



PPF TELECOM GROUP B.V.

Annual accounts 2020

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Directors' Report

Description of the Company

PPF Telecom Group B.V.

Date of incorporation:	16 October 2013
Registered office:	Netherlands, Strawinskylaan 933, 1077XX Amsterdam
Identification number:	59009187
Authorised capital:	EUR 1,000
Issued capital:	EUR 1,000
Paid up capital:	EUR 1,000
Principal business:	Holding company activities and financing thereof

General information

PPF Telecom Group B.V. (the "Parent Company" or the "Parent"), on 24 February 2020 renamed from PPF Arena 1 B.V., is a leading provider of telecommunication services in the CEE region. Provided services include mobile telecommunication, fixed-line telecommunication, telecommunications infrastructure, data services and internet television. PPF Telecom Group B.V. belongs to a group comprised of PPF Group N.V. and its subsidiaries ("PPF Group"). The PPF Group is privately held and ultimately majority owned and controlled by Mr Petr Kellner. PPF Telecom Group B.V. and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") provide services in the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro, and operate through nine principal segments primarily based on geography and type of services provided. In addition, the Group undertakes certain other ancillary activities included in its unallocated segment. Details on the segments are described in Section D of the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

1. O2 Czech Republic Segment

The Group's O2 Czech Republic segment consists of the activities of O2 Czech Republic and its Czech subsidiaries (collectively, the "O2 CZ Group"), a leading fixed-mobile convergent telecommunications provider in the Czech Republic. The O2 CZ Group is a leading integrated telecommunications provider in the Czech Republic. O2 Czech Republic is listed on the Prague Stock Exchange and 16.42% of its shares were in free float as at 31 December 2020. As of the same date, the Group held a 67.83% ownership interest in O2 Czech Republic, while an additional 15.75% ownership interest was held by other entities of the PPF Group outside of the Group. O2 Czech Republic is the former state monopoly (incumbent) telecom operator in the Czech Republic. O2 CZ Group uses its own funding.

2. O2 Slovakia Segment

The Group's Slovakia segment consists of the activities of O2 Slovakia, s.r.o. (O2 Slovakia), a mobile telecommunications provider in Slovakia and a wholly owned subsidiary of O2 Czech Republic.

3. CETIN Czechia Segment

The Group's infrastructure segment in the Czech Republic (CETIN Czechia) consists of the activities of CETIN Czechia, the owner and operator of the incumbent and largest telecommunications network infrastructure in the Czech Republic, and its subsidiaries. CETIN Czechia acts as a wholesale provider of fixed and mobile telecommunications infrastructure to all telecommunications operators on an equal and transparent footing. As of 31 December 2020, the Group held an 89.73% ownership interest in CETIN Czechia, while the remaining ownership interest was held by other entities of the PPF Group outside of the Group. CETIN Czechia was incorporated in June 2015 as a spin-off of the infrastructure assets and wholesale business of the O2 CZ Group. CETIN Czechia divides its business activities into two main divisions: domestic network services and international transit services. Its largest customers include the O2 CZ Group, T-Mobile Czech Republic and Vodafone Czech Republic. CETIN Czechia has separate funding through Eurobonds and has been rated Baa2 (stable outlook) and BBB (stable outlook) by Moody's and Fitch, respectively.

4. Telenor Hungary Segment

The Group's Telenor Hungary segment consists of the activities of Telenor Magyarország Zrt., a leading mobile telecommunications provider in Hungary (Telenor Hungary), and Telenor Real Estate Hungary Zrt., owner of the principal real estate used by Telenor Hungary, including its main office buildings. Both companies are owned by the TMT Hungary B.V. holding company, in which as at 31 December 2020 the Group owned 75%, and a 25%

minority stake was owned by Antenna Hungária Zrt., the country's leading state-owned telecommunications service provider.

5. CETIN Hungary Segment

The Group's CETIN Hungary segment has been newly created in 2020. It was incorporated on 1 July 2020 as a spin-off of the active and passive mobile infrastructure assets of Telenor Hungary. CETIN Hungary consists of the activities of CETIN Hungary Zrt. CETIN Hungary is owned by the TMT Hungary Infra B.V. holding company, in which as at 31 December 2020 the Group owned 75%, and a 25% minority stake was owned by Antenna Hungária Zrt., the country's leading state-owned telecommunications service provider. CETIN Hungary provides mobile network services on a wholesale basis to Telenor Hungary as its principal customer.

6. Telenor Bulgaria Segment

The Group's Bulgaria segment consists of the activities of Telenor Bulgaria EAD (Telenor Bulgaria), the largest mobile telecommunications provider in Bulgaria, 100% owned by the Group.

7. CETIN Bulgaria Segment

The Group's CETIN Bulgaria segment has been newly created in 2020. It was incorporated on 1 July 2020 as a spin-off of the active and passive mobile infrastructure assets of Telenor Bulgaria. CETIN Bulgaria consists of the activities of CETIN Bulgaria EAD (CETIN Bulgaria). It is 100% owned by the Group and provides mobile network services on a wholesale basis to Telenor Bulgaria as its principal customer.

8. Telenor Serbia and Montenegro Segment

The Group's Serbia and Montenegro segment consists of the activities of Telenor d.o.o. Beograd and its subsidiaries (collectively, Telenor Serbia) and Telenor d.o.o. Podgorica and its subsidiaries (collectively, Telenor Montenegro), all 100% owned by the Group, leading mobile telecommunications providers in both Serbia and Montenegro with presence in the fixed voice telecommunications market as well. Telenor Serbia and Telenor Montenegro are separate business units however with common management and business strategy. Telenor Montenegro owns and operates its own infrastructure assets.

9. CETIN Serbia Segment

The Group's CETIN Serbia segment has been newly created in 2020. It was incorporated on 1 July 2020 as a spin-off of the active and passive mobile infrastructure assets and wholesale business of Telenor Serbia. CETIN Serbia consists of the activities of CETIN d.o.o., Belgrade (CETIN Serbia). It is 100% owned by the Group and provides mobile network services on a wholesale basis to Telenor Serbia as its principal customer.

10. Unallocated Segment

The Group's unallocated segment consisted mainly of ancillary activities of the Group, primarily the provision of technology services through Telenor Common Operation Zrt., incorporated in Hungary (Telenor Common Operation) to the Telenor CEE Group as well as to various entities of the Telenor ASA group. Concurrently with the spin-off of infrastructure from Telenor CEE Group, Telenor Common Operation transferred its local activities to CETIN Hungary, CETIN Bulgaria and CETIN Serbia. As of 31 December 2020, Telenor Common Operation is in the process of liquidation. In addition, this segment includes the Group's holding and sub-holding companies: the Parent, PPF Telco B.V., CETIN Group B.V. (formerly PPF Infrastructure B.V.), and PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V.

From the management point of view, the segments were organised in three main sub-groups towards the end of the period, based on the prevailing operating model applied:

- i. O2 Group, comprising O2 Czech Republic segment and O2 Slovakia segment, consolidated under PPF Telco B.V.,
- ii. Telenor CEE Group, comprising Telenor Hungary segment, Telenor Bulgaria segment and Telenor Serbia and Montenegro segment, consolidated under PPF Bidco 1 B.V. (collectively, Telenor CEE Group), and
- iii. CETIN Group, comprising CETIN Czechia segment, CETIN Hungary segment, CETIN Bulgaria segment and CETIN Serbia segment, consolidated under CETIN Group B.V. (collectively, CETIN Group).

Business objectives

The Group's mission is to be a leader in providing telecommunication services across the CEE region. In this mission, the Group benefits from the following key strengths:

- well diversified businesses across several geographies with leading positions in stable markets with positive

- trends
- high-quality telecommunication assets and services, with strong financial performance of the operating companies
 - strong track record and experience of the PPF Group, with accomplished executive management, backed by strong shareholder support.

The Group aims to achieve its mission through the following strategy:

- further expansion of its customer and revenue base
- continuous investment in infrastructure, innovation and technology
- continued optimisation, vertical integration and realisation of synergies within the Group
- continued focus on cash flow generation with conservative financial profile and policy.

Business model

PPF Telecom Group belongs to the group comprised of PPF Group N.V. and its subsidiaries active in a range of diverse industries. PPF Telecom Group was established as a holding company for entities of the PPF Group active in the telecommunications sector. The Group's main subsidiaries exercise three different operating models:

1. Convergent commercial telecommunications operator

Used by O2 Czech Republic Segment

O2 Czech Republic is a leading fixed and mobile convergent telecommunications provider in the Czech Republic. The company provides services to end users in retail, corporate and government institutions market segments. The company markets its services to retail users through a network of its own shops and to corporate and government institutions customers through its own sales representatives. The company owns mobile spectrum licences for its services and owns and operates core of the radio access networks. The company does not own most of the physical infrastructure required for the provision of its services; the infrastructure services are subcontracted mainly to CETIN Czechia.

Main products and services

Mobile services – Internet and data, voice services, multimedia message services and short message services on a contract or prepaid basis through a spectrum of tariffs targeting different market segments.

Fixed services – Internet connectivity, data and TV and fixed voice services, offered on a standalone basis or in a bundle with other fixed and mobile services.

Sales of devices – handsets, modems, TV set-top boxes and other devices complementary to the telecommunications services and products provided by the company.

Other mobile services – mainly provision of mobile network services on a wholesale basis to virtual operators.

Information and communication technology services – complex customer solutions and managed services, mainly system integration, outsourcing services, project solutions and software development.

2. Wholesale infrastructure provider

Used by the segments within CETIN Group - CETIN Czechia Segment, CETIN Hungary, CETIN Bulgaria and CETIN Serbia

CETIN companies are wholesale providers of fixed and mobile telecommunications infrastructure to all telecommunications operators on equal and transparent footing. CETIN companies do not provide services directly to end users.

2.1 CETIN Czechia

CETIN Czechia is the owner and operator of the largest telecommunications infrastructure portfolio in Czechia, namely the largest fixed access network in the country, comprising both metallic and fibre lines; radio access network for mobile services in the eastern part of the country and operated in network sharing arrangement with another leading mobile infrastructure operator, T-Mobile Czech Republic; transport network and data centres connecting the fixed and radio access networks; points of presence, transport network and switching equipment for transit of international voice calls. CETIN Czechia uses radio access network for mobile services in the western part of the country operated by T-Mobile Czech Republic in network sharing arrangement. CETIN Czechia manages an extensive portfolio of real estate properties across the country as an owner or as a lessee, housing its telecommunications equipment.

CETIN Czechia divides its business activities into two very different business lines – provision of national network services and international transit services. These two business lines operate in different types of markets; the services are largely provided via different assets, and their business models, profitability and investment demands are fundamentally different.

The national network services primarily consist of mobile network services, mass fixed-line network services – network access service, xDSL, FTTH/FTT, IPTV and voice service, data services, data centres and other services. Their main customers are service providers in the Czech telecommunications market. These services yield gross margins at industry standard level, which the Company reinvests in the development of network infrastructure for the provision of these services.

The international transit services primarily consist of the transmission of international voice traffic for international operators from all over the world. Considerable revenues with a very low margin that require minimum operating and capital costs are characteristic of this type of services.

Main products and services

Mobile network services – CETIN Czechia is the main provider of mobile network services for O2 Czech Republic a.s. It also operates the mobile network for T-Mobile Czech Republic a.s. in half the country through a shared network. The lease transmission station capacity is a secondary source of income.

Mass fixed-line network services – CETIN Czechia primarily offers all operators in the Czech market services involving access to the fixed-line network for the vast majority of housing units in the country, together with related voice services, xDSL or fibre broadband Internet access (broadband, FBB), IPTV paid television, local-loop unbundling (VULA and LLU) and technology collocation.

Data services – CETIN Czechia also provides operators with data services on leased lines for their corporate customers.

International transit services – CETIN Czechia provides international operators from all over the world with the transmission of international traffic, primarily voice.

Other services – This category includes the lease of dark fibres, housing in data centres, national interconnection services, support services for roaming, forced network transfers, duct hire and other associated services.

2.2 CETIN Hungary, CETIN Bulgaria and CETIN Serbia

CETIN Hungary, CETIN Bulgaria and CETIN Serbia are the owners and operators of mobile telecommunications infrastructure in their respective countries, formerly owned and operated by Telenor Hungary, Telenor Bulgaria and Telenor Serbia.

Main products and services

Mobile network services – provided on a wholesale basis predominantly for Telenor Hungary, Telenor Bulgaria and Telenor Serbia.

3. Mobile operator

Used by O2 Slovakia, Telenor Hungary, Telenor Bulgaria, Telenor Serbia and Telenor Montenegro Segments

The subsidiaries in these segments are mobile telecommunications providers in different national markets. They provide services to end users in retail, corporate and government institutions market segments. They market their services to retail users through a network of its own shops and to corporate and government institutions customers through its own sales representatives. These companies own mobile spectrum licences for their services. O2 Slovakia owns and operates its own radio access network for mobile services on a national scale; transport network connecting the radio access networks with the core in own data centres. Telenor Hungary and Telenor Bulgaria do not own most of the physical infrastructure required for the provision of its services; the infrastructure services are subcontracted to CETIN Hungary and CETIN Bulgaria, respectively. Telenor Serbia and Montenegro does not own most of the physical infrastructure required for the provision of its services in Serbia; the infrastructure services are subcontracted to CETIN Serbia. Telenor Serbia and Montenegro owns and operates its own radio access network for mobile services and transport network connecting the radio access networks with the core in own data centres in Montenegro.

Main products and services

Mobile services – Internet and data, voice services, multimedia message services and short message services on a contract or prepaid basis through a spectrum of tariffs targeting different market segments.

Fixed services – Internet connectivity, data and TV and fixed voice services.

Sales of devices – handsets, accessories and other devices complementary to the telecommunications services and products provided by the company.

Other mobile services – mainly provision of mobile network services on a wholesale basis.

Information and communication technology services – complex customer solutions and managed services, mainly system integration, outsourcing services, project solutions and software development.

Group level

PPF Telecom Group does not have own operations. The senior management team of the Group comprises experienced executives from PPF Group with extensive experience in the telecommunications sector, mainly in the

CEE region, and the top level of the management in the Group's operating subsidiaries with vital local knowledge and expertise. The role of the management teams at Segments is to deliver operational and financial objectives set by the Group through managing commercial, financial and regulatory aspects of the subsidiaries' operations. The senior management of the Group is involved in determining the Group's strategy, setting objectives for the subsidiaries, managing the human resources responsible for the delivery of these objectives and managing knowledge transfer between the subsidiaries to spread best practice across the segments in commercial, operational, purchasing, organisational, technological, procurement, financial and other aspects of their operations. O2 Czech Republic has its own management, business and financial strategies and policies, as the PPF Group treats O2 Group rather as a passive investment.

2020 highlights

COVID-19 pandemic had a significant impact on customer behaviour and business operations of the Group during 2020. All facilities of the Group were kept almost fully operational during the whole period, despite periods of lockdowns and closures of some of the retail stores. The Group swiftly implemented effective measures for the protection of the health and safety of its workforce and of its customers, and adapted the operating procedures to the conditions brought about by the pandemic and government restrictions, to make sure that both operations and investment activities continue without major interruption and impediments. The Group was thus able to achieve its targets in the areas of business performance, investment activities and business development.

O2 CZ Group continued improving the quality and availability of its network services for customers in retail as well as corporate and government market segments.

CETIN Czechia continued improving the availability and the capacity of its mobile network in line with the growing demand for mobile data services, while upgrading its fixed network to NGA standards.

In Hungary, Bulgaria and Serbia the Group focused on aligning the operating model to the one successfully pioneered in Czechia in 2015, by separating the telecommunications infrastructure in these countries from Telenor operators that market and provide telecommunication services to end users. Separating thus also the management of the infrastructure businesses in these countries from the previously integrated operators and managing all infrastructure operators in the Group together as CETIN Group allows for better sharing of infrastructure know-how and provides the potential for combined research, development and long-term investments. In addition, CETIN Group intends to exploit potential synergies in operating and capital expenses. Similarly, the Telenor operators as streamlined, assets-light and service-oriented operators have been focused on driving their commercial performance further, with clearer management and investment priorities and exploring opportunities in fixed-mobile convergence.

The Group has invested in 5G spectrum licences in Czechia, Slovakia and Hungary, having acquired sufficient bandwidth for the next generation of mobile services to preserve its leading positions in these markets for years to come. Spectrum investments were financed by previously created cash reserves in Czechia and Slovakia and by a bank loan in Hungary.

In 2020, the Group sustained its strong commitment to financial discipline, maintained ratings from all major rating agencies, further utilised its EMTN programme to refinance the existing bank loan at the Parent level and refinanced most of its debts due in 2020 and 2021.

Key results

Operational performance

The Group has continued increasing the number and quality of its mobile customer base and growing and diversifying the portfolio of customers using the Group's infrastructure services.

As at 31 December 2020, the Group's operating companies served a total of 18.3 million active mobile subscribers, an increase of 0.6% year over year. More importantly, the number of contract subscribers increased by 1.3% year over year and the share of contract customers in the base (excluding mobile-to-mobile) has increased in 2020 by 2 percentage points to 67%¹. This migration of customers to higher value contracts was the driver of further improving

¹ Mobile subscriber base consists of subscribers with a long-term contract, subscribers using pre-paid cards and subscribers to M2M (mobile-to-mobile) services. The share of contract subscribers is calculated as the number of

ARPU.

O2 Czech Republic continued strengthening its leading market position, as its mobile customer base grew by 2% and customers continued to migrate from fixed voice to mobile and from pre-paid subscriptions to contracts. Fixed broadband subscriptions grew by 2.4% year-over-year through technology-agnostic propositions. Subscriptions of O2 TV service reached 443 thousand in 2020, increasing by more than 19% within a year.

O2 Slovakia continued gaining new customers and increasing ARPU, with customer growth of 4% year-over-year, a 5% increase in ARPU and progress in converting pre-paid subscriptions to contracts.

CETIN Czechia further strengthened its mobile network by adding new stations, new layers, and new network capacity. The fixed network modernisation programme has progressed further, and the company now offers Next Generation Access lines (50 Mbps or more) in 84% of its connection points, including speeds of up to 1 Gbps. These improvements and new long-term contracts with retail operators reversed the decline in the DSL customer base. In 2020 CETIN continued increasing the number of its fixed broadband services.

Telenor CEE Group companies reported resilient business performance with healthy growth in mobile traffic and data consumption and a growing contract customer base throughout the year.

COVID-19 pandemic drove increased demand for telecommunications services for the most part of 2020. The related increase of network traffic remained well within the reserve capacity of the Group's networks. Travel restrictions imposed by the national governments in efforts to prevent spread of COVID-19 disease had an adverse impact on outbound roaming traffic across all segments, a minor element of the Group's earnings.

Non-financial KPIs

Mobile services

		1. O2 Czech Republic Segment	2. O2 Slovakia Segment	4. Telenor Hungary Segment	6. Telenor Bulgaria Segment	8. Telenor Serbia and Montenegro Segment	Group
mobile subscribers	thousands	5,968	2,230	3,449	3,468	3,215	18,330
y-o-y growth	per cent	1.9%	3.8%	0.8%	(1.6%)	(1.5%)	0.6%
mobile contract subscribers	per cent of total	63%	59%	68%	82%	60%	67%
y-o-y growth	percentage points	1	1	3	1	2	2
mobile ARPU	EUR	n/a	10.4	12.0	8.9	9.1	n/a
y-o-y growth	per cent	n/a	2.2%	(2.1%)	6.8%	4.1%	n/a

contract subscribers divided by the sum of contract and pre-paid subscribers, excluding the M2M accounts. M2M subscribers are a dynamically growing sector, with only limited services required and therefore substantially lower ARPU, compared to the traditional subscribers with contract or pre-paid cards.

Fixed services

		1. O2 Czech Republic Segment	3. CETIN Czechia Segment
fixed broadband subscribers	thousands	855	n/a
<i>y-o-y growth</i>	<i>per cent</i>	2.4%	n/a
Pay TV subscribers	thousands	529	n/a
<i>y-o-y growth</i>	<i>per cent</i>	19%	n/a
fixed voice subscribers	thousands	403	n/a
<i>y-o-y growth</i>	<i>per cent</i>	(13%)	n/a
fixed lines clients	thousands	n/a	1,175
<i>y-o-y growth</i>	<i>per cent</i>	n/a	2.1%

CETIN Hungary, CETIN Bulgaria and CETIN Serbia provide wholesale infrastructure services to Telenor companies within PPF Telecom Group and do not have meaningful operational KPIs at the moment.

Revenues, costs and operating income

The Group's consolidated revenues of EUR 3,159 million have remained on the same level as previous year, despite the adverse impact of COVID-19 to revenues from outbound roaming and currency depreciation in Czechia and Hungary. The operating income before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) nevertheless grew by 2.0% year-over-year, compared to the previous year, driven by operational savings across all segments. Some of the savings were the result of the Group ongoing efficiency improvement programme, some were achieved in reaction to the changes brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic, such as savings in advertising, commissions, and travel costs.

Depreciation and Net Income

Depreciation and amortisation charges declined moderately in 2020 compared to previous period. The Net income of the Group grew in step with EBITDA, slightly helped by lower financial costs.

O2 Group experienced slight revenue decline of 1.1%, driven by COVID19 impact on roaming revenues and sales of hardware in both Czechia and Slovakia. Fixed services revenues in O2 Czech Republic grew in 2020, driven mainly by new ICT projects and the continued success of the technology-agnostic broadband proposition and PayTV services, offsetting the continued decline of traditional fixed voice services. Consolidated reported EBITDA improved by 2.6% year-on-year, driven by further improving operational efficiency. Consolidated net profit grew in line with the EBITDA growth.

CETIN Czechia total revenues slightly declined in 2020 due mainly to international voice transit revenues, where the focus on fewer revenues with higher profit margins brought about an increase in the gross margins from the segment. Growing gross margins mainly from mobile services and the turnaround in the fixed lines services translated in underlying EBITDA growth, despite growing energy consumption related to network expansion, inflationary pressures on energy and labour prices. Total EBITDA remained flat year-over-year due to depreciation of the local currency.

Telenor CEE Group companies' revenue and EBITDA grew modestly by 0.7% and 3.1% year over year, respectively, as a result of growing contract customer base and ongoing efficiency improvement programme.

Capital expenditure

In 2020, the Group acquired fixed assets totalling EUR 612 million. These investments were mainly channelled in further development of the Group's telecommunications infrastructure and in licences for 5G spectrum and O2 brand. The main investment projects involved upgrades of mobile networks – extending the coverage, density and network capacity of mobile networks across all segments, in line with growing demand for mobile data consumption and in preparation for 5G networks.

O2 Group continued investing in content rights for its leading IPTV platform, 5G spectrum licences in Czechia and Slovakia and extension of its licence of the O2 brand. CETIN Czechia continued modernising its national broadband network to protect its market leadership position. Telenor CEE invested in 5G mobile spectrum licences in Hungary.

Current assets

The cash position of the Group in 2020 was maintained on a level consistent with the previous period. Trade receivables declined by 14% despite flat revenues year over year, a result of increased focus of all operating companies on customer payment discipline.

Fixed assets

The total value of fixed assets of the Group decreased slightly to EUR 6,413 million as at 31 December 2020.

Tangible assets reached a net book value of EUR 2,473 million, with additions from continued investment in the development of the telecommunications infrastructure across all segments, offset by depreciation charges.

Intangible assets and goodwill reached a net book value of EUR 3,320 million with additions from the acquisition of spectrum licences EUR 186 million and EUR 64 million investment in extending O2 brand licence until end of 2036, offset by amortisation charges.

Right-of-use assets recorded at a net book value of EUR 491 million represent mainly the value of real estate leases for mobile sites, office and technology buildings with network installations.

For detailed information, see Notes E.7 and E.8 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Debt and equity

In July 2018, PPF Telecom Group B.V. utilised secured term loan facilities amounting to a total of EUR 2.8 billion, mainly to finance the acquisition of Telenor CEE Group. The loans are denominated in EUR and CZK and repayable by 2023 and 2024.

In March 2019, the Group established a EUR 3,000 million Euro Medium Term Note Programme. Under this programme, the Group continued issuing Eurobond during 2020. In January 2020, a EUR 100 million tap of 5-year Eurobond (issued in November 2019) was placed with the investors. In May 2020, the Group issued a senior secured 4-year Eurobond in nominal amount of EUR 500 million and tapped it by further EUR 100 million in June 2020. Another senior secured 7-year Eurobond amounting to EUR 500 million was issued in November 2020. Most proceeds from these issuances were used to refinance the Group's secured bank loans. As at 31 December 2020, the outstanding amounts of these bank loans were EUR 374 million and CZK 4,386 million.

In April 2020, the Group secured a EUR 100 million 5-year amortising loan in Hungary, to finance the acquisition of 5G spectrum licences. In May 2020, the Group refinanced O2 CZK 7 billion bank loan in Czechia, extending its maturity by 5 years; utilised part of the loan as of 31 December 2020 translated to Euro was EUR 205 million.

In August 2020, the Group has secured EUR 625 million committed credit facility for CETIN Czechia, with the view to potentially utilise the facility in 2021 to refinance CETIN Czechia's EUR 625 million Eurobond.

The total consolidated indebtedness of PPF Telecom Group B.V. as at 31 December 2020 thus represented EUR 4.2 billion, with the total balance similar to 2019 but with a further change in its structure towards bonds and extended maturity as described above. For detailed information, see Notes E.13 and E.14 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

The owner's equity of the Group stood at EUR 1.8 billion as at 31 December 2020 having declined by EUR 0.4 billion in 2020, mainly through the distribution of dividends to shareholders, partially offset by the net profit achieved in 2020.

The debt-to-assets ratio² increased slightly from 0.72 to 0.77 and the debt-to-equity ratio³ grew from 2.63 to 3.30.

Profit distribution and other payments to shareholders

The consolidated net profit of the Group in 2020 reached EUR 432 million, adding to EUR 285 million of earnings

² Debt to assets = total liabilities/total assets

³ Debt to equity = total liabilities/owners' equity

retained from previous years. PPF Telecom Group paid EUR 600 million in dividends to its shareholders, while non-controlling shareholders received EUR 74 million in dividends.

Cash flows

Consolidated net cash from operating activities of the Group reached EUR 1,287 million, growing in line with operating income. Net cash used in investment activities consisted mainly of EUR 620 million investments in the development of the telecommunications infrastructure, including EUR 170 million payment for 5G spectrum licences. Free cash flows excluding the acquisitions and sales of subsidiaries and investment assets⁴ reached EUR 679 million.

Cash inflows from financing in 2020 were EUR 1,294 million, comprising mainly proceeds from Eurobond issuances and the new loan in Hungary. The Parent Company used most of the cash raised by Eurobond issuances to repay EUR 1,101 million off the existing secured bank loan.

After net interest payments of EUR 71 million and lease payments of EUR 82 million, the total pre-dividend cash flows generated in 2020 reached EUR 697 million. The Group used part of these proceeds for distribution of EUR 688 million of profits to shareholders and retained the remaining cash.

The closing cash position of the Group remained stable year over year at EUR 790 million.

For detailed information, see the accompanying consolidated statement of cash flows for the financial year ended on 31 December 2020.

Business outlook

The group will continue growing the Group's revenue base within the current telecommunications market, primarily through organic growth. The Group's long-term focus is to maintain a low churn rate of customers and improve its mobile customers mix to ensure a continued upward trend in ARPU. The Group aims to build on the individual company's strengths and synergies and capitalise on trends in the telecommunications market, especially increasing data usage and demand for content offering, and evolve its existing portfolio of products and services to meet clients' expectations. To maintain a leading position in its respective telecommunications markets and to ensure the high quality of services, the Group plans to continue investing substantial amounts in the modernisation of its infrastructure and in the development of new products and services, such as hardware and insurance and procuring licences for its current or future services, including new 5G spectrum and renewals of the existing licences, if needed. The Group is in the process of upgrading its infrastructure to capture the growing demand for data consumption and to facilitate speed upgrades in both the mobile and fixed market segments.

The Group will continue investing in the development of new telecommunication solutions and products, to sustain or extend its market positions in local markets. At the local level, segments will continue developing tactical solutions and products for its local markets. The Group's executive management will continue researching and developing strategic solutions around emerging technologies and trends so that they can be efficiently deployed across the whole Group.

