

Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements

For the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021

(Unaudited – Prepared by Management)

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF UNAUDITED CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATMENTS

In accordance with National instrument 51-102, Part 4, subsection 4.3(3)(a), if an auditor has not performed a review of the interim financial statements, they must be accompanied by a notice indicating that an auditor has not reviewed the financial statements.

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management. The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position

As at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Notes	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021
		\$	\$
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash		352,595	2,602,049
Amounts receivable	7	21,966	15,808
Prepaid expenses and deposits	7	28,707	38,063
Loan receivable	7	23,500	23,500
Share subscription receivable		-	46,100
		426,768	2,725,520
Non-current			
Term deposit		28,750	28,750
Property and equipment	4	79,000	88,300
Mineral properties	3	27,477,053	27,477,053
		27,584,803	27,594,103
		28,011,571	30,319,623
Liabilities Current liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	5,7	1,239,547	1,425,378
Amount owing on mineral properties	3	-	633,900
Lease liability	13	35,900	43,900
,		1,275,447	2,103,178
Non-current liabilities			
Lease liability	13	49,800	49,800
		1,325,247	2,152,978
Shareholders' equity			
Share capital	6	45,382,112	44,949,764
Share subscription	6	-	22,500
Reserves	6	1,111,308	1,050,379
Deficit		(19,807,096)	(17,855,998)
		26,686,324	28,166,645
		28,011,571	30,319,623
Nature of operations and going concern	1		
Subsequent events	14		

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on May 26, 2022 and were signed on its behalf by:

"Marc Levy"
Director
"Charles Ross"
Director

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Comprehensive Loss

For the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		Three months end	ed March 31
	Notes	2022	2021
		\$	\$
Expenses			
Consulting fees		57,500	85,754
Depreciation	4	9,300	143
Exploration costs	3	1,225,690	509,048
Investor communications		139,524	31,652
Office, rent and administration	7	38,286	40,264
Professional fees	7	36,725	35,957
Regulatory fees		8,242	9,828
Salaries and benefits	7	128,417	100,624
Share-based payments	6,7	412,085	443,760
Transfer agent fee and communication		14,943	3,821
Travel and other expenses		2,029	-
Loss before other items		(2,072,741)	(1,260,851)
Accretion expense	13	(3,000)	-
Foreign exchange gain		10,550	10,889
Interest income		777	705
Net loss for the period		(2,064,414)	(1,249,257)
Other comprehensive loss for the period Foreign exchange differences on translation of foreign operations		79,071	
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period		(2,143,485)	(1,249,257)
Loss per share			
Loss per common share – basic and diluted Weighted average number of shares outstanding	ı	(0.04)	(0.03)
basic and diluted	•	52,754,593	41,789,514

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Equity

For the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		Share	capital			Reserve	s		
	Note	Number	Amount	Share subscription payable	Share-based payment	Foreign exchange translation	Total reserves	Deficit	Total
		#	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	Ç
Balance, December 31, 2020 Shares issued for exercise of		51,860,074	43,433,212	-	1,914,600	-	1,914,600	(10,760,261)	34,587,551
warrants	6	150,000	95,000	-	-			_	95,000
Share-based payments Net comprehensive loss	6	-	-	-	443,760	-	443,760	- (1,249,257)	443,760 (1,249,257)
Balance, March 31, 2021		52,010,074	43,528,212	-	2,358,360	-	2,358,360	(12,009,518)	33,877,054
Balance, December 31, 2021		53,984,033	44,949,764	22,500	1,164,000	(113,621)	1,050,379	(17,855,998)	28,166,645
Shares issued for exercise of									
warrants	6	80.000	60,000	(22,500)	_	_	_	_	37,500
Shares issued for vested RSU Shares issued for settlement of	6	253,875	158,769	-	(158,769)	-	(158,769)	-	-
debt	6	284,772	213,579	_	_	_	_	_	213,579
Share-based payments Cancelled and expired options	6	-	-	-	412,085	-	412,085	-	412,085
and warrants	6	_	_	_	(113,316)	_	(113,316)	113,316	_
Net comprehensive loss		-	-	-	-	(79,071)	(79,071)	(2,064,414)	(2,143,485)
Balance, March 31, 2022		54,602,680	45,382,112	-	1,304,000	(192,692)	1,111,308	(19,807,096)	26,686,324

