

# 3i EFV GP Ltd

Annual report and accounts for the year to 31 March 2023

Registered number: 05840692



3i EFV GP Limited

No. 5840692

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# **Directors' report**

The Directors submit their report on 3i EFV GP Ltd (the "Company") with the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023.

# Background and general information

The Company was established on 8 June 2006 and is domiciled in England as a company under the Companies Act 2006. The registered office of the Company is 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD.

## Principal activity

The principal activity of the Company is to act as General Partner of private equity Limited Partnerships 3i Europartners Va LP and 3i Europartners Vb LP (the "Limited Partnerships"). The Company is responsible for appointing the Manager of the Partnership.

## Development

There have been no changes in the activity of the Company in the year and the Directors do not foresee any future changes.

### Results and dividends

The Limited Partnerships had stopped paying a priority profit share to the Company from 18 November 2018. As a result, the Company no longer generates income. Loss and total comprehensive income for the year after tax amounted to €83 (2022: €179).

No interim dividend was declared and paid during the year (2022: €nil). The Directors do not recommend a final dividend for the year (2022: €nil).

### Events after the balance sheet date

There were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date.

### **Directors**

The following served as Directors throughout the year and to the date of this report except where otherwise indicated:

Clare Calderwood Ian Cooper Kevin John Dunn Jasi Halai Jonathan Charles Murphy

# **Directors' report (continued)**

## Going concern

The Directors have acknowledged their responsibilities in relation to the financial statements for the year to 31 March 2023. After making the assessment on going concern for a period of at least 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements, the Directors considered it appropriate to prepare the financial statements of the Company on a going concern basis.

## Exemption from presenting a Strategic Report

The Directors have taken the exemption available under Section 414B of the Companies Act 2006 in not presenting a Strategic Report.

### Disclosure of information to the auditor

Pursuant to section 418(2) of the Companies Act 2006, each of the Directors confirms that: (a) so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the auditors are unaware; and (b) they have taken all steps they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of such information.

### Auditor

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditor will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office.

By Order of the Board

Jasi Halai

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Director

Registered Office: 16 Palace Street London SW1E 5JD

Date: 13 July 2023

# Statement of Directors' responsibilities

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' 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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards and applicable law. Under company law the 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 these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable, relevant and reliable;
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards;
- assess the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters
  related to going concern; and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Directors are 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. They are 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, and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the Company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

## **Auditor's report**

# Independent auditor's report to the members of 3i EFV GP Ltd

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of 3i EFV GP Ltd (the "Company") for the year ended 31 March 2023 which comprise the Statement of comprehensive income, the Statement of changes in equity, the Statement of financial position, the Statement of cash flows and the related notes, including the significant accounting policies set out in notes A to G.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 March 2023 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards;
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the company in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Going concern

The directors have prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis as they do not intend to liquidate the Company or to cease its operations, and as they have concluded that the Company's financial position means that this is realistic. They have also concluded that there are no material uncertainties that could have cast significant doubt over its ability to continue as a going concern for at least a year from the date of approval of the financial statements ("the going concern period").

In our evaluation of the directors' conclusions, we considered the inherent risks to the Company's business model and analysed how those risks might affect the Company's financial resources or ability to continue operations over the going concern period.

Our conclusions based on this work:

- we consider that the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation
  of the financial statements is appropriate;
- we have not identified, and concur with the Directors' assessment that there is not, a material
  uncertainty related to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant
  doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for the going concern period.

However, as we cannot predict all future events or conditions and as subsequent events may result in outcomes that are inconsistent with judgements that were reasonable at the time they were made, the above conclusions are not a guarantee that the Company will continue in operation.

# Auditor's report (continued)

### Fraud and breaches of laws and regulations - ability to detect

' Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to fraud

To identify risks of material misstatement due to fraud ("fraud risks") we assessed events or conditions that could indicate an incentive or pressure to commit fraud or provide an opportunity to commit fraud. Our risk assessment procedures included:

- enquiring of the Directors, the 3i Group plc Audit and Compliance Committee, and 3i Group plc
  internal audit and inspection of policy documentation as to the Company's high-level policies and
  procedures, as applicable to the Company, to prevent and detect fraud, as well as whether they
  have knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud;
- reading Board minutes.

We communicated identified fraud risks throughout the audit team and remained alert to any indications of fraud throughout the audit.

As required by auditing standards, and taking into account our overall knowledge of the control environment, we performed procedures to address the risk of management override of controls, in particular the risk that management may be in a position to make inappropriate accounting entries. On this audit we do not believe there is a fraud risk related to revenue recognition because the calculation of revenue is non-judgmental and straightforward, with limited opportunity for manipulation.

We did not identify any additional fraud risks.

We performed procedures including identifying journal entries to test based on risk criteria and comparing the identified entries to supporting documentation. These included all post year end and closing journals.

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to non-compliance with laws and regulations

We identified areas of laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements from our general commercial and sector experience and through discussion with the Directors and other management (as required by auditing standards), and from inspection of the Company's regulatory and legal correspondence and discussed with the Directors and other management the policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations.

We communicated identified laws and regulations throughout our team and remained alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout the audit.

The potential effect of these laws and regulations on the financial statements varies considerably.

Firstly, the Company is subject to laws and regulations that directly affect the financial statements including financial reporting legislation (including related companies legislation), distributable profits legislation and taxation legislation and we assessed the extent of compliance with these laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

Secondly, the Company is subject to many other laws and regulations where the consequences of non-compliance could have a material effect on amounts or disclosures in the financial statements, for instance through the imposition of fines or litigation. We identified the following areas as those most likely to have such an effect: anti-bribery, data protection, anti-money laundering and certain aspects of Company legislation recognising the nature of the Company's activities and its legal form. Auditing standards limit the required audit procedures to identify non-compliance with these laws and regulations to enquiry of the directors and other management and inspection of regulatory correspondence, if any. Therefore, if a breach of operational regulations is not disclosed to us or evident from relevant correspondence, an audit will not detect that breach.

# Auditor's report (continued)

Context of the ability of the audit to detect fraud or breaches of law or regulation

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify it.

In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of fraud, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Our audit procedures are designed to detect material misstatement. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance or fraud and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

### **Directors' report**

The Directors are responsible for the Directors' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover that report and we do not express an audit opinion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the directors' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- we have not identified material misstatements in the Directors' report;
- in our opinion the information given in that report for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion that report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

## Matters on which we are required to report by exception

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

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- · certain disclosures of Directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the Directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

We have nothing to report in these respects.

# Auditor's report (continued)

### Directors' responsibilities

As explained more fully in the their statement set out on page 3, the directors are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; 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; 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 they either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

## Auditor's responsibilities

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 our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not 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 aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

## The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

This report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Company and the Company's members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

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Benjamin Pott (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor Chartered Accountants 15 Canada Square London E14 5GL

13 July 2023

# Statement of comprehensive income

for the year to 31 March 2023			
	Notes	2023	2022
		€	` €
Operating expenses	1	(3)	-
Interest expense		(80)	(179)
Loss before tax		(83)	(179)
Income taxes	3	-	-
Loss and total comprehensive income for the year		(83)	(179)

All items in the above statement are derived from continuing operations.

# Statement of changes in equity

for the year to 31 March 2023	lssued capital €	Retained earnings €	Total equity €
Balance at 1 April 2021 Total comprehensive loss for the year	1 -	38,994 (179)	38,995 (179)
Total equity at 31 March 2022	1	38,815	38,816
Balance at 1 April 2022 Total comprehensive loss for the year	1 -	38,815 (83)	38,816 (83)
Total equity at 31 March 2023	1	38,732	38,733

The accounting policies on pages 11 to 12 and the notes on pages 13 to 15 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Statement of financial position

as at 31 March 2023

Notes	2023	2022 €
	•	
	38,733	38,816
	38,733	38,816
	38,733	38,816
4	1	1
	38,732	38,815
	38,733	38,816
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The accounting policies on pages 11 to 12 and the notes on pages 13 to 15 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements have been approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors.

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Jasi Halai OEA157743D8F41A

Jasi Halai Director

Date: 13 July 2023

# Statement of cash flows

for the year to 31 March 2023

Cash flow from operating activities	Notes	2023 €	2022 €
Bank interest paid Operating expenses paid		(80) (3)	(179) -
Net cash flow		(83)	(179)
Opening cash and cash equivalents		38,816	38,995
Closing cash and cash equivalents		38,733	38,816

The accounting policies on pages 11 to 12 and the notes on pages 13 to 15 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Significant accounting policies

A Statement of compliance These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards.

### New standards and interpretations

The Company did not implement the requirements of any other standards or interpretations that were in issue; these were not required to be adopted by the Company for the year ended 31 March 2023. No other standards or interpretations have been issued that are expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

**B** Basis of preparation The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of the Company accounts are disclosed below. These policies have been consistently applied and apply to all years presented.

The Directors have acknowledged their responsibilities in relation to the financial statements for the year to 31 March 2023. After making the assessment on going concern for a period of 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements, the Directors considered it appropriate to prepare the financial statements of the Company on a going concern basis.

The financial statements are presented in euros, the functional currency of the Company, being the currency in which it operates and generates revenue and incurs expenses

C Significant accounting estimates and judgements The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods. The most significant techniques for estimation are described in the accounting policies below.

- **D** Operating expenses Operating expenses are charged to the Statement of comprehensive income on an accrual basis.
- **E** Offsetting financial assets and liabilities Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position 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 assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously. As at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022, no financial assets and liabilities are offset in the Statement of financial position.
- F Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents in the Statement of financial position comprise cash at bank.

# Significant accounting policies (continued)

**G** Income taxes Income taxes represent the sum of the tax currently payable, and deferred tax. Tax is charged or credited in the Statement of comprehensive income, except where it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the tax is also dealt with in equity.

The tax currently payable is based on the taxable profit for the year. This may differ from the profit included in the Statement of comprehensive income because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the Statement of financial position date.

