

3rd QUARTER INTERIM REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 March 2022

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER PRECEDING		CUMULATI	VE QUARTER PRECEDING
	CURRENT PERIOD	PERIOD CORRESPONDING	CURRENT PERIOD	PERIOD CORRESPONDING
	QUARTER 31.03.2022	QUARTER 31.03.2021	TO-DATE 31.03.2022	PERIOD 31.03.2021
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue	56,792	37,828	151,587	181,777
Cost of sales	(20,754)	(22,574)	(81,604)	(125,774)
Gross profit	36,038	15,254	69,983	56,003
Other operating expenses	(12,826)	(10,715)	(33,827)	(31,007)
Other operating income	1,212	490	4,306	2,698
Profit from operations	24,424	5,029	40,462	27,694
Finance income	12	73	39	73
Finance cost	(5,613)	(5,016)	(15,123)	(15,077)
Profit before taxation	18,823	86	25,378	12,690
Taxation	(5,780)	29	(8,922)	(2,996)
Profit after taxation	13,043	115	16,456	9,694
Other Comprehensive Income	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income				
for the financial period	13,043	115	16,456	9,694
Profit/(Loss) attributable to:				
Owners of the Company	11,986	741	18,622	10,123
Non-Controlling Interest	1,057	(626)	(2,166)	(429)
	13,043	115	16,456	9,694
Total comprehensive income/(loss) attributable to:				
Owners of the Company	11,986	741	18,622	10,123
Non-Controlling Interest	1,057	(626)	(2,166)	(429)
	13,043	115	16,456	9,694
EPS - Basic (sen)	3.00	0.19	4.66	2.53

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Annual Financial Report for the year ended 30th June 2021)



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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	(UNAUDITED)	(AUDITED)
	AS AT	AS AT
	31.03.2022	30.06.2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Non-Current Assets		
Property, plant, and equipment	49,801	51,816
Investment properties	53,838	57,218
Inventories	365,358	367,415
Deferred tax assets	3,546	3,546
	472,543	479,995
Current assets	F 20 720	501.004
Inventories	538,729	581,024
Tax recoverable	9,822	5,547
Trade and other receivables	119,152	115,467
Contract assets	34,780	8,765
Cash and bank balances	24,978	17,030
	727,461	727,833
Total Assets	1,200,004	1,207,828
Equity and liabilities		
Equity		
Share capital	206,250	206,250
Treasury shares	(3,373)	(3,373)
Retained earnings	281,256	262,634
Equity attributable to owners of the Parent	484,133	465,511
Non-Controlling Interest	33,277	36,143
	517,410	501,654
Non-current liabilities		
Borrowings	175,265	180,773
Lease liabilities	1,461	4,278
	176,726	185,051
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	230,078	245,217
Contract liabilities	143,090	129,501
Borrowings	120,368	137,983
Lease liabilities	6,252	5,947
Current tax liabilities	6,080	2,475
	505,868	521,123
Total liabilities	682,594	706,174
Total equity and liabilities	1,200,004	1,207,828
Net assets per share (RM)	1.17	1.13

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Annual Financial Report for the year ended 30th June 2021)



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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	_	Non-dist	ributable	Distributable			
	Share capital RM'000	Revaluation surplus RM'000	Treasury shares RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000	Total RM'000	Non- Controlling Interest RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 01.07.2021	206,250	-	(3,373)	262,634	465,511	36,143	501,654
Acquisition on non-controlling interest	-	-	-	-	-	(700)	(700)
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	18,622	18,622	(2,166)	16,456
At 31.03.2022	206,250	-	(3,373)	281,256	484,133	33,277	517,410
			(0.070)				
At 01.07.2020 Effect of adoption of Agenda Decision	206,250	6,788	(3,373)	270,260 (23,271)	479,925 (23,271)	48,030 (9,628)	527,955 (32,899)
At 01.07.2020 (restated)	206,250	6,788	(3,373)	246,989	456,654	38,402	495,056
Total comprehensive income	-	_	-	10,123	10,123	(429)	9,694
At 31.03.2021	206,250	6,788	(3,373)	257,112	466,777	37,973	504,750

