



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Ignite

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the annexed financial statements of Ignite (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at June 30, 2021, and the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in fund, the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and we state that we have obtained all the information and explanations which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, were necessary for the purposes of the audit.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the statement of financial position, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in fund and the statement of cash flows together with the notes forming part thereof conform with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan and give the information required by the Companies Act, 2017 (XIX of 2017), in the manner so required and respectively give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at June 30, 2021 and of the surplus and other comprehensive loss, the changes in fund and its cash flows for the year then ended.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) as applicable in Pakistan. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants as adopted by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (the Code) and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the directors' report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's reports thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

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

Responsibilities of Management and Board of Directors for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan and the requirements of Companies Act, 2017(XIX of 2017) and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Board of directors are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs as applicable in Pakistan will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs as applicable in Pakistan, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether
 due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and
 obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.
 The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one
 resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions,
 misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing
 an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.







- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the board of directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Based on our audit, we further report that in our opinion:

- a) proper books of account have been kept by the Company as required by the Companies Act, 2017 (XIX of 2017);
- b) the statement of financial position, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in fund and the statement of cash flows together with the notes thereon have been drawn up in conformity with the Companies Act, 2017 (XIX of 2017) and are in agreement with the books of account and returns;
- c) investments made, expenditure incurred and guarantees extended during the year were for the purpose of the Company's business; and
- d) no zakat was deductible at source under the Zakat and Ushr Ordinance, 1980 (XVIII of 1980).

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Asim Masood labal.

Chartered Accountants

Islamabad

Date: October 26, 2021

(A Company incorporated under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017) STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT JUNE 30, 2021

	Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
ASSETS			
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Property and equipment	6	34,357	8,095
Right of use asset	7	171,463	4
Long term loans and advances - considered good	8	1,028	
		206,848	8,095
CURRENT ASSETS			
Loans and advances - considered good	8	18,946	20,956
Short term prepayments		615	-
Funds receivable	9	429,685	275,730
Accrued interest on bank balance		4,026	13,158
Bank balance	10	207,774	336,318
	-	661,046	646,162
TOTAL ASSETS		867,894	654,257
FUNDS AND LIABILITIES			
FUNDS			
Unrestricted funds		6,709	6,709
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Lease liabilities	11	152,022	-
Deferred capital grant	12	34,357	8,095
	_	186,379	8,095
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Current portion of lease liabilities	11 Г	29,415	
Trade and other payables	13	645,391	639,453
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TOTAL FUNDS AND LIABILITIES	· · · <u>-</u>	867,894	654,257
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The annexed notes 1 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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(A Company incorporated under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017) STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
INCOME			
Grant income recognized	15	845,125	1,149,335
EXPENDITURE			
Project/ program activities	16	580,003	908,577
Operating costs	17	249,632	236,038
Finance costs	18	9,346	-
		838,981	1,144,615
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR	<u> </u>	6,144	4,720
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME			
Items that will not be subsequently reclassified to income and expenditure			
Re-measurement (loss) on staff gratuity	13.3.4	(6,144)	(4,720)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR			

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(A Company incorporated under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017) STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Unrestricted Funds Rs '000
Balance at July 1, 2019	6,709
Surplus for the year Other comprehensive loss for the year Total comprehensive income for the year	4,720 (4,720)
Balance at June 30, 2020	6,709
Surplus for the year Other comprehensive loss for the year Total comprehensive income for the year	6,144 (6,144)
Balance at June 30, 2021	6,709

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(A Company incorporated under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Surplus for the year	6,144	4,720
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation on property and equipment Depreciation on right of use asset Finance costs Loss on disposal of property and equipment Amortization of deferred capital grant Amortization of funds receivable Provision for staff gratuity	5,873 26,379 9,346 84 (5,873) (839,252) 8,729 (788,570)	4,813 - - (4,813) (1,144,522) 7,305 (1,132,497)
Changes in: Long term loans and advances - considered good Loans and advances - considered good Short term prepayments Trade and other payables Cash (used in) operating activities	(1,028) 2,010 (615) 3,334 3,701 (784,869)	39,288 12,003 93,342 144,633 (987,864)
Contribution made to staff gratuity fund Funds received during the year Interest income received on bank balance Refund of scholarship Net cash flow (used in) operating activities	(12,269) 707,298 19,073 ————————————————————————————————————	(3,700) 843,000 23,904 - (124,660)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Acquisition of property and equipment Proceeds from disposal of property and equipment Net cash flows (used in) investing activities	(32,499) 280 (32,219)	(735) - (735)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Lease rentals paid during the year	(25,751)	-
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	(128,544) 336,318 207,774	(125,395) 461,713 336,318

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(A Company incorporated under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017) NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

1 THE COMPANY AND ITS OPERATIONS

1.1 Status and nature of activities

"Ignite" (the "Company") was incorporated in Pakistan on November 20, 2006, as a Not for Profit Company limited by guarantee and not having a share capital under section 42 of then applicable Companies Ordinance, 1984 (Repealed by the Companies Act, 2017). The Company was formed under Section 33(D) of Pakistan Telecommunication (Reorganization) Act, 1996. The registered office of the Company is situated at 3rd Floor, Telecom Foundation Complex, 7-Mauve Area, G-9/4, Islamabad.

