in Perpetual Sukuk no longer being recognised as an equity instrument.
 - (iii) Tax event - if the expected periodic distribution of the profit would not be fully tax deductible or TGE become obligated to pay additional tax due to changes in tax laws or regulations.
 - (iv) Rating event - change in rating methodology by the rating agency that results in a lower equity credit for the relevant tranche of the Perpetual Sukuk.
- (c) The initial periodic distribution rate is 3.95% per annum, subject to reset every 5 years at the prevailing 5-year Malaysian Government Securities rate, initial credit spread of 1.209% and stepped up margin of 1.000%.
- (d) The periodic distribution amount is payable five years from the issue date of the respective tranche and every five years thereafter.

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36. Perpetual Sukuk (cont'd)

The salient features of the Perpetual Sukuk are as follows (cont'd):

- (e) TGE may, at its sole discretion, opt to (i) defer the periodic distribution or (ii) further defer any outstanding arrears of deferred periodic distribution, provided that it has not during the last six months declared or paid any dividend or payment or other distributions in respect of or redeem or repurchase its ordinary shares or any other securities of TGE ranking junior to or pari passu with the Perpetual Sukuk. The deferred periodic distribution, if any, will be cumulative and will not earn additional profits (i.e. there will be no compounding of the periodic distribution being deferred). There is no limit as to the number of times the expected periodic amount and the arrears of deferred periodic distribution can be deferred.
- (f) Notwithstanding the optional deferral stipulated in (e) above, all outstanding arrears of deferred periodic distribution shall be due and payable within fifteen days from the date TGE declared or paid any dividend or payment or other distributions in respect of or redeem or repurchase its ordinary shares or any other securities of TGE ranking junior to or pari passu with the Perpetual Sukuk.

As at 31 August 2024, the outstanding nominal value of Perpetual Sukuk was RM1,175,694,000.

37. Retained earnings

The Company may distribute dividends out of its entire retained earnings as at 31 August 2024 and 2023 under the single tier system.

38. Share based payments

(i) ESOS

The Company's ESOS is governed by the By-Laws which was approved by the shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 9 January 2018 and became effective on 2 August 2018.

The main features of the ESOS are as follows:

- (a) The ESOS shall be in force for a period of ten years from the date of the receipt of the last of the requisite approvals.
- (b) Eligible persons are employees of the Group (including executive directors) who have been confirmed in the employment of the Group. The eligibility for participation in the ESOS shall be at the discretion of the Options Committee appointed by the Board of Directors.

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(i) ESOS (cont'd)

The main features of the ESOS are as follows (cont'd):

- (c) The total number of shares to be issued under the ESOS shall not exceed in aggregate 10% of the issued and paid up share capital of the Company at any point of time during the tenure of the ESOS.
- (d) The option price for each share shall be the 5-days weighted average market price of the underlying shares before the ESOS Options are granted, with either a premium or a discount of not more than ten percent (10%).
- (e) No option shall be granted for less than 100 shares to any eligible employee.
- (f) An option granted under the ESOS shall be capable of being exercised by the grantee by notice in writing to the Company commencing from the vest date but before the expiry on 31 May 2028.
- (g) All new ordinary shares issued upon exercise of the options granted under the ESOS will rank pari passu in all respect with the existing ordinary shares of the Company other than as may be specified in a resolution approving the distribution of dividends prior to their exercise dates.
- (h) No eligible person shall participate at any time in more than one share option scheme implemented by any company within the Group unless otherwise approved by the Options Committee.
- (i) The options shall not carry any right to vote at a general meeting of the Company.

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(i) ESOS (cont'd)

The terms of share options outstanding as at end of the financial year are as follows:

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price RM	<----- Number of share options over the ordinary shares ----->				As at 31.8.2024 '000
			As at 1.9.2023 '000	Granted '000	Exercised '000	Lapsed '000	
2024							
2 August 2018	31 May 2028	1.69	1,046.6	-	-	(110.0)	936.6
1 February 2019	31 May 2028	1.63	1,801.4	-	-	-	1,801.4
18 February 2019	31 May 2028	1.63	270.2	-	-	(159.3)	110.9
30 July 2019	31 May 2028	1.54	1,361.4	-	-	(260.4)	1,101.0
20 January 2020	31 May 2028	1.57	932.5	-	-	(56.1)	876.4
20 May 2020	31 May 2028	3.30	2,443.1	-	(0.1)	(436.4)	2,006.6
1 June 2020	31 May 2028	4.25	41.2	-	-	(11.7)	29.5
31 January 2021	31 May 2028	6.55	40,163.7	-	-	(9,341.4)	30,822.3
6 August 2021	31 May 2028	3.86	13,370.1	-	-	(2,962.1)	10,408.0
27 January 2022	31 May 2028	2.12	9,097.5	-	-	(1,664.6)	7,432.9
29 July 2022	31 May 2028	0.99	60,888.8	-	(1,741.6)	(13,514.8)	45,632.4
31 January 2023	31 May 2028	0.89	1,371.7	-	(100.3)	(78.5)	1,192.9
31 July 2023	31 May 2028	0.88	5,739.5	-	(664.7)	(1,432.2)	3,642.6
1 February 2024	31 May 2028	0.92	-	3,073.2	(346.6)	(434.9)	2,291.7
			138,527.7	3,073.2	(2,853.3)	(30,462.4)	108,285.2

