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Lafarge Cement Jordan



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Company Brief

Lafarge Cement Jordan is one of the largest and oldest industrial companies in Jordan, founded in 1951 as a public shareholding company.

The company has two plants, one in Fuhais and one in Rashadeya.

Production capacity is (2) million tons.

In 1998, Lafarge Group entered the Jordanian market by acquiring shares in Jordan Cement Factories Company. The Group currently owns 50.3%.

Vision

To be the leader and provider of preferred building solutions in Jordan based on our values towards our customers and partners.

Mission

To be the preferred provider of building solutions in Jordan based on our excellence in serving our customers, based on our health and safety culture, committed to our sustainable leadership in the environment and to be the most attractive place for employees by developing a dynamic work environment that maximizes the return for all our partners.

Values

Customers

Customer centric
Easy to deal with
Keep promises
Provide solutions

Results

Timely Decision Making
Out of the Box Solutions
Optimization
Respecting Deadlines
Accuracy
Business Acumen

Integrity

Transparency
Confidentiality
Openness & Honesty
Fairness
Compliance
Diligence

Sustainability

Consistency
Creativity & Innovation
Preserve Environment for Future Generations

People

Health & Safety behavior
Engagement
Empowerment & Delegation
Lead by Example
Professionalism & Excellence
Uncompromising
Loyalty
Team Work
Trust
Considerate
Confidentiality
Ownership
Dedication
Proactive Communication
Courage
Constructive feedback
Diversity & Inclusion
People Development
Objectivity
Flexibility & Speed
Diligence
Performance Culture
Business Partnering
Openness & Transparency
Responsibility & Accountability
Care
Discipline & Commitment
Positive Attitude
Persistence & Perseverance



HIS MAJESTY KING ABDULLAH II BIN AL HUSSEIN

Chairman of the Board of Directors Speech

Dear Sirs , Shareholders of Lafarge Cement Jordan Company.

The year 2022 witnessed many developments in the company's journey and its gradual progress towards company restructuring, organizing and controlling the production process and costs while striving to create new marketing paths.

Also this year, the company witnessed an improvement in the industrial relationship between the company's employees, whether in management or production, which was dominated by stability and understanding.

The company continued to work diligently with all concerned parties in order to make the judicial insolvency decision successful, in which the company obtained the judicial response confirming its insolvency which resulted in freezing interest on company's loans to the main creditors. The company showed commitment in return to negotiate about it's debt in accordance with the provisions of the Insolvency Law No. (21) for the year 2018. Negotiations have progressed significantly during the year.

As a result the production process running more efficiently and reducing expenses and the company was able to achieve an operating profit, which raised hopes that things were starting to move on the right direction.

Claims for compensation for the environment cases have stopped, as they constituted a source of bleeding for the company's funds, in addition to the reconsideration of company's expenditures as example health insurance expenses, and continue using solar-powered electrical generation station at the production site in Al-Rashadiya, plant.

The fiscal year 2022 was a year of re-evaluation and restructuring in which we faced great challenges and achieved achievements that will have a significant impact on the company's launch in the future and on the company's gradual return to pay its obligations, controlling its resources, encouraging its production and reducing its costs so that it returns to its original path of



achieving profits for its shareholders and providing lives generous to its workers.

I renew my thanks and appreciation to the insolvency team that served the company honestly, and to the company's management and the team of administrators and workers on the production lines and operators in the rest of the services. I also thank Your Excellencies the members of the Board of Directors for the sincerity and patience showed in managing matters, and to the relevant government agencies, especially the Ministry of Industry, Trade and Supply, Social Security Corporation and representatives of LafargeHolcim.

May God Bless our Homeland under the leadership of his Majesty, the Hashemite Custodian, King Abdullah II and his Royal Highness the Beloved Crown Prince AlHussein Bin Abdullah II

Chairman of the Board
Dr. Jawad Al Anani

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Jawad Al Anani', written in a cursive style.

CEO Speech

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen, Shareholders of Lafarge Cement Jordan,

Despite the decline in the cement market in 2022 compared to 2021 by approximately 4.5%, the company's market share witnessed a recovery from the effects of the workers' strike that the company witnessed during 2021. As a result the company was able to regain its position in the cement market by the end of 2022 following its sales and marketing strategy, achieving market share of approximately 15%. The cement market estimates were approximately 3.3 million tons in 2022, compared to 3.5 million tons in 2021, a decrease of 4.5%.

Despite the decline in the cement market, the increase in market share has contributed to an increase in the company's net sales by nearly 9%, which contributed positively to the increase in gross profit, reaching 6.8 MJD in 2022 compared to 2.4 MJD in 2021.

Despite the significant improvement in the gross profit, the company's net result recorded a loss of (1.6) MJD compared to a net loss of (2.4) MJD in 2021, a decrease of 800 thousand dinars.

The year 2022 witnessed a turning point in the company's future path, as the General Assembly of Creditors approved the reorganization plan, which included a future work plan that will contribute to achieve profitability and increasing cash flows, aiming to achieve the ambitions sought by the company's management and shareholders returning the company to be in the ranking of profitable companies that benefit its shareholders and employees and being able to pay creditors' dues based on the reorganization plan.

The following are the most important pillars that will contribute to achieving a better return during the next year:

First: Health and Safety

The company's commitment to the highest standards of health and safety and the promotion of this culture is the minimum accepted by management in running its operations. The company will continue to maintain the level it has reached and upgrade it during the next year, taking into account the company's future plans in sustaining its operations within the highest standards of health and safety to ensure the safety of its personnel and equipment.



Second: Environment and Sustainable Development

During the next year, the company will work to upgrade the concept of environment and sustainability to include its positive impact on the environment and the communities in which it operates. This will include attention to all aspects associated with it, including reducing water losses, reducing carbon dioxide emissions, recycling materials, optimal use of renewable energy, and increasing the use of alternatives fuels. In addition to switch to green products and sustainability aspects in line with our vision supported by Holcim Group team, locally and regionally.

Third: Commercial Transformation

The company will continue to search for the development of building solutions and products to meet the needs of customers, enhance presence in different markets, marketing capabilities and search for export opportunities following the reduction of production costs.

Fourth: Reorganization Plan

The implementation of the reorganization plan will be one of the top of company's priorities, as the company will work to take all necessary measures and diligent follow-ups to ensure the implementation of the reorganization plan in all its stages, which will contribute to improve the future of the company in preparation for closing the insolvency file.

Fifth: Human Resources Development

The company will continue the policy of modernization, development, training and investing in its human resources. The implementation of the reorganization plan with regard to reducing head count will allow the company to start the process of job replacement to strengthen work teams with new capabilities to enhance existing experiences and build on it for business sustainability, development and work efficiency.

Sixth: Reducing costs

During the next year, the company will continue to control fixed and variable costs to enhance profitability through the implementation of the reorganization plan and the operation of the production line using coal after completing all environmental requirements, as this will contribute to reducing variable costs, which will enhance the company's competitiveness and improve profitability.

Seventh: Cash Liquidity

The company will continue to enhance its cash liquidity through the optimal use of available cash, improving working capital and selling the company's non-productive assets, which will contribute to the sustainability of the business and the payment of insolvency dues as required by the reorganization plan.

Ladies and gentlemen

During 2022, the company was able to adapt to its operational, monetary and administrative challenges through the dynamism of work in the interest of the company and its shareholders, as a result, the company imported clinker as an alternative to operating the production line using high-cost heavy fuels, which contributed to controlling the variable costs of production and business sustainability.

Future priorities:

- I. Enhancing cash liquidity through the optimal use of operating cash and the sale of the company's non-productive assets.
- II. Operating the production line in Rashadiya Plant using coal and alternative fuel to reduce variable costs and increase competitiveness.

III. Implementation of the reorganisation plan in all its operational and financial dimensions, including the payment of insolvency dues to major creditors and other creditors as stipulated in the reorganization plan.

IV. Reducing costs by implementing headcount reduction plans associated with job replacement as well as reducing health insurance beneficiaries through waiving health insurance cards according to the approved conditions and procedures.

V. Enhancing revenues and sales volume through diversification in building solutions and new products, raising the level of services to customers and opening new markets.

VI. Improving the efficiency of operational and production processes at Rashadiya Plant.

VII. Improving the well being of employees at work environment to meet the ambition of company's management and its employees.

May God Bless the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and save His Majesty King Abdullah II.

We wish the company success and prosperity with continuous support of our stakeholders.

Chief Executive Officer
Samaan Kamel Samaan



Members of Board of Directors



Jawad Anani



Grant Earnshaw



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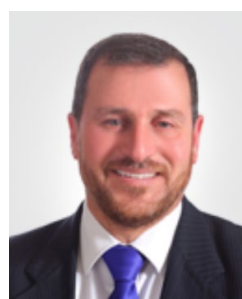
Hussein Al-Saoub



Duraid Mahasneh



Suleiman Shawabkeh



Youssef Al-Abdallat

Jawad Anani

- Chairman of the Board of Directors and Holcim representative as of 30/4/2019.
- Member of the Board as of 29/3/2018 until 30/4/2019.
- Appointed as State Minister for Prime Ministry Affairs, Minister of Communications and Information Technology, Deputy Prime Minister for Social Development Affairs, Foreign Minister, Deputy Prime Minister for Economic Affairs, State Minister for Investment Affairs, Minister of Labor, Minister of Industry, Trade and Supply and Minister of Tourism.
- Held high positions in the Government as General Manager of Social Security Corporation, President of the Royal Scientific Society.
- Started his career path working as a Head of Economic Research at the Central Bank of Jordan. He was also Chief of the Royal Hashemite Court, member of the Senate for more than one period. Appointed as Chairman of Jordan Economic and Social Council.
- He was a lecturer in a number of Jordanian, Arab and American Universities, and has more than seventy scientific researches and number of books and chaired the boards of many public institutions.

Grant Earnshow

- Deputy Chairman of the Board and Holcim representative as of 30/4/2019.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors and Holcim representative as of 23/1/2017 until 30/4/2019.
- Holder of Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration and Building & Civil Engineering degree from UK.
- Appointed as Area Manager Middle East and North Africa in 2016.
- Appointed as Senior VP & Head of Integration for LafargeHolcim from 2014 until 2016.
- Chief Executive Officer - Lafarge Iraq from 2012 to 2014.
- Joined Lafarge Group in 1999 and held senior positions.

Samaan Samaan

- Member of the Board as of 13/7/2017.
- Member/representative of Arab Concrete Supply Company until 4/7/2017.
- Appointed as Lafarge Cement Jordan and Country CEO as of 13/12/2018.
- General Manager for Lafarge Concrete Jordan until 5/1/2019.
- Country Finance, Control and IT VP until 1/9/2014.
- Joined Lafarge in 2005 and held several positions in Jordan.
- Holder of BA Degree in Accounting from University of Jordan.
- Certified Public Accountant (CPA) from USA.
- Member of Jordanian Association of Certified Accountants (JACPA).
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Arab Company for concrete supplies.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Arab Company for specialized transportation.

Omar Bdair

- Member of the Board and representative of the private sector as of 8/2/2006.
- Holder of MA degree in Civil Engineering from USA.
- Worked as Chairman of Arabian Technical Construction Co. and Jordan Cement Company.
- Member of the Board of Directors at a number of Jordanian companies and organizations.

Ali Said

- Member of the Board and Holcim representative as of 18/04/2019.
- General Manager of Lafarge Concrete Jordan as of 05/01/2019.
- Joined Lafarge North America in 2000, then he was appointed as General Manager of Lafarge Iraq in 2015 .
- Holder of BA Degree in Commerce (B. Com.) from McGill University, and a Masters Degree in Business Administration from the University of Montreal – Canada.
- Certified (CPA) & (CMA).

Hussein Al-Saoub

- Member of the Board of Directors since 30/10/2019.
- Holds a PhD. in Transport Technology from the Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport - Egypt.
- Holds a Master Degree in Multimodal Transport Management, World Maritime University, Sweden.
- Higher Diploma in Maritime Port Management from Transport Academy, Netherlands.
- Minister of Transport from 2016 to 2017.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of Arab Bridge Maritime Company between 2018 to 2019.
- General Manager of the Jordanian Company for Maritime Agencies between 2000 to 2004.
- General Manager of Arab Bridge Maritime Company between 2010 to 2016.
- Deputy General Manager of Arab Bridge Maritime Company between 2004-2010.
- Acting General Manager / Deputy General Manager of Jordan National Airlines between 1987 to 2000.
- Member of the Multimodal Transport Union in Geneva.
- Member of the Legal Association of Transport in UK.
- Member of the Jordanian Academy for Maritime Studies.
- Member of the International Affairs Association.
- Winner of the International Socrates Award, the award for the best Manager of a marine company in the Arab world, the platinum technology award for quality, the best brand name and other personal awards.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yarmouk water.

Duraid Mahasneh

- Member of the Board of Directors as of 30/10/2019.
- PhD. in Hydrology and Marine Sciences.
- Assistant Professor at Yarmouk University: 1980-1984.
- Director General of the Marine Science Station in Aqaba: 1983-1984.
- Secretary General of Aqaba Region Authority: 1984-1991.
- Director General of Aqaba Ports Corporation: 1991-1996.
- Secretary general of the Jordan Valley Authority: 1996-1999.
- Consultant in Private Sector 2000-2005.
- CEO of Tawfiq Gargour Shipping Co.: 2005.
- GM of Tawfiq Gargour Company: 2010.
- Chirman of the Board of Directors of EDAMA Association for Energy, Water & Environment as of 2017.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of Jordan Shipping Association as of 2019.
- Board Member of the following: National Insurance Company, National Maritime Authority.

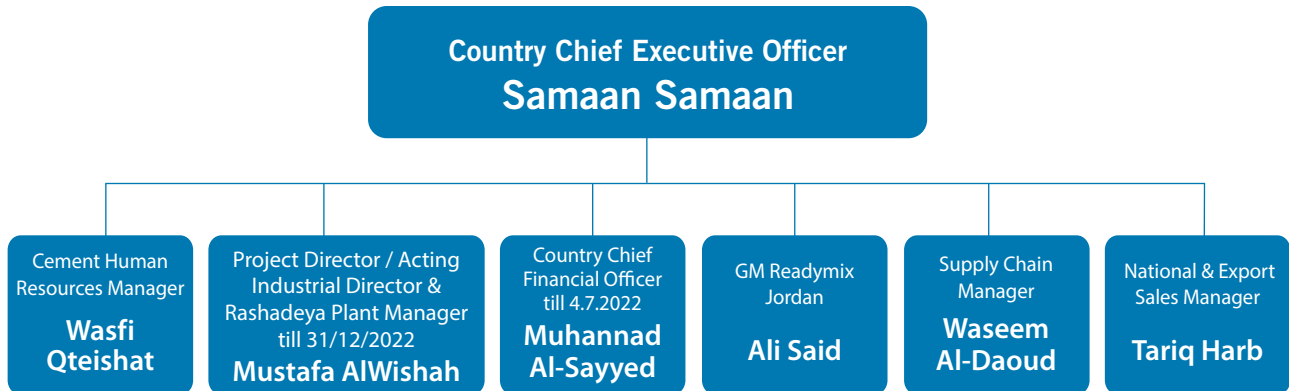
Suleiman Shawabkeh

- Board Member / representative of Rama Investments Co. as since 17/02/2021
- Holding B.S.C in Civil Engineering
- Director of many directorates in Social Security Corporation
- Director in Projects Department in National Co. for Tourism Development (owned totally by Social Security Corp.)
- Director of supplies and procurements
- Director of buildings and projects
- Director of studies and tender s in Social Security Corporation.
- Board member in King Hussein Business Park (previously)
- Board member in Jordan Petroleum Refinery Company (previously)

Youssef Al-Abdallat

- Board member – representative of Social Security Corporation as since 13/01/2021.
- Holding PhD in Engineering in 2002 from Kyoto University, Japan.
- Director of The National Program for Linking Industry to the Academy "Faculty for Factory" (FFF Program), and Vice Chair of the Jordan Enterprise Development Corporation JEDCO.
- Prof. and administrative consultant in research, development and innovation.
- Dean of students affairs – (German Jordanian University) and Section Head of Industrial Engineering – Jordan University.
- Former employee in King Abdullah II Fund For Development KAFD for the purposes of professional guidance, and former director of communication unit with industry in University of Jordan.
- Member of economic studies and polices at Jordan Industry Chamber
- Member of Board of Trustees in Jordan University of Science and Technology.
- Member in the supreme directive commission for industrial development at Ministry of Industry and Trade
- Member in Jordan Engineers Association
- Member in national commissions to face Covid-19 in the field of supporting scientific research, development and manufacturing.
- Member of trustees board in Al Hussein Technical University
- Member in the Standing Advisory Committee before the European Patent Office (SACEPO)

Organizational Chart of the Company's Higher Management



Organization Structure for the Subsidiary Company (Lafarge Concrete Jordan)



Executive Committee

Samaan Samaan

- Member of the Board as of 13/7/2017.
- Member/representative of Arabian Concrete Supply Company until 4/7/2017.
- Appointed as Lafarge Cement Jordan GM and Country CEO for Lafarge Jordan as of 13/12/2018.
- General Manager for Lafarge Concrete Jordan until 5/1/2019.
- Country Finance, Control and IT VP until 1/9/2014.
- Joined Lafarge in 2005 and held several positions in Jordan.
- Holder of BA Degree in Accounting from University of Jordan.
- Certified Public Accountant (CPA) from USA.
- Member of Jordanian Association of Certified Accountants (JACPA).
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Arab Company for concrete supplies.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Arab Company for specialized transportation.

