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ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **2025**



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Confirmation of accuracy and fair presentation

Annual financial statements for the 2025 financial year-end

We hereby acknowledge that the annual financial statements of the Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited (the IDC or the Group or the Corporation) have been submitted to Deloitte & Touche and BDO SA Inc. (BDO) for auditing in terms of section 55(1)(c) of the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA). We acknowledge our responsibility for the accuracy of the accounting records and the fair presentation of the financial statements and confirm, to the best of our knowledge, the following:

Annual financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS® accounting standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and IFRS Interpretation Committee (IC), the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee, Financial Pronouncements as issued by the Financial Reporting Standards Council and the Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE) Debt Listings Requirements as well as the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999 (PFMA).

Performance information

The performance information fairly reflects the operations and actual output against planned targets for performance indicators as per the Corporate Plan of the IDC and approved amendments for the financial year ended 31 March 2025. The performance information has been reported in accordance with the requirements of the guidelines on annual reports as issued by National Treasury. A system of internal control has been designed to provide reasonable assurance as to the integrity and reliability of performance information.

In respect of material issues

The annual financial statements are complete, accurate and free from material omissions.

Preparation of the financial statements

The financial results have been prepared under the supervision of Isaac Malevu CA(SA), the Group's Chief Financial Officer.



Mmakgoshi Lekhethe

Chief Executive Officer

31 July 2025



Busi Mabuza

Chairperson of the Board

31 July 2025

Accounting Authority's statement of responsibility for annual financial statements

The Accounting Authority is responsible for the preparation of the IDC's annual financial statements and for the judgements made in preparing these financial statements. The Accounting Authority is responsible for establishing and implementing a system of internal control designed to provide reasonable assurance as to the integrity and reliability of the annual financial statements. In my opinion, the annual financial statements fairly reflect the operations of the IDC for the financial year ended 31 March 2025. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the annual financial statements of the IDC. The IDC's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025 have been audited by the external auditors and their report is presented on page 17 to 25. The annual financial statements of the IDC are set out on page 26 to 126 have been approved.



Mmakgoshi Lekhethe

Chief Executive Officer

31 July 2025

Report of the Board Audit Committee

Report of the Board Audit Committee (BAC or the Committee) in terms of Regulations 27(1)(10)(b) and (c) of the Public Finance Management Act of 1999 (as amended) and the requirements of King IV Code of Governance.

Background

The BAC oversees the Corporation's financial reporting process on behalf of the Board of Directors, specifically with regard to evaluating the adequacy and efficiency of accounting policies, internal controls, risk management and financial reporting processes. In addition, the BAC assesses the effectiveness of the internal auditors, independence and effectiveness of the external auditors.

The responsibility for the financial statements, maintenance of effective internal control and the assessment of the effectiveness of financial reporting and internal controls is that of the Corporation's management.

Responsibilities, composition and functions of the committee

The Committee's role and responsibilities include its statutory duties according to the PFMA of 1999 (as amended), the requirements of the King IV Code of Governance, the Companies Act 71 of 2008 (as amended), the JSE Debt and Specialists Securities Listing requirements and the responsibilities assigned to it by the Board.

As a Committee, we report that we adopted the appropriate formal Terms of Reference as approved by the Board and are satisfied that we have discharged our responsibilities according to the Companies Act, King IV, PFMA and the JSE Debt and Specialists Securities Listing requirements.

The Committee carried out its functions through attendance of Committee meetings, discussions with executive management, internal audit, external auditors and external advisors where appropriate.

The Committee meets at least four times per annum, with the authority to convene additional meetings as circumstances require. In executing its key functions and discharging its responsibilities as outlined in its Terms of Reference during the period under review, the Committee:

- Assisted the Board of Directors in its evaluation of the adequacy and efficiency of the internal control systems, accounting practices, information systems, risk management and auditing processes applied within the Corporation in the day-to-day management of its business;
- Facilitated and promoted communication between the Board, management, the external auditors and Internal Audit Department on matters that are the responsibility of the Committee;
- Introduced measures that, in the opinion of the Committee, may enhance the credibility and objectivity of the financial statements and reports prepared with reference to the affairs of the Corporation and the IDC Group;
- Nominated and recommended for re-appointment of registered auditors, Deloitte & Touche, as the Corporation's external auditors, the firms who, in the opinion of the Committee, are independent of the IDC;
- Approved the appointment of BDO as the new joint external audit firm with effect from 17 January 2025 to replace Nexia SAB&T whose contract came to an end as at 30 August 2024 due to the expiry of audit tenure;
- Determined the fees to be paid to the external auditors and the auditors' terms of engagement;
- Ensured that the re-appointment of the external auditors complies with the Companies Act and any other legislation relating to the appointment of auditors;
- Reviewed legal and compliance matters that could have a significant impact on the financial statements;
- Monitored internal control frameworks and procedures, including accounting policies, legislative compliance, regulatory matters and governance;
- Reviewed and approved the annual internal audit three-year rolling plan to ensure alignment with the key risks of the business; and
- Assessed combined assurance from the external auditors, internal auditors and management and ensured that the combined assurance received is adequate to address all material risks.

Internal controls

We monitored the effectiveness of the IDC's internal controls and compliance with the Enterprise-wide Risk Management Framework (ERMF). The emphasis on risk governance is based on three lines of defence and the BAC uses the regular reports received from the three lines of defence i.e., Management, Risk and Compliance Departments and Internal Audit Department to evaluate the effectiveness of internal controls. The ERMF places weight on accountability, responsibility, independence, reporting, communication and transparency, internally and with all the IDC's key external stakeholders.

The Committee is of the opinion that the internal accounting controls are adequate to ensure that the financial records may be relied upon for preparing the consolidated annual financial statements, that accountability for assets and liabilities is maintained and that this is based on sound accounting policies, supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates. The Committee is further of the opinion that the internal controls of the Corporation have been effective in all material respects in the year under review. This opinion is based on the information and explanations given by management regarding various processes and initiatives aimed at improving the internal control environment and the integrity of information, discussions with the Internal Audit Department and the independent external auditors, on the results of their audits.

The Committee considered the independent auditors' report and the findings related to the accuracy of the preparation of the financial statements submitted for auditing in compliance with the prescribed framework as required by section 55(1)(b) of the PFMA. Except for these findings, the consolidated annual financial statements are fairly presented in terms of IFRS accounting standards. With the above findings having been rectified, the Committee is satisfied that the system of internal financial controls and the financial reporting improvements being undertaken to combat a breakdown in these controls provide a reasonable basis for the preparation of the annual financial statements.

To formulate its opinion, the Committee:

- Monitored the identification and correction of weaknesses and breakdowns of systems and internal controls;
- Monitored the adequacy and reliability of management information and the efficiency of management information systems;
- Reviewed quarterly, interim and annual financial results for proper and complete disclosure of timely, reliable and consistent information;
- Evaluated, on an ongoing basis, the appropriateness, adequacy and efficiency of accounting policies and procedures and compliance with IFRS accounting standards;
- Discussed and resolved any significant accounting issues;
- Reviewed reports supplied by management regarding the effectiveness and efficiency of the credit monitoring process, exposures and related impairments and adequacy of impairment provisions to discharge its obligations satisfactorily;
- Reviewed and monitored all key financial performance indicators to ensure that they are appropriate and that decision-making capabilities are maintained at high levels; and
- Reported to the Board on the effectiveness of the Corporation's internal financial reporting controls.

External auditors

As a Committee, we recognise the importance of maintaining the independence of the Corporation's external auditors, both in fact and appearance. Each year, the Committee evaluates the qualifications, performance and independence of the Corporation's external auditors and determines whether to re-engage the current external auditors. In doing so, the Committee considers the quality and efficiency of the services provided by the auditors, the auditors' capabilities, technical expertise and knowledge of the Corporation's operations and industry.

The Committee, in consultation with executive management, agreed to the engagement letter, terms, audit plan and audit fees for the financial year ended 31 March 2025.

The Committee:

- Approved the external auditors' annual plan and related scope of work;
- Monitored the effectiveness of the external auditors in terms of their skills, independence, execution of the audit plan, reporting and overall performance;
- Considered whether the extent of reliance placed on internal audit by the external auditors was appropriate and whether there were any significant gaps between the internal and external audits; and
- Confirmed that it has complied with paragraph 7.3 (e) III and IV of the JSE Debt and Specialists Securities Listings requirements, in that it has obtained information detailed in paragraph 3.84(g)(iii) of the JSE Debt and Specialists Securities Listings requirements in their assessment of their suitability.

Expertise and experience of finance function

We have considered and satisfied ourselves of the overall appropriateness of the expertise and strengthening of the existing resources of the IDC's finance function, including experience of the senior members of management responsible for the financial function. We have however noted management's intention to further increase the IFRS Technical resources in the function, in line with the Corporation's increasing reporting requirements.

Report of the Board Audit Committee *continued*

Duties assigned by the Board

Integrated and sustainability reporting

The BAC fulfils an oversight role regarding the Corporation's Integrated Report and the reporting process and considers the level of assurance coverage obtained from management and internal and external assurance providers in making its recommendation to the Board.

We considered the Corporation's information as disclosed in the Integrated Report and assessed its consistency with operational and other information known to Committee members and for consistency with the annual financial statements. We discussed the information with management and considered the conclusions of the external assurance provider.

The Committee is satisfied that the sustainability information is reliable and consistent with the financial results.

Combined assurance

The Committee is responsible for monitoring the combined assurance model detailing significant processes, line management monitoring, internal audit and external audit. This model is used to assess the appropriateness of assurance over risks/controls provided to the Board.

Engagement regarding the extent to which the various assurance providers rely on each other's work takes place continuously and we are of the view that adequate coordination occurred between the external auditors and internal audit. Furthermore, a Combined Assurance Plan was approved and used to monitor the activities in relation to the Combined Assurance Process.

Going concern

The Committee concurs that the adoption of the going concern assumption in the preparation of the consolidated annual financial statements is appropriate and sound. This is after the Committee reviewed a documented assessment by management of the going concern premise of the Corporation and the Group. The assessment included a review of the financial (solvency, liquidity and profitability ratios), operating and regulatory compliance indicators.

Governance of risk

The Board has assigned oversight of the Corporation's risk management function to a separate Board Risk and Sustainability Committee. The Chairperson of the BAC attends the Board Risk and Sustainability Committee meetings as a member to ensure that information relevant to these committees is shared regularly. This Committee fulfils an oversight role regarding financial reporting risks, internal financial controls, fraud risk and information technology risks as they relate to financial reporting. We are satisfied that the appropriate and effective risk management processes are in place.

Internal audit

Internal audit forms part of the third line of defence as set out in the ERMF and engages with the first and second lines of defence to facilitate the escalation of key control breakdowns.

The Internal Audit Department has a functional reporting line to the Committee Chairperson, an operational reporting line to the CEO and full access to other BAC members.

The BAC, with respect to its evaluation of the adequacy and effectiveness of internal controls, receives reports from internal audit on a quarterly basis, assesses the effectiveness of the internal audit function and reviews and approves the internal audit plan. The Committee is responsible for ensuring that the Corporation's internal audit function is independent and has the necessary resources, standing and authority within the Corporation to discharge its duties. We approved the internal audit function's annual audit plan and as a Committee, monitored and challenged, where appropriate, action taken by management with regard to adverse internal audit findings.

The Committee has overseen a process by which internal audit has performed audits according to a risk-based audit plan, which amongst others considers the three-year rolling plan, where the effectiveness of the risk management and internal controls were evaluated. These evaluations were the main input considered by the Board in reporting on the effectiveness of internal controls. The Committee is satisfied with the independence and effectiveness of the internal audit function.

Report of the Board Audit Committee *continued*

Conclusion

Having considered, analysed, reviewed and debated information provided by management, internal audit and the external auditors, the Committee confirmed that:

- Notwithstanding the need for improvement of certain controls, the overall internal controls of the Group were effective.
- Where areas of improvement have been identified, they are being addressed by management.
- These controls ensured that the Group's assets had been safeguarded.
- Proper accounting records had been maintained.
- Resources had been utilised efficiently.
- The skills, independence, audit plan, reporting and overall performance of the external auditors were acceptable.

Following our review of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025, we are of the opinion that they comply with the relevant provisions of the PFMA, as amended, IFRS accounting standards and JSE Debt and Specialists Securities Listing, and that they present fairly the results of the operations, cash flow and financial position of the Corporation.

The Committee is satisfied that it has complied in all material respects, with its legal, regulatory and other responsibilities. The BAC recommended these annual financial statements to the Board for approval.



Nomavuso Mnexasana

Chairperson of the Board Audit Committee

31 July 2025

Directors' report

Introduction

The Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited was established in 1940 by the Industrial Development Corporation Act. It is a registered public corporation and a Schedule 2 listed entity in terms of the PFMA and the related Treasury regulations. This report is presented in accordance with the provisions of the prescribed legislation and addresses the performance of the IDC, as well as relevant statutory information requirements. The Board of Directors is the Accounting Authority as prescribed in the PFMA.

Nature of business

The IDC is a state-owned development finance institution that provides funding aimed at the development of enterprises; playing a catalytic role in attracting industry players and developing ecosystems to promote industrial capacity development and address gaps in the market.

The IDC's purpose is to drive an ambitious programme of inclusive and sustainable employment-creating industrialisation in South Africa and the region. The Corporation's activities correspond to the key activities of a development finance institution, namely:

- developing and supporting greenfield projects;
- providing customised finance and investment solutions;
- partnering with others to extend IDC's reach, capital, and impact; and
- providing non-financial support to entrepreneurs and selected state programmes.

As a responsible corporate citizen, IDC pays income tax at corporate rates, and, subject to performance and at the discretion of the Board in line with its Dividend Policy, pays dividends to its shareholder.

As part of its industry development activities, the IDC has equity interests in several companies operating in a range of industries throughout the economy. Although the Corporation aims to keep its shareholding in these companies to levels below 50%, we do in some instances gain control of these businesses for various reasons. Details of trading subsidiaries and joint ventures are set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Public Finance Management Act

The IDC Board is responsible for the development of the Corporation's strategic direction, which is captured in the Shareholder's Compact and Corporate Plan, reviewed on an annual basis to cater for changes both in the internal and external environment. Following agreement with the shareholder representative, these documents form the basis for detailed action plans and continuous performance evaluation.

Our business units and departments are therefore guided by the Corporate Plan to prepare annual business plans, budgets and capital programmes to meet their strategic objectives. Day-to-day management responsibility is vested in line management through a clearly defined organisational structure and formal, delegated authority.

The IDC as an organ of state and its subsidiaries are subject to the PFMA and in turn the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), (Act no. 5 of 2000).

We have a comprehensive system of internal controls designed to ensure that we meet corporate objectives and the requirements of the PFMA and other relevant legislation. The IDC's subsidiaries which are relatively new to PFMA compliance requirements, continue to receive the necessary support and guidance from the IDC and other stakeholders.

Processes are in place to ensure that where controls fail, the failure is detected and corrected.

Performance management

The IDC's performance indicators reflect the Corporation's goals set out in our strategic objectives. Performance indicators and targets form part of our annual Corporate Plan and are agreed upon between the Board and the Shareholders Representative. Our primary performance evaluation focus is on our financing activities. The performance measurement system ensures that the IDC aligns with its mandated objectives.

IDC sets Corporate targets annually as part of its performance management process and in terms of PFMA requirements. These targets define in measurable terms what the IDC aims to achieve in the short- and long term and is integral to the performance management system.

Performance indicators

IDC performance indicators for the period emphasise execution and support of key development outcomes while ensuring that the Corporation maintains a focus on its financial sustainability and addresses organisational capabilities and its reputation in the market. The indicators include both key and supporting KPIs, mapping a path to achieve our strategic ambitions. The indicators are aligned to the Joint-KPIs of the Department of Trade, Industry and Competition (**the dtic**).

The table of key performance indicators shows IDC's targets for 2024/25, actual achievements as well as combined primary and supporting KPIs:

- Primary KPIs: These are the KPIs that form part of IDC's compact with the shareholder representative.
- Supporting KPIs: These are indicators that IDC monitors on an ongoing basis and form part of the Corporation's ongoing reporting to the shareholder representative.

Performance overview

Overall, the Corporation's performance for the 2024/25 year shows results that are mixed compared to the prior year. The R13.4 billion of approvals during the year under review show a decline compared to the previous year (R17.3 billion). The 2024/2025 year on-balance sheet disbursements are at R16.3 billion, which is higher than the previous year (R15.9 billion).

A total of 15 732 full-time equivalent jobs will be created and/or saved through committed funding in 2024/25. This is lower than the target of 34 023, representing 46% of the target.

Improvements in the risk quality of the portfolio of the IDC book is also moving in the right direction with the majority of the transactions in the medium- to low-risk category. More specifically, 44.7% of the portfolio was rated as medium and low risk, better than the targeted 51.5%.

Non-performing loans (amortising book) reached 20.4%, better than the targets for the year.

Performance against predetermined objectives

Performance against predetermined objectives for the reporting period is shown below.

Key performance indicators



Achieved



Not achieved

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Development effectiveness	a) Total investment flows facilitated	a) Total investment flows facilitated (R'm) (a1+a2+a3)	Output 1: R200 billion in investment pledges across the state	54 928	51 238	✗
	a1) IDC own balance sheet funding	a1) Value of on-balance sheet funding disbursed (R'm)		21 416	16 275	✗
	a2) Managed development funds	a2.1) Value of off-balance sheet funding disbursed (R'm)		4 133	2 966	✗
		a2.2) Value of off-balance sheet funding disbursed as a % of funds available (this FY)		75%	56%	✗
	a3) Co-funding leveraged/ syndicated/ catalysed	a3) Value of leveraged funding committed by other funders (R'm)		29 379	31 997	✓
		a4) Output growth by black industrialist clients (%)		Growth in BI clients output as calculated, baseline + CPI + 3.5%	6.7%	✗

Directors' report *continued*

✓ Achieved ✗ Not achieved

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Development effectiveness	b1) Funds committed (financial close reached) and facilitated to support policy priorities: transformation*	b1) Total funds committed and facilitated in support of transformation (aggregate comprised of i) IDC own funds, ii) off-balance sheet funds and iii) leveraged/ catalysed funds). Transformation is broadly defined to include funding for black industrialists, black-owned companies, companies with broad-based ownership, trade union owned entities, women- and youth-entrepreneurs (R'm)		17 523	26 614	✓
		b1.1) Black industrialists	Output 4: R40 billion in black industrialist output achieved	7 400	23 439	✓
		b1.2) Black-owned businesses		11 900	23 797	✓
		b1.3) Women entrepreneurs	Output 14: R8 billion in financial support programmes to SMMEs and women- and youth-empowered businesses	3 500	5 627	✓
		b1.4) Youth entrepreneurs		1 500	1 700	✓
	b2) Increase in output for manufacturing companies supported (localisation and beneficiation)	b2) Growth in value of sales for manufacturing companies in IDC's portfolio (%)	Output 4: R40 billion in additional local output committed or achieved	Growth in sales for the total manufacturing industry +2% with a minimum of inflation +3.0%	6.8%	✓
	b3) Funds committed and facilitated to support policy priorities*: Master Plans and IDC Industry Priorities	b3) Total: Industry Master Plans and IDC Industry Priorities (R'm)	Output 2: 100 investor facilitation and unblocking interventions provided	24 930	43 441	✓
	b4) Funds committed and facilitated to support policy priorities: Spatial equity	b4.1) Total funds committed and facilitated to improve spatial equity (investment outside six main metro municipalities ¹) (R'm)	Output 13: R15 billion support programmes to enterprises in areas outside the five main metros	16 660	37 967	✓

¹ Cape Town, Ekurhuleni, eThekweni, Johannesburg, Nelson Mandela Metro and Tshwane

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Development effectiveness		b4.2) Total funds committed and facilitated for businesses in SEZs (including economic infrastructure projects that enable SEZs (e.g. energy supply, logistics, water) (R'm)	Output 3: Two new SEZs designated and support work with provinces related to industrial parks	1 000	2 128	
	b5) Funds committed and facilitated to support policy priorities: SME development	b5) Total funds committed and facilitated for SMEs (R'm)	Output 14: R8 billion in financial support programmes to SMMEs and women- and youth-empowered businesses	5 493	4 204	
	b6) Support for policy priorities: worker empowerment	b6) Number of workers that will gain a level of shareholding in their companies through direct or indirect structures in approved transactions (number)	Output 18: 20 000 additional workers with shares in their companies	950	171	
	b7) Support for energy provision	b7) Generating capacity for electricity generation projects approved, including utility scale and small-scale embedded generation (MW)	Output 25: 550 MW of energy available for the grid	580	1 109	
	b8) Export development	b8) Increase in exports generated for intra-regional and global trade through funds committed (R'm)	Output 6: R700 billion in manufacturing exports	14 000	7 454	
	c) Job creation and preservation*	c1) Number of jobs expected to be created/saved from committed funds (number)	Output 21: 100 000 jobs to be created (50 000 social economy fund part-time or temporary job opportunities and 50 000 full time jobs)	34 023	15 732	
		c1.1) Number of jobs expected to be created from IDC regularly committed funds (number)		24 800	8 482	
		c2) Number of jobs expected to be created/saved from grant-related committed funds (number)		8 045	5 828	
		c3) Number of jobs expected to be created excluding construction and other short-term jobs annualised (number)		23 663	3 790	
		c4) Township economy jobs (number)		3 828	1 792	
		c5) Expected new jobs to be created/saved by Black Industrialists (number)		8 596	3 751	

Directors' report *continued*

 Achieved
  Not achieved

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Development effectiveness		c6) Percentage change in the number of people at South African companies in IDC's portfolio (% change y-o-y)		IDC sectors employment growth +3%	3.9%	
	d) Project development	d1) Investment value of projects that graduated from preparation to the investment phase (R'm)	Output 2: 100 investor facilitation and unblocking interventions provided	4 800	15 700	
		d2) Number of proactive new business/deals generated		47	69	
		d3) Number of projects (in EVs and critical minerals value chain (excluding pure mining extraction and concentration projects), green hydrogen being funded either through project development or transactional funding		2	3	
		d4) Progress against Green Economy Industry Planning implementation milestones		Qualitative assessment (1–5)	3.96	
Financial sustainability	e) Improve quality of the portfolio through i) managed exits of non-performing assets, ii) appropriate origination of quality deal flow, iii) turnaround actions	e1) Impairment ratio (total book) (%)	Output 43: Oversight of IDC, NEF and ECIC to ensure that at least 95% of planned KPIs are achieved	28.7%	30.6%	
		e2.1) Non-performing loans (NPLs) (%)		24.1%	20.4%	
		e2.2) Rand value of NPL		11 988	10 203	

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Financial sustainability		e3) Achieve critical milestones in the turnaround plans for Cast Products SA, Foskor and Kalagadi Manganese, and for other significant exposures		Foskor: - EBITDA: Achieve 100% of EBITDA board approved numbers. - BEE restructure and/or balance sheet restructure: Full Implementation by end of March 2025. Cast Products: - Turnaround milestone: Termination of Rescue Plan and approval of Turnaround Plan (by end Q2 2024/25). - EBITDA: Achieve 100% of budgeted EBITDA target. - Governance: Reconstitution of the Board that complies with the King IV principle of independent non-executive directors being in the majority (by the end of August 2024). Kalagadi Manganese: Turnaround milestone: Critical Review of Competent Persons Report for reasonableness; and Completion of the detailed Mine Plan (by October 2024). Significant exposure 1 Business case and funding model: Develop long-term sustainable business case and funding model. (September 2024). Significant Exposure 2 Industry action plan: Industry action plan to be developed and IDC Board-approved for IDC's interventions in the steel sector (December 2024). Jobs retention: 80% of jobs retained for the Group.	Foskor: not achieved - EBITDA: Achieve 57% of EBITDA board approved numbers. - The target was achieved score of 5: The BEE and Balance Sheet Restructures was approved by IDC end of 2024. Cast Products: not achieved Target not achieved score of 1: The termination of the CPSA business rescue proceedings is delayed as the company continues to be financially distressed. Kalagadi Manganese: achieved The target was achieved with score of 3.5: Review of Competent Persons Report (CPR) completed and finalised. Base case financial model completed. No restructure contemplated yet due to the various litigations between Kalagadi Manganese and IDC, and AfDB. Significant Exposure 1 Target not achieved score of 3: The final business model and funding was approved in April 2025. Significant Exposure 2: achieved Industry Action Plan: Industry action plan to be developed and IDC Board-approved for IDC's interventions in the steel sector (December 2024). Jobs retention: 80% of jobs retained for the Group.	

Directors' report *continued*

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Financial sustainability		e4) Risk profile of the portfolio (predominantly medium risk portfolio)		5%point improvement from 31 March 2024 actual	47.7%	
	f) Proactively driving and enabling the management of value increase of the IDC's unlisted portfolio	f) Appreciation in carrying value of unlisted investments (excluding listed assets) (y-o-y; %)		Inflation + 3.25%	5.7%	
	g) Optimise the balance sheet for long-term sustainability	g) Growth in the value of reserves (y-o-y; %)		Real GDP growth + inflation + 3.25%	(9.8%)	
Organisational capabilities	h) Build an organisational culture that is characterised by individual excellence, cross-divisional team collaborations	h) Culture entropy score		25%	50	
	i) Achieve efficiencies in terms of end-to-end deal process to meet desired service standards and deliver the right products and solutions to clients	i1) Customer satisfaction index (scale of 1 to 10)	Output 39: Ten high-impact measures to reduce red tape or improve turnaround times in administration of incentives and work of agencies	8	8.3	
		i2.1) Percentage of applications where the turnaround time from receipt of application to legal agreements having been signed is within the service standard of 64 business days for non-complex transactions and 180 business days for complex transactions (excluding projects, time waiting for client and days between ECIC approval and BIC/ Board submissions)		80%	40.9%	

Perspective	Performance area	Performance indicator	Alignment to dtic outputs	Target 2024/25	Post audit actuals	Achievement
Organisational capabilities		i2.2) Percentage of applications where the turnaround time from receipt of application to legal agreements having been signed is within the service standard of 180 business days for complex transactions (excluding projects, time waiting for client)		80%	65.0%	
Strategic positioning and stakeholder alignment	j) Enhance IDC's reputation and build trust amongst its stakeholders.	j) Reputation survey score (scale of 1 to 100)		75	77.3	

* Some of the KPIs overlap by their nature, but are not double counted in the total figures, namely:

- b1.1) Black industrialists, b1.2) Black-owned businesses, b1.3) Women-entrepreneurs and b1.4) Youth-entrepreneurs overlap with each other, but they are not double counted in the total funds committed and facilitated in support of transformation – b1)
- Industry Master Plans and IDC industry priorities overlap significantly, but they are not double counted in b3) Total: Industry Master Plans and IDC industry priorities
- The jobs-related indicators overlap as follows (without double counting in c1) Number of jobs expected to be created and saved)
 - c1.1) Number of jobs expected to be created from committed and facilitated funds overlaps with c1)
 - c2) Number of jobs expected to be created/saved from grant - related committed funds does not overlap i.e., not included in c1)
 - c3) Number of jobs expected to be created excluding construction and other short-term jobs annualised, c4) Township economy jobs, c5) Jobs created/saved by black industrialists will have overlaps with c1) and c1.1)

Corporate governance

The IDC's directors endorse the King IV Report on Corporate Governance and implemented the principles contained therein during the review period.

Share capital

The issued share capital of R1.4 billion remained unchanged during the reporting year.

Audit committee information

Board Audit Committee currently consists of the following non executive directors:

- NP Mnxasana (Chairperson)
- RM Godsell
- Dr SM Magwentshu-Rensburg

In addition, R Pitot and BP Mathidi are co-opted members of the Committee.

Directors' report *continued*

Events after the reporting period

Deemed distribution

Following the disestablishment of the Small Enterprises Finance Agency (sefa) on 30 September 2024 and in line with the National Small Enterprise Amendment Act, sefa's assets and liabilities of a net asset value of R2.6 billion, have been transferred to the Small Enterprise Development and Finance Agency (Sedfa) at no value.

The Board has therefore declared a deemed distribution of R2.6 billion to the shareholder on 29 July 2025.

Appointment of new Board of Directors

On 26 June 2025, the Cabinet of South Africa announced the following appointments to the IDC Board to replace the current board when their term ends:

- Dr G Serobe (Chairperson)
- R Barnard
- TR Cohen
- A Dlodlo
- Dr N Dube-Ncube*
- Dr K Mothibeli
- Dr S Mufamadi

The effective date will be announced in due course.

** Dr N Dube-Ncube is no longer available following her appointment as the Deputy Minister for Higher Education on 22 July 2025*

Going concern

The directors assessed the IDC as being a going concern in terms of financial, operational and other indicators. The directors are of the view that our status as a going concern is assured.

Directors and secretary

The current directors of the IDC are listed below:

Executive

- DA Jarvis (Interim CEO¹)
- ME Lekhethe (CEO²)

Non-executive

- BA Mabuza (Chairperson)
- LI Bethlehem³
- BA Dames
- RM Godsell
- A Kriel
- Dr SM Magwentshu-Rensburg
- NP Mnxasana
- MP Mthethwa
- Adv NDB Orleyn
- Ms S Mangole⁴

Adv M Kganedi is the Group company secretary.

The IDC's registered office is at 19 Fredman Drive, Sandown, 2196.

¹ Mr DA Jarvis was appointed as Interim CEO effective 1 October 2023 and his term ended on 31 January 2025.

² Ms ME Lekhethe was appointed as CEO on 1 February 2025.

³ Ms L Bethlehem has retired from the board of the IDC as announced at the AGM held on 20 July 2024.

⁴ Ms S Mangole was appointed to the Board on 1 June 2024 to succeed Dr Nimrod Zalk, who stepped down on 31 July 2023.

There were no material changes to the functions or executive responsibilities of directors and board members during the current reporting period.

Independent Auditors' report to Parliament

On the Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited

Report on the audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated and separate financial statements of the Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited (the Company) and its subsidiaries (the Group or IDC) set out on pages 26 to 126, which comprise the consolidated and separate statement of financial position as at 31 March 2025, the consolidated and separate statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated and separate statement of changes in equity, and the consolidated and separate statement of cash flows for the year then ended and notes to the consolidated and separate financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the consolidated and separate financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated and separate financial position of the Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited as at 31 March 2025, and its consolidated financial performance and consolidated cash flows for the year then ended, in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act of South Africa (Act No. 1 of 1999) (PFMA) and the requirements of the Industrial Development Corporation Act of South Africa (Act No. 22 of 1940, as amended) (IDC Act).

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group and Company in accordance with the Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors' Code of Professional Conduct for Registered Auditors (IRBA Code) and other independence requirements applicable to performing audits of financial statements in South Africa. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IRBA Code and in accordance with other ethical requirements applicable to performing audits in South Africa. The IRBA Code is consistent with the corresponding sections of the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' *International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)*. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

In terms of the IRBA Rule on Enhanced Auditor Reporting for the Audit of Financial Statements of Public Interest Entities, published in Government Gazette No. 49309 dated 15 September 2023 (EAR Rule), we report:

Final materiality

The scope of our audit was influenced by our application of materiality. An audit is designed to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement. Misstatements may arise due to fraud or error, and they are considered material if individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the consolidated and separate financial statements.

Our determination of materiality is a matter of professional judgement and is affected by our perception and understanding of the financial information needs of intended users, which is the quantitative and qualitative factors that determine the level at which relevant decisions taken by users would be affected by a misstatement. These factors helped us to determine the scope of our audit and the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures and to evaluate the effect of misstatements, both individually and in aggregate on the consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole.

Based on our professional judgement, we determined final materiality for the consolidated and separate financial statements as follows:

Materiality considerations	Consolidated financial statements	Separate financial statements
Final materiality amount	R1 908 million	R1 801 million
Basis for determining materiality	2% of net asset value, as disclosed in the statement of financial position to the financial statements.	2% of net asset value, as disclosed in the statement of financial position to the financial statements.
Rationale for benchmark applied	We have identified net asset value to be as the most appropriate basis for a state owned development finance institution and that this is the key focus for the primary users of the financial statements.	We have identified net asset value to be as the most appropriate basis for a state owned development finance institution and that this is the key focus for the primary users of the financial statements.

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Group audit scope

We tailored the scope of our audit in order to perform sufficient work to enable us to provide an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole, considering the structure of the group and the accounting processes and controls.

In establishing our overall approach to the group audit, we determined the type of work that needed to be performed at each component either by us, as the group engagement team, or by component auditors under our instruction. In doing so, we performed risk assessment procedures across the group and its components to identify risks of material misstatement and identified how the nature and size of the account balances at the components contributed to those risks and determined which account balances required an audit response. We involved component auditors in this risk assessment process.

In our assessment of the residual account balances not covered by the audit procedures, we considered whether or not these could give rise to a risk of material misstatement of the Group financial statements. This assessment included performing analytical procedures at the Group level on the residual balances.

In total we identified three components and selected all three components to require an audit response having considered our evaluation of the risks of material misstatement to the consolidated financial statements. Two components for which the financial information of the component was audited and one component where our procedures were limited to specific accounts which we considered had the potential for the greatest impact on the significant accounts in the consolidated financial statements given the specific risks identified.

In respect of the reporting components where we performed audit procedures, 99% of the group's total net assets was covered by the audit of the components.

Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

In terms of the EAR Rule, we are required to report the outcome of audit procedures or key observations with respect to the key audit matters and these are included below.

