THE ROUNDTABLE ON SUSTAINABLE PALM OIL

Audited Financial Statements
For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

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Statement from Chief Financial Officer

I, Patrick Chia Jet Khin, representing The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil ("RSPO"), do hereby state that the financial statements set out on pages 6 to 63 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the RSPO Group and RSPO as at 30 June 2021 and of the financial performance and cash flows of the RSPO Group and RSPO for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 in accordance with the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards.

Signed on behalf of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil on 26 October 2021.

PATRICK CHIA JET KHIN CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia



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Independent auditors' report to the members of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Our opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil ("RSPO") and its subsidiaries ("RSPO Group"), which comprise the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances as at 30 June 2021, and the statements of income and expenditure, statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows for the financial year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages 6 to 63.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the RSPO Group and of RSPO as at 30 June 2021, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the financial year then ended in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the 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 audit opinion.

Independence and other ethical responsibilities

We are independent of the RSPO Group and of RSPO in accordance with the By-Laws (on Professional Ethics, Conduct and Practice) of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("By-Laws") and the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) ("IESBA Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the By-Laws and the IESBA Code.

Responsibilities of the Board of Governors for the financial statements

The Board of Governors of RSPO are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO that give true and fair view in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards. The Board of Governors are also responsible for such internal control as the Board of Governors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO that are free from material statement, whether due to fraud or error.



Independent auditors' report to the members of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil

Report on the audit of the financial statements (contd.)

Responsibilities of the Board of Governors for the financial statements (contd.)

In preparing the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO, the Board of Governors are responsible for assessing RSPO Group's and RSPO's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Governors either intend to liquidate RSPO Group or RSPO or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO 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 approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing 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 approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO, 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 RSPO Group's and RSPO's internal control;
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Governors;



Independent auditors' report to the members of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil

Report on the audit of the financial statements (contd.)

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (contd.)

As part of an audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also: (contd.)

- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Governors' use of the going concern basis
 accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists
 related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on RSPO Group's and RSPO's
 ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we
 are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the
 financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to
 modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date
 of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause RSPO Group or
 RSPO to cease to continue as a going concern;
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements of RSPO Group and of RSPO represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation; and
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the
 entities or business activities within the RSPO Group to express an opinion on the financial
 statements of RSPO Group. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and
 performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Board of Governors 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.



Independent auditors' report to the members of The Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil

Other matters

This report is made solely to the members of RSPO, as a body, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility to any other person for the content of this report.

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Chartered Accountant

Statements of income and expenditure For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

		RSPO Group		RSPO		
		2021	2020	2021	2020	
	Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Income						
Subscription income Contributions from sustainable	1	19,315	17,819	19,315	17,819	
palm oil trade Interest income from fixed	2	38,453	35,379	38,453	35,379	
deposits		361	444	360	443	
Other income		647	209	647	209	
		58,776	53,851	58,775	53,850	
Less: expenditure						
Staff costs	3	18,019	15,219	-	-	
Management fees		-	-	27,660	21,535	
Recruitment expenses		683	719	-	-	
Professional fees		1,396	1,244	832	784	
Short term leases		436	837	-	-	
Consultancy fees		4,651	2,248	998	1,409	
Trademark and patent		236	18	236	18	
Board of Governors meeting						
expenses		60	131	60	131	
General assembly	_	95	16	95	16	
Roundtable meeting deficit Dispute Settlement Facility	5	344	3	344	3	
Trustee fee		48	-	48	-	
Bad debts written off		213	13	213	13	
Net (reversal)/allowance for		()		/a=\		
impairment on receivables	13	(27)	456	(27)	456	
Net foreign exchange (gain)/loss	6	(89)	120	(105)	12	
Auditors' remuneration		157	128	57	41	
Depreciation - property, plant	•	504	007			
and equipment	9	584	327	-	-	
Depreciation - right-of-use	40	000	070			
assets	10	920	679	-	-	
Finance costs	17	115	127	- 576	- 740	
Other expenditure		2,168	2,342 24,627	576 30,987	748 25,166	
Project costs	7	30,009 11,312	2 4 ,627 16,956	30,96 <i>1</i> 11,312	16,956	
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		71,041	+ 1,505	74,433	74,144	

Statements of income and expenditure For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

		RSPO Group			0
		2021	2020	2021	2020
	Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Surplus of income over expenditure before					
taxation		17,455	12,268	16,476	11,728
Taxation	8	(458)	(714)	(55)	(217)
Surplus of income over expenditure for the					
financial year		16,997	11,554	16,421	11,511
over expenditure before taxation Taxation Surplus of income over expenditure for the	8	17,455 (458)	(714)	16,476 (55)	11,7 (2

Statements of comprehensive income For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

	RSPO G	roup	RSPO		
	2021	2020	2021	2020	
Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Surplus of income over expenditure for the financial year	16,997	11,554	16,421	11,511	
Item that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss:					
Currency translation differences	(678)	235	(678)	235	
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the financial year, net of tax	(678)	235	(678)	235	
Total comprehensive income for the financial year	16,319	11,789	15,743	11,746	

Statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances As at 30 June 2021

		RSPO Group		RSPO		
	N 1 4	2021 2020		2021	2020	
	Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Assets						
Non-current assets						
Property, plant and equipment	9	1,018	1,391	-	-	
Right-of-use assets	10	1,227	2,147	-	-	
Deferred tax assets	11	383	311	205	184	
Investment in subsidiaries	12	<u> </u>		500	500	
		2,628	3,849	705	684	
Current assets						
Membership subscription						
fee receivable	13	1,725	1,829	1,725	1,829	
Other receivables, deposits and						
prepayments	14	5,407	7,907	6,957	10,822	
Tax recoverable		76	188	-	29	
Fixed deposits with a						
licensed bank	16	25,111	16,477	25,111	16,477	
Cash and bank balances	15	40,312	31,456	37,061	29,594	
		72,631	57,857	70,854	58,751	
Total assets		75,259	61,706	71,559	59,435	
Liabilities						
Non-current liability						
Lease liabilities	17	394	1,298			
Current liabilities						
Contract liabilities	18	9,795	8,965	9,795	8,965	
Other payables and accruals	19	5,373	5,987	4,348	6,737	
Tax provision		-	-	3	_	
Lease liabilities	17	887	902	_	_	
		16,055	15,854	14,146	15,702	
Total liabilities	<u> </u>	16,449	17,152	14,146	15,702	
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Net assets		58,810	44,554	57,413	43,733	
Total equity		58,810	44,554	57,413	43,733	

Statements of changes in equity For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

RSPO Group	Note	Members' fund RM'000	Smallholders' fund (Note 20) RM'000	Special projects fund (Note 21) RM'000	Accumulated fund RM'000	Currency translation reserves RM'000	Total equity RM'000
2021							
At 1 July 2020		23,028	7,699	9,683	40,410	4,144	44,554
Surplus of income over expenditure for the financial year Other comprehensive loss		16,997	-	-	16,997	-	16,997
- Currency translation differences		-	-	-		(678)	(678)
Total comprehensive income	-	16,997	-	-	16,997	(678)	16,319
Project disbursements for the financial year		-	(1,245)	(818)	(2,063)	-	(2,063)
Transfer to Smallholders' fund	20	(1,000)	1,000	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Special projects' fund	21 _	-			-	-	
At 30 June 2021	-	39,025	7,454	8,865	55,344	3,466	58,810

Statements of changes in equity For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

