

T&L Sugars Limited

Annual Report and Financial Statements
at and for the period ended 25 September 2022

Company no. 07318607

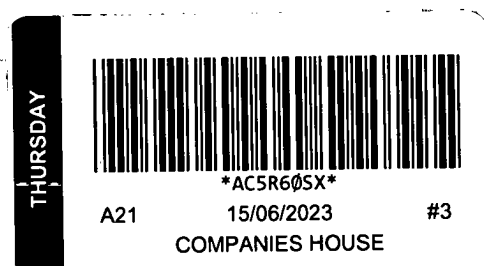


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Strategic Report

At and for the period ended 25 September 2022

(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

Principal activities

The principal activities of T&L Sugars Limited (“The Company” or “T&L Sugars”) during the period were the refining, marketing and distribution of sugar and related products.

The Company’s ultimate parent company is ASR Group International, Inc., a company domiciled in the United States of America (referred to as “ASR Group”).

Business review

The Directors use adjusted operating profit as a KPI for managing the business. Adjusted operating profit for the period was €1,671 (2021: €34,464 profit) and excludes unrealised gains and losses on financial products used for hedging the Company’s future purchase commitments. The result for the period, including unrealised gains and losses on financial products used for hedging the Company’s future exposure, was a net profit of €2,275 (2021: €87,175 profit). No dividends were paid or proposed during the period. Both 2022 and 2021 were based on a 52 week period.

The Company manages its product mix, operating procedures, raw sugar supply, sales and marketing strategies and overhead expenses to enhance operating profits. The Company has the full support of ASR Group from a knowledge sharing and financial perspective. ASR Group is one of the largest refined sugar producers in the world. It has extensive experience managing some of the best-known sugar brands in the world, providing excellent customer service, and efficiently operating cane sugar refineries and raw sugar mills.

Business environment

Over the financial period in question raw sugar, energy, freight and other input costs rose significantly compared to the previous year driven, at least in part, by Russia’s invasion of Ukraine. Underlying business performance was impacted by these cost increases, particularly raw sugar and energy. These exposures represent a significant proportion of the operating costs of the business. The business continuously monitors these cost exposures in order to prudently manage the associated price risk, where possible. This includes using price risk management tools at any point in time to manage risk in the existing financial period, as well as for future periods.

The UK adopted its own international trade policy from 1 January 2021, including a new free trade agreement with the EU-27, as well as a new UK tariff policy and trade agreements with other countries around the world. As part of this change, the business has a wider choice over where to source raw cane sugar. This has enabled us to secure a larger proportion of our raw material supply from raw sugar suppliers who meet the highest ethical and environmental standards, a key business objective. Offsetting this positive impact, cane sugar refined in the UK does not meet the Rules of Origin criteria of the UK-EU free trade agreement. This has meant the business has lost market share in sales to the EU-27, as well as to Northern Ireland.

Key Performance Indicators (“KPI’s”)

The KPIs that best reflect the Company’s strategy are as follows:

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Investment in property, plant and equipment	11,710	14,451
Net liquid assets ¹	77,523	50,829
Third party debt	10,000	10,000
Adjusted operating profit	1,671	34,464

¹ Defined as cash, trade receivables, prepayments, inventories (excluding manufacturing supplies), trade payables and accrued expenses

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Principal risks and uncertainties

Refined sugar selling prices in the UK and in the EU in general are not directly related to the cost of the Company's primary raw material - raw cane sugar. The spread between selling prices and the cost of raw sugar is a risk which must be closely managed. The Company generally uses sugar futures to manage this risk.

Additionally, raw cane sugar is generally purchased in USD currency, while sales are generally denominated in GBP and EUR currencies. The Company manages this risk through the use of currency derivatives.

Section 172 Statement

This section describes how the directors have had regard to the matters set out in section 172(1)(a) to (f) Companies Act 2006 in exercising their duty to promote the success of the Company for the benefit of its members as a whole.

The Directors seek to understand the respective interests of the Company's stakeholders so that these may be properly considered when making decisions. This is done through various methods, including: direct engagement by the Directors; receiving communication and updates from members of management who engage directly with stakeholders; and coverage in reports and presentations issued to the Directors.

Having regard to the likely consequences of any decision in the long term

The Company's strategy is to achieve a steady level of profitability by improving its product mix and increasing its operating efficiency whilst ensuring continued improvements in the sustainability of its products and supply chain. The Company also remains committed to achieving a competitive and non-discriminatory sugar policy through discussions with policy makers in both the UK and the EU.

The Company will continue to focus its investments in the UK to develop an innovative range of products to meet its customers' requirements whilst supporting its portfolio of highly recognisable brands through both organic growth and strategic acquisitions and partnerships.

ASR Group, as the ultimate owner of the Company, is committed to its customers in the UK and Europe, many of whom it also does business with in North America and globally.

Having regard to the interests of the Company's employees

The Company operates within a comprehensive framework of employment and human resource policies, practices and regulations.

The Company strives to promote a work environment which is free from discrimination, promotes equal employment opportunities and prohibits discriminatory practices. Policies and procedures for recruitment, training and career development promote equality of opportunity regardless of gender, age, marital status, disability, sexual orientation, race, religion and ethnic or national origin. The aim is to encourage a culture in which all employees have the opportunity to develop as fully as possible in accordance with their individual abilities and the needs of the Company.

The Directors engage with employees through a variety of channels, including: People surveys; regular email communication around business performance and critical issues; Town Hall meetings which all employees are invited to attend; and reports and advice from various employee-focussed committees.

As a direct result of a people survey and other feedback received, the Company launched the Employer of Choice Commitment initiative in 2020. New policies implemented as a result of this initiative include agile working, increased paternity leave, improved communication tools and development opportunities for all employees, with a view to establishing a culture of strong employee engagement. ASR Group has a Global Employee Recognition Programme to recognise extraordinary contributions made by employees in various targeted areas including efficiency and sustainability. The Company has also launched a Togetherness Award to recognise individuals who have particularly excelled in supporting the success of the business. The Company is also focusing on mental health issues and provides training, support and resources to its employees through its Mental Health First Aid team.

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Having regard to the need to foster the Company's business relationships with suppliers, customers and others

The volatility seen in energy, freight and other commodity markets during 2022 meant that regular, clear communication with suppliers and customers became even more important to ensure the Company could access the resources it needed in order to manufacture products and supply its customers at fair prices. The Directors engaged with customers directly during discussions and indirectly through briefings from the Sales team and attendance at regular operational meetings. Throughout the year the Directors were either directly involved in communication with key suppliers or were kept regularly updated by the relevant management team.

In response to prevailing supply chain issues and driver shortages that are impacting businesses and logistics within the UK, Europe and beyond, the Directors are constantly engaging with service providers and other stakeholders to ensure the Company's products are delivered on an accurate and timely basis. The Directors seek to balance the benefits of maintaining strong relationships with key suppliers alongside the need for excellent levels of customer service.

Having regard to the impact of the Company's operations on the community and the environment

The Company is committed to being a good steward of the environment and the local community where it operates.

The Directors receive regular reports from relevant management teams around investments in and interactions with the local community. The Company continues to run the annual Lyle's Local Fund, one part of our wider community programme, which is a small grants fund underwritten by the Company and open to organisations in Newham, London.

Efficiency and Sustainability is one of the four strategic pillars which underpins the wider business strategy. Efficiency metrics are reported to the Directors on a regular basis and business decisions are made with consideration for the sustainability both of the Company's business and for the environment.

The Company continues to focus on improving its energy efficiency whilst reducing its carbon footprint and improving the sustainability of its business model. The Directors recognise the importance of integrating climate related risks and opportunities into their business decisions to help with the transition to a low carbon economy.

