MINING INC.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Presented in thousands of United States Dollars)

FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

K92 MINING INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Presented in thousands of United States Dollars) (Unaudited)

As at June 30, 2023 December 31, 2022 ASSETS Current Cash and cash equivalents \$ 95,557 \$ 109.938 27,568 Receivables (Note 4) 29,257 Inventories (Note 5) 32,636 28,510 Prepayments 5,099 5,624 Derivative assets (Note 10) 138 -160,998 173,329 **Deferred tax assets** 2,590 **Deposits on equipment** 3,469 4,338 Property, plant and equipment (Note 7) 223,640 190,458 \$ \$ 388,107 370,715 LIABILITIES AND EQUITY Current Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 6) \$ 37,154 \$ 36,966 Income tax payable 5,166 4,121 Current portion of lease liabilities (Note 9) 5,579 5,324 Derivative liabilities (Note 10) 589 1,747 48,488 48,158 **Deferred tax liabilities** 998 Lease liabilities (Note 9) 2,179 4,773 **Reclamation and closure cost obligations** (Note 8) 9,409 8,478 61,074 61,409 Equity Share capital (Note 11) 144,392 142,066 Contributed surplus (Note 11) 28,242 26,644 Accumulated other comprehensive loss (257)(257)**Retained earnings** 154,656 140,853 327,033 309,306 \$ 388,107 \$ 370,715

Subsequent events (Note 18)

Approved and authorized by the Board of Directors on August 9, 2023:

"Saurabh Handa"

Director "Mark Eaton"

Director

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

K92 MINING INC.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE EARNINGS (Presented in thousands of United States Dollars, except share and per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	T	hree months]	Three months		Six months		Six months
	enc	led June 30,	en	nded June 30,	e	nded June 30,	e	nded June 30,
For the		2023		2022		2023		2022
REVENUE (Note 14)	\$	51,759	\$	37,356	\$	92,125	\$	89,768
COST OF SALES (Note 15)		(29,198)		(23,169)		(52,936)		(45,704
Earnings from mine operations		22,561		14,187		39,189		44,064
EXPENSES								
General and administrative (Note 16)	\$	(2,274)	\$	(1,650)	\$	(4,182)	\$	(3,449
Exploration and evaluation expenditures		(6,323)		(3,774)		(10,095)		(6,754
Foreign exchange		842		(407)		1,155		(230
Share-based payments		(1,373)		(773)		(2,570)		(1,696
Earnings from operations	\$	13,433	\$	7,583	\$	23,497	\$	31,935
OTHER								
Interest and finance expense (Note 17)		(960)		(683)		(1,984)		(1,487
Interest income		644		81		1,491		169
Gain (loss) on derivative instruments (Note 10)		263		1,136	_	(901)	_	(341
Earnings before taxes	\$	13,380	\$	8,117	\$	22,103	\$	30,276
Income tax expense		(4,587)		(2,981)		(8,301)		(11,058
Net earnings and comprehensive earnings	\$	8,793	\$	5,136	\$	13,802	\$	19,218
Earnings per share (Note 11)								
Basic	\$	0.04	\$	0.02	\$	0.06	\$	0.09
Diluted	\$	0.04	\$	0.02	\$	0.06	\$	
Weighted average number of shares								
outstanding (Note 11) Basic	~	234,469,622		226,489,201		233,927,771		225,513,516
Diluted		234,409,022		232,140,495		233,927,771		223,515,516

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K92 MINING INC.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Presented in thousands of United States Dollars)

(Unaudited)

