

Company Registration No. 200100340R

# **UMS Holdings Limited and its subsidiaries**

Unaudited Condensed Interim Financial Statements For the Three Months and Full Year Ended 31 December 2022

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# Condensed interim consolidated income statement For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

	Group							
		4Q			onths Ende			
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	•		
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%	S\$'000	S\$'000	%		
Revenue	100,976	87,251	16%	372,389	271,220	37%		
Net finance expense (Note 6.1)	(238)	(214)	11%	(891)	(750)	19%		
Changes in inventories	987	(15,272)	N.M	25,312	16,373	55%		
Raw material purchases and subcontractor charges	(55,039)	(26,540)	107%	(211,949)	(144,509)	47%		
Employee benefits expense	(10,576)	(11,310)	-6%	(42,102)	(35,261)	19%		
Depreciation expense	(4,297)	(4,273)	1%	(15,611)	(12,425)	26%		
Amortisation of intangible asset	(75)	(75)	0%	(300)	(200)	50%		
Other expenses (Note 6.2)	(6,100)	(4,849)	26%	(21,594)	(16,795)	29%		
Other (charges) / credits (Note 6.3)	(6,724)	(2,334)	188%	(2,038)	1,385	N.M		
Share of profit of associate	-	-	0%	-	361	-100%		
Profit before income tax	18,914	22,384	-16%	103,216	79,399	30%		
Income tax expense (Note 7)	(2,767)	(15,173)	-82%	(1,241)	(21,817)	-94%		
Net profit for the year from continuing operations	16,147	7,211	124%	101,975	57,582	77%		
Profit attributable to:								
Owners of the parent	16,141	5,686	184%	98,169	53,103	85%		
Non- controlling interest	6	1,525	-100%	3,806	4,479	-15%		
-	16,147	7,211	124%	101,975	57,582	77%		
Earnings per share attributable to owners of the Company (cents per share)								
Basic	2.41	0.85		14.71	7.96			
Diluted	2.41	0.85		14.71	7.96			

N.M - Not meaningful

# Condensed interim statement of comprehensive income As at 31 December 2022

	Group							
	4Q			12 Months Ende		d		
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %		
Net Profit for the year	16,147	7,211	124%	101,975	57,582	77%		
Other comprehensive (loss)/income, net of income tax								
Items that may be classified subsequently to profit and loss:								
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	(990)	33	N.M	(4,948)	(938)	428%		
Total comprehensive income for the year	15,157	7,244	109%	97,027	56,644	71%		
Attributable to:								
Equity holders of the Company	14,799	5,677	161%	93,020	52,121	78%		
Non- controlling interests	358	1,567	-77%	4,007	4,523	-11%		
	15,157	7,244	109%	97,027	56,644	71%		

# Condensed interim statement of financial position

As at 31 December 2022

			Company			
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		31-Dec-2021 S\$'000		31-Dec-2021		
ASSETS	S\$'000	22 000	S\$'000	S\$'000		
ASSETS Current Assets						
Cash and bank balances	64 670	65.096	1 072	6 070		
	61,672	65,086	1,073	6,273		
Trade receivables and other current assets	78,678	67,177	17,730	12,411		
Financial assets through profit and loss	967	322	967	322		
Loan to subsidiary	-	-	5,486	6,337		
	110,666	87,110	-	-		
Total Current Assets	251,983	219,695	25,256	25,343		
Non-Current Assets						
Investment in subsidiaries	-	-	262,863	260,459		
Property, plant and equipment (Note 12)	135,428	112,115	-	-		
Right-of-use assets	10,952	14,660	-	-		
Investment property (Note 13)	1,497	1,657	-	-		
Intangible assets (Note 11)	88,251	88,551	-	-		
Deferred tax assets	97	76	-	-		
Total Non-Current Assets	236,225	217,059	262,863	260,459		
Total Assets	488,208	436,754	288,119	285,802		
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Current Liabilities						
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Bank borrowings (Note 14)	11,549	11,601	9,000	2,500		
Trade and other payables	56,735	56,079	53,269	60,915		
Loan from related parties (Note 14)	909	1,403	-	-		
Lease liabilities	761	1,179	-	-		
Income tax payable Total Current Liabilities	11,083	19,151	-	157		
Total Current Liabilities	81,037	89,413	62,269	63,572		
Non Current Liabilities						
Bank borrowings (Note 14)	18,361	22,685	-	-		
Deferred tax liabilities	10,611	9,818	-	-		
Long-term provision*	405	405	-	-		
Lease liabilities	9,426	10,159	-	-		
Total Non-Current Liabilities	38,803	43,067	-	-		
Total Liabilities	119,840	132,480	62,269	63,572		
Capital and Basanyas						
Capital and Reserves Share Capital (Note 15)	106 600	106 600	106 600	106 600		
• • •	136,623	136,623	136,623	136,623		
Treasury shares (Note 15.1) Reserves	(891)	(2,064) (11,665)	(746)	(1,919)		
	(16,814)	,	-	-		
Retained earnings	221,552	156,009	89,973	87,526		
Non controlling interest	340,470	278,903	225,850	222,230		
Non-controlling interest Total Equity	27,898 368,368	<u>25,371</u> 304,274	225,850	- 222,230		
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Total Liabilities and Equity	488,208	436,754	288,119	285,802		

\* Provision for reinstatement of leased premises.