RSPO Group	Note	Members' fund RM'000	Smallholders' fund (Note 20) RM'000	Special projects fund (Note 21) RM'000	Accumulated fund RM'000	Currency translation reserves RM'000	Total equity RM'000
2020							
At 1 July 2019		16,474	8,580	9,268	34,322	3,909	38,231
Surplus of income over expenditure for the financial year Other comprehensive income:		11,554	-	-	11,554	-	11,554
- Currency translation differences		-	_	-	-	235	235
Total comprehensive income	_	11,554	-	-	11,554	235	11,789
Project disbursements for the financial year		-	(1,881)	(3,585)	(5,466)	-	(5,466)
Transfer to Smallholders' fund	20	(1,000)	1,000	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Special projects' fund	21	(4,000)	-	4,000		-	
At 30 June 2020	_	23,028	7,699	9,683	40,410	4,144	44,554

Statements of changes in equity For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

	Note	Members' fund RM'000	Smallholders' fund (Note 20) RM'000	Special projects fund (Note 21) RM'000	Accumulated fund RM'000	Currency translation reserves RM'000	Total equity RM'000
RSPO							
2021							
At 1 July 2020		22,207	7,699	9,683	39,589	4,144	43,733
Surplus of income over expenditure for the financial year Other comprehensive loss		16,421		-	16,421	-	16,421
- Currency translation differences		_	-	_	_	(678)	(678)
Total comprehensive income	_	16,421	-	-	16,421	(678)	15,743
Project disbursements for the financial year		-	(1,245)	(818)	(2,063)	-	(2,063)
Transfer to Smallholders' fund	20	(1,000)	1,000	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Special projects' fund	21	-	-	-	-	-	
At 30 June 2021	_	37,628	7,454	8,865	53,947	3,466	57,413

Statements of changes in equity For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

RSPO	Note	Members' fund RM'000	Smallholders' fund (Note 20) RM'000	Special projects fund (Note 21) RM'000	Accumulated fund RM'000	Currency translation reserves RM'000	Total equity RM'000
RSPO							
2020							
At 1 July 2019		15,696	8,580	9,268	33,544	3,909	37,453
Surplus of income over expenditure for the financial year Other comprehensive income		11,511		-	11,511	-	11,511
- Currency translation differences		-	-	-	-	235	235
Total comprehensive income	•	11,511	-	-	11,511	235	11,746
Project disbursements for the financial year		-	(1,881)	(3,585)	(5,466)	-	(5,466)
Transfer to Smallholders' fund	20	(1,000)	1,000	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Special projects' fund	21	(4,000)	-	4,000			
At 30 June 2020	_	22,207	7,699	9,683	39,589	4,144	43,733

Statements of cash flows For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

	RSPO Group		RSPO		
	2021	2020	2021	2020	
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Cash flows from operating activities					
Surplus of income over					
expenditure for the financial year	47.455	40.000	40.470	44 700	
before taxation	17,455	12,268	16,476	11,728	
Adjustments for:					
Depreciation of property,	504	007			
plant and equipment	584	327	-	-	
Depreciation of right-of-use	000	070			
assets	920	679	-	-	
Finance costs	115	127	-	-	
Unrealised foreign exchange	(165)	50			
(gain)/loss	(103)	59	-	-	
Property, plant and equipment written off		51			
Gain on disposals of property,	-	31	-	-	
plant and equipment	_	(2)	_	_	
Net (reversal)/allowance for	_	(2)	_	_	
impairment on receivables	(27)	456	(27)	456	
Bad debts written off	213	13	213	13	
Interest income	(361)	(444)	(360)	(443)	
Operating surplus before	(301)	(+++)	(300)	(440)	
working capital changes and					
fund disbursements	18,734	13,534	16,302	11,754	
Smallholder fund disbursements	(1,245)	(1,881)	(1,245)	(1,881)	
Special projects fund disbursements	(818)	(3,585)	(818)	(3,585)	
Changes in working capital:	(010)	(0,000)	(010)	(0,000)	
Membership subscription					
fee receivable	(58)	(587)	(58)	(587)	
Other receivables, deposits and	(33)	(00.)	(33)	(00.)	
prepayments	2,553	(4,069)	3,922	(6,394)	
Deferred subscription income	883	553	883	553	
Prepaid membership fees	36	(212)	36	(212)	
Other payables and accruals	(421)	(1,838)	(2,276)	(1227)	
Cash generated from/(used in)	(/)	(1,010)	(-,3)	(:==:/	
operations	19,664	1,915	16,746	(1,579)	

Statements of cash flows For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

	RSPO Group		RSPO	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities (contd.)				
Cash generated from/(used in)				
operations (contd.)	19,664	1,915	16,746	(1,579)
Interest received	295	321	294	321
Income tax refund	306	-	306	-
Income tax paid	(724)	(782)	(350)	_
Net cash flow generated from/				
(used in) operating activities	19,541	1,454	16,996	(1,258)
Cash flows from investing activities				
Purchase of property, plant				
and equipment	(211)	(1,184)	-	-
Placement of fixed deposits	(8,579)	-	(8,579)	-
Proceeds from disposal of property,				
plant and equipment	-	6	_	-
Net cash flow used in investing activities	(8,790)	(1,178)	(8,579)	-
Cash flows from financing activities				
Repayment of principal portion of				
lease liabilities	(919)	(626)	_	_
Payment of finance costs	(115)	(127)	_	_
Net cash flow used in financing	(110)	(/		
activities	(1,034)	(753)	-	-
_				
Net movement in cash				
and cash equivalents	9,717	(477)	8,417	(1,258)
Effect of foreign exchange rate				
changes	(806)	290	(895)	291
Cash and cash equivalents				
at beginning of the	00.400	00.070	07.00-	00.07:
financial year	39,169	39,356	37,307	38,274
Cash and cash equivalents	10 NON	20 160	44 920	27 207
at end of the financial year	48,080	39,169	44,829	37,307

Statements of cash flows For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

	RSPO Group		RSP	0
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Analysis of cash and cash equivalents:				
Cash and bank balances	40,312	31,456	37,061	29,594
Deposits placed with a licensed bank	25,111	16,477	25,111	16,477
Less: Deposits placed with a licensed bank with tenure more than				
3 months	(17,343)	(8,764)	(17,343)	(8,764)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of financial year	48,080	39,169	44,829	37,307

Notes to the statements of cash flows:

The changes in liabilities arising from financing activities, including both changes arising from cash flows and non-cash changes are as follows:

	Lease lial	Lease liabilities	
	2021	2020	
	RM'000	RM'000	
RSPO Group			
At 1 July	2,200	963	
Cash flows	(1,034)	(753)	
Non-cash items:			
- Finance costs	115	127	
- Addition of lease liabilities		1,863	
At 30 June	1,281	2,200	

General information and summary of significant accounting policies

A. General information

The principal activity of RSPO Group is to organise programmes which involve the promotion of growth and the use of sustainable palm oil through co-operation within the supply chain and open dialogue with its stakeholders. RSPO is a "not-for-profit" organisation. The principal activities of the subsidiary companies are shown in Note 12 to the financial statements. There have been no significant changes in the nature of these principal activities during the financial year.

The address of principal place of business of RSPO is Unit 13A-1, Menara Etiqa, No. 3, Jalan Bangsar Utama 1, 59000 Kuala Lumpur.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Governors of RSPO Group and RSPO on 26 October 2021.

B. Summary of significant accounting policies

(a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements of The Roundtable of Sustainable Palm Oil Group ("RSPO Group") and RSPO have been prepared in accordance with the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") and International Financial Reporting Standards.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except as disclosed in the summary of principal accounting policies.

The financial statements are presented in Ringgit Malaysia ("RM") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand ("RM'000") except when otherwise indicated.

(b) Changes in accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except as follows:

On 1 July 2020, the RSPO Group and RSPO adopted the following new and amended MFRSs mandatory for annual financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020.

