

GOLDEN AGRI-RESOURCES LTD

Half Year Financial Statement And Dividend Announcement

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

	1st Half 2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	1st Half 2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	Change <u>%</u>
Revenue	4,876,436	5,490,283	(11.2)
Gross Profit	882,280	1,369,452	(35.6)
EBITDA ¹	477,570	807,361	(40.8)
Underlying profit ²	219,531	406,738	(46.0)
Net profit attributable to owners of the Company	182,336	389,673	(53.2)

Notes:

- (1) Earnings before tax, non-controlling interests, interest on borrowings, depreciation and amortisation, net gain/(loss) from changes in fair value of biological assets and foreign exchange gain.
- (2) Net profit attributable to owners of the Company excluding net effect of net gain or loss from changes in fair value of biological assets and depreciation of bearer plants and other non-operating items (foreign exchange gain or loss, net tax impact from tax-based asset revaluations, and other deferred tax income or expense).

A Condensed interim consolidated income statement and consolidated statement of comprehensive income

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	<u>Note</u>	1st Half 2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	1st Half 2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	Change <u>%</u>
Revenue	E4	4,876,436	5,490,283	(11.2)
Cost of sales		(3,994,156)	(4,120,831)	(3.1)
Gross Profit		882,280	1,369,452	(35.6)
Operating expenses				
Selling expenses		(497,015)	(683,585)	(27.3)
General and administrative expenses		(184,877)	(174,618)	5.9
Total operating expenses	_	(681,892)	(858,203)	(20.5)
Operating profit	_	200,388	511,249	(60.8)
Other income/(expenses)				
Financial income		32,665	7,262	349.8
Financial expenses		(102,953)	(84,240)	22.2
Share of results of associated companies, net of tax		2,004	2,878	(30.4)
Share of results of joint ventures, net of tax		12,524	42,412	(70.5)
Foreign exchange gain		16,898	40,953	(58.7)
Other income		44,843	47,093	(4.8)
	_	5,981	56,358	(89.4)
Profit before tax	E5	206,369	567,607	(63.6)
Tax	E6	(23,369)	(146,609)	(84.1)
Profit for the period	_	183,000	420,998	(56.5)
Attributable to:				
Owners of the Company		182,336	389,673	(53.2)
Non-controlling interests		664	31,325	(97.9)
-	=	183,000	420,998	(56.5)

A Condensed interim consolidated income statement and consolidated statement of comprehensive income (cont'd)

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	1st Half 2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	1st Half 2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Profit for the period	183,000	420,998
Other comprehensive income/(loss):		
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:		
Actuarial (loss)/gain on post-employment benefits	(4,588)	2,175
Share of other comprehensive loss of an associated company	-	(11)
Changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through other		
comprehensive income	12,465	25,785
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:		
Foreign currency translation differences on consolidation	(8,880)	(35,606)
Share of other comprehensive income/(loss) of:		
Joint ventures	1,698	(2,028)
Associated companies	699	(394)
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of tax	1,394	(10,079)
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	184,394	410,919
Total comprehensive income attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	183,188	386,682
Non-controlling interests	1,206	24,237
	184,394	410,919

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Earnings before tax, non-controlling interests, interest on borrowings, depreciation and amortisation, net gain/(loss) from changes in fair value of biological assets and foreign exchange gain ("EBITDA")

	1st Half 2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	1st Half 2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	Change <u>%</u>
Earnings before tax, non-controlling interests, interest on borrowings, depreciation and amortisation, net gain/(loss) from changes in fair value of biological assets and foreign exchange gain ("EBITDA")	477,570	807,361	(40.8)
Interest on borrowings	(101,441)	(82,700)	22.7
Depreciation and amortisation	(193,081)	(191,393)	0.9
Net gain/(loss) from changes in fair value of biological assets	6,423	(6,614)	n.m.
Foreign exchange gain	16,898	40,953	(58.7)
Profit before tax	206,369	567,607	(63.6)

Note: n.m. - not meaningful.

B Condensed interim statements of financial position

UNAUDITED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

		Group		Com	pany
	<u>Note</u>	As at 30/6/2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 31/12/2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 30/6/2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 31/12/2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Assets					
Current Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	E9	557,133	691,065	128	335
Short-term investments	E10	643,542	454,048	-	-
Trade receivables		655,552	790,779	-	-
Other current assets	E11	714,044	576,519	529,949	650,332
Biological assets		82,154	75,731	-	-
Inventories	_	1,434,419	1,570,356		
	_	4,086,844	4,158,498	530,077	650,667
Non-Current Assets					
Long-term receivables and assets	E12	129,401	128,508	-	-
Long-term investments	E13	1,304,391	1,249,399	87,399	61,164
Subsidiary companies		-	-	2,509,861	2,509,861
Associated companies		25,418	22,399	-	-
Joint ventures		239,900	247,645	-	-
Investment properties		84	90	-	-
Property, plant and equipment		2,470,385	2,472,708	-	-
Bearer plants		1,324,217	1,347,635	-	-
Deferred tax assets		105,314	107,292	-	-
Intangible assets	_	165,851	167,898		
	_	5,764,961	5,743,574	2,597,260	2,571,025
Total Assets	_	9,851,805	9,902,072	3,127,337	3,221,692

B Condensed interim statements of financial position (cont'd)