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(i) ESOS (cont'd)

The terms of share options outstanding as at end of the financial year are as follows (cont'd):

Grant Date	Expiry Date	Exercise Price RM	<----- Number of share options over the ordinary shares ----->				
			As at 1.9.2022 '000	Granted '000	Exercised '000	Lapsed '000	
			As at 31.8.2023 '000				
2023							
2 August 2018	31 May 2028	1.69	1,139.5	-	-	(92.9)	1,046.6
1 February 2019	31 May 2028	1.63	1,801.4	-	-	-	1,801.4
18 February 2019	31 May 2028	1.63	336.5	-	-	(66.3)	270.2
30 July 2019	31 May 2028	1.54	1,500.3	-	-	(138.9)	1,361.4
20 January 2020	31 May 2028	1.57	970.5	-	-	(38.0)	932.5
20 May 2020	31 May 2028	3.30	3,019.6	-	-	(576.5)	2,443.1
1 June 2020	31 May 2028	4.25	69.7	-	-	(28.5)	41.2
31 January 2021	31 May 2028	6.55	53,143.2	-	-	(12,979.5)	40,163.7
6 August 2021	31 May 2028	3.86	17,038.4	-	-	(3,668.3)	13,370.1
27 January 2022	31 May 2028	2.12	10,463.9	-	-	(1,366.4)	9,097.5
29 July 2022	31 May 2028	0.99	87,790.7	-	(801.0)	(26,100.9)	60,888.8
31 January 2023	31 May 2028	0.89	-	1,398.8	(18.6)	(8.5)	1,371.7
31 July 2023	31 May 2028	0.88	-	5,816.2	-	(76.7)	5,739.5
			177,273.7	7,215.0	(819.6)	(45,141.4)	138,527.7

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(i) ESOS (cont'd)

Details of share options exercised during the financial year and the fair value, at exercise date, of ordinary shares issued are as follows:

Exercise Date	Exercise price RM	Fair value of ordinary shares RM	Number of share options '000	Considerations received RM'000
2024				
September 2023 - August 2024	3.30	0.71 - 1.26	0.1	0.3
September 2023 - August 2024	0.99	0.71 - 1.26	1,741.6	1,731.2
September 2023 - August 2024	0.89	0.71 - 1.26	100.3	89.7
September 2023 - August 2024	0.88	0.71 - 1.26	664.7	585.6
September 2023 - August 2024	0.92	0.71 - 1.26	346.6	317.8
			<u>2,853.3</u>	<u>2,724.6</u>
2023				
September 2022 - August 2023	0.99	0.59 - 1.22	801.0	796.2
September 2022 - August 2023	0.89	0.59 - 1.22	18.6	16.6
			<u>819.6</u>	<u>812.8</u>

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(i) ESOS (cont'd)

Fair value of share options

The fair value of share options granted were estimated by using a binomial option pricing model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. The fair value of share options measured at grant date and the assumptions are used as follows:

Fair value of share options at the following grant dates (RM):

31 January 2023	0.28
31 July 2023	0.39
1 February 2024	0.39
Weighted average share price (RM)	0.83 - 0.93
Weighted average exercise price (RM)	0.88 - 0.92
Expected volatility (%)	38.00 - 45.26
Expected life (years)	4.33 - 5.33
Risk free interest rate (%)	3.60 - 3.69
Expected dividend yield (%)	0.00 - 1.00

The expected life of the share options is based on historical data and is not necessarily indicative of exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome.

(ii) ESGP

The Company's ESGP is governed by the By-Laws which was approved by the shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 6 January 2016 and became effective on 12 January 2016 and is administered by the ESGP Committee.

Under the ESGP, eligible employees may be granted ESGP Awards comprising shares of the Company. The ESGP Awards, once accepted, will vest without any consideration payable, subject to vesting date(s) and/or vesting conditions as may be determined at the discretion of the ESGP Committee. The ESGP Committee may, at its discretion, decide that any vesting of the Company's shares comprised in an ESGP Award shall be satisfied through:

- (a) the issuance of new shares of the Company;
- (b) the transfer of existing shares of the Company;
- (c) settlement in cash; or
- (d) a combination of any of the above.