In line with the Company's commitment to reduce its carbon footprint, below are some of the initiatives that were instigated during the period:

- A conceptual study for a step change energy reduction program was completed with a leading energy reduction consultancy; this has resulted in approval for a detailed engineering design study that will be completed within 2023
- Additional resources have been added to enable continuous improvement projects to be developed and delivered with an anticipated benefit of c. 3% energy reduction per year
- Installed 34 Electric Vehicle (EV) charging points to support and encourage our employees in their switch from fossil fuels to electric vehicles
- Completed a detailed design that will see Thames refinery convert to full LED lighting, replacing 9,000 bulbs in 2023/24

Having regard to the desirability of the Company maintaining a reputation for high standards of business conduct

The Company's brands are well-known and trusted by consumers and business partners alike. The reputation of our business and its brands has taken decades to build and protecting these by acting responsibly and fairly in all our interactions is a priority for the Directors and all employees. The Directors communicate the business's values through the implementation of Code of Ethics and Business Conduct policies, training sessions and regular communication via email, in person and through Town Hall meetings.

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Having regard to the need to act fairly as between members of the Company

The Company has one shareholder, ASR Group Europe Ltd ("ASRGE"). There are, therefore, no competing interests and the Directors are targeted with achieving certain financial and non-financial metrics approved by ASRGE.

Approved by the Board on 21 March 2023 and signed on its behalf by:

Tarun Arora

Tarun Arora
Director

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Directors' Report

At and for the period ended 25 September 2022

(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

The Directors present the Directors' report and financial statements of the Company for the 52 week period ended 25 September 2022.

Directors

The Directors who held office during the period and up to the date of signing of the financial statements are listed below.

Mr. Armando Tabernilla
Mr. Andrew Jones
Mr. Gabriel Buenaventura
Mr. Tarun Arora
Mr. Gerald Mason

Price risk management

No futures market exists in the UK and EU to hedge price changes for preferential sugar. As such, the Company's purchases and sales are made at fixed and variable prices, sometimes one or more years ahead. This creates business risk in the case of non-delivery of the raw sugar required for sales. The Company is closely managing these risks and operates a supply forecasting system for raw sugar supplies.

Financial risk management and financial instruments

The Company's financial risk management objectives and policies are outlined in note 20.

Charitable donations

During the year, the Company made €124 (2021: €123) of charitable donations to good causes local to our factories, as well as causes that our employees supported.

Other disclosures

The Company's policies with regard to the employment of disabled persons and engagement with employees and suppliers are outlined within the Strategic Report along with comments around the likely future developments of the business. The Company is exempt from the Streamlined Energy and Carbon Reporting (SECR) regulations on the basis the ASRGE consolidated report, within which the Company is included, complies with the SECR reporting requirements. The business review and key performance indicators are included in the Strategic Report.

Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

The Company maintains Directors and Officers insurance as an indemnity provision. The current policy covers a period to 30 September 2023.

Disclosure of information to the auditor

The directors confirm that:

- so far as each director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware; and
- the directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

Auditor

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditor will be deemed to be reappointed and Grant Thornton UK LLP will therefore continue in office.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

Tarun Arora *Tarun Arora*
Director

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21 March 2023

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Directors' responsibilities statement

The directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report and Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors' have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards.

Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs and the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether UK-adopted international accounting have been followed, subject to any material departure disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Tarun Arora

Tarun Arora

Director

21 March 2023

Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of T&L Sugars Limited

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of T&L Sugars Limited (the 'company') for the period from 27 September 2021 to 25 September 2022, which comprise the Income Statement, the Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Changes in Equity, the Statement of Cash Flow and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and UK-adopted international accounting standards.

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 25 September 2022 and of its profit for the period then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the 'Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements' section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We are responsible for concluding on the appropriateness of the directors' 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 report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify the auditor's opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.

In our evaluation of the directors' conclusions, we considered the inherent risks associated with the company's business model including effects arising from macro-economic uncertainties such as Brexit and Covid-19, we assessed and challenged the reasonableness of estimates made by the directors and the related disclosures and analysed how those risks might affect the company's financial resources or ability to continue operations over the going concern period.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

The responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the 'Responsibilities of directors for the financial statements' section of this report.

Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do 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 and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material

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misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the strategic report and the directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the strategic report and the directors' report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Matter on which we are required to report under the Companies Act 2006

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the strategic report or the directors' report.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Responsibilities of directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are 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 directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole 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 (UK) 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 financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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Explanation as to what extent the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that material misstatements in the financial statements may not be detected, even though the audit is properly planned and performed in accordance with the ISAs (UK).

The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

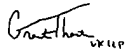
- We understood how the company is complying with those legal and regulatory frameworks by making enquiries of management, those responsible for legal and compliance procedures and the company secretary. We corroborated our enquiries through our review of board minutes and correspondence received from regulatory bodies.
- We obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that are applicable to the company and determined that the most significant which are directly relevant to specific assertions in the financial statements are those related to the reporting frameworks (international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006).
- In addition, we concluded that there are certain significant laws and regulations that may have an effect on the determination of the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements and those laws and regulations relating to health and safety, employee matters, environmental, and bribery and corruption practices.
- We assessed the susceptibility of the company's financial statements to material misstatement, including how fraud might occur, by evaluating management's incentives and opportunities for manipulation of the financial statements. This included the evaluation of the risk of management override of controls. We determined that the principal risks were in relation to:
 - journal entries that increased revenues; and
 - potential management bias in manual journals, determining accounting estimates and any significant transactions outside of the normal conduct of business operations.
- Our audit procedures involved:
 - evaluation of the design effectiveness and assessing the design effectiveness of controls that management has in place to prevent and detect fraud;
 - journal entry testing, with a focus on material manual journals, including those with unusual account combinations and those that reclassified costs from the income statement to the balance sheet;
 - challenging assumptions and judgements made by management in its significant accounting estimates; and
 - assessing the extent of compliance with the relevant laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement item.
- In addition, we completed audit procedures to conclude on the compliance of disclosures in the report and accounts with applicable financial reporting requirements.
- These audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements were free from fraud or error. However, detecting irregularities that result from fraud is inherently more difficult than detecting those that result from error, as those irregularities that result from fraud may involve collusion, deliberate concealment, forgery or intentional misrepresentations. Also, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely we would become aware of it.
- The engagement partner assessed whether the engagement team collectively had the appropriate competence and capabilities to identify or recognise non-compliance with laws and regulations through the following:
 - understanding of, and practical experience with audit engagements of a similar nature and complexity through appropriate training and participation; and
 - knowledge of the industry in which the client operates.

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Use of our report

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Grant Thornton UK LLP', with a small 'UK LLP' written below it.

Christopher Raab, ACA
Senior Statutory Auditor
for and on behalf of Grant Thornton UK LLP
Statutory Auditor, Chartered Accountants
London

21 March 2023

T&L Sugars Limited
Income Statement
for the 52 Week Period ended 25 September 2022
(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

		2022	2021
	<i>Note</i>	€000	€000
Revenues	6	340,130	330,956
Expenses:			
Cost of sales		(303,067)	(191,073)
Selling, general, and administrative expenses		(24,439)	(26,431)
Depreciation	7	(13,215)	(12,475)
Net finance (expense)/income	5	(97)	617
(Loss)/profit before tax		(688)	101,594
Taxation credit/(charge)	10	2,963	(14,419)
Net Profit		2,275	87,175

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

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Statement of Comprehensive Income
for the 52 Week Period ended 25 September 2022
(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

	<i>Note</i>	2022 €000	2021 €000
Net profit for the period		2,275	87,175
Other comprehensive income:			
<i>Items that are, or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>			
Fair value of cash flow hedges		(662)	809
Fair value of interest rate swaps		624	166
Tax charge	<i>10</i>	(3)	(185)
Total of items taken directly to OCI		(41)	790
Total comprehensive income		2,234	87,965

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T&L Sugars Limited
Statement of Financial Position
as at 25 September 2022
(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

