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# A. Representations of the Members of the Board of Directors

The following members	of the Board	of Directors	of EPALME S.A.:
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- 1. Georgios Georgalas, Chief Executive Officer
- 2. Ioannis Boubonaris, Member of the Board of Directors

In our above capacity, we hereby declare that to the best of our knowledge:

**Georgios Georgalas** 

- a. the accompanying Financial Statements of "EPALME S.A." for the fiscal year 01/01/2022 to 31/12/2022, prepared in accordance with the applicable accounting standards, reflect in a true manner assets and liabilities, equity and results of "EPALME S.A.",
- b. The accompanying Report of the Board of Directors reflects in a true manner development, performance and financial position of "EPALME S.A.", including the description of the main risks and uncertainties.

# Marousi, March 8, 2023

The designees

Chief Executive Officer Member of the Board of Directors

**Ioannis Boubonaris** 

## B. Annual Board of Directors' Management Report

The present Board of Directors Annual Report pertains to the fiscal period 2022. The Report has been prepared so as to ensure harmonization with the relevant provisions of Article 150 of Law 4548/2018.

This report includes financial information about the Company "EPALME S.A." for 2022 and describes significant events occurred in this period and their effect on the annual financial statements. Moreover, it describes the main risks and uncertainties the Company may face in the coming year as well as significant transactions between the Company and its related parties.

## I. GENERAL REVIEW

The year 2022 was a particularly significant year for Greece and the entire world as the ongoing war in Ukraine, the spike in energy costs and the increase in interest rates imposed in order to tame inflation put a brake on the initially looming strong development path of the country and businesses.

Although the first half of 2022 was positive for Greece, increased inflationary trends significantly affected the country's growth in the second half of the year, still affecting the country and businesses in the next years, according to the European Commission.

Nevertheless, Greece is expected to have a growth rate of 1,2% in 2023 and 2,2% in 2024, keeping inflation levels below the European average.

Amidst this adverse international environment, the Greek economy stands strong with the assistance of the Recovery and Resilience Fund (RRF) which is expected to exceed 30 billion Euro in the next years. Potential upgrading of the "investment grade" will be a significant pillar of stability, significantly increasing foreign investment inflows. The country is one step away from investment grade status, which would seal the country's return to fiscal normality.

In 2022, EPALME S.A. recorded increased turnover compared to 2021, mostly due to the historically high LME and Premiums prices. On the contrary, cost of sales was affected by the increase in the prices of raw materials and energy costs.

# **II. FINANCIAL SIZES**

In 2022, turnover stood at € 91,7 million compared to € 67,6 million in the previous fiscal year, i.e. an increase of 35,55%. The increase in turnover was affected by the sharp increase in the selling prices of the products, with the average price of the LME being close to 2.716/t, marking an increase of 10%, while the quantities sold in 2022 amounted to 43.980 tn against 39.301 tn in 2021, recording an increase of 10%.

In 2022, the Company recorded profit before tax amounting to €2,4 million compared to profit of €2,3 million in 2021. The marginal increase in the Company's profit compared to 2021 arises mainly from the greater increase in sales prices than the cost of raw material prices and energy costs.

## PERFORMANCE FINANCIAL RATIOS

The Company's policy is to evaluate its results and performance on a monthly basis, timely and effectively identifying deviations from the objectives and taking the corresponding corrective measures. The Company measures its efficiency using internationally applied financial performance ratios:

- EBITDA (Operating Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation & Amortization): The Company defines EBITDA as the profit/(loss) before tax, adjusted for financial and investment results, for total depreciation (of tangible and intangible fixed assets).
- ROCE (Return on Capital Employed): The ratio divides earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization by the Company's total employed capital, which comprises the sum of Equity, total loans and long-term provisions.

- ROE (Return on Equity): The ratio divides earnings after tax and after Minority Rights by the Equity attributable to the shareholders of the Parent.

In 2022, the aforementioned ratios compared to 2021 changed as follows:

	EPALME S.A.			
(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021		
EBITDA	3.996.446	3.353.700		
ROCE	13,73%	11,08%		
ROE	13,00%	19,94%		

#### **III. RISK MANAGEMENT**

#### **Market Risk**

## (i) Currency risk

The Company operates internationally and is therefore exposed to currency risk arising primarily from the US dollar. This type of risk arises mainly from commercial transactions in foreign currency and is transferred to the selling price of the Company's products it order to be addressed. .

#### (ii) Price Risk

Goods prices, which are mainly determined by international markets and global demand and supply, result in the Company's exposure to the relevant prices fluctuation risk. The Company covers the risk integrating the change in cost into the final product price, as it is depended on both - its acquisitions and sales on stock market prices/indicators (LME)- for the price of aluminum included in its products and develops its pricing policy based on the acquisition price of the aluminum as well as the "premium" added. The Company's Management monitors on a daily basis the fluctuations in aluminum prices, as formed in the international market, in order to properly plan acquisitions at the best prices.

The Company addresses the risk of fluctuating metal raw material prices only to a portion of its core inventory where any price decrease may adversely affect its results through inventory devaluation.

## (iii) Interest rate Risk

The Company's assets, exposed to interest rate fluctuation, mainly concern cash and cash equivalents. The Group's policy regarding the financial assets is to invest its cash at floating interest rates so as to maintain the necessary liquidity while simultaneously achieving satisfactory return for its shareholders. In addition, in respect of the total bank borrowing, the Group uses floating interest rate instruments (Euribor). The Company's policy is to minimize its exposure to interest rate cash flow risk with respect to long-term financing.

#### **Credit Risk**

The Company has no significant concentration of credit risk in respect of any of its contractual parties. Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, bank deposits and financial institutions, as well as exposures to credit risk from customers.

Regarding trade and other receivables, the Company applies credit control procedures aiming at minimizing bad debts and maintaining high liquidity. The Company's policy is to cooperate with reliable customers and set credit limits to every customer. Such limits are reviewed according to the current conditions and, if required, the terms of sales and collections are adjusted. Credit limits of some customers are determined based on the insurance limits obtained from the insurance companies- while for some customers insurance of specific limits of receivables is performed. "High risk" sales to customers are required to be collected in advance, while depending on the customer's

creditworthiness and in order to secure its receivables, the Company, , requests, where possible, encumbrances or other collateral, such as letters of guarantee, customer's stocks pledge etc.

To minimize the credit risk in cash and cash equivalents, as well as in other short-term financial instruments, the Company sets limits on the extent to which it will be exposed to every separate financial institution cooperating only with recognized financial institutions of high credit rating.

The maturity of the Company's trade receivables as of December 31,2022 and 2021 is analyzed as follows:

	Past due	Non Past due		<b>-</b>
(Amounts in EUR)	0-3 months	3-6 months	6-12 months	Total
2022	15.332.873	2.084.025	1.242.020	18.658.918
2021	13.749.264	162.549	-	13.911.813

## Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is linked to the need for adequate financing the Company's operations and development. The relevant liquidity needs are addressed on a daily basis through careful monitoring the payments made.

The Company ensures sufficient available credit facilities in order to be able to cover short-term business needs, after calculating the cash inflows arising from its operation, as well as the cash and cash equivalents available.

The maturity of the Company's financial obligations as of December 31,2022 and 2021 is analyzed as follows:

Liquidity Risk Analysis - Liabilities 31/12/2022 (Amounts in EUR)	up to 6 months 6	to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Total
Long Term Loans	-	-	5.377.032	5.377.032
Short Term Loans	2.199.565	-	-	2.199.565
Trade and other payables	14.486.797	-	-	14.486.797
Other payables	13.104.107	-	-	13.104.107
Current portion of non - current liabilities	942.227	900.000	-	1.842.227
Total	30.732.696	900.000	5.377.032	37.009.728

Liquidity Risk Analysis - Liabilities 31/12/2021 (Amounts in EUR)	up to 6 months	6 to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Total
Long Term Loans	-	-	7.179.993	7.179.993
Short Term Loans	10.177.445	-	-	10.177.445
Trade and other payables	7.744.835	-	-	7.744.835
Other payables	731.690	-	-	731.690
Current portion of non - current liabilities	930.000	952.501	-	1.882.501
Total	19.583.969	952.501	7.179.993	27.716.463

#### IV. ENVIRONMENTAL AND LABOR ISSUES

#### A. Environmental issues

In respect of environmental issues, the Company applies the principles and policies of Mytileneos S.A. – its parent, in which it is consolidated under the Full Consolidation method.

**Effects**: The main environmental challenges addressed by the Company in the context of its operations are: (1) waste management, (2) energy consumption and (3) water management.

**Management**: Identification of environmental objectives, observance of legislative requirements as a minimum obligation, ongoing evaluation and monitoring environmental parameters, cultivation of the environmental consciousness of employees and smooth cooperation with the local community, are key components of the Company's management on environmental issues.

Moreover, the Company's ongoing effort to stabilize and reduce its environmental footprint is not limited to application of rules, required regulations and taking appropriate measures. It is also expressed by its commitment systematically review its operations, according to the specific Environmental Management system.

## The Company's Measures and Principles for protecting the Environment:

- Assessing the effects of its operations on the environment, recording and evaluating potential risks, taking the necessary preventive
  measures, performing regular controls and exercises to confirm implementation and evaluation of the measures.
- Source sorting and management of all waste.
- Preventing any risk of pollution, even accidental or other major accidents (developing, testing and implementing emergency response procedures).
- Studying, maintaining and developing appropriate means of prevention and repression, especially in the case of modification of facilities.
- Correcting any deviation found, with the establishment and implementation of improvement / restoration plans and preventive actions.
- Staff training and information, in a manner adapted to the duties and needs of every employee.
- Implementing regular internal and external inspections to assess performance of the Environmental Management system, achievement of objectives and application of regulations and principles.

## **Environmental management system**

The Company applies a certified environmental management system according to the international standard ISO 14001/2015, accompanied by specific environmental policies.

## **Non-Financial Performance Indicators**

Non-financial performance indicators are analyzed below. The selection was made on the basis of their relevance to the Company's operations and their level of significance in relation to the environmental issues addressed. Indicators are in accordance with the GRI STANDARDS GlobalReporting

Environmental		EPALME S.A.		
	2022	2021		
Emissions	14.668.00	12.270,07		
(Scope 1 + Scope 2 tonnes/year)	14.008,00	12.270,07		
Other Emissions Control of the Contr	0,00	0,0		
(NOx SOx, tonnes/year)	0,00	0,0		
Total Energy Consuption (TJ)	236,51	194,50		
Electricity Consuption (% of the total energy consuption) (TJ)	9%	9%		
Total Water (m3)	31	28.900,0		
Total Waste (tonnes)	4.490,67	2.531,3		
Total waste rycycled/reused (% of the total production)	100%	100%		
Environmental expenditure (€)	1.943	1.611.393		
Incidents of non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations & relevant fines	Not exist	Not exist		
ISO 14001 certification	YES	YES		

#### **B. Labor & Social Issues**

The Company applies labor and social issues principles and policies of Mytileneos S.A., its parent, in which it is consolidated under the Full Consolidation method.

**Effects:** Health and safety at work has always been a basic foundation of the Company's operations and a primary business objective. The Company recognizes both its responsibility for ensuring the best health and safety conditions in its workplaces and the right of its direct and indirect employees to work without being exposed to risks that could cause injury or illness.

