

SANTOVA PRELIMINARY AUDITED RESULTS **2022 GROUP HIGHLIGHTS**

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

NET PROFIT INCREASED

TO R170,1 MILLION

HEPS INCREASED

TO 126,81 CPS

NAV INCREASED

TO R5.59 PER SHARE

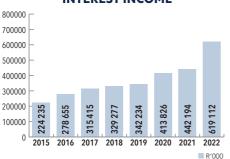
DEBT TO EQUITY IMPROVED FROM 14.0% TO

CAPITAL AND RESERVES INCREASED

TO R765.8 MILLION

OPERATING MARGINS IMPROVED BY 14,9% TO

REVENUE AND NET INTEREST INCOME



TANGIBLE NAV PER SHARE



Cents per share

The Santova Group has continued to generate solid earnings through to the end of February 2022.

Whilst 2020 was a turbulent introduction to a new decade, 2021 witnessed the prolonged impact of the pandemic. This resulted in a year of relentless global trade disruptions and supply chain dysfunction and the world continues to navigate the ongoing issues arising as a result of the pandemic.

Despite these issues, for the financial year ending 28 February 2022 ("year"), the Group managed to generate 40,0% growth in revenue, from R442,2 million to R619,1 million, whilst after tax earnings for the year increased by 144,0%, from R69,7 million to R170,1 million. What is important to acknowledge is that the growth in after tax earnings was throughout all regions. In Africa ("AF") alone, year-on-year ("YOY") earnings after tax grew by 445,5% whilst Europe ("EU") grew by 221,5%, the United Kingdom ("UK") by 69,8%, and the Asia Pacific ("AP") region by 49,8%.

These results were not only off the back of surging shipping rates, as the cost to move goods globally soared on higher demand and shrinking capacity, but through the Group remaining vigilant in its strategic decision-making, direction, and operational activity. The Group's innovative and energetic entrepreneurial culture led to 'correct decisions' that generated lucrative returns from contextually appropriate strategies.

It is also important to highlight that the performance of the Group during the current year has been organic. This has been the outcome of Santova not only leveraging off industry trends, but also through integrating, automating, and scaling operations, such as internal workflow processes, systems, and effective ongoing global support.

The 'take-on' of a considerable number of new clients, particularly in South Africa ("SA"), the Netherlands and the UK, resulted in strong inflows of new revenues. This growth in new revenue, together with our continued ability to source favourable buy rates and capacity as well as heightened levels of operational efficiency, has collectively generated quality headline earnings. This is well depicted by the high operating margins (36,9%) of the Group.

The Group's signature protocol holds it in good stead. Whilst most businesses retreat, consolidate, conserve cash, and become internally focused during challenging periods, the Santova Group focused on preserving the core, 'sweating' the assets, breaking new ground and generating new opportunities – the latter of which are in abundance in turbulent or disrupted global economies. However, this is always accompanied by heightened risk awareness and calculated, strategic decision-making and execution. Technological advancements, changes in consumer behaviour and the way in which businesses now operate, represent and necessitate a significant paradigm shift and innovative leadership at all levels.

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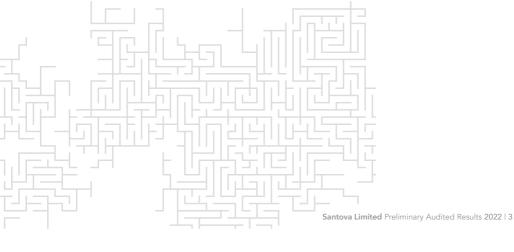
GROUP PROFITABILITY

Key financial highlights for the 2022 financial year include:

- □ Consolidated net profit after tax ("NPAT") for the year increased by 144,0% to R170,1 million (2021: R69,7 million);
- Headline earnings per share ("HEPS") increased by 169,4% to 126,81 cents per share ("CPS") (2021: 47,08 CPS); and
- Net asset value ("NAV") per share increased by 27,3% to R5,59 (2021: R4,39) due not only to the growth in earnings, but also through the Group continuing to acquire its own shares, thereby reducing the effective number of shares in issue.

