

**Sprott Resource Holdings Inc.**

**Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**For the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2018**  
**(Expressed in United States dollars)**

## MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING

The accompanying audited consolidated financial statements, which consolidate the financial results of Sprott Resource Holdings Inc. (the "**Company**"), were prepared by management, who are responsible for the integrity and fairness of all information presented in the audited consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis ("**MD&A**") for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018. The audited consolidated financial statements were prepared by management in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. Financial information presented in the MD&A is consistent with that in the audited consolidated financial statements.

In management's opinion, the audited consolidated financial statements have been properly prepared within reasonable limits of materiality and within the framework of the significant accounting policies summarized in note 2 of the audited consolidated financial statements. Management maintains a system of internal controls to meet its responsibilities for the integrity of the audited consolidated financial statements.

The board of directors (the "**Board of Directors**") of the Company appoints the Company's audit committee (the "**Audit Committee**") annually. Among other things, the mandate of the Audit Committee includes the review of the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company on a quarterly basis and the recommendation to the Board of Directors for approval. The Audit Committee has access to management and the auditors to review their activities and to discuss the external audit program, internal controls, accounting policies and financial reporting matters.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP performed an independent audit of the consolidated financial statements, as outlined in the auditors' report contained herein. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP had, and has, full and unrestricted access to management of the Company, the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors to discuss their audit and related findings and have the right to request a meeting in the absence of management at any time.

(signed) "*Michael Harrison*"

Michael Harrison  
Interim President and Chief Executive Officer

March 24, 2020

(signed) "*Michael Staresinic*"

Michael Staresinic  
Chief Financial Officer



## *Independent auditor's report*

To the Shareholders of Sprott Resource Holdings Inc.

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### *Our opinion*

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Sprott Resource Holdings Inc. and its subsidiaries (together, the Company) as at December 31, 2019 and 2018, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IFRS).

#### **What we have audited**

The Company's consolidated financial statements comprise:

- the consolidated statements of financial position as at December 31, 2019 and 2018;
- the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the years then ended;
- the consolidated statements of changes in equity for the years then ended;
- the consolidated statements of cash flows for the years then ended; and
- the notes to the consolidated financial statements, which include a summary of significant accounting policies.

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### *Basis for opinion*

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements* section of our report.

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

#### **Independence**

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

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### *Emphasis of matter – liquidity risk*

We draw attention to Note 27 – Liquidity Risk to the consolidated financial statements, which describes liquidity risks of the Company, including events or conditions that indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the Company's subsidiary, Minera Tres Valles SpA.'s ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

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### *Other information*

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Position and Results of Operations.

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

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated 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.

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### *Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the consolidated financial statements*

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated 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.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

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### *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements*

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 Canadian generally accepted auditing standards 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 consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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 consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Company to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance 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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Mariano Ortego.

**(Signed) "PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP"**

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Toronto, Ontario  
March 24, 2020

	Note	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 11,607	\$ 13,500
Trade and other receivables		2,600	7,073
Inventories	4	14,056	20,571
Other current assets		753	729
Portfolio investments	5	6,606	14,899
		<b>35,622</b>	<b>56,772</b>
Assets classified as held for sale	6	9,908	14,013
<b>Total current assets</b>		<b>45,530</b>	<b>70,785</b>
Restricted cash	11	7,000	—
Non-current portion of inventory	4	18,644	—
Portfolio investments	5	—	4,586
Mineral properties, plant and equipment	7	66,981	74,485
Exploration and evaluation asset	8	2,283	1,442
Intangible assets	9	1,738	2,331
Other		980	825
		<b>97,626</b>	<b>83,669</b>
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>\$ 143,156</b>	<b>\$ 154,454</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	10	\$ 29,855	\$ 19,824
Deferred revenue		228	2,925
Current portion of loans and borrowings	11	1,037	14,544
		<b>31,120</b>	<b>37,293</b>
Liabilities classified as held for sale	6	5,286	2,964
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<b>36,406</b>	<b>40,257</b>
Reclamation and other closure provisions	12	4,956	4,759
Loans and borrowings	11	42,971	407
Other non-current liabilities		2,102	1,900
		<b>50,029</b>	<b>7,066</b>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>86,435</b>	<b>47,323</b>
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
Capital stock	13b	303,990	303,990
Common share purchase warrants	13c	6,026	6,026
Treasury stock	13e	(74)	(200)
Contributed surplus		1,849	1,750
Deficit		(227,161)	(187,361)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(37,321)	(38,656)
<b>Total equity attributable to owners of the Company</b>		<b>47,309</b>	<b>85,549</b>
Non-controlling interest		9,412	21,582
		<b>56,721</b>	<b>107,131</b>
<b>Total liabilities and shareholders' equity</b>		<b>\$ 143,156</b>	<b>\$ 154,454</b>
Contingencies and Commitments	21		
Approved by the Board of Directors			
(signed) "Terrence Lyons"		(signed) "Lenard F. Boggio"	
Chairman		Director	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Sprott Resource Holdings Inc.  
Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss  
For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018

Amounts expressed in thousands of United States dollars except per share amounts and number of outstanding shares

	Note	Year Ended	
		Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Revenue	14	\$ 35,688	\$ 32,700
Cost of sales	15	(49,064)	(34,329)
<b>Gross loss</b>		<b>(13,376)</b>	<b>(1,629)</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
General and administrative expenses	17	6,345	6,153
Loss on portfolio investments		9,936	22,603
Finance expenses, net		3,801	2,095
Other income	18	(1,777)	(2,764)
Impairment of non-current assets	16	13,666	—
<b>Net loss from continuing operations</b>		<b>(45,347)</b>	<b>(29,716)</b>
<b>Net loss from discontinued operations</b>	6	<b>(6,855)</b>	<b>(2,936)</b>
<b>Net loss for the year</b>		<b>\$ (52,202)</b>	<b>\$ (32,652)</b>
<b>Net loss from continuing operations attributable to:</b>			
Owners of the Company		\$ (36,375)	\$ (28,673)
Non-controlling interests		(8,972)	(1,043)
<b>Net loss from continuing operations</b>		<b>\$ (45,347)</b>	<b>\$ (29,716)</b>
<b>Net loss attributable to:</b>			
Owners of the Company		\$ (39,802)	\$ (30,139)
Non-controlling interests		(12,400)	(2,513)
<b>Net loss for the year</b>		<b>\$ (52,202)</b>	<b>\$ (32,652)</b>
Net loss from continuing operations per share	20	\$ (1.33)	\$ (0.88)
Net loss from discontinued operations per share	20	\$ (0.20)	\$ (0.09)
Basic and fully diluted net loss per share	20	\$ (1.53)	\$ (0.97)
<b>Weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year</b>			
Basic and fully diluted	20	33,987,568	33,925,954
<b>Net loss for the year</b>		<b>\$ (52,202)</b>	<b>\$ (32,652)</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income (loss)</b>			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to net loss:			
Foreign currency translation differences		1,565	(5,230)
<b>Total comprehensive loss</b>		<b>\$ (50,637)</b>	<b>\$ (37,882)</b>
<b>Comprehensive loss attributable to:</b>			
Owners of the Company		\$ (38,467)	\$ (34,689)
Non-controlling interests		(12,170)	(3,193)
<b>Total comprehensive loss</b>		<b>\$ (50,637)</b>	<b>\$ (37,882)</b>

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Sprott Resource Holdings Inc. December 31, 2019 Consolidated Financial Statements

Sprott Resource Holdings Inc.  
Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity  
For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018  
Amounts expressed in thousands of United States dollars

	Capital Stock	Common Share Purchase Warrants	Treasury Stock	Contributed Surplus	Deficit	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Total	Non- controlling interest	Total Equity
<b>Balance - January 1, 2018</b>	\$ 303,990	\$ 6,026	\$ (192)	\$ 1,675	\$ (157,227)	\$ (34,106)	\$ 120,166	\$ —	\$ 120,166
Net loss for the period	—	—	—	—	(30,139)	—	(30,139)	(2,513)	(32,652)
Foreign currency translation differences	—	—	—	—	—	(4,550)	(4,550)	(680)	(5,230)
Deemed acquisition of MTV and Beretta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24,775	24,775
Change in other reserve	—	—	—	143	—	—	143	—	143
Stock-based compensation	—	—	—	293	—	—	293	—	293
Shares acquired for equity incentive plan	—	—	(364)	—	—	—	(364)	—	(364)
Shares released on vesting of equity incentive plan	—	—	356	(361)	5	—	—	—	—
<b>Balance - December 31, 2018</b>	<b>\$ 303,990</b>	<b>\$ 6,026</b>	<b>\$ (200)</b>	<b>\$ 1,750</b>	<b>\$ (187,361)</b>	<b>\$ (38,656)</b>	<b>\$ 85,549</b>	<b>\$ 21,582</b>	<b>\$ 107,131</b>
<b>Balance - January 1, 2019</b>	\$ 303,990	\$ 6,026	\$ (200)	\$ 1,750	\$ (187,361)	\$ (38,656)	\$ 85,549	\$ 21,582	\$ 107,131
Net loss for the period	—	—	—	—	(39,802)	—	(39,802)	(12,400)	(52,202)
Foreign currency translation differences	—	—	—	—	—	1,335	1,335	230	1,565
Change in other reserve	—	—	—	6	—	—	6	—	6
Stock-based compensation	—	—	—	244	—	—	244	—	244
Shares acquired for equity incentive plan	—	—	(23)	—	—	—	(23)	—	(23)
Shares released on vesting of equity incentive plan	—	—	149	(151)	2	—	—	—	—
<b>Balance - December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 303,990</b>	<b>\$ 6,026</b>	<b>\$ (74)</b>	<b>\$ 1,849</b>	<b>\$ (227,161)</b>	<b>\$ (37,321)</b>	<b>\$ 47,309</b>	<b>\$ 9,412</b>	<b>\$ 56,721</b>

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Sprott Resource Holdings Inc.  
Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows  
For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018  
Amounts expressed in thousands of United States dollars