In terms of the EAR Rule, we are required to report the outcome of audit procedures or key observations with respect to the key audit matters and these are included below.

Materiality considerations	Separate financial statements
Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
Valuation of unlisted investments	
This key audit matter is applicable to both the consolidated and separate financial statements. Unlisted investments are classified as at fair value through other comprehensive income and are significant in context of the consolidated and separate financial statements. For the group and company, significant judgement is applied by management in the valuation of unlisted investments in the mining category included in: - Investment securities. - Investment in subsidiaries. - Investment in associates. For the group and company, significant judgement is applied by management in the valuation of unlisted mining investments. The significant judgements and assumptions applied by management in valuing these investments include the following: - Free cash flows of investees; - Life of mine determination; - Commodity price forecasting; - Discount rates (along with discounts and premiums) applied to valuations. Due to the significant judgment applied by the group and company, the valuation of unlisted mining investments is considered to be a matter of most significance in the current year audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements. The related disclosures in the financial statements are included in: - Section 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 1.26 and 1.27 – Accounting policies; - Note 2 – Financial risk management; - Note 3 – Fair value information - Note 7 – Investments in subsidiaries; - Note 8 – Investments in associates; and - Note 11 – Investment securities.	
With the assistance of our valuation specialists, we performed the following procedures over the valuation of unlisted mining investments: - Tested the design, implementation, of the relevant controls over the valuation of unlisted investments. - Performed a risk assessment on key inputs of fair value, based on complexity, risk and sensitivity to direct our testing. - Evaluated the technical appropriateness and accuracy of valuation methodologies (including key assumptions made and modelling approaches adopted) applied by management with reference to industry practice, compliance with IFRS and for consistency with prior periods. - For a sample of unlisted investments, we independently recalculated the fair values and challenged the significant assumptions used and the evidence on which these assumptions were based. - Assessed the appropriateness of the significant judgemental and/or unobservable inputs used in valuations relating to free cash flows of investees, life of mine determination, commodity price forecasting and discount rates with reference to the best available independent information. - Assessed the appropriateness of the fair value hierarchy disclosure due to lower levels of observability and liquidity with reference to the requirements of IFRS 13 <i>Fair Value Measurement</i>. - Assessed the completeness and appropriateness of the disclosure in the financial statements. - In particular, we assessed whether the disclosure adequately conveys the significant judgements and assumptions made by management in the current economic environment. Based on the audit procedures performed and the level of expertise and effort associated with the current year audit, we are satisfied that our audit procedures were sufficient to mitigate the risk associated with significant judgemental nature of the valuation and disclosure of unlisted mining investments.	

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Materiality considerations	Separate financial statements
Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
Valuation of expected credit loss ("ECL") on loans and advances	
This key audit matter is applicable to both the consolidated and separate financial statements. The ECL provision for loans and advances is significant in the context of the consolidated and separate financial statements due to its magnitude and the significant level of judgement required in determining the value of the ECL provision. Accordingly, we have identified the valuation of ECL on loans and advances to be a key audit matter. The determination of impairment allowance for expected credit losses requires significant management judgement, due to the following: • The evaluation of Significant Increase in Credit Risk ("SICR"). • Incorporation of macro-economic inputs and forward-looking information ("FLI") into the SICR assessment and ECL measurement. • Input assumptions applied to estimate the probability of default ("PD"), exposure at default ("EAD") and loss given default ("LGD") within the ECL measurement. • The evaluation of post model adjustments to address limitations not considered by the model. Evaluation of SICR • Assessing whether there has been a SICR event since the origination date of the exposure to the reporting date (i.e., a trigger event that has caused a significant deterioration in credit risk and results in migration of the loan from Stage 1 to Stage 2). Incorporation of macro-economic inputs and forward-looking information into the ECL measurement • The incorporation of FLI and macroeconomic inputs into the SICR assessment and ECL calculations. • Determining and weighting of assumptions used in the forward-looking economic model to account for the forward-looking uncertainty. Assessment of post model adjustments • Constraints in respect of the respective models' ability to address specific trends or conditions due to inherent limitations of modelling based on past performance, the timing of model updates, specific events and changes in risk profile necessitate adjustments in model results. Disclosure Financial reporting requires inclusion of disclosures that provide an adequate level of transparency regarding uncertainties inherent in the judgements, assumptions and estimates applied in determining ECL.	
	Our audit of impairment of advances included the following procedures to address the significant judgement and estimation in determining the ECL. Our response to the key audit matter included performing the following audit procedures: • Evaluated how management have opted for and applied key definitions in IFRS 9, <i>Financial Instruments</i> such as default and significant increase in credit risk, policy choices and key judgements. • Assessed whether key definitions, policy choices and judgements are updated to appropriately reflect current economic conditions. • Assessed the impact of these key definitions on the staging migration of exposures. With the assistance of economic and credit specialists, we performed the following procedures to address the risks relating to ECL for loans and advances: • Tested the design and implementation of relevant controls over the valuation of ECL, including those within governance processes. We also focused on substantively testing the completeness and accuracy of external and internal data inputs into the ECL calculation. • Performed a detailed risk assessment by portfolio, including assessing trends in impairment data and benchmarking against market information. • Evaluated the assumptions used in the inputs to calculate ECL and reperform the stage allocation and ECL calculation. • Reperformed the development of the model components (i.e. PD, LGD, EAD, SICR) and have also independently calculated specific model components. • Assessed the application of forward-looking information in determining FLI-adjusted model components. • Performed loan file reviews and assessed transactional and behavioural data included in the model development, for completeness and accuracy. • Assessed competence, independence, professional qualifications, and experience of management experts utilised to provide valuations or validation support of the ECL models. • Assessed the appropriateness of the Group and Company's SICR methodology and calibrations of the ECL models and tested the stage allocations including SICR for a sample of individual exposures and portfolios back to source data. Forward looking information ("FLI"): • We assessed the IDC's FLI approach. • We assessed the macro-economic variable forecasts for each given scenario as well as the probability weighting of the respective scenarios. This was based on our internal views as well as benchmarking to multiple agencies.

Materiality considerations	Separate financial statements
Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
The related disclosures in the financial statements are included in: - Section 1.4, 1.16 and 1.26 – Accounting policies. - Note 1 – Financial assets and liabilities - Note 2 – Financial risk management - Note 10 – Loans and advances. - Note 22 – Financial guarantees.	Post model adjustments - We assessed the completeness of the post model adjustments against our own research and publicly available information including sector, lender and portfolio specific risk factors - We assessed whether the disclosure adequately conveys the significant judgements and assumptions made by management in the current economic environment. Based on the audit procedures performed, we are satisfied that our audit procedures were sufficient to mitigate the risk associated with significant management judgement within the ECL calculations.

Emphasis of matter

We draw attention to the matter below. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Restatement of corresponding figures

As disclosed in note 36 to the consolidated and separate financial statements, the corresponding figures for March 2024 were restated as a result of errors in the financial statements of the public entity at, and for the year ended, 31 March 2025.

Responsibilities of the Accounting Authority for the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

The board of directors, which constitute the Accounting Authority, is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated and separate financial statements in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards, the requirements of the PFMA and the requirements of the IDC Act and for such internal control as the Accounting Authority determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated and separate financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated and separate financial statements, the Accounting Authority is responsible for assessing the Group and Company's ability to continue as a going concern; disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern; and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the accounting authority either intends to liquidate the Group and/or the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

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

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements is included in the annexure to this auditors' report. This description, which is located at page 24, forms part of our auditors' report.

Report on the audit of the annual performance report

In accordance with the Public Audit Act 25 of 2004 (PAA) and the general notice issued in terms thereof, we must audit and report on the usefulness and reliability of the reported performance against predetermined objectives for the selected objectives presented in the annual performance report. The Accounting Authority is responsible for the preparation of the annual performance report.

We selected the following objectives presented in the annual performance report for the year ended 31 March 2025 for auditing. We selected objectives that measure the Company's performance on its primary mandated functions and that are of significant national and public interest.

	Pre-determined objective	Page numbers	Purpose
1.	Development effectiveness	9–12	Grow sustainable industries, support entrepreneurs, improve lives.
2.	Financial sustainability	12–14	

We evaluated the reported performance information for the selected objectives against the criteria developed from the performance management and reporting framework, as defined in the general notice. When an annual performance report is prepared using these criteria, it provides useful and reliable information and insights to users on the Company's planning and delivery on its mandate and objectives.

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We performed procedures to test whether:

- the indicators used for planning and reporting on performance can be linked directly to the Company's mandate and the achievement of its planned objectives.
- all the indicators relevant for measuring the Company's performance against its primary mandated and prioritised functions and planned objectives are included.
- the indicators are well defined to ensure that they are easy to understand and can be applied consistently, as well as verifiable so that we can confirm the methods and processes to be used for measuring achievements.
- the targets can be linked directly to the achievement of the indicators and are specific, time bound and measurable to ensure that it is easy to understand what should be delivered and by when, the required level of performance as well as how performance will be evaluated.
- the indicators and targets reported on in the annual performance report are the same as those committed to in the approved initial or revised planning documents.
- the reported performance information is presented in the annual performance report in the prescribed manner and is comparable and understandable.
- there is adequate supporting evidence for the achievements reported and for the reasons provided for any over or underachievement of targets.

We performed the procedures for the purpose of reporting material findings only; and not to express an assurance opinion or conclusion.

We did not identify any material findings on the reported performance information for the selected objectives.

Other matter

We draw attention to the matter below. Our opinion is not modified in respect of these matters.

Achievement of planned targets

The annual performance report includes information on reported achievements against planned targets and provides explanations for over- and under achievements.

Material misstatement

We identified material misstatements in the annual performance report submitted for auditing. These material misstatements were in the reported performance information of Development Effectiveness and Financial Sustainability. Management subsequently corrected all the misstatements, and we did not include any material findings in this report.

Report on compliance with legislation

In accordance with the PAA and the general notice issued in terms thereof, we must audit and report on compliance with applicable legislation relating to financial matters, financial management and other related matters. The Accounting Authority is responsible for the Company's compliance with legislation.

We performed procedures to test compliance with selected requirements in key legislation in accordance with the AGSA findings engagement methodology. This engagement is not an assurance engagement. Accordingly, we do not express an assurance opinion or conclusion.

Through an established AGSA process, we selected requirements in key legislation for compliance testing that are relevant to the financial and performance management of the Company, clear to allow consistent measurement and evaluation, while also sufficiently detailed and readily available to report in an understandable manner. The selected legislative requirements are included in the annexure to this auditors' report.

The material findings on compliance with the selected legislative requirements, presented per compliance theme, are as follows:

Annual financial statements

The financial statements submitted for auditing were not prepared in accordance with the prescribed reporting framework, as required by section 55(1)(b) of the PFMA.

Material misstatements of investments in associates, non-current assets held for sale, notes to loans and advances, statement of cash flows (net cash from operating activities and net cash from investing activities), and related disclosures items in the consolidated financial statements identified by the auditors in the submitted financial statements were corrected, resulting in the consolidated financial statements receiving an unqualified audit opinion.

Other information in the integrated report and annual financial statements

The Accounting Authority is responsible for the other information. The other information obtained prior to the date of this auditors' report comprises the information included in the integrated report and certain information included in the annual financial statements, which includes the confirmation of accuracy and fair presentation, the accounting officer's statement of responsibility of annual financial statements, the report of the board audit committee, and the directors' report. The IDC's Integrated report is expected to be made available to us after this auditors' report date.

The other information does not include the consolidated and separate financial statements, the auditors' report and those selected objectives presented in the annual performance report that have been specifically reported on in this auditors' report.

Our opinion on the consolidated and separate financial statements and our findings on the reported performance information and the report on compliance with legislation do not cover the other information and we do not express an audit opinion or any form of assurance conclusion on it.

In connection with our audit, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated and separate financial statements and the selected objectives presented in the annual performance report, or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditors' report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

When we do receive and read the Integrated Report, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and request that the other information be corrected. If the information is not corrected, we may have to retract this auditors' report and re-issue an amended report as appropriate. However, if it is corrected this will not be necessary.

Internal control deficiencies

We considered internal control relevant to our audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements, annual performance report and compliance with applicable legislation; however, our objective was not to express any form of assurance on it.

The matters reported below are limited to the significant internal control deficiencies that resulted in the findings on compliance with legislation included in this report.

Management did not implement adequate internal controls to ensure the preparation of accurate financial statements was submitted for auditing to ensure that they were fully compliant with the prescribed financial reporting framework, as required by section 55(1)(b) of the PFMA. Material misstatements were identified that required correction. It is only after corrections were made that the consolidated financial statements received an unqualified audit opinion.

Other reports

We draw attention to the following engagements conducted by various parties. These reports did not form part of our opinion on the financial statements or our findings on the reported performance information or compliance with legislation.

Matters under investigation

As at the date of this report there is an internal investigation being conducted at Foskor (Pty) Ltd with regards to allegations of fraud in procurement services. The directors have employed the services of a forensic firm to assist in the investigation. As at the reporting date, the investigation remains ongoing, and we could not determine the extent of the impact of the outcomes of the investigation to the consolidated financial statements.

Audit-related services

A limited assurance engagement was performed, on selected sustainability key performance indicators (KPIs), as presented in the Integrated Report for the year ended 31 March 2025.

An agreed upon procedures (AUP) engagement was performed on the Tirisano construction fund for the period ending 31 March 2024. The scope of the AUP was centred around access controls and change management focusing on SAP application systems.

Audit tenure

In terms of the IRBA Rule published in Government Gazette No. 39475 dated 4 December 2015, we report that Deloitte & Touche and BDO have been the auditors of the Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited for three years and one year, respectively.

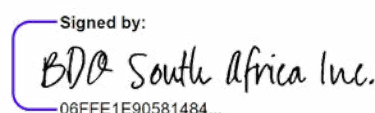


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Annexure to the auditors' report

The annexure includes the following:

- the auditors' responsibility for the audit
- the selected legislative requirements for compliance testing.

Auditors' responsibility for the audit

As part of an audit in accordance with the ISAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout our audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements and the procedures performed on reported performance information for selected objectives and on the Group and Company's compliance with selected requirements in key legislation.

Consolidated and separate financial statements

In addition to our responsibility for the audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements as described in this auditors' report, we also:

- identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated and separate financial statements, whether due to fraud or error; design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks; and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group and Company's internal control.
- evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made.
- conclude on the appropriateness of the use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements. We also conclude, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists relating to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Group and Company to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated and separate financial statements about the material uncertainty or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion on the consolidated and separate financial statements. Our conclusions are based on the information available to us at the date of this auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause a Group and/or the Company to cease operating as a going concern.
- evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated and separate financial statements, including the disclosures, and determine whether the consolidated and separate financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- plan and perform the group audit to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group and Company as a basis for forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and review of the audit work performed for the purposes of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

Communication with those charged with governance

We communicate with the Accounting Authority regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Accounting Authority with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to have a bearing on our independence and, where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

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

Annexure to the auditors' report

Compliance with legislation – selected legislative requirements

The selected legislative requirements are as follows:

Legislation	Sections or regulations
Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999	Section 50(3); 50(3)(a); 50(3)(b); 51(1)(a)(ii); Section 51(1)(a)(iii); 51(1)(b)(i); 51(1)(b)(ii); Section 51(1)(e)(iii); 52(b); 54(2)(c); 54(2)(d); Section 55(1)(a); 55(1)(b); 55(1)(c)(i); 56; 57(b); Section 57(d); 66(3)(a)
Treasury Regulations, 2005	Regulation 29.1.1; 29.1.1(a); 29.1.1(c); 29.2.1; Regulation 29.2.2; 29.3.1; 31.2.5; 31.2.7(a); Regulation 33.1.1; 33.1.3
Construction Industry Development Board Act 38 of 2000	Section 18(1)
Construction Industry Development Board Regulations, 2004	Regulation 17; 25(7A)
Second amendment National Treasury Instruction No. 5 of 2020/21	Paragraph 1
Erratum National Treasury Instruction No. 5 of 2020/21	Paragraph 2
National Treasury Instruction No. 4 of 2015/16	Paragraph 3.4
National Treasury Instruction No. 5 of 2020/21	Paragraph 4.8; 4.9; 5.3
National Treasury SCM Instruction No.03 of 2021/22	Paragraph 4.2
National Treasury SCM Instruction No. 11 of 2020/21	Paragraph 3.1; 3.4(b); 3.9
Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 of 2000	Section 1; 2.1(a); 2.1(f)
Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022	Paragraph 4.1; 4.2; 4.3; 4.4; 5.1; 5.2; 5.3; 5.4
Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017	Regulation 4.1; 4.2; 5.1; 5.3; 5.6; 5.7; 6.1; 6.2; Regulation 6.3; 6.5; 6.6; 6.8; 7.1; 7.2; 7.3; 7.5; Regulation 7.6; 7.8; 8.2; 8.5; 9.1; 10.1; 10.2; Regulation 11.1; 11.2
Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act 12 of 2004	Section 34(1)

Statements of financial position

		Group Restated ¹		Company Restated ¹	
Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	2025	2024	2025	2024
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	14	7 649	12 548	7 470	8 016
Short-dated investments	14	559	1 100	559	1 100
Derivative assets	9	1	3	–	–
Trade and other receivables	13	2 765	2 989	494	841
Inventories	12	2 429	2 249	2	2
Current tax receivable		16	734	16	677
Lease receivable		338	436	–	–
Loans and advances	10	43 546	41 329	48 538	46 596
Investment securities	11	34 023	50 470	32 107	41 992
Non-current assets held for sale	8.2	2 176	–	724	–
Investments in subsidiaries	7	–	–	22 447	24 155
Investments in associates	8.1	25 545	27 824	25 956	26 944
Deferred tax asset	29	7 902	8 036	5 683	5 665
Investment property	5	123	308	25	26
Property, plant and equipment	4	7 377	6 444	42	39
Right of use assets	30	25	60	222	272
Intangible assets	6	33	33	15	23
Total assets		134 507	154 563	144 300	156 348
Equity and liabilities					
Equity					
Equity attributable to equity holders of parent					
Share capital	16	1 393	1 393	1 393	1 393
Reserves		37 725	49 851	48 822	61 597
Retained income		56 418	57 122	39 846	36 880
Non-controlling interest		(96)	(136)	–	–
Total equity		95 440	108 230	90 061	99 870
Liabilities					
Bank overdraft	14	169	202	–	–
Derivative liabilities	9	7	6	–	–
Trade and other payables	32	2 576	8 005	595	819
Lease liabilities	30	39	76	324	370
Current tax payable		262	–	259	–
Borrowings	17	31 066	28 513	46 733	45 689
Retirement benefit obligation	33	349	330	199	186
Deferred tax liability	29	3 733	8 586	5 428	9 078
Financial guarantees	22	249	216	341	299
Provisions	25	617	399	360	37
Total liabilities		39 067	46 333	54 239	56 478
Total equity and liabilities		134 507	154 563	144 300	156 348

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

Statements of profit and loss and other comprehensive income

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Group Restated ¹		Company Restated ¹	
		2025	2024	2025	2024
Continuing operations					
Revenue	18	14 215	16 593	4 303	6 229
Interest income ¹	19	7 451	6 855	7 430	7 007
Total revenue		21 666	23 448	11 733	13 236
Finance costs	20	(4 095)	(3 141)	(3 359)	(3 054)
Other income		518	580	–	–
Loss on financial assets classified as Amortised cost		–	(4)	–	(4)
Profit/(loss) on financial assets classified as FVTPL		184	(102)	734	(236)
Expected credit gains/(losses) on financial assets ¹	10	(3 171)	(1 008)	(3 303)	1 475
Financial assets written off	10	(728)	(1 594)	(508)	(1 594)
Operating expenses		(13 842)	(14 419)	(3 071)	(2 679)
Operating profit	27	532	3 760	2 226	7 144
Income from associates	8	6	2 553	–	–
Profit before taxation		538	6 313	2 226	7 144
Taxation	28	(363)	100	(432)	(108)
Profit for the year from continuing operations		175	6 413	1 794	7 036
Profit from discontinued operations		154	68	–	–
Profit on loss of control		–	1 010	–	–
Profit for the year		329	7 491	1 794	7 036
Other comprehensive income/(loss):					
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:					
Retirement benefit obligation	35	7	14	10	15
Fair value movements on equity instruments	35	(13 583)	(4 741)	(14 293)	(10 574)
Share of comprehensive income/(losses) of equity accounted investments	35	7	(1 220)	–	–
Movements on property valuation	35	252	–	–	–
Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified	35	2 688	645	2 730	1 821
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:		(10 629)	(5 302)	(11 553)	(8 738)
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss:					
Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	35	165	(1 201)	–	–
Total items that may be reclassified to profit or loss		165	(1 201)	–	–
Other comprehensive loss for the year net of taxation	35	(10 464)	(6 503)	(11 553)	(8 738)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		(10 135)	988	(9 759)	(1 702)
Profit for the year attributable to:					
Owners of the Parent		294	7 403	1 794	7 036
Non-controlling interest		35	88	–	–
		329	7 491	1 794	7 036
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year attributable to:					
Owners of the Parent		(10 175)	900	(9 759)	(1 702)
Non-controlling interest		40	88	–	–
		(10 135)	988	(9 759)	(1 702)

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

Statements of changes in equity

Figures in Rand million	Group										
	Share capital	Foreign currency translation reserve	Associated entities reserves	Equity revaluation reserve ¹	Common control reserve	Retirement obligations	Property revaluation reserve	Share-based payment reserve	Retained earnings ¹	Non controlling interest	Total equity
Balance at 1 April 2023	1 393	3 521	8 497	42 268	1 657	107	–	304	51 738	(224)	109 261
Profit for the year ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7 403	88	7 491
Other comprehensive income	–	(1 201)	(1 220)	(4 096)	–	14	–	–	(2 019)	–	(8 522)
Balance at 1 April 2024	1 393	2 320	7 277	38 172	1 657	121	–	304	57 122	(136)	108 230
Profit for the year	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	294	35	329
Other comprehensive income	–	165	7	(10 895)	–	7	247	–	–	4	(10 464)
Dividend paid	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(50)	–	(50)
Deemed distribution of sefa ³	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(2 605)	–	(2 605)
Reclassification of common control ²	–	–	–	–	(1 657)	–	–	–	1 657	–	–
Balance at 31 March 2025	1 393	2 485	7 284	27 277	–	128	247	304	56 418	(96)	95 440

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² The Common control reserve was reclassified to retained earnings due to the sefa disestablishment, the reserve was created when sefa was acquired and with the disestablishment, the reserve has been released

³ Refer to discontinued operation section in note 7

Figures in Rand million	Company						
	Share capital	Associated entities reserves	Equity revaluation reserve ¹	Common control reserve	Retirement obligations	Retained earnings ¹	Total equity
Balance at 1 April 2023	1 393	156	68 818	1 222	139	29 844	101 572
Profit for the year ¹	–	–	–	–	–	7 036	7 036
Other comprehensive income	–	–	(8 753)	–	15	–	(8 738)
Balance at 1 April 2024	1 393	156	60 065	1 222	154	36 880	99 870
Profit for the year	–	–	–	–	–	1 794	1 794
Other comprehensive income	–	–	(11 563)	–	10	–	(11 553)
Dividend paid	–	–	–	–	–	(50)	(50)
Reclassification of common control ²	–	–	–	(1 222)	–	1 222	–
Balance at 31 March 2025	1 393	156	48 502	–	164	39 846	90 061

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² The Common control reserve was reclassified to retained earnings due to the sefa disestablishment, the reserve was created when sefa was acquired and with the disestablishment, the reserve has been released

Statements of cashflows

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Group		Company	
		2025	2024	2025	2024
Cash flows from operating activities					
Cash used in operations	21	(3 828)	(3 609)	(4 178)	(4 512)
Interest received	19	3 547	3 599	3 665	4 007
Dividend received		4 118	5 974	4 118	5 335
Interest paid	20	(2 471)	(2 647)	(2 437)	(2 045)
Tax paid	31	(523)	(1 449)	(565)	(1 421)
Net cash from operating activities		843	1 868	603	1 364
Cash flows from investing activities					
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	4	(1 164)	(693)	(26)	(28)
Purchase of intangible assets	6	(19)	(7)	(5)	(5)
Purchase of financial assets		(1)	–	–	–
Acquisition of investments		(312)	(42)	(312)	(187)
Proceeds on realisation of investments		200	588	196	581
Acquisition of short-dated investments		(2 163)	(2 323)	(2 163)	(2 323)
Deconsolidation due to loss of control		(4 911)	–	(1 477)	–
Proceeds on realisation of short-dated investments		2 705	1 473	2 705	1 473
Net cash from investing activities		(5 665)	(1 004)	(1 082)	(489)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Repayments of lease liabilities	30	(41)	(32)	(10)	(66)
Dividend paid		(50)	–	(50)	–
Net cash from financing activities		(91)	(32)	(60)	(66)
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		50	–	(6)	–
Total cash movement for the year		(4 863)	832	(544)	809
Cash at the beginning of the year		12 345	11 524	8 016	7 218
Expected credit loss on cash and cash equivalents	14	(2)	(11)	(2)	(11)
Cash as disclosed per note	14	7 480	12 345	7 470	8 016

Reportable segments

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	Industrial Development Corporation		sefa, Konoil, Findevco and Impofin ^{6,7}		Foskor (Pty) Ltd	
	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024
Income						
Interest received ²	7 430	7 007	2	500	103	95
Dividends received	4 002	5 838	–	639	–	–
Fee income	301	391	–	7	–	–
Mining income: phosphate rock and magnetite	–	–	–	–	3 668	2 929
Fertiliser and acid sales	–	–	–	–	5 891	7 050
Other revenue	–	–	–	697	1	1
Revenue	11 733	13 236	2	1 843	9 663	10 075
Share of profits/(loss) of associates	–	–	–	47	45	82
Other income	–	–	–	31	320	446
Expenses						
Financing costs	(3 359)	(3 054)	–	(68)	(743)	(723)
Cost of sales	–	–	–	–	(7 411)	(7 856)
Salaries, wages, bonuses and other benefits	(1 461)	(1 585)	–	(284)	(1 692)	(1 513)
Operating expenses	(1 528)	(1 018)	–	(321)	(4)	66
Taxation	(432)	(108)	–	(1)	125	267
Depreciation	(82)	(77)	–	(17)	(442)	(412)
Loss on financial assets classified as amortised cost	–	(4)	–	–	–	–
Profit/(loss) on financial assets classified as FVTPL	734	(236)	–	9	–	–
Expected credit losses on financial assets ²	(3 303)	1 477	64	(750)	(138)	(65)
Financial assets written off	(508)	(1 594)	–	–	–	–
Profit/(loss) from discontinued operations	–	–	154	–	–	–
Profit/(loss) on reclassification of operations	–	–	–	–	–	–
Profit/(loss) for the year	1 794	7 036	220	489	(277)	367
Total assets ³	144 300	156 348	19 805	31 505	12 908	11 498
Inventory	2	2	–	–	2 163	1 896
Investment in associates	25 956	24 155	–	945	–	82
Non-current assets held for sale	724	–	–	–	–	–
Total liabilities ⁴	54 239	56 478	59	7 506	9 440	7 712
Capital expenditure ⁵	26	746	–	–	1 057	33
Commitments	–	–	–	–	211	–

² Restated, refer to note 36.

³ Major line items include loans and advances, investments and investments in associates.

⁴ Major line items include borrowings and deferred tax liability.

⁵ Consists of property, plant and equipment additions.

⁶ During the current year, IDC restructured a loan with repayment terms to non-repayment terms which resulted in the loan being presented on the statement of financial position of Foskor under equity. This led to IDC recognising the loan as additional investment in subsidiary.

⁷ The IDC lost control of sefa effective 30 September 2024 as a result of disestablishment.

IDC Group reportable segments are subsidiaries that offer different products and services. These subsidiaries are managed as separate entities and require different managerial, technological and marketing strategies. The subsidiaries are aggregated based on the nature of the products and services produced, the production processes and the type of customers for each subsidiary. The IDC Group has four reportable segments: IDC; Konoil, Findevco and Impofin; Foskor; Other. The IDC segment provides industrial funding to medium and large corporations. The Konoil, Findevco and Impofin segment also provides funding, however, focuses on small and medium enterprises. The Foskor segment focuses on two divisions, the mining division that processes phosphate rock and magnetite, and the Acid division that manufactures granular fertiliser, phosphoric acid, sulphuric acid and sulphur, ammonia and gypsum for sale to mining and acid companies. Other refers to subsidiaries that operate in a range of various industries. The subsidiaries are as follows: Lodox systems (Pty) Ltd which specialises in the development, manufacturing and distribution of innovative low dosage digital X-ray medical imaging equipment, Thelo Rolling stock Leasing (Pty) Ltd which is involved in the leasing of rolling stock, Sheraton Textile (Pty) Ltd which is involved in the design and manufacture of fine household linen and accessories, and Prilla 2000 (Pty) Ltd whose main business is the spinning of cotton yarns for both knitting and weaving applications and yarn trading.

Figures in Rand million	Group			
	Other ¹		Total	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Income				
Interest received ²	(84)	(747)	7 451	6 855
Dividends received	(906)	(2 211)	3 096	4 266
Fee income	1	60	302	458
Mining income: phosphate rock and magnetite	–	–	3 668	2 930
Fertiliser and acid sales	–	–	5 891	7 050
Other revenue	1 257	1 192	1 258	1 890
Revenue	268	(1 706)	21 666	23 448
Share of profits in associates	(39)	2 424	6	2 553
Other income	198	104	518	581
Expenses				
Financing costs	7	704	(4 095)	(3 141)
Cost of sales	(336)	–	(7 747)	(7 856)
Salaries, wages, bonuses and other benefits	(198)	(156)	(3 351)	(3 538)
Operating expenses	(382)	(1 181)	(1 913)	(2 454)
Taxation	(56)	(59)	(363)	100
Depreciation	(307)	(66)	(831)	(572)
Loss on sale of financial assets classified as amortised cost	–	–	–	(4)
Profit/(loss) on financial assets classified as FVTPL	(550)	125	184	(102)
Expected credit losses on financial assets ²	206	(1 668)	(3 171)	(1 006)
Financial assets written off	(221)	–	(728)	(1 592)
Profit/(loss) from discontinued operations	–	68	154	68
Profit/(loss) on reclassification of operations	–	1 010	–	1 010
Profit/(loss) for the year	(1 409)	(401)	329	7 491
Total assets ³	(42 506)	(44 788)	134 507	154 563
Inventory	264	351	2 429	2 249
Investment in associates	(411)	(686)	25 545	27 824
Non-current assets held for sale	1 452	–	2 176	–
Total liabilities ⁴	(24 671)	(25 363)	39 067	46 333
Capital expenditure ⁵	523	(33)	1 605	746
Commitments	–	–	211	–

¹ These amounts relate to other immaterial subsidiaries.

² Restated, refer to note 36.

³ Major line items include loans and advances, investments and investments in associates.

⁴ Major line items include borrowings and deferred tax liability.

⁵ Consists of property, plant and equipment additions.

Geographical segments

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	South Africa		Other ¹		Total	
	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024
Income						
Interest received ²	7 451	6 850	–	–	7 451	6 855
Dividends received	2 444	3 452	651	814	3 096	4 266
Fee income	302	458	–	–	302	458
Mining income: phosphate rock and magnetite	3 668	2 929	–	–	3 668	2 930
Fertiliser and acid sales	5 891	7 050	–	–	5 891	7 050
Other revenue	1 005	1 754	253	136	1 258	1 890
Revenue	20 762	22 493	904	950	21 666	23 448
Share of profits of associates	6	2 553	–	–	6	2 553
Other income	409	581	109	–	518	581
Expenses						
Financing expenses	(4 027)	(3 143)	(68)	–	(4 095)	(3 143)
Cost of sales	(7 747)	(7 856)	–	–	(7 447)	(7 856)
Salaries, wages, bonuses and other benefits	(3 351)	(3 502)	–	(36)	(3 351)	(3 538)
Operating expenses	(1 904)	(2 319)	(9)	(135)	(1 913)	(2 454)
Taxation	(329)	100	(34)	–	(363)	100
Depreciation	(577)	(572)	(254)	–	(831)	(572)
Loss on financial assets classified as amortised cost	–	(4)	–	–	–	(4)
Profit/(loss) on financial assets classified as FVTPL	184	(102)	–	–	184	(102)
Expected credit losses on financial assets ²	(3 171)	(1 008)	–	–	(3 171)	(1 008)
Profit/(loss) from discontinued operations	154	68	–	–	154	68
Profit/(loss) on reclassification of operations	–	1 010	–	–	–	1 010
Financial assets written off	(728)	(1 594)	–	–	(728)	(1 592)
Profit/(loss) for the year	(320)	6 706	649	779	329	7 491
Total assets ³	133 540	154 700	967	208	134 507	154 563
Inventory	2 429	2 155	–	94	2 429	2 249
Investment in associates	25 545	26 863	–	–	25 545	27 824
Non-current assets held for sale	2 176	–	–	–	2 176	–
Total liabilities ⁴	38 290	45 956	777	377	39 067	46 333
Capital expenditure ⁵	1 605	746	–	–	1 605	746
Commitments	211	–	–	–	211	–

¹ Other relates to subsidiaries with operations outside of South Africa.

² Restate, refer to note 36.

³ Major line items include loans and advances, investments and investments in associates.