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Revised Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting Amendments to MFRS 3: Definition of a Business	1 January 2020 1 January 2020

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(b) Changes in accounting policies (contd.)

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except as follows: (contd.)

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to MFRS 101 and MFRS 108: Definition of	
Material	1 January 2020
Amendments to MFRS 9, MFRS 139 and MFRS 7: Interest	
Rate Benchmark Reform Amendment to MFRS 16 Leases: Covid-19-Related Rent	1 January 2020
Concessions	1 June 2020

The adoption of the above standards and interpretations did not have material effect on the financial statements of the RSPO Group and RSPO.

(c) Standards and interpretations issued but not yet effective

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

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to MFRS 9, MFRS 139, MFRS 7, MFRS 4 and	
MFRS 16 : Interest Rate Benchmark Reform - Phase 2	1 January 2021
Amendment to MFRS 16 Leases: Covid-19-Related Rent	
Concessions beyond 30 June 2021	1 April 2021
Amendments to MFRS 3: Reference to the Conceptual	
Framework	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 116: Property, Plant and Equipment	
(Proceeds before Intended Use)	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 137: Onerous Contracts	
(Costs of Fulfilling a Contract)	1 January 2022
Annual Improvement to MFRS Standards 2018 - 2020 Cycle	1 January 2022
MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 17: Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(c) Standards and interpretations issued but not yet effective (contd.)

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to MFRS 101: Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 101: Classification of Liabilities as	•
Current or Non-current	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 108: Definition of Accounting Estimates Amendments to MFRS 112: Deferred Tax related to Assets and	1 January 2023
Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128: Sale or Contribution	1 January 2023
of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Deferred

The RSPO Group and RSPO expect that the adoption of the above standards and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements in the period of initial application.

(d) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the RSPO and its subsidiaries as at the reporting date. The financial statements of the subsidiaries used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are prepared for the same reporting date as the RSPO. Consistent accounting policies are applied for like transactions and events in similar circumstances.

The RSPO Group controls an investee if and only if the RSPO Group has all the following:

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

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(d) Basis of consolidation (contd.)

Generally, there is a presumption that a majority of voting rights results in control. To support this presumption and when the RSPO Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the RSPO Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- (i) The contractual arrangement with the other vote holders of the investee;
- (ii) Rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- (iii) The RSPO Group's voting rights and potential voting rights.

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

All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the RSPO Group are eliminated in full on consolidation. When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the RSPO Group's accounting policies.

If the RSPO Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the related assets (including goodwill), liabilities, non-controlling interests and other components of equity while any resultant gain or loss is recognised in consolidated statement of income and expendifure. Any investment retained is recognised at fair value.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(e) Investment in subsidiaries

In the RSPO's separate financial statements, investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost less impairment losses. On disposal of such investments, the difference between net disposal proceeds and their carrying amounts is included in statements of income and expenditure.

(f) Current versus non-current classification

The RSPO Group and RSPO present assets and liabilities in statements of financial position based on current/non-current classification. An asset is current when it is:

- (i) Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in normal operating cycle;
- (ii) Held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- (iii) Expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- (iv) Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

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

The RSPO Group and RSPO classify all other liabilities as non-current. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(g) Property, plant and equipment and depreciation

All items of property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised as an asset if, and only if, it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the RSPO Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Subsequent to initial recognition, property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis to write off the cost of the assets to their residual values over their estimated useful lives, summarised as follows:

Computers and software	33 1/3%
Furniture and fittings	20%
Office equipment	20%
Renovation	50%

At each reporting date, the RSPO Group assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. If such indications exist, an analysis is performed to assess whether the carrying amount of the asset is fully recoverable. A write down is made if the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount. See accounting policy Note (h) on impairment of non-financial assets.

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation method are reviewed at each financial year end to ensure that the amount, method and period of depreciation are consistent with previous estimates and the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits embodied in the items of property, plant and equipment.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount and are included in statement of income and expenditure from operations.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(h) Impairment of non-financial assets

Assets that are subject to amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that suffered an impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting date.

The impairment loss is charged to statement of income and expenditure unless it reverses a previous revaluation in which case it is charged to the revaluation surplus. In respect of other assets, any subsequent increase in recoverable amount is recognised in statement of income and expenditure unless it reverses an impairment loss on a revalued asset in which case it is taken to revaluation surplus reserve.

(i) Income recognition

(i) Revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue from contracts with customers is recognised by reference to each distinct performance obligation in the contract with customer. Revenue from contracts with customers is measured at its transaction price, being the amount of consideration which the RSPO Group and RSPO expect to be entitled in exchange for transferring promised services to a customer, net of goods and service tax. Transaction price is allocated to each performance obligation on the basis of the relative standalone selling prices of each distinct good or services promised in the contract. Depending on the substance of the contract, revenue is reeognised when the performance obligation is satisfied, which may be at a point in time or over time.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(i) Income recognition (contd.)

(i) Revenue from contracts with customers (contd.)

Specific criteria for each of the RSPO Group and RSPO activities are described below:

(a) Subscription income

The RSPO Group and RSPO recognise subscription income over the duration of the respective membership period.

Subscription fees are due once membership application is approved. The RSPO Group's and RSPO's obligation to render services to members for which the RSPO Group and RSPO have received consideration in advance from members is presented as contract liabilities.

(b) Contributions from sustainable palm oil trade

The contribution from sustainable palm oil trade is recognised when the right to receive payment is established. Payment of the transaction price is due immediately when the buyer trades the palm oil.

(ii) Revenue from other sources - Interest income

Interest income is recognised on an accrual basis, using effective interest rate method.

Subscription income from members is recognised on an accrual basis.

Other operating income is recognised when the right to receive payment is established.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(j) Cash and cash equivalents

For purposes of statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, bank balances and deposits held at call with banks that are readily convertible within original maturities of 3 months or less to known amount of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

(k) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the RSPO Group and RSPO have a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, when it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and when a reliable estimate of the amount can be made.

Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of economic resources will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

(I) Grants

Grants are recognised where there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and all attached conditions will be complied with. When the grant relates to an expense item, it is recognised as income on a systematic basis over the periods that the related costs, for which it is intended to compensate, are expensed. When the grant relates to an asset, it is recognised as income in equal amounts over the expected useful life of the related asset.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(m) Contract liabilities

A contract liability is the obligation of the RSPO Group and RSPO to transfer goods and services to a customer for which it has received consideration (or an amount of consideration is due) from the customer. If a customer pays consideration or the RSPO Group and RSPO have a right to an amount of consideration that is unconditional before it transfers goods or services to the customer, a contract liability is recognised when the payment is made or the payment is due (whichever is earlier). Contract liabilities are recognised as income when the RSPO Group and RSPO perform its obligation under the contract. Contract liability is the excess of the billings to date to the customer over the cumulative income earned or recognised in statement of income and expenditure. Contract liabilities include advance payment and down payments received from customers and other amounts where the RSPO Group and RSPO have billed before the goods are delivered or services are provided to the customers.

(n) Foreign currencies

(i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ("the functional currency"). The functional and presentation currency of the RSPO Group and RSPO are US Dollar and Ringgit Malaysia respectively.

(ii) Foreign currency transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions or valuation where items are re-measured. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in statements of income and expenditure, except when deferred in other comprehensive income as qualifying cash flow hedges and qualifying net investment hedges.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(n) Foreign currencies (contd.)