	A	ttributable to					
	Share Capital S\$'000	Treasury Shares S\$'000	Reserves S\$'000	Retained Earnings S\$'000	Total S\$'000	Non- controlling Interests S\$'000	Total S\$'000
Group Balance at 1 January 2022	136,623	(2,064)	(11,665)	156,009	278,903	25,371	304,274
<b>Changes in equity for first quarter</b> Net profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period- Exchange differences on translation of foreign	-	-	-	19,371	19,371	1,318	20,689
operations Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the	-	-	(319)	-	(319)	(17)	(336)
quarter Effect on non-controlling interest on acquisition	-	-	(319)	19,371	19,052	1,301	20,353
of a subsidiary	-	-	-	(114)	(114)	(261)	(375)
Balance at 31 March 2022	136,623	(2,064)	(11,984)	175,266	297,841	26,411	324,252
Changes in equity for second quarter Net profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period - Exchange differences on translation of foreign	-		-	20,175	20,175	1,086	21,261
operations Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the	-	-	(1,529)	-	(1,529)	(20)	(1,549)
quarter Dividend paid	-	-	(1,529) -	20,175 (13,336)	18,646 (13,336)	1,066 -	19,712 (13,336)
Effect on non-controlling interest on acquisition of a subsidiary	-	-	-	(925)	(925)	(1,057)	(1,982)
As at 30 June 2022	136,623	(2,064)	(13,513)	181,180	302,226	26,420	328,646
Changes in equity for third quarter Net profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period- Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	-	-	- (1,959)	42,482	42,482	1,396	43,878
Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the quarter	_	_	(1,959)	42,482	40,523	1,282	41,805
Dividend paid Sale of treasury shares	-	۔ 1,173		(6,668) 1,883	(6,668) 3,056	-	(6,668) 3,056
Effect on non-controlling interests on acquisition of a subsidiary	-	·	-	(85)	(85)	(162)	(247)
As at 30 September 2022	136,623	(891)	(15,472)	218,792	339,052	27,540	366,592
Changes in equity for fourth quarter Net profit for the period Other comprehensive (loss)/ income for the	-	-	-	16,141	16,141	6	16,147
period - Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	-	-	(1,342)	-	(1,342)	352	(990)
Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the quarter Dividend paid	-	-	(1,342) -	16,141 (13,381)	14,799 (13,381)	358 -	15,157 (13,381)
As at 31 December 2022	136,623	(891)	(16,814)	221,552	340,470	27,898	368,368
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			to owners of Foreign Exchange Translation	Retained	iy	Non- controlling	
	Capital S\$'000	Shares S\$'000	Reserve S\$'000	Earnings S\$'000	Total S\$'000	Interests S\$'000	Total S\$'000
Group Balance at 1 January 2021	136,623	(1,919)	(10,683)	127,265	251,286	1,663	252,949
Changes in equity for first quarter							
Net profit/(loss) for the period	-	-	-	15,369	15,369	(312)	15,057
Other comprehensive (loss)/ income for the period- Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	-	-	(885)	-	(885)	20	(865)
Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the							
quarter	-	-	(885)	15,369	14,484	(292)	14,192
Balance at 31 March 2021	136,623	(1,919)	(11,568)	142,634	265,770	1,371	267,141
Changes in equity for second quarter							
Net profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period- Exchange differences on translation of foreign	-	-	-	16,904	16,904	2,342	19,246
operations	-	-	401	-	401	341	742
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	401	16,904	17,305	2,683	19,988
Dividend paid	-	-	-	(5,334)	(5,334)	-	(5,334)
Purchase of treasury shares by a subsidiary Effect on non-controlling interests on acquisition	-	(78)	-	-	(78)	-	(78)
of a subsidiary	-	-	-	(4,065)	(4,065)	22,399	18,334
As at 30 June 2021	136,623	(1,997)	(11,167)	150,139	273,598	26,453	300,051
Changes in equity for third quarter							
Net profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for the period- Exchange differences on translation of foreign	-	-	-	15,144	15,144	924	16,068
operations	-	-	(489)	-	(489)	(359)	(848)
Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the			(489)	15 111	14,655	565	15,220
<b>quarter</b> Dividend paid	-	-	(409)	15,144 (5,335)	(5,335)	- 505	(5,335)
As at 30 September 2021	136,623	(1,997)	(11,656)	159,948	282,918	27,018	309,936
Changes in equity for fourth quarter Net profit for the period				5,686	5,686	1,525	7,211
Other comprehensive (loss)/ income for the period - Exchange differences on translation of	-	-	-	5,000	5,000	1,525	7,211
foreign operations Total comprehensive (loss)/ income for the	-	-	(9)	-	(9)	42	33
quarter	-	-	(9)	5,686	5,677	1,567	7,244
Dividend paid	-	-	-	(12,002)	(12,002)	-	(12,002)
Purchase of treasury shares by a subsidiary Effect on non-controlling interest on acquisition	-	(67)	-	-	(67)	-	(67)
of a subsidiary	-	-	-	2,377	2,377	(3,214)	(837)
As at 31 December 2021	136,623	(2,064)	(11,665)	156,009	278,903	25,371	304,274

	Attribu	Attributable to owners of the Company					
	Share Capital S\$'000	Treasury Shares S\$'000	Retained Earnings S\$'000	y Total S\$'000			
Company							
Balance at 1 January 2022	136,623	(1,919)	87,526	222,230			
Changes in equity for first quarter							
Net loss for the period	-	-	(949)	(949)			
Total comprehensive expenses for the quarter	-	-	(949)	(949)			
Balance at 31 March 2022	136,623	(1,919)	86,577	221,281			
Changes in equity for second quarter							
Net profit for the period	-	-	24,111	24,111			
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	24,111	24,111			
Dividend paid	-	-	(13,336)	(13,336)			
As at 30 June 2022	136,623	(1,919)	97,352	232,056			
Changes in equity for third quarter							
Net profit for the period	-	-	4,046	4,046			
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	4,046	4,046			
Sale of treasury shares	-	1,173	1,883	3,056			
Dividend paid	-	-	(6,668)	(6,668)			
As at 30 September 2022	136,623	(746)	96,613	232,490			
Changes in equity for fourth quarter							
Net profit for the period	-	-	6,741	6,741			
Total comprehensive loss for the quarter	-	-	6,741	6,741			
Dividend paid	-	-	(13,381)	(13,381)			
As at 31 December 2022	136,623	(746)	89,973	225,850			

	Attribu	table to owner	s of the Company	у
	Share Capital S\$'000	Treasury Shares S\$'000	Retained Earnings S\$'000	Total S\$'000
Company				
Balance at 1 January 2021	136,623	(1,919)	84,716	219,420
Changes in equity for first quarter				
Net profit for the period	-	-	6,081	6,081
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	6,081	6,081
Balance at 31 March 2021	136,623	(1,919)	90,797	225,501
Changes in equity for second quarter				
Net profit for the period	-	-	13,679	13,679
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	13,679	13,679
Dividend paid	-	-	(5,334)	(5,334)
As at 30 June 2021	136,623	(1,919)	99,142	233,846
Changes in equity for third quarter				
Net profit for the period	-	-	(2,503)	(2,503)
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	(2,503)	(2,503)
Dividend paid	-	-	(5,335)	(5,335)
As at 30 September 2021	136,623	(1,919)	91,304	226,008
Changes in equity for fourth quarter				
Net profit for the period	-	-	8,224	8,224
Total comprehensive income for the quarter	-	-	8,224	8,224
Dividend paid	-	-	(12,002)	(12,002)
As at 31 December 2021	136,623	(1,919)	87,526	222,230