Pursuant to Section 3 of the Research and Development Fund Rules 2006, operations of the Company are funded by the Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication (MoITT), Government of Pakistan through a Research and Development Fund (the "Fund"), [a separate entity established under section 33(C) of Telecommunication Re-organization (Amendment) Ordinance, 2005]. The Fund is under the control of Federal Government, which administers the Fund through a Policy Committee.

The primary objective of the Company is to promote research and development activities in the field of Information Communication Technologies (ICT) through disbursement of grants to implementing partners, received from the Government of Pakistan and other national and international funding agencies.

1.2 The Company's license issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) under section 42 of the Companies Ordinance, 1984 (now the Companies Act, 2017) expired on July 13, 2020. As per license, it is renewable for a further term of five years each on application to be made by the Company. Application for renewal has been submitted by the Company to SECP through its letter dated September 17, 2020, the approval of which is awaited. Management is confident that the renewal will be granted in due course.

2 STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan. The accounting and reporting standards applicable in Pakistan comprise of:

- International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS Standards) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017; and
- Accounting Standard for Not for Profit Organizations (Accounting Standard for NPOs) issued by the Institute of the Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017; and
- Provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017.

Where provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 differ from the IFRS Standards, the provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 have been followed.

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3 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND MEASUREMENT

3.1 Accounting convention

These financial statements have been prepared under 'historical cost convention' except as otherwise disclosed in respective accounting policy notes.

3.2 Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. The financial statements are presented in Pakistani Rupees (PKR), which is the Company's functional currency. All financial information presented in PKR has been rounded off to the nearest of thousand, unless otherwise stated.

3.3 Significant accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with approved accounting and reporting standards requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the result of which, form the basis of making judgments 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 recognized in the period in which the estimates are 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.

In the process of applying the Company's accounting policies, management has made the following estimates and judgements which are significant to the financial statements:

- i) Estimated useful life and residual value of property and equipment note 5.1 and note 6
- ii) Estimated value of staff retirement benefits obligations note 5.6 and note 13.3
- iii) Impairment of non-financial and financial assets note 5.3 and note 5.4
- iv) Expected credit loss allowance note 5.4
- v) Right of use assets and corresponding lease liabilities note 5.11, note 7 and note 11
- vi) Contingencies and commitments note 14

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4 NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS

Standards, amendments and interpretations to existing standards that are not yet effective and have not been early adopted by the Company:

Effective date

	(annual reporting periods beginning on or after)
Presentation of Financial Statements (Amendments)	January 1, 2023
Accounting Policies, Change in Accounting Estimates	
and Errors (Amendments)	January 1, 2023
Income Taxes (Amendments)	January 1, 2023
Property, Plant and Equipment (Amendments)	January 1, 2022
Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets	
(Amendments)	January 1, 2022
Business Combinations (Amendments)	January 1, 2022
Financial Instruments: Disclosures (Amendments)	January 1, 2021
Financial Instruments (Amendments)	January 1, 2021
Leases (Amendments)	January 1, 2021
	Accounting Policies, Change in Accounting Estimates and Errors (Amendments) Income Taxes (Amendments) Property, Plant and Equipment (Amendments) Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets (Amendments) Business Combinations (Amendments) Financial Instruments: Disclosures (Amendments) Financial Instruments (Amendments)

The management anticipates that the adoption of the above standards, amendments and interpretations in future periods, will have no material impact on the financial statements other than the impact in presentation / disclosures.

Further, the following new standards and interpretations have been issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), which are yet to be notified by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP), for the purpose of their applicability in Pakistan:

- IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting StandardsIFRS 17 Insurance Contracts
- IFRIC 12 Service Concession Arrangements issued by IASB has been waived off by SECP

5 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

5.1 Property and equipment

These are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment loss, if any. Depreciation is charged using the straight-line method so as to write off the depreciable amount of property and equipment over their estimated useful lives. The rates used are stated in note 6 to the financial statements. Depreciation is charged on additions from the month the assets become available for intended use up to the month in which these are derecognized. The assets residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each Statement of Financial Position date.

Maintenance and normal repairs are charged to Statement of Comprehensive Income as and when incurred. Major extensions, renewals and improvements are capitalized.

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5.2 Intangibles assets

An intangible asset is recognized if it is probable that future economic benefits that are attributable to such asset will flow to the Company and the cost of the asset can also be measured reliably. These are stated at cost less accumulated amortization and identified impairment loss, if any. Amortization is charged on a straight line basis so as to write off the amortizable amount of the intangible assets over their estimated useful life. Amortization is charged on additions from the month the assets become available for the intended use up to the month in which these are derecognized.