(iii) Foreign exchange gains and losses

Foreign exchange gains and losses that relate to cash and cash equivalents are presented in statements of income and expenditure within 'finance income or cost'. All other foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in statements of income and expenditure within "net foreign exchange (gain)/loss". Changes in the fair value of monetary securities denominated in foreign currency classified as available for sale are analysed between translation differences resulting from changes in the amortised cost of the security and other changes in the carrying amount of the security. Translation differences related to changes in amortised cost are recognised in statements of income and expenditure, and other changes in carrying amount are recognised in other comprehensive income.

(iv) Group entities

The results and financial position of all the RSPO Group entities that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- (a) assets and liabilities for each statement of financial position presented are translated at the closing rate at the reporting date;
- (b) income and expenses for each statements of comprehensive income are translated at average exchange rates (unless this average is not a reasonable approximation of the cumulative effect of the rates prevailing on the transaction dates, in which case income and expenses are translated at the rate on the dates of the transactions); and
- (c) all resulting exchange differences are recognised as a separate component of other comprehensive income.

(o) Current and deferred income tax

Tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred income tax. The income tax expense or credit for the period is the tax payable on the current period's taxable surplus of income over expenditure based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences and to unused tax losses. Tax is recognised in statements of income and expenditure, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case the tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(o) Current and deferred income tax (contd.)

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax is provided in full, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the amounts attributed to assets and liabilities for tax purposes and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. However, deferred income tax liabilities are not recognised if they arise from the initial recognition of goodwill. Deferred tax is also not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable surplus of income over expenditure. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period and are expected to apply when the related deferred tax asset is realised or the deferred tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses or unused tax credits can be utilised.

Deferred and income tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the deferred income tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the taxable entity or different taxable entities where there is an intention to settle the balances on a net basis.

(p) Leases

Accounting by lessee

Leases are recognised as right-of-use ("ROU") asset and a corresponding liability at the date on which the leased asset is available for use by the RSPO Group.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The RSPO Group allocates the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on their relative stand-alone prices. However, for leases of properties for which the RSPO Group is lessee, it has elected the practical expedient provided in MFRS 16 not to separate lease and non-lease components. Both components are accounted for as a single lease component and payments for both components are included in the measurement of lease liability.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(p) Leases (contd.)

Accounting by lessee (contd.)

(i) Lease term

In determining the lease term, the RSPO Group considers all facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive to exercise an extension option, or not to exercise a termination option. Extension options are only included in the lease term if the lease is reasonably certain to be extended.

The RSPO Group reassesses the lease term upon the occurrence of a significant event or change in circumstances that is within the control of the RSPO Group and affects whether the RSPO Group are reasonably certain to exercise an option not previously included in the determination of lease term, or not to exercise an option previously included in the determination of lease term. A revision in lease term results in remeasurement of the lease liabilities.

(ii) ROU assets

ROU assets are initially measured at cost comprising the following:

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

ROU assets that are not investment properties are subsequently measured at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment. The ROU assets are generally depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis.

The estimated useful lives of the right-of-use assets are determined on the same basis as those of property, plant and equipment as follows:

Office buildings and office space

1 - 2 years

If the RSPO Group is reasonably certain to exercise a purchase option, the ROU asset is depreciated over the underlying asset's useful life. In addition, the ROU assets are adjusted for certain remeasurement of the lease liabilities.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(p) Leases (contd.)

Accounting by lessee (contd.)

(ii) ROU assets (contd.)

The RSPO Group presents ROU assets that meet the definition of investment property in the statement of assets, liabilities and fund balances as investment property. ROU assets that are not investment properties are presented as a separate line item in the statement of assets, liabilities and fund balances.

(iii) Lease liabilities

Lease liabilities are initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at that date. The lease payments include the following:

- Fixed payments, less any lease incentive receivable;
- Variable lease payments 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 RSPO Group under residual value guarantees;
- The exercise price of a purchase and extension options if the RSPO Group is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and
- Payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the RSPO Group exercising that option.

Lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease. If that rate cannot be readily determined, which is generally the case for leases in the RSPO Group, the lessee's incremental borrowing is used. This is the rate that the Individual lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value to the ROU in a similar economic environment with similar term, security and conditions.

Lease payments are allocated between principal and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to statements of income and expenditure 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 RSPO Group presents the lease liabilities as a separate line item in the statement of assets, liabilities and fund balances. Interest expense on the lease liability is presented within the finance cost in statements of income and expenditure in the statement of income and expenditure.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(p) Leases (contd.)

Accounting by lessee (contd.)

(iv) Reassessment of lease liabilities

The RSPO Group is also exposed to potential future increases in variable lease payments that depend on an index or rate, which are not included in the lease liability until they take effect. When adjustments to lease payments based on an index or rate take effect, the lease liability is remeasured and adjusted against the ROU assets.

(v) Short term leases and leases of low value assets

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

(q) Financial assets

(i) Classification

The RSPO Group and RSPO classify its financial assets to be measured at amortised cost.

(ii) Recognition and derecognition

Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on tradedate, the date on which the RSPO Group and RSPO commit to purchase or sell the asset. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the RSPO Group and RSPO have transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

(iii) Measurement

At initial recognition, the RSPO Group and RSPO measure 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 statements of income and expenditure.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(q) Financial assets (contd.)

(iii) Measurement (contd.)

Debt instruments

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depend on the RSPO Group's and RSPO's business model for managing the asset and the cash flow characteristics of the asset. The RSPO Group and RSPO reclassify debt instruments when and only when its business model for managing those assets changes.

The RSPO Group and RSPO measure its debt instruments at amortised cost.

Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest ("SPPI") are measured at amortised cost. Interest income from these financial assets is included in other income using the effective interest rate method. Any gain or loss arising on de-recognition is recognised directly in statements of income and expenditure together with foreign exchange gains and losses. impairment losses are presented as separate line item in the statements of income and expenditure.

(iv) Subsequent measurement - impairment

Impairment for debt instruments

The RSPO Group and RSPO assess on a forward-looking basis the expected credit loss ("ECL") associated with its debt instruments carried at amortised cost. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

There are three types of financial instruments that are subject to the ECL model:

- Trade receivables
- Other receivables
- · Amounts owing by subsidiaries

Cash and cash equivalents are also subject to the impairment requirements of MFRS 9, the identified impairment loss was immaterial.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(q) Financial assets (contd.)

(iv) Subsequent measurement - impairment (contd.)

Impairment for debt instruments (contd.)

ECL represent a probability-weighted estimate of the difference between present value of cash flows according to contract and present value of cash flows the RSPO Group and RSPO expect to receive, over the remaining life of the financial instrument.

The measurement of ECL reflects:

- an unbiased and probability-weighted amount that is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes;
- the time value of money; and
- reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

Simplified approach for trade receivables (for third party and amounts owing by subsidiaries

The RSPO Group and RSPO apply the MFRS 9 simplified approach to measure ECL which uses a lifetime ECL for all trade receivables.

General 3-stage approach for other receivables and non-trade inter-company

At each reporting date, the RSPO Group and RSPO measure ECL through loss allowance at an amount equal to 12 months ECL if credit risk on a financial instrument or a group of financial instruments has not increased significantly since initial recognition. For all other financial instruments, a loss allowance at an amount equal to lifetime ECL is required.

Significant increase in credit risk

The RSPO Group and RSPO consider the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk, the RSPO Group and RSPO compare the risk of a default occurring on the asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers available reasonable and supportable forward-looking information.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(q) Financial assets (contd.)

(iv) Subsequent measurement - impairment (contd.)

Significant increase in credit risk (contd.)

The following indicators are incorporated:

- actual or expected significant adverse changes in business, financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to the debtor's ability to meet its obligations;
- actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the debtor;
- significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same debtor;
- significant changes in the value of the collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of third-party guarantees or credit enhancements; and
- significant changes in the expected performance and behaviour of the debtor, including changes in the payment status of debtor and changes in the operating results of the debtor.