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows

For the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Three months ende	ed March 31
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Operating activities:		
Loss for the period	(2,064,414)	(1,249,257)
Adjustment for non-cash items:		
Accretion expense	3,000	-
Depreciation	9,300	143
Foreign exchange	(10,550)	(10,889)
Share-based payments	412,085	443,760
Changes in working capital items:		
Prepaid expenses and deposits	9,356	(89,454)
Amounts receivable	(6,158)	3,180
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(676,105)	(71,862)
Cash used in operating activities	(2,323,486)	(974,379)
Financing activities:		
Exercise of warrants	37,500	95,000
Share subscription receivable	46,100	-
Lease liability payments	(11,000)	-
Cash provided by financing activities	72,600	95,000
Decrease in cash	(2,250,886)	(879,379)
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes	1,432	-
Cash, beginning of the period	2,602,049	7,604,968
Cash, end of the period	352,595	6,725,589
Non-cash financing activities:		
Shares issued for debt settlement	213,579	_

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements

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1. Nature of Operations

Norsemont Mining Inc. ("the Company") was incorporated on July 26, 2000 under the Canada Business Corporations Act and continued into BC under the British Columbia Corporations Act on January 30, 2016 as Norsemont Capital Inc. The Company's common shares are traded on the Canadian Securities Exchange ("Exchange") under the symbol "NOM".

The head office, principal address and records office of the Company are located at Suite 610 – 700 West Pender Street, Vancouver, BC, Canada, V6C 1G8. The Company's registered office address is Suite 900 – 885 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V6C 3H1.

The Company is engaged in the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties. The Company has exploration projects including the Choquelimpie Gold and Silver Project ("Choquelimpie Project") located in Northern Chile and the Burge Lake Project located in Quebec.

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the Company will continue as a going concern, meaning it will continue in operation for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize assets and discharge liabilities in the ordinary course of operations. As at March 31, 2022, the Company had working capital deficit of \$848,679 (December 31, 2021 - working capital of \$622,342) and accumulated deficit of \$19,807,096 (December 31, 2021 - \$17,855,998). The Company's continuation as a going concern is dependent upon the successful results from its mineral property exploration activities and its ability to attain profitable operations and generate funds therefrom and/or raise equity capital or borrowings sufficient to meet current and future obligations. These factors indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. While the Company has been successful in securing financings in the past, there is no assurance that it will be able to obtain adequate financing in the future or that such financing will be available on acceptable terms. Should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern, the net realizable value of its assets may be materially less than the amounts on its condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position.

Since March 2020, several measures have been implemented in Canada and the rest of the world in response to the increased impact from the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). The Company continues to operate its business at this time. While the impact of COVID-19 on business operations cannot be reasonably estimated at the time, the Company anticipates this could have an adverse impact on its business, results of operations, financial position and cash flows.

2. Basis of Presentation and Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Basis of presentation and consolidation

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting ("IAS 34") using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC"). The accounting policies and methods of computation applied by the Company in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements are the same as those applied in the Company's annual financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2021.

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries, Rosswoll Industries Inc. ("Rosswoll") and Tavros Gold Corp. ("Tavros"), incorporated in British Columbia. Sociedad Contractual Minera Vilacollo ("SCMV") is a wholly owned subsidiary of Tavros, incorporated in Chile. All significant intercompany balances and transactions were eliminated on consolidation.

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2. Basis of Presentation and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

(b) Significant accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates and judgments. Those areas requiring the use of management estimates and judgments are as follows:

(i) Fair value measurement of stock-based payments

The Company measures equity-settled transactions by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. Estimating fair value for share-based payment transactions requires determining the most appropriate valuation model, which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant. This estimate also requires determining the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including the expected life of the share option and volatility and making assumptions about them.