	Note	2022 €000	2021 €000
Non-current assets:			
Property, plant and equipment	7	117,310	118,815
Intangible assets	8	7,335	7,335
Deferred tax assets	10	—	200
Other financial assets	19	55,592	—
Other assets		9,215	3,990
Loans and borrowings	21	104,422	98,153
Total non-current assets		293,874	228,493
Current assets:			
Inventories	12	122,835	69,221
Trade and other receivables	13	64,207	64,732
Other financial assets	19	209,888	218,243
Income tax receivable	10	3,685	525
Cash and cash equivalents		2,332	3,664
Total current assets		402,947	356,385
Total assets		696,821	584,878
Current liabilities:			
Trade and other payables	17	83,174	63,169
Loans and borrowings	15	9,247	—
Other financial liabilities	19	132,249	176,815
Lease liabilities current	9	765	712
Total current liabilities		225,435	240,696
Non-current liabilities:			
Loans and borrowings	15	177,620	44,646
Other financial liabilities	19	19,020	26,737
Lease liabilities non current	9	301	588
Total non-current liabilities		196,941	71,971
Total liabilities		422,376	312,667
Equity:			
Share capital	14	—	—
Share premium		310,884	310,884
Reserves		115	156
Retained earnings		(36,554)	(38,829)
Total equity		274,445	272,211
Total liabilities and equity		696,821	584,878

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 21 March 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:

Tarun Arora
Tarun Arora
 Director

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Statement of Changes in Equity
for the 52 Week Period ended 25 September 2022
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	Share capital €000	Share premium account €000	Hedging reserve €000	Retained earnings €000	Total equity €000
Balance as at 27 September 2020	—	310,884	(634)	(126,004)	184,246
Comprehensive income:					
Net Profit	—	—	—	87,175	87,175
Fair value of cash flow hedges transferred to OCI	—	—	809	—	809
Fair value of interest rate swaps transferred to OCI	—	—	166	—	166
Tax on items taken directly to OCI	—	—	(185)	—	(185)
Total comprehensive income	—	—	790	87,175	87,965
Balance as at 26 September 2021	—	310,884	156	(38,829)	272,211
Comprehensive income:					
Net Profit	—	—	—	2,275	2,275
Fair value of cash flow hedges transferred to OCI	—	—	(662)	—	(662)
Fair value of interest rate swaps transferred to OCI	—	—	624	—	624
Tax on items taken directly to OCI	—	—	(3)	—	(3)
Total comprehensive income	—	—	(41)	2,275	2,234
Balance as at 25 September 2022	—	310,884	115	(36,554)	274,445

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T&L Sugars Limited
Statement of Cash Flows
for the 52 Week Period ended 25 September 2022
(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Cash from operations:		
Net Profit	2,275	87,175
Adjustments		
Depreciation	13,215	12,475
Net finance expense/(income)	97	(617)
Income tax (credit)/charge	(2,963)	5,627
Change in derivatives	(99,558)	3,112
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	(53,614)	2,393
(Increase)/decrease in trade receivables and other assets	(4,164)	26,923
Increase in trade and other payables	19,314	9,611
Interest & finance cost paid	(1,645)	(741)
Cash (used in)/generated from operations	(127,043)	145,958
Cash from investing activities:		
Interest income received	1,703	1,075
Loans to related entities	(6,269)	(98,153)
Investment in property, plant and equipment	(11,066)	(14,481)
Cash used in investing activities	(15,632)	(111,559)
Cash from financing activities:		
Proceeds/(repayments) of loans	142,221	(34,527)
Repayments of lease liabilities	(878)	(656)
Cash from financing activities	141,343	(35,183)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(1,332)	(784)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	3,664	4,448
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	2,332	3,664

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Notes to the Financial Statements
for the 52 Week Period ended 25 September 2022
(Amounts in thousands of Euros)

1. Accounting policies

T&L Sugars Limited ("the Company") is incorporated and domiciled in the UK. The Company's registered office and principal place of business is Thames Refinery, Factory Road, London, E16 2EW.

a) Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards. They were authorised for issuance by the Company's Board of Directors.

The Company is exempt under Companies Act 2006 s400 from preparing consolidated group accounts. The Company and its subsidiaries are included in the consolidated accounts of its parent company, ASR Group Europe Limited, incorporated in the UK.

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

b) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Euros, which is the Company's functional currency. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated to the Company's functional currency at the monthly average of daily foreign exchange rates during each month. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated to the functional currency at the foreign exchange rate at that date. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised in the income statement, except for differences arising on the translation of net investments in foreign operations and qualifying cash flow hedges, which are recognised in other comprehensive income. Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are retranslated to the functional currency at foreign exchange rates at the dates the fair value was determined.

c) Use of judgements and estimates

In order to prepare these financial statements in accordance with the Company's accounting policies, management used estimates and judgements to establish the amounts at which certain items are recorded. The critical and material accounting estimates are set out below.

Deferred tax assets

The assessment of the probability of future taxable income against which deferred tax assets can be utilised is based on the Company's latest approved budgets and forecasts, which are adjusted for significant non-taxable income and expenses and specific limits to the use of any unused tax loss or credit. The tax rules in the jurisdiction in which the Company operates are also taken into consideration. If a positive forecast of taxable income indicates the probable use of a deferred tax asset, especially when it can be utilised without a time limit, that deferred tax asset is recognised in full.

Impairment

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which an asset's or cash-generating unit's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. To determine the recoverable amount, management estimates expected future cash flows from each asset or cash-generating unit and determines a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows. In the process of measuring expected future cash flows management makes assumptions about future sales volumes and profit margins. These assumptions relate to future events and circumstances. The actual results may vary and may cause significant adjustments to the Company's assets within the next financial period. In most cases, determining the applicable discount rate involves estimating the appropriate adjustment to market risk and to asset-specific risk factors. The Company has considered the impact of Covid-19 and the ongoing war in Ukraine when performing impairment assessments.

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1. Accounting policies (continued)

Credit risk

IFRS 9 requires the Company to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition of the financial assets. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.

In particular, IFRS 9 requires the Company to measure the loss allowance for a financial instrument at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses (ECL) if the credit risk on that financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, or if the financial instrument is a purchased or originated credit-impaired financial asset (stage 2 or stage 3 level of assets). However, if the credit risk on a financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition (except for a purchased or originated credit-impaired financial asset), the Company is required to measure the loss allowance for that financial instrument at an amount equal to 12-months ECL (stage 1). Accordingly, ECL are measured as an allowance equal to 12-month ECL for stage 1 assets, or lifetime ECL for stage 2 or stage 3 assets. An asset moves to stage 2 when its credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition.

IFRS 9 does not define what constitutes a significant increase in credit risk. In assessing whether the credit risk of an asset has significantly increased, the Company takes into account reasonable and supportable qualitative and quantitative forward looking information. The Company has considered the impact of Covid-19 when performing its year end assessment of credit risk.

Fair value of financial instruments

Management uses valuation techniques in measuring the fair value of financial instruments where active market quotes are not available. In applying the valuation techniques management makes maximum use of market inputs and uses estimates and assumptions that are, as far as possible, consistent with observable data that a knowledgeable market participant would use in pricing the instrument. Where applicable data is not observable, management uses its best estimate about the assumptions that market participants would make. These estimates may vary from the actual prices that would be achieved in an arm's length transaction at the reporting date. Management have concluded that some purchase contracts, which continue to be held until receipt of a non-financial item, fall under the 'own use exemption' afforded by IFRS 9. These contracts are not subject to a valuation and therefore do not form part of the financial assets or liabilities balance.

d) Significant accounting policies

Going concern

The directors have, at the time of approving the financial statements, a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future after forecasting cash flows and considering risks and uncertainties, including the impact of Covid-19 and the ongoing war in Ukraine. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

Financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised on the Company's statement of financial position when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets and financial liabilities are measured initially at fair value plus transaction costs, except for derivative financial instruments measured at fair value.

Financial assets are de-recognised when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or when the financial asset and all substantial risks and rewards are transferred.

All income and expenses relating to financial assets measured at FVTPL are recognised in the income statement. Any provision for impairment in relation to trade receivables is presented within 'selling, general and administrative expenses'.