⁴ Major line items include borrowings and deferred tax liability.

⁵ Consists of property, plant and equipment additions.

Material accounting policies

The IDC is domiciled in South Africa. The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025 comprise the IDC, its subsidiaries and the Group's interest in associates and jointly controlled entities (referred to as the Group).

The annual financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 31 July 2025.

The material accounting policies applied in the presentation of the Group and company's annual financial statements are set out below:

1. Material accounting policies

1.1 Statement of compliance

The separate and consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS® accounting standards as issued by the IASB and IFRS IC, the SAICA Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee, Financial Pronouncements as issued by the Financial Reporting Standards Council, and the JSE Limited Debt and Specialists Securities Listings Requirements as well as the requirements of the PFMA.

1.2 Basis of preparation

The separate and consolidated financial statements are presented on the going concern basis and in South African rand, which is the Company's functional currency, rounded to the nearest million.

The accounting policies of the Group apply to the company unless otherwise stated.

These consolidated financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis, except for the following:

- Derivative financial instruments are measured at fair value;
- Financial instruments classified at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value;
- Investments in subsidiaries, associates and jointly controlled entities are carried at fair value through other comprehensive income in the separate financial statements of the company;
- Investment property is measured at fair value;
- Land and building are measured at fair value;
- Land and buildings are measured at revalued amount, being its fair value at the date of revaluation less subsequent accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses; and
- Non-current assets held for sale are measured at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less cost to sell.

1.3 New standards, amendments and interpretations to existing standards

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that have been assessed to not have material impact on the Group in the current reporting period. There are no standards and interpretations that are not yet effective and that would be expected to have a material impact on the Group in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

1.4 Financial instruments

1.4.1 Recognition and derecognition

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

The Group derecognises a financial asset (or group of financial assets) or a part of a financial asset (or part of a group of financial assets) when, and only when:

- the contractual rights to the cash flows arising from the financial asset have expired; or
- the Group transfers the financial asset, including substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset; or
- the group transfers the financial asset, neither retaining nor transferring substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset, but no longer retaining control of the asset.

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is extinguished or cancelled or has expired.

The difference between the carrying amount of a financial asset or financial liability (or part thereof) that is derecognised and the consideration paid or received, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss for the period.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.4 Financial instruments *continued*

1.4.1 Recognition and derecognition *continued*

Classification and initial measurement of financial assets

Debt instruments

Financial assets are initially measured at fair value in accordance with IFRS 9 plus transaction costs in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset, such as raising fees and commitment fees. Transaction costs of financial assets or financial liabilities carried at FVTPL are recognised in profit or loss.

The fair value of a financial instrument is the amount that would be received on selling the asset or paid on transferring a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Financial assets are classified into the following categories:

- amortised cost;
- FVTPL;
- fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

Equity instruments

For equity investments that are held neither for trading nor for contingent consideration, IDC Group has made an irrevocable election at initial recognition to classify investment in ordinary shares as financial assets at FVOCI since these instruments are not considered part of the core operating assets. Where the equity investment is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in Other Comprehensive Income (OCI) is not reclassified from equity to profit or loss. It remains in Other reserves and not reclassified to retained income.

The classification of debt instruments depends on both:

- the entity's business model for managing the financial asset; and
- characteristics of contractual cash flows.

The amortised cost of a financial instrument is the amount at which the financial instrument is measured on initial recognition minus principal repayments, plus the cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of any difference between the initial contractual amount and the maturity amount, less any cumulative expected credit losses (ECL).

Interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of financial assets, except for:

- purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets for which the original credit-adjusted effective interest rate is applied to the amortised cost of the financial asset; and
- financial assets that are not purchased or originated credit-impaired, but have subsequently become credit-impaired (or stage 3), for which interest revenue is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to their amortised cost (i.e., net of the ECL allowance).

The calculation of effective interest does not consider ECLs and includes transaction costs, premiums or discounts, fees and points paid or received that are integral to the effective interest rate, such as origination fees.

When the Group revises the estimates of future cashflows, the carrying amount of the respective financial asset or financial liability is adjusted to reflect the new estimate, discounted using the original effective interest rate. Any changes are recognised in profit or loss.

1.4.2 Subsequent measurement of financial assets

Financial assets at amortised cost

Financial assets are measured at amortised cost if the assets meet the following conditions (and are not designated as FVTPL):

- they are held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial assets and collect its contractual cash flows
- the contractual terms of the financial assets give rise to cash flows that are solely payment of principal and interest (SPPI) on the principal amount outstanding.

Financial assets that have cashflows that are not SPPI are measured at FVTPL.

Funds administered on behalf of third parties

The IDC manages funds on behalf of third parties. Funds managed on behalf of third parties are in ringfenced bank accounts, which are restricted and are utilised for specific purposes as determined in the agreements with third parties and as instructed by the parties to the agreements. The funds are not disclosed in the IDC's statement of financial position as they do not meet the definition of an asset as per the accounting framework.

Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables include deposits, rental debtors, related party loans, study loans, finance lease receivables and interest receivables. These trade receivables are financial assets that comprise solely payments of principal and interest and are therefore accounted for at amortised cost. They are subject to the ECL model for impairment testing purposes.

Other receivables also include Value-added Tax (VAT) receivables which are not financial instruments as they do not arise from a contractual relationship. They are measured at the value estimated to be received from tax authorities.

The impairment for trade receivables is presented under expected credit losses on the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets that are held within a different business model other than 'hold to collect' or 'hold to collect and sell' are categorised at FVTPL. Further, irrespective of business model financial assets whose contractual cash flows are not solely payments of principal and interest are accounted for at FVTPL. All derivative financial instruments fall into this category, except for those designated and effective as hedging instruments. Assets in this category are measured at fair value with gains or losses recognised in profit or loss. The fair values of financial assets in this category are determined by reference to active market transactions or using a valuation technique where no active market exists, refer to accounting policy 1.26.

1.4.3 Impairment of financial assets

Impairments in terms of IFRS 9 are determined based on an ECL model. The ECL model applies to loans and advances, cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, contract assets recognised and measured under IFRS 15 and loan commitments and some financial guarantee contracts (for the issuer) that are not measured at FVTPL.

Measurement of impairment

Measurement of the expected credit losses is determined by a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses over the expected life of the financial instrument. ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset. IDC considers a broad range of information when assessing credit risk and measuring expected credit losses, including past events, current conditions, reasonable and supportable forecasts that affect the expected collectability of the future cash flows of the instrument.

Under IFRS 9, there are three bases on which loss allowances are measured under:

Stage 1: these are performing loans whereby credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition. 12-month ECLs are recognised;

Stage 2: these are underperforming loans where by credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition. Lifetime ECLs are recognised.

Stage 3: these are non-performing loan that are credit-impaired. Lifetime ECLs are recognised.

Lifetime ECLs are the result from all possible default events over the expected life of the financial instrument, while 12-month ECLs refers to default events that are within 12-months of reporting date (or a shorter period if the expected life of the financial asset is less than 12 months).

IDC also applies the three-stage impairment model to financial assets including financial guarantees and loan commitments.

- The ECL is calculated by taking into account the Probability of Default, Exposure at Default, Loss Given Default and Macroeconomic conditions forecasts. Probability of Default (PD) – is the likelihood of an account defaulting within a specified period;
- Exposure at Default (EAD) – is the total value the IDC is exposed to when a loan defaults;
- Loss Given Default (LGD) – is the proportion of the exposure that is most likely not to be recovered, considering the capital security held against the exposure.

For trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component e.g., financial assets with a credit rating or trade receivables with a maturity of 12 months or less, we use a simplified impairment approach.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.4 Financial instruments *continued*

1.4.3 Impairment of financial assets *continued*

Definition of default

Exposures are considered to be in default when they are more than 90 days past due or, in the case of amortising products, are more than three instalments in arrears. The Group's definition of 'credit-impaired', is aligned with its internal definition of 'default'.

Credit-impaired financial assets

At each reporting date the Group assesses whether financial assets carried at amortised cost and debt securities at FVOCI are credit impaired. A financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred.

Presentation of impairment

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortised cost are deducted from the gross carrying amount of the assets, and the amortised cost is presented on the face of the statement of financial position. ECLs are presented on the face of the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Modification of financial instruments

Where an existing financial asset or liability is replaced by another with the same counterparty on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing financial asset or liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original asset or liability and the recognition of a new asset or liability at fair value, including calculating a new effective interest rate, with the difference in the respective carrying amounts being recognised in other gains and losses on financial instruments within non-interest revenue. The date of recognition of a new asset is consequently considered to be the date of initial recognition for impairment calculation purposes. A substantial modification of the terms occurs where the discounted present value of the cash flows under the new terms, including any fees paid net of any fees received and discounted using the original effective interest rate, is at least 10% different from the discounted present value of the remaining cash flows of the original financial asset.

If the terms are not substantially different for financial assets or financial liabilities, the Group recalculates the new gross carrying amount by discounting the modified cash flows of the financial asset or financial liability using the original effective interest rate. The difference between the new gross carrying amount and the original gross carrying amount is recognised as a modification gain or loss within credit impairments.

Renegotiation of financial assets is often done because of financial difficulty of the borrower. As such, a significant number of renegotiated loans are loans that are in stage 3 which is a stage characterised by non-performing loans.

The Group modifies the terms of loans provided to clients due to commercial renegotiations or in cases of distressed loans, with the aim of maximising recovery. Such restructuring activities include extended payment terms, payment holidays and payment forgiveness. Restructuring is based on indicators or criteria which, in the judgement of management, indicate that payment will most likely continue. The Group monitors the subsequent performance of modified assets and may determine that the credit risk has significantly improved where assets have performed for three consecutive months or more. Refer to note 10 for further details. These policies are kept under continuous review.

The Group may determine that the credit risk has improved significantly after restructuring and the assets are then moved from lifetime ECL (stage 2 and stage 3) to 12-month ECL (stage 1). This is the case for assets that have performed in accordance with the new terms for six or more consecutive months. The Group continues to monitor whether there is a subsequent significant increase in credit risk in relation to such assets which may necessitate a change in the relevant stage of ECL.

The Group holds collateral against loans and advances to clients in the form of mortgage bonds over property, other registered securities over assets and guarantees. The fair values of underlying assets are based on the value of collateral assessed at the time of borrowing and subsequent valuations by the IDC Fixed Asset Valuation Department. Mortgage bonds over fixed property are the strongest form/quality of collateral, followed by special notarial bonds (SNB). SNB's are registered over specific assets, usually plant and equipment. General notarial bonds are registered over other unencumbered movable assets, hence the quality of this type of bond is generally lower than the other two collateral types.

Reclassification of financial assets and financial liabilities

The Group reclassifies debt instruments when, and only when, its business model for managing those assets changes. The reclassification takes place from the start of the first reporting period following the change. Such changes are expected to be very infrequent and none occurred during the period.

The Group does not reclassify any financial liability.

Write off policy

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is directly reduced ('written off') when the Group has no reasonable expectations of recovering it in its entirety or a portion thereof and it does not make sense from a cost perspective to endeavour any further collection efforts. The IDC has internal policies which govern the process of write off. Such loans are written off after all the necessary procedures have been completed and the amount of the loss has been determined. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited to the write off line on the statement of comprehensive income. A write off constitutes a derecognition event for accounting purposes.

1.4.4 Classification and measurement of financial liabilities

The Group's financial liabilities include borrowings, trade and other payables and derivative financial instruments. Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, and, where applicable, minus transaction costs unless the Group classified a financial liability at FVTPL.

Financial liabilities are classified as subsequently measured at amortised cost, except for the following:

- Financial liabilities arising from the transfer of financial assets that did not qualify for derecognition, whereby a financial liability is recognised for the consideration received for the transfer. In subsequent periods, the Group recognises any expenses incurred on the financial liability.
- Financial guarantee contracts and loan commitments.

1.4.5 Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting

Derivative financial instruments are accounted for at FVTPL. For the reporting periods under review, IDC has not classified forward currency contracts as hedging instruments in cash flow hedge relationships. These arrangements have been entered into to mitigate foreign currency exchange risk arising from certain highly probable transactions denominated in foreign currency.

1.5 Investments in subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the IDC. The Group 'controls' an investee if it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date on which control commences until the date when control ceases. Investments in subsidiaries in the Company's separate financial statements are measured through OCI in accordance with IFRS 9. Where the equity investment is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from equity to profit or loss. However, it should be reclassified in equity.

Transactions eliminated on consolidation

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between Group companies are eliminated on consolidation. Unrealised losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains, but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

Non-controlling interests

Non-controlling interests (NCI) are measured at their proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets at the acquisition date. Changes in the Group's interest in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions.

Loss of control

When the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary, and any related NCI and other components of equity. Any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in the former subsidiary is measured at fair value when control is lost.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.6 Investments in associates

Investments in associates are all entities over which the Group has significant influence but not control, generally accompanying voting rights of between 20% and 50%. Investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method of accounting and are initially recognised at cost. The Group's investment in associates includes goodwill identified on acquisition, net of any accumulated impairment loss.

The Group's share of its associates' post-acquisition profits and losses is recognised in profit or loss, and its share of post-acquisition movements in reserves is recognised in other comprehensive income. The cumulative post-acquisition movements are adjusted for against the carrying amount of the investment. When the Group's share of losses in an associate equal or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any other unsecured receivables, the Group does not recognise further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

Unrealised gains and losses arising from transactions with equity-accounted investments are eliminated against the investment to the extent of the Group's interest in the investment. Unrealised losses are eliminated only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment. Given that IDC has no control over the performance of its associates, the share and profits and losses therefrom are represented beneath on the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Investments in associates in the Company's separate financial statements are measured at FVOCI in accordance with IFRS 9. Where the equity investment is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from equity to profit or loss. However, it may be reclassified in equity.

1.7 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost and are subsequently carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Amortisation is charged on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the intangible assets which do not exceed four years. The estimated useful life and amortisation method are reviewed at the end of each annual reporting period, with the effect of any changes being accounted for on a prospective basis. All intangible assets of the Group have finite useful lives. The average useful life for intangible asset is four years.

The carrying amount of items of intangible assets are derecognised on disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from their use or disposal.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition are determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item of intangible assets and included in profit or loss when the items are derecognised.

1.8 Impairment of non-financial assets

At each reporting date, the Group reviews the carrying amount of its non-financial assets (other than land and buildings, deferred tax assets and investment property), to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

For impairment testing, assets are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that is largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or cash-generating units (CGUs).

The 'recoverable amount' of an asset or CGU is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. 'Value in use' is based on the estimated future cash flows, discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or CGU.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss. They are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the CGU on a *pro rata* basis. Impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation if no impairment loss had been recognised. Any impairment loss of a valued asset is treated as a revaluation decrease.

1.9 Foreign currency translation

Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into South African rand at the foreign exchange rate prevailing at the date of the transaction. The foreign currency gain or loss on monetary items is the difference between amortised cost in the functional currency at the beginning of the period, adjusted for effective interest and payments during the period, and amortised cost in foreign currency translated at the exchange rate at the end of the reporting period, if applicable.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date have been translated into South African rand at the rates ruling at that date. Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated to Rand at foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the fair value was determined. Foreign currency differences are recognised in profit and loss, except for FVOCI investments.

Financial statements of foreign operations

All foreign operations have been accounted for as foreign operations. Assets and liabilities of foreign operations, including goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on consolidation are translated into South African rand at foreign exchange rates ruling at the reporting date. Income and expenses are translated at the average foreign exchange rates, provided these rates approximate the actual rates, for the year. Exchange differences arising from the translation of foreign operations are recognised in other comprehensive income. When a foreign operation is disposed of, in part or in full, the relevant amount in the foreign currency translation reserve is transferred to profit or loss.

1.10 Investment property

Investment property is property held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation, or both.

Measurement

Investment property is measured initially at cost, including transaction costs and directly attributable expenditure in preparing the asset for its intended use. Subsequently, all investment properties are measured at fair value. Valuation takes place annually, based on the aggregate of the net annual rental receivable from the properties, considering and analysing rentals received on similar properties in the neighbourhood, less associated costs (insurance, maintenance, repairs and management fees). A capitalisation rate which reflects the specific risks inherent in the net cash flows is applied to the net annual rentals to arrive at the property valuations. Gains or losses arising from a change in fair value are recognised in profit or loss.

External, independent valuers having appropriate, recognised professional qualifications and recent experience in the location and category of the property being valued are used to value the portfolio. When the use of a property changes such that it is reclassified as property, plant and equipment, its fair value at the date of reclassification becomes its cost for subsequent accounting.

1.11 Property, plant and equipment

Measurement

All items of property, plant and equipment recognised as assets are measured initially at cost. Cost includes expenditures that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. The cost of self-constructed assets includes the cost of material and direct labour and any other cost directly attributable to bringing the asset to a working condition for its intended use, and the cost of dismantling and removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located. Except for land and buildings all other items of property, plant and equipment are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Land and buildings are subsequently measured at fair value less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Land and buildings are revalued by external, independent valuers. Valuers have appropriate recognised professional qualifications and recent experience in the location and category of the property being valued are used to value the portfolio.

Any surplus in excess of the carrying amount is transferred to a revaluation reserve net of deferred tax. Surpluses on revaluation are recognised in profit or loss to the extent that they reverse revaluation decreases of the same assets recognised as expenses in the previous periods. Decreases in revaluation are charged directly against the revaluation reserves only to the extent that the decrease does not exceed the amount held in the revaluation reserves in respect of that same asset, otherwise they are recognised in profit or loss. Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have significantly different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items of property, plant and equipment. Although individual components are accounted for separately, the financial statements continue to disclose a single asset.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.11 Property, plant and equipment *continued*

Subsequent cost

The Group recognises the cost of replacing part of such an item of property, plant and equipment in carrying amount when that cost is incurred if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other costs are recognised in profit or loss as an expense as they are incurred.

Depreciation

Depreciation is recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis, based on the estimated useful lives of the underlying assets. Depreciation is calculated on the cost less any impairment and expected residual value of the asset. Land is not depreciated.

The estimated useful lives for the current and comparative periods are as follows:

Items	Average useful life
Buildings and infrastructure	
Building structure	50 years
Elevators	10 years
Plant and machinery	
Heavy plant and machinery	10–20 years
Equipment	8–10 years
Other property, plant and equipment	
Motor vehicles	1–6 years
Office furniture and equipment	1–6 years

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation method are reassessed at each financial year-end and adjusted if appropriate.

Derecognition

The carrying amount of items of property, plant and equipment are derecognised on disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from their use or disposal.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition are determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item of property, plant and equipment and included in profit or loss when the items are derecognised. When revalued assets are sold, the amounts included in the revaluation reserve are transferred to retained income.

1.12 Leases

Determining whether an arrangement contains a lease. At inception of an arrangement, the Group determines whether such an arrangement is or contains a lease. A specific asset is the subject of a lease if fulfilment of the arrangement is dependent on the use of that specified asset. An arrangement conveys the right to use the asset if the arrangement conveys to the Group the right to control the use of the underlying asset.

At inception or upon re-assessment of the arrangement, the Group separates payments and other consideration required by such an arrangement into those for the lease and those for other elements on the basis of their relative fair values.

Subsequently the liability is reduced as payments are made and an imputed finance charge on the liability is recognised using the Group's incremental borrowing rate. The Group recognises a right-of-use asset and a lease liability at commencement of the lease.

Right-of-use asset

Right-of-use assets are initially measured at cost. Cost comprises the present value of the lease liability at commencement date of the lease, plus any payments already made.

The right-of-use assets are subsequently depreciated using the straight-line basis from commencement of the lease to the end of the lease term. The average depreciation rate to depreciate the right-of-use assets is six years as 31 March 2025 (seven years: 31 March 2024).

Lease liability

Lease liabilities are initially measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments at commencement date, discounted at the Incremental borrowing rate in the lease.

Measurement of the lease liability considers those fixed lease payments stipulated in the lease including annual lease increases. The lease liability is subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

1.13 Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of the ordinary shares are recognised as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.

1.14 Inventories

Spares and consumables

Spares and consumables are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, on a weighted average method. The cost of inventories comprises all costs of purchase, conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to the present location and condition.

Obsolete, redundant and slow-moving items of spares and consumable stores are identified on a regular basis and written down to their net realisable value. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the costs of completion and selling expenses.

Raw materials, finished goods and phosphate rock

Raw materials finished goods and phosphate rock are valued at the lower of cost of production and net realisable value.

Cost of production is calculated on a standard cost basis, which approximates the actual cost and includes the production overheads. Production overheads are allocated based on normal capacity to finished goods. The valuation of inventory held by agents or in transit includes forwarding costs, where applicable.

1.15 Provisions

Provisions are recognised when:

- The Group has a present obligation as a result of a past event;
- It is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- A reliable estimate can be made of the obligation.

Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as finance cost. Where some or all the expenditure required to settle a provision is expected to be reimbursed by another party, the reimbursement shall be recognised when, and only when, it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received if the entity settles the obligation. The reimbursement shall be treated as a separate asset. The amount recognised for the reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of the provision. Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

Decommissioning provision

The decommissioning provision includes estimated costs for the rehabilitation or restoration of any sites, land or location as a result of prior business activity. The obligation to make good environmental or other damage incurred in installing an asset is provided in full immediately, as the damage arises from a past event.

If an obligation to restore the environment or dismantle an asset arises on the initial recognition of the asset, the cost is capitalised to the asset and amortised over the useful life of the asset. The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment includes not only the 'initial estimate' of the costs relating to dismantlement, removal or restoration of property, plant and equipment at the time of installing the item but also amounts recognised during the period of use, for purposes other than producing inventory. If an obligation to restore the environment or dismantle an asset arises after the initial recognition of the asset, then a provision is recognised at the time that the obligation arises.

1.16 Contingent liabilities and commitments

Contingent liabilities

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

Contingent liabilities are not recognised in the statement of financial position of the Group but disclosed in the notes.

After their initial recognition contingent liabilities recognised in business combinations that are recognised separately are subsequently measured at the higher of:

- The amount that would be recognised as a provision
- The amount initially recognised less cumulative amortisation.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.16 Contingent liabilities and commitments *continued*

Commitments

Items are classified as commitments where the Group has committed itself to future transactions. Commitments are not recognised in the statement of financial position of the Group but disclosed in the notes. ECL is determined in accordance with IFRS 9.

1.17 Taxation

Current tax assets and liabilities

Current tax for current and prior periods is, to the extent unpaid, recognised as a liability. If the amount already paid in respect of current and prior periods exceeds the amount due for those periods, the excess is recognised as an asset.

Current tax liabilities (assets) for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be paid to (recovered from) the tax authorities, using the tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Income tax

Current and deferred taxes are recognised as income or an expense and included in profit or loss for the period, except to the extent that the tax arises from:

- A transaction or event which is recognised, in the same or a different period, to other comprehensive income
- A business combination
- Current tax is charged or credited in profit or loss, except when it relates to items credited or charged directly to equity or other comprehensive income, in which case the current tax is also recognised in equity or other comprehensive income.

Current tax also includes any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is recognised for all taxable temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which unused tax deductions can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax will be realised.

Deferred tax is not recognised if the temporary differences arise on the initial recognition of goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither taxable income nor accounting income. Deferred tax is also not recognised in respect of temporary differences relating to investments in associates, subsidiaries and joint ventures to the extent that it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future and the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference is controlled.

Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

Deferred tax is charged or credited in profit or loss, except when it relates to items credited or charged directly to equity or other comprehensive income, in which case the deferred tax is also recognised in equity or other comprehensive income.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis, or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

1.18 Revenue

Revenue not from contracts with customers comprises dividend and interest income.

Revenue from contracts with customers comprises sales to customers and fee income. To determine whether to recognise revenue with contracts with customers, IDC follows a five-step process:

- Identifying the contract with a customer;
- Identifying the performance obligations;
- Determining the transaction price;
- Allocating the transaction price to the performance obligations; and
- Recognising revenue when/as performance obligation(s) are satisfied.

Finance income and finance costs

The Group's finance income and finance costs include:

- interest income;
- interest expense;
- dividend income;
- the foreign currency and gain or loss on financial assets and financial liabilities.

Sales to customers

IDC Group revenue from sale of goods comprises of vast categories of products, such as phosphate rocks and acids, grinding media balls, cast steel products and others, due to the different industries the subsidiaries operate in. Revenue is recognised at the point in time when control of the asset is transferred to the customer, generally on delivery of such goods. IDC enters these contracts with customers as the principal and applies the five-steps identified by IFRS 15 to identify the revenue to be recognised (stated above) for each contract.

Dividends

Dividend income is recognised when the right to receive payment is established on the ex-dividend date for equity instruments and is included in dividend income.

Interest

Interest income is recognised in profit or loss using the effective-interest method taking into account the contractual expected timing and amount of cashflows.

Fees

IDC earns fees and commissions from a range of services it provides to clients, and these are accounted for as follows:

- Income earned on the execution of a significant act, such as the managing of funds, and is recognised when the significant act has been performed.
- Income earned from the provision of services is recognised as the service is rendered (i.e., over time) by reference to the stage of completion of the service, measured using an output method.
- Income that forms an integral part of the effective interest rate of a financial instrument is recognised as an adjustment to the effective interest rate and recognised in revenue other than from contracts with customers.
- Fees charged for servicing a loan are recognised in revenue as the service is provided.

Mining Division revenue				
Revenue source	Performance obligations	Recognition	Measurement and terms of sale	Critical estimates and judgements applied
Sales of phosphate rock and magnetite	Sale of phosphate rock and magnetite products per metric tonne sold to local and export customers. Local customers include all customers within the borders of South Africa, while export includes all customers outside of South Africa.	Recognised at the point of transfer of control which is generally at the point of loading at Foskor's mine for local sales and at loading point for export shipments.	Measured at the price per tonne as per Foskor's standard selling price, less any discounts or rebates to which the customer qualifies. Payment terms are generally, 30–60 days.	Management have assessed the point of transfer of control based on their understanding of the critical terms and conditions of sale, this assessment has concluded that control is transferred at the Foskor Mine or loading points at harbours in Maputo and Richards Bay. This is due to management being of the view that at this point the customer has obtained physical possession of the product and accepted the risks and rewards associated therewith. The estimated potential rebate/ discount amount is only refunded to customers on a periodic basis. Management have estimated the potential effects of these arrangements and constrained revenue accordingly.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.18 Revenue *continued*

Acid Division Revenue				
Revenue source	Performance obligations	Recognition	Measurement and terms of sale	Critical estimates and judgements applied
Sale of granular fertiliser	Sale of granulation fertiliser products per metric tonne sold to local and export customers. Local customers include all customers within the borders of South Africa, while export includes all customers outside of South Africa.	Recognised at the point of transfer of control which is generally at the point of loading at Foskor's acid plant for local sales and at Richards Bay harbour loading point for export shipments.	Measured at the price per tonne as per Foskor's standard selling price, less any discounts or rebates to which the customer qualifies. Payment terms are generally, 30–60 days.	Management have assessed the point of transfer of control based on their understanding of the critical terms and conditions of sale, this assessment has concluded that control is transferred at the Foskor acid plant or loading point at harbour in Richards Bay. This is due to management being of the view that at this point the customer has obtained physical possession of the product and accepted the risks and rewards associated therewith. The estimated potential rebate/discount amount is only refunded to customers on a periodic basis. Management have estimated the potential effects of these arrangements and constrained revenue accordingly.
Phosphoric and sulphuric acid sales	The manufacture and supply of phosphoric acid and sulphuric acid products per metric tonne for local and export customers. Local customers include all customers within the borders of South Africa, while export includes all customers outside of South Africa.	Recognised at the point of transfer of control which is generally at the point of loading at Foskor's acid plant for local sales and at Richards Bay harbour loading point for export shipments.	Measured at the price per tonne as per Foskor's standard selling price, less any discounts or rebates to which the customer qualifies. Payment terms are generally 30–60 days.	Management have assessed the point of transfer of control based on their understanding of the critical terms and conditions of sale, this assessment has concluded that control is transferred at the Foskor acid Plant or loading point at harbour in Richards Bay. This is due to management being of the view that at this point the customer has obtained physical possession of the product and accepted the risks and rewards associated therewith. The estimated potential rebate/discount amount is only refunded to customers on a periodic basis.
Sulphur, ammonia and gypsum sales	The manufacture and supply of sulphur, ammonia and gypsum products per metric tonne for sale to customers.	Recognised at the point of transfer of control which is generally at the point of loading for local sales and at Richards Bay harbour loading point for export shipments.	Measured at the price per tonne as per Foskor's standard selling price, less any discounts or rebates to which the customer qualifies. Payment terms are generally, 30–60 days.	Management have estimated the potential effects of these arrangements and constrained revenue accordingly.

Other income				
Revenue source	Performance obligations	Recognition	Measurement and terms of sale	Critical estimates and judgements applied
Sundry/other revenue	Other revenue is income earned from customers within South Africa and customers outside South Africa.	Recognised when the right to receive payment is established.	Measured at the agreed price and payment terms are generally 30–60 days.	Management have assessed the manner of service and agreed price based on the understanding of the terms and conditions of service rendered.
Royalties	Royalties are earned in accordance with substance of agreement.	Recognised on an accrual basis in accordance with the substance of the relevant agreements.	Measured at the agreed performance declaration and payment terms are generally, 30–60 days.	Management have assessed the manner in which royalties are declared based on the understanding of the terms and conditions of the agreement.

1.19 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred, except to the extent that they are capitalised when directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset. Qualifying assets are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to prepare for their intended use or sale.

Capitalisation of borrowing costs continues up to the date on which the assets are complete. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

1.20 Employee benefits

Post-retirement medical benefits

Some Group companies provide post-employment healthcare benefits to their retirees. The entitlement to post-employment healthcare benefits is based on the employee remaining in service up to retirement age. The expected costs of these benefits are accrued over the period of employment, using the projected unit of credit method. Valuations of these obligations are carried out annually by independent qualified actuaries.

Defined contribution plans

The majority of the Group's employees are members of defined contribution plans and contributions to these plans are recognised in profit or loss in the year they relate to. A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which the Group pays fixed contributions into a separate entity (a fund) and under which the Group will have no legal or constructive obligations to pay further contributions if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees benefits relating to employee service in the current and previous periods.

The Group operates a defined benefit plan, the assets of which are held in separate trustee-administered funds. The schemes are generally funded through payments to insurance companies or trustee-administered funds as determined by periodic actuarial valuations. A defined benefit plan is a pension plan that defines an amount of pension benefit to be provided, usually as a function of one or more factors such as age, years of service and compensation.

The liability in respect of defined benefit pension plans is the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the reporting date less the fair value of plan assets. The defined benefit obligation is calculated annually by independent actuaries using the projected unit credit method. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined by discounting the estimated future cash outflows using interest rates of government securities that have terms to maturity approximating the terms of the related liability. Actuarial gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and the effects of changes in actuarial assumptions to the defined benefit plans are recognised fully in other comprehensive income. Past-service costs are recognised immediately in profit or loss when they occur.

Defined benefit plans

Group has a present obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee, and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Short-term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefit obligations are measured on an undiscounted basis and are expensed as the related services are provided. A liability is recognised for the amount expected to be paid under short-term cash bonus or profit-sharing plans if the Group has a present obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee, and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.21 Segment reporting

An operating segment is a component of the Group that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses, including revenue and expenses that relate to transactions with any of the Group's other components, whose operating results are reviewed regularly by the executive committee to make decisions about resources allocated to each segment and assess its performance, and for which discreet financial information is available.

The IDC group is split into reportable and geographical segments. The IDC Group has four reportable segments consisting of:

- IDC
- Konoil, Findevco and Impofin
- Foskor
- Other reporting segments.

IFRS 8 allows a company to aggregate two or more operating segments into a single operating segment if aggregation is consistent with the core principle of IFRS; the segments have similar economic characteristics and the segments are similar in each of the following respects:

- The nature of the production and services;
- The nature of the production process;
- The type or class of customers for their products and services;
- The methods used to distribute their products or provide their services; and
- If applicable, the nature of the regulatory environment, for example banking, insurance or public entities.

Konoil, Findevco and Impofin are within the financial sector industry and as such it is appropriate to group them together.

1.22 Non-current assets held for sale

Non-current assets held for sale

Non-current assets and disposal Groups are classified as held for sale if their carrying amount will be recovered through a sale transaction rather than continuing use. This classification is only met if the sale is highly probable, and the assets are available for immediate sale.

Measurement

Immediately before classification as held for sale, the measurement of the assets (and all assets and liabilities in a disposal Group) is brought up to date in accordance with the applicable IFRS accounting standards. Then, on initial classification as held for sale, the non-current assets and disposal Groups are recognised at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell. Any impairment loss on a disposal Group is first allocated to goodwill and then to remaining assets and liabilities on a *pro rata* basis, except that no loss is allocated to inventories, financial assets, deferred tax assets, employee benefit assets and investment property, which continue to be measured in accordance with the Group's accounting policies.

Impairment losses on initial classification as held for sale are included in profit or loss, even when there is a revaluation. The same applies to gains and losses on subsequent measurement.

Reclassification

The non-current assets held for sale are reclassified immediately when there is a change in intention to sell. At that date, it will be measured at the lower of its carrying value before the asset was classified as held for sale, adjusted for any depreciation, amortisation or revaluations that would have been recognised had the asset not been classified as held for sale and its recoverable amount at the date of the subsequent decision not to sell.