(ii) Going concern

Management has applied judgments in the assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern when preparing its condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021. Management prepares the consolidated financial statements on a going concern basis unless management either intends to liquidate the entity or to cease trading or has no realistic alternative but to do so. In assessing whether the going concern assumption is appropriate, management takes into account all available information about the future, which is at least, but is not limited to, twelve months from the end of the reporting period. As a result of the assessment, management concluded the going concern basis of accounting is appropriate based on its profit and cash flow forecasts and access to replacement financing for the future twelve months.

(iii) Measurement of deferred tax assets and liabilities

Significant judgment is required in determining the provision for income taxes. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The Company recognizes liabilities and contingencies based on the Company's current understanding of the tax law. For matters where it is probable that an adjustment will be made, the Company records its best estimate of the tax liability in the current tax provision. Management believes they have adequately provided for the probable outcome of these matters; however, the final outcome may result in a materially different outcome than the amount included in the tax liabilities.

In addition, the Company recognizes deferred tax assets relating to tax losses carried forward to the extent there are sufficient taxable temporary differences (deferred tax liabilities) relating to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity against which the unused tax losses can be utilized. However, utilization of the tax losses also depends on the ability of the taxable entity to satisfy certain tests at the time the losses are recouped.

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2. Basis of Presentation and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

- (b) Significant accounting estimates and judgments (continued)
 - (iv) Carrying value and the recoverability of mineral properties

Significant judgment is required in determining the carrying value and the recoverability of exploration and evaluation assets, which are included in the statements of financial position based on capitalized acquisition and expenditure costs, facing review for impairment based on factors including the planned exploration budgets and activities, commodity prices, drill results of exploration programs, and strategic direction of the Company.

(c) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations

Accounting standards or amendments to existing accounting standards that have been issued but have future effective dates are either not applicable or not expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements, other than increased disclosure.

3. Mineral Properties

(a) Canada

On May 4, 2020, the Company entered into an option agreement with La Croix Exploration Ltd. ("Optionor") to acquire a 100% interest in the Burge Lake project located in the province of Quebec. In order to exercise the option and maintain the option in good standing, the Company was required to pay the Optionor an aggregate of \$285,000 (\$135,000 in year 1 and \$150,000 in year 2) and incur exploration expenditures of \$250,000 within two years of signing of the option agreement. As at March 31, 2022, the option agreement was in default as the required payments and exploration expenditures were not met. The property was fully impaired in 2021.

(b) Chile

	December 31, 2021	Additions	March 31, 2022
	\$	\$	\$
Choquelimpie project			
Acquisitions costs – cash	5,247,428	-	5,247,428
Acquisitions costs – shares	22,229,625	-	22,229,625
	27,477,053	-	27,477,053

On July 15, 2020, pursuant to a share purchase agreement (the "Agreement"), the Company acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of Tavros which included the Choquelimpie Project located in northern Chile. The acquisition did not meet the definition of a business under IFRS 3, therefore, the acquisition of Tavros was accounted for as an acquisition of an exploration and evaluation asset.

The Company acquired the Choquelimpie Project for aggregate consideration of \$5,247,428 which comprised of staged cash payments of US\$3,300,000, a finder's fee of \$550,000 and transaction fees capitalized. In addition, 15,000,000 common shares (the "Shares") of the Company at a fair value of \$22,229,625 were issued. Pursuant to the Agreement, the Shares were held in escrow for a period of two years, and as at March 31, 2022, 5,271,429 shares were released from escrow. During the three months ended March 31, 2022, the Company fully settled the remaining payable balance of US\$500,000. Of that amount, USD\$329,750 was paid in cash and USD\$170,250 was settled by issuing 284,772 common shares (for \$213,579) (Note 6).

