

SAUDI CABLE COMPANY
(A Saudi Joint Stock Company)

**CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018
AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**



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Independent Auditors' Report

To the Shareholders
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Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements Qualified Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Saudi Cable Company (A Saudi Joint Stock Company) (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2018, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in shareholders' equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and the accompanying notes which form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matters described in the paragraph of basis for Qualified Opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as of December 31, 2018, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and other standards and pronouncements issued by the Saudi Organization for Certified Public Accountants.

Basis for Qualified Opinion

- a. We did not receive certain banks confirmations for the balances amounting to SAR 2.23 million, in addition to the loan balance with Al Rajhi bank amounting to SAR 261.89 million as of December 31, 2018. Consequently, we were unable to determine whether adjustments, if any, may require if we received these bank confirmations and we were unable to determine the possible impact on the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2018. In addition, we were unable to perform sufficient alternative audit procedures to satisfy ourselves regarding the completeness and existence of these bank balances.
- b. As of December 31, 2018 the subsidiary; Mass Kablo Ve Ticaret Anonim Sirketi, reported a net loss amounting to SAR 94.5 million and its accumulated losses at that date have reached to SAR 413.3 million, representing 86.7% of the Subsidiary's share capital, which indicate a significant doubt about its ability to continue as going concern and its ability to meet its obligations when it becomes due. The Subsidiary has been restructuring its due amounts to banks and other creditors and plans to reduce its payables with future cash flows from its current projects. Therefore, the Company's Management does not foresee any risk regarding going concern and has prepared their financial statements under going concern basis.

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report.



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Basis for Qualified Opinion - Continued

We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' ("IESBA") "Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants" together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA requirements "Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants".

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

Without further qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to the following:

- As stated in notes (20) to the consolidated financial statements and in accordance with the Board of Directors' decision dated August 2, 2018, the Group has absorbed the accumulated losses by SAR 293.5 million through a reduction of the Group's share capital. Accordingly, the Group's new capital has been revised to SAR 110.6 million.
- As stated in note (28) to the consolidated financial statements, the Group has disposed one of its subsidiaries through sale on August 31, 2018.

Other Matter

The Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by SAR 369.9 million (2017: SAR 304.2 million), which indicates that the Group is unable to meet its short-term liabilities when it becomes due.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. Below are the description of each key audit matters and how our audit procedures were addressed to these key audit matters.

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Key Audit Matters - Continued

Bank Borrowings And Financial Restructuring	
Key Audit Matters	How our audit addressed key audit matters
<p>On February 23, 2016, the Group has entered into financial restructuring agreements with its four main lenders, which requires the Group to comply with additional covenants and allows the Group to reschedule repayment of its debts over a period of 7 years, with a final payment at the end of December 2022 and subject to certain additional requirements. The total debt restructured was SAR 793 million including accumulated financing costs of SAR 85 million.</p> <p>On April 17, 2017, the Group had entered into a final settlement Agreement with BNP Paribas Bank on the basis of which the Group made a payment of SAR 40 million. Based on the terms of the said agreement, on receipt of SAR 40 million by BNP Paribas Bank, the loan amount of BNP Paribas Bank shall be reduced from SAR 142 million to SAR 24.99 million. Accordingly, the Group has reversed the obligation through profit and loss, by SAR 77 million.</p> <p>On June 11, 2017, the Group finalized further renegotiations to "Restructuring Framework Agreement" through an amendment and restructuring by the Participating Banks (excluding BNP Paribas Bank) and have agreed to defer the repayment of the loans for a further periods. According to the terms of the said agreement, the Company shall increase its capital through issuance of right shares and settle an amount of SAR 188.38 million, from the said proceeds by 30 June 2018. The remaining amount of SAR 371.65 million is due in equal instalments commencing from December 31, 2018 to June 30, 2022.</p> <p>On December 25, 2018, the Group entered into a Final Settlement Agreement with National Commercial Bank and Bank Al Jazira on the basis of which Saudi Cable Company paid an amount of SAR 110 million, against receiving a waiver for the balance SAR 203 million due to these banks. Accordingly, the Group has reversed the obligation through profit and loss.</p> <p>The management believe that the remaining balance with Al Rajhi Bank, will continue until mutual terms and conditions are agreed apart from the previous restructuring agreement.</p>	<p>We performed the following procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Obtain the agreed financial restructuring agreements. ▪ Assess the design and implementation and tested the effectiveness of the Group's control. ▪ Check the facilities' agreements with banks, the repayment schedules of loans and the actual loan repayments and terms and conditions. ▪ Obtain bank confirmations that confirm the loans balances.