UNAUDITED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION (cont'd)

		Group		Company	
	Note	As at 30/6/2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 31/12/2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 30/6/2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	As at 31/12/2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Liabilities and Equity					
Current Liabilities					
Short-term borrowings	E15	1,529,239	1,737,828	-	-
Bonds and notes payable	E15	121,000	98,285	-	-
Lease liabilities	E15	15,250	7,617	-	-
Trade and trust receipts payables		454,427	583,828	-	-
Other payables	E14	540,959	573,983	326,467	326,678
Taxes payable	_	31,843	192,348		
	_	2,692,718	3,193,889	326,467	326,678
Non-Current Liabilities					
Long-term borrowings	E15	982,988	655,630	-	-
Bonds and notes payables	E15	419,082	465,795	-	-
Lease liabilities	E15	32,238	18,427	-	-
Deferred tax liabilities		170,165	166,738	-	-
Long-term payables and liabilities	E16	215,281	147,244	18,370	18,383
	-	1,819,754	1,453,834	18,370	18,383
Total Liabilities	-	4,512,472	4,647,723	344,837	345,061
Equity Attributable to Owners of the	Company	/			
Issued capital	E17	320,939	320,939	320,939	320,939
Share premium		1,216,095	1,216,095	1,850,965	1,850,965
Treasury shares	E17	(39,825)	(39,825)	(39,825)	(39,825)
Other paid-in capital		184,318	184,318	-	-
Other reserves	-				
Option reserve		31,471	31,471	31,471	31,471
Currency translation reserve		(69,145)	(62,007)	-	-
Fair value reserve		(111,116)	(123,581)	(257,546)	(257,546)
PRC statutory reserve		4,494	4,494	-	-
Other reserve		36,559	41,012	-	-
		(107,737)	(108,611)	(226,075)	(226,075)
Retained earnings	=	3,516,863	3,428,545	876,496	970,627
		5,090,653	5,001,461	2,782,500	2,876,631
Non-Controlling Interests	=	248,680	252,888		
Total Equity	_	5,339,333	5,254,349	2,782,500	2,876,631
Total Liabilities and Equity	=	9,851,805	9,902,072	3,127,337	3,221,692

C Condensed interim statements of changes in equity

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

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The Group	Issued Capital US\$'000	Share Premium US\$'000	Treasury Shares US\$'000	Other Paid-in Capital US\$'000	Other Reserves US\$'000	Retained Earnings US\$'000	Total <u>US\$'000</u>	Non- Controlling Interests US\$'000	Total Equity US\$'000
Balance at 1 Jan 2023	320,939	1,216,095	(39,825)	184,318	(108,611)	3,428,545	5,001,461	252,888	5,254,349
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	182,336	182,336	664	183,000
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	874	(22)	852	542	1,394
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	874	182,314	183,188	1,206	184,394
Dividends paid for 2022 (Note E18)	-	-	-	-	-	(93,996)	(93,996)	-	(93,996)
Dividends paid to non-controlling shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,414)	(5,414)
Balance at 30 Jun 2023	320,939	1,216,095	(39,825)	184,318	(107,737)	3,516,863	5,090,653	248,680	5,339,333
Balance at 1 Jan 2022	320,939	1,216,095	(37,517)	184,318	175,989	2,817,567	4,677,391	214,613	4,892,004
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	389,673	389,673	31,325	420,998
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	-	(2,867)	(124)	(2,991)	(7,088)	(10,079)
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	-	-	-	(2,867)	389,549	386,682	24,237	410,919
Share buy back and held as treasury shares (Note E17)	-	-	(2,308)	-	-	-	(2,308)	-	(2,308)
Dividends paid for 2021 (Note E18)	-	-	-	-	-	(98,647)	(98,647)	-	(98,647)
Dividends paid to non-controlling shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(21,677)	(21,677)
Deconsolidation of a subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	857	857
Adjustment to changes in interest in subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	(10,495)	-	(10,495)	10,495	-
Waiver of loan from non- controlling shareholder written-back	_	-	-	-	-	_	_	(94)	(94)
Balance at 30 Jun 2022	320,939	1,216,095	(39,825)	184,318	162,627	3,108,469	4,952,623	228,431	5,181,054

C Condensed interim statements of changes in equity (cont'd)

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (cont'd) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

The Company	Issued Capital US\$'000	Share Premium US\$'000	Treasury Shares US\$'000	Other Reserves US\$'000	Retained Earnings US\$'000	Total US\$'000
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Balance at 1 Jan 2023	320,939	1,850,965	(39,825)	(226,075)	970,627	2,876,631
Loss for the period, representing total comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(135)	(135)
Dividends paid for 2022 (Note E18)					(93,996)	(93,996)
Balance at 30 Jun 2023	320,939	1,850,965	(39,825)	(226,075)	876,496	2,782,500
Balance at 1 Jan 2022	320,939	1,850,965	(37,517)	(166,459)	1,192,350	3,160,278
Profit for the period, representing total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	84	84
Dividends paid for 2021 (Note E18)	-	-	-	-	(98,647)	(98,647)
Shares buy back and held as treasury shares (Note E17)			(2,308)			(2,308)
Balance at 30 Jun 2022	320,939	1,850,965	(39,825)	(166,459)	1,093,787	3,059,407

