

ERB İSTANBUL HOLDING A.Ş.

Financial Statements
as at and for the Year Ended
31 December 2019
With
Independent Auditor's Report Thereon



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Director of ERB İstanbul Holding Anonim Şirketi

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ERB İstanbul Holding Anonim Şirketi (the "Company"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ("ISAs"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("IESBA Code") and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.



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

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

In preparing the financial statements, 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.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Responsibilities of auditors in an audit are as follows:

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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 financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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

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İstanbul, Turkey

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ERB İSTANBUL HOLDİNG A.Ş.**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2019**

(Amounts expressed in Turkish Lira ("TL") unless otherwise indicated.)

	Notes	Audited	Audited
ASSETS		31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Current assets		209,796,111	193,800,501
Cash and cash equivalents	3	201,000,391	180,438,084
Other current assets	4	214,802	188,964
Current tax assets	9	8,580,918	13,173,453
Non-current assets		336,949	272,363
Deferred tax assets	9	336,949	272,363
Total assets		210,133,060	194,072,864
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Current liabilities		14,640	6,182
Other current liabilities	4	14,640	6,182
Equity		210,118,420	194,066,682
Share capital	5	8,696,327	8,696,327
Adjustment to share capital	5	24,789,022	24,789,022
Legal reserves	5	1,739,265	1,739,265
Retained earnings	5	158,842,068	64,712,456
Net income for the year		16,051,738	94,129,612
Total liabilities and equity		210,133,060	194,072,864

The accompanying explanations and notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

ERB İSTANBUL HOLDİNG A.Ş.**STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019**

(Amounts expressed in Turkish Lira ("TL") unless otherwise indicated.)

	Notes	Audited	Audited
		1 January –	1 January –
		31 December 2019	31 December 2018
CONTINUING OPERATIONS			
Financial income, net	6	21,114,591	114,360,572
Gross profit		21,114,591	114,360,572
General administrative expenses (-)	7	(238,822)	(178,759)
Other operating income	8	-	6,498,036
Other operating expense (-)	8	(293,574)	-
Profit before tax from continuing operations		20,582,195	120,679,849
Tax expense from continuing operations			
- Income tax expense	9	(4,595,043)	(25,117,960)
- Deferred tax income/(expense)	9	64,586	(1,432,277)
Profit from continuing operations		16,051,738	94,129,612
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME			
Other comprehensive income		-	-
Total comprehensive income		16,051,738	94,129,612
Earnings per share (TL)	10	2.00	10.82

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ERB İSTANBUL HOLDİNG A.Ş.**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019**

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	Notes	Share capital	Adjustment to share capital	Legal reserves	Retained earnings	Net income for the year	Total equity
Audited							
1 January 2018	5	8,696,327	24,789,022	817,034	233,912,188	49,390,839	317,605,410
<i>Adjustments to change in accounting policies</i>		-	-	-	<i>(6,034,118)</i>	-	<i>(6,034,118)</i>
Balances at 1 January 2018 (Adjustment effect)		8,696,327	24,789,022	817,034	227,878,070	49,390,839	311,571,292
Transfers to retained earnings	5	-	-	922,231	48,468,608	(49,390,839)	-
Total comprehensive income		-	-	-	-	94,129,612	94,129,612
Dividend paid	5	-	-	-	(211,634,222)	-	(211,634,222)
31 December 2018	5	8,696,327	24,789,022	1,739,265	64,712,456	94,129,612	194,066,682
Audited							
1 January 2019	5	8,696,327	24,789,022	1,739,265	64,712,456	94,129,612	194,066,682
Transfers to retained earnings	5	-	-	-	94,129,612	(94,129,612)	-
Total comprehensive income		-	-	-	-	16,051,738	16,051,738
31 December 2019	5	8,696,327	24,789,022	1,739,265	158,842,068	16,051,738	210,118,420

