



**5N PLUS INC.**

Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements  
(Unaudited)

For the three-month periods ended March 31, 2022 and 2021  
(in thousands of United States dollars)



INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION  
(in thousands of United States dollars) (unaudited)

	Notes	March 31 2022	December 31 2021
		\$	\$
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents		25,961	35,940
Accounts receivable		40,004	42,098
Inventories	4	102,316	95,526
Income tax receivable		5,326	5,054
Other current assets	11	17,509	16,904
<b>Total current assets</b>		<b>191,116</b>	<b>195,522</b>
Property, plant and equipment		81,040	81,526
Right-of-use assets		30,859	32,198
Intangible assets	3, 6	33,274	40,474
Goodwill	3	14,681	13,841
Deferred tax assets		6,855	7,007
Other assets	11	2,935	3,022
<b>Total non-current assets</b>		<b>169,644</b>	<b>178,068</b>
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>360,760</b>	<b>373,590</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current</b>			
Trade and accrued liabilities		53,618	56,848
Income tax payable		6,720	5,615
Derivative financial liabilities	5, 11	21	109
Current portion of lease liabilities		2,422	2,487
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<b>62,781</b>	<b>65,059</b>
Long-term debt	5	116,000	116,000
Deferred tax liabilities		5,506	7,645
Employee benefit plan obligations		14,696	17,231
Lease liabilities		29,031	30,153
Other liabilities		1,234	1,255
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>		<b>166,467</b>	<b>172,284</b>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>229,248</b>	<b>237,343</b>
<b>Equity</b>		<b>131,512</b>	<b>136,247</b>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>		<b>360,760</b>	<b>373,590</b>

Commitments and contingencies (Note 12)

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

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## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF (LOSS) EARNINGS

For the three-month periods ended March 31

**(in thousands of United States dollars, except per share information) (unaudited)**

	Notes	2022	2021
		\$	\$
<b>Revenue</b>		<b>64,421</b>	46,876
Cost of sales	4, 6	54,249	37,417
Selling, general and administrative expenses	6	7,493	4,976
Other expenses (income), net	6	7,392	2,229
		<b>69,134</b>	44,622
<b>Operating (loss) earnings</b>		<b>(4,713)</b>	2,254
<b>Financial expense (income)</b>			
Interest on long-term debt		945	634
Imputed interest and other interest expense		326	106
Foreign exchange and derivative loss (gain)		299	(859)
		<b>1,570</b>	(119)
<b>(Loss) earnings before income taxes</b>		<b>(6,283)</b>	2,373
Income tax expense (recovery)			
Current		1,845	756
Deferred		(2,373)	854
		<b>(528)</b>	1,610
<b>Net (loss) earnings</b>		<b>(5,755)</b>	763
<b>(Loss) earnings per share</b>	8	<b>(0.07)</b>	0.01
<b>Basic (loss) earnings per share</b>	8	<b>(0.07)</b>	0.01
<b>Diluted (loss) earnings per share</b>	8	<b>(0.07)</b>	0.01

Net (loss) earnings are completely attributable to equity holders of 5N Plus Inc.

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INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS) INCOME  
 For the three-month periods ended March 31  
 (in thousands of United States dollars) (unaudited)

	2022	2021
<b>Net (loss) earnings</b>	<b>\$ (5,755)</b>	<b>\$ 763</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>		
<b>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to net (loss) earnings</b>		
Currency translation adjustment	(426)	(263)
	(426)	(263)
<b>Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to net (loss) earnings</b>		
Remeasurement of employee benefit plan obligations	2,098	726
Income taxes	(713)	(229)
	1,385	497
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>234</b>
<b>Comprehensive (loss) income</b>	<b>(4,796)</b>	<b>997</b>

Comprehensive (loss) income is completely attributable to equity holders of 5N Plus Inc.