5.3 Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying value of the Company's assets are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. If any such condition exists and where the carrying value exceeds the estimated recoverable amount, the assets or cash generating units are written down to their recoverable amount. The recoverable amount of an asset or a Cash Generating Unit (CGU) is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs of disposal.

5.4 Financial instruments

Initial recognition

All financial assets and liabilities are initially measured at cost which is the fair value of the consideration given or received. These are subsequently measured at fair value or amortised cost as the case may be.

Classification of financial assets

The Company classifies its financial instruments in the following categories:

- at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"),
- at fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVTOCI"),
- at amortised cost.

The Company determines the classification of financial assets at initial recognition. The classification of instruments (other than equity instruments) is driven by the Company's business model for managing the financial assets and their contractual cash flow characteristics.

Financial assets that meet the following conditions are subsequently measured at amortised cost:

- the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and
- the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

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Financial assets that meet the following conditions are subsequently measured at FVTOCI:

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

By default, all other financial assets are subsequently measured at FVTPL.

The Company classifies its financial liabilities in the following categories:

- at fair value through profit and loss ("FVTPL"), or
- at amortised cost.

Financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, unless they are required to be measured at FVTPL (such as instruments held for trading or derivatives) or the Company has opted to measure them at FVTPL.

Subsequent measurement

i) Financial assets at FVTOCI

Investments elected to be as equity instruments at FVTOCI are initially recognized at fair value plus transaction costs. Subsequently, they are measured at fair value, with gains or losses arising from changes in fair value recognised in other comprehensive income / (loss).

ii) Financial assets and liabilities at amortised cost

Financial assets and liabilities at amortised cost are initially recognised at fair value, and subsequently carried at amortised cost, and in the case of financial assets, less any impairment.

iii) Financial assets and liabilities at FVTPL

Financial assets and liabilities carried at FVTPL are initially recorded at fair value and transaction costs are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income. Realised and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the financial assets and liabilities held at FVTPL are included in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

Where management has opted to recognise a financial liability at FVTPL, any changes associated with the Company's own credit risk will be recognized in other comprehensive income/(loss). Currently, there are no financial liabilities designated at FVTPL.

Impairment

The Company assesses on a forward-looking basis the expected credit losses ('ECL') associated with its debt instrument assets carried at amortized cost and FVTOCI. The Company recognizes a loss allowance for such losses at each reporting date. The measurement of ECL reflects:

 An unbiased and probability-weighted amount that is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes;

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- The time value of money; and
- Reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

Expected credit loss measurement

IFRS 9 outlines a 'three-stage' model for impairment based on changes in credit quality since initial recognition as summarized below:

- A financial instrument that is not credit-impaired on initial recognition is classified in 'Stage 1' and has its credit risk continuously monitored by the Company.
- If a significant increase in credit risk ('SICR') since initial recognition is identified, the financial instrument is moved to 'Stage 2' but is not yet deemed to be credit-impaired.
- If the financial instrument is credit-impaired, the financial instrument is then moved to 'Stage 3'.
- Financial instruments in Stage 1 have their ECL measured at an amount equal to the
 portion of lifetime expected credit losses that result from default events possible within the
 next 12 months. Instruments in Stages 2 or 3 have their ECL measured based on
 expected credit losses on a lifetime basis.
- A pervasive concept in measuring ECL in accordance with IFRS 9 is that it should consider forward-looking information.

The key judgments and assumptions adopted by the Company in addressing the requirements of the IFRS 9 are outlined below:

Significant increase in credit risk (SICR)

The Company considers a financial instrument to have experienced a significant increase in credit risk when one or more of the quantitative or qualitative criteria have been met including past due history, aging, probability of default etc.

Measuring ECL - Explanation of inputs, assumptions and estimation techniques

The Expected Credit Loss (ECL) is measured on either a 12-month (12M) or Lifetime basis depending on whether a significant increase in credit risk has occurred since initial recognition or whether an asset is considered to be credit-impaired. Expected credit losses are the discounted product of the Probability of Default (PD), Exposure at Default (EAD), and Loss Given Default (LGD), defined as follows:

The PD represents the likelihood of a borrower defaulting on its financial obligation (as per "Definition of default and credit-impaired"), either over the next 12 months (12M PD), or over the remaining lifetime (Lifetime PD) of the obligation.

EAD is based on the amounts the Company expects to be owed at the time of default, over the next 12 months or over the remaining lifetime (Lifetime EAD). The expected amount to be drawn up is computed after adjustment of the appropriate credit factor.

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Loss Given Default (LGD) represents the Company's expectation of the extent of loss on a defaulted exposure. LGD varies by type of financial instrument, counterparty, type and seniority of claim and availability of collateral or other credit support. LGD is expressed as a percentage loss per unit of exposure at the time of default (EAD). LGD is calculated on a 12-month or lifetime basis, where 12-month LGD is the percentage of loss expected to be made if the default occurs in the next 12 months and Lifetime LGD is the percentage of loss expected to be made if the default occurs over the remaining expected lifetime of the loan.