Mustafa Al Wishah

- Project Director / Acting Industrial Director & Rashadeya Plant Manager starting from 28/10/2019 till 31/12/2022.
- Worked as Executive Director for Purchasing & Logistics Starting from 1/8/2014 till 2017/4/30.
- Worked as Projects Manager in Lafarge Technical Centers in Austria, Egypt and France. Managed projects in many countries of Middle-East & Africa.
- Worked as Karbala Plant Manager – Lafarge Iraq till 1/6/2013.
- Joined the company in 1994. Held several positions in maintenance and projects management in different locations at the company.
- Holds a rank of Consultant Mechanical Engineer - Jordan Engineering Association.
- Associated member – Chartered Institute of Arbitrators – UK.
- Holder of Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering from Jordan University of Science & Technology.

Muhannad Al-Sayyed

- Executive Director of Finance for Lafarge Jordan from 1/5/2021 till 4/7/2022.
- Held several positions in the Lafarge Group.
- He started his career in the company since 2005 as an Internal Control Analyst.
- Holds a Bachelor's degree in Accounting

Wasfi Qteishat

- Cement Human Resources Manager as of 01/07/2020.
- Holder of Bachelor degree in Industrial Engineering from the University of Jordan and a member of the Jordanian Engineers Association since 1994.
- Joined Lafarge Jordan in September 1994 and held several positions in the Human Resources field in Jordan.
- Held several positions in Learning & Development field at Lafarge Jordan during the period from 1995 to 2006.
- Held the position of Rashadeya Plant Human Resources Manager from 09/01/2006 to 10/14/2009.
- Held the position of Fuhais Plant Human Resources Manager and BU Training Manager from 10/15/2009 to 06/30/2015, then he continued holding the positions of: Fuhais Plant Human Resources Manager and Human Resources Development and Projects Manager until 06/30/2020.
- Participated in many practical training courses in Human Resources Development field, in addition to various ISO auditor certificates (ISO 9000 & 14000). He's also a Certified Human Resources Manager and participated in many projects and major tasks at Lafarge Jordan level throughout his career.

Ali Said

- Member of the Board and Holcim representative as of 18/04/2019.
- General Manager of Lafarge Concrete Jordan as of 05/01/2019.
- Joined Lafarge North America in 2000, then he was appointed as General Manager of Lafarge Iraq in 2015 .
- Holder of BA Degree in Commerce (B. Com.) from McGill University, and a Masters Degree in Business Administration from the University of Montreal – Canada.
- Certified (CPA) & (CMA).

Waseem Al-Daoud

- Head of Supply Chain Department since 1/04/2019
- Held the position of Commercial Performance & Projects Manager between 1/01/2018 & 1/01/2019
- Held the position of Country Head of Health & Safety between 1/06/2012 & 31/12/2017
- Joined Lafarge Cement Jordan in 2001 and held different positions in Production, Health & Safety Departments and Business Unit Environment Manager
- Holds a BCs Degree in Chemical Engineering – University of Technology – Iraq/ Baghdad in 2001
- Holds different International certificates in Health & Safety, Systems Audit, Training and Negotiations

Tariq HARB

- National & Export Sales Manager.
- More than 25 years of experience in Cement Sales in Jordan.
- Diploma in Programming and Systems Analysis.
- Held several positions in sales.

Health & Safety 2022

Thanks to the distinguished work & efforts during the implementation of the strategic plan to improve health, safety and environment for the year 2022. No lost time work injuries were recorded at the company's work sites, despite the fact that several operational site activities are high risky activities by nature .

The strategic action plan to improve health, safety and environment for the year 2022 focused on three main work axes:

- “Critical Control Management”: which focused on implementing the recommendations and work instructions provided by the group, and ensuring their implementation and effectiveness at work sites. Where a program was created to evaluate the actual implementation of specific procedures and controls, especially for high-risk operations while providing a follow-up system and corrective measures to implement these controls and procedures through a periodic and quarterly evaluation, and applying preventive measures when there are any deviations to ensure the safety and health of the workers.
- “Engagement“: By focusing on increasing the presence of supervisors and management through continues implementation of “Boots on the Ground” program, which records the period of participation of supervisory groups in the work sites and their observations during those periods. More than 30,000 hours of participation were recorded from the category of administrative levels with workers at their work sites in the field.
- “Continuous Improvement”: Monthly reviews of the sites’ performance with regard to health, safety and environment were conducted and actions were established to ensure the achievement of the desired goals by the end of the year. Visits were also carried out by the group’s experts to the sites, the first of which was based on reviewing the application and effectiveness of critical controls for hazardous activities and evaluating the implementation program and its outcomes. The review showed a slight discrepancy that did not exceed 7%, which is within the acceptable percentage specified that shall not exceed 20%. The second visit was for a comprehensive review of all health, safety and environment procedures, which resulted in procedures and recommendations to improve performance and ensure the effectiveness of the application. 100% of these procedures scheduled for implementation in the year 2022 were completed.
- In Environment: A comprehensive review of work procedures for preventing pollution resulting from the spillage of chemicals and oils was carried out, and preventive measures were put in place to prevent their occurrence, while corrective measures were put in place in the event of their occurrence and as appropriate for each material, taking into account the international recommendations for that. We installed a monitoring unit for emissions outside the factory boundaries (in one of the government

buildings in the neighboring area) in the northern region, which confirmed the factory's commitment to the minimum emission limits, which were much lower than the maximum permissible limits.

- In health, the procedures related to the program for assessing the level of health in the various sites continued to be implemented, and the guidelines and recommendations were applied, as well as the implementation of the annual evaluation of the level of procedures implemented in the sites "Health Maturity Assessment" and the development of procedures for its continuity. Workers Annual Health examinations were done for all employees at the company's sites.
- Cultural Survey was conducted in which the development of the behavior and culture of health and safety for workers was measured, indicating the points that need to be developed and followed up, as well as the procedures that must continue to be sustained at the level achieved in their implementation to be reflected as work procedures within the development plan for 2023.
- Implementation of the Summer Safety Program, which aims to implement awareness campaigns on various topics related to health and safety during the summer period, in order to alert workers to the risks associated with work and remind them of it, especially that many employees take their vacations with their families, which reduces the chances of the presence of colleagues and supervisors in workplaces, as a result, increases the risk of accidents in such a period.
- Continue encouraging working staff to report Incidents & unsafe acts reporting, which is very important in improving the work environment of Health & Safety.

At the Year End, comprehensive & detailed analysis & review was done for 2022 Health & Safety and environments. Results were included in a workshop for the Company Management Team. As a result Health & Safety & environment Improvement Plan for 2023 was set, in Which it showed the need to keep improving & enhancing what was done in 2022.

Objectives to be followed are as follows:

- Environmental procedures related to the rehabilitation of call storage area.
- Health & welfare Program.
- Operations safety improvement.

And New Priorities were set also, as:

- Comprehensive review for equipments, tools, & activities inspection forms.
- Improve the implement of critical control management as per group recommendations with focus at the quality part more than quantity.

Industrial Performance:

1. Continue the operation of solar system that covered 32% of plant needs from electrical power in 2022.
2. Rashadeya plant produced many cement types, where super Thabit product has been produced in addition to the other products with high quality to satisfy market and customer's needs.
3. Fuhais plant clinker production line stopped since 2013, while cement grinding and packing operation stopped since 2016.
4. Higher cement sales compared with the year of 2021 by 36.5%.
5. Increase in TSR% to 12.4% compared with the previous years.
6. Kiln at RAS Plant was operated at the beginning of February 2022 till the beginning of April 2022 and remain stopped till the end of the year due to Ministry of Environment's requirements for Petcoke storing.
7. Working on solutions for storing and handling Petcoke to be in compliance with Ministry of Environment's requirements as well as to reduce cost by using Petcoke instead of fuel.
8. An agreement with a foreign investor was signed to purchase the production line 2 in Fuhais plant, in addition to spare parts.

Sales:

The cement market in 2022 witnessed a decline of approximately 4.5% compared to 2021, as estimates of the cement market were approximately 3.3 million tons in 2022 compared to 3.5 million tons in 2021. Despite this, the company's market share witnessed a recovery from the effects of the workers' strike. Which the company witnessed during the year 2021, as the market share reached approximately 15%.

Cement prices witnessed a slight improvement by 2.0% coinciding with a further rise in production costs, particularly energy costs, forcing the company to import clinker from Saudi Arabia to mitigate cost increase impact. Price capping continue to be in place for the second year in a row.

Export market did not show a significant change during the past year, recording one million tons, and the West Bank market continue to be the main destination for export. However, the company was unable to increase its market share in the export market due to the high production costs, which greatly limits the competitiveness of company.

The company has been able to strengthen its market share position and correct its course since the beginning of 2022 thanks to the collective efforts of the team, the clear business strategy and the introduction of many improvements in customer service, product quality and performance, in addition to launching the reorganization plan, to ensure the company's sustainability and competitiveness.

Human Resources

SuccessFactors implementation in Jordan:

SuccessFactors is Holcim Group's new Cloud-based Human Resources Information System (HRIS) to support its strategy 2025.

Lafarge Jordan participated in SuccessFactors implementation preparation, Data Migration and Roll Out since October 2020. First, Lafarge Jordan undertook an efficient and quality data migration process by uploading live data for all its own FTEs (Cement and Readymix ~ around 645 employees). After the upload the data were validated via reconciled reports extracted post data load in SuccessFactors.

Due to the interdependencies between the data migration activities and Go-Live tasks, Lafarge Jordan HR Teams performed various data cleansing, maintenance and update steps using all available HR processes and transactions to have the most accurate and high quality data.

Moreover, various Change Management activities (of Training and Communication) took place in the country in preparation for the Go-Live and local roll out to ease the end user's experience and smooth transformation. Various training sessions took place in 2022 to train the end users on the system functionalities at all locations.

Today SuccessFactors has an Active Directory (AD) interface that links the hiring process with all IT credentials and activating all company related accounts at Single Sign On (SSO).

Lafarge Jordan participated in further system improvements: Project Olympus, which has been kicked off by Holcim Group globally to drive its strategic workforce planning and business decisions across all regions and countries by ensuring it has a comprehensive people and organization view. Today Jordan is amongst the countries with the highest data quality and completion rates. Of course we look forward to coping with all the updates and improvements locally and at the Group level.

Training & Development

Lafarge Cement Jordan pays special attention to training and development, which is one of the company's first priorities. In the year 2022, various training opportunities were introduced and comprehensive technical certification programs were launched. These trainings were targeting large segment of employees and covering various topics such as health and safety, which remains our first priority in training and development, compliance, minimum control standards, specialized industrial programs and others.

Training Programs during 2022:

	Training Type	Man Days
1	Health & Safety	109
2	Health & Safety for Contractors	41
3	Specialized Technical	139
4	General Awareness	67
5	Leadership	22
	Total	378

Health and Safety Training Programs:

Several specialized Health and Safety training programs were carried out for all employees and contractors in all company sites to emphasize and enhance the understanding and application of relevant procedures and instructions (Boots on the ground, working at height, hot work, energy isolation, MERP - medical emergency response plan and others).

Specialized Industrial training programs:

The year 2022 was marked by the launch of many specialized technical industrial programs, such as Inspectors and Planners Certification programs which are comprehensive training programs for qualifying mechanical inspectors and electrical planners, developing their technical skills, enhancing their performance, improving their competencies, which enables them to obtain accredited certificates.

Other specialized programs have also been launched to train and qualify both maintenance managers and engineers to develop their technical skills and competencies (MMDP Maintenance Manager Development Program & MEDP Maintenance Engineer Development Program), in addition to launching the Industrial Automation program which aims to develop the skills of the PLC Engineers to perform their tasks at the required level, as well as continuing the CRO Certification Program for the second year in a row.

Compliance & Minimum Control Standards Training:

In line with the strategic directions of the company and the group, different training programs related to compliance was delivered to enable and familiarize employees with policies, regulations and compliance with laws, including fair competition, code of business conduct, Anti bribery and corruption, trade sanctions and others. In addition to training the concerned employees on some tools and platforms designed to monitor and record these controls (Symfact tool and Local Commercial Directive).

Based on the importance of applying the controls during the daily work, which is a cornerstone of the governance framework, a training course on the Minimum control Standard - MCS was held with the aim of raising awareness and clarifying some concepts related to this subject.

Headcount Reduction

Within the framework of implementing the reorganization plan approved by the General Assembly of Creditors held on August 10, 2022, and approved by the Insolvency Court on 28/10/2022, the first phase of the headcount reduction of employees who have no vacancy on the organizational structure was implemented, where (24) employees who met the conditions of the program were terminated according to the terms of the agreement signed between the company's management and the General Union of Workers in Mines, Mining and Cement on 30/10/2022.

Environment & Sustainable Development 2022:

The company takes into account, during the implementation of its operations, the social and environmental dimensions, as well as the economic dimensions, to make good use of the available resources to ensure sustainable development during its operations.

The company's main work dimension is to maintain sustainable development for the year 2022 focused on the following:

- **Social dimensions:** Despite the financial difficulties that the company faced during the year 2022 and its existence under the umbrella of insolvency, its efforts, continued on helping the communities surrounding its operations sites, as the company contributed to solving the problem of the water shortage supplied to the town of Al-Qadisiyah through Continuing to pump water from the company's wells to the town, in coordination with the water authority in the area, as well as participating in the implementation of emergency plans in difficult weather conditions periods and in coordination with administrative rulers and local authorities. The Ramadan charity parcels project continued, as nearly 500 parcels were distributed to the needy families in the area and in coordination with the relevant government departments, and the number of beneficiaries of these initiatives has exceeded 5,000 beneficiaries.
- **Environmental dimensions:** During its operations, the company maintained a level of dust emission and gases that conforms to local standards and the most stringent international standards, and no deviation or environmental violation of this kind was recorded.
- **As for carbon dioxide emissions,** the company has taken operational measures that have had a significant impact on reducing the amounts of carbon dioxide emissions per ton of cement, mainly represented by increasing grinding additives and increasing the effectiveness of optimal use of reusable energy sources - the solar energy project - as well as work to increase the percentage of alternatives fuel materials from 8.4% in 2021 to 12.4% in 2022.
- **The economic dimension:** The company has undertaken several measures within its operational processes and in conjunction with its goal of maintaining sustainable development in its operations, taking into account that these measures guarantee a positive economic impact for the company, such as increasing the use of alternatives to thermal energy, increase the percentage of additive materials in grinding process, and ensure more effectiveness of the optimal utilization of natural resources, Alternative electric energy - the solar energy project -. All of this had a positive impact on the costs of operational processes.

Article 17: Governance Report

A. Information and details related to implementing instructions and corporate governance rules in the company:

Jordan Cement Factories and Subsidiary Companies; are members in Holcim Group.

Jordan Cement Factories Company implements a set of policies that takes into account corporate governance, such as:

1. Procurement Policy.
2. Compensation and Payroll Policy.
3. Code of Business Conduct.
4. Financial Authorization policy.
5. Credit Granting policy.

The Company has a global financial system (JDE) and prepares data, financial statements that comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

The Company disclose with the Securities Commissions any information that affects the Company's results and financial position.

The Company applies Health and Safety standards with a clear health and safety policy.

The Company produces high quality of cement and concrete products, according to the international standards and the quality Standards of Holcim Group.

The Company has a lean organizational structure, which takes into account the separation of roles and responsibilities to ensure internal controls in all operations and procedures. It is also undertaking a complete revision of the future organizational structure to meet the needs of the development in the local market.

B. Names of current and resigned board members:

Name	Representative	Executive	Non-Executive	Independent	not Independent
Jawad Anani	Lafarge SA	No	Yes	No	Yes
Grant Earnshaw	Lafarge SA	No	Yes	No	Yes
Suleiman Shawabkeh	Rama Investment & Saving Company	No	Yes	No	Yes
Omar Bdeir	Himself	No	Yes	Yes	No
Samaan Samaan	Himself	Yes	No	No	Yes
Youssef Al Abdallat	Social Security Corporation	No	Yes	No	Yes
Ali Said	Lafarge SA	Yes	No	No	Yes
Hussein Al-Saoub	Himself	No	Yes	Yes	No
Duried Mahasneh	Himself	No	Yes	Yes	No

C. Names of the legal representatives for the Board of Directors:

1. Lafarge SA
2. Social Security Corporation
3. Rama for Investment & Saving Company

D. Executive Positions in the Company, held by the following employees:

Country CEO- Samaan Samaan

Country CFO – Muhanad Al-Sayed from 1/5/2021 till 4/7/2022

Industrial Director & Rashadeya plant manager - Mustafa AL-Wishah till 31/12/2022

E. Other Memberships held by Borad Of Directors in other Public shareholding Companies:

1. Grant Earnshaw : NO
2. Samaan Samaan: NO
3. Omar Bdeir : Yes
 - Jordan Pipes Manufacturing
 - General Mining Company
4. Suleiman Shawabkeh: Member of committees in Social Security Corporation
5. Jawad Al-Anani: Member of many public institutions and companies
6. Youssef Al-Abdallat: Member of many societies, institutions and public bodies
7. Hussein Al-Saoub: Member of many societies, institutions and public bodies
8. Dureid Mahasneh: Member of many societies, institutions and public bodies
9. Ali Saeed: No

F. Country Internal Audit & Control Manager: Issa Rabieh**G. Names of the Committees:**

1. Audit Committee
2. Compensation & Benefits Committee
3. Governance Committee
4. Risk Assessment Committee

H. Chairman and members of the Audit Committee qualifications and financial, accounting experience:**1. Omar Bdair (Chairman)**

- Member of the Board and representative of the private sector.
- Holder of M.A degree in Civil Engineering- USA.
- Worked as Chairman of Arabian Technical Construction Co. and Jordan Cement Company.
- Member of the Board of Directors at a number of Jordanian companies and societies.