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit ('temporary differences'), and is accounted for using the Statement of financial position liability method.

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

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 using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the Statement of financial position date.

## Notes to financial statements

# 1 Operating expenses

		2023 €	2022 €
Bank charges		3	_
	·	3	

The auditor's remuneration for the year of €8,191 (2022: €7,899) was borne by 3i plc, a fellow subsidiary.

### 2 Directors' emoluments

The Directors of the Company are also Directors of fellow subsidiaries and receive remuneration from 3i plc. The table below shows the total emoluments received by the Directors from the fellow subsidiary.

	2023 €	2022 €
Salaries and benefits	1,737,576	1,589,829
Bonuses	1,569,636	1,757,209
Share based payments	1,691,649	1,168,580
	4,998,861	4,515,618

Emoluments, including share based payments, attributable to the highest paid Director were €2,307,509 (2022: €2,139,588).

The Company has no employees during the year (2022: nil).

The Directors do not receive any emoluments from the Company and do not believe it is practicable to apportion the above amounts to their services as Directors of the Company. The Directors' services to the Company do not occupy a significant amount of their time.

No Directors (2022: nil) of the Company accrued retirement benefits under the 3i Group Pension Plan, a defined benefit scheme.

The Company's contribution to pension schemes on behalf of Directors was €nil for the year to 31 March 2023 (2022: €nil).

# 3 Income taxes

	2023	2022
	€	€.
Current tax		
UK corporation tax	-	-
Deferred income taxes		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	-	-
Adjustment for prior years		<u> </u>
Total income taxes in the Statement of comprehensive income		•

## Reconciliation of total income taxes in the Statement of comprehensive income

The tax charge for the year is different from the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK, currently 19% (2022: 19%), and the differences are explained below:

	2023	2022
	€	€
Loss before tax	(83)	(179)
Loss before tax multiplied by rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2022: 19%)	(16)	(34)
Effects of:		
Tax losses surrendered as group relief for nil consideration	16	34
Total income taxes in the Statement of comprehensive income		•

The Company has no deferred tax liability or deferred tax asset.

At 31 March 2023 3i EFV GP Ltd has tax losses carried forward to €6,182,169 for which no deferred tax asset has been recognised (2022: €6,182,169). It is considered uncertain that there will be sufficient taxable profits in the future against which the associated deferred tax assets can be offset and therefore the assets have not been recognised.

From 1 April 2023, the corporation tax rate will increase to 25%. No further changes to the corporation tax rate have been announced or enacted as at the balance sheet date. Therefore, any recognised deferred tax assets and liabilities are calculated at 25%.

# 4 Issued capital

	Authorised number of shares	Amount €
Allotted and called up ordinary shares of £1 each (€1.3786)	1	1
At 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022	1	1

# 5 Parent undertaking and controlling party

The Company's immediate parent undertaking is 3i Holdings plc.

The Company's ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is 3i which is incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in England and Wales. Copies of its group financial statements, which include the Company, are available from 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD.

## 6 Related parties

During the year the Company entered into transactions, in the ordinary course of business, with related parties. Those transactions with Directors of the Company are disclosed in note 2. There are no other key management personnel.

# 7 Financial risk management

The Company is a subsidiary of 3i. 3i sets objectives, policies and processes for managing and monitoring risk as set out in the Directors' report in the 3i annual report. This note provides further information on the specific risks faced by the Company.

### Capital management

The capital structure of the Company consists of equity. There is sufficient capital in the Company to cover liabilities and the Company is free to transfer capital to the parent company subject to maintaining sufficient reserves to meet statutory obligations. No significant constraints have been identified in the past.

#### Credit risk

The Directors do not believe that there is significant credit risk as the Company had no receivables as at 31 March 2023.

### Liquidity risk

The Directors do not believe that there is significant liquidity risk as the Company had no trade and other payables as at 31 March 2023.

### Market risk

The Directors do not believe that there is significant market risk as the Company does not hold fixed or floating rate loans or liabilities or investments which are exposed to market fluctuations.

## **Currency risk**

The Directors do not believe that there is significant currency risk as in the year ended 2023 the exposure of the Company to foreign currencies was nil and is expected to remain nil in future years.

## 8 Events after the balance sheet date

There were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date.



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# Strategic report

The Directors of 3i Investments plc, acting as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee (the "Manager") present their strategic report on 3i Europartners Va LP (the "Partnership") for the year ended 31 March 2023. The Manager and the Partnership are registered as Alternative Investment Fund Manager ("AIFM") and Alternative Investment Fund ("AIF") respectively, in accordance with the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive ("AIFMD"). The Partnership is regulated by AIFMD rules and regulations. Citibank UK Limited continues to act as depositary for the Partnership.

### Results and business review

The principal activity of the Partnership is to carry on the business of an investor in Buy-out deals across all regions in which 3i Group plc ("3i") invests worldwide.

The main key performance indicators are as follows:

	2023	2022	
	€	€	
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year before carried interest expense	7,576,275	3,781,123	
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	5,783,601	2,773,275	
Net assets attributable to Partners	8,550,021	16,017,944	
Total attributable to Partners	10,687,116	19,675,246	

The results for the year and financial position of the Partnership are as shown in the annexed financial statements on pages 11 and 13.

The Directors of the Manager are satisfied with the performance of the Partnership for the year, which has been driven by realised gains of €7,600,352 and portfolio income of €50,034.

Asset cash flows were derived from proceeds from investments of €18,446,677 and portfolio income of €50,034. The Partnership also distributed €13,251,524 to its Partners.

## Future developments

The term of the Partnership expired on 15 November 2019 and the Manager has undertaken a resolution not to extend the Partnership. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow.

# Strategic report (continued)

### Risk management

The Manager evaluates the Partnership's risk appetite on a regular basis. The principal risks and uncertainties facing the Partnership are considered to be the following:

- Currency risk
- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- Capital management

The Manager has established a risk and financial management framework whose primary objective is to protect the Partnership from events that hinder the achievement of the Partnership's performance objectives, being to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns to investors.

These objectives aim to limit undue counterparty exposure, ensure sufficient working capital exists and monitor the management of risk at a Partnership level. Details of the Partnership's associated risk policies are found in note 9.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

— DocuSianed by

Jasi Halai —0EA157743D8F41A

Jasi Halai Authorised Signatory

Date: 15 June 2023

Registered office:

16 Palace Street London SW1E 5JD

# Members' report

The Directors of the Manager on behalf of the Members present the Members' report and the financial statements of the Partnership for the year ended 31 March 2023.

### Background and general information

The Partnership was established on 29 June 2006 in accordance with its Limited Partnership Agreement ("LPA") amened and restated as at 30 October 2019 and is domiciled in England as an English Limited Partnership under the Limited Partnership Act 1907. The registered office of the Partnership is 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD. The General Partner of the Partnership is 3i EFV GP Ltd.

### Activities and future prospects

The Partnership has been reported as a Qualifying Limited Partnership as defined under The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

The principal activity of the Partnership is to carry on the business of an investor in Buy-out deals across all regions in which 3i invests worldwide.

The Partnership no longer holds any investments.

The term of the Partnership expired on 15 November 2019. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow.

### Partners' interests

A summary of movements in Partners' accounts is given in the Statement of changes in Partners' accounts on page 12.

### Manager

The Manager has responsibility for managing and operating the Partnership and for managing its investment portfolio. The Manager is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

### Going concern

The term of the Partnership ended on 15 November 2019 per the LPA. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee. The partnership no longer holds any investments and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow. For this reason, the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023 have been prepared on a basis other than going concern.

### Events after the balance sheet date

There were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date.

### Disclosure of information to auditor

The Manager on behalf of the Members confirms that: (a) so far as it is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the auditor is unaware; and (b) it has taken all steps it ought to have taken to make itself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of such information.

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# Members' report (continued)

## **Auditor**

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with clause 12.4 of the LPA, the auditor will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

DocuSigned by:

Jasi Halai —0EA157743D8F41A

Jasi Halai

Authorised Signatory

Date: 15 June 2023

Registered office:

16 London SW1E 5JD

# Members' responsibilities statement

The Members have appointed the Manager to prepare the Strategic report, Members' report and the financial statements. The Manager is responsible for preparing the Strategic report, Members' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008 requires the Manager to prepare financial statements for each financial year in accordance with Part 15 and Chapter 1 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Under that law the Manager has elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards and applicable law.

Under company law the Manager 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 Partnership and the profit or loss of the Partnership for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the Manager is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards;
- assess the qualifying partnership's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters
  related to going concern; and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the qualifying partnership or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so. For the reasons stated in the Members' Report and Accounting Policy B, the financial statements have been prepared on a break up basis.

The Manager has been appointed by the Members to fulfil the below responsibilities of the Members.

The Manager is responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Partnership's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Partnership, and which enable the Manager to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to Qualifying Limited Partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008. They are 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, and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the qualifying partnership and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

## **Auditor's report**

### Independent auditor's report to the Members of 3i Europartners Va LP

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of 3i Europartners Va LP (the "qualifying partnership") for the year ended 31 March 2023 which comprise the Statement of comprehensive income, the Statement of changes in Partners' accounts, the Statement of financial position, the Statement of cash flows and the related notes, including the significant accounting policies set out in notes A to N.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the qualifying partnership's affairs as at 31 March 2023 and of its profit
  for the year then ended;
- · have been properly prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to qualifying partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the qualifying partnership in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is a sufficient and appropriate basis for our opinion.

### Emphasis of matter - non-going concern basis of preparation

We draw attention to the disclosure made in note B of the Accounting Policies in the financial statements which explains that the financial statements have not been prepared on the going concern basis for the reasons set out in that note. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### Fraud and breaches of laws and regulations - ability to detect

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to fraud

To identify risks of material misstatement due to fraud ("fraud risks") we assessed events or conditions that could indicate an incentive or pressure to commit fraud or provide an opportunity to commit fraud. Our risk assessment procedures included:

- enquiring of the Members, the 3i Group plc Audit and Compliance Committee, and 3i Group plc internal audit
  and inspection of policy documentation as to 3i Group plc's high-level policies and procedures, as applicable to
  the qualifying partnership, to prevent and detect fraud, as well as whether they have knowledge of any actual,
  suspected or alleged fraud;
- reading meeting minutes of those charged with governance.