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019
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	Notes	Audited 1 January - 31 December 2019	Audited 1 January – 31 December 2018
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Profit for the period		16,051,738	94,129,612
Adjustments for:		2,434,658	14,630,041
Tax expense	9	4,530,457	26,550,237
Interest income	6	(2,389,373)	(5,422,160)
Reversal of impairment losses	8	-	(6,498,036)
Impairment allowance for ECL	8	293,574	-
Changes in:		(4,628,380)	12,064,123
Changes in other assets		(4,636,838)	12,072,845
Changes in other liabilities		8,458	(8,722)
Cash generated from operating activities		13,858,016	120,823,776
Taxes paid		(2,508)	(43,123,024)
Net cash from operating activities		13,855,508	77,700,752
Interest received		2,284,052	5,540,185
Cash inflows from investing activities		2,284,052	5,540,185
Dividend paid	5	-	(211,634,222)
Cash outflows from financing activities		-	(211,634,222)
Effect of net foreign exchange difference on cash and cash equivalents		4,611,000	(12,108,000)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		20,750,560	(140,501,285)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	3	181,592,618	322,093,903
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year		202,343,178	181,592,618

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EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

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NOTE 1 - ORGANISATION AND NATURE OF OPERATIONS

ERB İstanbul Holding A.Ş. (the “Company”), (previously named as “EFG İstanbul Holding A.Ş.”), was established in April 1997 under the name İleri Yatırım Holding A.Ş.

İleri Yatırım Holding A.Ş. sold to a group of investors, HC Securities & Investment S.A.E., Paulo Zapparoli, Hussein Choucri and Hussein El Sherbiny with a share transfer agreement signed on 28 June 2001. İleri Yatırım Holding A.Ş.’s name was changed to HC İstanbul Holding A.Ş., this change of name was announced in the Official Gazette (no.5448) on 20 December 2001.

The Company was the main shareholder of EFG İstanbul Menkul Değerler A.Ş. (previously named as “HC İstanbul Menkul Değerler A.Ş.”). Due to the change in shareholders of HC İstanbul Holding A.Ş. the Company’s trade name was changed to EFG İstanbul Holding A.Ş. This change was announced in the Trade Registry Gazette dated 23 May 2005, numbered 6308.

The shares of EFG İstanbul Holding A.Ş. were purchased by Eurobank Ergasias S.A. which became the main shareholder of the Company by the announcement dated 27 August 2007 and numbered 2007/5. The shares of the subsidiary EFG İstanbul Menkul Değerler A.Ş. were purchased by Eurobank Tekfen A.Ş. by the announcement dated 28 September 2007 and numbered 24535.

According to the decision taken in the Board of Directors meeting held on 17 July 2014, the title of the Company was renamed as “ERB İstanbul Holding A.Ş.” in the 2nd section of the Articles of Association. The change in title of the Company was approved by Turkish Republic Ministry of Customs and Trade as at 6 June 2015 and by the Ordinary General meeting dated 30 September 2015, the Company’s title was changed.

The Company does not have any employees as at 31 December 2019 (31 December 2018: None).

The Company is registered in Turkey at the following address:

Caddebostan Mahallesi Topağaç Sk. Çınar Apt. Apt. No: 19/1 Kadıköy/İstanbul.

NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2.1 Basis of presentation

2.1.1 Preparation of financial statements

The Company maintains its books of accounts and prepares its statutory financial statements in Turkish Lira (TL) in accordance with Turkish Accounting Standards promulgated by the Public Oversight Accounting and Auditing Standards Authority; the Turkish Commercial Code; and the Turkish Tax Legislation (collectively, Turkish GAAP).

The accompanying financial statements are based on the statutory records with adjustments and reclassifications for the purpose of fair presentation in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”).

IFRS 15 and other amendments to IAS/IFRS as at 1 January 2019 have no material effect on the Company’s accounting policies, financial position or performance.

2.1.2 Going concern

The Company prepared the financial statements according to going concern principles.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.2 Standards issued but not yet effective and not early adopted as at 31 December 2019

A number of new standards, interpretations of and amendments to existing standards are not effective at reporting date and earlier application is permitted; however the Company has not early adopted are as follows.

The revised Conceptual Framework (Version 2018)

The revised Conceptual Framework issued on 27 October 2018 by the POA. The Conceptual Framework sets out the fundamental concepts for financial reporting that guide the POA in developing TFRS Standards. It helps to ensure that the Standards are conceptually consistent and that similar transactions are treated the same way, so as to provide useful information for investors, lenders and other creditors. The Conceptual Framework also assists companies in developing accounting policies when no TFRS Standard applies to a particular transaction, and more broadly, helps stakeholders to understand and interpret the Standards. The revised Conceptual Framework is more comprehensive than the old one – its aim is to provide the POA with the full set of tools for standard setting. It covers all aspects of standard setting from the objective of financial reporting, to presentation and disclosures. For companies that use the Conceptual Framework to develop accounting policies when no TFRS Standard applies to a particular transaction, the revised Conceptual Framework is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020, with earlier application permitted.

Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8 - Definition of Material

In June 2019 POA issued Definition of Material (Amendments to TAS 1 and TAS 8). In October 2018 the IASB issued Definition of Material (Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8). 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. Those amendments are prospectively effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020 with earlier application permitted. The amended “definition of material “was added to the important definition and it was stated that this expression could lead to similar results by not giving and giving misstating information. In addition, with this amendment, the terminology used in its definition of material has been aligned with the terminology used in the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting (Version 2018). Those amendments are prospectively effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020 with earlier application permitted.

The Company does not expect significant impact on its consolidated financial statements resulting from the application of the amendments to TAS 1 and TAS 8.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.2 Standards issued but not yet effective and not early adopted as at 31 December 2019 (Continued)

Amendments to IFRS 3 - Definition of a Business

Determining whether a transaction results in an asset or a business acquisition has long been a challenging but important area of judgement. The IASB has issued amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations to make it easier for companies to decide whether activities and assets they acquire are a business or merely a group of assets. In May 2019, POA has also published the Definition of Business (Amendments to TFRS 3). With this amendment confirmed that a business shall include inputs and a process, and clarified that the process must be substantive and the inputs and process must together significantly contribute to creating outputs. It narrowed the definitions of a business by focusing the definition of outputs on goods and services provided to customers and other income from ordinary activities, rather than on providing dividends or other economic benefits directly to investors or lowering costs and added a concentration test that makes it easier to conclude that a company has acquired a group of assets, rather than a business, if the value of the assets acquired is substantially all concentrated in a single asset or group of similar assets. This is a simplified assessment that results in an asset acquisition if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or a group of similar identifiable assets. If a preparer chooses not to apply the concentration test, or the test is failed, then the assessment focuses on the existence of a substantive process. The amendment applies to businesses acquired in annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020. Earlier application is permitted.

The Company is assessing the potential impact on its financial statements resulting from the application of the amendments to IFRS 3.

Interest Rate Benchmark Reform (Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39 and IFRS 7)

Interest Rate Benchmark Reform, which amended TFRS 9, TAS 39 and TFRS 7 issued in September 2019 by IASB and thereon POA issued on 14 December 2019 added Section 6.8 and amended paragraph 7.2.26 of TFRS 9. About this issue, IASB identified two groups of accounting issues that could affect financial reporting. These are:

- pre-replacement issues—issues affecting financial reporting in the period before the reform; and
- replacement issues—issues that might affect financial reporting when an existing interest rate benchmark is either reformed or replaced.

IASB considered the pre-replacement issues to be more urgent and decided to address the following hedge accounting requirements as a priority in the first phase of the project:

- (a) The highly probable requirement;
- (b) Prospective assessments;
- (c) IAS 39 retrospective assessment; and
- (d) Separately identifiable risk components.

All other hedge accounting requirements remain unchanged. A company shall apply the exceptions to all hedging relationships directly affected by interest rate benchmark reform.

The Company shall apply these amendments for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020 with earlier application permitted.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.3 Comparatives and restatement of prior periods’ financial statements

Financial statements of the Company has been prepared comparatively with the prior period. In order to maintain consistency with current year financial statements, comparative information is reclassified and significant changes are disclosed if necessary.

According to IFRS, financial statements should be presented with comparative information from the previous period. As at 31 December 2019, the Company has prepared the statement of financial position, profit and loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flow comparatively.

2.4 Summary of significant accounting policies

2.4.1 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise demand deposits and time deposits with maturities less than three months. Time deposits at banks are initially recognized at fair value and then, subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. The carrying amount of these assets is close to their fair values.

2.4.2 Financial income and financial expenses

Financial income includes interest income from investments. Interest income is recognized in profit or loss on an accrual basis using the effective interest method. Foreign currency gains and losses on financial assets and financial liabilities are reported on a net basis as either financial income or financial expenses depending on whether foreign currency movements are in a net gain or net loss position.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.4 Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)

2.4.3 Foreign currency transactions

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are accounted for at the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transactions and monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies translated by using year-end exchange rates of Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey’s bid rates. Gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognized in the income statement.