2. Youssef Al-Abdallat

- Board Member - representative of Social Security Corporation as since 13/01/2021.
- Holding PhD in Engineering in 2002 from Kyoto University, Japan
- Director of the National program for Linking Industry to the Academia, "Faculty for Factory" (FFF Program), and Vice Chair of the Jordan Enterprise Development Corporation JEDCO.
- Prof. and administrative consultant in research, development and innovation.
- Dean of students affairs - (German Jordanian University) and Section Head of Industrial Engineering - Jordan University.
- Former employee in King Abdullah II Fund For Development KAFD for the purposes of professional guidance, and former director of communication unit with industry in University of Jordan.

- Member of economic studies and policies at Jordan Industry Chamber
- Member of Board of Trustees in Jordan University of Science and Technology.
- Member in the supreme directive commission for industrial development at Ministry of Industry and Trade.
- Member in Jordan Engineers Association
- Member in national commissions to face Covid- 19 in the fields of supporting scientific research, development and manufacturing.
- Member of trustees board in Al Hussein Technical University
- Member in the Sanding Advisory Committee before the European Patent Office (SACEPO).

3. Duried Muhasneh

- Member of the Board of Directors as of 30/10/2019.
- PhD. in Hydrology and Marine Sciences.
- Assistant Professor at Yarmouk University: 1980-1984.
- Director General of the Marine Science Station in Aqaba: 1983-1984.
- Secretary General of Aqaba Region Authority: 1984-1991.
- Director General of Aqaba Ports Corporation: 1991-1996.
- Secretary general of the Jordan Valley Authority: 1996-1999.
- Consultant in Private Sector 2000-2005.
- CEO of Tawfiq Gargour Shipping Co.: 2005.
- GM of Tawfiq Gargour Company: 2010.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of EDAMA Association for Energy, Water & Environment as of 2017.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of Jordan Shipping Association as of 2019.
- Board Member of the following: National Insurance Company, National Maritime Authority.

4. Ali Said

- Member of the Board and Holcim representative as of 18/04/2019.
- General Manager of Lafarge Concrete Jordan as of 05/01/2019.
- Joined Lafarge North America in 2000, then he was appointed as General Manager of Lafarge Iraq in 2015 .
- Holder of BA Degree in Commerce (B. Com.) from McGill University, and a Masters Degree in Business Administration from the University of Montreal – Canada.
- Certified (CPA) & (CMA).

I. Chairman and Members for Other Committees:

Compensation & Benefits Committee

1. Hussein Al-Saoub (Chairman / Independent)
2. Omar Bdair (Member / Independent)
3. Suleiman Shawabkeh (Member / Non-Executive)
4. Grant Earnshaw (Member / Non-Executive)

Governance Committee

1. Duried Mahasneh (Chairman / Independent)
2. Suleiman Shawabkeh (Member / Non-Executive)
3. Hussein Al-Saoub (Member / Independent)
4. Jawad Anani (Member / Non-Executive)

Risk Assessment Committee

1. Duried Mahasneh (Chairman / Independent) from 15/8/2022 and Chirman of the committee from 19/5/2022 till 15/8/2022
2. Youssef Al-Abdallat (Member / Non-Executive)
3. Samaan Samaan (Member / CCEO / Executive)
4. Muhanad Al-Syed (Member / CCFO) till 4/7/2022

J. Committee Chairman position has been modified to meet corporate governance requirement.

Number of meetings for the Audit Committee with the External Auditor:

One meetings was held for Audit Committee during 2022.

L. Number of Board OF Directors meetings during the year and attendees:

The BOD held 7 meetings during 2022, as follow:

1. Jawad Anani	7 meetings
2. Grant Earnshaw	6 meetings
3. Omar Bdeir	6 meetings
4. Samaan Samaan	7 meetings
5. Suleiman Shawabkeh	7 meetings
6. Ali Saeed	6 meetings
7. Hussein Al-Saoub	5 meetings
8. Dureid Mahasneh	7 meetings
9. Youssef Al-Abdullat	7 meetings

Chairman of Board Directors
Jawad Anani



2022 Jordan securities commission requirements

A. Letter from chairman: Please refer to page (7)

B. Board of Directors Report:

7 meetings were held by the Boards of Directors during 2022.

1. Company's Main Activities:

- a. The company's main activity is to produce, sale of cement and to provide innovative building solutions to the local market.
b. Geographical distribution of the company is as follows:

No.	Location	Headcount
1	Head office- Amman	75
2	Fuhais Plant- Fuhais	37
3	Rashadeya Plant- Tafila	172
4	Aqaba sales office- Aqaba	1
Total		285

C. The total capital investment for the company and its subsidiaries reached (245) MJD in 2022.

2. Associate Companies & Subsidiaries:

1. Sudan Company CTS- Sudan

The subsidiary (CTS Company -SUDAN) operation was stopped. Lafarge cement Jordan owned 99% from the capital of this company which amounted 27,191 JD.

2. Arabian Concrete Supply Company (Lafarge Concrete Jordan)

- Type of subsidiary: limited liability
- Main activity: Ready Mix production & transportation
- Subsidiary capital: 1,915,000 JD
- Ownership percentage: 51%
- Address:
King Abdullah 11 ST –Al Rawabi –Bayader Wadi Al- Seer
P.O.Box 930490
Amman-Jordan
Tel:06-5507250
Fax:06-5507260

Headcount: 350 employees (distributed as per below schedule over the different plants & locations):

Head Office	34
Abu Alanda plant	59
Alazarq plant	13
Irbid plant	42
Dleil plant	31
Sweileh plant	59
Jerash plant	17
Dead Sea	9
Madaba Plant	13
Aqaba	17
Beren Plant	4
Tafila Plant	12
Maintenance	30
Main laboratory	5
Safety ,Healthy & environment dept.	5

* In March 2011 Arab Concrete Supply Company (the subsidiary) had established Arabian Specialized Transportation.

Type of subsidiary: limited liability
Main activity: Transportation
100% owned by the Arabian Concrete Supply Company

3. A. Members of Board of Directors: Please refer to page (10)

B. Higher/ Top Management: Please refer to page (15)

4. The Main Shareholders:

Shareholder Name	Nationality	Number of shares 2020	Percentage	Number of shares 2019	Percentage
Financiere Lafarge SA	French	30,388,664	50.275%	30,388,664	50.275%
Social Security Corporation	Jordanian	13,197,226	21.83%	13,197,226	21.83%
Maylound Shoaiby	Moroccan	6,232,125	10.31%	6,232,125	10.31%

5. Competitive Position:

a. Local Market

The cement market in 2022 witnessed a decline of approximately 4.5% compared to 2021, as estimates of the cement market were approximately 3.3 million tons in 2022 compared to 3.5 million tons in 2021. Despite this, the company's market share witnessed a recovery from the effects of the workers' strike. Which the company witnessed during the year 2021, as the market share reached approximately 15%.

Meanwhile, cement prices witnessed a slight improvement by 2.0%, coinciding with a further increase in production costs, driven by energy costs. This forced the company to import clinker from KSA, while price capping set by the government for 2022 continued for the second year in a row, limiting the overall business revenue

The company was able to regain its lost market share since the beginning of 2022 thanks to the collective efforts of the work team, a clear business strategy, and the introduction of many enhancement initiatives related to customer service, product quality and performance, in addition to start implementing the reorganization plan, in order to ensure the sustainability and continuity of the company's business In the future.

b. Foreign Market:

Export market did not show any significant change during year 2022, which is still recording 1 million tons, and West Bank market still represents the main destination for exports, However the company was unable to export due to high production and freight costs.

6. Main Suppliers & Customers:

a	Suppliers:	Supply % of total company purchases
	1- Al-Jouf Cement Company	21%
	2- Jordan Petroleum Refinery Company	16%
b	Main Customers:	Sales % of total company sales
	1. Arabian Concrete Supply Company	36%
	2. Mohamed Ahmed	17%

7. Franchise, Collateral & Invention Rights:

No any type of protection is provided for Lafarge Jordan Cement Company by the government, also the franchise agreement with the government was ended at the end of 2008.

8. Government Decisions & International Quality Standards:

a) Government Decisions:

- Not approving the rezoning of the company's owned lands in Fuheis area affected the company's ability to benefit from these lands in future projects..
- The announcement of the company's insolvency declaration on 26/7/2020 and the non-payment of insolvency liabilities affected the company's ability to obtain licenses and clearances necessary for the purposes of operations..
- The company's inability to re-evaluate its assets at the market value and recording them in the company's financial statements at its fair value, which negatively affected the company's ability to deal with its accumulated losses.

b) International Quality Standards:

The company applies the International Quality Standards and has obtained the following certificates:

1. ISO 9001
2. ISO 14001

9. A.Organizational Hierarchy: Please refer to page (14)

B. Headcount by Qualifications

Qualification / certification	Headcount as of 31/12/2022
Master's Degree	4
Bachelors Degree	97
Community College Diploma	38
Tawjihi (Secondary Education Certificate)	36
Below Tawjihi	56
Illiterate	0
Applied Secondary Education Certificate	40
Training Certificate	14
Total	285

Subsidiary's Headcount by Qualifications

Company	Headcount	PHD & Master Deg.	Bachelor Deg.	Diploma	Tawjihi
Plants	316	8	33	24	251
Head Office	34	3	26	2	3
Total	350	11	59	26	254

C. Employee development & training programs: Please refer to page (21)

10. Risks:

- 1- The continuous rise in energy prices, mining fees, and electricity prices.
- 2- The limited size of the Jordanian market in the presence of five companies that produce cement in excess of the needs of the local market, in addition to the weak growth in the size of the export cement market

- 3- Availability of cash and getting bank facilities needed for operation
- 4- Number of employees compared to operational needs.
- 5- Governmental pressure to reduce the selling price.
- 6- Not reach an agreement to rezone the lands of the Fuheis area, which has been suspended since 2013.
- 7- Inefficiency of operational processes as a result of stopping one of the two production lines at the Rashadiya plant in 2011 and the operation of the second line with an efficiency of 15% during 2022, which is reflected negatively on the company's financial results.

11. Main activities & achievements: Please refer to page (17)

12. Evolution of profit, dividends, shareholders equity, securities prices:

Year	Net profit before tax & fees (JD million)	Dividends (JD million)	Distribution Rate	Net shareholders equity (JD Million)	Price per share (JD)
2016	(1.744)	-	-	73.367	1.560
2017	(32.433)	-	-	43.913	1.210
2018	(27.883)	-	-	2.660	0.620
2019	(48.682)	-	-	(70.218)	0.320
2020	3.433	-	-	(64.308)	0.290
2021	(10.071)	-	-	(68.056)	0.540
2022	(10.379)	-	-	(70.550)	0.590



13. Financial position Analysis & Results:

The company's consolidated results for the year 2022 showed a net loss of 1.6 MJD, compared to a net loss of 2.4 MJD in 2021, and we point out here some of the main points that affected the company's results for the year 2022:

- The sales of 2022, shows an increase in sales compared to 2021 which impacted by a decrease in cement sales during the year 2021 as a result of the strike of Al-Rashadiya factory employees for the period from 26/9/2021 until 5/1/2022 in addition to part of the month of June 2021, which led to achieving operating profit in 2022 of 700 KJD, compared to a operating loss in 2021 of 3.9 MJD.
- Recognizing a restructuring provision for the year 2022 for an amount of 1.4 MJD as a result of the signing of a collective labor contract agreement organized based on the labor law, which was followed by service termination of 24 employees at the end of 2022.
- The recognition of deferred tax assets with 7.9 MJD as of December 31, 2021, as a result of taxable profits expected to be realized during subsequent years as a result of writing off debts in accordance with the decision of the Insolvency Court which led to recognizing profits during the year 2021, which were not offset by similar operations during the year 2022

Below is a list of key financial indicators for the company in 2022 compared to 2021:

No	Financial indicator	2021	2022
1	Return per share	(0.04%)	(0.03%)
2	ROI (return on investment)	(2%)	(1%)
3	Return on shareholders' equity	(3%)	(2%)
4	Return on capital	(4%)	(3%)
5	Gross profit	3%	11%
6	Net working capital	(106,528,143)	(60,740,828)
7	Liquidity Ratio	(31)%	(40)%

Government Income:

Lafarge Cement Jordan contributed to government treasury and thus to the Jordanian economy by 5.664 MJD during 2022 compared to 4.053 MJD in 2021.

The list below is the government returns for the years 2014-2022:

Year	VAT MJD	Income tax & other fees MJD	Total MJD
2014	13.096	0.633	13.729
2015	10.305	0.536	10.841
2016	10.157	0.573	10.730
2017	8.250	0.557	8.807
2018	5.719	0.553	6.272
2019	6.003	0.683	6.686
2020	3.897	0.297	4.194
2021	3.804	0.249	4.053
2022	5.315	0.348	5.664
Total	66.546	4.429	70.976

14. Future priorities: Please refer to page (9)

15. Audit Fees:

Total Audit fees for the external auditors E&Y for the year ended 2022 is (50) as follow:

Company	Audit fee
Lafarge Cement Jordan	50,130
Lafarge Concrete Jordan	13,000
Arabian Specialized Transportation Company	5,000
TOTAL	68,130

16. A. Securities owned by Board of Directors members:

	Name	Title	Nationality	No. of shares 2020	No. of shares 2021
A	Lafarge Company Represented by: Jawad Anani	Chairman from 30/4/2019	Jordanian	30,388,664 250	30,388,664 250
	Grant Earnshaw	Vice chairman from 30/4/2019	England	None	None
	Ali Said	Member from 18/4/2019	Canadian	None	None
B	Social Security Corporation Represented by: Youssef Al-Abdalat	Member from 13/1/2021	Jordanian	13,197,226 None	13,197,226 None
C	Rama investment & Saving Company Represented by: Suleiman Shawabkeh	Member till 17/2/2022	Jordanian	10,000 None	10,000 None
D	Private Sector: Omar Bdeir	Member from 8/2/2006	Jordanian	56,356	56,356
	Samaan Samaan	Member from 13/7/2017	Jordanian	250	250
	Duraid Mahasneh	Member from 30/10/2019	Jordanian	250	250
	Hussein Al-Saub	Member from 30/10/2019	Jordanian	250	250

No other companies' shares are controlled by members of the board.

16. B. Securities owned by Board of Directors' relatives:

No.	Name	Nationality	No. of shares 2020	No. of shares 2021
1.	Ghada Ahmad Mukhtar / Wife of Member of the board Omar Bdeir	Jordanian	115	115

- No shares owned by other members of the board relatives.
- No shares owned by relatives of the higher management.
- No other companies' shares are owned by members of the board relatives.

16. C. Number of shares owned by Executive Management:

Description	Title	Nationality	No. of shares 2020	No. of shares 2021
Samman Samman	Country CEO	Jordanian	250	250

No other companies' shares are controlled by Executive committee.

17. A. Board of Directors remuneration & benefits:

Description	Title	Transportation allowance paid in 2022 after tax	Allowance for attending sessions due for 2021 and paid during 2022 after tax	Other	Total Yearly benefits (JD) After tax
1 Jawad Anani	Chairman From 30/4/2019	-	-	-	-
2 Grant Earnshaw	Vice chairman from 30/4/2019	-	-	-	-
3 Ali Saeed	Member from 18/4/2019	-	-	-	-
4 Samaan Samaan	Member from 13/7/2017	-	-	-	-
5 Youssef Al-Abdalat	Member from 13/1/2021	2,779	247	-	3,026
6 Suleiman Shawabkeh	Member from 17/2/2021	2,470	266	-	2,736
7 Duraid Mahasneh	Member from 30/10/2019	2,470	95	-	2,565
8 Hussein Al-Saoub	Member from 30/10/2019	1,853	152	-	2,005
9 Omar Bdeir	Member from 8/2/2006	2,779	266	-	3,045

17. B. Executive Management Remuneration & Benefits:

Description	Title	Monthly salary (JD)	Other yearly remuneration & allowance (JD)	Yearly Travel expenses (JD)	Tax paid locally & Externally (JD)	Other benefits
1 Samman Samman	Country CEO	11,000	-	875	-	Status Car
2 Ali Saeed	Lafarge RMX GM	8,505	156,822	3,030	-	Status Car
4 Muhannad Al-Sayed	Country CFO till 4/7/2022	5,133	2,880	-	-	-
6 Mustafa AlWishah	Industrial Director & Rashadeya plant manager till 31/12/2022	6,693	5,760	-	-	Status Car

18. Donations Paid in 2022:

No.	Description	JD
1	Local community donation	11,967






19. Contracts, projects, engagements with the subsidiary, sister or associated company, the chairman, members of the board, or the general manager, or any employee of the company or their relatives:





- Lafarge Cement Jordan Company's relations with the Subsidiary (Lafarge Concrete Jordan) during 2022 amounted to 12.8 MJD, which represents the net purchases of cement.
- The company in 2022 did not make any commitments, contracts & projects with Chairman of the Board or Board of Directors or General Manager or with any employee in the company or their relatives.