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38. Share based payments (cont'd)

(ii) ESGP (cont'd)

The main features of the ESGP are as follows:

- (a) The aggregate number of shares of the Company which may be awarded under the ESGP and any other schemes involving issuance of new shares of the Company to employees which are still subsisting shall not exceed 10% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company ("Plan Size").
- (b) Eligible persons are any employee or executive director of the Group (excluding dormant subsidiaries) who fulfills the eligibility criteria. The eligibility for participation in the ESGP shall be at the discretion of the ESGP Committee appointed by the Board of Directors.
- (c) The number of shares comprised in each ESGP Award shall be determined at the discretion of the ESGP Committee after taking into consideration, inter alia, the performance and seniority, years of service and potential for future development of the eligible employees and the employees' contribution to the Group as well as such other criteria as the ESGP Committee may deem relevant.
- (d) The aggregate number of shares that may be allocated to any one participant shall not exceed 10% of the total number of shares to be awarded under the ESGP and any other schemes involving issuance of new shares of the Company which may be implemented from time to time by the Company.
- (e) The aggregate maximum allocation to the directors and senior management of the Group (excluding dormant subsidiaries) shall not be more than 75% of the Company's shares awarded under the ESGP.
- (f) The ESGP shall be in force for a period of ten years from the effective date of implementation which is the date the last of the requisite approvals and/or conditions have been obtained and/or complied with.
- (g) The shares to be allotted and issued under the ESGP will, upon allotment and issue, rank pari passu in all respects with the existing shares of the Company, save and except that they will not be entitled to any dividends, rights, allotments and/or other distributions in respect of which the entitlement date is prior to the date of allotment and issuance of the new shares.

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39. Related party transactions

(a) Significant transactions with related parties

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 mutually agreed between the parties during the financial year:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Transactions with subsidiaries				
Gross dividends	-	-	-	200,200
Management fees	-	-	4,277	5,029
Interest income	-	-	1,578	789

(b) Compensation of key management personnel

The remuneration of executive directors and other key management personnel during the financial year were as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Salaries and other emoluments	8,853	10,856	2,583	3,022
Pension costs - defined contribution plan	767	944	310	363
Social security contributions	89	86	1	1
Share options granted under ESOS	-	178	-	90
Fees	467	477	398	398
Benefits-in-kind	174	114	62	83
	10,350	12,655	3,354	3,957

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40. Commitments

(a) Capital commitments

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Property, plant and equipment:		
Approved and contracted for	225,615	278,954
Approved but not contracted for	235,538	207,518

(b) Operating lease arrangements

Group as a lessor

The Group has entered into non-cancellable operating lease agreements on its investment properties and certain property, plant and equipment portfolio. These leases have remaining non-cancellable lease terms between less than 1 year to 3 years (2023: less than 1 year to 3 years). Rental income earned from these investment properties and property, plant and equipment during the financial year is disclosed in Note 10.

The future minimum lease payments receivables under non-cancellable operating leases contracted for as at the reporting date but not recognised as receivables, are as follows:

	Group	
	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Within one year	11,850	4,081
After one year but within two years	7,886	2,624
After two years but within five years	224	1,264
	19,960	7,969

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41. Contingent liabilities

The subsidiaries of the Group are involved in trade and legal disputes with certain suppliers and customers:

- (a) On 13 May 2024, a supplier from Thailand (the "Plaintiff") filed a legal claim against a subsidiary of the Group for unable to purchase supplies as stipulated in the supply agreement, seeking damages of RM9.4 million. In response, the Group had filed for counterclaim of RM4.7 million, alleging wrongful termination of the supply agreement by the Plaintiff.

The Court scheduled the case management at the end of November 2024 to determine the disputed issues and schedule for witness hearing. Subsequently, the Court further scheduled for witness presentation hearing in March 2025.

Based on legal advice, the Board of Directors are of the view that there is an even chance to defend against the Plaintiff's claim.

- (b) A subsidiary of the Group is currently negotiating with a supplier from Malaysia (the "Supplier") to obtain a waiver of RM16.1 million for the purchase of supplies as stipulated in the supply agreement.

Based on legal advice, the Board of Directors are of the view that there is an even chance to defend against the Supplier's claim regarding the purchase, should the Supplier decide to pursue legal action.

- (c) A customer commenced an arbitration against three subsidiaries of the Group, claiming RM39.1 million for its losses. The three subsidiaries of the Group had filed for counter claim of RM53.6 million in relation to the long overdue payment and late payment interest. The case is awaiting for Arbitrator to issue the final decision in early January 2025.

Based on legal advice, the Board of Directors are of the view that there is an even chance in winning the case.