We communicated identified fraud risks throughout the audit team and remained alert to any indications of fraud throughout the audit.

As required by auditing standards, and taking into account our overall knowledge of the control environment, we performed procedures to address the risk of management override of controls, in particular the risk that management may be in a position to make inappropriate accounting entries. On this audit we do not believe there is a fraud risk related to revenue recognition because the calculation of revenue is non-judgmental and straightforward, with limited opportunity for manipulation.

We also identified a fraud risk related to the valuation of unquoted investments due to their highly judgmental nature and use of unobservable inputs in their calculation.

We performed procedures including

- identifying journal entries to test based on risk criteria and comparing the identified entries to supporting documentation. These included all post year end and closing journals.
- assessing significant accounting estimates relating to valuation of unquoted investments for bias.

# Auditor's report (continued)

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to non-compliance with laws and regulations

We identified areas of laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements from our general commercial and sector experience and through discussion with the Members (as required by auditing standards), and discussed with the Members the policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations.

We communicated identified laws and regulations throughout our team and remained alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout the audit.

The potential effect of these laws and regulations on the financial statements varies considerably.

Firstly, the qualifying partnership is subject to laws and regulations that directly affect the financial statements including financial reporting legislation (including related companies legislation) and we assessed the extent of compliance with these laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

Secondly, the qualifying partnership is subject to many other laws and regulations where the consequences of non-compliance could have a material effect on amounts or disclosures in the financial statements, for instance through the imposition of fines or litigation. We identified the following areas as those most likely to have such an effect: anti-bribery, data protection, anti-money laundering and certain aspects of qualifying partnership legislation recognising the nature of the qualifying partnership's activities and its legal form. Auditing standards limit the required audit procedures to identify non-compliance with these laws and regulations to enquiry of the members and other management and inspection of regulatory correspondence, if any. Therefore, if a breach of operational regulations is not disclosed to us or evident from relevant correspondence, an audit will not detect that breach.

Context of the ability of the audit to detect fraud or breaches of law or regulation

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify it.

In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of fraud, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Our audit procedures are designed to detect material misstatement. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance or fraud and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

# **Auditor's report (continued)**

### Strategic report and Members' report

The Members are responsible for the Strategic report and the Members' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover those reports and we do not express an audit opinion or, except as explicitly stated below, any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the Strategic report and the Members' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- · we have not identified material misstatements in those reports;
- in our opinion the information given in the Strategic report and the Members' report for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion those reports have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

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

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

We have nothing to report in these respects.

### Members' responsibilities

As explained more fully in the Members' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 6, the Members are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; 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; assessing the qualifying partnership'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 they either intend to liquidate the qualifying partnership or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### Auditor's responsibilities

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 our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not 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 aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

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# Auditor's report (continued)

## The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

This report is made solely to the qualifying partnership's Members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006, as required by regulation 4 of the Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the qualifying partnership's Members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the qualifying partnership and its Members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

—∱<sub>9946049634BE4AA</sub> Benjamin Pott (Senior statutory auditor)

For and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor

**Chartered Accountants** 

15 Canada Square

London

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# Statement of comprehensive income

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
		€	€
Portfolio income	1	50,034	66,265
Unrealised losses on the revaluation of investments	4	_	(370,308)
Realised profits over value on the disposal of investments	2	7,600,352	4,530,143
Gross investment return		7,650,386	4,226,100
Operating expenses	3	(126,988)	(375,342)
Net interest income/expense		70,979	(74,595)
Foreign exchange (losses)/gains		(18,102)	4,960
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year before carried interest expense	9	7,576,275	3,781,123
Carried interest expense	7	(1,792,674)	(1,007,848)
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	е	5,783,601	2,773,275

All items in the above statement are derived from continuing operations. No operations were acquired or discontinued in the year.

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Statement of changes in Partners' accounts

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	Capital Contributions €	Profit and loss account €	Total €
Opening balance of Partners' accounts	1,316	16,016,628	16,017,944
Distributions to Limited Partners	_	(13,251,524)	(13,251,524)
	1,316	2,765,104	2,766,420
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	-	5,783,601	5,783,601
Closing balance of Partners' accounts	1,316	8,548,705	8,550,021

for the year ended 31 March 2022

	Capital Contributions €	Profit and loss account €	Total €
Opening balance of Partners' accounts	1,316	17,393,609	17,394,925
Distributions to Limited Partners	_	(4,150,256)	(4,150,256)
	1,316	13,243,353	13,244,669
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	-	2,773,275	2,773,275
Closing balance of Partners' accounts	1,316	16,016,628	16,017,944

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Statement of financial position

as at 31 March 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
Assets		€	€
Non-current assets			
Investments	4		
Unquoted investments	•	_	13,306,321
Total non-current assets		_	13,306,321
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		8,033,655	6,168,852
Receivables	5	2,687,189	228,228
Total current assets		10,720,844	6,397,080
Total assets		10,720,844	19,703,401
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
Carried interest payable	7		(3,657,302)
Total non-current liabilities		<del>-</del>	(3,657,302)
Current liabilities			
Payables	6	(33,728)	(28,155)
Carried interest payable	7	(2,137,095)	
Total current liabilities		(2,170,823)	(28,155)
Total liabilities		(2,170,823)	(3,685,457)
Net assets attributable to Partners		8,550,021	16,017,944
Represented by:			
Capital contributions		1,316	1,316
Profit and loss accounts		8,548,705	16,016,628
Net assets attributable to Partners		8,550,021	16,017,944
Carried interest allocation	7	2,137,095	3,657,302
Total attributable to Partners		10,687,116	19,675,246

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements have been approved and authorised for issue by the Manager.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

— Docusigned by: Jasi Halai — DEA 157743 D8F41A

Jasi Halai

**Authorised Signatory** 

Date: 15 June 2023

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# Statement of cash flows

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	2023	2022
	€	€
Cash flow from operating activities		
Purchase of investments	_	(5,211,855)
Proceeds from investments	18,446,677	4,530,143
Portfolio income received	50,034	66,265
Bank interest received/paid	70,979	(74,595)
Other operating expenses paid	(120,377)	(392,333)
Carried interest paid	(3,312,881)	(1,037,564)
Net cash flow from operating activities	15,134,432	(2,119,939)
Cash flow from financing activities		
Distributions paid	(13,251,524)	(4,150,256)
Net cash flow from financing activities	(13,251,524)	(4,150,256)
Change in cash and cash equivalents	1,882,908	(6,270,195)
Cash and cash equivalents at the start of the year	6,168,852	12,434,085
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations	(18, 105)	4,962
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	8,033,655	6,168,852

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Significant accounting policies

A Statement of compliance These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards and comply with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to Qualifying Limited Partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

The Partnership is a registered AIF in accordance with the AIFMD and is regulated by AIFMD rules and regulations.

### New standards and interpretations

The Partnership did not implement the requirements of any other standards or interpretations that were in issue; these were not required to be adopted by the Partnership for the year ended 31 March 2023. No other standards or interpretations have been issued that are expected to have a material impact on the Partnership's financial statements.

**B** Basis of preparation The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of the Partnership accounts are disclosed below. These policies have been consistently applied and apply to all years presented other than as stated in the following paragraph.

The term of the Partnership ended on 15 November 2019 per the LPA. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee. The partnership no longer holds any investments and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow. For this reason, the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023 have been prepared on a basis other than going concern and in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 and Partnership (Accounts) Regulation 2008.

The financial statements are presented in euros, the functional currency of the Partnership, being the currency in which Partners' capital commitments, drawdowns and distributions are denominated.

C Significant accounting estimates and judgements The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods. The most significant techniques for estimation are described in the accounting policies below.

The most significant estimates for the Partnership relate to the fair valuation of the investments and carried interest payable. The valuation methodologies for investments are disclosed in accounting policy E and discussed in note 4. The methodology for carried interest is disclosed in accounting policy N.

Carried interest payable is calculated based on the underlying agreements, and assuming all portfolio investments are sold at their fair values at the balance sheet date. The actual amounts of carried interest received and paid will depend on the cash realisations of these portfolio investments and valuations may change significantly in the next financial year. The fair valuation of the investment portfolio is itself a significant accounting estimate, as detailed above. The sensitivity of carried interest to movements in the investment portfolio is disclosed in note 7.

The Manager has concluded that the Partnership continues to meet the definition of an investment entity as its strategic objectives of investing in portfolio investments; providing investment management services to investors for the purpose of generating returns in the form of investment income and capital appreciation; and measuring and evaluating the performance of substantially all of its investments on a fair value basis remain unchanged.

# Significant accounting policies (continued)

- **D** Foreign currency transactions Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into euros at the closing rates of exchange at the balance sheet date. Foreign currency transactions are translated into euros at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction and exchange differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are taken to the Statement of comprehensive income.
- **E** Investments Investments represent equity and loan instruments which are managed on a fair value basis. Investments are recognised and de-recognised on their trade date where the purchase or sale of an investment is under a contract, the terms of which require the delivery or settlement of the investment.

Investments are classified as fair value through profit and loss or are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration given. Unquoted investments, including both equity and loans, are subsequently measured at fair value in accordance with the International Private Equity and Venture Capital ("IPEV") valuation guidelines and IFRS 13, with reference to the most appropriate information available at the time of measurement.