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Audited Annual Financial Report for the year ended 30th June 2021)



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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	9 MONTHS ENDED 31.03.2022 RM'000	9 MONTHS ENDED 31.03.2021 RM'000
Operating activities		
Profit before taxation	25,378	12,690
Adjustments for non-cash items	18,316	16,246
Operating profit before working capital changes	43,694	28,936
Trade receivables & other receivables	(3,685)	(4,293)
Contract asset	(26,015)	(20,105)
Land held for property development	2,057	-
Inventories	13,438	21,453
Property development cost	28,857	27,059
Trade payables and other payables	(15,139)	(23,223)
Contract liabilities	13,589	15,407
Net change in working capital	56,796	45,234
Tax paid	(9,592)	(5,904)
Net cash from operating activities	47,204	39,330
Investing activities		
Interest received	39	73
Acquisition of a non-controlling interest	(700)	-
Proceeds from disposal of investment properties	3,600	1,092
Purchase of property, plant, and equipment	(1,297)	(6,224)
Proceed from disposal of property, plant, and equipment	1,597	-
Net cash from/(in) investing activities	3,239	(5,059)
Financing activities		
Interest paid	(15,123)	(15,077)
Drawdown of borrowings	84,300	-
Repayments of borrowings	(107,206)	(33,408)
Repayments of lease liabilities	(4,249)	-
Placement of fixed deposits pledged to licensed bank	(34)	-
Net cash used in financing activities	(42,312)	(48,485)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the financial	· · · · · · · · ·	
period	8,131	(14,214)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of financial period	(26,987)	(16,811)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial period	(18,856)	(31,025)
Cash and cash equivalent comprise the following:		
Deposits	596	669
Cash and bank balances	24,382	12,774
Bank overdrafts	(43,238) (18,260)	(44,468) (31,025)
Loss Danasit pladged to licensed banks	(18,280)	(31,023)
Less: Deposit pledged to licensed banks	(18,856)	(31,025)
	(10,050)	(51,023)

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Audited Annual Financial Report for the year ended 30th June 2021)



Notes to the Interim Report For The Financial Period Ended 31 March 2022 (The figures have not been audited)

A. EXPLANATORY NOTES

A1. Basis of Preparation

The interim financial report is unaudited and has been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134 - Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board and paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the annual audited financial statements of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2021.

A2. Changes in Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies applied by the Group in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements are the same as those applied by the Group in the consolidated financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2021.

A3. Status of Audit Qualifications

The audited financial statements of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2021 were not subject to any audit qualification.

A4. Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The business operations of the Group during the financial period under review have not been materially affected by any seasonal or cyclical factors.

A5. Unusual Items

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income and cash flows during the financial quarter under review.

A6. Material changes in past estimates and their effect on the current interim period

There were no material changes in estimates for the 9 months ended 31 March 2022.

A7. Issuances or Repayments of Debts and Equity Securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchases, resale and repayment of debts and equity securities in the financial quarter under review except for:

Share Buy-back

As at to-date, the Company has bought back a total of 12,879,200 shares from the open market at an average purchase price of RM0.26 per share. The total consideration paid for the share buy-back, inclusive of transaction costs amounted to RM3,373,365.

A8. Dividend

The Board does not recommend any interim dividend for the financial quarter under review.



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A. EXPLANATORY NOTES

A9. Segment Information

Segmental information is presented in respect of the Group's business segments and they reflect the Group's internal reporting structures that are regularly reviewed for the purpose of allocating resources to the segment and assessing its performance.

For management purposes, the Group has identified the following three reportable segments as follows:

- a) Property Development : Property Development, Letting of Properties and Project Management
- b) Construction : Project Construction Services, Manufacturing of Concrete Products and Trading of Building Materials
- c) Others : These are dormant companies for future use