#### Condensed interim consolidated cash flow statement For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

	Group				
	4	Q	12 Months	s Ended	
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	
Cash flows from operating activities					
Profit before income tax	18,914	22,384	103,216	79,399	
Adjustments for:					
Depreciation expense	4,297	4,273	15,611	12,425	
Loss on deemed disposal of an associate	-	-	-	2,015	
Waiver of loans from a related party	-	(16)	-	(3,904)	
Property, plant and equipment written off	2	-	3	19	
Write back provision for doubtful debts (trade)	(96)	-	(96)	-	
Write-back allowance for non-trade debts	-	(13)	-	(13)	
Bad debts written off (trade)	-	37	-	37	
Allowance for project loss	-	3	-	729	
Allowance for inventories obsolescence	438	-	647	404	
Write-back of inventories obsolescence	(267)	(2,667)	(267)	(3,130)	
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(33)	(10)	(213)	(7)	
Interest income	(80)	(68)	(230)	(184)	
Interest expense	318	282	1,121	934	
Inventories written down	-	3,303	-	3,303	
Amortisation of intangible assets	75	75	300	200	
Share of profit of associate	-	-	-	(361)	
Gain on lease modification	(102)	-	(102)	-	
Fair value loss/(gain) on financial assets through profit and loss	697	(7)	697	(7)	
Fair value adjustment on inventories arising from		(.,		(.)	
acquisition of a subsidiary	1,500	2,000	1,500	2,000	
Unrealised foreign exchange loss/(gain)	2,494	(62)	2,606	(226)	
Operating cash flows before working capital changes	28,157	29,514	124,793	93,633	
Changes in working capital:					
Trade receivables and other current assets	12,377	(14,117)	382	(29,966)	
Inventories	211	(3,167)	(25,436)	(17,001)	
Trade and other payables	(4,661)	9,727	3,553	23,966	
Cash generated from operations	36,084	21,957	103,292	70,632	
Income tax paid	110	(837)	(7,963)	(4,470)	
Net cash generated from operating activities	36,194	21,120	95,329	66,162	
Cash flows from investing activities					
_	70	00	770	400	
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		80	770	183	
Purchase of property, plant and equipment (Note A)	(20,452)	(3,399)	(53,520)	(9,977)	
Investment in quoted shares	-	(315)	(1,343)	(315)	
Consideration paid for acquisition of non-controlling intere	e (36)	(744)	(2,304)	(15,402)	
Improvement to investment property	-	-	-	(65)	
Net cash (outflow)/inflow on acquisition of a subsidiary	-	-	-	4,367	
Interest received	80	68	230	184	
Net cash generated used in investing activities	(20,338)	(4,310)	(56,167)	(21,025)	

#### Condensed interim consolidated cash flow statement For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

	Group					
	40	2	12 Months	Ended		
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000		
Cash flows from financing activities						
Proceeds from bank borrowings	9,000	8,500	35,917	25,000		
Repayment of bank borrowings	(4,630)	(1,177)	(40,294)	(33,634)		
Interest paid	(183)	(161)	(647)	(489)		
	(4,813)	(1,338)	(40,941)	(34,123)		
Repayment of lease liabilities	(131)	(490)	(1,637)	(1,515)		
Repayment of loan from related parties	(495)	-	(495)	-		
Purchase of treasury shares	-	(68)	-	(145)		
Proceeds from sale of treasury shares	-	-	3,056	-		
Dividend paid	(13,381)	(12,002)	(33,385)	(22,671)		
Net cash used in financing activities	(9,820)	(5,398)	(37,485)	(33,454)		
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	6,036	11,412	1,677	11,683		
Net effect of exchange rate changes	(2,844)	(52)	(5,091)	(384)		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	58,480	53,726	65,086	53,787		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	61,672	65,086	61,672	65,086		

The reconciliation of purchase of property, plant and equipment ("PPE") is presented below:

31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000
38,533	9,977
14,987	-
53,520	9,977
	<b>S\$'000</b> 38,533 14,987

#### Notes to the condensed interim consolidated financial statements For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

#### 1. Corporate information

UMS Holdings Limited (the "Company") is a public limited company incorporated and domiciled in Singapore, and is listed on the Mainboard of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST"). The controlling shareholder of the Company is Mr Luong Andy.

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. The principal activities of the Group are:

- (a) Manufacture of precision machining components, assembly and integration of equipment modules for semiconductor equipment manufacturers;
- (b) Precision engineering works for parts used mainly in the aerospace, oil and gas industries, and other general engineering and machinery work; and
- (c) Manufacture of water disinfection systems, trading of non-ferrous metal alloys and cutting tools.

#### 2. Basis of Preparation

The condensed financial statements for the three month and full year ended 31 December 2022 have been prepared in accordance with Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) ("**SFRS(I)**") 1-34 *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the Accounting Standards Council Singapore. The condensed financial statements do not include all the information required for a complete set of financial statements. However, selected explanatory notes are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the Group's financial position and performance of the Group since the last annual financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2021.

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year which were prepared in accordance with SFRS(I)s, except for the adoption of new and amended standards as set out in Note 2.1.

The financial statements, which are expressed in Singapore Dollar ("S\$"), are rounded to the nearest thousand dollar (S\$'000), except as otherwise indicated.

#### 2.1 New and amended standards adopted by the Group

A number of amendments to standards have become applicable for the current reporting period. The Group did not have to change its accounting policies or make retrospective adjustments as a result of adopting those standards.

#### 2.2 Use of judgements and estimates

In the application of the Group's accounting policies, which are described in Note 3 to the consolidated financial statements ("Annual Report 2021"), management are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

#### Notes to the condensed interim consolidated financial statements For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

#### 2. Basis of preparation (cont'd)

#### 2.3 Use of judgements and estimates (cont'd)

#### (a) Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty

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

#### Useful lives of property, plant and equipment and investment property

The Group determines the estimated useful lives and related depreciation charges for its property, plant and equipment and investment property. This estimate is based on the historical experience of the actual useful lives of property, plant and equipment and investment property of a similar nature and function. It could change significantly as a result of technical innovations and competitor actions. Management will increase the depreciation charge where the useful lives are less than previously estimated, or it will write-off or write-down technically obsolete assets that have been abandoned or sold.

There is no change in the estimated useful lives of property, plant and equipment and investment property during the financial year. The carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment and investment property of the Group as at 31 December 2022 amounted to S\$135,428,000 (Dec 2021: S\$112,115,000) and S\$1,497,000 (Dec 2021: S\$1,657,000) respectively.

#### Impairment of goodwill

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

#### Impairment of loan and receivables

The Group measures the loss allowance for trade receivables at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses ("ECLs"). The ECLs on trade receivables are estimated using a provision matrix which involves grouping receivables according to historical loss patterns (e.g. customer rating or product or by geographical location) and applying a historic provision rate which is based on days past due for groupings of various customer segments that have similar loss patterns. In devising such a provision matrix, the Group uses its historical credit loss experience with forward-looking information (adjusted as necessary to reflect current conditions and forecast economic conditions) to estimate the lifetime expected credit losses on the trade receivables and contract assets. At every reporting date, the historical observed default rates are updated and changes in the forward-looking estimates are analysed.

The assessment of the correlation between historical observed default rates, forecast economic conditions and ECLs is a significant estimate. The amount of ECLs is sensitive to changes in circumstances and of forecast economic conditions. The Group's historical credit loss experience and forecast of economic conditions may also not be representative of customer's actual default in the future.

#### Notes to the condensed interim consolidated financial statements For the three months and full year ended 31 December 2022

#### 2. Basis of preparation (cont'd)

#### 2.3 Use of judgements and estimates (cont'd)

#### (b) Critical Judgements in applying Accounting Policies

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, the application of judgements that are expected to have a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the interim consolidated financial statements are discussed below.