	Note	Year Ended	
		Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
<b>Operating activities</b>			
Net loss for the year		\$ (52,202)	\$ (32,652)
Items not affecting cash and other adjustments			
Loss from discontinued operations	6	6,855	2,936
Depreciation and amortization	15	8,523	3,110
Finance expense		3,564	1,999
Interest accretion on decommissioning liability	12	237	75
Loss on portfolio investments		9,936	22,603
Stock-based compensation		244	293
Write-down of inventory	4	4,383	—
Impairment of non-current assets	16	13,666	—
Change in non-current portion of inventory	4	(18,644)	—
Other		(233)	—
		(23,671)	(1,636)
Changes in non-cash operating working capital	23a	9,391	(9,153)
<b>Cash used in operating activities of continuing operations</b>		<b>(14,280)</b>	<b>(10,789)</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Additions to mineral properties, plant and equipment		(13,908)	(6,590)
Additions to exploration and evaluation assets		(1,071)	(1,199)
Additions to intangible assets	9	(173)	(119)
Purchase of portfolio investments		—	(7,000)
Capital and interest collected on portfolio investment	5	4,161	3,101
Proceeds from sale of portfolio investments	5	3,846	—
Cash acquired on MTV acquisition	25	—	2,956
<b>Cash used in investing activities of continuing operations</b>		<b>(7,145)</b>	<b>(8,851)</b>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Proceeds from loans and borrowings, net of issuance cost		48,097	10,955
Loans and borrowings paid		(21,034)	(3,825)
Acquisition of treasury stock		(23)	(364)
Interest paid	23b	(1,778)	(1,131)
Restricted cash	11	(7,000)	—
<b>Cash provided by financing activities of continuing operations</b>		<b>18,262</b>	<b>5,635</b>
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents from continuing operations		(3,163)	(14,005)
Impact on foreign exchange on cash balances		1,270	(1,357)
Cash and cash equivalents of continuing operations - Beginning of year		13,500	28,862
<b>Cash and cash equivalents from continuing operations - End of year</b>		<b>\$ 11,607</b>	<b>\$ 13,500</b>

**Supplementary Cash Flow Information**

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

## 1. Corporate Information

Sprott Resource Holdings Inc. (formerly Adriana Resources Inc. or "**ADI**") (together with its subsidiaries, "**SRHI**" or the "**Company**") was incorporated under the laws of British Columbia and continued under the *Canada Business Corporations Act* ("**CBCA**"). SRHI is a publicly-listed diversified resource holding company focused on the natural resource industry. In 2019, SRHI focused on expanding its copper mining operation in Chile and divesting of its legacy Investments. The Company completed its transition from a publicly listed private equity company to a diversified resource holding company on February 1, 2018 (the "**Transition Date**") resulting in the Company consolidating the financial results of its controlled equity investments from that date.

The Company's current principal operating business is its 70% equity interest in the Chilean producing copper mine Minera Tres Valles SpA ("**MTV**"). MTV's main asset is the Minera Tres Valles mining project, in the Province of Choapa, Chile which includes fully integrated processing operations and its two active main mines. The major active ore extraction operations include the Don Gabriel open pit mine ("**Don Gabriel**") and the Papomono underground mine ("**Papomono**"). The first copper cathodes shipment took place in January 2011. The Company has consolidated MTV from the Transition Date and the net loss of the Company includes the net loss of MTV from the Transition Date. See Note 27 for a description of management's evaluation of MTV's severe liquidity conditions and its impact on the continuation of MTV as a going concern.

On August 13, 2018, the Company completed a consolidation (the "**Share Consolidation**") of its share capital on the basis of twenty (20) existing common shares for one (1) new common share. As a result of the Share Consolidation, the 681,680,846 common shares issued and outstanding as at that date were consolidated to 34,082,992 common shares. It takes 20 common share purchase warrants to purchase 1 common share at a total exercise price of \$6.66. The Share Consolidation was previously approved by the shareholders at a meeting held on May 10, 2018. All information in these Financial Statements (as defined below) is presented on a post-Share Consolidation basis.

The Company is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("**TSX**") and trades under the symbol "SRHI".

The Company's head office is located at Royal Bank Plaza, South Tower, 200 Bay Street, Suite 2600, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5J 2J1.

These Financial Statements (as defined below) were approved for issue by the Board of Directors (the "**Board**") on March 24, 2020.

## 2. Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of these audited annual consolidated financial statements ("**Financial Statements**").

### a. Basis of Preparation

These Financial Statements of the Company have been prepared on a going concern basis in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("**IFRS**"), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("**IASB**").

Effective the Transition Date, the Company completed its previously announced transition to a diversified holding company resulting in the Company no longer relying on the reporting requirements applicable to it as an investment entity ("**Investment Entity Reporting**") under IFRS 10: *Consolidated Financial Statements*. As a result, and on the Transition Date, the Company was required to apply the acquisition method of accounting to its investments in MTV and Beretta Farms Inc. ("**Beretta**") (see Note 25).

The resulting financial reporting change was significant to the Company. Effective the Transition Date, the Company recognized MTV and Beretta as controlled entities and consolidated their respective financial accounts with those of the Company. This resulted in the introduction of MTV's and Beretta's assets, liabilities, and a non-controlling interest to the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position of the Company. All income and expenses of MTV and Beretta are reported on the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss together with the non-controlling interest's share of operations. Previously, MTV and Beretta were accounted for as portfolio investments and reported at fair value. The remaining investments (all equity investments) of the Company continue to be accounted for as portfolio investments (financial assets) valued at fair value through profit or loss ("**FVTPL**").

The Company's presentation currency is the United States ("**USD**") dollar. Reference herein of \$ or USD is to USD dollars, CAD is to Canadian dollars and CLP refers to the Chilean peso.

These Financial Statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for FVTPL which is measured at fair value.

Balance sheet items are classified as current if receipt or payment is due within twelve months. Otherwise, they are presented as non-current.

Due to rounding, numbers presented may not add up precisely to totals provided.

**b. Basis of Consolidation**

The Financial Statements of the Company consolidate the accounts of SRHI and its subsidiaries. All intercompany transactions, balances and unrealized gains and losses from intercompany transactions are eliminated on consolidation. Subsidiaries are all entities (including structured entities) over which the group has control. The group controls an entity when the group is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. In many, but not all instances, control will exist when the Company owns more than one half of the voting rights of a corporation or trust.

The subsidiaries of SRHI are listed below. Each of the entities has a December 31 year end.

Entity	Location	Proportion of Ownership Interest	Non-Controlling Interest
Sprott Resource Corp. ("SRC")	Canada	100%	—
ADI Mining Ltd. ("ADM")	Canada	100%	—
Sprott Resource Coal Holdings Corp. ("SRCHC")	Canada	100%	—
Beretta	Canada	50.2%	49.8%
2014 Employee Profit Sharing Plan (the "Trust")	Canada	—	—
SRH Chile SpA	Chile	100%	—
MTV	Chile	70%	30%

The Company is deemed to control the Trust which provides the Company with its equity incentive plan. Accounting policies of the subsidiaries have been conformed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Company.

Substantially all of the Company's operating activities are conducted through non-wholly owned subsidiaries, with the exception of the management of portfolio investments and of general administration expenses incurred within the parent company (SRHI).

**c. Business Combinations**

A business combination is defined as an acquisition of assets and liabilities that constitute a business. A business is an integrated set of activities that consists of inputs, such as assets (including non-current assets), and processes that when applied to those inputs have the ability to create outputs that provide a return to the Company and its shareholders. A business also includes those assets and liabilities that do not necessarily have all the inputs and processes required to produce outputs, but can be integrated with the inputs and processes of the Company to create outputs.

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method whereby identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed, including contingent liabilities, are recorded at their fair values at the acquisition date. The acquisition date is the date at which the Company obtains control over the acquiree, which is generally the date that consideration is transferred and the Company acquires the assets and assumes the liabilities of the acquiree. The Company considers all relevant facts and circumstances in determining the acquisition date.

Effective the Transition Date, the Company no longer relied on Investment Entity Reporting. As a result, and on the Transition Date, the Company was deemed to acquire MTV and Beretta and required to apply the acquisition method of accounting to each of them (see Note 25).

The consideration transferred in a business combination is measured at fair value, which is calculated as the sum of the fair values of the assets at the acquisition date transferred by the Company, the liabilities, including contingent consideration, incurred and payable by the Company to former owners of the acquiree and the equity interests issued by the Company. The measurement date for equity interests issued by the Company is the acquisition date. Acquisition related costs are expensed as incurred.

Since the Company does not own 100% of its interests in MTV and Beretta, the portion attributable to non-controlling shareholders is reflected in non-controlling interests.

**d. Non-Controlling Interests**

Non-controlling interests represent equity interests in subsidiaries owned by outside parties. The share of net assets of subsidiaries attributable to non-controlling interests is presented as a component of equity. The non-controlling interests' share of net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) is presented separately in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss and directly in equity. Changes in the parent company's ownership interest in the subsidiaries that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions.

#### **e. Assets Held For Sale and Discontinued Operations**

Non-current assets are classified as assets held for sale when it is highly probable their value will be recovered principally through a sale rather than through continuing use. For the sale to be highly probable, management must be committed to, and have initiated a plan to, sell the assets; the assets must be available for immediate sale in their present condition and the sale must be expected to qualify for recognition as a completed sale within one year from the date of reclassification, or longer under specific circumstances.

Assets classified as held for sale are carried at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

A discontinued operation is a component of the Company that has been disposed of or is classified as held for sale. A component comprises operations and cash flows that can be clearly distinguished from the rest of the Company. To be classified as a discontinued operation, the component must (i) represent a major line of business or geographical area of operation; (ii) be part of a plan to dispose of a major line of business; or (iii) be a subsidiary acquired with a view to resell.

Accounting policies specific to the Company's discontinued operations are separately disclosed below in article "ac" of this *Accounting Policies* note.

#### **f. Functional and Presentation Currency**

The functional currency of each entity within the Company is the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates. For each of the Company's entities, CAD is the functional currency other than for SRH Chile SpA and MTV where the functional currency is USD. The Company's presentation currency is USD.

Transactions denominated in currencies other than the functional currency are recorded using the exchange rates prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At each balance sheet date, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing on the balance sheet date. Non-monetary items that are measured at historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated at the rates prevailing on the date when the fair value was determined.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items, and on the translation of monetary items, are recognized in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss in the period in which they arise. Exchange differences arising on the translation of non-monetary items carried at fair value are included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. However, exchange differences arising on the translation of certain non-monetary items are recognized as a separate component of equity.

On disposal of a foreign operation, the historical, cumulative amount of exchange differences recognized as a separate component of equity is reclassified and recognized in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

For the purpose of presenting the Financial Statements, the assets and liabilities of the Company's operations with a functional currency of CAD are translated into USD, which is the presentation currency of the group, at the rate of exchange prevailing at the end of the reporting period. Income and expenses are translated at the average exchange rates for the period where these approximate the rates on the dates of transactions.

#### **g. Financial Instruments**

Financial assets and liabilities are recognized when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Investments in equity instruments, derivatives and debt instruments that do not meet the criteria for amortized cost (see below) are classified as FVTPL. Financial assets are designated at FVTPL if it eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch. Upon initial recognition, these financial assets are recognized at fair value and attributable transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss as incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, financial assets at FVTPL are measured at fair value, and changes therein are recognized in profit or loss.

