Consolidated financial statements of

Ivanhoe Mines Ltd.

December 31, 2019 (Stated in U.S. dollars)

Management's responsibility for financial reporting

The accompanying annual consolidated financial statements of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd. (the "Company") have been prepared by management and are in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

Management acknowledges its responsibility for the preparation and presentation of the annual consolidated financial statements, which includes designing and implementing internal controls to provide reasonable assurance of the fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies, and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Any system of internal control over financial reporting, no matter how well designed, has inherent limitations. The result of the inherent limitations in all control systems means design and operation of controls cannot provide absolute assurance that all control issues and instances of fraud will be detected.

The Board of Directors approves the consolidated financial statements and ensures that management discharges its financial reporting responsibilities. The Board's review is accomplished principally through the Audit Committee, which is composed of non-executive directors. The Audit Committee meets periodically with management and the auditors to review financial reporting and control matters.

(Signed) Tony Giardini

(Signed) Marna Cloete

Tony Giardini, President Marna Cloete, Chief Financial Officer

March 5, 2020

December 31, 2019

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Independent auditor's report

To the Shareholders of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd.

Our opinion

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd. and its subsidiaries (together, the Company) as at December 31, 2019 and 2018, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IFRS).

What we have audited

The Company's consolidated financial statements comprise:

- the consolidated statements of financial position as at December 31, 2019 and 2018;
- the consolidated statements of comprehensive income for the years then ended;
- the consolidated statements of changes in equity for the years then ended;
- the consolidated statements of cash flows for the years then ended; and
- the notes to the consolidated financial statements, which include a summary of significant accounting policies.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. 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 believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA Code). We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA code.

Other information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Management's Discussion and Analysis.

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.

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

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 IFRS, 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 Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

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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 Canadian generally accepted auditing standards 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 Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, 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 Company'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 Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the 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 Company 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 Company 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, related safeguards.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Andries Rossouw.

(signed - PricewaterhouseCoopers Inc.)

PricewaterhouseCoopers Inc. Director: AJ Rossouw Registered Auditor Johannesburg, South Africa March 8, 2020

Consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2019

(Stated in U.S. dollars)

		December 31,	December 31
	Notes	2019	2018
		\$'000	\$'000
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Investment in joint venture	4	912,636	681,66
Property, plant and equipment	5	421,143	294,95
Mineral properties	6	264,324	261,29
Long term loans receivable	7	91,955	36,47
Right-of-use asset	8	15,096	00,11
Promissory note receivable	9	16,799	12,71
Other assets	10	4,826	7,41
Investments	11	655	7,41
	12	688	0.5
Deferred tax asset	12	1,728,122	95 1,295,46
Total non-current assets		1,728,122	1,295,466
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	13	702,810	574,04
Prepaid expenses	14	3,339	6,36
Other receivables	15	8,036	5,49
Investments	11	1,140	1,924
Consumable stores		1,060	1,300
Current tax assets		215	18
Total current assets		716,600	589,320
Total assets		2,444,722	1,884,78
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Capital and reserves			
•	20	2 206 562	1 764 710
Share capital	20	2,286,562	1,764,710
Share option reserve	21	128,531	126,520
Foreign currency translation reserve Accumulated profit	21	(30,857) 63,572	(38,84) 44,349
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Equity attributable to owners of the Company		2,447,808	1,896,740
Non-controlling interests	22	(84,954)	(77,932
Total equity		2,362,854	1,818,808
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings	16	29,674	31,29
Lease liability	8	14,980	, ,
Advances payable	17	2,661	2,50
Deferred tax liability	12	2,082	2,082
Rehabilitation provision		319	31
Total non-current liabilities		49,716	36,189
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	18	23,025	26,442
Borrowings	16	4,230	20,447
Cash settled share-based payment liability	19	4,026	3,349
Lease liability	8	871	0,04
Total current liabilities	<u> </u>	32,152	29,79
Total liabilities		81,868	65,980
Total equity and liabilities		2,444,722	1,884,788

Continuing operations (Note 1)

Commitments and contingencies (Note 34)

(Signed) Peter Meredith

Peter Meredith, Director

(Signed) Livia Mahler

Livia Mahler, Director

Consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2019

(Stated in U.S. dollars)

(Stated III 6.6. dollars)		December 31,	December 31,
	Notes	2019	2018
Evnance		\$'000	\$'000
Expenses Exploration and project expenditure	6	11,619	11,487
Salaries and benefits	O	15,651	10,415
Share-based payments	23	•	6,871
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Travel costs		5,785	4,840
Office and administration		3,537	2,414
Other expenditure		2,541	2,647
Professional fees		1,492	3,178
Investor relations		1,387	887
Legal fees		931	777
Foreign exchange (gain) loss	24	(14,860)	1,057
Loss from operating activities		38,405	44,573
Share of loss (profit) from joint venture	4	24,821	(19,615)
Loss on fair valuation of financial asset	11(ii)	784	6,639
Finance costs	25	299	946
Finance income	26	(72,395)	(49,859)
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Other income	21	(3,685)	(1,928)
Profit before income taxes		(11,771)	(19,244)
Income tax expense (recovery)			
Current tax	12	83	122
Deferred tax	12	292	(330)
Deletted tax	12	375	(208)
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		(11,396)	(19,452)
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(Profit) loss attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(19,223)	(26,098)
Non-controlling interests		7,827	6,646
		(11,396)	(19,452)
Other comprehensive (income) loss			
Items that may subsequently be reclassified to (profit) loss:			
Exchange (gain) loss on translation of foreign operations		(8,793)	33,047
Other comprehensive (income) loss for the year, net of tax		(8,793)	33,047
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE (INCOME) LOSS FOR THE YEAR		(20,189)	13,595
		(20,100)	10,000
Total comprehensive (income) loss attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(27,211)	3,892
Non-controlling interests	22	7,022	9,703
-		(20,189)	13,595

Consolidated statement of changes in equity for the year ended December 31, 2019

(Stated in U.S. dollars)

	Share cap	Share capital						
	Number		Share option	Foreign currency	Accumulated	Equity attributable	Non-controlling	
	of shares	Amount	reserve	translation reserve	profit	to owners	interests	Total
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at January 1, 2018	790,387,168	1,141,514	128,809	(8,855)	18,251	1,279,719	(68,229)	1,211,490
Net profit (loss) for the year	-	-	-	-	26,098	26,098	(6,646)	19,452
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	(29,990)	-	(29,990)	(3,057)	(33,047)
Total comprehensive (loss) income	-	-	-	(29,990)	26,098	(3,892)	(9,703)	(13,595)
Transactions with owners								
Shares issued (Note 20(a))	217,829,575	611,647	-	-	-	611,647	-	611,647
Share-based payments								
charged to operations (Note 23)	-	-	6,133	-	-	6,133	-	6,133
Restricted share units vested (Note 20(c))	3,072,565	3,497	(3,497)	-	-	-	-	-
Deferred share units settled (Note 20(d))	108,803	189	-	-	-	189	-	189
Options exercised (Note 20(b))	3,682,722	7,863	(4,919)	-	-	2,944	-	2,944
Balance at December 31, 2018	1,015,080,833	1,764,710	126,526	(38,845)	44,349	1,896,740	(77,932)	1,818,808
Net profit (loss) for the year	-	-	-	-	19,223	19,223	(7,827)	11,396
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	7,988	-	7,988	805	8,793
Total comprehensive income (loss)	-	-	-	7,988	19,223	27,211	(7,022)	20,189
Transactions with owners								
Shares issued (Note 20(a))	170,575,803	509,228	-	-	-	509,228	-	509,228
Share-based payments								
charged to operations (Note 23)	-	-	8,631	-	-	8,631	-	8,631
Restricted share units vested (Note 20(c))	1,210,540	2,664	(2,664)	-	-	-	-	-
Deferred share units settled (Note 20(d))	187,405	595	-	-	-	595	-	595
Bonus shares issued (Note 20(e))	81,016	252	-	-	-	252	-	252
Options exercised (Note 20(b))	8,973,802	9,113	(3,962)	-	-	5,151	-	5,151
Balance at December 31, 2019	1,196,109,399	2,286,562	128,531	(30,857)	63,572	2,447,808	(84,954)	2,362,854

Consolidated statements of cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2019 (Stated in U.S. dollars)

		December 31,	December 31,
	Notes	2019	2018
		\$'000	\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit before income taxes		11,771	19,244
Items not involving cash			
Share of loss (profit) from joint venture	4	24,821	(19,615)
Share-based payments	23	9,560	6,871
Transfer from other assets to working capital items		2,931	6,995
Depreciation		739	4,256
Decrease in fair valuation of financial asset	11(ii)	784	6,639
Deferred share units settled		595	189
Finance costs	25	299	946
Depreciation on right-of-use asset		290	-
Other taxes		4	30
Finance income	26	(72,395)	(49,859)
Unrealized foreign exchange (gain) loss		(2,202)	498
Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment		(102)	(129)
		(22,905)	(23,935)
Interest received	26	13,639	7,074
Change in working capital items	31	(2,691)	3,173
Interest paid		(123)	(787)
Income taxes paid		(67)	(212)
Net cash used in operating activities		(12,147)	(14,687)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Loan advanced to joint venture		(202,272)	(69,284)
Property, plant and equipment acquired		(114,407)	(127,904)
Advancement of long-term loan facility	7	(50,252)	-
Purchase of exploration licences	6	(3,027)	(1,010)
Cash paid on behalf of joint venturer	9	(4,086)	(1,400)
Investment in unlisted shares	11(i)	(655)	-
Other assets acquired		(264)	(6,558)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		130	206
Proceeds from settlement of promissory note		-	2,297
Net cash used in investing activities		(374,833)	(203,653)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Shares issued, net of transaction costs	20(a)	509,228	611,647
Options exercised		5,151	2,944
Principal portion of lease liability repaid		(947)	-
Net cash generated from financing activities		513,432	614,591
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash		2,310	(3,622)
Net cash inflow		400 700	200 600
		128,762 574,048	392,629
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year Cash and cash equivalents, end of year		574,048 702,810	181,419 574,048
Cash and Cash equivalents, end of year		102,010	374,048

Notes to the consolidated financial statements December 31, 2019

(Stated in U.S. dollars unless otherwise noted)

1. Basis of presentation and going concern assumption

Ivanhoe Mines Ltd. is a mining development and exploration company incorporated in Canada which, together with its subsidiaries and joint venture (collectively referred to as the Company), is focused on the exploration, development and recovery of minerals and precious metals from its property interests located primarily in Africa.

The registered and records office of the Company is located at Suite 654-999 Canada Place, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6C 3E1. The Company is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") under the ticker symbol IVN. The shares of the Company are also traded on the OTCQX Best Market in the United States of America under the symbol IVPAF.

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis with the exception of financial instruments and share based payments which are measured at fair value. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for assets. The financial statements are also prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and settlement of liabilities in the normal course of business.

The Company has an accumulated profit of \$63.6 million at December 31, 2019 (2018: \$44.3 million). As at December 31, 2019, the Company's total assets exceeds its total liabilities by \$2,362.9 million (2018: \$1,818.9 million) and current assets exceeds current liabilities by \$684.4 million (2018: \$559.5 million). The Company currently has no producing properties and expects to fund all of its exploration and development activities through debt and equity financing until operating revenues are generated.

2. Significant accounting policies

The significant accounting policies used in these consolidated financial statements have been consistently applied to all years presented, unless otherwise stated, and are as follows:

(a) Statement of compliance

The Company's consolidated financial statements have been prepared using accounting policies in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and Interpretations of the IFRS Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC"), effective for the Company's reporting year ended December 31, 2019. The Company has not adopted any new or amended standards which are not yet effective.

(b) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd. and the entities it controls (its subsidiaries).

Control is achieved when the Company:

- has power over the investee;
- is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.

The Company reassesses 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 listed above.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(b) Basis of consolidation (continued)

When the Company has less than a majority of the voting rights of an investee, it has power over the investee when the voting rights are sufficient to give it the practical ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee unilaterally. The Company considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether or not the Company's voting rights in all investees are sufficient to give it power, including:

- the size of the Company's holding of voting rights relative to the size and dispersion of holdings of the other vote holders;
- potential voting rights held by the Company, other vote holders or other parties;
- · rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- any additional facts and circumstances that indicate that the Company has, or does not have, the current ability to direct the relevant activities at the time that decisions need to be made, including voting patterns at previous shareholders' meetings.

Income and expenses of subsidiaries acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income from the effective date of acquisition and up to the effective date of disposal, as appropriate. Total comprehensive profit and loss of subsidiaries is attributed to the owners 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 align their accounting policies with those used by other members of the group.

All intra-group transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated in full on consolidation.