Management: The Company strictly adheres to the applicable national and European legislation and the national regulatory provisions related to health and safety at work. The company often ensures harmonization of its operation with the relevant legislation through much stricter limits and goals set by Mytileneos S.A. through the relevant Management plans and systems it implements.

Systematic and continuous effort to promote and shape a corporate culture of health and safety that encourages all the employees to behave responsibly for their personal safety, as well as the safety of their colleagues, is a constant daily commitment.

Moreover, planned or extraordinary safety inspections/reviews are performed by internal and independent external inspectors, and their results contribute to developing further safety improvement actions.

## The Company's Measures and Principles for labor and social issues

- Mytileneos S.A. Code of Conduct ensures the Company's commitment to respect and protect Human Rights, especially labor rights.
- The Company systematically seeks to develop and improve the competitiveness of its employees through appropriate professional education, training and technical expertise, so that they are at the forefront of the collective effort for a green, energy present and future.
- Finally, the Company following the framework of implementation of Mytileneos S.A. social policy, aiming at strengthening and maintaining social cohesion, focusing both on strengthening local employment, and on actions to support immediate local needs within its proportion.

**Health & Safety System:** The Company implements a certified OHSAS 18001, occupational health and safety system designed to minimize risks, continuously taking measures to prevent and minimize accidents and occupational diseases.

The system is characterized by the following specific basic practices which are applied in all the Company's Business Segments:

- i. Ongoing recognition and evaluation of occupational risks where principle of prevention is applied taking all the necessary measures to address them.
- ii. Applying advanced prevention tools and in-depth analysis of all accidents, near accidents and safety incidents.
- iii. Ongoing information and systematic participation of staff in special training programs for health and safety at work.
- iv. Implementing specialized communication actions to raise employee awareness.
- v. Systematic inspection of the organization and applied procedures, aiming at absolute compliance with the rules for safe work in all Mytileneos S.A. operations ensuring employees as well as customers, partners and visitors safety to its facilities.

#### **Non-Financial Performance Ratios**

Non-financial performance ratios are analyzed below. The selection was made on the basis of their relevance to the Company's operations and their level of significance in respect of the working issues addressed. Ratios are based on the GRI STANDARDS Global Reporting Initiative.

Social		EPALME S.A.	
	2022	2021	
Percentage of employees from local communities	47%	68%	
Percentage of women employees	7%	9%	
Work related fatalities	0	0	
Lost Time injury rate per 200.000 working hours	7,73	4	
OHSAS 18000 certification	YES	YES	
Training man-hours	1,51	1,03	
Percentage of employees who received formal evaluation reviews	0%	0%	
Human Rights violation incidents	0	0	
Incidents of non-compliance with laws & regulations of labour and social issues	0	0	
Social Investments	600	0	

#### **VI. TREASURY SHARES**

The Company holds no Treasury Shares.

#### **VII. BRANCHES**

The Company holds no branches.

## VIII. PROSPECTS FOR THE NEW YEAR

Although the economic environment remains highly volatile, the Company's positive prospects will be maintained in the new year. Although the premia of the sale products are expected to deescalate and have a downward impact on the revenues, the Company's results are expected to remain at satisfactory levels as lower prices in energy and raw materials are already written off resulting in improvement of the operating costs. At the same time, completion of the investments made in the previous years will contribute to the Company's upward growth rate as it is expected to achieve a higher volume of production and an improved technical performance.

## IX. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE CLOSING YEAR

No other significant events occurred concerning the Company, which are required to be reported by the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

## X. DIVIDEND POLICY

Regarding dividend distribution, the Company's Management, taking into account, among other things, future investment planning and liquidity strengthening, proposes not to distribute dividends for the current fiscal year.

## **XI. RELATED PARTIES TRANSACTIONS**

Materials, inventory and services arise from a number of the Company's partners in the course of its operations. In the context of the operational activity. These transactions include associated companies and companies in which the members of the Board of Directors of EPALME S.A. participate. Transactions with these companies are conducted on a clearly commercial basis, and no business transactions are conducted. EPALME S.A. has not participated in any transaction of unusual nature or content that is material to the Group in which it participates, or the companies and individuals closely related, and does not intend to participate in such transactions in the future.

The tables below show the intercompany sales and other intercompany transactions, of the Company and members of the Management, during the current fiscal year, as well as the intercompany balances of receivables and liabilities as of 31/12/2022:

Transactions with members of the Management:

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Short term employee benefits		
- Wages and Salaries and BOD Fees	564.481	738.817
- Insurance service cost	33.246	22.454
Total	597.727	761.272

Transaction with other related parties:

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(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Stock Sales		
Parent	4.161.193	68.076
Other Related parties	663.132	110.051
Total	4.824.325	-
Stock Purchases		
Parent	21.619.143	2.430.192
Other Related parties	1.450.596	140.319
Total	23.069.739	2.570.511
<u>Services Sales</u>		
Other Related parties	-	30.445
Total		30.445
<u>Services Purchases</u>		
Parent	86.785	3.029.119
Other Related parties	40.818	40.310
Total	127.603	3.069.429

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Balance from sales of stock/services receivable		
Parent	5.172.287	-
Other Related parties	11.795	241.775
Total	5.184.082	241.775
Balance from sales/purchases of stock/services payable		
Parent	10.548.092	3.521.125
Other Related parties	5.662.585	545.600
Total	16.210.677	4.066.726

## **XII. POST BALANCE SHEET DATE SIGNIFICANT EVENTS**

There are no events subsequent to the financial statements occurred, concerning the Company, to which reference is required under the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

## C. Independent Auditor's Report

To the Shareholders of ALUMINUM PROCESSING - METAL INDUSTRY (EPALME S.A.)

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

## **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of ALUMINUM PROCESSING - METAL INDUSTRY (EPALME S.A.) (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2022, income statement and statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company ALUMINUM PROCESSING - METAL INDUSTRY (EP.AL.ME S.A.) as at December 31, 2022, its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards that have been adopted by the European Union.

## **Basis for Opinion**

We concluded our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) incorporated into the Greek Legislation. Our responsibilities under those standards are described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company, throughout our appointment, in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) incorporated into the Greek Legislation and ethical requirements relevant to the audit of financial statements in Greece and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information is included in the Board of Directors' Report, as referred to the "Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements" section, in the Representations of the Board of Directors Members, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

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

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the separate and consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the procedures performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein; we are required to communicate that matter. We have nothing to report in this respect.

## **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards that have been adopted by the European Union and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of separate and consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management's intention is to proceed with liquidating the Company or discontinuing its operations or unless the management has no other realistic option but to proceed with those actions.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as an aggregate, are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs, incorporated into the Greek Legislation, 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 affect the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. As

part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, incorporated into the Greek Legislation, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform
  audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our
  opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than that 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 Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures
  made by the management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We disclose to the management, 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.

#### **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

Taking into consideration the fact that under the provisions of Par. 5, Article 2 (part B), Law 4336/2015, management has the responsibility for the preparation of the Board of Directors' Report, the following is to be noted:

a) In our opinion, the Board of Directors' Report has been prepared in compliance with the effective legal requirements of Article 150, L. 4548/2018, and its content corresponds to the accompanying financial statements for the year ended as at 31/12/2022.

b) Based on the knowledge we acquired during our audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the Board of Directors' Report in relation to the Company ALUMINUM PROCESSING - METAL INDUSTRY (EPALME S.A.) and its environment.

Athens, 08/03/2023

The Certified Public Accountant

Christina Tsironi

Registry Number SOEL: 36671



## **D. Annual Financial Statements**

The accompanying financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors of "EPALME S.A." on 08/03/2023 and have been disclosed on the Company's website at <a href="https://www.epalme.gr">www.epalme.gr</a>.

It is to be noted that the summary of the financial data and information disclosed arising from the financial statements aim at providing the reader with a general information about the Company's financial position and results, but it does not provide a complete picture of the financial position, financial performance and the Company's cash flows, in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

# **Statement of Financial Position**

**EPALME S.A.** 

(Amounts in EUR)	EFALWIE 3.A.	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
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Assets			
Tangible Assets	5.2	13.699.483	11.235.557
Intangible Assets	5.3		3.114
Other Investments	5.4	5.100	5.100
Deferred Tax Receivables	5.5	244.047	184.625
Other Long-term Receivables	5.6	6.076	37.281
Right-of-use Assets	5.7	303.602	33.311
Non current assets		14.258.307	11.498.987
Inventory	5.8	12.775.816	9.285.024
Trade and other receivables	5.9	18.658.918	13.911.813
Other receivables	5.10	2.035.906	1.386.622
Derivatives	5.18	342.843	99.690
Cash and cash equivalents	5.11	3.619.564	3.517.150
Current assets		37.433.047	28.200.300
Assets		51.691.354	39.699.287
Liabilities & Equity			
Share capital	5.12.1	4.170.635	4.170.635
Share premium	5.12.1	8.268	8.268
Fair value reserves	-	267.418	77.758
Other reserves	5.12.2	2.409.521	2.285.127
Retained earnings		5.922.582	4.332.652
Equity		12.778.423	10.874.440
New Command Link life			
Non-Current Liabilities	5.17	F 277 022	7 170 002
Long-term debt	5.7	5.377.032 268.223	7.179.993 3.579
Lease Liabilities  Deferred Tay Payables	5.7	608.606	511.760
Deferred Tax Payables Liabilities for pension plans	5.13	139.776	157.513
Non-Current Liabilities	5.13	6.393.638	7.852.845
Non-Current Liabilities		0.333.038	7.832.843
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	5.14	14.486.797	7.744.835
Tax payable	5.15	850.794	404.855
Short-term debt	5.16	2.199.565	10.177.445
Current portion of non-current debt	5.7	35.804	30.676
Current portion of non-current liabilities	5.16	1.842.227	1.882.501
Other payables	5.18	13.104.107	731.690
Current Liabilities		32.519.294	20.972.002
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Liabilities		38.912.931	28.824.847
Liabilities & Equity		51.691.354	39.699.287

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# **Statement of Comprehensive Income**

## **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Sales 5.1	91.685.744	67.638.914
Cost of sales 5.19	(88.717.552)	(64.762.401)
Gross profit	2.968.192	2.876.512
Other operating income 5.20	144.419	95.962
Other operating expenses 5.20	(64.302)	(190.570)
Earnings before interest and income tax	3.048.310	2.781.905
Financial income 5.22	774	1.135
Financial expenses 5.22	(640.172)	(456.559)
Profit before income tax	2.408.912	2.326.481
Income tax expense 5.23	(748.203)	(158.601)
Profit for the period	1.660.709	2.167.880
(A)Definition of line item: OperEarnings before income tax,financ.res,depr&amort		
Profit before income tax	2.408.912	2.326.481
Plus: Financial results	639.398	455.424
Plus: Depreciation	948.136	571.795
Oper.Earnings before income tax, financial results, depreciation and amortization	3.996.446	3.353.700

# **Statement of Other Comprehensive Income**

## EPALME S.A.

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(Amounts in EUR)		01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021				
Other Comprehensive Income:			_				
Net Profit/(Loss) For The Period		1.660.709	2.167.880				
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:							
Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	5.13	19.416	2.545				
Deferred tax from actuarial gain/(losses)	5.5	(4.271)	(560)				
Revaluation Of Tangible Assets		38.470	-				
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:							
Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	5.24	243.153	138.071				
Deferred Tax From Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	5.5	(53.494)	(31.143)				
Other Comprehensive Income:		243.274	108.913				
Total comprehensive income for the period		1.903.983	2.276.792				

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# **Statement of Changes in Equity**

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(Amounts in EUR)	Share capital	Share premium	Fair value reserves	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Total
Opening Balance 1st January 2022, according to IFRS -as published-	4.170.635	8.268	77.758	2.285.127	4.332.652	10.874.440
Change In Equity						
Transfer To Reserves	-	-	-	108.394	(108.394)	-
Transactions With Owners				108.394	(108.394)	-
Net Profit/(Loss) For The Period	-	-	-	-	1.660.709	1.660.709
Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	-	-	243.153	-	-	243.153
Revaluation Of Tangible Assets	-	-	-	856	37.615	38.470
Deferred Tax From Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	(4.271)	-	(4.271)
Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	19.416	-	19.416
Deferred Tax From Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	-	-	(53.494)	-	-	(53.494)
Total Comprehensive Income For The Period			189.659	16.000	1.698.324	1.903.983
Adjusted Closing Balance 31/12/2022	4.170.635	8.268	267.418	2.409.521	5.922.582	12.778.423
	EPALME S.A.					