For the	-	Three months ded June 30, 2023	e	Three months ended June 30, 2022		Six months ended June 30, 2023	ei	Six months nded June 30, 2022
CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES								
Net earnings for the period	\$	8,793	\$	5,136	\$	13,802	\$	19,218
Items not affecting cash:	φ	0,795	φ	5,150	φ	13,802	φ	19,210
Unrealized foreign exchange loss (gain)		(1,229)		473		(1,238)		299
Interest and finance expenses		267		152		1,031		537
Derivative instruments (Note 10)		(263)		(1,136)		901		341
Deferred income tax		1,234		1,294		3,551		2,586
Share-based payments (Note 11)		1,561		900		3,023		2,213
Depreciation and depletion		7,882		4,626		13,796		8,928
Net payments for derivatives (Note 10)		(2,064)		(958)		(2,198)		(958)
Changes in non-cash working capital items:								
Inventories		(1,304)		483		(3,794)		(1,229)
Receivables		7,443		5,638		959		2,108
Income tax payable		(353)		(6,470)		1,045		296
Prepayments		42		(487)		525		(277)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		6,859		3,494		412		6,413
Net cash provided by operating activities		28,868		13,145		31,815		40,475
CASH FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES								
Deposits for equipment		(938)		-		(2,089)		(4,042)
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment		(21,102)		(14,840)		(43,482)		(30,613)
Net cash used in investing activities		(22,040)		(14,840)		(45,571)		(34,655)
CASH FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES								
Proceeds on exercise of stock options		339		5,160		902		7,279
Principal lease payments (Note 9)		(1,293)		(1,179)		(2,573)		(2,329)
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities		(954)		3,981		(1,671)		4,950
Change in cash and cash equivalents during the period		5,874		2,286		(15,427)		10,770
Effect of foreign exchange on cash		1,036		(475)		1,046		(312)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		88,647		79,917		109,938		71,270
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	95,557	\$	81,728	\$	95,557	\$	81,728
Cash paid for interest	\$	(1,409)	\$	(530)	\$	(2,313)	\$	(1,145)
Cash received for interest income	\$	644	\$	81	\$	1,491	\$	169
Cash paid for taxes	\$	(3,583)	\$	(8,162)	\$	(3,583)	\$	(8,162)

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K92 MINING INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Presented in thousands of United States Dollars, except share and per share amounts) (Unaudited)

-	Share	cap	ital	_				
	Number		Amount	ContributedAccumulated othersurpluscomprehensive loss		Retained Carnings	Total	
Balance at December 31, 2021 Shares issued on exercise of stock options (Note 11)	224,242,737 2,628,200	\$	92,021 12,343	\$	28,042 (5,064)	\$ (257)	\$ 105,330	\$ 225,136 7,279
Share-based payments (Note 11) Net earnings for the period			-		2,213	 -	 19,218	 2,213 19,218
Balance at June 30, 2022	226,870,937	\$	104,364	\$	25,191	\$ (257)	\$ 124,548	\$ 253,846
Shares issued on exercise of stock options (Note 11)	1,082,000		1,603		(600)	-	-	1,003
Shares issued on vesting of RSUs (Note 11)	21,459		111		(111)	-	-	-
Bought deal financing	5,405,500		38,324		-	-	-	38,324
Share issuance costs	-		(2,336)		-	-	-	(2,336)
Share-based payments (Note 11)	-		-		2,163	-	-	2,163
Net earnings for the period						 <u> </u>	 16,306	 16,306
Balance at December 31, 2022	233,379,896	\$	142,066	\$	26,643	\$ (257)	\$ 140,854	\$ 309,306
Shares issued on exercise of stock options (Note 11)	755,000		1,366		(464)	-	-	902
Shares issued on vesting of RSUs (Note 11)	75,818		375		(375)	-	-	-
Shares issued on vesting of PSUs (Note 11)	111,748		585		(585)	-	-	-
Share-based payments (Note 11)	-		-		3,023	-	-	3,023
Net earnings for the period						 	 13,802	 13,802
Balance at June 30, 2023	234,322,462	\$	144,392	\$	28,242	\$ (257)	\$ 154,656	\$ 327,033

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1. NATURE OF BUSINESS

K92 Mining Inc. (the "**Company**") was incorporated pursuant to the provisions of the Business Corporations Act (British Columbia) on March 22, 2010. The Company's shares are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("**TSX**") under the symbol "KNT" and quoted on the OTCQX under the symbol "KNTNF". The Company is currently engaged in the exploration, development and mining of mineral deposits in Papua New Guinea, specifically the Kainantu Project.

The Company's head office, principal, registered and records office is 488 - 1090 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 3V7.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

Statement of Compliance

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IFRS) applicable to the preparation of interim financial statements, including IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting. These condensed interim consolidated financial statements are compliant with IAS 34 and do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements.

Basis of Presentation

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the revaluation of certain financial instruments measured at fair value.

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements are presented in United States ("U.S.") dollars. Financial information for the Company and each of its subsidiaries is measured using its functional currency, being the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policy judgments made by management in applying the Company's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty are substantially the same as those that management applied in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. These condensed interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's most recent annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

The Company's accounting policies are the same as those applied in the Company's annual consolidated financial statements for the year-ended December 31, 2022.