20. A- Company's environmental contribution: Please refer to page (19)


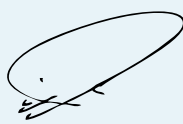

B- Company contribution in serving the local community: Please refer to page (19)

- C-**
1. The Board of Directors confirms that there are no significant issues that may affect company's continuity over the coming year.
 2. Confirms its responsibility for preparing the financial statements and providing an efficient control system within the enterprise.

Chairman of the Board Jawad Anani	Vice chairman Grant Earnshaw	Member Samaan Samaan	Member Ali Said	Member Omar Bdeir
				

Member Suleiman Shawabkeh	Member Youssef Al-Abdalat	Member Duraid Mahasneh	Member Hussein Al-Saoub
			

3. We sign here below to confirm the correctness, accuracy, and completeness of the information in this report.

Chairman of the Board Jawad Anani	General Manager Samaan Samaan	On behalf of the Country Chief Financial Officer / Accounting Manager Ronza Al-Marafi
		

Insolvency and Reorganization Plan

The insolvency law contributed to the creation and development of a new system to deal with cases of corporate default, and upgrading them from the liquidation system that requires the liquidation of the funds of the defaulting debtor and distributing them to creditors and ending the existence of the economic project to go through the stage of saving economic activity and helping it to address the challenges it and promote it again as an effective project within the economic system by providing an effective legal framework to address the financial and administrative hardship that economic activity is going through before moving and proceeding with liquidation procedures, taking into account the importance of maintaining a balance between the need to address this distress by the fastest and best means, while preserving the interests of creditors, persons affected by the failure of the project, workers and employees of the company.

The insolvency system is the gateway through which insolvent enterprises become healthy and able to sustain their operations, and the main criterion for determining this is the project's viability to continue its operation, and this has been achieved through the following:

- The Board of Directors of Jordan Cement Factories Company decided to submit an application to declare the company's insolvency in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. 21 of 2018 in order to maintain the continuity and sustainability of the company's work.
- The decision of the Salt Court of First Instance approving the declaration of insolvency of the Jordan Cement Factories Company was issued on July 26, 2020.
- The meeting of the General Assembly of Creditors was held on August 10, 2022 to discuss and vote on the reorganization plan.
- The meeting was attended by creditors representing (91.68%) of the total debts included in the list of creditors.
- The reorganization plan proposals were approved and voted upon by the majority of the creditors' representatives present at the meeting, at (97.81%) of the total creditors' debts were.

The following are the main results of the plan: -

With regard to debt repayment:

- Repayment of the debts of major creditors (banks and Lafarge Group companies) through the ownership of land in Fuheis area equal to the value of their debt after writing off 5% of their total unsecured debts. The amount of discount amounted to approximately 2 MJD.
 - Repayment of preferred debts and the rest of the unsecured debts in cash after deducting 15% of the total value of debts within 3-5 years. The amount of discount on these debts amounted to approximately 1.6 MJD.
 - Writing off all debts classified as lower priority debts of approximately 42.6 MJD.
- As a result, the total debts written off plus the discounts referred to above amounted to 46.3 MJD.

With regard to human resources:

- Increasing the rates of health insurance contributions for employees and retirees, in a way that contributes to reducing the burden of health insurance on the company.
- Restructuring human resources by agreeing to pay certain amounts as a reward to employees that the company wishes to terminate and who have met the conditions of early retirement in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Law.

The company has started implementing the outputs of the reorganization plan, a summary is as follows:

- A committee has been formed to supervise the reorganization plan consisting of members of the Board of Directors through which consultation on the course of implementing the reorganization plan and making decisions and then submitting it to the Board of Directors
- A collective labor contract agreement was signed based on the provisions of Labor Law No. 8 of 1996 and its amendments, which provides of one and a half months' wage for each year of service to the employee and within specific conditions. The services of 24 employees were later terminated by the end of 2022.
- Health insurance contributions have been increased by 1% for employees on the job and 0.5% for retired employees.
- Health insurance cards were waived by a number of retirees in exchange for paying certain amounts to them, provided that the benefit from health insurance is canceled. Total number reached 49 retirees until October 2023.
- The cash repayment plan for preferred and unsecured debts was agreed upon within a specific plan and according to the availability of cash liquidity. And approximately one MJD have already been paid until the end of October 2023.
- A meeting was held with major creditors (banks and the group) and valuations of several plots of land owned by the company in the Fuheis area were agreed upon as stipulated in the reorganization plan for the purposes of implementing the outputs of the reorganization plan with regard to the payment in kind to major creditors.

Independent Auditors' Report

To the Shareholders of the Jordan Cement Factories Company Amman - Jordan

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of the Jordan Cement Factories (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, consolidated statement of profit or loss, consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects the financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2022, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards, are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Jordan, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

Without qualifying our opinion, as disclosed in note (30) to the consolidated financial statements, the Group's accumulated losses of JD 136,078,477 exceeded the Group's capital as of 31 December 2022. Also, the Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by an amount of JD 60,740,828 as of 31 December 2022. These events or conditions indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. According to Article (266) of the Jordanian Company's Law No. (22) for the year 1997 and its amendments, if the accumulated losses of the Public Shareholding Company exceeded 75% of its capital, the Company shall be liquidated unless the General Assembly of the Company issues a decision on its extraordinary meeting to increase the Company's capital or to deal with the Company's losses. As stated in note (33), the Company's Board of Directors resolved to submit a request to declare the Company's insolvency in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. (21) of 2018, in order to restructure the Company's capital, as the court's decision was issued approving the declaration of insolvency on 26 July 2020, and the restructuring plan was approved on 28 August 2022.

Other Matter

The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 were audited by another auditor, and an unqualified opinion was issued on 19 March 2023.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. In addition to the matter described in the Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern section, these matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the Auditor’s responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Revenue Recognition

Refer to note (26) to the consolidated financial statements

Key audit matter

How the key audit matter was addressed in the audit

The Group focuses on revenues as one of its key performance measures, and given the importance of amounts and the geographical diversity of the Group’s operations and the exposure of these revenues to the risks of overstatement and fraud, we consider revenue recognition to be a critical audit matter.

The audit procedures included evaluating the accounting policies followed by the Group to recognize revenues in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs). We also studied the Group’s internal control system regarding revenue recognition, including the main internal control elements within the revenue recognition cycle.

Revenue is recognized when the Group fulfills performance obligations in accordance with the contract concluded with customers, when the goods are delivered to customers and the invoice is issued, which usually occurs at a certain point in time.

We tested the accuracy of revenue recognition by selecting a sample of invoices and matching them with the announced and agreed upon contracts and prices.

We tested a representative sample of revenue-related accounting entries recorded during the year based on criteria specified by us.

In addition, we selected a sample before and after the end of the current year to evaluate whether revenue was recognized in the correct period.

We also performed detailed revenue analysis using financial and non-financial information.

Other information included in the Group’s 2022 annual report

Other information consists of the information included in the Group’s 2022 Annual Report other than the consolidated financial statements and our auditor’s report thereon. Management is responsible for the other information. The Group’s 2022 Annual Report is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor’s report. Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.



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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an 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 will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

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

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

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

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

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

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

The Group maintains proper books of accounts which are in agreement with the consolidated financial statements, taking into consideration the matters described in the Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern section.

The partner in charge of the audit resulting in this auditor's report was Ali Hasan Samara; license number 503.

Amman - Jordan
16 November 2023

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

ASSETS	Note	December 31,	
		2021	2020
Non-current assets -		JD	JD
Property, plant and equipment	4	43,163,215	44,552,414
Investment properties	5	10,962,472	11,453,973
Right-of-use assets	6	376,423	1,640,749
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	7	256,536	193,603
Employees' housing and car loans	8	321,276	441,857
Accounts receivable and checks under collection	10	168,000	67,200
Deferred tax assets	20	9,180,382	9,074,851
Goodwill	3	2,495,945	2,495,945
Intangible assets		43,859	44,054
		<u>66,968,108</u>	<u>69,964,646</u>
Current assets -			
Inventory and spare parts	9	14,058,812	12,674,947
Accounts receivable and checks under collection	10	13,842,374	14,790,200
Other current assets	11	11,019,781	3,018,741
Assets held for sale	12	-	7,839,642
Cash on hand and at banks	13	2,356,562	9,011,430
		<u>41,277,529</u>	<u>47,334,960</u>
Total Assets		<u>108,245,637</u>	<u>117,299,606</u>
Equity and Liabilities			
Equity			
Shareholders' equity			
Paid-in capital	1&14	60,444,460	60,444,460
Treasury shares		(323)	(323)
Statutory reserve	14	239,094	239,094
Cumulative change in fair value reserve	7	(8,214)	(71,147)
Accumulated losses	14	<u>(136,078,477)</u>	<u>(134,275,511)</u>
		<u>(75,403,460)</u>	<u>(73,663,427)</u>
Non-controlling interests		<u>4,853,256</u>	<u>5,607,141</u>
Deficit in shareholders' equity		<u>(70,550,204)</u>	<u>(68,056,286)</u>
Liabilities -			
Non-current liabilities -			
Long-term lease obligations	6	-	480,598
Deferred revenues	33	46,290,830	-
Provisions for employees' post-retirement health insurance benefits	19	30,486,654	30,985,000
		<u>76,777,484</u>	<u>31,465,598</u>
Current liabilities -			
Accounts payable	15	24,580,378	22,335,982
Other current liabilities	16	17,902,027	18,792,209
Due to banks	17	-	4,294,946
Provision for income tax	20	104,398	163,157
Short-term lease obligations	6	336,289	1,134,128
Restructuring provision		90,000	-
Deferred bank guarantees	18	2,187,653	-
Insolvency debts:			
Due to banks	33	12,786,916	15,952,774
Accounts payable	33	21,913,083	37,380,900
Other current liabilities	33	5,448,021	6,000,371
Banks loans	33	16,669,592	23,335,827
Related party loan	33	-	<u>24,500,000</u>
		<u>102,018,357</u>	<u>153,890,294</u>
Total liabilities		<u>178,795,841</u>	<u>185,355,892</u>
Total Equity and Liabilities		<u>108,245,637</u>	<u>117,299,606</u>

The accompanying notes from 1 to 35 form part of these consolidated financial statements

JORDAN CEMENT FACTORIES COMPANY
PUBLIC SHAREHOLDING LIMITED COMPANY

Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss

	Note	For the Year Ended December 31,	
		2022	2021
		JD	JD
Sales	26	63,499,689	58,081,272
Cost of sales		(56,692,123)	(55,680,894)
Gross profit		6,807,566	2,400,378
Selling and marketing expenses	21	(1,474,845)	(1,427,292)
Administrative expenses	22	(4,603,432)	(4,870,414)
Operating income (loss)		729,289	(3,897,328)
Recovered from employees' housing and car loans provision		68,604	250,332
Interest income		110,097	119,429
Depreciation of investment properties	5	(491,501)	(493,437)
Finance costs		(990,155)	(1,054,147)
Provision for employees' post-retirement health insurance benefits	19	(1,113,102)	(1,387,000)
Provision for restructuring	23	(1,491,269)	-
Recovered from provision for slow moving items and spare parts, net	9	303,754	1,154,360
Provision for lawsuits	16	-	(6,843,088)
Provision for rehabilitation of quarries and environment protection	16	(23,940)	(25,632)
Recovered from impairment provision for assets held for sale	12	1,292,483	739,642
Recovered from (provision for) expected credit losses	10	629,068	(114,286)
Provision for employees' vacations		200,809	15,426
Amortization of intangible assets		(6,715)	(2,001)
Gain from foreign currency revaluation		524,620	948,684
Gain from sale of property, plant and equipment, net		13,757	185,552
Other (expenses) revenues, net	24	(1,135,251)	332,570
Loss for the year before income tax		(1,379,452)	(10,070,924)
Income tax (expense) benefit	20	(227,623)	7,631,139
Loss for the year		(1,607,075)	(2,439,785)
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Company		(1,833,190)	(2,714,243)
Non-controlling-interests		226,115	274,458
		<u>(1,607,075)</u>	<u>(2,439,785)</u>
		JD / Fils	JD / Fils
Basic and diluted loss per share for the year attributable to the equity holders of the Company	25	<u>(0,030)</u>	<u>(0,045)</u>

The accompanying notes from 1 to 35 form part of these consolidated financial statements

JORDAN CEMENT FACTORIES COMPANY
PUBLIC SHAREHOLDING LIMITED COMPANY

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

	Note	For the Year Ended December 31,	
		2021	2022
		JD	JD
Loss for the year		(1,607,075)	(2,439,785)
Other comprehensive income items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Changes in fair value resulted from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	7	62,933	(6,328)
Actuarial gains (losses) resulted from revaluation of post-retirement health insurance benefits	19	<u>30,224</u>	<u>(1,312,000)</u>
		<u>93,157</u>	<u>(1,318,328)</u>
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>(1,513,918)</u>	<u>(3,758,113)</u>
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Company		(1,740,033)	(4,032,571)
Non-controlling interests		<u>226,115</u>	<u>274,458</u>
		<u>(1,513,918)</u>	<u>(3,758,113)</u>

The accompanying notes from 1 to 35 form part of these consolidated financial statements

Consolidated Statement of Changes In Shareholders' Equity

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022	Paid-in capital		Treasury shares		Statutory reserve		Cumulative change in fair value		Accumulated losses		Total		Non-controlling interests		Deficit in shareholders' equity	
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD
Balance at 1 January	60,444,460	(323)	239,094	(71,147)	(134,275,511)	(73,663,427)	5,607,141	(68,056,286)								
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(1,833,190)	(1,833,190)	226,115	(1,607,075)								
Other comprehensive income items	-	-	-	62,933	30,224	93,157	-	93,157								
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	62,933	(1,802,966)	(1,740,033)	226,115	(1,513,918)								
Dividend payment for non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	(980,000)	(980,000)								
Balance at 31 December	60,444,460	(323)	239,094	(8,214)	(136,078,477)	(75,403,460)	4,853,256	(70,550,204)								
For the Year Ended December 31, 2021																
Balance at 1 January	60,444,460	(323)	239,094	(64,819)	(130,254,447)	(69,636,035)	5,327,706	(64,308,329)								
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(2,714,243)	(2,714,243)	274,458	(2,439,785)								
Other comprehensive income items	-	-	-	(6,328)	(1,312,000)	(1,318,328)	-	(1,318,328)								
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	(6,328)	(4,026,243)	(4,032,571)	274,458	(3,758,113)								
Dividend payment for non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	5,179	5,179	4,977	10,156								
Balance at 31 December	60,444,460	(323)	239,094	(71,147)	(134,275,511)	(73,663,427)	5,607,141	(68,056,286)								

The accompanying notes from 1 to 35 form part of these consolidated financial statements

JORDAN CEMENT FACTORIES COMPANY
PUBLIC SHAREHOLDING LIMITED COMPANY

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

	Note	For the Year Ended December 31,	
		2022	2021
		JD	JD
Operating Activities			
Loss for the year before income tax		(1,379,452)	(10,070,924)
Adjustments:			
Depreciation	4&5	2,889,605	2,811,614
Amortization of intangible assets		6,715	2,001
Depreciation of right-of-use-assets	6	1,211,129	1,666,604
(Recovered from) provision for expected credit losses	10	(629,068)	114,286
Gain from sale of property, plant and equipment		(13,757)	(185,552)
Released from impairment provision for assets held for sale	12	(1,292,483)	(739,642)
Provision for lawsuits	16	-	6,843,088
Provision for employees' post-retirement health insurance benefits		1,113,102	1,387,000
Provision for rehabilitation of quarries and environment protection		23,940	25,632
Recovered from provision for slow moving items and spare parts, net		(303,754)	(1,154,360)
Recovered from employees' housing and car loans provision		(68,604)	(250,332)
Finance costs		814,105	873,465
Finance costs on lease liabilities		176,050	180,682
Provision for restructuring		1,491,269	-
Dividends income		(110,097)	(119,429)
Other provisions		358,822	181,938
Changes in working capital:			
Accounts receivable, other current assets, checks under collection, and employees' housing and car loans		(6,623,265)	(115,859)
Inventory and spare parts		(2,145,110)	2,492,276
Accounts payable and other current liabilities		6,746,916	4,119,671
Paid from post-retirement health insurance benefits	19	(1,581,224)	(1,398,000)
Paid from lawsuits provision	16	(37,898)	(68,504)
Paid from other provisions		(242,449)	(111,516)
Income tax paid	20	(212,231)	(415,852)
Net cash flows from operating activities		192,261	6,068,287
Investing Activities			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment and projects in progress	4	(999,681)	(1,986,900)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		33,909	211,538
Purchase of intangible assets		(6,520)	-
Proceeds from employees' housing and car loans		68,604	250,332
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(903,688)	(1,525,030)
Financing Activities			
Dividends distribution from subsidiaries		510,000	-
Due to banks		(4,294,946)	(1,422,749)
Finance costs paid		(814,105)	(873,465)
Payments of lease obligations		(1,454,487)	(1,839,858)
Proceeds from interest income		110,097	119,429
Net cash flows used in financing activities		(5,943,441)	(4,016,643)
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		(6,654,868)	526,614
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		9,011,430	8,484,816
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	13	2,356,562	9,011,430

The accompanying notes from 1 to 35 form part of these consolidated financial statements

1. General

The Jordan Cement Factories Company “the Company” was established in 1951 as a Jordanian Public Shareholding Company and was registered at the Ministry of Industry and Trade during the year 1964. The Company’s paid-in capital is JD 60,444,460 consisting of 60,444,460 shares of JD 1 par value each as of 31 December 2022.