(Amounts in EUR)	Share capital	Share premium	Fair value reserves	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Total
Opening Balance 1st January 2021, according to IFRS -as published-	4.170.635	8.268	(29.169)	2.262.623	2.185.291	8.597.648
Change In Equity						
Transfer To Reserves	-	-	-	54.515	(54.515)	-
Transactions With Owners				54.515	(54.515)	-
Net Profit/(Loss) For The Period	-	-		-	2.167.880	2.167.880
Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	-	-	138.071	-	-	138.071
Deferred Tax From Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	(560)	-	(560)
Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	2.545	-	2.545
Revaluation Of Tangible Assets	-	-	-	(33.997)	33.997	-
Deferred Tax From Cash Flow Hedging Reserve	-	-	(31.143)	-	-	(31.143)
Total Comprehensive Income For The Period			106.928	(32.012)	2.201.877	2.276.792
Closing Balance 31/12/2021	4.170.635	8.268	77.758	2.285.127	4.332.652	10.874.440

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# **Statement of Cash Flows**

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Cook flours from an author activities	14.440.741	(4.438.859)
Cash flows from operating activities Interest paid	(230.826)	(4.438.859)
Taxes Paid	(604.327)	(604.327)
Net Cash flows continuing operating activities	13.605.589	(5.319.227)
Net cash nows continuing operating activities	13.003.363	(3.313.227)
Net Cash flows from continuing investing activities		
Purchases of tangible assets	(3.131.895)	(2.484.048)
Purchases of intangible assets	(308.670)	-
Derivatives settlement	(53.494)	(18.864)
Interest received	774	1.135
Net Cash flow from continuing investing activities	(3.493.285)	(2.501.777)
Net Cash flows from continuing financing activities		
Proceeds from borrowings 5.16	10.413.883	24.556.161
Repayments of borrowings 5.16	(20.383.132)	(15.017.260)
Payment of finance lease liabilities	(40.640)	(46.308)
Payment of finance lease liabilities	(10.009.889)	9.492.594
Net (decrese)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	102.415	1.671.590
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	3.517.150	1.845.560
Net cash at the end of the period	3.619.564	3.517.150

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#### E. Notes to the Financial Statements

## 1.1 General Information

The Company " ALUMINUM PROCESSING - METAL INDUSTRY (EP.AL.ME S.A.)" was founded in 1973. The Company's registered office is in the Municipality of Maroussi, Attica and it is registered at the Ministry of Development, General Secretariat of Trade, Directorate of Limited Companies and Credit, under the Registry Number of Limited Companies 6477/01/B/86/426(99).

The Company's General Electronic Commercial Registry Number (G.E.MI.) is 003608201000 and it is a subsidiary of Mytileneos S.A., through the acquisition of 97.87% of its share capital. The Company's website is www.epalme.gr.

#### 1.2 Scope of operations

The Company operates in the segment of Aluminum casting. It has a production unit of secondary cast aluminum cylinders in the location "Madaro" of the Municipality of Oinofyta, Prefecture of Viotia, while the Company's offices are in the Municipality of Maroussi, Attica. The capacity of the production unit in terms of the outcome stands at 40.000 tons/year. The Company has privately owned properties of total area 5.385,50 sq.m., while its plots amount to 45.114,84 sq.m..

Aluminum scrap processing for production of aluminum cylinders requires high technology and know-how. EPALME S.A. is one of the significant units that is able to make full use of aluminum scrap for the production of aluminum raw material suitable for the production of new products. The Company's clients are the largest Greek extrusion companies. In addition to this main activity, EPALME S.A. has a Photovoltaic Station, of capacity 500KW, for electricity generation. The Company has a quality management system in accordance with the requirements of the ISO 9001:2015, ISO 14001:2015, OHSAS 18001:2007-EOO 1801:2008 and ISO 50001:2011 standards.

The Company's objective, according to Article 4 of its Articles of Association, is:

Industrial production, processing and trading of metals and especially aluminum, alloys and products of any form, representation in Greece of foreign companies that produce or trade the above products and the Company's participation in other similar companies or in any kind of legal entities and companies, commercial or not, profit or non-profit, related to the general aluminum market and its production procedures, which are currently operating or will be established in the future. The Company ca produce and trade electrical energy from Renewable Energy Sources (RES) a High Efficiency Cogeneration of Electricity and Heat (H.E.C.E.H.).

The Company can create futures accounts with domestic and foreign financial companies for hedging against risks arising from unforeseeable exchange rate fluctuations or fluctuations in prices of aluminum or other raw material.

The Company can partially or fully lease or grant spaces (open or close) and its equipment to third parties, natural person or legal entities.

# 2. Significant accounting policies

## 2.1 Basis for preparation of financial statements

The financial statements of "EPALME S.A." as at December 31, 2022, covering the entire year 2022, have been prepared in compliance with the historical cost principle as amended by the readjustment of specific assets and liabilities to current values, the going concern principle in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), as well as their interpretations, as issued by IASB's International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC). The accompanying financial statements are prepared according to the provisions of L. 4548/2018.

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires the use of accounting estimates and management judgment in the application of the Company's accounting principles. Significant assumptions made by the Management for the application of the Company's accounting methods have been analyzed where required.

The presentation currency is Euro (currency of t the Company's parent company domicile) and all the amounts are presented in Euro, unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements of the Company EPALME S.A. are included in the consolidated financial statements of Mytilineos Group, which is established in Greece and are consolidated under full consolidation method, as Mytilineos holds 97.87% investment in the Company.

## 2.2 Changes in Accounting Policies

The accounting policies based on which the Financial Statements were prepared, are in accordance with those used in the preparation of the Annual Financial Statements for the FY 2021, adjusted to the new Standards and revisions imposed by IFRS for the FY started on 1st January 2022, except the following amendments, which were adopted by the Company on 01/01/2022. The nature and effect of all changes are analyzed as follows.

# 2.2.1 New Standards, Interpretations, Revisions and Amendments to existing Standards that are effective and have been adopted by the European Union

The following new Standards, Interpretations and amendments of IFRSs have been issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), are adopted by the European Union, and their application is mandatory from or after 01/01/2022.

Amendments to IFRS 3 "Business Combinations", IAS 16 "Property, Plant and Equipment", IAS 37 "Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets" and "Annual Improvements 2018-2020" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2022)

In May 2020, the IASB issued a package of amendments which includes narrow-scope amendments to three Standards as well as the Board's Annual Improvements, which are changes that clarify the wording or correct minor consequences, oversights or conflicts between requirements in the Standards. More specifically:

- Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations update a reference in IFRS 3 to the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting without changing the accounting requirements for business combinations.
- Amendments to IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment prohibit a company from deducting from the cost of property, plant and equipment amounts received from selling items produced while the company is preparing the asset for its intended use. Instead, a company will recognize such sales proceeds and related cost in profit or loss.
- Amendments to IAS 37 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets specify which costs a company includes when assessing whether a contract will be loss-making.
- Annual Improvements 2018-2020 make minor amendments to IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards, IFRS 9 Financial Instruments, IAS 41 Agriculture and the Illustrative Examples accompanying IFRS 16 Leases.

The amendments do not affect the separate Financial Statements.

# 2.2.2 New Standards, Interpretations, Revisions and Amendments to existing Standards that have not been applied yet or have not been adopted by the European Union

The following new Standards, Interpretations and amendments of IFRSs have been issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), but their application has not started yet or they have not been adopted by the European Union.

#### IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2023)

In May 2017, the IASB issued a new Standard, IFRS 17, which replaces an interim Standard, IFRS 4. The aim of the project was to provide a single principle-based standard to account for all types of insurance contracts, including reinsurance contracts that an insurer holds. A single principle-based standard would enhance comparability of financial reporting among entities, jurisdictions and capital markets. IFRS 17 sets out the requirements that an entity should apply in reporting information about insurance contracts it issues and reinsurance contracts it holds.

Furthermore, in June 2020, the IASB issued amendments, which do not affect the fundamental principles introduced when IFRS 17 has first been issued. The amendments are designed to reduce costs by simplifying some requirements in the Standard, make financial performance easier to explain, as well as ease transition by deferring the effective date of the Standard to 2023 and by providing additional relief to reduce the effort required when applying the Standard for the first time. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have been adopted by the European Union with effective date of 01/01/2023.

Amendments to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2023)

In February 2021, the IASB issued narrow-scope amendments that pertain to accounting policy disclosures. The objective of these amendments is to improve accounting policy disclosures so that they provide more useful information to investors and other primary users of the financial statements. More specifically, companies are required to disclose their material accounting policy information rather than their significant accounting policies. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have been adopted by the European Union with effective date of 01/01/2023.

Amendments to IAS 8 "Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors: Definition of Accounting Estimates" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2023)

In February 2021, the IASB issued narrow-scope amendments that they clarify how companies should distinguish changes in accounting policies from changes in accounting estimates. That distinction is important because changes in accounting estimates are applied prospectively only to future transactions and other future events, but changes in accounting policies are generally also applied retrospectively to past transactions and other past events. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have been adopted by the European Union with effective date of 01/01/2023.

Amendments to IAS 12 "Income Taxes: Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2023)

In May 2021, the IASB issued targeted amendments to IAS 12 to specify how companies should account for deferred tax on transactions such as leases and decommissioning obligations — transactions for which companies recognise both an asset and a liability. In specified circumstances, companies are exempt from recognising deferred tax when they recognise assets or liabilities for the first time. The amendments clarify that the exemption does not apply and that companies are required to recognise deferred tax on such transactions. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have been adopted by the European Union with effective date of 01/01/2023.

Amendments to IFRS 17 "Insurance contracts: Initial Application of IFRS 17 and IFRS 9 – Comparative Information" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2023)

In December 2021, the IASB issued a narrow-scope amendment to the transition requirements in IFRS 17 to address an important issue related to temporary accounting mismatches between insurance contract liabilities and financial assets in the comparative information presented when applying IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts" and IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" for the first time. The amendment aims to improve the usefulness of comparative information for the users of the financial statements. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have been adopted by the European Union with effective date of 01/01/2023.