1.23 Related parties

The IDC operates in an economic environment together with other entities directly or indirectly owned by the South African government.

IDC's shareholder is the government of South Africa through **the dtic**. The entity is classified as a Schedule 2 listed entity in terms of PFMA. IDC is part of the national sphere of government and its related parties in that sphere include national departments and public entities.

Related parties include subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures of the group. It also includes key management personnel and close family members of these related parties. Key management personnel include the Group's Board of Directors and Exco.

Key management is defined as individuals with the authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity. All individuals from the level of executive management up to the Board of Directors are regarded as key management per the definition of the standard. Close family members of key management personnel are considered to be those family members who may be expected to influence or be influenced by key management individuals in their dealings with the entity.

Other related party transactions are also disclosed in terms of the requirements of IAS 24.

1.24 Share-based payments

A Group company, Foskor, operates an equity-settled share-based plan.

The equity settled plan was entered into with Strategic Business Partners (SBPs) and Special Black Groups, under which Foskor will receive services (BEE credentials) as consideration for its own equity instruments. The equity settled share-based payments vest immediately; the reserve was recognised in equity at grant date.

The fair value of the services received in exchange for the grant of the options is recognised as an expense. The total amount to be expensed is determined by reference to the fair value of the options granted:

- Including any market performance conditions;
- Excluding the impact of any service and non-market performance vesting conditions; and
- Including the impact of any non-vesting conditions.

The services received by the Group company are recognised as they are received, and the liability is measured at fair value. The fair value of the liability is re-measured at each reporting date and at the date of settlement. Any changes in the fair value are recognised in profit or loss for the period.

1.25 Determination of fair values

Several of the Group's accounting policies and disclosures require the determination of fair value, for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

Fair values have been determined for measurement and/or disclosure purposes based on the following methods. When applicable, further information about the assumptions made in determining fair values is disclosed in the notes specific to that asset or liability.

Financial assets and liabilities

'Fair value' is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date in the principal or, in its absence, the most advantageous market to which the Group has access at that date. The fair value of a liability reflects its non-performance risk.

When available, the Group measures the fair value of an instrument using the quoted price in an active market for that instrument. A market is regarded as active if transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

If there is no quoted price in an active market, then the Group uses valuation techniques that maximise the use of relevant observable inputs and minimise the use of unobservable inputs. The chosen valuation technique incorporates all the factors that market participants would consider in pricing a transaction.

The best evidence of the fair value of a financial instrument at initial recognition is normally the transaction price – i.e., the fair value of the consideration given or received. If the Group determines that the fair value at initial recognition differs from the transaction price and the fair value is evidenced neither by a quoted price in an active market for an identical asset or liability nor based on a valuation technique that uses only data from observable markets, then the financial instrument is initially measured at fair value, adjusted to defer the difference between the fair value at initial recognition and the transaction price. Subsequently, that difference is recognised in profit or loss on an appropriate basis over the life of the instrument but no later than when the valuation is wholly supported by observable market data, or the transaction is closed out.

Property, plant and equipment

The fair value of land and buildings is the estimated amount that would be received to sell an asset in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Material accounting policies *continued*

1. Material accounting policies *continued*

1.25 Determination of fair values *continued*

Investment property

Valuation methods and assumptions used in determining the fair value of investment property are as follows:

Capitalisation method

The value of the property reflects the present value of the sum of the future benefits which an owner may expect to derive from the property. These benefits are expressed in monetary terms and are based upon the estimated rentals for the property in an orderly transaction between market participants. The usual property outgoings are deducted to achieve a net rental, which is then capitalised at a rate an investor, would require receiving the income.

Comparative method

The method involves the identification of comparable properties sold in the area or in a comparable location within a reasonable time. The selected comparable properties are analysed and compared with the subject property. Adjustments are then made to their values to reflect any differences that may exist. This method is based on the assumption that a purchaser will pay an amount equal to what others have paid or are willing to pay.

Residual land valuation method

This method determines the residual value which is the result of the present value of expected inflows less all outflows (including income tax) less the developer's required profits. This is the maximum that the developer can afford to pay for the real estate. This residual value is in theory also the market value of the land.

Non-derivative financial liabilities

Fair value, which is determined for disclosure purposes, is calculated based on the present value of future principal and interest cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest at the reporting date. In respect of the liability component of convertible notes, the market rate of interest is determined by reference to similar liabilities that do not have a conversion option.

1.26 Use of estimates and judgements

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The Group makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, rarely equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are outlined below.

Income taxes

Significant judgement is required in determining the worldwide provision for income taxes. There are many transactions and calculations for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain during the ordinary course of business. The Group recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on estimates of whether additional taxes will be due. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recorded, such differences will impact the income tax and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

Fair value of financial instruments

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined by using valuation techniques. The Group uses its judgement to make assumptions that are mainly based on market conditions existing at each reporting date.

Listed equities are valued based on their listed value (fair value) at financial year end.

Unlisted equities are valued based on various valuation methods, including free cash flow, price earnings (PE) and net asset value (NAV) bases.

Judgements and assumptions in the valuations and impairments include determining the:

- Free cash flows of investees
- Replacement values
- Discount or premium applied to the IDC's stake in investees
- Sector/subsector betas
- Debt weighting – this is the target interest bearing debt level
- Realisable value of assets
- Probabilities of failure in using the NAV-model.

Loans with no repayment terms

Certain shareholder loans have no explicit repayments terms. When assessed under IFRS 9 whether these meet the criteria for SPPI judgement was applied by management. Based on common law principles in South Africa, loans with no repayment terms are deemed to be repayable on demand. As such shareholder loans are seen to meet the definition of SPPI under IFRS 9 and are thus classified at amortised cost.

Post-employment obligations

Significant judgement and actuarial assumptions are required to determine the fair value of the post-employment obligations. More detail on these actuarial assumptions is provided in the notes to the financial statements.

Environmental rehabilitation liability

In determining the environmental rehabilitation liability, an inflation rate of 5.05% (2024: 7.25%) was assumed to increase the rehabilitation liability for the next 10 years, and a rate of 11.49% (2024: 13.11%) to discount that amount to present value. The assumed discount rate of 11.49% (2024: 10.82%) is a risk-free rate.

Fair value of share-based payments

The valuation technique applied to determine the simulated Company value is part of the Black Scholes Option Pricing methodology. The market conditions relating to the growth in the market value of the Foskor shares have been taken into account in estimating the fair value of the equity instruments granted. The key assumptions used in the calculation are included in note 26 of the financial statements.

Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group follows the guidance of IAS 36, *Impairment of Assets* to determine when an asset is impaired. This determination requires significant judgement. In making this judgement, the Group evaluates the impairment indicators that could exist at year end, such as significant decreases in the selling prices of finished goods, significant decreases in sales volumes and changes in the international export regulatory environment. Foskor, one of the Group's material components uses significant judgement in determining the value-in-use of their cash generating unit. More information on the inputs and judgements can be found in note 4, property, plant and equipment.

Transfer of function

The transfer of function does not fall within the scope of IFRS therefore management used judgement to formulate the accounting treatment of these transactions. At the time of transfer, all assets and liabilities were deemed to be of the same quality and value to the receiving entity as they were to the transferring entity. Both entities applied similar Group accounting policies (i.e., book value method) therefore the values of the assets and liabilities would be similar.

Expected credit losses

The determination of ECL's involves forward looking information which involves areas of significant judgement. Refer to note 2 for more information on the key inputs and factors to determine ECL's.

1.27. Transfer of functions

Transfers between entities under common control

Recognition

The receiving entity recognises the assets and liabilities acquired through a transfer of functions on the effective date of the transfer. All income and expenses that relate to the functions transferred are also recognised from the effective date of the transfer. The recognition of these income and expenses are governed by the accounting policies related to those specific income and expenses and accordingly this policy does not provide further guidance thereon.

Measurement

Assets and liabilities acquired, by the receiving entity, through a transfer of functions are measured at initial recognition at the carrying value that they were transferred. The difference between the carrying value of the assets and liabilities transferred and any consideration paid for the assets and liabilities transferred is recognised in equity. The carrying value at which the assets and liabilities are initially recognised is deemed as cost. These financial assets and liabilities are subsequently measurement based on their applicable accounting policies. Accordingly, this accounting policy does not provide additional guidance on the subsequent measurement of the transferred assets and liabilities.

Derecognition

The transferring entity derecognises the assets and liabilities on the effective date of the transfer of functions. The resulting difference between the carrying value of the assets and liabilities transferred and any consideration received for the assets and liabilities transferred is recognised in equity.

1.28 Preparation of the annual financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the supervision of the Group's Chief Financial Officer.

Notes to the financial statements

1. Financial assets and liabilities

The table below sets out the Group's classification of each class of financial assets and liabilities.

Group – 2025				
Figures in Rand million	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	–	–	7 649	7 649
Short dated investments	–	–	559	559
Derivative assets	1	–	–	1
Trade and other receivables	–	–	2 765	2 765
Loans and advances ⁴	2 684	–	40 862	43 546
Investments – listed equities	–	28 236	–	28 236
Investments – unlisted equities	–	5 787	–	5 787
Investments – preference shares ¹	–	–	–	–
Investments in associates ^{1,2}	–	–	25 545	25 545
Total financial assets	2 685	34 023	77 380	114 088
Financial liabilities				
Bank overdrafts	–	–	(169)	(169)
Derivative liabilities	(7)	–	–	(7)
Trade and other payables	–	–	(2 576)	(2 576)
Borrowings ³	–	–	(31 066)	(31 066)
Total financial liabilities	(7)	–	(33 811)	(33 818)

Group – 2024				
Figures in Rand million	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	–	–	12 548	12 548
Short dated investments	–	–	1 100	1 100
Derivative assets	3	–	–	3
Trade and other receivables	–	–	2 989	2 989
Loans and advances ⁴	2 307	–	39 022	41 329
Investments – listed equities	–	44 292	–	44 292
Investments – unlisted equities	–	6 105	–	6 105
Investments – preference shares ¹	73	–	–	73
Investments in associates ^{1,2}	–	–	27 824	27 824
Total financial assets	2 383	50 397	83 483	136 263
Financial liabilities				
Bank overdrafts	–	–	(202)	(202)
Derivative liabilities	(6)	–	–	(6)
Trade and other payables	–	–	(8 005)	(8 005)
Borrowings ³	–	–	(28 513)	(28 513)
Total financial liabilities	(6)	–	(36 720)	(36 726)

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

² The investment in associates at Group level is measured using equity accounting method.

³ At 31 March 2025, management believes the amortised cost of borrowings represents the fair value since borrowings are either repayable on demand and therefore have no implications relating to the time-value of money and the remainder which is not repayable on demand is raised in open capital markets, and the Group lends on arms-length terms with commercial lenders.

⁴ The fair value of loans and advances measured at amortised cost that is shown for disclosure purposes was calculated using the discounted cash flow method. The fair value of loans and advances as well as preference shares is obtained by reducing from the exposure, the probability-weighted difference between the cash flows that are due to an entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the entity expects to receive discounted at the risk-free rate (12.99%) adjusted by operational expenses and profit margin. The fair value for company as at 31 March 2025 was R43.0 billion (31 March 2024: R45.9 billion) and for Group as at 31 March 2025 was R41.1 billion (31 March 2024: R40.6 billion).

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	–	–	7 470	7 470
Short dated investments	–	–	559	559
Trade and other receivables	–	–	494	494
Loans and advances ⁴	2 695	–	45 843	48 538
Investments – listed equities	–	27 577	–	27 577
Investments – unlisted equities	–	4 530	–	4 530
Investments – preference shares	–	–	–	–
Investment in subsidiaries	–	22 447	–	22 447
Investments in associates ¹	–	25 956	–	25 956
Total financial assets	2 695	80 510	54 366	137 571
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	–	–	(595)	(595)
Borrowings ³	–	–	(46 733)	(46 733)
Total financial liabilities	–	–	(47 328)	(47 328)

Company – 2024

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	–	–	8 016	8 016
Short dated investments	–	–	1 100	1 100
Trade and other receivables	–	–	841	841
Loans and advances ^{1,4}	2 319	–	44 277	46 596
Investments – listed equities	–	36 494	–	36 494
Investments – unlisted equities	–	5 487	–	5 487
Investments – preference shares ¹	11	–	–	11
Investment in subsidiaries	–	24 155	–	24 155
Investments in associates ¹	–	26 944	–	26 944
Total financial assets	2 330	93 080	54 234	149 643
Financial liabilities				
Trade and other payables	–	–	(819)	(819)
Borrowings ³	–	–	(45 689)	(45 689)
Total financial liabilities	–	–	(46 508)	(46 508)

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

² The investment in associate at group level are measured using equity accounting method.

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2. Financial risk management

This risk category encompasses losses that may occur as a result of the way the IDC is financed and its own financing or investment activities. Financial risk includes credit and settlement risk related to the potential for counterparty default, market risk related to volatility in interest rates, exchange rates, commodity and equity prices, liquidity/funding risk related to the cost of maintaining various financial positions as well as financial compliance risk.

Other financial risks faced by the Corporation include the risk of concentration of investments in certain economic sectors, regions and/or counterparties as well as the risk of over-dependency in relation to income on a limited number of counterparties and/or financial products.

Risk management plan

Risk management is a core function of the Corporation that ensures risk management policies, processes, procedures and practices are implemented and adherence to these is maintained at all levels of business activity. This means that the Corporation will always continue to improve governance, risk identification, risk assessment, risk monitoring and risk optimisation and as such a Risk Management Plan detailing proposed activities and improvements to IDC's Enterprise Risk Management activities is prepared on an annual basis.

Risk appetite statement

The risk appetite statement communicates the Corporation's stance with regards to risk management. It is a qualitative statement about the Corporation's commitment to risk management and is informed by, *inter alia*, the Corporation's risk profile, risk appetite, risk tolerance and sustainability management.

Financial: Credit risk

This refers to the risk that a counterparty to a financial transaction will fail to meet its obligations in accordance with the agreed terms and conditions of the contract, thereby causing the asset holder to suffer a financial loss. Credit risk, as defined by the IDC, comprises the potential loss on loans, advances, guarantees, quasi-equity and equity investments due to counterparty default.

Credit risk arises because of the Corporation's lending and investment activities.

Approach to managing credit risk

The IDC endeavours to maintain credit risk exposure within acceptable parameters, managing the credit risk inherent in the entire portfolio as well as the risk associated with individual clients or transactions. The effective management of credit risk is a critical component of a comprehensive risk management approach and is essential to the long-term success of the Corporation. This is the dominant risk within the IDC as the provision of loans, advances, quasi equity, equity investments and guarantees represents the Corporation's core business.

Managing credit concentration risk

Risk concentrations can arise in a financial organisation's assets, liabilities or off-balance sheet items, through the execution or processing of transactions (either product or service), or through a combination of exposures across these broad categories.

Investment or credit concentrations are a large Group of exposures that respond similarly to the same stresses. These stresses include:

- Sensitivity to a certain industry or economic factors;
- Sensitivity to geographical factors, either a single country or region of interlinked countries; and/or
- Sensitivity to the performance of a single company or counterparty.

The potential for loss reflects the size of the position and the extent of loss given a particular adverse circumstance. The IDC can be exposed to various forms of credit risk concentration which, if not properly managed, may cause significant losses that could threaten its financial health. Accordingly, the IDC considers the management (including measurement and control) of its credit concentrations to be of vital importance.

There is recognition in the Basel Accords that portfolios of financial institutions can exhibit credit concentrations and that prudently managing such concentrations is an important aspect in effective credit risk management. However, despite the recognition of credit concentrations as important sources of risk for portfolios, there is no generally accepted approach or methodology for dealing with the measurement of concentration.

The IDC has established methodologies for the management of the credit concentrations it is exposed to and has established risk concentration limits, thresholds and policies for:

- Exposure to a single obligor;
- A Group of related parties (Group counterparty);
- Geographical locations (outside of South Africa); and
- Industries.

The concentration limits and thresholds are reviewed on a regular basis. The status of the IDC's credit and investment book including credit concentration risk, is reported to IDC Executive Management, the Board Risk and Sustainability Committee and the IDC Board on a quarterly basis.

Single obligor and group counterparty limits

The Basel principles for the management of credit risk indicate in particular, that an important element of credit risk management is the establishment of exposure limits on a single obligor and Group counterparty basis. In determining the recommended limits for the IDC, its strategic objectives are taken into account, as well as protecting the IDC's financial position and profitability. A single obligor is defined as a single IDC client whereas a Group counterparty refers to an 'economic group' of related entities, meeting the following criteria:

- Shareholding of more than 50%; and/or
- Management control; and/or
- Revenue or expense reliance of 51% or more; and/or
- Provision of security for 51% or more of the IDC's exposure.

Africa portfolio and regional limits and country thresholds

Country risk refers to risk(s) associated with investing or lending in a country, arising from possible changes in the business environment that may adversely affect operating profits or the value of assets in the host country. These risks include political risk, exchange rate risk, economic risk, sovereign risk and transfer risk, and the risks an investment's returns could suffer as a result of these abovementioned risks. The focus of the IDC's activities in the rest of the African continent is determined by its mandate and is managed through the Corporation's investment criteria and regional investment limits.

Country limits enable effective risk management of country concentration risk. The IDC's objectives are to contribute to the economic integration and industrial development in SADC and the rest of Africa. The IDC views Africa in terms of South Africa, the SADC region and the rest of Africa. The IDC strives to achieve its mandate in the SADC region as well as the rest of Africa by focusing on being a catalyst for sustainable economic growth.

Given the importance of the IDC's mandate and its objectives, in conjunction with the consistent improvement of the African economic landscape, both in performance and risk profile, Portfolio and Regional Limits, including Country Limits are reviewed regularly to support and enhance the developmental objectives of the IDC. Should approval of a transaction result in breach of this limit explicit approval is required from the Board Investment Committee.

Risk appetite and risk tolerance

One of the key practices in risk management is the determination and quantification of an organisation's risk appetite based on what is of strategic importance. IDC through an annual review of its risk appetite makes improvements to the process to ensure that it remains relevant to the Corporation and its strategic intent.

The setting of an effective risk appetite framework is considered one of the key building blocks to establishing a sound enterprise-wide risk management framework. Risk appetite is defined as the amount and type of risk that an organisation is willing to accept. The determination of risk appetite plays an important role in an organisation's Enterprise-wide Risk Management (ERM) processes/framework. It is also considered by the IDC to be best practice assisting the Corporation in achieving its strategic objectives while maintaining a sound platform for future viability and continued growth.

Defining risk appetite enables the IDC to:

- Make better informed business decisions;
- Focus on those risks that exceed the defined appetite for risk;
- Develop a risk culture within the organisation; and
- Strike a balance between taking on risk and prudence.

The IDC's risk appetite is linked and aligned to its mandate and business objectives and is an agreement between its business goals and the related risks.

Risk tolerance is considered an integral part of the process and indicates an organisation's readiness to bear the risk after mitigation, in the pursuit of its strategic objectives. The setting of risk appetite and tolerance levels aids operational decision making and strategic planning and provides management with the information to determine whether the risk profiles of current and potential activities are either financially acceptable or require additional risk mitigation. Hence, it helps management to allocate resources to the most significant risks.

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

2. Financial risk management *continued*

Concentration by location of financial assets

Figures in Rand million	Loans and advances						Investment securities	
	Group – 2025			Group – 2024			2025	2024
	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Fair value	Fair value
South Africa ¹	55 406	(17 601)	37 805	54 911	(19 806)	35 105	30 121	46 571
SADC	3 962	(1 350)	2 612	4 261	(1 482)	2 779	1 794	1 993
Rest of Africa	3 674	(545)	3 129	4 242	(797)	3 445	–	18
Outside Africa	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 108	1 888
	63 042	(19 496)	43 546	63 414	(22 085)	41 329	34 023	50 470

Figures in Rand million	Loans and advances						Investment securities	
	Company – 2025			Company – 2024			2025	2024
	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Fair value	Fair value
South Africa ¹	61 356	(18 391)	42 965	58 228	(17 843)	40 385	28 425	38 093
SADC	3 871	(1 349)	2 522	4 293	(1 531)	2 762	1 693	1 993
Rest of Africa	3 596	(545)	3 051	4 273	(824)	3 449	–	18
Outside Africa	–	–	–	–	–	–	1 989	1 888
	68 823	(20 285)	48 538	66 794	(20 198)	46 596	32 107	41 992

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Industry limits

Managing industry concentration remains another key strategic priority. Concentration risk in the context of industries generally results from an uneven distribution of an institution's exposure to specific industries which can generate losses large enough to compromise its solvency or profitability. Concentrations of credit exposures in industries can pose risks to the earnings and capital of any financial institution in the form of unexpected losses. One of the risk management techniques to manage industry concentration risk entails the establishment of concentration limits and the monitoring thereof.

The monitoring and limiting of the concentration of exposures in a certain industry is necessary to reduce the risk of exposure to a significant downturn in a particular industry timeously, and thus to be able to avoid losses, as far as possible, by implementing counter measures (e.g., withdrawing from, reducing or hedging certain exposures). Experience has shown that the earlier risks are identified, the more effectively they can be countered. The IDC's business cuts across several industries, and as such it could be exposed to concentration risk by virtue of disproportionately large exposures in any of these industries.

Managing and monitoring such concentrations to limit downside risk is therefore an integral part of an effective risk management process. To avoid undue losses due to associated exposures, the IDC strives to identify potential common risk factors and minimise its aggregate exposure to these risk factors.

The goal of industry limits is for the IDC to attempt to diversify or at least identify its portfolio concentrations based on exposures to industries and concentrations of exposures that could become closely related, especially during a crisis. This provides an important mechanism to protect the long-term financial sustainability of the IDC. The key challenge to establishing an industry limit methodology is to ensure that it is effective in protecting the institution from credit events and is practical in its enforcement without restricting credit and investment activities. The establishment of industry limits is aligned with the overall strategy of the IDC (including its risk appetite).

Concentration by industry of financial assets

Figures in Rand million	Loans and advances						Investment securities	
	Group – 2025			Group – 2024			2025	2024
	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Fair value	Fair value
Agriculture and food	5 614	(1 251)	4 363	4 060	(1 349)	2 711	10	62
Chemicals and petroleum	3 249	(1 967)	1 282	7 767	(3 348)	4 419	284	8 151
Finance and insurance	879	(25)	854	13 051	(626)	12 425	–	561
Metals and machinery ¹	14 483	(4 862)	9 621	9 939	(4 255)	5 684	13 394	14 646
Mining ¹	16 687	(6 167)	10 520	10 141	(5 658)	4 483	16 785	24 946
Other manufacturing	2 352	(1 027)	1 325	2 631	(1 858)	773	61	80
Other services	2 435	(920)	1 515	2 766	(1 873)	893	2 923	1 679
Trade, catering and accommodation	3 881	(1 126)	2 755	3 489	(1 611)	1 878	268	–
Transport, communication and utilities	13 462	(2 151)	11 311	9 570	(1 507)	8 063	298	345
	63 042	(19 496)	43 546	63 414	(22 085)	41 329	34 023	50 470

Figures in Rand million	Loans and advances						Investment securities	
	Company – 2025			Company – 2024			2025	2024
	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL	Amortised cost	Fair value	Fair value
Agriculture and food	5 485	(1 249)	4 236	5 416	(1 300)	4 116	9	62
Chemicals and petroleum	8 528	(2 166)	6 362	10 520	(3 397)	7 123	268	242
Finance and insurance	982	(31)	952	884	(30)	854	–	–
Metals and machinery ¹	14 722	(4 888)	9 834	13 192	(4 395)	8 797	12 639	14 646
Mining ¹	16 313	(6 160)	10 152	14 097	(5 809)	8 288	15 842	24 939
Other manufacturing	3 329	(1 598)	1 732	3 019	(1 509)	1 510	57	80
Other services	2 386	(919)	1 468	3 058	(1 420)	1 638	2 759	1 679
Trade, catering and accommodation	3 869	(1 125)	2 744	3 979	(1 102)	2 877	252	–
Transport, communication and utilities	13 209	(2 149)	11 060	12 629	(1 236)	11 393	281	344
	68 823	(20 285)	48 538	66 794	(20 198)	46 596	32 107	41 992

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

2. Financial risk management *continued*

Internal rating model and pricing

The evolving banking regulatory requirements and increased focus by international and local DFIs (development finance institutions) to incorporate Basel principles in risk management makes it increasingly important for IDC to regularly measure credit risk and ensure that risk costs are transparent and appropriately accounted for. Our rating and pricing models are Basel compliant and the Corporation ensures they are reviewed, validated and enhanced on a regular basis.

The IDC manages and assesses its exposures in terms of risk tendency. Risk tendency is the measurement of the quality of a counterparty based on the PD. This PD is then translated into an IDC Risk Grade (IRG). The IDC's grading framework is based on the Corporation's risk appetite, which may be adjusted from time to time based on experience and back-testing. A key element of the internal risk rating and pricing model is the IRG master rating scale. This scale was developed to distinguish differences in the probability of default risk throughout the risk range. The grading estimates are derived from internal data which is based on the performance of the loan book. The master scale is comparable and has been approximately benchmarked to rating agencies as well as similar financial institutions. The IDC has grading models and methodologies for SME/middle market (MM), project finance and Financial institutions (FI) clients.

The rating and pricing methodology follows a two-step approach namely, rating which is incorporated into the pricing solution for all credit transactions.

The models offer amongst others, the following key value added features:

- Calculation of an Expected Loss (EL), where $EL = (PD * EAD * LGD)$, which is included as a risk margin in the price of a facility based on the client's riskiness;
- Customised qualitative factors based on consultation with industry specialists in the business units to reflect specific IDC industry focus, when rating a client;
- Objectively determine the credit quality of individual clients as well as the portfolio; and
- Quantification of the development score impact into a ZAR amount.

The key objectives of internal rating methodologies and related rating models are:

- To assess the overall credit or investment risk on a quantitative and objective basis;
- To objectively determine the credit quality of individual clients as well as the portfolio;
- To aid in portfolio analysis;
- To allow migration analysis of individual clients as well as the portfolio; and
- To assist in identifying which clients are due for review.

The IDC loan book is reviewed on a regular basis, by IMC, which monitors and manages the quality and arrears on a proactive basis. IFRS 9 requires an assessment to be performed of the credit risk of a financial asset at the valuation date, compared to the credit risk as at inception to determine whether a significant increase in credit risk (SICR) has occurred.

As such, all financial assets that meet SPPI are assessed for SICR at each reporting period. The SICR assessment is done at business partner level.

A business partner is considered to have experienced SICR and will transition to stage 2 when:

- Amounts past due (arrears), exceed 30 days (rebuttable presumption);
- The business partner is on the IDC's watch list and is categorised as a 'high' risk; or
- A deterioration in probability of default has occurred.

The SICR assessment is done at business partner level with reference to the stages described in accounting policy 1.4.3. The rebuttable presumption has not been rebutted in either of the reporting periods.

A financial asset is considered in default when the amount in arrears for more than 90 days. Business partners may transition from stage 3 to stage 2 if there are indications that the business partner has cured, provided the predetermined cure rules are met:

- For exposures below R100 million the cure period is six months;
- For exposures exceeding R100 million and for clients in Business Advisory and Turnaround and Business Rescue and Insolvencies, the cure period is 12 months.

Watchlist

As part of the Watchlist identification process, early warning signals are used to identify events or situations that could potentially lead to a deterioration in the credit risk of a business partner (BP). It is important that early warning signals be disclosed and that an appropriate intervention plan is implemented to mitigate the deterioration in credit risk.

The following categories of qualitative factors are considered in determining the watchlist risk category:

- Business risk – those operational risks that expose a client to factors that will lead to lower profits and/or failure
- Financial risk – those risks that would prevent a client from being able to meet debt obligations, similar to credit risk
- Economic risk – those macroeconomic risks that are outside of the client's control
- Legal/environmental risk – risks arising from non-compliance with the regulatory and environmental framework that may potentially impact business operations
- Other material breaches – risks that were not identified in the preceding four risk categories.

Credit quality of loan commitments

The tables below show the ECL and staging of the Group and Company's loan commitments:

Group – 2025				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	78	229	316	623

Group – 2024				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	254	344	385	983

Company – 2025				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	83	229	316	628

Company – 2024				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	254	344	385	983

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

2. Financial risk management *continued*

Credit quality of financial guarantees

The tables below show the ECL per stage of the Group and Company's financial guarantees:

Group – 2025				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	15	49	185	249

Group – 2024				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	37	83	96	216

Company – 2025				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	15	74	252	341

Company – 2024				
Figures in Rand million	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 months ECL	Lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	
	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	IRG1–IRG24	
Total	37	94	168	299

Forward-looking information incorporated in the ECL models

A reasonable and supportable forecast of future events and economic conditions at the reporting date is incorporated in the calculation of expected credit losses/loss allowances. Loss allowances are automatically adjusted in response to forward-looking macroeconomic information. Macroeconomic information for three scenarios, base case, adverse and optimistic views, are taken into consideration.

The correlation between the IDC's historical default experience and a range of macroeconomic indicators were assessed and indicators that are most likely to impact on the default propensity of IDC BPs were selected to be applied in the calculation of loss allowances:

- Household consumption
- Gross fixed capital formation
- Exports
- PPI
- IDC commodity index (calculated by rand based on the IDC's commodity mix).

As with any economic forecasts, the projections and likelihoods of occurrence are subject to a high degree of inherent uncertainty and, therefore, the actual outcomes may differ to those projected. The Group considers these forecasts to represent its best estimate of the possible outcomes and has analysed the non-linearities and asymmetries within the Group's different portfolios to establish that the chosen scenarios are appropriately representative of the range of possible scenarios. The forecast ranges for the key macroeconomic variables utilised are shown below by using the annual average forecast over the four-year period per scenario.

Key macroeconomic variables in the ECL model – forecast per IDC financial year (% change: year-on-year)

Scenario	Probability weighting (%)	Economic measure	2025 (%)	2026 (%)	2027 (%)	2028 (%)	2029 (%)
Base case	60	Household consumption expenditure	1.30	1.80	2.30	2.50	2.30
		Gross fixed capital formation	3.00	3.30	3.80	3.40	2.40
		Exports	2.40	3.10	3.40	3.30	2.20
		PPI	4.60	4.90	4.80	5.10	4.50
		Commodity price index	(6.60)	(3.90)	(5.80)	(5.90)	0.60
Adverse scenario	35	Household consumption expenditure	0.80	1.30	2.10	2.40	2.20
		Gross fixed capital formation	0.40	1.50	2.60	3.00	1.80
		Exports	0.70	3.10	3.90	3.70	2.60
		PPI	5.20	5.60	5.20	5.20	4.50
		Commodity price index	(11.40)	(2.70)	(0.90)	(5.30)	0.90
Optimistic scenario	5	Household consumption expenditure	1.60	2.00	2.70	2.90	2.50
		Gross fixed capital formation	3.30	4.10	5.20	4.70	3.40
		Exports	2.50	3.60	4.00	3.80	3.20
		PPI	4.30	4.30	4.10	4.30	3.80
		Commodity price index	(3.90)	(3.50)	(5.70)	(5.50)	1.10

The base case scenario represents the best estimate view of expected future macroeconomic conditions;

The adverse scenario represents a view of expected future macroeconomic conditions during a downturn period; and

The optimistic scenario represents a view of expected future macroeconomic conditions during a period of good economic conditions.

¹ 2029e – based on data up to Q4 2028, with Q1 2029 data not available from the current set of forecasts.

Collateral held

The Group holds collateral against loans and advances to clients in the form of mortgage bonds over property, other registered securities over assets and guarantees. The fair values of underlying assets are based on the value of collateral assessed at the time of borrowing and subsequent valuations by the IDC Fixed Asset Valuation Department. Mortgage bonds over fixed property are the strongest form/quality of collateral, followed by special notarial bonds (SNB).

SNBs are registered over specific assets, usually plant and equipment. General notarial bonds are registered over other unencumbered movable assets, hence the quality of this type of bond is generally lower than the other two collateral types. The fair values of collateral held against financial assets is shown below.

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2. Financial risk management *continued*

Collateral held *continued*

Collateral held against stage 3 loans and advances

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
General notarial bond	2 274	1 901	2 320	1 901
Special notarial bonds	2 667	2 617	2 670	2 617
Mortgage bond	14 217	11 531	14 509	11 531
Other	87	127	87	46
	19 245	16 176	19 586	16 095

Collateral held against stage 1 and stage 2 loans and advances

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
General notarial bond	4 736	4 570	5 775	4 570
Special notarial bonds	9 076	13 209	14 851	13 209
Mortgage bond	5 286	4 576	5 331	4 576
Other	60	234	60	216
	19 158	22 589	26 017	22 571

As at 31 March 2025 R2.4 billion (31 March 2024: R2.4 billion) of loans and advances have no loss allowance owing to sufficient collateral in place.