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42. Fair values

(i) Determination of fair value of financial instruments

Financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximation of fair value

The following are classes of financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximation of fair value:

	Note
Trade and other receivables	24
Cash and bank balances	27
Loans and borrowings	29
Trade and other payables	30
Lease liabilities	32

The carrying amounts of these financial assets and liabilities are reasonable approximation of fair values, either due to their short-term nature or that they are floating rate instruments that are re-priced to market interest rates on or near the reporting date.

The fair values of loans and borrowings are estimated by discounting expected future cash flows at market incremental lending rate for similar types of lending, borrowing or leasing arrangements at the reporting date.

Investment securities (current)

Fair value is determined directly by reference to their published market bid price at the reporting date.

Investment securities (non-current)

Fair value is determined based on directors' estimates using comparable market price of similar golf club memberships.

Derivative financial instruments

Forward currency contracts are valued using a valuation technique with market observable inputs. The most frequently applied valuation techniques include forward pricing, using present value calculations. The models incorporate various inputs including the credit quality of counterparties, foreign exchange spot and forward rates.

Investment properties

The fair value of the investment properties is based on valuation by accredited independent qualified valuers as disclosed in Note 17.

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42. Fair values (cont'd)

(ii) Fair value hierarchy

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's and the Company's assets and liabilities as at reporting date:

	Quoted prices in active market (Level 1) RM'000	Significant observable inputs (Level 2) RM'000	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) RM'000	Total RM'000
Group				
As at 31 August 2024				
Assets measured at fair value				
Current				
Financial assets at fair value through OCI (Note 21)	32,213	-	-	32,213
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	618,173	-	-	618,173
Derivative financial assets (Note 26)	-	245	-	245
Non-current				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	-	-	392	392
Investment properties (Note 17)	-	-	468,316	468,316
Biological assets	-	-	888	888

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42. Fair values (cont'd)

(ii) Fair value hierarchy (cont'd)

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's and the Company's assets and liabilities as at reporting date (cont'd):

	Quoted prices in active market (Level 1) RM'000	Significant observable inputs (Level 2) RM'000	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) RM'000	Total RM'000
Group (cont'd)				
As at 31 August 2023				
Assets/(liabilities) measured at fair value				
Current				
Financial assets at fair value through OCI (Note 21)	32,864	-	-	32,864
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	630,186	-	-	630,186
Derivative financial liabilities (Note 26)	-	(507)	-	(507)
Non-current				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	-	-	392	392
Investment properties (Note 17)	-	-	419,699	419,699
Biological assets	-	-	647	647

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42. Fair values (cont'd)

(ii) Fair value hierarchy (cont'd)

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's and the Company's assets and liabilities as at reporting date (cont'd):

	Quoted prices in active market (Level 1) RM'000	Significant observable inputs (Level 2) RM'000	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) RM'000	Total RM'000
Company				
As at 31 August 2024				
Assets measured at fair value				
Current				
Financial assets at fair value through OCI (Note 21)	32,213	-	-	32,213
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	345,834	-	-	345,834
As at 31 August 2023				
Assets measured at fair value				
Current				
Financial assets at fair value through OCI (Note 21)	32,864	-	-	32,864
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21)	424,592	-	-	424,592

There were no transfers between Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 fair value measurements during the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023.

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group and the Company are exposed to a variety of financial risks, including market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, interest rate risk, market price risk and foreign currency risk.

The Group's senior management oversees the management of these risks and ensures that the Group's financial risk activities are governed by appropriate policies and procedures and that financial risks are identified, measured and managed in accordance with the Group's policies and risk objectives. All derivative activities for risk management purposes are carried out by senior management who have the appropriate skills, experience and supervision. It is the Group's policy that no trading in derivatives for speculative purposes may be undertaken. The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised below:

(a) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises interest rate risk, foreign exchange currency risk and other price risk such as equity price risk. Financial instruments affected by market risk include loans and borrowings, cash and short term deposits, debt securities, money market funds and derivative financial instruments.

(b) 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 debt securities, money market funds, cash and bank balances and derivative financial instruments), 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.

Exposure to credit risk

At the reporting date, 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.

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(b) Credit risk (cont'd)

Credit risk concentration profile

The Group has no significant concentration of credit risk that may arise from exposure to a single debtor or to groups of debtors.

Financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired

Information regarding trade and other receivables that are neither past due nor impaired is disclosed in Note 24(a). Deposits with banks and other financial institutions, debt securities, money market funds and derivative financial instruments that are neither past due nor impaired are placed with or entered into with reputable financial institutions or companies with high credit ratings and no history of default.