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3. Mineral Properties (continued)

(c) Exploration Costs

During the three months ended March 31, 2022, the Company incurred \$1,225,690 (2021 - \$509,048) in exploration costs related to the Choquelimpie Project in Chile as follows:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Consulting fees	122,323	130,572
Field operating costs	77,312	51,934
Field/camp maintenance	8,262	44,779
Geo assays and materials	338,382	-
Mining property and water rights	103,514	70,095
Office and administration	105,036	34,634
Salaries	419,589	153,989
Travel expenses	51,272	23,045
	1,225,690	509,048

4. Property and equipment

	Right-of-use asset	Equipment	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Cost			
Balance, December 31, 2020	-	10,022	10,022
Additions (Note 13)	111,300	-	111,300
Balance, December 31, 2021 and			
March 31, 2022	111,300	10,022	121,322
Accumulated depreciation			
Balance, December 31, 2020	-	7,072	7,072
Depreciation	23,000	2,950	25,950
Balance, December 31, 2021	23,000	10,022	33,022
Depreciation (Note 13)	9,300	-	9,300
Balance, March 31, 2022	32,300	10,022	42,322
Net book value			
December 31, 2021	88,300	-	88,300
March 31, 2022	79,000	-	79,000

The Company entered into new lease agreements during the year ended December 31, 2021 to rent 2 trucks (Note 13). The Right-of-use asset ("ROU") is depreciated using a straight-line method over the lease term of the underlying asset (3 years).

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5. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Accounts payable	80,871	114,903
Accounts payable – Chile	1,020,763	1,215,593
Accrued liabilities (Note 7)	59,000	61,000
Payroll liabilities (Note 7)	78,913	33,882
	1,239,547	1,425,378

6. Share Capital and Reserves

(a) Authorized

An unlimited number of common shares without par value.

(b) Issued share capital

As at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, there were 54,602,680 and 53,984,033 issued and outstanding common shares, respectively.

Period ended March 31, 2022:

- 30,000 shares were issued pursuant to shares subscription payable from warrants exercised in the year ended December 31, 2021.
- 50,000 shares were issued pursuant to warrants exercise for gross proceeds of \$37,500 (Note 6c).
- 284,772 shares were issued pursuant to a settlement of debt (Note 3b) with a fair value of \$213,579.
- 253,875 shares were issued pursuant to vested restricted share units with a fair value of \$158,769 (Note 6e).

Year ended December 31, 2021:

- A total of 2,123,959 common shares were issued pursuant to warrant exercises for gross proceeds of \$1,516,552.
- As at December 31, 2021, a total 30,000 shares were issuable from warrants exercises. These shares were issued subsequent to year-end.

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6. Share Capital and Reserves (continued)

(c) Warrants

The continuity of share purchase warrants issued and outstanding is as follows:

	V Warrants	Veighted Average Exercise Price
	#	\$
Balance, December 31, 2020 Exercised	11,021,292 (2,123,959)	1.39 0.71
Balance December 31, 2021	8,897,333	1.54
Exercised Expired	(80,000) (8,817,333)	0.75 1.40
Balance March 31, 2022	-	-
Weighted average remaining contractual life		0 years

(d) Stock options

On July 3, 2020, the Company adopted an Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan ("Plan"). The purpose of this Plan is to provide the Company with a share-related mechanism to attract, retain and motivate qualified Directors, Employees and Consultants of the Company and its subsidiaries. As well, such Directors, Employees and Consultants may be granted awards under this Plan by the Board from time to time for their contributions toward the long-term goals and success of the Company and to enable and encourage such Directors, Employees and Consultants to acquire common shares of the Company as long-term investments and proprietary interests in the Company.

The continuity of stock options issued and outstanding is as follows:

	Options Outstanding	Weighted Average Exercise Price
	#	\$
Balance, December 31, 2020 Granted Forfeited or cancelled	3,320,000 3,175,000 (2,410,000)	1.31 0.75 1.69
Balance, December 31, 2021 Granted Expired	4,085,000 200,000 (50,000)	0.65 0.74 0.32
Balance, March 31, 2022	4,235,000	0.66
Weighted average remaining contractual life		4 years

The weighted average fair value of options granted during the three months ended March 31, 2022 was \$0.45 (2021 – \$0.68) per option.