The Group's undiscounted maturity profile of financial assets and liabilities:

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2025					
	On demand	Due within one year	Due after one year but within three years	Due after three years	Non-determinable	Total
Financial assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	5 413	2 236	–	–	–	7 649
Short dated investments	–	559	–	–	–	559
Loans and advances	–	10 397	15 446	21 966	–	47 809
Derivative assets	–	1	–	–	–	1
Investments – listed equities	–	–	–	–	28 236	28 236
Investments – unlisted equities	–	–	–	–	5 787	5 787
Investments in associates	–	–	–	–	25 545	25 545
Trade and other receivables	–	2 765	–	–	–	2 765
Total financial assets	5 413	15 958	15 446	21 966	59 568	118 351
Financial liabilities						
Bank overdraft	–	(169)	–	–	–	(169)
Derivative	–	(7)	–	–	–	(7)
Trade and other payables	–	(2 576)	–	–	–	(2 576)
Lease liabilities	–	(16)	(24)	(1)	–	(41)
Borrowings	(533)	(8 587)	(15 337)	(14 838)	–	(39 294)
Financial guarantees	–	(817)	(115)	(630)	–	(1 563)
Total financial liabilities	(533)	(12 172)	(15 476)	(15 469)	–	(43 650)
Net liquidity	4 880	3 786	(30)	6 497	59 568	74 701

Group – 2024

Figures in Rand million	On demand	Due within one year	Due after one year but within three years	Due after three years	Non-determinable	Total
Financial assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	9 929	2 619	–	–	–	12 548
Short dated investments	–	1 100	–	–	–	1 100
Loans and advances ¹	10 431	13 126	15 937	35 762	1 988	77 244
Derivative assets	–	3	–	–	–	3
Investments – listed equities	–	–	–	–	44 292	44 292
Investments – unlisted equities	–	–	–	–	6 105	6 105
Investments – preference shares ¹	–	–	–	–	73	73
Investments in associates ¹	–	–	–	–	27 824	27 824
Trade and other receivables	–	2 989	–	–	–	2 989
Total financial assets	20 360	19 837	15 937	35 762	80 282	172 178
Financial liabilities						
Bank overdraft	–	(202)	–	–	–	(202)
Derivative	–	(6)	–	–	–	(6)
Trade and other payables	–	(8 005)	–	–	–	(8 005)
Lease liabilities	–	(40)	(43)	(3)	–	(86)
Borrowings	(33)	(8 882)	(18 091)	(8 466)	–	(35 472)
Financial guarantees	–	(916)	(119)	(599)	–	(1 634)
Total financial liabilities	(33)	(18 051)	(18 253)	(9 068)	–	(45 405)
Net liquidity	20 327	1 786	(2 316)	26 694	80 282	126 773

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

The Company's undiscounted maturity profile of financial assets and liabilities:

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	On demand	Due within one year	Due after one year but within three years	Due after three years	Non-determinable	Total
Financial assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	5 232	2 238	–	–	–	7 470
Short dated investments	–	559	–	–	–	559
Loans and advances	–	11 020	16 810	27 777	–	55 607
Investments – listed equities	–	–	–	–	27 577	27 577
Investments – unlisted equities	–	–	–	–	4 530	4 530
Investments in subsidiaries	–	–	–	–	22 447	22 447
Investments in associates	–	–	–	–	25 956	25 956
Trade and other receivables	–	494	–	–	–	494
Total financial assets	5 232	14 311	16 810	27 777	80 510	144 640
Financial liabilities						
Trade and other payables	–	(595)	–	–	–	(595)
Lease liabilities	–	(123)	(237)	(29)	–	(388)
Borrowings	(16 427)	(8 385)	(15 347)	(14 803)	–	(54 962)
Financial guarantees	–	(927)	(180)	(54)	–	(1 162)
Total financial liabilities	(16 427)	(10 030)	(15 764)	(14 886)	–	(57 107)
Net liquidity	(11 195)	4 281	1 046	12 891	80 510	87 533

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2. Financial risk management *continued*

The Company's undiscounted maturity profile of financial assets and liabilities *continued*

Company – 2024						
Figures in Rand million	On demand	Due within one year	Due after one year but within three years	Due after three years	Non-determinable	Total
Financial assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	5 194	2 822	–	–	–	8 016
Short dated investments	–	1 100	–	–	–	1 100
Loans and advances ¹	10 448	12 388	18 045	40 665	1 988	83 533
Investments – listed equities	–	–	–	–	36 494	36 494
Investments – unlisted equities	–	–	–	–	5 487	5 487
Investments – preference shares ¹	–	–	–	–	11	11
Investments in subsidiaries	–	–	–	–	24 155	24 155
Investments in associates ¹	–	–	–	–	26 944	26 944
Trade and other receivables	–	841	–	–	–	841
Total financial assets	15 642	17 151	18 045	40 665	95 079	186 582
Financial liabilities						
Trade and other payables	–	(819)	–	–	–	(819)
Lease liabilities	–	(142)	(255)	(68)	–	(465)
Borrowings	(17 430)	(8 905)	(17 848)	(8 466)	–	(52 649)
Financial guarantees	–	(1 043)	(207)	(23)	–	(1 273)
Total financial liabilities	(17 430)	(10 909)	(18 309)	(8 558)	–	(55 206)
Net liquidity	(1 788)	6 241	(264)	32 107	95 079	131 376

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the value of a financial position or portfolio will decline due to adverse movements in market rates. In respect of market risk, the Corporation is exposed to interest rate risk, exchange rate risk and equity price risk. Market risk is governed by the Asset and Liability Management policy and Asset and Liability Management Committee (ALCo) provides objective oversight and makes delegated decisions related to market risk exposures.

Interest rate risk management

Interest rate risk is the risk that adverse changes in market interest rates may cause a reduction in the Corporation's future net interest income and/or economic value of its shareholder's equity.

The Corporation's interest rate risk is a function of its interest-bearing assets and liabilities. The primary sources of interest rate risk include:

- Repricing risk: which results from interest-bearing assets and liabilities which reprice within different periods. This also includes the endowment effect caused by an overall quantum difference between interest-bearing assets and liabilities;
- Basis risk: due to the imperfect correlation between interest rate changes (spread volatility) on interest-bearing assets and liabilities which reprice within the same period;
- Yield curve risk: arising from unanticipated yield curve shifts (i.e., twists and pivots); and
- Optionality: due to the presence of embedded options in assets (i.e., prepayment) and liabilities (i.e., early settlement) which may be exercised based on interest rate considerations.

The sensitivity to interest rate shocks and/or changes in interest-bearing balances is measured by means of earnings and economic value approaches. The former focuses on quantifying the impact on net interest income over the next 12 months whereas the latter is used to gauge the impact on the fair market values of assets, liabilities and equity.

Figures in Rand million	0–3 months	4–6 months	7–12 months
Interest rate sensitivity mismatch – March 2025			
Cumulative repricing gaps			
SA rand	13 705	13 947	14 621
US dollar	152	43	42
Euro	0.10	(0.10)	(0.20)

Interest rate sensitivity mismatch – March 2024

Cumulative repricing gaps			
SA rand	14 044	14 347	13 552
US dollar	171	39	48
Euro	–	–	(1)

Furthermore, interest rate risk management is monitored through the sensitivity analysis done to the financial assets and liabilities. A 200 basis points (bps) increase/(decrease) in market interest rates resulted in the following sensitivities. The impact on profit/(loss) and on equity is as follows:

Figures in million	Rand	US dollar
2025		
+ 200 bps rate shock	292	1.46
– 200 bps rate shock	(292)	(1.46)
2024		
+ 200 bps rate shock	285	2
– 200 bps rate shock	(285)	(2)

Exchange rate risk

Exchange rate risk is the risk that adverse changes in exchange rates may cause a reduction in the Corporation's future earnings and/or its shareholders equity.

In the normal course of business, the Corporation is exposed to exchange rate risk through its trade finance book and exposure to investments in and outside of Africa. The risk is divided into:

- Translation risk: refers to the exchange rate risk associated with the consolidation of offshore assets and liabilities or the financial statements of foreign subsidiaries for financial reporting purposes; and
- Transaction risk: arises where the Corporation has cash flows/transactions (i.e., a monetary asset or liability, off-balance sheet commitment or forecasted exposure) denominated in foreign currencies whose values are subject to unanticipated changes in exchange rates.

Any open (unhedged) position in a specific currency gives rise to exchange rate risk. Open positions can be either short (i.e., the Corporation will need to buy foreign currency to close the position) or long (i.e., the Group will need to sell foreign currency to close the position) with the net open foreign currency position referring to the sum of all open positions (spot and forward) in a specific currency. For purposes of hedging, net open foreign currency positions are segmented into the following components:

- All exposures related to foreign currency denominated lending and borrowing; and
- All foreign currency denominated payables in the form of operating and capital expenditure, as well as foreign currency denominated receivables in the form of dividends and fees.

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

2. Financial risk management *continued*

Exchange rate risk *continued*

The Corporation does not hedge its exchange rate risk on foreign currency denominated shareholder loans, equity and quasi equity investments.

Figures in million	US dollar	Euro
Net open foreign currency positions – 2025		
Foreign currency lending and borrowing		
– Loans (assets)	268	–
– Borrowings (liabilities)	(240)	(14)
Other net (payables)/receivables	137	3
Net open foreign currency positions – 2025	165	(10)
Net open foreign currency positions – 2024		
Foreign currency lending and borrowing		
– Loans (assets)	486	24
– Borrowings (liabilities)	(193)	(15)
Other net (payables)/receivables	–	17
Net open foreign currency positions	293	26

Figures in million	US dollar	Euro
2025		
10% appreciation	182	(11)
– 10% depreciation	149	(9)
2024		
10% appreciation	322	29
– 10% depreciation	264	23

Equity price risk

Equity price risk is the risk that adverse movements in equity prices may cause a reduction in the value of the Corporation's investments in listed and/or unlisted equity investments, and therefore also its future earnings and/or value of its shareholder's equity.

Sources of equity price risk include:

- Systematic risk or volatility in relation to the market; and
- Unsystematic risk or company-specific risk factors.

The investment portfolio's beta is used as an indication of systematic risk, which is not diversifiable. Considering the long-term nature of the Group's investments, unsystematic risk is managed by means of diversification.

Equity price risk is governed by a Board-approved policy that covers management, identification, measurement and reporting.

Value at risk and expected shortfall

In pursuit of its mandate, the IDC holds equity stakes in several entities. The equity exposure is prone to financial losses and gains as a result of market movements. To manage the risk of financial losses that its balance sheet can absorb, the IDC uses a set of approved financial risk metrics (tools) to calculate the inherent risk profile and make management decisions accordingly. These tools include the Value at Risk (VaR) and Expected Shortfall (ES). The VaR quantifies the quantum of a possible loss from equity investments; given normal market conditions in a specified period. Whereas the ES is a statistic that quantifies the magnitude of equity portfolio risk given that the loss exceeds the VaR level. The ES statistic measures the risk during abnormal market conditions. The IDC has approved trigger levels for each of the two measures which are reviewed periodically, but at least annually.

The VaR approach of choice is the Parametric VaR methodology. In this methodology, five-year monthly share price data is used to estimate the parameters of the model. Below are the calculated amounts for the IDC-listed equity portfolio in the financial year as reported:

The confidence interval used is 99%, with a monthly estimate. The VaR metric can be interpreted as follows:

- The Corporation is 99% confident that the equity portfolio will not make financial losses exceeding the reported VaR amount within a month.
- Alternatively, it can be read as a 1% chance that the portfolio will lose more than the calculated VaR amount within a month.

All equity price risk models are subjected to periodic independent review. The calculated amounts for the IDC listed equity portfolio is R6 736 million at 31 March 2025 (31 March 2024: R9 448 million) while ES is R10 646 million as at 31 March 2025 (31 March 2024: R18 955 million).

Enterprise risk management

IDC has adopted an enterprise-wide risk management framework to ensure a structured approach to managing a wide range of risks IDC faces. The framework encompasses a universe of risks, Key Risk types which are categorised into Strategic, Financial and Operational Risk.

This approach ensures that risk management is integrated into the overall management process enabling IDC to achieve its objectives, sustain long-term success and resilience. The risk management executed through a risk lifecycle includes risk identification, risk assessments and measurement, risk treatment and monitoring through key indicators and combined assurance.

The graphic below illustrates the high-level approach to ERM:



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2. Financial risk management *continued*

Enterprise risk management *continued*

Strategic risks management:

The Board and Board committees promote a common approach to governance and risk management based on the IDC's integrated risk management framework, which supports the Corporation's strategy and sets strategic risk management standards. IDC strategic risks are integrated into the strategic planning process to ensure the alignment of the risk profile to the organisation strategic objectives and corporate plans. Assurance is provided through a coordinated combined assurance plan prepared and executed by IDC second and third lines of defence teams and is approved annually by the BAC. Below are the IDC strategic risks were approved by the Board.

Risk type

- **Development impact risk:** Risks relating to strategy implementation failures resulting in IDC not meeting its strategic objectives and having the desired developmental impact.
- **Macroeconomic conditions and developments:** Adverse macroeconomic conditions (domestically and/or globally) and/or credit downgrades impacting the IDC's business and its ability to achieve strategic targets.
- **Credit risk and portfolio management risk:** The risk of financial loss resulting from the failure of a customer or counterparty to honour or fully perform the terms of a loan or contract.
- **Concentration risk:** concentration in the Investment portfolio to a single or group of clients/investments/industry or country with a potential to produce losses or loss of income significant enough to threaten the health of the Corporation's balance sheet and financial sustainability.
- **Liquidity and funding risk:** The risk where the IDC is unable to maintain or generate sufficient cash resources (funding liquidity risk) at a sustainable cost (market liquidity risk) in order to meet its financial obligations when they become due.
- **Significant investment risk:** Financial viability of significant investments and their ability to deliver effectively on their required strategy.
- **People risk and organisational culture:** Failure to recruit, develop and retain the best talent and create a conducive working environment that enables high performance and client service culture.
- **Governance, ethical conduct, and behavior:** non-adherence to good corporate governance standards and the risk of internal/external financial crime including unethical business practices and behaviour.
- **Legal and regulatory compliance risk:** Risk of IDC and business partners not meeting their legal/contractual and regulatory requirements.
- **Business continuity and information technology risk:** Risk of business disruption due to an internal or external incidents or technology failures.
- **Cyber and security risk:** The risk of loss, disruption or damage to the reputation of IDC due to ransomware, phishing, data leakage, hacking, etc.
- **Sustainability and responsible investment risk:** Risk that IDC is not able to identify, evaluate, manage and report on emerging ESG and Sustainability Impact risks as well as failure to grow new industries and value chain opportunities at a pace that would drive low carbon growth and the Just Energy Transition (JET).
- **Reputation risk:** The risk of potential or actual damage to our image which may impair the profitability and sustainability of our business.

Operational risk management ensures that risks resulting from inadequate internal processes, systems, people and external events are consistently and comprehensively identified, assessed, mitigated, controlled. These are managed through implementation of the following tools:

- Risk and control self-assessments for all departments and business units, with annual reviews. These assessments are a key component of the operational risk management framework and ensure a dynamic and iterative process for consistently and comprehensively identifying, assessing, mitigating, monitoring and reporting key operational risks.
- Key indicators which are developed and monitored for material risks and key controls.
- Operational risk incident management to ensure incidents and losses are identified, responded to and remediated to minimise impact.

Operational resilience and business continuity management

Operational resilience and business continuity are critical components of IDC risk management approach to ensure sustained operations and ability to withstand and recover from disruptions. Management of programmes is guided by the Business Continuity Management Policy and Disaster Management Plan, which are aligned to good practice. The function safeguards the interests of the IDC by ensuring that it continues to deliver key products and services at an acceptable level following a severe disruption or incident by:

- Conducting business impact analysis organisation wide ensuring that recovery priorities are aligned and resources are allocated effectively.
- Prioritising critical business processes and implementing agreed recovery strategies to minimise the effect of business disruptions.
- Technology and infrastructure.
- Annual testing and validation of business continuity plans to ensure they are fit-for-purpose and increase the Corporation's recovery capability.
- Communication and training.

Financial crime prevention and protected disclosure plan

The financial crime prevention plan includes the detection, prevention, investigation and reporting programmes. The role players in the implementation of the plan are financial, risk, operations and human capital, information technology, procurement, corporate secretariat and facilities management departments. However, employees have a duty to report (to Internal Audit, through tip offs anonymous or using any prescribed channel) knowledge or suspicion that a financial crime has been or is about to be committed. All reports are made in terms of Protected Disclosure Act 26 of 2000 as amended by Act 5 of 2017.

Information technology governance risk

Information Technology (IT) Governance risk is defined as the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed IT processes. The risk includes the failure of monitoring and evaluation processes resulting in non-compliance with legislation or internal processes and breach of security, business disruption and systems failure resulting in the inability to recover data and non-availability of IT applications. Other risks include poor service delivery from IT systems and failure of acquisition and implementation processes resulting in the non-alignment between business needs and IT solutions.

Recovery of IT is addressed in the Disaster Recovery Plan and other risks are addressed by:

- The IT security policy;
- Prudent and scrupulous recruitment policies; and
- Internal audit reviews of all IT aspects, e.g., strategy, systems development, change management, hardware and software contracts and security policy.

Approach to managing IT governance risk

The Corporation accepts that technology has a fundamental impact on the way in which business is conducted and businesses are measured. Therefore, IDC ensures that:

- Risks associated with the IT environment and projects are continuously evaluated and appropriate plans are in place and implemented to mitigate these risks to an acceptable level;
- IT expenditure is motivated by sound commercial principles rather than strategic instinct only i.e., that the business strategies and IT strategies are aligned;
- A long-term IT plan is developed, and the appropriateness thereof is reviewed to ensure that it supports and does not inhibit the long-term strategy of the Corporation;
- Developments in the IT industry are continuously monitored and the potential impact thereof on the Corporation's long-term strategy is evaluated; and
- The necessary skills are in place to ensure that the internal control systems are adequately applied across the entire IT environment.

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2. Financial risk management *continued*

Capital management

The IDC is accountable to its sole shareholder, the dtic. The performance and the management of IDC capital is supported by the agreement between the Corporation and the shareholder through the Shareholder's Compact which outlines the agreements between the two parties.

The objective of the IDC is to maximise development impact through job-rich industrialisation, while contributing to an inclusive economy by, among others, funding black-owned and empowered companies, black industrialists, women- and youth-owned and empowered enterprises. Simultaneously, the IDC aims to ensure its long-term sustainability through prudent financial and human resource management, safeguarding the natural environment, as well as increasingly positioning itself as a centre of excellence for development finance.

The group has diversified sources of funding, from private and public bonds, lines of credit, etc from other development financial institutions, commercial banks and other sources. The group is always in the market in search of cheaper sources of funding. The Group has a mixture of bullet loans and amortising loans. The amortising loans are paid over time (both interest and capital). The Corporate Funding department in the IDC has a profile of all maturing loans. Although the IDC can technically renew the loans that are maturing, the strategy is to repay some of these loans such that the company does not borrow unsustainably.

The Treasury Department within the IDC monitors IDC's liquidity position on a regular basis. Any need to raise new debt funding is mainly driven by the need to meet debt funding requirement (pipeline). However, there are various strategies adopted to ensure prudent liquidity management. These includes converting a guarantee call payment into a loan and refinancing of maturing loans.

Regulatory capital

IDC is not required by law to keep any level of capital but has to utilise its capital to achieve the shareholder's mandate. The IDC Act dictates that IDC can be geared up to a 100% of its capital.

The IDC has certain contractual debt covenants to which it monitors through its Corporate Funding department and complies by fully. During the period, no debt covenants were breached/triggered, and the Corporation operated with a generous buffer in terms of proximity to breaching any of the covenants.

In addition to this, as a DFI, the IDC does not have minimum capital requirements from a regulatory perspective or a minimum required capital base. It is governed by the Industrial Development Act which restricts debt at 100% of equity (i.e., debt-equity ratio of up to 100%). During the year, the gearing levels were at some of their lowest in recent history and management and the Board are satisfied that the debt levels do not put the Corporation at risk of breaching any of the contractual covenants.

Risk appetite

The Board approved risk appetite limit serves as a monitoring tool to ensure that the impact of investment activities in the Corporation do not have a negative impact on the Corporation's financial position.

The IDC capital is managed through achieving positive retained earnings on a sustainable basis. The Corporation has also set an internal threshold of the debt-to-equity ratio of up to 60% plus 5% buffer (65%) to ensure it is not negatively geared and reduce over reliance on its capital providers

3. Fair value information

Group – 2025

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL			FVOCI			Revaluation surplus	Fair value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 3	
Fair value assets								
Investment property	–	–	123	–	–	–	–	123
Land and buildings	–	–	–	–	–	–	1 980	1 980
Loans and advances ¹	–	–	2 684	–	–	–	–	2 684
Derivative assets	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
Listed shares	–	–	–	28 236	–	–	–	28 236
Unlisted shares	–	–	–	–	–	5 787	–	5 787
Total	1	–	2 807	28 236	–	5 787	1 980	38 811
Financial liabilities								
Derivative liabilities	–	7	–	–	–	–	–	7
Total	–	7	–	–	–	–	–	7

Group – 2024

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL			FVOCI			Revaluation surplus	Fair value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 3	
Fair value assets								
Investment property	–	–	308	–	–	–	–	308
Land and buildings	–	–	–	–	–	–	1 651	1 651
Loans and advances	–	–	2 307	–	–	–	–	2 307
Derivative assets	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
Listed shares	–	–	–	44 292	–	–	–	44 292
Unlisted shares	–	–	–	–	–	6 105	–	6 105
Preference shares ¹	–	–	73	–	–	–	–	73
Total	3	–	2 688	44 292	–	6 105	1 651	54 739
Financial liabilities								
Derivative liabilities	–	6	–	–	–	–	–	6
Total	–	6	–	–	–	–	–	6

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL			FVOCI			Revaluation surplus	Fair value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 3	
Fair value assets								
Investment property	–	–	25	–	–	–	–	25
Loans and advances	–	–	2 695	–	–	–	–	2 695
Listed shares	–	–	–	27 577	–	–	–	27 577
Unlisted shares	–	–	–	–	–	4 530	–	4 530
Investments in subsidiaries	–	–	–	–	–	22 447	–	22 447
Investments in associates	–	–	–	1 036	–	24 920	–	25 956
Total	–	–	2 720	28 613	–	51 897	–	83 230

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

3. Fair value information *continued*

Company – 2024

Figures in Rand million	FVTPL			FVOCI			Revaluation surplus	Fair value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 3	
Fair value assets								
Investment property	–	–	26	–	–	–	–	26
Loans and advances	–	–	2 319	–	–	–	–	2 319
Listed shares	–	–	–	36 494	–	–	–	36 494
Unlisted shares	–	–	–	–	–	5 487	–	5 487
Preference shares	–	–	11	–	–	–	–	11
Investments in subsidiaries	–	–	–	–	–	24 155	–	24 155
Investments in associates	–	–	–	1 296	–	25 648	–	26 944
Total	–	–	2 356	37 790	–	55 290	–	95 436

Reconciliation of assets measured at level 3

Group – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Gains/ losses recognised					Closing balance
		Opening balance	in profit or loss	recognised in OCI	Purchases/ additions	Sales	
Assets							
Investment property	5	308	(185)	–	–	–	123
Land and buildings	4	1 651	–	158	387	(215)	1 980
Loans and advances	10	2 307	322	–	220	(166)	2 684
Unlisted shares	11	6 105	–	(813)	1 427	(932)	5 787
Preference shares	11	73	(73)	–	–	–	–
		10 444	64	(655)	2 034	(1 313)	10 574

Group – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Gains/ losses recognised					Closing balance
		Opening balance	in profit or loss	recognised in OCI	Purchases/ additions	Sales	
Assets							
Investment property	5	280	28	–	–	–	308
Land and buildings	4	1 822	–	(42)	36	(165)	1 651
Loans and advances ¹	10	1 825	494	–	–	–	2 307
Unlisted shares	11	5 941	–	265	5	(106)	6 105
Preference shares ¹	11	73	–	–	–	–	73
		9 941	522	223	41	(271)	10 444

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Opening balance	Gains/ losses recognised in profit or loss	Gains/ losses recognised in OCI	Purchases/ additions	Sales	Closing balance
Assets							
Investment property	5	26	(1)	–	–	–	25
Unlisted shares	11	5 487	–	(1 452)	1 427	(932)	4 530
Loans and advances	10	2 319	3 460	–	259	(3 343)	2 695
Preference shares	11	11	(11)	–	–	–	–
Investments in subsidiaries	8	24 155	–	(1 708)	–	–	22 447
Investments in associates	9	26 944	–	(514)	72	(546)	25 956
		58 942	3 448	(3 674)	1 758	(4 821)	55 654

Company – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Note(s)	Opening balance	Gains/ losses recognised in profit or loss	Gains/ losses recognised in OCI	Purchases/ additions	Sales	Closing balance
Assets							
Investment property	5	23	3	–	–	–	26
Loans and advances ¹	10	1 825	494	–	–	–	2 319
Unlisted shares	11	5 024	–	564	5	(106)	5 487
Preference shares ¹	11	11	–	–	–	–	11
Investments in subsidiaries ¹	8	28 503	–	(4 323)	–	(25)	24 155
Investments in associates ¹	9	30 628	–	(3 819)	150	(15)	26 944
		66 014	497	(7 578)	155	(146)	58 942

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Valuation processes applied by Group

The Group's main instruments of monitoring the performance of its investee companies are through quarterly IMC meetings, including but not limited to the PACS (payment and collection system), regular client review visits, as well as by way of analysis of management accounts and audited financial statements.

The Client Support and Growth Department (CSG) creates a focused approach to the monitoring of IDC investments. One of the key monitoring activities is the IMC Equity Meetings, wherein the calculations of fair values and impairments are assessed and approved by the Committee. The IMC Equity Meetings are normally held three times per financial year, in April, August and December for reporting periods of February, June and September respectively.

Valuation techniques using observable inputs

The Group measures fair values using the following fair value hierarchy, which reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements:

Level 1

Instruments valued with reference to unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets where the quoted price is readily available, and the price represents actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. An active market is one in which transactions occur with sufficient volume and frequency to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis. These include listed shares.

The Group's listed share portfolio includes listed shares mostly listed on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange but there are also certain holdings of investments listed on the Bolsa da Madrid, the Australian Stock Exchange and the Toronto Stock Exchange.

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

3. Fair value information *continued*

Valuation techniques using observable inputs *continued*

Level 2

Instruments valued using inputs other than quoted prices as described above for Level 1 but which are observable for the instrument, either directly or indirectly, such as:

- Quoted price for similar assets or liabilities in an active market;
- Quoted price for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Valuation model using observable inputs; and
- Valuation model using inputs derived from/corroborated by observable market data. These include derivative financial instruments.

Valuation techniques using unobservable inputs

Level 3

Land and Buildings are valued using one of three approaches including the capitalisation method and the comparative and residual land valuation methods. The capitalisation method values a property based on the discounted future cashflows derived from market-related rentals. The comparative method makes reference to sales prices in a similar area and open market. Where necessary, adjustments are made to values to reflect any differences that may exist. The residual land valuation method is the present value of cash flows less the developer's required profits. Land and building are revalued every three years by qualified independent experts. The valuation reports from the external valuers are reviewed by IDC technical services department.

Financial instruments valued using inputs not based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant effect on the instruments' valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments for which significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

Valuation techniques include price earnings, net present value and discounted cash flow models, comparison with similar instruments for which market observable prices exist and other valuation models. Assumptions and inputs used in valuation techniques include risk-free and benchmark interest rates and discount rates.

The objective of valuation techniques is to arrive at a fair value measurement that reflects the price that would be received to sell the asset or paid to transfer the liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. These include land and buildings, investment property, preference shares and unlisted shares.

Price earnings (PE) valuation

The PE valuation method is the first valuation option, but has only been used in respect of companies with:

- At least two years' profit history;
- Forecast/budgeted steady growth in profits;
- Is low risk;
- Has a good year on year performance; and
- A long history of consistent return – operating in an industry that is not prone to fluctuations.

Free cash flow valuation (FCF)

FCF is the most widely used valuation method by the Group on its Level 3 financial instruments. The approach below is followed:

- All inputs are substantiated, especially in instances where there are prior year losses;
- This method is used without exception for valuing all projects and start-ups unless the going concern principle is in doubt.

In the case where a project has a limited remaining life (e.g., Mining operations or single contract with a determined end), a separate "Limited Life" FCF model is used.

Net asset value valuation (NAV)

NAV – Going concern

The Group uses NAV where it can be motivated that no other model is appropriate based on the following conditions:

- An entity is consistently making losses and not meeting budgets (excluding start-up operations);
- An entity has material variances between actual and budgeted figures;
- An entity operates in high volatile sector making it almost impossible to budget;
- An entity has completed all studies necessary to implement a project but has however not yet secured the necessary capital to fully fund the implementation of the project;
- An entity is not fully funded and there is no clear indication that it will obtain the necessary funding to complete the project/ expansion/continue operations.

Quantitative information about fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)

Equity instruments and preference shares held at fair value

Description	Valuation techniques	Unobservable input	Range
All sectors	Discounted cash flow	Risk-free rate	11.0%
		Expected long-term growth	4.5%
	Net asset value	Forced sale value	10%–80%
Agro-processing	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	2.4%–3.6%
		Discount rate	19.7%–25.9%
		Sector beta	0.77–1.25
Automotive and transport	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	2.8%–3.8%
		Discount rate	21.1%–24.3%
		Sector beta	0.94–1
Chemicals and medicals	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	1.8%–4.6%
		Discount rate	20.0%–25.6%
		Sector beta	0.76–0.98
Energy	Discounted cash flow	Discount rate	18.2%–22.7%
		Sector beta	0.77–0.77
Machinery and equipment	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	2.2%–3.3%
		Discount rate	23.0%–23.7%
		Sector beta	0.92 – 1.03
Mining and metals	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	1.8%–4.1%
		Discount rate	20.7%–25.7%
		Sector beta	0.82–0.93
Tourism	Discounted cash flow	Cost of debt	2.4%–5.0%
		Discount rate	20.2%–24.9%
		Sector beta	0.85–1.10

Discounted cash flow method valuation

Significant increases in any of the inputs in isolation would result in lower fair values. Significant decreases in any of the inputs in isolation would result in higher fair values.

Price-earning valuation

The fair value would increase (decrease) if:

- The risk-adjusted PE ratio were higher (lower), or
- The expected long-term growth were higher (lower).

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

3. Fair value information *continued*

Net asset value valuation (NAV) *continued*

Information about the sensitivity to changes in significant unobservable inputs

As part of the IDC's risk management processes, we perform a sensitivity analysis on the significant unobservable parameters, to determine the impact of reasonably possible alternative assumptions on the valuation of Level 3 financial assets. The alternative assumptions are applied independently and do not take account of any cross correlation between assumptions that would reduce the overall effect on the valuations. The following table reflects the reasonable possible variances applied to significant parameters utilised in our valuations. All changes to inputs would impact both equity (ordinary shares) and profit and loss (equity instruments other than ordinary shares).

	Increase in the risk free rate by 10%	Decrease in the risk free rate by 10%	Increase in the sector beta by 10%	Decrease in the sector beta by 10%
Relative change in fair value	(4.2%)	4.1%	(2.7%)	2.6%
Absolute change in fair value (R'm)	(1036)	1004	(673)	647

	Increase in the free cash flows by 10%	Decrease in the free cash flows by 10%	Increase in the discount factor by 10%	Decrease in the discount factor by 10%
Relative change in fair value	9.0%	(9.9%)	(8.9%)	(9.5%)
Absolute change in fair value (R'm)	2219	(2445)	(2187)	2355

Commodity prices

The IDC's commodity price forecasting process, which is undertaken by the Research and Information department on a quarterly basis, entails fundamental analysis of international markets in selected commodities, including demand-and-supply-side trends, complemented by technical analysis to provide a degree of price guidance especially in the short- to medium-term. The forecasts emanating from this process are tested for reasonableness through a comparison with those put forward by other market analysts, the Bloomberg consensus projections as well as the market high to low range. The resultant set of forecasts are then presented to and discussed at each of the quarterly meetings of the Macro-Economic Sub-Committee (MESC) of the Asset and Liability Management Committee (ALCo). The set of commodity price forecasts agreed upon at MESC are subsequently submitted to the ensuing ALCo meeting for consideration and final approval.

Commodity	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Gold (USD/oz)	2 658	2 636	2 565	2 473	2 373
Platinum (USD/oz)	973	1 010	1 085	1 165	1 216
Brent crude oil (USD/barrel)	77	77	79	81	82
Coal (USD/metric tonne)	103	100	102	104	106
Iron ore (USD/metric tonne)	102	96	92	91	95
Copper USD/metric tonne)	9 364	9 475	9 645	9 845	10 045
Aluminium (USD/metric tonne)	2 630	2 653	2 682	2 722	2 766
Manganese (USD/metric tonne)	5.26	5.23	5.19	5.10	5.11
Palladium (USD/oz)	962	986	1 025	1 065	1 105

At the reporting date, the key assumptions used by the Group in determining the fair value were in the following ranges for the Group's investment properties and land and buildings.