Macroeconomic information (such as market interest rates or growth rates) is incorporated as part of the internal rating model.

Regardless of the analysis above, a significant increase in credit risk is presumed if a debtor is more than 30 days past due in making a contractual payment.

Definition of default and credit-impaired financial assets

The RSPO Group and RSPO define a financial instrument as default, which is fully aligned with the definition of credit-impaired, when it meets one or more of the following criteria:

(a) Quantitative criteria:

The RSPO Group and RSPO define a financial instrument as default, when the counterparty fails to make contractual payment within 180 days of when they fall due.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(q) Financial assets (contd.)

(iv) Subsequent measurement - impairment (contd.)

Definition of default and credit-impaired financial assets (contd.)

(b) Qualitative criteria:

The debtor meets unlikeliness to pay criteria, which indicates the debtor is in significant financial difficulty. The RSPO Group and RSPO consider the following instances:

- the debtor is in breach of financial covenants:
- concessions have been made by the lender relating to the debtor's financial difficulty;
- it is becoming probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization; and
- the debtor is insolvent.

Financial instruments that are credit-impaired are assessed on individual basis.

(v) Write-off

Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery include, amongst others, the failure of a debtor to engage in a repayment plan with the RSPO Group and RSPO.

Impairment losses on trade and other receivables are presented as net allowance for impairment on receivables within statements of income and expenditure. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against the same line item.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(r) Financial liabilities

Classification, measurement and de-recognition

Other financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value plus directly attributable transaction costs.

Other financial liabilities of the RSPO Group and RSPO comprise "Other payables and accruals" in the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances (Note 19).

Subsequent to initial recognition, other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains and losses are recognised in the statements of income and expenditure when the other financial liabilities are derecognised, and through the amortisation process.

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expired.

(s) Fair value measurement

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

- (i) In the principal market for the asset or liability; or
- (ii) In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability. The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the RSPO Group and RSPO.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(s) Fair value measurement (contd.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

(t) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the statements of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The legally enforceable right must not be contingent on future events and must be enforceable in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankruptcy.

General information and summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

B. Summary of significant accounting policies (contd.)

(u) Employee benefits

(i) Short term employee benefits

Wages, salaries, paid annual leave and sick leave, bonuses, and non-monetary benefits are accrued in the period in which the associated services are rendered by employees of RSPO Group.

(ii) Post-employment benefits

Defined contribution plans

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which RSPO Group pays fixed contributions into a separate entity (a fund) and will have no legal or constructive obligations to pay further contributions if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

RSPO Group's contributions to defined contribution plans are charged to the statements of income and expenditure in the period to which they relate. Once the contributions have been paid, RSPO Group has no further payment obligations.

(iii) Termination benefits

Termination benefits are payable whenever an employee's employment is terminated before the normal retirement date or whenever an employee accepts voluntary redundancy in exchange for these benefits.

Significant accounting estimates and judgements

C. Significant accounting estimates and judgements

(a) Critical judgements made in applying accounting policies

There are no critical judgements made by management in the process of applying the RSPO Group's and RSPO's accounting policies that have significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

(b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty

There were no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that may have significant risks of causing material adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

Financial risk management objectives and policies

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies

The RSPO Group's and RSPO's financial risk management objective is to optimise value creation whilst minimising the potential adverse impact arising from fluctuations in foreign exchange rates and the unpredictability of the financial markets.

RSPO Group and RSPO operate within an established risk management framework and clearly defined guidelines that are regularly reviewed by the Finance Committee. Financial risk management is carried out through internal control system and adherence to RSPO Group financial risk management policies. RSPO Group is exposed mainly to credit risk, liquidity and cash flow risk as well as foreign currency risk. Information on the management of the related exposures are detailed below:

(a) Credit risk

RSPO Group's exposure to credit risks, or the risk of counterparties defaulting, arises mainly from cash and cash equivalents and receivables. RSPO Group does not have any major concentration of credit risk related to any individual or counterparty other than bank in which the cash deposits are held.

RSPO Group's deposits, cash and bank balances were largely placed with major financial institutions in Malaysia. The Board of Governors are of the view that the possibility of non-performance by these financial institutions, including those non-rated financial institutions, is remote on the basis of their financial strength.

Measurement of ECL

(i) Trade receivables using simplified approach

The expected loss rates are based on the payment profiles of income over a period of 24 month before reporting date and the corresponding historical credit losses experienced within this period. The historical loss rates are adjusted to reflect current and forward-looking information on macroeconomic factors affecting the ability of the customers to settle the receivables. No significant changes to estimation techniques or assumptions were made during the reporting period.

Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

(a) Credit risk (contd.)

Measurement of ECL (contd.)

(ii) Non-trade receivables using general 3-stage approach

The RSPO Group uses three categories for non-trade receivables which reflect their credit risk and how the loss allowance is determined for each of those categories. A summary of the assumptions underpinning the RSPO Group's ECL model is as follows:

Category	Group's definition of category	Basis for recognising ECL
Perform- ing	Debtors have a low risk of default and a strong capacity to meet contractual cash flows	12 month ECL
Under perform- ing	Debtors for which there is a significant increase in credit risk	Lifetime ECL
Non- perform- ing	Interest and/or- principal- repayments are 90 days past due or there is evidence indicating the asset iscreditimpaired	Lifetime ECL (credit impaired)
Write-off	There is evidence indicating that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery based on unavailability of debtor's sources of income or assets to generate sufficient future cash flows to repay the amount	

Based on the above, loss allowance is measured on either 12 month ECL or lifetime ECL using a PD x LGD x EAD methodology as follows:

- PD ("probability of default") the likelihood that the debtor would not be able to repay during the contractual period;
- LGD ("loss given default") the percentage of contractual cash flows that will not be collected if default happens; and
- EAD ("exposure at default") the outstanding amount that is exposed to default risk.

In deriving the PD and LGD, the RSPO Group considers historical data by each debtor by category and adjusts for forward-looking macroeconomic data. Loss allowance is measured at a probability-weighted amount that reflects the possibility that a credit loss occurs and the possibility that no credit loss occurs. No significant changes to estimation techniques or assumptions were made during the reporting period.

Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

(a) Credit risk (contd.)

Maximum exposure to credit risk

(i) Trade receivables using simplified approach

The maximum exposure to credit risk for trade receivables is represented by the carrying amount recognised in the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances. The amounts not provided are deemed recoverable, with low probability of default. This is supported after considering the historical data by each debtor category and the possibility of no credit loss may occur.

(ii) Non-trade receivables using general 3-stage approach

The maximum exposure to credit risk for non-trade and sundry receivable balances is represented by the carrying amount recognised in the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances due to the balances are considered to be performing, have low risk of default and strong capacity to meet contractual cash flow.

(b) Liquidity and cash flow risk

Liquidity risk arises from RSPO Group's management of working capital. It is the risk that RSPO Group will encounter difficulties in meeting its financial obligations when due.

RSPO Group's exposure to liquidity and cash flow risks arises mainly from general funding and business activities.

RSPO Group practices prudent liquidity risk management by maintaining sufficient cash and bank balances.

The table below analyses the financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the reporting date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows:

	Less than 1 year RM'000	Between 1 and 5 years RM'000	Total RM'000
2021			
RSPO Group Other payables and accruals	5,373	-	5,373
Lease liabilities	961	401	1,362
RSPO Other payables and accruals	4,348	-	4,348

Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

(b) Liquidity and cash flow risk (contd.)

