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# Cadbury Schweppes Finance Limited Annual Report and Financial Statements For the year ended 31 December 2022

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#### Strategic report

For the year ended 31 December 2022

The directors present their Strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### Principal activities and business review

The principal activity of the company during the year was the management of intercompany loans and external derivatives.

The company is a private company limited by shares and is incorporated in England, part of the United Kingdom. The address of its registered office is Cadbury House, Sanderson Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex, UB8 1DH.

#### Results and dividends

The profit for the financial year amounted to £2,005,000 (2021 - £1,469,000) and at the year end the company had net assets of £27,906,000 (2021 - £58,489,000).

During the year, dividends of £32,000,000 were paid (2021 - £NIL).

On 9 November 2022, the company, passed a special resolution to reduce the company's existing share premium in its entirety from £45,219,000 to £NIL, by cancelling and extinguishing the share premium. This amount was then transferred to profit and loss reserves.

#### **Key performance indicators**

The directors believe that the company's key performance indicators include those measures used to monitor adherence to the group's treasury policies which address risk management for the group. These measures and the risks which they mitigate include the forecast notional value of currency exposure to monitor currency risk. These and other measures are discussed below.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

#### Foreign currency exchange risk

The company has exposure to foreign currency exchange risk from currency borrowings; it manages this risk through the use of cross currency interest rate swaps.

#### Credit risk

The company has implemented policies that require appropriate credit checks on potential and existing partners before trades are made. The amount of any exposure to any individual counterparty is subject to a limit which is reassessed regularly. The company minimises its credit risk by entering into transactions with high quality counterparties with investment grade credit ratings, limiting the amount of exposure that the company has with each counterparty and monitoring the financial condition of the counterparties. The maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying value of the financial assets held on the Statement of financial position.

#### Liquidity risk

The company manages liquidity risk by monitoring the Statement of financial position, net intercompany balance and funding requirements to ensure that the company has access to sufficient available funds for planned operations.

Strategic report (continued) For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

Cash flow risk

The company has limited exposure to cash flow risk.

As a subsidiary of Mondelez International Inc. the directors also consider the business risk and uncertainties to be minimal and are further detailed in the financial statements of the ultimate parent company which are publicly available.

This report was approved by the board of directors on  $20^{+h}$  July

2023 and signed on behalf of the board by:

Director

#### Directors' report For the year ended 31 December 2022

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### **Directors**

The directors who served the company during the year and to the date of the financial statements being approved, unless otherwise stated, were as follows:

A J P Arrighi M B Foye J M Hladusz (resigned 30 March 2022) T J Gingell (resigned 26 January 2022 and appointed 21 April 2022) H J O'Brien (appointed 26 January 2022)

#### Results and dividends

Particulars of results and dividends are detailed in the Strategic report.

#### **Future developments**

The company will continue to develop its existing activities in accordance with the requirements of the group. None of the future developments are expected to impact the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

#### Going concern

Due to the nature of the entity, the company is not directly exposed to trading fluctuations. The company is in a net current asset position and directors have certainty that it will be able to continue to meet its day-to-day working capital requirements through the group's treasury arrangements for the foreseeable future, and for at least the next 12 months from the date of this report.

The recoverability of the company's receivables is linked to the operations of wider Mondelez global trading subsidiaries and the directors have taken steps to assess the relative exposure of these debtors and concluded that there is no indication of material risk over recoverability.

In concluding on going concern, the directors have also considered the extent of potential severe but plausible downsides, such as the recoverability of intercompany loan balances and interest, however do not consider these events would give rise to going concern implications for the company.

In February 2022, the UK Government announced its 'Plan for Living with COVID-19', removing all remaining domestic restrictions while encouraging behaviours through public health advice, in common with longstanding ways of managing other infectious illnesses. We continue to align with the latest Government guidance for any employees with symptoms or who have tested positive for COVID-19, and have now removed all the additional social distancing and hygiene measures that we put in place as a result of COVID-19. As such, while COVID-19 continued to impact our colleagues and business operations in 2022, it was to a much lesser extent than the prior year.