Changes in the Company's interest in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions. The Company accounts for a change in the Company's share of comprehensive loss of the joint venture in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. The carrying amount of the Company's interest and the non-controlling interests are adjusted to reflect the changes in their relative interests in the subsidiary. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognized directly in equity attributed to the owners of the Company. The fair value of any investment retained in the former subsidiary at the date when control is lost is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition for subsequent accounting under IFRS 9, when applicable, the cost on initial recognition of an investment in an associate or joint venture.

When the Company ceases to consolidate or equity account for an investment because of a loss of control, joint control or significant influence, any retained interest in the entity is remeasured to its fair value, with the change in carrying amount recognized in profit or loss. This fair value becomes the initial carrying amount for the purposes of subsequently accounting for the retained interest as an associate, joint venture or financial asset. In addition, any amounts previously recognized in other comprehensive income in respect of that entity are accounted for as if the Company had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities. This may mean that amounts previously recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the Company's management to make estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates can, by definition, only approximate the actual results. Estimates are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(c) Significant accounting estimates and judgments

Significant accounting judgments are accounting policies that have been identified as being complex or involving subjective judgments or assessments.

Recoverability of assets

Property, plant and equipment, including capitalized development costs and finite lived intangible assets are assessed at each reporting period to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss.

In assessing whether an impairment is required, the carrying value of the asset or cash generating unit ("CGU") is compared with its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of the CGU's fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent, if any, of the impairment loss.

The Company assesses whether an impairment is required on loan receivables. A range of cash flow scenarios are considered, taking into account forward looking information which may impact recoverability of loan receivables.

Given the nature of the Company's activities, information on the fair value of an asset is usually difficult to obtain unless negotiations with potential purchasers or similar transactions are taking place. Consequently, the fair value less costs of disposal for each CGU is estimated based on discounted future estimated cash flows that are expected to be generated from the continued use of the CGUs. They are estimated using market consensus based commodity price and exchange assumptions, estimated quantities of recoverable minerals, production levels, operating costs and capital requirements, including any expansion projects, and its eventual disposal, based on the CGU development plans and latest technical reports. These cash flows were discounted using a discount rate that reflected current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the CGU.

If the recoverable amount of an asset or CGU is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset or CGU is impaired to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognized immediately in the statement of comprehensive income.

The Company has concluded that there is no impairment required to any of its projects. The factors considered by the Company included the following:

- Increases in the price of palladium, nickel, rhodium and gold has resulted in the weighted
 price of the 'basket' of metals contained in the ore at the Platreef project to rise to a new,
 multi-year high;
- The latest Kamoa-Kakula Integrated Development Plan portrays very positive results and there are no indications of impairment; and
- The net present value of the Kipushi project exceeds the carrying value of its assets.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses the carrying amount of the asset or CGU is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, and is limited to the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset or CGU in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized immediately in the statement of comprehensive income.

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(Stated in U.S. dollars unless otherwise noted)

2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(c) Significant accounting estimates and judgments (continued)

Determination of functional currency

The Company has used its judgment to determine the functional currency that most faithfully represents the economic effects of the underlying transactions, events and conditions and determined that the Company's functional currency is the U.S. dollar.

The Company's subsidiaries have a variety of functional currencies that include, but are not limited to, U.S. dollar ("USD"), South African Rand ("ZAR") and Canadian dollar ("C\$").

Technical feasibility and commercial viability of projects

In determining whether an exploration and evaluation property is technically feasible and commercially viable, the Company considers the following elements:

- a technical analysis of the basic geology of the project;
- a mine plan for accessing and exploiting the ore body;
- a process flow sheet for processing the ore generated from mining;
- projections as to the capital cost of constructing the project;
- projections as to the cost of operating the project in accordance with the mine plan;
- projections as to revenues from the concentrate or other mineral product to be generated from operations in accordance with the mine plan; and
- an economic analysis of the project based on the projected capital and operating costs and production revenues.

Classification of Kamoa Holding Limited as a joint venture

Kamoa Holding Limited is a limited liability company whose legal form confers separation
between the parties to the joint arrangement and the company itself. Furthermore, there
is no contractual arrangement or any other facts and circumstances that indicate that the
parties to the joint arrangement have rights to the assets and obligations for the liabilities
of the joint arrangement. Accordingly, Kamoa Holding Limited is classified as a joint
venture of the Company. See Note 4 for details.

Determination of inputs into lease accounting

- Lease payments should be discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease unless that rate cannot be readily determined, in which case the lessee's incremental borrowing rate is used, being the rate that the individual lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment with similar terms, security and conditions. The Company has used the risk-free interest rate adjusted for credit risk specific to the lease.
- In determining the lease term, the Company considers all facts and circumstances that
 create an economic incentive to exercise an extension option, or not exercise a
 termination option. Extension options (or periods after termination options) are only
 included in the lease term if the lease is reasonably certain to be extended (or not
 terminated).

Notes to the consolidated financial statements December 31, 2019

(Stated in U.S. dollars unless otherwise noted)

2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(d) Interests in joint ventures

A joint venture is a joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the arrangement. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

The results and assets and liabilities of joint ventures are incorporated in these consolidated financial statements using the equity method of accounting, except when the investment, or portion thereof, is classified as held for sale, in which case it is accounted for in accordance with IFRS 5. Under the equity method a joint venture is initially recognized in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost and adjusted thereafter to recognize the Company's share of the profit or loss and the other comprehensive income of the joint venture.

When the Company's share of losses of the joint venture exceeds the Company's interest in that joint venture (which includes any long term interests that in substance form part of the Company's net investment in the joint venture), the Company discontinues recognizing its share of further losses. Additional losses are recognized only to the extent that the Company has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the joint venture.

An investment in a joint venture is accounted for using the equity method from the date on which the investee becomes a joint venture. On acquisition of the investment in a joint venture, any excess of the cost of the investment over the Company's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the investee is recognized as goodwill, which is included within the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the Company's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities over the cost of the investment, after reassessment, is recognized immediately in profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

When a group entity transacts with a joint venture of the Company, profits and losses resulting from the transactions with the joint venture are recognized in the Company's consolidated financial statements only to the extent of interests in the joint venture that are not related to the Company.

(e) Property, plant and equipment

All property, plant and equipment are recorded at historical cost net of accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying value or recognized as a separate asset as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the specific asset will flow to the Company and the cost can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation commences once the asset is available for use and is calculated on the straight line method to write off the cost of each asset to its residual value over their estimated useful life. The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year end. Any changes are accounted for prospectively as a change in accounting estimate. Depreciation is recognized so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets (other than freehold land and assets under construction) less their residual values over their useful lives, using the straight-line method.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(e) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The expected lives applicable to each category of fixed assets are as follows:

Buildings 5 to 20 years
Office equipment 3 to 8 years
Motor vehicles 5 to 7 years
Plant and equipment 3 to 7 years
Mining Infrastructure 20 to 30 years

Freehold land is not depreciated.

The Company reviews the carrying values of its property, plant and equipment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying values may exceed their estimated net recoverable amounts determined by reference to estimated future operating results and discounted net cash flows. An impairment loss is recognized when the carrying value of those assets is not recoverable and exceeds their fair value.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and is recognized in profit and loss.

Assets in the course of construction for production, supply or administrative purposes, including development costs, are carried at cost, less any recognized impairment loss. Cost includes costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management and, for qualifying assets, borrowing costs capitalized in accordance with the Company's accounting policy. Such assets are initially categorized in the assets under construction category, and re-classified to the appropriate categories of property, plant and equipment when completed and ready for intended use. Depreciation of these assets, on the same basis as other property assets, commences when the assets are ready for their intended use.

(f) Mineral properties and exploration expenditure

Direct historical costs related to the acquisition of mineral properties are capitalized on a property by property basis. The Company reviews the carrying values of its mineral properties whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying values may exceed their estimated net recoverable amounts determined by reference to estimated future operating results and discounted net cash flows. An impairment loss is recognized when the carrying value of those assets are not recoverable and exceeds their recoverable amount. Amortization of mineral properties will commence when commercial production starts. Mineral properties will be amortized over the expected life of mine.

Exploration costs are charged to operations in the period incurred, until such time as the Company determines that a property is technically feasible and commercially viable, whereafter those determined to be development costs are capitalized as property, plant and equipment. In making this determination the Company considers whether a proposed project is capable of being developed at a sufficient return to justify the capital and managerial resources that must be committed to the project. The determination is made on a property by property basis and generally coincides with the finalization of a preliminary economic assessment or pre-feasibility study of the property. Development costs are capitalized as property, plant and equipment and are costs incurred to obtain access and to provide facilities for extracting, treating, gathering, transporting and storing the minerals.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(f) Mineral properties and exploration expenditure (continued)

Development expenditures are capitalized to the extent that they are necessary to bring the property to commercial production.

On the commencement of commercial production, net capitalized costs are charged to operations on a unit-of-production basis, by property, using estimated proven and probable recoverable reserves as the depletion base. Where the Company's exploration and development activities are conducted jointly with others, these consolidated financial statements reflect only the Company's interests in such activities.

(g) Long term loan receivables

Long terms loan receivables have been recognized on the date that the Company is contractually entitled to receive the associated cash flows. The long term loan receivables will be derecognized when the rights to receive cash flows associated with the receivables have expired or have been transferred and the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

At initial recognition, the long terms loans receivable have been measured at fair value, with associated transaction costs being expensed in the statement of comprehensive income and are subsequently measured at amortized cost.

(h) Leases

The Company has changed its accounting policy for leases where the Company is the lessee (see Note 36).

Until December 31, 2018

Up until December 31, 2018, leases were accounted for in terms of IAS 17. Leases of property, plant and equipment where the Company, as lessee, had substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership were classified as finance leases. Finance leases were capitalised at the lease's inception at the fair value of the leased property or, if lower, the present value of the minimum lease payments. The corresponding rental obligations, net of finance costs, would give rise to a lease liability. Each lease payment was allocated between the lease liability and finance cost. The finance cost was charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period. The property, plant and equipment acquired under finance leases was depreciated over the asset's useful life, or over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term if there is no reasonable certainty that the Company will obtain ownership at the end of the lease term.

Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership were not transferred to the Company as lessee were classified as operating leases. Payments made under operating leases (net of any incentives received from the lessor) were charged to profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease.

The Company did not have any leases in which it is the lessor.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(h) Leases (continued)

From January 1, 2019

IFRS 16 is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. IFRS 16 introduces a single lessee accounting model and requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. A lessee is required to recognize a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying leased asset and a lease liability representing its obligation to make lease payments.

A contract is, or contains, a lease if it conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. The Company leases various land, offices, equipment and vehicles. Rental contracts are typically made for fixed periods of 12 months to 2 years, but may have extension options.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The Company allocates the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on the terms contained in the applicable contract or on their relative stand-alone prices.

Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose any covenants other than the security interests in the leased assets that are held by the lessor. Leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes.

Right-of-use assets

Right-of-use assets are initially measured at:

- the amount of the initial measurement of lease liability;
- any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received;
- · any initial direct costs; and
- · restoration costs.

After the lease has commenced the right-of-use asset is measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment.

Right-of-use assets are depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis. If the Company is reasonably certain to exercise a purchase option, the right-of-use asset is depreciated over the underlying asset's useful life.

Lease liabilities

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments payable over the lease term, discounted at the rate implicit in the lease if that can be readily determined. If that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company shall use their incremental borrowing

The Company has used its incremental borrowing rate because the interest rate implicit in the lease cannot be readily determined.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(h) Leases (continued)

Lease liabilities (continued)

To determine the incremental borrowing rate, the Company:

- where possible, uses recent third-party financing received by the individual lessee as a starting point, adjusted to reflect changes in financing conditions since third party financing was received;
- uses a build-up approach that starts with a risk-free interest rate adjusted for credit risk for leases held by the Company, which does not have recent third party financing; and
- makes adjustments specific to the lease, e.g. term, country, currency and security.

The initial measurement of the lease liability includes:

- fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable;
- variable lease payment that are based on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- amounts expected to be payable by the Company under residual value guarantees;
- the exercise price of a purchase option if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and
- payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Company exercising that option.

Variable lease payments that are not included in the measurement of the lease liability are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which the event or condition that triggers payment occurs, unless the costs are included in the carrying amount of another asset under another Standard.

The lease liability is subsequently remeasured to reflect changes in:

- the lease term (using a revised discount rate);
- the assessment of a purchase option (using a revised discount rate);
- the amounts expected to be payable under residual value guarantees (using an unchanged discount rate);
- future lease payments resulting from a change in an index or a rate used to determine those payments (using an unchanged discount rate); or
- lease modifications (unless they are to be treated as separate leases).

The re-measurements are treated as adjustments to the right-of-use asset.

Lease payments are allocated between principal and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period. The finance cost is included as interest paid in the operating activities section of the consolidated statement of cash flows.