The Group's strong and reliable operating cash flows together with its cash reserves and undrawn credit facilities provide sufficient financing for its intended future business activities, capital investments, and for meeting its liabilities towards its creditors, including banks and bondholders. The Group will continue monitoring the financial markets and may consider further refinancing parts of its debts or exploring other ways of optimising its capital structure and benefit from potentially favourable market conditions. The Group will remain focused on increasing the efficiency and high levels of staff loyalty of the workforce in its subsidiaries through local training, personal development and performance management programmes. The Group will continue investing substantial amounts in the development of more efficient internal systems to further increase the time spent by its employees on value added activities, especially in customer-facing positions. The Group will also remain focused on sharing its best practices in retail and operations, procurement, technology transformation, management and the structuring of its subsidiaries, to create synergies and efficiencies to be reinvested in telecommunications infrastructure, licences, products and services that will sustain its leading market position.

⁴ Net cash from operating activities – purchase of PPE and intangible assets + proceeds from disposal of PPE and intangible assets

COVID-19 pandemic will likely continue affecting the business of the Group in the following years. The Group will continue to follow closely the developments, anticipate possible risks and have mitigating solutions available. Some of the impacts of the pandemic may potentially present a business opportunity for the Group, such as greater demand for telecommunication services, telecommuting, telelearning, next generation of fixed and mobile access and rapidly increased digitalisation of operations by businesses. The Group will be prepared to exploit the possibly emerging new opportunities.

Organisational structure, management and staff development

The Parent company has no employees and therefore no organisational structure. All Group employees are employed by the subsidiaries of PPF Telecom Group B.V.

Senior Management

The senior management of the Group without the O2 Group (the "Senior Management") consists of the chief executive officer, the chief technology officer, the chief commercial officer and the chief executive officers of the Group's main operating subsidiaries. O2 is not under the active managerial control of the Group, has its own management, business and financial strategy and resources and the Group treats it as a financial investment only. the members of the Senior Management are employees of PPF Group or of a relevant subsidiary of the Parent company.

The following table sets forth the members of the Senior Management appointed as at 31 December 2020.

Name	Position	Commencement of Current Term of Office
Ladislav Bartoníček	Chief Executive Officer	1 January 2018
Roman Staněk	Chief Technology Officer	15 February 2020
Marek Sláčík	Chief Commercial Officer	1 July 2018
Jan Kadaník	Chairman of the Board of CETIN Group B.V.	1 September 2020
Juraj Šedivý	Chief Executive Officer of CETIN Group B.V.	1 September 2020
Martin Škop	Chief Executive Officer of CETIN Czechia	1 September 2020
Jindřich Fremuth	Chief Executive Officer of O2 Czech Republic	1 January 2018
Peter Gažík	Chief Executive Officer of O2 Slovakia	1 June 2015
Jan Hanuš	Chief Executive Officer of Telenor Hungary	1 August 2018
Jason King	Chief Executive Officer of Telenor Bulgaria	1 September 2018
Mike Michel	Chief Executive Officer of Telenor Serbia	8 October 2018
Branko Mitrović	Chief Executive Officer of Telenor Montenegro	1 July 2019
Tamás Ötvös	Chief Executive Officer of CETIN Hungary	1 July 2020
Petar Mudrinić	Chief Executive Officer of CETIN Bulgaria	1 July 2020
Vladimir Skulić	Chief Executive Officer of CETIN Serbia	1 July 2020

During December 2020, two changes in the Senior Management were made, both effective 1st of January 2021:

Mr. Peter Gažík has been appointed CEO of Telenor Hungary, a subsidiary of PPF Telecom Group.

Mr. Igor Tóth has been appointed CEO of O2 Slovakia, a subsidiary of PPF Telecom Group.

Staff development

The average number of employees during 2020 remained stable, having reached 12,432, a 2.0% increase compared to 2019, mainly due to insourcing of certain retail shops and new projects.

Social aspects of operating the business

The Parent company has no operations. Operations are conducted by the subsidiaries of PPF Telecom Group B.V. The subsidiaries have their own social policies that are reflective of specific local regulatory requirements and of specific local challenges and opportunities to contribute to larger society.

In general, as a telecommunications operator, the Group provides a technology foundation for stable and secure communication of the individuals, communities and the society in its operating countries by connecting people,

organisations and businesses at a level previously not possible, offering uninterrupted mobile voice and data connections anytime and in almost any location, providing means of communication, access to information, increased security, convenience, education and entertainment to ever larger groups of the population. This enables software and solutions developers to invent and deliver still new solutions that are profoundly changing the way of life for individuals and the way of doing business for companies and entrepreneurs. These new solutions often call for new advances in telecommunications and the two industries operate in a virtuous cycle, driving further innovations and growth of the telecommunications business.

Society has concerns about telecommunications that mainly focus on privacy and security. Each operating segment of the Group is continuously working on improving the privacy of its customers' data and increasing the resilience of the network against cyber-attacks and cyber frauds. The operating segments are also working with the respective national law enforcement authorities on issues that focus on the safety of individuals and of the public from crime and terrorism.

The Group is contributing to these efforts by enabling the transfers of best practices across its segments.

The Group segments operate within the national and international supply chains for telecommunications equipment, software, and network construction materials. The Group pays close attention to the selection of its suppliers, choosing them from the world's most reputable providers, and requiring certificates of quality and compliance of the products with all standards and regulations relevant to the import and operation of these products.

The outburst of COVID-19 pandemic and measures to contain and prevent spread of the disease has put the individuals, communities and the whole societies under intense pressure. The Group's companies were in a fortunate position to be able to alleviate some of the newly emerged difficulties and provide vital support to local communities as well as at the national level. A wide range of telco services was provided for free or with a major discount during the first months of the pandemic, when the whole nations were coping with the changing ways of life. These included unlimited data for the customers, free broadcasting of government emergency messages, free COVID help lines and free lines for medical institutions, educational portals and libraries for telelearning and free or discounted entertainment during the first lockdown periods. Besides telecommunication services, the Group's companies as well as individual employees were helping medical institutions and healthcare workers through donations of life-saving medical equipment, protective equipment and volunteer help.

Environmental influence and research and development

The Group is aware of the importance of maintaining a healthy and undamaged environment for current and future generations. It has therefore incorporated a policy of limiting any negative environmental impacts resulting from its strategy and everyday activities. Targets leading to the lessening of any negative impacts on the environment in 2020 mainly focused on reducing energy consumption, fuel savings and replacing refrigerants in air-conditioning units, which will also lead to a reduction in the emission of greenhouse gases and other harmful substances into the air and to financial savings.

The Group dedicates ample resources to research and development activities, primarily in the area of telecommunications technology development and related IT systems.

Information supply and computerisation

The Group's IT applications and systems are decentralised by segments. Back office systems in use are mostly industry standard applications, mainly desktop office applications and ERP systems by SAP and Oracle, with certain levels of customisation. Telecommunications network management systems are mostly industry standard systems supplied by technology vendors. Customer-facing systems are mostly developed internally and tailored to specific local requirements, market conditions, regulation and commercial opportunities.

Code of conduct

PPF Group has implemented a Corporate Compliance programme which sets out the fundamental principles and rules of conduct for all employees in the Group and enables compliance checks and putting remedies in place when shortcomings are discovered, or objectionable or illegal conduct identified. An important part of the programme is the PPF Group Code of Ethics, dealing, among other topics, with the protection of human rights and the prevention

of corrupt conduct in all Group activities. Internal guidelines entitled Corporate Compliance Internal Investigation further regulate how workers, managers and the governing and inspection bodies of the Group should proceed in case of suspicion, investigation and discovery of actions that are unethical or improper and/or contrary to legal regulations or the Code of Ethics of PPF Group.

Corporate governance and audit committee

The Parent Company has a two-tier management structure consisting of its management board (bestuur in Dutch) (the "Management Board"). The Management Board represents the Company Parent Company in all matters and is charged with its day-to-day business management. The Parent Company has no administrative, management or supervisory body other than the Management Board despite being established as two-tier under Dutch law as all members of the Management Board are executive.

Management Board

The Management Board is the Parent Company's statutory body, which directs its operations and acts on its behalf. The Parent Company's general meeting (the "General Meeting") elects the members of the Management Board for a term of office determined by the General Meeting at its sole discretion. Re-election of the members of the Management Board is permitted. Pursuant to the Parent Company's Articles of Association (*statuten* in Dutch) (the "Articles of Association"), the Management Board has at least one member. As at the date of these base listing particulars, all three members of the Management Board are executives.

All members of the Management Board are obliged to perform their tasks and duties related to the office in the best corporate interest of the Parent Company and the undertaking attached to it, as required under Dutch law. Pursuant to the Articles of Association, the members of the Management Board are authorised to solely and independently represent the Parent Company.

The following table sets forth the members of the Management Board appointed as at 31 December 2020:

Name	Position	Commencement of Current Term of Office
Jan Cornelis Jansen	Managing Director	16 October 2013
Lubomír Král	Managing Director	16 October 2013
Marcel Marinus van Santen	Managing Director	1 June 2015

The business address of all members of the Management Board is at Strawinskylaan 933, 1077XX Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Composition of the Management Board

The size and composition of the Management Board and the combined experience and expertise of their members should reflect the best fit for the profile and strategy of the Company. This aim for the best fit, in combination with the availability of qualifying candidates, has resulted in PPF Telecom Group B.V. currently having a Management Board in which all three members are male.

Audit committee

An audit committee has been established at a higher level within the PPF Group (specifically at PPF Group N.V.) in compliance with all conditions of the Dutch transposition of Article 39 (3) (a) of Directive 2006/43/EC, as a result of which PPF Telecom Group B.V. as PPF Group N.V.'s subsidiary is entirely exempt from obligations in respect of an audit committee. Due to the application of the aforementioned exemption, the audit committee of PPF Group N.V. follows all obligatory responsibilities in relation to PPF Telecom Group B.V.

Risk management

The uncertainties and risks that the Group may be facing are continually identified by all segments and evaluated for their potential financial impacts and risk likelihood. Significant risks are periodically monitored, while preventive measures are applied to effectively limit the impact or likelihood of risks. The effectiveness of the measures is periodically reviewed by management.

Strategic uncertainties

The Group's main strategic uncertainties stem from potential changes in the market environment, including regulatory issues, new entrants, new technologies, economic developments and global phenomena such as pandemics. The Group's key mitigants of these potential risks are geographical diversification and a dedicated team of accomplished industry professionals at the Group level, monitoring the developments in the individual segments in the global environment, making critical decisions about technology investments and marketing strategies in the segments to anticipate and avert or minimise the potential risks.

Operating risks

Operating risks in the segments primarily concern issues of network capacity and quality, business critical systems and cybersecurity. The Group's dedicated executive team plays an important role in further improving the resilience of the segments against operating risks by transferring best practices across the segments and by taking decisions on investment programmes and future developments of critical network and systems capabilities. All Group's subsidiaries comply with EU's General Data Protection Regulation and the derived national laws and regulations. In compliance with the GDPR requirements the Group's subsidiaries established rigorous security standards for storage, treatment and processing of personal data. COVID-19 pandemic and measures to contain and prevent spread of the disease brought about a set of new potential operating risks, mainly related to closures of operations of the Group, lockdowns and travel limitations, and impacts to macroeconomic factors.

Financial risks

Financial risks mainly include the effects of changes in debt market prices, foreign currency exchange rates, and interest rates. The Group uses derivative financial instruments and/or non-derivative instruments to hedge potential exposures. At the operational level in the segments, the Group is also facing credit risk, arising from the provision of services to more than 18 million private and corporate customers, and liquidity risk, stemming from differences in the timing of operating, investing, and financing cash in- and outflows. Risk management is carried out by the treasury departments in the segments in accordance with policies issued at the Group level, where the executive management benefits from the insight into the best practices in the segments.

Credit risk

Under the Group's policy, all customers wishing to trade on credit terms are subjected to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are continuously monitored, together with the resulting non-significant Group's exposure to bad debts. Most of the risk in 2020 was related to trade receivables from retail customers, followed by the corporate sector, with 62% stemming from Czechia and another 18% from the segments operating in Slovakia and Hungary. COVID-19 pandemic impacts to macroeconomic factors might potentially put receivables collection under pressure and drive bad debt growth. The Group's operating companies put increased focus on customers' payment discipline during 2020 and introduced measures helping the customers migrate to online payment methods. As a result, the impact on Group's collection was negligible in 2020.

For detailed information, see Note C.1 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Liquidity risk

The object of the Group's liquidity risk management is to secure access to cash resources sufficient to meet all cash payment obligations as they fall due. The Group collects information from the business units and holding companies regarding the liquidity profile of their financial assets and liabilities and details of other projected cash flows arising from projected future business. A portfolio of short-term liquid assets is maintained to ensure sufficient liquidity. The daily liquidity position is monitored, and regular liquidity stress testing is conducted under a variety of scenarios covering both normal and more severe market conditions.

The Group maintains access to a financing base via bank loans from various banks worldwide, to enhance financing flexibility, limit dependence on any one source of funds and lower the costs.

The Group particularly focuses on its liquidity profile within the time horizon of the next 12-24 months, considering projected cash flow from operations and the maturity structure of both debt obligations and financial investments. Almost 90% of the liquidity available to the Group is accessible within less than 3 months and most of the remainder within one year. 50% of the Group's debt is due in 2 to 5 years and another 24% in more than 5 years, however.

For detailed information, see Note C.2 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Market risks

Fluctuations in interest rates or foreign exchange rates might affect the Group's income or the value of its holdings

of financial instruments.

The Group's income and operating cash flows are substantially independent of changes in market interest rates. The Group is exposed to interest rate risks arising from floating, interest-rate-bearing cash investments and some debt instruments with a floating interest rate. Interest rate sensitivity analyses showed that the impact of a yield-curve movement by a hypothetical one percentage point on the Group's equity would be immaterial.

The Group is exposed to currency risk through transactions in foreign currencies, and assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies. Foreign currency risk arises when the actual or forecast assets denominated in a given foreign currency are either greater or less than the liabilities denominated in that currency. It is the Group's policy to hedge such mismatches with derivative financial instruments to eliminate the foreign currency exposure. The Group's main foreign exposures are towards the countries in which the Group operates. Its exposures are measured mainly in Czech crowns, Hungarian forints and Bulgarian levs. As the currency in which the Group presents its consolidated financial statements is the euro, movements in the exchange rates between these currencies and the euro affect the Group's consolidated financial statements and are presented as part of a translation reserve in other comprehensive income. Net investments in foreign operations are not hedged.

Since the acquisition of the Telenor businesses, the Group has been hedging cash flows arising from long-term debt denominated in EUR and CZK and entered into at the Parent Company level. The debt carries floating interest rates and the hedge is designed to prevent the variability of interest payments due to market factors. In addition, the Group started to hedge its foreign currency risk exposure resulting from expected dividend inflows denominated in HUF. The hedging instruments used are a combination of several interest rate swaps denominated in EUR and CZK as well as several EUR/HUF cross currency swaps and foreign exchange forward contracts. Cash flows from the hedging instruments are scheduled in regular intervals from February 2020 to July 2024 to match the contractual interest payments and expected dividend receipts. The Group does not apply hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

O2 has been hedging cash flows arising from long-term debt denominated in CZK with a floating interest rate to hedge interest rate risk. The used hedging instrument is a combination of several interest rate swaps denominated in CZK. Hedged cash flows are the expected monthly payments from September 2017 to November 2020. The Group applies hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

CETIN uses cross currency swaps to hedge cash flows arising from debt securities denominated in EUR (annual interest payments and repayment of nominal at maturity of the debt security) and foreign exchange contracts to hedge cash flows arising from short-term operational needs. The Group applies hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

For detailed information, see Note C.3 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Events after the reporting period

Mr. Peter Gažík has been appointed CEO of Telenor Hungary, a subsidiary of PPF Telecom Group, effective 1st of January 2021.

Mr. Igor Tóth has been appointed CEO of O2 Slovakia, a subsidiary of PPF Telecom Group, effective 1st of January 2021.

Shareholdings in CETIN companies in Hungary, Bulgaria and Serbia, that had been established on 1 July 2020, had been transferred to CETIN Group B.V., with legal effect as of 12 February 2021.

In January 2021, the Group has succeeded in renewing its spectrum licences for 900 MHz and 1800 MHz frequency bands in Hungary, having secured more bandwidth for the next generation of mobile services.

In January 2021, the license for spectrum in 900Mhz and 1800Mhz frequency bands in Bulgaria has been extended for 10 years (until 2031) for EUR 23 million.

1 March 2021

Board of Directors:

Jan Cornelis Jansen
Director

Lubomír Král
Director

Marcel Marinus van Santen
Director



PPF Telecom Group B.V.

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Glossary

AC	- amortised cost
CAPEX	- capital expenditures
CEE	- Central and Eastern Europe
CF	- cash-flow
CGU	- cash generating unit
EBIT	- earnings before interest and taxes
EBITDA	- earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation
ECL	- expected credit loss
FVOCI	- fair value through other comprehensive income
FVTPL	- fair value through profit or loss
NCI	- non-controlling interests
OCI	- other comprehensive income
PPE	- property, plant and equipment
ROU	- right-of-use assets

Consolidated income statement and other comprehensive income

For the year ended 31 December

In millions of EUR

	Note	2020	2019
Revenue	E1	3,159	3,162
Other income from non-telecommunication services	E2	11	8
Operating expenses	E3	(1,745)	(1,776)
Net gain from sale of investments in subsidiaries		-	3
Earnings before impairment loss, interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA)		1,425	1,397
Depreciation and amortisation	E4	(675)	(690)
Amortisation of costs to obtain contracts	E1.3	(49)	(46)
Impairment loss on PPE and intangible assets		(5)	(7)
Operating profit (EBIT)		696	654
Finance income	E5	6	18
Finance costs	E5	(147)	(188)
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		555	484
Income tax expense	E6.1	(123)	(112)
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		432	372
Other comprehensive income			
Currency translation differences*		(146)	(1)
Cash flow hedge – effective portion of changes in fair value*		(3)	(11)
Cash flow hedge - net amount transferred to the income statement*		(17)	7
Income tax related to components of OCI*		4	1
Other comprehensive income, net of tax		(162)	(4)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		270	368
Net profit attributable to:			
Owners of the Parent		346	305
Non-controlling interests		86	67
Net profit for the period		432	372
Total comprehensive income attributable to:			
Owners of the Parent		216	303
Non-controlling interests		54	65
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		270	368

*Items that are or may be reclassified to the income statement.

Consolidated statement of financial position

In millions of EUR

	Note	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	E7	2,473	2,555
Intangible assets	E8.2	1,771	1,810
Goodwill	E8.1	1,549	1,603
Right-of-use assets	E20	491	523
Other financial assets	E9	4	14
Trade and other receivables	E9.3	49	52
Contract assets	E9.4	14	18
Costs to obtain contracts	E1.3	38	41
Deferred tax assets	E6.2	4	5
Other assets	E10	20	22
Non-current assets		6,413	6,643
Other financial assets	E9	18	6
Trade and other receivables	E9.3	490	571
Contract assets	E9.4	48	63
Costs to obtain contracts	E1.3	18	12
Inventories	E11	73	76
Current income tax receivables		3	5
Cash and cash equivalents	E12	790	795
Other assets	E10	46	44
Current assets		1,486	1,572
TOTAL ASSETS		7,899	8,215
LIABILITIES			
Due to banks	E13	1,110	1,867
Debt securities issued	E14	2,418	1,855
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	E9.1	42	72
Deferred tax liabilities	E6.2	369	407
Lease liabilities	E20	421	448
Trade and other payables	E15	56	25
Contract liabilities	E9.4	52	61
Provisions	E16	69	48
Non-current liabilities		4,537	4,783
Due to banks	E13	22	272
Debt securities issued	E14	667	14
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	E9.1	12	-
Current income tax liability		31	8
Lease liabilities	E20	77	78
Trade and other payables	E15	634	737
Contract liabilities	E9.4	49	47
Provisions	E16	34	15
Current liabilities		1,526	1,171
TOTAL LIABILITIES		6,063	5,954
Issued capital*	E17	-	-
Share premium	E17	1,417	1,417
Other reserves	E18	(116)	14
Retained earnings		47	285
Total equity attributable to owners of the Parent		1,348	1,716
Non-controlling interests	E19	488	545
Total equity		1,836	2,261
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		7,899	8,215

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

In millions of EUR

	Issued capital*	Share premium	Legal and statutory reserves	Translation reserve	Hedging reserve	Retained earnings	Attributable to owners of the Parent	Attributable to non- controlling interests	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2020	-	1,417	6	(9)	17	285	1,716	545	2,261
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	346	346	86	432
Currency translation differences	-	-	-	(116)	-	-	(116)	(30)	(146)
Effect of hedge accounting	-	-	-	-	(1)	-	(1)	(2)	(3)
Net change in fair value of CF hedges transferred to the income statement	-	-	-	-	(17)	-	(17)	-	(17)
Tax on items taken directly to or transferred from equity	-	-	-	-	4	-	4	-	4
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	(116)	(14)	346	216	54	270
Dividends to shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(600)	(600)	-	(600)
Dividends to NCI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(74)	(74)
Other changes in NCI	-	-	-	-	-	23	23	(23)	-
Distributions to NCI (other than dividends)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(14)	(14)
Other	-	-	-	-	-	(7)	(7)	-	(7)
Total transactions with owners of the Parent	-	-	-	-	-	(584)	(584)	(111)	(695)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	-	1,417	6	(125)	3	47	1,348	488	1,836

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

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Consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020

In millions of EUR

	Issued capital*	Share premium	Legal and statutory reserves	Translation reserve	Hedging reserve	Retained earnings	Attributable to owners of the Parent	Attributable to non- controlling interests	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2019	-	1,341	6	75	19	394	1,835	328	2,163
Adjustment on initial application of IFRS 16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effect of change in functional currency (refer to A.6)	-	76	-	(84)	-	8	-	-	-
Adjusted balance as at 1 January 2019	-	1,417	6	(9)	19	402	1,835	328	2,163
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	305	305	67	372
Currency translation differences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
Effect of hedge accounting	-	-	-	-	(10)	-	(10)	(1)	(11)
Net change in fair value of CF hedges transferred to the income statement	-	-	-	-	7	-	7	-	7
Tax on items taken directly to or transferred from equity	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	(2)	305	303	65	368
Dividends to shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(480)	(480)	-	(480)
Dividends to NCI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(76)	(76)
Sale of NCI	-	-	-	-	-	61	61	243	304
Other changes in NCI	-	-	-	-	-	(3)	(3)	(2)	(5)
Distributions to NCI (other than dividends)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(13)	(13)
Total transactions with owners of the Parent	-	-	-	-	-	(422)	(422)	152	(270)
Balance as at 31 December 2019	-	1,417	6	(9)	17	285	1,716	545	2,261

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

Consolidated statement of cash flows

For the year ended 31 December, prepared using the indirect method

In millions of EUR

	Note	2020	2019 (restated)
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit before tax		555	484
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation and amortisation		675	690
Amortisation of costs to obtain contracts		49	46
Impairment losses on current and non-current assets		5	27
(Profit)/loss on sale of investment securities		-	1
Net finance costs	E5	138	128
Net foreign exchange gains	E5	(7)	(15)
Other (income)/expenses not involving movement of cash		(8)	39
Net operating cash flow before changes in working capital		1,407	1,400
Interest received		1	13
Change in inventories		(3)	(3)
Change in other financial assets		3	(11)
Change in trade and other receivables		86	(6)
Change in contract assets		19	(1)
Change in other assets		8	3
Change in costs to obtain contracts		(54)	(51)
Change in trade and other payables		(99)	5
Change in provisions		41	9
Cash flows from operating activities		1,409	1,358
Income tax paid		(122)	(137)
Net cash from operating activities		1,287	1,221
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of tangible and intangible assets		(620)	(402)
Acquisition of subsidiaries and equity-acc. investees, net of cash acquired (incl. capital increase)		-	(1)
Proceeds from disposals of tangible and intangible assets		12	8
Proceeds from sale investment securities		-	173
Net cash used in investing activities		(608)	(222)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from sale of subsidiaries to NCI	B2.2	-	304
Acquisition of own shares		-	(5)
Proceeds from the issue of debt securities		1,191	501
Proceeds from loans due to banks		103	190
Repayment of loans due to banks		(1,101)	(697)
Net payments on settlement of derivatives		(19)	(22)
Interest paid		(71)	(78)
Cash collateral placed due to derivatives transactions		(3)	-
Cash payments for principal portion of lease liability	E20	(82)	(89)
Dividends paid to shareholders		(600)	(480)
Dividends paid to NCI	E19	(74)	(76)
Distributions to NCI (other than dividends)		(14)	(13)
Net cash used in financing activities		(670)	(465)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		9	534
Cash and cash equivalents as at 1 January		795	262
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(14)	(1)
Cash and cash equivalents as at 31 December	E12	790	795

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. General

A.1. Description of the Group

PPF Telecom Group B.V. (the “Parent Company” or the “Parent”) is a limited liability company incorporated in the Netherlands since 16 October 2013. On 2 January 2018, PPF Group N.V. (“PPF Group”) contributed its 100% share in the Parent Company to PPF TMT Holdco 1 B.V. At the same date, PPF TMT Holdco 1 B.V. contributed the shares of PPF Telecom Group B.V. to PPF TMT Holdco 2 B.V., making it a direct shareholder of the Parent Company. PPF Group N.V. remains the ultimate parent of the Parent Company, and Mr Petr Kellner is the ultimate controlling party.

The registered office address of the Parent Company is Strawinskylaan 933, 1077XX Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

The Parent is the holder of several significant investments: O2 Czech Republic group (hereinafter also as “O2 CR”), a telecommunication operator providing a range of mobile, fixed voice and data services in the Czech Republic and mobile voice and data services in Slovakia; CETIN a.s. group (formerly Česká telekomunikační infrastruktura a.s.), hereinafter also as “CETIN CR”, the largest Czech owner and provider of mobile and fixed telco infrastructures; and Telenor CEE group, a mobile telecommunication operator providing services in Hungary, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro. In July 2020, the infrastructure parts of the businesses in Hungary, Bulgaria and Serbia separated from their retail operators (refer to B.2.1). Shares of O2 Czech Republic are traded on the Prague Stock Exchange.

The consolidated financial statements of the Parent Company for the year ended 31 December 2020 comprise the Parent Company and its subsidiaries (together, the “Group”) and the Group’s interests in associates, joint ventures and affiliated entities. Refer to Section B of these consolidated financial statements for a list of significant Group entities and changes to the Group in 2020 and 2019.

A.2. Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 1 March 2021.

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union (IFRS-EU) including the International Accounting Standards (IASs), promulgated by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) of the IASB and with Section 2:362(9) of the Dutch Civil Code.

The Company has also prepared the separate financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRS-EU, including IASs, promulgated by the IASB and interpretations issued by the IFRIC of the IASB as adopted by the European Union and with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

A.3. Basis of measurement

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the basis of the going concern assumption, applying a historical cost basis, except for the following assets and liabilities stated at their fair value: derivative financial instruments, financial instruments designated upon initial recognition as financial instruments at FVTPL and financial instruments at FVOCI. Financial assets and liabilities as well as non-financial assets and liabilities measured at historical cost are stated at AC using the effective interest method or historical cost, as appropriate, net of any relevant impairment.

Non-current assets and disposal groups held for sale are stated at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

The Group accounts for business combinations using the acquisition method when control is transferred to the Group (refer to A.5). From 1 January 2020, in determining whether a particular set of activities and assets is a business, the Group assesses whether the set of assets and activities acquired includes at a minimum an input and substantive process and whether the acquired set has the ability to produce outputs. The Group has the option to apply a concentration test simplifying the assessment of whether an acquired set of activities and assets is indeed a business. The optional concentration test is met if substantially all fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or group of similar identifiable assets.

The consideration transferred in the acquisition is generally measured at fair value, as are the identifiable net assets acquired. Any goodwill that arises is tested annually for impairment. Any gain on bargain purchase is recognised in profit or loss immediately (refer to F.1.12.1). Transaction costs are expensed as incurred, except if related to the issue of debt or equity securities.

The consideration transferred does not include amounts related to the settlement of pre-existing relationships. Such amounts are generally recognised in profit or loss.

Any contingent consideration is measured at fair value at the date of acquisition. If an obligation to pay a contingent consideration that meets the definition of a financial instrument is classified as equity, then it is not re-measured and settlement is accounted for within equity. Otherwise, other contingent considerations are re-measured at fair value at each reporting date and subsequent changes in the fair value of the contingent considerations are recognised in profit or loss.

A.4. Use of judgements and estimates

In preparing these consolidated financial statements, management has made judgements, estimates, and assumptions that affect the application of the Group's accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognised prospectively.