	Less than 1 year RM'000	Between 1 and 5 years RM'000	Total RM'000
2020			
RSPO Group			
Other payables and accruals	5,987	-	5,987
Lease liabilities	1,016	1,362	2,378
RSPO			
Other payables and accruals	6,737	-	6,737

(c) Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates.

The RSPO Group and RSPO have transactional currency exposures arising from income or expenses that are denominated in a currency other than the respective functional currencies of the RSPO Group and RSPO entities, primarily Euro ("EUR"). Foreign exchange exposures in transactional currencies other than functional currencies of the operating entities are kept to an acceptable level. The RSPO Group and RSPO do not hedge these exposures. However, the Board of Governors via the Finance Committee keeps this policy under review.

The net unhedged financial assets and financial liabilities of the RSPO Group and RSPO that are not denominated in their functional currencies are as follows:

	RSPO	RSPO Group	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	
Financial assets Euro ("EUR")	3,497	9,832	
Financial liabilities Euro ("EUR")	261	694	

Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

(c) Foreign currency risk (contd.)

	RSPO		
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	
Financial assets Euro ("EUR")	4,532	10,426	
Financial liabilities Euro ("EUR")	237	748	

Sensitivity analysis for foreign currency risk

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the RSPO Group's and RSPO's surplus of income net of tax to a reasonably possible change in the foreign exchange rates against the functional currency of the RSPO Group and RSPO, with all other variables held constant.

		RSPO Group Surplus net of tax	
		2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
EUR/USD	- strengthened 6% (2020: 1%) - weakened 6% (2020: 1%)	144 (144)	68 (68)
		RSP Surplus ne 2021 RM'000	
EUR/USD	- strengthened 6% (2020: 1%) - weakened 6% (2020: 1%)	191 (191)	72 (72)

(d) Capital risk management policies and procedures

The primary objective of the RSPO Group's and RSPO's capital management is to ensure that it maintains a strong credit rating and healthy capital ratios in order to support its business.

Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

D. Financial risk management objectives and policies (contd.)

(d) Capital risk management policies and procedures (contd.)

The capital structure of RSPO Group and RSPO consist of equity of RSPO Group and RSPO (comprising share capital and retained earnings as disclosed in the statements of changes in equity). RSPO Group and RSPO manage its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, in light of changes in economic conditions. RSPO Group and RSPO are not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

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1. Subscription income

	RSPO Group and RSPO	
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from contracts with customers:		
	47 775	40.454
Ordinary members	17,775	16,454
Affiliate members	136	130
Supply chain associate	1,404	1,235
	19,315	17,819

Subscription income from members worldwide is recognised on a straight-line basis over the subscription period.

The number of members registered as at 30 June 2021 is 5,087 (2020: 4,831), including associate members of 3,022 (2020: 3,174).

2. Contributions from sustainable palm oil trade

	RSPO Group and RSPO		
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	
Revenue from contracts with customers:			
Certificate trading	8,187	7,994	
Segregated and mass balance trading	30,266	27,385	
	38,453	35,379	

The RSPO receives a contribution of USD1 per tonne from credit trades, charged to buyer of certificates. In addition, the RSPO receives a contribution of USD1 per tonne from first transactions under the segregated and mass balance supply claims. The USD1 per tonne levy is charged to the first buyer in the supply chain. The registration for these transactions under PalmTrace is operated by Rainforest Alliance.

The contributions from sustainable palm oil trade is recognised at a point in time.

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3. Staff costs

	RSPO Group	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Wages, salaries and bonuses Compensation for loss of office	13,315 2,766	12,770
Defined contribution plan	1,099	1,226
Other employee benefits and compensations	839	1,223
	18,019	15,219

Included in staff costs of the RSPO Group is the remuneration of 4 Executive Directors (2020:3) of RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd of RM2,881,000 (2020: RM1,569,000) as further disclosed in Note 4. During the financial year, 2 Directors resigned.

4. Directors' and other key management personnel remunerations

The details of remuneration received or receivable by directors and key management personnel of the RSPO Group during the financial years are as follows:

	RSPO Group	
	2021	
	RM'000	RM'000
Executive:		
Salaries and bonus	1,343	1,367
Compensation for loss of office	2,766	-
Contributions to defined contribution plan	177	202
	4,286	1,569

Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the RSPO Group, directly or indirectly, including any directors of RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd (whether executive or otherwise) and Chief Executive Officer of that RSPO Group.

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5. Roundtable meeting deficit

During the financial year, only 1 Roundtable event was held by the RSPO (2020: 1).

	RSPO Group and RSPO	
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Annual Roundtable meetings		
Collections and sponsorships	-	(2,311)
Expenses	344	2,314
Total deficits	344	3

6. Net foreign exchange (gain)/loss

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	RSPO Group		RSPO	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Realised foreign exchange loss/(gain)	76	61	(105)	12
Unrealised foreign exchange	70	01	(105)	12
(gain)/loss	(165)	59		-
Net foreign exchange (gain)/loss	(89)	120	(105)	12

7. Project costs

2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000		RSPO Group	RSPO Group and RSPO		
RM'000 RM'000		2021	2020		
		RM'000	RM'000		
Assurance 2,058 3,662	Assurance	2,058	3,662		
Standard development 2,694 3,732	Standard development	2,694	3,732		
Stakeholder engagement 4,854 5,708	Stakeholder engagement	4,854	5,708		
Market transformation 300 -	Market transformation	300	-		
Technical and membership 501 1,048	Technical and membership	501	1,048		
Strategic and secretariat projects 905 2,806	Strategic and secretariat projects	905	2,806		
11,312 16,956		11,312	16,956		

Project costs relate to expenditure incurred to organise programmes for the promotion of growth and the use of sustainable palm oil.

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8. Taxation

	RSPO Group		RSPO	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Current tax:				
- current financial year	530	456	141	240
- under/(over) provision in prior				
financial year	-	165	(65)	(3)
·	530	621	76	237
Deferred tax (Note 11):				
- origination and reversal of				
temporary differences	(72)	93	(21)	(20)
Tax expense for the financial year	458	714	55	217

The explanation of the relationship between tax expense and surplus of income over expenditure before taxation:

Numerical reconciliation of effective tax expense

	RSPO (Group	RSPO	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Surplus of income over				
expenditure before taxation	17,455	12,268	16,476	11,728
Tax calculated at Malaysian tax rate for associations of				
26% (2020: 26%)	4,538	3,190	4,284	3,049
Income not subject to tax	(14,598)	(13,458)	(14,598)	(13,458)
Expenses not deductible for tax				
purposes	10,479	10,822	10,457	10,651
Foreign tax expense	100	53	-	-
Effects of scale tax rates	(61)	(58)	(23)	(22)
Under/(over) provision of tax in				
prior financial years		165	(65)	(3)
Tax expense for the financial year	458	714	55	217

Domestic income tax is calculated at the Malaysian tax rate for associations of 26% (2020: 26%) of the estimated assessable profit for the financial year. The deferred tax computation is based on this rate.

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9. Property, plant and equipment

	Computers	Furniture	Office		
	and software	and fittings		Renovation	Total
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
RSPO Group					
2021					
Cost					
At 1 July 2020	1,091	407	229	1,024	2,751
Additions	165	4	3	39	211
Disposals	(9)	-	-	-	(9)
Write off	(215)	-	-	-	(215)
At 30 June 2021	1,032	411	232	1,063	2,738
Less: Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 July 2020	889	128	137	206	1,360
Charge for the	400	00	20	200	504
financial year	169	69	38	308	584
Disposals	(9)	-	-	-	(9)
Write off	(215)	407	475	-	(215)
At 30 June 2021	834	197	175	514	1,720
Net book value					
At 30 June 2021	198	214	57	549	1,018

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9. Property, plant and equipment (contd.)