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6. Share Capital and Reserves (continued)

(d) Stock options (continued)

Vested and non-vested stock options outstanding at March 31, 2022 are as follows:

Exercise Price	Options Outstanding	Expiry Date	Vested Options Exercisable	Non vested Options
\$	#		#	
0.40	40,000	April 27, 2023	40,000	-
0.305	300,000	July 2, 2024	300,000	-
0.18	305,000	October 30, 2025	305,000	-
0.28	50,000	November 2, 2026	50,000	-
0.49	75,000	May 5, 2025	75,000	-
0.54	100,000	May 13, 2025	100,000	-
0.74	135,000	February 23, 2026	135,000	-
0.70	200,000	February 23, 2026	100,000	100,000
0.56	100,000	March 5, 2026	50,000	50,000
0.60	1,200,000	April 20, 2026	450,000	750,000
0.60	350,000	April 21, 2026	131,250	218,750
0.63	85,000	May 3, 2026	31,875	53,125
0.74	210,000	October 20, 2026	113,750	96,250
1.05	885,000	November 19, 2026	110,625	774,375
0.74	200,000	January 31, 2027	100,000	100,000
	4,235,000		2,092,500	2,142,500

The Company recorded share-based payments of \$292,618 for the three months ended March 31, 2022 (2021 - \$430,596) for all stock options granted and/or vested during the period.

The fair values of the stock options granted during the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021 were estimated using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model using the following weighted average assumptions:

	2022	2021
Risk free interest rate	1.64%	0.67%
Dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%
Stock price volatility	74.38%	72.65%
Expected life	5 years	5 years

(e) Restricted share units

RSUs granted to directors and officers vest over a period of 2 years. The continuity of RSUs issued and outstanding is as follows:

	RSUs Outstanding	Weighted Average Fair value
	#	\$
Balance, December 31, 2020 Granted	- 711,000	0.75
Balance, December 31, 2021	711,000	0.75
Released	(253,875)	0.63
Balance, March 31, 2022	457,125	0.75

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6. Share Capital and Reserves (continued)

(e) Restricted share units (continued)

The total share-based payments related to RSUs granted and/or vested for three months ended March 31, 2022 was \$119,467 (2021 - \$13,164). As at March 31, 2022 weighted average remaining contractual life of RSUs is 1.30 years (December 31, 2021 – 1.45 years).

(f) Reserves

Share based payments reserve represent the fair value of stock options or warrants until such time that the stock options and warrants are exercised, at which time the corresponding amount will be transferred to share capital. In addition, upon expiry or forfeiture, the fair value of such vested stock options or warrants is reclassified from the reserve to the retained earnings/(deficit) for presentational purposes. Foreign exchange translation reserve represents the accumulated foreign exchange differences from the translation of the financial information of the Company's subsidiaries to the presentation currency of the consolidated financial statements.

(g) Share subscription payable

Share subscriptions consist of shares to be issued for warrant exercise.

7. Related Party Balances and Transactions

(a) Related party transactions

The Company incurred the following transactions with officers, directors and companies having directors or officers in common:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Office, rent and administration (1)	21,791	29,725
	21,791	29,725

⁽¹⁾ Shared office, rent and administration expense is paid to a company with common directors and officers.

(b) Compensation of key management personnel

The Company's key management personnel have authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company and consist of its Directors, CEO and CFO. During the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, following amounts of the key management compensation were incurred:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
CEO salary	60,000	63,600
Professional fees (1)	30,000	40,500
Share-based payments	225,172	107,985
	315,172	212,085

⁽¹⁾ Professional fees paid to a company controlled by the CFO of the Company for accounting and corporate secretarial services provided.

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7. Related Party Balances and Transactions (continued)

(c) Related party balances (continued)

The following related party amounts are included in prepaid expenses and deposits and accounts payable and accrued liabilities:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Included in prepaid expenses and deposits:	·	
Company having directors and officers in common	14,957	14,716
Included in accounts payable and accrued expenses (Note 5):		
Companies having directors and officers in common	(8,941)	_
Amounts owing to the CFO and CEO of the Company	121,465	39,498

(d) Loan to related party

As at March 31, 2022, the Company had a loan receivable outstanding from a company that has common directors and officers of \$23,500 (2021 - \$23,500). The loan is unsecured, due on demand and bears interest rate of 12% per annum. As at March 31, 2022, accrued interest on this loan was \$6,198 (December 31, 2021 - \$5,493), which is included in amounts receivable on the consolidated statements of financial position.