4. **RECEIVABLES**

As at	Jur	ie 30, 2023	December 31, 2022		
Trade receivables GST receivable Other	\$	9,903 17,324 <u>341</u>	\$	15,462 13,474 <u>321</u>	
Total	\$	27,568	\$	29,257	

5. INVENTORIES

As at	Jur	December 31, 2022			
Mine supplies, consumables and fuel Ore stockpile Concentrate and doré	\$	25,529 4,751 2,356	\$	20,806 4,728 2,976	
Total	\$	32,636	\$	28,510	

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the cost of inventory recognized as an expense in cost of sales amounted to \$52.9 million (2022 - \$45.7 million).

6. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

As at	Ju	ne 30, 2023	December 31, 2022			
Trade payables	\$	12,679	\$	11,542		
Other accounts payable and trade related accruals		6,583		6,901		
Employee accruals		7,173		8,593		
Landowners' compensation accrual		10,719		9,930		
Total	\$	37,154	\$	36,966		

Landowners' compensation

The Company has obligations to compensate landowners annually who are affected by the operations of the Kainantu mine. The actual recipients of the compensation and landowners' share of sales royalty cannot be paid as required until the legitimate landowners have been identified by the Papua New Guinean Land Titles Commission ("LTC") and so compensation payments to landowners not yet confirmed by the LTC have been accrued but not paid.

7. **PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

	Mineral roperties	lant and quipment	ile Fleet and Vehicles	Ri	ght-of-Use Assets]	nstruction in Progress xpansion) ¹		Total
Cost									
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 74,880	\$ 40,221	\$ 30,599	\$	15,866	\$	16,470	\$	178,036
Additions	19,110	6,398	-		956		42,371		68,835
Disposals / write-downs	-	-	(1,164)		-		-		(1,164)
Reclamation – change in estimate Transfers	2,791	-	-		-		-		2,791
Transfers	 -	 11,337	 10,464				(21,801)		
Balance, December 31, 2022	96,781	57,956	39,899		16,822		37,040		248,498
Additions	11,529	6,117	-		333		28,569		46,548
Reclamation- changes in estimate	762	-	-		-		-		762
Transfers	 	 65	 14,689				(14,754)		
Balance, June 30, 2023	\$ 109,072	\$ 64,138	\$ 54,588	\$	17,155	\$	50,855	\$	295,808
Accumulated depreciation									
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 13,343	\$ 5,991	\$ 17,177	\$	1,727	\$	-	\$	38,238
Depreciation and depletion	3,136	4,467	7,856		5,434		-		20,893
Disposals / write-downs	 	 	 (1,091)					. <u> </u>	(1,091)
Balance, December 31, 2022	16,479	10,458	23,942		7,161		-		58,040
Depreciation and depletion	 2,634	 3,261	 5,565		2,668				14,128
Balance, June 30, 2023	\$ 19,113	\$ 13,719	\$ 29,507	\$	9,829	\$	-	\$	72,168
Carrying amounts									
As at December 31, 2022	\$ 80,302	\$ 47,498	\$ 15,957	\$	9,661	\$	37,040	\$	190,458
As at June 30, 2023	\$ 89,959	\$ 50,419	\$ 25,081	\$	7,326	\$	50,855	\$	223,640

¹ Construction in Progress at June 30, 2023 consists of \$42.4 million (2022 - \$32.1 million) in Twin Incline costs, \$1.7 million (2022 - \$Nil) in Puma Ventilation Drive costs and \$6.8 million (2022 - \$4.9 million) in other expansion costs.

7. **PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT** (cont'd...)

Mining Lease 150 ("ML 150")

The Company holds the mining rights to ML 150 and on December 6, 2022, the Government of Papua New Guinea granted an extension of ML 150 for a period of 10 years to June 13, 2034.

8. RECLAMATION AND CLOSURE COST OBLIGATIONS

When the Company exhausts or abandons a mining property or an exploration site, it is required to undertake certain reclamation and closure procedures as a result of constructive obligations and to comply with legislative requirements established by the Government of Papua New Guinea.