A financial liability is de-recognised when it is extinguished, discharged, cancelled or expires. Financial liabilities are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, except for financial liabilities designated at fair value through the income statement, that are carried subsequently at fair value with gains or losses recognised in the income statement. All interest-related charges are included within 'net finance income and expenses'.

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Financial assets and financial liabilities are measured subsequently as described below.

Non-derivative financial instruments

For the purpose of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified within the following categories upon initial recognition:

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held on call with banks and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less. For the purposes of the cash flow statement only, bank overdrafts are considered to be borrowings in nature.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables are recognised initially at the amount of consideration that is unconditional, unless they contain significant financing components, in which case they are recognised at fair value. The company holds the trade receivables with the objective of collecting the contractual cash flows, and so it measures them subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The Company has assessed Trade receivables at lifetime ECL basis as stated in Impairment section below.

Trade payables

Non-current and current trade payables are recognised initially and at the reporting date at fair value.

Derivative financial instruments and hedging

Derivatives are financial assets or financial liabilities classified and recorded at FVTPL, except for those designated in a hedge relationship. Fair value changes on those financial instruments designated in a hedged relationship over the fair value changes of the items hedged are recorded at FVTOCI.

All derivative financial instruments that are not designated and effective as hedging instruments are accounted for at FVTPL.

Cash flow hedging instruments

Hedges of firm commitments and highly probable forecasted transactions, including forecasted intra-group transactions that are expected to affect the income statement are designated as cash flow hedges. To the extent that movements in the fair values (based on market valuation of these instruments) effectively offset the underlying risk being hedged they are recognised in the hedging reserve in equity until the period during which the hedged firm commitment or forecast transaction affects the income statement. At that point, the cumulative gain or loss is recognised in the income statement, offsetting the value of the hedged transaction.

The Company uses interest rate swaps and foreign currency forward contracts to hedge the interest rate risk associated with its floating rate borrowings and foreign currency risk in relation to highly probable forecasted sales and purchases, respectively.

Fair value hedges

Where a derivative financial instrument is designated as a fair value hedge, changes in the fair value of the underlying asset or liability attributable to the hedged risk are recognised as gains and losses on the derivative instrument in the income statement for the period in the relevant income/costs to which it relates. The Company uses foreign exchange forwards to hedge foreign currency risk associated with committed transactions.

Commodity futures

The Company trades in commodity futures to economically hedge the price risk associated with its forecasted sales and purchases of sugar. These futures contracts are measured at fair value with any movement in fair value recorded in the income statement.

Purchase contracts

Some purchase contracts do not qualify for the own use exemption under IFRS 9. All such contracts are measured at FVTPL on the date of initial recognition and at the reporting date.

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Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Cost represents the fair value of the fixed assets when acquired.

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items of property, plant and equipment.

Depreciation is charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of property, plant and equipment. Land is not depreciated. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Freehold Land	No depreciation
Freehold Buildings	15 - 30 years
Plant and machinery	3 - 15 years
Right of Use assets	2 - 5 years

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each reporting date.

Intangible assets and goodwill

Intangible assets are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses where applicable. The main categories of intangible assets are as follows:

Intangible assets - indefinite useful lives

Goodwill and trademarks are stated at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill and trademarks are not amortised but tested annually for impairment at the reporting date. Impairment reviews are carried out to ensure that intangible assets with an indefinite life are not carried at above their recoverable amounts. In particular, the Company performs a discounted cash flow analysis at least annually to compare discounted estimated future operating cash flows to the net carrying value of each acquired intangible asset.

Intangible assets - finite useful lives

Proprietary technology assets are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses. Amortisation is charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the asset from the date they are available for use.

The estimated useful economic lives of these intangible assets are as follows:

Proprietary technology	10 years
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Carbon emission allowances

The Company participates in the UK Emissions Trading Scheme (UK and EU ETS). The carbon emissions allowances (CEAs) received by the Company are accounted for at nil cost. Any CEAs acquired through auctions or through purchases from secondary markets are accounted for at cost. CEAs equal to the carbon emissions generated by the Company during the reporting period are charged to the Income Statement. The excess CEAs held are included within 'Other Assets' in the statement of financial position.

IFRS 16 Leases

In accordance with IFRS 16, the Company recognises a lease liability and corresponding right-of-use asset for all leases except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets.

Lease liabilities are measured initially at the present value of lease payments yet to be paid, and have been adjusted for interest and lease payments. Lease liabilities are disclosed separately in the statement of financial position. The lease liability is measured at the present value of unpaid lease payments applying the Company's overall borrowing rate as applicable for leases.

Right-of-use assets are reported as non-current assets and are initially measured at an amount equal to the lease liability. Right-of-use assets are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses, adjusted for any re-measurement of the lease liability. There is no change to overall cash flows.

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Under IFRS 16, lease payments are split between payments of principal and interest, presented as financing cash flows. Depreciation of right-of-use assets is presented within depreciation and amortisation and interest cost is presented within finance expense.

The Company has applied the practical expedient that permits the exclusion of initial direct costs from the measurement of the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application. The Company has also applied the practical expedient not to recognise short-term leases (with a term of less than twelve months) and low-value leases (where the value of lease on inception is less than €5,000). The lease payments associated with those leases are accounted for as expenses on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Lease incentives received are recognised in the income statement as an integral part of the total lease expense. Lease incentives are also recognised over the life of the lease on a straight-line basis.

IFRS 16 requires that right-of-use assets be presented separately from other assets or together with the same line item as that within which the corresponding underlying assets would be presented (e.g. property, plant and equipment). In the layout provided in note 9, the Company has elected to combine the right of use assets together with the same line item as that within which the corresponding underlying assets have been presented.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is based on the first-in first-out principle and includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories, production or conversion costs and other costs in bringing them to their existing location and condition as of the reporting date. In the case of manufactured inventories and work in progress, cost includes an appropriate share of labour and overheads based on normal operating capacity. Some raw sugar inventories are held at cost per the purchase contract plus the fair value of the derivative on the settlement date.

Impairment excluding inventories and deferred tax assets

Financial assets

In relation to the impairment of financial assets, IFRS 9 requires the Company to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition of the financial assets. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.

Specifically, IFRS 9 requires the Company to recognise a loss allowance for expected credit losses on:

- Debt investments measured subsequently at amortised cost or at fair value through other comprehensive income,
- Lease receivables,
- Trade receivables and contract assets, and
- Financial guarantee contracts to which the impairment requirements of IFRS 9 apply.

For all financial assets not subject to FVTPL or FVTOCI, at each reporting date, loss allowance will be calculated at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses if the credit risk on that financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition. The objective of the impairment requirements is to recognise lifetime expected credit losses for all financial instruments for which there have been significant increases in credit risk since initial recognition whether assessed on an individual or collective basis considering all reasonable and supportable information, including that which is forward-looking.

If at the reporting date, the credit risk on a financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the loss allowance for that financial instrument shall be calculated at an amount equal to 12 month expected credit losses.

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An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset recorded at amortised cost is calculated as the difference between its carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. Interest on the impaired asset continues to be recognised through the unwinding of the discount. When a subsequent event causes the amount of impairment loss to decrease, the decrease in impairment loss is reversed through the income statement. The Company has assessed Trade receivables at life time ECL basis and all other stage 1 financial assets at 12 months ECL basis.

Non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets, other than inventories and deferred tax 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.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit (CGU) is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. 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. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from their continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its CGU exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised 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 (or group of units) on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not subsequently reversed. In respect of other assets, impairment losses recognised in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

Defined contribution pension obligation

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which the Company pays annual contributions into a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further amounts. Obligations for contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the income statement in the periods during which services are rendered by employees.

Provisions

A provision is recognised in both the statement of financial position and the income statement when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, that can be reliably measured and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation.

Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects risks specific to the liability.

Revenue recognition

Revenue comprises revenue from the sale of goods. Revenue is measured at the consideration received or receivable based on the stand-alone selling price of each performance obligation and represents amounts obtained through trading activities, net of value added tax. The Company applies the revenue recognition criteria set out below.