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Key Audit Matters - Continued

Inventory	
Key Audit Matters	How our audit addressed key audit matters
<p>As of December 31, 2018, the Group's inventories balance was SAR 112.29 million (2017: SAR 249.77 million) net of provision for obsolete and slow moving inventories, amounting to SAR 55.6 million (2017: SAR 64.6 million).</p> <p>Inventory are stated at the lower of cost or net realizable value and the group makes provisions where necessary.</p> <p>At each reporting date, the management reviews valuation of inventories and the cost of inventories are written down where inventories are expected to be sold at below cost.</p>	<p>We performed the following audit procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess the design and implementation and evaluate the effectiveness of the Group's control. ▪ Evaluate reasonableness and appropriateness of Group's policy related to inventories. ▪ Recalculate obsolete and slow moving provision according to the Group's policy and inventory ageing records. ▪ Inquire about obsolete or slow moving inventory items during our observation of inventory count. ▪ Test the net realizable value for finished goods inventories by considering actual sales post year -end and the assumption used by management to check whether inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value.

Other Information

Management is responsible for other information included in the Group's annual report other than the consolidated financial statements and the independent auditor's report.

Our opinion on the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate these misstatements. There was no matters that needs to be comminuted .



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Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and other standards and pronouncements issued by the Saudi Organization for Certified Public Accountants, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group'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 management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The audit committee is responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.



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Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements - Continued

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by 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 Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated 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 auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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



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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018
(Expressed in thousands of Saudi Arabian Riyals)

	Notes	December 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	15,488	83,626
Accounts receivable	5	225,714	329,571
Unbilled revenue	6	18,845	48,557
Inventories	7	112,287	249,773
Due from related parties	17	25,709	187
Retentions receivable - current portion	8	64,153	72,014
Prepayments and other debit balances	9	169,288	109,196
Total current assets		631,484	892,924
Non-current assets			
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		45	661
Investments in an associate	10	321,982	416,844
Retentions receivable - non-current portion	8	35,738	22,247
Investment properties	11	3,053	27,831
Property, plant and equipment	12	393,380	569,730
Deferred tax asset	13	8,408	4,821
Intangible assets	14	2,500	19,058
Total Non-current assets		765,106	1,061,192
Total assets		1,396,590	1,954,116
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Short-term loans	15	50,492	116,507
Long-term loans - current portion	15	188,373	268,185
Obligations under finance lease - current portion	16	1,103	7,170
Accounts payable		276,574	339,073
Due to related parties	17	50,749	64,563
Accrued expenses and other payables	18	332,147	299,639
Accrued zakat	13	101,946	101,946
Total current liabilities		1,001,384	1,197,083
Non-current liabilities			
Long-term loans- non-current portion	15	183,658	473,776
Obligations under finance lease - non-current portion	16	469	11,538
Retention payable		7,018	-
Employee benefit obligations	19	42,264	56,269
Total non-current liabilities		233,409	541,583
Total liabilities		1,234,793	1,738,666
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Share capital	20	110,614	404,114
Fair value reserve	21	958	(11,650)
Foreign currency translation reserve		(6,703)	(7,068)
Employee benefits reserve		2,277	-
Retained earnings (accumulated losses)		55,006	(175,542)
Total Shareholders' equity before Non-controlling interest		162,152	209,854
Non-controlling interest		(355)	5,596
Total Shareholders' equity		161,797	215,450
Total liabilities and Shareholders' equity		1,396,590	1,954,116

The accompanying notes from 1 to 31 form an integral part of this consolidated financial statements and should be read together with the consolidated financial statements and independent auditors' report.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018
(Expressed in thousands of Saudi Arabian Riyals)

		FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31	
	Notes	2018	2017
Revenue		865,023	1,342,477
Costs of revenue		<u>(960,889)</u>	<u>(1,290,559)</u>
Gross / (loss) profit		(95,866)	51,918
General and administrative expenses	22	(76,840)	(103,717)
Selling and distribution expenses	23	<u>(35,420)</u>	<u>(36,106)</u>
Loss from main operations for the year		(208,126)	(87,905)
Finance charges - net		(43,981)	(65,394)
Group share from an associate losses	10	(86,490)	(23,238)
Gain resulted from disposal of a subsidiary	28	47,280	-
Other income - net	24	<u>228,099</u>	<u>108,578</u>
Net loss for the year before zakat and tax		(63,218)	(67,959)
Zakat	13	(11,000)	(11,615)
Income tax benefits / (expense)	13	<u>5,591</u>	<u>(747)</u>
Net loss for the year		<u>(68,627)</u>	<u>(80,321)</u>
Other Comprehensive income :			
Group's share of foreign currency translation		365	7,280
Fair value reserve adjustments	21	12,608	(16,745)
Non-controlling interests		(276)	(13)
Actuarial gain (revaluation of employee benefit obligations)		<u>2,277</u>	<u>-</u>
Total comprehensive loss for the year		<u>(53,653)</u>	<u>(89,799)</u>
Net loss attributable to			
Parent Company's shareholders		(62,952)	(80,313)
Non-controlling interests		<u>(5,675)</u>	<u>(8)</u>
		<u>(68,627)</u>	<u>(80,321)</u>
Total comprehensive loss attributable to			
Parent Company's shareholders		(47,702)	(89,778)
Non-controlling interests		<u>(5,951)</u>	<u>(21)</u>
		<u>(53,653)</u>	<u>(89,799)</u>
Earnings (Loss) per share from:			
Loss from main operations for the year	25	(6.77)	(1.58)
Net loss for the year	25	<u>(2.23)</u>	<u>(1.45)</u>

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018
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	Share capital	Fair value Reserve	Foreign currency translation reserve	Employee benefits reserve	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	Total	Non-controlling interests (NCI)	Total shareholders' equity
Balance at January 1, 2017	760,000	5,095	(14,348)	-	(451,115)	299,632	5,617	305,249
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(80,313)	(80,313)	(8)	(80,321)
Fair value adjustments	-	(16,745)	-	-	-	(16,745)	-	(16,745)
Foreign currency translation reserve movement	-	-	7,280	-	-	7,280	-	7,280
Non-controlling interests movements	-	-	-	-	-	-	(13)	(13)
Absorption of accumulated losses against share capital	(355,886)	-	-	-	355,886	-	-	-
Balance at December 31, 2017	404,114	(11,650)	(7,068)	-	(175,542)	209,854	5,596	215,450
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(62,952)	(62,952)	(5,675)	(68,627)
Fair value adjustments	-	12,608	-	-	-	12,608	-	12,608
Foreign currency translation reserve movement	-	-	365	-	-	365	-	365
Non-controlling interests movements	-	-	-	-	-	-	(276)	(276)
Employee benefits adjustments	-	-	-	2,277	-	2,277	-	2,277
Absorption of accumulated losses against share capital	(293,500)	-	-	-	293,500	-	-	-
Balance at December 31, 2018	110,614	958	(6,703)	2,277	55,006	162,152	(355)	161,797

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

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	For The Year Ended December 31,	
	2018	2017
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss for the year	(68,627)	(80,321)
Adjustments for:		
Gain resulted from disposal of a subsidiary	(47,280)	-
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and investment property	50,338	97,236
(Reversal of) provision for doubtful debts	(4,748)	(3,873)
(Reversal of) provision for slow-moving inventories	(8,976)	(32,166)
Gain resulted from loans restructuring with commercial banks	(228,827)	(77,200)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(113)
Amortization of intangible assets	4,395	12,170
Deferred tax asset	(3,587)	747
Share of loss from an associate	86,490	23,238
Employee benefit obligations charge for the year	8,456	7,904
Finance charges	43,981	65,394
Zakat provision	11,000	11,615
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts receivable	108,605	140,145
Retention receivable	(5,630)	31,739
Due from related parties	(25,522)	-
Prepayments and other debit balances	5,952	1,568
Unbilled revenue	29,712	(1,339)
Inventories	146,462	63,810
Accounts payables	(62,499)	(67,792)
Retention payable	7,018	-
Accrued expenses and other payables	26,438	20,671
Due to related parties	(13,814)	(4,227)
Cash resulted from operating activities	59,337	209,206
Zakat paid	(11,000)	(725)
Finance charges paid	(42,499)	(65,394)
Employee benefit obligations paid	(17,849)	(19,158)
Net cash (used in) / provided by operating activities	(12,011)	123,929
Cash flows from investing activities		
Additions to property, plant and equipment	(32,092)	(16,547)
Additions to intangible assets	(1,455)	(2,078)
Proceed from sale of a subsidiary	175,125	-
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	-	183
Movement of Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	616	-
Dividends received from an associate	25,933	21,341
Net cash provided by investing activities	168,127	2,899
Cash flows from financing activities		
Net movement in long and short-term loans	(207,118)	(67,040)
Movement in obligations under finance lease	(17,136)	(5,521)
Net change in restricted cash	362	955
Net cash used in financing activities	(223,892)	(71,606)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(67,776)	55,222
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	83,264	28,042
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	15,488	83,264
Non-cash items:		
Absorption of accumulated losses against share capital	(293,500)	(355,886)
Movement of fair value reserve	12,608	(16,745)
Movement of foreign currency translation reserve	365	7,280