The Company’s main objectives are the production and manufacturing of Portland cement.

The Company is 50.275% owned by Financiere Lafarge S.A.S – France (“Parent Company”).

In light of the current financial conditions of the Company, the Company’s Board of Directors resolved to submit an application in order for insolvency declaration in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. (21) of 2018 in order to restructure the Company’s capital and operations to maintain its business continuity. Accordingly, a decision was issued by Salt Court of First Instance approving the declaration of insolvency of the Company on 26 July 2020. The General Assembly of Creditors meeting was held on 10 August 2022 to discuss the reorganization plan, where the plan and the approved proposals were approved and voted on by the majority of the creditors’ representatives present at the meeting, and the court’s decision was issued on 28 August 2022 which included the adoption of the reorganization plan and the end of the insolvency procedures (note 33).

The consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on 6 November 2023. These consolidated financial statements are subject to the approval of the General Assembly.

2. Basis of Preparation and Accounting Policies

2-1 Basis of Preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements

The accompanying consolidated financial statements for the Group have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as issued by the International Accounting Standard Board (IASB).

The consolidated financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, except for financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income which have been measured at fair value as of the date of the consolidated financial statements.

The consolidated financial statements have been presented in Jordanian Dinar which represents the functional currency of the company.

Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Jordan Cement Factories (the “Company”) and its following subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the “Group”) as of 31 December 2022 and 2021.

Company’s Name	Ownership Interest	Country
Arabian Concrete Supply Company Limited	51%	Jordan
Al Fuheis Green Heights Real Estate Development Company *	100%	Jordan

* Jordan Cement Factories Company established Al Fuheis Green Heights Real Estate Development Company on 30 July 2018 with an authorized capital of JD 30,000 and a paid-in capital of JD 15,000 as of 31 December 2022. The Company has not conducted any operational activity since its inception date until the date of these consolidated financial statements.

Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. Specifically, the Group controls an investee if, and only if, the Group has:

- Power over the investee (i.e. existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee).
- Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee.
- Ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.

When the Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- Contractual arrangement with other vote holders of the investee.
- Rights arising from other contractual arrangements.
- The Group's voting rights and potential voting rights.

The Group re-assesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control.

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income (OCI) are attributed to the equity holders of the Company and to the non-controlling interests, even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance. When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the Group's accounting policies. All intra-group assets, liabilities, equity, revenues, expenses and profit or loss relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full.

A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary, without a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction. If the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it:

- Derecognizes the assets (including goodwill) and liabilities of the subsidiary.
- Derecognizes the carrying amount of any non-controlling interests.
- Derecognizes the cumulative translation differences recorded in equity.
- Recognizes the fair value of the consideration received.
- Recognizes the fair value of any investment retained.
- Recognizes any surplus or deficit in profit or loss.
- Reclassifies the Company's share of components previously recognized in OCI to profit or loss.

2-2 Changes in Accounting Policies

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2022 shown below:

Reference to the Conceptual Framework – Amendments to IFRS 3

In May 2020, the IASB issued Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations - Reference to the Conceptual Framework. The amendments are intended to replace a reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements, issued in 1989, with a reference to the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting issued in March 2018 without significantly changing its requirements.

The Board also added an exception to the recognition principle of IFRS 3 to avoid the issue of potential 'day 2' gains or losses arising for liabilities and contingent liabilities that would be within the scope of IAS 37 or IFRIC 21 Levies, if incurred consolidated separately.

At the same time, the Board decided to clarify existing guidance in IFRS 3 for contingent assets that would not be affected by replacing the reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use – Amendments to IAS 16

In May 2020, the IASB issued Property, Plant and Equipment — Proceeds before Intended Use, which prohibits entities from deducting from the cost of an item of property, plant and equipment, any proceeds from selling items produced while bringing that asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Instead, an entity recognises the proceeds from selling such items, and the costs of producing those items, in profit or loss.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

Onerous Contracts – Costs of Fulfilling a Contract – Amendments to IAS 37

In May 2020, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 37 to specify which costs an entity needs to include when assessing whether a contract is onerous or loss-making.

The amendments apply a “directly related cost approach”. The costs that relate directly to a contract to provide goods or services include both incremental costs and an allocation of costs directly related to contract activities. General and administrative costs do not relate directly to a contract and are excluded unless they are explicitly chargeable to the counterparty under the contract.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards – Subsidiary as a first-time adopter

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process, the IASB issued an amendment to IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards. The amendment permits a subsidiary that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1 to measure cumulative translation differences using the amounts reported by the parent, based on the parent's date of transition to IFRS. This amendment is also applied to an associate or joint venture that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments – Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process the IASB issued amendment to IFRS 9. The amendment clarifies the fees that an entity includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability. These fees include only those paid or received by the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the borrower or lender on the other's behalf. An entity applies the amendment to financial liabilities that are modified or exchanged on or after the beginning of the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the amendment.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

IAS 41 Agriculture – Taxation in fair value measurements

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to IFRS standards process, the IASB issued amendment to IAS 41 Agriculture. The amendment removes the requirement in paragraph 22 of IAS 41 that entities exclude cash flows for taxation when measuring the fair value of assets within the scope of IAS 41.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

2-3 Significant Accounting Judgments, Estimates And Assumptions

The preparation of consolidated financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent liabilities. These estimates and assumptions also affect revenues and expenses and the resultant provisions. Considerable judgment and assumptions by management are required in the estimation of the amount and timing of future cash flows when determining the level of provisions required. Such estimates are necessarily based on assumptions about several factors involving varying degrees of judgment and uncertainty and actual results may differ resulting in future changes in such provisions.

Useful lives of property, plant, and equipment

The Group management determines the estimated useful lives of its property, plant and equipment for calculating depreciation based on expected usage of the assets. Management reviews the residual value and useful lives annually and future depreciation charge would be adjusted prospectively where the management believes the useful lives differ from previous estimates.

Provision for expected credit losses

The Group uses a matrix to calculate the provision for expected credit losses for receivables. Provision ratios are calculated based on the ages of outstanding debt for customer segments groups that have common characteristics of loss patterns, considering the adjustment of these matrices to suit historical default rates and future expectations of these ratios.

The matrix of provisions for expected credit losses is initially based on the Group historical default rates. The company assesses the rate at which historical default rates are correlated with future economic conditions as if it turns out that future economic indicators (e.g. GDP coefficient) are expected to be bad in the coming years and thus an increase in future default rates, the company will adjust historical default ratios to suit these conditions.

Assessing the correlation rate of historical default rates with economic conditions and the value of provision for expected credit losses is a material estimate. The value of the provision for expected credit losses is affected by changing economic conditions and expected factors. The group experience in estimating expected credit losses and future economic conditions may not represent the actual state of debtors defaulting in the future.

Income tax

The income tax provision is calculated in accordance with the Income Tax Law No. 38 of 2018 and IAS (12).

Deferred tax

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except:

- When the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss and;
- In respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, when the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, the carry forward of unused tax credits and any unused tax losses. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:

- When the deferred tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss.
- In respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

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 profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised.

Unrecognised deferred tax assets are re-assessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax relating to items recognised outside profit or loss is recognised outside profit or loss. Deferred tax items are recognised in correlation to the underlying transaction either in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

Tax benefits acquired as part of a business combination, but not satisfying the criteria for separate recognition at that date, are recognised subsequently if new information about facts and circumstances change. The adjustment is either treated as a reduction in goodwill (as long as it does not exceed goodwill) if it was incurred during the measurement period or recognised in profit or loss.

Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) at the date of the consolidated financial statements that arose from a past event and costs to settle the obligation are probable and can be measured reliably.

Estimates related to the application of International Financial Reporting Standard (16)

The application of International Financial Reporting Standard (16) requires the group management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the measurement of the right-of-use assets and related liabilities. The Group management considers all factors related to the option of extending or renewing lease contracts. Determining whether a contract is considered a lease requires testing. Management also uses estimates to determine the appropriate discount rate for measuring lease obligations.

Post-retirement health insurance obligations

The cost of the benefits determined for post-retirement health insurance as well as the present value of the liability are measured based on actuarial valuation. Actuarial valuation includes estimates regarding the discount rate, future salary increases, and mortality rates. These estimates are reviewed annually.

Quarry rehabilitation and environmental protection

The Group recognizes a provision for the cost of quarrying rehabilitation and therefore estimates are made regarding the discount price, the expected cost of rehabilitation and the expected timing of it.

2-4 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the consideration transferred, measured at acquisition date fair value and the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. The Group has the option to measure the non-controlling interest in the acquiree either at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. Acquisition costs incurred are expensed and included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount recognised for non-controlling interest over the net identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date.

Impairment of goodwill

Goodwill is tested for impairment annually and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each cash generating unit (or group of cash generating units) to which the goodwill relates. Where the recoverable amount of the cash generating unit is less than their carrying amount an impairment loss is recognized.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses, if any. Such cost includes the cost of replacing part of the property and equipment and borrowing costs for construction projects if the recognition criteria are met. Repair and maintenance expenses are recognized in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Property, plant and equipment (except for land) is depreciated using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives using the following annual depreciation rates:

Description	Years
Buildings	6 - 50
Plant and equipment	5 - 30
Vehicles	5 - 15
Tools and devices	5 - 15
Furniture and fixture	5 - 11
Computers	2 - 15
Others	5 - 20

The cost of quarries is depreciated using the depletion method where the depreciation expense is calculated based on the estimated raw material quantities adjusted to the quantities extracted.

When property and equipment are sold or retired, any gain or loss resulting from their disposal is included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

When the recoverable amount of any property, plant and equipment is less than its net book value, its value is reduced to the recoverable value and the impairment value is recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

The useful life and depreciation method are periodically reviewed to ensure that the depreciation method and period are consistent with the expected economic benefits of property, plant and equipment.

Investment properties

Investment properties are investments in land or buildings held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation, rather than land or buildings used for production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes or sale in the ordinary course of business.

Investment properties appear at cost after deducting accumulated depreciation and any provision against the decrease, and real estate investments (excluding land) are depreciated when they are ready for use in a straight-line manner over their expected useful life.

The book value of investment properties is reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the book value may not be recoverable. When such indicators exist and when the book value exceeds the recoverable value, the value of real estate investments is reduced to their recoverable value and the impairment provision is recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Gains or losses resulting from the exclusion of investment properties (calculated on the basis of the difference between cash receipts and the book value of the excluded asset) are recognized in the consolidated statement of profit or loss when excluding investment properties.

The useful life and method of depreciation are reviewed periodically to ensure that the method and period of depreciation are consistent with the expected economic benefits of investment properties.

Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost.

Intangible assets are classified as finite or infinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized over the useful economic life and the amortization expense is recognized in the consolidated statement of profit or loss. While intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are assessed for impairment at each reporting date or when there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The impairment loss is recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Any indications of impairment of the intangible asset are reviewed at the date of the financial audit. The existing chronological age is also reviewed as new adjustments are made for subsequent periods.

The intangibles are not capitalized and begin to be recorded in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income in the same year.

The intangible assets include the cost sharing in the central connection for energy and the Group's management estimates its useful life and is amortized using straight line method on a 15% annual rate.

Projects in progress

Projects under implementation are recorded at cost and when the project is ready for use, it is transferred to its item within the property, plant and equipment.

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income are recorded at fair value plus acquisition costs at the date of acquisition and subsequently measured at fair value. Changes in fair value are reported as a consolidated component in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income and in the consolidated statement of changes in equity, including the change in fair value resulting from conversion differences of non-cash items of assets at foreign currencies. In case of sale of such assets or part of it, the gain or loss is recorded in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income and in the consolidated statement of changes in equity, and the valuation reserve balance for sold assets is transferred directly to retained earnings.

These assets are not subject to impairment testing. Dividends are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss when declared.

Right-of-use assets

The Group recognizes right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease obligations.

The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease obligations recognized, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Unless the Group is reasonably certain to obtain ownership of the leased asset at the end of the lease term, the recognized right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of its estimated useful life or the lease term. Right-of-use assets are subject to impairment.

Inventory and spare parts

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost or net realizable value.

Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

- Raw materials - Purchase cost using the weighted average cost method.
- Finished goods and work in process - Cost of direct materials, labor and a proportion of manufacturing overheads based on normal operating capacity, using the weighted average cost method.
- Spare parts - Cost using the weighted average cost method.

Accounts receivable

Accounts receivables are stated at original invoice amount less any provision for any uncollectible amounts related to expected credit losses (ECL). The Group applies a simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the Group does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Group has established a provision matrix that is based on its historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and bank balance in the consolidated statement of financial position comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits with original maturity of three months or less.

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term deposits with original maturity of three months or less, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

Loans

Loans are initially recognized at fair value less directly attributable transaction costs. After initial recognition, interest bearing loans are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

Amortized cost is calculated by taking into consideration any discount or acquisition premium, fees and costs are an integral part of the effective interest rate. Finance costs are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit and loss.

Accounts payable and accruals

Accounts payables are obligations to pay for goods and services that have been acquired from suppliers, whether or not such obligations have been claimed.

Lease contracts

The Group assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

The Group applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Group recognizes lease obligations to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Group recognizes lease obligations measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Group and payments of penalties for terminating a lease, if the lease term reflects the Group exercising the option to terminate.

The variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognized as expense in the period on which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Group uses the incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date if the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the in-substance fixed lease payments or a change in the assessment to purchase the underlying asset.

Significant judgement in determining the lease term of contracts with renewal options

The Group determines the lease term as the non-cancellable term of the lease, together with any periods covered by an option to extend the lease if it is reasonably certain to be exercised, or any periods covered by an option to terminate the lease, if it is reasonably certain not to be exercised.

The Group has the option, under some of its leases to lease the assets for additional terms. The Group applies judgement in evaluating whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the option to renew.

That is, it considers all relevant factors that create an economic incentive for it to exercise the renewal. After the commencement date, the Group reassesses the lease term if there is a significant event or change in circumstances that is within its control and affects its ability to exercise (or not to exercise) the option to renew (e.g., a change in business strategy).

The Group included the renewal period as part of the lease term for leases of property and equipment due to the significance of these assets to its operations. These leases have a short non-cancellable period and there will be a significant negative effect on production if a replacement is not readily available.

Impairment of financial assets

IFRS 9 requires the Company to record an allowance for ECL for all debt instruments measured at amortized cost.

For all debt instruments, the Group has applied the standard's simplified approach and has calculated ECL based on lifetime expected credit losses. The Company has established a provision matrix that is based on the Company's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group assesses at each reporting date, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Group estimates the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's (CGU) fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The recoverable amount is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used.

These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices for publicly traded companies or other available fair value indicators.

The Group bases its impairment calculation on detailed budgets and forecast calculations, which are prepared separately for each of the Group's CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecast calculations generally cover a period of five years. A long term growth rate is calculated and applied to project future cash flows after the fifth year.

Impairment losses of continuing operations are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss in expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset, except for properties previously revalued with the revaluation taken to other comprehensive income. For such properties, the impairment is recognised in other comprehensive income up to the amount of any previous revaluation.

For assets excluding goodwill, an assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses no longer exist or have decreased. If such indication exists, the Group estimates the assets or CGU's recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the assumptions used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case, the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

Goodwill is tested for impairment annually as at 31 December and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each CGU (or group of CGUs) to which the goodwill relates. When the recoverable amount of the CGU is less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Impairment losses relating to goodwill cannot be reversed in future periods.

Revenue and expense recognition

Revenue is recorded according to the five-step model of the IFRS (15), which includes determining the contract and the price and determining the performance obligation in the contract and recognizing revenue based on the performance of the performance obligation.

Revenue is recognized when providing service which is usually done at a specific point of time.

Other revenues are recognized using the accrual basis of accounting.

Expenses are recognized using the accrual basis of accounting.

Finance costs

Finance costs are recognised as an expense when incurred. Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalized.