Sale of goods

Revenue is recognised when control of goods is transferred to the buyer. The Company also procures raw sugar for other group companies. The Company records these sales on a net basis as it is not primarily responsible for the quality of the raw sugar, does not bear the inventory risk and does not control the establishment of pricing. Revenue is recognised when the buyer has control of the goods and performance obligations are satisfied.

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Interest income

Interest income and expenses are recorded on an accruals basis using the effective interest method.

Taxation

The tax expense for the period comprises current tax. Tax is recognised in the income statement, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

The current tax is based on taxable profit. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the income statement because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other periods and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the statement of financial position liability method.

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that the taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised, provided that they are enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. Deferred tax liabilities are always provided for in full.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only when the Company has a right and intention to set off current tax assets and liabilities from the same taxation authority.

Changes in deferred tax assets or liabilities are recognised as a component of tax benefit or expense in the income statement, except where they relate to items that are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case the related deferred tax is also recognised in the statements of comprehensive income or equity, respectively.

Share capital

Share capital represents the nominal value of shares that have been issued. Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

Share premium includes any premiums received on issue of share capital. Any transaction costs associated with the issuing of shares are deducted from share premium, net of any related income tax benefits. Dividend distributions payable to equity shareholders are included in 'other liabilities' when the dividends have been approved in a general meeting prior to the reporting date.

Adoption of new accounting standards

New accounting policies

The following accounting standards and amendments were adopted during the year and had no significant impact on the Company:

- Amendments to IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts – Extension of the Temporary Exemption from Applying IFRS 9
- Amendment to IFRS 16 Leases (COVID-19-Related Rent Concessions beyond 30 June 2021); and
- Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16 – Interest Rate Benchmark Reform – Phase 2.

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The Company is assessing the impact of the following standards, interpretations and amendments that are not yet effective.

- Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations
- Amendment to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments
- Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020
- IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts
- Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current
- Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2)
- Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to IAS 8)
- Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction (Amendments to IAS 12)
- Property, Plant and Equipment — Proceeds before Intended Use (Amendments to IAS 16)
- Onerous Contracts — Cost of Fulfilling a Contract (Amendments to IAS 37)

2. Auditor's remuneration

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Total auditor's remuneration	251	197

3. Employee headcount, cost and benefits

The aggregate payroll costs (including directors' remuneration) were as follows:

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Employee cost and benefits:		
Wages and salaries	43,612	40,424
Social security costs	5,312	4,693
Pension	2,913	2,711
Total employees' cost and benefits	51,837	47,828

The average number of persons employed by the Company (including directors) during the period, analysed by category was as follows:

	2022	2021
Average employee headcount:		
Operations	476	447
Sales, general and administration	175	180
Total average employee headcount	651	627

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4. Directors' remuneration

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Salaries and bonuses	1,689	1,348

The total remuneration of the highest paid director was €658 (2021: €524).

5. Net finance income/expense

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Interest income on cash deposits	2,239	1,630
Interest payable on borrowings	(2,271)	(960)
Bank charges	(65)	(53)
Net finance (expense)/income	(97)	617

6. Revenue

Revenue recognised is summarized as follows by business activity and geography:

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Business activity:		
Sale of goods	340,130	330,956
Total revenues	340,130	330,956
Revenues by geography:		
UK	317,390	306,789
Rest of Europe	7,067	9,546
Rest of the world	15,673	14,621
Total revenues	340,130	330,956

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7. Property, plant and equipment

	Land and buildings €000	Plant and machinery €000	Assets under construction €000	Total €000
Cost:				
At 27 September 2020	48,082	143,975	13,709	205,766
Additions	459	4,399	9,593	14,451
Transfers	102	4,087	(4,189)	—
Lease terminations & modification	—	(36)	—	(36)
At 26 September 2021	48,643	152,425	19,113	220,181
Additions	80	7,021	4,609	11,710
Transfers	—	16,522	(16,522)	—
At 25 September 2022	48,723	175,968	7,200	231,891
Depreciation:				
At 27 September 2020	6,662	83,545	—	90,207
Transfer of provision	—	(1,250)	—	(1,250)
Charge for the period	1,282	11,193	—	12,475
Lease terminations & modification	—	(66)	—	(66)
At 26 September 2021	7,944	93,422	—	101,366
Charge for the period	1,271	11,944	—	13,215
At 25 September 2022	9,215	105,366	—	114,581
Net book value:				
Balance at 27 September 2020	41,420	60,430	13,709	115,559
Balance at 26 September 2021	40,699	59,003	19,113	118,815
Balance at 25 September 2022	39,508	70,602	7,200	117,310

Depreciation expense has been separately broken out on the face of the income statement and relates primarily to the manufacture of the products the Company sells.

8. Intangible assets

	Goodwill €000	Customer relationships €000	Proprietary technology €000	Trademark €000	Total €000
Cost or valuation	2,598	542	623	4,737	8,500
Amortisation	—	542	623	—	1,165
Net book value	2,598	—	—	4,737	7,335

Cost, amortisation and Net book value shown above are balances as at 27 September 2020, 26 September 2021 and 25 September 2022.

Research costs of €491 (2021: €577) were charged to the income statement in the period.

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9. Right of use assets and lease liabilities

Right of use assets are included in note 7:

	Land and Buildings €000	Plant and machinery €000	Total €000
Cost or valuation:			
At 27 September 2020	1,779	1,046	2,825
Additions	—	126	126
Termination of leases	—	(36)	(36)
At 26 September 2021	1,779	1,136	2,915
Additions	—	644	644
At 25 September 2022	1,779	1,780	3,559
Depreciation and impairment:			
At 27 September 2020	445	483	928
Depreciation for the year	438	387	825
Termination of leases	—	(66)	(66)
At 26 September 2021	883	804	1,687
Depreciation for the year	421	451	872
At 25 September 2022	1,304	1,255	2,559
Net Book Value:			
Balance at 27 September 2020	1,334	564	1,897
Balance at 26 September 2021	896	332	1,228
Balance at 25 September 2022	475	525	1,000

Lease liabilities:

	Land and Buildings €000	Plant and machinery €000	Total €000
Total lease liabilities at 27 September 2020	1,375	581	1,956
Additions	—	126	126
Interest Expense	43	51	94
Repayments	(465)	(411)	(876)
Total lease liabilities at 26 September 2021	953	347	1,300
Additions	—	644	644
Interest Expense	30	34	64
Repayments	(462)	(480)	(942)
Total lease liabilities at 25 September 2022	521	545	1,066

Lease liabilities included in the statement of financial position:

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Current	765	712
Non-current	301	588
Total lease liabilities	1,066	1,300

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10. Income Taxation

Tax charged to the income statement

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Current tax credit/(charge)	3,160	(8,267)
Deferred tax charge	(197)	(6,152)
Total tax credit/(charge) recognised in the period	2,963	(14,419)

	2022 €000	2021 €000
Tax recognised directly in equity:		
Deferred tax charge recognised in the period in equity	(3)	(185)

The effective tax rate on profits for the period is different to the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2021: 19%), after adjusting for the reconciling items shown below:

The differences are reconciled below:	2022 €000	2021 €000
(Loss)/profit before taxes	(688)	101,594
Income tax credit/(charge) using the UK corporation tax rate	92	(19,303)
Change in future tax rates	—	(30)
Non-deductible expenses	24	(886)
Utilisation of unrecognised deferred tax assets	2,595	5,800
Other	252	—
Total tax credit/(charge)	2,963	(14,419)

A change to the main UK corporation tax rate announced on 3 March 2021 was substantively enacted on 24 May 2021. As a result, the current rate of 19% remains in place until 31 March 2023 and will increase to 25% from 1 April 2023. The deferred tax asset at 25 September 2022 has been calculated based on the rates substantively enacted at the balance sheet date that will apply in the periods during which the constituent parts of the asset are expected to be realised.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax assets and liabilities:

	Assets €000	Liabilities €000	Net deferred tax €000
Property, plant and equipment	39	—	39
Financial assets and liabilities	—	(15,401)	(15,401)
Tax value of loss carry forward	15,401	—	15,401
Other short term timing differences	—	(39)	(39)
Total deferred tax assets and liabilities	15,440	(15,440)	—

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10. Income Taxation (continued)

	2021	Recognised in Income Statement	Recognised directly in OCI	2022
	€000	€000	€000	€000
Property, plant and equipment	(127)	166	—	39
Tax value of loss carry-forward	—	15,401	—	15,401
Financial assets and liabilities	327	(15,764)	(3)	(15,440)
Total	200	(197)	(3)	—

Deferred tax assets of €1,037 (2021: €4,828) relating to excess tax depreciation and €1,687 (2021: €1,253) relating to tax losses have not been recognised due to uncertainty regarding the timing of expected recovery of the assets.