#### Allowance for inventories obsolescence

Reviews are made periodically by management on inventories for excess inventories, obsolescence and decline in net realisable value below cost. The Group writes down the cost of inventories whenever the net realisable value of inventories becomes lower than cost due to damage, physical deterioration, obsolescence, changes in price levels or other causes. Allowances are recorded against the inventories based on historical obsolescence of slow-moving inventories.

#### 3 Seasonal operations

The Group's businesses are not affected significantly by seasonal or cyclical factors during the financial period.

#### 4. Financial Information by Segments

The Group is organised into the following main **business segments**:

- (a) Semiconductor: Manufacture of precision machining components, assembly and integration of equipment modules for semiconductor equipment manufacturers;
- (b) Aerospace: Precision engineering works for parts used mainly in the aerospace, oil and gas industries, and other general engineering and machinery work; and
- (c) Others: Manufacture of water disinfection systems, trading of non-ferrous metal alloys and cutting tools.

Management monitors the operating results of its segments separately for the purpose of making decision about resource allocation and performance assessment. Segment performance is monitored based on revenue and gross profit. Selling expenses, administrative expenses, finance costs, assets and liabilities are managed on a legal entity basis.

The Group operates in five principal <u>geographical regions</u> - Singapore, Malaysia, Taiwan, the United States of America ("USA") and Others. Other key geographical areas include People's Republic of China and South Korea. Sales to external parties in the individual country grouped under "others" did not contribute more than 5% of the total sales of the Group.

In presenting information on the basis of geographical segments, segment revenue is based on the countries of domicile of the customers. Segment assets are based on the geographical location of the assets.

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# 4.1 Revenue by Business Segments and Geographical Areas

12 Months 2022 vs 2021		Group	
	12	Months Ended	
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%
Business Segments			
Semiconductor (Semicon)	322,379	242,293	33%
Aerospace	14,958	9,952	50%
Others	35,052	18,975	85%
	372,389	271,220	37%
Geographical Regions			
Singapore	258,552	189,914	36%
United States of America ('US')	35,377	31,481	12%
Taiwan	39,184	27,990	40%
Malaysia	19,979	11,517	73%
Others	19,297	10,318	87%
	372,389	271,220	37%

#### Revenue

Revenue			
4Q2022 vs 2Q2021		Group	
	3 N	Ionths Ended	
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%
Business Segments			
Semiconductor (Semicon)	84,661	77,445	9%
Aerospace	4,159	3,920	6%
Others	12,156	5,886	107%
	100,976	87,251	16%
Geographical Regions			
Singapore	69,173	62,132	11%
United States of America ('US')	9,868	8,646	14%
Taiwan	13,150	7,644	72%
Malaysia	4,078	4,416	-8%
Others	4,707	4,413	7%
	100,976	87,251	16%

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## 4.2 Business Segments

	Semicon	ductor	Aeros	pace	Oth	ers	Tot	al
	31-Dec-22	<u>31-Dec-21</u>	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-22	<u>31-Dec-21</u>	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000
12 Months Ended 31 December 2022								
Group				0.050		10.075		
Sales to external parties	322,379	242,293	14,958	9,952	35,052	18,975	372,389	271,220
Segment results	94,760	71,461	1,631	366	6,825	7,572	103,216	79,399
Material non-cash items include:								
Depreciation expense	12,880	10,473	2,136	1,378	595	574	15,611	12,425
Write-back allowance for non-trade debts	-	-	-	-		(13)	-	(13)
Write-back provision for doubtful debts								
(trade)	-	-		-	(96)	-	(96)	-
Allowance for project loss	-	-	-	-	-	729	-	729
Allowance for inventories							-	-
obsolescence	475	46	-	358	172	-	647	404
Write-back of inventories obsolescence	(267)	(3,130)	-	-	-	-	(267)	(3,130)
Inventories written down	-	3,303	-	-	-	-	-	3,303
Bad debts written off (trade)	-	37					-	37
Loss on deemed disposal of an associate	-	-	-	-	-	2,015	-	2,015
Property, plant and equipment written off	3	19	-	-	-	-	3	19
Loss/(gain) on disposal of property, plant								
and equipment	(26)	52	(187)	(52)	-	(7)	(213)	(7)
Fair value adjustment on inventories arising								
from acquisition of subsidiary	-	200	1,500	1,300	-	500	1,500	2,000
Waiver of loans from related party	-	-	-	-	-	(3,904)	-	(3,904)

Disaggregation of revenue								
At a point in time - sales of goods	321,761	242,226	14,958	9,952	35,052	18,648	371,771	270,826
Over time - rental income	618	394		-		-	618	394
Total revenue	322,379	242,620	14,958	9,952	35,052	18,648	372,389	271,220

	Semiconductor		Aerospace		Others		Total	
	<b>31-Dec-22</b> S\$'000	<b>31-Dec-21</b> S\$'000	<b>31-Dec-22</b> \$\$'000	<b>31-Dec-21</b> \$\$'000	<b>31-Dec-22</b> S\$'000	<b>31-Dec-21</b> S\$'000	<b>31-Dec-22</b> \$\$'000	<b>31-Dec-21</b> \$\$'000
Total assets	722,694	651,788	49,887	52,925	57,044	57,548	829,625	762,261
Total liabilities	230,262	218,764	14,462	16,887	24,008	34,373	268,732	270,024

	Group			
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21		
	S\$'000	S\$'000		
Total assets for reportable segments	829,625	762,261		
Elimination of inter-segment assets	(341,417)	(325,507)		
Total assets	488,208	436,754		
Total liabilities for reportable segments	268,732	270,024		
Elimination of inter-segment liabilities	(148,892)	(137,544)		
Total liabilities	119,840	132,480		

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#### 4.3 Geographical Segments

	Singa	apore	US	5A	Taiv	wan	Mala	aysia	Oth	ers	To	tal
Group	<u>31-Dec-22</u>	<u>31-Dec-21</u>										
	S\$'000											
<u>12 Months Ended 31 December 2022</u>	2											
Group												
Sales to external parties	258,552	189,914	35,377	31,481	39,184	27,990	19,979	11,517	19,297	10,318	372,389	271,220
	<u>31-Dec-22</u>	<u>31-Dec-21</u>										
	S\$'000											
Other geographical information:												
Non-current assets:												
Property, plant and												
equipment	79,813	73,642	90	61	-	-	55,525	38,412	-	-	135,428	112,115
Investment property	1,497	1,657	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,497	1,657
Intangible asset	1,900	2,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,900	2,200
Goodwill	85,427	85,427	924	924	-	-	-	-	-	-	86,351	86,351
Right-of-use assets	10,675	14,101	187	330	-	-	90	229	-	-	10,952	14,660

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#### 5. Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities

Set out below is an overview of the financial assets and financial liabilities of the Group as at 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021:

	Gro	up	Company		
	<u>31-Dec-22</u>	<u>31-Dec-21</u>	<u>31-Dec-22</u>	<u>31-Dec-21</u>	
	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	
Group					
Financial assets					
Trade receivables and other current assets					
(excluding prepayments and advance to suppliers)	52,373	56,457	17,698	12,389	
Financial assets through profit and loss	-	-	967	322	
Loan to subsidiary	-	-	5,486	6,337	
Cash and bank balances	61,672	65,086	1,073	6,273	
	114,045	121,543	25,224	25,321	
Financial liabilities					
Bank borrowings	29,910	34,286	9,000	2,500	
Loans from related parties	909	1,403	-	-	
Trade and other payables					
(excluding contract liabilities)	57,380	46,728	53,269	60,915	
Lease liabilities	10,187	11,338	-	-	
	98,386	93,755	62,269	63,415	

#### 6. Profit before tax

#### 6.1 Net finance expense

			Group			
		4Q	12 Months Ended			
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%	S\$'000	S\$'000	%
Group						
Interest income						
- from cash and cash equivalents	80	68	18%	230	184	25%
Interest expense						
- on lease liabilities and hire purchases	(130)	(122)	7%	(463)	(410)	13%
- on bank borrowings	(179)	(151)	19%	(623)	(489)	27%
- on loans from related parties	(9)	(9)	0%	(35)	(35)	0%
Net finance expense	(238)	(214)	11%	(891)	(750)	19%

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#### 6. Profit before tax (cont'd)

#### 6.2 Other expenses:

	Group							
		4Q		12 Months Ended				
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	Change		
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%	S\$'000	S\$'000	%		
Legal and professional fees	(967)	(790)	22%	(4,087)	(3,270)	25%		
Utilities	(1,504)	(1,400)	7%	(6,094)	(4,787)	27%		
Freight charges	(823)	(599)	37%	(2,904)	(1,822)	59%		
Insurance	(201)	(190)	6%	(804)	(608)	32%		
Upkeep of properties and equipment	(504)	(328)	54%	(1,688)	(1,068)	58%		
Upkeep of machinery	(1,182)	(752)	57%	(3,025)	(2,378)	27%		
Others	(919)	(790)	16%	(2,992)	(2,862)	5%		
	(6,100)	(4,849)	26%	(21,594)	(16,795)	29%		

### 6.3 Other Credits / (Charges)

	Group							
	4Q			12 M	12 Months Ended			
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %		
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain - net	(4,504)	(458)	883%	(272)	1,971	N.M		
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	33	10	230%	213	7	2943%		
Property, plant & equipment written off	(2)	-	N.M	(3)	(19)	-84%		
Write back allowance for non-trade debts	-	13	-100%	-	13	-100%		
Bad debts written off (trade)	-	(37)	-100%	-	(37)	-100%		
Write back of provision for doubtful debts (trade)	96	-	N.M	96	-	N.M		
Inventories written off	-	(3,303)	-100%	-	(3,303)	-100%		
Write back of inventories obsolescence	267	2,667	-90%	267	3,130	-91%		
Allowance for project loss	-	(3)	-100%	-	(729)	-100%		
Allowance for inventories obsolescence	(438)	-	N.M	(647)	(404)	60%		
Loss on deemed disposal of an associate	-	-	0%	-	(2,015)	-100%		
Waiver of loans from a related party	-	16	-100%	-	3,904	-100%		
Fair value adjustment on inventories arising from acquistion of a subsidiary Fair value (loss)/gain on financial assets through	(1,500)	(2,000)	-25%	(1,500)	(2,000)	-25%		
profit and loss	(697)	7	N.M	(697)	7	N.M		
Others	21	754	-97%	505	860	-41%		
	(6,724)	(2,334)	188%	(2,038)	1,385	N.M		

#### 6.4 Related Party Transactions

There are no material related party transactions apart from those disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements.

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#### 7. Income Tax

The Group calculates the period income tax expense using the tax rate that would be applicable to the expected total annual earnings. The major components of income tax expense in the condensed interim consolidated statement of profit or loss are:

		Group						
		4Q		12	Months Ended			
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000	Change %		
Income tax:	<i>i</i>	<i></i>						
- Current	(2,354)	(7,533)	-69%	(12,745)	(14,287)	-11%		
- Prior years	(413)	(7,640)	-95%	11,504	(7,530)	N.M		
	(2,767)	(15,173)	-82%	(1,241)	(21,817)	-94%		

The Group made high tax provision in 4Q2021 as one of the Malaysia Subsidiary (Ultimate Manufacturing Solution Sdn Bhd) was unable to comply with the stipulated % of local employee criteria to achieve the pioneer tax incentive.

The Group's application for the reinstatement of its pioneer tax status received approval from the Malaysia Authorities in 3Q2022.

Accordingly, the Group wrote back all the tax provision up to 3Q2022.

#### 8. Dividends

	Group and	Company
	31-Dec-22 S\$'000	31-Dec-21 S\$'000
Cash dividend on ordinary shares declared and paid/payable		
Interim dividend	20,049	17,337
Final dividend	13,336	13,336
Total	33,385	30,673

#### Tax consequences of proposed dividends

The above-mentioned proposed dividends to the shareholders by the Company have no income tax consequences.

#### 9. Net Assets Value

	Group		Company	
	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
Net asset value per ordinary share based on total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares)	51.02 cents	42.14 cents	33.89 cents	33.64 cents
Total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares)	669,078,641	666,785,941	669,078,641	666,785,941

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#### 10 Fair value measurement

#### *(i) Fair value of financial instruments*

Fair value is defined as the amount at which the financial instruments could be exchanged in a current transaction between knowledgeable willing parties in an arm's length transaction, other than in a forced or liquidation sale. Fair values are obtained from quoted prices, discounted cash flow models and option pricing models as appropriate.

The Group presents financial assets measured at fair value and classified by level of the following fair value measurement hierarchy:

- a. Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets and liabilities;
- b. Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- C. Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).
- (ii) Fair Value of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities that are not measured at fair value on a recurring basis

The carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities with a maturity of less than one year (including cash and bank balances, trade and other receivables, loan to subsidiaries, bank borrowings, trade and other payables, loans from related parties and lease liabilities) approximate their fair values due to the relatively short-term maturity of these financial instruments.

The carrying amounts of loans from related parties and lease liabilities approximate their fair values as they are subject to interest rates close to market rates of interest for similar arrangement with financial institutions.

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#### 11. Intangible assets

	Goodwill	Customer Relationship	Total
	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000
Cost:			
At 1 January 2022	88,469	2,400	90,869
Acquisition of a subsidiary		-	-
At 31 Dec 2022	88,469	2,400	90,869
Accumulated amortisation			()
At 1 January 2022	-	(200)	(200)
Amortisation for the year	-	(300)	(300)
At 31 Dec 2022	_	(500)	(500)
Accumulated impairment			
At 1 January 2022	(2,118)	-	(2,118)
Impairment for the year	(_, , _	-	-
At 31 Dec 2022	(2,118)	-	(2,118)
Net book value:			
At 31 Dec 2021	86,351	2,200	88,551
At 31 Dec 2022	86,351	1,900	88,251

The Group performed its annual impairment test in December and when circumstances indicated that the carrying value may be impaired. The Group's impairment test for goodwill with indefinite lives is based on value-in-use calculations. The key assumptions used to determine the recoverable amount for the different cash generating units were disclosed in the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

The customer relationship arose from the acquisition of JEP Holdings Ltd and its subsidiary. The remaining amortisation period of the customer relationship is eight years (2028 - 8 years). The amortisation of customer relationship will be included in the "Other credits/charges" line item in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. In the opinion of the directors of the Group, there is no indication that the recorded book value cannot be recovered from the business operations in the future periods.