Interest-bearing loans accrue interest which is either settled in cash or capitalised on a regular basis and included as part of the principal loan balance. The capitalisation of accrued interest is treated as part of investment additions during the year. If the fair value of an investment is assessed to be below the principal value of the loan, the Partnership recognises a fair value reduction against any interest income accrued from the date of the assessment going forward. "Capitalisation at nil value" is the term used to describe the capitalisation of accrued interest which has been fully provided for. These transactions are disclosed as additions to portfolio cost with an equal reduction in portfolio value. If the fair value of such an investment is subsequently assessed to be above the fair value of the loan, the interest provision is reversed, with the amount disclosed as an unrealised gain on the revaluation of an investment, converted into euros using the exchange rates in force at the revaluation date. Any foreign exchange differences arising between the recognition and reversal of the provision are shown as foreign exchange in note 1.

Loans and equity are valued together to derive the fair value of the asset, where loan and equity instruments are in the same investment and are invested and disposed of at the same time, and cannot be traded separately. To arrive at the fair value of the unquoted equity and loan instruments, the entire fair value of the asset is estimated. The value is then distributed amongst the different loan, equity and other financial instruments accordingly.

- **F** Revenue recognition The revenue recognised by the Partnership is investment income, analysed into the following components:
  - Realised profits or losses over value on the disposal of investments are the difference between the fair
    value of the proceeds received gross of withholding taxes less any directly attributable costs, on the sale of
    equity and the repayment of loans and receivables, and its carrying value at the start of the accounting
    period.
  - II. Unrealised profits or losses on the revaluation of investments are the movement in the carrying value of investments between the start and end of the accounting period.
  - III. Portfolio income is income that is directly related to the return from individual investments. It is recognised to the extent that it is probable that there will be economic benefit and the income can be reliably measured.
    - Income from loans that is recognised as it accrues by reference to the principal outstanding and the interest rate applicable and is only recognised to the extent that it is deemed recoverable.
    - Transaction fees are recognised to the extent not already offset against priority profit share.
- **G** Operating expenses All operating expenses incurred in relation to the management and administration of the Partnership in accordance with the LPA are charged to the Statement of comprehensive income on an accruals basis.
- H Offsetting financial assets and liabilities Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position 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 assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously. As at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022, no financial assets and liabilities are offset in the Statement of financial position.
- I Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents in the Statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and short term deposits held at call with financial institutions.

# Significant accounting policies (continued)

- **J Distributions** All capital and income receipts are distributed among the Partners based on allocations made in accordance with the LPA and at the discretion of the Manager. Distributions to Partners are accounted for as a deduction to the loan account until the balance is repaid and then as a deduction to the profit and loss accounts. A distribution is recognised in the year when a distribution notice is issued by the Manager.
- K Capital contributions and loan account Capital contributions and loan account are classified as a financial liability. Partners have committed amounts to the Partnership in accordance with the LPA. These commitments will be satisfied through the contribution of capital and loan subscription amounts when admitted to the Partnership. The amounts and the timings of calls for capital contribution and loan commitments from the Limited Partners are at the discretion of the General Partner. Capital contributions and loan account are carried at amortised cost.
- L Receivables Assets, other than those specifically accounted for under a separate policy, are stated at their cost less impairment. Assets are reviewed for recoverability and impairment using the expected credit loss model simplified approach. The Partnership will recognise the asset's lifetime expected credit losses at each reporting period where applicable in the Statement of comprehensive income.
- **M** Payables Liabilities, other than those specifically accounted for under a separate policy, are stated based on the amounts which are considered to be payable in respect of goods or services received up to the Statement of financial position date.
- N Carried interest In accordance with the LPA, the Founder Partner is entitled to receive a share of the realised profits of the Partnership. The Founder Partner will receive its share of the profits after the performance conditions described in the LPA have been met and the outstanding participation for all Partners, including the General Partner, has been repaid. Carried interest is accrued at the balance sheet date where the calculation indicates that the performance conditions would have been achieved and distribution arrangements met were the underlying investments realised at their fair values, taking into account distributions paid to date. An accrual is made equal to the Founder Partner's share of profits in excess of the performance conditions, discounted to reflect the likely actual cash payment date, which may be materially later than the time of the accrual.

An increase or decrease in the carried interest due to the Founder Partner during the year is included as carried interest expense in the Statement of comprehensive income. A recovery of previously accrued carried interest results from a decrease in carried interest due to the Founder Partner, at the reporting date.

# Notes to the financial statements

# 1 Portfolio income

	2023	2022
	€	€
Interest income	_	10,672
Monitoring fees	50,034	55,593
	50,034	66,265

# 2 Realised profits over value on the disposal of investments

	Unquoted Investments	2023 Total
	€	€
Proceeds from investments	20,906,673	20,906,673
Opening carrying value of disposed investments	(13,306,321)	(13,306,321)
	7,600,352	7,600,352
	Unquoted Investments	2022 Total
	€	€
Proceeds from investments	4,530,143	4,530,143
Opening carrying value of disposed investments	-	_
	4,530,143	4,530,143

# 3 Operating expenses

	2023	2022
	€	€
Audit fees	17,748	17,098
Bank charges	39	344
Administration expenses	30,884	30,422
Tax compliance	15,871	15,737
Annual investor meeting and Advisory Board expenses	<del></del>	372
Portfolio company related costs	55,422	310,163
Fund reporting	7,024	1,206
	126,988	375,342

#### 4 Investments

The fair value of unquoted investments comprises of loan instruments of €nil (2022: €13,306,321).

#### Fair value hierarchy

The Partnership classifies financial instruments measured at fair value in the investments according to the following hierarchy:

Level	Fair value input description	Financial instruments
Level 1	Quoted prices (unadjusted) from active markets	No Level 1 financial instruments
Level 2	Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices)	No Level 2 financial instruments
Level 3	Inputs that are not based on observable market data	Unquoted equity instruments and loan instruments

The Partnership's investments in equity instruments and loan instruments are classified by the fair value hierarchy as follows:

Level 1 €	Level 2	Level 3	Total
€	_		
•	€	€	€
Unquoted investments –	_	_	_

	2022	2022	2022	2022
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	€	€	€	€
Unquoted investments	_	-	13,306,321	13,306,321
<del></del>			13,306,321	13,306,321

As at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022, the Partnership did not hold any Level 1 or Level 2 investments.

Investments are reviewed at each year end to ensure that they are correctly classified between Level 1, 2 and 3, in accordance with the fair value hierarchy authorised above. When an investment's characteristics change during the financial period and investments no longer meet the criteria of a given level, they are transferred into a more appropriate level at the beginning of the relevant financial reporting period. There were no transfers in or out of Level 3 in the year (2022: €−).

# 4 Investments (continued)

#### Level 3 fair value reconciliation

	2023	2022
	€	€
Opening fair value	13,306,321	8,464,774
Additions - cash	_	5,211,855
Additions – interest	1,193,201	1,028,240
Of which capitalised at nil value	(1,193,201)	(1,028,240)
Disposals, repayments and write-offs	(13,306,321)	_
Fair value movement	_	(370,308)
Closing fair value	_	13,306,321

A net profit of €7,650,386 (2022: €4,226,100) was recorded in the Statement of comprehensive income as portfolio income and realised profits over value from the disposal of investments from Level 3 assets.

The fair values of all other assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts in the Statement of financial position.

Level 3 inputs are sensitive to assumptions made when ascertaining fair value as described in accounting policy F

The following table summarises the various valuation methodologies used by the Manager to fair value Level 3 instruments, the inputs and the sensitivities applied and the impact of those sensitives to the unobservable inputs. The majority of the Partnership's portfolio have responded well to, and so far largely mitigated high inflation, increased energy prices and interest rates and weaker consumer sentiment, an important consideration in the Partnership's portfolio valuation at 31 March 2023. As part of the Manager's case-by-case review of the Partnership's portfolio companies the risks and opportunities from climate change are an important consideration in the overall discussion on fair value. These risks are adequately captured in the multiple sensitivity.

#### Level 3 unquoted investments

Methodology	Description	Inputs	Fair value at 31 March	Sensitivity on key unobservable input	Fair value impact of sensitivities
			€m		€m
Discounted cash flow	Appropriate for businesses with long-term stable cash flows, typically in Infrastructure or alternatively businesses where DCF is more appropriate in the short term	Long-term cash flows are discounted at a rate which is benchmarked against market data, where possible, or adjusted from the rate at the initial investment based on changes in the risk profile of the investment.  The range of discount rates used in our DCF valuations is nil (2022: 10.9%-10.9%)	(2022: 13)	+5%  For the assets valued on a DCF basis, the Manager has applied a 5% sensitivity to the discount	- (2022: (0.7)) - (2022: 0.7)

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## 5 Receivables

	2023	2022
	€	€
Receivable from portfolio company	2,459,996	_
Other receivables	222,203	222,203
Prepayment	4,990	6,025
	2,687,189	228,228
6 Payables		
	2023	2022
	€	€
Accrued expenses	33,728	28,155
	33,728	28,155
7 Carried interest payable		
	2023	2022
	€	€
Opening carried interest payable	3,657,302	3,687,018
Carried interest payable recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income during the year	1,792,674	1,007,848
Cash paid in the year	(3,312,881)	(1,037,564)
	2,137,095	3,657,302

Carried interest payable at the balance sheet date is discounted to reflect the likely cash payment date, which may be materially later than the time of the accrual. If the carried interest payable were not discounted, the accrual at the balance sheet would remain same at €2,137,095 (31 March 2022: €3,935,000)

A 5% increase in the valuation of all individual assets in the underlying investment portfolio would result in a €–increase in carried interest payable (31 March 2022: €123,800).

A 5% decrease in the valuation of all of individual assets in the underlying investment portfolio would result in a €–decrease in carried interest payable (31 March 2022: €123,800).

## 8 Taxation

Of which: payable is greater than 1 year

No provision for taxation has been made as the Partnership has no liability to taxation. Any taxation arising on the income and gains of the Partnership is payable by the individual Partners.

3,657,302

### 9 Financial instruments and associated risks

The Partnership is subject to currency risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and capital management risk.

#### **Currency risk**

A significant exposure to currency risk is due to fluctuations in foreign currency translation. At 31 March 2023, the Partnership was exposed to currency risk relating to EUR/GBP, EUR/USD and EUR/SEK. At 31 March 2023, had EUR strengthened / weakened by 5%, 10% or 15% in relation to these currencies, with all other variables held constant, net assets attributable to Partners would have decreased / increased respectively by the amounts shown in the following table.