## Amendments to IAS 1 "Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2024)

In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1 that affect requirements for the presentation of liabilities. Specifically, they clarify one of the criteria for classifying a liability as non-current, the requirement for an entity to have the right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. The amendments include: (a) specifying that an entity's right to defer settlement must exist at the end of the reporting period; (b) clarifying that classification is unaffected by management's intentions or expectations about whether the entity will exercise its right to defer settlement; (c) clarifying how lending conditions affect classification; and (d) clarifying requirements for classifying liabilities an entity will or may settle by issuing its own equity instruments. Furthermore, in July 2020, the IASB issued an amendment to defer by one year the effective date of the initially issued amendment to IAS 1, in response to the Covid-19 pandemic. However, in October 2022, the IASB issued an additional amendment that aim to improve the information companies provide about long-term debt with covenants. IAS 1 requires a company to classify debt as non-current only if the company can avoid settling the debt in the 12 months after the reporting date. However, a company's ability to do so is often subject to complying with covenants. The amendments to IAS 1 specify that covenants to be complied with after the reporting date do not affect the classification of debt as current or non-current at the reporting date. Instead, the amendments require a company to disclose information about these covenants in the notes to the financial statements. The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, with early adoption permitted. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have not been adopted by the European Union.

#### Amendments to IFRS 16 "Leases: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback" (effective for annual periods starting on or after 01/01/2024)

In September 2022, the IASB issued narrow-scope amendments to IFRS 16 "Leases" which add to requirements explaining how a company accounts for a sale and leaseback after the date of the transaction. A sale and leaseback is a transaction for which a company sells an asset and leases that same asset back for a period of time from the new owner. IFRS 16 includes requirements on how to account for a sale and leaseback at the date the transaction takes place. However, IFRS 16 had not specified how to measure the transaction when reporting after that date. The issued amendments add to the sale and leaseback requirements in IFRS 16, thereby supporting the consistent application of the Accounting Standard. These amendments will not change the accounting for leases other than those arising in a sale and leaseback transaction. The Company will examine the impact of the above on its Financial Statements, though it is not expected to have any. The above have not been adopted by the European Union.

## 2.3 Change in foreign currency

#### (a) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements items of EPALME S.A. are measured based on the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates (functional currency). The Company's financial statements are presented in Euro (€), which is the functional and presentation currency of the parent company.

#### (b) Transactions and account balances.

Transactions in foreign currencies are converted to the functional currency using the exchange rates (current rates) effective on the transaction date.

Gains and losses from exchange differences arising from the settlement of such transactions during the period and from the conversion of monetary items denominated in foreign currency at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date are recorded in profit or loss.

Exchange differences from non-monetary items measured at their fair value are considered as part of fair value and are therefore recorded at fair value differences.

## 2.4 Segment reporting

A business segment is defined as a group of assets and operations that provide products and services, which are subject to different risks and returns from other business segments. To facilitate identification of the presented operating segments, Management relies on its business areas of activity, which basically represent the products and services available to the Company. According to IFRS 8 – Operating Segments, the Management monitors the operating results of business segments separately for the purpose of making decisions related to resource allocation and performance evaluation.

A geographical segment is defined as a geographical area in which products and services are provided and is subject to different risks and returns from other areas. Geographically, the Company operates only in Greece.

## 2.5 Recognition of income and expenses

**Income:** Income includes the fair value of sales of goods and provision of services, net of Value Added Tax, discounts and returns. Income is recognized as follows:

- Sales of goods: Income from sales of goods is recognized when the material risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have been transferred to the buyer, usually upon dispatch and delivery, and when the goods are accepted and collection of receivable is reasonably assured.
- **Services:** Income from rendering services is accounted for in the period in which the services are rendered, based on the stage of completion of the services provided compared to total services provided.
- Interest income: Interest income is recognized on a time proportion basis using the effective interest rate. When receivables are impaired, their carrying amount is reduced to their recoverable amount which is the present value of the expected future cash flows discounted at the initial effective interest rate. Interest is then calculated at the same interest rate on the impaired (new) book value.
- Revenue from assigned right-of-use assets (hedging benefits): Fair value of granted rights is recognized as revenue for future years and is amortized in the income statement depending on the stage of completion of the contracts for which they have been assigned as consideration.
- Revenue from Dividends: Dividends are accounted for as income when the right to receive payment is established.

**Expenses:** Operating expenses are recognized in the Income Statement when the service is used or on the date they are incurred. Expenses for guarantees are recognized and charged against the related provision when the corresponding income is recognized. Interest expenses are recognized on an accrual basis.

Borrowing Cost: Loan liabilities are initially recorded at their current value, including bank charges and commissions.

The Company Management considers that the interest rates paid in relation to the loans are equivalent to the current reasonable market interest rates and, therefore, the conditions for any adjustment of the value in which these obligations are reflected are not met.

Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the repayment value is recorded in the Income Statement during the term of the loan

**Expenses:** Operating expenses are recognized in the Income Statement for the year over the use of service or the date generated. Expenditure for warranties is recognized and charged against the related provision when the corresponding revenue is recognized. Interest expenses are recognized on an accrual basis.

Borrowing cost: Borrowings are recognized initially at fair value, including bank charges and commissions.

The Company Management considers that the interest paid in relation to loans is equivalent to the current market interest rates and, therefore, the conditions for any adjustment of the value in which these obligations are reflected are not met.

Any difference between proceeds (net of transaction costs) and redemption value is recognized in the Income Statement over the term of the loan.

Borrowings are classified as current except when the Company has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the balance sheet date.

#### 2.6 Intangible assets

An intangible asset is initially valued at acquisition cost. After the initial recognition, intangible assets are valued at cost less accumulated amortization and any impairment loss.

Acquired licenses regarding software are capitalized based on acquisition and installation expense. Expenses related to software maintenance are recorded in the expenses of the period when incurred.

Useful lives of intangible assets are either definite or indefinite depending on their nature. Intangible assets with definite useful life are amortized over their useful life and the amortization commences when the asset is available for use and is recognized in the category of operating expenses.

The period and amortization method are reviewed at least at every fiscal year end. If the expected useful life or the expected consumption rate of the future economic benefits integrated in the asset is changed, the amortization period or method changes respectively. Such changes are accounted for as changes in accounting estimates.

#### (a) Software

Software licenses are carried at acquisition cost less amortization. Amortization is conducted on a straight-line method over the useful lives, from 1 to 5 years.

## (b) Research and Development expenses

Research and Development expenses are recognized as expenses when incurred. The expenses arising from developing programs (related to designing and testing new or improved products) are capitalized if it is possible to generated future economic benefit. Other development expenses are accounted for as an expense in profit or loss when they are realized. Previous years' development expenditures recognized as expenses, can not be capitalized in the future fiscal years. Capitalized development expenses are depreciated in the beginning of the product's economic life under the straight line method during the period of the product's future economic benefits.

## 2.7 Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are reported in the financial statements at acquisition cost, less accumulated depreciations and any impairment of obsolete assets. The acquisition cost includes all the directly attributable expenses to acquire the assets.

Subsequent expenditure is added to the carrying amount of the tangible fixed assets or is recorded as a separate fixed asset only if it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Group and their cost can be accurately and reliably measured. Repair and maintenance expenses are recorded in profit or loss when they are realized.

Gain or loss on sale of land will be determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds, if any, and the carrying amount of the asset and is recorded in the Income Statement.

Depreciation is calculated under the straight-line method over the entire useful life of the assets. Useful lives of tangible assets are summarized below as follows:

Buildings Mechanical Equipment Vehicles Other Equipment 25- 35 years 4-30 years 4-10 years 4-7 years

Self-constructed tangible fixed assets constitute an addition to the acquisition cost of tangible assets at a value that includes the direct cost of employee's salaries (including the relevant employer's contributions), the cost of materials used and other general costs.

Residual values and useful economic life of tangible fixed assets are subject to reassessment at each balance sheet date. When the book value of tangible fixed assets exceeds their recoverable amount, the difference (impairment) is immediately accounted for as an expense in the Income Statement.

Upon sale of tangible fixed assets, any difference between the proceeds and the book value is accounted for as profit or loss in the results. Repair and maintenance expenditure is accounted for as an expense in the period they occur.

#### 2.8 Leases

**Company as Lessee:** Leases are recognized in the statement of financial position as a right-of-use asset and a lease liability, the date on which the leased fixed asset becomes available for use. Every rental is divided between the lease obligation and interest, charged to the results throughout the lease, in order to obtain a fixed interest rate for the remainder of the financial liability in each period.

Right-of-use assets are initially measured at cost, and then reduced by the amount of accumulated depreciation and potential impairment.

Right-of-use is depreciated in the shortest period between the useful life of the component or its duration, with the fixed method. The initial measurement of the right- of- use of assets consists of:

- The amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability,
- Lease payments made on or before the commencement date, reduced by the amount of discounts or other incentives offered,
- Initial costs, directly linked to the rent,
- Recovery costs.

Finally, right-of-use assets are adjusted to specific recalculations of the corresponding lease liability.

Lease liabilities are initially calculated at the present value of rentals, not paid at the start of the lease. They are discounted at the imputed rate of the lease or, if this interest rate cannot be determined by the contract, at a differential incremental borrowing rate (IBR) which is the cost the lessee would have to pay to borrow the necessary capital in order to obtain an item of similar value as the leased asset, in a similar economic environment and under similar terms and assumptions.

Lease liabilities include net present value of:

- Fixed leases (including any in-substance fixed leases)
- Variable leases, depending on the rate
- Residual value expected to be paid
- The price of an option to purchase the underlying asset, if the lessor is almost certain to exercise it
- Penalties for termination of a lease if the lessor chooses this option.

After their initial measurement, lease liabilities are increased by their financial cost and are reduced by the payment of rentals. Finally, they are reassessed when there is a change: a) to rents due to a change of index, b) to the estimation of the amount of residual value, which is expected to be paid, or c) to the assessment of a choice of purchase or extension, which is relatively Certain that it will be exercised or a right of termination of the contract, which is relatively certain that it will not be exercised.

Under the transition, the Company made use of the following the practical expedients provided in IFRS 16 for leases classified as operating, in accordance with IAS 17.

 Use of previously made assessments under applying IAS 17 and IFRIC 4 to determine whether a contract contains a lease, or whether a contract is a lease on the date of initial application.

- Use of accounting treatment of operating leases for leases with a maturity of under 12 months from 1 January 2019.
- Use of a single discount rate on a lease portfolio with similar characteristics.
- Excluding initial direct costs for measuring the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application.

**Company as lessor:** When tangible assets are leased under finance lease, the present value of rentals is recorded as a receivable. The difference between the gross amount of the receivables and the present value of the receivable is recorded as deferred financial income. Income from lease is recognized in the income statement during the lease using the net investment method, which represents a constant periodic return. The Company does not contract as a lessor.

#### 2.9 Financial instruments

## i) Initial recognition

A financial asset or financial liability is recognized in the statement of financial position of the Company when it arises or when the Company becomes part of the contractual terms of the financial instrument.

Financial assets are classified at initial recognition and are subsequently measured at amortized cost, at fair value through other comprehensive income and fair value through profit or loss. If a financial asset is to be classified and measured at amortized cost or at fair value through comprehensive income, it shall generate cash exclusively pertaining to capital and interest repayments of the initial capital. The business model applied by the Company for the purposes of managing financial assets refers to the way in which it manages its financial capabilities in order to generate cash flows.