D Condensed interim consolidated statements of cash flows

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023	1st Half 2023	1st Half 2022
	US\$'000	US\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before tax	206,369	567,607
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	189,626	187,510
Amortisation	3,455	3,883
Net (gain)/loss from changes in fair value of biological assets	(6,423)	6,614
Unrealised foreign exchange gain	(17,522)	(23,228)
Share of results of associated companies, net of tax	(2,004)	(2,878)
Share of results of joint ventures, net of tax	(12,524)	(42,412)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(891)	(1,059)
Bearer plants and property, plant and equipment written off	501	613
(Write-back of)/Allowance for impairment loss on inventories, net	(7,348)	7,407
Provision for/(Write-back of) expected credit loss on:		
Trade receivables, net	23	(54)
Non-trade receivables, net	(1,338)	1,277
Gain on deconsolidation of a subsidiary	-	(1,988)
Gain on disposal of certain interest in an associated company	-	(969)
Changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through		, ,
profit or loss	3,662	(3,095)
Interest income	(32,665)	(7,262)
Interest expense	101,441	82,700
Operating cash flow before working capital changes	424,362	774,666
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	·	·
Trade receivables	135,314	(19,272)
Other current assets	(33,936)	(112,226)
Inventories	143,271	(353,919)
Trade and trust receipts payables	(129,401)	103,706
Other payables	40,701	242,759
Cash generated from operations	580,311	635,714
Interest received	21,840	12,109
Interest paid	(90,263)	(78,033)
Tax paid	(249,072)	(161,925)
Net cash generated from operating activities	262,816	407,865
Cash flows from investing activities		
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,416	1,894
Proceeds from disposal of bearer plants	561	789
Capital expenditure on property, plant and equipment	(105,267)	(81,683)
Capital expenditure on bearer plants	(28,198)	(18,029)
Payments for investments in financial assets, net	(235,725)	(103,495)
Proceeds from Plasma plantations, net	2,252	5,512
Investment in an associated company	(310)	(2,562)
Cash outflow from acquisition of a subsidiary	(72)	(=,00=)
Cash outflow from deconsolidation of a subsidiary	-	(117)
Proceeds from disposal of certain interest in an associated company	-	1,000
Return of capital from a joint venture	20,000	-
Dividend received from a joint venture	2,000	_
Payments for deferred expenditure and intangible assets	(789)	(2,530)
Net increase in long-term receivables and assets	(6,192)	(8,479)
Net cash used in investing activities	(350,324)	(207,700)

D Condensed interim consolidated statements of cash flows (cont'd)

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (cont'd) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	1st Half	1st Half
	2023	2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	2,016,317	2,421,377
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	645,891	266,601
Proceeds from bonds issue	-	150,494
Payments of short-term borrowings	(2,050,050)	(2,443,903)
Payments of long-term borrowings	(513,234)	(217,601)
Payments of principal element of leases	(7,311)	(7,088)
Payment of bonds	(46,344)	(58,056)
Payments of dividends	(99,410)	(120,324)
Payments for shares buy back	-	(2,308)
Payments of deferred loan charges and loan administration costs	(2,510)	(2,702)
Increase in cash in banks and time deposits pledged	(6,496)	(2,857)
Net cash used in financing activities	(63,147)	(16,367)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(150,655)	183,798
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	539,765	485,113
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	10,227	(12,808)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period (Note E9)	399,337	656,103

1 Corporate information

Golden Agri-Resources Ltd (the "Company" or "GAR") is a public limited company incorporated in Mauritius. The registered office is c/o IQ EQ Corporate Services (Mauritius) Ltd, 33 Edith Cavell Street, Port Louis, 11324, Mauritius.

The Company is principally engaged as an investment holding company. The principal activities of the subsidiaries, associated companies and joint ventures are described in Note 46 to the consolidated financial statements for the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. These condensed interim consolidated financial statements as at and for half year ended 30 June 2023 comprise the condensed financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group").

2 Basis of preparation

The condensed interim consolidated financial statements of the Group for half year ended 30 June 2023, have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*.

The condensed interim consolidated 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 since the last annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The condensed interim consolidated financial statements are presented in United States dollar, which is the Company's functional currency and presentation currency. All financial information presented in United States dollars have been rounded to the nearest thousand, unless otherwise stated.

2.1 New and revised International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs")

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year which were prepared in accordance with the IFRSs, except for the adoption of new and revised IFRSs effective for annual periods beginning on 1 January 2023. The adoption of the new and revised IFRSs has had no material financial impact on the condensed interim financial statements of the Group. The Group has not early adopted any other new and revised IFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective.

2.2 Use of judgement and estimates

In preparing the condensed interim financial statements, management has made judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of the Group's accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Although these estimates are based on management's best knowledge of current events and actions, actual results may actually differ from these estimates. The significant judgements made in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Financial impact arising from revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

3 Seasonal operations

The production of fresh fruit bunch ("FFB") in oil palm plantations is subject to seasonal fluctuations as a result of weather conditions and rainfall patterns.