Financial assets that are either past due or impaired

Information regarding financial assets that are either past due or impaired is disclosed in Note 24(a). An impairment analysis is performed at each reporting date using a provision matrix to measure expected credit losses. The provision rates are based on days past due for groupings of various customer segments with similar loss patterns. The calculation reflects the probability-weighted outcome, the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information that is available at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions. Generally, trade receivables are written off if past due for more than 120 days, except for certain major or specific customers where the period may extend beyond 120 days, and are not subject to enforcement activity. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date is the carrying value of each class of financial assets disclosed in Note 24(a).

(c) 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 flexibility through the use of stand-by credit facilities.

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(c) Liquidity risk (cont'd)

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Group's and the Company's liabilities at the reporting date based on contractual undiscounted repayment obligations.

	<-----31 August 2024 ----->			
	On demand or within one year RM'000	One to five years RM'000	Over five years RM'000	Total RM'000
Group				
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	433,009	-	-	433,009
Loans and borrowings	398,470	-	-	398,470
Lease liabilities	3,137	10,062	24,321	37,520
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	834,616	10,062	24,321	868,999
Company				
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	1,588	-	-	1,588
Lease liabilities	88	50	-	138
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	1,676	50	-	1,726
	<-----31 August 2023 ----->			
	On demand or within one year RM'000	One to five years RM'000	Over five years RM'000	Total RM'000
Group				
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	265,261	-	-	265,261
Derivative financial instruments	507	-	-	507
Loans and borrowings	542,890	14,498	-	557,388
Lease liabilities	2,756	10,324	31,802	44,882
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	811,414	24,822	31,802	868,038

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(c) Liquidity risk (cont'd)

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Group's and the Company's liabilities at the reporting date based on contractual undiscounted repayment obligations. (cont'd)

	<-----31 August 2023 ----->			
	On demand or within one year RM'000	One to five years RM'000	Over five years RM'000	Total RM'000
Company				
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	1,626	-	-	1,626
Lease liabilities	88	138	-	226
Total undiscounted financial liabilities	1,714	138	-	1,852

(d) 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 exposure to interest rate risk arises primarily from its loans and borrowings. The Group manages its interest rate exposure by maintaining a mix of fixed and floating rate borrowings. The Group actively reviews its debt portfolio, taking into account the investment holding period and nature of its assets. This strategy allows it to capitalise on cheaper funding in a low interest rate environment and achieve a certain level of protection against rate hikes.

Sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk

At the reporting date, if interest rates had been 10 basis points lower/higher, with all other variables held constant, the Group's loss before tax would have been RM398,000 (2023: RM555,000) higher/lower, respectively, arising mainly as a result of lower/higher interest expense on floating rate loans and borrowings. The assumed movement in basis points for interest rate sensitivity analysis is based on the currently observable market environment.

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(e) Market price risk

The Group's quoted investment securities are susceptible to market price risk arising from uncertainties about future values of the investment securities. The Group manages the market price risk through diversification and by placing limits on individual and total investment in investment securities. Reports on the investment portfolio are submitted to the Group's senior management on a regular basis. The Board of Directors reviews and approves all investment decisions.

The Group has a Board Risk Committee with the objectives of reviewing, advising and ensuring that the Group's investment in debt securities is consistent with the delegated authority limit approved by the Board; and cash invested is within the risk appetite of the Group. The Board Risk Committee established certain criteria for current and future investment in debt securities. Any investment differing from the criteria established will require the Board Risk Committee's approval. The Board Risk Committee also aims to establish an effective investment management framework for the Group.

The Group's exposure to quoted investment securities at fair value at the reporting date is disclosed in Note 21.

Sensitivity analysis for market price risk

At the reporting date, if the prices of the quoted investments had been 5% higher/lower, with all other variables held constant, the Group's profit before tax would have been RM30,909,000 (2023: RM31,509,000) lower/higher, arising as a result of higher/lower fair value gains on fair value through profit or loss. The Group's equity would also have been RM1,611,000 (2023: RM1,643,000) higher/lower, arising as a result of higher/lower fair value gains on investments classified at fair value through other comprehensive income.

(f) Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Group has transactional currency exposures mainly arising from revenue that are denominated in a currency other than the respective functional currencies of the Group entities. These functional currencies are Malaysian Ringgit ("RM"), Thai Baht ("THB"), Chinese Renminbi ("RMB"), Euro ("EUR") and United States Dollars ("USD").

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(f) Foreign currency risk (cont'd)

The foreign currencies in which these transactions are denominated are mainly USD, EUR and Japanese Yen ("JPY"). In addition, the Group has significant borrowings in EUR and JPY (Note 29). Therefore, the Group is exposed to foreign currency risk. These exposures are managed, to the extent possible, by natural hedge that arise when payments for foreign currency payables are matched against receivables denominated in the same foreign currency.