The directors continue to take all reasonable steps necessary to mitigate the associated risks with Brexit and have strong plans in place so that we can continue to maintain our operational and financial performance.

The directors are actively monitoring the situation in Ukraine. Although this doesn't materially directly affect any entities within the United Kingdom, the directors are taking all reasonable steps necessary to mitigate any associated risks to ensure all operational and financial performance is maintained.

As a result of this assessment, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future and for at least 12 months from the point of approving this Annual Report and Financial Statements. The company therefore continues to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the Annual Report and Financial Statements.

Directors' report (continued)
For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### Financial risk management

Particulars of risk are detailed in the Strategic report.

#### Qualifying indemnity provisions

Qualifying third party indemnity provisions are in force for the company's directors as of the date of this report and were in force for the duration of 2022.

#### Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law).

Under company law, directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing the financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102 have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The directors are also responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006.

#### **Directors' confirmations**

In the case of each director in office at the date the Directors' report is approved:

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware;
   and
- they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

Directors' report (continued) For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### Independent auditors

The board of directors have chosen to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors for the coming financial year.

This report was approved by the board on  $20^{+4}$ 

2023 and signed on behalf of the board

Director

# Independent auditors' report to the members of Cadbury Schweppes Finance Limited

## Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, Cadbury Schweppes Finance Limited's financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2022 and of its profit for the year then
  ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report and Financial Statements (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the Statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022; the Statement of comprehensive income and Statement of changes in equity for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of the significant accounting policies.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Independence

We remained independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this conclusion is not a guarantee as to the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

#### Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Strategic report and Directors' report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on our work undertaken in the course of the audit, the Companies Act 2006 requires us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

#### Strategic report and Directors' report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Strategic report and Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2022 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Strategic report and Directors' report.

#### Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

#### Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the financial statements, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. 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.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud, is detailed below.

Based on our understanding of the company and industry, we identified that the principal risks of non-compliance with laws and regulations related to UK tax legislation and the Companies Act 2006, and we considered the extent to which non-compliance might have a material effect on the financial statements. We evaluated management's incentives and opportunities for fraudulent manipulation of the financial statements (including the risk of override of controls), and determined that the principal risks were related to the posting of inappropriate journal entries and management bias in accounting estimates. Audit procedures performed by the engagement team included:

- Discussions with management, including consideration of known or suspected instances of non-compliance with laws and regulation and fraud;
- Reviewing of meeting minutes of those charged with governance;
- · Identifying and testing journal entries with unusual account combinations; and
- Challenging assumptions and judgements made by management in their accounting estimates and judgements

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above. We are less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations that are not closely related to events and transactions reflected in the financial statements. Also, the risk of not detecting a material misstatement due to fraud is higher than the risk of not detecting one resulting from error, as fraud may involve deliberate concealment by, for example, forgery or intentional misrepresentations, or through collusion.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

#### Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

### Other required reporting

#### Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not obtained all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Alex Smith (Senior Statutory Auditor)

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for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

**Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors** 

Birmingham

27 July 2023

# Statement of comprehensive income For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Note	2022 £000	2021 £000
Interest receivable and similar income	6	2,987	2,011
Interest payable and similar expenses	7	(557)	(197)
Profit before taxation		2,430	1,814
Tax on profit	8	(425)	(345)
Profit for the financial year		2,005	1,469
Other comprehensive expense for the year	=		
Loss on cash flow hedged derivatives		(773)	(795)
Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve		185	310
Other comprehensive expense for the year	•	(588)	(485)
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	1,417	984

All activities of the company are from continuing operations.