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NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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1. ORGANIZATION AND PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

Saudi Cable Company ("the Company" or "the Parent Company") is a Saudi joint stock company registered in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia under Commercial Registration No. 4030009931 dated 27 Rabi AlThani 1396H, (corresponding to April 27, 1976).

The Group's ("Parent Company" and its "subsidiaries") activities comprises manufacturing and supplying electrical and telecommunication cables, copper rod, PVC compounds, wooden reels and related products. The Group is also engaged in the contracting, trading, distribution and supply of cables, electronic products, information technology products and related accessories.

The Company location details are as follows:

Saudi Cable Company
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Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include assets, liabilities and the results of operations of the Company and its subsidiaries and branches, and as follows:

Company's name	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Percentage of ownership	
			2018	2017
Domestic				
Saudi Cable Company for Marketing Limited*	Purchase and sale of electrical cables and related products	Saudi Arabia	100%	100%
Mass Projects for Power and Telecommunications Limited	Turnkey power and telecommunication projects	Saudi Arabia	100%	100%
Mass Centers for Distribution of Electrical Products Limited*	Electrical and telecommunication distribution services	Saudi Arabia	100%	100%
International				
Mass Kablo Yatirim Ve Ticaret Anonim Anonim Sirketi	Holding Company (Previously Mass Holding Company)	Turkey	100%	100%
Demirer Kablo Tesisleri Sanayi Ve Ticaret Anonim Sirketi (Note 28)	Manufacture, supply and trading of electrical cables	Turkey	-	100%
Mass International Trading Company Limited (dormant)*	International trading	Ireland	100%	100%
Saudi Cable Company (U.A.E) L.L.C.	Sale of cables and related products	United Arab Emirates	100%	100%
Elimsan Salt Cihazlari ye Elektromekanik San ve Tic. A.S	Manufacture and distribution of electronic gears and goods	Turkey	94%	94%
Elimsan Metalurji ve Makine San. Ve Tic. A.S.	Manufacture and distribution of electronic gears and goods	Turkey	94%	94%

* The investments in the subsidiaries Saudi Cable Company for Marketing Limited, Mass Centers for Distribution of Electrical Products Limited and Mass International Trading Company Limited was accounted based on the financial statements prepared by the management of subsidiaries. The management believes that there are no material adjustments to the financial statements provided and the management believes that these accounts are not significant to the consolidated financial statements.

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As at December 31, the Group has the following investments in equity accounted investees:

Company's name	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Percentage of ownership	
			2018	2017
Midal Cables W.L.L.	Conductors & related products	Bahrain	50%	50%
XECA International Information Technology	Implementation of information Systems and network services	Saudi Arabia	25%	25%

All subsidiaries and equity accounted investees have the same year-end as the Parent Company.

The consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") has been approved by the board of directors on March 19, 2019.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

Statement of compliance

This consolidated financial statements of the company and it's branches and subsidiaries (the "Group") has been prepared in compliance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and other standards and pronouncements issued by the Saudi Organization for Certified Public Accountants.

Basis of measurement

This consolidated financial statements of the Group has been prepared on a historical cost basis except for the items which measured at fair value, present value, net realizable value, and replacement cost in line with the accrual basis of accounting and going concern assumption.