The following key estimates are based on the information available at the consolidated financial statements date and specifically relate to the determination of:

- the fair value of tangible and intangible assets identified during the purchase price allocation exercise and initial value of goodwill for each business combination (refer to B) and its subsequent impairment testing (refer to E.8);
- useful life of tangible and intangible fixed assets;
- impairment of trade receivables and contract assets (refer to E.9);
- the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, based upon the likely timing and level of future taxable profits (refer to E.6.2);
- provisions recognised under liabilities (refer to E.16);
- revenue recognition timing in terms of the transfer of control over the goods and services to the customer – at a point in time or over time (E.1); commissions as costs to obtain contracts with customers and stand-alone selling prices (refer to E.1.3 and E.9.4); and
- lease-term for the lessee accounting whether the Group is reasonably certain to exercise extension options (refer to E.20).

Useful life of fixed assets

The accounting treatment of fixed assets entails the use of estimates to determine the useful life for depreciation and amortisation purposes. Determining useful life of software, telecommunication technologies and equipment requires making estimates in connection with future technological developments and alternative uses for assets. There is a significant element of judgement involved in making technological development assumptions, since the timing and scope of future technological advances are difficult to predict. The set useful asset life is reviewed and revised at each balance sheet date and it is adjusted as a change in accounting estimate if needed.

Provisions and contingent liabilities

As set out in section E.22, the Group is a participant in several lawsuits and administrative proceedings, including those related to its pricing policies. For every litigation and administrative proceeding, it is necessary to estimate the occurrence probability of the liability, its amount and the moment of its occurrence. Provisions are recognised only when it is probable that the Group will be forced to pay a present obligation in future and it is possible to reliably estimate its amount. Contingent liabilities are not recognised because their existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group.

Impairment of trade receivables and contract assets

Trade receivables are carried at their original amount less a bad debt allowance. The bad debt allowance is estimated according to historical experience and expected future development; and individual assessment.

Commission as costs to obtain contracts with customers

For the capitalised costs to obtain contracts, the amortisation period was determined as the expected average period over which the customer will continue to use the Group's services. This amortisation period was further specified according to the customer segments of the Group that include resident customers, entrepreneurs and medium and large corporate clients.

Throughout the amortisation period, the actual values are subject to periodic review and reassessment against the developments of business activities, trends in the telecommunications sector, and the structure of business channels.

Stand-alone selling prices

In accordance with the requirements of IFRS 15, the transaction price is allocated to separate performance obligations based on the proportional stand-alone selling prices of the products and services provided. A stand-alone selling price is the price at which the Group sells a promised product or service to its customers in a stand-alone transaction. In most cases, the Group considers the prices shown in its price list to be the stand-alone selling prices.

A.5. Basis of consolidation

Subsidiaries are those entities that are controlled by the Group. Control exists when the Group has the power, directly or indirectly, to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity to obtain benefits from its activities. In assessing control, potential voting rights that are presently exercisable or convertible are taken into consideration. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases. The accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed when necessary to align them with the policies adopted by the Group.

The Group's interests in equity-accounted investees comprise interests in associates and joint ventures. Associates are those entities in which the Group has significant influence, but not control, over financial and operating policies. A joint venture is an arrangement in which the Group has joint control based on a contractual agreement, whereby the Group has rights to the net assets of the arrangement, rather than rights to its assets and obligations for its liabilities. The consolidated financial statements include the Group's share of the total recognised gains and losses of associates and jointly controlled entities on an equity-accounted basis, from the date that significant influence or joint control commences until the date the significant influence or joint control ceases to exist. When the Group's share of losses exceeds the carrying amount of the associate or jointly controlled entity, the carrying amount is reduced to nil and recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has incurred obligations in respect of the associate or jointly controlled entity.

Reorganisations and mergers involving companies under common control are accounted for using consolidated net book values. Consequently, no adjustment is made to carrying amounts in the consolidated accounts and no goodwill arises on such transactions.

When the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary and any related non-controlling interests and other components of equity. Any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in the former subsidiary is measured at fair value when control is lost.

Intra-group balances and transactions, and any unrealised income and expenses arising from intra-group transactions, are eliminated. Unrealised gains arising from transactions with equity-accounted investees are eliminated against the investment to the extent of the Group's interest in the investee. Unrealised losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains, but only if there is no evidence of impairment.

A.6. Presentation and functional currency

The consolidated financial statements are presented in euros (EUR), the Group's reporting currency, rounded to the nearest million.

The functional currency of O2 Czech Republic and CETIN CR is CZK. The functional currencies of the Telenor CEE operations correspond to the country of origin: HUF for Hungary, BGN for Bulgaria, RSD for Serbia and EUR for Montenegro. TMT Hungary and TMT Hungary Infra, the holding companies based in the Netherlands, have HUF as functional currency.

A.7. Presentation of cash flows from changes in ownership of subsidiaries without a change in control

During the year 2020, the Group concluded that in 2019 the proceeds from sale of subsidiaries to NCI and cash outflows from acquisition of own shares, was not presented in accordance with IAS 7.42A-B, as cash flows from financing activities in the consolidated statement of cash-flows.

Following this conclusion, the Group, in the comparative consolidated statement of cash flows for the year 2019, changed the presentation and reclassified the proceeds from sale of subsidiaries to NCI of EUR 304 million and cash outflows for acquisition of own shares of EUR 5 million from cash flows from investing activities to cash flows from financing activities. This resulted in a total change of the presented net cash from/(used in) investing activities of EUR 77 million (positive) to EUR 222 million (negative), and in a total change of the presented net cash used in financing activities of EUR 764 million to EUR 465 million.

A.8. COVID-19 and its impact on the Group's financial statements

On 11 March 2020, the World Health Organisation declared the coronavirus COVID-19 outbreak to be a pandemic in recognition of its rapid spread across the globe. Many governments took increasingly stringent steps to help contain or at least delay the spread of the virus. These measures included requiring self-isolation/quarantine by those potentially affected, implementing social distancing measures, and controlling or closing borders and locking down cities/regions or even entire countries. These measures have slowed down the world economies and have affected the countries where Group operates. Nonetheless, they are not expected to affect the operations of the Group significantly. The telecommunications sector, including the provision of fixed and mobile retail services, has proven the dependability and resilience of its infrastructure, since it is clearly as indispensable for society as utilities, healthcare, and food supplies. Demand for services provided by the Group remained stable and was not negatively affected by the pandemic. The Group has been impacted by a decline in international revenues (roaming and voice wholesale), which in total are not material to the Group's profitability and fully compensated by strict operational cost control.

B. Consolidated group and main changes for the period

B.1. Group entities

The following list only shows the significant holding and operating entities that are subsidiaries of the Parent Company as at 31 December 2020 and 31 December 2019.

Company	Domicile	Effective proportion of ownership interest	
		31 December 2020	31 December 2019
PPF Telecom Group B.V.	Netherlands	Parent	Parent
CETIN a.s. (formerly Česká telekomunikační infrastruktura a.s.)	Czech Republic	89.73%	89.73%
CETIN Bulgaria EAD**	Bulgaria	100.00%	-
CETIN d.o.o. Beograd-Novi Beograd**	Serbia	100.00%	-
CETIN Finance B.V.	Netherlands	89.73%	89.73%
CETIN Group B.V. (formerly PPF Infrastructure B.V.)	Netherlands	100.00%	100.00%
CETIN Hungary Zrt.**	Hungary	75.00%	-
O2 Czech Republic a.s.*	Czech Republic	67.83%	67.83%
O2 IT Services s.r.o.	Czech Republic	67.83%	67.83%
O2 Slovakia, s.r.o.	Slovakia	67.83%	67.83%
PPF Telco B.V.	Netherlands	100.00%	100.00%
PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V.	Netherlands	100.00%	100.00%
Telenor Bulgaria EAD	Bulgaria	100.00%	100.00%
Telenor Common Operation Zrt.	Hungary	100.00%	100.00%
Telenor d.o.o. Beograd	Serbia	100.00%	100.00%
Telenor d.o.o. Podgorica	Montenegro	100.00%	100.00%
Telenor Magyarország Zrt.	Hungary	75.00%	75.00%
Telenor Real Estate Hungary Zrt.	Hungary	75.00%	75.00%
TMT Hungary B.V.	Netherlands	75.00%	75.00%
TMT Hungary Infra B.V.**	Netherlands	75.00%	-

*As of 31 December 2019, due to the existence of treasury shares held by O2 Czech Republic a.s., the direct stake in the registered capital of this company was 65.79%.

**Companies newly established as the result of a business restructuring.

As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, PPF Group N.V. holds a 100% stake in CETIN a.s. and an 83.57% effective stake in O2 Czech Republic a.s.

B.2. Significant changes in the Group structure in 2020 and 2019

B.2.1. Business restructuring

As at 1 July 2020, the Group completed the separation of the retail and infrastructure at three of its Telenor-branded mobile operators in Bulgaria, Hungary, and Serbia. The newly established companies are CETIN Hungary (with its direct holding entity TMT Hungary Infra), CETIN Bulgaria, and CETIN Serbia. In December 2020 and January 2021, the Group finalised the legal restructuring by including all newly established CETIN businesses under CETIN Group B.V., the historical direct owner of CETIN CR. The ownership percentage structure has not changed, and the new companies are fully consolidated in the Group's financial statements.

B.2.2. Sale of 25% shareholding in Telenor Hungary (in 2019)

In October 2019, the Group sold a 25% share in TMT Hungary B.V. to a third party, which resulted in the decrease of the Group's effective ownership in TMT Hungary B.V. from 100% to 75%. TMT Hungary B.V. was founded in September 2019 as a new holding company for the Group's businesses in Hungary – Telenor Magyarország Zrt. and Telenor Real Estate Hungary Zrt.

The following table summarises the financial aspects of the above described transaction:

In millions of EUR

Total net consideration	303
Net effective ownership in Telenor Hungary decreased	25%
Net asset value attributable to non-controlling interests sold	242
Effect recorded in equity attributable to equity holders of the Parent (gain)	61

B.2.3. Share buy-back programme in O2 CR

In 2016, O2 CR commenced the acquisition of its own shares on the regulated market organised by the Prague Stock Exchange, under the conditions published in connection with the approval of the share buy-back programme on the regulated market in December 2015. Until 31 December 2019, it acquired a total of 9.3 million treasury shares for the total acquisition price of EUR 92 million. This caused a difference between the direct legal share held by the Group and the effective economic ownership. In November 2020, O2 CR cancelled the treasury shares, resulting in the alignment of the direct legal and economic shares.

C. Risk exposures, risk management objectives and procedures

The Group is exposed to a variety of financial risks, including the effects of changes in debt market prices, foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates as a result of ordinary business, debt taken on to finance its business, and net investment in foreign operations. The Group's overall risk management focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise any potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Group. The Group uses either derivative financial instruments or non-derivative instruments (such as cash instruments) to hedge certain exposures.

The Group does not conduct any speculative trading activities.

Risk management is carried out by the relevant treasury departments in accordance with approved policies. The Board of Directors provides written principles for overall risk management. In accordance with these principles, policies are in place for specific areas, such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, use of derivative financial instruments, and investing excess liquidity.

C.1. Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial asset fails to meet its contractual obligations, arising principally from the Group's trade receivables. Individual significant credit exposures to third parties are monitored by the Group's top management and Board of Directors on a case-by-case basis. Individual exposures are monitored and assessed, as is the Group's country and sector concentration.

Under the Group's policy, all customers wishing to trade on credit terms are subjected to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis, together with the resulting non-significant Group's exposure to bad debts.

The maximal possible credit risk arising from receivables and other financial assets equals the carrying amount of those financial instruments.

Credit risk is managed by:

- prevention: scoring of new customers – regular monitoring of customers' payment morale, activation of control procedures (integrated black list, external credit registers, and other external information databases), limits and/or deposits applied based on customer segments or the product, credit limits for indirect sales partners (dealers, distributors, franchises) for the purchase of our products, collateral security (deposits, receivables insurance, bills of exchange, pledges of real estate, bank guarantees etc.).
- monitoring of accounts receivables: regular monitoring of the creditworthiness of existing customers and monitoring and analysing of the receivable aging structure (internal and external indicators of any potential bad debts). These activities are processed in an integrated system solution for the scoring, maintenance and collection of receivables.
- collection process: credit management units cooperate with the customer care units in the implementation of a reasonable, effective and continual collection process. Collection process competences are allocated separately. In the CETIN subgroup, collection from active customers is in the competence of the accounting unit; subsequent collection is the

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responsibility of the treasury unit, the legal unit, and the accounting unit. In other segments, collection from active customers is in the competence of the customer care unit; any collection after contracts are cancelled falls within the responsibility of the credit management unit.

The following tables show the economic and geographic concentration of credit risk:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2020	31 December 2019	31 December 2019
Economic concentration				
Financial services	716	50.78%	818	53.47%
Corporate sector	343	24.33%	299	19.54%
Household/individuals	333	23.62%	396	25.88%
Public sector/Government	12	0.85%	17	1.11%
Other	6	0.42%	-	-
Total	1,410	100.00%	1,530	100.00%
Geographic concentration				
Czech Republic	874	61.99%	933	60.98%
Hungary	171	12.13%	162	10.59%
Serbia	110	7.80%	104	6.80%
Bulgaria	102	7.23%	70	4.58%
Slovak Republic	77	5.46%	126	8.24%
Other EU countries	37	2.62%	78	5.10%
Montenegro	18	1.28%	26	1.70%
Other	21	1.49%	31	2.01%
Total	1,410	100%	1,530	100.00%
<i>Of which:</i>				
Trade and other receivables (E.9.3)	539	38.23%	628	41.05%
Contract assets (E.9.4)	62	4.40%	81	5.29%
Cash and cash equivalents (excl. cash on hand) (E.12)	789	55.96%	794	51.90%
Financial assets at FVTPL (E.9.1)	3	0.21%	2	0.13%
Receivables due from banks (E.9.2)	17	1.20%	16	1.05%
Guarantees provided (E.22.1)	-	-	9	0.58%
Total	1,410	100%	1,530	100.00%

The amounts in the tables represent the maximum accounting loss that would be recognised at the reporting date if the counterparties failed completely to meet their obligations and all collateral or security proved to be of no value. The amounts, therefore, greatly exceed the expected losses that are included in the allowance for uncollectibility. The table comprises off-balance sheet items (refer to E.22.1) and financial assets excluding equity securities.

Trade and other receivables and contract assets

The Group generally uses an allowance matrix to measure the expected credit losses (ECLs) of trade receivables from individual customers, which comprise a large number of small balances. In industry segments, where trade receivables comprise small number of large balances, a specific allowance for impairment is used.

Loss rates are calculated using the roll rate method based on the probability of a receivable progressing through the successive stages of delinquency to write-off. Roll rates are calculated separately for exposures in different segments based on the following common credit risk characteristics – geographic region, age of customer relationship, and type of product purchased.

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables and contract assets from individual customers using the provision matrix as at 31 December 2020.

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Weighted- average loss rate	Gross amount	Loss allowance	Carrying amount	Credit- impaired
Current (not past due)	3.5%	537	(19)	518	No
1-90 days	5.1%	59	(3)	56	No
91-180 days	29.2%	24	(7)	17	No
more than 180 days past due	88.2%	85	(75)	10	Yes
Total	-	705	(104)	601	

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Weighted- average loss rate	Gross amount	Loss allowance	Carrying amount	Credit- impaired
Current (not past due)	1.5%	599	(9)	590	No
1-90 days	3.8%	80	(3)	76	No
91-180 days	27.3%	22	(6)	17	No
more than 180 days past due	74.4%	81	(60)	21	Yes
Total	-	782	(78)	704	

Loss rates are based on actual credit loss experience over past years. The rates are multiplied by scalar factors to reflect differences between economic conditions during the period over which the historical data was collected, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables. The most significant scalar factors are the GDP forecast and industry outlook, actual and forecasted unemployment rates.

C.2. Liquidity risk

The Group's essential objective of liquidity risk management is having access to cash resources sufficient to meet all its cash payment obligations as they fall due, allowing some flexibility. The cash resources consist of a generated cash position maintained in highly liquid instruments.

The Group collects information from business units and holding companies regarding the liquidity profile of their financial assets and liabilities and details of other projected cash flows arising from projected future business. A portfolio of short-term liquid assets is maintained to ensure sufficient liquidity. The daily liquidity position is monitored, and regular liquidity stress testing is conducted under a variety of scenarios covering both normal and more severe market conditions. The individual scenarios focus on liquidity available on specific markets and facilities, the nature of the related risks and the magnitude of their impact on the Group's business, available management tools and preventive actions.

The Group particularly focuses on its liquidity profile within the time horizon of the next 12-24 months, considering projected cash flow from operations and the maturity structure of both debt obligations and financial investments.

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The following tables show exposure to liquidity risk (discounted view) as at 31 December 2020:

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Financial assets at FVTPL	1	-	-	2	-	3
Receivables due from banks	1	16	-	-	-	17
Trade and other receivables, and contract assets	433	105	49	14	-	601
Cash and cash equivalents	790	-	-	-	-	790
Total financial assets	1,225	121	49	16	-	1,411

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	-	22	52	1,022	36	1,132
Debt securities issued	25	642	-	1,380	1,038	3,085
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	-	11	1	42	-	54
Trade and other payables*	362	99	17	3	31	512
Lease liabilities	20	58	77	191	152	498
Total financial liabilities	407	832	147	2,638	1,257	5,281

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

Net liquidity position 2020	818	(711)	(98)	(2,622)	(1,257)	(3,870)
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In July 2020, the Group received commitments from wide group of relationship banks for committed unsecured credit facility of EUR 625 million, which shall serve as the liquidity back-up for CETIN CR's EUR 625 million Eurobonds maturing in December 2021. The credit facility matures on 6 December 2023.

The following tables show exposure to liquidity risk (discounted view) as at 31 December 2019:

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Financial assets at FVTPL	1	1	-	-	-	2
Receivables due from banks	4	-	12	-	-	16
Trade and other receivables, and contract assets	488	146	66	9	-	709
Cash and cash equivalents	795	-	-	-	-	795
Total financial assets	1,288	147	78	9	-	1,522

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	2	276	-	1,826	35	2,139
Debt securities issued	13	-	624	191	1,041	1,869
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	-	-	9	63	-	72
Trade and other payables*	441	129	16	6	1	593
Lease liabilities	21	57	74	205	169	526
Total financial liabilities	477	462	723	2,291	1,246	5,199

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

Net liquidity position 2019	811	(315)	(645)	(2,282)	(1,246)	(3,677)
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The following tables show the residual maturities of balance sheet and off-balance sheet liabilities on an undiscounted cash flow basis. Listed are only liability items for which the total estimated undiscounted cash flows differ from the book values shown in the consolidated statement of the financial position:

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	4	33	66	1,045	36	1,184
Debt securities issued	55	704	69	1,550	1,105	3,483
Trade and other payables*	362	99	16	3	31	511
Lease liabilities	22	64	85	210	178	559
Total	443	900	236	2,808	1,350	5,737

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	10	304	29	1,894	37	2,274
Debt securities issued	32	9	664	279	1,086	2,070
Trade and other payables*	468	129	16	6	1	620
Lease liabilities	24	64	85	226	191	590
Provided payment guarantees	1	4	4	-	-	9
Total	535	510	798	2,405	1,315	5,563

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

C.3. Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market rates such as interest rates or foreign exchange rates will affect the Group's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage market risk exposure and keep it within acceptable limits.

C.3.1. Interest rate risk

The Group's income and operating cash flows are substantially independent of changes in market interest rates. Short- and long-term debt as well as cash assets can be maintained on both floating and fixed interest rates. The Group may sometimes use interest rate swaps, forward rate agreements and option-based products to manage a desired mix of fixed and variable interest rates.

The Group's objective in managing its exposure to interest rate fluctuations is to minimise reported earnings and cash flow volatility associated with interest rate changes.

The Group is exposed to interest rate risk arising from floating, interest-rate-bearing cash investments and some debt instruments with a floating interest rate. Taking into account the derivative hedging instruments, an interest rate sensitivity analysis showed that the impact of a yield-curve movement by a hypothetical one percentage point on the Group's equity would be immaterial.

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The tables below summarise the interest rate repricing gap of the Group's financial assets and liabilities as at the reporting date. The carrying amounts of interest-rate-sensitive assets and liabilities and the notional amounts of swaps and other derivative financial instruments are presented in the periods in which they mature or in which the interest rates will next be fixed. To reflect anticipated prepayments, certain asset and liability categories are included in the table based on estimated rather than contractual maturity dates. Items are allocated to time bands by reference to the earlier of the next contractual interest rate repricing date and the expected maturity date.

The following tables present an analysis of the interest rate gap position:

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Receivables due from banks	0.05%	1	16	-	-	-	17
Trade and other receivables, and contract assets	0.00%	462	87	38	14	-	601
Cash and cash equivalents	0.02%	790	-	-	-	-	790
Total financial assets		1,253	103	38	14	-	1,408

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	1.42%	678	229	38	177	10	1,132
Debt securities issued	2.70%	25	642	-	1,380	1,038	3,085
Trade and other payables*	0.01%	362	99	17	3	31	512
Lease Liabilities	2.34%	20	59	78	190	151	498
Total financial liabilities		1,085	1,029	133	1,750	1,230	5,227

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

Effect of interest rate derivatives		673	76	229	(748)	-	230
Net position 2020		841	(850)	134	(2,484)	(1,230)	(3,589)

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In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Receivables due from banks	-	4	-	12	-	-	16
Trade and other receivables, and contract assets	0.04%	488	146	66	9	-	709
Cash and cash equivalents	0.00%	795	-	-	-	-	795
Total financial assets		1,287	146	78	9	-	1,520

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Due to banks	2.1%	1,851	140	-	138	10	2,139
Debt securities issued	2.3%	13	-	624	191	1,041	1,869
Trade and other payables*	0.01%	441	129	16	6	1	593
Lease Liabilities	3.1%	21	57	74	205	169	526
Total financial liabilities		2,326	326	714	540	1,221	5,127

*excluding tax and other non-financial liabilities

Effect of interest rate derivatives		1,593	(98)	(39)	(1,408)	-	48
Net position 2019		554	(278)	(675)	(1,939)	(1,221)	(3,559)

C.3.2. Currency risk

The Group is exposed to currency risk through transactions in foreign currencies and assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies. Foreign currency risk arises when the actual or forecast assets denominated in a given foreign currency are either greater or less than the liabilities denominated in that currency. It is the Group's policy to hedge such mismatches with derivative financial instruments to eliminate the foreign currency exposure.

The Group's main foreign exposures are to the countries in which the Group operates. Its exposures are measured mainly in Czech crowns, Hungarian forints and Bulgarian levs. As the currency in which the Group presents its consolidated financial statements is the euro, movements in the exchange rates between these currencies and the euro affect the Group's consolidated financial statements are presented as part of a translation reserve in other comprehensive income. Net investments in foreign operations are not hedged.

The following table summarises the Group's exposure in individual countries and respective local functional currencies. Any exposure in the individual other than in local currency is excluded.

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	EUR	CZK	HUF	BGN	RSD	Total
Net investment in foreign operations	(1,978)	2,440	884	576	788	2,710

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	EUR	CZK	HUF	BGN	RSD	Total
Net investment in foreign operations	(896)	1,820	976	620	777	3,297

The Group's transactional exposures give rise to foreign currency gains and losses that are recognised in the income statement. These exposures comprise the monetary assets and

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monetary liabilities of the Group companies that are not denominated in the functional currency of the respective Group entity. In respect of monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currencies, the Group ensures that its net exposure is kept to an acceptable level by buying and selling foreign currencies at spot rates when considered appropriate, or through short-term FX trades.

The Group entities' foreign currency largest exposures are for financial assets and financial liabilities, meaning the exposures in currencies different from the entities' functional currencies (gross position as net financial assets and financial liabilities):

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	EUR	CZK	HUF	USD	Other	Total
Financial assets	210	187	-	12	1	410
Financial liabilities	1,044	167	-	22	3	1,236
Effect of FX derivatives	103	-	41	7	-	151
Net FX position	(731)	20	41	(3)	(2)	(675)

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	EUR	CZK	HUF	USD	Other	Total
Financial assets	212	4	6	14	5	241
Financial liabilities	1,040	217	-	21	2	1,280
Effect of FX derivatives	55	-	(293)	-	-	(238)
Net FX position	(773)	(213)	(287)	(7)	3	(1,277)

Since 2018, the Group hedges its foreign currency risk exposure resulting from expected dividend inflows denominated in HUF.

The following tables present an analysis of the sensitivity of the Group's equity to changes in currency exchange rates based on positions existing as at 31 December 2020 and 2019 and a simplified scenario of a 5% change in CZK, HUF, BGN and RSD to EUR exchange rates:

In millions of EUR

	CZK	HUF	BGN	RSD
Effect of 5% currency depreciation against EUR in 2020	(123)	(46)	(29)	(39)
Effect of 5% currency appreciation against EUR in 2020	123	46	29	39
Effect of 5% currency depreciation against EUR in 2019	(80)	(34)	(31)	(39)
Effect of 5% currency appreciation against EUR in 2019	80	34	31	39

C.3.3. Hedging

Since the acquisition of the Telenor businesses the Group has been hedging cash flows arising from long-term debt denominated in EUR and CZK and entered into at the Parent Company level. The debt carries floating interest rates and the hedge is designed to prevent the variability of interest payments due to market factors. In addition, the Group has been hedging its foreign currency risk exposure resulting from expected dividend inflows denominated in HUF. The hedging instruments used are a combination of several interest rate swaps denominated in EUR and CZK as well as several EUR/HUF cross currency swaps and foreign exchange swap contracts. Cash flows from the hedging instruments are scheduled to July 2024 to match the contractual interest payments and expected dividend receipts. The Group does not apply hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

The O2 CR subgroup has been hedging cash flows arising from long-term debt denominated in CZK with a floating interest rate to hedge interest rate risk. The used hedging instrument is a combination of several interest rate swaps denominated in CZK. As at 31 December 2020,

the O2 CR subgroup entered into new interest rate swap contracts to hedge part of the expected payments from a new loan until May 2025. The Group applies hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

CETIN CR subgroup uses cross currency swaps to hedge cash flows arising from debt securities denominated in EUR (annual interest payments and the repayment of the nominal value at the maturity of the debt security). The Group applies hedge accounting for these hedge instruments.

In 2020 and 2019, the cash flow hedges of O2 CR and CETIN CR were effective, and no ineffectiveness was recognised in profit or loss.

The Group's objective is to maintain an appropriate mix of debt with fixed and floating interest rates in line with the risk management concept.

C.4. Fair value of financial assets and liabilities

The Group uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

Level 1: quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities

Level 2: other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly

Level 3: techniques using inputs that have a significant effect on the recorded fair value and are not based on observable market data.

The fair value of derivative financial instruments is calculated based on discounted cash flow models (using market rates). The carrying amount of financial assets and financial liabilities not measured at fair value is a reasonable approximation of its fair value, since financial assets and liabilities are composed mainly of current trade receivables and payables, cash and cash equivalents and borrowings with a variable interest rate.

The fair value was calculated based on contractual cash flows discounted using a current yield rate. It is classified as Level 3 fair value in the fair value hierarchy due to the inclusion of unobservable inputs such as own credit risk.

The fair values of the following financial instruments differ from their carrying amounts shown in the consolidated statement of financial position, either in 2020 or 2019:

In millions of EUR

	2020 Carrying amount	2020 Fair value	2019 Carrying amount	2019 Fair value
Due to banks (Level 2,3)	(1,132)	(1,132)	(2,139)	(2,133)
Debt securities issued (Level 2)	(3,085)	(3,224)	(1,869)	(1,879)

The Group's fair-value estimates for its other financial assets and liabilities are not materially different from their carrying values.

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The following table presents an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value, broken down by how the fair value calculation is accomplished: i.e., based on quoted market prices (Level 1); calculated using valuation techniques where all the model inputs are observable in the market (Level 2); or calculated using valuation techniques where significant model inputs are not observable in the market (Level 3):

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	2	1	3
Financial assets at FVOCI	-	-	2	2
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	-	(54)	-	(54)
Total	-	(52)	3	(49)

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	1	1	2
Financial assets at FVOCI	-	-	2	2
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	-	(72)	-	(72)
Total	-	(71)	3	(68)

C.5. Capital management

For the purposes of the Group's capital management, capital includes issued share capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the Parent. The primary objective of the Group's capital management is to maximise the shareholder value while maintaining investor, creditor and market confidence and being able to sustain the future development of the business.