The excess tax depreciation and losses have gross values of €4,149 (2021: €19,312) and €6,748 (2021: €5,011) respectively. Neither asset is subject to an expiry date

11. Investment in subsidiaries

The Company has the following investments in subsidiaries:

	Country of Incorporation	Class of shares held	Ownership	
			2022	2021
ASR Germany GmbH & Co. KG.	Germany	Ordinary	100%	100%
ASR Germany Beteiligungs GmbH	Germany	Ordinary	100%	100%
T&L Sugars Death Benefits Scheme Trustees Ltd	UK	Ordinary	100%	100%

ASR Germany GmbH & Co. KG.'s and ASR Germany Beteiligungs GmbH's address is Prinzregentenstraße 78, 81675 München, Germany. On 30 September 2018, the Company's subsidiary ASR Germany GmbH & Co. KG ("ASRG") ceased all its production and operations. ASRG produced liquid sugar, invert syrups and fondants for the German market. T&L Sugars Death Benefits Scheme Trustees Ltd was established to provide trustee services for the T&L Sugars "death in service" benefit scheme. T&L Sugars Death Benefits Scheme Trustees Ltd registered office and principal place of business is 4th floor, 10 Bedford Street, London WC2E 9HE.

12. Inventories

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Raw sugar and consumables	71,622	34,146
Work in progress	7,507	5,590
Finished goods	26,993	16,700
Manufacturing supplies	16,713	12,785
Total inventories	122,835	69,221

An inventory provision of €3,641 is included within the inventory value on the statement of financial position (2021: €5,086). The value of inventory charged to the income statement for the period was €238,790 (2021: €158,353). The balance of cost of sales shown in the Income statement relates to direct and indirect operational costs including payroll costs.

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13. Trade and other receivables

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Trade receivables	40,522	43,643
Amounts due from related parties	6,509	5,805
Prepayments	3,646	7,159
VAT recoverable	4,408	4,238
Other	9,122	3,887
Total trade and other receivables	64,207	64,732

All trade and other receivables are expected to be recovered within 12 months. €10,000 of trade receivables have been securitised, as disclosed in note 15, under the accounts receivable securitization loan.

14. Share capital

There are 300 ordinary shares outstanding at the end of 2022 and 300 in 2021 with a value of €1.00 each. The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. No dividends were declared during 2022 or 2021.

15. Loans and borrowings

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Included in current liabilities:		
Other intercompany loans	9,247	—
Total current loans and borrowings	9,247	—
Included within non-current liabilities:		
Loan from parent company	34,657	34,646
Other intercompany loans	132,963	—
A/R securitization loan	10,000	10,000
Total non-current loans and borrowings	177,620	44,646

Reconciliation of movements in liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities:

	Lease liabilities €000	Loans from related parties €000	A/R securitization loan €000
Balance as at 27 September 2020	1,956	69,173	10,000
Lease liabilities under IFRS 16	(656)	—	—
Repayment of loans	—	(34,527)	—
Balance as at 26 September 2021	1,300	34,646	10,000
Lease liabilities and interest under IFRS 16	644	—	—
Proceeds of loans	(878)	142,221	—
Balance as at 25 September 2022	1,066	176,867	10,000

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Interest accruals and receipts are shown in operational and investing incomes and hence not shown in the financing reconciliation. All repayments stated above are shown in Cash flow statement.

15. Loans and borrowings (continued)***Credit facilities and arrangements (all figures in €000)******Loans from group companies***

The Company has been provided with revolving credit facility of \$200,000 by a group company, expiring on 23 April 2025. As at 25 September 2022, the amount drawn down in respect of these facilities was \$129,890 (2021: \$0). The facility is provided at a rate of USD Libor plus a spread in line with third party debt pricing and availability.

Multi-currency facility

The Company has access to a multicurrency bank facility of \$250,000 which matures on 24 April 2025. This facility is shared with ASR Group Inc. and some of its other subsidiaries. This facility is at a floating rate based on USD Libor plus a negotiated spread.

Accounts receivable securitization

The accounts receivable securitization loan is provided based on the lender's first lien on the Company's accounts receivable. A maximum of €50,000 may be borrowed at a fluctuating interest rate per annum based on Euribor plus an agreed upon spread. As at 25 September 2022, the outstanding balance was €10,000 (2021: €10,000).

Carrying value of loans and borrowings

The fair value of loans and borrowings, except the Company's interest rate swaps as discussed in note 19 "Financial instruments", approximates the carrying amount.

16. Obligations under leases and hire purchase contracts***Leases***

The total future value of minimum lease payments for short term leases and low value leases specified in note 1(d) IFRS 16 are as follows:

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Within one year	323	137
In two to five years	300	113
Total non-cancellable operating lease rentals	623	250

The Company leases vehicles, plant and equipment under non-cancellable lease agreements. The amount of non-cancellable lease expense recognised during the period was €228 (2021: €279), within selling, general and administrative expenses.

17. Trade and other payables

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Trade payables	20,168	23,074
Amounts due to related parties	2,148	1,923
Accrued expenses	51,285	29,840
Provisions	1,702	1,971
Other payables	7,871	6,361
Total trade and other payables	83,174	63,169

All trade and other payables are expected to be paid within 12 months.

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18. Capital commitments

The total amount contracted for but not provided in the financial statements was €4,008 (2021: €6,839).

19. Financial instruments

The classification of derivative financial instruments is as follows:

	2022		2021	
	Assets €000	Liabilities €000	Assets €000	Liabilities €000
Current derivative financial instruments:				
Forward foreign exchange contracts – cash flow hedges	104	(12)	643	(111)
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	134,251	(79,225)	11,419	(12,856)
Forward foreign exchange contracts on priced contracts	847	(2,724)	1,156	(389)
Commodity derivatives	74,686	(50,288)	205,025	(163,459)
	209,888	(132,249)	218,243	(176,815)
Other non-current derivative financial instruments:				
Forward foreign exchange contracts – cash flow hedges	20	(242)	—	—
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	36,313	(473)	—	—
Interest rate swaps – cash flow hedges	285	—	—	(339)
Commodity derivatives	18,974	(18,305)	—	(26,398)
	55,592	(19,020)	—	(26,737)
Total financial instruments	265,480	(151,269)	218,243	(203,552)

	Loans and receivables at amortised cost €000	Fair value through P&L €000	Derivatives in effective hedge relationships €000	Financial liabilities at amortised cost €000	Total carrying value €000
25 September 2022					
Trade and other receivables	64,207	—	—	—	64,207
Loans to intercompany	104,422	—	—	—	104,422
Cash and cash equivalents	2,332	—	—	—	2,332
Interest rate swap, net ⁽¹⁾	—	—	285	—	285
Forward foreign exchange contracts – cash flow hedges, net ⁽²⁾	—	—	(130)	—	(130)
Forward foreign exchange contracts – not in hedge relationship, net ⁽²⁾	—	90,866	—	—	90,866
Forward foreign exchange on – priced contracts, net ⁽²⁾	—	(1,877)	—	—	(1,877)
Commodity derivatives, net	—	25,067	—	—	25,067
Borrowings	—	—	—	(186,867)	(186,867)
Trade and other payables	—	—	—	(83,174)	(83,174)
Total	170,961	114,056	155	(270,041)	15,131

(1) The notional value of the interest rate swap is €10,000.