Forward-looking information incorporated in the ECL models

The assessment of SICR and the calculation of ECL both incorporate forward-looking information. The Company has identified the key economic variables impacting credit risk and expected credit losses for each portfolio / party.

Derecognition of financial assets and liabilities

(i) Financial assets

The Company derecognises financial assets only when the contractual rights to cash flows from the financial assets expire or when it transfers the financial assets and substantially all the associated risks and rewards of ownership to another entity. On derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortised cost, the difference between the asset's carrying value and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognised in statement of comprehensive income. In addition, on derecognition of an investment in a debt instrument classified as FVTOCI, the cumulative gain or loss previously accumulated in the investments revaluation reserve is reclassified to statement of comprehensive income. In contrast, on derecognition of an investment in equity instrument which the Company has elected on initial recognition to measure at FVTOCI, the cumulative gain or loss previously accumulated in the investments revaluation reserve is not reclassified to statement of comprehensive income.

(ii) Financial Liabilities

The Company derecognises financial liabilities only when its obligations under the financial liabilities are discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid and payable, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

5.5 Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand and bank balances.

5.6 Staff retirement benefits

Accumulated compensated absences

The Company accounts for accumulated compensated absences in the period in which these absences are earned. An accrual is made for employees compensated absences on the basis of accumulated leaves at the last drawn pay.

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Gratuity scheme

The Company operates a funded gratuity scheme for its employees who have completed the qualifying period as defined under the respective scheme. Liabilities for the scheme are recognized on the basis of an actuarial valuation using the Projected Unit Credit Method. The latest actuarial valuation was performed on June 30, 2021 details of which are given in note 13.3.

Remeasurement gains and losses for the gratuity are recognized in full in the periods in which they occur in other comprehensive income and are not reclassified to income and expenditure account in subsequent periods. The past service costs are recognized at the earlier of when the amendment or curtailment occurs and when the Company has recognized related restructuring or terminations.

5.7 Restricted Funds and Grant Income

Grants are recognized as deferred income, when there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and the Company will comply with the conditions associated with the grant. Amounts received from the Ministry of Information Technology are included in the balance of the restricted funds. Any income earned on these funds is also included in the fund. Any excess of expenditure incurred by the Company over the grant received is recognised as funds receivable in the statement of financial position, when the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated; and ultimate collection is reasonably assured.

Grants that compensate the Company for expenses incurred are recognized in income and expenditure in the same period in which the expenses are recognized. Grants that compensate the Company for cost of an asset are recognized in income and expenditure on a systematic basis over the expected useful life of the related asset, upon capitalization.

5.8 Expenditure on projects / programs activities

Grants received from Ministry of Information Technology, Government of Pakistan, are allocated to the projects / programs based on an evaluation of the envisaged projects' budget. Company recognises expenditure on projects/programs activities on accrual basis of accounting i.e. when expense is incurred by the implementing partner organization in accordance with the relevant agreements.

5.9 Taxation

The grant income of the Company is exempted under clause 102 (A) of the Second Schedule to the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001. Therefore, no provision for taxation has been made in these financial statements.

5.10 Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events and it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made.

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5.11 Leases

Right of use asset

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

The right-of-use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the right-of-use asset or the end of the lease term. The estimated useful lives of right-of-use assets are determined on the same basis as those of property, plant and equipment. In addition, the right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain remeasurements of the lease liability.

Lease liability

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

Lease payments in the measurement of the lease liability comprise the following:

- i) fixed payments including in-substance fixed payments;
- ii) variable lease payment that are based on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- iii) amounts expected to be payable by the lessee under residual value guarantees; and
- iv) the exercise price under a purchase option that the Company is reasonably certain to exercise, lease payments in an optional renewal period if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, and penalties for early termination of a lease unless the Company is reasonably certain not to terminate early.

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

When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in the statement of comprehensive income if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

Variable lease payments are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which the condition that triggers those payments occurs.

The Company has opted not to recognize right of use assets for short-term leases i.e. leases with a term of twelve (12) months or less. The payments associated with such leases are recognized in the statement of comprehensive income when incurred.

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6 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