The business model determines whether cash flows will arise from collecting contractual cash flows, disposal of financial assets, or both. Acquisition or disposal of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a timeframe specified by a regulation or a contract is recognized as at the transaction date, i.e. as at the date when the Company makes a commitment to acquire or to dispose of the asset.

## ii) Classification and subsequent measurement

To facilitate subsequent measurement purposes, financial assets are classified into the following categories:

a) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading, financial assets designated at initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss, or financial assets required to be measured at fair value.

Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for sale or repurchase in the near future.

Derivatives including integrated derivatives are also classified as held for trading, unless they are defined as hedging instruments.

Financial assets with cash flows referring not only to capital and interest payments are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, irrespective of the business model.

b) Financial assets at amortized cost

The Company measures financial assets at amortized cost if both of the following conditions are met: (1) the financial asset is held in order maintain financial assets for the purposes of collecting contractual cash flows; and (2) the contractual terms of the financial asset generating cash flows at specified dates only pertain to capital and interest payments on the balance of the initial capital. Financial assets at amortized cost are subsequently measured under EIR method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognized in profit or loss when the asset is derecognized, modified or impaired.

c) Financial assets at fair value through total comprehensive income

Upon initial recognition, the Company may decide to classify its investment participations as equity instruments designated at fair value through total comprehensive income when they meet the definition of equity and are not held for trading. Classification is determined per financial instrument. Profits and losses from these financial assets are never recycled to profits or losses. Equity instruments designated at fair value through total comprehensive income are not subject to impairment test.

#### iii) Derecognition

A financial asset is derecognized when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired, or
- The Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has undertaken the commitment to fully pay the cash flows received without significant delay to a third party under an arrangement and has either (a) transferred substantially all the risks and the assets of the asset or (b) has neither transferred nor held substantially all the risks and estimates of the asset but has transferred the control of the asset.

#### iv) Impairment

The Company recognizes provision for impairment for expected credit losses regarding all financial assets not measured at fair value through profit or loss. Expected credit losses are based on the balance between all the payable contractual cash flows and all discounted cash flows that the Company expects to receive.

Regarding trade receivables, the Company applies simplified approach in order to calculate expected credit losses. Therefore, at every reporting date, provision for losses regarding a financial instrument is measured at an amount equal to the expected credit losses over its lifetime.

## 2.10 Inventory

Inventories include products, raw materials, materials and purchased goods. Cost includes all the costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition, which are directly attributable to the production process, as well as a part of general expenses associated with the production, which is absorbed in the normal capacity of the production facilities. The financial cost is not taken into account.

At the balance sheet date, inventories are recorded at the lowest amount between the acquisition cost and net realizable value.

Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business operations less estimated cost which is necessary to make the sale. Cost is determined using the weighted average cost method.

## 2.11 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and cash available and short term highly liquid investments such as money market securities and bank deposits with original maturities of three months or less. The market values of financial assets are stated at fair value through profit or loss.

## 2.12 Share capital

Share capital is determined using the nominal value of the shares issued. Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Expenses incurred for the issuance of shares are presented decreased, after deducting the relevant income tax. Expenses related to the issuance of shares for the purchase of companies are included in the acquisition cost of the company acquired. At the acquisition of equity shares, the consideration paid, including the relevant costs, is presented deducted from equity separately in "Equity shares reserves" item.

## 2.13 Income tax & deferred tax

The income tax burden for the period consists of current tax and deferred tax, that is, tax or tax reliefs related to the economic benefits arising in the period but have already been charged or charged by tax authorities in different periods. Income tax is recognized in profit or loss for the period, except tax related to transactions recorded directly in equity, in this case is recorded directly in equity.

Current income taxes include short -term liabilities and / or receivables to monetary authorities related to payable taxes and any additional income taxes relating to previous years.

Current taxes are measured in accordance with the tax rates and tax laws effective in the related administrative periods, based on the taxable profit for the year. All changes in short -term assets or liabilities are recognized as part of the tax expenses in the Income Statement.

Deferred income tax is determined under the liability method deriving from the temporary differences between the book value and tax base of assets and liabilities. There is no deferred income tax if it derives from the initial recognition of an asset or liability at a transaction, other than at a business combination, and the recognition did not affect either the accounting or the tax profit or loss.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured in accordance with the tax rates in effect in the financial year during which an asset or a liability shall be settled, taking into account the tax rates (and tax regulations) which have been or are effectively in force until the Statement of Financial Position reporting date. In case where it is not possible to clearly determine the time needed to reverse the temporary differences, the tax rate applied is the one in force in the day after the balance sheet reporting date.

Deferred tax assets are recognized at the extent to which there will be a future taxable profit for the use of the temporary difference which creates the deferred tax asset.

Most changes in the deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized as part of the tax expenses in the Income Statement for the financial year. Only those changes in assets and liabilities which affect the temporary differences are recognized directly in the Company's equity, such as revaluation of real estate, resulting in the relative change in deferred tax assets or liabilities to be recognized in equity.

## 2.14 Employee benefits

#### 2.14.1 Short-term benefits

Short-term employee benefits t (except employment termination benefits) in cash and in kind are recognized as an expense when accrued. Any unpaid amount is recognized as a liability, whereas in case the amount already paid exceeds the benefits' amount, the entity identifies the excess as an asset (prepaid expense) only to the extent that the prepayment shall lead to a future payments' reduction or refund.

## 2.14.2 Retirement benefits

Benefits following end of service include pensions and other benefits paid (life insurance and medical care) to employees after termination of employment in exchange for their service. The Company's liabilities for retirement benefits cover both defined contribution plans and defined benefit plans. The defined contribution plan's accrued cost is recognized as an expense in the financial year where it relates. The Company has established defined benefit plans.

#### Defined benefit plan

Under Laws 2112/20 and 4093/2012, the Company must pay compensation upon retirement or termination to its employees. The amount of compensation paid depends on the years of service, the level of wages and the way of leaving service (dismissal or retirement). The entitlement to participate in these plans is usually implemented through the attributing benefits in the last 16 years until the retirement date of the employees following the scale of Law 4093/2012.

The liability recognized in the Statement of financial Position for defined benefit plans is the present value of the liability for the defined benefit less the plan assets' fair value (reserve from payments to an insurance company), the changes deriving from any actuarial profit or loss and the service cost. The defined benefit commitment is calculated on an annual basis by an independent actuary through the use of the projected unit credit method. Regarding FY 2021, the selected rate follows the tendency of iBoxx AA Corporate Overall 10+ EUR indices, which is regarded as consistent with the provisions of IAS 19, i.e. is based on bonds corresponding to the currency and the estimated term relative to employee benefits as well as appropriate for long-term provisions.

A defined benefit plan establishes, based on various parameters, such as age, years of service and salary, the specific obligations for payable benefits. Provisions for the period are included in the relative staff costs in the accompanying separate and consolidated Income Statements

and comprise of the current and past service cost, the relative financial cost, the actuarial gains or losses and any possible additional charges.

Regarding unrecognized actuarial gains or losses, the revised IAS 19 is applied, which includes a number of changes to accounting for defined benefit plans, including:

- recognition of actuarial gains / losses in other comprehensive income and their permanent exclusion from the Income Statement,
- non-recognition of the expected returns on the plan investment in the Income Statement but recognition of the relative interest on net liability / (asset) of the benefits calculated based on the discount rate used to measure the defined benefit obligation,
- recognition of past service cost in the Income Statement at the earliest between the plan modification date or when the relative restructuring or terminal provision are recognized,
- other changes include new disclosures, such as quantitative sensitivity analysis.

#### 2.15 Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Company has present legal or imputed obligations as a result of past events, their settlement is possible through resources' outflow and the exact amount can be reliably estimated. The provisions are reviewed on the date of the Financial Statements and are adjusted accordingly to reflect the present value of the expense expected for the settlement of the liability. Contingent liabilities are not recognized in the financial statements but are disclosed except if the probability of an outflow, which encompasses economic benefits, is minimum. Contingent receivables are not recognized in the financial statements, but are disclosed when the inflow of financial benefits is probable.

#### 2.16 Distribution of Dividends

Distribution of dividends to the Company's shareholders is recognized as a liability in the financial statements on the date on which the distribution is approved by the General Meeting of shareholders.

## 3.1 Judgments

The key judgments made by the Management of the Company (other than judgments associated with estimates presented below) and that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the financial statements mainly relate to:

## Recoverability of receivables

Allowances for doubtful receivables are based on historical data on recoverability of receivables and take into account the expected credit risk. The method, applied by Company, facilitates calculating the expected credit losses over the life of its receivables. The methods are based on past experience, but is adapted in order to reflect projections for the future financial condition of customers and economic environment. Balancing historical data and future financial conditions with the expected credit losses requires applying significant estimates. The amount of the allowance is recognized as an expense in other operating expenses in the income statement.

## • Impairment of inventory

Appropriate provisions are made for obsolete, non-used and slow moving inventory. Inventory is impaired at net realizable value and other losses from inventories are recorded in the income statement in the period in which they occur.

#### 3.2 Assumptions and estimates

Specific amounts included or affecting the financial statements along with the relevant acknowledgments are estimated assuming values or conditions which cannot be known with certainty at the time the financial statements are issued. An accounting estimate is considered significant when it is important for the financial position of the company and fiscal year results and requires the management's most difficult, subjective or complex judgments, often as a result of the need to make estimates regarding the effect of matters that are uncertain. The Company constantly evaluates these estimates , based on past years and experience, through meeting experts, applying trends and other methods considered rational under the specific circumstances along with making provisions for future changes. During the preparation of the

financial statements, the significant accounting estimates and judgments adopted by the management for the application of the accounting principles of the Company are consistent with those applied in the annual financial statements of December 31, 2021. Therefore, in particular for the financial statements of 31/12/2022 the following issues are noted:

#### Income tax

EPALME S.A. is subject to income tax of domestic tax authorities. Determining provisions for income tax requires significant estimates. There are many transactions and calculations for which the exact determination of tax is uncertain in the ordinary course of business. EPALME S.A. recognizes liabilities for expected tax audit matters based on estimates of the amount of additional tax that may be due. When the final result arising from the tax of these cases differs from the amount that was initially recognized in the financial statements, the differences affect the income tax and the provisions for deferred tax of the period in which these amounts are finalized.

## Contingent events

The Company is involved in legal claims and damages in the ordinary course of its business. The Management believes that any settlements would not materially affect the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2022. However, determining potential liabilities related to legal claims is a complex process that involves judgments about the potential consequences and interpretations of laws and regulations. Changes in judgments or interpretations are likely to result in an increase or a decrease in the Company's contingent liabilities in the future.

#### 4. Risk management objectives and policies

The Company's operations generate multiple financial risks including foreign exchange and interest rate risks, credit risks and liquidity risks. The Company's risk management program aims to reduce any potential negative impact on its financial results, which may arise from the inability to forecast how the financial markets will perform and the fluctuations in cost and sales variables.

The main risk management policies are determined by the Company's management and are harmonized with the broader policy of the parent Company. The risk management policy is implemented by the Parent's Corporate Treasury Department which acts as a service center. The Central Treasury Management service recognizes, quantifies, manages and compensates for the financial risks created by the Company's main operational activities.

#### 4.1 Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that creates a financial asset in one company and a financial liability or equity instrument in another company.