Other notable movements during the reporting period include:

- With the substantial growth in revenue, the Group's continued focus on technology and the automation of manual processes has allowed scalability, with operating margins as a percentage of revenue improving by 14,9% to 36,9% (2021: 22,0%);
- The Group continued to buy back its own shares, having purchased 4,0 million shares from the open market at an average price of 380 CPS, reduced the Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares ("WANOS") in issue to 138,7 million (2021: 149,8 million), with the reduction contributing 19,9% to the overall 169,4% increase in HEPS;
- The average strengthening of the Rand ("ZAR") against all foreign currencies in those regions in which the Group operates, namely the Great British Pound ("GBP") by 4,5%, the Euro ("EUR") by 9,1%, the Hong Kong Dollar ("HKD") by 10,3% and the Australian Dollar ("AUD") by 5,1%; and
- □ The proportionate percentage of offshore earnings reduced to 82,6% (2021: 91,0%), in part due to the strengthening ZAR and the strong recovery by the SA operations.



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REGIONAL PERFORMANCE

AFRICA (AF)

Africa NPAT, represented predominantly by SA, increased by 445,5% to R35,6 million (2021: R6,5 million), due to the following primary reasons:

- With the general recovery of the SA economy, the business has been successful in servicing the increased trading activity of its clients by securing scarce capacity on vessels and airlines at highly competitive rates. A record number of new, quality clients were also secured in the current year;
- □ A restructure of the SA business unit was undertaken in 2021, the benefit of which has been fully realised in the current year, with operating margins improving from 7,8% in 2021, to 30,7% in 2022; and
- Mauritius, which remains a small component of the Africa segment, was subjected to a severe and prolonged lockdown in 2020 with a gradual return to normality taking place in the current year. The region returned a profit of R243,5 thousand after sustaining a R1,1 million loss in 2021.

EUROPE (EU)

The EU region, comprising the Netherlands and Germany, increased NPAT by 221,5% to R73,1 million (2021: R22,8 million), as a result of the following primary reasons:

- □ The Netherlands has continued to capitalise on the significant trade volumes flowing through the region, which is a strategic entry point into the Eurozone, with revenue increasing by 68,4% to R150,8 million (2021: R89,6 million);
- Germany increased revenue from R36,1 million in 2021 to R38,6 million in 2022, with the increase primarily through the acquisition of a fixed contract to facilitate the importation of COVID-19 related supplies; and
- The partial restructuring of the MLG Maritime Cargo Logistics GmbH business was undertaken in the current year, with the closure of its warehousing operation to better align with the Group's non-asset based strategy.

UNITED KINGDOM (UK)

The UK continued to benefit from its diversified service offerings, increasing NPAT by 69,8% to R38,2 million (2021: R22,5 million), due to the below key factors:

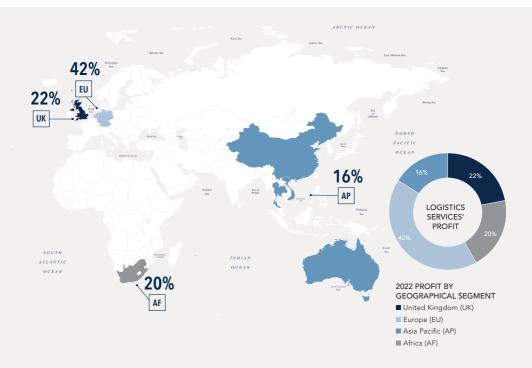
- WM Shipping (trading as Santova Logistics), which has transitioned into a comprehensive fourth-party logistics ("4PL") business, continued to add a significant number of quality import and export clients to its client base;
- Tradeway (Shipping) ("Tradeway"), which specialises in the export of scrap products and second-hand garments to the Middle East and Africa, returned to full capacity after being hampered in the prior year by lockdown related port restrictions at both origin and destination terminals; and
- SAI Logistics achieved the last of its three-year post-acquisition warranty targets in the current year, and has continued its steady performance, benefitting from its positioning to accommodate e-commerce clientele through its facility in Milton Keynes.