Changes in accounting policies

- a) Standards issued but not yet effective up to the date of issuance of the Group's consolidated financial statements are listed below:

Effective for annual periods begins on or after	Standard, amendment or interpretation	Summary of requirements
Annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019 early adoption is permitted	IFRS 16 – Leases	IFRS 16 proposes a lease classification that would be based on the nature of asset subject to the lease. Accordingly, all leases would be classified as Type A or Type B leases. The standard features a right of use (ROU) model that requires the lessee to recognize most leasing agreements on the balance sheets as lease liabilities with the right of use the assets.

The Group is currently assessing the implications of adopting the above mentioned standards on the Group's consolidate financial statements.

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b) Standards issued and effective since January 1, 2018 are listed below:

Effective for annual periods begins on or after	Standard, amendment or interpretation	Summary of requirements
Annual reporting periods begins on or after January 1, 2018, early adoption is permitted	IFRS 15 – Revenue from contracts with customers	IFRS 15 establishes a five step model for all types of revenue contracts, accordingly revenue can either be recognised at appoint of time or over a period of time. The standard replaces existing revenue recognition guidance, including IAS 18 Revenue, IAS 11 Construction contracts, IFRIC 13 Customer Loyalty Programs, IFRIC 15 Agreements for Construction of Real Estate and IFRIC 18 Transfer of Assets from Customers.
Annual reporting periods begins on or after January 1, 2018, early adoption is permitted	IFRS 9 – Financial instruments	IFRS 9 addresses the classification, measurement and de-recognition of financial assets and financial liabilities, introduces new rules for hedge accounting and a new impairment model for financial assets.

The adoption of “IFRS 9” Financial instrument and “IFRS 15” Revenue from contracts with customers had no significant impact on the Group’s consolidated financial statements.

Critical accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of Group’s consolidated financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities and the related disclosures. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment of the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in future periods.

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation of uncertainty at the reporting date, that might have a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial period, are described below. The Group based its assumptions and estimates on parameters available at the time of preparing the consolidated financial statements.

Existing circumstances, assumptions, and estimation concerning the future may change due to changes in market or circumstances arising beyond the control of the Group. Such changes in assumptions are reflected when they occur.

Information about estimates and judgments used in applying the accounting policies that could potentially have an effect on the amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements, are discussed below:

(a) Allowance for impairment of trade receivables

The loss allowances for financial assets are based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The group uses judgments in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Group’s past history, existing market conditions as well as forward looking estimates at the end of each reporting period.

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(b) Provision for inventory obsolescence and slow moving

The Group determines its provision for inventory obsolescence and slow moving inventory based on historical experience, current condition, and current and future expectations with respect to sales or use. The estimates of the Group's provision for inventory obsolescence slow moving inventory could change from period to period, due to the change in inventory remaining useful life from year to another.

(c) Useful lives and residual values of property, plant and equipment

The management determines the estimated useful lives and residual values of property, plant and equipment for calculating depreciation. This estimate is determined after considering expected usage of the assets or physical wear and tear. Management reviews the useful lives and residual value annually and future depreciation charges are adjusted when management believes that the useful lives differ from previous estimates.

(d) Impairment of non-financial assets with definite useful lives

The Group assesses, at each reporting date or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Company estimates the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's (CGU) fair value less costs to sell, or its value in use, and is determined for the individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows which are largely independent from other assets or group of assets.

When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is decreased to its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining the fair value less costs to sell, an appropriate source is used, such as observable market prices or, if no observable market prices exist, estimated prices for similar assets or if no estimated prices for similar assets exist, it is based on discounted future cash flow calculations.

(e) Employee benefits – defined benefit plans

The value of post-employment defined benefits are the present value of the related obligation, as determined using actuarial valuations. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions which may differ from actual developments in the future. These include the determination of the discount rate, future salary increases, withdrawal before normal retirement age, mortality rates etc. Due to the complexity of the valuation, the underlying assumptions and its long-term nature, a defined benefit obligation is sensitive to changes in these assumptions. All assumptions are reviewed at each reporting date.

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3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently in the preparation of this consolidated financial statement:

Basis of consolidation

a) *Subsidiaries*

Subsidiaries are entities which are controlled by the Group. To meet the definition of control, all three criteria must be met:

- the Group has power over the entity;
- the Group has exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity; and
- the Group has the ability to use its power over the entity to influence the amount of the entity's returns.

Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Group and cease to be consolidated from the date on which the control is transferred from the Group. The results of subsidiaries acquired or disposed during the year, if any, are presented in the consolidated statement of profit or losses and other comprehensive income from the date of the acquisition or up to the date of disposal, as appropriate.

b) *Transactions eliminated on consolidation*

Intra-group balances, revenues and expenses arising from intra-group transactions, are eliminated in preparation of the consolidated financial statements. Unrealized gains or losses arising from transactions with equity accounted investees are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the investee.

Unrealized losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealized gains, but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

Property, plant and equipment

a) *Recognition and measurement*

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Cost includes purchase price and any costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. The cost of self-constructed assets includes the cost of materials, direct labor, any other costs directly attributable to bringing the assets to a working condition as their intended use, the costs of dismantling and removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located, and borrowing costs on qualifying assets.

When significant parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property and equipment.

Gains and losses on disposal of an item of property and equipment are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of property and equipment item, and are recognized in net within other income in the profit or loss.

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b) Subsequent costs

The cost of replacing a part of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognized in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the Group. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day maintenance servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognized in profit or loss when incurred.

c) Depreciation

Depreciation represents the systematic allocation of the depreciable amount of an asset over its estimated useful life. Depreciable amount represents cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for the cost, less its residual value.

Depreciation is recognized in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of property, plant and equipment. Leased assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful life. Land is not depreciated.

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

Description	Years
Buildings	15 – 50
Machineries, Equipment and Vehicles	4 – 20
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	4 – 10

Depreciation methods, useful life and residual values are reviewed at least annually and adjusted prospectively if required.

Projects under construction

Projects under construction are measured at cost which comprises construction costs, equipment, and related direct costs. Projects under construction which will be used by the Group are not depreciated until its ready for use where its transferred to property, plant and equipment or investment properties based on the nature of asset use.

Intangible assets

Intangible assets comprise development cost, deferred cost, rights and licenses which have finite life and are amortized over 3 to 22 years from the implementation date. These assets are tested for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible may be impaired. The amortization period and the amortization method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life is reviewed at least annually. Any change in the estimated useful life is treated as a change in accounting estimate and accounted for prospectively.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Costs of inventories comprise all costs of purchase plus other charges incurred thereon, after deducting rebates and discounts. Costs are assigned to individual items of inventory on the basis of weighted average costs. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

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Trade receivable

Trade receivables are amounts due from customers for products sold and services performed in the ordinary course of business. If collection is expected in one year or less, they are classified as current assets. If not, they are presented as non-current assets. Trade receivables are recognized initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. Subsequent recoveries of amount previously written-off are credited to profit or loss against "General and administrative expenses"

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks and other highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Transaction costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction from the proceeds.

Statutory reserve

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association and the Regulations for Companies in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Company is required to transfer 10% of the profit for the year to a statutory reserve until it equals to at least 30% of its share capital. This reserve currently is not available for distribution to the shareholders of the Company.

Accounts payable and accruals

Liabilities are recognized for amounts to be paid for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the Group.

Foreign currency

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated to the respective functional currencies of Group entities at exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are retranslated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at that date. The foreign currency gain or loss on monetary items is the difference between amortized cost in the functional currency at the beginning of the period, adjusted for effective interest and payments during the period, and the amortized cost in foreign currency translated at the exchange rate at the end of the reporting period.

Offsetting

Financial asset and liability is offset and net amounts reported in the financial statements, when the Group has a legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and liability simultaneously.

Financial Instruments

IFRS 9 sets out requirements for recognising and measuring financial assets, financial liabilities and some contracts to buy or sell non-financial items. This standard replaces IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement.

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The details of new significant accounting policies and the nature and effect of the changes to previous accounting policies are set out below:

Classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities

IFRS 9 largely retains the existing requirements in IAS 39 for the classification and measurement of financial liabilities. However, it eliminates the previous IAS 39 categories for financial assets held to maturity, loans and receivables and available for sale.