	5%	10%	15%
As at 31 March 2023	€	€	€
GBP	17,905	34,169	49,019
USD	1,425	2,719	3,902
SEK	4,070	7,749	11,109
	23,400	44,637	64,030
As at 31 March 2022	€	€	€
GBP	21,033	40,154	57,612
USD	1,391	2,655	3,810
SEK	2	3	5
	22,426	42,812	61,427

In addition to this, the table below sets out the Partnership's exposure to foreign currency exchange rates with regard to the Partnership's assets and liabilities at the year end. The Partnership's total assets were €10,720,844 (2022: €19,703,401) and the total liabilities (including accrual for carried interest) were €2,170,823 (2022: €3,685,457).

% of total Partnership assets	2023	2022
GBP	3.8 %	2.2 %
USD	0.3 %	0.1 %
SEK	0.8 %	- %
	4.9 %	2.3 %
% of total Partnership liabilities	2023	2022
GBP	1.6 %	0.4 %
	1.6 %	0.4 %

2023: 98.4% (2022: 99.6%) of the Partnership's liabilities were denominated in euros.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk is the potential that an issuer, counterparty or underlying investment third party will be unable to meet commitments that it has entered into with the Partnership and/or the commitments with underlying investment of the Partnership.

Credit risk in relation to the debt element of the Partnership's investments is considered and monitored as part of the valuation process described in note 4. The credit quality of receivables within the investments is based on the financial performance of the individual portfolio company.

At the balance sheet date, there are no balances which were past due or impaired.

# 9 Financial instruments and associated risks (continued)

#### Liquidity risk

The Partnership's liquidity risk is the risk that the Partnership will encounter difficulties raising liquid funds to meet commitments as they fall due. The Manager is responsible for determining the level of liquid funds to be held by the Partnership. A prudent liquidity risk management approach is adopted to ensure sufficient cash is available for both operational expenses and investments through capital calls from Partners and the retention of proceeds from investments. As at 31 March 2023, total commitments to the Partnership were €1,052,900,000 (2022: €1,052,900,000) of which undrawn commitments of €nil (2022: €nil) are callable by the Manager in accordance with the LPA. The last drawdown was made to ensure that the Partnership has adequate resources during the liquidation phase to fund any potential future follow-on investments (both for the remaining portfolio company and in respect of exited portfolio companies where contingent liabilities remain) as well as the Partnership's ongoing liquidation and administration costs as long as the Partnership is in liquidation, which could potentially be for 2-3 years given the current anticipated conclusion of certain claims. A number of former portfolio investments, although exited have a small number of claims outstanding, which are being challenged are anticipated to take some time to resolve. In several of these, the relevant companies have already been liquidated. None of these claims is expected to be successful and accordingly no provision has been made in the Partnership's financial statements for any potential liability.

The Partnership's investments are subject to liquidity risk in the normal course of business. As at 31 March 2023, the Partnership held €nil (2022: €13,306,321) in investments that it considered to be illiquid. The Manager manages this risk by ensuring that sufficient funds exist to meet outstanding commitments, other liabilities incurred by the operating activities of the Partnership and short term liquidity needs, as they fall due.

The following table analyses the Partnership's liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the Statement of financial position date. The amounts in the tables are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

A4 24 M-web 2022	Liabilities less than 1 b	Liabilities etween 1 - 5	Liabilities more than 5	
As at 31 March 2023	vear	vears	vears	Total
	€	€	€	€
Carried interest payable within one year	2,137,095	-	_	2,137,095
Other payables and accrued expenses	33,728			33,728
	2,170,823			2,170,823
As at 31 March 2022				
Other payables and accrued expenses	28,155		<u> </u>	28,155
	28,155			28,155
Other payables and accrued expenses				

The Partnership has no other liabilities to analyse into relevant maturity groupings.

#### Capital Management

The capital of the Partnership is considered to be the capital contributions, loan accounts and profit and loss accounts, which totalled €8,550,021 (2022: €16,017,944) at the reporting date. There are no externally imposed capital requirements on the Partnership. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the General Partner may request additional contributions from the Partners in the form of drawdowns for operating expense or investment purposes and distribute capital back to the Partners on the sale of investments and receipt of income yield. No changes were made in the Partnership's objectives, policies or processes for the management of capital during the year ended 31 March 2023.

# 10 Related parties

During the year the Partnership entered into transactions, in the ordinary course of business, with certain related parties. Each category of related party and its impact on the financial statements is detailed below.

#### **Carried interest**

The Partnership pays carried interest to the Founder Partner when certain conditions relating to the performance of the Partnership are met. The amounts recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 31 March 2023 and in the Statement of financial position as at 31 March 2023 are set out in note 7.

#### **General Partner**

The Partnership pays a priority profit share to the General Partner. During the investment period, the General Partner is entitled to receive a priority profit share equal to 1.75% of the acquisition cost of investments, reduced to the extent that the General Partner or any respective related party is in receipt of any fees related to the Partnership's activities. After the investment period expiry date, the priority profit share is equal to 1.25% of the aggregate acquisition cost of investments as determined at the investment period expiry date, reduced by the acquisition cost of investments that have been realised or permanently written off at the beginning of the relevant accounting period. The Partnership had stopped paying priority profit share after 15 November 2018, being the twelfth anniversary of the Partnership's final closing date.

The General Partner is a related party of the Partnership, being responsible for the financial and operating decisions of the Partnership. The General Partner is a wholly owned subsidiary of 3i Holdings plc, a subsidiary of 3i.

#### Management, administrative and secretarial arrangements

During the year a number of costs were recharged between the Partnership and 3i plc, a subsidiary of 3i, in accordance with the LPA, in relation to operational and investment expenses.

	2023	2022
	€	€
Statement of comprehensive income		
Recharged costs	121,524	51,246
Statement of financial position		
Accrued at the end of the year	15,979	28,155

The Partnership has no interest in any subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures which would be classified as Related undertakings under the Companies Act 2006.

# 11 Controlling party

The Partnership has no ultimate controlling party.

# AIF remuneration disclosure (unaudited)

- For the purposes of the FUND Disclosures set out in FUND 3.3.5(R) (5) and (6), the total amount of remuneration paid by AIFM to its staff for the year to 31 March 2023 was £200 million, of which £45 million was fixed remuneration and £155 million was variable remuneration. Total number of beneficiaries is 241.
- The aggregate total remuneration paid to AIFM Identified Staff for the year to 31 March 2023 was £66 million,
  of which £54 million was paid to Senior Management and £12 million was paid to other AIFM Remuneration
  Code Staff.
- Time allocations to individual AIFs are not recorded either for staff within investment teams or for staff within back office or control functions. A breakdown by AIF of fixed and variable remuneration is therefore not readily available.



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# Strategic report

The Directors of 3i Investments plc, acting as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee (the "Manager") present their strategic report on 3i Europartners Vb LP (the "Partnership") for the year ended 31 March 2023. The Manager and the Partnership are registered as Alternative Investment Fund Manager ("AIFM") and Alternative Investment Fund ("AIF") respectively, in accordance with the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive ("AIFMD"). The Partnership is regulated by AIFMD rules and regulations. Citibank UK Limited continues to act as depositary for the Partnership.

#### Results and business review

The principal activity of the Partnership is to carry on the business of an investor in Buy-out deals across all regions in which 3i Group plc ("3i") invests worldwide.

The main key performance indicators are as follows:

	2023	2022
	€	€
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year before carried interest expense	8,338,658	4,166,155
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	6,401,378	3,082,710
Net assets attributable to Partners	7,282,902	15,570,339
Total attributable to Partners	9,103,229	19,125,590

The results for the year and financial position of the Partnership are as shown in the annexed financial statements on pages 11 and 13.

The Directors of the Manager are satisfied with the performance of the Partnership for the year, which has been driven by realised gains of €8,424,321 and portfolio income of €55,461.

Asset cash flows were derived from proceeds from investments of €20,447,065 and portfolio income of €55,461. The Partnership also distributed €14,688,815 to its Partners.

#### Future developments

The term of the Partnership expired on 15 November 2019 and the Manager has undertaken a resolution not to extend the Partnership. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow.

# Strategic report (continued)

## Risk management

The Manager evaluates the Partnership's risk appetite on a regular basis. The principal risks and uncertainties facing the Partnership are considered to be the following:

- · Currency risk
- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- · Capital management

The Manager has established a risk and financial management framework whose primary objective is to protect the Partnership from events that hinder the achievement of the Partnership's performance objectives, being to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns to investors.

These objectives aim to limit undue counterparty exposure, ensure sufficient working capital exists and monitor the management of risk at a Partnership level. Details of the Partnership's associated risk policies are found in note 9.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

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Date: 15 June 2023

Registered office:

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# Members' report

The Directors of the Manager on behalf of the Members present the Members' report and the financial statements of the Partnership for the year ended 31 March 2023.

#### Background and general information

The Partnership was established on 29 June 2006 in accordance with its Limited Partnership Agreement ("LPA") amended and restated as at 30 October 2019 and is domiciled in England as an English Limited Partnership under the Limited Partnership Act 1907. The registered office of the Partnership is 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD. The General Partner of the Partnership is 3i EFV GP Ltd.

#### Activities and future prospects

The Partnership has been reported as a Qualifying Limited Partnership as defined under The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

The principal activity of the Partnership is to carry on the business of an investor in Buy-out deals across all regions in which 3i invests worldwide.

The Partnership no longer holds any investments.

The term of the Partnership expired on 15 November 2019. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow.

#### Partners' interests

A summary of movements in Partners' accounts is given in the Statement of changes in Partners' accounts on page 12.

#### Manager

The Manager has responsibility for managing and operating the Partnership and for managing its investment portfolio. The Manager is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

#### Going concern

The term of the Partnership ended on 15 November 2019 per the LPA. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee. The partnership no longer holds any investments and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow. For this reason, the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023 have been prepared on a basis other than going concern.