The Company's financial instruments consist mainly of bank deposits, options, bank overdrafts, short-term highly liquid financial products negotiable in the market, trade debtors and creditors, equity investments, dividends payable and lease liabilities.

Financial assets as well as financial liabilities at the date of the financial statements can be categorized as follows:

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Non current assets		
Other Long-term Receivables	6.076	37.281
Total	6.076	37.281
Current assets		
Trade and other receivables	18.658.918	13.911.813
Cash and cash equivalents	3.619.564	3.517.150
Total	22.278.482	17.428.963
Non-Current Liabilities		
Long-term debt	5.377.032	7.179.993
Lease Liabilities	268.223	3.579
Total	5.645.256	7.183.572
Current Liabilities		
Short- term debt	2.199.565	10.177.445
Current portion of non- current debt	1.842.227	1.882.501
Current portion of non- current liabilitites	35.804	30.676
Trade and other payables	14.486.797	7.744.835
Total	18.564.393	19.835.457

## 4.2 Market Risk

## (i) Currency risk

The Company operates internationally and is therefore exposed to currency risk arising primarily from the US dollar. This type of risk arises mainly from commercial transactions in foreign currency and and is transferred to the selling price of the Company's products it order to be addressed.

## (ii) Price risk

Goods prices, which are mainly determined by international markets and global demand and supply, result in the Company's exposure to the relevant prices fluctuation risk. The Company covers the risk integrating the change in cost into the final product price, as it is depended on both - its acquisitions and sales on stock market prices/indicators (LME) for the price of aluminum included in its products and develops its pricing policy based on the acquisition price of the aluminum as well as the "premium" added. The Company's Management monitors on a daily basis the fluctuations in aluminum prices, as they are formed in the international market, in order to properly plan acquisitions at the best prices.

The Company addresses the risk of fluctuating metal raw material prices only to a portion of its core inventory where any price decrease may adversely affect its results through inventory devaluation.

## (iii) Interest rate risk

The Company's assets that are exposed to interest rate fluctuation mainly concern cash and cash equivalents. The Group's policy regarding the financial assets is to invest its cash at floating interest rates so as to maintain the necessary liquidity while simultaneously achieving satisfactory return for its shareholders. In addition, in respect of the total bank borrowing, the Group uses floating interest rate instruments (Euribor). The Company's policy is to minimize its exposure to interest rate cash flow risk with respect to long-term financing.

## 4.3 Credit risk

The Company has no significant concentration of credit risk in any of its contractual parties. Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, bank deposits and financial institutions, as well as exposures to credit risk from customers.

Regarding trade and other receivables, the Company applies credit control procedures aiming at minimizing bad debts and maintaining high liquidity. The Company's policy is to cooperate with reliable customers and to set credit limits to every customer. Such limits, which are reviewed according to the current conditions and, if required, the terms of sales and collections are adjusted. Credit limits of some customers are determined based on the insurance limits obtained from the insurance companies, while for some customers insurance of specific limits of receivables is performed. "High risk" sales to customers are required to be collected in advance, while depending on the customer's creditworthiness, the Company, in order to secure its receivables, requests, where possible, encumbrances or other collateral, such as letters of guarantee, customer's stocks pledge etc.

To minimize the credit risk in cash and cash equivalents, as well as in other short-term financial instruments, the Company sets limits on on the extent to which it will be exposed to every separate financial institution cooperating only with recognized financial institutions of high credit rating.

The maturity of the Company's trade receivables as of December 31, 2022 and 2021 is analyzed as follows:

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	Past due	Past due Non Past		Total
(Amounts in EUR)	0-3 months	3-6 months	6-12 months	Total
2022	15.332.873	2.084.025	1.242.020	18.658.918
2021	13.749.264	162.549	-	13.911.813

## 4.4 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is linked to the need for adequate financing of the Company's operations and development. The relevant liquidity needs are managed on a daily basis through careful monitoring of the payments made.

The Company ensures sufficient available credit facilities in order to be able to cover short-term business needs, after calculating the cash inflows arising from its operation, as well as the cash and cash equivalents available.

The maturity of the Company's financial obligations as of December 31, 2022 and 2021 is analyzed as follows:

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Liquidity Risk Analysis - Liabilities 31/12/2022 (Amounts in EUR)	up to 6 months	6 to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Total
Long Term Loans	-	-	5.377.032	5.377.032
Short Term Loans	2.199.565	-	-	2.199.565
Trade and other payables	14.486.797	-	-	14.486.797
Other payables	13.104.107	-	-	13.104.107
Current portion of non - current liabilities	942.227	900.000	-	1.842.227
Total	30.732.696	900.000	5.377.032	37.009.728

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Liquidity Risk Analysis - Liabilities 31/12/2021 (Amounts in EUR)	up to 6 months	6 to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Total
Long Term Loans	-	-	7.179.993	7.179.993
Short Term Loans	10.177.445	-	-	10.177.445
Trade and other payables	7.744.835	-	-	7.744.835
Other payables	731.690	-	-	731.690
Current portion of non - current liabilities	930.000	952.501	-	1.882.501
Total	19.583.969	952.501	7.179.993	27.716.463

## 5.1 Segment reporting

EPALME S.A. recognizes one business segment (aluminum scrap) as its operating segment. The above operating sector is the one used by the Company's management for internal purposes and the management's strategic decisions are made based on the operating results of this segment, which are used to measure its performance.

# **Geographical segment reporting**

The Company's sales and non-current assets (excluding financial instruments, investments, deferred tax assets, post-employment benefit plans) are classified by geographical area as follows:

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	Salo	es	Non current assets		
(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	
Hellas	87.524.551	67.570.838	13.699.482	11.238.670	
Elimination	4.161.193	68.076	-		
Regional Analysis	91.685.744	67.638.914	13.699.482	11.238.670	

The total amounts presented in the Company's operating segments reconcile with the main financial assets presented in the Financial Statements as follows:

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(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Sales of Goods	9.045.395	4.465.950
Product sales	74.862.508	59.968.323
Sales of Other Inventories	1.639.033	257.341
Revenue from services	6.138.809	2.947.300
Total	91.685.744	67.638.914

# 5.2 Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment presented in the Financial Statements are analyzed as follows:

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(Amounts in EUR)	Land & Buildings	Vehicles & mechanical equipment	Furniture and other equipment	Tangible assets under construction	Total
Gross Book Value	6.906.986	12.018.921	254.655	4.222.714	23.403.276
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(3.175.969)	(10.625.970)	(240.252)	-	(14.042.191)
Net Book Value as at 1/1/2021	3.731.017	1.392.951	14.403	4.222.714	9.361.085
Gross Book Value	6.950.570	12.539.724	2.080.406	4.222.714	25.793.415
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(3.251.357)	(11.060.753)	(245.749)	-	(14.557.858)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2021	3.699.214	1.478.972	1.834.657	4.222.714	11.235.557
Gross Book Value	8.006.378	13.370.063	2.086.590	5.700.953	29.163.984
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(3.350.724)	(11.862.411)	(251.366)	-	(15.464.501)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2022	4.655.654	1.507.652	1.835.223	5.700.953	13.699.482

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(Amounts in EUR)	Land & Buildings	Vehicles & mechanical equipment	Furniture and other equipment	Tangible assets under construction	Total
Net Book Value as at 1/1/2021	3.731.017	1.392.951	14.403	4.222.714	9.361.085
Additions	43.585	520.803	1.825.751	-	2.390.139
Depreciation	(75.388)	(434.783)	(5.496)	-	(515.667)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2021	3.699.213	1.478.972	1.834.657	4.222.714	11.235.557
Additions	1.055.807	830.339	6.184	1.478.239	3.370.569
Depreciation	(99.367)	(801.658)	(5.618)	-	(906.643)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2022	4.655.653	1.507.652	1.835.223	5.700.953	13.699.482

# Mortgages and liens

There are no mortgages and liens, or any other encumbrances, on the fixed assets against borrowing, except mechanical equipment amounting to 629 thousand euro, concerning the Company's photovoltaic park, which is pledged to secure the bank loan related to financing its construction.

# 5.3 Intangible assets

The analysis of the book value of the Company's intangible assets is summarized in the following tables:

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(Amounts in EUR)	Other intangible assets	Total
Gross Book Value	261.177	261.177
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(246.984)	(246.984)
Net Book Value as at 1/1/2021	14.193	14.193
Gross Book Value	261.177	261.177
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(258.063)	(258.063)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2021	3.114	3.114
Gross Book Value	261.177	261.177
Accumulated depreciation and/or impairment	(261.177)	(261.177)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2022	-	-

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(Amounts in EUR)	Other intangible assets	Total
Net Book Value as at 1/1/2021	14.193	14.193
Additions	-	-
Depreciation	(11.079)	(8.556)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2021	3.114	3.114
Depreciation	(3.114)	(3.114)
Net Book Value as at 31/12/2022		-

## 5.4 Other investments

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(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Total Opening	5.100	5.100
Additions	-	-
Total	5.100	5.100

The amount of other investment concern Company's participation in the Business Park Management Company ("EDEP SA"). EDEP SA has been established exclusively with the participation of companies established in the Oinofyta Informal Industrial Concentration, as owners or lessees of land.

## 5.5 Deferred Tax Assets and Liabilities

Deferred income tax is calculated on temporary differences, using the tax rates effective in the Company's domiciled country. The amounts presented in the balance sheet are estimated to be recovered or settled after December 31, 2022. The changes in the Company's deferred tax assets and liabilities before their offsetting are as follows:

	EPALME S.A					-
	1/1/2022		31/12/2022			
(Amounts in EUR)	Opening Balance	Recognised In Profit Or Loss	Recognised In Other Comprehensive Income	Closing Balance	Deferred Tax Asset	Deferred Tax Liability
Non - Current Assets						
Intangible Assets	3.924	(29)	-	3.895	3.895	-
Tangible Assets	(489.828)	(81.823)	38.470	(533.181)	-	(533.181)
Right-of-use Assets	8.062	67.003	-	75.065	75.065	-
Current Assets						
Receivables	134.356	372	-	134.728	134.728	-
Financial Assets at fair value	-		(75.425)	(75.425)		(75.425)
Inventories						
Long-term Liabilities						
Long-Term Loans	3.630	(3.630)		-	-	
Short-Term Liabilities						
Employee Benefits	34.653	(22)	(4.271)	30.360	30.360	-
Liabilities From Derivatives	(21.932)	-	21.932	-		-
Total	(327.135)	(18.129)	(19.295)	(364.559)	244.047	(608.606)
Deferred Tax (Liability)/Receivables	(327.135)	(18.129)	(19.295)	(364.559)	244.047	(608.606)

		EPALME S.A.				
	1/1/2021	. 31/12/2021				
(Amounts in EUR)	Opening Balance	Recognised In Profit Or Loss	Recognised In Other Comprehensive Income	Closing Balance	Deferred Tax Asset	Deferred Tax Liability
Non - Current Assets						
Intangible Assets	2.675	1.249	-	3.924	3.924	-
Tangible Assets	(520.149)	30.321	-	(489.828)	-	(489.828)
Right-of-use Assets	18.532	(10.470)	-	8.062	8.062	-
Current Assets						
Receivables	150.828	(16.472)	-	134.356	134.356	-
Short-Term Liabilities						
Provisions	(1.638)	1.638	-	-	-	-
Employee Benefits	37.803	(2.590)	(560)	34.653	34.653	-
Liabilities From Derivatives	9.211	-	(31.143)	(21.932)		(21.932)
Total	(302.738)	7.306	(31.703)	(327.135)	184.625	(511.760)
Deferred Tax (Liability)/Receivables	(302.738)	7.306	(31.703)	(327.135)	184.625	(511.760)

## 5.6 Other long-term receivables

The Company's other long-term receivables are analyzed in the table below:

## **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Given Guarantees	5.816	37.021
Other long term receivables	260	260
Other Long-term Receivables	6.076	37.281

## 5.7 Right-of-use assets and lease liabilities

Leases are recognized in the Statement of Financial Position as a right-of-use assets and a lease liability on the date the leased asset becomes available for use.