Under IFRS 9, on initial recognition, a financial asset is classified as financial assets measured at amortized cost; FVOCI – debt investment; FVOCI – equity investment; or FVTPL. The classification of financial assets under IFRS 9 is generally based on the business model in which a financial asset is managed and its contractual cash flow characteristics. Derivatives embedded in contracts where the host is a financial asset in the scope of the standard are never separated. Instead, the hybrid financial instrument as a whole is assessed for classification.

A financial asset is measured at amortized cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- It is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- Its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

A debt investment is measured at FVOCI if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- It is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and
- Its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

On initial recognition of an equity investment that is not held for trading, the Group may irrevocably elect to present subsequent changes in the investment's fair value in OCI. This election is made on an investment-by-investment basis.

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortized cost or FVOCI as described above are measured at FVTPL. This includes all derivative financial assets. On initial recognition, the Group may irrevocably designate a financial asset that otherwise meets the requirements to be measured at amortized cost or at FVOCI as at FVTPL, if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch that would otherwise arise.

A financial asset (unless it is a trade receivable without a significant financing component that is initially measured at the transaction price) is initially measured at fair value, for an item not at FVTPL, plus transaction costs that are directly attributable to its acquisition.

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The following accounting policies apply to the subsequent measurement of financial assets.

Financial assets at FVTPL	These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Net gains and losses, including any interest or dividend income, are recognised in profit or loss.
Financial assets at amortized cost	These assets are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. The amortized cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Any gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.
Debt investments at FVOCI	These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Interest income calculated using the effective interest method, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Other net gains and losses are recognized in OCI. On de-recognition, gains and losses accumulated in OCI are reclassified to profit or loss.
Equity investments at FVOCI	These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Dividends are recognised as income in profit or loss unless the dividend clearly represents a recovery of part of the cost of the investment. Other net gains and losses are recognised in OCI and are never reclassified to profit or loss.

Impairment of financial assets

IFRS 9 replaces the 'incurred loss' model in IAS 39 with an 'expected credit loss' (ECL) model. The new impairment model applies to financial assets measured at amortized cost, contract assets and debt investments at FVOCI, but not to investments in equity instruments. Under IFRS 9, credit losses are recognized as earlier under IAS 39.

Credit-impaired financial assets

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

Presentation of impairment

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortized cost are deducted from the gross carrying amount of the assets.

Impairment losses related to trade receivables are presented in the Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss.

Hedge Accounting

IFRS 9 requires the Group to ensure that hedge accounting relationships are aligned with its risk management objectives and strategy and to apply a more qualitative and forward-looking approach to assessing hedge effectiveness.

All hedging relationships designated under IAS 39 at 31 December 2017 met the criteria for hedge accounting under IFRS 9 at 1 January 2018 and are therefore regarded as continuing hedging relationships.

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The Group has taken an exemption not to restate comparative information for prior periods with respect to classification and measurement (including impairment) requirements. Differences in the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities resulting from the adoption of IFRS 9 are not recognised in retained earnings as at 1 January 2018 as amount was not material. Accordingly, the information presented for 2017 does not generally reflect the requirements of IFRS 9 but rather those of IAS 39.

The following assessments have been made on the basis of the facts and circumstances that existed at the date of initial application.

- The determination of the business model within which a financial asset is held.
- The designation and revocation of previous designations of certain financial assets
- The designation of certain investments in equity instruments not held for trading as at FVOCI.

Leases

Operating leases

A lease is classified as an operating lease if it does not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the asset or assets subject to the lease arrangement. Payments made under operating leases are charged to profit or loss on a Straight-line basis over the period of the lease. When an operating lease is terminated before the lease period has expired, any payment required to be made to the lessor by way of penalty, net of anticipated rental income (if any), is recognized as an expense in the period in which termination takes place.

Impairment of assets

The carrying amounts of the Group's non-financial assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

Impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset or cash generating unit ("CGU") exceeds the recoverable amount, which is the higher of the fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. The fair value less costs of disposal is arrived based on available data from binding sales transactions at arm's length, for similar assets. The value in use is arrived based on a discounted cash flow (DCF) model, whereby the future expected cash flows discounted using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and risks specific to the asset.

Impairment losses are recognized in profit or loss. Impairment losses recognized in respect of CGUs are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the units, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the unit (group of units) on a pro rata basis.

Employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits

Short term employee benefits are expensed based on the length of period related services were provided. A liability is recognized for the amount expected to be paid if the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee and the obligation can be estimated reliably.