To achieve this overall objective, the Group's capital management, amongst other things, aims to ensure that it meets the financial covenants attached to interest-bearing loans and borrowings. Further, the PPF Facilities Agreement also contains financial covenants involving the regular testing of:

- proportionate leverage calculated as proportionate net debt to proportionate EBITDA of the relevant part of the Group, which for any relevant period ending on or after 31 December 2018 may not exceed: (i) 4.50:1 for the group consisting of all material Group entities, (ii) 2.50:1, subject to adjustments from time to time, for the group consisting primarily of the O2 Group and CETIN CR Group (iii) 1.00:1 for the group consisting of the Telenor and CETIN CEE Group and future target entities.
- interest cover calculated as cash up streamed to the Company by its subsidiaries to the net finance charges of the Company, which may not be less than 2.50:1 in respect of the financial year ended on 31 December 2019 and less than 3.00:1 for the following years. There have been no breaches of the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowings in the current period.

The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares.

The Group is not subject to any externally imposed regulatory capital requirements. No changes were made in the objectives, policies, or processes for managing capital during the years ended 31 December 2020 and 2019.

C.6. Offsetting financial assets and liabilities

The Group's derivative transactions are predominantly entered into under ISDA Master Agreements in compliance with the Intercreditor Agreement. If certain agreed events of default or termination events occur, all outstanding transactions under the agreements may be unilaterally terminated. The termination value is determined and only a single net amount is payable by one party to the other.

ISDA Master Agreements and similar master netting arrangements do not meet the criteria for offsetting in the consolidated statement of financial position. Therefore, as at 31 December 2020 the reported balances of positive and negative fair values of outstanding derivative transactions of EUR 3 million (2019: EUR 2 million) and EUR 54 million (2019: EUR 72 million) respectively, do not include any offset amounts.

D. Segment reporting

The Group recognises reportable segments that are defined in both geographical and sector terms. The Group's Board of Directors and shareholder (the Chief Operating Decision Maker) review the internal management reports of the individual segments on a regular basis.

The following summary describes the operations and geographic focus of each reportable segment.

Reportable segment	Operations	Geographic focus
CETIN CR	Wholesale telecommunication services (mobile, fixed and data services) to other telco operators and international transit	Czech Republic
O2 Czech Republic	Fixed and mobile telecommunication and data services	Czech Republic
O2 Slovak Republic	Mobile telecommunication and data services	Slovak Republic
CETIN Hungary (since July 2020)	Telecommunication infrastructure	Hungary
Telenor Hungary	Mobile telecommunication and data services	Hungary
CETIN Bulgaria (since July 2020)	Telecommunication infrastructure	Bulgaria
Telenor Bulgaria	Mobile telecommunication and data services	Bulgaria
CETIN Serbia (since July 2020)	Telecommunication infrastructure	Serbia
Telenor Serbia & MNE	Mobile telecommunication and data services	Serbia and Montenegro

After 1 July 2020, the separation of the Telenor entities in three countries into the retail and infrastructure businesses in the CEE countries was followed by the internal restructuring of PPF Group's telecommunication segment from a managerial perspective. Subject to the completion of the internal restructuring, CETIN CR, CETIN Bulgaria, CETIN Hungary, and CETIN Serbia came under CETIN Group, which remained under the control of PPF Telecom Group B.V. (the Parent). In line with IFRS 8, the Group does not provide any comparative data for the newly established segments, as this would not offer any reliable information. Income statement information for the new CETIN segments for the year ended and as at 31 December 2020 comprises the results for a 6-month period from 1 July 2020 to 31 December 2020. However, the figures for the year ended as at 31 December 2019 presented for Telenor segments are reliably comparable with the calculated sum of 2020 CETIN and Telenor segment figures per the respective country.

The Telenor Serbia and Montenegro segment comprises two individual business units with a common management and business strategy.

The unallocated segment represents the operations of holding entities not directly attributable to the core segments and comprising mainly funding related to business acquisitions.

Segment results include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Inter-segment pricing is determined on an arm's length basis. Segment assets and liabilities include all assets and liabilities attributable to segments. Significant non-cash expenses for the year ended 31 December 2020 and 2019 comprise mainly impairment losses on trade and other receivables, impairment losses on property, plant and equipment and impairment losses on other assets. Eliminations represent intercompany balances among individual reporting segments.

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The total segment revenue for the year ended 31 December 2020 amounting to EUR 3,159 million (2019: EUR 3,170 million) represents revenues from external customers as presented in the income statement under revenue caption.

The revenues reported include revenue from contracts with customers, comprising service and equipment revenues as well as other revenue items including interest revenue arising from the Group's ordinary transactions with a significant financing component (refer to E.1.1).

The Group does not have any major or individual customers with revenue exceeding 10% of the total segment revenue.

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2020	O2 Czech Republic	O2 Slovak Republic	Telenor Hungary	Telenor Bulgaria	Telenor Serbia & MNE	CETIN CR	CETIN Hungary	CETIN Bulgaria	CETIN Serbia	Unallocated	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenue from external customers	1,208	286	505	395	426	328	2	1	4	4	-	3,159
Inter-segment revenue	19	4	6	7	10	386	62	47	44	13	(598)	-
Total revenue	1,227	290	511	402	436	714	64	48	48	17	(598)	3,159
Services/Products (over time)	1,127	244	433	318	344	714	64	48	48	17	(597)	2,760
Services/Products (at a point in time)	100	46	78	84	92	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	399
<i>Major service/products lines:</i>												
Mobile originated revenue	769	276	486	392	419	-	-	-	-	-	(27)	2,315
Fixed originated revenue	458	14	-	1	4	-	-	-	1	-	(3)	475
International transit revenue	-	-	-	-	5	259	-	-	-	-	(31)	233
Other wholesale revenue	-	-	11	9	7	455	64	48	42	-	(514)	122
Other sales	-	-	14	-	1	-	-	-	5	17	(23)	14
Total revenue	1,277	290	511	402	436	714	64	48	48	17	(598)	3,159
Other income from non-telecommunication services	4	1	-	-	3	7	-	-	-	3	(7)	11
Operating expenses	(853)	(164)	(345)	(262)	(279)	(390)	(16)	(10)	(10)	(10)	594	(1,745)
EBITDA	378	127	166	140	160	331	48	38	38	10	(11)	1,425
Depreciation and amortisation	(181)	(60)	(82)	(60)	(69)	(181)	(18)	(17)	(16)	(1)	10	(675)
Amortisation of costs to obtain a contract	(15)	(7)	(6)	(11)	(10)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(49)
Impairment loss	(1)	-	-	-	-	(4)	-	-	-	-	-	(5)
EBIT	181	60	78	69	81	146	30	21	22	9	(1)	696
Finance income	4	-	-	-	1	(7)	-	-	-	11	(3)	6
Finance expense	(15)	(6)	(8)	(6)	(9)	(19)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(85)	4	(147)
Profit for the period before tax	170	54	70	63	73	120	29	20	21	(65)	-	555
Income tax expense	(34)	(15)	(14)	(8)	(13)	(24)	(3)	(2)	(4)	(6)	-	(123)
Profit for the period	136	39	56	55	60	96	26	18	17	(71)	-	432
Capital expenditure	158	70	140	19	29	147	23	16	11	1	(2)	612
Other significant non-cash expenses	(11)	(4)	(5)	(1)	(3)	(3)	-	-	-	-	-	(27)
Segment assets	1,882	567	767	510	707	2,381	409	310	364	470	(468)	7,899
Segment liabilities	907	276	212	119	126	1,524	127	78	74	2,854	(234)	6,063
Segment equity	975	291	555	391	581	857	282	232	290	(2,384)	(234)	1,836

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2020	O2 Czech Republic	O2 Slovak Republic	Telenor (incl. CETIN) Hungary	Telenor (incl. CETIN) Bulgaria	Telenor (incl. CETIN) Serbia & Telenor MNE	CETIN CR	Unallocated	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenue from external customers	1,208	286	507	396	430	328	4	-	3,159
Inter-segment revenue	19	4	3	4	11	386	13	(440)	-
Total revenue	1,227	290	510	400	441	714	17	(440)	3,159
Services/Products (over time)	1,127	244	432	316	349	714	17	(439)	2,760
Services/Products (at a point in time)	100	46	78	84	92	-	-	(1)	399
<i>Major service/products lines:</i>									
Mobile originated revenue	769	276	486	389	419	-	-	(24)	2,315
Fixed originated revenue	458	14	-	1	5	-	-	(3)	475
International transit revenue	-	-	-	-	5	259	-	(31)	233
Other wholesale revenue	-	-	14	10	10	455	-	(367)	122
Other sales	-	-	10	-	2	-	17	(15)	14
Total revenue	1,227	290	510	400	441	714	17	(440)	3,159
Other income from non-telecommunication services	4	1	-	-	3	7	3	(7)	11
Operating expenses	(853)	(164)	(295)	(223)	(246)	(390)	(10)	436	(1,745)
EBITDA	378	127	215	177	198	331	10	(11)	1,425
Depreciation and amortisation	(181)	(60)	(100)	(77)	(85)	(181)	(1)	10	(675)
Amortisation of costs to obtain a contract	(15)	(7)	(6)	(11)	(10)	-	-	-	(49)
Impairment loss	(1)	-	-	-	-	(4)	-	-	(5)
EBIT	181	60	109	89	103	146	9	(1)	696
Finance income	4	-	-	-	1	(7)	11	(3)	6
Finance expense	(15)	(6)	(11)	(5)	(10)	(19)	(85)	4	(147)
Profit for the period before tax	170	54	98	84	94	120	(65)	-	555
Income tax expense	(34)	(15)	(17)	(10)	(17)	(24)	(6)	-	(123)
Profit for the period	136	39	81	74	77	96	(71)	-	432
Capital expenditure	158	70	163	35	41	147	1	(3)	612
Other significant non-cash expenses	(11)	(4)	(5)	(1)	(4)	(3)	-	-	(28)
Segment assets	1,882	567	1,164	810	1,063	2,381	470	(438)	7,899
Segment liabilities	907	276	327	187	192	1,524	2,854	(204)	6,063
Segment equity	975	291	837	623	871	857	(2,384)	(234)	1,836

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2019	O2 Czech Republic	O2 Slovak Republic	Telenor Hungary	Telenor Bulgaria	Telenor Serbia & MNE	CETIN CR	Unallocated	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenue from external customers	1,210	293	524	379	417	344	3	-	3,170
Inter-segment revenue	26	5	3	5	13	409	31	(492)	-
Total revenue	1,236	298	527	384	430	753	34	(492)	3,170
Services/Products (over time)	1,142	243	443	304	341	753	34	(492)	2,768
Services/Products (at a point in time)	94	55	84	80	89	-	-	-	402
<i>Major service/products lines:</i>									
Mobile originated revenue	813	292	505	377	405	-	-	(43)	2,349
Fixed originated revenue	423	6	-	-	5	-	-	(7)	427
International transit revenue	-	-	-	-	7	284	-	(33)	258
Other wholesale revenue	-	-	11	7	12	469	-	(378)	121
Other sales	-	-	11	-	1	-	34	(31)	15
Total revenue	1,236	298	527	384	430	753	34	(492)	3,170
Other income from non-telecommunication services	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Operating expenses	(865)	(180)	(319)	(204)	(246)	(420)	(28)	486	(1,776)
EBITDA	374	118	208	180	184	333	6	(6)	1,397
Depreciation and amortisation	(191)	(58)	(113)	(77)	(85)	(175)	(2)	11	(690)
Amortisation of costs to obtain a contract	(16)	(6)	(6)	(12)	(6)	-	-	-	(46)
Impairment loss	(1)	-	(2)	-	(2)	(2)	-	-	(7)
EBIT	166	54	87	91	91	156	4	5	654
Finance income	3	-	4	4	8	1	-	(2)	18
Finance expense	(15)	(4)	(7)	(9)	(7)	(18)	(132)	4	(188)
Profit for the period before tax	154	50	84	86	92	139	(128)	7	484
Income tax expense	(30)	(14)	(16)	(9)	(13)	(26)	(4)	-	(112)
Profit for the period	124	36	68	77	79	113	(132)	7	372
Capital expenditure	(57)	(38)	(62)	(28)	(46)	(161)	-	-	(392)
Other significant non-cash expenses	(6)	(4)	(4)	(2)	(7)	(4)	-	-	(27)
Segment assets	2,092	594	1,176	781	1,088	2,515	469	(500)	8,215
Segment liabilities	1,031	289	232	163	196	1,607	2,694	(258)	5,954
Segment equity	1,061	305	944	618	892	908	(2,225)	(242)	2,261

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E.1. Revenue

E.1.1. Revenue from telco business – major lines of business

Revenue from the telecommunication business comprises the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Mobile originated revenue	2,315	2,350
Fixed originated revenue	475	423
International transit revenue	233	256
Other wholesale revenue	122	119
Other sales	14	14
Revenue from telecommunication business	3,159	3,162
<i>out of which:</i>		
Services/Products transferred over time	2,760	2,760
Services/Products transferred at a point in time	399	402

In 2020, the Group clarified its definition of revenues transferred over time and revenues transferred at a point in time. To ensure consistency, the Group reclassified EUR 60 million for Bulgaria from the revenue at a point in time to the revenue over time in comparatives for 2019.

Hardware sales of EUR 363 million (2019: EUR 378 million) being part of mobile originated revenues and EUR 38 million (2019: EUR 23 million) as a part of fixed originated revenue include interest revenue arising from the Group's ordinary transactions with a significant financing component. For the year ended 31 December 2020, interest revenue amounts to EUR 9 million (2019: EUR 9 million).

For relevant information on contract assets and contract liabilities, please refer to E.9.4.

E.1.2. Revenue from telco business – geographical markets

The revenue from the telco business is geographically disaggregated per customer sites, as follows:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Services/products transferred over time	2,760	2,760
Czech Republic	1,214	1,185
Hungary	425	434
Serbia and Montenegro	321	303
Bulgaria	303	291
Slovakia	258	259
Germany	30	38
Switzerland	5	8
Other	204	242
Services/products transferred at a point in time	399	402
Czech Republic	99	94
Hungary	78	84
Serbia and Montenegro	91	89
Bulgaria	85	80
Slovakia	46	55

E.1.3. Incremental costs to obtain contracts

Capitalised incremental costs to obtain contracts include commissions for external and internal business channels that are directly attributable to obtaining customer contracts and incremental. The amortisation of these costs is recognised on a separate line (amortisation of cost to obtain contracts) in profit or loss; the amortisation period is determined by the expected average duration of contracts separately for business customers and consumers, and separately for certain product types (ranging from 16 to 48 months).

In millions of EUR

	2020	2019
Balance as at 1 January	53	48
Capitalised costs to obtain contracts	54	51
Amortisation of capitalised costs to obtain contracts	(49)	(46)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(2)	-
Balance as at 31 December	56	53

The Group regularly evaluates capitalised incremental costs to obtain contracts and assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. The assessment is based on the monitoring of two parameters – the statistical evolution of clawbacks, i.e. deductions for the additional change of contracted services or contractual penalties for the non-observance of performance indicators and, simultaneously, the monitoring of calculation corrections based on the revision of the period in which the customers use the individual segments of the Group. According to an assessment of these parameters, there was no impairment of the capitalised costs to obtain contracts as at 31 December 2020 or 31 December 2019.

E.2. Other income from non-telecommunication services

Other income comprises the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Rental income	1	1
Other income	10	7
Total other income from non-telecommunication services	11	8

E.3. Operating expenses

Operating expenses comprise the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Supplies	634	645
Cost of telco and other devices sold (inventories)	406	397
Employee compensation	237	251
Payroll related taxes	73	75
Rental, maintenance and repair expense	72	78
Information technologies	57	68
Commissions	38	37
Advertising and marketing	41	43
Professional services	20	30
Telecommunication and postage	10	12
Taxes other than income tax	17	17
Net impairment losses on trade and other receivables	25	22
Restructuring charge	5	3
Other	110	98
Total operating expenses	1,745	1,776

E.4. Depreciation and amortisation

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	269	281
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment – ROU (IFRS 16)	90	91
Amortisation of intangible assets	316	318
Total depreciation and amortisation	675	690

E.5. Finance income and finance costs

Finance income comprises the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Interest income	3	18
Net foreign currency gain	3	-
Total finance income	6	18

Finance costs comprises the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Interest expenses	141	146
Net loss on financial derivatives	3	29
Fee and commission expense	3	3
Net foreign currency losses	-	10
Total finance costs	147	188

E.6. Income taxes

E.6.1. Income tax expense

Income tax expense comprises the following:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Current tax expense	(146)	(136)
Deferred tax benefit	23	24
Total income tax expense	(123)	(112)

The following table reconciles the tax expense:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Tax rate	25.0%	25.0%
Profit from continuing operations (before taxation)	555	484
Computed taxation using applicable tax rate	(139)	(121)
Tax non-deductible expenses	(36)	(23)
Non-taxable income	14	5
Utilised tax loss not previously recognised	1	-
Tax rate differences on foreign results	58	56
Tax loss carry forward not recognised	(6)	(6)
Items taxed at a different tax rate (e.g. withholding tax)	(4)	(8)
Other	(11)	(15)
Total income tax expense	(123)	(112)

E.6.2. Deferred tax

The table below shows the roll-forward of net deferred taxes:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Net deferred tax liability as at 1 January	(402)	(422)
Deferred tax income for the period	23	24
Deferred tax recognised directly in equity	4	-
Effects of movements in exchange rates	10	(4)
Net deferred tax liability as at 31 December	(365)	(402)

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Recognised deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

In millions of EUR

	31 Dec. 2020 Deferred tax liabilities	31 Dec. 2020 Deferred tax assets	31 Dec. 2019 Deferred tax liabilities	31 Dec. 2019 Deferred tax assets
Trade receivables	-	10	-	11
Inventories	-	1	-	1
Property, plant and equipment	(282)	2	(285)	-
Intangible assets	(117)	2	(137)	1
Contract assets	(5)	-	(9)	-
Other assets	(5)	1	(5)	3
Lease liabilities	-	15	-	9
Other liabilities	(3)	5	(2)	5
Provisions	-	8	-	7
Other temporary differences	(2)	5	(3)	5
Value of loss carry-forwards recognised	-	1	-	2
Value of cash flow hedge	(1)	-	(5)	-
Deferred tax assets/(liabilities)	(415)	50	(446)	44
Net deferred tax assets/(liabilities)	(369)	4	(407)	5

E.6.3. Tax losses

As at 31 December 2020, the Group incurred tax losses from recent years of EUR 141 million (2019: EUR 171 million), available to be carried forward and off-set against future taxable income. To the extent that it is not considered likely that taxable profits will be available against which the unused tax losses can be utilised, the deferred tax assets are not recognised. The unrecognised deferred tax assets amount to EUR 24 million (2019: EUR 39 million). The unutilised tax losses can be claimed in the period from 2021 to 2028 in the Netherlands, 2021 to 2025 in the Czech Republic, 2021 to 2023 in Slovakia, 2021 to 2026 in Hungary, and will expire as follows:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
2020 - 2021	6	15
2022	10	13
2023	3	4
2024	41	42
2025	32	50
2026	6	6
2027	41	41
2030	2	-
Total	141	171

E.7. Property, plant and equipment

The following table shows the roll-forward of property, plant and equipment:

In millions of EUR

	Land and buildings	Ducts, cables and related plant	Telecom. technolog y and related equipment	Other tangible assets and equipment	Constructi on in progress	Total
Carrying amount						
Balance as at 1 January 2020	278	1,317	678	139	143	2,555
Additions	7	35	125	18	94	279
Disposal	-	-	(6)	(2)	(1)	(9)
Transfers	11	11	52	5	(85)	(6)
Depreciation charge	(18)	(70)	(153)	(28)	-	(269)
Impairment charge	-	-	-	-	(4)	(4)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(9)	(42)	(15)	(5)	(2)	(73)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	269	1,251	681	127	145	2,473
Cost	391	1,761	1,272	231	149	3,804
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(122)	(510)	(591)	(104)	(4)	(1,331)

In millions of EUR

	Land and buildings	Ducts, cables and related plant	Telecom. technolog y and related equipment	Other tangible assets and equipment	Constructi on in progress	Total
Carrying amount						
Balance as at 1 January 2019	272	1,324	655	151	150	2,552
Additions	10	33	143	14	80	280
Disposal	-	-	(3)	(1)	(4)	(8)
Transfers	12	14	47	7	(80)	-
Depreciation charge	(17)	(70)	(165)	(29)	-	(281)
Impairment charge	-	-	-	(1)	(3)	(4)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	1	16	1	(2)	-	16
Balance as at 31 December 2019	278	1,317	678	139	143	2,555
Cost	390	1,773	1,213	227	146	3,749
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(112)	(456)	(535)	(88)	(3)	(1,194)

In both periods, the most significant additions of PPE relate to the construction and renovation of a telecommunication infrastructure in CETIN and the construction of a telecommunication network in O2 Slovakia.

E.8. Intangible assets and goodwill

Intangible assets comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Goodwill	1,549	1,603
Software	216	230
Licences	556	556
Valuable rights	84	47
Customer relationships	763	900
Other intangible assets	43	49
Construction in progress	109	28
Total intangible assets	3,320	3,413

Acquired licences represent the rights to operate cellular networks. The licences are technologically neutral. The Group uses the following standards for the operation of cellular networks in the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro: GSM (Global System for Mobile Communication, second generation technology), UMTS (Universal Mobile Telecommunication System, third generation mobile cellular technology for networks), CDMA (Code Division Multiple Access) and LTE (Long Term Evolution).

Valuable rights comprise a licence agreement to use the O2 brand in the Czech Republic and Slovakia initially until January 2019, which are currently extended until December 2036. As part of the 2018 acquisition, the Group acquired a licence agreement to use the Telenor brand in Hungary, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro until April 2022.

Customer relationships are assets that ensure a long-term revenue streams from customers who have made commitments to purchase specific amounts of products or services.

Construction in progress represents acquired intangible fixed assets not put in use during the same reporting period. It comprises mainly software.

E.8.1. Goodwill

The following table shows the roll-forward of goodwill:

In millions of EUR, for the year

	2020	2019
Balance as at 1 January	1,603	1,609
Effect of movement in exchange rates	(54)	(6)
Balance as at 31 December	1,549	1,603

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Goodwill is allocated to individual CGUs as follows:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
O2 CR – Czech operations	388	401
O2 CR – Slovak operations	40	40
Telenor Hungary*	192	421
Telenor Bulgaria*	118	219
Telenor Serbia*	183	369
Telenor Montenegro	42	42
CETIN CR	108	111
CETIN Hungary*	186	-
CETIN Bulgaria*	104	-
CETIN Serbia*	188	-

*Due to the business restructuring on 1 July 2020, a part of the goodwill was re-allocated from Telenor entities to the newly established CETIN entities (refer to B.2.1)

Following the separation of the infrastructure part from the Telenor retail businesses on 1 July 2020, a part of the goodwill initially allocated to Telenor Hungary, Bulgaria and Serbia was re-allocated to newly established CETIN entities (hereinafter also as CETIN CEE entities). As of 1 July 2020, the goodwill related to the relevant CGU was split according to the relative difference between the enterprise values and the net assets values of the involved entities.

Goodwill is tested annually for impairment. A reasonably possible change in the key assumptions on which management bases its determination of the recoverable amounts would not result in O2 CR, Telenor, CETIN CR or CETIN CEE carrying amounts being higher than their recoverable amounts.

O2 CR

The impairment test involves determining the recoverable amount of the consolidated entity, corresponding to the value in use. The value in use is the present value of future cash flows expected to be derived from the CGU.

Value in use is determined in a discounted cash flow enterprise valuation model and derived from cash flow forecasts based on the analyst mean forecast sourced from Thomson Reuters Eikon (for 2021 to 2023). Cash flows beyond the forecast period were extrapolated (for 2024 to 2027) using appropriate growth rates based on general economic data derived from macroeconomic and financial studies.

The calculation of value in use is most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Estimated growth rate in terminal value – forecasts of the market and regulatory environment in which the company conducts its principal business, as well as the investment life cycle, are the basis for determining the value assigned to the estimated growth rate. A 1.0% growth rate is used.

Discount rate – the discount rate reflects the Group's estimate of the risk and related expected return specific to the CGU. The weighted average cost of capital forms the basis for the determination of the discount rate. Relevant data taken from independent financial analysts as a benchmark for the weighted average cost of capital are used to determine the discount rate. The resulting discount rate and its effect on value in use are tested for sensitivity. The current

methodology used as of 31 December 2020 will be subject to regular reassessments and potential adjustments.

The discounted cash flow valuation is supported by a valuation using the market approach based on publicly traded peer companies. The multiple of enterprise value (EV) to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) was selected as the most suitable multiple, as EBITDA is considered to be the closest approximate of free cash flow. The value estimates the draw on EV/EBITDA multiples based on market data as at the valuation date and the EBITDA of the peer public companies for 2020. Additionally, the EV/Sales multiple is considered as well.

As O2 CR is a publicly traded company on the Prague Stock Exchange, its share price on the exchange was considered a supportive indication of value, while taking into consideration share liquidity.

The final value in use is allocated into two O2 CR cash generating sub-units - O2 Czech Republic and its subsidiary O2 Slovakia – in the following way: The enterprise value is divided by the proportion of the sub-units' EBITDAs, and the respective net debts of the sub-units are subtracted to calculate the resulting equity values.

TELENOR

Telenor's CEE businesses operate in four countries, and were identified as individual CGUs for the purposes of the impairment test. These operating businesses are in Hungary, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro.

The impairment test involves determining the recoverable amounts of the above four cash-generating units, which correspond to their value in use. The value in use of a CGU is the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from each CGU.

Value in use is determined in an enterprise valuation model and assessed from the group-internal perspective. Value in use is derived from the most recent forecast for a period of five years (for 2021 to 2025), prepared by the management at the time of the impairment test. The forecast is based on past experience, as well as on future market trends. Further, the forecast considers general economic data derived from macroeconomic and financial studies. The key assumptions on which management bases its business plan and growth rates include trends in the gross domestic product, interest rates, nominal wages, capital expenditures, market share, growth rates, and discount rates. Cash flows beyond the management forecast period were extrapolated (for 2026 to 2027) using appropriate growth rates based on general economic data derived from macroeconomic and financial studies.

The calculations of value in use for each Telenor CGU are most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Estimated growth rate in terminal value – forecasts of the market and regulatory environment in which the companies conduct their principal businesses, as well as the investment life cycle, are the basis for determining the value assigned to the estimated growth rate. A growth rate of 1.0% is used for Hungary and Bulgaria and growth rates of 1.5% and 2.5% are used for Serbia and Montenegro, respectively.

Discount rate – this reflects the Group's estimate of the risk and related expected return. The weighted average cost of capital forms the basis for the determination of the discount rate.

Relevant data taken from independent financial analysts as a benchmark for the weighted average cost of capital is used to determine the discount rate for each respective Telenor CGU. The resulting discount rates and their effect on value in use are tested for sensitivity. The current methodology used as of 31 December 2020 will be subject to regular reassessments and potential adjustments.

The discounted cash flow valuation is supported by a valuation using the market approach based on publicly traded peer companies. The multiple of enterprise value (EV) to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) was selected as the most suitable multiple, as EBITDA is considered to be the closest approximate of free cash flow. The value estimates draw on EV/EBITDA multiples based on market data as at the valuation date and the EBITDA of the peer public companies for 2020.

CETIN CR

The impairment test involves determining the CETIN CR cash-generating unit's recoverable amount, corresponding to the value in use. Value in use is the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from the CGU.

Value in use is determined in an enterprise valuation model and assessed from a group-internal perspective. Value in use is derived from the medium-term forecast for a period of seven years (for 2021 to 2027), prepared by management and most recent at the time of the impairment test. The medium-term forecast is based on past experience as well as on future market trends. Further, the medium-term forecast is based on general economic data derived from macroeconomic and financial studies. The key assumptions on which management bases its business plan and growth rates include trends in the gross domestic product, interest rates, nominal wages, capital expenditures, market share, growth rates, and discount rates.

The calculations of value in use for CGU are most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Estimated growth rate in terminal value – forecasts of the market and regulatory environment in which the company conducts its principal business, as well as the investment life cycle, are the basis for determining the value assigned to the estimated growth rate. A 1.0% growth rate is used.

Discount rate – this reflects the Group's estimate of the risk and related expected return. The weighted average cost of capital forms the basis for the determination of the discount rate. Relevant data taken from independent financial analyses as a benchmark for the weighted average cost of capital is used to determine the discount rate. The resulting discount rate and its effect on value in use are tested for sensitivity. The current methodology used as of 31 December 2020 will be subject to regular reassessments and potential adjustments.

The discounted cash flow valuation is supported by a valuation using the market approach based on publicly traded peer companies. The multiple of enterprise value (EV) to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) was selected as the most suitable multiple, as EBITDA is considered to be the closest approximate of free cash flow. The value estimates draw on EV/EBITDA multiples based on market data as at the valuation date and the EBITDA of publicly traded peer companies for 2020. Additionally, the EV/Sales multiple is considered as well.