2.4.4 Earnings per share

Earnings per share disclosed in these statements of income are determined by dividing net profit by the weighted average number of shares that have been outstanding during the year concerned (Note 11).

In Turkey, companies can increase their share capital by making a pro-rata distribution of shares (“bonus shares”) to existing shareholders from retained earnings. For the purpose of earnings per share computations, the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year has been adjusted in respect of bonus shares issued without a corresponding change in resources by giving them a retroactive effect for the year in which they were issued and for each earlier period.

2.4.5 Subsequent events

Subsequent events cover any events which arise between the reporting date and the financial statements sheet date, even if they occurred after any declaration of the net profit for the period or specific financial information publicly disclosed. The Company adjusts its financial statements if such subsequent events arise which require an adjustment to the financial statements (Note 14).

2.4.6 Related parties

For the purpose of these financial statements, the shareholders, key management personnel and Board members, in each case together with companies controlled by or affiliated with them are considered and referred to as related parties (Note 11).

2.4.7 Deferred tax

Deferred income tax is provided, using the liability method, for all temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying values for financial reporting purposes. Currently enacted tax rates are used to determine deferred income taxes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences, whereas deferred tax assets resulting from deductible temporary differences are recognized to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilized (Note 10).

2.4.8 Taxation on corporate income

Corporate tax is calculated according to the Tax Procedural Law, and tax expenses except corporate tax are recognized in operating expenses (Note 10).

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.4 Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)

2.4.9 Financial instruments

Classification and measurement

Classification and measurement of financial assets in accordance with IFRS 9 Financial Instruments standard is determined by whether the financial asset is based on the business model in which the financial asset is managed and whether it is based on contractual cash flows including interest payments on principal and principal balance.

IFRS 9 contains three basic categories of financial assets: amortized cost (AC), fair value other comprehensive income (FVOCI) and fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL). The standard eliminates the categories of available-for-sale financial assets that are held to maturity, loans and receivables included in the current IAS 39 standard.

The Company accounts for its financial assets in three classes. The classification is based on the characteristics of the contractual cash flows of the entity and the business model used by the entity for the management of the financial assets. The Company classifies its financial assets at the time of purchase.

“Financial assets measured at amortized cost” are financial assets held as part of a business model aimed at collecting contractual cash flows and that have cash flows that include interest payments solely on principal and principal balance at specific dates in contractual terms, are not traded in an active market. Financial assets at amortized cost of the Company also include “cash and cash equivalents”. Related assets are initially recognized at fair value in the financial statements; in subsequent accounting, measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method. Gains and losses resulting from the valuation of non-derivative financial assets measured at amortized cost are recognized in the income statement.

“Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income” are financial assets held as part of a business model for the collection and settlement of contract cash flows and for which there are cash flows from interest payments arising principally only at principal and principal amounts under contractual terms. Any gains or losses arising from the related financial assets are recognized in other comprehensive income except for impairment losses, gains or losses and exchange rate differences income or expenses.

For investments in equity-based financial assets, the Company may inadvertently choose the method of reflecting subsequent changes in fair value to other comprehensive income during the first financial statement purchase. In the case of such a preference, the dividends from the related investments are recognized in the income statement.

Under IFRS 9, all investments in equity instruments and contracts on those instruments must be measured at fair value. However, in limited circumstances, cost value may be an appropriate estimate of fair value. That may be the case if insufficient more recent information is available to measure fair value, or if there is a wide range of possible fair value measurements and cost value represents the best estimate of fair value within that range.

“Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss” are financial assets measured other than those at amortized cost and fair value through other comprehensive income. The resulting gains and losses from the valuation of such assets are recognized in the income statement.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.4 Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)

2.4.10 Impairment of financial assets

IFRS 9 replaces the “incurred loss” model in IAS 39 with an “expected credit loss” (ECL) model. In this context, it has been necessary to evaluate how the economic factors that will be determined by weighting according to the probabilities of realization affect the ECLs. The new impairment model is applied to financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income or measured at amortized cost (other than investments in equity instruments) and contract assets. The financial assets at amortized cost consist of cash and cash equivalents.

Under IFRS 9, loss allowances are measured on either of the following bases:

- 12-month ECLs: these are ECLs that result from possible default events within the 12 months after the reporting date; and
- Lifetime ECLs: these are ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument.