The notes on pages 12 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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# Statement of financial position As at 31 December 2022

	Note		2022 £000		2021 £000
Current assets					
Debtors: amounts falling due after more than one year	10	-		14,468	
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	10	28,143		45,160	
	-	28,143		59,628	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	(237)		(1,139)	
Net current assets			27,906		. 58,489
Total assets less current liabilities	•	· –	27,906	_	58,489
Net assets			27,906	_	58,489
Capital and reserves		_		_	
Called up share capital	17		12,000		12,000
Share premium account	18		-		45,219
Hedging reserve			(2,431)		(1,843)
Profit and loss account	18		18,337		3,113
Total equity	a	_	27,906	<del></del>	58,489

These financial statements on pages 9 to 24 were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 20th July 2023 and were signed on behalf of the board by:

H J O'Brien Director

The notes on pages 12 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Statement of changes in equity For the year ended 31 December 2022

Comprehensive income/(expense) for the year   Profit for the financial year   1,469		Called up share capital £000	Share premium account £000	Hedging reserve £000	Profit and loss account	Total equity £000
## Profit for the financial year	At 1 January 2021	12,000	45,219	.(1,358)	1,644	57,505
Loss on cashflow hedged derivatives  Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve (note 12)  Other comprehensive expense for the year  Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the year  - (485)  At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022  12,000  12,000  12,000  15,219  16,843  1,469  98  At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022  12,000  12,000  145,219  1,469  98  Comprehensive income/(expense) for the year  Profit for the financial year  - 2,005  2,005  2,007  Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve (note 12)  Other comprehensive expense for the year  - (588)  Total comprehensive (expense) for the year  - (588)  Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity  - (45,219)  - 13,219  (32,000						
Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve (note 12) - 310 - 31  Other comprehensive expense for the year - (485) - (485) - (485)  At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022 12,000 45,219 (1,843) 3,113 58,48  Comprehensive income/(expense) for the year - 2,005 2,005  Loss on cashflow hedged derivatives - 7,005 2,005  Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve (note 12) - 185 - 18  Other comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive expense for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the year - 5,005 2,005  Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity - (45,219) - 13,219 (32,005)  Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity - (45,219) - 13,219 (32,005)	Profit for the financial year	-	-	-	1,469	1,469
Description	Loss on cashflow hedged derivatives	·_	-	(795)	-	(795)
Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the year   -   (485)   -   (485)   -   (485)   (485)     (485)   (485)   (485)     (485)   (485		-	-	310	-	310
Camprehensive income/(expense) for the year   -		-	· <u>-</u>	(485)	-	(485)
12,000   45,219   (1,843)   3,113   58,48				(485)	1,469	984
## Profit for the financial year		12,000	45,219	(1,843)	3,113	58,489
Profit for the financial year						
Movement on deferred tax relating to hedging reserve (note 12)  Other comprehensive expense for the year  (588)  Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the year  (588)  2,005  1,41  Dividends paid (note 9)  Transfer from share premium to profit and loss account (note 18)  - (45,219)  Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity  - (45,219)  - 13,219  (32,000)	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-	-	-	2,005	2,005
Description	Loss on cashflow hedged derivatives	-	-	(773)	<del>-</del>	(773)
Total comprehensive   -   -   (588)   -   (588)   -   (588)		-	-	185	-	185
(expense)/income for the year       -       -       (588)       2,005       1,41         Dividends paid (note 9)       -       -       -       (32,000)       (32,000)         Transfer from share premium to profit and loss account (note 18)       -       (45,219)       -       45,219       -         Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity       -       (45,219)       -       13,219       (32,000)		-		(588)	<u> </u>	(588)
Transfer from share premium to profit and loss account (note 18)  - (45,219)  - 45,219  - Total transactions with owners directly recognised in equity  - (45,219)  - 13,219  (32,00)				(588)	2,005	1,417
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At 31 December 2022 12,000 - (2,431) 18,337 27,90			(45,219)	-	13,219	(32,000)
	At 31 December 2022	12,000	-	(2,431)	18,337	27,906

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Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### 1. General information

The principal activity of the company during the year was the management of intercompany loans and external derivatives.

The company is a private company limited by shares and is incorporated in England, part of the United Kingdom. The address of its registered office is Cadbury House. Sanderson Road, Uxbridge. Middlesex, UB8 I DH.