Practical expedients relied on:

 An assessment of whether leases are onerous immediately before the date of initial application as an alternative to performing an impairment review.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(h) Leases (continued)

Practical expedients not relied on:

- Election by class of underlying asset, not to separate non-lease components from lease components and instead account for all components as a lease.
- Re-assessment whether a contract is, or contains, a lease at the date of initial application.
- Applying IFRS 16 to a portfolio of leases with similar characteristics if the entity reasonably expects that the effects on the financial statements would not differ materially from applying IFRS 16 to the individual leases within that portfolio.

Recognition exemptions

Payments associated with short-term leases and all leases of low-value assets are recognized on a straight-line basis as an expense in profit or loss. Short-term leases are leases with a lease term of 12 months or less. Low-value assets comprise mainly IT equipment and office furniture.

(i) Promissory note receivable

The Company became party to a non-interest-bearing, 10 year promissory note receivable as the purchase consideration for selling 1% of its share in Kamoa Holding Limited (see Note 4).

The promissory note receivable was recognized when the Company became contractually entitled to receive the cash flows associated with it and was initially measured at fair value with associated transaction costs being expensed in the statement of comprehensive income. The promissory receivable is subsequently measured at amortized cost.

(j) Other assets

Other assets represent prepayments for non-current assets and deposits of the Company. Other assets are cash paid for which the related asset, service or benefit is expected to be received more than 12 months from the end of the reporting period.

(k) Investments

The Company holds investments in equity instruments of listed and unlisted companies (see Note 11) and measures these investments initially at cost and subsequently at fair value through profit or loss. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of investments carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income.

The classification depends on the Company's business model for managing the investments and the contractual terms of the cash flows. These investments are not held for trading.

Purchases and subsequent sales of these equity investments are recognized on trade date, being the date on which the Company commits to purchase or sell these equity instruments.

The investments are derecognized when the rights to receive the cash flows associated with the equity instruments have expired or have been transferred and the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(k) Investments (continued)

Investments in listed shares are subsequently measured at fair value through profit and loss with reference to the prevailing share prices at the end of each reporting period. Gains and losses on the equity instruments are recognized in profit or loss.

Investments in unlisted shares are subsequently measured at fair value through profit and loss

(I) Financial instruments: Financial assets

Classification

The Company classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- those to be measured subsequently at fair value (either through other comprehensive income (OCI) or through profit or loss); and
- those to be measured at amortized cost.

For assets measured at fair value, gains and losses will be recorded in profit or loss.

Measurement

At initial recognition, the Company measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Transaction costs of financial assets carried at FVTPL are expensed in profit or loss.

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depends on the Company's business model for managing the asset and the cash flow characteristics of the asset. There are three measurement categories into which the Company classifies its financial assets:

- Amortized cost: Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those
 cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest are measured at amortized
 cost. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the
 effective interest rate method. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition is recognized
 directly in profit or loss. Impairment losses are presented as a separate line item in the
 statement of profit or loss.
- Fair value through OCI (FVTOCI): Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows and for resale, where the assets' cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest, are measured at FVTOCI. Movements in the carrying amount are taken through OCI, except for the recognition of impairment gains or losses, interest income and foreign exchange gains and losses which are recognized in profit or loss. When the financial asset is derecognized, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognized in OCI is reclassified from equity to profit or loss. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method. Impairment expenses are presented as separate line item in the statement of profit or loss.
- FVTPL: Assets that do not meet the criteria for amortized cost or FVTOCI are measured at FVTPL. A gain or loss on a debt investment that is subsequently measured at FVTPL is recognized in profit or loss.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(I) Financial instruments: Financial assets (continued)

Impairment

From January 1, 2018, the Company assesses on a forward looking basis the expected credit losses associated with its debt instruments carried at amortized cost and FVTOCI. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

For trade receivables, the Company applies the simplified approach permitted by IFRS 9, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognized from initial recognition of the receivables

(m) Taxation

Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable income for the year. Taxable profit differs from profit as reported in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income because of items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognized on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable income. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognized for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognized for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which those deductible temporary differences can be utilized. Such deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognized if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit or loss nor the accounting profit or loss.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries and associates, and interests in joint ventures, except where the Company is able to control the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences associated with such investments and interests are only recognized to the extent that it is probable that there will be sufficient taxable profits against which to utilize the benefits of the temporary differences and they are expected to reverse in the foreseeable future.

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

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realized, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(m) Taxation (continued)

Deferred tax (continued)

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

Current and deferred tax for the period

Current and deferred taxes are recognized as an expense or income in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognized in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case the tax is also recognized outside profit or loss, or where they arise from the initial accounting for a business combination. In the case of a business combination, the tax effect is taken into account in the accounting for the business combination.

(n) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise bank balances and highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

(o) Prepaid expenses and deposits

Prepaid expenses is cash paid for which a service or benefit is expected to be derived in the future. The future write-off period of the incurred cost will normally be determined by the period of benefit covered by the prepayment. Prepaid expenses specific to a particular period will be expensed when the period arrives and the costs will be treated as a period cost for that period. Prepaid costs for an extended period of time are normally written off equally during the period in which the benefit will be derived.

Prepaid expenses are generally classified as current assets unless a portion of the prepayment covers a period longer than twelve months or the prepayment relates to a non-current asset to be received in the future. When payments may be accounted for as prepaid expenses but the payment will be amortized within the current period and is not considered material to the presentation of financial position, such payments may be expensed in the month the payment is made.

(p) Other receivables

Other receivables represent accounts receivable, including those receivable from the joint venture as well as indirect taxes refundable from governments. Other receivables are initially recognized at the amount of consideration that is unconditional unless they contain significant financing components, in which case they are recognized at fair value. Other receivables are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method less any loss allowances.

(q) Consumable stores

Consumable stores are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The costs of consumable items are determined using weighted average cost of the items purchased. Costs of purchased items are determined after deducting rebates and discounts.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(r) Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting its liabilities. Equity instruments, which include share capital, are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

(s) Financial instruments: Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are designated as either (i) at fair value through profit or loss or (ii) other liabilities at amortized cost. All the group's financial liabilities have been designated as other liabilities and are carried on the statements of financial position at amortized cost.

(t) Borrowings

Borrowings are initially recognized at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Borrowings are subsequently measured at amortized cost. Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the redemption amount is recognized in profit or loss over the period of the borrowings using the effective interest method.

Borrowings are removed from the statements of financial position when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of a financial liability that has been extinguished or transferred to another party and the consideration paid, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognized in profit or loss as other income or finance costs.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Company has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period.

(u) Advances payable

Advances payable represents an unsecured and interest bearing loan payable by the Company. Advances payable have been initially recognized at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. The Company has designated this financial liability as an other liability and subsequently measures the advances payable at amortized cost.

Interest incurred on the advances payable is recognized as finance costs in the statement of comprehensive income.

The Company has classified the advances payable as a non-current liability as the advances are only contractually repayable once the Kipushi project has generated a profit as defined in the contract. The generation of profit at Kipushi is only expected to occur more than 12 months after the reporting period.

(v) Rehabilitation provision

The Company recognizes provisions for statutory, contractual or legal obligations associated with the reclamation of mining property, plant and equipment, when those obligations result from the acquisition, construction, development or normal operation of the assets. Initially, a provision for rehabilitation is recognized at its fair value in the period in which it is incurred. Upon initial recognition of the provision, the corresponding asset is added to the carrying amount of the related asset and the cost is amortized as an expense over the economic life of the asset using either the unit-of-production method or the straight-line method, as appropriate. Following the initial recognition of the rehabilitation provision, the carrying amount of the provision is increased for the passage of time and adjusted for changes to the amount or timing of the underlying cash flows needed to settle the obligation.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(w) Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables is comprised of accounts payable, accrued liabilities and salary related liabilities of the Company for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the reporting period which are unpaid. These amounts are unsecured and are usually settled within 30 days of recognition and are therefore classified as current liabilities.

Trade and other payables are recognized initially at their fair value and subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method.

(x) Short-term employee obligations

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and annual leave that are expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service are recognized in respect of employees' services up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. The liabilities are included in trade and other payables in the balance sheet.

(y) Foreign currencies

In preparing the financial statements of each individual group entity, transactions in currencies other than the entity's functional currency (foreign currencies) are recognized at the rates of exchange prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At the end of each reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences on monetary items are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they arise except for:

- exchange differences on foreign currency borrowings relating to assets under construction
 for future productive use, which are included in the cost of those assets when they are
 regarded as an adjustment to interest costs on those foreign currency borrowings; and
- exchange differences on monetary items receivable from or payable to a foreign operation
 for which settlement is neither planned nor likely to occur (therefore forming part of the
 net investment in the foreign operation), which are recognized initially in other
 comprehensive income and reclassified from equity to profit or loss on repayment of the
 monetary items.

For the purposes of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the Company's foreign operations are translated into currency units using exchange rates prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Income and expense items are translated at the average exchange rates for the period, unless exchange rates fluctuate significantly during that period, in which case the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions are used. Exchange differences arising, if any, are recognized in other comprehensive loss and accumulated in equity (attributed to non-controlling interests as appropriate).

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(y) Foreign currencies (continued)

On the disposal of a foreign operation (i.e. a disposal of the Company's entire interest in a foreign operation, or a disposal involving loss of control over a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation, a disposal involving loss of joint control over a jointly controlled entity that includes a foreign operation, or a disposal involving loss of significant influence over an associate that includes a foreign operation), all of the exchange differences accumulated in equity in respect of that operation attributable to the owners of the Company are reclassified to profit or loss.

In addition, in relation to a partial disposal of a subsidiary that does not result in the Company losing control over the subsidiary, the proportionate share of accumulated exchange differences are re-attributed to non-controlling interests and are not recognized in profit or loss. For all other partial disposals (i.e. partial disposals of associates or jointly controlled entities that do not result in the Company losing significant influence or joint control), the proportionate share of the accumulated exchange differences is reclassified to profit or loss.

Goodwill and fair value adjustments on identifiable assets and liabilities acquired arising on the acquisition of a foreign operation are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and translated at the rate of exchange prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Exchange differences arising are recognized in equity.

(z) Share-based payments

Equity settled share-based payments to employees providing services are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments at the grant date.

The fair value of share options is estimated as of the date of the grant using a Black-Scholes option valuation model and are recorded in profit and loss over their vesting periods. Share options with graded vesting schedules are accounted for as separate grants with different vesting periods and fair values. Changes to the estimated number of awards that will eventually vest are accounted for prospectively. When the share options are ultimately exercised, the amount in the share-based payment reserve is moved to share capital.

The share-based payment expense relating to the B-BBEE transaction described in Note 23, was determined by using a Monte Carlo simulation of the underlying share, together with its dividends, to estimate the closing share price at vesting date, as well as the remaining funding balance. Cash settled share-based payments are remeasured at each reporting period.

Restricted share units are equity settled share-based payments and are valued using the fair value of a common share at time of grant and are recorded in profit and loss over their vesting periods.

(aa) Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets, which are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are added to the cost of those assets, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale.

Investment income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing costs eligible for capitalization.

All other borrowing costs are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they incurred.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(bb) Profit or loss per share

The basic profit or loss per share is computed by dividing the profit or loss attributable to the owners of the Company from continuing operations and discontinued operations by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year. The diluted profit or loss per share reflects the potential dilution of common share equivalents, such as outstanding share options and restricted share units, in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year, if dilutive.

(cc) Interests in joint operations

A joint operation is a joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the assets, and obligations for the liabilities, relating to the arrangement. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control. The Company has one joint operation, as described in Note 29.

When a group entity undertakes its activities under joint operations, the Company as a joint operator recognizes in relation to its interest in the joint operation:

- Its assets, including its share of any assets held jointly.
- Its liabilities, including its share of any liabilities incurred jointly.
- Its revenue from the sale of its share of the output arising from the joint operation.
- Its share of the revenue from the sale of the output by the joint operation.
- Its expenses, including its share of any expenses incurred jointly.

The Company accounts for the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses relating to its interest in a joint operation in accordance with the IFRS applicable to the particular assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses.

When a group entity transacts with a joint operation in which a group entity is a joint operator (such as a sale or contribution of assets), the Company is considered to be conducting the transaction with the other parties to the joint operation, and gains and losses resulting from the transactions are recognized in the Company's consolidated financial statements only to the extent of other parties interests in the joint operation.

When a group entity transacts with a joint operation in which a group entity is a joint operator (such as a purchase of assets), the Company does not recognize its share of the gains and losses until it resells those assets to a third party.

(dd) Segment reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-makers. The Company's executive management team has been identified as the chief operating decision-makers, and are responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments.

(ee) Related parties

Two parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability, directly or indirectly, to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the party in making financial and operating decisions. Parties are also considered to be related if they are subject to common control or significant influence. Related parties may be individual or corporate entities.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(ff) Future accounting changes

The following new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations have been issued but are not effective during the year ended December 31, 2019. The Company has not yet adopted these new and amended standards.