As at	Ju	ine 30, 2023	December 31, 2022		
Balance, beginning of period Foreign exchange movement	\$	8,478 (132)	\$	5,571	
Change in estimate Accretion		762 301		2,791 116	
	¢		¢	8,478	
Balance, end of period	\$	9,409	\$	8,4	

The provision has been measured as the present value of the estimated future rehabilitation costs using an estimated mine life of 10 years. The estimated cash-flows used to measure the provision were discounted to a present value using a discount rate of 12.3% (2022 - 13.4%) and an inflation rate of 6.3% (2022 - 6.3%). The underlying costs in the provision are calculated using the Papua New Guinea Kina as the reclamation costs will be incurred in Papua New Guinea. As such, the discount and inflation rate used in the calculation reflect the economic factors for Papua New Guinea.

On an annual basis, the Company reviews the estimate of future costs of required reclamation and closure work. The current total estimate for all properties anticipates undiscounted future cash outflows to meet constructive obligations for reclamation and closure work in the amount of \$19.1 million (2022 - \$19.1 million), with first expenditures anticipated in 2032. These future cash outflows have been discounted at the interest rate considered applicable in Papua New Guinea where the Company's properties are located.

9. LEASE LIABILITIES

The Company leases assets including mining equipment and buildings. The assets associated with the lease liabilities are included as Right-of-Use assets within property, plant and equipment (Note 7). During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company incurred \$0.5 million (2022 - \$0.7 million) related to interest and finance expenses on the lease liabilities.

9. LEASE LIABILITIES (cont'd...)

The following table summarizes the Company's lease activity and the carrying amounts of the lease liabilities at the present value of the remaining lease payments that are recognized in the statement of financial position:

Lease Liabilities as at	June	December 31, 2022		
Lease liabilities, beginning of year Additions Payments Interest expense	\$	10,097 333 (3,057) 484	\$	14,097 956 (6,193) 1,328
Adjustment on currency translation		(99)		(91)
Balance, end of period	\$	7,758	\$	10,097
Lease liabilities, current portion Lease liabilities, non-current portion	\$ \$	5,579 2,179	\$ \$	5,324 4,773

The Company's lease liabilities at June 30, 2023 are summarized as follows:

	Wi	thin 1 Year	2-6 Years	Total
Future undiscounted lease payments Future finance charges	\$	6,139 \$ (560)	2,359 \$ (180)	8,498 (740)
Total discounted lease liabilities	\$	5,579 \$	2,179 \$	7,758

10. DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS

The Company entered into zero-cost collar contracts during the period whereby it purchases gold put option contracts and sells gold call option contracts with equal and offsetting values at the inception of each contract. These gold call and put contracts will be settled based on the monthly average of the London Bullion Market Association's PM fixing price.

The details of the open commodity contracts as at June 30, 2023, were as follows:

Contracts Outstanding	Quantity (ounces)	Strike Price (\$/ounce)	Settlement Term	Settlement Date
Gold call contracts – sold	9,877	\$2,081	July 2023	September 29, 2023
Gold put contracts – purchased	9,877	\$1,881	July 2023	September 29, 2023
Gold call contracts – sold	6,786	\$2,091	August 2023	October 31, 2023
Gold put contracts – purchased	6,786	\$1,891	August 2023	October 31, 2023
Gold call contracts – sold	9,975	\$2,041	September 2023	November 30, 2023
Gold put contracts – purchased	9,975	\$1,841	September 2023	November 30, 2023

10. DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS (cont'd...)

The realized and unrealized losses on the commodity contracts were as follows:

		rree months led June 30.	Three months ended June 30,	Six months ended June 30,	Six months ended June 30,
For the	Unit	2023	2022	2023	2022
Realized losses	\$	(2,064)	\$ (958)	\$ (2,198)	\$ (958)
Unrealized gains		2,327	 2,094	1,297	617
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses)	\$	263	\$ 1,136	\$ (901)	\$ (341)

The fair value of the commodity contracts is presented on the statement of financial position as follows:

As at	June 30, 2023	D	December 31, 2022		
Derivative assets	\$ 138	\$	(1,747)		
Derivative liabilities	\$ (589)	\$			

Fair value for derivative financial instruments are determined using valuation techniques, using assumptions based on market conditions existing at the statement of financial position date.

11. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES

Authorized share capital

The Company's authorized share capital consists of an unlimited number of common shares without par value.