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## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the three-month periods ended March 31

**(in thousands of United States dollars, except number of shares) (unaudited)**

	Number of shares	Share Capital	Contributed Surplus	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	Deficit	Total equity
<b>2022</b>						
<b>Balances at beginning of period</b>	<b>88,330,236</b>	<b>\$ 21,004</b>	<b>\$ 342,659</b>	<b>\$ (5,189)</b>	<b>\$ (222,227)</b>	<b>\$ 136,247</b>
Net loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(5,755)	(5,755)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	959	-	959
Comprehensive income (loss)	-	-	-	959	(5,755)	(4,796)
Share-based compensation	-	-	61	-	-	61
<b>Balances at end of period</b>	<b>88,330,236</b>	<b>21,004</b>	<b>342,720</b>	<b>(4,230)</b>	<b>(227,982)</b>	<b>131,512</b>

	Number of shares	Share Capital	Contributed Surplus	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	Deficit	Total equity
<b>2021</b>						
<b>Balances at beginning of period</b>	<b>81,651,130</b>	<b>\$ 5,835</b>	<b>\$ 342,802</b>	<b>\$ (5,716)</b>	<b>\$ (224,545)</b>	<b>\$ 118,376</b>
Net earnings for the period	-	-	-	-	763	763
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	234	-	234
Comprehensive income	-	-	-	234	763	997
Common shares repurchased and cancelled (Note 7)	(249,572)	(17)	-	-	(792)	(809)
Share-based compensation	-	-	14	-	-	14
<b>Balances at end of period</b>	<b>81,401,558</b>	<b>5,818</b>	<b>342,816</b>	<b>(5,482)</b>	<b>(224,574)</b>	<b>118,578</b>

Equity is completely attributable to equity holders of 5N Plus Inc.

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## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

For the three-month periods ended March 31

(in thousands of United States dollars) (unaudited)

	Notes	2022	2021
		\$	\$
<b>Operating activities</b>			
Net earnings		(5,755)	763
Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to cash flows			
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment		3,273	1,928
Depreciation of right-of-use assets		688	352
Amortization of intangible assets		868	350
Amortization of other assets		77	44
Impairment of non-current assets	6	5,386	-
Share-based compensation expense		159	4,743
Deferred income taxes		(2,373)	854
Imputed interest		132	56
Employee benefit plan obligations		(101)	(123)
Unrealized loss on non-hedge financial instruments		(123)	(3,432)
Unrealized foreign exchange loss (gain) on assets and liabilities		569	(636)
<b>Funds from operations before the following:</b>		<b>2,800</b>	<b>4,899</b>
Net change in non-cash working capital balances	10	(7,742)	876
<b>Cash (used in) from operating activities</b>		<b>(4,942)</b>	<b>5,775</b>
<b>Investing activities</b>			
Additions to property, plant and equipment		(3,956)	(1,691)
Additions to intangible assets		(109)	(45)
Acquisition of investment in equity instruments	11	-	(2,000)
<b>Cash used in investing activities</b>		<b>(4,065)</b>	<b>(3,736)</b>
<b>Financing activities</b>			
Repayment of long-term debt	5	-	(5,109)
Deferred costs related to long-term debt	5	(5)	(116)
Common shares repurchased	7	-	(809)
Principal elements of lease payments		(761)	(398)
<b>Cash used in financing activities</b>		<b>(766)</b>	<b>(6,432)</b>
<b>Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents</b>		<b>(206)</b>	<b>(171)</b>
<b>Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents</b>		<b>(9,979)</b>	<b>(4,564)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		35,940	39,950
<b>Cash and cash equivalents, end of period</b>		<b>25,961</b>	<b>35,386</b>
<b>Supplemental information<sup>(1)</sup></b>			
Income tax paid		955	430
Interest paid		956	638

<sup>(1)</sup> Amounts paid for income tax and interest received were reflected as cash flows from operating activities in the interim consolidated statements of cash flows.

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

## 1. Nature of Activities

5N Plus Inc. (“5N Plus” or the “Company”) is a Canadian-based international company. 5N Plus is a leading global producer of specialty semiconductors and performance materials. The Company’s ultra-pure materials often form the core element of its customer products. These customers rely on 5N Plus’s products to enable performance and sustainability in their own products. 5N Plus deploys a range of proprietary and proven technologies to develop and manufacture its products. The Company’s products enable various applications in a number of key industries including renewable energy, security, space, pharmaceutical, medical imaging, and industrial. The Company is headquartered at 4385 Garand Street, Montreal, Quebec (Canada) H4R 2B4. The Company operates R&D, manufacturing and commercial centers in strategically located facilities around the world including Europe, North America and Asia. The Company’s mission is to be critical to its customers, valued by its employees and trusted by its shareholders. The Company’s core values focus on integrity, commitment and customer development along with emphasis on sustainable development, continuous improvement, health and safety. The Company’s shares are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (“TSX”). 5N Plus and its subsidiaries represent the “Company” mentioned throughout these consolidated financial statements. The Company has two reportable business segments, namely Specialty Semiconductors and Performance Materials.