The net unhedged financial assets and financial liabilities of the Group that are not denominated in their functional currencies are as follows:

	Net financial assets/(liabilities) held in non-functional currency			
	USD	EUR	JPY	Total
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Functional currency of Group entities				
At 31 August 2024				
Malaysian Ringgit	338,742	3,854	(390,790)	(48,194)
Thai Baht	21,326	-	-	21,326
Chinese Renminbi	9,299	-	-	9,299
Euro	224	-	-	224
United States Dollars	-	(7,168)	-	(7,168)
	369,591	(3,314)	(390,790)	(24,513)
At 31 August 2023				
Malaysian Ringgit	285,812	(179,664)	(331,958)	(225,810)
Thai Baht	16,282	-	-	16,282
Chinese Renminbi	1,906	-	-	1,906
United States Dollars	-	(42,474)	-	(42,474)
	304,000	(222,138)	(331,958)	(250,096)

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43. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd)

(f) Foreign currency risk (cont'd)

Sensitivity analysis for foreign currency risk

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the Group's profit before tax to a reasonably possible change in the USD, Euro and JPY exchange rates against the respective functional currencies of the Group entities, with all other variables held constant.

		2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
USD/RM	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	16,937	14,291
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(16,937)	(14,291)
USD/THB	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	1,066	814
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(1,066)	(814)
USD/RMB	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	465	95
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(465)	(95)
USD/EUR	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	11	-
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(11)	-
EUR/RM	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	193	(8,983)
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	(193)	8,983
EUR/USD	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	(358)	(2,124)
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	358	2,124
JPY/RM	- strengthened 5% (2023: 5%)	(19,540)	(16,598)
	- weakened 5% (2023: 5%)	19,540	16,598

As part of the Group's financial instruments management policies and procedures, the Group established certain limits for foreign exchange contracts to be hedged against foreign currency risks. Further details of the forward currency contracts as at the reporting date are disclosed in Note 26.

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44. Financial instruments

Classification of financial instruments

The principal accounting policies in Note 4.18 describe how the classes of financial instruments are measured, and how income and expenses, including fair value gains and losses, are recognised.

The following table analyses the financial assets and liabilities in the statements of financial position by the class of financial instrument to which they are assigned, and therefore by the measurement basis:

	Fair value through OCI RM'000	Fair value through profit or loss RM'000	Amortised cost RM'000	Total RM'000
Group				
As at 31 August 2024				
Financial assets				
Investment securities: Unquoted investments	-	392	-	392
Investment securities: Money market funds	-	618,173	-	618,173
Investment securities: Debt securities	32,213	-	-	32,213
Trade and other receivables	-	-	359,048	359,048
Derivative financial instruments	-	245	-	245
Cash and bank balances	-	-	351,187	351,187
Total financial assets	32,213	618,810	710,235	1,361,258
Financial liabilities				
Loans and borrowings	-	-	397,986	397,986
Lease liabilities	-	-	24,106	24,106
Trade and other payables	-	-	433,009	433,009
Total financial liabilities	-	-	855,101	855,101

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44. Financial instruments (cont'd)

The following table analyses the financial assets and liabilities in the statements of financial position by the class of financial instrument to which they are assigned, and therefore by the measurement basis (cont'd):

	Fair value through OCI RM'000	Fair value through profit or loss RM'000	Amortised cost RM'000	Total RM'000
Group				
As at 31 August 2023				
Financial assets				
Investment securities: Unquoted investments	-	392	-	392
Investment securities: Money market funds	-	630,186	-	630,186
Investment securities: Debt securities	32,864	-	-	32,864
Trade and other receivables	-	-	182,622	182,622
Cash and bank balances	-	-	285,416	285,416
Total financial assets	32,864	630,578	468,038	1,131,480
Financial liabilities				
Loans and borrowings	-	-	554,505	554,505
Lease liabilities	-	-	27,340	27,340
Trade and other payables	-	-	265,261	265,261
Derivative financial instruments	-	507	-	507
Total financial liabilities	-	507	847,106	847,613
Company				
As at 31 August 2024				
Financial assets				
Investment securities: Money market funds	-	345,834	-	345,834
Investment securities: Debt securities	32,213	-	-	32,213
Other receivables	-	-	103,727	103,727
Cash and bank balances	-	-	5,996	5,996
Total financial assets	32,213	345,834	109,723	487,770
Financial liabilities				
Lease liabilities	-	-	134	134
Other payables	-	-	1,588	1,588
Total financial liabilities	-	-	1,722	1,722

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44. Financial instruments (cont'd)

The following table analyses the financial assets and liabilities in the statements of financial position by the class of financial instrument to which they are assigned, and therefore by the measurement basis (cont'd):

	Fair value through OCI RM'000	Fair value through profit or loss RM'000	Amortised cost RM'000	Total RM'000
Company				
As at 31 August 2023				
Financial assets				
Investment securities: Money market funds	-	424,592	-	424,592
Investment securities: Debt securities	32,864	-	-	32,864
Other receivables	-	-	9,607	9,607
Cash and bank balances	-	-	484	484
Total financial assets	32,864	424,592	10,091	467,547
Financial liabilities				
Lease liabilities	-	-	214	214
Other payables	-	-	1,626	1,626
Total financial liabilities	-	-	1,840	1,840

45. Capital management

The primary objective of the Group's and of the Company's capital management is to ensure that they maintain a strong credit rating and healthy capital ratios in order to support their business and maximise shareholders' value.