4 Segment and revenue information

Segment and revenue information				
			t Half	1st Half
			023	2022
		<u>US</u>	<u>\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Sales in Indonesia		0	00.044	000 500
Third parties		8	89,041	993,592
Associated companies			7,220	9,334
Joint ventures			81,604	157,039
Related parties			3,747 81,612	8,128
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Sales outside Indonesia		2.0	04 776	4 224 020
Third parties Related parties		3,0	94,776 48	4,321,929
Related parties		2.0	94,824	261 4,322,190
			94,024	4,322,190
		1.8	76,436	5,490,283
			70,430	3,430,203
1st Half 2023	Plantations and palm oil mills US\$'000	Palm, laurics and <u>others</u> <u>US\$'000</u>	Eliminations US\$'000	<u>Total</u> <u>US\$'000</u>
Revenue from external customers	42,420	4,834,016	_	4,876,436
Inter-segment sales	874,227	-	(874,227)	-
Total revenue	916,647	4,834,016	(874,227)	4,876,436
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EBITDA	218,745	258,454	371	477,570
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Other information Capital expenditure Unallocated capital expenditure	99,230	33,402	-	132,632 833
Total capital expenditure				133,465
Depreciation and amortisation Write-back of expected credit loss on trade and	(125,645)	(67,436)	-	(193,081)
other receivables Net gain from changes in fair value of	-	1,315	-	1,315
biological assets	6,423	-	-	6,423
Loss from changes in fair value of financial assets				
at fair value through profit or loss	(704)	(2,958)	-	(3,662)
Interest on borrowings	(47,450)	(53,991)	-	(101,441)
Share of (loss)/profit of:	(= 4)			0.004
Associated companies	(51)	2,055	-	2,004
Joint ventures		12,524	-	12,524
Accets				
Assets Segment assets	4,653,575	4,873,654	(1,318,255)	8,208,974
Investment in:	4,000,070	4,073,004	(1,310,233)	0,200,974
Associated companies	2,846	22,572	_	25,418
Joint ventures	2,040	239,900	_	239,900
Unallocated assets	_	239,900	_	1,377,513
Total assets				9,851,805
10101 00000				5,551,605
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Segment liabilities	(552,207)	(3,143,463)	1,329,768	(2,365,902)
Unallocated liabilities	(002,201)	(0, 1-0, -00)	1,020,700	(2,146,570)
Total liabilities				(4,512,472)
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4 Segment and revenue information (cont'd)

	Plantations and palm	Palm, laurics and		
	oil mills	others	Eliminations	<u>Total</u>
1st Half 2022	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Revenue from external customers	23,681	5,466,602	-	5,490,283
Inter-segment sales	1,225,293	-	(1,225,293)	-
Total revenue	1,248,974	5,466,602	(1,225,293)	5,490,283
EBITDA	520,463	287,748	(850)	807,361
Other information				
Capital expenditure	60,319	38,525	-	98,844
Unallocated capital expenditure			_	868
Total capital expenditure			_	99,712
Depreciation and amortisation	(130,309)	(61,084)	-	(191,393)
Provision for expected credit loss on trade and				
other receivables	-	(1,223)	-	(1,223)
Net loss from changes in fair value of				
biological assets	(6,614)	-	-	(6,614)
Gain from changes in fair value of financial assets				
at fair value through profit or loss	630	2,465	-	3,095
Interest on borrowings	(46,527)	(36,173)	-	(82,700)
Share of profit of:				
Associated companies	226	2,652	-	2,878
Joint ventures	-	42,412	-	42,412

The following is an analysis of revenue and based on geographical location of customers:

1st Half 2023	1st Half 2022
<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
541,982	541,408
981,612	1,168,093
686,369	996,158
1,187,865	1,517,754
814,100	577,471
664,508	689,399
4,876,436	5,490,283
	2023 <u>US\$'000</u> 541,982 981,612 686,369 1,187,865 814,100 664,508

The following is an analysis of the carrying amount of non-current non-financial assets, analysed by the geographical areas in which the assets are located:

	30.6.2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	31.12.2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Indonesia	3,891,211	3,949,975
China	77,525	82,792
Singapore	166,157	145,707
India	79,594	76,279
Others	47,146	35,245
Total non-current non-financial assets	4,261,633	4,289,998

5 Profit before tax

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Significant items not disclosed elsewhere in condensed interim consolidated financial statements:

	1st Half 2023	1st Half 2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	(132,084)	(133,180)
Depreciation of bearer plants	(57,539)	(54,327)
Depreciation of investment properties	(3)	(3)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	891	1,059
Bearer plants and property, plant and equipment written off	(501)	(613)
Write-back of/(Allowance for) impairment loss on inventories*	7,348	(7,407)
Investment income	23,583	40,024
(Loss)/Gain on changes in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL	(3,662)	3,095

^{*} Allowance for impairment loss was made and charged to cost of sales as the carrying amount of certain inventories was higher than the net realisable value. Write-back of impairment loss was made as a result of an increase in net realisable value of certain inventories.