#### 2. Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with United Kingdom Accounting Standards including FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', and the Companies Act 2006.

#### 3. Accounting policies

#### 3.1 Basis of preparation

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented unless otherwise stated.

These financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis, under the historical cost convention.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the company's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in note 4.

#### 3.2 Financial reporting standard 102 - reduced disclosure exemptions

The entity satisfies the criteria of being a qualifying entity as defined in FRS 102. As such advantage has been taken of the following disclosure exemptions available under paragraph 1.12 of FRS 102:

(a) The requirement to prepare a statement of cash flows (Section 7 of FRS 102 and para 3.17(d)).

This information is included in the consolidated financial statements of Mondelez International Inc., for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### 3.3 Going concern

Due to the nature of the entity, the company is not directly exposed to trading fluctuations. The company is in a net current asset position and directors have certainty that it will be able to continue to meet its day-to-day working capital requirements through the group's treasury arrangements for the foreseeable future, and for at least the next 12 months from the date of this report.

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#### 3. Accounting policies (continued)

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#### 3.4 Related party transactions

The company discloses transactions with related parties which are not wholly owned within the same group. It does not disclose transactions with members of the same group that are wholly owned (FRS 102 paragraph 33.1A).

#### 3.5 Taxation

Taxation on profit for the period comprises current and deferred tax recognised in the reporting period. Tax is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respective.

Current or deferred taxation assets and liabilities are not discounted.

#### (i) Current tax

Current tax is the amount of income tax payable in respect of the taxable profit for the year or prior years. Tax is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the period end.

The company is part of a UK tax group for the purposes of group relief, whereby current taxable profits can be offset by current taxable losses of related companies in the same tax group. Where group relief is claimed, payment for these losses is made by the claimant company to the surrendering company equal to the tax benefit.

#### (ii) Deferred tax

Deferred tax arises from timing differences that are differences between taxable profits and total comprehensive income as stated in the financial statements. These timing differences arise from the inclusion of income and expenses in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### 3. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 3.5 Taxation (continued)

#### (ii) Deferred tax (continued)

Deferred tax is recognised on all timing differences at the reporting date except for certain exceptions. Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are only recognised when it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits.

Deferred tax is measured using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the period end and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

#### 3.6 Foreign currency translation

#### (i) Functional and presentation currency

The company's functional and presentation currency is the Pound Sterling.

#### (ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the spot exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

At each period end foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction and non monetary items measured at fair value are measured using the exchange rate when fair value was determined.

Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of transactions and from the translation at period-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income except when deferred in other comprehensive income as qualifying cash flow hedges.

#### 3.7 Financial instruments

The company has chosen to adopt Sections 11 and 12 of FRS 102 in respect of financial instruments.

#### (i) Financial assets

Basic financial assets, including intercompany receivables and cash and bank balances are initially recognised at transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest.

Such assets are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

At the end of each reporting period financial assets measured at amortised cost are assessed for objective evidence of impairment. If an asset is impaired the impairment loss is the difference between the carrying amount and the present value of the estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. The impairment loss is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income.

Financial assets are derecognised when (a) the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire or are settled, or (b) substantially all the risks and rewards of the ownership of the asset are transferred to another party or (c) control of the asset has been transferred to another party who has the practical ability to unilaterally sell the asset to an unrelated third party without imposing additional restrictions.

Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 December 2022

#### 3. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 3.7 Financial instruments (continued)

#### (ii) Financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including intercompany payables, and loans from fellow group companies, are initially recognised at transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the liability is extinguished, that is when the contractual obligation is discharged, cancelled or expires.

#### (iii) Derivative financial instruments

Derivatives, including interest rate swaps and cross currency interest rate swaps, are not basic financial instruments.

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date the derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at their fair value. Changes in the fair value of derivatives are recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income in finance costs or finance income as appropriate, unless they are included in a hedging arrangement.