#### 12. Property, plant and equipment

During the financial year, the Group acquired assets amounting to S\$38,533,000 (31.12.2021: S\$9,977,000) respectively. The Company did not acquire any assets during financial year ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021.

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#### 13. Investment property

	Group	
	<u>31-Dec-22</u>	<u>31-Dec-21</u>
	S\$'000	S\$'000
<u>Cost</u>		
At the beginning of the year	4,098	4,033
Additions	-	65
Disposal/Write-off	-	-
At the end of the year	4,098	4,098
Accumulated depreciation		
At the beginning of the year	2,441	2,285
Depreciation for the year	160	156
Disposal/Written-off	-	-
At the end of the year	2,601	2,441
Net book value		
At the end of the year	1,497	1,657

Investment property relates to the leasehold property at 25 Changi North Crescent, Singapore 499617 held by a subsidiary under an operating lease to earn rental income. Rental income and direct operating expenses related to the investment property amounted to \$\$99,558 (2021: \$\$115,200) and \$\$102,500 (2021: \$\$102,500) respectively, for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

The tenure of the leasehold property is a 30-year lease from 1 February 2003.

The estimated fair value of the leasehold property amounted to \$\$6,600,000 (Dec 2021: \$\$6,600,000), classified under Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy, as determined on the basis of management's review of similar properties in the market as at 31 December 2022. The key input applied in the estimation of the investment property is unit price per square foot. There has been no change to the valuation technique during the current financial period.

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#### 14. Borrowings and Loan from Related Parties

-	Gro	oup	Comp	<u>bany</u>
	<u>31-Dec-22</u> S\$'000	<u>31-Dec-21</u> S\$'000	<u>31-Dec-22</u> S\$'000	<u>31-Dec-21</u> S\$'000
Secured				
Term Ioans – non-current (a)	18,360	22,685	-	-
Term Loans – current (a)	2,549	3,101	-	-
	20,909	25,786	-	-
Unsecured				
Short term bank loan - current (b)	9,000	8,500	9,000	2,500
Loan from related parties	000	1 402		
- Current (c)	909	1,403	-	-
	30,818	35,689	9,000	2,500

- (a) Secured term loans amounting to S\$20.9 million are secured by the property, plant and equipment of subsidiaries.
- (b) The unsecured bank loan bears fixed interest at 0.85% 4.30% (2021: 0.79% 1.38%) per annum and with a maturity period of less than three months.
- (c) The loans from related parties bear interest at 2.50% (2021: 2.50%) per annum and relates to an amount owing by a subsidiary to a director and a former director and repayable in the next 12 months.

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#### 15. Share Capital

	<u>31-Dec</u>	22	<u>31-Dec-</u>	<u>21</u>
	No. of		No. of	
	ordinary	S\$'000	ordinary	S\$'000
	shares		shares	
Group and Company				
Issued and fully paid:				
At the beginning of the year	670,535,941	136,623	536,429,579	136,623
Bonus shares issue		-	134,106,362	-
At the end of the year	670,535,941	136,623	670,535,941	136,623

### 15.1 Treasury shares

	<u>31-De</u> No. of	<u>ec-22</u>	<u>31-De</u> No. of	<u>ec-21</u>
	ordinary shares	S\$'000	ordinary shares	S\$'000
Group				
At the beginning of the year	4,414,837	2,064,000	3,000,000	1,919,000
(Sold)/Purchase by a subsidiary during the year	(2,292,700)	(1,173,000)	664,837	145,000
Bonus shares issue	-	-	750,000	-
At the end of the year	2,122,137	891,000	4,414,837	2,064,000

	<u>31-De</u>	<u>c-22</u>	<u>31-De</u>	<u>c-21</u>
	No. of ordinary shares	S\$'000	No. of ordinary shares	S\$'000
Company				
At the beginning of the year	3,750,000	1,919,000	3,000,000	1,919,000
Sold during the year	(2,292,700)	(1,173,000)	-	-
Bonus shares issue		-	750,000	-
At the end of the year	1,457,300	746,000	3,750,000	1,919,000

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#### 16. Subsequent events

There are no known subsequent events which have led to adjustments to this set of interim financial statements.

Other Information Required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2

#### Other Information

#### 1. Review

The interim condensed consolidated balance sheet of UMS Holdings Limited (the "**Company**") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "**Group**") as at 31 December 2022 and the related condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income, condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity and condensed consolidated cash flow statement for the twelve-month financial year ended and certain explanatory notes have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's auditors.

#### 2. Review of performance of the Group

#### Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and other comprehensive Income

#### Revenue

#### 4QFY2022

Group revenue remained above the \$100 million mark for 4QFY2022 - rising 16% above the record high achieved in 4QFY2021.

The Group continued to enjoy robust growth from all of its core business segments.

Revenue jumped to S\$101 million from S\$87.3 million in 4QFY2021 fueled mainly by the sustained growth in the semiconductor segment.

Semiconductor sales rose 9% to \$84.7 million in 4QFY2022 from S\$77.6 million in 4QFY2021.

The improved revenue was driven mainly by higher Integrated System sales which surged 50% from S\$30.7 million in 4Q2021 to S\$46.1 million in 4Q2022. This was however offset by lower sales from its Components business which fell 18% from S\$46.9 million in 4Q2021 to S\$38.5 million in 4Q2022. The decline is mainly attributed to the business slowdown in some backend semiconductor customers.

Its Aerospace sales also did well - growing 6% to S\$4.2 million in 4QFY2022 from \$3.9 million in the same period last year.

Revenue in "Others" segment jumped 107% compared to 4QFY2021 - mainly due to the delivery of a water disinfection system by its subsidiary - Kalf Engineering - during the quarter.

On a sequential basis, compared to 3QFY2022, overall 4QFY2022 revenue remained stable. Revenue in the semiconductor segment softened slightly by 5% while revenue in the Aerospace and Others segments increased 8% and 77%. respectively.

Geographically, all the Group's key markets, except Malaysia, achieved higher revenue growth in 4QFY2022. Malaysia however reported a sales dip of about 8%. Singapore registered sales growth of 11% to hit S\$69.2 million on the back of higher integrated system sales and component sales for new equipment.

Revenue in Taiwan climbed 72% vs 4Q2021 mainly due to the delivery of a water disinfection system during the quarter by the Group's subsidiary - Kalf Engineering.

US sales improved 14% while the Others segment grew 7% in 4QFY2022 compared to 4QFY2021.