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ASIA PACIFIC (AP)

The AP region, comprising Hong Kong, Singapore, and Australia, validated its strategic positioning with the surging global trade from Asia helping to boost the region's NPAT by 49,8% to R29,0 million (2021: R19,3 million), noting the following points below:

- Acting as a strategic hub for the Group, Hong Kong has been instrumental in the Group's ability to negotiate rates and secure capacity for global clients importing from China, thereby recording 70,1% YOY growth;
- Singapore, which grew revenue by 9,0%, experienced generally lower levels of trade during the first half of the year, however due to the easing of other Asian regions' lockdown restrictions and return to normal operations activity levels are improving; and
- □ Australia increased revenue by 12,2% primarily due to increased trade emanating from the region's existing client base, with NPAT increasing by 25,2% through its lean operational structure.



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FINANCIAL POSITION

The Group's statement of financial position remains solid due to a continued focus on capital preservation, credit risk management and responsible earnings growth in the current financial year.

Specific movements in balances and financial ratios include the following:

- □ Intangible assets reduced by R14,1 million to R298,1 million (2021: R312,2 million), primarily due to the redeployment of Santova's proprietary supply chain management software (TradeNav) in a cloud-native progress web application ("PWA") format and the subsequent impairment of the legacy TradeNav system (R7,9 million). The strengthening ZAR further resulted in the revaluation and reduction of foreign subsidiary goodwill balances (R5,9 million);
- □ Trade receivables increased by R141,4 million or 23,9% to R733,2 million driven by the overall increase in the Group's revenue, with debtor days reducing from 48,4 days in 2021, to 41,7 days in 2022 as a result of continued focus on credit risk management;
- Trade payables increased by R71,4 million or 27,6% in accordance with the increase in cost of billings, however while the market has seen significant pressure to reduce credit terms, suppliers have been actively managed with creditor days reducing from 30,3 days in 2021, to 27,7 days in 2022; and
- □ Financial liabilities decreased by R18,2 million to R2,1 million resulting primarily from the settlement of contingent consideration (warranty payments) owing to the sellers of SAI Logistics Ltd, MLG Maritime Cargo Logistics GmbH and ASM Logistics (Thailand) Co. Ltd.

CASH ON HAND AND CASH FLOWS

Cash flows remained robust with cash and cash equivalents increasing by R80,8 million to R270,8 million (2021: R190,0 million). Cash generated from operations reduced by 7,0% to R163,7 million (2021: R176,0 million) due to the reinvestment of working capital into new clients, and the abnormal and rapid escalation in freight rates.

Notable cash related items include:

- A R30,0 million medium term loan was advanced to the Group relating to potential acquisition opportunities, including the settlement of certain warranty payments as they became due;
- Foreign currencies accounted for 95,1% (2021: 92,7%) of total cash and cash equivalents with offshore funds being retained in the source currency given the strength of the ZAR; and
- R15,2 million in cash was utilised to repurchase 4,0 million of the Group's own shares from the open market, with no dividend being declared in the current year as the Group continued to focus on its value-per-share strategy by reinvesting surplus cash in buying back its own shares.