All financial instruments held at fair value are considered to be at level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. The fair values of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market are determined by using valuation techniques that utilise observable market data. The key assumptions used in valuing the derivatives are forward exchange rates for the Pound Sterling and Indian Rupee and zero coupon risk free forward yield curves.

#### (iv) Hedging arrangements

The group does not generally apply hedge accounting in respect of forward foreign exchange contracts held to manage the cash flow exposures of forecast transactions denominated in foreign currencies.

The group applies hedge accounting for transactions entered into to manage the cash flow exposures of borrowings. Interest rate swaps are held to manage the interest rate exposures and are designated as cash flow hedges of floating rate borrowings.

Changes in the fair values of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges, and which are effective, are recognised directly in equity. Any ineffectiveness in the hedging relationship (being the excess of the cumulative change in fair value of the hedging instrument since inception of the hedge over the cumulative change in the fair value of the hedged item since inception of the hedge) is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income.

The gain or loss recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to the income statement when the hedge relationship ends. Hedge accounting is discontinued when the hedging instrument expires, no longer meets the hedging criteria, the forecast transaction is no longer highly probably, the hedged debt instrument is derecognised or the hedging instrument is terminated.

#### 3.8 Dividends

Dividend income received in the form of in specie assets that are not readily realisable is recognised in reserves. Dividend income received in the form of cash is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income. All dividend distributions are recognised in reserves.

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#### 3. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 3.9 Interest income

Interest income is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income using the effective interest method.

#### 3.10 Finance costs

Finance costs are charged to the Statement of comprehensive income over the term of the debt using the effective interest method so that the amount charged is at a constant rate on the carrying amount. Issue costs are initially recognised as a reduction in the proceeds of the associated capital instrument. Bank charges are recognised in the period in which they were incurred.

#### 3.11 Cash pooling

The company meets its day-to-day working capital requirements through a combination of loans and through access to funds as part of the Mondelez International group's cash pooling arrangement, of which Mondelez International Finance AG (MIF), a related company based in Switzerland, is the pool leader. Under the cash pooling arrangements, there is no cash held by the company - all balances are deposited in the cash pool at the end of business on each day. The company therefore has a £NIL cash balance.

The value of the current facility is £725,000 and this balance is presented within amounts owed by group undertakings within debtors as at the year end (2021 - £21,090,000, presented within amounts owed by group undertakings within debtors). There are not considered to be limits to the available facility within the normal course of business. This is agreed as a rolling facility which is an integrated part of the Mondelez International Inc. group operations.

#### 4. Critical accounting judgements and estimation uncertainty

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.

Due to the simple nature of the business, the directors have not identified any critical accounting judgements.

#### (a) Key accounting estimates and assumptions

#### (i) Fair value of derivative financial instruments

The interest rate swaps and cross currency interest rate swaps are measured at fair value, which is determined using valuation techniques that utilise observable inputs. Derivatives, including interest rate swaps and forward foreign exchange contracts, are not basic financial instruments.

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#### 5. Operating profit

The directors are remunerated for their services to the group as a whole and not for their specific service to the company. The directors did not receive any emoluments for their services as directors of the company during the year (2021 - £NIL). The directors were remunerated by other group companies and no recharges were paid nor are payable for their services. It is not possible to apportion the proportion of the directors' work that was done for the company.

All administrative costs of the company are borne on behalf of the company by a fellow subsidiary undertaking and not recharged to the company. An estimated allocation of the audit fee for the year is £5,000 (2021 - £5,000). There were no amounts paid to the auditors in respect of non-audit fees in either year relating to this company.

No staff are employed by the company (2021 - None). All activities relating to the company are performed by staff employed by other companies within the group. There are no recharges payable by the company for these activities and hence it is not possible to determine the related employee costs. Employee costs are disclosed in full within the consolidated Annual report of Mondelez International Inc..