Related party transactions		
	1st Half	1st Half
	2023	2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
(i) Sale of services		
Rental income from related parties	203	163
Rental income from joint ventures	57	55
(ii) Purchase of goods and services		
Insurance premium to a related party	3,213	2,016
Purchase of non-palm oil products and services from related parties	92,733	55,577
Purchase of non-palm oil products and services from joint ventures	18,815	38,681
Purchase of palm oil products from an associated company	164	509
Freight and related expenses to joint ventures	8,519	2,716
Rental and service charge expense to related parties	2,923	1,908
(iii) Dividend income from a joint venture	2,000	
Income tax		
	1st Half	1st Half
	2023	2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Current income tax	17,074	148,299
Deferred income tax	6,295	(1,690)

23,369

146,609

7 Earnings per share

1st Half 1st Half 2023 2022 Earnings per ordinary share for the period: USD1.44cents USD3.07cents Based on weighted average number of ordinary shares - Weighted average numbers of shares 12,681,673,056 12,685,120,510 (ii) On a fully diluted basis Not applicable Not applicable - Weighted average numbers of shares Not applicable Not applicable

8 Net asset value per share

Net asset value per ordinary share based on existing issued share capital of 12,681,673,056 shares

The G	Group	The Co	mpany
As at	As at	As at	As at
30 Jun 2023	31 Dec 2022	30 Jun 2023	31 Dec 2022
US\$0.42	US\$0.41	US\$0.22	US\$0.23

9 Cash and cash equivalents

	Group	
	30.6.2023	31.12.2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Time deposits, cash and bank balances	557,133	691,065
Less: Cash in banks and time deposits pledged	(157,796)	(151,300)
Cash and cash equivalents in the consolidated statement of cash flows	399,337	539,765

10 Short-term investments

	Group	
	30.6.2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	31.12.2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Time deposits	628,858	437,238
Equity securities at FVOCI	1,621	2,259
Financial assets at FVTPL:		
Equity securities held for trading	8,537	8,082
Debt securities held for trading	4,526	6,469
	13,063	14,551
	643,542	454,048

11 Other current assets

	Gre	oup	Com	pany
	30.6.2023	31.12.2022	30.6.2023	31.12.2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Prepaid expenses	59,056	12,086	27	8
Prepaid taxes	196,388	123,066	-	-
Deposits and advances to suppliers	251,905	304,287	-	-
Derivative receivable	64,760	10,850	-	-
Others	137,654	117,182	1	1
	709,763	567,471	28	9
Receivable from joint ventures				
and associated companies	4,251	8,995	-	-
Receivable from related parties	30	53	-	-
Receivable from subsidiaries			529,921	650,323
	714,044	576,519	529,949	650,332

12 Long-term receivables and assets

Long-term receivables and assets				
	Group		Com	pany
	30.6.2023	31.12.2022	30.6.2023	31.12.2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Loans receivable from joint ventures				
and associated companies	25,252	28,206	-	-
Tax recoverable	68,371	68,679	-	-
Advances for plasma plantations, net	3,996	4,302	-	-
Advances for projects	8,056	5,146	-	-
Land clearing	7,147	5,855	-	-
Advances for investment in land	1,495	1,495	-	-
Others	15,084	14,825		<u> </u>
	129,401	128,508	-	-

13 Long-term investments

Long torm invocations	Group		Company	
	30.6.2023 <u>US\$'000</u>	31.12.2022 <u>US\$'000</u>	30.6.2023 US\$'000	31.12.2022 <u>US\$'000</u>
Equity securities at FVOCI	915,754	860,426	87,399	61,164
Financial assets at FVTPL:				
Equity/Fund securities	154,282	154,618	-	-
Convertible debt securities	234,355	234,355		
	1,304,391	1,249,399	87,399	61,164

14 Other payables

	Gr	oup	Com	pany	
	30.6.2023	31.12.2022	30.6.2023	31.12.2022	
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	
Advances and deposits	96,059	102,200	-	-	
Accrued expenses	198,195	180,275	130	328	
Payable to third parties	90,019	99,637	-	-	
Derivative payable	7,447	43,856	-	-	
Put option liability	79,395	79,395	-	-	
Others	67,854	62,967	6	10	
	538,969	568,330	136	338	
Payable to related parties	1,990	5,653	326,331	326,340	
	540,959	573,983	326,467	326,678	

15 Borrowings

Ü					Group		
					30.6.20	023	31.12.2022
					<u>US\$'0</u>	<u>00</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Current liabilities							
Short-term borrowings					1,529,	239	1,737,828
Bonds and notes payable	Э				121,	000	98,285
Lease liabilities					15,	250	7,617
					1,665,	489	1,843,730
Non-current liabilities Long-term borrowings					982,	988	655,630
Bonds and notes payable	e				419,		465,795
Lease liabilities					,	238	18,427
					1,434,		1,139,852
							,,
					3,099,	797	2,983,582
		30.6.2023 <u>US\$'000</u>				31.12.202 <u>US\$'00</u> 6	
<u>-</u>	Secured	Unsecured	Total	_	Secured	Unsecured	Total
Amount repayable in one year or less Amount repayable after	1,205,759	459,730	1,665,489		1,376,303	467,427	1,843,730
one year	861,443	572,865	1,434,308		569,932	569,920	1,139,852
Total	2,067,202	1,032,595	3,099,797		1,946,235	1,037,347	2,983,582

The secured borrowings are collaterised by certain cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, inventories, trade receivables, bearer plants and property, plant and equipment.