	Leasehold improvements	Furniture and fittings	Vehicles	Office equipment	Computer equipment	Total
			Rs '000			
As at July 1, 2019						
Cost	-	6,081	111	3,226	33,287	42,705
Accumulated depreciation Net book value		(3,639)	(92) 19	(2,043) 1,183	(24,758) 8,529	(30,532 12,173
Year ended June 30, 2020						
Opening net book value	-	2,442	19	1,183	8,529	12,173
Additions	(<u>*</u>	604	-	21	110	735
Disposals	-	-	/(8)	%(= 5	~	-
Depreciation charge		(443)	(19)	(225)	(4,126)	(4,813)
Closing net book value		2,603		979	4,513	8,095
As at July 1, 2020						
Cost		6,685	111	3,247	33,397	43,440
Accumulated depreciation	-	(4,082)	(111)	(2,268)	(28,884)	(35,345)
Net book value		2,603	27-2	979	4,513	8,095
Year ended June 30, 2021						
Opening net book value		2,603		979	4,513	8,095
Additions	24,226	674	H	97	7,502	32,499
Disposals						**
Cost	-	1,606	-	-	158	1,764
Accumulated Depreciation	-	(1,242)	-	- 1	(158)	(1,400)
	·	(364)	-	-	-	(364)
Depreciation charge	(2,019)	(416)		(178)	(3,260)	(5,873)
Closing net book value	22,207	2,497		898	8,755	34,357
As at June 30, 2021						
Cost	24,226	5,753	111	3,344	40,741	74,175
Accumulated depreciation	(2,019)	(3,256)	(111)	(2,446)	(31,986)	(39,818)
Net book value	22,207	2,497		898	8,755	34,357
Annual rate of depreciation (%)	20	10	20	10	33	

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		2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
7	RIGHT OF USE ASSET	110 000	110 000
	Cost		
	Balance at the beginning of the year	Дe	
	Additions during the year	197,842	-
	Balance at the end of the year	197,842	-
	Accumulated depreciation		
	Balance at the beginning of the year	-	-
	Depreciation charge for the year	(26,379)	-
	Balance at the end of the year	(26,379)	-
	Net Book Value	171,463	
	Annual rate of depreciation (%)	20	-
7.1	Right of use asset represents office premise, obtained o	n rent, by the Company.	

		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
В	LOANS AND ADVANCES - considered good			
	Unsecured - considered good			
	Advances to implementing partners	8.1	6,010	11,096
	Secured - considered good			
	Loans and advances to employees against:			
	Salaries	8.2	12,956	9,665
	Expenditure		1,008	195
		·	13,964	9,860
		S	19,974	20,956
	Less: long term portion of loans and advances			
	shown under non-current assets	8.3	(1,028)	240
			18,946	20,956
		-		

- 8.1 This represents advances for implementation of different projects which will be adjusted against actual expenditure as per the provisions of the relevant project implementation agreements.
- 8.2 This represents loans and advances given to employees against their salaries in accordance with the Company's policy with repayment terms of maximum eighteen months and carry no markup.
- Management considers that the impact of recognizing long term loans and advances at present value of future cash flows would be immaterial, in context of overall financial statements.

	FUNDO DEGENVADI E	Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
9	FUNDS RECEIVABLE			
	Funds receivable/ (restricted funds) at the beginning of the year		275,730	(882)
	Add:			
	Recognized as grant income	15	839,252	1,144,522
	Transferred to deferred capital grant	12	32,135 871,387	735 1,145,257
	Less:		071,007	1,140,201
	Grant received during the year	Ī	(707,298)	(843,000)
	Interest income		(9,941)	(25,645)
	Refund of scholarship		(193)	-
			(717,432)	(868,645)
	Funds receivable at the end of the year	9.1	429,685	275,730
	Telecommunication (MoITT). This represents excess of excompany over the grant received from MoITT. The Company received in the ensuing period.	is confi	dent that the a	mount will be
40	DANK DALANCE	Note	Rs '000	Rs '000
10	BANK BALANCE			
	Cash at bank in:			
	Current account		207,298	=
	Saving account	10.1 _	476	336,318
		=	207,774	336,318
10.1	This represents bank balance in saving account and carries 11.25%) per annum.	mark-u	ip of 5.5% (20	020: 6.5% to
			2021	2020
			Rs '000	Rs '000
11	LEASE LIABILITIES		113 000	110 000
	Balance at the beginning of the year		(2)	
	Additions during the year		197,842	-
	Unwinding of interest on lease liabilities		9,346	-
	Payments during the year	1	(25,751)	
	Balance at the end of the year		181,437	-
	Less: current portion of lease liabilities shown under current liabilit	ies	(29,415)	-
		-	152,022	-

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11.1 The undiscounted maturity analysis of lease liabilities at June 30, 2021 is as follows:

11.1	The undiscounted maturity analysis of lease l	iabilities at Ju	ne 30, 2021 is	as follows:	
		Up to 1 year	Between 2 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
	Lease payments 2021	41,202	168,866	'000	210,068
12	DEFERRED CAPITAL GRANT	74.	Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
Ť	Balance at the beginning of the year			8,095	12,173
	Property and equipment				
	Additions during the year			32,499	735
	Net book value of assets disposed off			(364)	-
	Not book value of assets disposed off		12.1	32,135	735
	Amortization of deferred capital grant			(5,873)	(4,813
	Balance at the end of the year			34,357	8,095
12.1	This represents property and equipment purch received from MoITT as disclosed in note 9.	nased and dip	osed off during	the year fro	m the tunas
				2021	2020
			Note	Rs '000	Rs '000
13	TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		Note	113 000	110 000
	Payable to implementing partners		13.1	588,460	584,000
	Payable to suppliers			10,579	3,833
	Leave encashment payable		13.2	9,640	9,534
	Payable to gratuity fund		13.3	13,465	11,009
	Accrued liabilities			23,247	31,077
				645,391	639,453
13.1	This represents payable to different parties for projects as per the provisions of the relevant p			ments.	147
13.2	Leave encashment payable		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
	Balance at the beginning of the year		**************************************	9,534	6,722
	Charge for the year			10,106	9,651
	Benefits paid during the year			(10,000)	(6,839)
	Balance at the end of the year			9,640	9,534
13.3	Payable to gratuity fund				
13.3.1	The amount recognized in the statement of financial position is as follows:	f	W.		
	Present value of defined benefit obligation Payables		13.3.5	82,584 6,844	70,910 11,441
	Fair value of plan assets		13.3.6	(75,963)	(71,342)
	Net liability at end of the year			13,465	11,009
	The habity of one of the year		-	-	

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		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
13.3.2	The movement of amounts recognised in the			
	statement of financial position are as follows:			
	Net liability at the beginning of the year		11,009	3,404
	Cost for the year recognised in statement of			
	comprehensive income	13.3.3	8,729	7,305
	Payments / contributions made during the year	9	(12,269)	(3,700
	Adjustment against payable		(148)	(720
	Remeasurement loss recognised in statement	1001	0.444	4.700
	of comprehensive income	13.3.4	6,144	4,720
	Net liability at the end of the year	6 6 a	13,465	11,009
13.3.3	The amounts recognised in statement of			
	comprehensive income are as follows:			
	Current service cost		8,772	7,566
	Net interest income		(43)	(261
		-	8,729	7,305
13.3.4	Remeasurements recognised in other comprehensive	i v		
	income are as follows:			
	Remeasurement loss on defined benefit obligation		3,976	635
	Remeasurement loss on plan assets		2,168	4,085
		_	6,144	4,720
13.3.5	Changes in the present value of defined benefit			
	obligation are as follows:			
	Present value of defined benefit obligation as			
	Present value of defined benefit obligation as at beginning of the year		70,910	64,309
	at beginning of the year		70,910 8,772	
	at beginning of the year Current service cost			7,566
	at beginning of the year Current service cost Interest cost	ec "	8,772	7,566 9,056
	at beginning of the year Current service cost Interest cost Benefits paid	e "	8,772 6,746	7,566 9,056 (3,700
	at beginning of the year Current service cost Interest cost Benefits paid Increase in payables by the fund		8,772 6,746 (6,905)	7,566 9,056 (3,700 (6,956
	at beginning of the year Current service cost Interest cost Benefits paid	ne year	8,772 6,746 (6,905) (915)	7,566 9,056 (3,700 (6,956 635
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		2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
13.3.7	Plan assets comprise of		
	Bank balance - saving account	75,964	71,342
13.3.8	Actual return on plan assets	4,621	5,232
13.3.9	Expected contribution for the next year	10,350	8,280

The Company contributes to the gratuity fund on the advice of the fund's actuary. The contributions are equal to the current service cost with the adjustment for any deficit.

13.3.10 Significant actuarial assumptions used were as follows:

	2021	2020
Withdrawal rate	Moderate	Moderate
Mortality rate	Adjusted SLIC	Adjusted SLIC
	(2001-05)	(2001-05)
Discount rate per annum	10.25%	10.00%
Salary increase rate per annum	9.25%	9.00%
Weighted average duration of the obligation	13 years	14 years

13.3.11 Sensitivity analysis

The calculation of defined benefit obligation is sensitive to assumptions set out above. The following table summarizes how the impact on the defined benefit obligation at the end of the reporting period would have increased / (decreased) as a result of a change in respective assumptions.

		Impact on defined benefit obligation		
	Change in assumption	Increase in assumption Rs '000	Decrease in assumption Rs '000	
Discount	1%	(9,776)	11,511	
Salary increase	1%	11,597	(10,017)	

13.3.12 Projected benefit payments from gratuity fund are as follows:

	2021	2020
	Rs '000	Rs '000
For the year 2022	2,347	2,538
For the year 2023	2,375	2,364
For the year 2024	2,346	2,350
For the year 2025	2,484	2,279
For the year 2026	2,658	2,360
For the year 2027-31	43,973	31,300

The impact of changes in assumptions has been determined by revaluation of the obligation on different rates.

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14 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

14.1 Contingencies

There are no material contingencies at June 30, 2021 (2020: Rs Nil).