Employees' housing and car loans

Employees' housing and car loans are recognized at fair value and subsequently recorded at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

Gains or losses are recognized in the consolidated statement of profit and loss when there is a decrease in the value of loans and through the amortization of those loans.

Fair value measurement

The Group measures financial assets such as Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income as at the date of the Consolidated Financial Statements as disclosed in note (31).

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use, or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Group uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the consolidated financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1:** Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2:** Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3:** Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the consolidated financial statements on a recurring basis, the Group determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

Current versus non-current classification

The Group presents assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position based on current/ non-current classification.

An asset is current when it is:

- Expected to be realized or intended to sell or consumed in normal operating cycle
- Held primarily for the purpose of trading
- Expected to be realized within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- Cash or cash equivalents unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period

All other assets are classified as non-current assets.

A liability is current when:

- It is expected to be settled in normal operating cycle
- It is held primarily for the purpose of trading
- It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other liabilities are classified as non-current liabilities.

Post-retirement health insurance obligations

The Group provides specific post-retirement health insurance benefits to eligible employees and their families.

The cost of defined benefits is measured using the actuarial valuation method and actuarial gains and losses are recognized among other comprehensive income items during the period in which they occur. The cost of the previous service is recognized as an expense using the straight-line method over the average period until the benefits become due.

Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provision for the rehabilitation of quarries and environment protection

A provision is made for quarry rehabilitation based on projected future costs deducted from their current values.

Termination provision and grants to support social projects

Employee termination allowance is recognized when the Group is committed to providing termination benefits. The Group is only liable when it has a detailed formal plan for termination and there is no actual possibility of withdrawing such plan. The termination allowance is measured based on the number of employees who will be affected by the severance.

A grant allocation has been made to support social projects to assist employees who have been terminated after meeting the conditions and criteria of the program.

Income tax

Taxes are calculated according to the tax rates established in accordance with the tax laws in force in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.

Tax expense represents the amount of tax owed and deferred tax.

The due tax expenses are calculated on the basis of the taxable profits, and the taxable profits differ from the profits declared in the consolidated financial statements because the declared profits include non-taxable revenues or expenses that are not deductible in the fiscal year but rather in subsequent years or the accumulated losses that are taxable or items that are not subject to or acceptable for tax purposes.

Deferred taxes are taxes that are expected to be paid or recovered as a result of temporary time differences between the value of assets or liabilities in the consolidated financial statements and the value on which the tax profit is calculated. Deferred taxes are calculated using the statement of financial position liability method. Deferred taxes are calculated according to the tax rates that are expected to be applied when settling the tax liability or realizing the deferred tax assets.

The balance of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the date of the consolidated financial statements and is reduced in the event that it is expected that it is not possible to benefit from those tax assets in part or in full.

Offsetting

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset, and the net amount reported in the consolidated statement of financial position if, and only if, there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

Foreign currency

Transactions in foreign currencies during the year were recorded at the prevailing exchange rates on the date of the transactions, and balances of financial assets and financial liabilities in foreign currencies are converted at the prevailing exchange rates on the date of the consolidated statement of financial position.

Profits and losses resulting from foreign currency exchange are recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Segment reporting

The business sector represents a group of assets and operations that jointly provide products or services that are subject to risks and returns that differ from those related to other business sectors, which are measured according to the reports that are used by management and the main decision maker of the Group.

The geographical sector is related to providing products or services in a specific economic environment subject to risks and returns that differ from those related to sectors operating in other economic environments.

Contingent liability and assets

Contingent liabilities are not recorded in the consolidated financial statements but are disclosed when the possibility of paying them is remote.

Contingent assets are not recorded in the consolidated financial statements but are disclosed when the possibility of their receipt is possible.

3. Goodwill

The goodwill in the amount of JD 2,495,945 relates to the acquisition of Al-Aloul Group of Companies that took place during the year 2008. The ready-made concrete sector was identified as the cash-generating unit benefiting from the acquisition for the purposes of goodwill impairment testing.

At 31 December 2022, the Group conducted its annual goodwill impairment test. The recoverable value of the ready-mix concrete sector was determined by calculating the value in use of the sector, which was calculated based on the expected cash flows for the sector and based on the estimated budget for 2017 that was approved by management. The expected cash flows after 2017 were calculated using a growth rate ranging from 3% to 5%. In the management's belief, the growth rate is appropriate given the nature of work and the general growth in economic activity in the region. A discount rate of 8% was used to discount the expected cash flows, which represents the Group weighted average cost of capital adjusted to take into account sector-specific risks.

The impairment test did not result in any impairment losses in the ready-mixed concrete sector.

The calculation of the value in use for the ready-mixed concrete sector is affected by the following assumptions:

- Gross profit
- Discount rate
- The growth rate used in calculating expected cash flows

With regard to calculating value in use, management believes that any reasonable change in the above assumptions would not result in the carrying value of the ready-mixed concrete segment materially exceeding its recoverable value.

4. Property, plant and equipment

2022 -	Land		Quarries		Buildings		Machinery and equipment		Vehicles		Tools and devices		Furniture and fixtures		Computers		Projects in progress		Others		Total		
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	
Cost -																							
At 1 January	5,411,551	8,033,408	72,244,177	108,383,788	8,023,520	5,859,157	639,883	3,323,049	4,485,767	10,181,222	226,585,522												
Additions	-	-	78,272	486,264	-	-	-	-	426,145	9,000	999,681												
Transfers*	-	-	86,639	17,322,547	53,903	-	-	-	(201,379)	36,807	17,298,517												
Disposals	-	-	-	(23,896)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(23,896)												
At 31 December	<u>5,411,551</u>	<u>8,033,408</u>	<u>72,330,816</u>	<u>125,784,607</u>	<u>8,539,791</u>	<u>5,859,157</u>	<u>639,883</u>	<u>3,323,049</u>	<u>4,710,533</u>	<u>10,227,029</u>	<u>244,859,824</u>												
Accumulated depreciation-																							
At 1 January	-	2,247,000	64,504,443	89,252,986	6,148,397	5,858,304	639,862	3,322,972	-	10,059,144	182,033,108												
Depreciation for the year	-	4,861	563,917	1,518,920	255,356	379	-	-	-	54,671	2,398,104												
Transfers	-	-	-	17,269,141	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,269,141												
Disposals	-	-	-	(3,744)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,744)												
At 31 December	-	<u>2,251,861</u>	<u>65,068,360</u>	<u>108,041,047</u>	<u>6,400,009</u>	<u>5,858,683</u>	<u>639,862</u>	<u>3,322,972</u>	-	<u>10,113,815</u>	<u>201,696,609</u>												
Net book value																							
At 31 December 2022	<u>5,411,551</u>	<u>5,781,547</u>	<u>7,262,456</u>	<u>17,743,560</u>	<u>2,139,782</u>	<u>474</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>4,710,533</u>	<u>113,214</u>	<u>43,163,215</u>												

* During 2022, the Group has transferred the remaining machinery and equipment from the sale of the second production line of Al Fuheis Factory which was classified as assets held for sale for a book value of JD 29,376 as at 31 December 2022 (note 12).

2021 -	Land		Quarries		Buildings		Machinery and equipment		Vehicles		Tools and devices		Furniture and fixtures		Computers		Projects in progress		Others		Total		
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	
Cost -																							
At 1 January	5,411,551	8,033,408	71,901,318	112,202,707	5,368,124	5,859,157	639,883	3,694,324	4,850,767	8,910,811	226,872,050												
Additions	-	-	65,793	153,000	1,617,804	-	-	-	120,270	30,033	1,986,900												
Transfers	-	-	472,839	(3,206,038)	1,803,889	-	-	(371,275)	-	1,300,585	-												
Transfers from projects in progress	-	-	-	88,853	84,708	-	-	-	(485,270)	-	(311,709)												
Disposals	-	-	(195,773)	(854,734)	(851,005)	-	-	-	-	(60,207)	(1,961,719)												
At 31 December	<u>5,411,551</u>	<u>8,033,408</u>	<u>72,244,177</u>	<u>108,383,788</u>	<u>8,023,520</u>	<u>5,859,157</u>	<u>639,883</u>	<u>3,323,049</u>	<u>4,485,767</u>	<u>10,181,222</u>	<u>226,585,522</u>												
Accumulated depreciation -																							
At 1 January	-	2,241,828	63,885,220	89,870,949	5,335,508	7,535,918	639,862	3,694,216	-	8,433,721	181,637,222												
Depreciation for the year	-	5,172	542,431	1,502,837	182,070	4,467	-	-	-	81,200	2,318,177												
Transfers	-	-	272,565	(1,279,795)	1,455,840	(1,682,081)	-	(371,244)	-	1,604,715	-												
Disposals	-	-	(195,773)	(841,005)	(825,021)	-	-	-	-	(60,492)	(1,922,291)												
At 31 December	-	<u>2,247,000</u>	<u>64,504,443</u>	<u>89,252,986</u>	<u>6,148,397</u>	<u>5,858,304</u>	<u>639,862</u>	<u>3,322,972</u>	-	<u>10,059,144</u>	<u>182,033,108</u>												
Net book value -																							
At 31 December 2021	<u>5,411,551</u>	<u>5,786,408</u>	<u>7,739,734</u>	<u>19,130,802</u>	<u>1,875,123</u>	<u>853</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>4,485,767</u>	<u>122,078</u>	<u>44,552,414</u>												

The depreciation expense included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss is as follows:

	2022		2021	
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Cost of sales	2,333,431	2,263,272		
Administrative expenses (note 22)	64,673	54,905		
	2,398,104	2,318,177		

5. Investment properties

2022 -	Land	Quarries	Buildings	Equipment	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD
Cost -					
As at 1 January	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,955,563</u>	<u>6,030,719</u>	<u>13,236,187</u>	<u>24,262,419</u>
As at 31 December	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,955,563</u>	<u>6,030,719</u>	<u>13,236,187</u>	<u>24,262,419</u>
Accumulated depreciation -					
As at 1 January	-	503,464	3,184,090	9,120,892	12,808,446
Depreciation for the year	-	-	<u>224,403</u>	<u>267,098</u>	<u>491,501</u>
As at 31 December	-	<u>503,464</u>	<u>3,408,493</u>	<u>9,387,990</u>	<u>13,299,947</u>
Net book value					
As at 31 December 2022	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,452,099</u>	<u>2,622,226</u>	<u>3,848,197</u>	<u>10,962,472</u>

2021 -					
Cost -					
As at 1 January	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,955,563</u>	<u>6,030,719</u>	<u>13,236,187</u>	<u>24,262,419</u>
As at 31 December	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,955,563</u>	<u>6,030,719</u>	<u>13,236,187</u>	<u>24,262,419</u>
Accumulated depreciation -					
As at 1 January	-	503,464	2,959,687	8,851,858	12,315,009
Depreciation for the year	-	-	<u>224,403</u>	<u>269,034</u>	<u>493,437</u>
As at 31 December	-	<u>503,464</u>	<u>3,184,090</u>	<u>9,120,892</u>	<u>12,808,446</u>
Net book value					
At 31 December 2021	<u>2,039,950</u>	<u>2,452,099</u>	<u>2,846,629</u>	<u>4,115,295</u>	<u>11,453,973</u>

The details of investment properties at fair value as at 31 December are as follows:

2022-	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Fair value as at 31 December
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Investment properties	-	142,888,043	-	142,888,043

2021-				
Investment properties	-	142,888,043	-	142,888,043

6. Right-of-use assets

The Group has different lease contracts for land, buildings, mixers, pumps and leased vehicles. The table below shows the book value of right-of-use assets and lease obligations and the movement on them during the year ended 31 December 2022:

	2022		2021	
	Right-of-use assets	Lease Obligations**	Right-of-use assets	Lease Obligations**
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Beginning balance	1,640,749	1,614,726	2,422,042	2,388,591
Additions	-	-	885,311	885,311
Disposals	(53,197)	(53,197)	-	-
Depreciation *	(1,211,129)	-	(1,666,604)	-
Finance costs	-	176,050	-	180,682
Payments	-	(1,401,290)	-	(1,839,858)
Ending balance	<u>376,423</u>	<u>336,289</u>	<u>1,640,749</u>	<u>1,614,726</u>

* The depreciation expenses included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Cost of sales	1,124,366	1,536,906
Administrative expenses (note 22)	86,763	129,698
	<u>1,211,129</u>	<u>1,666,604</u>

** The details of the lease obligations as at 31 December are as follows:

	Short-term	Long-term	Total
	JD	JD	JD
2022	336,289	-	336,289
2021	1,134,128	480,598	1,614,726

7. Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Quoted shares:		
Mining Investment Company	7,912	16,612
Unquoted shares:		
Chemical and Mining Industries Company	192,035	35,000
Jordanian Investment and South Development Company	56,589	114,300
Sudan Company (CTS) - Sudan *	-	27,191
Rashadiya Employees' Association	-	500
	<u>248,624</u>	<u>176,991</u>
	<u>256,536</u>	<u>193,603</u>

* This item represents the investment of the Jordanian Cement Factories Company in Sudan Company (CTS), whereas the Company ceased operations and does not carry out any activities.

The movement on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Beginning balance	193,603	199,931
Change in fair value	<u>62,933</u>	<u>(6,328)</u>
Ending balance	<u>256,536</u>	<u>193,603</u>

The movement on fair value reserve is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Beginning balance	(71,147)	(64,819)
Changes during the year	<u>62,933</u>	<u>(6,328)</u>
Ending balance	<u>(8,214)</u>	<u>(71,147)</u>

8. Employees' Housing and Car Loans

The employees' housing and car loans are initially recognized at fair value, which is calculated by discounting the monthly payments to their present value. These loans are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Employees' housing loans *	321,276	441,857

* The Company granted housing loans without interest to classified employees whose service period in the Company is not less than five years, with a ceiling of JD 22,000. Loans are repaid in monthly instalments deducted from the employee's monthly salary, with a repayment period not exceeding 15 years. These loans are granted to the employees against the mortgage of the property.

9. Inventory and Spare Parts

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Spare parts	14,092,414	13,534,142
Finished goods	4,981,730	1,647,889
Work in progress	3,396,748	4,732,682
Raw materials	2,619,689	2,321,199
Fuel	1,819,990	1,958,160
Others	<u>1,241</u>	-
	26,911,812	24,194,072
Provision for slow moving items and spare parts *	<u>(12,853,000)</u>	<u>(11,519,125)</u>
	<u>14,058,812</u>	<u>12,674,947</u>

* The movement on provision for slow moving items and spare parts is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	11,519,125	12,673,485
Transfer from provision for assets held for sale (note 12)	1,637,629	-
Provision for the year	53,001	483,269
Released during the year	<u>(356,755)</u>	<u>(1,637,629)</u>
Balance as at 31 December	<u>12,853,000</u>	<u>11,519,125</u>

10. Accounts Receivable and Checks Under Collections

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Local receivables sales	14,113,598	14,214,848
Foreign receivables sales	1,920,688	1,920,688
Checks under collections	6,852,518	8,245,609
Due from related parties (note 28)	229,778	226,438
Others	<u>24,123</u>	<u>12,999</u>
	23,140,705	24,620,582
Provision for expected credit losses *	<u>(9,130,331)</u>	<u>(9,763,182)</u>
	<u>14,010,374</u>	<u>14,857,400</u>

The details of the accounts receivable and checks under collections are as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Accounts receivable and checks under collection - long term	13,842,374	14,790,200
Accounts receivable and checks under collection - short term	168,000	67,200
	14,010,374	14,857,400

* The movement on provision for expected credit losses is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	9,763,182	9,651,572
Provision for the year	294,179	114,286
Released during the year	(923,247)	-
Write off	(3,783)	(2,676)
Balance as at 31 December	9,130,331	9,763,182

As at 31 December, the aging of unimpaired accounts receivable is as follows:

2022-	Neither past due nor impaired	1-90 days	91 – 180 days	181 – 270 days	271 – 365 days	More than 365 days	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD
Total receivables	6,927,964	4,782,424	1,054,869	899,231	314,738	9,161,479	23,140,705
Provision for expected credit losses	129,000	230,369	156,315	200,452	211,939	8,202,256	9,130,331

2021-	Neither past due nor impaired	1-90 days	91 – 180 days	181 – 270 days	271 – 365 days	More than 365 days	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD
Total receivables	5,903,960	5,089,032	2,612,122	1,248,552	1,328,542	8,438,374	24,620,582
Provision for expected credit losses	74,702	763,106	348,439	561,225	486,135	7,529,575	9,763,182

Management expects unimpaired receivables to be fully recoverable.

11. Other Current Assets

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Receivables due from the sale of the second production line – Al Fuheis Factory (note 12)	8,431,591	-
Refundable deposits	1,137,586	1,109,521
Prepaid expenses	734,110	693,515
Sales tax deposits	370,381	732,250
Receivables and advance payments to contractors	269,654	339,980
Others	<u>76,459</u>	<u>143,475</u>
	<u>11,019,781</u>	<u>3,018,741</u>

(12) Assets Held for Sale

During 2019, the Board of Directors of the Group decided to sell the second production line of the Al Fuheis Factory, as the property and equipment related to the second production line in the Al Fuheis Factory, in addition to related spare parts, were reclassified to assets held for sale purposes for an amount of JD 10,769,754, and recognized at net book value or selling price, whichever is less.