8. Fair value of financial instruments

The Company's financial instruments include cash, amounts receivable, loan receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities. The carrying values of these financial instruments approximate their fair values due to the short-term maturity of the instruments.

The significance of inputs used in making fair value measurements are examined and classified according to a fair value hierarchy. Fair values of assets and liabilities included in Level 1 are determined by reference to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities. Assets and liabilities in Level 2 include valuations using inputs other than quoted prices for which all significant outputs are observable, either directly or indirectly, and are based on valuation models and techniques where the inputs are derived from quoted indices. Level 3 valuations are based on inputs that are unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement.

During the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, there were no transfers of amounts between Level 1, Level 2, and Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. Cash was recorded using Level 1 input.

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9. Risk management

(a) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a third party to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Company's exposure to credit risk includes cash, and amount receivable. The Company's maximum exposure to credit risk is equal to the carrying value of the financial assets. The Company reduces its credit risk by maintaining its bank accounts at large financial institutions. The amount receivable was due from a related party and from the Canada Revenue Agency (GST receivable). Credit risk associated with receivable was considered low.

(b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company cannot meet its financial obligations as they become due. The Company's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure that it will have sufficient liquidity to settle liabilities and obligations when they become due. As at March 31, 2022, the Company had cash of \$352,595 to settle current liabilities of \$1,275,447. Liquidity risk is assessed as high.

(c) Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that fair value of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company is exposed to foreign exchange rate risk mainly due to its exploration activities in Chile. The Company manages its risk by using large accredited financial institutions to process its foreign currency transactions ensuring market rate of foreign exchange.

	Canadian dollar value of US dollar balances		Canadian dollar value of Chilean peso balances	
	2022	2022 2021		2021
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cash and equivalents	150,223	511,199	24,436	317,799
Accounts payable and accrued				
liabilities (Note 5)	(37,825)	-	(1,020,763)	(1,215,593)
Amount owing on mineral properties	-	(633,900)	-	-
	112,398	(122,701)	996,327	(897,794)

Based on the above net exposures as at March 31, 2022, a 10.0% appreciation in the US dollar would result in a \$11,240 decrease in the Company's other comprehensive income (December 31, 2021 - \$12,270 decrease in other comprehensive income). A 10% appreciation in the Chilean peso would result in a \$99,394 decrease in the Company's income before income taxes during the three months ended March 31, 2022 (2021 - \$89,780 decrease in the Company's income before income taxes).

(d) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect future cash flows or fair values of financial instruments. It arises when the Company invests in interest bearing financial instruments. As at March 31, 2022, the Company did not have any financial instruments subject to significant interest rate risk.

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10. Capital Management

The Company's objective when managing capital is to safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern such that it can continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders. The Company considers the items included in shareholders' equity as capital. The management of the capital structure is based on the funds available to the Company in order to support the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties and to maintain the Company in good standing with the various regulatory authorities. In order to maintain or adjust its capital structure, the Company may issue new shares or debt or sell assets to settle liabilities.

The Company's historical sources of capital have consisted of the sale of equity securities. In order for the Company to carry out planned exploration and development and pay for administrative costs, the Company will spend its working capital and expects to raise additional amounts externally as needed.

The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements and there were no changes in the Company's management of capital during the three months ended March 31, 2022.

11. Commitments and contingencies

As at March 31, 2022, the Company has the following commitments:

	2022	2023	2024	2025 and thereafter	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Accounts payable and accruals (Note 5)	1,239,547	-	-	-	1,239,547
Contractual commitments (1)	69,364	-	-	-	69,364
Lease liability (Note 13) – undiscounted	44,900	43,200	-	-	88,100
	1,353,811	43,200	-	-	1,397,011

⁽¹⁾ Contractual commitments include lease commitments for the non-cancellable term of short-term leases.