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on May 4, 2022.

Since January 2020, the gradual outbreak of the novel strain of the coronavirus, COVID-19 and its declaration as a pandemic by the World Health Organization, has resulted in governments worldwide enacting emergency measures to combat the spread of the virus. While the Company has been able to mitigate the on-going impact from the crisis, it is not possible to reliably estimate the length, severity and long-term impact the global pandemic may have on the Company’s financial results, conditions and cash flows. The outbreak of the COVID-19 should be considered a risk factor.

In February 2022, Russian military forces invaded Ukraine; the invasion is being actively resisted by Ukrainian military personnel and the people of Ukraine, and the outcome of the ongoing conflict is uncertain at this time. Although AZUR SPACE Solar Power GmbH (AZUR), a subsidiary of the Company, had sales in Russia in the past, the amount of such sales is not material to the Company as a whole. The Company has no sales in Russia in 2022. A prolonged armed conflict in Ukraine or an expansion of the armed conflict to other European countries could have a negative effect on the European and global economies. As well, Russia is a major exporter of oil and natural gas. Any disruption of supplies of oil and natural gas from Russia could have a significant adverse effect on the European and world economies. All of the foregoing factors could potentially have a negative impact on the Company’s sales and results of operations.

## 2. Basis of Presentation

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by IASB (IFRS) and as applicable to the preparation of interim financial statements, including IAS 34, “Interim Financial Reporting”. These condensed interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRS.

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IAS 34 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgment in applying the Company’s accounting policies. The accounting policies followed in these unaudited condensed interim financial statements are consistent with those of the previous financial year, with the additional policies described below.

The functional and presentation currency of the Company is the United States dollar.

### Income taxes

Taxes on income in interim periods are accrued using the tax rate that would be applicable to expected total annual earnings.



### 3. Business Combinations

On November 5, 2021, the Company acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of AZUR for a purchase price of 50.1 million euros, subject to post-closing adjustments. The consideration transferred was comprised of 6.5 million shares of 5N Plus, which were issued from the treasury at 12.4 million euros, along with a cash payment of 37.7 million euros. Furthermore, the Company financed the working capital and equipment loans for an amount of 23.8 million euros. The cash portion and the working capital of the transaction were funded through the Company's liquidity and senior debt facility.

Located in Heilbronn, Germany, AZUR develops and manufactures multi-junction solar cells based on III-V compound semiconductor materials. The integration of AZUR will not only expand the Company's position within renewable energy, but, through Canada's membership in the European Space Agency (ESA), will also establish 5N Plus as a supplier to the European and U.S. space programs.

To estimate the fair value of the intangible assets, management used the excess earnings method to value customer relationships and the royalty relief method to value technology and trade names using discounted cash flow models. Management developed significant assumptions related to revenue and gross margin forecasts, customer retention rates, royalty rates and discount rates.

The table below presents the Company's adjusted preliminary assessment of the fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed as at March 31, 2022. The Company has not restated the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2021 as the adjustments were deemed not material. The Company also determined that the net impact on the net earnings as a result of these adjustments was not material for the year ended December 31, 2021, and as such, they were accounted for in the consolidated statement of earnings for the three-period ended March 31, 2022.