	Property				
	development	Construction	Others	Elimination	Total
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
9 Months Ended 31.03.2022					
Revenue					
External revenue	144,475	7,654	682	(1,224)	151,587
Inter-segment revenue	-	30,562	-	(30,562)	-
Total	144,475	38,216	682	(31,786)	151,587
Adjusted EBITDA	47,309	(2,241)	(547)	319	44,840
9 Months Ended 31.03.2021					
Revenue					
External revenue	172,252	11,581	449	(2,505)	181,777
Inter-segment revenue	-	32,822	-	(32,822)	-
Total	172,252	44,403	449	(35,327)	181,777
Adjusted EBITDA	31,087	(939)	(291)	(702)	29,155
Total segment assets					
31.03.2022	1,671,089	87,028	20,248	(591,730)	1,186,635
31.03.2021	1,566,410	68,962	28,498	(437,697)	1,226,173
Total segment liabilities					
31.03.2022	906,180	77,419	15,365	(322,450)	676,514
31.03.2021	875,825	56,661	13,925	(216,909)	729,502

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A. EXPLANATORY NOTES

A9. Segment Information (continued)

	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000
A reconciliation of total adjusted EBITDA		
Adjusted EBITDA	44,840	29,155
Finance income	39	73
Finance cost	(15,123)	(15,077)
Tax	(8,922)	(2,996)
Depreciation	(4,378)	(1,461)
Net profit for the financial period	16,456	9,694
Reportable segments assets are reconciled to total assets as follows:		
Total segment assets	1,186,636	1,226,173
Tax recoverable	13,368	14,255
Consolidated total assets (as per Statement of Financial Position)	1,200,004	1,240,428
Reportable segments liabilities are reconciled to total liabilities as follows:		
Total segment liabilities	676,514	729,502
Tax payable	6,080	10,275
Consolidated total liabilities (as per Statement of Financial Position)	682,594	739,777

A10. Carrying Amount of Revalued Assets

Property, plant and equipment, which are stated at revalued amounts, have been brought forward without amendments from the previous Annual Financial Statements.

A11. Material events not reflected in interim period.

The Group does not have any material events during the financial period under review.

A12. Changes in the Composition of the Group

There were no changes to the composition of the Group during the financial period under review.

A13. Contingent Liabilities

There were no contingent liabilities that have arisen since the date of the latest audited financial statements.

A14. Capital Commitments

The Group does not have any capital commitments outstanding during the financial period under review.



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A. EXPLANATORY NOTES

A15. Recurrent Related Party Transactions

- a) Nature of relationships of BCB Group with the interested related parties
 - (i) Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong is a director of BCB Berhad and all its subsidiary companies. He is a major shareholder of BCB Berhad via his family-controlled company called Evergreen Ratio Sdn Bhd. He is deemed to have an interest with the interested related parties by virtue of his relationship with his spouse and his children namely Puan Sri Datin Lim Sui Yong, Tan Vin Sern and Tan Lindy, who are directors of Marvel Plus Development Sdn Bhd ("MPDSB"), whilst Puan Sri Datin Lim Sui Yong and Tan Vin Sern are also shareholders of MPDSB. Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong is also a director of Ju-Ichi Enterprise Sdn Bhd ("JIESB") as well as a major shareholder of IBZI Development (Johor) Sdn Bhd ("IBZI").
 - (ii) Tan Vin Sern is a director of BCB Berhad and all its subsidiary companies. He is the son of Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong and brother of Tan Lindy. He is also a director of MPDSB, JIESB and IBZI.
 - (iii) Tan Lindy is a Director of BCB Berhad and all its subsidiary companies. She is the daughter of Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong and the sister of Tan Vin Sern. She is also a director of MPDSB and JIESB.
 - (iv) Tan Lay Hiang is a Director of BCB Berhad and most of its subsidiary companies. She is the sister of Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong.
 - (v) Chang Shao-Yu is a Director of MPDSB. He is the spouse of Tan Lindy and son-in-law of Tan Sri Dato' Tan Seng Leong and Puan Sri Datin Lim Sui Yong.
 - (vi) Puan Sri Datin Lim Sui Yong is a major shareholder of BCB Berhad via her family-controlled company called Evergreen Ratio Sdn Bhd. She is also a director and shareholder of MPDSB.
- b) The recurrent related party transactions between BCB Group and the interested related parties are as follows:

		Current Period Quarter	Preceding Period Quarter	
		31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000	
Marvel Plus Development So	in Bhd			
BCB Construction Sdn Bhd	- Building construction services	4,206	2,035	
	- Hiring of machinery	13	3	
BCB Resources Sdn Bhd	- Hiring of machinery	12	5	
Ju-Ichi Enterprise Sdn Bhd				
BCB Berhad	- Rental of office space	75	75	
BCB Construction Sdn Bhd	- Building construction services	-	224	



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B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY APPENDIX 9B OF MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS

B1. Review of Performance of the Group for the Current Quarter and Cumulative Quarter

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULATI	CUMULATIVE QUARTER		
		PRECEDING		PRECEDING		
	CURRENT	PERIOD	CURRENT	PERIOD		
	PERIOD	CORRESPONDING	PERIOD	CORRESPONDING		
	QUARTER	QUARTER	TO DATE	PERIOD		
	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000		
Revenue						
Property Development	52,927	34,746	143,251	169,746		
Construction	3,536	2,960	7,654	11,581		
Others	329	122	682	450		
	56,792	37,828	151,587	181,777		
Profit/(Loss) Before Tax						
Property Development	19,526	157	29,387	15,123		
Construction	(55)	648	(2,824)	(1,570)		
Others	(648)	(719)	(1,185)	(863)		
	18,823	86	25,378	12,690		

During the quarter under review, The Group recorded an increase in revenue and profit before tax amounting to RM 18.96 million and RM 18.74 million respectively compared to the previous corresponding quarter. Segmental performance for the current quarter under review is as follows:

Property Development

The property development division reported an increase in revenue amounting to RM 18.18 million, from RM 34.75 million to RM 52.93 million compared to the preceding period corresponding quarter. The current period quarter revenue was mainly contributed by the project progress recognition from HomeTree @ Kota Kemuning amounting to RM24.53 million, Bandar Putera Indah (BPI) and Evergreen Heights @ Batu Pahat amounting to RM 14.43 million and RM 5.90 million respectively. The increase in revenue compared to the preceding period quarter was largely attributed to the increase in revenue from HomeTree @ Kota Kemuning by RM 12.38 million and BPI (Phase 7) by RM 8.97 million. However, this increase was partially offset by the drop in revenue for BPI (Phase 6) of RM5.06 million which has almost reached completion of sales in current period quarter. In addition, there was an increase in revenue recognised from the sales of land held for property development by RM 4.02 million.

The increase in profit before tax was in line with the increase in revenue in the current quarter. There were no significant fluctuations in the operating income and expenses for both current and prior quarters under review.

Construction

The Construction segment reported an increase in revenue of RM 0.58 million compared to the preceding period corresponding quarter. The increase was largely attributed to Taman Saujana's Olivia and Olivia 2 amounting to RM 2.04 million and RM 1.23 million respectively. However, this increase was partially offset by the lower revenue recognised for Hana Sakura in current period quarter amounting to RM2.22 million which has almost reached its completion stage. The current period quarter revenue was mainly contributed by Taman Saujana's Olivia and Olivia 2 amounting to RM 2.27 million and RM 1.23 million respectively.

Despite the increase in revenue, the construction segment reported a slight increase in loss before tax amounting to RM 0.70 million, from profit before tax of RM 0.65 million in preceding period corresponding quarter to loss before tax of RM 0.06 million in the current period quarter largely due to the decrease in gross profit margin of 0.43% for the overall project compared to the preceding period quarter. There were no significant fluctuations in the operating income and expenses for both current and prior quarters under review.

Others

Others division mainly represents hotel leasing business. There is an increase in revenue in current period quarter by RM 0.21 million as compared to preceding period quarter as there was a discount granted to the lessee in the preceding period quarter. This discount offered to the lessee has ceased in current period quarter.



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B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY APPENDIX 9B OF MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS

B2. Material Changes in Profit Before Taxation for the Quarter Reported On as Compared with the Immediate Preceding Quarter

	3 Months Ended			
	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.12.2021 RM'000	Changes RM'000	
Revenue	56,792	68,141	(11,349)	
Profit before tax	18,823	9,195	9,628	

Revenue decreased by RM 11.35 million, from RM 68.14 million in the immediate preceding quarter to RM 56.79 million reported in the current period quarter. The decrease in revenue were mainly due to the drop in revenue recognition for Versis and Lot 4091 @ Batu Pahat amounting to RM 6.39 million and RM 3.41 million respectively. In addition, there was a decrease in revenue for land held for property development amounting to RM 5.11 million compared to the immediate preceding quarter. These were offset by an increase in revenue by HomeTree project of RM 4.70 million compared to the immediate preceding quarter.