16 Long-term payables and liabilities

	Group	
	30.6.2023	31.12.2022
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Post-employment benefits liability	77,426	62,221
Rental deposits	855	973
Advance received	137,000	84,050
	215,281	147,244

The above advance relates to advances received from customers pursuant to agreements to supply crude palm oil to the customers over a period of more than 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

17 Issued capital and treasury shares

	No. of ordinary shares		<u>Amount</u>	
	Issued	Treasury	Issued	Treasury
Group and Company	capital	shares	capital	shares
			<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
Issued and fully paid:				
Balance at 1 January 2022	12,837,548,556	(145,475,500)	320,939	(37,517)
Treasury shares purchased		(10,400,000)		(2,308)
Balance at 31 December 2022	12,837,548,556	(155,875,500)	320,939	(39,825)
Balance at 1 January 2023 and				
30 June 2023	12,837,548,556	(155,875,500)	320,939	(39,825)
There were no movements in the Company's issued capital since 30 June 2022.				
Dividends paid				

18 Dividends paid

1st Half	1st Half
2023	2022
<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
93,996	98,647
	2023 <u>US\$'000</u>

19 Financial instruments

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities with a maturity of less than one year, which include cash and cash equivalents, time deposits, short-term investments, trade and other receivables, trade and other payables and short-term interest-bearing borrowings are assumed to approximate their fair values due to their short-term maturities.

The fair values of long-term receivables and long-term interest-bearing borrowings are calculated based on discounted expected future principal and interest cash flows. The discount rates used are based on market rates for similar instruments at the end of the reporting period. As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, the carrying amounts of the long-term receivables and long-term interest-bearing borrowings approximate their fair values.

Fair Value Hierarchy

The following table presents financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis and classified by level of the following fair value measurement hierarchy:

- (a) Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or 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).

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	<u>Total</u>
	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>	<u>US\$'000</u>
At 30 June 2023				
Financial assets at FVOCI (Equity)	-	-	917,375	917,375
Financial assets at FVTPL held for trading	3,641	5,165	392,894	401,700
Derivative receivable	-	64,760	-	64,760
Derivative payable	-	(7,447)	-	(7,447)
	3,641	62,478	1,310,269	1,376,388
At 31 December 2022				_
Financial assets at FVOCI (Equity)	-	-	862,685	862,685
Financial assets at FVTPL held for trading	3,891	6,404	393,229	403,524
Derivative receivable	-	10,850	-	10,850
Derivative payable	=	(43,856)	-	(43,856)
_	3,891	(26,602)	1,255,914	1,233,203

19 Financial instruments (cont'd)

Methods and Assumptions Used to Determine Fair Values

The methods and assumptions used by management to determine fair values are as follows:

(i) Level 1 fair value measurements

The fair value of securities traded in active markets is based on quoted market prices at the reporting date.

(ii) Level 2 fair value measurements

Fair value of forward currency contracts is calculated by reference to current forward exchange rates for contracts with similar maturity profiles as at the reporting date. The fair value of unquoted debt and equity securities and interest rate swap contracts is determined by reference to statements provided by external fund managers/financial institutions. For commodity futures contracts, observable prices are used as a measure of fair values for the outstanding contracts. For firm commitment contracts, the fair values are based on market prices and management's best estimate and are arrived at by reference to the market prices of another contract that is substantively similar and adjusted for premium or discount where relevant.

(iii) Level 3 fair value measurements

The fair values of financial assets classified under Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy were determined by reference to fund statements provided by external fund managers and valuation reports prepared by independent professional valuers. Valuation techniques included:

- Net present value method Fair value was determined by reference to valuations performed using the net
 present value method on its underlying assets, adjusted for the external borrowings. Forecasts of future cash
 flows are based on historical results, growth rate using industry trends, discount rate based on capital fund
 structure, general market and economic conditions.
- Fund statements Fair value was made with reference to the fund statements provided by external fund managers. The fund managers determined the fair value of its entire portfolio using multiple valuation techniques including price of recent transactions, Backsolve and option pricing model, Monte Carlo simulation, adjusted net assets value and discounted cash flow method of the investee companies.

20 Significant capital expenditure commitments

At the end of the reporting period, the estimated significant expenditure committed but not provided for in the consolidated financial statements amounted to US\$66,518,000 (31.12.2022: US\$77,358,000).

21 Acquisition of a subsidiary and an associated company during the current financial period

(i) Acquisition of a subsidiary

In June 2023, the Group through its wholly-owned subsidiary, acquired 100% shareholding in Golden Stena DMCC ("DMCC") for a consideration of US\$399,000. Following the acquisition, DMCC became a subsidiary of the Group.

From the date of acquisition, DMCC does not contribute significantly to the Group's results for the financial period ended 30 June 2023. If the acquisition had been completed on 1 January 2023, management estimated that there would have no significant changes to the Group's results.

The following table summarises the fair value of the identifiable assets acquired at the acquisition date:

	<u>US\$'000</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	327
Other current assets	72
Net assets acquired/Purchase consideration	399
Less: Cash and cash equivalents acquired	(327)
Net cash outflow on acquisition	72

(ii) Acquisition of an associated company

In March 2023, the Group through its wholly-owned subsidiary, subscribed for 200,000 new shares in Titip Holdings Pte. Ltd. for a consideration of US\$310,000. Following the shares subscription, the Group holds 48.2% of the total shareholding in Titip Holdings Pte. Ltd., which became an associated company of the Group.