Identified assets acquired and liabilities assumed	Preliminary	Adjustments	Adjusted preliminary
	\$	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	1,017	-	1,017
Accounts receivable	8,342	1,057	9,399
Inventories	21,394	(1,057)	20,337
Other current assets	256	-	256
Property, plant and equipment	31,128	-	31,128
Right-of-use assets	21,626	(286)	21,340
Intangible assets	32,144	(973)	31,171
Other assets	5	-	5
Goodwill	13,841	840	14,681
<b>Total assets acquired</b>	<b>129,753</b>	<b>(419)</b>	<b>129,334</b>
Trade and accrued liabilities	12,197	-	12,197
Long-term debt <sup>(1)</sup>	27,396	-	27,396
Employee benefit plan obligations	2,673	-	2,673
Lease liabilities	21,626	(286)	21,340
Other liabilities	1,059	216	1,275
Deferred tax liabilities	7,094	(349)	6,745
<b>Total liabilities assumed</b>	<b>72,045</b>	<b>(419)</b>	<b>71,626</b>
<b>Total net assets</b>	<b>57,708</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>57,708</b>

<sup>1)</sup> The long-term debt acquired was repaid in full on November 5, 2021.

The amount recorded for goodwill is not deductible for tax purposes. The accounts receivable are presented net of a loss allowance of \$28.

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**(in thousands of United States dollars, unless otherwise indicated) (unaudited)****4. Inventories**

	<b>March 31 2022</b>	December 31 2021
Raw materials	<b>\$ 30,084</b>	\$ 30,845
Finished goods	<b>72,232</b>	64,681
<b>Total inventories</b>	<b>102,316</b>	95,526

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2022, a total of \$30,320 of inventories was included as an expense in cost of sales (\$21,008 the three-month period ended March 31, 2021).

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2022, a total of \$36 previously written down was recognized as a reduction of expenses in costs of sales concurrently with the related inventories being sold (\$18 for the Specialty Semiconductors segment and \$18 for the Performance Materials segment). For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, a total of \$113 previously written down was recognized as a reduction of expenses in costs of sales concurrently with the related inventories being sold (\$28 for the Specialty Semiconductors segment and \$85 for the Performance Materials segment).

**5. Long-Term Debt**

	<b>March 31 2022</b>	December 31 2021
Senior secured revolving facility of \$124,000 with a syndicate of banks, maturing in April 2023 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>\$ 91,000</b>	\$ 91,000
Unsecured subordinated term loan, maturing in March 2024 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>25,000</b>	25,000
	<b>116,000</b>	116,000
Less current portion of long-term debt	-	-
	<b>116,000</b>	116,000

<sup>(1)</sup> In March 2021, the Company signed a senior secured multi-currency revolving credit facility of \$79,000 maturing in April 2023 to replace its existing \$79,000 senior secured revolving facility maturing in April 2022. As a result of the acquisition of Azur in November 2021, the senior secured multi-currency revolving credit facility of \$79,000 increased to \$124,000. At any time, the Company has the option to request that the credit facility be expanded through the exercise of an additional \$30,000 accordion feature, subject to review and approval by the lenders. This revolving credit facility can be drawn in US dollars, Canadian dollars or Hong Kong dollars (up to \$4,000). Drawings bear interest at either the Canadian prime rate, US base rate, Hong Kong base rate or LIBOR, plus a margin based on the Company's senior net debt to consolidated EBITDA ratio. Under the terms of its credit facility, the Company is required to satisfy certain restrictive covenants as to financial ratios. As at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, the Company had met all covenants.

In February 2020, the Company entered into an interest rate swap agreement, maturing in April 2022, with a major Canadian financial institution to reduce its financial expense fluctuations on Libor rate on a portion of its credit facility (Note 11).

<sup>(2)</sup> In February 2019, the Company signed a five-year unsecured subordinated term loan with Investissement Québec. The loan was disbursed in two tranches: the first tranche of \$5,000 on February 6, 2019 and the second tranche of \$20,000 on March 22, 2019. The two tranches of the term loan bear interest equivalent to the 5-year US dollar swap rate plus a margin of 4.19%, which equals to 6.82% and 6.64% respectively. Under the terms of the loan, the Company is required to satisfy certain restrictive covenants as to financial ratios. As at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, the Company had met all covenants.

## 6. Expenses by Nature

	Three months	
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Wages and salaries	14,645	9,482
Share-based compensation expense	124	1,396
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	3,273	1,928
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	688	352
Amortization of intangible assets	868	350
Amortization of other assets	77	44
Impairment of non-current assets <sup>(1)</sup>	5,386	-
Research and development, net of tax credit <sup>(2)</sup>	1,099	482

<sup>(1)</sup> During the first quarter of 2022, the Company recorded a non-cash impairment charge on non-current assets of \$5,386 (\$5,123 for customer relationships and \$263 for other intangibles), included in the Specialty Semiconductors segment, to reflect the assessment of the carrying value of intangible assets impacted by the invasion of Ukraine by Russia, more precisely in reference to Russia based customers. The impairment charge recognized under Other expenses within the consolidated statement of (loss) earnings results from the fact that the Company's initial assumptions regarding the timing of future cashflows from these customers can no longer be supported given the uncertainty associated with recent international sanctions against Russia, and the unknown duration of the conflict.