Issued share capital

As at June 30, 2023, the Company had 234,322,462 common shares issued and outstanding.

Share issuances

Except on the exercise of share options and the conversion of RSUs and PSUs, no other shares were issued during the six months ended June 30, 2023.

Equity compensation

Until October 28, 2021, the Company had a "rolling" stock option plan (the "Stock Option Plan") whereby the Company was authorized to grant stock options ("Options") equal to up to 10% of the number of issued and outstanding common shares.

Effective October 28, 2021, the Company replaced the Stock Option Plan with a share compensation plan (the "**Share Compensation Plan**") that provides for the issuance of Options, RSUs, and PSUs. The Share Compensation Plan was amended effective June 29, 2023 (the "**Amended Plan**").

11. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES (cont'd...)

Equity compensation (cont'd...)

The Amended Plan allows the Company to grant Options, RSUs and PSUs to its executive officers, directors, employees, and consultants. The total number of options and shares issuable under the Plan cannot exceed 6.75% of the issued and outstanding common shares, on a non-diluted basis, while the maximum number of common shares issuable through options cannot exceed 4% of the issued and outstanding common shares. For RSUs and PSUs, the total number of common shares that may be issuable cannot exceed 2.75% of the outstanding common shares at the time of grant.

Stock options

Stock option transactions are summarized as follows:

	Number Outstanding	Weighted Average Exercise Price (CAD)		
Outstanding, December 31, 2021 Exercised Forfeited	12,620,650 (3,710,200) (104,600)	\$ <u>\$</u>	4.44 2.87 9.22	
Outstanding, December 31, 2022 Exercised Forfeited	8,805,850 (755,000) (40,000)	\$	5.06 1.76 7.38	
Outstanding, June 30, 2023	8,010,850	\$	5.37	
Number currently exercisable	8,010,850	\$	5.37	

The following incentive stock options were outstanding at June 30, 2023:

Range of exercise prices (in \$CAD)	Number of outstanding options	Number of options exercisable	Weighted-average exercise price (in \$CAD)	Weighted- average years to expiry
0.45 - 0.99	30.000	30.000	0.74	0.39
1.00 - 1.99	1,836,750	1,836,750	1.77	1.02
2.00 - 2.99	235,000	235,000	2.17	1.39
3.00 - 3.99	1,091,000	1,091,000	3.85	1.60
4.00 - 4.99	10,200	10,200	4.00	1.98
5.00 - 8.99	4,807,900	4,807,900	7.28	2.47
	8,010,850	8,010,850	5.37	1.98

The fair value of stock options is determined by the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model with assumptions for riskfree interest rates, dividend yields, expected volatility, forfeiture rate, and expected life of the options. Under the plan, the exercise price of each option equals the market price of the Company's stock as calculated on the date of grant.

11. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES (cont'd...)

Stock options (cont'd...)

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company granted Nil stock options (2022 - Nil).

The weighted average share price on the date of options exercised for the six months ended June 30, 2023, was CAD\$6.97 (2022 – CAD\$9.08).

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company recorded share-based payment expense of Nil (2022 - \$0.8 million) related to the vesting of options.

Restricted share units

RSUs vest in three instalments; one-third vesting one year from the grant date, one-third vesting two years from the grant date and the remainder vesting three years from the grant date. At the discretion of the Company, RSUs can be settled in either cash or common shares, or a combination of both. RSUs are recorded at fair value based on the Company's share price on the date of grant, adjusted for an estimated forfeiture rate, and then charged to share-based compensation over the period during which the RSUs vest.

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company granted 793,010 RSUs. The estimated fair value of \$3.8 million is being recognized over the vesting period.

	Number Outstanding	Fair Value		
Outstanding, December 31, 2021	150,213	\$	819	
Granted	666,358		3,774	
Vested and converted to common shares	(21,459)		(117)	
Forfeited	(13,707)		(70)	
Outstanding, December 31, 2022	781,405	\$	4,406	
Granted	793,010		3,768	
Vested and converted to common shares	(75,818)		(430)	
Forfeited	(17,110)		(99)	
Outstanding, June 30, 2023	1,481,487	\$	7,645	

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company recorded a share-based payment expense of 1.5 million (2022 – 0.8 million) related to the vesting of RSUs.