		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
14.2	Commitments to disburse funds in respect of:			
	National incubation centers		1,213,603	1,507,836_
	Technical research and development projects		61,876	104,221
	Digiskills project		105,149	276,433
15	GRANT INCOME RECOGNIZED			
	Amortization of deferred capital grant	12	5,873	4,813
	Funds receivable recognized as grant income during the year			
	Operating costs	17.2	243,759	231,225
	Finance costs	18	9,346	-
	Project/ program activities Remeasurement loss on	16	580,003	908,577
	defined benefit scheme	13.3.4	6,144	4,720
			839,252	1,144,522
			845,125	1,149,335
16	PROJECT/ PROGRAM ACTIVITIES			
	National incubation centers		343,906	418,641
	Digiskills project		171,972	256,977
	Technical research and development projects		58,511	226,021
	Conferences, seminars and scientific events		5,614	6,938
			580,003	908,577

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		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
17	OPERATING COSTS			
	Salaries and benefits	17.1	164,544	160,438
	Rent and utilities		18,331	34,420
	Travelling expenses		6,969	9,866
	Communication charges and IT support		4,608	4,549
	Printing and stationery		1,673	1,471
	Repairs and maintenance		1,291	285
	Janitorial services		2,264	2,269
	Advertising expenses		6,366	4,584
	Auditors' remuneration	17.3	660	605
	Legal and professional charges		777	1,449
	Depreciation on property and equipment	6	5,873	4,813
	Depreciation on right of use asset	7	26,379	-
	External evaluator's fee		1,193	1,816
	Director fees and other expenses		7,638	3,608
	Training, workshop and seminars		27	5,093
	Miscellaneous		1,039	772
			249,632	236,038

17.1 This includes post retirement staff benefits amounting to Rs 8,729 thousand (2020: Rs 7,305 thousand).

		Note	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
17.2	Operating cost charged to funds receivable			
			0.40.000	000 000
	Operating cost	17	249,632	236,038
	Less:			
	Depreciation charged to deferred			
	capital grant		(5,873)	(4,813)
			243,759	231,225
17.3	Auditors' remuneration			
	Statutory audit fee		500	450
	Review fee of statement of compliance		100	100
	Out of pocket expenses		60	55
			660	605

18 FINANCE COSTS

This represents unwinding of interest on lease liabilities recognised during the year, as disclosed in note 11 to the financial statements.

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19	FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS	2021	2020
19.1	Financial assets and liabilities	Rs '000	Rs '000
	Financial assets at amortised cost		
	Maturity up to one year		
	Loans and advances - considered good	11,928	9,665
	Accrued interest on bank balance	4,026	13,158
	Bank balance	207,774	336,318
		223,728	359,141
	Maturity after one year		
	Long term loans and advances - considered good	1,028	<u> </u>
	2019 (0111) (0111) (1111)	1,028	* -
	Financial liabilities at amortised cost	1	
	Maturity up to one year		
	Lease liabilities	29,415	-
	Trade and other payables	631,926	628,444
		661,341	628,444
	Maturity after one year		* (
	Lease liabilities	152,022	-
		152,022	

Credit quality of financial assets 19.2

The credit quality of Company's financial assets has been assessed below by reference to external credit ratings of counterparties determined by The Pakistan Credit Rating Agency Limited (PACRA) and VIS Credit Rating Company Limited (VIS). The counterparties for which external credit ratings were not available have been assessed by reference to internal credit ratings determined based on historical information for any defaults in meeting obligations.

	Long term Rating	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
Counterparties with external credit rating		4.000	10.450
Accrued interest on bank balance	AAA	4,026	13,158
Bank balance	AAA	207,774	336,318
Counterparties without external credit rating			
Loans and advances - considered good		12,956	9,665

19.3 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

19.3.1 Financial risk factors

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk (including interest rate risk and price risk). The Company's overall risk management policy focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the Company's financial performance. The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework. The Board is also responsible for developing and monitoring Company's risk management policies.

a) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. Company's credit risk is primarily attributable to balances at bank. The management believes that the Company is not exposed to major concentration of credit risk as the exposure is limited and the major exposure is with a bank with reasonably high credit rating.

b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities. Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities. The Company applies prudent risk management policies by maintaining sufficient cash and bank balances. The table below analyses the Company's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the statement of financial position date to the maturity date. The amount disclosed in the table below are undiscounted cash flows:

		2021			2020	
	Maturity up to one year	Maturity after one year	Total	Maturity up to one year	Maturity after one year	Total
		-Rs '000			Rs '000	
Trade and other payables	631,926		631,926	628,444	-	628,444
Lease liabilities	29,415	152,022	181,437	-	-	•

It is not expected that the cash flows included in the maturity analysis could occur significantly earlier or at significantly different amounts.



c) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the value of the financial instrument may fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates or the market price due to change in credit rating of the issuer or the instrument, change in market sentiments, speculative activities, supply and demand of securities and liquidity in the market.

i) Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates. It arises mainly where receivables and payables exist due to transactions with foreign buyers and suppliers. The Company is not exposed to currency risk as there are no foreign currency assets and liabilities.

ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk represents the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates.

The Company has no significant long term interest bearing financial assets and liabilities whose fair value or future cash flows will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates.