12. Segment information

Operating segments are those operations whose operating results are reviewed by the chief operating decision-maker (the individual or individuals performing the duties of the Chief Executive Officer) to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segments and assess their performance, provided those operations pass certain quantitative thresholds, or are deemed significant by management. In order to determine if operating segments shall be aggregated, management reviews various factors, including economic characteristics, nature of their products, production process, regulatory environment, geographical location and managerial structure. Given the size and current stage of its development, no aggregation of segments was made.

The Company operates in the mining industry and has 2 main mining properties. The Company did not generate revenue and/or production costs in the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021. As at March 31, 2022, the Company's mining properties are located in Canada (Burge Lake Project) and Chile (Choquelimpie). Other reportable segment consists of head office/corporate functions and Burge Lake Project, as it was fully impaired in 2021.

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12. Segment information (continued)

The following tables summarize segment information of the Company:

	Choquelimpie		
	Project	Other	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Three months ended March 31,			
2022 and as at March 31, 2022			
Depreciation	9,300	-	9,300
Exploration cost	1,191,433	34,257	1,225,690
Share-based payments	-	412,085	412,085
Loss before other items	1,191,433	881,308	2,072,741
Interest income		777	777
Net loss for the year	1,199,433	864,981	2,064,414
Mineral property	27,477,053	-	27,477,053
Total assets	27,730,983	280,588	28,011,571
Total liabilities	1,106,463	218,784	1,325,247
Three months ended March 31,			
2021 and as at December 31, 2021			
Depreciation	-	143	143
Exploration cost	476,825	32,223	509,048
Share-based payments	-	443,760	443,760
Loss before other items	476,825	784,026	1,260,851
Interest income	-	705	405
Net loss for the year	476,825	772,432	1,249,257
Mineral property	27,477,053	-	27,477,053
Total assets	28,311,048	2,008,575	30,319,623
Total liabilities	1,943,193	209,785	2,152,978

13. Lease liability

The Company entered into a lease agreement to rent a truck for use at its camp at Choquelimpie in Chile. During November 2021, the Company leased a second truck for use at its camp at Choquelimpie. The lease agreements are for the non-cancellable term of 36 months and average total monthly payments of \$3,780. The Company used a 13% incremental borrowing rate to derive its lease liability.

The Company applied an exemption in accordance with IFRS16 with regards to short-term leases. The annual expense summarized below.

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13. Lease liability (continued)

Amounts recognized in statement of financial position are as follows:

	\$
Lease liability, January 1, 2021	<u>-</u>
Additions (Note 4)	111,300
Accretion	8,000
Payment	(25,600)
Lease liability, December 31, 2021	93,700
Accretion	3,000
Payment	(11,000)
Lease liability, March 31, 2022	85,700
Lease liability short term	35,900
•	49.800
Lease liability long term	•

Amounts recognized in statement of comprehensive loss for the three months ended March 31 are as follows:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Depreciation expense on ROU (Note 4)	9,300	-
Accretion expense on lease liability	3,000	-
Short term lease expenses	85,384	54,899
	97,684	54,899

14. Subsequent events

The following events occurred subsequent to March 31, 2022:

- (a) The Company issued \$950,000 convertible debentures bearing interest rate of 6% and maturing in 1 year. Each debenture is convertible into units of the Company at a conversion price of \$1.00 per unit, with each unit consisting of one common share in the capital of the Company and one-half transferable share purchase warrant, and with each warrant exercisable into one share at a price of \$1.25 per share for a period of three years from the conversion date.
- (b) The Company granted 100,000 stock options exercisable at \$0.75 per common share for a period of five years.
- (c) The Company granted 50,000 RSUs exercisable for a period of two years.
- (d) On May 3, 2022, Mr. Adrian King resigned from the Board of Directors, effective immediately.
- (e) On May 3, 2022, Mr. Patrick Burns was appointed to the Board of Directors, effective immediately.