#### Events after the balance sheet date

There were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date.

#### Disclosure of information to auditor

The Manager on behalf of the Members confirms that: (a) so far as it is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the auditor is unaware; and (b) it has taken all steps it ought to have taken to make itself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of such information.

# Members' report (continued)

## **Auditor**

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with clause 12.4 of the LPA, the auditor will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

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Date: 15 June 2023

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# Members' responsibilities statement

The Members have appointed the Manager to prepare the Strategic report, Members' report and the financial statements. The Manager is responsible for preparing the Strategic report, Members' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008 requires the Manager to prepare financial statements for each financial year in accordance with Part 15 and Chapter 1 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Under that law the Manager has elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards and applicable law.

Under company law the Manager 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 Partnership and the profit or loss of the Partnership for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the Manager is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards;
- assess the qualifying partnership's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters
  related to going concern; and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the qualifying partnership or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so. For the reasons stated in the Members' Report and Accounting Policy B, the financial statements have been prepared on a break up basis.

The Manager has been appointed by the Members to fulfil the below responsibilities of the Members.

The Manager is responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Partnership's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Partnership, and which enable the Manager to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to Qualifying Limited Partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008. They are 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, and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the qualifying partnership and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

### **Auditor's report**

#### Independent auditor's report to the Members of 3i Europartners Vb LP

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of 3i Europartners Vb LP (the "qualifying partnership") for the year ended 31 March 2023 which comprise the Statement of comprehensive income, the Statement of changes in Partners' accounts, the Statement of financial position, the Statement of cash flows and the related notes, including the significant accounting policies set out in notes A to N.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the qualifying partnership's affairs as at 31 March 2023 and of its profit
  for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to qualifying partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

#### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the qualifying partnership in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is a sufficient and appropriate basis for our opinion.

#### Emphasis of matter - non-going concern basis of preparation

We draw attention to the disclosure made in note B of the Accounting Policies in the financial statements which explains that the financial statements have not been prepared on the going concern basis for the reasons set out in that note. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

#### Fraud and breaches of laws and regulations - ability to detect

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to fraud

To identify risks of material misstatement due to fraud ("fraud risks") we assessed events or conditions that could indicate an incentive or pressure to commit fraud or provide an opportunity to commit fraud. Our risk assessment procedures included:

- enquiring of the Members, the 3i Group plc Audit and Compliance Committee, and 3i Group plc internal audit
  and inspection of policy documentation as to 3i Group plc's high-level policies and procedures, as applicable to
  the qualifying partnership, to prevent and detect fraud, as well as whether they have knowledge of any actual,
  suspected or alleged fraud;
- reading meeting minutes of those charged with governance.

We communicated identified fraud risks throughout the audit team and remained alert to any indications of fraud throughout the audit.

As required by auditing standards, and taking into account our overall knowledge of the control environment, we performed procedures to address the risk of management override of controls, in particular the risk that management may be in a position to make inappropriate accounting entries. On this audit we do not believe there is a fraud risk related to revenue recognition because the calculation of revenue is non-judgmental and straightforward, with limited opportunity for manipulation.

We also identified a fraud risk related to the valuation of unquoted investments due to their highly judgmental nature and use of unobservable inputs in their calculation.

We performed procedures including:

- identifying journal entries to test based on risk criteria and comparing the identified entries to supporting documentation. These included all post year end and closing journals.
- assessing significant accounting estimates relating to valuation of unquoted investments for bias.

# Auditor's report (continued)

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to non-compliance with laws and regulations

We identified areas of laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements from our general commercial and sector experience and through discussion with the Members (as required by auditing standards), and discussed with the Members the policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations.

We communicated identified laws and regulations throughout our team and remained alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout the audit.

The potential effect of these laws and regulations on the financial statements varies considerably.

Firstly, the qualifying partnership is subject to laws and regulations that directly affect the financial statements including financial reporting legislation (including related companies legislation) and we assessed the extent of compliance with these laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

Secondly, the qualifying partnership is subject to many other laws and regulations where the consequences of non-compliance could have a material effect on amounts or disclosures in the financial statements, for instance through the imposition of fines or litigation. We identified the following areas as those most likely to have such an effect: anti-bribery, data protection, anti-money laundering and certain aspects of qualifying partnership legislation recognising the nature of the qualifying partnership's activities and its legal form. Auditing standards limit the required audit procedures to identify non-compliance with these laws and regulations to enquiry of the members and other management and inspection of regulatory correspondence, if any. Therefore, if a breach of operational regulations is not disclosed to us or evident from relevant correspondence, an audit will not detect that breach.

Context of the ability of the audit to detect fraud or breaches of law or regulation

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify it.

In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of fraud, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Our audit procedures are designed to detect material misstatement. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance or fraud and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

# Auditor's report (continued)

#### Strategic report and Members' report

The Members are responsible for the Strategic report and the Members' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover those reports and we do not express an audit opinion or, except as explicitly stated below, any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the Strategic report and the Members' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- · we have not identified material misstatements in those reports;
- in our opinion the information given in the Strategic report and the Members' report for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- · in our opinion those reports have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

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

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

We have nothing to report in these respects.

#### Members' responsibilities

As explained more fully in the Members' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 6, the Members are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; 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; assessing the qualifying partnership'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 they either intend to liquidate the qualifying partnership or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities

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 our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not 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 aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

# **Auditor's report (continued)**

## The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

This report is made solely to the qualifying partnership's Members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006, as required by regulation 4 of the Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the qualifying partnership's Members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the qualifying partnership and its Members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

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Benjamin Pott / Fang Fang Zhou (Senior statutory auditor)

For and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor

**Chartered Accountants** 

15 Canada Square

London

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Date:

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# Statement of comprehensive income

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
		€	€
Portfolio income	1	55,461	73,456
Unrealised losses on the revaluation of investments	4	_	(410,472)
Realised profits over value on the disposal of investments	2	8,424,321	5,021,494
Gross investment return	- <del>-</del>	8,479,782	4,684,478
Operating expenses	3	(185,463)	(457,431)
Net interest income/expense		64,714	(66,510)
Foreign exchange (losses)/gains		(20,375)	5,618
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year before carried interest expense	•	8,338,658	4,166,155
Carried interest expense	7	(1,937,280)	(1,083,445)
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	•	6,401,378	3,082,710

All items in the above statement are derived from continuing operations. No operations were acquired or discontinued in the year.

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 25 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Statement of changes in Partners' accounts

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	Capital Contributions €	Profit and loss account €	Total €
Opening balance of Partners' accounts	1,459	15,568,880	15,570,339
Distributions to Limited Partners	_	(14,688,815)	(14,688,815)
	1,459	880,065	881,524
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	-	6,401,378	6,401,378
Closing balance of Partners' accounts	1,459	7,281,443	7,282,902

for the year ended 31 March 2022

	Capital Contributions €	Profit and loss account €	Total €
Opening balance of Partners' accounts	1,459	17,086,575	17,088,034
Distributions to Limited Partners	_	(4,600,405)	(4,600,405)
	1,459	12,486,170	12,487,629
Profit and Total comprehensive income for the year	-	3,082,710	3,082,710
Closing balance of Partners'	1,459	15,568,880	15,570,339

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 25 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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# Statement of financial position

as at 31 March 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
Assets		€	€
Non-current assets			
Investments	4		
Unquoted investments	7	_	14,749,556
Total non-current assets			14,749,556
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		6,251,600	4,219,831
Receivables	5	2,978,651	252,991
Total current assets		9,230,251	4,472,822
Total assets		9,230,251	19,222,378
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
Carried interest payable	7		(3,555,251)
Total non-current liabilities		_	(3,555,251)
Current liabilities			
Payables	6	(127,022)	(96,788)
Carried interest payable	7	(1,820,327)	
Total current liabilities		(1,947,349)	(96,788)
Total liabilities		(1,947,349)	(3,652,039)
Net assets attributable to Partners		7,282,902	15,570,339
Represented by:			
Capital contributions		1,459	1,459
Profit and loss accounts		7,281,443	15,568,880
Net assets attributable to Partners		7,282,902	15,570,339
Carried interest allocation	7	1,820,327	3,555,251
Total attributable to Partners		9,103,229	19,125,590

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 25 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements have been approved and authorised for issue by the Manager.

For and on behalf of 3i Investments plc as former Manager and Liquidating Trustee.

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Date: 15 June 2023

# Statement of cash flows

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	2023	2022
	€	€
Cash flow from operating activities		
Purchase of investments	_	(5,777,145)
Proceeds from investments	20,447,065	5,021,494
Portfolio income received	55,461	73,456
Bank interest received/paid	64,714	(66,510)
Other operating expenses paid	(154,075)	(520,334)
Carried interest paid	(3,672,204)	(1,150,101)
Net cash flow from operating activities	16,740,961	(2,419,140)
Cash flow from financing activities	_	
Distributions paid	(14,688,815)	(4,600,405)
Net cash flow from financing activities	(14,688,815)	(4,600,405)
Change in cash and cash equivalents	2,052,146	(7,019,545)
Cash and cash equivalents at the start of the year	4,219,831	11,233,755
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations	(20,377)	5,621
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	6,251,600	4,219,831

The accounting policies on pages 15 to 17 and the notes on pages 18 to 25 form an integral part of these financial statements.

### Significant accounting policies

A Statement of compliance These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards and comply with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to Qualifying Limited Partnerships by The Partnerships (Accounts) Regulations 2008.

The Partnership is a registered AIF in accordance with the AIFMD and is regulated by AIFMD rules and regulations.

#### New standards and interpretations

The Partnership did not implement the requirements of any other standards or interpretations that were in issue; these were not required to be adopted by the Partnership for the year ended 31 March 2023. No other standards or interpretations have been issued that are expected to have a material impact on the Partnership's financial statements.