CETIN CEE (excl. CR)

CETIN's CEE businesses represent operating companies in three countries, and were identified as individual CGUs for the purposes of the impairment test.

The impairment test involves determining the above three cash-generating unit's recoverable amount, corresponding to the value in use. Value in use is the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from the CGUs.

Value in use is determined in an enterprise valuation model and assessed from a group-internal perspective. Value in use is derived from the medium-term forecast for a period of seven years (for 2021 to 2027), prepared by management and most recent at the time of the impairment test. The medium-term forecast is based on past experience, future market trends, and general economic data derived from macroeconomic and financial studies. The key assumptions on which management bases its business plan and growth rates include trends in the gross domestic product, interest rates, nominal wages, capital expenditures, market share, growth rates, and discount rates.

The calculations of a CGU's value in use are most sensitive to the following assumptions:

Estimated growth rate in terminal value – forecasts of the market and regulatory environment in which the company conducts its principal business, as well as the investment life cycle, are the basis for determining the value assigned to the estimated growth rate. A growth rate of 1.0% is used for Hungary and Bulgaria and a growth rate of 1.5% for Serbia

Discount rate – this reflects the Group's estimate of the risk and related expected return. The weighted average cost of capital forms the basis for the determination of the discount rate. Relevant data taken from independent financial analyses as a benchmark for the weighted average cost of capital is used to determine the discount rate. The resulting discount rate and its effect on value in use are tested for sensitivity. The current methodology used as of 31 December 2020 will be subject to regular reassessments and potential adjustments.

The discounted cash flow valuation is supported by a valuation using the market approach based on publicly traded peer companies. The multiple of enterprise value (EV) to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) was selected as the most suitable multiple, as EBITDA is considered to be the closest approximate of free cash flow. The value estimates draw on EV/EBITDA multiples based on market data as at the valuation date and the EBITDA of the peer public companies for 2020.

E.8.2. Other intangible assets

The following table shows the roll-forward of the remaining categories of intangible assets:

In millions of EUR

	Software	Licences	Valuable rights	Customer relationships	Other intangible assets	Construction in progress	Total
Carrying amount							
Balance as at 1 January 2020	230	556	47	900	49	28	1,810
Restatement of opening balance	(3)	-	(4)	-	7	-	-
Additions	56	104	64	-	7	102	333
Disposal	(2)	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
Transfers	20	-	-	-	7	(21)	6
Amortisation charge	(78)	(83)	(23)	(109)	(23)	-	(316)
Impairment charge	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(7)	(21)	-	(28)	(4)	1	(59)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	216	556	84	763	43	109	1,771
Cost	562	891	253	1,289	89	109	3,193
Accumulated amortisation and impairment losses	(346)	(335)	(169)	(526)	(46)	-	(1,422)

In millions of EUR

	Software	Licences	Valuable rights	Customer relationships	Other intangible assets	Construction in progress	Total
Carrying amount							
Balance as at 1 January 2019	245	605	68	1,017	55	22	2,012
Additions resulting from business combinations	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Additions	47	31	-	-	14	20	112
Disposal	(1)	-	-	-	-	-	(1)
Transfers	12	-	-	-	2	(14)	-
Amortisation charge	(78)	(80)	(21)	(115)	(24)	-	(318)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	3	-	-	(2)	2	-	3
Balance as at 31 December 2019	230	556	47	900	49	28	1,810
Cost	520	809	194	1,329	77	28	2,957
Accumulated amortisation and impairment losses	(290)	(253)	(147)	(429)	(28)	-	(1,147)

During 2020, Telenor Hungary purchased an additional frequency spectrum increasing the category licenses by EUR 100 million. The Group prolonged its rights to the O2 brand for an additional 15 years, representing an addition to valuable rights of EUR 64 million. O2 Czech Republic and O2 Slovakia also purchased additional frequency spectra of EUR 86 million, which is included in construction in progress.

E.9. Financial assets (excluding cash and cash equivalents)

Financial assets comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Financial assets at FVTPL	2	-
Financial assets at FVOCI	2	2
Receivables due from banks	-	12
Trade and other receivables	49	52
Contract assets	14	18
Non-current	67	84
Financial assets at FVTPL	1	2
Receivables due from banks	17	4
Trade and other receivables	490	571
Contract assets	48	63
Current	556	640
Total financial assets	623	724

E.9.1. Financial assets/liabilities at FVTPL

Financial assets at FVTPL comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Hedging derivatives	2	1
Currency derivatives	1	1
Financial assets at FVTPL	3	2

Financial liabilities at FVTPL comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Currency derivatives	27	53
Interest rate derivatives	14	10
Hedging derivatives	13	9
Financial liabilities at FVTPL	54	72

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Details of derivatives are provided in the following tables:

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Notional amount	Positive fair values	Negative fair values
<i>OTC products:</i>			
Cross currency interest rate swaps	2,362	-	(14)
Interest rate swaps	15	-	-
Total interest rate derivatives	2,377	-	(14)
<i>OTC products:</i>			
Forward exchange contracts	2,038	1	(27)
Total currency derivatives	2,038	1	(27)
Cross currency interest rate swaps	550	-	(12)
Other	194	2	(1)
Total hedging derivatives	744	2	(13)

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Notional amount	Positive fair values	Negative fair values
<i>OTC products:</i>			
Cross currency interest rate swaps	2,302	1	(53)
Interest rate swaps	1,484	-	(10)
Total interest rate derivatives	3,786	1	(63)
<i>OTC products:</i>			
Forward exchange contracts	46	-	-
Total currency derivatives	46	-	-
Cross currency interest rate swaps	568	-	(9)
Other	138	1	-
Total hedging derivatives	706	1	(9)

E.9.2. Receivables due from banks

Receivables due from banks comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Cash collateral for derivative instruments	-	12
Non-current	-	12
Loans to banks	-	4
Cash collateral for derivative instruments	16	-
Other	1	-
Current	17	4
Total receivables due from banks	17	16

Cash collateral placed represents the one-sided collateral of the Group's derivative transactions. Cash collateral placed results from the Group's obligation to place cash collateral to the counterparty in a derivative transaction and for the period of the derivative transaction, where the amount of collateral is calculated from the nominal and fair value of the financial derivative. The amount of the placed collateral is regularly updated.

Loans to banks as at 31 December 2019 represent a loan to a related party that was collected in January 2020.

E.9.3. Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Trade receivables	58	57
Subtotal (gross) - non-current	58	57
Individual allowances for impairment on trade and other receivables	(9)	(5)
Subtotal (net) - non-current	49	52
Trade receivables	553	615
Accrued income	31	29
Subtotal (gross) - current	584	644
Individual allowances for impairment on trade and other receivables	(94)	(73)
Subtotal (net) - current	490	571
Carrying amount trade and other receivables - total	539	623

The Group provides mobile handsets and other telecommunication equipment to its customers on instalments (usually for 12-48 months, interest-free). In 2019, the Group entered into a transaction (issue of participation certificates by Telenor Bulgaria and Telenor Hungary) with PPF Co3 N.V., (a subsidiary of PPF Group). Under this transaction, all risks and rewards related to these instalment receivables were transferred and derecognised from the Group's consolidated statement of financial position. For the Group, no recourse or other liability resulted from this transaction. In 2020, Telenor Bulgaria and Telenor Hungary issued additional tranches of the participation certificates. The Group also entered into another transaction (the issue of participation certificates by O2 Czech Republic and O2 Slovak Republic) with AB 4 B.V. (a subsidiary of PPF Group). The substance of this transaction is the same as that of the above-described transaction.

The outstanding balance of all issued tranches of participation certificates issued by the Group as of 31 December 2020 is EUR 81 million (as of 31 December 2019: EUR 50 million).

The movements in the allowance for impairment in respect of trade and other receivables during the year were as follows:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Balance as at 1 January	(78)	(47)
Additions resulting from business combinations	-	(1)
Impairment losses recognised in income statement	(35)	(26)
Release of impairment losses on written off items	10	1
Effects of movements in exchange rates	-	(5)
Balance as at 31 December	(103)	(78)

E.9.4. Contract assets and liabilities

The following table provides information about the carrying amounts of receivables, contract assets and contract liabilities from contracts with customers.

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Receivables, which are included in “trade and other receivables”	101	95
Contract assets	62	81
Non-current part	14	18
Current part	48	63
Contract liabilities	(101)	(108)
Non-current part	(52)	(61)
Current part	(49)	(47)

As at 31 December 2020, the ECL allowance for current contracts assets amounted to EUR 1 million (2019: EUR 1 million).

Contract assets primarily relate to the Group’s rights to consideration in exchange for goods or services that the Group has already transferred to customers and which it has not yet invoiced. These in particular include contracts with customers where the supply of telecommunication services is supplemented by the sale of subsidised telecommunication equipment. A contract asset arises from the reallocation of revenues under a customer contract from telecommunication services provided and recognised during the life of the contract to the revenues from the sale of such subsidised equipment, which is recognised at the time of sale.

A contract liability is the Group's obligation to deliver goods or to provide services for which the Group has received consideration from the customer. Contract liabilities include mostly telecommunication services prepaid by customers on prepaid cards. These revenues are recognised when the voice or data traffic takes place, or when other services are provided, or when the card associated with the prepaid credit expires. Contract liabilities also arise when activation fees are invoiced upon the conclusion of a new contract, which is not a stand-alone performance obligation, and are thus accrued over the term of the contract with the customer.

Significant changes in the contract assets and the contract liabilities balances during the period are as follows:

In millions of EUR

	Contract assets	Contract liabilities
Balance as at 1 January 2020	81	(108)
Revenue recognised that was included in the contract liability balance at the beginning of the period	-	31
Increases due to cash received, excluding amounts recognised as revenue during the period	-	(28)
Transfers from contract assets recognised at the beginning of the period to receivables	(64)	-
Increases as a result of changes in the measure of progress	49	-
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(4)	4
Balance as at 31 December 2020	62	(101)

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	Contract assets	Contract liabilities
Balance as at 1 January 2019	80	(90)
Revenue recognised that was included in the contract liability balance at the beginning of the period	-	28
Increases due to cash received, excluding amounts recognised as revenue during the period	-	(45)
Transfers from contract assets recognised at the beginning of the period to receivables	(54)	-
Increases as a result of changes in the measure of progress	56	-
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(1)	(1)
Balance as at 31 December 2019	81	(108)

The transaction price allocated to the remaining performance obligations related to contracts with customers is as follows:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Within 1 year	565	737
1-2 years	144	210
2-5 years	89	105
More than 5 years	55	53
Transaction price on performance obligations yet to be satisfied	853	1,105

E.10. Other assets

Other assets comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Deferred expenses and advances	19	16
Other assets	1	5
Non-current	20	21
Deferred expenses and advances	23	27
Other tax receivables	5	7
Other assets	18	10
Current	46	44
Total other assets	66	65

E.11. Inventories

Inventories comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Goods	82	81
Gross value of inventories	82	81
Balance as at 1 January	(5)	(5)
Impairment losses recognised in the income statement	(4)	-
Other movements	-	(1)
Impairment losses on inventories	(9)	(5)
Net value of inventories	73	76

E.12. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Current accounts	789	794
Cash on hand	1	1
Total cash and cash equivalents	790	795

E.13. Due to banks

Liabilities due to banks comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Secured loans (other than repo)	534	1,571
Unsecured loans	576	296
Non-current	1,110	1,867
Secured loans (other than repo)	-	-
Unsecured loans	22	272
Current	22	272
Total secured loans	1,132	2,139

The Parent Company is a party to a secured facilities agreement with a syndicate of banks under which in 2018 the Parent Company utilised secured term loan facilities amounting to EUR 2,396 million and CZK 10,172 million (approx. EUR 380 million). During 2019 and 2020, the secured term loan facilities were restructured and partially refinanced by Euro medium term notes issued by the Parent Company (refer to E.14).

As at 31 December 2020, the outstanding amounts of the secured term loan facilities were EUR 374 million and CZK 4,386 million (approx. EUR 167 million). As at 31 December 2019, the outstanding amounts of the secured term loan facilities were EUR 1,349 million and CZK 6,139 million (approx. EUR 242 million). The actual amount of outstanding secured loan liabilities stated in the table above is lower by unamortised facility and legal fees directly attributable to

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the origination of the loan facilities. These fees were capitalised and are amortised to finance costs using the effective interest rate method.

As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, the Group complied with the financial covenants imposed by its loan facilities.

Parameters of EUR-denominated loan facilities as at 31 December 2020:

Repayable by	2024
Margin rate over 3M EURIBOR	1.25% - 3.00%
Actual respective margin levels applicable	1.50%

The EUR loans were used to finance the acquisition of Telenor Group telecommunications assets in Central and Eastern Europe in July 2018.

The following loans are CZK-denominated:

Repayable by	2024
Margin rate over 3M PRIBOR	1.00% - 2.50%
Actual respective margin levels applicable	1.00%

The CZK loans were used to fully refinance the existing loan facilities related to refinancing of deferred purchase price for O2 CZ (EUR 395 million in 2017).

On 20 May 2020, the Group concluded a long-term unsecured facility agreement with a 5-year maturity (until 2025) and a credit limit of CZK 9,240 million (approx. EUR 346 million) by which it refinanced the currently maturing loan (no cash movement related to this refinancing). The facility bears an interest rate derived from PRIBOR + 0.6%, where based on the agreement the reference interest rate cannot decrease below zero (zero-floor). As at 31 December 2020, the Group utilised CZK 5,390 million (approx. EUR 205 million) of its credit limit (2019: CZK 7,000 million (approx. EUR 262 million)).

In April 2019, the Group completed a placement of four tranches of promissory loan notes (Schuldschein), in total of EUR 160 million (CZK 4,106 million) with maturity of 5 to 7 years. In 2017, six Schuldschein tranches were subscribed of EUR 137 million (comprising tranches of CZK 2,970 million and EUR 20 million) with maturity of 5 to 7 years.

E.14. Debt securities issued

Debt securities issued comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	Date of issue	Maturity	Fixed rate	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Unsecured bond (EUR 625 million)	2016	2021	1.42%	625	625
Unsecured bond (CZK 4,866 million)	2016	2023	1.25%	185	190
Secured bond (EUR 550 million)	2019	2026	3.13%	558	557
Secured bond (EUR 600 million)*	2019/2020	2025	2.13%	609	497
Secured bond (EUR 600 million)	2020	2024	3.50%	610	-
Secured bond (EUR 500 million)	2020	2027	3.25%	498	-
Total debt securities issued				3,085	1,869

* The aggregate nominal amount after consolidation of the MEUR 500 Eurobond issued in November 2019 with the MEUR 100 Eurobond issued in January 2020 (as a tap issue).

In March 2019, the Group established EUR 3,000 million Euro medium term note programme. At the same moment, the Group obtained corporate credit ratings Ba1 by Moody's, BB+ by Standard & Poor's and BBB- by Fitch Ratings. During 2019 and 2020, under this programme, the Group issued senior secured Eurobonds in the aggregate nominal amount of EUR 2,275 million.

The unused capacity of the programme is currently EUR 725 million as at 31 December 2020. The majority of the bond proceeds were used to repay the Group's secured loans.

In July 2020, the Group received commitments from wide group of relationship banks for committed unsecured credit facility of EUR 625 million, which shall serve as the liquidity back-up for CETIN CR's EUR 625 million Eurobonds maturing in December 2021. The credit facility matures on 6 December 2023.

E.15. Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Settlements with suppliers	50	22
Advances received	2	2
Defined benefit obligation	3	-
Other liabilities	1	1
Non-current	56	25
Settlements with suppliers	436	523
Wages and salaries	33	32
Advances received	6	7
Social security and health insurance	15	14
Other tax payable	40	40
Accrued expense	77	92
Deferred income and prepayments	2	15
Other liabilities	25	14
Current	634	737
Total trade and other payables	690	762

E.16. Provisions

Provisions comprise the following:

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Fixed asset retirement obligation	62	42
Provision for litigations except for tax issues	3	5
Provision for restructuring	4	1
Other provisions	34	15
Total provisions	103	63

In millions of EUR

	Fixed asset retirement obligation	Provision for litigations except for tax issues	Provision for restructuring	Other	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2020	42	5	1	15	63
Provisions created during the year	22	1	4	33	60
Provisions used during the year	(1)	(2)	(1)	(9)	(13)
Provisions released during the year	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
Effect of movements in exchange rates	(1)	(1)	-	(4)	(6)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	62	3	4	34	103
Non-current	49	-	-	20	69
Current	13	3	4	14	34

In millions of EUR

	Fixed asset retirement obligation	Provision for litigations except for tax issues	Provision for restructuring	Other	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2019	34	5	2	12	53
Provisions created during the year	12	2	-	8	22
Provisions used during the year	(2)	-	(1)	(4)	(7)
Provisions released during the year	(2)	(2)	-	(1)	(5)
Balance as at 31 December 2019	42	5	1	15	63
Non-current	41	-	1	6	48
Current	1	5	-	9	15

The Group recognised a provision for the estimated cost of dismantling and removing assets and restoring sites of EUR 62 million (2019: EUR 42 million). The amount of the provision is affected by the increased estimate of the present value of the future costs of dismantling, removing of assets and restoring sites in connection with network construction. Scenarios of future costs based on management estimations, market prices, and historical costs were discounted to their present value. Discount rates are paired with the expected dates of any future dismantling and removing of assets.

In 2020, the Group recognised one-off expenses of EUR 26 million (of which EUR 23 million was recognised as other provision as of 31 December 2020) for potential tax risks. In 2019, other provisions consisted of a provision for costs connected with the move from CETIN's current office amounting to EUR 2 million. Other provisions also include a provision for redundancy cost.

E.17. Issued capital, share premium and dividends

Issued capital is capital in respect of which the shareholders' liability for an entity's obligation towards its creditors is limited. The amount is limited to the current nominal capital approved by a shareholders' resolution.

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Number of shares authorised	1,000	1,000
Number of shares issued, out of which fully paid	1,000	1,000
Par value per share	EUR 1	EUR 1

The share premium is the amount received by the Parent Company in excess of the par value of its shares.

As at 31 December 2020, the share premium amounts to EUR 1,417 million (2019: EUR 1,417 million). The share premium is freely distributable.

During 2020, the Parent Company paid dividends amounting to EUR 600 million (2019: EUR 480 million).

E.18. Reserves**E.18.1. Revaluation reserve**

The revaluation reserve represents the changes, net of deferred tax, in the fair value of financial assets at FVOCI. The revaluation reserve is not available for distribution to shareholders.

E.18.2. Legal and statutory reserves

The creation and use of legal and statutory reserves is limited by legislation and the articles of association of each company within the Group. Legal and statutory reserves are not available for distribution to shareholders.

E.18.3. Currency translation reserve

The currency translation reserve comprises foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of companies within the Group with a functional currency other than the Group presentation currency, which is the euro. The translation reserve is not available for distribution to the shareholders.

E.18.4. Hedging reserve

The hedging reserve, i.e. the cash flow hedge reserve, represents the effect of the recognition of the effective portion of changes in the fair value of hedging instruments in other comprehensive income in equity. The cash flow hedge reserve is not available for distribution to shareholders.

E.19. Non-controlling interests

The following table summarises the information relating to O2 CR, CETIN CR, TMT Hungary and TMT Hungary Infra that are consolidated subgroups with NCI:

In millions of EUR

As at 31 December 2020	O2 CR	CETIN CR	TMT Hungary	TMT Hungary Infra*
NCI percentage (ownership)	32.17%	10.27%	25.00%	25.00%
Country of incorporation	Czech Republic	Czech Republic	Netherlands	Netherlands
Total assets	1,682	2,274	791	414
Total liabilities	(1,075)	(1,524)	(212)	(132)
Net assets	607	750	579	282
Carrying amount of NCI	195	77	145	71
NCI percentage during the period	32.17%	10.27%	25.00%	25.00%
Revenue	1,503	714	511	63
Profit/(loss)	175	99	55	25
Other comprehensive income	10	(22)	18	(3)
Total comprehensive income	185	77	73	22
Profit/(loss) allocated to NCI	56	10	14	6
OCI allocated to NCI	(6)	(4)	(23)	1
Dividends paid to NCI	62	10	2	-

*TMT Hungary Infra is a newly established holding entity for CETIN Hungary (see Note B.2.1. for business restructuring description). The NCI balance for the split part existing at the date of demerger was reallocated directly from TMT Hungary to TMT Hungary Infra.

In millions of EUR

As at 31 December 2019	O2 CR	CETIN CR	TMT Hungary**
NCI percentage (ownership)*	32.17%	10.27%	25.00%
Country of incorporation	Czech Republic	Czech Republic	Netherlands
Total assets	1,879	2,405	1,202
Total liabilities	(1,193)	(1,607)	(234)
Net assets	686	798	968
Carrying amount of NCI	221	82	242
NCI percentage during the period*	32.31%	10.27%	25.00%
Revenue	1,510	747	528
Profit/(loss)	165	113	69
Other comprehensive income	(6)	-	(25)
Total comprehensive income	160	113	44
Profit/(loss) allocated to NCI	54	12	2
OCI allocated to NCI	1	(2)	(2)
Dividends paid to NCI	66	10	-

*The NCI for O2 CR changed during the period due to several transactions. The average NCI percentage during the period was used. The NCI for CETIN changed during the period due to the acquisition.

**The NCI for TMT Hungary arises from sale of a 25% shareholding described in section B.

E.20. Leases

In relation to leases under IFRS 16, the Group recognises depreciation and interest expense, instead of operating lease expense. In 2020, the Group recognised EUR 90 million of depreciation charges and EUR 15 million of interest expense from these leases (2019: EUR 91 million and EUR 15 million, respectively). This effected the value of EBITDA reported in the amount of EUR 1,425 million (2019: EUR 1,397 million). Value of EBITDA without adoption of IFRS 16 was calculated resulting in adjusted EBITDA of EUR 1,325 million (2019: EUR 1,298 million).

E.20.1. Right-of-use assets

The following table shows the roll-forward of right-of-use assets:

In millions of EUR

	Land and buildings	Ducts, cables and related plant	Telecom. technology and related equipment	Other tangible assets and equipment	Total
Carrying amount					
Balance as at 1 January 2020	433	2	74	14	523
Additions	44	-	17	8	69
Disposal	(6)	-	-	-	(6)
Depreciation charge	(73)	-	(11)	(6)	(90)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	(8)	-	3	-	(5)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	390	2	83	16	491
Cost	516	2	104	27	649
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(126)	-	(21)	(11)	(158)

In millions of EUR

	Land and buildings	Ducts, cables and related plant	Telecom. technology and related equipment	Other tangible assets and equipment	Total
Carrying amount					
Balance as at 1 January 2019	440	3	72	15	530
Additions	72	-	16	5	93
Disposal	(10)	-	-	-	(10)
Depreciation charge	(74)	-	(11)	(6)	(91)
Effects of movements in exchange rates	5	(1)	(3)	-	1
Balance as at 31 December 2019	433	2	74	14	523
Cost	505	2	85	21	613
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(72)	-	(11)	(7)	(90)

For a maturity analysis of lease liabilities, please refer to C.2.

E.20.2. Amounts recognised in profit and loss

Both in 2020 and 2019, interest expense on leases under IFRS 16 amounted to EUR 15 million and variable lease payments totalled EUR 1 million.

E.20.3. Extension options

Some property leases contain extension options exercisable by the Group up to one year before the end of the non-cancellable contract period. Where practicable, the Group seeks to include extension options in new leases to provide operational flexibility. The extension options held are exercisable only by the Group and not by the lessors. At the lease commencement date the Group assesses whether it is reasonably certain that it will exercise the extension options. The Group reassesses whether it is reasonably certain that it will exercise the options if a significant events or significant changes in circumstances within its control occur.

The Group has estimated that should it exercise the extension option, potential future lease payments would result in an increase of EUR 10 million in lease liability (2019: EUR 7 million).

Total cash outflow for leases amounted to EUR 95 million for the year ended 31 December 2020 (2019: EUR 100 million).

E.21. Reconciliation of movements of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities

Reconciliation of movements of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities:

In millions of EUR for the year 2020

	Debt securities issued	Due to banks	Lease liability	Share premium	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2020	1,869	2,139	526	1,417	5,951
<u>Changes from financing cash flows:</u>					
Proceeds from due to banks	-	103	-	-	103
Proceeds from the issue of debt securities issued	1,191	-	-	-	1,191
Repayments of due to banks	-	(1,101)	-	-	(1,101)
Repayment of principal portion of lease liability	-	-	(82)	-	(82)
Total changes from financing cash flows	3,060	1,141	444	1,417	6,062
Effect of changes in foreign exchange rates and transfers	(5)	(27)	(14)	-	(46)
New leases	-	-	66	-	66
Interest expense	61	45	15	-	121
Interest paid	(31)	(27)	(13)	-	(71)
Balance as at 31 December 2020	3,085	1,132	498	1,417	6,132

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	Debt securities issued	Due to banks	Lease liability	Share premium	Total
Balance as at 1 January 2019	812	3,145	530	1,341	5,828
Changes from financing cash flows:					
Proceeds from due to banks	-	190	-	-	190
Proceeds from the issue of debt securities issued	501	-	-	-	501
Repayments of due to banks	-	(697)	-	-	(697)
Repayment of principal portion of lease liability	-	-	(89)	-	(89)
Total changes from financing cash flows	501	(507)	(89)	-	(95)
Effect of changes in foreign exchange rates and transfers	2	(10)	1	-	(7)
Effect of change in functional currency	-	-	-	76	76
Other movements (offset)	537	(537)	-	-	-
New leases	-	-	80	-	80
Interest expense	28	104	15	-	147
Interest paid	(11)	(56)	(11)	-	(78)
Balance as at 31 December 2019	1,869	2,139	526	1,417	5,951

E.22. Off-balance sheet items

E.22.1. Commitments

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Guarantees provided	-	9
Capital expenditure commitments – PPE	34	36
Capital expenditure commitments – intangible assets	9	8
Other	311	264
Total commitments and contingent liabilities	354	317

In 2020 and 2019, the other category represents mostly current bank guarantees issued by local banks in Hungary for Telenor Hungary, requested by the local telecommunication regulator from participants in the spectrum auction. The Group was given a guarantee of EUR 264 million fully covering the spectrum auction entry requirement. The amount was included in the category other in the prior year.

E.22.2. Off-balance sheet assets

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Guarantees accepted	5	10
Loan commitments received	160	210
Total commitments and contingent assets	165	220

E.22.3. Assets pledged as security

The Group has pledged certain assets as collateral for its funding liabilities. As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, the pledged assets, in particular, include receivables from bank accounts,

hedging agreements and all shares of the Parent Company, PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V., PPF Telco B.V., CETIN Group B.V., the Telenor operating and infrastructure entities in Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro, and TMT Hungary B.V. with TMT Hungary Infra B.V. (the Group's effective share).

E.22.4.Litigations

The following legal cases related to the Group are significant from the Group's perspective:

On 28 March 2011, VOLNÝ, a.s. ("VOLNÝ") filed a legal action with the Municipal Court in Prague against O2 CR for an amount exceeding EUR 154 million for an alleged abuse of a dominant position on the market of Internet broadband connection provided to households via ADSL. VOLNÝ filed the legal action to coincide directly with the opening of ÚOHS proceedings, which were closed by a decision in favour of O2 on 23 January 2019. The amount is meant to represent the lost profit for the years 2004 to 2010. VOLNÝ claims to have had 30% share on the dial-up Internet market in 2003 and, in its legal action, it implies that it should have automatically had the same result on the broadband market, which it did not. Allegedly, it was due to the margin squeeze applied by O2 CR on the fix broadband market. O2 CR replied to the petition in July 2011, noting that both the claim and the calculations submitted by the plaintiff were unsubstantiated and pointing out discrepancies in the petition claims. The court started the proceedings in the matter and hearings took place during the year 2013, including the hearings of witnesses and experts.

At the hearing held on 30 March 2016, the court considered the possibility of a revision expert opinion that would review the opinions filed by VOLNÝ and O2 CR. VOLNÝ proposed an expert who turned out to be biased, and thus O2 CR filed a protest. Subsequently, the court appointed another expert and defined a set of questions. The revision expert opinion confirmed O2 CR's statement. The expert opinion stated that no anti-competition practice had been proved against O2 CR. It also pointed out that O2 CR was not in a dominant position on the market of internet broadband connections. After hearing the appointed independent expert, the Municipal Court in Prague dismissed the legal action by VOLNÝ in full. The court concluded that O2 CR had not breached any competition rules and thus could not have caused any damage to VOLNÝ. The decision was delivered in June 2018. The plaintiff filed an appeal and applied for court fee relief. The Municipal Court in Prague and the High Court in Prague granted the plaintiff a 50% court fee relief. The ÚOHS's decision of 23 January 2019 was submitted to the court and confirmed O2 CR's consistent position in the civil dispute and the correctness of the first instance dismissal of the legal action.