IFRS 3 – Business Combinations. The amendment to the definition of a business confirmed
that a business must include inputs and a process and clarified that the process must be
substantive and that the inputs and process must together significantly contribute to creating
outputs. Furthermore, the amendment narrowed the definition of a business by focusing the
definition of outputs on goods and services provided to customers and other income from
ordinary activities, rather than providing dividends or other economic benefits directly to
investors or lowering costs. (i)

The Company has considered the amendment and assessed that it will have no material impact on adoption.

 IAS 1 – Presentation of Financial Statements and IAS 8 - Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors. The amendments clarify and align the definition of 'material' and provide guidance to help improve consistency in the application of that concept whenever it is used in IFRS Standards. (i)

The Company has considered the amendment and assessed that it will have no material impact on adoption.

(i) Effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2020

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3. Application of new and revised standards

The following standards became effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. The Company adopted these standards in the current period and they did not have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements unless specifically mentioned below.

- IFRS 9 Financial instruments. The amendments allow companies to measure particular
 prepayable financial assets with so-called negative compensation at amortized cost or at fair value
 through other comprehensive income if a specified condition is met, instead of at fair value through
 profit or loss.
- IFRS 16 Leases. IFRS 16 was issued in January 2016 and will result in almost all leases being
 recognized on the statement of financial position by lessees, as the distinction between operating
 and finance leases has been removed. An asset (the right to use the leased item) and a financial
 liability to pay rentals are recognized. The only exceptions are short-term and low-value leases.
 See Note 8 and Note 36.
- IAS 19 Employee benefits on plan amendment, curtailment or settlement. The amendment uses
 updated assumptions to determine current service cost and net interest for the remainder of the
 period after a plan amendment, curtailment or settlement.
- IAS 28 Investments in associates and joint ventures long-term interests in associates and joint ventures. The amendments clarified that companies account for long-term interests in an associate or joint venture, to which the equity method is not applied, using IFRS 9.
- IFRIC 23 Uncertainty over income tax treatments. The interpretation specifies how an entity should reflect the effects of uncertainties in accounting for income taxes.
- Annual improvements 2015-2017 Cycle: IFRS 3 Business Combinations and IFRS 11 Joint arrangements. The amendment clarifies that when an entity obtains joint control of a business that is a joint operation, the entity does not re-measure previously held interests in that business.
- Annual improvements 2015-2017 Cycle: IAS 12 Income Taxes. The amendment clarifies that all
 income tax consequences of dividends should be recognized in profit or loss, regardless of how
 the tax arises.
- Annual Improvements 2015-2017 Cycle: IAS 23 Borrowing Costs. The amendment clarifies that
 if any specific borrowing remains outstanding after the related asset is ready for its intended use
 or sale, that borrowing becomes part of the funds that an entity borrows generally when calculating
 the capitalization rate on general borrowings.

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4. Investment in joint venture

Kamoa Holding Limited ("Kamoa Holding"), a joint venture between the Company and Zijin Mining Group Co., Ltd. ("Zijin"), holds a direct 80% interest in the Kamoa-Kakula Project. The Company holds an effective 39.6% interest in the project through its 49.5% shareholding in Kamoa Holding. Zijin holds 49.5% of Kamoa Holding while the remaining 1% share interest is held by privately-owned Crystal River Global Limited ("Crystal River") (see Note 9). The Kamoa-Kakula Project is independently ranked as the world's fourth largest copper deposit by international mining consultant Wood Mackenzie.

On February 6, 2019, the Company announced the results from the Kakula 2019 pre-feasibility study (PFS) at the Kamoa-Kakula Project. The study assessed the potential development of the Kakula Deposit as a six million tonne per annum (Mtpa) mining and processing complex, which the Kamoa-Kakula Project is currently developing. The Kakula mill will be constructed in two modules of 3.8 Mtpa each as the mining operations ramp-up, with first copper concentrate production at the Kamoa-Kakula Project currently planned for the third quarter of 2021.

The costs associated with mine development at the Kamoa-Kakula Project's Kansoko and Kakula sites are capitalized as property, plant and equipment in a subsidiary of Kamoa Holding. Expenditure attributable to exploration was still expensed in 2019.

Company's share of comprehensive loss (profit) from joint venture

The following table summarizes the Company's share of Kamoa Holding's total comprehensive loss (profit) for the years ending December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Finance costs	70,196	57,083
Exploration expenses	10,265	19,921
Foreign exchange losses	345	168
Finance income	(5,631)	(3,742)
Reversal of VAT impairment	-	(15,557)
Loss before taxes	75,175	57,873
Deferred tax recovery (i)	(17,068)	(110,416)
Loss (profit) after taxes	58,107	(52,543)
Non-controlling interest of Kamoa Holding (ii)	(7,965)	12,917
Total comprehensive loss (income) for the year	50,142	(39,626)
Company's share of loss (profit) from joint venture (49.5%)	24,821	(19,615)

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4. Investment in joint venture (continued)

Company's share of comprehensive loss (profit) from joint venture (continued)

- (i) Following the release of the pre-feasibility study of the Kakula Copper mine in February 2019, the Company considers it probable that taxable profits will be available against which previously unrecognized deductible temporary differences can be utilized. Consequently, a deferred tax asset of \$110.4 million was recognized at December 31, 2018. The deferred tax asset has subsequently increased by \$17.1 million to \$127.5 million due to the effects of temporary differences.
- (ii) The DRC government holds a direct 20% interest in the Kamoa-Kakula Project. A 5%, non-dilutable interest in the project was transferred to the DRC government on September 11, 2012 for no consideration, pursuant to the 2002 DRC mining code. Following the signing of an agreement in November 2016, an additional 15% interest in the project was transferred to the DRC government.

Net assets of the joint venture

The assets and liabilities of the joint venture were as follows:

	December 31, 2019		December	31, 2018
	100%	49.5%	100%	49.5%
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Assets				
Mineral property	802,021	397,000	802,021	397,000
Property, plant and equipment	727,391	360,059	423,183	209,476
Deferred tax asset	127,484	63,105	110,416	54,656
Long term loan receivable	126,012	62,376	87,775	43,449
Prepaid expenses	77,844	38,533	9,104	4,507
Cash and cash equivalents	73,968	36,614	34,916	17,283
Indirect taxes receivable	47,233	23,380	30,427	15,061
Right-of-use asset	30,128	14,913	-	-
Non-current inventory	9,188	4,548	-	-
Consumable stores	8,987	4,449	5,302	2,624
Non-current deposits	1,289	638	385	191
Liabilities				
Shareholder loans	(1,484,737)	(734,945)	(968, 173)	(479, 246)
Trade and other payables	(54,005)	(26,733)	(17,990)	(8,905)
Lease liability	(30,211)	(14,954)	-	-
Rehabilitation provision	(5,727)	(2,835)	(2,394)	(1,185)
Non-controlling interest	(98,644)	(48,829)	(106,609)	(52,771)
Net assets of the joint venture	358,221	177,319	408,363	202,140

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4. Investment in joint venture (continued)

Investment in joint venture

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Company's share of net assets of the joint venture	177,319	202,140
Loan advanced to the joint venture	735,317	479,521
	912,636	681,661

The Company earns interest at USD 12 month LIBOR plus 7% on the loan advanced to the joint venture (see Note 26). If there is residual cash flow in Kamoa Holding, such cash shall be required to be utilized for the repayment of the then outstanding loan amount of each lender, on a pro-rata basis. No repayment is required in the absence of residual cash flow.

Commitments in respect of joint venture

The Company is required to fund its Kamoa Holding joint venture in an amount equivalent to its proportionate shareholding interest. The following table summarizes the Company's proportionate share of the joint venture's commitments:

	Less than			After 5	
	1 year	1 - 3 years	4 - 5 years	years	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Civil construction and supplies	83,025	-	-	-	83,025
Advancement of loan (i)	66,750	-	-	-	66,750
Mine equipment acquisitions	15,758	-	-	-	15,758
Kakula decline development	8,288	-	-	-	8,288
Site catering	4,878	-	-	-	4,878
Power infrastructure	4,661	-	-	-	4,661
Other commitments	11,095	-	-	-	11,095
	194,455	-	-	-	194,455

(i) On March 21, 2014, a financing agreement was entered into between a subsidiary of Kamoa Holding and La Société Nationale d'Electricité SARL ("SNEL") relating to the first stage upgrade of two existing hydroelectric power plants in the DRC to feed up to 113 MW into the national power supply grid and for the supply of electricity to the Kamoa-Kakula Project.

Under the agreement, the subsidiary of Kamoa Holding agreed to provide a loan relating to the power upgrade, which is estimated to be \$141 million (including a \$4.5 million pre-finance loan), but is capped at a maximum commitment of \$250 million. The loan advanced as at December 31, 2019 by the subsidiary of Kamoa Holding amounted to \$115.2 million (2018: \$82.2 million).

The term for repayment of accrued interest and future costs is estimated to be 15 years, beginning after the expiry of a two year grace period from the signing date of the agreement. The actual repayment period will ultimately depend on the amount actually financed and on the amounts deducted from electricity bills based on a fixed percentage of 40% of the actual bill as per the loan repayment terms. Interest is earned at a rate of USD 6 month LIBOR + 3%.

The Kamoa-Kakula Project will be given a priority electricity right by which SNEL commits to make available as per an agreed power requirements schedule, sufficient energy from its grid to meet the energy needs of the project and following the upgrade, on an exclusivity and priority basis, up to 200 MW depending on the production and mine expansion scenarios.

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5. Property, plant and equipment

								Assets	
			Office	Motor	Plant and	Mining	under		
	Land	Buildings	equipment	vehicles	equipment	infrastructure	construction	Total	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
2019									
Cost									
Beginning of the year	2,145	11,704	6,452	3,367	21,098	5,443	268,192	318,401	
Additions	-	1,477	1,147	216	17,474	143	100,061	120,518	
Borrowing costs capitalized	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,480	2,480	
Disposals	-	-	(1,017)	(127)	(5,064)	-	-	(6,208)	
Transfers	-	-	251	-	532	-	(783)	-	
Foreign exchange translation	72	380	207	30	55	188	7,962	8,894	
End of the year	2,217	13,561	7,040	3,486	34,095	5,774	377,912	444,085	
Accumulated depreciation									
and impairment									
Beginning of the year	-	1,223	4,571	1,792	15,217	642	_	23,445	
Depreciation	-	341	823	325	3,768	181	_	5,438	
Disposals	-	-	(1,014)	(111)	(5,055)	-	_	(6,180)	
Foreign exchange translation	-	46	121	13	32	27	_	239	
End of the year	-	1,610	4,501	2,019	13,962	850	-	22,942	
Carrying value									
Beginning of the year	2,145	10,481	1,881	1,575	5,881	4,801	268,192	294,956	
End of the year	2,217	11,951	2,539	1,467	20,133	4,924	377,912	421,143	

Assets under construction includes development costs capitalized as property, plant and equipment which are costs incurred to obtain access and to provide facilities for extracting, treating, gathering, transporting and storing the minerals. Costs incurred at the Platreef and Kipushi Projects are deemed necessary to bring the projects to commercial production and are therefore capitalized (see Note 6).

Borrowing costs capitalized includes the finance costs and the low interest loan accretion on the loan payable to ITC Platinum Development Limited (see Note 16(i)).

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5. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Assets pledged as security

Buildings with a carrying amount of \$9.5 million (2018: \$9.4 million) have been pledged to secure borrowings of the Company (see Note 16(ii)). The buildings have been pledged as security for bank loans under a mortgage. The Company is not allowed to pledge these assets as security for other borrowings or to sell them to another entity.

			05.00	Matau	Dientend	Minima	Assets	
	Land	Buildings	Office equipment	Motor vehicles	Plant and equipment	Mining infrastructure	under construction	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
2018								
Cost								
Beginning of the year	2,506	12,613	6,178	3,319	20,782	6,104	168,320	219,822
Additions	-	-	1,051	212	1,318	-	125,323	127,904
Borrowing costs capitalized	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,347	2,347
Disposals	-	-	(107)	_	(1,071)	-	· _	(1,178)
Transfers	-	-	` -	_	259	262	(521)	-
Foreign exchange translation	(361)	(909)	(670)	(164)	(190)	(923)	(27,277)	(30,494)
End of the year	2,145	11,704	6,452	3,367	21,098	5,443	268,192	318,401
Accumulated depreciation								
and impairment								
Beginning of the year	-	1,207	4,503	1,504	13,478	547	-	21,239
Depreciation	-	142	669	360	2,895	190	-	4,256
Disposals	-	-	(97)	_	(1,005)	-	-	(1,102)
Foreign exchange translation	-	(126)	(504)	(72)	(151)	(95)	-	(948)
End of the year	-	1,223	4,571	1,792	15,217	642	-	23,445
Carrying value								
Beginning of the year	2,506	11,406	1,675	1,815	7,304	5,557	168,320	198,583
End of the year	2,145	10,481	1,881	1,575	5,881	4,801	268,192	294,956

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6. Mineral properties and exploration and project expenditure

Mineral properties

The following table summarizes the carrying values of the Company's mineral property interests as described below:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Platreef property, South Africa (a)	6,940	6,940
Kipushi Properties, Democratic Republic of Congo (b)	252,337	252,337
Other properties (c)	5,047	2,020
	264,324	261,297

Costs directly related to the acquisition of mineral properties are capitalized as mineral properties on a property by property basis, whereas development costs are capitalized as property, plant and equipment and are costs incurred to obtain access and to provide facilities for extracting, treating, gathering, transporting and storing the minerals. Development costs are capitalized to the extent that they are necessary to bring the property to commercial production.