SUMMARISED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

as at 28 February 2022

		Audited	Audited
	Netes	2022	2021
	Notes	R'000	R'000
ASSETS			
Non-current assets		383 466	403 015
Property, plant and equipment		25 766	27 752
Right-of-use ("ROU") assets	_	36 330	39 989
Intangible assets	5	298 052	312 177
Investment in associate		1 592	1 342
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	6	6 571	7 558
Deferred tax assets		15 155	14 197
Current assets		1 255 298	915 760
Trade and other receivables		981 988	725 102
Current tax receivable		724	179
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	6	1 781	448
Cash and cash equivalents		270 805	190 031
Total assets		1 638 764	1 318 775
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Capital and reserves		765 847	619 040
Stated capital		163 998	221 096
Treasury shares		(5 699)	(48 095)
Equity-settled share-based payment reserve		8 764	8 607
Revaluation reserve		36	36
Foreign currency translation reserve		43 804	52 684
Retained earnings		554 804	384 613
Attributable to equity holders of the Company		765 707	618 941
Non-controlling interest		140	99
Non-current liabilities		47 636	43 350
Interest-bearing borrowings		22 380	12 810
Employee benefit obligations		758	984
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	6	-	857
Lease liabilities		24 487	27 966
Deferred tax liabilities		11	733
Current liabilities		825 281	656 385
Trade and other payables		518 492	391 354
Current tax liabilities		21 171	9 447
Interest-bearing borrowings		31 811	19 781
Amounts owing to related parties		288	285
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	6	2 078	19 482
Lease liabilities		14 204	14 512
Provisions	7	11 334	-
Overdrafts and bank facilities		225 903	201 524
Total equity and liabilities		1 638 764	1 318 775

SUMMARISED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

No	otes	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
GROSS BILLINGS		6 418 867	4 463 487
Revenue		611 022	434 612
Net interest income		8 090	7 582
Interest and financing fee income	8	21 987	21 135
Interest and financing fee expense	9	(13 897)	(13 553)
Revenue and net interest income	3	619 112	442 194
Other income		26 158	21 385
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment loss on non-financial assets		(29 181)	(27 124)
Administrative expenses		(381 427)	(333 057)
Impairment loss on trade receivables		(6 216)	(6 182)
Operating profit		228 446	97 216
Finance income	8	28	110
Finance costs	9	(4 268)	(5 520)
Profit before share of associate's profit		224 206	91 806
Share of profit of associate, net of tax		250	96
Profit before tax		224 456	91 902
Income tax expense		(54 326)	(22 184)
Profit for the year		170 130	69 718
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss			
- Exchange differences arising from translation of foreign operations		(8 877)	16 299
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss			
- Remeasurements of post-retirement medical aid benefit liability		99	(15)
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year		(8 778)	16 284
Total comprehensive income for the year		161 352	86 002
Profit for the year attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		170 092	69 680
Non-controlling interest		38	38
		170 130	69 718
Total comprehensive income for the year attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		161 311	85 969
Non-controlling interest		41	33
		161 352	86 002
Basic earnings per share (cents)	4	122,60	46,51
Diluted earnings per share (cents)	4	119,56	45,92

SUMMARISED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Stated capital R'000	Treasury shares R'000	Equity-settled share-based payment reserve R'000	Revaluation reserve R'000	Foreign currency translation reserve R'000	Retained earnings R'000	Total equity attributable to owners of the company R'000	Non- controlling interest R'000	Total equity R'000
Balance at 29 Feb 2020	220 995	(15 649)	7 741	36	36 396	314 948	564 467	66	564 533
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	69 680	69 680	38	69 718
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	16 288	(15)	16 273	(5)	16 268
Treasury shares acquired	-	(32 446)	-	-	-	-	(32 446)	-	(32 446)
Equity-settled share-based payment expense	-	-	917	-	-	-	917	-	917
Shares issued under share option scheme	102	-	(51)	-	-	-	51	-	51
Share issue costs	(1)	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	-	(1)
Balance at 28 Feb 2021	221 096	(48 095)	8 607	36	52 684	384 613	618 941	99	619 040
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	170 092	170 092	38	170 130
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	(8 880)	99	(8 781)	3	(8 778)
Treasury shares acquired	-	(15 194)	-	-	-	-	(15 194)	-	(15 194)
Treasury shares cancelled	(57 590)	57 590	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Equity-settled share-based payment expense	-		324	-	-		324	-	324
Shares issued under share option scheme	494	_	(167)	-	-	-	327	-	327
Share issue costs	(2)	-	-	-	-	-	(2)	-	(2)
Balance at 28 Feb 2022	163 998	(5 699)	8 764	36	43 804	554 804	765 707	140	765 847