A debt instrument is measured at amortized cost if (i) the objective of the Company's business model is to hold the instrument in order to collect contractual cash flows and (ii) the contractual terms of the instrument give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding. Alternatively, debt instruments that meet the criteria for amortized cost may be designated as FVTPL on initial recognition if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch. Investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading may be irrevocably designated at fair value through other comprehensive income ("**FVTOCI**") on initial recognition. The Company has not designated any of its equity instruments or debt instruments as FVTOCI.

The Company recognizes purchases and sales of financial assets on the trade date, which is the date on which it commits to purchase or sell the asset. Transaction costs related to financial assets classified or designated as FVTPL are expensed as incurred. A financial asset is derecognized when the rights to receive cash flows from the investment have expired or have been transferred and when the Company has transferred substantially the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset.

Financial assets and liabilities measured at amortized cost, including the Company's cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables, trade and other payables and loans and borrowings are recognized initially at the amount expected to be received or paid less, when material, a discount to reduce them to fair value. Subsequently, they are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method less a provision for impairment, if any. Impairment is recorded based on an expected credit loss impairment model that requires more timely recognition of expected credit losses. Due to their short-term nature and low credit risk, the fair values of these financial assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts.

A financial asset is derecognized when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial assets expire, or the Company has transferred its contractual rights to receive cash flows from the financial asset or assumes an obligation to pay the cash flows in full without material delay to a third party and has transferred substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, or has neither transferred or retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

A financial liability is derecognized when it is extinguished, that is when the obligation is discharged, cancelled, or expires. A financial liability is extinguished when the debtor discharges the liability by paying in cash other financial assets, goods or services, or is legally released from the liability.

#### **h. Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits held with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less and which are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

#### **i. Inventories**

Finished product and ore stockpile inventories are valued at the lower of average cost and net realizable value.

Ore stockpiles include materials extracted from the mine and stockpiled before and after the crushing process. Finished product inventories include copper cathodes located at the mine, port facility or in transit. Ore stockpiles not expected to be processed in the next twelve months, are included in non-current inventory. Ore stockpiles and finished product inventory costs include all direct costs incurred in production including direct labour and materials, freight, depreciation and amortization, and directly attributable overhead costs. The allocation of fixed production overheads to the costs of conversion is based on the normal capacity of the production facilities. When inventories have been written down to net realizable value, a new assessment of net realizable value is made in each subsequent period. If the circumstances that caused the write-down no longer exist, the amount of the write-down is reversed.

For work in progress and raw materials, the Company has engaged independent third parties to estimate the tonnes of copper contained in the leaching piles and in the pregnant leaching solution ("PLS") pools (both included in work in progress), for the purpose of adjusting the balances of inventory to the tonnes of copper estimated to be recovered in the final cathode production process. Physical units (tonnes) of work in progress are adjusted with a charge or credit to cost of sales, using a weighted average cost method. Materials and supplies are valued at average acquisition cost. An obsolescence provision is applied for material slow moving and obsolete items upon periodic review of the aging of inventory.

#### **j. Mineral Properties, Plant and Equipment**

Mineral properties, plant and equipment ("PP&E") are measured at acquisition or construction cost, including capitalized borrowing costs, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

The cost of mineral properties includes the fair value attributable to proven and probable mineral reserves and mineral resources acquired in a business combination or asset acquisition, development assets costs, deferred stripping costs and the exploration and evaluation costs.

##### **i. Development assets**

When economically viable reserves have been determined and the decision to proceed with development has been approved in line with a technically and commercially viable plan for the ore bodies, the expenditures related to development and construction are capitalized and classified as a component of PP&E. Costs associated with the commissioning of new assets incurred in the period before they are operating in the manner intended by management, are capitalized.

The Company determines the date for commencement of production based on when the asset is available for its intended use.

**ii. Stripping assets**

The costs of removing waste and overburden (stripping costs) to access ore prior to the commencement of mine operations are capitalized as pre-production stripping costs and classified as a component of PP&E.

Stripping costs after the commencement of operations are incurred both in relation to the production of inventory of that period and also for improved access to ore to be mined in the future. Stripping costs incurred relating to current ore production are included as part of inventory, while stripping costs incurred relating to improved access and future development are capitalized as a stripping activity asset.

Stripping costs benefiting future periods are identified by reference to the waste to ore stripping ratio. In periods when the life of a mining phase stripping ratio exceeds the average expected stripping ratio, the excess costs over the mine stripping ratio expected costs are capitalized as stripping activity assets.

Stripping activity assets are amortized on a unit of production ("UOP") basis over the proven and probable reserves over the remaining life of each mining phase to which they relate.

**iii. Plant and equipment**

Plant and equipment are recorded at cost less accumulated amortization. Costs for facilities under construction include all expenditures incurred directly in connection with project development.

**Depletion and depreciation**

The depreciation method for each asset is evaluated on a line-by-line basis. MTV has made the determination of which PP&E assets are to be depreciated on a UOP basis, taking into account the following:

- assets directly used in the mines or production whose annual production may vary considerably over their useful economic life;
- assets whose loss in value is more closely linked to the quantities of minerals produced or the life of mine than to the passage of time;

Certain of MTV's PP&E assets are used interchangeably at the Don Gabriel and Papomono operations and will be depleted on a UOP basis based on the aggregate depletable reserves of both mines.

Mineral properties and building and mining facility assets are amortized on a UOP basis over proven and probable reserves and a conversion of measured and indicated resources. Other office and information technology equipment is recorded at cost and amortized over their estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis. Depreciation methods and useful lives are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted as required. Repairs and maintenance costs are expensed during the period in which they are incurred.

The following table outlines the methods used to amortize PP&E:

Asset	Depreciation Method
Mineral properties	Units of production
Buildings and infrastructure	Units of production
Mining facilities	Units of production
Mining machinery and equipment	Units of production
Vehicles	Units of production
Office and information technology equipment	Straight line

Borrowing costs attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets are added to the cost of those assets, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use. All other borrowing costs are recognized as interest expense in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss in the period in which they are incurred.

**k. Exploration and Evaluation**

Exploration expenditures relate to the initial search for a mineral deposit or the process of obtaining more information about existing mineral deposits. Exploration expenditures typically include costs associated with prospecting, sampling, mapping, diamond drilling and other work

involved in searching for ore. The exploration and evaluation ("E&E") stage commences when MTV board approval is obtained to further explore and evaluate a mineral deposit to determine the technical feasibility and commercial viability of mining the mineral property, at which point expenses are capitalized as E&E assets. Costs incurred prior to receiving MTV board approval to further explore and evaluate a mineral deposit are expensed as incurred.

When the E&E of a mineral property indicates that development of the mineral property is technically and commercially viable, the related costs are transferred from E&E assets and classified as a separate component of PP&E.

Management reviews the carrying value of capitalized exploration costs for indicators that the carrying value is impaired at every reporting date. The review is based on the Company's intentions for further exploration and development of the undeveloped property, results of drilling, commodity prices and other economic and geological factors. Subsequent recovery of the resulting carrying value depends on successful development or sale of the undeveloped project. If a property does not prove viable, all non-recoverable costs associated with the project, net of any previous impairment provisions, are written off.

## **I. Intangible Assets**

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization (calculated on a straight-line basis over their useful lives) and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed as either finite or indefinite.

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized over their useful economic lives and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortization period and the amortization method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at every reporting date. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortization period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortization expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss in the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

Gains or losses arising from de-recognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss when the asset is de-recognised.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortized, but assets for which there is an active market are tested annually for impairment. MTV has water rights under this category and according to Chilean law, this type of right is perpetual and can be commercialized.

## **m. Impairment of Financial Assets**

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired. If such evidence exists, the Company recognizes an impairment loss.

For financial assets carried at amortized cost, the loss is the difference between the amortized cost of the loan or receivable and the present value of the estimated future cash flows, discounted using the instrument's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced by this amount either directly or indirectly through the use of an allowance account.

Impairment losses on financial assets carried at amortized cost are reversed in subsequent periods if the amount of the loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized.

## **n. Impairment of Non-Financial Assets**

The carrying amounts of non-financial assets are reviewed for impairment whenever facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amounts may not be recoverable. If there are indicators of impairment, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of any impairment. Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit ("CGU" or "CGUs") to which the assets belong. The recoverable amount of an asset is determined as the higher of its fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. In assessing value in use, estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

In assessing fair value less costs of disposal, fair value is the price that would be received from selling an asset in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. For mining assets fair value less costs of disposal is typically estimated using a discounted cash

flow approach. If the recoverable amount of an asset or cash generating unit is estimated to be less than its carrying value, the carrying amount of the asset or cash generating unit is reduced to its recoverable amount. When an impairment loss exists it is recorded as an expense immediately.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying value of the asset is increased to the recoverable amount net of depreciation. The increased carrying amount cannot exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized as a gain in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss in the period it is determined.

**o. Leases**

Assets financed by leasing agreements that give rights approximating ownership (finance leases) are capitalized at fair value. The capital elements of future obligations under finance leases are included as liabilities in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position and the interest element is charged to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Annual payments under other lease arrangements, known as operating leases, are charged to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss on a straight-line basis.

**p. Embedded Derivatives**

A derivative embedded in a hybrid contract, with a financial liability or non-financial host, is separated from the host and accounted for as a separate derivative if: (i) the economic characteristics and risks are not closely related to the host; (ii) a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative; and (iii) the hybrid contract is not measured at fair value through profit or loss. Embedded derivatives are measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in profit or loss. Reassessment only occurs if there is either a change in the terms of the contract that significantly modifies the cash flows that would otherwise be required or a reclassification of a financial asset out of the fair value through profit or loss category.

**q. Reclamation and Other Closure Provisions**

The Company has obligations for reclamation and other closure costs such as site restoration, decommissioning activities and end of mine life severance related to its mineral properties. These costs are a normal consequence of mining, and the majority of these expenditures are incurred at the end of the life of the mine.

The future obligations for mine closure activities are estimated by the Company using mine closure plans or other similar studies which outline the requirements that will be carried out to meet the obligations. Since the obligations are dependent on the laws and regulations of the country in which the mine operates, the requirements could change as a result of amendments in the laws and regulations relating to environmental protection and other legislation affecting resource companies.

As the estimate of the obligations is based on future expectations, a number of assumptions are made by management in the determination of closure provisions. The closure provisions are more uncertain the further into the future the mine closure activities are to be carried out.

The Company records the fair value of its reclamation and other closure provisions as a liability as incurred and records a corresponding increase in the carrying value of the related asset. The initial provision is recorded discounting risk adjusted cash flows using a current foreign exchange and risk free discount rate. Charges for accretion and reclamation expenditures are recorded as finance costs in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Reclamation and other closure provisions are recorded as part of the mineral property and depreciated accordingly. In subsequent periods, the carrying amount of the liability is accreted by a charge to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss to reflect the passage of time and the liability is adjusted to reflect any changes in the timing of the underlying future cash flows.