Performance share units

PSUs vest in three installments; one-third vesting one year from the grant date, one-third vesting two years from the grant date and the remainder vesting three years from the grant date, subject to certain performance criteria having been met. The vesting of the PSUs is based on the Company's share performance in comparison to its peer group with the final number of vested PSUs ranging from 25% to 150% of the initial PSUs granted. At the discretion of the Company, PSUs can be settled in either cash or common shares, or a combination of both.

11. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES (cont'd...)

Performance share units (cont'd...)

PSUs are recorded at fair value based on a Monte Carlo pricing model at the date of grant, adjusted for an estimated forfeiture rate, and then charged to share-based compensation over the period during which the PSUs vest. For the fair value calculation of granted PSUs during the period ended June 30, 2023, the Monte Carlo pricing model used historical share price volatility of 51% (2022 - 54% to 61%), historical share price volatility of its peer group ranging from 40% to 48% (2022 - 38% to 47%) and a Canadian risk-free rate of 3.5% (2022 - 2.0% to 3.5%).

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company granted 1,189,509 PSUs. The estimated fair value of \$4.8 million is being recognized over the vesting period.

	Number Outstanding	Fair Value		
Outstanding, December 31, 2021	-	\$	-	
Granted	780,006		3,560	
Forfeited	(20,563)		(84)	
Outstanding, December 31, 2022	759,443	\$	3,476	
Granted	1,189,509		4,811	
Vested and converted to common shares	(105,670)		(483)	
Forfeited	(25,669)		(105)	
Outstanding, June 30, 2023	1,817,613	\$	7,699	

During the six months ended June 30, 2023, the Company recorded a share-based payment expense of 1.5 million (2022 – 0.6 million) related to the vesting of PSUs.

11. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES (cont'd...)

Earnings per share

The following summarizes the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share:

For the		Three monthsThree monthsSix monthsended June 30,ended June 30,ended June 30,202320222023		, ended June 3				
Earnings for the period	\$	8,793	\$	5,136	\$	13,802	\$	19,218
Basic weighted average number of shares outstanding		234,469,622		226,489,201		233,927,771		225,513,516
Effect of dilutive securities: Stock options Restricted share units Performance share units		1,957,203 1,111,395 1,278,176		4,767,764 478,583 404,947		2,180,042 1,048,308 1,183,545		4,342,119 442,299 360,201
Diluted weighted average number of shares outstanding		238,816,396		232,140,495		238,339,666		230,658,135
Earnings per share								
Basic Diluted	\$ \$	0.04 0.04	\$ \$	0.02 0.02	\$ \$	0.06 0.06	\$ \$	0.09 0.08

12. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

Financial assets and liabilities are classified in the fair value hierarchy according to the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement requires judgement and may affect placement within the fair value hierarchy levels. The hierarchy is as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: inputs other than quotes prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices).
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The levels in the fair value hierarchy into which the Company's financial assets and liabilities that are measured and recognized at fair value were categorized as follows:

As at	June	30, 20)23	December 31, 2022				
Trade receivables (Note 4)	Level 1		Level 2		Level 1	Level 2		
	\$ -	\$	9,903	\$	-	\$	15,462	
Derivative assets (Note 10)	-		138		-		-	
Derivative liabilities (Note 10)	 		(589)				(1,747)	
	\$ -	\$	9,452	\$	-	\$	13,715	
							15	

12. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RISK MANAGEMENT (cont'd...)

The fair value of the Company's trade receivables, derivative assets and derivative liabilities were determined using observable market prices and market-derived inputs. There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 during the period ended June 30, 2023.

As at June 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, prepaids, other receivables, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities approximate their fair values due to the short-term nature of these instruments.

Fair value estimates of financial instruments are made at a specific point in time, based on relevant information about financial markets and specific financial instruments. As these estimates are subjective in nature, involving uncertainties and matters of significant judgment, they cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions can significantly affect estimated fair values.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company's cash and cash equivalents are held with financial institutions in Canada, Papua New Guinea, and Australia. As of June 30, 2023, a single high-credit quality financial institution in Canada holds approximately 70% of the total cash and cash equivalents. Substantially all of the Company's cash and cash equivalents exceed government insured limits. The Company continually assesses and manages its exposure to credit risk of financial institutions.

13. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

Operating segments are components of an entity that engage in business activities from which they incur expenses and whose operating results are regularly reviewed by a chief operating decision maker to make resource allocation decisions and to assess performance. The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for allocating resources and reviewing operating results of each operating segment on a periodic basis.