(2) The notional value of the forward contracts is €70,002.

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19. Financial instruments (continued)

	Loans and receivables at amortised cost €000	Fair value through P&L €000	Derivatives in effective hedge relationships €000	Financial liabilities at amortised cost €000	Total carrying value €000
26 September 2021					
Trade and other receivables	64,732	—	—	—	64,732
Loans to intercompany	98,153	—	—	—	98,153
Cash and cash equivalents	3,664	—	—	—	3,664
Interest rate swap, net ⁽¹⁾	—	—	(339)	—	(339)
Forward foreign exchange contracts					
– cash flow hedges, net ⁽²⁾	—	—	532	—	532
Forward foreign exchange contracts					
– not in hedge relationship, net ⁽²⁾	—	(1,437)	—	—	(1,437)
Forward foreign exchange on					
– priced contracts, net ⁽²⁾	—	767	—	—	767
Commodity derivatives, net	—	15,168	—	—	15,168
Borrowings	—	—	—	(44,646)	(44,646)
Trade and other payables	—	—	—	(63,169)	(63,169)
Total	166,549	14,498	193	(107,815)	73,425

(1) The notional value of the interest rate swap is €10,000.

(2) The notional value of the forward contracts is €1,703.

Analysis of fair value by valuation method

Level 1 fair value is determined using observable inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted market prices for identical assets and liabilities.

Level 2 fair value is determined using significant inputs that may be either observable inputs or unobservable inputs that are corroborated by market data.

Level 3 fair value is determined using significant inputs that are unobservable and reflect management's assumptions about market data. The Company does not have any level 3 investments.

There were no movements between the levels during the period.

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19. Financial instruments (continued)

Derivative financial instruments are segregated by valuation level as follows:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
25 September 2022	€000	€000	€000
Derivative financial assets:			
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges	—	124	124
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	—	170,564	170,564
Forward foreign exchange contracts on priced contracts	—	847	847
Commodity derivatives	93,660	—	93,660
Interest rate swaps - cash flow hedge	285	—	285
Derivative financial assets at fair value	93,945	171,535	265,480

Derivative financial liabilities:			
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges	—	(254)	(254)
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	—	(79,698)	(79,698)
Forward foreign exchange contracts on priced contracts	—	(2,724)	(2,724)
Commodity derivatives	(68,593)	—	(68,593)
Derivative financial liabilities at fair value	(68,593)	(82,676)	(151,269)

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
26 September 2021	€000	€000	€000
Derivative financial assets:			
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges	—	643	643
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	—	11,419	11,419
Forward foreign exchange on priced contracts	—	1,156	1,156
Commodity derivatives	205,025	—	205,025
Derivative financial assets at fair value	205,025	13,218	218,243

Derivative financial liabilities:			
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges	—	(111)	(111)
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	—	(12,856)	(12,856)
Forward foreign exchange on priced contracts	—	(389)	(389)
Commodity derivatives	(189,857)	—	(189,857)
Interest rate swaps - cash flow hedge	—	(339)	(339)
Derivative financial liabilities at fair value	(189,857)	(13,695)	(203,552)

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19. Financial instruments (continued)

Netting

The Company has ISDA Master Agreements in place with two counterparties that permit the netting of balances. The net positions in respect of these counterparties at 25 September 2022 and 26 September 2021 were as follows:

	Gross €000	Gross €000	Net €000
25 September 2022			
Assets	150,084	(80,082)	70,002
Liabilities	(80,082)	80,082	—
Total	70,002	—	70,002
	Gross €000	Gross €000	Net €000
26 September 2021			
Assets	11,264	(12,947)	(1,683)
Liabilities	(12,947)	12,947	—
Total	(1,683)	—	(1,683)

Cash flow hedge

The Company uses forward foreign exchange contracts, swaps, options and interest rate swaps to hedge cash flow risk associated with highly probable forecast transactions, firm commitments and monetary items denominated in foreign currencies. The economic relationship of each hedge is assessed based on the critical terms of the hedging instrument (amount, currency, maturity date) compared to the hedged item. Consistent with Company's risk management policy, the hedge ratio can be up to 100% of the hedged item. Sources of hedge ineffectiveness include changes in the timing of payment or receipt of foreign currencies and changes in the amount paid or received.

The cash flows associated with foreign currency forwards are expected to impact the income statement within the next 24 months and the cash flows associated with the interest rate swap are expected to impact the income statement between the statement of financial position date and 30 September 2024.

20. Management of financial risk

The key financial risks faced by the Company are credit risk, liquidity risk, and market risk, which include interest rate, foreign exchange, and certain commodity price risks. The Board regularly reviews these risks.

The majority of the Company's financing, interest rate and foreign exchange risks are managed through the treasury function. The Board approves policies and procedures setting out permissible funding and hedging instruments and a system of authorities for the approval of transactions and exposures within the limits approved by the Board.

Commodity market price risks are managed through ASRGE's Global Sugars Group division.

The derivative financial instruments approved by the Board of the Company to manage financial risks include interest rate swaps, forward foreign exchange contracts, commodity forward contracts and commodity futures.

Credit risk and impairment

Counterparty credit risk arises from the placing of deposits and entering into derivative financial instrument contracts with banks and financial institutions as well as credit exposures inherent within the Company's outstanding receivables. The Company manages credit risk in relation to these deposits and derivatives by entering into financial instrument contracts only with highly credit worthy counterparties which are reviewed and approved by the Board.

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20. Management of financial risk (continued)

The Company runs a credit control department to manage credit risk by assessing the financial strength of new customers using credit agencies and extends credit accordingly. The credit extended to customers is evaluated on a regular basis. To measure the expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on shared credit risk characteristics and the days past due. The expected loss rates are based on the payment profiles of customers and the corresponding historical credit losses experienced. The historical loss rates are adjusted to reflect current and forward-looking information on customers and recent trends in the economy.

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Trade receivables	40,522	43,643
Cash and cash equivalents	2,332	3,664
Amounts due from related parties	110,931	103,958
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges	124	643
Forward foreign exchange contracts not in hedge relationship	170,564	11,419
Forward foreign exchange contracts on priced contracts	847	1,156
Interest rate swaps – cash flow hedge	285	—
Commodity derivatives	93,660	205,025
Total exposure to credit risk	419,265	369,508

The ageing of trade receivables (net of allowances) at the reporting date is as follows:

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Current	38,016	40,646
Past due 0-28 days	2,325	2,503
More than 28 days	181	494
Total trade receivables	40,522	43,643

The movement in the provision against trade receivables during the period was as follows:

	2022	2021
	€000	€000
Balance at the beginning of period	248	503
Bad debt provision movement	15	(255)
Balance at the end of period	263	248

Liquidity risk management

The Company manages its exposure to liquidity risk and ensures maximum flexibility in meeting changing business needs by maintaining access to a wide range of funding sources, including borrowings from affiliated companies and bank borrowings. The Company ensures that it has sufficient undrawn committed bank facilities to provide liquidity to cover its funding requirements for the foreseeable future.

Compliance with agreed covenants with financial institutions is monitored by ASR Group Inc. on behalf of the Company. It is ASR Group's policy to manage its financial position so as to operate within restrictions agreed to in its loan covenants. In both the current and comparative reporting period, ASR Group complied with its financial covenants at all measurement points.

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20. Management of financial risk (continued)

The following tables set out the remaining contractual maturities of the Company's financial liabilities by type.