Despite of the lower revenue registered in Q3 FY2022, the Group registered an increase in profit before tax by RM 9.63 million, from RM 9.20 million in the immediate preceding quarter to RM 18.82 million reported in the current period quarter. The increase was mainly due to the actualisation of budget cost for Phase 2A of HomeTree @ Kota Kemuning which resulted in a drop in cost of sales for BCB Development amounting to RM 10.84 million compared to the immediate preceding quarter.

B3. Prospects for the Financial Year

With growth projected at 5.3% to 6.3% as announced by Bank Negara Malaysia, the Malaysia economy is expected to improve further this year. This is underpinned by stronger domestic demand, continued expansion in external demand and further improvement in the labour market. Growth would also benefit from the easing of restrictions and the reopening of international borders.

Nevertheless, the Group believe there are still uncertainties and challenges looming over the course of the financial year for the property sector. These include further escalation of military conflict in Ukraine, the strict Covid containment measures in China, inflationary pressures due to a rise in commodity prices and worsening supply chain disruptions. Amidst the ongoing headwinds, the Group remain optimistic and committed to focus on monetising its inventories and progressing its development projects for timely completion as well as launching of new products that continue to tap into underlying customer demands.

B4. Variance on Profit Forecast

There were no profit forecasts published as at 31 March 2022.

B5. Profit for the financial period

Profit before taxation is derived after taking into consideration of the following:

	Current Quarter 31.03.2022 RM'000	Cumulative Period to-date 31.03.2022 RM'000
Interest Income	12	39
Other Income	1,212	4,306
Interest expenses	5,613	15,123
Depreciation and amortisation	1,461	4,378

Other than the above, there were no disposal of quoted or unquoted investment or properties and amortisation of assets for the financial quarter under review.



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B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY APPENDIX 9B OF MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS

B6. Taxation

Taxation consists of the followings:

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULATIVE QUARTER		
				PRECEDING	
		PRECEDING	CURRENT	PERIOD	
	CURRENT	CORRESPONDING	PERIOD	CORRESPONDING	
	QUARTER	QUARTER	TO DATE	PERIOD	
	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000	31.03.2022 RM'000	31.03.2021 RM'000	
Income tax					
- current financial period	5,780	(29)	8,922	2,996	

The effective tax rate for current quarter is as per statutory tax rate of 24%.

B7. Profit or loss on sale of unquoted investments and / or properties.

There was no disposal of unquoted investment or property during the financial period under review other than in the ordinary course of the Group's business.

B8. Quoted Securities

There was no purchase and disposal of quoted securities for the financial period under review.

B9. Status of Corporate Proposal

There were no corporate proposals during the financial period under review.

B10. Dividend

The Board of Directors has not recommended any interim dividend for the current quarter or financial period to-date.

B11. Group Borrowings

The tenure of Group borrowings classified as current and non-current liabilities categories are as follows: -

Current liabilities	RM'000
- Secured	120,368
- Unsecured	
	120,368
Non-current liabilities	
- Secured	175,265
- Unsecured	-
	175,265
Total Borrowing	295,633



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B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY APPENDIX 9B OF MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS

B12. Financial instruments with off balance sheet risk

There was no off-balance sheet financial instrument during the financial period under review.

B13. Material litigation

The Group does not have any material litigation during the financial period under review.

B14. Earnings per share

	Individual		Cumulative	
	Current Period quarter RM'000	Preceding Period corresponding quarter RM'000	Current Period To-date RM'000	Preceding Period corresponding quarter RM'000
a) Basic earnings per share				
Net profit attributable to owners for the period	11,986	741	18,622	10,123
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	399,621	399,621	399,621	399,621
Basic earnings per share (sen)	3.00	0.19	4.66	2.53
b) Diluted earnings per share Diluted earnings per share (sen)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A