#### 6. Interest receivable and similar income

		2022 £000	2021 £000
Interest on loans to group t	ındertakings	2,987	1,973
Recycled gains on derivative	ve instruments	-	38
		2,987	2,011
7. Interest payable and simi	lar expenses		
		2022	2021
		000£	£000
Foreign exchange losses		557	197
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Tax on profit		
	2022	200
Corporation tax	£000	£0
	462	2.
Current tax on profits for the year  Adjustments in respect of previous periods	(37)	3.
Foreign tax relief/other relief	(226)	(2
Total UK Current tax	199	1:
Foreign tax		
Foreign tax on income for the year	226	2
	226	2
Total current tax	425	3
Tax on profit	425	34
Factors affecting tax charge for the year		
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#### 8. Tax on profit (continued)

#### Factors that may affect future tax charges

The Finance Act 2021 received royal assent on 10 June 2021 and included an increase to the UK's main corporation tax rate to 25% from 1 April 2023.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on the tax rate enacted at the reporting date. Consequently deferred tax assets at 31 December 2022 are calculated using the 25% enacted tax rate (2021 - 25%).

#### 9. Dividends paid

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Dividends paid to immediate parent company	32,000	-
	32,000	-
Dividends of £0.67 per ordinary share were paid during the year (2021 - £NIL).		
10. Debtors		
	2022	2021
Amounts falling due after more than one year	£000	£000
Amounts owed by group undertakings	_	13,268
Derivative financial assets	· <u>-</u>	1,200
	-	14,468
	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Amounts falling due within one year		
Amounts owed by group undertakings	27,050	44,531
Derivative financial assets	279	-
Deferred taxation (note 12)	814	629
ı	28,143	45,160

Amounts owed by group undertakings consist of group loans. One is denominated in Indian Rupee (INR), which is repayable by 2023, attracts interest at a coupon rate of 11% per annum and the other loan is denominated in Czech Koruna which is repayable in 2023, attracts interest at 8.31%. Both loans are included within amounts due within one year.

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#### 10. Debtors (continued)

The remainder includes non-trading balances which are unsecured, earn interest at the market reference rate of overnight deposit less 0.125% with a floor at 0% (2021 - market reference rate of overnight deposit less 0.125% with a floor at 0%).

None of the financial assets are past due and are expected to be fully recoverable.

#### 11. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	·	2022 £000	2021 £000
	Corporation tax	237	170
	Derivative financial liabilities	•	969
		237	1,139
12.	Deferred taxation		
		2022 £000	2021 £000
	At start of year	629	319
	Credited to hedging reserve and recognised through other comprehensive income	185	310
	At end of year	814	629
	The deferred tax asset is made up as follows:		
		2022 £000	2021 £000
	Short term timing differences - trading	814	629
		814	629

The net amount of deferred tax asset expected to reverse within one year of the Statement of financial position date based on expected movements in short term timing differences is £814,000 (2021 - £629,000).

#### Factors that may affect future tax charges

The Finance Act 2021 received royal assent on 10 June 2021 and included an increase to the UK's main corporation tax rate to 25% from 1 April 2023. The company estimates the total impact from the future rate change to be £NIL.

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#### 12. Deferred taxation (continued)

#### Factors that may affect future tax charges (continued)

Deferred tax rate is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on the tax fate enacted at the reporting date. Consequently deferred tax assets at 31 December 2022 are calculated using the 25% enacted tax rate (2021 - 25%).

#### 13. Capital management

The company considers its capital to be comprised of total equity as per the Statement of financial position. In managing its capital the primary objective is to ensure that the company is able to continue to operate as a going concern and to maximise return to shareholders through a combination of capital growth and distributions. The company seeks to maintain a ratio of debt to equity that both balances risks and returns at an acceptable level and retains sufficient funds to comply with lending covenants, achieve working capital targets and meet investment requirements. The board reviews the company's dividend policy and funding requirements at least once a year.

#### 14. Financial commitments

During the year, the company had credit related exposures due to the risk of non-performance by counterparties to financial instruments, but, none of those counterparties failed to meet their obligations due to the company's policy of selecting only counterparties with high credit ratings. The exposure to credit loss of liquid assets is equivalent to the carrying value on the Statement of financial position. At the reporting date the maximum credit exposure of interest rate contracts is represented by the fair value of contracts with a positive fair value.