F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2

1 Review

The condensed interim consolidated statement of financial position of Golden Agri-Resources Ltd (the "Company) and its subsidiaries as at 30 June 2023 and the related condensed consolidated income statements and statement of other comprehensive income, condensed statement of changes in equity and condensed statement of cash flows for half year then ended and certain explanatory notes have not been audited or reviewed.

2 Review of performance of the Group

	1st Half 2023 US\$'000	1st Half 2022 US\$'000	Change <u>%</u>
Revenue by segment	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>70</u>
Plantations and palm oil mills	916,647	1,248,974	(26.6)
Palm, laurics and others	4,834,016	5,466,602	(11.6)
Inter-segment eliminations	(874,227)	(1,225,293)	(28.7)
Total Revenue	4,876,436	5,490,283	(11.2)
EBITDA by segment			
Plantations and palm oil mills	218,745	520,463	(58.0)
Palm, laurics and others	258,454	287,748	(10.2)
Inter-segment eliminations	371	(850)	n.m.
Total EBITDA	477,570	807,361	(40.8)

Notes:

- (1) EBITDA refers to earnings before tax, non-controlling interests, interest on borrowings, depreciation and amortisation, net gain/(loss) from changes in fair value of biological assets and foreign exchange gain.
- (2) Plantations and palm oil mills segment refers to products from upstream business.
- (3) Palm, laurics and others segment refers to the processing and global merchandising of palm and oilseed-based products comprising bulk and branded products, oleochemicals, sugar and other vegetable oils.
- (4) n.m. not meaningful.

F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2 (cont'd)

REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE FOR HALF YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Group revenue was lower at US\$4,876.4 million for half year ended 30 June 2023 ("1H2023") as compared to US\$5,490.3 million for the previous corresponding period ("1H2022"). This was mainly due to softening of international crude palm oil ("CPO") prices, despite higher sales volume. Accordingly, EBITDA and net profit for the current period decreased to US\$477.6 million (1H2022: US\$807.4 million) and US\$183.0 million (1H2022: US\$421.0 million) respectively.

PLANTATIONS AND PALM OIL MILLS

Revenue from our plantation and palm oil mills segment decreased by 26.6% to US\$916.6 million in 1H2023, with EBITDA decreased by 58.0% to US\$218.7 million in 1H2023. The performance was mainly affected by lower CPO prices, higher fertiliser costs and lower production output during the current period. The average international CPO price (FOB Belawan) for the current period dropped by 40.5%, averaging US\$949 per tonne compared to US\$1,595 per tonne during 1H2022.

Our fresh fruit bunch ("FFB") and palm product output for 1H2023 were lower at 4,432,000 tonnes and 1,329,000 tonnes respectively as compared to 4,765,000 tonnes and 1,453,000 tonnes, respectively in 1H2022. This was primarily due to the replanting and heavy rainfalls.

PALM, LAURICS AND OTHERS

Our palm, laurics and others segment refers to the processing and global merchandising of palm and oilseed-based products comprising bulk and branded products, oleochemicals, sugar and other vegetable oils.

Our palm, laurics and others segment reported 11.6% lower revenue of US\$4,834.0 million with a decrease in EBITDA to US\$258.5 million in the current period mainly attributable to lower commodities prices, despite higher sale volume recorded in the current period.

FINANCIAL EXPENSES, NET

Net financial expenses comprised net interest expenses (after deducting interest income), amortisation of deferred loan charges and other finance charges. Net financial expenses decreased from US\$77.0 million in 1H2022 to US\$70.3 million mainly due to higher interest income recorded in line with the higher average time deposits during the current period.

SHARE OF RESULTS OF JOINT VENTURES, NET

The Group's share of profit in joint ventures decreased from US\$42.4 million in 1H2022 to US\$12.5 million mainly attributable to lower operating performance in a joint venture in line with the declining market prices during the current period.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE GAIN

The Group recorded net foreign exchange gain of US\$16.9 million in the current period as compared to US\$41.0 million in 1H2022. Lower net foreign exchange gain recorded in 1H2023 was mainly attributable to lower fair value gain on forward foreign currency contracts entered to hedge the currency exposure.

F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2 (cont'd)

OTHER INCOME

Net other income comprised mainly changes in fair value of biological assets (agricultural produce) and financial assets, income from sales of seedlings and other materials, as well as rental income. The Group recorded net other income of US\$44.8 million in 1H2023 as compared to net other income of US\$47.1 million in 1H2022. This decrease was mainly due to fair value losses of financial assets and lower dividend income received from our investment, partially offset by fair value gain of biological assets recognised in the current period.

TAX

Income tax comprised provision for current and deferred income tax derived by applying the varying statutory tax rates of the different countries in which the Group operates on its taxable profit and taxable temporary difference. No group relief is available for set-off of taxable profits against tax losses of companies within the Group. Net tax expense was lower at US\$23.4 million in the current period in line with lower taxable profit recorded in certain subsidiaries.

REVIEW OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2023

ASSETS

The Group's total assets were marginally lower at US\$9,851.8 million as at 30 June 2023 as compared to US\$9,902.1 million as at 31 December 2022.

Inventories decreased by US\$135.9 million mainly resulting from to lower commodity prices.

Short-term investments increased by US\$189.5 million mainly due to additional short-term time deposits placements with financial institutions.

Long-term investments increased by US\$55.0 million mainly attributable to fair value gain recorded and additional investment made during the current period.