The liability is discounted and revalued at the end of each period using current discount and foreign exchange rates. Changes to the obligation resulting from any revisions to the timing or amount of the original estimate of costs are recognized as an increase or decrease in the reclamation and other closure provision, and a corresponding change in the carrying amount of the related long-lived asset. Where rehabilitation is conducted systematically over the life of the operation, rather than at the time of closure, a provision is made for the estimated outstanding continuous rehabilitation work at each balance sheet date and the cost is charged to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

**r. Deferred Revenue**

Deferred revenue consists of an upfront cash payment received by the Company in exchange for the monetization of its rights to proceeds from future copper cathode production. The Company recognizes revenue based on the actual value of copper cathodes produced. Deferred revenue is measured at FVTPL.

**s. Provisions**

Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and the amount can be reliably estimated. Provisions are measured at management's best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period, and are discounted to present value where the effect is material.

**t. Capital Stock**

Common shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of shares are recognized as a deduction from capital stock.

**u. Common Share Purchase Warrants**

Common share purchase warrants are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of common share purchase warrants are recognized as a deduction from warrants. The Company engages in equity financing transactions to obtain the funds necessary to invest in the natural resource sector and for general working capital purposes. These equity financing transactions may involve issuance of common shares or units. A unit comprises a certain number of common shares and a certain number of common share purchase warrants. Depending on the terms and conditions of each equity financing agreement, the common share purchase warrants are exercisable into additional common shares prior to expiry at a price stipulated by the equity financing agreement. Common share purchase warrants that are part of units are measured at fair value on the date of issue using the Black-Scholes option pricing model and included in equity with the common shares that were concurrently issued.

**v. Treasury Stock**

Treasury shares are classified as equity. Treasury shares arise when the Trust purchases shares on the open market for the purpose of the equity incentive plan.

**w. Revenue Recognition**

*Sale of Copper Cathodes*

Sales of copper cathodes are recognized on a provisional pricing basis when control of the promised asset passes to the customer, which occurs upon shipment. Final pricing for copper cathodes sold is not determined at that time as it is contractually linked to market prices at a subsequent date. These pricing arrangements have the characteristics of a derivative instrument as the value of the accounts receivable or deferred revenue will vary as prices for the underlying commodities vary in the metal markets. These price adjustments result in gains in a rising price environment and losses in a declining price environment and are recorded as adjustments to revenues.

*Ore Tolling Services*

Revenue from toll-milling services which have not been monetized is recognized as material is processed over time in accordance with the specifics of the applicable toll-milling agreement. Revenue and accounts receivable are recorded as related costs are incurred, using billing formulas included in the applicable toll-milling agreement.

**x. Gain (Loss) on Portfolio Investments**

Realized and unrealized gains and losses arising on the disposition and remeasurement of portfolio investments at fair value, including foreign exchange gains and losses, are included in gain (loss) on portfolio investments in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

**y. Management Fees**

Sprott Consulting Limited Partnership ("**SCLP**") provides management services to the Company, which entitle it to management fees of 0.50% of the Quarterly NAV (as defined in the Management Services Agreement ("**MSA**"), see Note 23) of SRHI, less the total compensation paid to management provided to SRHI under the MSA for such fiscal quarter. The fee is accrued each quarter.

**z. Stock-based compensation**

The Company uses the fair value method to account for equity settled share-based payments with employees and directors. Compensation expense is determined using the Black-Scholes option valuation model for stock options. Compensation expense for deferred stock units ("**DSU**") is determined based on the value of the Company's common shares at the time of grant. Compensation expense for the Company's Trust is determined based on the value of the Company's common shares on the grant date (see Note 13d). The amount of compensation expense is recognized over the vesting period with a corresponding increase to contributed surplus other than for the Company's DSUs where the

corresponding increase or decrease is to liabilities. Stock options and common shares held by the Trust vest in installments which require a graded vesting methodology to account for these share-based awards. On the exercise of stock options for shares, the contributed surplus previously recorded with respect to the exercised options and the consideration paid is credited to capital stock. On the vesting of common shares in the Trust, the contributed surplus previously recorded is credited to treasury stock. On the exercise of DSUs, the liability previously recorded is credited to cash.

#### **aa. Income Taxes**

Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities based on the current period's taxable income. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position date.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are provided on all temporary differences at the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences except:

- When the deferred income tax arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit or taxable income or loss; or
- When the taxable temporary difference is associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates or interests in joint ventures, the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference can be controlled, it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future and, for deferred income tax assets, taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilized.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each Consolidated Statements of Financial Position date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position date.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset only if a legally enforceable right exists to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

#### **ab. Earnings (Loss) per Share**

Earnings (loss) per share are presented for basic and diluted earnings. Basic per share information is computed by dividing the net income or loss of the Company by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. The weighted average number of shares for fully diluted earnings per share information is calculated using the treasury stock method whereby it is assumed that (i) proceeds obtained upon exercise of options and warrants would be used to purchase common shares at the average market price during the period and (ii) all unvested treasury shares are deemed to have vested. Under the treasury stock method, options and warrants have a dilutive effect only when the average market price of the common shares during the period exceeds the exercise price of the options and warrants (they are "in-the-money"). Exercise of in-the-money options and warrants is assumed at the beginning of the period or date of issuance, if later. Unvested treasury shares are assumed to have vested at the beginning of the period or date of issuance, if later. Should the Company have a loss for the period, options, warrants and unvested treasury shares would be anti-dilutive and therefore would have no effect on the determination of diluted loss per share.

#### **ac. Accounting Policies Specific to Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations (Beretta)**

##### **i. Inventories**

Branded inventories are available for immediate delivery and are recorded at the net realizable value (market price less point-of-sale costs) as the products have a reliable and realizable market price. Changes are recorded in cost of sales.

##### **ii. Biological Assets**

A biological asset is a living animal and an agricultural activity is the biological transformation of biological assets for sale into additional biological assets.

Livestock are valued at fair value less point-of-sale costs at the reporting date in accordance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) 41 *Agriculture*. Fair value is based on a number of factors including estimated weight, market prices, breeding status and age of cattle.

Livestock intended to be sold are classified as current biological assets. Livestock not intended to be sold consists of the breeding herd and replacements and are classified as non-current biological assets.

### iii. Agriculture Property, Plant and Equipment

The major categories of agriculture property, plant and equipment are depreciated using the declining-balance method over the estimated useful life of the respective class of assets at the following rates:

Agriculture buildings and leasehold improvements	4 - 20%
Agriculture production machinery and equipment	10 - 20%

### iv. Revenue Recognition

Revenue from livestock and retail product sales is recognized at the point the customer obtains control of the product. Control is transferred when title has passed to the purchaser and the customer controls the risks and rewards of ownership and the Company has a present right to payment for the product.

### ad. Accounting Standard Adopted

As at January 1, 2019, the Company adopted IFRS 16 *Leases* ("**IFRS 16**").

The Company has adopted IFRS 16 following the modified retrospective basis approach from January 1, 2019 and has not restated comparatives for the 2018 reporting period, as permitted under the specific transitional provisions in the standard. The adjustments arising from the new leasing standard are therefore recognized in the opening balance sheet on January 1, 2019.

#### *Adjustments recognized on adoption of IFRS 16*

On adoption of IFRS 16, the group recognized lease liabilities in relation to leases which had previously been classified as operating leases under the principles of IAS 17 *Leases*. These liabilities were measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as of January 1, 2019. The weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate applied to the operating lease commitments on January 1, 2019 was between 3.5% and 3.8% depending on the length of the lease.

The following table reconciles the Company's operating lease obligation as at December 31, 2018 as previously disclosed in the Company's consolidated financial statements, to the new obligation recognized on adoption of IFRS 16 of January 1, 2019.

Operating lease commitments disclosed as at December 31, 2018	\$	723
Add: Embedded leases		1,195
Less: Discount		(133)
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Discounted operating lease commitments using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as at January 1, 2019	\$	1,785
Add: finance lease liabilities recognized as at December 31, 2018		675
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<b>Lease liability recognised as at January 1, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,460</b>
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Lease liabilities included in current portion of loans and borrowings	\$	925
Non-current lease liabilities included in non-current portion of loans and borrowings		1,535
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<b>Lease liability recognised as at January 1, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,460</b>
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Right-of-use assets were measured at the amount equal to the lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognized in the balance sheet as at December 31, 2018. There were no onerous lease contracts that would have required an adjustment to the right-of-use assets at the date of initial application.

The recognized right-of-use assets relate to the following types of assets:

	As at	
	Jan 1, 2019	
Machinery and equipment	\$	1,384
Building and mining facilities		401
<b>Right-of-use asset recognized as at January 1, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,785</b>

The impact of adopting the policy only impacted the MTV segment and had no material effect on earnings per share. The group has also elected not to reassess whether a contract is, or contains a lease at the date of initial application. Instead, for contracts entered into before the transition date the group relied on its assessment made applying IAS 17 and IFRIC 4 *Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease*.

The Company has applied the following practical expedients permitted by IFRS 16:

- the accounting for operating leases with a remaining lease term of less than 12 months as at January 1, 2019 as short-term leases;
- the exclusion of initial direct costs from the measurement of the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application; and
- the use of hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

*The Company's leasing activities and how these are accounted for*

Until the 2018 financial year, assets financed by leasing agreements that give rights approximating ownership (finance leases) are capitalized at fair value. The capital elements of future obligations under finance leases are included as liabilities in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position and the interest element is charged to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Annual payments under other lease arrangements, known as operating leases, are charged to the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss on a straight-line basis.

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether the contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

The Company has elected not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for short-term leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less, and leases of low-value assets. For these leases, the Company recognizes the lease payments as an expense in net earnings on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

From January 1, 2019, leases are recognized as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the Company. Right-of-use assets are measured at the amount equal to the lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognized in the balance sheet as at December 31, 2018. The right-of-use asset is depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis. Lease liabilities are measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as of January 1, 2019. Each lease payment is allocated between the liability and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period.

Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability are comprised of:

- fixed payments, including in-substance fixed payments, less any lease incentives receivable;
- variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- amounts expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee;
- exercise prices of purchase options if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and
- payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the lessee exercising an option to terminate the lease.

### 3. Significant Judgments, Estimates and Assumptions

The preparation of these Financial Statements in accordance with IFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. These estimates are based on management's best knowledge of the relevant facts and circumstances taking into account previous experience, but actual results may differ materially from the amounts included in the Financial Statements.