Recognized right-of-use assets relates to the following categories of fixed assets and is presented in the item "Right-of-use assets":

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Right of use buildings	300.613	-
Right of use machinery	2.988	30.630
Right of use vechicles	-	2.680
Right-of-use Assets	303.602	33.311

The Company presents lease liabilities in the items "Long-term Lease Liabilities" and "Long-term Lease Liabilities carried forward" in the Statement of Financial Position.

On 31/12/2022 the Company recognized € 303.602 right-of-use assets and € 304.027 lease liabilities. For the period ended on 31/12/2022 the Company recognized € 38.379 depreciation and € 8.926 financial expenses.

Below is the analysis of the lease liabilities for the following years as well as the recognized right-of-use assets per fixed asset category:

## **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	up to 1 year	1 to 5 years	after 5 years	Total
Lease payments	45.227	162.648	141.000	348.875
Finance charges	(9.424)	(26.498)	(8.926)	(44.848)
Net present value	35.804	136.149	132.074	304.027

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	Right-of-use			
(Amounts in EUR)	Right-of-use Properties	Right-of-use Vehicles	Right-of-use Equipment	Σύνολο
Balance as at 01/01/2021		8.881	69.478	78.359
Depreciation	-	(6.201)	(38.848)	(45.049)
Balance as at 31/12/2021		2.680	30.630	33.311
Additions	308.670	-	-	308.670
Depreciation	(8.057)	(2.680)	(27.642)	(38.379)
Balance as at 31/12/2022	300.613		2.988	303.602

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	Lease Liabilities			
(Amounts in EUR)	Right-of-use Properties	Right-of-use Vehicles	Right-of-use Equipment	Σύνολο
Balance as at 01/01/2021	2.732	8.978	71.585	83.295
Payments	-	(6.607)	(42.156)	(48.763)
Interest	-	239	2.217	2.455
Other	(2.732)	-	-	(2.732)
Balance as at 31/12/2021	-	2.610	31.645	34.255
Additions	308.670	-	-	308.670
Payments	(8.952)	(2.645)	(29.043)	(40.640)
Interest	1.078	35	629	1.742
Balance as at 31/12/2022	300.796		3.231	304.027

# 5.8 Inventory

The Company's inventory is analyzed as follows:

# **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Raw materials	10.808.272	4.362.736
Semi-finished products	345.468	92.720
Finished products	1.603.862	209.482
Merchandise	10.530	4.576.934
Others	7.684	43.153
Total	12.775.816	9.285.024

To facilitate determination of net realizable value of inventories, the Management takes into account the most reliable data available on the valuation date. The main part of the business activity is not subject to continuous technological changes which may lead to obsolescence of its inventory. Future recovery of inventory's book value is not affected by product prices of other sectors. The two aforementioned events shall not constitute factors that may significantly affect the value of the Company's inventory in the next fiscal year.

## 5.9 Trade and Other Receivables

Trade and other receivables are analyzed as follows:

**EPALME S.A.** 

2.7.2		
(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Customers	19.752.491	14.494.168
Checks receivable	999.850	1.511.069
Less: Impairment Provisions	(2.093.423)	(2.093.423)
Total	18.658.918	13.911.813

The total aforementioned receivables are considered short-term. Fair value of these short-term financial assets is not independently determined, as the book value is considered to approximate their fair value. For all the Company's receivables, an assessment of indications for possible impairment has been carried out. The Company has overdue receivables for which it has formed a corresponding provision in case they become uncollectible.

#### 5.10 Other Receivables

The Company's other receivables are analyzed as follows:

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Other Debtors	1.356.318	1.052.876
Receivables from the Greek State	654.913	334.765
Accrued income - Prepaid expenses	32.461	6.768
Less: Provision for Bad Debts	(7.786)	(7.786)
Total	2.035.906	1.386.622

#### 5.11 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include the following:

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Cash	538	575
Bank deposits	3.619.026	3.516.574
Total	3.619.564	3.517.150

## 5.12 Equity

#### 5.12.1 Share Capital

On December 31, 2022, the Company's share capital is divided into 142.100 nominal voting shares of nominal value 29,35 euro each amounting to 4.170.635 euro and share premium amounting to 8.268 euro.

#### 5.12.2 Other reserves

The change in other reserves is analyzed as follows:

EPALME S.A.						
(Amounts in EUR)	Regular Reserve	Special & Extraordinary Reserves	Tax-free and Specially taxed Reserves	Revaluation reserves	Actuarial Gain/Losses Reserve	Total
Opening Balance 1st January 2021, according to IFRS -as published	261.881	372.874	287.243	1.352.681	(12.054)	2.262.623
Transfer To Reserves	54.515	-	-		-	54.515
Deferred Tax From Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	-	(560)	(560)
Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	-	2.545	2.545
Revaluation Of Tangible Assets	-	-	-	(33.997)	-	(33.997)
Closing Balance 31/12/2021	316.397	372.874	287.243	1.318.683	(10.069)	2.285.127
Opening Balance 1st January 2022, according to IFRS -as published	316.397	372.874	287.243	1.318.683	(10.069)	2.285.127
Transfer To Reserves	108.394	-	-	-	-	108.394
Deferred Tax From Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-	-	-	(4.271)	(4.271)
Actuarial Gain / (Losses)	-	-		-	19.416	19.416
Revaluation Of Tangible Assets	-	-	-	856	-	856
Closing Balance 31/12/2022	121 791	272 974	287 2/12	1 210 520	5.075	2 /09 521

**Statutory reserves:** According to the Greek commercial legislation, companies are required, from the profits of the year, to form 5% as statutory reserve until it reaches one third of their paid-up share capital. During the Company's term distribution of statutory reserve is prohibited. **Special and extraordinary reserves:** They pertain to non-distributed profits which are tax exempted under special provisions of development laws (provided that there are sufficient profits to form). These reserves mainly concern investments and are not distributed.

**Tax-exempted and specially taxed reserves:** Tax-exempted reserves and specially taxed reserves pertain to income from interest and sales of shares of listed and unlisted companies which are tax-exempted or tax has been withheld at source. In addition to any prepaid tax, these reserves are subject to taxation in the event of their distribution.

Real estate value adjustment reserves: They refer to the positive difference formed between the book value and the fair value of real estate. The reserve was generated in 2019 from valuation of the Company's real estate fair value located in Dambasi region in Oinofyta, Viotia prefecture, using IFRS 1 and IAS 16 par. 31, according to which the Company recognized as an imputed cost the fair value of the real estate according to an independent appraiser's report with transition date 31/05/2019.

## 5.13 Employees' end-of-service Benefits

The amount of liabilities on the balance sheet relating to employees' compensation is analyzed as follows:

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Current employment cost	139.776	157.513
Total	139.776	157.513

The current cost part of these obligations represents the obligations of EPALME S.A. to current and former employees which are expected to be settled during 2023. These obligations mainly arise from accrued holiday entitlements and pension payments at the balance sheet date. Since none of the employees are entitled to early settlement of pension arrangements, the remaining amount of pension liabilities is considered long-term.

The amounts recognized in the Income Statement and other comprehensive income are as follows:

**EPALME S.A.** 

	<b>Defined Contributions Plans</b>		
(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	
Current employment cost	20.231	17.583	
Past employment cost	-	(1.845)	
Settlement Cost	3.643	17.322	
Financial cost	945	924	
Amount to Income Statement	24.819	33.985	
Actuarial (Gain)/Losses immediate recognise in profit and loss statement	(19.416)	(2.545)	
Amount through Other Comprehensive Income	(19.416)	(2.545)	

Changes in the present value of the liability for the defined benefit plans are as follows:

## **EPALME S.A.**

	Defined Contributions Plans		
(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	
Total Opening	157.513	154.005	
Current Employment Cost	20.231	17.583	
Financial Cost	945	924	
Actuarialy (Profits)/ Losses	(19.416)	(2.545)	
Past employment cost	-	(1.845)	
Settlement Cost	3.643	17.322	
Contributions Paid	(23.140)	(27.931)	
Closing Balance	139.776	157.513	

To determine the retirement liability, the following actuarial assumptions were used:

#### **EPALME S.A.**

Actuarial Assumptions	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Discount Rate	2,80%	0,60%
Future Salary increases	2,50%	2,00%
Inflation	2,80%	1,80%

The results of the sensitivity analysis performed for the liability for personnel compensation are as follows:

## **EPALME S.A.**

Sensitivity Analysis	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Increase in discount rate 0,5%	136.150	153.316
Discount rate reduction by 0,5%	143.561	161.900
Expected wage growth up 0,5%	143.409	161.708
Expected wage growth cut 0,5%	136.263	153.458

## 5.14 Suppliers and Other Liabilities

Total liabilities are considered short-term. Fair values of trade and other liabilities are not presented separately as, due to their short-term duration, Management considers that the book values, recognized in the balance sheet, are a reasonable approximation of the fair values. The analysis of trade and other payables is presented in the following table:

# **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Suppliers	14.486.797	7.744.835
Total	14.486.797	7.744.835

## 5.15 Current Tax Obligations

The Company's current tax obligations are analyzed as follows:

### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Tax liabilities	850.794	404.855
Total	850.794	404.855

# 5.16 Loan Liabilities

# Long-term debt

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Bank Bonds	5.377.032	7.179.993
Total	5.377.032	7.179.993

# **Current portion of non-current debt**

## **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Short Term Loans	2.199.565	10.177.445
Current Proportion of lease liabilities	1.842.227	1.882.501
Total	4.041.792	12.059.946

#### ΕΠΑΛΜΕ Α.Ε.

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Long-term debt	5.377.032	7.179.993
Lease Liabilities	268.223	3.579
Short-term debt	2.199.565	10.177.445
Current Proportion of non-current debt	35.804	30.676
Current portion of non-current liabilities	1.842.227	1.882.501
Total	9.722.851	19.274.194

Long-term loan liabilities include a long-term loan received by the Company, amounting to 600 thousand euro, in order to cover the bank loan at a percentage up to 70% of the total investment cost for the construction of a 500 KW Photovoltaic Station on a plot of land owned by the Company in Oinofyta Viotia. As collateral for the loan, the Company has pledged the mechanical equipment financed by the bank and created a pledge in favor of the bank of the rights arising from the contract for the sale and purchase of electricity between the Company and DAPEEP (formerly LAGIE).

## 5.16.1 Changes in loan liabilities

ALME S.A.		