<sup>(2)</sup> Reduced research and development, net of tax credit by an amount of \$498 for the three-month period ended March 31, 2022 resulting from research and development subsidies. There is an outstanding receivable related to this grant as at March 31, 2022 for an amount of \$244 included within Accounts receivable.

## 7. Share Capital

On March 5, 2020, the TSX approved the Company's normal course issuer bid (NCIB). Under this NCIB, the Company had the right to purchase for cancellation, from March 9, 2020 to March 8, 2021, a maximum of 2,000,000 common shares.

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company repurchased and cancelled 249,572 common shares at an average price of \$3.24 for a total amount of \$809. An amount of \$17 has been applied against share capital, and an amount of \$792 has been applied against the deficit.

## 8. Earnings per Share

The following table reconciles the numerators and denominators used for the computation of basic and diluted net (loss) earnings per share:

Numerators	Three months	
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Net (loss) earnings for the period	(5,755)	763

  

Denominators	Three months	
	2022	2021
Basic weighted average number of shares	88,330,236	81,525,956
Dilutive effect:		
Stock options	-	312,944
Diluted weighted average number of shares	88,330,236	81,838,900

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2022, a total number of 787,287 stock options was excluded from the diluted weighted average number of shares due to their anti-dilutive effect.

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, no stock option was excluded from the diluted weighted average number of shares due to their anti-dilutive effect because of the Company's stock price.

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Following the acquisition of AZUR (Note 3) and the subsequent integration of its activities within the Company's operations, the Company deemed it appropriate to reposition certain products and applications between the segments which resulted in a change in reportable segments which took effect in the fourth quarter of 2021. Accordingly, the Company has now adjusted the previously reported segment information for the three-month ended March 31, 2021.

The following tables summarize the information reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker when measuring performance:

	Three months	
	2022	2021 adjusted
	\$	\$
Specialty Semiconductors	27,301	12,142
Performance Materials	37,120	34,734
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>64,421</b>	<b>46,876</b>
Specialty Semiconductors	5,671	3,166
Performance Materials	2,622	5,243
Corporate and unallocated	(2,667)	(2,129)
<b>Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup></b>	<b>5,626</b>	<b>6,280</b>
Interest on long-term debt, imputed interest and other interest expense	1,271	740
Share-based compensation expense	124	1,396
Foreign exchange and derivative loss (gain)	299	(859)
Impairment of non-current assets (Note 6)	5,386	-
Depreciation and amortizations	4,829	2,630
<b>(Loss) earnings before income tax</b>	<b>(6,283)</b>	<b>2,373</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> (Loss) earnings before income tax, depreciation and amortizations, impairment of non-current assets, share-based compensation expense, and financial expense (income).

	Three months	
	2022	2021 adjusted
<b>Capital expenditures</b>		
	\$	\$
Specialty Semiconductors	2,587	512
Performance Materials	1,337	1,179
Corporate and unallocated	32	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,956</b>	<b>1,691</b>
<b>Assets excluding the deferred tax assets</b>	<b>March 31 2022</b>	<b>December 31 2021</b>
	\$	\$
Specialty Semiconductors	178,998	189,022
Performance Materials	148,297	146,111
Corporate and unallocated	26,610	31,450
<b>Total</b>	<b>353,905</b>	<b>366,583</b>

The geographic distribution of the Company's revenue based on the location of the customers for the periods ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, and the identifiable non-current assets as at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021 are summarized as follows:

Revenues	Three months	
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Asia		
China	2,475	2,390
Japan	1,724	907
Other <sup>(1)</sup>	8,635	3,168
Americas		
United States	17,587	18,030
Other <sup>(1)</sup>	4,945	4,288
Europe		
Germany	11,945	6,254
Belgium	1,958	1,901
Netherlands	3,125	1,703
France	2,727	1,309
Other <sup>(1)</sup>	7,823	5,573
Other	1,477	1,353
<b>Total</b>	<b>64,421</b>	<b>46,876</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> None exceeding 10%