Description	Range
Capitalisation rate	11%–13%
Expenditure/income ratio R/m ² per month	R8.14–R41.54
Operating expenses	30%–36.2%
Vacancy factor	1%–15.1%

Key assumptions	Increase/decrease in operating expenses by 5%	
	Increase	Decrease
Relative change in fair value	(32%)	32%
Absolute change in fair value (R'm)	(22)	22

4. Property, plant and equipment

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	2025			2024		
	Cost/ revaluation	Accumulated depreciation	Closing balance	Cost/ revaluation	Accumulated depreciation	Closing balance
Land and buildings	2 647	(667)	1 980	2 741	(1 090)	1 651
Plant and machinery	10 549	(6 060)	4 488	8 912	(5 159)	3 753
Furniture and fixtures	119	(109)	11	143	(123)	20
Motor vehicles	14	(12)	2	15	(13)	2
Gym equipment	2	(2)	–	2	(2)	–
Computer equipment and software	147	(115)	32	175	(135)	40
Asset under construction	791	–	791	978	–	978
Spare parts ¹	100	(28)	73	–	–	–
Total	14 369	(6 992)	7 377	12 966	(6 522)	6 444

Figures in Rand million	Company					
	2025			2024		
	Cost/ revaluation	Accumulated depreciation	Closing balance	Cost/ revaluation	Accumulated depreciation	Closing balance
Plant and machinery	134	(133)	1	134	(133)	1
Furniture and fixtures	13	(12)	1	12	(12)	–
Motor vehicles	12	(11)	1	12	(10)	2
Computer equipment and software	147	(117)	30	166	(131)	36
Asset under construction	9	–	9	–	–	–
Total	315	(273)	42	324	(286)	39

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2025								
	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Transfers	Revaluations	Other	Depreciation	Impairment losses	Closing balance
Land and buildings	1 651	(215)	387	–	267	(49)	(60)	–	1 980
Plant and machinery	3 753	(1)	1 193	–	(20)	69	(506)	–	4 488
Furniture and fixtures	20	(11)	11	–	–	(6)	(3)	–	11
Motor vehicles	3	–	–	–	–	–	(1)	–	2
Computer equipment and software	39	–	14	–	–	–	(21)	–	32
Asset under construction	978	(176)	–	–	–	(11)	–	–	791
Spare parts ¹	–	–	–	100	–	–	(28)	–	73
Total	6 444	(403)	1 605	100	247	3	(619)	–	7 377

¹ This relates to a transfer of spare parts from inventory to property, plant and equipment in Foskor

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

4. Property, plant and equipment *continued*

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment

Group – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Transfers	Revaluations	Other	Depreciation	Impairment losses	Closing balance
Land and buildings	1 822	(165)	36	–	–	–	(42)	–	1 651
Plant and machinery	3 736	(38)	512	(13)	–	36	(480)	–	3 753
Furniture and fixtures	24	(10)	9	–	–	–	(3)	–	20
Motor vehicles	2	–	1	–	–	–	(1)	–	2
Computer equipment and software	24	–	35	–	–	–	(19)	–	40
Asset under construction	834	(1)	149	(4)	–	–	–	–	978
	6 442	(214)	742	(17)	–	36	(544)	–	6 444

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Transfers	Depreciation	Impairment losses	Closing balance
Plant and machinery	1	–	1	–	(1)	–	1
Furniture and fixtures	–	–	2	–	(1)	–	1
Motor vehicles	2	(1)	–	–	–	–	1
Computer equipment and software	36	(2)	14	–	(18)	–	30
Asset under construction	–	–	9	–	–	–	9
	39	(3)	26	–	(20)	–	42

Company – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Transfers	Depreciation	Impairment losses	Closing balance
Plant and machinery	2	–	–	–	(1)	–	1
Furniture and fixtures	1	(1)	1	–	(1)	–	–
Motor vehicles	1	–	1	–	–	–	2
Computer equipment and software	24	–	26	–	(14)	–	36
Asset under construction	5	(1)	–	(4)	–	–	–
	33	(2)	28	(4)	(16)	–	39

IDC has a policy of donating computer equipment with its software after three years through CSI initiatives which is a disposal of an asset. This treatment applies to furniture and fixtures as well. The historical carrying amount of land that was revalued would have been R68 million had the cost model been adopted. In determining the value-in-use of the mining asset, Foskor makes use of significant judgements. Management projects cashflows over a period of 92 years (current year plus 91 years). Whilst the majority of mining licences are currently valid until 2043, the Director's expect the licences will be renewed beyond 2070. The forecasted gross margins are estimated at 33%, which is driven by the increase in production output. The current year's gross margin was 29.55%.

In arriving at the value-in-use, cash flows expressed in real terms have been estimated and discounted using a discount rate of 14.58% (2024: 15.98%), considering the specific amount and timing of future cash flows as well as the risks specific to the operations. The risk-free rate decreased from 12.99% in 2024 to 12.2% in 2025 and the average cost of debt decreased from 9.62% in 2024 to 9.13% in 2025.

In preparing the financial statements, management has made comparisons on the WACC of 14.58% in 2025 as compared to the 15.98% in 2024. The WACC was lower due to the decrease in cost of equity as well as a decrease in cost of debt.

5. Investment property

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	2025			2024		
	Cost/ valuation	Movements	Closing balance	Cost/ valuation	Movements	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	109	(3)	106	46	63	109
Land held for development	199	(182)	17	194	5	199
Farming land and buildings	–	–	–	40	(40)	–
Total	308	(185)	123	280	28	308

Figures in Rand million	Company					
	2025			2024		
	Cost/ valuation	Movements	Closing balance	Cost/ valuation	Movements	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	26	(1)	25	22	4	26
Total	26	(1)	25	22	4	26

Reconciliation of investment property – Group

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2025				
	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Fair value adjustment	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	109	–	–	(3)	106
Land held for development	199	(182)	–	–	17
Farming land and buildings	–	–	–	–	–
	308	(182)	–	(3)	123

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2024				
	Opening balance	Disposals	Additions	Fair value adjustment	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	46	(341)	401	3	109
Land held for development	194	–	–	5	199
Farming land and buildings	40	(40)	–	–	–
	280	(381)	401	8	308

Reconciliation of investment property – Company

Figures in Rand million	Company – 2025		
	Opening balance	Fair value adjustment	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	26	(1)	25
	26	(1)	25

Figures in Rand million	Company – 2024		
	Opening balance	Fair value adjustment	Closing balance
Land and buildings leased to industrialists	22	4	26
	22	4	26

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5. Investment property *continued*

Details of valuation

Valuations take place annually, based on the aggregate of the net annual rental receivable from the properties, considering and analysing rentals received on similar properties in the neighbourhood less associated costs (insurance, maintenance, repairs and management fees). A capitalisation rate which reflects the specific risk inherent in the net cash flows is applied to the net annual rentals to arrive at the property valuations.

The fair value of undeveloped land held as investment property is based on comparative market prices after intensive market surveys. Gains and losses arising from a change in fair value are recognised in profit or loss.

The external independent valuers have appropriate qualifications, skills and experience in the location and category of the property being valued are used to value the portfolio.

6. Intangible assets

Reconciliation of intangible assets

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	2025			2024		
	Cost	Accumulated amortisation	Closing balance	Cost	Accumulated amortisation	Closing balance
Intellectual property	12	(10)	2	9	(5)	4
Computer software	157	(126)	31	153	(124)	29
Total	169	(136)	33	162	(129)	33

Figures in Rand million	Company					
	2025			2024		
	Cost	Accumulated amortisation	Closing balance	Cost	Accumulated amortisation	Closing balance
Computer software	55	(39)	15	50	(27)	23
Total	55	(39)	15	50	(27)	23

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2025					
	Opening balance	Additions	Disposal	Amortisation	Transfers	Closing balance
Intellectual property	4	3	–	(4)	–	2
Computer software	29	16	(1)	(14)	–	31
Total	33	19	(1)	(18)	–	33

Figures in Rand million	Group – 2024					
	Opening balance	Additions	Disposal	Amortisation	Transfers	Closing balance
Intellectual property	4	–	–	–	–	4
Computer software	31	8	(2)	(15)	7	29
Total	35	8	(2)	(15)	7	33

Reconciliation of intangible assets

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Amortisation	Disposal	Transfers	Closing balance
Computer software	23	5	(12)	(1)	–	15
Total	23	5	(12)	(1)	–	15

Company – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Amortisation	Disposal	Transfers	Closing balance
Computer software	30	5	(12)	–	–	23
Total	30	5	(12)	–	–	23

7. Investments in subsidiaries

Company

Figures in Rand million	2025	2024
Opening balance	24 155	28 503
Fair value movement	(1 708)	(4 348)
Closing balance	22 447	24 155

			Shares at fair value (R'm)		IDC net indebtedness from subsidiaries (R'm)		IDC net indebtedness to subsidiaries (R'm)	
Share class			2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024
IDC subsidiaries								
Findevco	Ordinary	100%	–	–	–	–	(374)	(374)
Foskor ^{1, 2, 3}	Ordinary	59%	2 955	955	3 528	5 235	–	–
Konoil	Ordinary	100%	–	–	–	–	(15 251)	(15 251)
Prilla	Ordinary	100%	438	438	275	90	–	–
sefa ⁴	Ordinary	100%	–	–	–	135	–	–
Sheraton Textiles	Ordinary	100%	–	–	162	228	–	–
Thelo Rolling Stock	Ordinary	10%	–	–	541	625	–	–
Other subsidiaries	Various	93.4%	2	2	699	1 745	(149)	(141)
Total	100%		3 396	1 396	5 205	8 058	(15 773)	(15 766)
Accumulated fair value adjustment								
			19 051	22 759	–	–	–	–
Total			22 447	24 155	5 205	8 058	(15 773)	(15 766)

¹ Legally IDC owns 59% of Foskor, but for accounting purposes an effective 85% of Foskor is consolidated by virtue of IDC holding shares on behalf of B-BBEE participants until repayment of IDC funding is effected.

² During the current year, IDC restructured a loan with repayment terms to non-repayment terms which resulted in the loan being presented on the statement of financial position of Foskor under equity. This led to IDC recognising the loan as additional investment in subsidiary.

³ Restated, refer to note 36.

⁴ sefa transferred its assets and liabilities to Sedfa during the merger. Refer to the discontinued operation section of note 7.

A register of investments is available and is open for inspection at the IDC's registered office.

Subsidiaries with less than 50% stake

Although the Company holds 10% shareholding in Thelo Rolling Stock Leasing (Proprietary) Limited, the investment is considered a subsidiary because of the voting powers granted to the IDC through its right to appoint three out of the five directors to the Board of Directors of Thelo Rolling Stock Leasing (Proprietary) Limited.

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7. Investments in subsidiaries *continued*

Profits and losses

The aggregate net profits and losses after taxation of subsidiaries attributable to the IDC were as follows:

Figures in Rand million	IDC subsidiaries	
	2025	2024
Profits	3 051	1 026
Losses	(1 857)	(384)
	1 194	642

Included in financing are the following investments which have been made in terms of section 3(a) of the Industrial Development Act with the approval of the State President:

Figures in Rand million	Foskor	
	2025	2024
Foskor Limited – at fair value	2 955	955
	2 955	955

Subsidiaries with material non-controlling interests

The following information is provided for subsidiaries with non-controlling interests which are material to the reporting company. The summarised financial information is provided prior to inter-company elimination:

Subsidiary	Country of incorporation	% Ownership interest held by non-controlling interest	
		2025	2024
Foskor	RSA	15%	15%

The percentage ownership interest and the percentage voting rights of the non-controlling interests were the same in all cases except for Foskor Limited where the voting rights were 41% (2024: 41%).

Foskor summarised statement of financial position

Figures in Rand million	Foskor	
	2025	2024
Assets		
Non-current assets	7 322	6 591
Current assets	4 113	3 869
Total assets	11 435	10 460
Liabilities		
Non-current liabilities	3 445	4 914
Current liabilities	2 481	1 759
Total liabilities	5 926	6 673
Total net assets (liabilities)	5 509	3 787
Carrying amount of non-controlling interest	826	568

Foskor summarised statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

Figures in Rand million	Foskor	
	2025	2024
Revenue	9 560	9 980
Other income and expenses	(9 959)	(9 881)
Profit/(loss) before tax	(399)	99
Tax expense	125	267
Profit/(loss)	(274)	366
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	(3)	(1)
Total comprehensive income	(277)	365
Profit/(loss) allocated to non-controlling interest	–	–

Summarised statement of cash flows

Figures in Rand million	Foskor	
	2025	2024
Cash flows from operating activities	841	858
Cash flows from investing activities	(952)	(677)
Cash flows from financing activities	297	(452)
Total cash movements for the year	186	(271)

Discontinued operations – sefa merger

On 23 July 2024, the President signed the National Small Enterprise Amendment Act which amends the National Small Enterprise Act of 1996 to establish a new entity, the Small Enterprise Development Finance Agency (sedfa), which will incorporate the Small Enterprise Finance Agency (sefa), the Small Enterprise Development Agency (seda) and the Cooperative Banks Development Agency (cbda). Subsequent to that, on 10 September 2024 the President and Minister of the Cabinet signed a proclamation stating that from 1 October and 1 December 2024, the proclamation shall come into operation. sefa transferred its assets and liabilities to Sedfa from 1 October 2024 resulting in IDC declaring deemed distribution to the shareholder (**the dtic**).

Figures in Rand million	2025	2024
Interest income from loans and advances	74	165
Grant income	269	673
Other income	200	395
Net expenses	(43)	(861)
Operating expenses	(339)	(413)
Profit/(loss) before tax	160	(41)
Income tax expense	(6)	–
Profit from discontinued operations	154	(41)

Figure in Rand million	2025
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	4 911
Loans and advances	1 177
Equity investments	1 063
Other	545
Total assets	7 697
Liabilities	
Grants received in advance	4 777
Other	316
Total liabilities	5 093
Deemed Distribution of sefa to the dtic	2 604

Figures in Rand million	2025	2024
Operating activities	356	173
Investing activities	87	330
Financing activities	121	191
Total cash movements for the year	565	695

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8. Investments in associates

8.1 Investment in associates

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024 ¹	2025	2024 ¹
Fair value of investments – listed shares in associates	–	–	1 036	1 296
Fair value of investments – unlisted shares in associates ¹	–	–	24 920	25 648
Net asset value at acquisition	11 421	11 438	–	–
Accumulated income in associates	36 839	38 165	–	–
Accumulated losses and impairments in associates	(22 715)	(21 779)	–	–
	25 545	27 824	25 956	26 944

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

Investments accounted for using the equity method – all associates on consolidation level – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Industry	Financial year-ends ¹	Country of incorporation	% shareholding	Total exposure (Rand million)
Adelaide Ruiters Mining and Exploration (Pty) Ltd	Exploration of sedimentary phosphates and limestone	28/2/2025	RSA	25.00	2 735
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	Automotive	31/12/2024	RSA	35.00	266
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	Mining	31/12/2024	RSA	22.95	3 620
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Supplier of wheels and locomotive frames	31/12/2024	RSA	93.50	154
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	Steel manufacturer	31/12/2024	RSA	24.00	1 357
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	Producer of mild steel wire and wire products	29/2/2025	RSA	50.00	104
Dimako Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Holds investment in machinery equipment and electronics	28/2/2025	RSA	25.00	100
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	Processes steel coil	31/12/2024	RSA	50.00	849
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	Supplier of high chrome and forged grinding media	31/12/2024	RSA	23.00	1 128
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Holds investments in timber and agricultural industries	31/12/2024	RSA	29.70	2 367
Hulamin Limited	Asset leasing	30/9/2024	RSA	29.17	1 087
Karoshhoek Solar One (RF)	Parabolic through solar energy farm	31/12/2024	RSA	20.00	72
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Farms table grapes and dates	30/9/2024	RSA	42.30	1 017
Merafe Resources Limited	Operates chrome and alloys plant	30/9/2024	RSA	21.88	1 060
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	Produces primary aluminium metal	31/12/2024	Mozambique	32.49	3 446
Oil tanking MOGS Saldahna (RF) (Pty) Ltd	Petrol, lubricating oils and greases from crude oil	31/12/2024	RSA	26.00	94
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Steel manufacturer	31/10/2024	RSA	26.00	586
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Mining of various minerals	31/3/2025	RSA	20.00	3 444
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	Parabolic through solar energy farm	31/12/2024	RSA	20.00	946
York Timber Holdings Limited	Sawmilling	30/6/2024	RSA	20.07	418
Other associates	Various	Various	Various	Various	696
					25 545

¹ The financial year ends for which the audited/reviewed financial statements of the associated entities have been prepared, where they are different from that of the investor, are disclosed above

Investments accounted for using the equity method – all associates on consolidation level – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Industry	Financial year-ends ¹	Country of incorporation	% shareholding	Total exposure (Rand million)
Adelaide Ruiters and Explorations	Exploration of sedimentary phosphates and limestone	28/2/2024	RSA	25.00	2 738
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	Automotive	31/12/2023	RSA	35.00	396
BEECO (Eyesizwe (Pty) Ltd)	Mining	31/12/2023	RSA	23.00	4 514
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Supplier of wheels and locomotive frames	31/3/2024	RSA	85.00	408
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	Steel manufacturer	31/12/2023	RSA	24.00	1 099
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	Producer of mild steel wire and wire products	31/3/2024	RSA	50.00	105
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	Processes steel coil	30/9/2023	RSA	50.00	248
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd ²	Supplier of high chrome and forged grinding media	31/12/2023	RSA	23.00	1 142
Hans Merensky (Pty) Ltd	Holds investments in timber and agricultural industries	31/12/2023	RSA	30.00	2 394
Hulamin Limited	Asset leasing	31/12/2023	RSA	29.17	1 018
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	Platinum mining	31/12/2023	RSA	23.56	1 888
Kaxu Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	Parabolic through solar energy farm	31/12/2023	RSA	29.00	107
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Farms table grapes and dates	30/9/2023	RSA	42.31	959
Merafe Resources Limited	Operates chrome and alloys plant	31/12/2023	RSA	21.88	1 144
MOZAL S.A.R.L	Produces primary aluminium metal	30/6/2023	Mozambique	32.49	3 652
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Steel manufacturer	31/10/2023	RSA	26.00	466
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Mining of various minerals	31/3/2023	RSA	20.00	3 635
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Materials technology and recycling	31/12/2023	RSA	35.00	320
Xina Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	Parabolic through solar energy farm	31/12/2023	RSA	20.00	170
York Timber Holdings Limited	Sawmilling	30/6/2023	RSA	20.07	381
Other associates	Various	Various	Various	Various	1 040
					27 824

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² Restated, refer to note 36

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

8. Investments in associates *continued*

Carrying amount of material associates – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Dividends received from equity-accounted associate company	Share of associate companies' profit after taxation for the year	Share of associate companies' OCI for the year	Impairment loss	Reclassified as non-current assets held for sale ²	FCTR and other movements ¹	Closing balance
Adelaide Ruiters Mining and Exploration (Pty) Ltd	2 738	–	(4)	–	–	–	–	2 735
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	396	–	(130)	–	–	–	–	266
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	4 514	(578)	(316)	–	–	–	–	3 620
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	408	–	(254)	–	–	–	–	154
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	1 098	–	258	–	–	–	–	1 357
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	105	–	–	–	–	–	–	105
Dimako Holdings (Pty) Ltd	83	(3)	20	–	–	–	–	100
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	248	–	(330)	–	–	–	931	849
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	1 142	(11)	(3)	–	–	–	–	1 128
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	2 367	(54)	(41)	–	–	–	95	2 367
Hulamin Limited	1 017	–	74	(5)	–	–	–	1 087
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	1 888	–	(4)	–	–	(1 884)	–	–
Karoshhoek Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	69	–	2	–	–	–	–	72
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	959	–	57	–	–	–	–	1 017
Merafe Resources Limited	1 144	(230)	146	–	–	–	–	1 060
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	3 652	–	12	–	–	–	(218)	3 446
Oiltanking MOGS Saldahna (RF) (Pty) Ltd	100	–	(6)	–	–	–	–	94
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	466	–	120	–	–	–	–	586
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	3 635	(5)	(199)	13	–	–	–	3 444
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	320	(26)	(2)	–	–	(292)	–	–
Xina Solar one (RF) (Pty) Ltd	170	–	776	–	–	–	–	946
York Timber Holdings Limited	381	–	37	–	–	–	–	418
Total material associates²	26 901	(907)	214	8	–	(2 176)	808	24 848
Total – Other associates	923	–	(209)	–	–	–	(17)	697
Total	27 824	(907)	6	8	–	(2 176)	791	25 545

¹ Refer to note 8.2

² Total material associate, refers to the top 20 associates balance at year end

Summarised financial information of material associates – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Dividends received from equity-accounted associate company	Share of associate companies' profit after taxation for the year	Share of associate companies' OCI for the year	Impairment loss	FCTR and other movements ¹	Closing balance
Adelaide Ruiters and Explorations (Pty) Ltd	3 801	–	(3)	(1 059)	–	(1)	2 738
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	102	–	(90)	–	–	384	396
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	4 760	(559)	313	–	–	–	4 514
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	(327)	–	(351)	–	–	1 086	408
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	1 276	–	(178)	(172)	–	172	1 098
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	107	–	(5)	3	–	–	105
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	333	–	(17)	–	–	(68)	248
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd ¹	–	(15)	30	–	–	1 127	1 143
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	2 854	(69)	(385)	(38)	–	5	2 367
Hulamin Limited	928	–	79	6	–	4	1 017
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	2 131	–	–	–	–	(243)	1 888
Ka Xu Solar (RF) (Pty) Ltd	147	(13)	(27)	–	–	–	107
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	914	–	39	–	–	6	959
Merafe Resources Ltd	940	(180)	384	–	–	–	1 143
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	5 102	(894)	(899)	–	–	343	3 652
Scaw Metals (Pty) Ltd	347	–	120	7	–	(8)	466
Smart Union Res	3 154	(104)	503	–	–	82	3 635
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	317	(53)	53	–	–	3	321
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	199	–	(31)	2	–	–	170
York Timber Holdings Limited	458	–	(49)	3	–	(31)	381
Total material associates²	27 543	(1 887)	(513)	(1 248)	–	2 861	26 756
Total – Other associates	1 397	(22)	(377)	28	–	42	1 068
Total	28 940	(1 909)	(890)	(1 220)	–	2 903	27 824

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² Total material associate, refers to the top 20 associates balance at year end

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

8. Investments in associates *continued*

Summarised financial information of immaterial investment in associate – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Profit or loss from continuing operations	Other comprehensive income	Total comprehensive income
Total immaterial investment in associate	(209)	–	(209)

Aggregate amount of individually immaterial share in the associates – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Profit or loss from continuing operations	Other comprehensive income	Total comprehensive income
Total immaterial investment in associate	(379)	28	(351)

Carrying amount of individually immaterial investment in associate

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Opening balance	622	953
Dividends received from equity-accounted associate company	–	(22)
Share of associate companies' profit after taxation for the year	(209)	(379)
Share of associate companies' OCI for the year	–	28
Impairment gain/(loss)	–	–
Foreign currency translation and other movements	(17)	42
Closing balance	396	622

Summarised financial information of material associates – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Revenue	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	Other comprehensive income	Total comprehensive income	Dividend declared
Adelaide Ruiters Mining and Exploration (Pty) Ltd	–	(15)	–	(15)	–
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	743	(241)	–	(241)	–
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	2 561	(1 379)	–	(1 379)	2 519
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	815	(271)	–	(271)	–
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	12 477	(846)	–	(846)	–
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	1 067	1	(2)	(1)	–
Dimako Holdings (Pty) Ltd	401	99	–	99	10
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	1 375	13	–	13	–
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	2 888	110	–	110	47
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	22 633	(87)	–	(87)	182
Hulamin Limited	13 635	246	(15)	231	–
Karoshoeck Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	340	(22)	–	(22)	–
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	2 684	86	–	86	–
Merafe Resources Limited	8 443	667	–	667	–
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	26 331	1 584	–	1 584	–
Oiltanking MOGS Saldahna (RF) (Pty) Ltd	369	(24)	–	(24)	–
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	2 438	(52)	–	(52)	–
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	13 549	1 287	64	1 350	27
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	1 097	(22)	–	(22)	–
York Timber Holdings Limited	1 901	184	–	184	–
Other associates	6 103	(711)	–	(711)	–
	121 851	608	47	654	2 784

Reconciliation of summarised information to carrying amount – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Total net assets	IDC% shareholding	IDC share of net assets	Net carrying amount
Adelaide Ruiters Mining and Exploration (Pty) Ltd	10 941	25%	2 735	2 735
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	1 451	35%	508	266
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	15 772	23%	3 620	3 620
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	(293)	94%	(274)	154
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	3 896	24%	935	1 357
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	311	50%	156	105
Dimako Holdings (Pty) Ltd	402	25%	100	100
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	595	50%	298	849
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	727	23%	167	1 128
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	4 955	30%	1 472	2 367
Hulamin Limited	3 788	29%	1 105	1 087
Karoshhoek Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	326	20%	65	72
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	2 400	42%	1 015	1 017
Merafe Resources Limited	4 876	22%	1 067	1 060
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	11 675	32%	3 793	3 446
Oiltanking MOGS Saldahna (RF) (Pty) Ltd	1 386	26%	360	94
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	3 971	26%	1 032	586
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	18 965	20%	3 793	3 444
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	4 743	20%	949	946
York Timber Holdings Limited	2 893	20%	581	418
Other associates	671	various	245	697
	94 451		23 722	25 545

Summarised statement of financial position – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Non-current assets	Current assets	Non-current liabilities	Current liabilities	Total net assets
Adelaide Ruiters Mining and Exploration (Pty) Ltd	11 037	2	76	22	10 941
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	2 741	745	243	1 792	1 451
BEECO (Eyesizwe RF (Pty) Ltd)	16 997	47	1 269	3	15 772
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	643	286	769	453	(293)
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	2 968	5 422	190	4 305	3 896
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	202	297	35	153	311
Dimako Holdings (Pty) Ltd	256	255	57	53	402
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	1 151	1 686	1 454	788	595
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	314	983	113	458	727
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	7 701	9 872	4 376	8 242	4 955
Hulamin Limited	2 035	5 257	229	3 274	3 788
Karoshhoek Solar One (RF) (Pty) Ltd	7 709	1 094	8 146	331	326
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	3 296	1 383	1 218	1 061	2 400
Merafe Resources Limited	1 261	4 882	340	926	4 876
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	5 757	10 055	1 778	2 359	11 675
Oiltanking MOGS Saldahna (RF) (Pty) Ltd	3 138	357	2 082	26	1 386
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	8 421	3 338	3 095	4 693	3 971
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	22 535	7 214	7 106	3 678	18 965
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	10 773	1 703	1 540	6 193	4 743
York Timber Holdings Limited	3 629	1 022	1 265	493	2 893
Other associates	13 213	3 032	9 906	5 669	671
	125 776	58 933	45 288	44 971	94 451

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

8. Investments in associates *continued*

Summarised financial information of material associates – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Revenue	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	Other comprehensive income	Total comprehensive income	Dividend declared
Adelaide Ruiters And Explorations (Pty) Ltd	–	(10)	(4 234)	(4 245)	–
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	982	(256)	–	(256)	–
BEECO (Eyesizwe (Pty) Ltd)	2 454	1 366	–	1 366	2 437
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	482	(413)	–	(413)	–
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	12 093	(741)	(715)	(1 456)	–
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	839	(10)	5	(5)	–
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	3 430	(34)	–	(34)	–
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	2 516	132	–	132	63
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	19 612	(1 297)	(129)	(1 426)	231
Hulamin Limited	13 796	272	20	292	–
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	–	–	–	–	–
KaXu Solar (RF) (Pty) Ltd	759	(92)	–	(92)	45
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	3 219	91	–	91	–
Merafe Resources Limited	9 244	1 753	–	1 753	825
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	21 539	(2 767)	–	(2 767)	2 753
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	7 999	463	26	490	–
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	68	2	42	44	522
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	3 473	152	(1)	151	150
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	1 440	(154)	9	(145)	–
York Timber Holdings Limited	1 647	(246)	16	(230)	–
Other associates	23 505	301	7	308	110
	129 067	(1 488)	(4 954)	(6 443)	7 136

Reconciliation of summarised information to carrying amount – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Total net assets	IDC% shareholding	IDC share of net assets	Net carrying amount
Adelaide Ruiters And Explorations (Pty) Ltd	10 956	25	2 739	2 739
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	1 734	35	607	607
BEECO (Eyesizwe (Pty) Ltd)	19 670	23	4 524	4 524
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	(1)	85	–	–
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	4 577	24	1 099	1 099
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	312	50	156	156
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	680	50	340	340
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd ¹	788	23	181	1 142
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	8 061	30	2 394	2 394
Hulamin Limited	3 539	29	1 032	1 032
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	8 016	24	1 888	1 888
KaXu Solar (RF) (Pty) Ltd	369	29	107	107
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	2 267	42	959	959
Merafe Resources Limited	5 259	22	1 151	1 151
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	14 457	32	4 697	4 697
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	3 520	26	915	915
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	30	20	6	6
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	916	35	321	321
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	851	20	170	170
York Timber Holdings Limited	2 710	20	544	544
Other associates	25 081	Various	2 993	3 033
	113 792		26 823	27 824

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

Summarised statement of financial position – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Non-current assets	Current assets	Non-current liabilities	Current liabilities	Total net assets
Adelaide Ruiters And Explorations (Pty) Ltd	11 030	–	71	3	10 956
BAIC Automobile SA (Pty) Ltd	2 867	833	161	1 805	1 734
BEECO (Eyesizwe (Pty) Ltd)	22 005	19	2 351	3	19 670
Cast Products South Africa (Pty) Ltd	707	249	767	190	(1)
Columbus Stainless (Pty) Ltd	2 514	6 574	182	4 329	4 577
Consolidated Wire Industries (Pty) Ltd	203	312	39	163	312
Duferco Steel Processing (Pty) Ltd	1 230	1 760	1 542	769	680
Grinding Media (Pty) Ltd	320	954	185	300	788
Hans Merensky Holdings (Pty) Ltd	7 286	7 968	2 648	4 545	8 061
Hulamin Limited	1 595	4 652	256	2 453	3 539
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	8 012	3	–	–	8 016
KaXu Solar (RF) (Pty) Ltd	4 244	917	4 072	720	369
Karsten Group Holdings (Pty) Ltd	3 238	1 443	1 174	1 239	2 267
Merafe Resources Limited	1 479	5 183	419	984	5 259
MOZAL S.A.R.L.	13 064	7 413	3 504	2 517	14 457
Scaw South Africa (Pty) Ltd	6 447	2 912	3 118	2 721	3 520
Smart Union Resources South Africa (Pty) Ltd	99	35	88	16	30
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	92	1 367	35	508	916
Xina Solar one (RF) Pty Ltd	6 458	1 195	6 317	485	851
York Timber Holdings Limited	3 223	1 050	957	607	2 710
Other associates	62 325	13 060	31 715	18 588	25 082
	158 439	57 898	59 599	42 945	113 793

8.2 Non-current assets held for sale

Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd

Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd (Incwala Resources), is a majority black owned and controlled mining company. The main business of Incwala Resources is to make investments in the mining sector. Incwala Resources, holds various investments through its wholly owned subsidiary Incwala Platinum (Pty) Ltd. The IDC Board approved to dispose of its entire 23.6% shareholding in Incwala Resources and waiting for Ministerial approval as per the PFMA. As at year end Incwala Resources is classified as a non-current asset held for sale.

Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd

The IDC (with a 35% shareholding) co-owns Umicore Catalyst South Africa with Umicore Group (through its subsidiary Umicore Finance Luxembourg). Umicore Groups' business is centred around clean technologies, such as emission control catalysts (for passenger and commercial vehicles), materials for rechargeable batteries amongst other things. The South African operation is involved in manufacturing of automotive emission control catalytic convertor used to reduce harmful gases on Internal Combustion Engines for both petrol-powered and diesel-powered vehicles. During the 2025 financial year, the IDC executive committee resolved to dispose its entire shareholding in Umicore. As at year end Umicore Catalyst South Africa is classified as a non-current asset held for sale.

Figures in Rand million	2025	
	Group	Company
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	1 884	569
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	292	155
	2 176	724

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

8. Investments in associates *continued*

8.2 Non-current assets held for sale *continued*

Summarised financial information – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Dividends received from equity-accounted associate company	Share of associate companies' profit after taxation for the year
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	–	(4)
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	(26)	(2)
	(26)	(6)

Figures in Rand million	Revenue	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	Total comprehensive income	Dividend declared
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd ¹	–	–	–	–
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	1 509	(5)	(5)	75
	1 509	(5)	(5)	75

Figures in Rand million	Non-current assets	Current assets	Non-current liabilities	Current liabilities	Total net assets
Incwala Resources (Pty) Ltd	7 993	7	–	4	7 996
Umicore Catalyst South Africa (Pty) Ltd	153	905	40	184	834
	8 146	912	40	188	8 830

¹ Revenue and Profit from continuing operations amount is less than R1 million

9. Derivative financial instruments

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Derivative assets				
Foreign exchange contract assets	1	3	–	–
Derivative liabilities				
Share buy-back option	(6)	(6)	–	–
Foreign exchange contract liabilities	(1)	–	–	–

All contractual maturities for the derivative assets and liabilities are within 12 months.