Undiscounted contractual maturities

	Total	1 year or less	1 to 2 years	2 to 5 years
25 September 2022	€000	€000	€000	€000
Non-derivative financial liabilities:				
Loan from parent company	(34,657)	—	—	(34,657)
Other intercompany loans	(142,210)	(9,247)	—	(132,963)
Trade payables	(20,168)	(20,168)	—	—
Amounts due to related parties	(2,148)	(2,148)	—	—
Accrued expenses	(51,285)	(51,285)	—	—
A/R securitization loan	(10,000)	—	(10,000)	—
Other payables	(7,871)	(7,871)	—	—
Lease liabilities	(1,066)	(765)	(168)	(133)
	(269,405)	(91,484)	(10,168)	(167,753)
Derivative financial liabilities:				
Commodity futures	(68,593)	(50,288)	(14,287)	(4,018)
Forward foreign exchange contracts:				
- Outflow	(80,082)	(79,367)	(680)	(35)
- Inflow	150,084	113,751	28,867	7,466
	1,409	(15,904)	13,900	3,413
Total financial liabilities	(267,996)	(107,388)	3,732	(164,340)

	Total	1 year or less	1 to 2 years	2 to 5 years
26 September 2021	€000	€000	€000	€000
Non-derivative financial liabilities:				
Loan from parent company	(34,646)	—	—	(34,646)
Trade payables	(23,074)	(23,074)	—	—
Amounts due to related parties	(1,923)	(1,923)	—	—
Accrued expenses	(29,840)	(29,840)	—	—
A/R securitization loan	(10,000)	—	(10,000)	—
Other payables	(6,361)	(6,361)	—	—
Lease liabilities	(1,300)	(712)	(457)	(131)
	(107,144)	(61,910)	(10,457)	(34,777)
Derivative financial liabilities:				
Interest rate swaps	(339)	—	—	(339)
Commodity futures	(189,856)	(163,459)	(25,260)	(1,137)
Forward foreign exchange contracts:				
- Outflow	(12,967)	(10,662)	(2,266)	(39)
- Inflow	11,264	5,990	4,321	953
	(191,898)	(168,131)	(23,205)	(562)
Total financial liabilities	(299,042)	(230,041)	(33,662)	(35,339)

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20. Management of financial risk (continued)

Market risk

Foreign exchange risk

The Company operates in a multi-currency environment and is exposed to foreign exchange risks arising from commercial transactions (transaction exposure). The foreign currency exposure primarily arises from USD, GBP and NOK denominated trade receivables and trade payables, foreign currency forward contracts, commodity futures, and commodity purchase contracts.

Transaction exposure

The Company's policy is to manage transactional currency exposures against the functional currency once the transaction is committed or highly probable, mainly through the use of forward foreign exchange contracts.

The amounts deferred in equity from derivative financial instruments designated as cash flow hedges are released to the income statement and offset against the movement in underlying transactions only when the forecast transactions affect the income statement.

Sensitivity analysis

A 5% strengthening of USD and GBP against the Euro at the end of 2022 would have resulted in a credit to the cash flow hedge reserve of approximately €196 (2021: €445) and a gain of €28,791 in the income statement (2021: €15,167 gain). The income statement impact would be offset by equal and opposite gains on the underlying transactions. A 5% weakening in the respective currencies against the Euro would have had an equal but opposite effect to the amounts, on the basis that all other variables remain constant.

Interest rate risk management

The Company is exposed to interest rate risk arising principally from changes in USD interest rates. This risk is managed by fixing portions of debt using interest rate derivatives to achieve a target level of fixed/floating rate net debt, which aims to optimise net finance expense and reduce volatility in reported earnings. At 25 September 2022, the percentage of interest-bearing debt with a fixed rate yield was 9.9% and the percentage of interest-bearing debt with a variable yield was 90.1%.

The Company considers a 100 basis point change in interest rates a reasonably possible change except where rates are less than 100 basis points. In these instances, it is assumed that the interest rates increase by 100 basis points and decrease to zero for the purpose of performing the sensitivity analysis. The impact is calculated with reference to the gross debt and cash held as at 25 September 2022 assuming that other variables remain unchanged.

If interest rates increase by 100 basis points, the Company's 2022 income before tax would have decreased by approximately €917 (2021: €689 increase). The impact on the cash flow hedge reserve relating to interest rate swap would be a credit of approximately €195 (2021: €100 credit).

Price risk management

The Company participates in the sugar market and is exposed to movements in the prices of commodities in those domestic and international markets where the Company buys and sells sugar. Commodity futures and forwards are used where available to manage the costs of raw materials for priced contracts. In most cases, these contracts mature within one year and are traded either on recognised exchanges or over the counter. Changes in the fair value of the commodity futures and forwards are taken directly to the income statement.

If the price of sugar was to increase by 10% it would have resulted in a fair value gain of approximately €48,428 (2021: €31,529). A decrease of 10% would result in an approximately equal but opposite impact to the income statement.

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20. Management of financial risk (continued)

Capital risk management

The capital structure of the Company includes share capital, share premium and other reserves as presented in the Statement of Financial Position. The key purpose of the Company's capital risk management process is to ensure the capital structure supports the ongoing operations of the business such that the Company continues as a going concern. To achieve this, the Company adopts a flexible capital structure to ensure a low and ultimately sustainable cost of capital. This ensures the Company can continue to make careful risk appraised investments to support the long term viability of the business. The Company's capital structure is continually monitored and adapted to align with a fast changing macro-economic and business environment. Refer to note 15 for further details on loans and borrowings.

21. Related party disclosures

The Company has related party relationships with its subsidiaries, parent company and other group companies and with its Directors, who are considered to be key management personnel. No related party transactions with close family members of the Company's key management personnel existed in the current or comparative period.

The following table shows the value of transactions with group companies during the period. All transactions were made on an arm's length basis.

Other related party transactions At and for the period ended 25 September 2022	Sales to € 000	Purchases from € 000	Service income € 000	Service expenses € 000
Other group companies	2,793	(37,561)	9,125	(5,537)

Other related party transactions At and for the period ended 26 September 2021	Sales to € 000	Purchases from € 000	Service income € 000	Service expenses € 000
Other group companies	2,280	(24,032)	4,152	—

Other related party transactions At and for the period ended 25 September 2022	Interest income € 000	Interest expense € 000	Other income € 000
Other group companies	(2,239)	1,947	42

Other related party transactions At and for the period ended 26 September 2021	Interest income € 000	Interest expense € 000	Other income € 000
Other group companies	1,591	(605)	277

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21. Related party disclosures (continued)

Related party balances at and for the period ended 25 September 2022	Receivables outstanding € 000	Payables outstanding € 000	Loan receivable € 000	Loan payable € 000
Parent	—	(525)	—	(34,657)
Other group companies	6,567	(3,893)	104,422	(142,210)
Total	6,567	(4,418)	104,422	(176,867)

Related party balances at and for the period ended 26 September 2021	Receivables outstanding € 000	Payables outstanding € 000	Loan receivable € 000	Loan payable € 000
Parent	—	(244)	—	(34,646)
Other group companies	5,805	(4,396)	98,153	—
Total	5,805	(4,640)	98,153	(34,646)

22. Parent company guarantee – exemption from audit for subsidiary companies

In accordance with s479a of the UK Companies Act 2006, the Company has given a guarantee to the following subsidiary company in respect of the accounting period ended 25 September 2022, which means it is exempt from the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to the audit of individual company accounts.

The Company has irrevocably guaranteed the debt and liabilities that the subsidiary company has entered into during the period ended 25 September 2022 and it effectively means that the Company will discharge all outstanding liabilities of the subsidiary company as at 25 September 2022 should the subsidiary be unable to satisfy them.

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07358348

23. Parent and ultimate parent

The Company is a subsidiary of ASR Group Europe Limited, whose registered office is 10 Bedford Street, Fourth Floor, London, United Kingdom, WC2E 9HE, and is incorporated and domiciled in the UK, and its parent company is ASR Group International, Inc. ("ASR Group Inc.") incorporated in the United States of America.

Relationship between entity and parents

The results of the Company are consolidated by ASR Group Inc. and ASRGE. The consolidated financial statements of ASR Group Inc. are not available to the public. The consolidated financial statements of ASRGE are available to the public and can be obtained from Companies House, UK.