SUMMARISED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Notes	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Cash generated from operations 10.1	163 693	175 985
Finance income	28	110
Finance costs	(4 257)	(5 244)
Tax paid 10.2	(44 827)	(21 141)
Net cash from operating activities	114 637	149 710
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Acquisition of plant and equipment	(2 508)	(1 939)
Acquisition and development of intangible assets	(3 641)	(4 459)
Proceeds on disposals of plant and equipment	350	72
Settlement of contingent consideration	(18 294)	(20 398)
Acquisition of interest in associate 10.3	-	(835)
Net cash used in investing activities	(24 093)	(27 559)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from interest-bearing borrowings	30 000	-
Repayment of interest-bearing borrowings	(7 662)	(19 694)
Payment of lease liabilities	(14 431)	(21 491)
Proceeds from issue of share capital	325	50
Treasury shares acquired	(15 194)	(32 446)
Proceeds from related party loans	3	-
Repayment of related party loans	-	(9)
Net cash used in financing activities	(6 959)	(73 590)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	83 585	48 561
Effect of movements in exchange rates on cash held	(2 800)	7 057
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	190 020	134 402
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year*	270 805	190 020

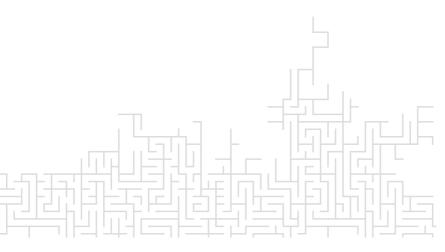
^{*} Cash and cash equivalents includes bank overdrafts included in overdrafts and bank facilities of R- (2021: R11k).

CONSOLIDATED SEGMENT ANALYSIS

REPORTABLE SEGMENTS	Logistics Services R'000	Financial Services R'000	Head Office R'000	Group R'000
2022	1,000	1, 000	1, 000	1, 000
Gross billings	7 361 963	8 352	41 652	7 411 967
External	6 410 489	7 764	614	6 418 867
Internal	951 474	588	41 038	993 100
Revenue and net interest income	610 748	8 352	12	619 112
Depreciation and amortisation	(20 938)	(27)	(327)	(21 292)
Impairment loss on intangible asset	(7 889)	(2,)	(02)	(7 889)
Operating profit/(loss)	228 667	2 934	(3 155)	228 446
Finance income	3 061	35	(3 068)	28
Finance costs	(2 461)	(72)	(1 735)	(4 268)
Share of profit of associate, net of tax	250	-	-	250
Income tax (expense)/benefit	(53 629)	(930)	233	(54 326)
Profit/(loss) for the year	175 888	1 967	(7 725)	170 130
Capital expenditure	5 798	14	7	5 819
Total Segment assets	1 362 824	1 462	274 478	1 638 764
Segment assets excluding	1 361 232	1 462	274 478	1 637 172
investment in associate				
Investment in associate	1 592	-	-	1 592
Segment liabilities	813 950	1 079	57 888	872 917
2021				
Gross billings	4 767 542	7 808	36 739	4 812 089
External	4 455 888	7 176	423	4 463 487
Internal	311 654	632	36 316	348 602
Revenue and net interest income	440 421	7 808	(6 035)	442 194
Depreciation and amortisation	(26 655)	(58)	(411)	(27 124)
Impairment loss on intangible asset	(781)	-	-	(781)
Operating profit	92 169	3 003	2 044	97 216
Finance income	1 624	121	(1 635)	110
Finance costs	(2 487)	(176)	(2 857)	(5 520)
Share of profit of associate, net of tax	96	-	-	96
Income tax expense	(20 270)	(1 524)	(390)	(22 184)
Profit/(loss) for the year	71 132	1 424	(2 838)	69 718
Capital expenditure	7 440	18	163	7 621
Segment assets	1 227 400	61 435	29 940	1 318 775
Segment assets excluding investment in associate	1 226 058	61 435	29 940	1 317 433
Investment in associate	1 342	-	-	1 342
Segment liabilities	760 603	31 993	(92 861)	699 735