(a) Platreef property

Construction of the planned Platreef mine is underway on the Company's discovery of platinum, palladium, nickel, copper, gold and rhodium on the Northern Limb of South Africa's Bushveld Igneous Complex approximately 8 km from Mokopane and 280 km northeast of Johannesburg, South Africa.

In November 2014 the mining right for the development and operation of the Company's Platreef mining project was notorially executed. The mining right authorizes the Company to mine and process platinum-group metals, nickel, copper, gold, silver, cobalt, iron, vanadium and chrome at its Platreef discovery. The mining right was issued for an initial period of 30 years and may be renewed for further periods, each of which may not exceed 30 years at a time, in accordance with the terms of section 24 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act of South Africa.

The Company announced the positive results of the pre-feasibility study for the planned first phase of the Platreef Project's platinum-group metals, nickel, copper and gold mine in South Africa in January 2015 and the independent, definitive feasibility study (DFS) in July 2017.

A Japanese consortium of ITOCHU Corporation, Japan Oil, Gas and Metals National Corporation; and Japan Gas Corporation holds an effective 10% interest in the Platreef Project. The Company transferred an additional 26% of Platreef to a broad-based black economic empowerment (B-BBEE) special purpose vehicle in compliance with South African ownership requirements.

(b) Kipushi properties

The Kipushi Project is a past-producing, high-grade underground zinc—copper mine in the Central African Copperbelt, in Haut-Katanga Province, Democratic Republic of Congo ("DRC"). The Kipushi Project lies adjacent to the town of Kipushi and the border with Zambia, and about 30 km southwest of the provincial capital of Lubumbashi. Costs incurred at the Kipushi Project subsequent to the finalization of its pre-feasibility study in December 2017, have been capitalized as property, plant and equipment.

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6. Mineral properties and exploration and project expenditure (continued)

Mineral properties (continued)

(b) Kipushi properties (continued)

Ivanhoe Mines and La Générale des Carrières et des Mines SARL ("Gecamines") own 68% and 32% of the Kipushi Project respectively, through their holdings in Kipushi Corporation SA ("Kipushi"), the mining rights holder. Ivanhoe Mines' interest in Kipushi was acquired in November 2011 and comprises mining rights for zinc, copper and cobalt as well as the underground workings and related infrastructure, inclusive of a series of vertical mine shafts.

(c) Other properties

The Company's DRC exploration group is targeting Kamoa-Kakula style copper mineralization through a regional drilling program on its 100% owned Western Foreland exploration licences, located to the north, south and west of the Kamoa-Kakula Project.

(d) Kamoa-Kakula properties

The Company is a joint venturer in the Kamoa-Kakula Project which is located within the Central African Copperbelt in Lualaba Province, DRC. The Kamoa-Kakula Project lies approximately 25 km west of the town of Kolwezi, and about 270 km west of Lubumbashi (see Note 4).

Exploration and project expenditure

Exploration costs are expensed in the period incurred, until such time as the Company determines that a property is technically feasible and commercially viable, whereafter costs associated with development are capitalized as property, plant and equipment in the assets under construction category (see Note 5).

The following table summarizes the exploration and project expenditure for the years ended December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Exploration and project expenditure		
Drilling	3,903	5,725
Office and administration expenditure	2,881	2,297
Labour hire consultants	1,609	737
Consultants	1,249	899
Salaries and benefits	1,041	1,073
Depreciation	305	234
Travel	249	210
Site security	208	71
Other	174	241
	11,619	11,487

Exploration and project expenditure for 2019 and 2018 related almost entirely to the Company's Western Foreland exploration licences. Expenditure at the Platreef project and Kipushi project was capitalized as property, plant and equipment in the assets under construction category (see Note 5).

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7. Long term loans receivable

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Loan to HPX (i)	52,740	-
Social development loan (ii)	38,963	36,471
Loan to Nzuri Exploration Holding Company Pty Ltd (iii)	252	<u>-</u>
	91,955	36,471

(i) In April 2019, the Company extended a secured loan of \$50 million to High Power Exploration Inc. (HPX). The loan receivable has a two-year maturity and earns interest at a rate of 8% per annum. Interest of \$2.7 million was earned during the year ended December 31, 2019 (see Note 26).

The principal amount of the loan and accrued interest is convertible in whole, or in part, by Ivanhoe at its sole discretion into shares of treasury common stock of HPX and/or a subsidiary of HPX. The loan is secured by a pledge of shares of an HPX subsidiary in the United States which is pursuing a Tier One copper-gold exploration and development project.

(ii) A long term loan receivable from Gecamines of \$10 million was ceded to the Company on completion of the purchase of Kipushi on November 28, 2011, by the seller. An additional \$20 million was requested and advanced to Gecamines during November 2012.

The loan receivable is unsecured and earns interest at USD 12 month LIBOR plus 3%. Repayment will be made by offsetting the loan against future royalties and dividends payable to Gecamines from future profits earned at Kipushi. The fair value of the receivable at acquisition date was estimated by the Company by calculating the present value of the future expected cash flows using an effective interest rate of 9.2%. The carrying value of the long term loan receivable as at December 31, 2019 is \$39.0 million (December 31, 2018: \$36.5 million).

(iii) In September 2019, the Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary, Ivanhoe DRC Holding Limited, extended a loan of \$0.2 million to Nzuri Exploration Holding Company Pty Ltd ("Nzuri"). The loan was advanced to fund exploration activities of a subsidiary of Nzuri in the DRC. The Company has a 10% equity investment in Nzuri (see Note 11).

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8. Leases

Right-of-use asset

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Rented surface infrastructure and equipment (Kipushi) (i)	12,582	-
Office building (ii)	2,339	-
Other properties	175	-
	15,096	-

- (i) A right of use asset is recognized in terms of IFRS 16 for the use of the surface infrastructure and equipment at the Kipushi mine.
- (ii) The Company leases an office building in Sandton, South Africa.

Lease liability

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Rented surface infrastructure and equipment (Kipushi) (i)	13,007	-
Office building (ii)	1,943	-
Other properties	30	-
Non-current lease liability	14,980	-
Rented surface infrastructure and equipment (Kipushi) (i)	272	-
Office building (ii)	447	-
Other properties	152	-
Current lease liability	871	-

- (i) The lease liability was initially measured at the present value of the lease payments payable over the life of mine and has been discounted at an incremental borrowing rate of 8%. The lease payments have been determined in accordance with the contract, which allocates a fixed rate monthly and it has been estimated that the lease will continue for the duration of the life of mine.
- (ii) The lease liability was initially measured at the present value of the lease payments payable over a lease term of six years and has been discounted at an incremental borrowing rate of 10.25%. The lease payments have been determined in accordance with the contract which includes an escalation clause of 7.5% per annum.

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8. Leases (continued)

Amounts recognized in the statement of comprehensive income:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Depreciation charge on right-of-use assets (i)	290	-
	290	-

(i) Included in other expenditure on the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. Rightof-use assets are depreciated over the term of the lease on a straight line basis.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Interest on lease liability (ii)	13	-
	13	-

(ii) Included as finance costs on the consolidated statement of comprehensive income and as interest paid in the operating activities section of the consolidated statement of cash flows.

9. Promissory note receivable

The Company has the following promissory note receivable:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Promissory note receivable from Crystal River	16,799	12,713
	16,799	12,713

The promissory note receivable with a carrying value of \$16.8 million is a non-interest-bearing, 10 year promissory note, of which \$8.3 million is receivable by the Company as the purchase consideration for selling 1% of its share in Kamoa Holding to Crystal River (see Note 4). The remaining \$8.5 million is receivable for subsequent funding provided to Kamoa Holding on Crystal River's behalf. The promissory note is payable on the earlier of December 8, 2025 or the next business day following the completion of the sale, transfer or disposition of the shares held by Crystal River in Kamoa Holding.

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10. Other assets

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Prepayments related to bulk power supply (i)	3,284	3,177
Deposits	1,534	1,534
Other non-current prepayments	8	2,702
	4,826	7,413

(i) Included in other assets are advances of \$3.3 million (2018: \$3.2 million) paid to Eskom, the South African state-owned electricity provider, in preparation for the construction of additional bulk power lines which will provide electricity to the Platreef project.

11. Investments

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Fair value through profit or loss		
Investment in unlisted shares (i)	655	-
Investment in listed shares (ii)	1,140	1,924
	1,795	1,924
Non-current investments	655	-
Current investments	1,140	1,924
	1,795	1,924

- (i) On September 12, 2019 the Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary, Ivanhoe DRC Holding Limited, subscribed for 10% of the ordinary shares of Nzuri Exploration Holding Company Pty Ltd ("Nzuri"). Nzuri is an Australian company, a subsidiary of which is conducting mining exploration activities in the DRC.
- (ii) The Company holds listed shares which have been classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. The trading value of the listed shares as at December 31, 2019 is \$1.1 million (2018: \$1.9 million). A loss of \$0.8 million on the fair valuation of the financial asset was recognized for the year ended December 31, 2019 (2018: loss of \$6.6 million).

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12. Income taxes

(a) Rate reconciliation

A reconciliation of the provision for income taxes is as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Profit before income taxes	(11,771)	(19,244)
Statutory tax rate	27.00%	27.00%
Expected recovery of income taxes based on combined		
Canadian federal and provincial statutory rates	3,178	5,196
Add (deduct):		
Tax effect of tax losses not recognized	19,360	11,973
Non-taxable income	(10,057)	(10,504)
Non-taxable interest on loan advanced to joint venture	(14,452)	(10,498)
Non-deductible expenses	9,844	6,700
Different effective tax rates in foreign jurisdictions	(7,882)	(7,292)
Amendments to prior year tax submissions	384	4,217
Income tax expense (recovery)	375	(208)

(b) Deferred tax balances

The Company's deferred income tax liabilities and assets are as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Deferred tax liability to be recovered after more than 12 months		
Property, plant and equipment	(2,082)	(2,082)
Deferred income tax liability	(2,082)	(2,082)
Deferred tax asset to be recovered after more than 12 months Unrealised foreign exchange losses	633	907
Deferred tax asset to be recovered within 12 months		
Provisions and prepayments	55	50
Deferred income tax asset	688	957

Deferred income tax assets are recognized for tax loss carry-forwards to the extent that the realization of the related tax benefit through future taxable profits is probable.

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12. Income taxes (continued)

(c) Unrecognized deductible and taxable temporary differences

The Company's unrecognized deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses consist of the following amounts:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Non-capital loss carryforwards	192,630	203,435
Investment in RK1	11,289	11,289
Foreign exploration expenses and share issuance costs	3,767	5,503
Capital assets	22,904	20,708
Unrecognized deductible temporary differences	230,590	240,935

The Company has foreign subsidiaries that have undistributed earnings of \$363.1 million (2018: \$383.9 million). The Company can control the timing of the repatriation and it is probable that these amounts will not be repatriated for the foreseeable future. Therefore, deferred tax has not been provided in respect of these earnings.

(d) Loss carryforwards

The Company's unrecognized deferred tax assets related to unused tax losses have the following expiry dates:

		Local	U.S. dollar	
		currency	equivalent	
		'000	\$'000	
South African rand	R	244,892	17 404	(2)
	· ·	,	17,494	` '
Congolese franc	CDF	85,963,772	50,984	(b)
Canadian dollar	C\$	129,545	99,742	2028 to 2038
Gabonese franc	XAF	7,103,083	12,126	(a)
British pound	£	5,387	7,063	(a)
Barbados	BBD	2,118	1,059	(c)
Euro	€	3,442	3,854	(a)
Namibian dollar	NAD	4,315	308	(a)
			192,630	

⁽a) These losses can be carried forward indefinitely, subject to continuity of trading.

⁽b) These losses are accumulated and set-off against future taxable income when mining operations commence.

⁽c) These tax losses can be carried forward for 7 years.

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13. Cash and cash equivalents

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	702,810	574,048
	702,810	574,048

14. Prepaid expenses

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Prepaid insurance	823	485
Advance payment on shaft construction	700	2,168
Deposits	457	451
Advance payments to suppliers	379	1,867
Other prepayments	980	1,393
	3,339	6,364

Prepaid expenses are amounts paid in advance which give the Company rights to receive future goods or services.