LIABILITIES

Total liabilities of the Group decreased from US\$4,647.7 million as at end 2022 to US\$4,512.5 million as at end June 2023 to mainly due to lower taxes payable following the payment made during the current period.

REVIEW OF CASH FLOWS FOR HALF YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Cash and cash equivalents (net of deposits pledged) of the Group has decreased from US\$539.8 million as at end of 2022 to US\$399.3 million as at end June 2023. The Group recorded a lower net cash inflow for its operating activities of US\$262.8 million in 1H2023 mainly in line with lower operating profit reported.

Net cash used in investing activities of US\$350.3 million was mainly related to placements in time deposits with financial institutions, as well as capital expenditure incurred for our plantations, and property, plant and equipment.

Net cash used in financing activities of US\$63.1 million was mainly related to payments for dividends, net of proceeds from borrowings during the current period.

- F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2 (cont'd)
- 3 Where a forecast, or a prospect statement, has been previously disclosed to shareholders, any variance between it and the actual results

Not applicable.

3A Where the latest financial statements are subject to an adverse opinion, qualified opinion or disclaimer of opinion, (a) updates on the efforts taken to resolve each outstanding audit issue; (b) confirmation from the Board that the impact of all outstanding audit issues on the financial statements have been adequately disclosed. This is not required for any audit issue that is a material uncertainty relating to going concern

Not applicable.

A commentary at the date of the announcement of the 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

The global vegetable oil market outlook remains uncertain due to continuing geopolitical tensions and uncertain weather conditions. This uncertainty, together with developments in government policy on import duties and export taxes of the countries we trade with and high interest rates may affect the Group's operations and financial performance. However, we believe the outlook of CPO prices remains favourable due to the tightness in global vegetable oil supply and demand dynamics. The Group will continue to enhance its integrated operation capabilities to optimise profit opportunities along the value chain, apply technological innovation for yield improvement and cost efficiency, and commit to sustainability initiatives.

5 Dividend

(a) Current Financial Period Reported On

Any ordinary dividend declared for the current financial period reported on? No

(b) Corresponding Period of the Immediately Preceding Financial Year

Any ordinary dividend declared for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year? Yes

Name of Dividend: Interim dividend

Dividend Type: Cash

Dividend Amount per share: 0.80 Singapore cents per ordinary share

Number of shares: 12,681,673,056
Tax Rate: Tax not applicable
Payment date: 28 November 2022

(c) Date payable

Not applicable

(d) Record date

Not applicable

6 If no dividend has been declared/recommended, a statement to that effect

No dividend has been declared for the half year ended 30 June 2023 as the Company generally reviews its dividend distribution during the second half of the financial year.

F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2 (cont'd)

7 Interested persons transactions disclosure

Name of interested person ("IP")	Nature of Relationship	Aggregate value of all interested person transactions during the financial year under review (excluding transactions less than S\$100,000 and transactions conducted under shareholders' mandate* pursuant to Rule 920)	Aggregate value of all interested person transactions conducted under shareholders' mandate* pursuant to Rule 920 (excluding transactions less than \$\$100,000)
		USD	USD
Subsidiaries of Sinarmas Land Limited: - PT Duta Cakra Pesona - PT Royal Oriental	#1 #1	Nil Nil	1,692,860 4,253,568
Subsidiary of Golden Energy and Resources Limited: - PT Roundhill Capital Indonesia	#1	Nil	13,211,351
Subsidiary of PT Dian Swastatika Sentosa Tbk: - PT Rolimex Kimia Nusamas	#1	Nil	23,649,821
Subsidiaries of PT Sinar Mas Multiartha Tbk: - PT Asuransi Sinar Mas - PT Bank Sinarmas Tbk ^{#2}	#1 #1	Nil Nil	6,240,511 13,981,318
PT Cakrawala Mega Indah	#1	Nil	7,120,181
PT Indah Kiat Pulp & Paper Tbk	#1	Nil	194,486
PT Kreasi Kotakmegah	#1	Nil	525,869
Total		Nil	70,869,965

Notes:

^{*} Renewed at Annual Meeting on 24 April 2023 pursuant to Rule 920 of the SGX-ST listing manual ("Listing Manual").

These IPs are regarded as associates of GAR's controlling shareholder under Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual on interested person transactions

^{#2} Principal amount of placements as at 30 June 2023 is approximately USD6.89 million.

F Other information required by Listing Rule Appendix 7.2 (cont'd)

8 Confirmation pursuant to the rule 720(1) of the listing manual

The Company confirms that it has procured undertakings from all its directors and executive officers in the form set out in Appendix 7.7 under Rule 720(1) of the Listing Manual.

9 Confirmation pursuant to the rule 705(5) of the listing manual

We, Franky Oesman Widjaja and Rafael Buhay Concepcion, Jr., being two directors of Golden Agri-Resources Ltd (the "Company"), do hereby confirm on behalf of the directors of the Company that, to the best of their knowledge, nothing has come to their attention which would render the half year ended 30 June 2023 unaudited financial results to be false or misleading.

On behalf of the board of directors

Franky Oesman Widjaja Director Rafael Buhay Concepcion, Jr. Director

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Rafael Buhay Concepcion, Jr. Director 14 August 2023

Submitted by Kimberley Lye Chor Mei, Director, Corporate Secretarial on 14 August 2023 to the SGX