The Company has elected to measure loss allowances for cash and cash equivalents at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs. When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECLs, the Company considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis, based on the Company’s historical experience and informed credit assessment and including forward-looking information.

The Company assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due. The Company considers a financial asset to be in default when:

- The borrower is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Company in full, without recourse by the Company to actions such as realising security (if any is held) or financial asset is more than 90 days past due.

The Company considers a debt security to have low credit risk when its credit risk rating is equivalent to the globally understood definition of “investment grade”. The maximum period considered when estimating ECLs is the maximum contractual period over which the Company is exposed to credit risk.

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NOTE 2 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

2.4 Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)

2.4.10 Impairment of financial assets (Continued)

Measurement of ECLs

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Company expects to receive). ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

Credit-impaired financial assets

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

Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the financial statements when there is a legally enforceable right to set-off the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

2.4.11 Statement of cash flows

The Company presents statement of cash flows as an integral part of other financial statements to inform the users of financial statements about the changes in its net assets, its financial structure and its ability to manage the amount and timing of its cash flows under new condition.

2.5 Significant accounting estimates and assumptions

Preparation of financial statements requires the usage of estimations and assumptions which may affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as at the financial statements date, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities and reported amounts of income and expenses during financial period. Although the estimations and assumptions are based on the best estimates of the management’s existing incidents and operations, they may differ from the actual results.

NOTE 3 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, cash and cash equivalents are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Banks		
Time deposits	198,175,213	177,587,987
Demand deposits	2,825,178	2,850,097
Cash and cash equivalents on statement of financial position	201,000,391	180,438,084
Interest accruals	(188,800)	(83,479)
12 months expected credit loss allowance	1,531,587	1,238,013
Cash and cash equivalents on statement of cash flows	202,343,178	181,592,618

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NOTE 3 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (Continued)

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of time deposits are as follows:

Currency	31 December 2019			31 December 2018		
	Amount (TL)	Effective interest rate (%)	Maturity date	Amount (TL)	Effective interest rate (%)	Maturity date
TL	-	-	-	999,080	22.34	1 January 2019
EUR	198,175,213	0.50	23 January 2020	176,588,907	1.30	21 January 2019
Total	198,175,213			177,587,987		

NOTE 4 - OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, other current assets are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Transferring value added taxes receivables (“VAT”)	214,802	186,012
Advances given to suppliers	-	2,952
	214,802	188,964

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, other current liabilities are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Expense accruals	12,258	380
Taxes and duties payable	2,382	5,802
	14,640	6,182

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NOTE 5 - SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY

Share capital

The share capital of the Company is TL 8,696,327 (31 December 2018: TL 8,696,327) and consists of 8,696,327 (31 December 2018: 8,696,327) authorized shares with a nominal value of TL 1 each.

At 31 December 2019 and 2018 the issued and fully paid-in share capital held is as follows:

Shareholders	31 December 2019		31 December 2018	
	Amount (TL)	Share (%)	Amount (TL)	Share (%)
Eurobank Ergasias S.A.	8,696,323	9.999995	8,696,323	9.999995
Other	4	0.00005	4	0.00005
	8,696,327	100	8,696,327	100
Adjustment to share capital	24,789,022		24,789,022	
Total paid-in share capital	33,485,349		33,485,349	

Adjustment to share capital represents the restatement effect of cash and cash equivalent contributions to share capital due to the inflation adjustments.

Legal reserves

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Legal reserves	1,739,265	1,739,265
	1,739,265	1,739,265

The legal reserves consist of first and second reserves, appropriated in accordance with the Turkish Commercial Code ("TCC"). The TCC stipulates that the first legal reserve is appropriated out of statutory profits at the rate of 5% per annum, until the total reserve reaches 20% of the Company's paid-in share capital. The second legal reserve is appropriated at the rate of at least 10% of distributions in excess of 5% of issued and fully paid-in share capital, without limit. Under the TCC, the legal reserves can only be used to offset losses and are not available for any other usage unless they exceed 50% of paid-in share capital.