**B** Basis of preparation The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of the Partnership accounts are disclosed below. These policies have been consistently applied and apply to all years presented other than as stated in the following paragraph.

The term of the Partnership ended on 15 November 2019 per the LPA. The Manager is now acting as the Liquidating Trustee. The partnership no longer holds any investments and intends to liquidate the Partnership following the conclusion of matters relating to deferred consideration and other amounts held in escrow. For this reason, the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023 have been prepared on a basis other than going concern and in accordance with UK-adopted international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 and Partnership (Accounts) Regulation 2008.

The financial statements are presented in euros, the functional currency of the Partnership, being the currency in which Partners' capital commitments, drawdowns and distributions are denominated.

C Significant accounting estimates and judgements The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods. The most significant techniques for estimation are described in the accounting policies below.

The most significant estimates for the Partnership relate to the fair valuation of the investments and carried interest payable. The valuation methodologies for investments are disclosed in accounting policy E and discussed in note 4. The methodology for carried interest is disclosed in accounting policy N.

Carried interest payable is calculated based on the underlying agreements, and assuming all portfolio investments are sold at their fair values at the balance sheet date. The actual amounts of carried interest received and paid will depend on the cash realisations of these portfolio investments and valuations may change significantly in the next financial year. The fair valuation of the investment portfolio is itself a significant accounting estimate, as detailed above. The sensitivity of carried interest to movements in the investment portfolio is disclosed in note 7.

The Manager has concluded that the Partnership continues to meet the definition of an investment entity as its strategic objectives of investing in portfolio investments; providing investment management services to investors for the purpose of generating returns in the form of investment income and capital appreciation; and measuring and evaluating the performance of substantially all of its investments on a fair value basis remain unchanged.

# Significant accounting policies (continued)

**D** Foreign currency transactions Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into euros at the closing rates of exchange at the balance sheet date. Foreign currency transactions are translated into euros at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction and exchange differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are taken to the Statement of comprehensive income.

**E Investments** Investments represent equity and loan instruments which are managed on a fair value basis. Investments are recognised and de-recognised on their trade date where the purchase or sale of an investment is under a contract, the terms of which require the delivery or settlement of the investment.

Investments are classified as fair value through profit and loss or are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration given. Unquoted investments, including both equity and loans, are subsequently measured at fair value in accordance with the International Private Equity and Venture Capital ("IPEV") valuation guidelines and IFRS 13, with reference to the most appropriate information available at the time of measurement.

Interest-bearing loans accrue interest which is either settled in cash or capitalised on a regular basis and included as part of the principal loan balance. The capitalisation of accrued interest is treated as part of investment additions during the year. If the fair value of an investment is assessed to be below the principal value of the loan, the Partnership recognises a fair value reduction against any interest income accrued from the date of the assessment going forward. "Capitalisation at nil value" is the term used to describe the capitalisation of accrued interest which has been fully provided for. These transactions are disclosed as additions to portfolio cost with an equal reduction in portfolio value. If the fair value of such an investment is subsequently assessed to be above the fair value of the loan, the interest provision is reversed, with the amount disclosed as an unrealised gain on the revaluation of an investment, converted into euros using the exchange rates in force at the revaluation date. Any foreign exchange differences arising between the recognition and reversal of the provision are shown as foreign exchange in note 1.

Loans and equity are valued together to derive the fair value of the asset, where loan and equity instruments are in the same investment and are invested and disposed of at the same time, and cannot be traded separately. To arrive at the fair value of the unquoted equity and loan instruments, the entire fair value of the asset is estimated. The value is then distributed amongst the different loan, equity and other financial instruments accordingly.

- **F** Revenue recognition The revenue recognised by the Partnership is investment income, analysed into the following components:
  - Realised profits or losses over value on the disposal of investments are the difference between the fair value of the proceeds received gross of withholding taxes less any directly attributable costs, on the sale of equity and the repayment of loans and receivables, and its carrying value at the start of the accounting period.
  - II. Unrealised profits or losses on the revaluation of investments are the movement in the carrying value of investments between the start and end of the accounting period.
  - III. Portfolio income is income that is directly related to the return from individual investments. It is recognised to the extent that it is probable that there will be economic benefit and the income can be reliably measured.
    - Income from loans that is recognised as it accrues by reference to the principal outstanding and the interest rate applicable and is only recognised to the extent that it is deemed recoverable.
    - Transaction fees are recognised to the extent not already offset against priority profit share.
- **G** Operating expenses All operating expenses incurred in relation to the management and administration of the Partnership in accordance with the LPA are charged to the Statement of comprehensive income on an accruals basis.
- H Offsetting financial assets and liabilities Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position 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 assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously. As at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022, no financial assets and liabilities are offset in the Statement of financial position.
- I Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents in the Statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and short term deposits held at call with financial institutions.

## Significant accounting policies (continued)

- **J Distributions** All capital and income receipts are distributed among the Partners based on allocations made in accordance with the LPA and at the discretion of the Manager. Distributions to Partners are accounted for as a deduction to the loan account until the balance is repaid and then as a deduction to the profit and loss accounts. A distribution is recognised in the year when a distribution notice is issued by the Manager.
- K Capital contributions and loan account Capital contributions and loan account are classified as a financial liability. Partners have committed amounts to the Partnership in accordance with the LPA. These commitments will be satisfied through the contribution of capital and loan subscription amounts when admitted to the Partnership. The amounts and the timings of calls for capital contribution and loan commitments from the Limited Partners are at the discretion of the General Partner. Capital contributions and loan account are carried at amortised cost.
- L Receivables Assets, other than those specifically accounted for under a separate policy, are stated at their cost less impairment. Assets are reviewed for recoverability and impairment using the expected credit loss model simplified approach. The Partnership will recognise the asset's lifetime expected credit losses at each reporting period where applicable in the Statement of comprehensive income.
- **M** Payables Liabilities, other than those specifically accounted for under a separate policy, are stated based on the amounts which are considered to be payable in respect of goods or services received up to the Statement of financial position date.
- **N** Carried interest in accordance with the LPA, the Founder Partner is entitled to receive a share of the realised profits of the Partnership. The Founder Partner will receive its share of the profits after the performance conditions described in the LPA have been met and the outstanding participation for all Partners, including the General Partner, has been repaid. Carried interest is accrued at the balance sheet date where the calculation indicates that the performance conditions would have been achieved and distribution arrangements met were the underlying investments realised at their fair values, taking into account distributions paid to date. An accrual is made equal to the Founder Partner's share of profits in excess of the performance conditions, discounted to reflect the likely actual cash payment date, which may be materially later than the time of the accrual.

An increase or decrease in the carried interest due to the Founder Partner during the year is included as carried interest expense in the Statement of comprehensive income. A recovery of previously accrued carried interest results from a decrease in carried interest due to the Founder Partner, at the reporting date.

# Notes to the financial statements

# 1 Portfolio income

	2023	2022
	€	€
Interest income	_	11,833
Monitoring fees	55,461	61,623
	55,461	73,456

# 2 Realised profits over value on the disposal of investments

	Unquoted Investments	-	2023 Total	
	€	€		
Proceeds from investments	23,173,877	23,173,877		
Opening carrying value of disposed investments	(14,749,556)	(14,749,556)		
	8,424,321	8,424,321		

	Unquoted Investments	2022 Total	
	€	€	
Proceeds from investments	5,021,494	5,021,494	
Opening carrying value of disposed investments	-	_	
	5,021,494	5,021,494	

# 3 Operating expenses

	2023	2022
	€	€
Audit fees	17,750	17,098
Bank charges	72	585
Administration expenses	34,234	33,721
Tax compliance	64,196	60,570
Annual investor meeting and Advisory Board expenses	_	413
Portfolio company related costs	61,427	343,709
Fund reporting	7,784	1,335
	185,463	457,431

### 4 Investments

The fair value of unquoted investments comprises of loan instruments of €- (2022: €14,749,556).

#### Fair value hierarchy

The Partnership classifies financial instruments measured at fair value in the investments according to the following hierarchy:

Level	Fair value input description	Financial instruments
Level 1	Quoted prices (unadjusted) from active markets	No Level 1 financial instruments
Level 2	Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices)	No Level 2 financial instruments
Level 3	Inputs that are not based on observable market data	Unquoted equity instruments and loan instruments

The Partnership's investments in equity instruments and loan instruments are classified by the fair value hierarchy as follows:

	2023	2023	2023	2023
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	€	€	€	€
Unquoted investments	_	_	-	_
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	2022	2022	2022	2022
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	€	€	€	€
Unquoted investments	_	-	14,749,556	14,749,556
			14,749,556	14,749,556

As at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022, the Partnership did not hold any Level 1 or Level 2 investments.

Investments are reviewed at each year end to ensure that they are correctly classified between Level 1, 2 and 3, in accordance with the fair value hierarchy authorised above. When an investment's characteristics change during the financial period and investments no longer meet the criteria of a given level, they are transferred into a more appropriate level at the beginning of the relevant financial reporting period. There were no transfers in or out of Level 3 in the year (2022:  $\in$ –).

# 4 Investments (continued)

#### Level 3 fair value reconciliation

*	2023	2022
	€	€
Opening fair value	14,749,556	9,382,883
Additions - cash	_	5,777,145
Additions – interest	1,322,618	1,139,765
- Of which capitalised at nil value	(1,322,618)	(1,139,765)
Disposals, repayments and write-offs	(14,749,556)	_
Fair value movement	_	(410,472)
Closing fair value	-	14,749,556

A net profit of €8,479,782 (2022: €4,684,478) was recorded in the Statement of comprehensive income as portfolio income and realised profits over value from the disposal of investments from Level 3 assets.

The fair values of all other assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts in the Statement of financial position.

Level 3 inputs are sensitive to assumptions made when ascertaining fair value as described in accounting policy E.