Areas where critical accounting estimates have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the Financial Statements include:

**a. Determination of Financial Reporting Change**

A significant judgment made in preparing the Financial Statements is the determination that the Company no longer qualified as an investment entity effective February 1, 2018. In accordance with IFRS 10, an investment entity is an entity that: "obtains funds from one or more investors for the purpose of providing them with investment management services, commits to its investors that its business purpose is to invest funds solely for returns from capital appreciation, investment income, or both, and measures and evaluates the performance of substantially all of its investments on a fair value basis." In determining its revised status as at February 1, 2018, the Company determined that its investment-related activities with subsidiaries, other than SRC, SRH Chile, SRHC and ADM represented a separate substantial business activity and that fair value was no longer the primary measurement attribute used to monitor and evaluate substantially all of its investments.

The resulting financial reporting change was significant to the Company. Effective the Transition Date, the Company recognized MTV and Beretta as controlled entities and consolidated their respective financial accounts with those of the Company. This resulted in the introduction of MTV's and Beretta's assets, liabilities, and a non-controlling interest to the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position of the Company. All income and expenses of MTV and Beretta are reported on the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss together with the non-controlling interest's share of operations. The remaining investments (primarily equity investments) of the Company continue to be accounted for as financial assets valued at FVTPL.

**b. Business Combinations**

Determination of whether a set of assets acquired and liabilities assumed constitute the acquisition of a business or asset may require the Company to make certain judgments as to whether or not the assets acquired and liabilities assumed include the inputs, processes and outputs necessary to constitute a business as defined in IFRS 3 – *Business Combinations*. Based on an assessment of the relevant facts and circumstances, the Company concluded that the acquisition of ADI on February 9, 2017 met the criteria for accounting as a business combination. In addition, effective the Transition Date, the Company completed its previously announced transition to a diversified holding company resulting in the Company no longer relying on Investment Entity Reporting. As a result, and on the Transition Date, the Company was required to apply the acquisition method of accounting to its investments in MTV and Beretta.

The allocation of the purchase price of acquisitions and deemed acquisitions requires estimates as to the fair market value of acquired assets and liabilities. The information necessary to measure the fair values as at the acquisition date of assets acquired and liabilities assumed requires management to make certain judgments and estimates about future events, including but not limited to estimates of mineral reserves and mineral resources and exploration potential of the assets acquired, future operating costs and capital expenditures, discount rates to determine fair value of assets acquired and future metal prices and long-term foreign exchange rates.

The acquisitions of MTV and Beretta are disclosed in Note 25.

**c. Mineral Reserve Estimates Including Life of Mine Plan**

The Company estimates its mineral reserves and mineral resources based on information prepared by or under the supervision of qualified persons (as such term is defined in NI 43-101). Mineral reserves are used in the calculation of depreciation, impairment assessments and for forecasting the timing of payment of mine closure and rehabilitation costs. There are numerous uncertainties inherent in estimating mineral reserves, and assumptions that are valid at the time of estimation may change significantly when new information becomes available. Changes in the estimation methodology, forecasted prices of commodities, exchange rates, production costs or recovery rates may change the economic status of mineral reserves and may, ultimately, result in changes in the mineral reserves.

The carrying amounts of the Company's mineral properties, plant and equipment are depleted based on recoverable mineral reserve tonnes processed, depending on the use of the asset. Changes to estimates of recoverable quantities of base metals, mineral reserve tonnes and depletable costs, including changes resulting from revisions to the Company's mine plans and changes in metals prices forecasts, can result in a change to future depreciation and depletion rates and may result in impairment charges.

**d. Reclamation and Other Closure Provisions**

The Company has obligations for reclamation and other closure activities related to its mineral properties. The future obligations for mine closure activities are estimated by the Company using mine closure plans or other similar studies which outline the requirements that will be carried out to meet the obligations. Because the obligations are dependent on the laws and regulations of the country in which the mine operates, the requirements could change as a result of amendments in the laws and regulations relating to environmental protection and other legislation affecting resource companies. As the estimate of obligations is based on future expectations, a number of estimates and assumptions are made by management in the determination of closure provisions. The reclamation and other closure provisions are more uncertain the further into the future the mine closure activities are to be carried out.

The Company's policy for recording reclamation and other closure provisions is to establish provisions for future mine closure costs based on the present value of the future cash flows required to satisfy the obligations. This provision is updated as the estimate for future closure costs change. The amount of the present value of the provision is added to the cost of the related mineral assets and depreciated over the life of the mine. The provision is accreted to its future value over the life of mine through a charge to finance costs.

**e. Measurement of Fair Value**

A number of the Company's accounting policies and disclosures require the measurement of fair values for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

When measuring the fair value of an asset or liability, the Company uses observable market data, as much as possible. Fair values are classified into different levels in a hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques, as follows:

Level 1 – quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company can access at the measurement date.

Level 2 – inputs other than quoted prices within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3 – inputs that are unobservable for the asset and liability.

Management uses their judgment to select a variety of methods and make assumptions that are not always supported by quantifiable market prices or rates. Judgment is required in order to determine the appropriate valuation methodology under this standard and subsequently in determining the inputs into the valuation model used. These judgments include assessing the future earnings potential of investee companies, appropriate earnings multiples to apply, adjustments to comparable multiples, liquidity and net assets. In making estimates and judgments, management relies on external information and observable conditions where possible, supplemented by internal analysis as required. These estimates have been applied in a manner consistent with prior periods and there are no known trends, commitments, events or uncertainties that the Company believes will materially affect the methodology or assumptions utilized in making these estimates in these Financial Statements. Accordingly, actual values realized in future market transactions may differ from the estimates presented in these Financial Statements and the differences may be material. The use of different market assumptions and/or valuation methodologies may have a material effect on the estimated fair values of various assets and liabilities. The fair values of financial instruments with quoted bid and ask prices are based on the price within the bid-ask spread that are most representative of fair value and may include closing prices in exchange markets.

When applicable, additional information on the assumptions used in the fair value calculations are disclosed in the specific notes of the corresponding asset or liability.

**i. Work-in-process inventory/ Production costs**

The Company's management makes estimates of the amount and the expected timing of recovery of recoverable ounces in work-in-process inventory, which is used in the determination of the cost of sales during the period. Changes in these estimates can result in a change in the carrying amount of inventories and cost of sales in future periods. The Company monitors the recovery of copper cathodes from the leach pads and may refine its estimate based on these results. Assumptions used in inventory valuation include type of ore tonnes mined, salt leach application, pounds of copper per tonne, metallurgy of the ore, expected recovery rate based on the type of ore placed on the leach pads, timing of recovery, remaining costs of completion to bring inventory into copper cathodes, among others.

During 2019, the Company transferred \$20.6 million from current work-in-process inventory to non-current reflecting ore on leach pads at MTV that the Company did not expect to process in the twelve (12) months following the statement of financial position date. The Company recorded an impairment charge of \$1.9 million during 2019 related to the net realizable value of the non-current portion of work-in-process inventory. (see Note 4).

**ii. Impairment of non-current assets - MTV CGU**

The Company reviews the carrying amounts of non-current assets whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amounts may exceed the estimated recoverable amounts determined by reference to estimated future operating results and discounted future cash flows. An impairment loss is recognized when the carrying amount of those assets is no longer considered recoverable. Non-current assets that have been impaired are tested for possible reversal of the impairment whenever events or changes in circumstance indicate that the impairment may have reversed. Calculating the estimated recoverable amount of the CGUs for non-current asset impairment tests requires management to make estimates and assumptions with respect to estimated recoverable reserves and resources, estimated future commodity prices, future production and sales volume, the expected future operating, capital and reclamation costs, discount rates and exchange rates. These estimates are subject to various risks and uncertainties which may ultimately influence the estimated recoverability of the carrying amounts of non-current assets.

During 2019, the Company recognized an impairment charge of mineral properties, plant and equipment of \$13.3 million (see Note 7) and intangible assets of \$0.3 million (see Note 9) related to the MTV CGU.

**f. Going concern assessment at MTV**

Significant judgment is made when assessing the preparation of the Financial Statements and MTV accounts on the basis of accounting principles applicable to a going concern, which assumes that MTV will be able to continue its operations for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business as they come due. MTV is subject to numerous risks factors that may impact its ability to economically produce copper from its mines, such as, but not limited to, operation and regulatory risks inherent in the mining industry, and global economic and commodity price volatility. There is significant doubt about MTV's ability to continue as a going concern. The continuation of MTV as a going concern is dependent on ongoing discussions with its Lenders, shareholders (including the Company) and its critical suppliers to provide additional financial support through additional capital injections and revised supplier payment terms (see Note 27). As a condition of the Facility, the Company has provided the Lenders with a \$10 million guarantee that represents the Company's only obligation to MTV. The Financial Statements do not reflect the adjustments to the carrying values of MTV's assets and liabilities, the reported expenses, and the balance sheet classifications that would be necessary if MTV were unable to realize its assets and settle its liabilities as a going concern in the normal course of operations. These adjustments could be material.

**4. Inventories**

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Supplies and consumables	\$ 1,243	\$ 1,398
Work in progress	10,363	18,153
Copper cathodes	2,450	1,020
	<b>14,056</b>	20,571
Non-current portion of inventory	<b>18,644</b>	—
	<b>\$ 32,700</b>	<b>\$ 20,571</b>

During 2019, the Company recognized an impairment write-down of \$4.4 million (2018 - \$nil) at MTV primarily related to (i) changes in the expected recovery (after considering costs to completion) of copper pounds in work-in-process inventory and (ii) changes in the expected copper price in work-in-process inventory. During 2019, \$20.6 million of work-in-process inventory was transferred from current work-in-process inventory to non-current inventory reflecting ore on the leach pads that is not expected to be processed in the twelve months following the statement of financial position date. The Company recorded an impairment charge of \$1.9 million (included in the impairment write-down of \$4.4 million) during 2019 related to the net realizable value of the non-current portion of inventory.

The write down of inventories has been presented in a separate component of cost of sales in the consolidated statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

## 5. Portfolio Investments

The Company has a portfolio of investments in securities of public and private companies. The following is a summary of the Company's portfolio investments and their fair values:

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Mining	\$ 6,606	\$ 14,387
Energy production and services	—	5,098
<b>Total portfolio investments owned, at fair value</b>	<b>\$ 6,606</b>	<b>\$ 19,485</b>

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Portfolio investments included in current assets	\$ 6,606	\$ 14,899
Amounts included in non-current assets	—	4,586
<b>Total portfolio investments owned, at fair value</b>	<b>\$ 6,606</b>	<b>\$ 19,485</b>

The Company's portfolio investments are comprised of equity holdings as at December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018.

As at December 31, 2019, approximately \$4.3 million of the Company's portfolio investments trade on a publicly listed exchange. (December 31, 2018: \$14.9 million)

In January 2019, proceeds of \$4.2 million from the maturity of a senior secured credit facility investment were received. This amount was included in Trade and other receivables at December 31, 2018.

During the year ended December 31, 2019, the Company sold its investments in InPlay Oil Corp. and Virginia Energy Resources Inc. for gross proceeds of \$3.8 million.