CONSOLIDATED SEGMENT ANALYSIS continued

	LOGISTICS SERVICES				
GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION	Africa R'000	Asia Pacific R'000	United Kingdom R'000	Europe R'000	Total R'000
2022					
Gross billings	2 624 848	1 257 061	1 832 775	1 647 279	7 361 963
Revenue and net interest income	151 932	78 843	190 526	189 447	610 748
Operating profit	46 711	34 647	47 364	99 945	228 667
Profit for the year	35 560	28 968	38 233	73 127	175 888
Segment assets	561 909	142 502	389 533	268 880	1 362 824
Segment liabilities	317 432	132 264	233 759	130 495	813 950
2021					
Gross billings	1 936 614	566 654	1 134 173	818 447	4 455 888
Revenue and net interest income	120 776	62 046	131 936	125 663	440 421
Operating profit	9 463	23 424	27 328	31 954	92 169
Profit for the year	6 519	19 344	22 520	22 749	71 132
Segment assets	544 275	160 926	286 316	235 883	1 227 400
Segment liabilities	325 228	94 288	170 040	171 047	760 603



SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

for the year ended 28 February 2022

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The audited summarised consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the framework concepts and the recognition and measurement criteria of the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and the South African Institute for Chartered Accountants ("SAICA") Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee and Financial Reporting Pronouncements as issued by the Financial Reporting Standards Council ("FRSC"), and as a minimum, contains the information required by IAS 34: Interim Financial Reporting and comply with the Listing Requirements of the JSE Limited ("JSE") and the Companies Act of South Africa (Act No. 71 of 2008) ("Companies Act").

The full consolidated financial statements from which these summarised consolidated financial statements were derived are available on request from the Group's registered office.

These summarised consolidated financial statements and the full consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the supervision of Mr RM Herselman, CA (SA) and were approved by the Board of Directors ("Board") on 16 May 2022.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies applied in preparation of these summarised consolidated financial statements are consistent with those applied in the summarised consolidated financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2021.

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
REVENUE		
Gross billings	6 418 867	4 463 487
Less: recoverable disbursements	(5 799 755)	(4 021 293)
Revenue and net interest income	619 112	442 194
Revenue from contracts with clients		
Revenue from the provision of services comprises:	611 022	434 612
Logistic services	603 246	427 436
Insurance commission and management fees	7 764	7 176
Other revenue ¹	12	-
Net interest income from the provision of credit facilities comprises:	8 090	7 582
Interest and financing fee income	21 987	21 135
Interest and financing fee expenses	(13 897)	(13 553)
Revenue and net interest income	619 112	442 194

¹ Other revenue comprises ad-hoc service revenue in the Group.

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4. EARNINGS PER SHARE

		Audited 2022	Audited 2021
Basic earnings per share	(cents)	122,60	46,51
Headline earnings per share ("HEPS")	(cents)	126,81	47,08
Diluted earnings per share	(cents)	119,56	45,92
Diluted HEPS	(cents)	123,66	46,49

Reconciliation between basic and headline earnings:	Profit from ordinary activities R'000	Taxation effect R'000	Non- controlling interest R'000	Net effect R'000
2022				
Profit for the period/Basic earnings	224 456	(54 326)	(38)	170 092
Adjusted for:				
- Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(62)	17	-	(45)
- Impairment loss on intangible asset	7 889	(1 999)	-	5 890
Headline earnings	232 283	(56 308)	(38)	175 937
2021				
Profit for the period/Basic earnings	91 902	(22 184)	(38)	69 680
Adjusted for:				
- Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	105	(30)	=	75
- Impairment loss on intangible asset	781	=	=	781
Headline earnings	92 788	(22 214)	(38)	70 536

Numbers of shares used in the calculations:	2022 Shares 000's	2021 Shares 000's
Shares in issue at end of year	138 420	161 481
Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares ("WANOS") at end of year*	138 737	149 826
Diluted WANOS at end of year	142 270	151 739
Reconciliation of WANOS to Diluted WANOS:		
WANOS at end of year*	138 737	149 826
Effect of unexercised share options	3 533	1 913
Diluted WANOS at end of year	142 270	151 739

^{*} The Group holds 1 329 736 (2021: 20 608 070) treasury shares through a subsidiary, which have been excluded from the WANOS calculations.