15. Other receivables

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Administration consulting receivable from joint venture	3,448	1,675
Accounts receivable	2,624	1,515
Refundable taxes (i)	1,379	1,881
Other	585	426
	8,036	5,497

⁽i) Refundable taxes are net of an impairment provision for value-added taxes receivable in foreign jurisdictions where recoverability of those taxes are uncertain.

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16. Borrowings

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Unsecured - at amortized cost		
Loans from other entities (i)	29,674	27,194
Secured - at amortized cost		
Citi bank loan (ii)	4,230	4,097
	33,904	31,291
Non-current borrowings	29,674	31,291
Current borrowings	4,230	-
	33,904	31,291

- (i) On June 6, 2013, the Company, through its subsidiary Ivanplats (Pty) Ltd, ("Ivanplats") the owner of the Platreef Project, became party to a \$28.0 million loan payable to ITC Platinum Development Limited,. The loan is repayable only once Ivanplats has residual cashflow, which is defined in the loan agreement as gross revenue generated by Ivanplats, less all operating costs attributable thereto, including all mining development and operating costs. The loan incurs interest of USD 3 month LIBOR plus 2% calculated monthly in arrears. Interest is not compounded. Using prevailing market interest rates for an equivalent loan of USD 3 month LIBOR plus 7% at June 6, 2013, the carrying value of the loan as at December 31, 2019, is estimated at \$29.7 million (2018: \$27.2 million). The difference of \$4.1 million (2018: \$5.4 million) between the contractual amount due and the carrying value of the loan is the benefit derived from the low-interest loan. Interest of \$1.2 million (2018: \$1.2 million) was recognized during the year ended December 31, 2019 and was capitalized as borrowing costs together with the low interest loan accretion of \$1.3 million (2018: \$1.1 million).
- (ii) The Citi bank loan of \$4.2 million (£3.2 million) is secured by the Rhenfield property (see Note 29). The loan is an interest only term loan repayable at August 31, 2020, and incurs interest at a rate of GBP 1 month LIBOR plus 1.90% payable monthly in arrears. The interest expense incurred for the year amounted to \$0.1 million.

17. Advances payable

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Advances payable to Gecamines	2,661	2,502
	2,661	2,502

Advances payable to Gecamines are unsecured and bear interest at USD 12 month LIBOR plus 4% and represent the loan advanced to Kipushi by Gecamines prior to the acquisition of Kipushi by the Company.

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18. Trade and other payables

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Trade accruals	13,241	13,561
Trade payables	8,097	10,428
Payroll tax and other statutory liabilities	1,613	2,249
Indirect taxes payable	70	144
Other payables	4	60
	23,025	26,442

The Company has policies in place to ensure trade and other payables are paid within agreed terms.

19. Cash settled share-based payment liability

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at the beginning of the year	3,349	2,605
Vesting of the option liability	677	744
Balance at the end of the year	4,026	3,349

On June 26, 2014, the Company sold a 26% interest in the Company's Platreef mining project for which it has recognized a cash-settled share-based payment liability. The liability is valued using an option pricing model taking into account the terms and conditions on which the right was granted (see Note 23).

20. Share capital

(a) Shares issued

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of Class A Shares, an unlimited number of Class B Shares (together with the Class A Shares, the "common shares") and an unlimited number of Preferred Shares.

As at December 31, 2019, 1,196,109,399 (2018: 1,015,080,833) Class A Shares, nil Class B Shares and nil Preferred Shares were issued and outstanding. All shares in issue have been fully paid.

On August 16, 2019, the Company issued 153,821,507 common shares to CITIC Metal Africa Investments Limited upon the completion of a private placement at a price of C\$3.98 per unit for gross proceeds of C\$612 million (\$459 million). Issue costs amounted to \$0.3 million. A further 16,754,296 common shares were issued to Zijin as an anti-dilution subscription at the same price per unit for additional proceeds of C\$67 million (\$50 million).

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20. Share capital (continued)

(b) Options

Share options are granted at an exercise price equal to the weighted average price of the shares on the TSX for the five days immediately preceding the date of the grant. As at December 31, 2019, 64,707,500 share options have been granted and exercised, and 17,550,000 have been granted and are outstanding.

All outstanding share options granted before December 2019 vest in four equal parts, commencing on the one year anniversary of the date of grant and on each of the three anniversaries thereafter. The maximum term of these options is five years. All share options granted during December 2019 vest in three equal parts, commencing on the one year anniversary of the date of grant and on each of the two anniversaries thereafter. The maximum term of these options awarded is seven years.

A summary of changes in the Company's outstanding share options is presented below:

		2019		2018
		Weighted		Weighted
		average		average
	Number of	exercise	Number of	exercise
	options	price	options	price
		\$		\$
Balance at the beginning of year	19,900,000	1.18	22,348,500	1.36
Granted	7,500,000	2.45	6,000,000	2.22
Exercised	(9,837,500)	0.86	(6,293,500)	1.58
Expired	-	-	(2,130,000)	4.78
Forfeited	(12,500)	0.47	(25,000)	0.86
Balance at the end of the period	17,550,000	1.90	19,900,000	1.18

7,500,000 options were granted in 2019. The fair value of options granted is estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. An expense of \$7.9 million for the options granted during 2019 (2018: \$6.9 million) will be amortized over the entire vesting period, of which \$2.2 million (2018: 2.1 million) was recognized in the year ended December 31, 2019. An additional \$2.6 million was recognized in the year ended December 31, 2019 (2018: \$0.5 million) relating to options granted during prior years.

The following weighted average assumptions were used for the share option grants in 2019:

	2019
Risk free interest rate	1.86%
Expected volatility (i)	57.70%
Expected life	3.69
Expected dividends	\$Nil

⁽i) Expected volatility was based on the historical volatility of a peer company analysis.

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20. Share capital (continued)

(b) Options (continued)

A reconciliation of the number of share options exercised to shares issued is presented below:

		2019		2018
	Number of	Number of	Number of	
	options	shares	options	Number of
	exercised	issued	exercised	shares issued
Ordinary exercise	6,650,000	6,650,000	2,631,000	2,631,000
Exercised by Share				
Appreciation Rights (i)	3,187,500	2,323,802	3,662,500	1,051,722
Total	9,837,500	8,973,802	6,293,500	3,682,722

(i) In terms of the equity incentive plan, participants have the right in lieu of receiving the shares to which the options relate, to receive the number of shares calculated by deducting the exercise price from the fair market value of the shares and dividing this result by the fair market value of the shares immediately prior to exercise.

The following table summarizes information about share options outstanding and exercisable as at December 31, 2019:

	Options outstanding		Options	exercisable
		Weighted		Weighted
		average		average
	Number of	exercise	Number of	exercise
Expiry date	shares	price	shares	price
		\$		\$
December 15, 2020	4,175,000	0.47	4,175,000	0.47
March 12, 2023	3,500,000	2.38	875,000	2.38
May 7, 2023	375,000	2.07	125,000	2.07
December 4, 2023	2,000,000	1.98	500,000	1.98
January 12, 2024	1,500,000	1.90	-	1.90
May 1, 2024	3,500,000	2.52	-	2.52
August 6, 2024	500,000	3.11	-	3.11
December 5, 2026	2,000,000	2.61	-	2.61
	17,550,000	1.91	5,675,000	0.93

(c) Restricted share units

The Company issues restricted share units ("RSUs") as a security based compensation arrangement. Each RSU represents the right of an eligible participant to receive one Class A Share.

RSUs vest in three equal parts, commencing on the initial vesting date established at grant and on each of the two anniversaries thereafter, subject to the satisfaction of any performance conditions.

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20. Share capital (continued)

(c) Restricted share units (continued)

A summary of changes in the Company's RSUs is presented below:

	2019	2018
Balance at the beginning of the year	2,878,198	4,457,947
RSUs issued	2,098,333	1,520,813
RSUs vested	(1,210,540)	(3,072,565)
RSUs cancelled	(14,609)	(27,997)
Balance at the end of the year	3,751,382	2,878,198

An expense of \$4.2 million will be amortized over the vesting period for the RSUs granted during the year ended December 31, 2019 (2018: \$4.3 million), using the fair value of a common share at time of grant. The weighted average fair value of a common share at the time that the RSUs were granted in 2019 was \$2.01 (2018: \$2.82). An expense of \$3.8 million was recognized for the year ended December 31, 2019 relating to RSU's which vested during the year (2018: \$3.5 million) (see Note 23).

(d) Deferred share units

The Company issues deferred share units ("DSUs") as a security based compensation arrangement to non-executive directors of the Company. Each DSU represents the right of an eligible participant to receive one Class A Share.

DSUs vest in three equal parts, commencing on the initial vesting date established at grant and on each of the two anniversaries thereafter.

A summary of changes in the Company's DSUs is presented below:

	2019	2018
Balance at the beginning of the year	281,614	402,733
DSUs issued	130,621	44,926
DSUs vested	(216,016)	(166,045)
DSUs cancelled	(13,960)	-
Balance at the end of the year	182,259	281,614

An expense of \$0.2 million was recognized for the DSUs granted during the year ended December 31, 2019. An additional expense of \$0.6 million was recognized for DSU's granted during prior years. In accordance with the DSU plan, directors may elect to receive settlement of their DSU's in cash or shares. Of the 216,016 DSU's vested during the year ended December 31, 2019, 187,405 DSU's were settled in shares and 28,611 were settled in cash.

(e) Bonus shares

The Company recognized an expense of \$0.3 for the year ended December 31, 2019 (2018: Nil) million relating to 81,016 bonus shares issued during the year ended December 31, 2019 (2018: Nil).

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21. Foreign currency translation reserve

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at the beginning of the year Exchange gain (loss) arising on translation of foreign	(38,845)	(8,855)
operations	7,988	(29,990)
Balance at the end of the year	(30,857)	(38,845)

Exchange differences relating to the translation of the results and net assets of the Company's foreign operations from their functional currencies to the Company's presentation currency are recognized directly in other comprehensive income (loss) and accumulated in the foreign currency translation reserve.

22. Non-controlling interests

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at the beginning of the year	(77,932)	(68,229)
Share of total comprehensive loss for the year	(7,022)	(9,703)
Balance at the end of the year	(84,954)	(77,932)

The total non-controlling interests at December 31, 2019 is \$85.0 million (2018: \$77.9 million), of which \$67.3 million (2018: \$66.1 million) is attributed to Ivanplats (Pty) Ltd and \$20.9 million (2018: \$14.5 million) is attributed to Kipushi Corporation SA. The remainder relates mainly to the non-controlling interest attributable to Ivanplats Holding SARL.

Set out below is the summarized financial information for each subsidiary that has non-controlling interests that are material to the Group. The amounts disclosed for each subsidiary are before intercompany eliminations.

	Ivanplats (Pty) Ltd		Kipushi Corporation SA	
Summarized balance sheet	2019	2018	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Non-current assets	271,727	210,963	399,610	338,200
Non-current liabilities	(579,970)	(505,244)	(438,562)	(360, 258)
Total non-current net liabilities	(308,243)	(294,281)	(38,952)	(22,058)
Current assets	8,013	7,379	15,736	7,144
Current liabilities	(7,323)	(9,331)	(20,375)	(8,672)
Current net assets (liabilities)	690	(1,952)	(4,639)	(1,528)
Net liabilities	(307,553)	(296,233)	(43,591)	(23,586)

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22. Non-controlling interests (continued)

	Ivanplats (Pty) Ltd		Kipushi Corporation SA	
Summarized income statement	2019	2018	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Loss for the year	20,053	19,732	20,006	16,706
Other comprehensive (income) loss	(8,057)	30,565	-	-
Total comprehensive loss	11,996	50,297	20,006	16,706
Total comprehensive loss (income) allocated to				
non-controlling interests	1,200	5,030	6,402	(5,346)

23. Share-based payments

The share-based payment expense of the Company is summarized as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Equity settled share-based payments		
Share options (Note 20(b))	4,819	2,628
Restricted share unit expense (Note 20(c))	3,812	3,505
Bonus shares (Note 20(e))	252	-
	8,883	6,133
Cash settled share-based payments		
Deferred share unit expense (Note 20(d))	762	-
B-BBEE transaction expense	677	738
	10,322	6,871

Of the share-based payment expense recognized for the year ended December 31, 2019, \$0.7 million (2018: \$0.7 million) related to the Platreef B-BBEE transaction, with the remaining \$9.6 million (2018: \$6.1 million) being the expense for share options, restricted share units, deferred share units and bonus shares which have been granted to employees and were recognized over the vesting period.

24. Foreign exchange (gain) loss

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Foreign exchange (gain) loss	(14,860)	1,057
	(14,860)	1,057

Included in the foreign exchange gain recognized for the year ended December 31, 2019, was a gain of \$15.3 million (2018: loss of \$6.2 million) related to exchange (gains) losses on cash held in Canadian dollars.