Financial assets include Rs 476 thousand (2020: Rs 336,318 thousand) which are subject to interest rate risk. Applicable interest rates for financial assets have been indicated in respective notes.

iii) Price risk

Price risk represents the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of the financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument or its issuer, or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. At the year end, the Company is not exposed to price risk since there are no financial instruments, whose fair value or cash flows will fluctuate because of changes in market prices.

19.3.2 Capital risk management

The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirement.

19.3.3 Fair value of financial assets and liabilities

All financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value of consideration paid or received, net of transaction costs, as appropriate. The carrying values of financial assets and financial liabilities not carried at fair value is a reasonable approximation of their fair values.

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20 REMUNERATION OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE, DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVES

	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
Chief Executive		
	5.007	F 000
Managerial remuneration	5,397	5,333
Transport monetization	523	517
Medical allowance	32	31
Communication reimbursement	49	48
Performance bonus	894	-
Leave encashment	496	62
	7,391	5,991
Number of person(s)*	2	2
Executives		
Managerial remuneration	78,492	64,931
Transport monetization	14,011	13,849
Medical allowance	1,735	1,483
Communication reimbursement	2,011	1,731
Performance bonus	11,509	19,136
Leave encashment	8,100	7,955
Honorarium	5,798	5,052
Conveyance allowance	1,440	936
	123,096	115,073
Number of persons*	29	25
Number of persons"		25

^{*} including those who worked part of the year

20.1 The aggregate amount charged in the financial statements for the year as fees to Directors is Rs. 6,820 thousand (2020: Rs. 2,470 thousand) for attending Board of Directors meetings and sub-committee meetings. Rs. 50 thousand per director per meeting was paid during the year.

21 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

21.1 The Company is wholly owned and sponsored by Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication (MoITT), Government of Pakistan. Its related parties comprise of those companies which are owned and operated by Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication, Government of Pakistan, and have a relationship with the Company by virtue of common directorship.

Aggregate transactions with related parties, other than remuneration to the chief executive, directors and executives of the Company under their terms of employment disclosed in note 20, were as follows:

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	2021 Rs '000	2020 Rs '000
Grant received during the year:		
From MoITT	707,298	843,000
Disbursements made to / (refunds) from:		
National Telecommunication Corporation	419	475
Pakistan Software Export Board	W.0444	(702)
Virtual University of Pakistan	157,612	151,058
Universal Service Fund	60	
Nayatel (Private) Limited	3	5
Pakistan Mobile Communication Limited	107,723	105,659
Employees' Gratuity Fund	12,269	3,700
Amount (payable) / receivable as at June 30,		
National Telecommunication Corporation	(22)	(96)
Universal Service Fund	-	(163)
Virtual University of Pakistan	(44,249)	(37,712)
Pakistan Mobile Communication Limited	(52,414)	(77,801)

21.2 Following are the associated companies and related parties with whom the Company had entered into transactions during the year:

	Basis of Association	Number of shares held in the Company	Aggregate %age of Holding
National Telecommunication Corporation	Common Control	N/A	N/A
Pakistan Software Export Board	Common Control	N/A	N/A
Universal Service Fund	Common Control	N/A	N/A
Pakistan Mobile Communication Limited	Common Directorship	N/A	N/A
Nayatel (Private) Limited	Common Directorship	N/A	N/A
Virtual University of Pakistan	Common Control	N/A	N/A
Mr. Asim Shahryar Husain	Chief Executive and Director	N/A	N/A
Syed Junaid Imam	Director and Ex - Chief Executive	N/A	N/A
Syed Shabahat Ali Shah	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Sher Afgan Khan	Ex-Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Ali Sher Mahsud	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Ezaz Aslam Dar	Ex-Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Muhammad Bilal	Ex-Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Muhammad Omar Malik	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Amir Azeem Bajwa	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Rizwan Ahmad Sheikh	Director	N/A	N/A
Dr. Shahid Qureshi	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Khawaja Saad Saleem	Director	N/A	N/A



, 15, 14 (2 ^t 1.1)	Basis of Association	Number of shares held in the Company	Aggregate %age of Holding
Mr. Zia ul Mustafa Awan	Director	N/A	N/A
Dr. Faisal Ahmad Khan	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Aamir Hafeez Ibrahim	Director	N/A	N/A
Mr. Danish Ali Lakhani	Director	N/A	N/A
Employees' Gratuity Fund	Employees' Gratuity Fund	N/A	N/A

22 IMPACT OF COVID - 19 ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The spread of COVID - 19 as a pandemic and consequently imposition of lock down by Federal and Provincial Governments of Pakistan (Authorities) caused an overall economic slow down and disruption to various businesses. The Company has taken appropriate measures to keep its personnel and assets safe and secure and is continually monitoring the situation to counter act the changed environment. Based on management's assessment there is no material impact on the carrying values of assets and liabilities as of June 30, 2021. Management will continue to monitor the potential impact and will take all steps possible to mitigate any effects.

23 NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

Number of persons employed as on June 30, 2021 are 43 (2020: 45). Average number of employees during the year were 44 (2020: 46).

24 DATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUE

> CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

DIRECTOR

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