The share buy-back option has been valued using the Monte Carlo Option Pricing model. The following are the key assumptions applied in the model:

	Group	
	2025	2024
Strike price	227 183	205 291
Spot price	155 351	155 351
Discount rate	12.21%	13.10%
Annualised expected volatility	8.19%	8.89%

The volatility indicator used in the calculation was based on the market prices of globally listed proxy companies that are in a similar industry and the changes in their share prices over the last 10 years was used to determine the volatility in their share prices. Changes in the key inputs to a different amount do not result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

10. Loans and advances

Reconciliation of the gross carrying amount to the amortised cost

Group – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Subject to 12 month ECL IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (not credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Total
	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	
Opening balance	24 629	(830)	23 799	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	39 022
Stage 1	24 629	(830)	23 799	–	–	–	–	–	–	23 799
Stage 2	–	–	–	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	–	–	–	3 515
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	11 708
Purchased during the year¹	5 412	(255)	5 157	5 884	(2 641)	3 243	3 017	(1 591)	1 426	9 826
Transfers²	(371)	(1 035)	(1 406)	885	201	1 086	(514)	834	320	–
Transfers to 12 months ECL	2 385	(1 165)	1 220	(1 189)	534	(655)	(1 196)	631	(565)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	(1 826)	86	(1 740)	3 550	(995)	2 555	(1 724)	909	(815)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	(930)	44	(886)	(1 476)	662	(814)	2 406	(706)	1 700	–
Other movements	(3 322)	863	(2 459)	(5 472)	1 588	(3 884)	(6 268)	4 625	(1 643)	(7 986)
Write offs	–	–	–	–	–	–	(3 945)	3 217	(728)	(728)
Settlements for the year	(5 409)	255	(5 154)	(6 359)	2 855	(3 504)	(1 760)	928	(832)	(9 490)
Modifications that did not give rise to derecognition	15	–	15	33	–	33	157	–	157	205
Interest in suspense	–	–	–	–	–	–	(1 289)	1 088	(201)	(201)
Exchange rate differences	75	–	75	51	–	51	70	–	70	196
Other movements	1 997	608	2 605	803	(1 267)	(464)	499	(608)	(109)	2 032
Closing balance	26 348	(1 257)	25 091	7 026	(3 066)	3 960	26 984	(15 173)	11 811	40 862
Stage 1	26 348	(1 257)	25 091	–	–	–	–	–	–	25 091
Stage 2	–	–	–	7 026	(3 066)	3 960	–	–	–	3 960
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	26 984	(15 173)	11 811	11 811
Loans and advances – amortised cost	26 348	(1 257)	25 091	7 026	(3 066)	3 960	26 984	(15 173)	11 811	40 862
Loans and advances – FVTPL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 684
Total loans and advances	26 348	(1 257)	25 091	7 026	(3 066)	3 960	26 984	(15 173)	11 811	43 546

¹ Based on end of reporting period ECL and staging

² Based on ECL before the exposure was migrated to another stage

Group – 2024										
Figures in Rand million	Subject to 12 month ECL IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (not credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Total
	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	
Opening balance	23 615	(1 223)	22 392	12 739	(5 476)	7 263	26 251	(17 170)	9 081	38 736
Stage 1	23 615	(1 223)	22 392	–	–	–	–	–	–	22 392
Stage 2	–	–	–	12 739	(5 476)	7 263	–	–	–	7 263
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	26 251	(17 170)	9 081	9 081
Purchased during the year	13 870	(3 070)	10 800	–	–	–	–	–	–	10 800
Transfers²	(9 306)	2 095	(7 211)	1 377	119	1 496	7 928	(2 214)	5 714	–
Transfers to 12 months ECL	2 963	(1 046)	1 917	(2 694)	879	(1 815)	(269)	167	(102)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	(8 923)	2 365	(6 558)	9 102	(2 472)	6 630	(179)	107	(72)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	(3 345)	776	(2 569)	(5 030)	1 712	(3 318)	8 376	(2 488)	5 888	–
Other movements	(3 551)	1 368	(2 183)	(8 387)	3 143	(5 244)	(3 430)	343	(3 087)	(10 514)
Write offs	–	–	–	–	–	–	(4 478)	2 715	(1 763)	(1 763)
Settlements for the year	(5 721)	203	(5 518)	(6 091)	2 006	(4 085)	(1 665)	995	(670)	(10 273)
Modifications that did not give rise to derecognition	(3)	18	15	(6)	139	133	(172)	72	(100)	48
Interest in suspense ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	(1 550)	1 205	(345)	(345)
Exchange rate differences	157	–	157	68	–	68	263	–	263	488
Other movements ¹	2 017	1 148	3 165	(2 359)	998	(1 361)	4 172	(4 644)	(472)	1 331
Closing balance	24 629	(830)	23 799	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	39 022
Stage 1	24 629	(830)	23 799	–	–	–	–	–	–	23 799
Stage 2	–	–	–	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	–	–	–	3 515
Stage 3 ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	11 708
Loans and advances – amortised cost¹	24 629	(830)	23 799	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	39 022
Loans and advances – FVTPL¹										2 307
Total loans and advances	24 629	(830)	23 799	5 729	(2 214)	3 515	30 749	(19 041)	11 708	41 329

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² Based on ECL before the exposure was migrated to another stage

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

10. Loans and advances *continued*

Reconciliation of Company loss allowance

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Subject to 12 month ECL IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (not credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Total
	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	
Opening balance	29 137	(973)	28 164	6 701	(2 186)	4 515	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	44 277
Stage 1	29 137	(973)	28 164	–	–	–	–	–	–	28 164
Stage 2	–	–	–	6 701	(2 186)	4 515	–	–	–	4 515
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	11 598
Purchased during the year¹	6 217	(292)	5 925	6 066	(2 723)	3 343	3 109	(1 639)	1 470	10 738
Transfers²	(175)	(1 123)	(1 298)	803	217	1 020	(629)	907	278	–
Transfers to 12 months ECL	2 581	(1 253)	1 328	(1 385)	622	(763)	(1 196)	631	(565)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	(1 826)	86	(1 740)	3 825	(1 140)	2 685	(2 000)	1 055	(945)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	(930)	44	(886)	(1 637)	735	(902)	2 567	(779)	1 788	–
Other movements	(4 436)	862	(3 574)	(5 884)	1 445	(4 439)	(3 417)	2 258	(1 159)	(9 172)
Write offs	–	–	–	–	–	–	(3 725)	3 217	(508)	(508)
Settlements for the year	(6 059)	285	(5 774)	(6 366)	2 858	(3 508)	(1 768)	932	(836)	(10 118)
Modifications that did not give rise to derecognition	15	–	15	33	–	33	157	–	157	205
Interest in suspense	–	–	–	–	–	–	(1 289)	1 088	(201)	(201)
Foreign exchange difference	92	–	92	51	–	51	70	–	70	213
Other movements	1 516	577	2 093	398	(1 413)	(1 015)	3 138	(2 979)	159	1 237
Closing balance	30 743	(1 526)	29 217	7 686	(3 247)	4 439	27 698	(15 511)	12 187	45 843
Stage 1	30 743	(1 526)	29 217	–	–	–	–	–	–	29 217
Stage 2	–	–	–	7 686	(3 247)	4 439	–	–	–	4 439
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	27 698	(15 511)	12 187	12 187
Loans and advances – amortised cost	30 743	(1 526)	29 217	7 686	(3 247)	4 439	27 698	(15 511)	12 187	45 843
Loans and advances – FVTPL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 695
Total loans and advances	30 743	(1 526)	29 217	7 686	(3 247)	4 439	27 698	(15 511)	12 187	48 538

¹ Based on end of reporting period ECL and staging

² Based on ECL before the exposure was migrated to another stage

Company – 2024										
Figures in Rand million	Subject to 12 month ECL IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (not credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Subject to lifetime month ECL (credit impaired) IRG1–IRG24			Total
	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	
Opening balance	23 600	(1 187)	22 413	17 800	(6 029)	11 771	25 698	(16 603)	9 095	43 279
Stage 1	23 600	(1 187)	22 413	–	–	–	–	–	–	22 413
Stage 2	–	–	–	17 800	(6 029)	11 771	–	–	–	11 771
Stage 3	–	–	–	–	–	–	25 698	(16 603)	9 095	9 095
Purchased during the year	15 472	(3 095)	12 377	–	–	–	–	–	–	12 377
Transfers²	(4 059)	477	(3 582)	(3 066)	1 480	(1 587)	7 125	(1 957)	5 169	–
Transfers to 12 months ECL	7 418	(2 485)	4 933	(7 186)	2 346	(4 840)	(232)	138	(94)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (not credit impaired)	(8 541)	2 265	(6 276)	8 709	(2 365)	6 344	(167)	100	(67)	–
Transfers to lifetime ECL (credit impaired)	(2 936)	697	(2 239)	(4 589)	1 498	(3 091)	7 525	(2 195)	5 330	–
Other movements	(5 876)	2 832	(3 043)	(8 032)	2 362	(5 671)	(4 188)	1 523	(2 665)	(11 379)
Write offs	–	–	–	–	–	–	(4 477)	2 715	(1 762)	(1 762)
Settlements for the year	(8 075)	270	(7 805)	(6 083)	1 986	(4 097)	(1 653)	985	(668)	(12 570)
Modifications that did not give rise to derecognition	(3)	18	15	(6)	139	133	(172)	72	(100)	48
Interest in suspense ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	(1 550)	1 205	(345)	(345)
Foreign exchange difference	157	–	157	68	–	68	263	–	263	488
Other movements ¹	2 046	2 545	4 591	(2 012)	237	(1 775)	3 401	(3 454)	(53)	2 762
Closing balance	29 137	(973)	28 164	6 701	(2 186)	4 515	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	44 277
Stage 1	29 137	(973)	28 164	–	–	–	–	–	–	28 164
Stage 2	–	–	–	6 701	(2 186)	4 515	–	–	–	4 515
Stage 3 ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	11 598
Loans and advances – amortised cost¹	29 137	(973)	28 164	6 701	(2 188)	4 515	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	44 277
Loans and advances – FVTPL¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 319
Total loans and advances	29 137	(973)	28 164	6 701	(2 186)	4 515	28 635	(17 037)	11 598	46 596

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² Based on ECL before the exposure was migrated to another stage

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

10. Loans and advances *continued*

Figures in Rand million	Group			
	Loans and advances		Trade and other receivables	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Balance at the beginning of the year¹	22 085	23 870	369	289
Stage 1 ECL allowance	830	1 223	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	2 214	5 476	369	289
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	19 041	17 170	–	–
Profit or loss charge	(2 589)	(1 785)	134	80
Stage 1 ECL allowance	427	(394)	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	852	(3 262)	134	80
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	(3 868)	1 871	–	–
Balance at the end of the year	19 496	22 085	503	369
Stage 1 ECL allowance	1 257	830	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	3 066	2 214	503	369
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	15 172	19 041	–	–

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Figures in Rand million	Company			
	Loans and advances		Trade and other receivables	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Balance at the beginning of the year¹	20 198	23 820	41	39
Stage 1 ECL allowance	973	1 187	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	2 188	6 030	41	39
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	17 037	16 603	–	–
Profit or loss charge	87	(3 622)	19	2
Stage 1 ECL allowance	553	(214)	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	1 059	(3 842)	19	2
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	(1 526)	434	–	–
Balance at the end of the year	20 285	20 198	60	41
Stage 1 ECL allowance	1 526	973	–	–
Stage 2 ECL allowance	3 247	2 188	60	41
Stage 3 ECL allowance ¹	15 511	17 037	–	–

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

Modified financial assets

The IDC sometimes modifies the terms of loans provided to customers due to commercial renegotiations, or for distressed loans, with a view to maximising recovery. Restructuring is based on indicators or criteria which, in the judgement of management, indicate that payment will most likely continue. The IDC monitors the subsequent performance of modified assets and may determine that the credit risk has significantly improved where assets have performed for three consecutive months or more. During the year, the Company accounted for loans and advances that were modified without resulting in derecognition. A net modification gain of R205 million was processed (2024: R80 million). The nature and effect of modifications is detailed below:

Figures in Rand million	Group			
	2025		2024	
	Gross carrying amount	Net modification gain or loss	Gross carrying amount	Net modification gain or loss
Modification since initial recognition of the financial asset for which the loss allowance has changed during the year to reflect 12-month ECL	2 113	15	–	–

Figures in Rand million	Company			
	2025		2024	
	Gross carrying amount	Net modification gain or loss	Gross carrying amount	Net modification gain or loss
Modification since initial recognition of the financial asset for which the loss allowance has changed during the year to reflect 12-month ECL	2 113	15	–	–

Figures in Rand million	Group			
	2025		2024	
	Amortised cost before modification	Net modification gain or loss	Amortised cost before modification	Net modification gain or loss
Modification during the year for which the loss allowance reflects lifetime ECL	560	109	969	68

Figures in Rand million	Company			
	2025		2024	
	Amortised cost before modification	Net modification gain or loss	Amortised cost before modification	Net modification gain or loss
Modification during the year for which the loss allowance reflects lifetime ECL	560	109	969	68

Write offs

The Group writes off financial assets, in whole or in part, when it has exhausted all practical recovery efforts and has concluded there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. The Group may write off financial assets that are still subject to enforcement activity. The Group still seeks to recover amounts that are legally owed in full, but which have been partially written off due to no reasonable expectation of full recovery. All amounts written off in the current and prior year are still subject to enforcement activity. Write-offs are presented net of recoveries.

The table below illustrates gross write offs and recoveries:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Write offs	(4 116)	(4 477)	(7 344)	(4 477)
Recoveries	78	161	78	161
Total (Subject to enforcement activity)	(4 038)	(4 316)	(7 266)	(4 316)

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11. Investment securities

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Listed equities	28 236	44 292	27 577	36 494
Unlisted equities	5 787	6 105	4 530	5 487
Preference shares ¹	–	73	–	11
Investment securities at fair value	34 023	50 470	32 107	41 992

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

12. Inventories

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Raw materials, components	335	357	–	–
Work in progress	–	23	–	–
Finished goods	1 038	900	–	–
Write-downs to net realisable value	9	(101)	–	–
Consumable stores	715	895	2	2
Phosphate rock	332	175	–	–
	2 429	2 249	2	2

13. Trade and other receivables

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Financial instruments				
Trade receivables	1 797	2 203	194	703
Other receivables ¹	1 381	1 071	334	152
Expected credit losses	(503)	(369)	(60)	(41)
Trade receivables at amortised cost	2 675	2 905	468	814
Non-financial instruments				
Prepayments	90	84	26	27
Total trade and other receivables	2 765	2 989	494	841

¹ Other receivables under non-financial instruments is mostly made up of VAT receivables and rental deposits.

Trade and other receivables pledged as security

Prilla, a subsidiary, entered into an invoice discounting agreement with Nedbank Limited whereby it has discounted all of its receivables and has given first cession of all receivables as security for a R130 million (2024: R130 million) finance facility advanced to it. Another subsidiary, Foskor, also has a trade receivable factoring arrangement in place whereby Foskor has transferred the relevant receivables to Absa Bank in exchange for cash 80% received upfront and a deferral of the remaining 20%. Foskor is prevented from ceding or pledging these receivables. Foskor, however, retains late payment and credit risk.

Fair value of trade and other receivables

Fair value of trade and other receivables approximates their carrying amount.

Credit risk analysis of trade and other receivables

Trade receivables inherently expose the Group to credit risk, being the risk that the company will incur financial loss if customers fail to make payments as they fall due. Credit terms vary across the entities' range of customers. The Group measures the loss allowance for trade receivables by applying the simplified approach which is prescribed by IFRS 9. In accordance with this approach, the loss allowance on trade receivables is determined as the lifetime expected credit losses on trade receivables at each reporting date. In measuring the expected credit losses, the trade receivables have been assessed on a collective basis as they possess shared credit risk characteristics.

Trade receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Failure to make payments and failure to engage with any of the Group companies on alternative payment arrangement amongst other, is considered indicators of no reasonable expectation of recovery. On the above basis the expected credit loss for Group trade receivables as at 31 March 2025 and 31 March 2024 were R503 million and R369 million respectively. The table below provides information about the credit quality of trade and other receivables at Company level, where the expected credit loss is measured at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses.

Figures in Rand million	Group					
	2025			2024		
	Gross carrying amount	Expected credit loss	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	Expected credit loss	Amortised cost
Total	3 178	(503)	2 675	3 274	(369)	2 905

Figures in Rand million	Company					
	2025			2024		
	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost	Gross carrying amount	ECL allowance	Amortised cost
0–60 days past/due	455	–	455	776	–	776
60–180 days past/due	3	–	3	28	(6)	22
180+ days past/due	70	(60)	10	51	(35)	16
Total	528	(60)	468	855	(41)	814

The IDC used historically observed default rates over the expected life of the trade receivables adjusted as necessary to reflect current conditions to calculate the expected credit losses. IDC applies 0% for debtors that are not older than 60 days, 15% for debtors that are 60 to 180 days old and 85% for debtors older than 180 days.

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14. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Cash and balances with bank	5 413	9 737	5 234	5 205
Negotiable securities	2 238	2 822	2 238	2 822
Expected credit losses ²	(2)	(11)	(2)	(11)
Gross cash	7 649	12 548	7 470	8 016
Bank overdraft ¹	(169)	(202)	–	–
	7 480	12 345	7 470	8 016
Less: restricted cash	–	–	–	(1 653)
Own cash	7 480	12 345	7 470	6 363
	7 480	12 345	7 470	8 016

¹ Bank overdraft forms an integral part of the Group's (Prilla, Sheraton Textile and Eerste Flambeau) cash management as it is held for the purpose of meeting short-term cash commitments.

² In computing the expected credit loss on cash and cash equivalents, reference is made to the financial institution's credit ratings as per one or more of the major credit rating agencies. During the current year, the range of credit ratings across the institutions ranged from Aa1 through Ba3 according to the latest Moody's Report.

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Cash and cash equivalents in **2023/24** includes allocations received from the Department of Small Business Development to the value of R2.55 billion which is ringfenced under various lending programmes and cannot be used for sefa group operational expenditure. The interest earned on these funds and collections from lending operations are however available for unrestricted use by sefa. Refer note 7.

14.1 Short-dated Investments

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Treasury bills	559	1 100	559	1 100
	559	1 100	559	1 100

Reconciliation of short-dated investments:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Opening balance	1 100	250	1 100	250
Additions	2 163	2 323	2 163	2 323
Maturity	(2 705)	(1 473)	(2 705)	(1 473)
Closing balance	559	1 100	559	1 100

15. Nature and purpose of reserves

Foreign currency translation reserve

The translation reserve comprises all foreign currency differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations.

Equity revaluation reserve

The equity revaluation reserve comprises the cumulative net change in the fair value of those financial assets held at FVOCI.

Property revaluation reserve

The property revaluation reserve relates to the revaluation of property, plant and equipment.

Associated entities reserve

The associated entities reserve comprises the cumulative net changes of equity accounted investment, directly to other comprehensive income.

Share-based payment reserve

The share-based payment reserve relates to the equity-settled portion share-based portion of the Foskor BEE transaction, entered into on 7 July 2009. Please refer to note 26 for further detail.

Retirement obligations

Retirement obligations relate to the Group's net defined benefit plan.

16. Share capital

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Issued				
Ordinary type A	1	1	1	1
Ordinary type B	1 392	1 392	1 392	1 392
	1 393	1 393	1 393	1 393

The A shares are not transferable otherwise than by an Act of Parliament, however the B shares may be sold with the authorisation of the President of the Republic of South Africa. The A shares held by the state shall entitle it to a majority vote.

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17. Borrowings

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Foreign loans	4 728	3 957	4 728	3 821
Domestic loans	26 224	24 552	41 354	40 215
Third party cash balances	114	4	650	1 653
	31 066	28 513	46 733	45 689
Foreign loans				
US dollar	4 460	3 658	4 460	3 522
Euro	268	298	268	298
	4 728	3 957	4 728	3 821
Maturity of foreign loans				
Due within one year	1 141	1 397	1 141	1 397
Due after one year but less than two years	1 063	761	1 063	626
Due after two years but less than three years	994	613	994	613
Due after three years but less than four years	962	565	962	565
Due after four years but less than five years	870	556	870	556
Due after five years	655	1 013	655	1 013
	5 685	4 905	5 685	4 769

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Maturity of domestic loans and third-party cash balances				
Repayable on demand	533	33	16 427	17 430
Due within one year	7 446	7 485	7 244	7 508
Due after one year but less than two years	8 856	6 229	8 866	6 122
Due after two years but less than three years	4 423	10 487	4 423	10 487
Due after three years but less than four years	3 740	1 272	3 740	1 272
Due after four years but less than five years	2 271	3 062	2 271	3 062
Due after five years	6 340	1 999	6 305	1 999
Total	33 610	30 657	49 277	47 880

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Unsecured loans				
Rand-denominated loans	8 936	8 982	8 294	7 758
Public Investment Corporation Green Bond	5 174	5 005	5 174	5 175
Public Bond	7 934	6 024	7 934	6 256
Private Bond	151	200	151	200
Unemployment Insurance Fund Bond	4 028	4 341	4 028	5 053
Third party cash balances	114	4	650	1 653
Loans from subsidiaries with no fixed terms of repayment: interest free	–	–	15 773	15 773
Total	26 338	24 556	42 005	41 868

Summary of interest rates on interest-bearing borrowings issued

	Company	
	Average interest rate (%)	Range of interest rate (%)
Foreign loans	4.2	0.75–8.474
Rand-denominated loans	10.01	8.05–11.55
Public Investment Corporation Green Bond	8.8	8.8
Public Bond	10.71	0–11.57
Private Bond	9.25	9.25
Unemployment Insurance Fund Bond	5.21	2.7–8.8
Loans with no fixed terms of repayment	6.85	5–8.5

Carrying amount reconciliation

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Balance at the beginning of the year	28 513	30 720	45 689	47 055
Changes arising from cash movements:	2 758	(3 002)	2 177	(2 782)
Issuing of long-term debt instruments	14 130	10 542	8 252	3 793
Redemption of long-term debt instruments	(11 372)	(13 544)	(6 076)	(6 575)
Changes arising from non-cash movements:	1 129	1 274	485	1 055
Accrued interest	1 129	740	485	521
Unwinding of premium/discounts (fair value movements)	–	534	–	534
Other	(1 334)	(479)	(1 618)	362
Balance at the end of the year	31 066	28 513	46 733	45 689

At 31 March 2025, management believes the amortised cost of borrowings represents the fair value since borrowings are repayable on demand and therefore have no implications relating to the time-value of money. The remainder that is not repayable on demand is raised in open capital markets and the Group lends on arms-length terms with commercial lenders.

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18. Revenue

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Revenue				
Sale of goods	943	1 171	–	–
Dividend income	3 095	4 266	4 002	5 838
Leasing income	315	(30)	–	–
Mining income: phosphate rock and magnetite	3 668	2 929	–	–
Fertiliser and acid sales	5 891	7 050	–	–
Fee income	302	458	301	390
Other	1	749	–	1
	14 215	16 593	4 303	6 229

Geographical segments

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
South Africa	8 517	14 558
Rest of Africa	5 445	983
Rest of the world	253	1 052
	14 215	16 593

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Revenue disaggregation by major good/service		
Revenue from contracts with customers:		
Fee income	559	458
Mining Division – phosphate rock	3 503	2 768
Mining Division – magnetite	166	162
Acid Division – granular fertiliser	2 625	3 388
Acid Division – phosphate acid	3 213	3 607
Acid Division – sulphuric acid	45	48
Acid Division – sulphur, ammonia and gypsum	7	6
Other revenue	1 002	1 890
Revenue other than from contracts with customers:		
Dividends received	3 095	4 266
	14 215	16 593

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Timing of recognition		
Revenue from contracts with customers:		
Satisfied at a point in time	9 944	7 526
Satisfied over time	1 176	4 802
Revenue other than from contracts with customers:		
Dividends	3 095	4 266
	14 215	16 593

19. Interest income

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Interest received on cash and cash equivalents	1 162	990	1 137	636
Interest received on loans and advances ¹	6 148	5 680	6 234	6 264
Interest received on other	141	185	59	107
	7 451	6 855	7 430	7 007

¹ Restated, refer to note 36.

20. Finance costs

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Net foreign exchange (gains) losses on foreign ¹	–	121	–	54
Trade and other payables	–	(19)	–	–
Current borrowings	(3 688)	(2 650)	(2 930)	(2 566)
Leases finance charge	(3)	20	(25)	–
Other interest paid ²	(404)	(613)	(405)	(542)
	(4 095)	(3 141)	(3 359)	(3 054)

¹ In the period under review, management reclassified foreign exchange gains and losses from finance costs to operating expenses on the face of the statement of comprehensive income.

² Other interest paid includes financial instruments at fair value of R272 million.

21. Cash used in operations

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Profit (loss) before taxation ¹	538	6 313	2 226	7 144
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	619	545	20	16
Depreciation right of use	43	33	50	50
Impairment of property, plant and equipment	–	–	–	–
Fair value adjustment on investment property	185	(8)	1	(4)
Income from associates	(6)	(2 553)	–	–
Dividend income	(3 095)	(4 266)	(4 002)	(5 838)
Interest income ¹	(7 451)	(6 855)	(7 430)	(7 007)
Finance costs	4 095	3 141	3 359	3 054
Expected credit gains/(losses) on financial assets ¹	3 171	1 008	3 303	(1 475)
Losses on FVTPL financial assets movements	(184)	102	(734)	236
Financial assets written off	728	1 433	508	1 433
Amortisation of intangible assets	18	15	12	12
Movements in retirement benefit assets and liabilities	51	22	30	22
Income statement effect of provisions	219	57	323	17
Other non-cash items	(113)	(548)	441	434
Deemed distribution due to sefa				
Grants funding	36	178	36	178
Receiver of revenue penalty	–	–	–	–
Grant income received	–	265	–	(1)
Loss/profit on sale of PPE	1	6	1	4
Changes in working capital:				
Inventories	(180)	908	–	–
Trade and other receivables	224	(108)	348	(327)
Trade and other payables	(791)	(293)	(224)	(263)
Operating financial assets ²	(4 229)	(2)	(4 622)	584
Operating financial liabilities ³	2 293	(3 002)	2 176	(2 782)
	(3 828)	(3 609)	(4 178)	(4 513)

¹ Restated, refer to note 36

² Operating financial assets comprise of loans and advances

³ Operating financial liabilities comprise of borrowings

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22. Financial guarantees

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Guarantees issued in favour of third parties in respect of finance provided to industrialists	987	1 058	1 162	1 273
Sundry guarantees issued by subsidiaries	576	576	–	–
Guarantees	1 563	1 634	1 162	1 273
Financial guarantees				
Expected credit losses	249	216	341	299
Maturity analysis of financial guarantees				
– due within one year	817	916	927	1 043
– due after one year but within three years	115	119	180	207
– due after three years	630	599	54	23
	1 563	1 634	1 162	1 273

¹ The IDC recognises expected credit losses on financial guarantees issued

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The Group had mine rehabilitation guarantees amounting to R499 million at year end. In line with the requirements set out by the Department of Mineral and Petroleum Resources (DMPR), this guaranteed amount was in place on 31 March 2025. These guarantees and the agreement reached with the DMPR were based on the environmental rehabilitation and closure costs assessment that was performed during the 2025 financial year. Estimated scheduled closure costs for the mine are R685 million. For unscheduled or premature closure, the DMPR, in accordance with the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act, requires Foskor (Pty) Ltd to provide for the liability of R955 million in the form of guarantees and cash. The premature closure cost of R955 million is covered by guarantees totaling R499 million and investment assets totaling R500 million. The Group has, therefore, over provided for early closure costs by R44 million.

23. Directors' emoluments and executive remuneration

23.1 Non executive:

Fees for services as directors:

Figures in Rand thousand	2025	2024
Director		
BA Mabuza	1 577	2 081
NP Mnexasana	1 031	1 301
Dr SM Magwentshu-Rensburg	927	1 282
Adv NDB Orleyn	673	872
RM Godsell	660	858
MP Mthethwa	981	809
BA Dames	449	808
AT Kriel	556	688
LI Bethlehem ¹	–	89
	6 854	8 788

¹ Ms L Bethlehem was on a sabbatical and she subsequently retired from the board of the IDC as announced at the AGM held on 20 July 2024.

23.2 Executive

During 2025 and 2024, no long-term benefits, termination benefits, nor share-based payments were made to the executive management team.

2025

Figures in Rand thousand	Salary	Post – employment benefits	Retention payments	Other ¹	Retirement and medical aid	Total
EM Lekhethe – start date 1/2/2025	861	–	–	–	133	994
IN Malevu	4 358	–	600	153	659	5 770
JK Bate	3 355	–	–	96	616	4 067
MJ Tsele	3 797	–	1 050	71	591	5 509
DA Jarvis	3 372	–	960	665	647	5 644
I Sayed	1 872	–	–	589	319	2 780
TL Khumalo	3 511	–	670	97	520	4 798
TBW Miya	3 533	–	670	104	499	4 806
TP Mushungwa	3 051	–	594	99	513	4 257
T Legodi	2 924	–	400	187	457	3 968
M Kganedi	2 819	–	790	89	406	4 104
GS Gouws – post employment benefit	–	201	–	–	–	201
LP Mondli – post employment benefit	–	298	–	–	–	298
WH Smith – post employment benefit	–	201	–	–	–	201
SAU Meer – post employment benefit	–	201	–	–	–	201
PB Makwane – post employment benefit	–	156	–	–	–	156
G Van Wyk – terminated 31/3/2024	–	207	–	–	–	207
	33 453	1 264	5 734	2 150	5 360	47 961

¹ Other comprises acting allowance, group life cover, leave encashment, long service award and lump sum remuneration

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23. Directors' emoluments and executive remuneration *continued*

23.2 Executive *continued*

2024

Figures in Rand thousand	Salary	Post – employment benefits	Bonus/ performance payments	Other ¹	Retirement and medical aid	Total
TP Nchocho – contract ended on 31/10/2023	4 218	–	1 525	1 184	219	7 146
IN Malevu	4 118	–	933	55	574	5 680
JK Bate	3 826	–	761	52	642	5 281
MJ Tsele	3 584	–	816	149	519	5 068
DA Jarvis	3 200	–	748	492	559	4 999
I Sayed	3 595	–	707	48	558	4 908
TL Khumalo	3 309	–	641	99	473	4 522
TBW Miya	3 338	–	372	44	432	4 186
TP Mushungwa	2 883	–	567	216	450	4 116
T Legodi	2 768	–	538	37	393	3 736
M Kganedi	2 748	–	489	36	351	3 624
F Moosa – resigned 16/11/2023	2 262	–	–	450	276	2 988
K Schumann – post-employment benefit	–	244	–	–	–	244
WH Smith – post-employment benefit	–	198	–	–	–	198
SAU Meer – post-employment benefit	–	194	–	–	–	194
PB Makwane – post-employment benefit	–	176	–	–	–	176
	39 849	812	8 097	2 862	5 446	57 066

24. Related parties

Director	Company	Financing approved	2025	2024	Interest/ funding rate	Type of financing/ repayment terms	Director's interest	Year of approval
Lael Bethlehem¹	Sedibelo Platinum Mines Ltd	3 240	3 240	3 240	–	Equity shareholding	The IDC has a 15.75% investment in Sedibelo Platinum Mines Ltd (Sedibelo). Ms Bethlehem joined Sedibelo on 1 December 2021 as a senior executive.	2012
	Kelltechnology South Africa (RF) (Pty) Ltd	86	86	86	–	Equity shareholding	The IDC is a 33.3% shareholder in Kelltechnology South Africa (RF) (Pty) Ltd. Sedibelo holds 50% in Kelltech Ltd Mauritius which holds 66.67% in Kelltech SA.	2014
	Kelltechnology South Africa (RF) (Pty) Ltd	407	58	58	Interest free	Shareholder's loan	The IDC is a 33.3% shareholder in Kelltechnology South Africa (RF) (Pty) Ltd. Sedibelo holds 50% in Kelltech Ltd Mauritius which holds 66.67% in Kelltech SA.	2021
	Kellplant (Pty) Ltd	500	–	–	Prime +2%	Normal loan	Kellplant (Pty) Ltd is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Kelltech SA.	2021
André Kriel	Trade Call Investments Apparel (Pty) Ltd	60	8	8	4.00%	Post unrest business recovery fund bridging loan	Mr Kriel is a director of Trade Call Investments Apparel (Pty) Ltd.	2021

¹ Ms L Bethlehem was on a sabbatical, and she subsequently retired from the board of the IDC as announced at the AGM held on 20 July 2024.

Shareholder: The Government of South Africa through **the dtic**.

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24. Related parties *continued*

Company

Figures in Rand million	National sphere of government	Financing approved	2025	2024	Discount rate	Terms of financing
The Land and Agricultural Development Bank of SA Ltd	National	250	–	28	–	Loan paid on 31 December 2024
The Land and Agricultural Development Bank of SA Ltd	National	400	–	96	Prime	Loans repayable on 31 December 2030
The Land and Agricultural Development Bank of SA Ltd	National	252	168	–	JIBAR 3 +3.1%	Loan repayable on 31 March 2028
The Land and Agricultural Development Bank of SA Ltd	National	264	–	129	Repo rate +3.5%	Loan repayable on 1 October 2026
Transnet Limited	National	1 500	556	–	JIBAR 3 +4.25%	Loan repayable on 31 March 2033
Trans Caledon Tunnel Authority	National	1 250	–	–	JIBAR 3 +4.05%	Loan repayable on 28 February 2042
Trans Caledon Tunnel Authority	National	1 500	–	–	12.04%	Loan repayable on 28 February 2045

Figures in Rand million	Sphere of government	Group		Company	
		2025	2024	2025	2024
Related party transactions					
Non-financing transactions –					
Rendering of services					
Eskom Limited	National	548	547	–	–
South African Airways (Pty) Limited	National	4	3	4	3
Telkom Limited	National	1	1	–	–
National Ports Authority	National	26	26	–	–
Transnet Limited	National	1 792	1 441	–	–
		2 371	2 018	4	3

25. Provisions

Group 2025

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Utilised during the year	Change in discount factor	Derecognition	Closing balance
Environmental rehabilitation	319	–	(98)	43	20	284
Other provisions ¹	80	333	(8)	–	(71)	333
	399	333	(106)	43	(51)	617

Group 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Utilised during the year	Change in discount factor	Derecognition	Closing balance
Environmental rehabilitation	457	13	(203)	52	–	319
Other provisions ¹	40	44	(4)	–	–	80
	497	57	(207)	52	–	399

Company 2025

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Utilised during the year	Change in discount factor	Closing balance
Environmental rehabilitation	37	–	(18)	8	27
Other provisions ¹	–	333	–	–	333
	37	333	(18)	8	360

¹ Other provisions include closure costs, legal liabilities, unearned risk reserve and outstanding claims provision. Additions of R333 million relate to grant funding provision which was previously presented as trade and other payables in prior year.