	Computers and software RM'000	Furniture and fittings RM'000	Office equipment RM'000	Renovation RM'000	Total RM'000
RSPO Group					
2020					
Cost					
At 1 July 2019	992	443	253	603	2,291
Additions	99	235	48	802	1,184
Disposals	-	(122)	(2)	-	(124)
Write off		(149)	(70)	(381)	(600)
At 30 June 2020	1,091	407	229	1,024	2,751
Less: Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 July 2019 Charge for the	696	286	170	550	1,702
financial year	193	69	39	26	327
Disposals	-	(118)	(2)		(120)
Write off	_	(109)	(70)	(370)	(549)
At 30 June 2020	889	128	137	206	1,360
Net book value					
At 30 June 2020	202	279	92	818	1,391

10. Right-of-use assets

The RSPO Group as a lessee

The RSPO Group leases several office buildings and office space for a period of between 1 to 2 years. The lease agreement do not contain extension options.

Lease terms on the rental contracts are negotiated on an individual basis and contain various terms and conditions. The rental contracts do not impose any covenants.

Notes to the financial statements For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

10. Right-of-use assets (contd.)

expenditure.

The RSPO Group as a lessee (contd.)

RSPO Group	Office buildings and office space RM'000
·	
2021	
Cost At 1 July 2020 Addition during the financial year At 30 June 2021	2,826
Less: Accumulated depreciation	
At 1 July 2020 Depreciation expense At 30 June 2021	679 920 1,599
Net book value At 30 June 2021	1,227
2020	
Cost At 1 July 2019 Addition during the financial year At 30 June 2020	963 1,863 2,826
Less: Accumulated depreciation	
At 1 July 2019 Depreciation expense At 30 June 2020	679 679
Net book value At 30 June 2020	2,147
Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets recognised in statements	of income and

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11. Deferred tax assets

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 the deferred taxes relate to the same tax authority. The following amounts, determined after appropriate offsetting, are shown in the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances:

	RSPO	Group	RS	PO
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Subject to income tax - Deferred tax assets	383	311	205	184
At beginning of financial year Recognised in statements of income and and expenditure (Note 8)	311	404	184	164
Property, plant and equipmentOther payables, accruals and	2	(2)	-	-
contract liabilities	70	(91)	21	20
	72	(93)	21_	20
At end of financial year	383	311	205	184
Subject to income tax:				
Deferred tax assets (before offsetting): - Other payables, accruals and				
contract liabilities Offsetting	383	313 (2)	205	184
Deferred tax assets (after offsetting)	383	311	205	184
Deferred tax liabilities (before offsetting): - Property, plant and equipment Offsetting	- -	(2)	- -	- -
Deferred tax assets (after offsetting)			-	

Notes to the financial statements For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

12. Investment in subsidiaries

	RSI	RSPO		
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000		
Unquoted shares, at cost	500	500		

The details of the subsidiaries are as follows:

		Group's ef	fective	
	Country of	ownership i	<u>interest</u>	
<u>Name</u>	incorporation	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	Principal activities
		%	%	
RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd *	Malaysia	100	100	To provide administration, secretariat, staff secondment and other related services to RSPO.

^{*} The subsidiary is audited by Ernst & Young PLT, Malaysia.

Subsidiary of RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd

RSPO Secretariat	United States	100	100	To provide administration,
North America	of America			secretariat, staff
LLC **				secondment and other
				related services to RSPO.

^{**} A limited liability company formed under the Limited Liability Company Law of the state of New York. There is no audit requirement for the subsidiary company in the country of incorporation.

13. Membership subscription fee receivable

	RSPO Group and RSPO		
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	
Membership subscription fee receivable	2,294	2,963	
Less: Impairment on receivables	(569)	(1,134)	
	1,725	1,829	

Notes to the financial statements For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

13. Membership subscription fee receivable (contd.)

Trade receivables using simplified approach

The reconciliation of the loss allowance for trade receivables as at 30 June 2021 and 30 June 2020 to the opening loss allowance are as follows:

	RSPO Group and RSPO	
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 July	1,134	651
(Credited)/charged to statements of income and expenditure	(27)	456
Allowance written off	(538)	27
At 30 June	569	1,134

The following table contains an analysis of the credit risk exposure of trade receivables for which an ECL is recognised. The gross carrying amount of trade receivables below also represent the RSPO Group's maximum credit risk.

RSPO Group and RSPO

	Expected loss rate	Gross carrying amount RM'000	Loss allowance RM'000	Net carrying amount RM'000
2021				
Current - 30 days	-	984	-	984
31 - 60 days past due	-	328	-	328
61 - 180 days past due	12	471	58	413
181 - 365 days past due	100	182	182	-
More than 365 days past due	100 _	329	329	-
	_	2,294	569	1,725
2020				
Current - 30 days	-	1,021	-	1,021
31 - 60 days past due	-	500	-	500
61 - 180 days past due	33	457	149	308
181 - 365 days past due	100	547	547	-
More than 365 days past due	100 _	438	438	
	_	2,963	1,134	1,829

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14. Other receivables, deposits and prepayments

	RSPO Group		RSP	0
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Receivable from supply				
chain fees of sustainable				
palm oil trade	3,047	6,113	3,047	6,113
Other receivables	1,207	543	249	525
Amount due from a subsidiary	-	-	3,075	3,704
Deposits	576	686	148	128
	4,830	7,342	6,519	10,470
Goods and services tax ("GST")				
receivable	352	352	352	352
Prepayments	225	213	86	-
•	5,407	7,907	6,957	10,822

The amount due from a subsidiary is unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

Other receivables using general 3-stage approach

Other receivables are assessed using general 3-stage approach. The balances are deemed recoverable and performing, as there is no indication of increase in credit risk of these balances.

As at 30 June 2021, none of the other receivables and deposits of the RSPO Group and RSPO respectively were past due or impaired (2020: nil).

15. Cash and bank balances

Cash and bank balances are denominated as follows:

	RSPO Group		oup RSPO		RSPO	
	2021	2020	2021	2020		
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000		
Ringgit Malaysia	4,094	6,914	2,951	5,791		
United States Dollar	33,187	16,101	32,597	16,028		
Euro	1,513	7,775	1,513	7,775		
Colombian Peso	195	166	-	-		
Indonesian Rupiah	597	263	-	-		
Chinese Yen	300	177	-	-		
Singapore Dollar	395	-	-	-		
Others	31	60		-		
	40,312	31,456	37,061	29,594		

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15. Cash and bank balances (contd.)

Bank balances are deposits held at call with banks and bear no interest.

16. Fixed deposits with a licensed bank

The fixed deposits with a licensed bank are placed to earn interest income and is denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

The average effective interest rates of the fixed deposits are between 1.4% and 2.3% (2020: 1.7% and 2.9%) per annum and the average maturity period is between 30 days to 365 days (2020: 30 days to 365 days).

17. Lease liabilities

	RSPO C	Group
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Current	887	902
Non-current	394	1,298
	1,281	2,200

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the financial years:

	RSPO Group	
	2021	
	RM'000	RM'000
As at 1 July	2,200	-
Lease addition and modification	-	2,826
Finance costs	115	127
Repayments of principal and finance costs	(1,034)	(753)
As at 30 June	1,281	2,200

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17. Lease liabilities (contd.)

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the financial years: (contd.)

	RSPO Group	
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Maturity analysis of lease liabilities:		
- not later than 1 year	887	902
- later than 1 year but not later than 2 years	394	904
- later than 2 years	-	394
	1,281	2,200

Total cash outflow for leases during financial years for the RSPO Group amounted to RM1,034,000 (2020: RM753,000) .

The weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate applied to the lease liabilities for the current financial year is 6.51% (2020: 6.37%).