On 17 October 2022, the Jordan Cement Factories Company signed an agreement to sell the second line - Al Fuheis Factory for an amount of JD 8,875,000.

The details of the movement in the assets held for sale are as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	7,839,642	10,769,754
Provision for the year *	-	(2,930,112)
Disposals during the year	<u>(7,839,642)</u>	-
Balance as at 31 December	<u>=</u>	<u>7,839,642</u>

* The movement on the provision for impairment of assets held for sale is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	2,930,112	3,669,754
Released during the year	(1,292,483)	(739,642)
Transfer to provision for slow moving items and spare parts (note 9)	<u>(1,637,629)</u>	-
Balance as at 31 December	-	<u>2,930,112</u>

13. Cash on Hand and at Banks

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Cash on hand	5,640	7,435
Balance at banks	<u>2,350,922</u>	<u>9,003,995</u>
	<u>2,356,562</u>	<u>9,011,430</u>

14. Equity

Paid-in Capital –

The Company's paid in capital is JD 60,444,460 consisting of 60,444,460 shares of JD 1 par value each as of 31 December 2022.

Statutory Reserve –

As required by the Jordanian Companies Law, 10% of the annual profit before tax is to be transferred to statutory reserve. The reserve is not available for distribution to the shareholders.

Accumulated losses –

The Group's accumulated losses of JD 136,078,477 exceeded the Group's capital as of 31 December 2022. Also, the Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by an amount of JD 60,740,828 as of 31 December 2022. These events or conditions indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. According to Article (266) of the Jordanian Company's Law No. (22) for the year 1997 and its amendments, if the accumulated losses of the Public Shareholding Company exceeded 75% of its capital, the Company shall be liquidated unless the General Assembly of the Company issues a decision on its extraordinary meeting to increase the Company's capital or to deal with the Company's losses. As stated in note (33), the Company's Board of Directors resolved to submit a request to declare the Company's insolvency in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. (21) of 2018 in order to restructure the Company's capital, as the court's decision was issued approving the declaration of insolvency on 26 July 2020, and the restructuring plan was approved on 28 August 2022.

15. Accounts Payable

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Accounts payable	23,003,915	20,303,274
Related parties (note 28)	1,576,463	2,032,708
	24,580,378	22,335,982

16. Other Current Liabilities

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Provision for lawsuits against the Group (note 27) *	12,236,245	14,461,796
Quarries rehabilitation and environmental protection provision**	1,411,463	1,387,523
Provision for other liabilities	1,370,438	936,156
Employee receivables	1,335,123	-
Accrued expenses	453,954	1,084,936
Employee leave allowance	217,736	427,035
Housing and health insurance fund deposits	42,416	44,216
Others	<u>834,652</u>	<u>450,547</u>
	<u>17,902,027</u>	<u>18,792,209</u>

* The details of the movement on the provision for lawsuits raised against the Group is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	14,461,796	7,687,212
Provision for the year	-	6,843,088
Transferred during the year (note 18)	(2,187,653)	-
Payments during the year	<u>(37,898)</u>	<u>(68,504)</u>
Balance as at 31 December	<u>12,236,245</u>	<u>14,461,796</u>

** Provision is made for quarry rehabilitation based on expected future costs discounted to their present values using a discount rate of 7.5%.

* The movement details on provision for rehabilitation of quarries and environmental protection is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	1,387,523	1,361,891
Provision for the year	<u>23,940</u>	<u>25,632</u>
Balance as at 31 December	<u>1,411,463</u>	<u>1,387,523</u>

17. Due to Banks

Bank	Ceiling amount	Average interest rate	2022	2021
	JD	%	JD	JD
Arab Bank	4,000,000	10	-	2,206,601
Capital Bank	2,250,000	9,75	-	981,345
The Housing Bank for Trade and Finance	1,500,000	9,45	-	<u>1,107,000</u>
			=	<u>4,294,946</u>

18. Deferred Bank Guarantees

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Arab Bank guarantees	<u>2,187,653</u>	=

This item represents a case between the Jordan Cement Factories Company and the Energy and Minerals Regulatory Commission, regarding clay mining fees in the Al-Fujij area – Al-Rashadiyah in the amount of JD 2,187,653 and a full provision has been recorded against that case as of 31 December 2021. During 2022, the Group has lost the case with Arab Bank and the court decided to liquidate the bank guarantee in favor of the Arab Bank. The amount was transferred from the Group's provision for lawsuits to establish a credit balance in favor of Arab Bank within the Group's financial records.

19. Provisions for Employees' Post-Retirement Health Insurance Benefits

The Group provides specific post-retirement health insurance benefits to eligible employees and their families who meet certain conditions. Employees are entitled to benefit from health insurance upon reaching the retirement age, which is 50 years for females and 60 years for males. Employees are not granted any other benefits after retirement.

Pensioners (until their death) and their families (until the death of a spouse or children reach the maximum covered age) contribute the following amounts:

- 1- 2.5% of the pensioner's social security salary, with a minimum of JD 6 per month.
- 2- 20% of the family's medical costs, up to a maximum of JD 200 for each medical case.

The post-retirement health insurance expense shown in the consolidated statement of profit or loss is as follow:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Current service cost	(340,098)	20,000
Interest on commitment	<u>1,453,200</u>	<u>1,367,000</u>
	<u>1,113,102</u>	<u>1,387,000</u>

The changes in the present value of health insurance liabilities after retirement are as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	30,985,000	29,684,000
Provision for the year	1,113,102	1,387,000
Actuarial profit (loss)	(30,224)	1,312,000
Payments during the year	<u>(1,581,224)</u>	<u>(1,398,000)</u>
Balance as at 31 December	<u>30,486,654</u>	<u>30,985,000</u>

The basic assumptions used in determining post-retirement health insurance liabilities are as follows:

	2022	2021
Discount rate	5.12%	4.8%
Long-term medical inflation rate	3.50%	3.50%
Expected increase in employees' salaries	2.50%	2.50%
Revaluation pension rate	2%	2%
Mortality/ disability	88-90 years old for females 60-64 years old for males	88-90 years old for females 60-64 years old for males
Turnover rates	1% per year up to 50 years old	1% per year up to 50 years old
Retirement age:		
Males	60 years	60 years
Females	55 years	55 years
Maximum age of coverage for children:		
Females	23 years	23 years
Males	23 years	23 years
Annuity - Existing employees	JD 358 after deducting the joint insurance paid by the retirees	JD 322 after deducting the joint insurance paid by the retirees
Annuity – Retirees	Involved in the long-term health cost inflation hypothesis	Involved in the long-term health cost inflation hypothesis
Contributions for family members	JD 60,000 or 75% of the expected final salary, whichever is less	JD 60,000 or 75% of the expected final salary, whichever is less
Social Security salary	5.12%	4.8%

20. Income Tax

Income tax provision was calculated for the Jordan Cement Factories Company (Public Shareholding Company) for 2022, in accordance with Income Tax Law No. (34) of 2014 and its amendments at rate 19% for statutory income (18%, 1% national contribution). Income tax provision was calculated for the Group for 2021, in accordance with Income Tax Law No. (34) of 2014 and its amendments at rate 18% (17%, in addition to 1% national contribution) and Aqaba Special Economic Zone Authority Law No. (32) of 2000 and its amendments for Aqaba branch at rate 5% in addition to 1% national contribution.

Arabian Concrete Supply Company, (a "Subsidiary") was granted an exemption of 25% from the income and social services taxes for the Shafa Badran Factory only according to the Investment Promotion Corporation's letter no. 620/31/2/11094. This exemption expired on 22 October 2022.

Income tax, net -

The income tax stated on the consolidated statement of profit or loss represents the following:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Accrued income tax expense	153,217	238,169
Prior years Income tax expense	179,937	-
Impact deferred tax assets	(105,531)	(7,869,308)
	<u>227,623</u>	<u>(7,631,139)</u>

Provision for income tax -

The movement on provision for income tax is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Balance as at 1 January	163,157	340,840
Adjusting prior years	255	-
Income tax for the year	153,217	238,169
Income tax paid	(212,231)	(415,852)
Balance as at 31 December	<u>104,398</u>	<u>163,157</u>

Tax status-

The Company submitted its declaration to the Income and Sales Tax Department until the year 2022. The Income Tax Department did not review the Company accounting records for the years 2021 and 2022.

The Company has reached a final settlement with the Income and Sales Tax Department up to the year 2020.

The subsidiary has reached a final settlement with the Income and Sales Tax Department up to the year 2019.

Deferred tax assets -

The following table shows the deferred tax assets is as follows:

	2022				2021	
	Beginning Balance	Added amounts	Released amounts	Ending balance	Deferred tax	Deferred tax
	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD	JD
Provision of expected credit losses	7,000,000	193,007	(923,249)	6,269,758	1,158,821	1,071,413
Provision for lawsuits	81,158	21,079	-	102,237	19,425	12,174
Spare part provision	37,000	53,000	-	90,000	17,709	6,585
Accumulated losses tax	41,951,473	-	(162,286)	41,789,187	7,940,000	7,961,843
Provision for vacations and others	<u>140,000</u>	<u>93,587</u>	-	<u>233,587</u>	<u>44,427</u>	<u>22,836</u>
	<u>49,209,631</u>	<u>360,673</u>	<u>(1,085,535)</u>	<u>48,484,769</u>	<u>9,180,382</u>	<u>9,074,851</u>

Reconciliation between accounting loss and taxable loss is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Accounting loss	(1,379,452)	(10,070,924)
Non-taxable income	4,543,968	4,320,000
Non-deductible expenses	(4,437,769)	(3,677,394)
Taxable loss	<u>(1,273,253)</u>	<u>(9,428,318)</u>
Relates to:		
Total loss excluding Aqaba - Parent company	(3,219,351)	(11,117,587)
Taxable profit for Aqaba - Parent company	281,577	217,687
Taxable profit – subsidiary	1,664,521	1,371,582
Taxable profit for Aqaba - subsidiary	-	100,000
Income tax expenses	(333,154)	(238,169)
Statutory income tax rate - excluding Aqaba	19%	18%
Effective income tax rate - Aqaba	6%	6%
Effective income tax rate	6%	6%

21. Selling and Marketing Expense

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Salaries and wages	998,050	907,091
Group contribution for social security	122,329	105,809
Fuel	78,198	72,850
Customer compensation and discounts	69,093	100,716
Subscriptions	60,100	55,000
Others	<u>147,075</u>	<u>185,826</u>
	<u>1,474,845</u>	<u>1,427,292</u>

22. Administrative Expenses

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Salaries, wages, and other benefits	2,806,662	2,873,002
Professional fees	550,320	497,372
Social security contribution	301,766	308,556
Employees saving fund contribution	161,427	161,062
Depreciation of right to use assets (note 6)	86,763	129,698
Computer expenses	80,650	129,377
Rent	69,385	77,726
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment (note 4)	64,673	54,905
Stationery, publications, and subscriptions	43,807	37,660
Fuel	36,036	26,132
Hospitality	35,528	7,498
Insurance	32,959	87
Postage and telephone	29,414	22,532
Travel and transportation	27,720	38,040
Maintenance	19,465	12,744
Saving fund contribution	15,492	15,384
Donations	10,685	5,336
Advertising and exhibitions	9,529	7,920
Training	3,888	725
Others	<u>217,263</u>	<u>464,658</u>
	<u>4,603,432</u>	<u>4,870,414</u>

23. Provision for Restructuring

This item represents provision for restructuring human resources through an agreement to pay certain amounts as a reward to employees whose services the Group wishes to dispense and who have met the conditions for early retirement in accordance with the Social Security Law.

24. Other (Expenses) Revenues, Net

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Loss on sale of the second production line – Al Fuheis	(1,292,483)	-
Other income	157,232	332,570
	<u>(1,135,251)</u>	<u>332,570</u>

25. Basic and Diluted Loss Per Share for the Year

	2022	2021
Loss for the year attributable to equity holders (JD)	(1,833,190)	(2,714,243)
Weighted average number of shares (Share)	60,444,460	60,444,460
Basic and diluted loss per share (JD/ Fils)	<u>(0,030)</u>	<u>(0,045)</u>

26. Segment Reporting

The Group is organized for administrative purposes so that the sectors are measured according to the reports that are used by the management and the main decision maker of the group, through the geographical information mentioned later in this clarification and through the following main business sectors:

- Cement
- Ready-mix concrete

Segment performance is evaluated based on profit or loss for the year as shown below:

Business information

The revenues, profits, assets, and liabilities by business segments are as follows:

	2022			2021
	Cement	Ready-mix concrete	Total	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Revenues				
Sales	22,839,115	40,660,574	63,499,689	58,081,272
Total	<u>22,839,115</u>	<u>40,660,574</u>	<u>63,499,689</u>	<u>58,081,272</u>
Business result				
(Loss) profit before tax	(2,051,640)	672,188	(1,379,452)	(10,070,924)
Tax (expense) benefit	(16,895)	(210,728)	(227,623)	7,631,139
(Loss) profit for the year	<u>(2,068,535)</u>	<u>461,460</u>	<u>(1,607,075)</u>	<u>(2,439,785)</u>
Other sectors information				
Capital expenditures	64,516	935,165	999,681	1,986,900
Depreciation	2,218,378	671,227	2,889,605	2,811,614
Finance costs	490,174	499,981	990,155	1,054,147

	2022			2021
	Cement	Ready-mix concrete	Total	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Assets and liabilities				
Assets	84,063,618	24,182,019	108,245,637	117,299,606
Liabilities	167,857,284	10,938,557	178,795,841	185,355,892

Geographical distribution

Revenues, profits, assets, and liabilities are distributed by geographic areas as follows:

	2022			2021
	Amman	Aqaba	Total	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Revenues				
Sales	60,703,579	2,796,110	63,499,689	58,081,272
Business result				
(Loss) profit before tax	(1,633,970)	254,518	(1,379,452)	(10,070,924)
Tax (expense) benefit	(210,728)	(16,895)	(227,623)	7,631,139
(Loss) profit for the year	<u>(1,844,698)</u>	<u>237,623</u>	<u>(1,607,075)</u>	<u>(2,439,785)</u>
Other sectors information				
Capital expenditures	999,681	-	999,681	1,986,900
Depreciation	2,889,605	-	2,889,605	2,811,614
Finance cost	990,155	-	990,155	1,054,147

As of 31 December 2022	Amman	Aqaba	Total
	JD	JD	JD
Assets and liabilities			
Assets	107,595,927	649,710	108,245,637
Liabilities	178,752,951	42,890	178,795,841

As of 31 December 2021	Amman	Aqaba	Total
	JD	JD	JD
Assets and liabilities			
Assets	116,886,340	413,266	117,299,606
Liabilities	185,322,489	33,403	185,355,892

27. Contingent Liabilities

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Letters of guarantees and credit -		
Guarantees	<u>295,715</u>	<u>3,461,537</u>
Purchase order	<u>516,625</u>	<u>435,442</u>

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Contractual obligations -		
Purchase raw material	<u>4,764,200</u>	<u>5,070,000</u>
Other purchases	=	<u>14,840,000</u>

Legal cases -

The Group is a defendant in a number of lawsuits for an amount of JD 19,817,435 as at 31 December 2022 (31 December 2021: JD 21,809,502). The Group management and their legal advisors believe that the provision is sufficient to cover these liabilities that amount to JD 12,236,245 as at 31 December 2022 (31 December 2021: JD 14,461,796). The lawsuits filed by the Group against third parties amounted to JD 5,077,095 as of 31 December 2022 (31 December 2021: JD 6,631,705).

28. Related Parties

Transactions with related parties consist of transactions with associated companies, employees, major shareholders, Board of Directors, senior management, other related parties and companies owned by the partner.

Prices and conditions relating to the transactions with related parties are approved by the Group management.

The following is a summary of balances with related parties during the year:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Items within the consolidated statement of financial position items		
Accounts receivable (note 10)	<u>229,778</u>	<u>226,438</u>
Accounts payable		
Accounts payable – insolvency (note 33)	10,591,679	19,148,887
Other payables (note 15)	<u>1,576,463</u>	<u>2,032,708</u>
	<u>12,168,142</u>	<u>21,181,595</u>
Related parties' loan	-	<u>24,500,000</u>
Items within the consolidated statement of profit or loss items		
Expenses	<u>3,796,912</u>	<u>3,234,008</u>

Key management personnel compensation (salaries, compensation, and other benefits) is as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Salaries, compensation, and other benefits	<u>1,109,269</u>	<u>1,274,648</u>

29. Risk management

Interest rate risk -

Interest rate risk is a risk which arises from the fluctuations in the fair values or future cash flows of financial instruments due to the changes in interest rates on these instruments.

The Group is exposed to interest rate risk on its interest-earning assets such as bank deposits and interest-bearing liabilities such as lease liabilities, loans and overdrafts.