The following table summarises the various valuation methodologies used by the Manager to fair value Level 3 instruments, the inputs and the sensitivities applied and the impact of those sensitives to the unobservable inputs. The majority of the Partnership's portfolio have responded well to, and so far largely mitigated high inflation, increased energy prices and interest rates and weaker consumer sentiment, an important consideration in the Partnership's portfolio valuation at 31 March 2023. As part of the Manager's case-by-case review of the Partnership's portfolio companies the risks and opportunities from climate change are an important consideration in the overall discussion on fair value. These risks are adequately captured in the multiple sensitivity.

## Level 3 unquoted investments

Methodology	Description	Inputs	Fair value at 31 March	Sensitivity on key unobservable input	Fair value impact of sensitivities
			€m		€m
Discounted cash flow	Appropriate for businesses with long-term stable cash flows, typically in Infrastructure or alternatively businesses where DCF is more appropriate in the short term	Long-term cash flows are discounted at a rate which is benchmarked against market data, where possible, or adjusted from the rate at the initial investment based on changes in the risk profile of the investment.  The range of discount rates used in our DCF valuations is nil (2022: 10.9%-10.9%)	– (2022: 14.8)	+5%  -5%  For the assets valued on a DCF basis, the Manager has applied a 5% sensitivity to the discount	- (2022: (0.8)) - (2022: 0.8)

### 5 Receivables

	2023	2022
	€	€
Receivable from portfolio company	2,726,812	_
Other receivables	246,312	246,312
Prepayment	5,527	6,679
	2,978,651	252,991

# 6 Payables

	2023	2022
	€	€
Accrued expenses	127,022	96,788
	127,022	96,788

# 7 Carried interest payable

	2023	2022
	€	€
Opening carried interest payable	3,555,251	3,621,907
Carried interest payable recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income during the year	1,937,280	1,083,445
Cash paid in the year	(3,672,204)	(1,150,101)
	1,820,327	3,555,251
Of which: payable is greater than 1 year	-	3,555,251

Carried interest payable at the balance sheet date is discounted to reflect the likely cash payment date, which may be materially later than the time of the accrual. If the carried interest payable were not discounted, the accrual at the balance sheet would remain same at €1,820,327 (31 March 2022: €3,825,200)

A 5% increase in the valuation of all individual assets in the underlying investment portfolio would result in a €-increase in carried interest payable (31 March 2022: €136,997).

A 5% decrease in the valuation of all of individual assets in the underlying investment portfolio would result in a €–decrease in carried interest payable (31 March 2022: €136,997).

# 8 Taxation

No provision for taxation has been made as the Partnership has no liability to taxation. Any taxation arising on the income and gains of the Partnership is payable by the individual Partners.

## 9 Financial instruments and associated risks

The Partnership is subject to currency risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and capital management risk.

#### **Currency risk**

A significant exposure to currency risk is due to fluctuations in foreign currency translation. At 31 March 2023, the Partnership was exposed to currency risk relating to EUR/GBP, EUR/USD and EUR/SEK. At 31 March 2023, had EUR strengthened / weakened by 5%, 10% or 15% in relation to these currencies, with all other variables held constant, net assets attributable to Partners would have decreased / increased respectively by the amounts shown in the following table.

	5%	10%	15%
As at 31 March 2023	€	€	€
GBP	20,592	39,297	56,376
USD	(1,162)	(2,218)	(3,182)
SEK	4,510	8,588	12,313
	23,940	45,667	65,507
As at 31 March 2022	€	€	€
GBP	22,316	42,604	61,127
USD	34	65	94
CEL			-
SEK	2	3	5

In addition to this, the table below sets out the Partnership's exposure to foreign currency exchange rates with regard to the Partnership's assets and liabilities at the year end. The Partnership's total assets were €9,230,251 (2022: €19,222,378) and the total liabilities (including accrual for carried interest) were €1,947,349 (2022: €3,652,039).

% of total Partnership assets	2023	2022
GBP	5.1 %	2.5 %
USD	0.5 %	0.2 %
SEK	1.0 %	- %
	6.6 %	2.7 %
% of total Partnership liabilities	2023	2022
GBP	1.8 %	0.5 %
USD	3.5 %	1.1 %
	5.3 %	1.6 %

2023: 94.7% (2022: 98.4%) of the Partnership's liabilities were denominated in euros.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk is the potential that an issuer, counterparty or underlying investment third party will be unable to meet commitments that it has entered into with the Partnership and/or the commitments with underlying investment of the Partnership.

Credit risk in relation to the debt element of the Partnership's investments is considered and monitored as part of the valuation process described in note 4. The credit quality of receivables within the investments is based on the financial performance of the individual portfolio company.

At the balance sheet date, there are no balances which were past due or impaired.

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# 9 Financial instruments and associated risks (continued)

#### Liquidity risk

The Partnership's liquidity risk is the risk that the Partnership will encounter difficulties raising liquid funds to meet commitments as they fall due. The Manager is responsible for determining the level of liquid funds to be held by the Partnership. A prudent liquidity risk management approach is adopted to ensure sufficient cash is available for both operational expenses and investments through capital calls from Partners and the retention of proceeds from investments. As at 31 March 2023, total commitments to the Partnership were €1,167,100,000 (2022: €1,167,100,000) of which undrawn commitments of nil (2022: nil) are callable by the Manager in accordance with the LPA. The last drawdown was made to ensure that the Partnership has adequate resources during the liquidation phase to fund any potential future follow-on investments (both for the remaining portfolio company and in respect of exited portfolio companies where contingent liabilities remain) as well as the Partnership's ongoing liquidation and administration costs as long as the Partnership is in liquidation, which could potentially be for 2-3 years given the current anticipated conclusion of certain claims. A number of former portfolio investments, although exited have a small number of claims outstanding, which are being challenged are anticipated to take some time to resolve. In several of these, the relevant companies have already been liquidated. None of these claims is expected to be successful and accordingly no provision has been made in the Partnership's financial statements for any potential liability.

The Partnership's investments are subject to liquidity risk in the normal course of business. As at 31 March 2023, the Partnership held €nil (2022: €14,749,556) in investments that it considered to be illiquid. The Manager manages this risk by ensuring that sufficient funds exist to meet outstanding commitments, other liabilities incurred by the operating activities of the Partnership and short term liquidity needs, as they fall due.

The following table analyses the Partnership's liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the Statement of financial position date. The amounts in the tables are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

	Liabilities	Liabilities	Liabilities	
As at 31 March 2023	iess than 1 b vear	etween 1 - 5	more than 5 vears	Total
	€	€	€	€
Carried interest payable within one year	1,820,327	-	_	1,820,327
Other payables and accrued expenses	127,022			127,022
	1,947,349	_		1,947,349
As at 31 March 2022				
Other payables and accrued expenses	96,788			96,788
	96,788			96,788

#### Capital Management

The capital of the Partnership is considered to be the capital contributions, loan accounts and profit and loss accounts, which totalled €7,282,902 (2022: €15,570,339) at the reporting date. There are no externally imposed capital requirements on the Partnership. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the General Partner may request additional contributions from the Partners in the form of drawdowns for operating expense or investment purposes and distribute capital back to the Partners on the sale of investments and receipt of income yield. No changes were made in the Partnership's objectives, policies or processes for the management of capital during the year ended 31 March 2023.

# 10 Related parties

During the year the Partnership entered into transactions, in the ordinary course of business, with certain related parties. Each category of related party and its impact on the financial statements is detailed below.

#### **Carried interest**

The Partnership pays carried interest to the Founder Partner when certain conditions relating to the performance of the Partnership are met. The amounts recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 31 March 2023 and in the Statement of financial position as at 31 March 2023 are set out in note 7.

#### **General Partner**

The Partnership pays a priority profit share to the General Partner. During the investment period, the General Partner is entitled to receive a priority profit share equal to 1.75% of the acquisition cost of investments, reduced to the extent that the General Partner or any respective related party is in receipt of any fees related to the Partnership's activities. After the investment period expiry date, the priority profit share is equal to 1.25% of the aggregate acquisition cost of investments as determined at the investment period expiry date, reduced by the acquisition cost of investments that have been realised or permanently written off at the beginning of the relevant accounting period. The Partnership had stopped paying priority profit share after 15 November 2018, being the twelfth anniversary of the Partnership's final closing date.

The General Partner is a related party of the Partnership, being responsible for the financial and operating decisions of the Partnership. The General Partner is a wholly owned subsidiary of 3i Holdings plc, a subsidiary of 3i.

#### Management, administrative and secretarial arrangements

During the year a number of costs were recharged between the Partnership and 3i plc, a subsidiary of 3i, in accordance with the LPA, in relation to operational and investment expenses.

	2023	2022
	€	€
Statement of comprehensive income		
Recharged costs	167,642	99,931
Statement of financial position		
Accrued at the end of the year	109,274	96,788

#### Related undertakings

The Partnership makes investments in the equity of unquoted investments where it does not have control but may be able to participate in the financial and operating policies of that company. It is presumed that it is possible to exert significant influence when the equity holding is greater than or equal to 20%. The total amounts included for investments where the Partnership has significant influence but not control are as follows:

	2023	2022
	€	€
Statement of comprehensive income		
Unrealised loss on the revaluation of investments	_	(410,472)
Portfolio income		61,623
Statement of financial position		
Unquoted investments		14,749,556
		14,749,556

The related undertaking was disposed during the year.

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# 11 Controlling party

The Partnership has no ultimate controlling party.

# AIF remuneration disclosure (unaudited)

- For the purposes of the FUND Disclosures set out in FUND 3.3.5(R) (5) and (6), the total amount of remuneration paid by AIFM to its staff for the year to 31 March 2023 was £200 million, of which £45 million was fixed remuneration and £155 million was variable remuneration. Total number of beneficiaries is 241.
- The aggregate total remuneration paid to AIFM Identified Staff for the year to 31 March 2023 was £66 million, of which £54 million was paid to Senior Management and £12 million was paid to other AIFM Remuneration Code Staff.
- Time allocations to individual AIFs are not recorded either for staff within investment teams or for staff within back office or control functions. A breakdown by AIF of fixed and variable remuneration is therefore not readily available.