In September 2020, the High Court in Prague delivered a confirmatory judgment, which came into legal force on 26 November 2020. The High Court awarded O2 CR the full reimbursement of the costs of the proceedings. Hence, the dispute was successfully closed. Given that VOLNÝ has filed an extraordinary appeal to the Supreme Court, the dispute will continue to be reported on.

The legal action brought by Vodafone Czech Republic a.s. ("Vodafone") claiming EUR 15 million was delivered to O2 CR on 2 April 2015. The legal action is grounded on an alleged breach of competition rules related to the broadband internet services based on xDSL technology between 2009 and 2014. The Municipal Court in Prague dismissed the plaintiff's petition requesting O2 CR to disclose all information and documents supporting the claim filed in the legal action. The court found that the plaintiff had not yet described the essential facts which would at least indicate that the plaintiff would have ever suffered any damage. This was

confirmed also by the decision of ÚOHS dated 23 January 2019 in a separate administrative proceeding. The High Court in Prague confirmed this decision. Vodafone filed an extraordinary appeal to the Supreme Court, which was ultimately rejected.

In November 2020, the proceedings were terminated based on the withdrawal of the legal action by Vodafone and O2 CR received full reimbursement of the costs of the proceedings. The dispute is successfully closed and will not be further reported.

No provision has been created with respect to the legal disputes discussed above. The Group believes that all litigation risks have been faithfully reflected in the consolidated financial statements.

E.22.5. Regulatory investigations

In 2016, the European Commission initiated on its own-initiative proceedings concerning the suspected infringement of Article 101 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (agreements disrupting competition in the internal market). The reason given was the network sharing agreement concluded between T-Mobile and O2 CR in 2013 (as part of the 2015 spin-off, the contract was transferred to CETIN). In the notification, the Commission initially stated that the commencement of the proceedings alone does not mean that it is convinced of any offense. The Group has submitted its opinions and supporting documents to the Commission and cooperates with an international expert institute.

On 7 August 2019, the Commission issued a statement of objections, expressing its intention to issue a decision that the network sharing agreements constitute a breach of Article 101 of the Treaty. If such a decision were taken, there would be a risk for O2 CR and CETIN of a fine pursuant to Article 23 of Regulation (EC) No. 1/2003 and possibly of further measures to put an end to the alleged infringement. However, the Commission in no way indicated the amount of the potential fine, not even approximately. On 8 August 2019, the European Commission informed PPF Group N.V. that it intends to extend the above described investigation also to PPF Group N.V. On 14 February 2020 the Commission delivered to PPF Group N.V. (the Group's ultimate shareholder) a statement of objection. PPF Group N.V. replied to it on 20 April 2020. A formal oral hearing took place in this case from 15 to 17 September 2020. All investigated participants summarised their defence against the concerns of the Commission, including all factual, legal, economic and technical arguments supporting the position of the participants. Follow-up communication is ongoing and the Commission may now (i) amend its comments (in the form of an additional statement of objection or in another similar way), (ii) issue a decision on the breach of competition law, (iii) enter into negotiations on commitments with the Group entities and the other participants and, if agreement can be reached, issue a decision terminating the proceedings without the breach of competition law being confirmed, or (iv) stop the proceedings without a decision.

The Group, including its individual entities involved in the case (i.e. O2 CR and CETIN), is firmly convinced that network sharing has significantly enhanced the availability and quality of mobile signal in the Czech Republic, which is currently among the top European countries in terms of coverage density. Thus, no harm to competition or to consumers has occurred. After the oral hearing, the Group will therefore further continue to communicate with the Commission to convince it the cooperation between the sharing partners is in compliance with the relevant laws, thereby benefiting consumers and network competition in the Czech Republic.

In January 2018, the Hungarian Competition Authority carried out an unannounced inspection at the headquarters of Telenor Hungary in relation to two cases: (i) the investigation of the 800 MHz frequency tender auction, in which Telenor Hungary and Magyar Telekom allegedly committed anti-competitive behaviour during the tender in form of bid rigging and information exchange; and (ii) the 800 MHz network sharing cooperation, under investigation since 2015. As of the date of these financial statements, the proceedings were ongoing and Telenor Hungary was cooperating with the Hungarian Competition Authority to show no breach had occurred.

E.23. Related parties

The Group has related party relationships with PPF Group N.V., PPF TMT Holdco 1 B.V. and PPF TMT Holdco 2 B.V. (as the indirect and direct parent companies) and fellow subsidiaries. Those significant are disclosed below.

E.23.1. Transactions with fellow subsidiaries

During the course of the year, the Group had the following significant transactions at arm's length with fellow subsidiaries (i.e. entities under control of PPF Group N.V.):

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Receivables due from banks	20	12
Trade receivables	4	4
Cash and cash equivalents	574	525
Investment securities	1	2
Right-of-use assets (IFRS 16)	1	1
Other assets	-	6
Negative fair value of hedging derivatives	(13)	(9)
Trade payables	(9)	(3)
Lease liabilities (IFRS 16)	(1)	(1)
Debt securities issued	-	(3)
Deferred tax liabilities	(1)	-

In millions of EUR

	2020	2019
Revenue from telecommunication business	14	13
Cost related telecommunication business	(7)	(3)
Interest income	1	1
Interest expense	(1)	-
Net gain/(loss) on financial assets	1	4
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment – ROU (IFRS 16)	-	(1)
Other operating expenses	(15)	(19)

In 2020 and 2019, the Group issued participation certificates that were fully acquired by its fellow subsidiary. For more details refer to E.9.3.

E.23.2. Transactions with key management personnel

For year ended 31 December 2020, key management personnel were provided with benefits totalling EUR 14 million (2019: EUR 10 million). These benefits consist only of short-term employee benefits including fixed and variable salaries, such as bonuses.

No loans were provided to key management personnel in 2020 and 2019.

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Key management personnel of the Group include the members of the Board of Directors and key management personnel of the Parent and its subsidiaries.

F. Significant accounting policies

F.1. Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently by all Group entities to all periods presented in these consolidated financial statements.

F.1.1. Foreign currency

F.1.1.1. Foreign currency transactions

A foreign currency transaction is a transaction that is denominated in or requires settlement in a currency other than the functional currency. The functional currency is the currency of the primary economic environment in which an entity operates. For initial recognition purposes, a foreign currency transaction is translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate effective at the date of the transaction and announced by the bank authority ("BA") for the respective country in which the entity operates. At the reporting date:

- monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated to the functional currency using the exchange rate at that date (announced by the BA);
- non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value are retranslated using the exchange rates (announced by the BA) prevailing at the date that the fair value was determined;
- non-monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate (announced by the BA) at the date of the original transaction.

Foreign currency differences arising on retranslation are recognised in profit or loss, except for the differences arising on the retranslation of available-for-sale equity investments which are recognised in other comprehensive income (except for impairment in which case foreign currency differences that have been recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss).

The following table summarises the applied foreign exchange rates of the currencies of the most significant businesses:

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
CZK/EUR spot rate	26.24	25.41
CZK/EUR yearly average rate	26.46	25.67
HUF/EUR spot rate	363.89	330.53
HUF/EUR yearly average rate	351.25	325.30
BGN/EUR spot rate	1.96	1.96
BGN/EUR yearly average rate	1.96	1.96
RSD/EUR spot rate	117.59	117.59
RSD/EUR yearly average rate	117.58	117.85

F.1.1.2. Foreign operations

The assets and liabilities of foreign operations, including goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on acquisition, are translated to euros at the exchange rates prevailing at the reporting date and announced by the European Central Bank.

The income and expenses of foreign operations are translated to euros at exchange rates approximating the foreign exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions.

Foreign currency differences are recognised in other comprehensive income and presented in the foreign currency translation reserve (translation reserve) in equity. However, if the foreign operation is a non-wholly owned subsidiary, the relevant proportion of the translation difference is allocated to the non-controlling interests.

When a foreign operation is disposed of with loss of control, significant influence or joint control, the cumulative amount in the translation reserve related to that foreign operation is reclassified to profit or loss as part of the gain or loss on disposal. When the Group disposes of only part of its interest in a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation while retaining control, the relevant proportion of the cumulative amount is reattributed to the non-controlling interests. When the Group disposes of only part of its investment in an associate or joint venture that includes a foreign operation while retaining significant influence or joint control, the relevant proportion of the cumulative amount is reclassified to profit or loss.

F.1.2. Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, short term deposits at banks with original maturity of three months, other short-term highly liquid investments readily convertible to a known amount of cash and subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities section of the statement of financial position. Cash and cash equivalents are carried at amortised cost less expected credit losses (impairment) in the statement of financial position.

F.1.3. Other financial assets

Financial assets are recognised in the statement of financial position when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For regular purchases and sales of financial assets, the Group's policy is to recognise them using settlement date accounting. Any change in the fair value of an asset to be received during the period between the trade date and the settlement date is accounted for in the same way as if the Group used trade date accounting. Financial instruments, with the exception of financial instruments at FVTPL, are measured initially at fair value plus transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial instrument.

A financial asset is derecognised when the Group loses control over the contractual rights that comprise that asset. This occurs when the rights are exercised, or when the rights expire or are surrendered.

The classification of financial assets is generally based on the business model in which a financial asset is managed and its contractual cash flow characteristics.

F.1.3.1. Business model assessment

The Group makes an assessment of the objective of the business model in which a financial asset is held either at a portfolio level, because this best reflects the way the business is managed and information is provided to management or the asset is assessed individually in the specific cases. The information that is considered for the portfolio assets, besides a portfolio cash-flow

characteristics, includes portfolio objectives, management strategies and operations, compensation of the managers, risks affecting the business model and evaluation of the portfolio performance. The same information is considered in specific individual cases.

The Group differentiates between the following basic business models:

- held-to-collect business model
- both held-to-collect and for-sale business model
- other business models (incl. trading, managing assets on a fair value basis, maximizing cash-flows through sale and other models).

F.1.3.2. Assessment whether contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest

In assessing whether contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest, the Group considers the contractual terms of the instrument. This includes assessing whether the financial asset contains a contractual term that could change the timing or amount of contractual cash flows such that it would not meet this condition.

A prepayment feature is consistent with the SPPI criterion if the prepayment amount substantially represents unpaid amounts of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, which may include reasonable compensation for early termination of the contract. In addition, a prepayment feature is treated as consistent with this criterion if a financial asset is acquired or originated at a premium or discount to its contractual par amount, the prepayment amount substantially represents the contractual par amount plus accrued (but unpaid) contractual interest (which may also include reasonable compensation for early termination), and the fair value of the prepayment feature is insignificant on initial recognition.

F.1.3.3. Financial assets at FVTPL

Financial assets that at initial recognition are mandatorily at FVTPL are financial assets held for trading, those that are managed and whose performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, equity securities for which the irrevocable option to measure them at FVOCI was not applied and debt securities that did not meet the SPPI criterion. Non-trading financial assets are financial assets that at initial recognition are designated at FVTPL.

Financial assets held for trading are assets that were acquired or incurred principally for the purpose of generating a profit from short-term fluctuations in their price or the dealer's margin. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if, regardless of the reason they were acquired, they are part of a portfolio for which there is evidence of a recent actual pattern of short-term profit taking.

Financial assets held for trading include investments and certain derivative contracts that are not designated as effective hedging instruments. All trading derivatives in a net receivable position (positive fair value), as well as options purchased, are reported as financial assets at FVTPL. All trading derivatives in a net payable position (negative fair value), as well as options written, are reported as financial liabilities at FVTPL.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets at FVTPL are measured at fair value based on the market prices quoted on an active market, except for derivative instruments that are not exchange-traded and financial assets that are not quoted on an active market, which are measured based on generally accepted valuation techniques depending on the product. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair values of financial assets at FVTPL are recognised in the income statement.

F.1.3.4. Financial assets at AC

Financial assets at AC comprise cash and cash equivalents, receivables due from banks, trade receivables, contract assets and accrued income, and certain investment debt securities.

A financial asset is measured at AC if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL (held-to-collect business model):

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI) on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial recognition, the Group measures these financial assets at AC less expected credit losses (impairment). Interest revenue, determined using the effective interest method, expected credit losses and reversals, and foreign exchange gains and losses related to financial assets at AC are recognised in the income statement.

When the financial assets at AC are derecognised, the gains or losses are recognised in the income statement.

F.1.3.5. Financial assets at FVOCI

Financial assets at FVOCI comprise equity and debt securities. Both, equity and debt securities, are initially measured at fair value plus eligible transaction costs.

For equity securities that are not held for trading the Group, on initial recognition may irrevocably elect to present subsequent changes in fair value in OCI. This choice is made on an investment-by-investment basis.

After initial recognition, the Group measures equity securities at fair value, where any revaluation gain or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income. No expected credit losses (impairment) are recognised for equity securities. Dividends from equity securities at FVOCI are recognised in the income statement.

When equity securities at FVOCI are derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in equity is not reclassified to the income statement under any circumstances but directly reclassified to retained earnings. Transaction costs incurred upon the disposal of equity securities at FVOCI are recognised in the income statement.

A debt security is measured at FVOCI only if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and
- its contractual terms give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial recognition, the Group measures the above debt securities at fair value. Interest revenue determined using the effective interest rate method, expected credit losses (impairment), and foreign exchange gain or loss are recognised in the income statement, whereas any other revaluation gain or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income.

When the debt securities at FVOCI are derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in equity is reclassified to the income statement.

For debt securities that are not held for trading, the Group on initial recognition may irrevocably elect to present subsequent change in fair value in FVTPL if, and only if, such a designation eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency. This choice is made on an investment-by-investment basis.

F.1.3.6. Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted on an active market, other than those classified as at FVTPL or at FVOCI.

Trade receivables (unless those without a significant financing component that are initially measured at the transaction price) are initially measured at fair value plus eligible transaction costs. The Group subsequently measures the trade receivables at AC less expected credit losses (impairment).

Amounts receivable from and payable to other domestic and foreign operators related to transit are netted and settled net on a regular basis.

F.1.4. Derecognition of financial assets and liabilities

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire or when it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows from the financial asset in a transaction in which substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred. Any interest in the transferred financial assets that is created or retained by the Group is recognised separately as an asset or a liability.

The Group derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled, or expire or when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different. In that case, a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value. The difference between the carrying amount of the derecognised financial liability and paid consideration is recognised in profit or loss. Paid consideration includes the transferred non-financial assets, if any, and the assumption of liabilities, including the new modified financial liability.

If the modification of a financial liability is not accounted for as a derecognition, the amortised cost of the liability is recalculated by discounting the modified cash flows at the original effective interest rate, and the resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. For floating-rate financial liabilities, the original effective interest rate used to calculate the modification gain or loss is adjusted to reflect market terms current at the time of the modification. Any incurred costs and fees are recognised as an adjustment of the carrying amount of the liability and amortised over the remaining term of the modified financial liability by re-computing the effective interest rate on the instrument.

F.1.5. Derivatives and hedge accounting

The Group has used the transitional provisions in IFRS 9 and continues to apply IAS 39 for existing hedging relations, as follows:

At the inception of a financial derivative contract, the Group designates the derivative instrument as either held for trading or hedging.

Hedging derivatives are derivatives that the Group uses to hedge against interest rate and foreign exchange rate risks to which it is exposed as a result of its financial market transactions. The Group designates a derivative as hedging only if the criteria set out under IFRS are met at the designation date, i.e. if, and only if, all of the following conditions are met:

- the derivative is in compliance with the Group's risk management objective and strategy in undertaking the hedge;
- at the inception of the hedge, the hedging relationship has been formally designated and documented including the identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item or transaction, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the entity will assess the hedging instrument's effectiveness in offsetting the exposure to changes in the hedged item's fair value or cash flows attributable to the hedged risk;
- the hedge is expected to be highly effective at inception and throughout the period;
- the effectiveness of the hedge can be reliably measured;
- changes in the fair value or cash flows of the hedged item are almost fully offset by changes in the fair value or cash flows of the hedging instrument and the results are within a range of 80% to 125%.

Hedging derivatives are accounted for according to the type of hedging relationship, which can be one of the following:

- a hedge of an exposure to changes in fair value of a recognised asset or liability or an unrecognised firm commitment, or an identified portion of such an asset, liability or firm commitment, that is attributable to a particular risk and that could affect profit or loss (fair value hedge);
- a hedge of an exposure to variability in cash flows that is attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction and that could affect profit or loss (cash flow hedge).

Changes in the fair value of a derivative that is designated and qualified as a cash flow hedge and that proves to be highly effective in relation to the hedged risk are recognised in OCI transferred to the income statement and classified as income or expense in the periods during which the hedged assets and liabilities affect the income statement.

On this basis, the Group hedges the interest rate risk and foreign currency risk associated with individually significant assets or liabilities. The effectiveness of the hedge is regularly tested through prospective and retrospective tests on a quarterly basis. If the hedge no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting, the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised, the entity revokes the designation and the hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively.

F.1.6. Offsetting financial instruments

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

F.1.7. Impairment*F.1.7.1. Non-derivative financial assets*

In accordance with IFRS 9, the Group's entities calculate the loss allowance for financial assets as equal to 12-month expected credit losses or equal to the expected credit losses over the life of the financial assets.

The Group calculates loss allowances for receivables and contract assets at the amount of expected credit losses over the life of the financial asset. For cash and cash equivalents and loans provided, the Group calculates loss allowances equal to the 12-month expected credit losses unless there has been a significant increase in the credit risk since initial recognition.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Group compares the default risk of a financial instrument at the balance sheet date with the risk at the date of initial recognition and considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort and that indicates a significant increase in the credit risk. The assessment is mainly based on the Group's historical experience, available information and market analyses, including actual macroeconomic indicators and future forecasts.

Regardless of these analyses, the Group assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days overdue. In the case of cash and cash equivalents, it includes the situation where Moody's external credit rating falls from the investment grade (Aaa-Baa3 rating) to the speculative (non-investment) grade (Ba1-B3 rating). The Group categorises these assets into the 2nd stage of the IFRS 9 impairment model and calculates a loss allowance equal to expected lifetime credit losses. Credit-impaired financial assets are included in the third stage of the IFRS 9 impairment model. The Group assesses a financial asset as credit-impaired when one or more of the following events occurs: the debtor is facing significant financial difficulty; it is probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; the financial asset is more than 90 days overdue. Loss allowance for assets in the third stage is equal to the expected lifetime credit losses and the interest is calculated from the net value of the asset.

A financial asset is considered to be in default when it is more than 90 days overdue. And in the case of cash and cash equivalents, it includes the situation, where according to Moody's, the external credit rating of the counterparty decreases to risk grade (Caa1-C rating) or below.

Expected credit losses are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the difference between the cash flows due to the Group in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

F.1.7.2. Non-financial assets

At each reporting date, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of its non-financial assets (tangible assets, intangible assets including goodwill) to determine any indication of impairment. If such an indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. Goodwill is tested for impairment annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it might be impaired.

For impairment testing, assets are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continued use that is largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or CGUs. Goodwill arising from a business combination is allocated to the CGUs or groups of CGUs that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination.

The recoverable amount of an asset or CGU is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. Value in use is based on estimated future cash flows, discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or CGU.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount.

Impairment losses are recognised in the income statement. They are first allocated to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the CGU on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. For other assets, an impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

F.1.8. Leases

At inception of a contract, the Group assesses whether the contract is, or contains, a lease based on whether the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

The Group recognizes a right-of-use asset and a lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received.

The assets are depreciated to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the right-of-use asset or the lease term using the straight-line method as this most closely reflects the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits. The lease term includes periods covered by an option to extend if the Group is reasonably certain to exercise that option. In addition, the right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain re-measurements of the lease liability.

The Group presents right-of-use assets that do not meet the definition of investment property in “property, plant and equipment”, the same line item as it presents underlying assets of the same nature that it owns.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Group’s incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Group uses its incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.

The lease liability is subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. It is re-measured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Group’s estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, or if the Group changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option.

When the lease liability is re-measured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

The Group has elected to apply the practical expedient not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for leases of low-value assets. The lease payments associated with these leases is recognized as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Group has decided not to recognize lease and non-lease components separately.

F.1.9. Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value (being the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale). Where the net realisable value is below cost, inventories are written down to the lower value, and the impairment loss is recorded in the income statement. Costs of inventories include the purchase price and related costs of acquisition (transport, customs duties and insurance). The cost of inventory is determined using weighted average cost. Net realisable value is the estimate of the selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the costs of completion and selling expenses.

F.1.10. Assets held for sale

Non-current assets (or disposal groups comprising assets and liabilities) expected to be primarily recovered through sale rather than through continued use are classified as held for sale. Immediately before being classified as held for sale, the assets (or components of a disposal group) are measured in accordance with the applicable IFRS. Thereafter, the assets (or disposal groups) are generally measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less cost to sell. Any impairment loss on a disposal group is allocated to assets and liabilities on a pro rata basis, except that no loss is allocated to inventory, financial assets, deferred tax assets, employee benefit assets and investment property; these continue to be measured in accordance with the Group’s accounting policies. Impairment losses on initial classification as held for sale and subsequent gains or losses on remeasurement are recognised in profit or loss. Gains are not recognised in excess of any cumulative impairment loss.

Once classified as held for sale, intangible assets and property, plant and equipment are no longer amortised or depreciated, and any equity-accounted investee is no longer equity accounted.

F.1.11. Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment is stated at purchase price or production cost, less accumulated depreciation (except for freehold land) and any accumulated impairment losses.

Property, plant and equipment include all costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to working condition for its intended use. With respect to the construction of the network, this comprises every expenditure up to the customer premises, including the cost of contractors, material, direct labour costs and interest cost incurred during the course of construction. The costs also include the estimated costs of dismantling and removing the asset and restoring the site. No borrowing costs are capitalised to assets under construction.

The gain or loss on disposal of an item of property and equipment is determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of the item of property, plant and equipment, and is recognised in other operating income/other operating expenses in profit or loss.

Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis using the following useful lives:

Buildings and constructions	up to 90 years
Ducts and cables	up to 45 years
Telecommunication technology and equipment	up to 35 years
Other tangible assets and equipment	up to 35 years

Component parts of an asset with different useful lives or providing benefits in a different pattern are recognised as separate assets with different depreciation rates.

The depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values, if not insignificant, are reassessed annually. If a material technical improvement is made to an asset during the year, its useful life and residual value are reassessed at the time the technical improvement is recognised.

Leases in terms of which the Group assumes substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as finance leases. Property, plant and equipment acquired by way of a finance lease is stated at an amount equal to the lower of its fair value and the present value of the minimum lease payments at the inception of the lease, less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

F.1.12. Intangible assets*F.1.12.1. Goodwill and gain on bargain purchase*

The Group accounts for all business combinations, as acquisitions, except for business combinations determined to be reorganisations involving group companies under common control.

Goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is allocated to cash-generating units at the date of the acquisition and not amortised but instead tested for impairment, annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it

might be impaired. Gain on bargain purchase (formerly negative goodwill) arising on an acquisition is recognised immediately in the income statement.

In respect of associates, the carrying amount of any goodwill is included in the carrying amount of the investment in the associate.

F.1.12.2. Other intangible assets

Intangible assets of the Group include computer software, licences, valuable rights and customer bases. Computer software mainly represents the external acquisition costs of the Group's information systems that are intended for use within the Group. Generally, costs associated with developing or maintaining computer software programs are recognised as an incurred expense. However, costs that are directly associated with identifiable and unique software products controlled by the Group and that have a probable economic benefit exceeding the cost beyond one year, are recognised as intangible assets. Computer software costs recognised as assets are amortised using the straight-line method over their useful lives, generally from one to nine years. Valuable rights are amortised according to the period for which the Group is allowed to utilise the rights, usually for a period from 1 to 5 years.

Intangible assets of the Group acquired in business combinations are stated at their acquisition costs (which are equal to their fair value at the date of acquisition) less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment charges and amortised on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. Customer bases are amortised over a period of the remaining average terms of the binding contracts or the period over which they are utilisable to generate an economic benefit for the entity, which is between the period from 3 to 14 years.

Acquired licences are recorded at cost and amortised on a straight-line basis from the start of commercial service over the remaining life of the licence (i.e. over 15 to 20 years) to best reflect the pattern in which the economic benefits of the intangible assets will be utilised by the Group.

Intangible assets with an indefinite useful life are not amortised but instead subject to regular impairment reviews

At least at every balance sheet date the Group reviews the useful lives of intangible assets that are not amortised to determine whether events and circumstances continue to support an indefinite useful life assessment for that asset. If not, the change in the useful life assessment from indefinite to finite is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate.

On the balance sheet date, carrying amounts, residual values and the useful lives of assets are reviewed, revised and if necessary, prospectively amended and accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate.

Intangible assets that are no longer in use and from which no future economic benefits are expected or that are disposed of for any other reason are de-recognised from the consolidated statement of financial position together with the corresponding accumulated amortisation (for amortised assets only). All gains or losses arising in this respect are recognised in net operating income, i.e. net gain or loss is determined as the difference between net disposal proceeds, if any, and the carrying amount of the asset.

Intangible assets, with the exception of assets with an indefinite useful life, are amortised using the straight-line method from the time they are available for use. Amortisation ceases

at the earlier of the date the asset is de-recognised, the date the asset is classified as having the indefinite useful life or the date the asset is classified as held for sale.

F.1.13. Income tax

Income tax on the profit or loss for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in the income statement except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity or in other comprehensive income.

F.1.13.1. Current tax

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using the tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

The Group does not offset current tax assets and current tax liabilities unless it has a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts or intends to settle them on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

F.1.13.2. Deferred tax

A deferred tax position is recognised when temporary differences arise between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is not recognised for: the initial recognition of goodwill arising from a business combination, the initial recognition of assets or liabilities that affect neither the accounting nor the taxable profit, and differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that they will probably not reverse in the foreseeable future. The amount of deferred tax provided is based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of assets and liabilities, using the tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the reporting date.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised. Recognised deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

The Group offsets deferred income tax assets and deferred income tax liabilities only if it has a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities relate to income tax levied by the same taxation authority and relate to the same taxable entity.

F.1.13.3. Tax exposure

The Group is subject to income taxes in different jurisdictions. Significant judgment is required in determining the worldwide provision for income taxes. During the ordinary course of business, the ultimate tax determination is uncertain for many transactions and calculations. The Group recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on estimates of whether additional taxes will be due. Where the final tax outcome of these issues is different from the amounts that were initially recorded, such differences will affect the income tax and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such a determination is made.

F.1.14. Bank loans, debt securities issued

Liabilities due to banks and debt securities issued are the Group's sources of debt funding.

Loans and debt securities issued are initially measured at fair value minus incremental direct transaction costs, and subsequently measured at their AC using the effective interest method, except where the Group designates liabilities at FVTPL.

F.1.15. Other liabilities and provisions

Accounts payable arise when the Group has a contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset. Accounts payable are measured at AC, which is normally equal to their nominal or repayment value.

A provision is recognised in the statement of financial position when the Group has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reasonable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If the effect is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability.

F.1.16. Equity

F.1.16.1. Repurchase of share capital – treasury shares

When share capital recognised as equity is repurchased, the amount of the consideration paid, including directly attributable costs, is recognised as a change in equity. Repurchased shares are classified as treasury shares and are presented as a deduction from total equity.

F.1.16.2. Dividends

Dividends on share capital are recognised as a liability provided they are declared before the reporting date. Dividends declared after the reporting date are not recognised as a liability but are disclosed in the notes.

F.1.16.3. Non-controlling interests

Non-controlling interests consist of the minority shareholders' proportion of the subsidiary's recognised net assets at the date of the original combination, plus or minus their share of changes in the subsidiary's equity since that date.

Net profit allocated to non-controlling interests is that part of the net results of the Group attributable to interests which are not owned, either directly or indirectly through subsidiaries, by the equity holders of the Parent Company.

Losses applicable to non-controlling interests, including negative other comprehensive income, are allocated to non-controlling interests even if doing so causes the non-controlling interests to have a deficit balance.

F.1.17. Interest income and interest expense

Interest income and interest expense are recognised in the income statement on an accrual basis, taking into account the effective yield of the asset or liability in question, or the applicable floating rate. Interest income and interest expenses include the amortisation of any discounts or premiums or other differences between the initial carrying amount of an interest-bearing instrument and its amount at maturity calculated using the effective interest rate method.