The sensitivity of the consolidated statement of profit or loss is the effect of the assumed changes in interest rates on the Group profit as 31 December 2022, based on financial assets and liabilities with floating interest rates.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the consolidated statement of profit or loss to reasonably possible changes in interest rates with all other variables held constant:

2022- Currency	Change in interest rate	Effect on loss
	(%)	JD
Jordanian Dinar	1	30,823
Jordanian Dinar	(1)	(30,823)

2021- Currency	Change in interest rate	Effect on loss
	(%)	JD
Jordanian Dinar	1	100,683
Jordanian Dinar	(1)	(100,683)

Credit risk -

Credit risk is the risks that may result from the failure or inability of debtors or other parties to fulfil their obligations.

The Group seeks to limit its credit risk with respect to customers by setting credit limits for individual customers and monitoring outstanding receivables. The Group maintains its bank balances and deposits with reputable financial institutions.

Currency risk -

Most of the Group's transactions are in Jordanian Dinars and US Dollars. The Jordanian Dinar exchange rate is fixed against USD (US\$ 1.41 for JD 1).

Liquidity risk –

Liquidity risk is represented by the possibility that the Group may not be able to meet its obligation when due. The Group manages its liquidity risk by seeking adequate funding from shareholders under normal and difficult circumstances, without incurring unacceptable losses or affecting the Group's reputation. The management plan to address the deficit in shareholders' equity and the continuity of the Group is detailed in note (33).

Equity price risk –

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the consolidated statement of comprehensive income and the cumulative change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income to reasonably possible changes in equity prices, with all other variables held constant:

2022-	Change in market index	Effect on equity
	(%)	JD
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	10	(25,654)
2021-		
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	10	(19,360)

The effect of decrease in equity prices is expected to be equal and opposite to the effect of the increase shown above.

30. Capital Management

The primary objective of the Group capital management is to ensure that it maintains healthy capital ratios in order to support its business and maximize shareholder value.

The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in business conditions. The Company has prepared a detailed budget and plan until the year 2030, and it was approved by the creditors' committee on 10 August 2022. The Company's ability to continue its business depends on its ability to generate sufficient future cash flows to meet its obligations. These events and conditions indicate that there is a material doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The items included in the capital structure are the paid-in capital, treasury shares, statutory reserve, the cumulative change in fair value reserve, and the accumulated losses, totalling a deficit of JD 75,403,460 as of 31 December 2022 compared to a deficit of JD 73,663,427 as of 31 December 2021. The accumulated losses including the loss of the year JD 136,078,447 with represent 225% from the paid-in capital for the Company as of 31 December 2022.

31. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Financial instruments comprise of financial assets and financial liabilities.

Financial assets consist of cash and bank balances, accounts receivable, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, employees' cars and housing loan, and some other current assets. Financial liabilities consist of due to banks, loans, accounts payable and some other current liabilities.

The fair values of financial instruments are not materially different from their carrying values.

32. Fair value Hierarchy

The following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

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

Level 2: other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly; and

Level 3: techniques that use inputs, which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value that are not based on observable market data.

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value by level of the fair value hierarchy:

31 December 2022-	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	JD	JD	JD	JD
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	<u>7,912</u>	=	<u>248,624</u>	<u>256,536</u>
31 December 2021-				
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	<u>16,612</u>	=	<u>176,991</u>	<u>193,603</u>

33. Going Concern

The Group's total liabilities exceeded its total assets by JD 70,550,204 and its total current liabilities exceeded its total current assets by JD 60,740,828. In addition to that, the accumulated losses, including the loss for the year, amounted to JD 136,078,447 which represents 225% of the Company's paid-in capital as of 31 December 2022.

According to Article (266) of the Jordanian Company's Law No. (22) for the year 1997 and its amendments, if the accumulated losses of the Public Shareholding Company exceeded 75% of its capital, the Company shall be liquidated unless the General Assembly of the Company issues a decision on its extraordinary meeting to increase the Company's capital or to deal with the Company's losses.

The Board of Directors decided to request to declare the Company's insolvency in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. (21) of 2018 in order to restructure the Company's capital, as the Salt Court of First Instance decided to approve the insolvency declaration on 26 July 2020, and the restructuring plan was approved on 28 August 2022.

The following represents the measures taken by the Board of Directors of the Jordanian Cement Factories Company (Public Shareholding Company) in confronting the existing financial conditions:

A- Insolvency

In light of the Company's financial conditions, and the need to find future solutions to the difficulties experienced by the Company, and the existence of a law that simulates the concept of saving companies and provides legal protection for the economic activity or the insolvent debtor, and provides the possibility of reorganization and/or restructuring, the Company's Board of Directors decided to submit a request to declare the Company's insolvency in accordance with the Jordanian Insolvency Law No. (21) of 2018 in order to restructure the Company's capital and operations to maintain the Company's business continuity and sustainability.

B- The insolvency declaration decision

- A decision was issued by the Salt Court of First Instance approving the declaration of the insolvency of the Jordan Cement Factories Company on 26 July 2020, and the decision was published in the Official Gazette, including the appointment of an insolvency agent while maintaining the management of the Company under the supervision of the insolvency agent and the court, since the insolvency application was submitted by the debtor (Jordan Cement Factories Company).
- Following the objection and appeal of the insolvency decision from several parties (13 appeals and objections), the Court of Appeal decided to revoke the insolvency declaration decision on 28 September 2020, in form due to submission of the insolvency declaration outside the legal period.
- The decision of the Court of Appeal was discerned after granting the Company the needed permission to challenge the decision. The Court of Cassation issued its decision on 16 May 2021, which includes dismissing the appealed decision in favour of the Company and returning it to the Court of Appeal to issue its ruling of dismissing the appeal in form.
- Preparations were made for the General Assembly of Creditors' meeting to present the reorganization plan and complete the insolvency procedures. However, the meeting did not take place due to the strike of the labour and employees working in the Company, which led to the lack of a quorum, and the meeting was postponed, consequently the decision was issued by the Salt Court including halting the insolvency proceedings until the issuance of the insolvency declaration decision.
- On 14 October 2021, the decision of the Amman Rights Court of Appeal was issued in case no. 6870/2021 issued after the cassation, which included not following the cassation, insisting on its previous decision, accepting the appeal regulations as a subject matter, rescinding the decision of Salt Court, and ruling to reject the insolvency application in form for submitting it outside the legal period.
- Based on the objection submitted by some creditors, the Insolvency Court (Salt Court of First Instance) issued on 14 October 2021 its decision to suspend the insolvency proceedings until a final decision is issued in the insolvency declaration case by the Court of Cassation. The Jordan Cement Factories Company did not agree on the decision to halt the procedures, as it filed an appeal on 18 October 2021 before the Court of Appeal, which decided to rescind the decision of the Court of First Instance and affirmed the legality of continuing the insolvency proceedings, since the insolvency law confirmed the appeal of the insolvency declaration decision does not halt the insolvency proceedings.
- The Jordan Cement Factories Company did not accept this decision and submitted an appeal on 21 November 2021 for the second time before the Court of Cassation and asked to reverse the decision of appeals court.
- On 20 April 2022, a decision was issued by the Court of Cassation to set aside the contested decision issued by the Court of Appeal, confirming the correctness of submitting the application for declaring insolvency and returning the papers to their source (the Court of Appeal) to comply with the cassation decision.
- On 12 June 2022 and in line with the decision of the Court of Appeal, the decision of the insolvency court was issued to proceed with the insolvency proceedings as of the start of the reorganization phase during which the insolvency proceedings were suspended, and that this phase would begin as of 12 June 2022, and on the same date the court agreed to the request of the insolvency agent to submit the reorganization plan within 30 days from the date mentioned above.
- The insolvency agent submitted a restructuring plan to the insolvency court on 4 July 2022, which is mainly based on several options for debt repayment the option of land ownership, the option of debt capitalization, and the option of obtaining bank loans.
- A meeting of the General Assembly of Creditors was scheduled for 10 August 2022 to discuss and vote on the restructuring plan. On the specified date, this meeting was held in the presence of the insolvency agent / secretary of the meeting and the Company's executive management. The meeting was chaired by the insolvency judge, and the meeting was attended by creditors representing (91.68%) of the total debts included in the list of creditors.
- The reorganization plan and the approved proposals were approved and voted by a majority of the representatives of the creditors present at the meeting, with a rate of (97.81%) of the total creditors' debts were approved.
- The court's decision was issued on 28 August 2022, which included the approval of the restructuring plan and the completion of insolvency procedures. The following are the main results of the plan:

Debt repayment:

- Paying the debts of major creditors (banks and Lafarge Group companies) through transferring plots of land to them in Al Fuheis area, equal to the value of their debt after writing off 5% of their total unsecured debts, where the amount of discount amounted to JD 2,113,351.
- Paying the preferred debts and the rest of the unsecured debts in cash after deducting 15% of the total debt amount and within 3-5 years, where the amount of discount on these debts amounted to JD 1,613,698.
- Writing off all debts classified as debts of lower priority in the amount of JD 42,563,781.
- As a result, the total of the debts that were written off in addition to the deductions mentioned above amounted to JD 46,290,830.

Human Resources:

- Increasing the rates of health insurance contributions for employees and retirees, which contributes to alleviating the burden of health insurance on the Company.
- Restructuring human resources by agreeing to pay certain amounts as a reward to employees whose services the company wishes to dispense with who have fulfilled the conditions for early retirement in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Law.

The most important themes and hypotheses on which the reorganization plan that was presented by the insolvency agent was built:

- Increasing the Company's share in the local market and finding export opportunities.
- Searching for complementary products and/ or alternative products.
- Providing alternatives in regard to the fuel used in production processes.
- Follow-up procedures for the sale of the second production line.
- Selling part of the Company's assets that have no impact on the Company's operational activity.
- Reconsidering the matter of investing the Company's plots of land in the Al Fuheis area in cooperation and coordination with the concerned authorities.
- Reviewing health insurance costs by adjusting health insurance contributions and purchasing beneficiaries' cards, which reduces the cost of health insurance, both for employees and retirees.
- Reduce the number of employees within a specific plan.
- Correcting the legal status of the Company by amortizing the accumulated losses through:
 - The use of surplus fair value of the assets and land of the Company.
 - Write-off and discount on debts within the reorganization plan.
 - Surplus provision for post-retirement health insurance based on the above modifications.
 - Profits from the sale of the Company's indispensable assets.

The Company has started implementing the outputs of the reorganization plan, including:

- A committee was formed to supervise the reorganization plan, consisting of members of the Board of Directors, through which consultations are conducted on the course of implementing the reorganization plan and taking decisions, and then submitting them to the Board of Directors.
- An organized collective labor contract agreement was signed based on the provisions of labor Law No. (8) of 1996 and its amendments, which provide for the payment of a month and a half wage for each year of service for the employee and within specific conditions. Subsequently, the services of 24 employees were terminated.
- Health insurance contributions were increased by 1% for active employees and 0.5% for retired employees.
- Health insurance cards were purchased from a number of retirees in exchange for paying certain amounts to them, provided that they waive the benefit of health insurance. Their number reached 49 retirees until September 2023.
- It was agreed on a cash payment plan for excellent and unsecured debts within a specific plan, according to the availability of cash liquidity, and nearly half a million Jordanian dinars have already been paid until the end of May 2023.
- A meeting was held with the major creditors (banks and the Lafarge Group) and it was agreed to start the evaluation procedures for several plots of land owned by the Company in the Fuheis area, as stipulated in the reorganization plan for the purposes of implementing the outputs of the restructuring plan regarding the in-kind payment of the major creditors.

Insolvency amounts and insolvency procedures amounts confirmed and unconfirmed as of 31 December 2022 & 2021 are shown as follows:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Insolvency Liability:		
Preferred debts	723,428	819,207
Unsecured debts	56,094,184	63,786,884
Lowest priority debts	-	<u>42,563,781</u>
Total	56,817,612	107,169,872
Insolvency procedures:		
Amounts raised from insolvency procedures	<u>15,699,899</u>	<u>8,271,522</u>
Total	72,517,511	115,441,394
Other debts:		
Accounts payable, other credit balances and provisions	<u>95,339,773</u>	<u>50,495,909</u>
Total	<u>167,857,284</u>	<u>165,937,303</u>

The table below shows the details of liabilities classified as insolvency debts as of 31 December 2022 and 2021:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Due to banks *	12,786,916	15,952,774
Accounts payable **	21,913,083	37,380,900
Other current liabilities ***	5,448,021	6,000,371
Banks loans ****	16,669,592	23,335,827
Related party loan*****	-	<u>24,500,000</u>
	<u>56,817,612</u>	<u>107,169,872</u>

* The table below illustrates the due to banks:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
The Housing Bank for Trade and Finance	5,802,287	7,044,160
Arab Bank	1,646,563	2,278,923
Capital Bank	3,464,593	4,198,906
ABC Bank	<u>1,873,473</u>	<u>2,430,785</u>
	<u>12,786,916</u>	<u>15,952,774</u>

The total balance of due to banks is JD 12,786,916 as of 31 December 2022 (2021: JD 15,952,774) classified under insolvency and the interest has been suspended as of the date of declaration of insolvency on 26 July 2020.

** The table below illustrates the accounts payable:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Due to related parties	10,591,679	19,148,887
Unpaid checks	1,507,843	3,305,776
Accruals	535,652	1,151,389
Other accounts payable	<u>9,277,909</u>	<u>13,774,848</u>
	<u>21,913,083</u>	<u>37,380,900</u>

*** The table below illustrates the other current liabilities:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Unpaid dividends	5,157,993	5,157,993
Employees' payables	<u>290,028</u>	<u>842,378</u>
	<u>5,448,021</u>	<u>6,000,371</u>

**** The table below illustrates the banks loans :

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Arab Bank	11,037,429	15,000,000
The Housing Bank for Trade and Finance	1,841,140	3,090,277
Jordan Kuwait Bank	1,737,602	2,180,442
ABC Bank	1,402,395	1,533,657
Capital Bank	<u>651,026</u>	<u>1,531,451</u>
	<u>16,669,592</u>	<u>23,335,827</u>

The total balance for banks loans is JD 16,669,592 as of 31 December 2022 (2021: JD 23,335,827) classified under insolvency and the interest has been suspended as of the date of declaration of insolvency on 26 July 2020.

***** The table below illustrates the related party loan:

	2022	2021
	JD	JD
Related party loan	-	<u>24,500,000</u>
	=	<u>24,500,000</u>

The Jordan Cement Factories Company signed several loan agreements with Lafarge France for an amount of JD 24,500,000 without interest. The Company owed all the balances, and it was not paid by the Company. The entire amount of the loans has been classified under the lowest priority debts and has been written off.

34. Standards Issued But Not Yet Effective

The standards and interpretations that are issued but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance of the Group consolidated financial statements are disclosed below. The group intends to adopt these standards, if applicable, when they become effective.

IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts

In May 2017, the IASB issued IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts (IFRS 17), a comprehensive new accounting standard for insurance contracts covering recognition and measurement, presentation and disclosure. Once effective, IFRS 17 will replace IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts (IFRS 4) which was issued in 2005. IFRS 17 applies to all types of insurance contracts (i.e., life, non-life, direct insurance and re-insurance), regardless of the type of entities that issue them, as well as to certain guarantees and financial instruments with discretionary participation features. A few scope exceptions will apply. The overall objective of IFRS 17 is to provide an accounting model for insurance contracts that is more useful and consistent for insurers. In contrast to the requirements in IFRS 4, which are largely based on grandfathering previous local accounting policies, IFRS 17 provides a comprehensive model for insurance contracts, covering all relevant accounting aspects. The core of IFRS 17 is the general model, supplemented by:

- A specific adaptation for contracts with direct participation features (the variable fee approach),
- A simplified approach (the premium allocation approach) mainly for short-duration contracts.

IFRS 17 is effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 and must be applied retrospectively. Early application is permitted, provided the entity also applies IFRS 9 and IFRS 15 on or before the date it first applies IFRS 17.

This standard is not applicable to the Group.

Amendments to IAS 1: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current

In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to paragraphs 69 to 76 of IAS 1 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. The amendments clarify:

- What is meant by a right to defer settlement,
- That a right to defer must exist at the end of the reporting period,
- That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right,
- That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument would the terms of a liability not impact its classification.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 and must be applied retrospectively. The Group is currently assessing the impact the amendments will have on current practice and whether existing loan agreements may require renegotiation.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Group.

Definition of Accounting Estimates - Amendments to IAS 8

In February 2021, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 8, in which it introduces a definition of 'accounting estimates'. The amendments clarify the distinction between changes in accounting estimates and changes in accounting policies and the correction of errors. Also, they clarify how entities use measurement techniques and inputs to develop accounting estimates.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 and apply to changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates that occur on or after the start of that period. Earlier application is permitted as long as this fact is disclosed.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Group.

Disclosure of Accounting Policies - Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2

In February 2021, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgements, in which it provides guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their 'material' accounting policies and adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures.

The amendments to IAS 1 are applicable for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 with earlier application permitted. Since the amendments to the Practice Statement 2 provide non-mandatory guidance on the application of the definition of material to accounting policy information, an effective date for these amendments is not necessary.

The Group is currently assessing the impact of the amendments to determine the impact they will have on the Company accounting policy disclosures.

35. Comparative Figures

Some of 2021 figures have been reclassified in order to confirm with the presentation of 2022 figures. Such reclassification did not affect previously reported loss or equity for the year 2021.