Retained earnings

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Retained earnings	158,842,068	64,712,456
	158,842,068	64,712,456

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NOTE 6 - FINANCIAL INCOME/(EXPENSES), NET

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of financial income/expenses are as follows:

Financial income, net	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Foreign exchange gain/(loss), net	18,725,218	108,938,412
Interest income from time deposits	2,389,373	5,422,160
	21,114,591	114,360,572

NOTE 7 – GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of general administrative expenses are as follows:

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Consultancy fees	130,339	142,405
Chamber of commerce expenses	55,250	-
Other	53,233	36,354
	238,822	178,759

NOTE 8- OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE / INCOME

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of other operating expense are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Impairment allowance for ECL (*)	(293,574)	-
	(293,574)	-

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of Reversal of impairment losses are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Reversal of impairment losses	-	6,498,036
	-	6,498,036

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NOTE 9 - TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The Company recognizes deferred income tax assets and liabilities based upon temporary differences arising between its financial statements as reported for IAS and its statutory tax financial statements. These temporary differences are generally due to income and expense recorded in different reporting periods according to IFRS and Tax Laws.

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of tax (asset)/ liability are as follows:

	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Corporate tax payable	4,595,043	25,117,960
Prepaid taxes	(13,175,961)	(38,291,413)
Tax (asset)/liability, net	(8,580,918)	(13,173,453)

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the details of tax expenses in profit or loss are as follows:

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Income tax expense	4,595,043	25,117,960
Deferred tax expense/(income)	(64,586)	1,432,277
Total tax expense	4,530,457	26,550,237

The total provision for taxes on income is different than the amount computed by applying the statutory tax rate to profit before provision for taxes as shown in the following reconciliation for the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018:

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Profit before tax	20,582,195	120,679,849
Income tax charge at effective tax rate	4,528,083	26,549,567
Additions	2,374	670
Current year tax expense	4,530,457	26,550,237

For the year ended 31 December 2019, effective tax rate is 22.00% (31 December 2018: 22.00%).

Dividends paid to non-resident corporations, which have a place of business in Turkey, or resident corporations are not subject to withholding tax. Otherwise, dividends paid are subject to withholding tax at the rate of 15%. An increase in capital via issuing bonus shares is not considered as a profit distribution and thus does not incur withholding tax.

According to the provisional Article 10 of the Law No, 7061 of 5 December 2017, numbered 30261, “Amendments to Certain Tax Laws and Some Other Laws” and the Law No, 5520 on Corporate Income Tax Law, it is foreseen that the corporation tax that should be paid over the profits of the tax years 2019, 2020 will be calculated as 22% and the tax will be continued with 20%. During this period, the Council of Ministers was given the authority to reduce the rate of 22% to 20%.

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NOTE 9 - TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (Continued)

Corporations are required to pay advance corporation tax quarterly at the rate of 22% on their corporate income. Advance tax is to be declared by the 14th day of the second month following each calendar quarter end and is payable by the 17th of the second month following each calendar quarter end. Advance tax paid by corporations is credited against the annual corporation tax liability. The financial statements of the advance tax paid may be refunded or used to set off against other liabilities to the government.

In Turkey, there is no procedure for a final and definitive agreement on tax assessments. Companies file their tax returns within the 25th of the fourth month following the close of the financial year to which they relate.

Tax returns are open for five years from the beginning of the year that follows the date of filing during which time the tax authorities have the right to audit tax returns, and the related accounting records on which they are based, and may issue re-assessments based on their findings.

Under the Turkish taxation system, tax losses can be carried forward to be offset against future taxable income for up to five years. Tax losses cannot be carried back in order to net-off accumulated gains.

The Company calculates deferred tax assets and liabilities considering the effects of the temporary differences arising from the different valuations between the IFRS and the tax financial statements of the financial statements sheet items. As 22% corporation tax came into force with the "Law on the Amendment of Certain Tax Laws and Other Certain Other Laws" numbered 7061, 22% is used for the temporary differences which are likely to be recovered in 2019 and 2020, and 20% is used for the part which are likely to be recovered after 2020 in the calculation of deferred tax while preparing the 31 December 2019 financial statements (31 December 2018: 22%).

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences, whereas deferred tax assets resulting from deductible temporary differences are recognized to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilized.