During 2016 the company entered into a cross currency interest rate swap with Citibank, consisting of an INR payable at 9.35% and a GBP receivable at 2.73%. The purpose of this swap was to better match cashflows, arising on a new INR intercompany loan. The company has opted to apply cashflow hedge accounting to this swap and the underlying INR loan. The swap is due to expire on 7 October 2023.

#### 15. Analysis of hedging reserve

	2022 £000	2021 £000
	2000	2000
Balance brought forward	(1,843)	(1,358)
Movements during the year		
Fair value gain	(1,722)	(1,819)
Amortisation of undesignated derivative	-	(38)
Recycling FX	53	166
Recycling interest	896	896
Deferred tax (note 12)	186.	310
Balance carried forward	(2,430)	1,843
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#### 15. Analysis of hedging reserve (continued)

Amounts deferred in reserves in relation to cash flow hedges will be recycled to the Statement of comprehensive income during the periods through to 7 October 2023 being the final maturity date of the current derivative financial instruments. Dates of maturity of all current derivative financial instruments are provided within note 10 and 11.

#### 16. Treasury risk management

At the reporting date, the principal activity of the company is the management of intercompany loans and external derivatives.

#### 17. Share capital

	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Authorised, issued, called up and fully paid		
48,001,000 (2021 - 48,001,000) Ordinary shares of £0.25 each	 12,000	12,000

#### 18. Reserves

On 9 November 2022, the company, passed a special resolution to reduce the company's existing share premium in its entirety from £45,219,000 to £NIL, by cancelling and extinguishing the share premium. This amount was then transferred to profit and loss reserves.

#### 19. Borrowings, derivatives and other financial instruments

The table below shows a detailed analysis of assets as at 31 December 2022:

	Amounts due within one year £000	Amounts due after more than one year £000
Non-interest bearing debt and other liabilities		
Fair value of derivatives in a hedging relationship	(279)	

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#### 19. Borrowings, derivatives and other financial instruments (continued)

The table below shows a detailed analysis of liabilities/(assets) as at 31 December 2021:

	Amounts due within one	Amounts due after more
	year £000	than one year £000
Non-interest bearing debt and other liabilities		
Fair value of derivatives in a hedging relationship	969	(1,200)

#### Financial liabilities analysis

The table below analyses the company's financial liabilities by relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period from the Statement of financial position date to the contractual maturity date. As the amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows, these balances will not necessarily agree with the amounts disclosed in the Statement of financial position.

Financial liabilities analysis as at 31 December 2022:

Derivatives - gross settled		Within 1 year or on demand £000	Total £000
Gross inflows		14,166	14,166
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Gross outflows .		(13,880)	(13,880)
Financial liabilities analysis as at 31 December 2021:	Between 1-2 years £000	Between 2-3 years £000	Total £000
Derivatives - gross settled			
Gross inflows	376	14,065	14,441
Gross outflows	(1,184)	(13,052)	(14,236)

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#### 20. Sensitivity analysis

The company is subject to market risk in the form of interest rate fluctuations. The company is not subject to exchange rate risk as it has hedging instruments in place which fully eliminates this risk.

Should the interest rate change by 50 Basis Points (BPS) during the year the impact on the results for the year would be as per below.

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Profit and loss account		
Increase by 50 BPS	-	-
Decrease by 50 BPS	-	-
Hedging reserve:		
Increase by 50 BPS	1	6
Decrease by 50 BPS	(1)	(7)

#### 21. Controlling party

At 31 December 2022 the immediate parent company is Mondelez UK Holdings & Services Limited.

At 31 December 2022 the company's ultimate parent company and controlling party was Mondelez International Inc. incorporated in the United States of America. This is the parent company of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the consolidated financial statements of Mondelez International Inc., are available on application from the Company Secretary, Cadbury House, Sanderson Road, Uxbridge, UB8 1DH.