The Company's only operating segment is the operating and development of gold mining activities at the Kainantu Project in Papua New Guinea. Corporate & Other includes the Company's head office function in Canada.

Six months ended June 30, 2023	Kainantu Project	(Corporate & Other	Total
Net earnings (loss)	\$ 19,114	\$	(5,312)	\$ 13,802
Capital expenditures	\$ 46,215	\$	333	\$ 46,548
Three months ended June 30, 2023				
Net earnings (loss)	\$ 10,779	\$	(1,986)	\$ 8,793
Capital expenditures	\$ 22,163	\$	333	\$ 22,496
As at June 30, 2023				
Property, plant and equipment	\$ 221,813	\$	1,827	\$ 223,640
Total assets	\$ 300,389	\$	87,718	\$ 388,107
Total liabilities	\$ 56,465	\$	4,609	\$ 61,074

13. SEGMENTED INFORMATION (cont'd...)

Six months ended June 30, 2022	Kainantu Project		(Corporate & Other	Total		
Net earnings (loss)	\$	24,832	\$	(5,614)	\$	19,218	
Capital expenditures	\$	30,324	\$	-	\$	30,324	
Three months ended June 30, 2022							
Net earnings (loss)	\$	6,701	\$	(1,565)	\$	5,136	
Capital expenditures	\$	16,376	\$	-	\$	16,376	
As at December 31, 2022							
Property, plant and equipment	\$	188,872	\$	1,586	\$	190,458	
Total assets	\$	267,104	\$	103,611	\$	370,715	
Total liabilities	\$	57,683	\$	3,726	\$	61,409	

14. **REVENUE**

For the	 ree months ed June 30, 2023	 ree months ad June 30, 2022	-	Six months ed June 30, 2023	 ix months 1 June 30 2022
Gold in concentrate	\$ 48,408	\$ 37,577	\$	78,126	\$ 84,413
Copper in concentrate	5,598	5,036		11,068	9,868
Silver in concentrate	494	308		853	610
Gold and silver in doré	4,716	4,647		6,780	4,647
Treatment and refining charges	 (1,905)	 (1,651)		(3,498)	 (3,213)
Revenue from contracts with customers	57,311	45,917		93,329	96,325
Loss on receivables at fair value	 (5,552)	 (8,561)		(1,204)	 (6,557)
Total	\$ 51,759	\$ 37,356	\$	92,125	\$ 89,768

15. COST OF SALES

For the	 Three months ended June 30, 2023		Three months ended June 30, 2022		Six months ended June 30, 2023		Six months ended June 30, 2022	
Direct mining and milling	\$ 5,750	\$	5,265	\$	11,101	\$	10,336	
Maintenance	4,032		4,045		7,434		7,712	
Other site costs	9,674		7,371		17,164		15,896	
Net smelter royalties	1,335		1,172		2,216		2,393	
Change in inventories	 992		691		597		(46)	
	21,783		18,544		38,512		36,291	
Non-cash costs								
Depreciation and depletion	7,148		4,496		13,892		8,893	
Share-based payments	 267		129		532		520	
Total	\$ 29,198	\$	23,169	\$	52,936	\$	45,704	

16. GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE

	 ee months d June 30,	 ee months d June 30,	Six months led June 30,	enc	Six months led June 30,
For the	2023	2022	2023		2022
Management, consulting and wages	\$ 1,679	\$ 1,227	\$ 2,812	\$	2,481
Professional fees	93	15	182		93
Office, filing and administrative	117	116	410		358
Travel	226	73	440		153
Investor relations	131	193	282		312
Depreciation	 28	 26	 56		52
Total	\$ 2,274	\$ 1,650	\$ 4,182	\$	3,449

17. INTEREST AND FINANCE EXPENSE

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For the	Three months ended June 30, 2023		Three months ended June 30, 2022		Six months ended June 30, 2023		Six months ended June 30, 2022	
Interest on lease liabilities Other interest	\$	224 586	\$	81 573	\$	484 1,199	\$	169 1,260
Accretion expense		150		29		301	. <u> </u>	58
Total	\$	960	\$	683	\$	1,984	\$	1,487

18. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to June 30, 2023, the Company paid a \$4.7 million income tax instalment to the Papua New Guinea government.