Non-current assets (other than deferred tax assets)	March 31	December 31
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Asia <sup>(1)</sup>	7,222	7,850
United States	12,440	12,836
Canada	26,316	25,176
Europe		
Belgium	8,227	8,631
Germany	108,584	116,568
<b>Total</b>	<b>162,789</b>	<b>171,061</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> None exceeding 10%

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2022, one customer represented approximately 17% (2021 – 23%) of the revenues of which 14% (2021 – 14%) is within the Specialty Semiconductors segment and 3% (2021 – 9%) is within the Performance Materials segment.

## 10. Supplemental Cash Flow Information

Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations consists of the following:

	Three months	
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Decrease (increase) in assets:		
Accounts receivable	2,094	400
Inventories	(6,790)	(791)
Income tax receivable	(272)	(34)
Other current assets	(502)	68
(Decrease) increase in liabilities:		
Trade and accrued liabilities	(3,377)	937
Income tax payable	1,105	296
<b>Net change</b>	<b>(7,742)</b>	<b>876</b>

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The interim consolidated statements of cash flows exclude or include the following transactions:

	Three months	
	2022	2021
Excluded additions unpaid at end of the period:	\$	\$
Additions to property, plant and equipment	2,504	203
Included additions unpaid at beginning of the period:		
Additions to property, plant and equipment	3,095	775

**11. Fair Value of Financial Instruments****Fair value hierarchy**

The following table presents the financial instruments, by level, which are recognized at fair value in the interim consolidated statements of financial position:

As at March 31, 2022	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
	\$	\$	\$
Financial assets (liabilities)			
At fair value through profit or loss			
Indexed deposit agreement <sup>(1)</sup>	-	4,931	-
Investment in equity instruments <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	2,000
Restricted investment <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	699
Interest rate swap agreement <sup>(4)</sup>	-	(21)	-
<b>Total</b>	-	4,910	2,699
As at December 31, 2021	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
	\$	\$	\$
Financial assets (liabilities)			
At fair value through profit or loss			
Indexed deposit agreement <sup>(1)</sup>	-	4,819	-
Investment in equity instruments <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	2,000
Restricted investment <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	713
Interest rate swap agreement <sup>(4)</sup>	-	(109)	-
<b>Total</b>	-	4,710	2,713

<sup>(1)</sup> In June 2017, the Company entered into an indexed deposit agreement with a major Canadian financial institution to reduce its income exposure to fluctuations in its share price relating to the DSU, PSU, RSU and SAR programs. Pursuant to the agreement, the Company receives the economic benefit of share price appreciation while providing payments to the financial institution for the institution's cost of funds and any share price depreciation. The net effect of the indexed deposit partly offset movements in the Company's share price impacting the cost of the DSU, PSU, RSU and SAR programs. As at March 31, 2022, the indexed deposit agreement recorded under other current assets, covered 2,571,569 common shares of the Company.

<sup>(2)</sup> In January 2021, the Company acquired a minority equity stake in Microbion Corporation (Microbion) for an amount of \$2,000 recorded in Other assets.

<sup>(3)</sup> The fair value of the restricted investment is recorded in Other assets.

<sup>(4)</sup> In February 2020, the Company entered into an interest rate swap agreement with a major Canadian financial institution to reduce its financial expense fluctuations on Libor rate on a portion of its credit facility (Note 5). Under this interest rate swap, the Company exchanges interest payments. The terms are such that on each interest payment date, the Company will receive or pay the net difference between the fixed rate of 1.435% and its Libor rate on a notional amount of \$25,000.

## 12. Commitments and Contingencies

### Commitments

In the normal course of business, the Company contracted letters of credit for an amount of up to \$859 as at March 31, 2022 (\$953 as at December 31, 2021).

### Contingencies

In the normal course of operations, the Company is exposed to events that could give rise to contingent liabilities or assets. As at the date of issue of the condensed interim consolidated financial statements, the Company was not aware of any significant events that would have a material effect on its consolidated financial statements.