## 6. Asset Classified as Held for Sale

The Company holds a 50.2% (2018 - 49.9%) interest in Beretta, a Canadian company. Effective the Transition Date, the Company reclassified its equity investment as an asset classified as held for sale.

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Assets classified as held for sale	\$ 9,908	\$ 14,013
Liabilities classified as held for sale	(5,286)	(2,964)
Non-controlling interest	(2,329)	(5,527)
	<b>\$ 2,293</b>	<b>\$ 5,522</b>

During the year ended December 31, 2019, an impairment of \$2.1 million on the revaluation of Beretta to the lower of its carrying amount and its fair value less cost to sale was recognized.

Loss from discontinued operations related to Beretta is comprised of the following:

	Year ended Dec. 31, 2019	Eleven months ended Dec. 31, 2018
Revenue	\$ 37,441	\$ 39,049
Expenses	(42,188)	(41,985)
	(4,747)	(2,936)
Write down of asset held for sale	(2,108)	—
Loss from discontinued operations	(6,855)	(2,936)
Loss from discontinued operations attributable to non-controlling interests	3,429	1,469
Loss from discontinued operations attributable to owners of the Company	\$ (3,426)	\$ (1,467)

Effective the Transition Date, the Company reported Beretta as held for sale. Prior to the Transition Date, Beretta was a portfolio investment reported at FVTPL under Investment Entity Reporting.

## 7. Mineral Properties, Plant and Equipment

Cost	Mineral properties	Land	Building and mining facilities	Machinery and equipment	Total
As at January 1, 2018	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Deemed acquisition of MTV on Transition Date	21,640	665	42,758	7,282	72,345
Additions	3,886	—	319	2,385	6,590
Disposals	—	—	(556)	—	(556)
As at December 31, 2018	25,526	665	42,521	9,667	78,379
Adjustment for change in accounting policy - IFRS 16	—	—	401	1,384	1,785
Additions	7,715	—	924	5,500	14,139
Foreign exchange impact	(471)	—	(108)	(228)	(807)
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 32,770</b>	<b>\$ 665</b>	<b>\$ 43,738</b>	<b>\$ 16,323</b>	<b>\$ 93,496</b>

Accumulated depreciation	Mineral properties	Land	Building and mining facilities	Machinery and equipment	Total
As at January 1, 2018	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Depreciation expense	(1,371)	—	(2,153)	(440)	(3,964)
Disposals	—	—	70	—	70
As at December 31, 2018	(1,371)	—	(2,083)	(440)	(3,894)
Depreciation expense	(4,143)	—	(3,957)	(1,182)	(9,282)
Impairment	(5,149)	—	(6,513)	(1,677)	(13,339)
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ (10,663)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ (12,553)</b>	<b>\$ (3,299)</b>	<b>\$ (26,515)</b>

	Mineral properties	Land	Building and mining facilities	Machinery and equipment	Total
<b>Net book value</b>					
As at December 31, 2018	\$ 24,155	\$ 665	\$ 40,438	\$ 9,227	\$ 74,485
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 22,107</b>	<b>\$ 665</b>	<b>\$ 31,185</b>	<b>\$ 13,024</b>	<b>\$ 66,981</b>

As of December 31, 2019, included in *Machinery and equipment* is \$2.1 million of assets held under leases (December 31, 2018: \$1.3 million - prior to adopting IFRS 16). As of December 31, 2019, included in *Mineral properties* is \$6.3 million (December 31, 2018: \$1.9 million) of stripping assets and \$0.3 million (December 31, 2018: \$0.8 million) of reforestation assets.

During 2019, the Company recognized an impairment charge of mineral property, plant and equipment of \$13.3 million (see Note 16).

## 8. Exploration and Evaluation Asset

Cost	Engineering	Drilling	Total
As at January 1, 2018	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Deemed acquisition of MTV on Transition Date	243	—	243
Additions	1,083	116	1,199
As at December 31, 2018	1,326	116	1,442
Additions	73	768	841
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 1,399</b>	<b>\$ 884</b>	<b>\$ 2,283</b>

## 9. Intangible Assets

	Easements	Water rights	Foundation	Other	Total
As at January 1, 2018	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Deemed acquisition of MTV on Transition Date	1,847	354	392	—	2,593
Additions	—	—	—	119	119
Amortization	(325)	—	(36)	(20)	(381)
As at December 31, 2018	1,522	354	356	99	2,331
Additions	—	—	—	173	173
Amortization	(355)	—	(40)	(45)	(440)
Impairment	(326)	—	—	—	(326)
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 841</b>	<b>\$ 354</b>	<b>\$ 316</b>	<b>\$ 227</b>	<b>\$ 1,738</b>

In accordance with the Environmental Qualification Resolution obtained in 2009, MTV committed to contributing a total of \$1.0 million payable in ten equal annual payments to finance the Foundation Tres Valles for the development of the communities of Cárcamo, Manquehua and Chuchiñí. The payments began in 2014 and the remaining foundation obligation of \$0.6 million is included in Accounts payable and accrued liabilities and Other non-current liabilities.

During 2019, the Company recognized an impairment charge of intangible assets of \$0.3 million (see Note 16).

## 10. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Trade accounts payable	\$ 25,104	\$ 13,136
Accrued liabilities	3,939	5,299
Reforestation provision	542	1,289
Foundation provision	270	100
	<b>\$ 29,855</b>	<b>\$ 19,824</b>

## 11. Loans and Borrowings

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Secured prepayment facility (a)	\$ 42,508	\$ —
Revolving credit facility (b)	—	14,276
Leases	1,500	675
Total	<b>44,008</b>	14,951
Less: current portion	<b>1,037</b>	14,544
	<b>\$ 42,971</b>	<b>\$ 407</b>

- a. In December 2019, MTV entered into a secured prepayment facility (the "**Facility**") with Anglo American Marketing Limited and a fund under investment management of Kimura Capital LP ("**Kimura**" and together referred to as the "**Lenders**"). Under the Facility, the Lenders made available to MTV a four-year term loan facility in an aggregate amount equal to \$45 million (\$42.5 million, net of issuance costs) to be applied towards the financing or repayment of amounts payable or paid in respect of costs related to the MTV copper project. Interest on the Facility is incurred at a rate equal to the three-month USD LIBOR plus (i) 8.00% per annum for up to the first twelve months depending on certain conditions and (ii) 6.25% per annum thereafter.

Repayment of the Facility will be made in twelve equal quarterly installments beginning fifteen months following December 16, 2019. MTV may prepay the whole, or any part, of the Facility (with a minimum amount of \$5 million) on not less than 45 days' prior notice.

The Facility also includes a copper price participation mechanism in favour of the Lenders beginning twelve months following December 16, 2019 (or earlier subject to certain conditions).

The Facility is secured by, *inter alia*, (i) a share pledge by the Company over its ownership in SRC, (ii) a share pledge by SRC over its ownership in the Company's Chilean subsidiary and (iii) a first charge on all equity interests of the Chilean subsidiaries and all assets of MTV including mining concessions, tenement, water rights, land rights, copper assets, plant, equipment and movable assets.

The Company has issued a \$10 million guarantee in relation to the Facility.

The Facility was, in part, used to repay MTV's \$20 million LOC (defined below), and a further \$7 million of cash is restricted under the terms of the Facility agreement.

The following embedded derivatives were identified in the Facility agreement:

- Voluntary Prepayment Option: this embedded derivative entitles MTV to prepay the whole or any part of the Facility with accrued interest on the amount prepaid at any time throughout the term without any premium or penalty.

- Kimura Repayment Rights: this is a mechanism available to Kimura to unilaterally demand repayment of its portion of the Facility under certain defined circumstances, and if so exercised, could trigger all or a portion of the \$10 million guarantee provided by the Company.
- Mandatory Repayment: In the event of default, the full amount of the Facility with accrued interest may immediately become payable on demand.

The value assigned to the aforementioned embedded derivatives upon the recognition of the Facility and as at December 31, 2019, was immaterial.

The Company and MTV are in compliance with all covenants as at December 31, 2019.

- b. On January 26, 2017, MTV entered into a line of credit financing contract (the "LOC") with an investment fund in the amount of \$9.5 million with an annual interest rate of LIBOR + 8.5%. In 2018, the LOC was renewed and extended to \$15 million. At that time, the Company became guarantor to the LOC replacing the former majority shareholder. The LOC further increased to \$20 million on September 27, 2019 and extended to November 30, 2019. The Company increased its guarantee to \$20 million at that time. On December 16, 2019, the LOC was repaid and the associated guarantee cancelled as a condition of the Facility.

	LOC and Facility	Leases	Total
<b>Balance, February 1, 2018</b>	\$ 7,146	\$ 280	\$ 7,426
Less: principal payments	(3,825)	(162)	(3,987)
Less: interest payments	(1,182)	(76)	(1,258)
Add: interest accrued	1,182	76	1,258
Add: additions	10,955	641	11,596
Exchange rate difference	—	(84)	(84)
<b>Balance, December 31, 2018</b>	14,276	675	14,951
Adjustment for change in accounting policy - IFRS 16	—	1,785	1,785
<b>Opening balance, January 1, 2019</b>	14,276	2,460	16,736
LOC and Facility additions	50,724	40	50,764
Less: principal payments	(20,027)	(1,007)	(21,034)
Less: interest payments	(1,737)	(41)	(1,778)
Less: issuance costs	(2,668)	—	(2,668)
Add: interest accrued	1,940	107	2,047
Exchange rate difference	—	(59)	(59)
<b>Balance, December 31, 2019</b>	42,508	1,500	44,008
Less: current portion	(176)	(861)	(1,037)
	<b>\$ 42,332</b>	<b>\$ 639</b>	<b>\$ 42,971</b>

Leases have interest rates between 7.2% and 27.5%, a term of 2 and 3 years and are secured by the equipment.

a. Leases

This note provides information for leases where MTV is a lessee. The Company does not have any leases other than those at MTV.

- i. Amounts recognised in the balance sheet

The balance sheet shows the following amounts relating to leases:

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Jan. 1, 2019 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Right-of-use assets</b>		
Mining facilities	\$ 55	\$ 154
Buildings and infrastructure	106	247
Machinery and equipment	179	—
Vehicles	770	1,384
	<b>\$ 1,110</b>	<b>\$ 1,785</b>
<b>Lease liabilities</b>		
Current	\$ 861	\$ 925
Non-current	639	1,535
	<b>\$ 1,500</b>	<b>\$ 2,460</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> During the year ended December 31, 2018, MTV only recognized lease assets and lease liabilities related to leases that were classified as "finance leases" under IAS 17 leases. The assets were presented in mineral properties, plant and equipment and the liabilities as part of MTV's borrowings. For adjustments recognized on adoption of IFRS 16 on January 1, 2019, refer to Note 2.

Additions to the right-of use assets during the 2019 were \$251 thousand.