Company 2024

Figures in Rand million	Opening balance	Additions	Utilised during the year	Change in discount factor	Closing balance
Environmental rehabilitation	37	17	(17)	–	37

Foskor (Pty) Ltd

Foskor, the Department of Water and Environmental Affairs (DWEA) and the local authority are in discussions on the rehabilitation of the gypsum dam area. The liability of the rehabilitation and/or closure is the responsibility of Foskor once all the gypsum is removed. Management estimated, in consultation with external experts, who have done similar projects, that the closure costs for conventional capping will vary from R350/m² to R750/m² excluding all the approvals and design related costs. On 31 March 2025 a provision for rehabilitation of gypsum dam, decommissioning infrastructural asset and waste removal of R84 million for the closure costs has been made.

Estimated scheduled closure costs for the mine are R722 million. For unscheduled or premature closure, the DMPR, in accordance with the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act, requires Foskor (Pty) Ltd to provide for the liability of R1.014 billion in the form of guarantees and cash. The premature closure cost of R1 billion is covered by guarantees totaling R499 million and investment assets in the form of an environmental rehabilitation trust totaling R538 million. The Group has, therefore, provided for early closure costs of R23 million.

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26. Share-based payments

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Equity-settled share-based payment reserve	304	304

In the 2011 financial year, Foskor and IDC entered into a Black Economic Empowerment Transaction (BEE Transaction). In terms of the transaction the IDC sold 15% interest in Foskor to Strategic Business Partners (SBPs) and Special Black Groups (SBGs) (collectively, the Manyoro Consortium), 5% to the communities where Foskor operates and a 6% interest in Foskor to the Foskor Employee Share Ownership Plan Trust (ESOP). The transaction with the Manyoro Consortium and communities constitutes an equity-settled share-based plan, the shares vest immediately at the grant date. In determining the fair value of services received as consideration for equity instruments granted, measurement is referenced to the fair value of the equity instruments granted.

Equity-settled reserve: Weighted average fair value assumptions

The fair value of services received in return for equity instruments granted is measured by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments granted. The estimate of the fair value of the equity instruments granted is measured based on the Black Scholes Option pricing model.

The following weighted average assumptions were used in the share pricing models at the valuation date:

Grant date	31 December 2009
Initial company value (exercise price) (R'm)	3 500
Average share price at grant date	382
Annualised expected volatility (%)	43
Risk-free interest rate (%)	2
Dividend yield (%)	9
Strike price (R)	656

The holders of the equity instruments were required to hold the instruments to maintain the BEE status until 31 March 2024, however, due to the underperformance of the scheme, the participants have not exercised their options. The schemes funder has not called an event of default but neither has it made a commitment to extend the scheme, in the absence of the aforementioned, Foskor continues to recognise the Share-Based Payment Reserve. The volatility indicator used in the calculation was based on the market prices of globally listed proxy companies that are in the same industry as Foskor.

The fair values were determined by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments granted using the Black Scholes Option Pricing model. This model has been modified to take into account early exercise opportunities and expected employee exercise behaviour.

27. Operating profit

Operating profit (loss) for the year is stated after charging (crediting) the following, amongst others:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Auditors' remuneration – external				
Audit fees				
– Deloitte	(21)	(37)	(10)	(17)
– Nexia	(5)	(6)	(5)	(6)
– BDO	(11)	–	(7)	–
Non-audit related fees				
– Deloitte	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
– BDO	(1)	–	(1)	–
Employee costs				
Salaries, wages, bonuses and other benefits	(3 351)	(3 538)	(1 461)	(1 584)
Depreciation and amortisation				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	(619)	(545)	(20)	(16)
Amortisation of intangible assets	(18)	(15)	(12)	(12)
Depreciation of right of use assets	(43)	(30)	(50)	(50)
Total depreciation and amortisation	(679)	(590)	(82)	(78)

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Other				
Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress	7 411	7 856	–	–
Expected credit losses on trade and other receivables	134	369	19	41
Fair value adjustment on investment property	2	(8)	1	(3)
Interest on lease liabilities	27	7	25	27
Profit/(loss) on financial assets classified as FVTPL	184	(102)	734	(236)
Expected credit losses	(3 171)	(1 008)	(3 303)	1 475
Financial assets written off	(728)	(1 594)	(508)	(1 594)

¹ Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress relates to Foskor Proprietary Limited

² Nexia did not provide any non-assurance services in 2024/25

Figures in Rand million	Foskor	
	2025	2024
Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress comprises of the following key items:		
– Personnel costs	1 692	1 513
– Inventory costs	1 342	1 687
– Production costs	3 318	3 755
– Repairs and maintenance	1 059	901

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28. Taxation

Major components of tax

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Current				
Local income tax – current period	923	293	1 004	524
Local income tax – prior period	344	–	344	–
Foreign tax credit	23	87	23	87
Deferred tax – current year	(926)	(479)	(938)	(503)
	363	(100)	432	108

%	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Applicable tax rate	27	27	27	27
Income from equity accounted investments	0.3	(9.83)	0	0
Dividend income	(148.99)	(16.99)	(47.02)	(20.76)
Capital loss, impairment and write off	24.69	(4.94)	5.84	(6.99)
Donations and grants	32.43	0.48	7.82	2.33
Non deductible expenses ¹	26.34	0.12	6.55	0.22
Non-taxable insurance claim	16.52	0.3	2.69	0.17
Increase in assessed loss	20.95	(3.32)	0	0
Other ²	68.24	5.68	16.56	(0.54)
Total	67.49	(1.51)	19.43	1.44

¹ The following forms part of the non-deductible expenses: Directors' fees paid, computer equipment – rental, bank charges, general expense, maintenance on buildings, cost of repossessed assets, legal fees, consulting fees, non-deductible administration expenses

² The following forms part of other: Lease expenses (right of use assets), Third party expenditure, pro forma accruals, VAT apportionment ratio, accrual, interest expense on right of use assets

29. Deferred tax

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Deferred tax assets	7 902	8 036	5 683	5 665
Deferred tax liabilities	(3 733)	(8 586)	(5 428)	(9 078)
Net deferred tax asset/(liability)	4 169	(550)	255	(3 413)

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Deferred tax assets:				
Provisions	451	390	202	188
Loans	2 856	2 945	2 856	2 945
Preference shares	1 135	1 098	1 135	1 098
PPE	78	102	77	88
Losses	3 428	2 980	1 460	846
Other deferred tax assets ¹	(45)	521	(45)	(501)
	7 902	8 036	5 683	5 665

¹ Other deferred tax assets include income received in advance and lease liabilities

The group has recognised deferred tax assets of R3 428 million (2024: R2 980 million) relating to tax losses carried forward.

The subsidiaries in the group that are in a net deferred tax asset position have conducted formal assessments of their future profitability based on detailed budgets and cash flow forecasts. As a result of those assessments performed, management believes that there will be sufficient taxable profits in future to be used against the assessed tax losses.

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Deferred tax liabilities				
Provisions	(39)	(34)	(37)	(34)
Ordinary shares	(5 499)	(5 691)	(5 499)	(8 288)
Bonds	–	(238)	–	(238)
Other financial instruments	–	(547)	–	–
Property, plant and equipment	(1 262)	(1 100)	(42)	(54)
Other deferred tax liabilities	3 066	(976)	150	(523)
	(3 733)	(8 586)	(5 428)	(9 078)

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Movements of deferred tax				
Opening balance	(550)	(1 756)	(3 413)	(5 714)
Charge for the current year (I/S)	1 186	(1 416)	938	503
Charge for the current year (OCI)	3 532	2 622	2 703	1 799
Closing balance	4 169	(550)	255	(3 413)
Reconciliation of deferred tax asset/(liability)				
At beginning of year	(550)	(1 756)	(3 413)	(5 714)
Temporary differences				
Provisions	(33)	582	(343)	252
Loans	265	(56)	265	(56)
Preference shares	37	(186)	37	(186)
Ordinary shares	3 533	2 621	2 728	1 982
Bonds	(104)	75	(104)	75
Property, plant and equipment	20	(18)	2	40
Other financial instruments	–	(2 044)	–	–
Tax loss utilised	614	232	614	217
Other	389	–	4 703	(22)
	4 169	(550)	255	(3 413)

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30. Leases

Group – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Right of use assets – Group				
Opening balance	51	6	4	60
Additions	7	–	–	8
Depreciation charge for the year	(40)	(2)	(1)	(43)
At 31 March 2025	18	4	3	25

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Right of use assets – Company				
Opening balance	268	–	4	272
Additions	–	–	–	–
Depreciation charge for the year	(48)	–	(2)	(50)
At 31 March 2025	220	–	2	222

Group – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Lease liabilities – Group				
Opening balance	67	6	3	76
Increase in lease liabilities	7	–	–	7
Interest expense	27	–	–	27
Lease termination	(30)	–	–	(30)
Lease payments	(33)	(5)	(3)	(41)
At 31 March 2025	38	1	–	39

Company – 2025

Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Lease liabilities – Company				
Opening balance	370	–	–	370
Increase in lease liabilities	–	–	–	–
Interest expense	24	–	1	25
Lease payments	(69)	–	(2)	(71)
At 31 March 2025	325	–	(1)	324

Group – 2024

Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Right of use assets – Group				
Opening balance	54	6	–	60
Additions	8	4	4	16
Lease modifications	17	–	–	17
Depreciation charge for the year	(25)	(7)	(1)	(33)
At 31 March 2024	54	3	3	60

¹ Plant and machinery include office equipment for Sheraton, IDC and Foskor

	Company – 2024			
Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Right of use assets – Company				
Opening balance	314	–	–	314
Additions	4	–	4	8
Depreciation charge for the year	(50)	–	–	(50)
At 31 March 2024	268	–	4	272

	Group – 2024			
Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Lease liabilities – Group				
Opening balance	61	8	–	69
Lease modifications	(1)	–	–	(1)
Increase in lease liabilities	29	–	4	33
Interest expense	7	–	–	7
Lease payments	(29)	(2)	(1)	(32)
At 31 March 2024	67	6	3	76

	Company – 2024			
Figures in Rand million	Buildings	Plant and machinery ¹	Office equipment	Total
Lease liabilities – Company				
Opening balance	400	–	–	400
Increase in lease liabilities	4	–	4	8
Interest expense	27	–	–	27
Lease payments	(65)	–	–	(65)
At 31 March 2024	366	–	4	370

¹ Plant and machinery include office equipment for, Sheraton, IDC and Foskor

Foskor

The lease is between Foskor Limited and the malthouse Water Board for an effluent pipeline. The lease liability is effectively secured, as the rights to the leased asset revert to the lessor in the event of default. The lease is over a 20-year period with two years remaining as at 31 March 2025. Foskor has sole use of the effluent pipeline and pays for the maintenance.

Eerste Flambeau

The Group enters into lease agreements for its Wellington factory shop and other equipment items. The Group accounts for its leases of the store in terms of IFRS 16 and applies the “short-term leases” and “low-value items” exemptions to its equipment leases, assessed on a lease-by-lease basis. The Group assesses on a contract-by-contract basis whether it is probable that these options will be entered into and whether the options should be capitalised to the lease term 12 months prior to the option being exercisable. The Group discounts all future lease payments at the Group’s incremental borrowing rate in the month the lease was entered into, renewed or modified, which averaged 7% for the year ended 31 March 2025 (7% on 31 March 2024). Further details of the Group as a lessee and right-of-use assets are included in the disclosure of lease liabilities.

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30. Leases *continued*

IDC Company

Certain items of computer and office equipment are leased by the Group to which the low value asset recognition exemption is applied.

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Commitments for future minimum rentals payable under non-cancellable leases are as follows:				
– due within one year	14	30	53	47
– due after one year but within five years	24	43	237	255
– due after five years	1	3	29	68
Present value of minimum lease payments	39	76	318	370
Future finance charges	2	10	70	95
Undiscounted value of minimum lease payments	41	86	388	465

Undiscounted minimum lease payments exclude lease payments from discontinued operations.

Amounts recognised in profit or loss relating to lease assets and liabilities

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Expenses relating to short-term leases	1	1	–	–
Interest expense on lease liabilities	5	6	3	2

31. Tax paid

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Balance at beginning of the year	734	(204)	677	(214)
Current tax for the year recognised in profit or loss	(1 267)	(293)	(1 348)	(524)
Non-cash tax entry	(237)	(218)	(137)	(5)
Net current (assets)/liability	246	(734)	243	(677)
	(523)	(1 449)	(565)	(1 421)

32. Trade and other payables

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Trade payables	2 155	2 276	211	489
Deferred grants payable (sefa)	–	5 208	–	–
Accrued leave pay	70	176	113	88
Accrued bonus	351	345	271	242
	2 576	8 005	595	819

33. Retirement benefits

Pension and provident schemes

The Group has pension and provident schemes covering substantially all employees. All eligible employees are members of either defined contribution or defined benefit schemes. These schemes are governed by the Pension Funds Act, 1956, as amended. The assets of the schemes under the control of trustees are held separately from those of the Group.

The costs charged to profit or loss represent contributions payable to the scheme by the Group at rates specified in the rules of the scheme.

Defined contribution schemes

Employees and Group companies contribute to the provident funds on a fixed-contribution basis. No actuarial valuation of these funds is required. Contributions, including past-service costs, are charged to profit or loss when incurred.

Defined benefit scheme

A Group company and its employees contribute to a defined benefit pension fund. The pension fund is the final salary fully funded. The assets of the fund are held in an independent trustee-administered fund, administered in terms of the Pension Funds Act.

The fund is valued every three years using the projected unit credit method. The actuarial valuation for purposes of IAS 19 was performed on 31 March 2025.

Employees and Group companies contribute to the provident funds on a fixed-contribution basis. No actuarial valuation of these funds is required. Contributions, including past-service costs, are charged to profit or loss when incurred.

The amounts recognised in the statement of financial position are as follows:

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Present value of funded obligations	247	247
Fair value of plan assets	(317)	(323)
Impact of asset ceiling	71	76
Liability recognised	–	–
The movement in the defined benefit obligation		
Opening balance	246	271
Current-service cost	–	–
Interest-cost	26	30
Actuarial (gains)/losses	6	(14)
Benefit paid	(44)	(41)
Closing balance	234	246

Movement in plan asset

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Fair value of plan assets at beginning of the year	317	323
Expected return on asset	34	36
Actuarial (loss)/gain recognised during the year	3	(1)
Benefits paid	(44)	(41)
Fair value of plan assets at the end of the year	310	317

The amounts recognised in profit or loss are as follows:

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Interest cost	17	15
Expected return on assets	(14)	(13)
Net actuarial gain recognised during the year	4	1
Total included in operating expenses	7	3

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33. Retirement benefits *continued*

The actual return on plan assets was:

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Expected return on plan assets	14	13
Actuarial gains/(losses) on plan assets	(2)	1
Actual return on plan assets	12	14

Plan assets are comprised as follows:

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Equity instruments	37	37
Cash	19	19
Debt instruments	41	41
Other	3	3
Actual return on plan assets	100	100

The principal actuarial assumptions for accounting purposes were:

Figures in Rand million	2025	2024
Discount rate %	10.60	10.10
Expected return on plan assets %	10.60	11.20
Future salary increases %	6.90	7.20
Future pension increases %	6.00	6.00
Normal retirement age	60.00	60.00

The sensitivity of the overall pension liability to changes in the weighted principal assumptions is:

Figures in Rand million	Impact on overall liability	
	2025 %	2024 %
Inflation rate (increase of 1%)	7.50	6.30
Inflation rate (decrease of 1%)	(8.80)	(7.10)

Post-retirement medical benefits

Some Group companies have obligations to provide post-retirement medical benefits to their pensioners. The accumulated post-retirement medical aid obligation and the annual cost of those benefits were determined by independent actuaries. Any surplus or shortfall between the actuarially determined liability and the aggregate amounts provided is charged to profit or loss.

The amounts recognised in the statement of financial position are as follows:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Present value of unfunded obligation:				
Medical aid members	349	330	199	186
Movement in the liability recognised in the statement of financial position:				
At the beginning of the year	330	319	186	179
Contributions paid	(31)	(28)	(17)	(15)
Current-service costs	1	1	1	1
Interest cost	39	37	22	21
(Deficit)/surplus	11	1	7	–
Balance at the end of the year	349	330	199	186

The principal actuarial assumptions used for accounting purposes were:

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
– Discount rate (%)	11.10	12.60	11.10	12.60
– General inflation rate (%)	5.30	6.60	5.30	6.60
– Medical inflation rate (%)	6.80	8.10	6.80	8.10
– Normal retirement age	63	63	63	63

	Group		Company	
	Change in past-service liability		Change in service cost plus asset	
Present value of unfunded obligation history				
Inflation rate (increase of 1%)	7.5% increase	7.5% increase	9.5% increase	10.1% increase
Inflation rate (decrease of 1%)	8.8% decrease	8.8% decrease	8.2% decrease	8.7% decrease

	Group	
	Change in discount rate	
Present value of unfunded obligation history		
Discount rate (increase of 1%)		6.3% increase
Discount rate (decrease of 1%)		7.1% decrease

	Group	
	Change in pension increase	
Present value of unfunded obligation history		
Pension rate (increase of 1%)		7.3% decrease
Pension rate (decrease of 1%)		6.5% increase

A 1% upward and 1% downward percentage change in salary increases has a negligible impact on the value of the Group unfunded obligation.

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34. Commitments

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
In respect of:				
Undrawn financing facilities approved	16 459	13 413	16 982	13 065
Undrawn guarantee facilities approved	379	1 248	379	119
Capital expenditure approved by subsidiaries	211	212	–	–
– Contracted	211	212	–	–
Commitments net of counter-guarantees	17 049	14 873	17 361	13 184

Commitments will be financed by a combination of internally generated funds as well as borrowings.

35. Other comprehensive income

Components of other comprehensive income – Group 2025

Figures in Rand million	Gross	Tax	Net
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Movements on valuation of equity investments	(13 583)	2 688	(10 895)
Remeasurements on net defined benefit liability/asset	7	–	7
Share of comprehensive income of equity accounted investments	7	–	7
Movements on property valuation	252	–	252
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(13 317)	2 688	(10 629)
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	165	–	165
Total items that may be reclassified to profit or loss	165	–	165
Total	(13 152)	2 688	(10 464)

Components of other comprehensive income – Group 2024

Figures in Rand million	Gross	Tax	Net
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Movements on valuation of equity investments	(4 741)	645	(4 096)
Remeasurements on net defined benefit liability/asset	14	–	14
Share of comprehensive income of equity accounted investments	(1 220)	–	(1 220)
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(5 947)	645	(5 302)
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	(1 201)	–	(1 201)
Total items that may be reclassified to profit or loss	(1 201)	–	(1 201)
Total	(7 149)	645	(6 503)

Components of other comprehensive income – Company 2025

Figures in Rand million	Gross	Tax	Net
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Movements on valuation of equity investments	(14 293)	2 730	(11 563)
Remeasurements on net defined benefit liability/asset	10	–	10
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(14 283)	2 730	(11 553)

Components of other comprehensive income – Company 2024

Figures in Rand million	Gross	Tax	Net
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Movements on valuation of equity investments	(10 574)	1 821	(8 753)
Remeasurements on net defined benefit liability/asset	15	–	15
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(10 559)	1 821	(8 738)

36. Restatements

Restatement of the statement of financial position and statement of changes in equity

36.1 Investment securities

In the current year under review, management performed a review of the accounting classification of its preference shares and identified that certain preference shares with debt characteristics (redemption dates) and measured at fair value, were incorrectly classified as Investment securities rather than as Loans and advances. The misclassification of R1 988 million has been corrected through the reclassification of the Investment Securities line item to the Loans and advances line item in the statement of financial position.

36.2 Investments in subsidiaries

It was further identified that a preference share held in an IDC subsidiary, (Foskor (Pty) Ltd), was incorrectly classified as an equity instrument under Investments in subsidiaries and measured at fair value through other comprehensive income rather than a debt instrument measured at fair value through profit or loss. This preference share, whose fair value is nil, has been reclassified from the Investment in subsidiaries' line item to the Loans and advances line item in the statement of financial position. The accumulated fair value of R950 million was also reclassified from the Revaluation reserve line item to the Retained earnings line item in the statement of changes in equity and the statement of financial position.

36.3 Investments in associates

In the year under review, it was noted that a shareholder loan to an Investment in associate was incorrectly classified as Loans and advances instead of an equity instrument under Investment in associates. The misclassification of R961 million was reclassified from the Loans and advances line item to the Investment in associates line item in the Statement of financial position.

2024						
Figures in Rand million	Group			Company		
	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated
Assets						
Loans and advances	40 647	682	41 329	45 914	682	46 596
Investment securities ¹	52 458	(1 988)	50 470	43 980	(1 988)	41 992
Investment in associates ²	26 863	961	27 824	25 983	961	26 944
Total assets	119 968	(345)	119 623	115 877	(345)	115 532
Equity and liabilities						
Equity						
Retained income	57 467	(345)	57 122	38 175	(1 295)	36 880
Reserves ³				60 647	950	61 597
Total equity	57 467	(345)	57 122	98 822	(345)	98 477

¹ Refer to 36.1

² Refer to 36.3

³ Refer to 36.2

Reconciliation of loans and advances and retained income adjustments:

Loans and advances	Group	Company
Investment securities	1 988	1 988
Investment in subsidiaries	–	–
Investment in associates	(961)	(961)
Interest income	(900)	(900)
Expected credit loss	555	555
Total adjustment	682	682
Retained income	Group	Company
Investment in subsidiary	–	(950)
Interest income	(900)	(900)
Expected credit loss	555	555
Total adjustment	(345)	(1 295)

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36. Restatements *continued*

Restatement of the statement of comprehensive income

36.4 Interest revenue

In the current year under review, management identified that interest in suspense relating to the 2023 credit impaired assets was incorrectly reversed to the interest income revenue line item in the 2024 financial year. The error of R900 million was corrected through the restatement of the comparative numbers on the statement of comprehensive income.

36.5 Expected credit losses

It was further identified that expected credit loss adjustment post the application of the interest in suspense was incorrectly calculated. This resulted in an overstatement of the expected credit losses line item in the statement of comprehensive income and an understatement of the Loans and advances line item in the statement of financial position of R555 million. The error was corrected through the restatement of the comparative numbers.

Figures in Rand million	2024					
	Group			Company		
	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated
Continuing operations						
Interest income	7 755	(900)	6 855	7 907	(900)	7 007
Expected credit losses on financial assets	(1 563)	555	(1 008)	920	555	1 475
Operating profit/(loss) impact	6 192	(345)	5 847	8 827	(345)	8 482

Restatement of the statement of changes in equity

Figures in Rand million	Group – Retained earnings			Company – Retained earnings		
	2024			2024		
	As previously reported ³	Adjustment	Restated	As previously reported ³	Adjustment	Restated
Balance at 1 April 2023¹	51 738	–	51 738	30 794	(950)	29 844
Profit for the year²	7 748	(345)	7 403	7 381	(345)	7 036
Balance at 1 April 2024	57 467	(345)	57 122	38 175	(1 295)	36 880

¹ Refer to 36.2.

² Refer to 36.4 and 36.5.

³ Only the specific lines that changed are presented

Figures in Rand million	Group – Revaluation reserve			Company – Revaluation reserve		
	2024			2024		
	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated	As previously reported	Adjustment	Restated
Balance at 1 April 2023¹	42 268	–	42 268	67 868	950	68 818

¹ Refer to 36.2.

37. Irregular, fruitless and wasteful expenditure

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Irregular expenditure	4 463	5 941	0.23	7
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure	0.13	–	0.13	–
Total	4 463	5 941	0.36	7

Details of current and previous year disciplinary or criminal steps taken as a result of irregular expenditure

Figures in Rand million	2025	2024
Non-compliance with certain aspects of procurement policy ¹	0.23	3
	0.23	3

¹ Warning issued to officials involved

38. Funds administered on behalf of third parties

Figures in Rand million	Group	
	2025	2024
Third party cash balance	7 594	6 659

IDC has been appointed by various third-parties mainly Government Departments to manage funds on its behalf. These third-party funds are legally ring fenced and are restricted. These funds can only be utilised for the specific purpose as determined in the Memorandum of Agreements (MoA's) between IDC and third parties. IDC utilises the funds as instructed by the sponsor or donor. These funds are not disclosed in the IDC's statement of financial position as they do not meet the definition of an asset as per the accounting framework.

Third parties and balance held by IDC at the end of the financial year

Figures in Rand million	Group		Company	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Name of third party				
Department of Agricultural, Land Reform and Rural Development	387	523	387	523
Department of Minerals and Petroleum Resources	288	168	288	168
Department of Trade, Industry and Competition	4 532	5 696	4 532	5 696
National Department of Tourism	256	240	256	240
Technology Innovation Agency	28	–	28	–
Small enterprise finance and development agency	1 655	–	1 655	–
Other	448	32	448	32
Total	7 594	6 659	7 594	6 659

Notes to the financial statements *continued*

39. Events after the reporting period

Deemed distribution

Following the disestablishment of the Small Enterprises Finance Agency (sefa) on 30 September 2024 and in line with the National Small Enterprise Amendment Act, sefa's assets and liabilities of a net asset value of R2.6 billion, have been transferred to the Small Enterprise Development and Finance Agency (Sedfa) at no value.

Appointment of new Board of Directors

On 26 June 2025, the Cabinet of South Africa announced the following appointments to the IDC board. Refer to page 16 (Director's Report). The effective date will be announced in due course.

40. Going concern

The IDC remains a going concern. The Corporation is financially stable and has sufficient liquidity to meet its current obligations, and remains confident that, for the foreseeable future, it will be able to meet its financial obligations and leverage its robust financial position to support the economy through new advances.

The Corporation's debt to equity ratio has remained resilient at 52% (FY2024: 46%). This is well below the Group's sustainability guideline of 60%.

Other information: Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is governed by the Liquidity and Liquidity Risk Premia policy. The ALCo provides objective oversight and makes delegated decisions within the prudential guidelines and policies established by the Board related to liquidity risk exposures.

Liquidity risk may be heightened by:

- Unpredicted and accelerated drawdowns on approved financing or call-ups of guaranteed obligations;
- Inability to roll and/or access new funding;
- Unforeseen inability to collect what is contractually due to the Corporation;
- Liquidity stress at subsidiaries;
- A recall without due notice of on-balance sheet funds managed by the Corporation on behalf of third parties;
- An unintended breach of covenant(s), resulting in the forced maturity of borrowing(s); and
- Inability to liquidate assets in a timely manner with minimal risk of capital losses.

Corporate Treasury performs the first line of defence. Liquidity risk management responsibilities as per the Board approved treasury limits, to ensure that:

- There is always sufficient readily available liquidity to meet probable operational cash flow requirements for a rolling three-month period; and
- Excess liquidity is minimised to limit the consequential drag on profitability.

The Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) aims to ensure that suitable levels of unencumbered high-quality liquid assets are held to protect against unexpected, yet plausible liquidity stress events. Two separate liquidity stresses are considered: firstly, an acute three-month liquidity stress and secondly, a protracted twelve-month liquidity stress. Available high-quality liquid assets include cash, near-cash, committed facilities, as well as a portion of the Corporation's listed equity investments, after applying forced-sale discounts.

Figures in Rand million	Three-months Scenario 1	12-months Scenario 2
2025		
Approved high-quality liquid assets	12 399	11 637
Net stressed outflows	(3 792)	(5 521)
Liquidity coverage ratios (%)	327	211

Figures in Rand million	Three-months Scenario 1	12-months Scenario 2
2024		
Approved high-quality liquid assets	13 019	12 635
Net stressed outflows	(4 713)	(4 799)
Liquidity coverage ratios (%)	276	263

Structural Liquidity Mismatch ratios (SLM) aim to ensure that the Corporation maintains a stable funding profile. This is done by restricting, within reasonable levels, potential future borrowing requirements as a percentage of total funding-related liabilities to reduce over reliance on debt to fund the Corporation's liquidity requirements. A robust funding structure reduces the likelihood that the Corporation's liquidity position would deteriorate in the event of a disruption to its sources of funding. Over reliance on debt may result in creditors gaining more control over the cashflows of the Corporation and increase the cost of debt funding, worsening its liquidity risk. The SLM is based on conservative cash flow profiling with the added assumption that liquidity in the form of high-quality liquid assets is treated as readily available (i.e., recognised in the first-time bucket).

Other information: Liquidity risk *continued*

Consolidated local and foreign currency structural liquidity mismatch (SLM)

Figures in Rand million	0–18 months	18–24 months	24–36 months
2025			
Cumulative liquidity positive variance	(14 015)	(23 216)	(24 740)
Funding related liabilities	18 235	26 032	27 682
SLM (%)	(77)	(89)	(89)

Figures in Rand million	0–18 months	18–24 months	24–36 months
2024			
Cumulative liquidity positive variance	(36 926)	(46 877)	(61 008)
Funding related liabilities	18 920	22 694	24 719
SLM (%)	(195)	(207)	(247)

Liquidity stress testing is a critical aspect to liquidity management as it allows the Corporation to model forward-looking severe, yet plausible scenarios and strategies to counter the effects of extreme risk events. Specific focus is placed on liquidity risk owing to its dynamic nature. Liquidity risk is a second order risk in that it is impacted by the strategies used to manage all the other corporate risks e.g., operational risk factors such as fraud, poor portfolio monitoring, etc. It can also be impacted by adverse movements in the macroenvironment e.g. an upward trend in interest rates leading to high NPLs, reduction in the liquidity profile of the IDC bonds. Remedial strategies are detailed within the Contingency Funding Plan (CFP) document with a specific sequence of actions that will be executed to manage a potential liquidity crisis.

Glossary

AI	Artificial Intelligence
ALCo	Asset and Liability Committee
BAC	Board Audit Committee
BA & T	Business Advisory and Turnaround
B-BBEE	Broad-based black economic empowerment
BEE	Black Economic Empowerment
BHCNC	Board Human Capital and Nominations Committee
BIC	Board Investment Committee
BP	Business Partner
BRSC	Board Risk and Sustainability Committee
BSEC	Board Social and Ethics Committee
cbda	Cooperative Bank Development Agency
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CFP	Contingency Funding Plan
CGU	Cash-generating unit
CO₂e	Carbon dioxide equivalent
CSI	Corporate social investment
CTFL	Clothing, textile, footwear and leather
CSG	Client Support and Growth Department
DFI	Development finance institution
DMR	Department of Mineral Resources
ECIC	Executive Credit & Investment Committee
ECL	Expected Credit Loss
ERMF	Enterprise-wide Risk Management Framework
ERM	Enterprise-wide Risk Management
ES	Expected Shortfall
ESG	Environmental, social and governance
ESOP	Foskor Employee Share Ownership Plan Trust
FCTR	Foreign Currency Translation Reserve
FVTPL	Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss
FVTOCI	Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income
GDP	Gross domestic product
GHG	Greenhouse gas
IRG	Internal Risk Grade
IAS	International Accounting Standards
IASB	International Accounting Standards Board
IDC	Industrial Development Corporation of South Africa Limited
IFRS	International Finance Reporting Standards
IMC	Investment Monitoring Committee

IRBA	The Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors
ISAs	International Standards on Auditing
IT	Information Technology
JSE	Johannesburg Stock Exchange
KPIs	Key Performance Indicators
LTSP	Long-Term Sustainability Plan
MTEF	Medium Term Expenditure Framework
MESC	Macro-Economic Sub-Committee
NEF	National Empowerment Fund
NPL	Non-performing loan
PAA	Public Audit Act
PPPFA	Presidential Procurement Policy Framework Act
PEP	Politically exposed person
PFMA	Public Finance Management Act
PIC	Public Investment Corporation
PIP	Prominent influential person
PPPFA	Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act
PSA	Public Servants Association of South Africa
RBI	Recoveries, Business Rescue and Insolvencies
REIPPPP	Renewable Energy Independent Power Producer Procurement Programme
sefa	Small Enterprise Finance Agency
SEZs	Special Economic Zones
SME	Small and medium enterprise
SMMEs	Small medium and micro enterprises
SDG	Sustainable Development Goal
SOE	State-owned enterprise
SICR	Significant Increase In Credit Risk
SPPI	Solely Payments of Principal and Interest investments
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SBG	Special Black Groups
SBP	Strategic Business Partners
sefda	Small Enterprise Development Finance Agency
SLM	Structured Liquidity Mismatch
the dtic	Department of Trade, Industry and Competition
TVET	Technical vocational educational training
UIF	Unemployment Insurance Fund
WACC	Weighted Average Cost of Capital
VaR	Value at Risk

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