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45. Capital management (cont'd)

The Group and the Company manage their capital structure and make adjustments, in light of changes in economic conditions and the requirements of the financial covenants. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group and the Company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023.

As disclosed in Note 35(b), subsidiaries of the Group incorporated in the People's Republic of China and Thailand are required to set aside a statutory reserve fund under local regulations. This externally imposed capital requirement has been complied with by the above-mentioned subsidiaries for the financial years ended 31 August 2024 and 2023.

The Group and the Company monitor capital using a gearing ratio, which is net debt divided by total capital plus net debt. The Group and the Company include within net debt, loans and borrowings, trade and other payables, contract liabilities, less cash and cash equivalents. Capital includes equity attributable to the owners of the parent less the fair value adjustment reserve and the above-mentioned restricted statutory reserve fund.

	Note	Group		Company	
		2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000	2024 RM'000	2023 RM'000
Loans and borrowings	29	397,986	554,505	-	-
Trade and other payables	30	433,009	265,261	1,588	1,626
Contract liabilities	31	108,203	102,995	-	-
Lease liabilities	32	24,106	27,340	134	214
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	27	(349,653)	(280,015)	(5,996)	(484)
Net debt		<u>613,651</u>	<u>670,086</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,356</u>
Equity attributable to the owners of the parent		4,629,974	4,714,534	2,826,061	2,806,211
Less:					
- Fair value adjustment reserve	35	10,073	14,336	10,073	14,336
- Legal reserve	35	(27,569)	(27,569)	-	-
Total equity		<u>4,612,478</u>	<u>4,701,301</u>	<u>2,836,134</u>	<u>2,820,547</u>
Capital and net debt		<u>5,226,129</u>	<u>5,371,387</u>	<u>2,836,134</u>	<u>2,821,903</u>
Gearing ratio		<u>11.74%</u>	<u>12.48%</u>	<u>0.00%</u>	<u>0.05%</u>

The gearing ratio is not governed by the MFRS and its definition and calculation may vary from one group/company to another.

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46. Segment information

For management purposes, the Group is organised into business units based on their geographical areas, and has four reportable operating segments.

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. Group financing (including finance costs), income taxes and share of results of an associate are managed on a group basis and are not allocated to operating segments.

The directors are of the opinion that all inter-segment transactions have been entered into in the normal course of business and have been established on negotiated and mutually agreed terms.

	Malaysia RM'000	Thailand RM'000	The People's Republic of China RM'000	Others RM'000	Eliminations RM'000	Note	Consolidated RM'000
31 August 2024							
Revenue							
External sales	2,226,130	147,609	10,088	130,581	-		2,514,408
Inter-segment sales	110,497	279,536	-	623	(390,656)	A	-
Total revenue	2,336,627	427,145	10,088	131,204	(390,656)		2,514,408
Results							
Interest income	125,773	2,483	273	5,315	(121,071)		12,773
Depreciation and amortisation	250,094	24,380	3,524	9,494	-		287,492
Segment (loss)/profit	(38,171)	(16,683)	35,407	(3,675)	(8,219)	B	(31,341)
Assets							
Additions to non- current assets*	133,547	12,434	-	2,172	-	C	148,153
Segment assets	5,021,896	649,008	77,786	323,159	886,244	D	6,958,093
Liabilities							
Segment liabilities	866,643	66,023	812	38,618	150,501	E	1,122,597
Other segment information							
Capital commitments	439,492	12,595	-	9,067	-		461,153

* Other than financial instruments and deferred tax assets

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46. Segment information (cont'd)