- ii. Amounts recognised in the consolidated statement of operations and comprehensive loss

The consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss includes the following amounts relating to leases:

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Jan. 1, 2019
<b>Depreciation charge of right-of-use assets:</b>		
Mining facilities	\$ 108	\$ —
Buildings and infrastructure	151	—
Machinery and equipment	40	—
Vehicles	417	—
	<b>\$ 716</b>	<b>\$ —</b>
Interest expenses (included in finance cost)	\$ 54	\$ —
Expense related to short-term leases (included in cost of goods sold and administrative expenses)	\$ 152	\$ —
Payments for leases in 2019	\$ 1,300	\$ —

- iii. The Company's leasing activities and how these are accounted for:

The company leases various offices and infrastructure, vehicles and equipment. Rental contracts are typically made for fixed periods of 6 months to 3 years, but may have extension options.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The group allocated the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on their relative stand-alone prices.

Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose any covenants other than the security interest in the leased assets that are held by the lessor. Leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes (with the exception of financial leases).

Until the 2018 financial year, leases of property, plant and equipment were classified as either finance leases or operating leases. As from January 1, 2019, leases are recognized as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the Company.

## 12. Reclamation and Other Closure Provisions

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Opening Balance	\$ 4,759	\$ —
Deemed acquisition of MTV on Transition Date	—	5,254
Accretion	237	75
Revaluation	(40)	(570)
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$ 4,956</b>	<b>\$ 4,759</b>

MTV estimated the cost of closure and rehabilitation of the mines, which will commence upon completion of ore mining operations and the production and sale of copper cathodes. This long-term obligation is discounted using an annual interest rate of 0.47%, and the interest accrued is presented in finance costs in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. The Company expects the liability to be settled between 2027 and 2029.

## 13. Equity

### a) Authorized

Unlimited common shares with no par value.

The holders of the common shares are entitled to one vote per share and are entitled to dividends, when and if declared by the Board, and to the distribution of the residual assets of the Company in the event of the liquidation, dissolution or winding-up of the Company.

### b) Issued and outstanding

	Common shares (#)	Amount
<b>Balance - December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2019</b>	<b>34,082,992</b>	<b>\$ 303,990</b>

### c) Common share purchase warrants

Common share purchase warrants outstanding were as follows:

	Warrants (#)	Amount
<b>Balance - December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2019</b>	<b>201,138,560</b>	<b>\$ 6,026</b>

All common share purchase warrants have an exchange ratio of 20 warrants for 1 common share and expire on February 9, 2022, with an equivalent exercise price of CAD\$6.66 per common share.

### d) Stock options

The number of common shares available under the Company's stock option plan shall not exceed 10% of the issued and outstanding common shares of the Company as at the date of such grant (the "Option Plan"). The Company may grant options to directors, officers, employees or consultants of the Company. The exercise price per share is determined by the Company at the time the option is granted but, in any event, shall not be less than the closing price of the shares on the TSX on the trading day immediately preceding the date of the grant of the option,

unless the grant of the option occurs during a blackout period, in which case the exercise price per share shall not be less than the closing price of the shares on the TSX on the second trading day immediately following the expiry of the blackout period. Options granted pursuant to the Option Plan have a ten year term and shall vest and become exercisable by an optionee in three tranches: one third of the number of options vesting each of six, twelve and eighteen months following the date of grants.

The number of stock options vested and outstanding as at December 31, 2019 was 150 thousand (December 31, 2018: 175 thousand) at a weighted average exercise price of CAD\$3.80 (December 31, 2018: CAD\$3.74). During the year ended December 31, 2019, 25 thousand stock options with an exercise price of CAD\$3.40 expired. All stock options expire on November 17, 2020.

e) *Treasury stock*

	Common shares (#)	Amount
Unvested common shares held by the Trust, January 1, 2018	74,406 \$	192
Acquired for equity incentive plan	187,028	364
Released on vesting of equity incentive plan	(166,194)	(356)
Unvested common shares held by the Trust, December 31, 2018	95,240	200
Acquired for equity incentive plan	20,600	23
Released on vesting of equity incentive plan	(80,124)	(149)
<b>Unvested common shares held by the Trust, December 31, 2019</b>	<b>35,716 \$</b>	<b>74</b>

**14. Revenues**

	Year ended	Eleven months ended
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Copper cathodes	\$ 33,518	\$ 31,414
Tolling	2,170	1,286
	<b>\$ 35,688</b>	<b>\$ 32,700</b>

Revenues from copper cathodes for the year ended December 31, 2019 include \$885 thousand (eleven months ended December 31, 2018: \$638 thousand) of pricing adjustments due to timing differences for settlement of sales.

## 15. Cost of Sales

	Year ended	Eleven months ended
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Salaries	\$ 9,814	\$ 8,165
Direct mining and plant costs	37,025	23,603
Purchase of ore from third parties	3,681	3,579
Depreciation	8,523	3,110
Change in inventory	(15,410)	(5,011)
Write-down of inventory	4,383	—
Other	1,048	883
	<b>\$ 49,064</b>	<b>\$ 34,329</b>

## 16. Impairment of MTV Cash-Generating Unit ("CGU")

In the fourth quarter of 2019, the Company began its budgeting process that was completed in 2020 but is yet to be finalized. Management observed a decrease in MTV's future cash flows reflecting adjustments to key mine planning, water supply issues, cost and working capital assumptions and its future outlook on copper prices. Together, these adjustments to the MTV CGU resulted in a trigger for an impairment test.

The recoverable amount of the MTV CGU of \$72.5 million (en bloc value) was determined based on a discounted cash flow analysis of an indicative life of mine model adjusted for current market multiples of similar public companies. The life-of-mine model was prepared at fair value less cost of disposal (Level 3) using a discounted cash flow model analysis of an indicative mine life over 8 years. This life of mine model is management's best estimate of the recoverable amount of MTV's net assets at December 31, 2019.

Management engaged an independent third-party to prepare an impairment test analysis that concluded that the recoverable amount of the MTV CGU was lower than its carrying value as at December 31, 2019. From this analysis, management concluded that an impairment charge of \$13.7 million was to be recorded as a reduction in the carrying value of MTV's assets to the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

### Key Assumptions:

The key assumptions used in determining the recoverable amount of the MTV CGU include copper price, discount rate and the net asset value ("NAV") market multiple.

	2019 Test
<b>Assumptions</b>	
Copper price per pound - short to mid-term	<b>\$2.85 - \$2.95</b>
Copper price per pound - long-term	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
Discount rate	<b>7.5%</b>
NAV multiple	<b>0.50x</b>

Changes in copper price, the discount rate and NAV multiple assumptions can have a material impact on the recoverable value of the CGU. A significant change in copper prices will result in a reassessment of the life of mine plans, including the determination of reserves and resources which will impact the recoverable amount of the CGU.

The Company did an analysis of sensitivities on the fair value of the MTV CGU:

- a +/- 10% impact on the long-term price for copper has an impact of \$12.9 million

- a +/- 0.5% change in the discount rate has an impact of \$1.8 million
- a +/- 0.05x change in the NAV multiple has an impact of \$7.7 million

Copper Price - Estimated by considering the average of the most recent market commodity price forecasts from a number of recognized financial analysts.

Discount rate - A pre-tax discount rate was based on the Company's estimated weighted average cost of capital.

NAV multiple - A NAV multiple was determined after comparing similar public company price to NAV ratios.

Life of Mine - The life of mine was estimated using management's latest information including MTV's latest reserves and resources estimates as well as information gathered from its National Instrument 43-101 technical report.

## 17. General and Administrative Expenses

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Salaries and contracted services	\$ 1,545	\$ 1,210
Management fees	1,704	2,402
Public company reporting costs	1,288	1,000
Other office expenses	1,808	1,541
	<b>\$ 6,345</b>	<b>\$ 6,153</b>

Salaries and contracted services together with Other office expenses includes expenses from MTV since the Transition Date.

## 18. Other income

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Interest and other income	\$ 503	\$ 944
Foreign currency translation gain	1,274	1,820
	<b>\$ 1,777</b>	<b>\$ 2,764</b>

Other income include amounts from MTV since the Transition Date.

## 19. Current and Deferred Income Taxes

### a) Income tax expense

Income tax expense varies from the amounts that would be computed by applying the combined Canadian federal and provincial income tax rate of 26.5% (December 31, 2018- 26.5%) to income (loss) before income taxes as shown in the following table:

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
<b>Net loss from continuing operations</b>	<b>\$ (45,347)</b>	<b>\$ (29,716)</b>
Combined statutory federal and provincial income tax rate	26.5%	26.5%
Combined income taxes at statutory tax rate	<b>\$ (12,017)</b>	<b>\$ (7,875)</b>
Non-deductible and non-taxable items	(200)	(800)
Non-deductible portion of unrealized (gains) losses on investments	1,317	3,049
Derecognition of deferred tax asset	11,068	5,285
Other	(168)	341
<b>Tax expense as per consolidated statements of operations</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>

### b) Deferred tax balance

The Company has recognized a deferred tax asset for tax losses only to the extent of its deferred tax liabilities, as listed below.

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Mineral properties, plant and equipment	\$ 9,508	\$ 12,230
Inventories	5,376	3,318
<b>Total deferred tax liabilities - Chile</b>	<b>14,884</b>	<b>15,548</b>
Intangible assets	(253)	(163)
Tax losses - Chile	(14,631)	(15,385)
<b>Total deferred tax assets - Chile</b>	<b>(14,884)</b>	<b>(15,548)</b>
<b>Net deferred tax liabilities</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>

The Company has tax losses and other deductible temporary differences, as listed below, the benefits of which have not been recognized in these financial statements, as management does not consider their utilization in the foreseeable future to be probable.

	As at	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Canadian tax losses expiring 2036 - 2039	\$ 7,516	\$ 6,245
Chilean tax losses	310,424	295,299
Provision	14,544	11,596
Share issue costs and other	6,856	4,196
Capital losses	47,446	11,041
Portfolio investments	78,565	100,203
Unrecognized deductible temporary differences	\$ 465,351	\$ 428,580

The Company has unrecognized deductible temporary differences of other years of \$465.4 million available to be applied against future income of which \$310.4 million have no expiry and relate to MTV.

## 20. Loss per Share

Loss per share is calculated by dividing the net loss of the Company by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted earnings per share is calculated by adjusting the weighted average number of shares outstanding to assume conversion of all potentially dilutive shares. The potentially dilutive shares of the Company relate to warrants, stock options and treasury stock. A calculation is done to determine the number of shares that could have been acquired at fair value (determined as the average annual market share price of the Company's shares) based on the exercise prices of outstanding stock options and warrants. The number of shares calculated as described in the preceding sentence is compared with the number of shares that would have been issued assuming the exercise of the stock options and warrants. All unvested treasury shares are deemed to have vested at the beginning of the period or date of issuance, if later.