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5. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Goodwill		
Carrying amount at beginning of year	294 941	282 600
Effects of exchange differences	(5 863)	12 341
Carrying amount at end of year	289 078	294 941
Carrying amount of computer software and indefinite useful life intangible assets	8 974	17 236
Total intangible assets	298 052	312 177

6. FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

	Level	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss			
Non-current			
Future profit share on rental agreement ¹	2	3 502	3 502
Guardrisk cell captive ²	2	3 069	4 056
		6 571	7 558
Current	•		
Forward exchange contracts	2	1 781	448
		1 781	448
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss			
Non-current			
Contingent considerations ³	3	-	(857)
		-	(857)
Current			
Contingent considerations ³	3	(558)	(19 207)
Forward exchange contracts	2	(1 520)	(275)
		(2 078)	(19 482)

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6. FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES continued

Fair value hierarchy

Fair values are categorised into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

There were no transfers between the fair value hierarchy levels during the reporting periods.

Santova Logistics (Pty) Ltd ("Santova Logistics") entered into a profit-sharing agreement with the landlord of their Durban premises at inception of the lease in the 2007 reporting period. This agreement gives Santova Logistics a specified portion of the actual or deemed profit made should the building be sold or vacated. The inputs used to determine the fair value of the profit-share are as follows:

Current net market rental (including parking bays) R144 per m²
Capitalisation rate (on a vacant basis) 10,75 %

² This represents the fair value of the investment by Santova Logistics in a cell captive administered by Guardrisk, and is recognised as a financial asset with changes in fair value being recognised in profit or loss for the reporting period. The fair value of the cell captive is determined as the net asset value that represents fair value.

In the event of claims being lodged in terms of the Marine Insurance Policy, the insurance cell captive referred to in this note will be required to cover the first R50 000 of any claim up to a limit of R100 000 for any one loss or series of losses arising from the same event. The balance of the claim is covered by the Marine Insurance Policy's underwriters.

The maximum liability of the cell captive is limited to R750 000 per reporting period, provided that this is matched by the premiums received during the reporting period. Should the premiums received for the reporting period amount to less than R750 000, Santova Logistics will be liable to fund the cell captive to cover the shortfall.

The cell has received premiums in excess of the R750 000 minimum required during the current reporting period. The Group drew dividends of R2 000 000 during the reporting period (2021: R3 000 000).

Based on the claims history, insurance legislation and the likelihood of future claims, the directors believe that the cell captive has adequate reserves and provisions to cover future claims.

³ This represents the fair value of the remaining contingent purchase obligations arising from acquisitions during the current and prior reporting periods. The fair value of the liabilities has been calculated as the net present value of the warranty payments, which management reasonably expects to be achieved, as set out in the agreements of sale, discounted at the weighted average cost of capital for the acquired entities. The financial liability is reconciled as follows:

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6. FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES continued

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Balance at beginning of year	20 064	36 300
Contingent consideration recognised on acquisition of ASM Logistics (Thailand) Co. Ltd	-	411
Interest on present value calculation	443	1 753
Fair value gain	(1 011)	-
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss on translation	(32)	325
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss on translation recognised in foreign currency translation reserve	(612)	1 673
Settled during the period	(18 294)	(20 398)
Balance at end of year	558	20 064

The remaining contingent consideration relates to the following acquisitions that were successfully completed during prior reporting periods:

Acquiring company	Target company	Remaining contingent purchase consideration R'000
Santova International Holdings (Pty) Ltd	ASM Logistics (Thailand) Co. Ltd	213
Santova Logistics B.V.	MLG Maritime Cargo Logistics GmbH	345

Management has assessed the sensitivity of the level 3 fair value measurement to changes in unobservable inputs and do not believe that reasonably expected changes therein would materially affect the fair value.