The breakdown of cumulative temporary differences and the related deferred tax assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018 calculated using the enacted tax rates, are as follows:

	<u>Total temporary differences</u>		<u>Deferred tax assets</u>	
	31 December 2019	31 December 2018	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Expected credit loss (IFRS 9)	1,531,587	1,238,013	336,949	272,363
Deferred tax assets	1,531,587	1,238,013	336,949	272,363
Deferred tax liabilities	-	-	-	-
Deferred tax assets, (net)	1,531,587	1,238,013	336,949	272,363

For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the movements of net deferred tax assets/(liabilities) during the year are as follows:

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Opening balance - 1 January	272,363	2,709
IFRS 9 opening adjustment	-	1,701,931
Deferred tax income / (expense)	64,586	(1,432,277)
Ending balance - 31 December	336,949	272,363

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NOTE 10 - EARNINGS PER SHARE

Earnings per share are calculated through division of net profit to weighted average number of shares.

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Profit attributable to equity holders of the Company	16,051,738	94,129,612
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	8,696,327	8,696,327
Earnings per share (TL)	2.00	10.82

NOTE 11 - BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

a) Balances with related parties at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018 are as follows:

	31 December 2019^(*)	31 December 2018
Bank deposits due from related parties		
Eurobank Private Bank Luxemburg S.A.	201,660,483	179,436,965
	201,660,483	179,436,965

(*) The bank amount of TL 201,660,483 includes expected credit losses amounting to TL 1,531,587 (31 December 2018: 1,238,013).

b) For the years ended 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, interest income from related parties are as follows:

	1 January – 31 December 2019	1 January – 31 December 2018
Interest income from related parties		
Eurobank Private Bank Luxemburg S.A.	1,615,819	4,290,807
	1,615,819	4,290,807

c) Salaries and other benefits paid to the Board of Directors and top management:

Total salaries and benefits paid to members of the Board of Directors and other top management amount does not exist (1 January - 31 December 2018: None).

NOTE 12 - FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, including the effects of changes in debt and equity market prices, foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. The Company's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Company.

i. Information on credit risk

The Company's credit risk is primarily attributable to bank deposits. The amounts presented in the financial statements are net of allowances for doubtful receivables, estimated by the Company's management based on prior experience and the current economic environment.

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NOTE 12 - FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

As at 31 December 2019, credit risk exposure of the Company in terms of financial instruments are as follows:

	Receivables				Cash and cash equivalents		Financial investments
	Trade receivables		Other receivables		Deposits at banks	Reverse repo receivables	Deposits at banks more than 3 months
	Related party	Other	Related party	Other			
31 December 2019							
Exposure to maximum credit risk as at reporting date (A+B+C+D+E+F)	-	-	-	-	2,825,178	-	198,175,213
-Guaranteed part of maximum credit risk with collaterals etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
A. Net carrying value of financial assets which are neither impaired nor overdue	-	-	-	-	2,825,178	-	199,706,800
B. Net carrying value of financial assets which are overdue but not impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
C. Net carrying value of impaired assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Overdue (Gross book value)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Impairment (-)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Guaranteed part of net value with collaterals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Undue (gross book value)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Guaranteed part of net value with collaterals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
D. Off statement of financial position items with credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E. Lifetime expected credit loss	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
F. 12 months expected credit loss	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,531,587)

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NOTE 12 - FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

As at 31 December 2018, credit risk exposure of the Company in terms of financial instruments are as follows:

	Receivables				Cash and cash equivalents	
	Trade receivables		Other receivables		Deposits at banks	Reverse repo receivables
	Related party	Other	Related party	Other		
31 December 2018						
Exposure to maximum credit risk as at reporting date (A+B+C+D+E+F)	-	-	-	-	180,438,084	-
-Guaranteed part of maximum credit risk with collaterals etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-
A. Net carrying value of financial assets which are neither impaired nor overdue	-	-	-	-	181,676,097	-
B. Net carrying value of financial assets which are overdue but not impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
C. Net carrying value of impaired assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Overdue (Gross book value)	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Impairment (-)	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Guaranteed part of net value with collaterals	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Undue (gross book value)	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Guaranteed part of net value with collaterals	-	-	-	-	-	-
D. Off statement of financial position items with credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-
E. Lifetime expected credit loss	-	-	-	-	-	-
F. 12 months expected credit loss	-	-	-	-	(1,238,013)	-

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For the purposes of the table above, collaterals and other guarantees which increase the collectability of the financial asset are not taken into account.

ii. Information on liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the inability of the Company to match the net funding requirements with sufficient liquidity. A decrease in funding sources mainly due to market instability or a decrease in credit risk results in liquidity risk. The Company manages the liquidity risk by maintaining sufficient cash and other liquid assets in order to fund the current and prospective debt requirements.