#### 2. Review of the performance of the Group (cont'd)

#### FY2022

The Group delivered yet another record performance in FY2022 -- registering sales surpassing \$370 million for the first time!

Compared to FY2021, revenue for FY2022 surged 37% to S\$372.4 million from S\$271.2 million as all the Group's core business segments reported much stronger results.

Sales in the Semiconductor segment rose 33% buoyed by the robust performances of both its Semiconductor Integrated System sales - which leapt 47% from S\$104.2 million in FY2021 to S\$152.8 million in FY2022; and its component sales which climbed 23% from S\$138.5 million in FY2021 to S\$170.2 million in FY2022.

Revenue in its Aerospace segment also soared 50% while its Others segment registered a 85% hike in sales.

The Group reported significant sales growth in all its key markets. Malaysia and Others delivered the strongest growth of 73% and 87% respectively. Revenue in Singapore jumped 36% as compared to FY2021 while sales in Taiwan and US increased 40% and 12% during the period under review.

#### Profitability

#### 4QFY2022

In terms of profitability, the Group reported another sterling performance - 4QFY2022 net profit surged 124% while net profit attributable to UMS shareholders shot up 184% to \$16.1M when compared to 4QFY2021.

The surge in profit was achieved despite higher expenses and foreign exchange losses (due to the depreciation of the US currency) during the quarter.

The Group's 4QFY2022 profit before tax edged down 16% to \$18.9 million when compared to 4QFY2021.

Gross material margin in 4QFY2022 softened to 46.5% from 52.1% in 4QFY2021. The dip is mainly due to the decline in USD exchange rate and lower margins from Kalf Engineering's completed equipment delivery of a project in Taiwan. The bulk of the profits from this project will be recognized upon completion of project commissioning in 2023. Excluding Kalf Engineering's contributions, overall Group gross material margin would be 49.9%.

The Group also benefitted from a lower tax expense which fell 82% to S\$2.8 million in 4QFY2022.

The tax provision in 4QFY2021 was much higher as it was based on the assumption that the pioneer tax incentive regarding one of the Group's Malaysian subsidiaries was revoked. This provision was later reversed in 3QFY022 after the matter was resolved with the Malaysian Authorities.

The lower 4QFY2022 tax provision was made after the Malaysian subsidiary's pioneer tax incentive was approved.

Personnel costs fell 6%, while other charges and other expenses increased by 188% and 26% respectively.

#### 2. Review of the performance of the Group (cont'd)

The increase in other expenses was mainly due to higher machinery maintenance costs.

Other charges jumped from \$2.3 million in 4QFY2021 to \$6.7 million in 4QFY2022 as a result of higher forex losses in 4QFY2022 arising from the depreciation of the USD and fair value loss on financial assets through profit and loss which was partially offset by lower inventory provision and inventory fair value adjustments arising from the acquisition of JEP.

#### FY2022

The Group recorded its highest ever annual net profit - surpassing the S\$100 million mark for the very first time.

Net profit for FY2022 soared 77% to S\$102 million while net profit before tax jumped 30% to S\$103.2 million when compared to FY2021.

Net profit attributable to shareholders for the year shot up 85% to another all-time high of \$\$98.2 million.

The sterling performance was mainly driven by the Group's strong sales, as well as reversal of the tax provision made by its Malaysian subsidiary after the resolution of the pioneer tax incentives with the Malaysian government.

The record performance was achieved despite slightly lower gross material margin, higher expenses and foreign exchange loss (due to the US currency depreciation).

Gross material margin in FY2022 eased to 49.9% from 52.8% in FY2021. This was partly due to the drop in US dollar exchange rate, higher material costs as well as lower margins from Kalf Engineering's sales.

The Group's overall costs also went up as all expense categories increased mainly as a result of the full 12 months consolidation of JEP's results vs only 8 months in FY2021.

#### **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet**

Cash and Bank Balances / Bank borrowings

The net increase in cash and cash equivalents by S\$1 million (after netting-off bank borrowings) was mainly due to net cash generated from operating activities partially offset by purchase of property, plant and equipment and payment of dividends during the period.

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables and other current assets increased by S\$11.5 million mainly due to advance payment to suppliers for purchase of machineries.

#### Inventories

The increase in inventories by S\$23.56 million was mainly due to higher material purchases to manage short term supply chain uncertainties.

Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables increased slightly by S\$0.7 million.

#### 2. Review of the performance of the Group (cont'd)

#### Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

#### 4QFY2022

The Group's financial position remains healthy - clocking in a much improved positive net cash of S\$36.2 million (vs S\$21.1 million in 4QFY2022) from operating activities.

It also registered a free cash flow of S\$15.8 million - which is comparable to the S\$17.8 million in 4QFY2021 - despite higher capex spending of S\$20.5 million during the period under review.

#### FY2022

The Group's positive net cash from operating activities grew to S\$95.3 million in FY2022 from S\$66.2 million in FY2021. It also generated free cash flow of \$42.6 million in FY2022 (vs S\$56.4 million in FY2021). The lower free cash flow is attributed to the \$53.5 million capex spending in FY2022.

The Group's net cash and cash equivalents (net of bank borrowings) as at 31 Dec 2022 remained largely stable at S\$31.8 million as compared to S\$30.8 million as at 31 Dec 2021.

# 3. Where a forecast, or a prospect statement, has been previously disclosed to shareholders, any variance between it and the actual results

The current announced results are in line with the general prospect commentary previously disclosed to shareholders in the previous announcement made on 11 November 2022.

# 4. A commentary at the date of the announcement of the significant trends and competitive conditions of the industry in which the Group operates and any known factors or events that may affect the Group in the next reporting period and the next 12 months

For UMS, FY2022 was an exceptional growth year in a challenging global environment.

The Group delivered its best ever performance despite higher costs, inflationary pressures, supply chain constraints and currency volatility.

Group revenue and earnings for the year also smashed all previous records - crossing the \$350 million and \$100 million mark for the very first time.

Our record-breaking performance continued to be powered by the sustained global chip demand in the first nine months of the year. Indeed, we experienced higher demand for our systems and components than our existing production capacity can accommodate. While there was some slowdown in recent months, the Group's order book remains healthy and we will continue to invest in expanding capacity to meet customer demands.

Construction of the Group's new Penang factory is progressing as planned and completion is scheduled for mid-2023. Hiring of workers is also proceeding well - helping to alleviate the tight labour situation in Penang.

The Group continues to work well with its key customer on integrated systems fabrication and delivery as negotiations on a new working arrangement is still ongoing.

Looking ahead, global chip demand is expected to soften in the near term - impacted by weaker capex spending, recessionary concerns, rising inflation and ongoing geopolitical tensions such as the US-China rivalry and the persistent Russia-Ukraine crisis.

However, the longer-term outlook remains robust.