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25. Finance costs

The finance costs of the Company are summarized as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Interest on advances payable (see Note 17)	159	158
Interest on borrowings (see Note 16(ii))	109	108
Other financing costs	18	680
Lease liability unwinding (see Note 8)	13	-
	299	946

26. Finance income

Finance income is summarized as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Interest on loan to joint venture (i)	(53,524)	(40,378)
Interest on bank balances	(13,612)	(7,074)
Interest on long term loan receivable - HPX (ii)	(2,740)	-
Interest on long term loan receivable - Gecamines (iii)	(2,492)	(2,407)
Other	(27)	-
	(72,395)	(49,859)

⁽i) The Company earns interest at a rate of USD 12 month LIBOR plus 7% on the loan advanced to the Kamoa Holding joint venture (see Note 4).

27. Other income

Other income is summarized as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Administration consulting income (i)	(4,124)	(2,392)
Proceeds on disposal of exploration permits	(655)	-
Other	(119)	-
Irrecoverable amounts	1,128	-
Other taxes	85	464
	(3,685)	(1,928)

⁽i) Administration consulting income is fees charged by the Company to the Kamoa Holding joint venture for administration, accounting and other services performed for the joint venture (see Note 4).

⁽ii) The Company earns interest at a rate of 8% per annum on the long term loan receivable from HPX (see Note 7).

⁽iii) The Company earns interest at a rate of USD 12 month LIBOR plus 3% on the long term loan receivable from Gecamines (see Note 7), although an effective interest rate of 9.2% was applied from initial recognition.

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28. Profit per share

The basic profit per share is computed by dividing the profit attributable to the owners of the Company by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. The diluted profit per share reflects the potential dilution of common share equivalents, such as outstanding stock options and restricted share units, in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year, if dilutive.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Basic profit per share		
Profit attributable to owners of the Company	(19,223)	(26,098)
Weighted average number of basic shares outstanding	1,083,709,592	853,738,370
Basic profit per share	(0.02)	(0.03)
Diluted profit per share		
Profit attributable to owners of the Company	(19,223)	(26,098)
Weighted average number of diluted shares outstanding	1,096,286,528	870,363,991
Diluted profit per share	(0.02)	(0.03)

The weighted average number of shares for the purpose of diluted profit per share reconciles to the weighted average number of shares used in the calculation of basic profit per share as follows:

	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2018
Weighted average number of basic shares outstanding	1,083,709,592	853,738,370
Shares deemed to be issued for no consideration in respect of: - employee options - restricted share units	8,849,067 3,727,869	11,555,327 5,070,294
Weighted average number of diluted shares outstanding	1,096,286,528	870,363,991

29. Joint operations

The Company has a 50% interest in Rhenfield Limited, a British Virgin Islands registered company. Rhenfield Limited purchased buildings in London, England which the Company uses for office space. The buildings have a carrying value of \$9.5 million (2018: \$9.4 million) and are included in property, plant and equipment (see Note 5).

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30. Related party transactions

The financial statements include the financial results of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd., its subsidiaries, joint ventures and joint operations listed in the following table:

		% equity	interest
		as	at
	Country of	December 31,	December 31,
Name	Incorporation	2019	2018
Direct Subsidiaries			
Ivanhoe Mines (Barbados) Limited	Barbados	100%	100% (i)
African Copperbelt Exploration Ltd.	Barbados	100%	` '
Gabon Holding Company Ltd.	Barbados	100%	` '
Ivanhoe Mines US LLC	United States of America	100%	` '
Ivanhoe Mines UK Limited	United Kingdom	100%	100% (ii)
Ivanplats Holding SARL	Luxembourg	97%	97% (i)
Ivanhoe Mines Consulting Services	China	100%	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
(Beijing) Co., Ltd			,
Indirect Subsidiaries			
Ivanhoe DRC Holding Ltd.	Barbados	100%	100% (i)
Kipushi Holding Limited	Barbados	100%	` '
Ivanhoe Mines DRC SARL	DRC	100%	` '
Ivanhoe Mines Exploration DRC SARL	DRC	100%	, ,
Lufupa SASU	DRC	100%	
Magharibi Mining SAU	DRC	90%	• • •
Kipushi Corporation SA	DRC	68%	, ,
Ivanhoe Gabon SA	Gabon	97%	` '
Ivanplats Finance Limited	Ireland	0%	, ,
lvanplats Finance Lux SARL	Luxembourg	0%	97% (v)
lvanhoe (Namibia) (Pty) Ltd.	Namibia	100%	
Kamoa Services (Pty) Ltd.	South Africa	100%	100% (ii)
GB Mining & Exploration (SA) (Pty) Ltd.	. South Africa	100%	100% (iv)
Ivanhoe Mines SA (Pty) Ltd.	South Africa	100%	100% (ii)
Ivanplats (Pty) Ltd.	South Africa	64%	64% (iii)
Kico Services (Pty) Ltd.	South Africa	100%	100% (ii)
Ivanhoe (Zambia) Ltd.	Zambia	100%	100% (iii)
Joint ventures			
Kamoa Holding Limited	Barbados	49.50%	49.50% (i)
Joint operations			
Rhenfield Limited	British Virgin Islands	50%	50% (iv)

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30. Related party transactions (continued)

- (i) This company acts as an intermediary holding company to other companies in the Group.
- (ii) This company provides administration, accounting and other services to the Group on a cost-recovery basis.
- (iii) This company is incorporated with the intention of engaging in exploration, development and mining activities.
- (iv) This is a special purpose entity that has been incorporated for a particular purpose.
- (v) These companies were liquidated on December 19, 2019.

The following table summarizes related party income earned and expenses incurred by the Company, primarily on a cost-recovery basis, with companies related by way of directors or shareholders in common.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Global Mining Management Corporation (a)	4,302	3,926
Ivanhoe Capital Aviation LLC (b)	3,500	2,457
HCF International Advisers (c)	1,020	838
GMM Tech Holdings Inc. (d)	679	996
Ivanhoe Capital Services Ltd. (e)	499	481
Ivanhoe Capital Pte Ltd (f)	181	335
Global Mining Services Ltd. (g)	59	22
Ivanhoe Capital Corporation (UK) Limited (h)	25	8
Kamoa Holding Limited (i)	(53,524)	(40,378)
Kamoa Copper SA (j)	(7,883)	(4,304)
High Power Exploration Inc.(k)	(2,899)	-
Ivanhoe Mines Energy DRC Sarl (I)	(291)	(363)
	(54,332)	(35,982)
Salaries and benefits	4,392	3,244
Travel	3,776	2,925
Consulting	1,656	2,657
Office and administration	296	237
Finance income	(56,278)	(40,378)
Cost recovery and management fee	(8,174)	(4,667)
	(54,332)	(35,982)

The transactions summarized above were in the normal course of operations and were measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

As at December 31, 2019, trade and other payables included \$0.6 million (2018: \$1.2 million) with regards to amounts due to parties related by way of director, officers or shareholder in common. These amounts are unsecured and non-interest bearing.

Amounts included in other receivables due from parties related by way of director, officers or shareholder in common as at December 31, 2019 amounted to \$3.9 million (2018: \$1.8 million).

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30. Related party transactions (continued)

- (a) Global Mining Management Corporation ("Global") is a private company based in Vancouver, Canada. The Company and a director of the Company hold an indirect equity interest in Global. Global provides administration, accounting and other services to the Company on a cost-recovery basis.
- (b) Ivanhoe Capital Aviation LLC ("Aviation") is a private company owned indirectly by a director of the Company. Aviation operates an aircraft for which the Company contributes toward the running costs.
- (c) HCF International Advisers ("HCF") is a corporate finance adviser specializing in the provision of advisory services to clients worldwide in the metals, mining, steel and related industries. HCF has a director in common with the Company and provides financial advisory services to the Company.
- (d) GMM Tech Holdings Inc. ("GMM Tech") is a private company incorporated in British Columbia, Canada and is 100% owned by Global. GMM Tech provides information technology services to the Company on a cost-recovery basis.
- (e) Ivanhoe Capital Services Ltd. ("Services") is a private company owned indirectly by a director of the Company. Services provides for salaries administration and other services to the Company in Singapore and Beijing on a cost-recovery basis.
- (f) Ivanhoe Capital Pte Ltd. ("Capital") is a private company owned indirectly by a director of the Company. Capital provides administration, accounting and other services in Singapore on a cost-recovery basis.
- (g) Global Mining Services Ltd. ("GMS") is a private company incorporated in Delaware and is 100% owned by Global. GMS provides administration and other services to the Company on a cost-recovery basis.
- (h) Ivanhoe Capital Corporation (UK) Ltd. ("ICC") is a private company 100% owned by a director of the Company. ICC provides administration, accounting and other services in the United Kingdom on a cost-recovery basis.
- (i) Kamoa Holding Limited ("Kamoa Holding") is a company registered in Barbados. The Company has an effective 49.5% ownership in Kamoa Holding. The Company earns interest on the loans advanced to Kamoa Holding (see Note 4).
- (j) Kamoa Copper SA ("Kamoa Copper") is a company incorporated in the DRC. The Company has an effective 39.6% ownership in Kamoa Copper (see Note 4). The Company provides administration, accounting and other services to Kamoa Copper on a cost-recovery basis.
- (k) High Power Exploration Inc. ("HPX") is a private company incorporated under the laws of Delaware, USA. HPX has members of executive management and directors in common with the Company. The Company extended a secured loan of \$50 million to HPX. The loan receivable has a two-year maturity and earns interest at a rate of 8% per annum (see Note 7).
- (I) Ivanhoe Mines Energy DRC Sarl ("Energy") is a company incorporated in the DRC. The Company has an effective 49.5% ownership in Energy (see Note 4). The Company provides administration, accounting and other services to Energy on a cost-recovery basis.

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31. Cash flow information

Net change in working capital items:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Net decrease (increase) in		
Other receivables	(2,539)	(747)
Prepaid expenses	3,025	25
Consumable stores	240	727
Net (decrease) increase in		
Trade and other payables	(3,417)	3,168
	(2,691)	3,173

32. Financial instruments

(a) Fair value of financial instruments

The Company's financial assets and financial liabilities are categorized as follows:

		December 31,	December 31,
Financial instrument	Level	2019	2018
		\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or	loss		
Investment in listed entity	Level 1	1,140	1,924
Investment in unlisted entity	Level 3	655	-
Amortized cost			
Cash and cash equivalents		702,810	574,048
Loan advanced to joint venture	Level 3	735,317	479,521
Long term loans receivable	Level 3	91,955	36,471
Promissory note receivable	Level 3	16,799	12,713
Other receivables		8,036	5,497
Financial liabilities			
Amortized cost			
Borrowings	Level 3	33,904	31,291
Trade and other payables	Level 3	23,025	26,442
Advances payable	Level 3	2,661	2,502

IFRS 13 - Fair value measurement, requires an explanation about how fair value is determined for assets and liabilities measured in the financial statements at fair value and established a hierarchy into which these assets and liabilities must be grouped based on whether inputs to those valuation techniques are observable or unobservable. Observable inputs reflect market data obtained from independent sources, while unobservable inputs reflect the Company's assumptions. The two types of inputs create the following fair value hierarchy:

- Level 1: observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets;
- Level 2: inputs, other than the quoted market prices in active markets, which are observable, either directly and/or indirectly; and
- Level 3: unobservable inputs for the asset or liability in which little or no market data exists and therefore require an entity to develop its own assumptions.

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32. Financial instruments (continued)

(a) Fair value of financial instruments (continued)

Investment in listed entity

The fair value is the market value of the listed shares at the end of the year.

Investment in unlisted entity

The Company acquired these shares on September 12, 2019. No significant changes occurred between acquisition date and December 31, 2019 and the Company has therefore determined that the purchase price approximates the fair value.

Loan advanced to the joint venture

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The loan incurs interest at a variable rate of USD 12 month Libor plus 7% which approximates the current market interest rate.

Long term loans receivable (Loan to HPX)

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The loan period is less than two years, the interest rate is considered to be an arm's length rate. Country risk is considered to be low and the loan is secured by a pledge of shares of an HPX subsidiary.

Long term loans receivable (Social development loan)

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The fair value of the receivable at acquisition date was estimated by the Company by calculating the present value of the future expected cash flows using an effective interest rate of 9.2%.

Promissory note receivable

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The creditworthiness of the promissory note holder is considered to be high (see Note 32(b)(ii)). The promissory note is payable on the earlier of December 8, 2025 or the next business day following the completion of the sale, transfer or disposition of the shares held by Crystal River in Kamoa Holding.

Other receivables

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value due to the short term nature of the receivable (less than 1 month).

Borrowings (Loan from other entities)

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The fair value of the loan is determined using a discounted future cashflow analysis based on an interest rate of USD 3 month Libor plus 7% and the loan is carried at this value (see Note 16(i)).

Borrowings (Loan from Citi Bank)

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value due to its short term nature (repayable at August 31, 2020).

Trade and other payables

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value due to the short term nature of the receivable (less than 1 month).