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7. PROVISIONS

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Provision for legal claims	11 334	-
	11 334	-

A provision of R11,3 million has been recognised in the current reporting period representing the potential exposure of the Group to legal costs and commercial claims for matters that were unresolved prior to the approval of the financial statements. While management have accrued for legal and settlement costs based on similar historical matters, the matter remains unresolved at year-end with the final settlement amount not yet determined. Management expects final settlement of the matter to take place in the upcoming financial year ending 28 February 2023.

8. FINANCE INCOME

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Cash and cash equivalents	28	110
Interest and financing fee income included in revenue	21 987	21 135
Total finance income	22 015	21 245

9. FINANCE COSTS

	Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
Lease liabilities	1 886	2 555
Interest-bearing borrowings	2 182	2 951
Other interest paid	200	14
Included in profit or loss	4 268	5 520
Interest and financing fee income included in revenue	13 897	13 553
Total finance costs	18 165	19 073

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10. NOTES TO THE SUMMARISED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

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		Audited 2022 R'000	Audited 2021 R'000
10.1	Cash generated from operations		
	Profit before tax	224 456	91 902
	Adjustments for:		
	Depreciation and amortisation	21 292	27 124
	(Profit)/loss on disposal of plant and equipment	(62)	105
	Impairment loss on intangible asset	7 889	781
	Finance income	(28)	(110)
	Finance costs	4 268	5 520
	Foreign exchange gains	(349)	(2 203)
	Fair value loss	330	3 322
	Movement in defined benefit plan liability	(127)	(127)
	Equity-settled share-based payment expense	324	917
	Share of profit of associate, net of tax	(250)	(96)
	Modification on lease liability	(15)	(259)
	Working capital changes:		
	Increase/(decrease) in discounting of trade receivables	24 379	(16 579)
	Increase in trade and other receivables	(256 886)	(88 160)
	Increase in trade and other payables and provisions	138 472	153 848
		163 693	175 985
10.2	Tax paid		
10.2	Balance at the beginning of the year	(9 268)	(5 955)
	Income tax expense recognised in profit or loss	(56 186)	(24 233)
	Foreign exchange translation	180	(221)
	Net balance at the end of the year	20 447	9 268
	ivet balance at the end of the year	(44 827)	(21 141)
10.3	Acquisition of associate		
	Investment in associate	-	1 246
	Net assets acquired		1 246
	Contingent consideration	-	(411)
	Settled in cash	-	835

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11. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There were no events material to the understanding of the summarised consolidated financial statements that occurred in the period between the reporting date and the publication date of the summarised consolidated financial statements.

12. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board on 16 May 2022.

13. AUDIT OPINION

These summarised consolidated financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2022 have been audited by Moore Johannesburg Inc. ("Moore"), who expressed an unmodified opinion thereon. The auditor also expressed an unmodified opinion on the full consolidated financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2022 from which these summarised consolidated financial statements were derived. A copy of the auditor's report on the summarised consolidated financial statements and the auditor's report on the full consolidated and separate financial statements are available for inspection at the Company's registered office, together with the financial statements identified in the respective auditor's reports. Moore has not audited future financial performance and expectations expressed by management included in the commentary in the summarised consolidated financial statements and accordingly do not express an opinion thereon. The auditor's report does not necessarily report on all of the information contained in the summarised consolidated financial statements. Shareholders are therefore advised that in order to obtain a full understanding of the nature of the auditor's engagement, they should obtain a copy of the auditor's report together with the accompanying financial information from the issuer's registered office.

DIVIDEND ANNOUNCEMENT

The directors have declared that given the Group's continued focus on building value per share, the Group's cash resources are best applied by reinvesting in the business and therefore no dividend has been declared for the 2022 financial year.

By order of the Board

J Lupton, FCG

Company Secretary

16 May 2022

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