The RSPO Group have elected not to recognise a lease liability for short-term leases (leases of expected term of 12 months or less) or for leases of low-value assets. Payment made under such leases are expensed on a straight-line basis.

The expenses relating to payments not included in the measurement of the lease liabilities are disclosed in statements of income and expenditure.

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18. Contract liabilities

	RSPO Group	and RSPO
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
<u>Current</u>		
Deferred subscription income (a)	9,344	8,670
Prepaid membership fees (b)	451	295
	9,795	8,965

Significant changes in contract balances during the financial year are as follows:

	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
At 1 July	8,965	8,410
Income recognised that was included in the contract liability balance at the beginning of the financial year	(8,514)	(8,115)
Increase from cash received or due, excluding amounts recognised as income during the financial year	9,344	8,670
At 30 June	9,795	8,965

- (a) Deferred subscription income represents the unrecognised income as at the end of the reporting period.
- (b) Prepaid membership represents the unrecognised income as at the end of the reporting period whereby the RSPO Group and RSPO receive the advance payments from new membership applicants.

All contracts are for periods of one year or less. As permitted under MFRS 15, the RSPO Group applied the practical expedient in MFRS 15 and did not disclose information about recognising performance obligations that have original expected duration of one year or less.

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19. Other payables and accruals

	RSPO Group		RSPO	
	2021	2021 2020	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Project costs payables	2,131	3,957	2,131	3,957
Project costs accruals	254	699	253	699
Amount due to a subsidiary	-	-	1,885	1,985
Other payables	504	130	16	50
Other accruals	2,484	1,201	63	46
	5,373	5,987	4,348	6,737

The amount due to a subsidiary is unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

20. Smallholders' fund

The purpose of the Smallholders' fund is to support smallholders to be RSPO certified. The fund is managed by the Smallholder Fund Manager from the RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd and overseen by the Smallholder Fund Panel.

	RSPO Group and RSPO	
	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
As at beginning of financial year	7,699	8,580
Less: Project disbursements paid during the financial year	(1,245)	(1,881)
Add: Addition to fund	1,000	1,000
As at end of financial year	7,454	7,699

An allocation of RM1,000,000 (2020: RM1,000,000) was made to the Smallholders' Fund during the financial year.

	RSPO Grou 2021 RM'000	p and RSPO 2020 RM'000
Commitments due to be disbursed:		
Within 1 year Later than 1 year but not later than 3 years	2,256 2,162	2,360 3,361
Later than 1 year but not later than 5 years	4,418	5,721

This relates to projects that were approved by the Smallholder Fund Panel.

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21. Special projects' fund

	RSPO Group 2021 RM'000	and RSPO 2020 RM'000
As at beginning of financial year	9,683	9,268
Less: Project disbursements paid during the financial year - Outreach to Intermediary Organisations - SEnSOR impacts project - Year 3 - SEnSOR impacts project - Year 4	(218) - (600)	(1,585) (600) (1,400)
Add: Addition to fund		4,000
As at end of financial year	8,865	9,683

No allocation (2020: RM4,000,000) was made to the Special Projects Fund during the financial year. Allocation to the fund can be varied at the discretion of the Board of Governors and its utilisation is subject to the approval of the Board of Governors.

	RSPO Group and RSPO	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Commitments due to be disbursed:		
Within 1 year		
- SEnSOR impacts project - Year 4	600	600
- Outreach to Intermediary Organisations	426	757
	1,026	1,357
Approved but not contracted:		
Outreach to Intermediary Organisations	4,137	4,267

This relates to special projects that have been approved by the Board of Governors.

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22. RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd overseas establishments

RSPO Secretariat Sdn Bhd ("RSPOSSB") has overseas establishments in Indonesia, United Kingdom, China, Colombia and the Netherlands.

During the financial year, the RSPOSSB registered an office in Singapore in the form of a branch office ("Singapore Branch Office").

Operating expenses, excluding gain or loss from unrealised foreign exchange differences, incurred by the overseas establishments during the financial years are as follows:

	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Regional Representative Office (Indonesia)	2,433	2,169
UK Establishment (United Kingdom)	393	360
Beijing Representative Office (China)	876	897
Colombia Branch Office (Colombia)	730	811
Netherlands Branch Office (Netherlands)	1,355	1,171
Singapore Branch Office	1,887	-
	7,674	5,408

Included in the total operating expenses of the RSPOSSB overseas establishments are total staff costs amounting to RM6,592,000 (2020: RM4,261,000).

23. Significant related party transactions

	RSPO	
	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000
Expenses for provision of services by the subsidiary:		
- Management fees	27,660	21,535

The related party transactions are in the normal course of business at the terms mutually agreed between all parties.

Information regarding outstanding balances arising from related party transactions as at 30 June 2021 and 30 June 2020 are disclosed in Note 14 and Note 19.

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24. Financial instruments by category

Current assets Membership subscription fees receivables Other receivables and deposits (excludes prepayments and GST receivable) Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances 71,978 Financial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RSPO		Financial at amortis 2021 RM'000	
Membership subscription fees receivables Other receivables and deposits (excludes prepayments and GST receivable) Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances Tinancial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000	RSPO Group		
Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances 25,111 16,477 40,312 31,456 71,978 57,104 Financial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000	Membership subscription fees receivables	1,725	1,829
Cash and bank balances 40,312 31,456 71,978 57,104 Financial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000	(excludes prepayments and GST receivable)	4,830	7,342
71,978 57,104 Financial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000	·		· ·
Financial assets at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000	Cash and bank balances		
at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000		71,978	57,104
2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000		Financial	assets
RM'000 RM'000		at amortised cost	
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RSPO		RM'000	RM'000
	RSPO		
<u>Current assets</u> Membership subscription fees receivables 1,725 1,829 Other receivables and deposits	Membership subscription fees receivables	1,725	1,829
(excludes prepayments and GST receivable) 6,519 10,470	•	6,519	10,470
Fixed deposits with a licensed bank 25,111 16,477		25,111	16,477
Cash and bank balances 37,061 29,594	Cash and bank balances	37,061	
70,416 58,370		70,416	58,370
Financial liabilities at amortised cost		at amortised cost	
2021 2020			
RM'000 RM'000		RM'000	RM'000
RSPO Group	RSPO Group		
Non-current liability Lease liabilities 394 1,298		394	1,298
Current liabilities		- a	
Other payables and accruals 5,373 5,987 Lease liabilities 887 902	• •		
Lease liabilities <u>887 902</u> 6,260 6,889	Lease Habilities		

Notes to the financial statements
For the financial year ended 30 June 2021 (contd.)

24. Financial instruments by category (contd.)

Financial liabilities at amortised cost 2021 2020 RM'000 RM'000

RSPO

<u>Current liabilities</u> Other payables and accruals

4,348 6,737

25. Comparatives

The financial statements of the RSPO Group and RSPO for the financial year ended 30 June 2020, were audited by another firm other than Ernst & Young PLT who expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements on 23 October 2020.

26. Significant events during the financial year and subsequent events

The emergence and spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19) in early 2020 has affected businesses and economic activities in Malaysia and beyond. The RSPO Group and RSPO have not been adversely affected as at the date of this report. No adjustments are required to the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balances and operating results for the current financial year. The RSPO Group and RSPO shall continue to monitor the developments of the COVID-19 situation closely, assess and react actively to its impacts on the statements of assets, liabilities and funds balances and operating results of the RSPO Group and RSPO for the financial year ending 30 June 2022. This includes continuous special attention to be given towards ensuring all standard operating procedures set by the government are complied with to minimise the risk of COVID-19 occurrences which may impact the operations of the RSPO Group and RSPO negatively.