	Malaysia RM'000	Thailand RM'000	The People's Republic of China RM'000	Others RM'000	Eliminations RM'000	Note	Consolidated RM'000
31 August 2023							
Revenue							
External sales	1,992,825	138,878	8,789	116,729	-		2,257,221
Inter-segment sales	77,070	217,451	84	772	(295,377)	A	-
Total revenue	<u>2,069,895</u>	<u>356,329</u>	<u>8,873</u>	<u>117,501</u>	<u>(295,377)</u>		<u>2,257,221</u>
Results							
Interest income	184,463	766	1,038	1,318	(170,228)		17,357
Depreciation and amortisation	300,409	25,072	4,123	13,408	-		343,012
Impairment loss on:							
- property, plant and equipment	-	-	-	54,660	-		54,660
- right-of-use assets	-	-	-	16,124	-		16,124
- goodwill	137,553	-	-	-	-		137,553
- assets held for sale	5,073	-	-	-	-		5,073
Segment loss	<u>(714,370)</u>	<u>(45,314)</u>	<u>(9,430)</u>	<u>(112,775)</u>	<u>(18,526)</u>	B	<u>(900,415)</u>
Assets							
Additions to non- current assets*	362,015	12,643	-	1,840	-	C	376,498
Segment assets	<u>5,149,395</u>	<u>672,706</u>	<u>49,446</u>	<u>307,194</u>	<u>882,829</u>	D	<u>7,061,570</u>
Liabilities							
Segment liabilities	<u>828,939</u>	<u>55,565</u>	<u>2,377</u>	<u>75,417</u>	<u>173,157</u>	E	<u>1,135,455</u>
Other segment information							
Capital commitments	<u>469,204</u>	<u>8,707</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,561</u>	<u>-</u>		<u>486,472</u>

* Other than financial instruments and deferred tax assets

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46. Segment information (cont'd)

- A Inter-segment revenues are eliminated on consolidation.
- B The following items are deducted from segment profit to arrive at (loss)/profit before tax presented in the consolidated statement of profit or loss:

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Share of results of an associate	1,722	(5,780)
Finance costs	(9,941)	(12,746)
	<u>(8,219)</u>	<u>(18,526)</u>

- C Additions to non-current assets consist of:

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Property, plant and equipment	142,511	364,154
Right-of-use assets	2,819	11,284
Investment properties	2,090	74
Intangible assets	492	445
Biological assets	241	541
	<u>148,153</u>	<u>376,498</u>

- D The following items are added to segment assets to arrive at total assets reported in the consolidated statement of financial position:

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Deferred tax assets (Note 20)	11,751	4,583
Investment in an associate (Note 19)	5,301	3,579
Intangible assets (Note 22)	861,182	864,465
Tax recoverable	8,010	10,202
	<u>886,244</u>	<u>882,829</u>

- E The following items are added to segment liabilities to arrive at total liabilities reported in the consolidated statement of financial position:

	2024	2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Tax payable	8,444	13,038
Deferred tax liabilities (Note 20)	142,057	160,119
	<u>150,501</u>	<u>173,157</u>

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47. Dividends

No dividend was proposed by the Company during current financial year.

48. Financial guarantees

A nominal amount of RM398 million (2023: RM555 million) relating to corporate guarantees has been provided by the Company for loans and borrowings of its subsidiaries.

As at reporting date, no values are ascribed on these guarantees and letter of undertaking provided by the Company to secure banking facilities described above as the directors regard the value of the credit enhancement provided by these guarantees as minimal and the probability of default, based on historical track records of the parties receiving the guarantees are remote.

49. Subsequent events

(a) Proposed bonus issue of warrants

On 10 October 2024, the Company proposed to undertake a bonus issue of warrants in the Company on the basis of 1 warrant for every 20 existing ordinary shares held on an entitlement date to be determined later.

The listing application for the proposed bonus issue of warrants was submitted to Bursa Securities on 8 November 2024 and approved with conditions on 14 November 2024 for the admission to listing and quotation of up to 405,894,951 warrants.

(b) Incorporation of Top Dynamic (Thailand) Company Limited ("Top Dynamic")

On 12 November 2024, the Company, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Top Glove Medical (Thailand) Co. Ltd., incorporated Top Dynamic in Thailand with Department of Business Development in the the Ministry of Commerce with an issued and paid up capital of THB1,000,000 comprising 10,000 ordinary share. Top Glove Medical (Thailand) Co. Ltd. owns 99,989 shares in Top Dynamic, representing 99.9% of the issued and paid up capital of Top Dynamic upon which, Top Dynamic becomes a 99.9% owned subsidiary of Top Glove Medical (Thailand) Co. Ltd.

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49. Subsequent events (cont'd)

(c) Joint Venture between Top Quality Glove Sdn. Bhd. ("TQG"), Tronex (Asia), Limited ("Tronex") and Polywel International Trade Company Limited ("Polywel")

On 22 November 2024, TQG, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, had entered into a Joint Venture Agreement with Tronex and Polywel, to collaborate on a project for the production and distribution of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Gloves.

TG Meditech Sdn. Bhd., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company is proposed to be the Joint Venture company to carry out the project and such other activities related to the production and distribution of HDPE Gloves to achieve the common objectives and purpose of TQG, Tronex and Polywel.

50. Authorisation of financial statements for issue

The financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2024 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 26 November 2024.