Advances payable

Carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of fair value. This loan bears interest at USD 12 month LIBOR plus 4% which approximates the current market interest rate.

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32. Financial instruments (continued)

(b) Financial risk management objectives and policies

The risks associated with the Company's financial instruments and the policies to mitigate these risks are set out below. Management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented in a timely and effective manner.

(i) Foreign exchange risk

The Company incurs certain of its expenses in currencies other than the U.S. dollar. The Company also has foreign currency denominated monetary assets and liabilities. As such, the Company is subject to foreign exchange risk as a result of fluctuations in exchange rates. The Company enters into derivative instruments to manage foreign exchange exposure as deemed appropriate.

The carrying amount of the Company's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and liabilities at the respective statement of financial position dates are as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Assets		
Canadian dollar	41,358	180,321
South African rand	24,386	16,848
British pounds	7,387	5,257
Australian dollar	1,141	1,924
Liabilities		
South African rand	(9,484)	(7,325)
British pounds	(7,008)	(3,427)
Canadian dollar	(718)	(571)

Foreign currency sensitivity analysis

The following table details the Company's sensitivity to a 5% increase or decrease in the U.S. dollar against the foreign currencies presented. The sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated monetary items not denominated in the functional currency of the Company or the relevant subsidiary and adjusts their translation at the end of the period for a 5% change in foreign currency rates. A positive number indicates a decrease in loss for the year where the foreign currencies strengthen against the U.S. dollar. The opposite number will result if the foreign currencies depreciate against the U.S. dollar.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Canadian dollar	2,032	8,987
Australian dollar	57	96
South African rand	(104)	(85)
British pounds	(8)	(7)

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32. Financial instruments (continued)

- (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (continued)
 - (ii) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or third party to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. Credit risk for the Company is primarily associated with the loan to the joint venture, promissory note receivable, long term loans receivable, other receivables and cash and cash equivalents.

The Company reviews the recoverable amount of their financial assets at each statement of financial position date to ensure that adequate impairment losses are made for irrecoverable amounts. The Company has considered the requirement of IFRS 9 to recognize a loss allowance for expected credit losses on financial assets. The general approach was applied to these financial assets, where the 12 month expected credit losses are calculated. The Company did not apply lifetime expected credit losses as there has not been a significant increase in credit risk in 2019.

A significant increase in credit risk would include:

- Existing or forecast adverse changes in business, financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change in the borrower's ability to meet its debt obligations.
- An actual or expected significant change in the operating results of the borrower.
- Significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same borrower.
- An actual or expected significant adverse change in the regulatory, economic, or technological environment of the borrower that results in a significant change in the borrower's ability to meet its debt obligations.
- Significant changes in the value of the collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of third-party guarantees or credit enhancements, which are expected to reduce the borrower's economic incentive to make scheduled contractual payments or to otherwise have an effect on the probability of a default occurring.

The Company assesses whether an impairment is required on loan receivables. A range of cash flow scenarios are considered, taking into account forward looking information which may impact recoverability of loan receivables.

The loan advanced to the joint venture will be repaid as and when there is residual cash flow in Kamoa Holding. Due to the positive results of Kamoa-Kakula's PFS and Preliminary Economic Assessment, repayment of the loan is deemed to be highly probable.

The promissory note receivable will be repaid using proceeds from the sale of Crystal River's 1% stake in Kamoa Holding.

The principal amount of the long term loan receivable from HPX and accrued interest thereon, is convertible in whole, or part, by the Company at its sole discretion into shares of treasury common stock of HPX and/or a subsidiary of HPX. The loan is secured by a pledge of shares of an HPX subsidiary in the United States which is pursuing a Tier One copper-gold exploration and development project, into which the Company also may convert and acquire at least a 25% interest.

Repayment of the long term loan receivable from Gecamines will be made by offsetting the loan against future royalties and dividends payable to Gecamines which arise from future profits to be earned at Kipushi.

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32. Financial instruments (continued)

- (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (continued)
 - (ii) Credit risk (continued)

The credit risk on cash and cash equivalents is limited because the cash and cash equivalents are composed of deposits with major banks who have investment grade credit ratings assigned by international credit ratings agencies and have low risk of default.

Other receivables is comprised primarily of administration consulting income from the joint venture and refundable taxes. The credit quality of these financial assets can be assessed by reference to historical information about counterparty default rates and adjusted to reflect current and forward-looking information, as well as macroeconomic factors affecting the ability of the parties to settle the receivables. The historical loss rates are negligible and therefore indicate that no expected credit losses relating to other receivables should be recognized.

The Company continues to monitor its credit risk and assess expected credit losses. The identified impairment loss in 2019 is negligible.

(iii) Liquidity risk

In the management of liquidity risk of the Company, the Company maintains a balance between continuity of funding and the flexibility through the use of borrowings. Management closely monitors the liquidity position and expects to have adequate sources of funding to finance the Company's projects and operations.

The following table details the Company's expected remaining contractual maturities for its financial liabilities. The table is based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the Company can be required to satisfy the liabilities.

	Less			More	Total un-
	than 1	1 to 3	3 to 12	than 12	discounted
	month	months	months	months	cash flows
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at December 31, 2019					
Non-current borrowings	-	-	-	33,767	33,767
Trade and other payables (a)	18,960	1,002	1,376	_	21,338
Lease liability	80	151	640	14,980	15,851
Current borrowings	-	-	4,230	-	4,230
As at December 31, 2018 Trade and other payables	24.247	1.296	899		26,442
Non-current borrowings	-	1,290	-	36,656	36,656

(a) Trade and other payables in the above table excludes payroll tax, other statutory liabilities and indirect taxes payable.

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32. Financial instruments (continued)

- (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (continued)
 - (iv) Interest rate risk

The Company's interest rate risk arises mainly from long term borrowings, the long term loan receivable and the loan advanced to the joint venture. The Company's main exposure to interest rate risk arises from the fact that the Company earns and incurs interest on interest rates linked to LIBOR.

If interest rates (including applicable LIBOR rates) had been 50 basis points higher or lower and all other variables were held constant the Company's loss for the year ended December 31, 2019 would have increased or decreased by \$5.0 million (2018: \$3.4 million) and is comprised as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Loan advanced to the joint venture (see Note 4)	2,874	2,398
Cash and cash equivalents	1,920	1,007
Other interest bearing amounts	192	13
	4,986	3,418

33. Capital risk management

The Company includes as capital its common shares and share option reserve. The Company's objectives are to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern in order to pursue the development of its mineral properties and to maintain a flexible capital structure which optimizes the costs of capital at an acceptable risk.

The Company manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. Currently the Company has no cash inflows from operations. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may attempt to issue new shares, issue new debt and acquire or dispose of assets to satisfy cash requirements. In order to facilitate the management of its capital requirements, the Company prepares annual expenditure budgets that are updated as necessary depending on various factors, including capital deployment, results from the exploration and development of its properties and general industry conditions. The annual and updated budgets are approved by the Board of Directors.

In order to maximize ongoing development efforts, the Company does not pay dividends. The Company's investment policy is to invest its cash in highly liquid, short-term, interest-bearing investments with maturities of 90 days or less from the original date of acquisition, selected with regard to the expected timing of expenditures from operations.

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34. Commitments and contingencies

Due to the size, complexity and nature of the Company's operations, various legal and tax matters arise in the ordinary course of business. The Company accrues for such items when a liability is both probable and the amount can be reasonably estimated. In the opinion of management, these matters will not have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements for the Company.

As at December 31, 2019, the Company's commitments that have not been disclosed elsewhere in the consolidated financial statements are as follows:

	Less than			After	
	1 year	1 - 3 years	4 - 5 years	5 years	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at December 31, 2019					
Shaft 1 construction (Platreef project)	12,964	-	-	-	12,964
As at December 31, 2018					
Shaft 1 construction (Platreef project)	29,968	6,911	-	-	36,879
Shaft 2 construction (Platreef project)	1,816	-	-	-	1,816
Operating leases	454	789	-	-	1,243

The Company contracted Moolmans (formerly known as Aveng Mining) for the sinking of shaft 1 at the Platreef Project. The contract will conclude once the shaft reaches 1,000 metres below surface.

The commitments in respect of the joint venture are set out in Note 4.

35. Key management personnel compensation

The remuneration of directors and other members of key management were as follows:

	December 31,	December 31,
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Short-term benefits	12,267	9,387
Share-based payments	6,871	4,936
	19,138	14,323

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36. Changes in accounting policies

The Company has adopted IFRS 16 Leases and has applied the related accounting policies from January 1, 2019. The Company has adopted IFRS 16 using the "first variation" of the modified retrospective approach, and has therefore not restated comparatives for the 2018 reporting period, as permitted under the specific transitional provisions in the Standard. The impact of the adoption on the Company's financial statements is detailed below. Refer to Note 8 for additional information.

On adoption of IFRS 16, the Company recognized lease liabilities for all contracts that fall within the scope of the Standard. These liabilities were measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as at January 1, 2019. The weighted average incremental borrowing rate applied to the lease liabilities on January 1, 2019 was 8.17%.

Right-of-use assets were measured at the amount equal to the lease liability at the date of initial application (January 1, 2019), adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease.

The recognized right-of-use asset and lease liability relates to the following types of assets:

	January 1,
	2019
	\$'000
Rented surface infrastructure and equipment (Kipushi project)	13,550
Office building	1,163
Other properties	442
Lease liability recognized at January 1, 2019	15,155

In applying IFRS 16 for the first time, the Company has used the following practical expedients permitted by the standard:

- the use of a single discount rate to a portfolio of leases with reasonably similar characteristics
- the use of hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

The Company has elected to reassess whether a contract is, or contains a lease at the date of initial application. For contracts entered into before the transition date, the Company has not relied on its assessment made when applying IAS 17 and IFRIC 4.

The Company also applied the recognition exemption for leases with a lease term of 12 months or less and leases of low value assets. Low value assets is comprised of office furniture and IT equipment.

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36. Changes in accounting policies (continued)

The table below reconciles the operating lease commitments to the lease liability recognized. These liabilities were measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as at January 1, 2019.

	January 1,
	2019
	\$'000
Operating lease commitments as at December 31, 2018	1,243
Discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate at	
the date of initial application	1,241
Less short-term leases recognized on a straight-line basis as	
expense	(180)
Adjustments as a result of a different treatment of extension	
and termination options	14,094
Lease liability recognized as at January 1, 2019	15,155
Current lease liability	1,284
Non-current lease liability	13,871
	15,155

37. Segmented information

At December 31, 2019, the Company has four reportable segments, being the Platreef property, Kamoa Holding joint venture, Kipushi properties and the Company's treasury offices.

An operating segment is defined as a component of the Company:

- that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses;
- whose operating results are reviewed regularly by the entity's chief operating decision maker; and
- for which discrete financial information is available.

For these four reportable segments, the Company receives discrete financial information that is used by the chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and to assess its performance.

The reportable segments are principally engaged in the development of mineral properties in South Africa (see Note 6); exploration and development of mineral properties through a joint venture in the DRC (see Note 4); and the upgrading of mining infrastructure and refurbishment of a mine in the DRC respectively (see Note 6).

The following is an analysis of the non-current assets by geographical area and reconciled to the Company financial statements:

	South Africa	DRC	Other	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Non-current assets				
As at December 31, 2019	276,491	1,331,741	119,890	1,728,122
As at December 31, 2018	212,599	1,023,342	59,527	1,295,468

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37. Segmented information (continued)

	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Segment assets		
Kamoa Holding joint venture	912,636	681,661
Treasury (ii)	752,675	572,033
Kipushi properties	453,784	381,843
Platreef property	287,828	221,313
All other segments (i)	37,799	27,938
Total	2,444,722	1,884,788
Segment liabilities		
Platreef property	36,531	34,914
Kipushi properties	22,643	10,000
All other segments (i)	16,475	14,354
Treasury (ii)	6,219	6,712
Total	81,868	65,980
Segment losses (profits)		
Kamoa Holding Limited joint venture	24,821	(19,615)
All other segments (i)	12,688	10,439
Platreef properties	1,514	4,125
Kipushi properties	(1,988)	(2,079)
Treasury (ii)	(48,431)	(12,322)
Total	(11,396)	(19,452)
Capital expenditures		
Kipushi properties	68,073	69,085
Platreef properties	50,355	59,925
All other segments (i)	2,090	(1,106)
Total	120,518	127,904
Exploration expenditure		
All other segments (i)	11,619	11,487
Total	11,619	11,487

⁽i) The Company's other divisions that do not meet the quantitative thresholds of IFRS 8 Operating segments, are included in the segmental analysis under the all other segments.

38. Approval of the financial statements

The Consolidated Financial Statements of Ivanhoe Mines Ltd., for the year ended December 31, 2019, were approved and authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on March 5, 2020.

⁽ii) Treasury includes mainly cash balances, the promissory note receivable, the investments and the loan to HPX.