F.1.18. Commission income and expense

Fee and commission expenses arise on financial services provided to the Group including brokerage services, payment clearing, and asset management services. Fee and commission income and expenses are recognised when the corresponding service is provided or received.

F.1.19. Net gain/loss on financial assets

Net gain/loss on financial assets comprises net trading income, net gains on financial assets at FVTPL that are not held for trading, net realised gains, and dividends.

Net trading income arises from the subsequent measurement of trading assets and trading liabilities at fair value or from their disposal. The amount of trading income to be recorded represents the difference between the latest carrying value and the sale price or between the latest carrying value and the fair value as of the date of the consolidated financial statements.

Net gains on financial assets at FVTPL that are not held for trading arise from their subsequent measurement at fair value or from their disposal.

A realised gain/loss arises on de-recognition of financial assets other than financial assets at FVTPL. The amount of the realised gain/loss represents the difference between the carrying value of the financial asset and the sale price adjusted for any cumulative gain or loss that had been recognised directly in equity.

Dividends from financial assets are recorded in the income statement once declared and approved by the shareholders' meeting of the respective company.

F.1.20. Revenue and expenses

Revenue and expenses are recognised on an accrual basis; i.e. when the flow of goods or services takes place, regardless of when the payment or collection is being made.

The Group generates revenues through the sale of mobile and fixed telecommunication services such as voice and data services, internet services, SMS services, ICT services as well as the sale of mobile and fixed access devices. Products and services may be sold separately or in bundles. The standard length of contracts with customers that includes a bundle is 24 months.

In the case of contracts containing bundles, the Group accounts separately for specific products or services if these products or services can be separated and have added value for the customer in that stand-alone form. The total price invoiced to customers is allocated to respective products and services based on their stand-alone selling prices.

Commissions paid to agents for activation, marketing, and other activities are included in the cost of sales for the period, unless it is the cost that meets the definition of incremental costs to obtain contracts. Capitalised incremental costs to obtain contracts are amortised over the expected average period that the customer uses the service of the Company.

F.1.20.1. Mobile origination - internet and data, voice services, MMS and SMS

Revenues from mobile services include revenues from both contract and prepaid cards for the provision of telecommunication services (internet and data, voice, MMS and SMS services).

Contract service comprises a flat rate and a variable part invoiced according to the actual usage. Revenues are recognised, invoiced, and paid by customers on a monthly basis according to the actual utilisation of services with the exception of contracts containing multiple services and products where the total transaction price is allocated based on the standalone selling prices of respective performance obligations. A typical contract is for 24 months.

Revenues from prepaid cards are recognised when voice or data traffic is made, other services are provided or the card expires and the associated prepaid credit expires. Prepaid cards are paid by customers purchasing a coupon or recharging an already purchased SIM card.

Interconnection revenues arise from calls and SMSs initiated in the networks of other domestic or foreign operators but terminating in or transiting through the Group's network. These revenues are recognised in profit or loss at the time when the call or SMS is received in the Group's network. Interconnection revenues are invoiced and paid on a monthly basis. The Group pays a part of the proceeds from its customers to domestic and foreign operators whose network is used for calls initiated in the Group's network and which use the networks of other domestic or foreign operators. Receivables and payables in respect of other domestic and foreign operators are regularly offset and settled.

Other mobile revenues include, in particular, revenues from virtual operators (MVNOs) for the use of the Group's mobile network services, roaming revenues and insurance revenues. Revenues from virtual operators for usage of the Group's mobile network and related services are recognised on a monthly basis; the price is usually set at a flat monthly rate with a variable component charged according to the actual usage of individual MVNOs. The services are invoiced to and paid by MVNOs on a monthly basis. Roaming revenues are revenues from foreign partner operators for their customers' usage of the Group's mobile network. The services are invoiced and paid on a monthly basis according to the actual usage. As a rule, agreed volume discounts are calculated annually, for which estimates are created by the Group on a monthly basis. Revenues are recognised on a monthly basis. Revenues from insurance include revenues from insurance of mobile devices and travel insurance sold to the Group's customers. The service is invoiced and paid by customers on a monthly basis, which is in line with the recognition of relevant revenues. Customers have the option to terminate this service at any time without penalty.

F.1.20.2. Fixed services – voice, internet, data and television

Revenues from fixed telecommunication services include revenues from internet connectivity, data, TV, and fixed voice services. The services are offered at a flat monthly rate with the option to purchase additional services, or with variable invoicing according to the actual usage. Revenues are recognised, invoiced, and paid by customers monthly. Currently, a typical contract duration is either 12 or 24 months.

Information and communication technology (ICT) services include complex customer solutions and managed services, mainly system integration, outsourcing services, project solutions and software development. Revenue recognition of such services reflects the substance of the service provided. Generally, it relates to services which are invoiced and paid by customers on a monthly basis, for a period of at least of 24 months. Revenue from fixed price construction contracts (long-term contracts) is recognised using the percentage of completion method, measured by reference to the percentage of the actual costs incurred to date to the estimated total costs of the contract. A loss expected from the construction contract is immediately recognised as an expense, when it is probable that total contract costs will exceed total contract revenue.

F.1.20.3. Equipment sales and sale of other goods

Revenues from the sale of equipment and other goods are recognised at the time of the sale, i.e. at the time the goods were handed over to the distributor or the final customer, which usually occurs when the contract is signed. Where equipment is subsidised and sold together with the services as a bundle, revenue from the subsidised equipment is recognised at the point of sale at a value determined using the stand-alone selling prices of services and products within the bundle.

Mobile devices and fixed access equipment can be paid for in full by the customer when bought, or they can be sold on an instalment basis, with contracts signed for periods from 12 to 48 months. The sale of equipment on an instalment basis can contain a significant financing component, which is presented as telecommunications income and recognised as revenue transferred over time

F.1.20.4. Gross and net revenue recognition

Revenues within the network sharing project are recognised at net value, because mutually provided services within the project are of similar nature and value. Net revenues are generated from provision of premium SMS, audiotex or other services.

F.1.20.5. International transit

Revenue from transit represents the service of routing and termination of mostly international voice traffic of international operators utilising points of presence outside of the Czech Republic. The revenue is calculated by valuation of the incoming and outgoing minutes based on the measurement of monthly traffic.

F.1.20.6. Other wholesale revenues

Other wholesale revenues include but are not limited to revenues from the granting of the right to use the optical fibre (dark fibre); revenues are accrued at the time of signing of the contract and recognised as revenue on straight-line basis over the contract term. Revenue from housing represents data centre services; the revenue occurs continuously in accordance with the invoicing.

F.1.21. Employee benefits

The governments of the countries the Group operates in are responsible for providing pensions and retirement benefits to the Group's employees. A regular contribution linked to employee salaries is made by the Group to the governments to fund national pension plans. Payments under these pension schemes are charged as expenses as they fall due.

The Group also has obligations from defined benefit plans representing post-employment benefit plans that are other than defined contribution plans. The Group's net obligation in respect of the defined benefit plans is calculated separately for each plan by estimating the amount of the future benefit that employees earned in the current and prior periods. The resulting amount is discounted to determine its present value. The Group recognises all actuarial gains and losses under the defined benefit plans in other comprehensive income.

The Group recognises employee bonuses related to the given accounting period in accordance with the expectations of achievement of the targets of the Group, which take into consideration key performance indicators such as turnover or free cash flow after adjustments. The Group

recognises a provision where the Group is contractually obliged to grant bonuses or where there is a past practice that has created a constructive obligation.

Employees whose employment was terminated due to statutory reasons are entitled to redundancy and severance payment. The Group recognises a provision for redundancy and severance payments when it is demonstrably committed to terminate the employment of current employees according to a detailed formal plan without an opt-out possibility. Severance payments falling due more than 12 months after the balance sheet date are discounted to their present value. The Group presently has no redundancy and severance obligations falling due more than 12 months after the balance sheet date.

F.1.22. Alternative earnings measures

The Group presents certain alternative earnings measures such as EBITDA and EBIT. As used in these consolidated financial statements, the following terms have the following meaning:

EBITDA refers to income before income taxes and finance income (costs) plus depreciation and amortisation, plus amortisation of costs to obtain or fulfil contracts, plus impairment of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets.

EBIT refers to income before income taxes and finance income and finance costs.

F.2. Changes in accounting policies and accounting pronouncements adopted since 1 January 2020

Amendment to IFRS 16 Leases: COVID-19 – Related Rent Concessions (effective from 1 June 2020)

This amendment simplifies the accounting of lessees for rent concessions in reaction to the impact of COVID-19 pandemic and its potential impact on rent relationships. Rent concessions often meet the definition of a lease modification which might result in complex accounting (revised discount rate, adjustment of right-of-use assets). The IASB introduced a practical expedient for lessees under which they are not required to assess whether eligible rent concessions as a direct consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic are lease modifications. Instead, lessees may account for them under other applicable guidance like variable lease payments and recognise them in profit or loss.

This amendment was used by the Group during 2020 with an immaterial impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

Amendments to IFRS 3 Definition of Business Combinations (effective from 1 January 2020)

The amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations narrowed and clarified the definition of a business. They also permit a simplified assessment of whether an acquired set of activities and assets is a group of assets rather than a business.

These amendments had no impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements, but may impact future periods should the Group enter into any business combinations.

Interest Rate Benchmark Reform amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39 and IFRS 7 (effective from 1 January 2020)

The amendments modify specific hedge accounting requirements, so that entities would apply those hedge accounting requirements assuming that the interest rate benchmark is not altered as a result of the interest rate benchmark reform.

The amendments are applied retrospectively to those hedging relationships that existed at the beginning of the reporting period in which an entity first applies the amendments or were designated thereafter, and to the gain or loss recognised in other comprehensive income that existed at the beginning of the reporting period in which an entity first applies the amendments.

The impact of these amendments on the Group's consolidated financial statements is nil.

Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8: Definition of material (effective from 1 January 2020)

The amendments provide a new definition of material that states, "information is material if omitting, misstating or obscuring it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements providing financial information about a specific reporting entity." The amendments clarify that materiality will depend on the nature or magnitude of information, either individually or in combination with other information, in the context of the financial statements. A misstatement of information is material if it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions made by primary users.

These amendments had no impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements. Any future impact on the Group is also not expected.

Amendments to References to Conceptual Framework (effective from 1 January 2020)

The Conceptual Framework is not a standard, and none of the concepts contained therein override the concepts or requirements in any standard. The purpose of the Conceptual Framework is to assist the IASB in developing standards, to help preparers develop consistent accounting policies where there is no applicable standard in place and to assist all parties to understand and interpret the standards. This will affect those entities which developed their accounting policies based on the Conceptual Framework. The revised Conceptual Framework includes some new concepts, updated definitions and recognition criteria for assets and liabilities and clarifies some important concepts.

These amendments had no impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

F.3. Standards, interpretations and amendments to published standards that are not yet effective but relevant for the Group's consolidated financial statements

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations were not yet effective as of 31 December 2020 and have not been applied in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements. Of these pronouncements, the following will have potentially an impact on the Group's operations. The Group plans to adopt these pronouncements when they become effective.

Interest Rate Benchmark Reform – Phase 2 amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16 (effective from 1 January 2021)

The amendments enable to reflect the effects of transitioning from benchmark interest rates, such as interbank offer rates (IBORs) to alternative benchmark interest rates without giving rise to accounting impacts that would not provide useful information to users of financial statements. The amendments are applied retrospectively and include reinstatement of hedge relationships that were discontinued solely due to changes directly required by the reform.

These amendments have been adopted by the EU in January 2021 and the Group does not expect them to have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements.

Amendments to IAS 16, IAS 37 and Annual Improvements 2018-2020 (effective from January 2022)

These amendments and annual improvements, in general, bring some clarifications in the standards on various guidance and update some references.

These amendments have not yet been adopted by the EU. The Group does not expect them to have any impact on its consolidated financial statements.

Amendments to IFRS 3 – References to the Conceptual Framework (effective from 1 January 2022)

In May 2020, the IASB issued Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations - Reference to the Conceptual Framework. The amendments are intended to replace a reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements, issued in 1989, with a reference to the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting issued in March 2018 without significantly changing its requirements.

The IASB also added an exception to the recognition principle of IFRS 3 to avoid the issue of potential ‘day 2’ gains or losses arising for liabilities and contingent liabilities that would be within the scope of IAS 37 or IFRIC 21 Levies, if incurred separately. At the same time, the IASB decided to clarify the existing guidance in IFRS 3 for contingent assets that would not be affected by replacement of the reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements.

These amendments have not yet been adopted by the EU. They may impact the Group’s consolidated financial statements should the Group enter into any business combinations.

Amendment to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments – Fees in the ‘10 per cent’ test for derecognition of financial liabilities (effective from 1 January 2022)

As part of its 2018-2020 annual improvements to the IFRS standards process the IASB issued amendment to IFRS 9. The amendment clarifies the fees that an entity includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability. These fees include only those paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the borrower or lender on the other’s behalf. An entity applies the amendment to financial liabilities that are modified or exchanged on or after the beginning of the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the amendment.

The amendment has not yet been adopted by the EU and is not expected to have a material impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statement Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (expected effectiveness from 1 January 2023)

These amendments to IAS 1 affect only the presentation of liabilities in the statement of financial position, but not the amount or timing of the recognition of any asset, liability income or expenses, or the information that entities disclose about those items. They clarify that the classification of liabilities as current or non-current should be based on rights that are in existence at the end of the reporting period and align the wording in all affected paragraphs to refer to the "right" to defer settlement by at least twelve months and make explicit that only rights in place "at the end of the reporting period" should affect the classification of a liability.

The amendments further clarify that classification is unaffected by expectations about whether an entity will exercise its right to defer the settlement of a liability; and make clear that the settlement refers to the transfer of cash, equity instruments, other assets or services to the counterparty.

These amendments have not been adopted by the EU. The Group is currently assessing the potential impact on its consolidated financial statements resulting from the application of these amendments.

G. Subsequent events

In January 2021, the Group secured an extension of the entitlement to the frequency use of the 900Mhz and 1800Mhz frequency bands in Hungary (which originally expires in April 2022) for an additional 15 years until April 2037 for EUR 162 million, payable during 2022.

In January 2021, the license for spectrum in 900Mhz and 1800Mhz frequency bands in Bulgaria has been extended for 10 years (until 2031) for EUR 23 million.

No other significant events occurred after the end of the reporting period.

1 March 2021

The Board of Directors:

Jan Cornelis Jansen
Member of the Board of Directors

Lubomír Král
Member of the Board of Directors

Marcel Marinus van Santen
Member of the Board of Directors



PPF Telecom Group B.V.

*Separate financial statements for the year ended
31 December 2020*

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Statement of financial position

In millions of EUR

	Note	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
ASSETS			
Investments in subsidiaries	5	4,031	1,881
Loans receivable	6	-	2,167
Non-current assets		4,031	4,048
Cash and cash equivalents	7	420	408
Current assets		420	408
TOTAL ASSETS		4,451	4,456
LIABILITIES			
Due to banks	9	534	1,565
Debt securities issued	10	2,233	1,039
Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	11	41	63
Non-current liabilities		2,808	2,667
Due to banks	9	-	-
Debt securities issued	10	42	14
Trade and other payables		-	1
Current liabilities		42	15
TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,850	2,682
Issued capital*	12.1	-	-
Share premium	12.2	1,417	1,417
Retained earnings		184	357
Total Equity		1,601	1,774
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		4,451	4,456

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

Statement of comprehensive income

For the year ended 31 December

In millions of EUR

	Note	2020	2019
Dividend income	13	458	632
Interest income		36	51
Total operating income		494	683
Operating expenses	14	2	2
Finance cost	15	84	91
Gains and losses from derivatives revaluation and currency translations	3.1, 11	(12)	40
Impairment loss/(reversal) on receivables	6	(7)	7
Total operating expense		67	140
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		427	543
Income tax expense	17	-	-
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		427	543
Other comprehensive income for the period		-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		427	543

Statement of changes in equity

In millions of EUR

	Issued capital*	Share premium	Retained earnings	Total
Balance at 1 January 2020	-	1,417	357	1,774
Contribution for the year	-	-	-	-
Distributions for the year	-	-	-	-
Dividends paid	-	-	(600)	(600)
Total comprehensive income				
Net profit for the year	-	-	427	427
Revaluation reserve	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31 December 2020	-	1,417	184	1,601

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

In millions of EUR

	Issued capital*	Share premium	Retained earnings	Total
Balance at 1 January 2019	-	1,417	294	1,711
Contribution for the year	-	-	-	-
Distributions for the year	-	-	-	-
Dividends paid	-	-	(480)	(480)
Total comprehensive income				
Net profit for the year	-	-	543	543
Revaluation reserve	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31 December 2019	-	1,417	357	1,774

*Issued capital is EUR 1 thousand.

Statement of cash flows

For the year ended 31 December, prepared using the indirect method

In millions of EUR

	Note	2020	2019
Profit from operations		427	543
Adjustments for:			
Dividend income	13	(458)	(632)
Interest expense (net)		47	41
(Gains)/losses on derivatives revaluation and currency translations (net)	11	(12)	41
Impairment loss (gain) on receivables	6	(7)	7
Net operating cash flows before changes in working capital		(3)	-
Change in other receivables and payables		(4)	(7)
Cash flows used in the operations		(7)	(7)
Increase of investment in subsidiaries	5	(2,244)	(30)
Distribution from investment in subsidiary	5	94	162
Dividend received	13	457	626
Purchase of debt securities at FVTPL	8	-	-
Disposal of debt securities at FVTPL	8	-	126
Loans provided to a subsidiary	6	(480)	(875)
Loan repayment from a subsidiary	6	2,640	1,048
Interest received		49	38
Cash flows from investing activities		516	1,095
Utilisation of loans from banks (net of fees)	9	-	30
Repayment of loans from banks (net of fees)	9	(1,040)	(691)
Interest paid		(36)	(46)
Net payments on settlement of derivatives		(22)	(22)
Proceeds from share premium contribution	12	-	-
Distribution of share premium	12	-	-
Proceeds from the issue of debt securities		1,196	501
Dividends paid	21	(600)	(480)
Cash flows used in financing activities		(502)	(708)
Change in cash and cash equivalents		7	380
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	7	408	28
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		5	-
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	7	420	408

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 General information

PPF Telecom Group B.V. (the “Company”) was incorporated with limited liability under the Dutch law on 16 October 2013. The registered office of the Company is Strawinskylaan 933, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. The main activity of the Company is to act as a holding and financing company.

The Company’s Board of Directors has the following composition:

J.C. Jansen	Director
L. Kral	Director
M.M. van Santen	Director

2 Basis of preparation

2.1 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) as adopted by the European Union and with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code, including International Accounting Standards (“IASs”), promulgated by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (“IFRIC”) of the IASB.

These separate financial statements are the statutory financial statements of PPF Telecom Group B.V. The Company’s consolidated financial statements are available in a separate part of the annual report.

2.2 Basis of measurement

The financial statements are prepared at the historical cost convention and are presented in Euro (“EUR”), and rounded to the nearest million. Assets and liabilities are stated at nominal value, unless stated otherwise.

2.3 Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Euro, which is the Company’s functional currency.

2.4 Use of judgement and estimates

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The estimates and assumptions that have significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are those affecting valuation and possible impairment of subsidiaries, loans receivable from the subsidiaries and derivative assets and liabilities. Refer to Notes 4.1, 5, 6 and 11 for more details.

2.5 Going concern

These financial statements have been prepared on the basis of the going concern assumption.

2.6 Changes in Accounting policies and accounting pronouncements adopted since 1 January 2020

Amendment to IFRS 16 Leases: Covid 19 – Related Rent Concessions (effective from 1 June 2020)

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2.7 Standards, interpretations and amendments to published standards that are not yet effective and are relevant for the Company's financial statements

A number of new Standards, amendments to Standards and Interpretations were not yet effective as of 31 December 2020, and have not yet been applied in preparing these financial statements. Of these pronouncements, potentially the following will have an impact on the Company's operations. The Company plans to adopt these pronouncements when they become effective.

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These amendments have been adopted by the EU in January 2021 and the Company does not expect them to have a significant impact on its financial statements.

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The Board also added an exception to the recognition principle of IFRS 3 to avoid the issue of potential ‘day 2’ gains or losses arising for liabilities and contingent liabilities that would be within the scope of IAS 37 or IFRIC 21 Levies, if incurred separately. At the same time, the Board decided to clarify existing guidance in IFRS 3 for contingent assets that would not be affected by replacing the reference to the Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements.

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The amendment has not yet been adopted by the EU and is not expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statement Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (expected effectiveness from 1 January 2023)

These amendments to IAS 1 affect only the presentation of liabilities in the statement of financial position — not the amount or timing of recognition of any asset, liability income or expenses, or the information that entities disclose about those items. They clarify that the classification of liabilities as current or non-current should be based on rights that are in existence at the end of the reporting period and align the wording in all affected paragraphs to refer to the "right" to defer settlement by at least twelve months and make explicit that only rights in place "at the end of the reporting period" should affect the classification of a liability.

The amendments further clarify that classification is unaffected by expectations about whether an entity will exercise its right to defer settlement of a liability; and make clear that settlement refers to the transfer to the counterparty of cash, equity instruments, other assets or services.

These amendments have not been adopted by the EU and the Company is assessing the potential impact on its financial statements resulting from the application of these amendments.

3 Significant accounting policies

3.1 Foreign currency transactions

A foreign currency transaction is a transaction that is denominated or requires settlement in a currency other than functional currency. The functional currency is the currency of the primary economic environment in which an entity operates. For initial recognition purposes, a foreign currency transaction is translated into the functional currency using the foreign currency exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency at rates of exchange prevailing at the reporting date. Transactions

denominated in foreign currencies are translated at rates prevailing at the time the transaction occurred. Translation differences are recorded in the statement of comprehensive income.

3.2 Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Company. Control exists when the Company has the power, directly or indirectly, to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities. The Company initially recognises its investments in subsidiaries at cost. Subsequently they are measured at cost less impairment losses.

3.3 Financial instruments

a) Recognition and derecognition

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised in the statement of financial position when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For regular purchases and sales of financial assets, the Company's policy is to recognise them at the settlement date.

The Company derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred, or it neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and does not retain control over the transferred asset. Any interest in such derecognised financial assets that is created or retained by the Company is recognised as a separate asset or liability.

The Company derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or expire.

b) Classification and measurement

Financial assets

IFRS 9 contains a classification and measurement approach for financial assets that reflects the business model in which assets are managed and their cash flow characteristics. IFRS 9 includes three principal classification categories for financial assets: measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) and fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

A financial asset is measured at amortised cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI) on the principal amount outstanding.

A financial asset is measured at FVOCI only if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortised cost or FVOCI as described above are measured at FVTPL. In addition, on initial recognition the Company may irrevocably designate a financial asset that otherwise meets the requirements to be measured at amortised cost or at FVOCI as at FVTPL if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch that would otherwise arise.

A financial asset is classified into one of these categories on initial recognition.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are classified as subsequently measured at amortised cost or, when derivative or held for trading, at FVTPL. The Company can also irrevocably, at initial recognition, designate the financial liability at FVTPL meeting certain criteria. When designated at FVTPL, the financial liability's fair value change due to the Company's change in its credit risk is presented in OCI, unless such presentation creates or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. Other changes in fair value are presented in profit or loss.

c) Fair value measurement principals

The fair value of financial instruments is based on their quoted market price at the end of the reporting period without any deduction for transaction costs. If a quoted market price is not available, the fair value of the instrument is estimated using pricing models or discounted cash flow techniques.

Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate is a market related rate at the end of the reporting period for an instrument with similar terms and conditions. Where pricing models are used, inputs are based on market related measures at the end of the reporting period.

d) Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are permitted to be set off and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Income and expenses are presented on a net basis only when permitted by the accounting standards, or for gains and losses arising from a group of similar transactions.

No amounts were offset in periods reported.

3.4 Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, short term deposits at banks with original maturity of three months or less, other short-term highly liquid investments readily convertible to a known amount of cash and subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Cash and cash equivalents are carried at amortised cost less expected credit losses (impairment) in the statement of financial position.

3.5 Other receivables and payables

Other receivables and payables arise when the Company has a contractual obligation to receive or deliver cash or another financial asset. Other receivables and payables are measured at amortised cost, which is normally equal to their nominal or repayment value.

3.6 Equity

Share capital represents the nominal value of shares issued by the Company. Dividends on share capital, share premium reduction and other capital distributions are recognised as a liability provided that they are declared before the end of the reporting period. Dividends, share premium reduction and other capital distributions declared after the end of the reporting period are not recognised as a liability but are disclosed in the notes.

3.7 Income tax

Income tax on the profit or loss for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity, in which case it is recognized in equity.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the end of the reporting period, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is provided for temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. The amount of deferred tax provided is based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the end of the reporting period. A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the temporary differences, unused tax losses and credits can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

3.8 Income and expense recognition

Interest income and interest expense are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on an accrual basis, taking into account the effective yield of the asset or liability, or the applicable floating rate. Interest income and interest expense include the amortisation of any discounts or premiums of other differences between the initial carrying amount of an

interest bearing instrument and its amount at maturity calculated using the effective interest rate method.

Dividend income is recognised in profit or loss on the date that the dividend is declared.

Other income and expense items are recognised in profit or loss when the corresponding service is provided.

3.9 Operating expenses

Operating expenses are accounted for in the period in which these are incurred. Losses are accounted for in the year in which they are identified.

3.10 Impairment

Non-derivative financial assets

In accordance with IFRS 9, the Company calculates the loss allowance for financial assets as equal to 12-month expected credit losses or equal to the expected credit losses over the life of the financial assets.

The Company calculates loss allowances for receivables at the amount of expected credit losses over the life of the financial asset. For cash and cash equivalents and loan receivables, the Company calculates loss allowances equal to the 12-month expected credit losses unless there has been a significant increase in the credit risk since initial recognition.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Company compares the default risk of a financial instrument at the balance sheet date with the risk at the date of initial recognition and considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort and that indicates a significant increase in the credit risk. The assessment is mainly based on the Company's historical experience, available information and market analyses, including actual macroeconomic indicators and future forecasts.

Regardless of these analyses, the Company assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days overdue. In the case of cash and cash equivalents, it includes the situation where Moody's external credit rating falls from the investment grade (Aaa-Baa3 rating) to the speculative (non-investment) grade (Ba1-B3 rating). The Company categorises these assets into the 2nd stage of the IFRS 9 impairment model and calculates a loss allowance equal to expected lifetime credit losses. Credit-impaired financial assets are included in the third stage of the IFRS 9 impairment model. The Company assesses a financial asset as credit-impaired when one or more of the following events occurs: the debtor is facing significant financial difficulty; it is probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; the financial asset is more than 90 days overdue. Loss allowance for assets in the third stage is equal to the expected lifetime credit losses and the interest is calculated from the net value of the asset. A financial asset is considered to be in default when it is more than 90 days overdue. And in the case of cash and cash equivalents, it includes the situation, where according to Moody's, the external credit rating of the counterparty decreases to risk grade (Caa1-C rating) or below.

Expected credit losses are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the difference between the cash flows due to the Group in accordance with the

contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

Non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, the assets recoverable amount is estimated.

The recoverable amount of the Company's investment in subsidiaries and other assets is greater of their value less the cost to sell and their value in use. In assessing the value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

An impairment loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income if the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount.

An impairment loss is reversed through the statement of comprehensive income if there has been an increase in the recoverable amount and increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the date of the impairment. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the assets carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount of the asset that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

4 Risk management

Management of the risk arising from participating in subsidiaries and risk arising from financial instruments is fundamental to the Company's business and is an essential element of the Company's operations. The major risks related to participating in foreign subsidiaries and associates is the risk of impairment due to adverse economic conditions, movements in foreign exchange rates and liquidity risks given the strong growth in the Central and Eastern European market. These risks are managed by the Company monitoring the development of financial markets, using robust investment decision process and proper liquidity management. Financial instrument risks faced by the Company are those related to credit exposures, movements in interest rates and foreign exchange rates. The Board of Directors has the overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework. The risks are managed in the following manner:

4.1 Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss occurring as a result of default by a borrower or counterparty on their obligation. The majority of the Company's exposure to credit risk arises in connection the provision of loans to related parties. The remaining part of the Company's exposures to credit risk is related to investments in debt securities, deposits with banks and certain other assets. Loans provided by the Company to related parties are unsecured. The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure.

The Company limits its exposure to credit risk by providing loans only to related parties, investing in debt securities issued by central banks and placing funds with reputable financial institutions.

The Company recognized an expected probability-weighted estimate of credit losses relating to loans receivable from a subsidiary maturing in 2023, 2024, 2025 and 2026. The relating loss allowance amounted to EUR 6,572 thousand in 2019. The related loans were repaid in 2020 and the loss allowance was released in 2020.