The Company does not have any derivative or other financial liabilities.

iii. Information on market risk

Foreign currency risk

Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currency held by the Company at 31 December 2019 and 2018 in original currency and total TL equivalents are as follows:

	31 December 2019		31 December 2018	
	TL equivalent	Euro	TL equivalent	Euro
Cash and cash equivalents	1,953,683	293,760	179,353,486	29,753,398
Financial investments	197,986,413	29,769,707	-	-
Total assets	199,940,096	30,063,467	179,353,486	29,753,398
Other liabilities (-)	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities (-)	-	-	-	-
Net foreign currency position	199,940,096	30,063,467	179,353,486	29,753,398

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Foreign currency sensitivity analysis

31 December 2019

	<u>Profit/loss</u>		<u>Shareholder’s equity</u>	
	<u>Appreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Depreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Appreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Depreciation of foreign currency</u>
10% change in EUR foreign currency rate				
EUR net asset/(liability)	19,994,010	(19,994,010)	19,994,010	(19,994,010)
Hedged portion against EUR risk (-)	-	-	-	-
Net effect of EUR	19,994,010	(19,994,010)	19,994,010	(19,994,010)
Total foreign currency effect	19,994,010	(19,994,010)	19,994,010	(19,994,010)

31 December 2018

	<u>Profit/loss</u>		<u>Shareholder’s equity</u>	
	<u>Appreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Depreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Appreciation of foreign currency</u>	<u>Depreciation of foreign currency</u>
10% change in EUR foreign currency rate				
EUR net asset/(liability)	17,935,349	(17,935,349)	17,935,349	(17,935,349)
Hedged portion against EUR risk (-)	-	-	-	-
Net effect of EUR	17,935,349	(17,935,349)	17,935,349	(17,935,349)
Total foreign currency effect	17,935,349	(17,935,349)	17,935,349	(17,935,349)

NOTE 13 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Fair value of the financial instruments

Fair value is the amount at which a financial instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced sale or liquidation, and is best evidenced by a quoted market price, if one exists.

The estimated fair values of financial instruments have been determined by the Company using available market information and appropriate valuation methodologies. However, judgment is necessarily required to interpret market data to estimate the fair value. Accordingly, the estimates presented herein are not necessarily indicative of the amounts the Company could realize in a current market exchange.

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of the financial instruments for which it is practicable to estimate fair value:

Financial assets:

It is estimated that the fair values and carrying amount of the cash and cash equivalents is close to each other, since it has short term maturities.

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NOTE 14 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Covid-19 effect

The Covid-19 outbreak that is declared by the World Health Organisation to be pandemic on 11 March 2020 spread across the globe and Turkey and preventive actions that have been taken into place to respond the outbreak and causes disruptions to business activities in all countries and affect the economic conditions adversely both locally and globally. The Company does not expect that the economic effect of this outbreak will have significant impact on the financial position or performance of the Company which could impact recoverability of its assets according to the assessments as at the reporting date. The Company Management is continuing to assess the future potential impact on the operations and financial statements of the Company resulting from the aforementioned situation.

“Provisional Article 13” is added to the Turkish Commercial Code numbered 6102 with the Law on Reducing the Effects of the New Coronavirus (Covid-19) Outbreak on Economic and Social Life and Law Amending Some Laws numbered 7244 published in the Official Gazette dated 17 April 2020 and numbered 31102.

The disclosures for financial statements of annual financial statements that for the year then ended on 31 December 2020 (for the 2020 taxation period):

As of 31 December 2019, the current Corporate Tax rate is 22% in Turkey. However, “the Law On Collection Procedure of Public Receivables” which has been published on the Official Gazette numbered 31462 and dated 22 April 2021, Article 11 of “the Law on the Amendment of Some Laws” and the provisional article 13 which has been added to the Law No 5520 Corporate Tax, the income tax rate will be applied as 25% for the corporate income related to the 2021 taxation period and 23% for the corporate income related to the 2022 taxation period.

This change will be applicable for the taxation of corporate income for the taxable periods beginning from 1 January 2021, beginning with the declarations that must be submitted as of 1 July 2021.

Between 31 December 2020 and 14 June 2021, the date when the financial statements were approved, the Turkish Lira was significantly depreciated against major foreign currencies. This depreciation was 13% against the US Dollar and 11% against the Euro.