While Gartner is forecasting total worldwide semiconductor revenue to decrease 6.5% in 2023 to \$562.7 billion, the market is expected to recover in 2024, growing 16.3% to reach \$654.3 billion in revenue . <sup>1</sup>

According to SEMI, the worldwide semiconductor industry is projected to invest more than \$500 billion in 84 volume chipmaking facilities starting construction from 2021 to 2023, with segments including automotive and high-performance computing fueling the spending increases. The projected growth in global factory count includes a record high 33 new semiconductor manufacturing facilities starting construction this year and 28 more in 2023.<sup>2</sup>

SEMI also expects 300mm fab equipment spending in 2023 to be about \$77 billion (-14% YoY), \$94 billion (+22% YoY) in 2024 and \$116 billion (+24% YoY) in 2025 respectively.

Total installed capacity is expected to grow 9% in 2022, 7% in 2023, 8% in 2024 and 11% in 2025.  $^{\rm 3}$ 

5. A commentary at the date of the announcement of the significant trends and competitive conditions of the industry in which the Group operates and any known factors or events that may affect the Group in the next reporting period and the next 12 months (cont'd)

The aerospace industry is also in better shape as business and leisure travel is picking up gradually across the world including Asia as pandemic travel curbs are lifted. According to IATA, international traffic in 2022 climbed 152.7% versus 2021 and reached 62.2% of 2019 levels. This growth momentum is expected to continue into 2023. IATA also expects the global airline industry to return to profitability in 2023. <sup>4</sup>

Fitch Ratings too predicts that new, large commercial aircraft (LCA) deliveries will increase by more than 20% in 2023 vs 2022.<sup>5</sup>

These positive growth figures augur well for the Group; given its strong financial position, it is well-poised to capitalize on growth opportunities arising from the global aviation recovery and long-term strength in the chip equipment manufacturing market as well as the acceleration of AI and digital innovations such as 5G and adoption of smart cities solutions worldwide.

Going forward, the outlook for UMS in the next 6 months will be softer as customers become more cautious in the face of economic slowdown and geopolitical uncertainties.

Our key customer has also recently given guidance that while it is slowing the rate of spending growth in the near term amid geopolitical and macroeconomic challenges, it will continue to make the strategic investments that will enable it to outgrow the semiconductor market.

The Group will continue active engagement with prospective customers while first article inspection processes for a new customer has already commenced.

The Group will carry on with its plans to secure additional power supply for its new Penang factory in the coming months. The Malaysian Authorities has also given approval for the Pioneer Status incentive application of the Group's Malaysian subsidiary for an additional 5 years from 2023.

Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Group will remain profitable in 2023.

<sup>1</sup> Source : <u>https://www.gartner.com/en/newsroom/press-releases/2022-02-02-navigating-the-dynamics-of-the-chip-market-cyclicality-is-back</u> and <u>https://www.gartner.com/en/newsroom/press-releases/2022-11-28-gartner-forecasts-worldwide-semiconductor-revenue-growth-to-decline-3-6-percent-in-2023</u>

<sup>2</sup> Source : <u>https://www.semi.org/en/news-media-press-releases/semi-press-releases/global-chip-industry-projected-to-invest-more-than-%24500-billion-in-new-factories-by-2024-semi-reports]</u>

<sup>3</sup> Source: https://www.semi.org/en/products-services/market-data/300mm-fab-outlook

<sup>4</sup>Source: <u>https://airlines.iata.org/news/air-travel-recovery-strengthens-in-2022</u> and <u>https://www.iata.org/en/pressroom/2022-releases/2022-12-06-</u> 01/#:~:text=North%20American%20carriers%20are%20expected,%25%20of%20pre%2Dcrisis%20areacity.

<sup>5</sup> Source : <u>https://www.fitchratings.com/research/corporate-finance/a-d-outlook-improving-on-</u> <u>stronger-aircraft-demand-defense-spend-30-11-2022</u>

### 6. Dividend information

#### (a) Current Financial Period Reported on

Any dividend declared for the current financial period reported on? Yes

Name of Dividend	Proposed Final Dividend	
Dividend Type	Cash	
Dividend Amount (SGD)	2.0 cents per ordinary share,	
	(tax exampt one-tier)	
Tax rate	Not applicable	

#### (b) Corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

Any dividend declared for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year?  $\ensuremath{\text{Yes}}$ 

Name of Dividend	Proposed Final Dividend	
Dividend Type	Cash	
Dividend Amount (SGD)	2.0 cents per ordinary share,	
	(tax exampt one-tier)	
Tax rate	Not applicable	

#### c. Date payable

The Proposed Final Dividend, if approved at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company, will be paid on 22 May 2023.

#### d. Record date

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Share Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed on 9 May 2023, for the purpose of determining members' entitlements to the Proposed Final Dividend of 2.0 cents per ordinary share (tax-exempt one-tier) for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

Duly completed registrable transfers received by the Company's Share Registrar, In.Corp Corporate Services Pte. Ltd., 30 Cecil Street #19-08 Prudential Tower Singapore 049712 up to the close of business at 5.00 p.m. on 8 May 2023 will be registered before entitlement to the Proposed Final Dividend is determined. Members whose Securities Accounts with The Central Depository (Pte) Limited are credited with shares at 5.00 p.m. on 8 May 2023 will be entitled to the Proposed Final Dividend.

## 7. Interested person transactions

The Group does not have a general mandate for interested person transactions. The aggregate value of the interested person transactions conducted during the twelve-month financial year ended 31 December 2022 is disclosed below

12 Ma	onths Period Ended 31 December 2022
Nature of Relationship	Aggregate value of all interested person transactions during the financial period under review (excluding transactions less than S\$100,000 and transactions conducted under shareholders' mandate pursuant to Rule 920 of the SGX Listing Manual)
	S\$'000
Transaction above is with Sure Achieve Consultant Pte Ltd in which Mrs. Sylvia SY Lee Luong is a director and shareholder. She is the wife of the CEO of the Group, Mr. Luong Andy. The aggregate value of IPT entered into between the Group and Sure Achieve Consultant Pte Ltd amounted to S\$3,043,000 which represents approximately 1.41% of the Group's latest audited net tangible assets as at 31 December 2021.	3,043
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#### 8. Negative confirmation pursuant to Rule 705 (5)

The Board of Directors hereby confirm that, to the best of their knowledge, nothing has come to their attention which may render the 4Q2022 and the period ended 31 December 2022 financial results to be false or misleading in any material respect.

# 9. Confirmation that the issuer has procured undertakings from all its directors and executive officers (in the format set out in Appendix 7.7) under Rule 720(1)

The Company has received undertaking from all its directors and executive officers in the format as set out in Appendix 7.7 under Rule 720(1) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST.

# 10. Disclosure of person occupying a managerial position in the issuer or any of its principal subsidiaries who is a relative of a director or chief executive officer or substantial shareholder of the issuer pursuant to Rule 704(13). If there are no such persons, the issuer must make an appropriate negative statement.

Pursuant to Rule 704(13), the Company confirms that there is no person occupying managerial positions in the Company or any of its principal subsidiaries who is a relative of a director or chief executive officer or substantial shareholder of the Company.

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Luong Andy Chief Executive Officer

28 February 2023