4.2 Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is measured by the extent to which changes in market interest rates impact on margins and net interest income. The Company's objective in managing its exposure to interest rate fluctuations is to minimise reported earnings and cash flow volatility associated with interest rate changes.

A summary of the Company's interest rate gap position, analysed by the earlier of contractual re-pricing or maturity date, is as follows.

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	0.00%	420	-	-	-	-	420
Loans receivable		-	-	-	-	-	-
Total interest-bearing financial assets		420	-	-	-	-	420
Due to banks	1.51%	534	-	-	-	-	534
Debt securities issued	3.14%	25	17	-	1,195	1,038	2,275
Total interest-bearing financial liabilities		559	17	-	1,195	1,038	2,809
Effect of interest rate derivatives		540	-	267	(577)	-	230
Net position 2020		401	(17)	267	(1,772)	(1,038)	(2,159)

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In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	Effective interest rate	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	0.00%	408	-	-	-	-	408
Loans receivable	2.02%	1,281	-	-	-	885	2,166
Total interest-bearing financial assets		1,689	-	-	-	885	2,574
Due to banks	2.16%	1,565	-	-	-	-	1,565
Debt securities issued	2.84%	15	-	-	-	1,039	1,054
Total interest-bearing financial liabilities		1,580	-	-	-	1,039	2,619
Effect of interest rate derivatives		1,456	-	-	(1,408)	-	48
Net position 2019		1,565	-	-	(1,408)	(154)	3

4.3 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk represents the risk of being unable to fund assets using instruments with appropriate maturities and rates, the risk of being unable to liquidate an asset sufficiently quickly and in the appropriate amount and the risk of being unable to meet obligation as they become due. The Company continually assesses its liquidity risk with the Group treasury by identifying and monitoring changes in the funding required to meet the business goals.

A summary of the Company's liquidity gap position, analysed by the maturity date, is as follows.

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	420	-	-	-	-	420
Total financial assets	420	-	-	-	-	420
Due to banks	-	-	-	534	-	534
Debt securities issued	25	17	-	1,195	1,038	2,275
Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	41	-	41
Trade and other payables	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total financial liabilities	25	17	-	1,770	1,038	2,850
Net position	395	(17)	-	(1,770)	(1,038)	(2,430)

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	Less than 3 months	Between 3 months and 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	More than 5 years	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	408	-	-	-	-	408
Loans receivable	-	-	-	1,281	885	2,166
Total financial assets	408	-	-	1,281	885	2,574
Due to banks	-	-	-	1,565	-	1,565
Debt securities issued	15	-	-	-	1,039	1,054
Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	63	-	63
Trade and other payables	1	-	-	-	-	1
Total financial liabilities	16	-	-	1,628	1,039	2,683
Net position	392	-	-	(347)	(154)	(109)

4.4 Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk arises when the actual or forecasted assets in foreign currency are either greater or less than the liabilities in that currency. The Company's strategy is to keep its foreign currency position closed, as practically as possible.

A summary of the Company's currency gap position, analysed by currencies, is as follows.

In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2020

	EUR	CZK	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	233	187	420
Loans receivable	-	-	-
Total financial assets	233	187	420
Due to banks	367	167	534
Debt securities issued	2,275	-	2,275
Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	41	-	41
Trade and other payables	-	-	-
Total financial liabilities	2,683	167	2,850
Net position	(2,450)	20	(2,430)

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In millions of EUR, as at 31 December 2019

	EUR	CZK	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	404	4	408
Loans receivable	2,166	-	2,166
Total financial assets	2,570	4	2,574
Due to banks	1,349	216	1,565
Debt securities issued	1,053	-	1,053
Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	63	-	63
Trade and other payables	1	-	1
Total financial liabilities	2,466	216	2,682
Net position	104	(212)	(108)

4.5 Capital management

For the purpose of the Company's capital management, capital includes issued share capital, share premium and all other equity reserves. The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to maximise the shareholder value while maintaining investor, creditor and market confidence and being able to sustain the future development of the business.

To achieve this overall objective, the Company's capital management, amongst other things, aims to ensure that it meets financial covenants attached to the interest-bearing loans and borrowings. Please refer to Note C.5. in the Company's consolidated financial statements for details of the financial covenants.

Breaches in meeting the financial covenants would permit lenders to call loans and borrowings, subject to Company not being able to remedy the breach. There have been no breaches of the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowings in the current period.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares.

The Company is not subject to any externally imposed regulatory capital requirements. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes for managing capital during the years ended 31 December 2020 and 2019.

4.6 Fair values of financial instruments

The Company has performed an assessment of fair values of its financial instruments. Fair values have been estimated either by reference to the market value at the end of the reporting period date or by discounting the relevant cash flows using current interest rates for similar instruments.

The fair values of the following financial instruments differ from their carrying amounts shown in the statement of financial position, either in 2020 or 2019:

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In millions of EUR

	2020 Carrying amount	2020 Fair value	2019 Carrying amount	2019 Fair value
Debt securities issued (Level 2)	2,275	2,408	1,053	1,053

The Company's fair-value estimates for its other financial assets and liabilities are not materially different from their carrying values.

All of the Company's financial assets and liabilities are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy and no transfers from Level 2 to other levels occurred in 2020 or 2019.

5 Investments in subsidiaries

In millions of EUR

	Share	31 December 2020	Share	31 December 2019
PPF Telco B.V.	100%	1,084	100%	1,115
CETIN Group B.V. (formerly PPF Infrastructure B.V.)	100%	1,461	100%	488
PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V.	100%	1,486	100%	278
Total		4,031		1,881

In 2020, PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V. spun-off its telecommunication infrastructure investments into a separate legal entity that in turn merged with CETIN Group B.V. The related net assets of the spun-off business amounted to EUR 972 million.

There were no reasons for an impairment of investments in 2020 (2019: none).

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Balance as at 1 January	1,881	2,014
Share capital contribution at incorporation	-	-
Share premium contribution	2,244	30
Share premium distribution	(94)	(163)
Balance as at 31 December	4,031	1,881

6 Loans receivable

In July 2018 the Company (as lender) and its subsidiary PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V. (as borrower) entered into an Intra-Group Loan Framework Agreement under which PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V. utilised unsecured term loans amounting to EUR 2,333 million in aggregate. The loan proceeds were used to finance the acquisition of Telenor Group's telecommunications assets in the Central and Eastern Europe. These loans were denominated in EUR, bore floating interest rate and were repayable in 2023 and 2024.

In 2019 these loans were partially repaid using proceeds from share premium distribution by the borrower (refer to Note 5) and partially refinanced by new unsecured term loans amounting to EUR 875 million. The new loans were denominated in EUR, bore fixed interest rate and were repayable in 2025 and 2026, respectively.

The aggregate gross balance of the intra-group loans receivables amounted to EUR 2,173 million as at 31 December 2019. In 2019, the Company recognized an expected probability-weighted estimate of credit losses relating to the intra-group loans receivables. The relating impairment loss amounted to EUR 7 million as at 31 December 2019.

In September 2020 these loans receivable were repaid in full and the related impairment allowance of EUR 7 million was released.

7 Cash and cash equivalents

In millions of EUR

		31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Current accounts – Group	CZK	187	4
Current accounts – Group	EUR	233	401
Current accounts – Non-group	EUR	-	3
Total cash and cash equivalents		420	408

All current accounts are payable on demand. Cash and cash equivalents are freely distributable.

8 Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss

In 2018, the Company invested in treasury bills issued by the Czech National Bank in order to optimise its liquidity position. The fair value of the investment amounted to EUR 126,157 thousand on 31 December 2018. The investment was fully disposed in early 2019.

9 Due to banks

In March 2018, the Company entered into a Facilities Agreement with a syndicate of banks. In July 2018, under this agreement the Company utilised secured term loan facilities amounting to EUR 2,396 million and CZK 10,172 million. In March 2019, the secured term loan facilities were restructured and partially refinanced by a senior secured Eurobond issued by the Company in the total amount of EUR 550 million (refer to Note 10). The secured term loans were further refinanced in November 2019 by new senior secured Eurobonds issued by the Company in the total amount of EUR 500 million (refer to Note 10). In addition to the refinancing, the secured term loan facilities were also partially repaid subject to the terms of the Facilities Agreement.

As at 31 December 2020, the outstanding amounts of the secured term loan facilities were EUR 374 million (2019: EUR 1,349 million) and CZK 4,386 million (2019: CZK 6,139 million). The actual amount of outstanding secured loan liabilities stated in the statement of financial position is lower by unamortised facility and legal fees directly attributable to the origination of the loan facilities. These fees were capitalised and are amortised to finance costs using the effective interest rate method.

As at 31 December 2020 and 31 December 2019, a committed revolving facility of EUR 200 million has not been utilised.

The Company and its affiliates have pledged certain assets as collateral for the Company's funding liabilities. As at 31 December 2020, the pledged assets include, in particular, receivables from bank accounts, hedging agreements and all shares of the Company, PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V., PPF Telco B.V., CETIN Group B.V., the Telenor operating and infrastructure entities in Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro, and TMT Hungary B.V. with TMT Hungary Infra B.V. (the Company's effective share).

As at 31 December 2020 and 31 December 2019, the Company complied with the financial covenants imposed by its loan facilities.

The EUR-denominated loan is following:

Repayable by	2024
Margin rate over 3M EURIBOR	1.25% - 3.00%
Actual respective margin levels applicable	1.25%

The CZK-denominated loan is following:

Repayable by	2024
Margin rate over 3M PRIBOR	1.00% - 2.50%
Actual respective margin levels applicable	1.00%

10 Debt securities issued

In March 2019, the Company established EUR 3,000 million Euro Medium Term Note Programme. At the same moment, the Company obtained corporate credit ratings Ba1 by Moody's, BB+ by Standard & Poor's and BBB- by Fitch Ratings.

The actual amount of outstanding debt securities liabilities stated in the statement of financial position is lower by unamortised transaction fees directly attributable to the origination of the securities. These fees were capitalised and are amortised to finance costs using the effective interest rate method.

Nominal values of issued bonds are:

In millions of EUR

Bond ID	Maturity	Interest	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
XS1969645255	27-03-26	3,125%	550	550
XS2078976805	31-01-25	2,125%	600	500
XS2176872849	20-05-24	3,500%	600	-
XS2238777374	29-09-27	3,250%	500	-
Total			2,250	1,050

Accrued interests of issued bonds are:

In millions of EUR

Bond ID	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
XS1969645255	13	13
XS2078976805	12	1
XS2176872849	13	-
XS2238777374	4	-
Total	42	14

11 Derivative liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

The Company hedges cash flows arising from its long-term bank loan payables denominated in EUR and CZK. The bank loan payables carry floating interest rates and the hedge is designed to prevent the variability of interest payments due to market factors. Besides, the Company hedges its foreign currency risk exposure at the group level resulting from expected dividend inflows denominated in HUF. The hedging instruments used are a combination of several interest rate swaps denominated in EUR and CZK as well as several EUR/HUF cross currency swaps and foreign exchange swap contracts. Cash flows from the hedging instruments are scheduled in regular intervals from January 2020 to July 2024 to match with the contractual interest payments and expected dividend receipts.

The Company did not adopt hedge accounting option in its company financial statements.

12 Equity

12.1 Share capital

In millions of EUR

	31 December 2020	31 December 2019
Authorised capital	1,000	1,000
Issued and fully paid up	1,000	1,000
Nominal value	1	1

The Company's share capital is registered and issued in Euro. All shares rank equally with regards to the Company's residual assets. The holder of ordinary shares is entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and is entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company.

12.2 Share premium

Share premium is the amount by which the amount received by the Company in excess of par value of its shares. Share premium is freely distributable.

In 2020, the share premium was increased by nil (2019: nil) and reduced by nil (2019: nil).

As at 31 December 2020 the share premium amounts to EUR 1,417 million (2019: EUR 1,417 million).

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12.3 Reconciliation of the Company's equity to its consolidated equity

The difference between the Company's equity and its consolidated equity results from the fact that the Company presents its investments in subsidiaries at cost. In consolidated financial statements the subsidiaries are consolidated and their cumulative result is added to the consolidated equity. The Company's net result for 2020 is higher than the consolidated result by EUR 81 million as disclosed below (2019: higher by EUR 238 million). The reconciliation of equity as per these separate financial statements and consolidated financial statements is shown below.

In millions of EUR

	Share capital	Share premium	Revaluation reserve	Legal and statutory reserves	Translation reserve	Hedging reserve	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Attributable to equity holders of parent
Individual balance as at 31 December 2020 in EUR million	-	1,417	-	-	-	-	-	184	1,601
Adjustment for:									
Dividend income								(458)	(458)
Net result of subsidiaries in 2020								377	377
Reserves related to subsidiaries	-	-	-	6	(125)	3	-	(56)	(172)
Consolidated balance as at 31 December 2020	-	1,417	-	6	(125)	3	-	47	1,348

In millions of EUR

	Share capital	Share premium	Revaluation reserve	Legal and statutory reserves	Translation reserve	Hedging reserve	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Attributable to equity holders of parent
Individual balance as at 31 December 2019 in EUR million	-	1,417	-	-	-	-	-	356	1,773
Adjustment for:									
Dividend income								(632)	(632)
Net result of subsidiaries in 2019								394	394
Reserves related to subsidiaries	-	-	-	6	(9)	17	-	167	181
Consolidated balance as at 31 December 2019	-	1,417	-	6	(9)	17	-	285	1,716

13 Dividend income

The composition of the Company's dividend income was as follows:

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
PPF Telco B.V.	129	136
CETIN Group B.V. (formerly PPF Infrastructure B.V.)	93	89
PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V.	236	407
Total dividend income	458	632

14 Operating expenses

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Professional expenses	1	-
Financial expenses	1	2
Total operating expenses	2	2

Professional expenses represented namely professional, legal and accounting services provided to the Company.

15 Finance costs

In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Interest expense on due to banks	16	45
Interest expense on debt securities issued	47	15
Amortised origination fees	21	31
Total finance costs	84	91

16 Audit fee

The Company incurred expenses for the following fees provided by KPMG Accountants N.V., as referred to in Section 2:382a(1) and (2) of the Dutch Civil Code:

In thousands of EUR, for the year ended 31 December

	2020	2019
Audit of the financial statements	549	692
Other audit engagements	-	-
Tax-related advisory services	-	-
Other non-audit services	337	333
Total audit fee	886	1,025

17 Income tax*In millions of EUR, for the year ended 31 December*

	2020	2019
Profit before tax	427	543
Non-taxable dividend	(458)	(632)
Non-deductible costs (other)	61	67
Non-taxable income	(29)	-
Other	(1)	-
Profit / (Loss) taxable	0	(22)
16,5% up to TEUR 200 – (2020)	-	-
19% up to TEUR 200 – (2019)	-	-
25% over amounts above TEUR 200	-	-
Income tax expense	-	-

Deferred tax, in total amount of EUR 6 million (2019: EUR 6 million) arising from unutilised tax losses is not recognised as its future utilisation is uncertain.

The Company is the head of a fiscal unity with PPF TMT Bidco 1 B.V. effective from 1 January 2019. Consequently, effective from 1 January 2019 the corporate income tax of the fiscal unity is calculated on a consolidated basis.

18 Employees and directors

During the reporting period the Company did not employ any personnel. The Company had 3 directors as at 31 December 2020 (31 December 2019: 3 directors). During 2020 and 2019 directors of the Company were not entitled to any remuneration.

19 Related parties

The Company has a related party relationship with its parent, subsidiaries and associates. All transactions with related parties are disclosed in the individual disclosures above. Furthermore, the Management Board, plus the close family members of such personnel and other parties, which are controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such individuals and entities in which the individuals hold significant voting power are also considered related parties. The Company did not conclude any transaction with these related parties in 2020 and 2019.

20 Events after the reporting period

There have not been significant events after the reporting period.

21 Profit appropriation for 2020

In 2020, the Company distributed dividend to its shareholder in total amount of EUR 600 million from the 2019 result (2019: EUR 480 million).

22 Confirmation

The Company's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020 give a true and fair view of the Company's financial condition and operations as at and for the year ended 31 December 2020.

Date: 1 March 2021	Signature of the Board of Directors:

Other information

Profit appropriation

The allocation of profits accrued in a financial year shall be determined by the General Meeting of Shareholders. Distribution of profits shall be made after adoption of the annual accounts if permissible under the law given the contents of the annual accounts. The General Meeting of Shareholders may resolve at the proposal of the management board to make interim distributions and/or to make distributions at the expense of any reserve of the Company. Distributions may be made only up to an amount which does not exceed the amount of the distributable equity.

Offices

The company has operating offices in the Netherlands and the Czech Republic. For further details please refer to Note 1 of the financial statements.

Auditor's report

The auditor's report on the company financial statements is set out at the end of the annual report.



Independent auditor's report

To: the General Meeting of Shareholders and the Board of Directors of PPF Telecom Group B.V.

Report on the audit of the financial statements 2020 included in the annual accounts

Our opinion

In our opinion the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of PPF Telecom Group B.V. as at 31 December 2020 and of its result and its cash flows for the year then ended, in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union (EU-IFRS) and with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

What we have audited

We have audited the financial statements 2020 of PPF Telecom Group B.V. (the 'Company' or the 'Group') based in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

The financial statements comprise:

- 1 the consolidated and company statement of financial position as at 31 December 2020;
- 2 the following consolidated and company statements for 2020: the income statement and other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows; and
- 3 the notes comprising a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Basis for our opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Dutch law, including the Dutch Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the 'Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements' section of our report.

We are independent of PPF Telecom Group B.V. in accordance with the 'Verordening inzake de onafhankelijkheid van accountants bij assurance-opdrachten' (ViO, Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, a regulation with respect to independence) and other relevant independence regulations in the Netherlands. Furthermore, we have complied with the 'Verordening gedrags- en beroepsregels accountants' (VGBA, Dutch Code of Ethics).

We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Audit approach

Summary

Materiality

Consolidated financial statements

- Group materiality of EUR 27 million
- Based on total revenue (0.9%)

Company financial statements

- Materiality of EUR 22 million
- Based on total assets (0.5%)

Group audit

- 98% of total assets
- 98% of revenue
- 98% of profit before tax

Key audit matters

- Inaccurate valuation of goodwill
- Litigations and regulatory investigations
- Useful life of network assets

Opinion

Unqualified

Materiality

Based on our professional judgement we determined the materiality for the consolidated financial statements as a whole at EUR 27 million (2019: EUR 27 million) and for the company financial statements as a whole at EUR 22 million (2019: EUR 22 million).

The materiality for the consolidated financial statements is determined with reference to revenue (0.9%). We consider revenue as the most appropriate benchmark based on the nature of the business, the level of activities and focus of the users of the consolidated financial statements on revenue for the purpose of evaluating the Group's financial performance in the telecom sector.

The materiality for the company financial statements is determined with reference to total assets (0.5%). We consider total assets as the most appropriate benchmark based on the nature of the business of the Company as holding company without operational activities.

We have also taken into account misstatements and/or possible misstatements that in our opinion are material for the users of the consolidated and company financial statements for qualitative reasons.

We agreed with the Board of Directors that unadjusted misstatements in excess of EUR 1.35 million and EUR 1.1 million which are identified during the audit of the consolidated and company financial statements respectively, would be reported to them, as well as smaller misstatements that in our view must be reported on qualitative grounds.



Scope of the group audit

PPF Telecom Group B.V. is at the head of a group of components. The financial information of this group is included in the consolidated financial statements of PPF Telecom Group B.V.. The Group is structured along 9 segments: CETIN Czech Republic, O2 Czech Republic, O2 Slovak Republic, Telenor Hungary, CETIN Hungary, Telenor Bulgaria, CETIN Bulgaria, Telenor Serbia & Telenor Montenegro and CETIN Serbia.

Our group audit mainly focused on significant components. These significant components are either individually financially significant due to their relative size within the Group or because we assigned a significant risk of material misstatement to one or more account balances of the component. In addition, we included certain components in the scope of our group audit in order to arrive at a sufficient coverage over all relevant significant account balances.

This resulted in a full scope audit for 9 components with a total coverage of 98% of revenue, 98% of total assets and 98% of profit before tax. For the remaining population procedures were performed at the group level including analytical procedures in order to corroborate our assessment that the risk in the remaining population is remote. This coverage is in line with our 2019 audit.

We sent audit instructions to all component auditors, covering significant areas including the relevant risks of material misstatement and set out the information required to be reported to the group audit team. All components in scope for group reporting purposes are audited by KPMG member firms, except for Telenor d.o.o. Beograd (Serbia) and CETIN d.o.o. Beograd (Serbia) which are audited by EY.

The group audit team has set component materiality levels ranging from EUR 6.7 million to EUR 20.3 million, based on the mix of size and risk profile of the components within the Group. The consolidation of the Group, the disclosures in the financial statements and certain accounting topics that are dealt with at group level are audited by the group audit team. The accounting matters on which audit procedures are performed by the group audit team include, but are not limited to, the assessment of the use of the going concern assumption, goodwill impairment testing, equity, certain elements of the risk and capital management disclosures and certain legal proceedings.

In view of restrictions on the movement of people across borders, and also within significantly affected countries, we considered changes to the planned audit approach to evaluate the component auditors' communications and the adequacy of their work. Due to the aforementioned restrictions, it was not possible to arrange in-person meetings with all component auditors in the current environment. As a result, we have increased the use of alternative methods of communication with them, including through written instructions, exchange of emails, remote audit file reviews of all components and we held multiple conference calls and virtual meetings with the component auditors. During these calls and virtual meetings we discussed in more detail the planning and the risk assessment phase and the procedures performed including the findings and observations. Based on these calls and meetings we as group auditor assessed the sufficiency of the audit procedures performed by the component auditors.

By performing the procedures mentioned above at group components, together with additional procedures at group level, we have been able to obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence about the group's financial information to provide an opinion about the financial statements.

The audit coverage as stated in the section summary can be further specified as follows:

Total assets

98%

Full scope audit

Revenue

98%

Full scope audit

Profit before tax

98%

Full scope audit

Our key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements. We have communicated the key audit matters to the Board of Directors. The key audit matters are not a comprehensive reflection of all matters discussed.

These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Inaccurate valuation of goodwill

Description

As at 31 December 2020, the goodwill in the Group amounts to EUR 1,549 million. This goodwill is allocated to a number of Cash Generating Units (CGUs) for which management is required to test the carrying value of goodwill for impairment annually or more frequently if there is a triggering event for testing. The valuation of goodwill was significant to our audit as there is a high estimation uncertainty regarding the recoverability of goodwill.

No impairment of goodwill was recognised during 2020.

Our response

With involvement of our valuation specialist, our procedures to assess the valuation of goodwill included, amongst others:

- Obtain an understanding of the management's annual impairment test, including evaluation of relevant internal controls designed by management to estimate the free cash flows and discount rates applied.
- Obtain management's cash flow forecasts and document and assess the key assumptions used by management.
- Inquire of key senior management to corroborate the assumptions applied in the forecasts, and document the minutes of the inquiry meetings.
- Based on our risk assessment and consideration of sensitivities and headrooms, we have performed our procedures on the recoverability of goodwill of CGU Telenor Montenegro with a higher level of detail.
- Perform a retrospective review of the current year actual results as compared to the prior year forecasts in accordance with ISA 540 guidance.
- Assessment of the appropriateness of the methodology and mathematical accuracy of the calculations in the model.

- Assessment of management's goodwill impairment analysis with a focus on the appropriateness of the management's identification of the Group's CGUs and the assumptions to which the outcome of the impairment test is most sensitive, such as the WACCs and terminal growth rates used based on historical data and analysis of sensitivities.
- Assessment of the adequacy of the related disclosure in relation to the requirements of IAS 36.

Our observation

Based on our procedures relating to the valuation of goodwill we consider management's key assumptions and estimates to be within a reasonable range. We determined that the related disclosures (note E.8.1) meet the requirements of EU-IFRS.

Litigations and regulatory investigations

Description

As disclosed in note E.22.4 and E.22.5, the Group is a party to several lawsuits and regulatory proceedings. Management concluded under IAS 37 that it is not probable that a present obligation per 31 December 2020 exists and therefore an outflow of resources is not probable. Due to the complexity and judgement involved in assessing if there is an obligation, predicting the outcome and estimating the potential amounts of any fines, penalties and/or other settlements that could be material to the financial statements, we considered this to be a key audit matter.

Our response

Our audit procedures included, amongst others:

- Inquiry with the board of directors and director for corporate law, litigations and compliance on impending and existing lawsuits and regulatory proceedings, including an inspection of the relating documentation supporting the provided explanations (e.g. internal summary of lawsuits of the Group, minutes from the meetings of the board of directors and the supervisory board, protocols and other relevant correspondence related to ongoing proceedings);
- Critical assessment of the adequacy of the estimates of the probable impact made on the Group in respect of significant lawsuits and regulatory proceedings, supported by inquiries with external legal representatives of the Group through confirmation letters and in selected cases also by using our internal specialists in the field of law and regulatory matters;
- Evaluation of the adequacy of the Group's disclosure regarding contingent liabilities for litigations and regulatory investigations as included in note E.22.4 and E.22.5.

Our observation

We consider management's assessment of the litigations and regulatory investigations to be reasonable and determined that the disclosures meet the requirements of IAS 37.

Useful life of network assets

Description

As at 31 December 2020, the network assets in the Group amount to EUR 1,932 million. The valuation of network assets was significant to our audit as there is an estimation uncertainty regarding the useful life of network assets. Based on our risk assessment where we considered triggering events on component level, the key audit matter is focussed on the useful life of CETIN a.s.

The Group adjusted the useful life of certain network assets of CETIN a.s. in anticipation of the introduction of 5G.

Our response

Our procedures to assess the useful life of network assets included, amongst others:

- Obtain an understanding of the Company's controls, including evaluation of relevant internal controls designed by management relating to the estimate of the useful life of fixed assets.
- Test the operating effectiveness of controls.
- Perform trigger assessment analysis on the useful life of assets.
- Verify the completeness of the fixed assets of which the useful life is impacted by the new 5G single run solution.
- Assessed the adjusted useful life of certain network assets of CETIN a.s.

Our observation

Based on our procedures relating to the useful life of network assets we consider management's assumptions and estimates of the useful life to be within a reasonable range.

Report on the other information included in the annual accounts

In addition to the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon, the annual accounts contains other information.

Based on the following procedures performed, we conclude that the other information:

- is consistent with the financial statements and does not contain material misstatements; and
- contains the information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

We have read the other information. Based on our knowledge and understanding obtained through our audit of the financial statements or otherwise, we have considered whether the other information contains material misstatements.

By performing these procedures, we comply with the requirements of Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code and the Dutch Standard 720. The scope of the procedures performed is less than the scope of those performed in our audit of the financial statements.

The Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information, including the information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.



Description of responsibilities regarding the financial statements

Responsibilities of The Board of Directors for the financial statements

The Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with EU-IFRS and Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code. Furthermore, The Board of Directors is responsible for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

As part of the preparation of the financial statements, The Board of Directors is responsible for assessing PPF Telecom Group B.V.'s ability to continue as a going concern. Based on the financial reporting frameworks mentioned, The Board of Directors should prepare the financial statements using the going concern basis of accounting unless The Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the PPF Telecom Group B.V. or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. The Board of Directors should disclose events and circumstances that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern in the financial statements.

Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objective is to plan and perform the audit engagement in a manner that allows us to obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence for our opinion.

Our audit has been performed with a high, but not absolute, level of assurance, which means we may not detect all material errors and fraud during our audit.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. The materiality affects the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures and the evaluation of the effect of identified misstatements on our opinion.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is included in appendix of this auditor's report on the next page. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Amstelveen, 1 March 2021

KPMG Accountants N.V.

F.A.M. Croiset van Uchelen RA

Partner

Appendix:

Description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

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Description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

We have exercised professional judgement and have maintained professional scepticism throughout the audit, in accordance with Dutch Standards on Auditing, ethical requirements and independence requirements. Our audit included among others:

- identifying and assessing the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, designing and performing audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtaining audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than the risk resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control;
- obtaining an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the PPF Telecom Group B.V.'s internal control;
- evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by The Board of Directors;
- concluding on the appropriateness of The Board of Directors's use of the going concern basis of accounting, and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on PPF Telecom Group B.V.'s ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause a company to cease to continue as a going concern;
- evaluating the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures; and
- evaluating whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We are solely responsible for the opinion and therefore responsible to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the group to express an opinion on the financial statements. In this respect we are also responsible for directing, supervising and performing the group audit.

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

From the matters communicated with the Board of Directors, we determine the key audit matters: those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, not communicating the matter is in the public interest.