	31/12/2022				
(Amounts in EUR)	Short term Loan Liabilities	Long term Loan Liabilities	Total		
Opening Balance	12.059.946	7.179.993	19.239.939		
Repayments	(20.387.593)	(194.569)	(20.582.162)		
Proceeds	10.413.283	-	10.413.283		
Other	113.929	233.836	347.765		
Reclassification	1.842.227	(1.842.227)	-		
Closing Balance	4.041.792	5.377.033	9.418.824		

31/12/2021					
Short term Loan Liabilities	Long term Loan Liabilities	Total			
9.450.969	75.000	9.525.969			
(15.006.954)	(58.570)	(15.065.525)			
15.555.561	9.000.000	24.555.561			
177.869	46.065	223.934			
1.882.501	(1.882.501)	-			
12.059.946	7.179.993	19.239.939			

**EPALME S.A.** 

### 5.17 Derivatives

### ΕΠΑΛΜΕ Α.Ε.

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
<b>Current Assets</b>		
Futures	333.311	80.826
Options	9.532	18.864
Total	342.843	99.690
Derivatives	342.843	99.690

On31/12/2022 and 31/12/2021, maximum exposure to credit risk for the Company equals the fair value of the derivatives, as presented in the table above.

All hedges are classified as cash flow hedges estimated to be effective with the total change in fair value recognized in the statement of comprehensive income.

The following tables presents the amounts of Profit / (Losses) arising from valuation of derivative in the statement of comprehensive income.

				EPALME S.A.				
(Amounts in EUR)	Assets (Carrying Amount)	Liabilities (Carrying Amount)	Changes in the value of the hedging instrument recognised in OCI	Amount reclassified from hedging reserve to profit and loss	Assets (Carrying Amount)	Liabilities (Carrying Amount)	Changes in the value of the hedging instrument recognised in OCI	Amount reclassified from hedging reserve to profit and loss
Currency Risk Options	9.532	-	9.532	(18.864)	18.864		- 18.864	-
Commodity Prices Risk								
Futures	333.311	-	333.311	(80.826)	80.826		- 80.826	-
Total	342.843		342.843	(99.690)	99.690		- 99.690	-

The results of the settled derivative transactions for currency risk hedging for the company, recorded in the income statement in 2022, amount to a loss of € 701.233 and from the commodity prices hedging to a profit of € 1.433.496. In 2021 the results from commodity prices hedging stood at a profit of € 570.240.

Actual values of financial derivatives are based on observable market data. For all swap agreements, realized values are confirmed by the credit institutions with which the Company has signed the relevant agreements.

The Company manages its exposure to foreign exchange risk making use of forward contracts and currency options by "locking in" exchange rates that ensure liquidity and profit margins. Subsequently, the Company manages its exposure to price risk using forward contracts, through which it hedges the change in fair value of the goods.

## 5.18 Other Short-term Liabilities

Other short-term liabilities are analyzed as follows:

# ΕΠΑΛΜΕ Α.Ε.

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Liabilities to Related Parties	5.000.000	-
Accrued expense	1.880.968	490.795
Social security insurance	123.422	134.373
Others Liabilities	6.099.717	106.521
Total	13.104.107	731.690

#### 5.19 Cost of sales

The analysis of the Company's expenses per category is analyzed as follows:

## **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021				
Other employee benefits	3.438.280	2.495.186				
Cost of materials & inventories	72.709.942	55.408.722				
Third party expenses	462.519	911.343				
Third party benefits	8.297.330	3.369.955				
Assets repair and maintenance cost	1.186.426	684.012				
Operating leases rent	32.179	19.080				
Taxes & Duties	57.536	58.149				
Other expenses	1.585.204	1.244.160				
Depreciation - Tangible Assets	906.510	522.357				
Depreciation-Right-of-use Assets	38.379	45.049				
Total	88.717.552	64.762.401				

# 5.20 Other operating Income and Expenses

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Other operating income		
Profit from foreign exchange differences	86.007	39.949
Operating income from services	40.273	37.548
Other	18.139	18.215
Total	144.419	95.962
Other operating expenses		
Losses from foreign exchange differences	57.771	6.808
Other taxes	1.508	123.843
Compensations	5.022	59.918
Total	64.302	190.570

## 5.22 Financial Income and Expenses

Financial expenses include all income and expenses related to interest, except interest arising from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. The following amounts have been included in the Income Statement and are analyzed as follows:

**EPALME S.A** 

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(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Financial income		
Bank deposits	774	1.135
Total	774	1.135
Financial expenses		
Discounts of Employees' benefits liability due to service	945	924
termination	945	924
Bank Loans	602.472	393.621
Letter of Credit commissions	686	632
Financial Leases	1.742	2.455
Other Banking Expenses	34.327	58.926
Total	640.172	456.559

## 5.23 Income Tax

The balance between the expected tax expense, based on the Company's effective tax rate and the tax expense recognized in the Income Statement, is as follows:

**EPALME S.A.** 

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Income Tax	730.074	166.749
Deferred taxation	18.129	(8.148)
Total	748.203	158.601
Earnings before tax	2.408.912	2.326.481
Nominal Tax rate	22%	22%
Tax calculated at the statutory tax rate of 24%	529.961	511.826
Non tax deductible expenses	71.320	61.850
Non recognition of deferred tax assets on tax loss carryforwards	-	(25.298)
Other	146.923	(389.776)
Effective Tax Charge	748.203	158.601

Based on paragraph 120, Law 4799/2021, profits from business activity obtained by legal persons and legal entities that keep double-entry books, excluding credit institutions, are taxed at a rate of 22% for the incomes obtained in 2021 and onwards.

## 5.24 Cash flows from operating activities

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	01/01-31/12/2022	01/01-31/12/2021
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit for the period	1.660.709	2.167.880
Adjustment for:		
Tax	748.203	158.601
Depreciation of property, plent and equipment	906.643	515.667
Depreciation of intangible assets	3.114	11.079
Depreciation Right-of-use Assets	38.379	45.049
Interest income	(774)	(1.135)
Interest expenses	640.172	456.559
	2.335.737	1.185.820
Changes in Working Capital		
(Increase) / (Decrease) in stocks	(3.490.792)	(5.691.774)
(Increase) / (Decrease) in trade receivables	(5.365.183)	(6.607.162)
(Increase) / (Decrease) in liabilities	19.323.410	4.534.309
Pension plans	(23.140)	(27.931)
	10.444.294	(7.792.557)
Cash flows from operating activities	14.440.741	(4.438.859)

## 5.25 Fair value measurement

The Company adopted IFRS 13 "Fair Value Measurement". Financial assets and liabilities presented in the Statement of Financial Position are measured at fair value and are classified according to a three-level fair value hierarchy. These three levels depend on how its significant measurement parameters are defined. As a result, these three levels are as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices in an active market
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability,
- Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The following table presents three Levels of the Company's financial assets and liabilities classification measured at fair value as at 31/12/2022 and 31/12/2021:

**EPALME S.A.** 

	31/12/2022	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
(Amount in EUR)				
Assets				
Stock Shares	5.360	260	5.100	-
Futures	333.311	-	333.311	-
Options	9.532	-	9.532	-
Total Assets	348.203	260	347.943	-

#### **EPALME S.A.**

(Amount in EUR)	31/12/2021	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets				
Stock Shares	5.360	260	5.100	-
Options	18.864	-	18.864	-
Total Assets	105.050	260	104.790	-

Level 1 Shares comprise shares valued based on the closing price at the end of periods in the active stock market.

Level 2 derivative valuations comprise futures contracts to hedge changes in the price of metal and exchange rate futures contracts. The Company applies a variety of methods and makes assumptions based on the market conditions effective at every reporting date. The aforementioned contracts have been measured at fair value using: a) forward exchange rates traded in the active market, b) mark-to-market prices of the contracts to hedge metal, natural gas and oil.

No transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 took place in 2022.

#### 5.26 Related Parties Transactions

Materials, inventory and services arise from a number of the Company's partners in the course of its operations.. These transactions include companies associated and companies in which the members of the Board of Directors of EPALME S.A. participate. Transactions with these companies are conducted on a purely commercial basis, and no business transactions are conducted. EPALME S.A. has not participated in any transaction of unusual nature or content that is material to its Group, or the companies and individuals closely related to it, and does not intend to participate in such transactions in the future.

The following tables present intercompany sales and other intercompany transactions of the Company and members of the management, during the current fiscal year, as well as intercompany balances of receivables and liabilities as of 31/12/2022:

Transactions with members of the Management:

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Short term employee benefits		
- Wages and Salaries and BOD Fees	564.481	738.817
- Insurance service cost	33.246	22.454
Total	597.727	761.272

# Transactions with other related parties:

# **EPALME S.A.**

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Stock Sales		
Parent	4.161.193	68.076
Other Related parties	663.132	110.051
Total	4.824.325	-
Stock Purchases		
Parent	21.619.143	2.430.192
Other Related parties	1.450.596	140.319
Total	23.069.739	2.570.511
Services Sales		
Other Related parties	-	30.445
Total		30.445
Services Purchases		
Parent	86.785	3.029.119
Other Related parties	40.818	40.310
Total	127.603	3.069.429

(Amounts in EUR)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Balance from sales of stock/services receivable		
Parent	5.172.287	-
Other Related parties	11.795	241.775
Total	5.184.082	241.775
Balance from sales/purchases of stock/services payable		
Parent	10.548.092	3.521.125
Other Related parties	5.662.585	545.600
Total	16.210.677	4.066.726

# 5.27 Number of Headcount

The number of the Company's headcount is as follows:

# **EPALME S.A.**

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	31/:	12/2022	31/12/2021
Employees		89	37
Workers		-	35
Total		89	72

#### 5.28 Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities

There are no contingent third-party claims against the Company for which provision has not been made. According to IAS 37.14: " A provision shall be recognised when: a) an entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; b) it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and c) a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If these conditions are not met, no provision shall be recognised."

No provision has been recognized for these third-party claims, as according to the relevant opinions of the Company's legal advisors and the assessment of the Company's Management: a) the existence of an obligation has not yet been finalized and b) it is not likely that there will be outflow of financial resources.

In addition, there are claims of the Company against third parties which amount to a total of € 599 thousand, for which a contingency provision of the same amount has been formed.

#### 5.29 Tax non-inspected years

For the years 2011 to 2021, the Company, meeting the relevant criteria for being subject to the tax audit by Chartered Accountants, in accordance with par. 5 of Article 82 of Law 2238/1994 and Article 65A par. 1 of Law 4174/2013, received unqualified conclusion Tax Compliance Certificate.

Under the circular POL. 1006/2016, the companies that have been subject to this special tax audit, are not exempted from statutory audits of the competent tax authorities.

Regarding the fiscal year 2022, the tax audit of the Certified Public Accountants is in progress. The Management does not expect any significant tax liabilities to arise upon the completion of the tax audit, except those recorded and presented in the financial statements.

## 5.30 Liens

To secure the fixed asset loan for the Company's Photovoltaic Park, the mechanical equipment of the photovoltaic park has been pledged in favor of the National Bank of Greece up to the amount of 629 thousand euro and the rights arising from the agreement with DAPEEP (formerly LAGIE), the mechanical damage and loss of income insurance policies and the construction company's guarantee for the good operation of the station have been transferred.

#### 5.31 Post balance sheet date events

No events occurred subsequent to the financial statements, concerning the Company, to which reference is required by the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

# Z. Financial Statements Publication

The Annual Financial Statements, the Independent Audit published on the Company's website www.epalme.gr.	or's Report and the Report of the Board of Directors of the Company have been
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