<i>(in thousands except per share amounts)</i>	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Net loss from continuing operations	\$ (45,347)	\$ (29,716)
Net loss from discontinued operations	\$ (6,855)	\$ (2,936)
Net loss for the year	\$ (52,202)	\$ (32,652)
Weighted average number of shares - basic and fully diluted	33,987,568	33,925,954
Basic and fully diluted loss from continuing operations per share	\$ (1.33)	\$ (0.88)
Basic and fully diluted loss from discontinuing operations per share	\$ (0.20)	\$ (0.09)
Basic and fully diluted loss per share	\$ (1.53)	\$ (0.97)

## 21. Contingencies and Commitments

### Management Services Agreement ("**MSA**")

An MSA was entered into, effective February 8, 2017, between SRHI and SCLP, an entity which is directly and indirectly wholly-owned by Sprott Inc., replacing the old MSA (the "**Old MSA**") between SRC and SCLP. The MSA was amended on the Transition Date to reflect the Company's transition to a diversified holding company and further amended effective March 2, 2020 to reflect the reduction to the management fee and notice period (see Note 29).

Under the MSA, management for SRHI are provided and have the power and authority to transact the business of SRHI and to deal with and in SRHI's assets for the use and benefit of SRHI, except as limited by any direction of the Board, and subject to certain limits on authority established from time to time by the Board.

Within the terms and conditions established by the Company, the management provided under the MSA will manage SRHI's investment activities and assets, and administer the day-to-day operations of SRHI.

Contractual obligations of the Company as at December 31, 2019 are as follows:

		1 year	1 - 3 years	More than 3 years	Total
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	29,855	\$ —	\$ —	29,855
Facility		4,530	35,301	15,816	55,647
Leases		1,033	699	—	1,732
Other non-current liabilities		1,010	1,770	830	3,610
Reclamation and other closure provisions		—	—	5,110	5,110
<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>36,428</b>	<b>\$ 37,770</b>	<b>\$ 21,756</b>	<b>\$ 95,954</b>

As of December 31, 2019, commitments to purchase property, plant and equipment amounted to \$0.7 million.

## 22. Operating Segments

The Company has two reportable segments. MTV is the Company's principal operating business. Corporate includes the Canadian corporate office which holds portfolio investments in the mining sector as well as an asset held for sale that reflects a 50.2% (2018 - 49.9%) interest in Beretta.

Significant information relating to reportable operating segments is summarized below:

<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>		<b>MTV</b>		<b>Corporate</b>		<b>Total</b>
Assets	\$	115,766	\$	17,482	\$	133,248
Assets classified as held for sale		—		9,908		9,908
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>115,766</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>27,390</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>143,156</b>
Liabilities	\$	80,164	\$	985	\$	81,149
Liabilities classified as held for sale		—		5,286		5,286
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>80,164</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,271</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>86,435</b>

<b>As at December 31, 2018</b>		<b>MTV</b>		<b>Corporate</b>		<b>Total</b>
Assets	\$	103,007	\$	37,434	\$	140,441
Assets classified as held for sale		—		14,013		14,013
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>103,007</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>51,447</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>154,454</b>
Liabilities	\$	43,100	\$	1,259	\$	44,359
Liabilities classified as held for sale		—		2,964		2,964
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>43,100</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,223</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>47,323</b>

Year Ended December 31, 2019	MTV	Corporate	Total
Revenue	\$ 35,688	\$ —	\$ 35,688
Cost of sales	(49,064)	—	(49,064)
<b>Gross loss</b>	<b>(13,376)</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>(13,376)</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
General and administrative expenses	2,471	3,874	6,345
Loss on portfolio investments	—	9,936	9,936
Finance expenses, net	3,801	—	3,801
Other income	(1,438)	(339)	(1,777)
Impairment of non-current assets	13,666	—	13,666
<b>Net loss from continuing operations</b>	<b>(31,876)</b>	<b>(13,471)</b>	<b>(45,347)</b>
<b>Net loss from discontinued operations</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>(6,855)</b>	<b>(6,855)</b>
<b>Net loss for the year</b>	<b>\$ (31,876)</b>	<b>\$ (20,326)</b>	<b>\$ (52,202)</b>

Year Ended December 31, 2018	MTV <sup>1</sup>	Corporate	Total
Revenue	\$ 32,700	\$ —	\$ 32,700
Cost of sales	(34,329)	—	(34,329)
<b>Gross loss</b>	<b>(1,629)</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>(1,629)</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
General and administrative expenses	2,204	3,949	6,153
Loss on portfolio investments	—	22,603	22,603
Finance expenses, net	2,095	—	2,095
Other loss (income)	685	(3,449)	(2,764)
<b>Net loss from continuing operations</b>	<b>(6,613)</b>	<b>(23,103)</b>	<b>(29,716)</b>
<b>Net loss from discontinued operations</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>(2,936)</b>	<b>(2,936)</b>
<b>Net loss for the year</b>	<b>\$ (6,613)</b>	<b>\$ (26,039)</b>	<b>\$ (32,652)</b>

<sup>1</sup> MTV was deemed to be acquired on the Transition Date and as a result, the operations of MTV are for the eleven months ended December 31, 2018.

Effective the Transition Date, the Company reported Beretta as held for sale and consolidates MTV. Prior to the Transition Date, both Beretta and MTV were portfolio investments reported at FVTPL under Investment Entity Reporting.

Effective the Transition Date, Beretta was reclassified as held for sale and all assets and liabilities of Beretta are presented separately in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position as current assets and current liabilities respectively. See Note 6.

For the year ended December 31, 2019, 94% of the revenues (\$33.5 million) was from one customer based in Switzerland. For the period February 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018, 96% of the revenues (\$32.7 million) was from one customer based in Switzerland. As at December 31, 2019, there was \$0.5 million (December 31, 2018: \$0.4 million) outstanding in trade and other receivables.

## 23. Supplementary Cash Flow Information

### a. Net Change in Working Capital

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
<b>Net (increase) decrease in:</b>		
Trade and other receivables	\$ 339	\$ (1,002)
Inventories	3,331	(5,271)
Other current assets	(22)	(528)
Other non-current assets	(158)	(595)
<b>Net increase (decrease) in:</b>		
Trade and other payables	8,396	267
Other non-current liabilities	201	435
Deferred revenue	(2,696)	(2,459)
<b>Net change in working capital</b>	<b>\$ 9,391</b>	<b>\$ (9,153)</b>

### b. Interest paid on loans and borrowings

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Interest paid on loans and borrowings	\$ (1,778)	\$ (1,131)

## 24. Related Party Transactions

### a) Purchases of Services

The Company entered into the following transactions with related parties during the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2018. Transactions with related parties are recorded at the price agreed between the parties. Transactions in the normal course of business are measured at the monetary amount, which is the amount of consideration established, agreed to and paid by the related parties based on standard commercial terms.

#### (i) Management Fees

Management fees and employment compensation pursuant to the Management Services Agreement for the year ended December 31, 2019 were \$1.7 million (year ended December 31, 2018: \$2.4 million). The employment compensation portion was paid directly to employees and consultants of SRHI provided by SCLP and the remainder was paid and payable to SCLP, an entity with some directors and officers in common. As at December 31, 2019, there was \$0.4 million (December 31, 2018: \$0.9 million) payable to SCLP for management fees calculated pursuant to the MSA.

#### (ii) Mine Contracting Services

MTV utilizes contractors for several mining services.

Inversiones Genova S.A.

For the year ended December 31, 2019, \$2.7 million (eleven months ended December 31, 2018: \$2.6 million) was paid to Inversiones Genova S.A. for services provided to the Company. As at December 31, 2019, a balance of \$0.7 million (December 31, 2018: \$0.2 million) payable to Inversiones Genova S.A. remained outstanding. Inversiones Genova S.A. is affiliated with the minority shareholder of MTV.

Vecchiola S.A.

For the year ended December 31, 2019, \$9.4 million, was paid to Vecchiola S.A. (eleven months ended December 31, 2018: \$1.1 million), a mining contractor. As at December 31, 2019, a balance of \$5.4 million (December 31, 2018: \$0.9 million) payable to Vecchiola S.A. remained outstanding. Vecchiola S.A. is affiliated with the minority shareholder of MTV.

(iii) *MTV Management Loan*

On November 12, 2018, certain senior managers of MTV entered into a loan agreement with MTV whereby a loan facility of \$0.6 million was granted to MTV. The unsecured loan has an interest rate of 12% per annum payable on the outstanding principal and repayment of interest and effective December 16, 2019, all principal and interest was subordinated to the Facility.

On January 9, 2019, certain senior managers of MTV entered into a loan agreement with MTV whereby a loan facility of \$0.4 million was granted to MTV. The unsecured loan has a minimum interest rate of 12% per annum payable on the outstanding principal and repayment of interest and effective December 16, 2019, all principal and interest was subordinated to the Facility.

As at December 31, 2019, \$1.0 million of principal and interest was outstanding (December 31, 2018: \$0.6 million).

b) *Key Management Compensation*

Compensation for services paid or payable to executive officers and independent directors of the Company is shown below:

	Year ended	
	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Compensation paid by and on behalf of SRHI for executive management services provided to the Company (including stock-based compensation)	\$ 367	\$ 485
Directors fees and stock-based compensation	621	361
	<b>\$ 988</b>	<b>\$ 846</b>

**25. Business Combinations**

*MTV Deemed Acquisition*

On October 2, 2017, SRHI acquired the Chilean producing copper mine MTV for an aggregate purchase price of \$39.9 million, consisting of \$33.5 million in cash and \$6.4 million in SRHI common shares. A total of 2,559,592 SRHI common shares were issued to the purchaser in connection with this investment, providing SRHI with a 70% equity interest in MTV.

Effective the Transition Date, MTV was accounted for as a business acquisition in accordance with IFRS 3, *Business Combinations*.

The following table summarizes the deemed consideration paid and the fair values of identified assets acquired and liabilities assumed from MTV on the Transition Date. The deemed consideration paid reflects the fair value of the Company's interest in MTV as a portfolio investment immediately prior to the Transition Date. Non-controlling interest was measured as the percentage of net assets held by non-controlling parties. The deemed acquisition did not result in either goodwill or a bargain purchase gain.

<b>Consideration</b>		
Purchase price	\$	39,900
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<b>Total consideration</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>39,900</b>
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<b>Fair value of assets acquired:</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,956
Trade and other receivables		1,324
Inventories		14,065
Mineral properties, plant and equipment		72,588
Intangible assets		2,593
Other		349
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		93,875
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<b>Fair value of liabilities and non-controlling interest acquired:</b>		
Trade and other payables		18,251
Deferred revenue		5,383
Reclamation and other closure provisions		5,254
Loans and borrowings		7,987
Non-controlling interest		17,100
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		53,975
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<b>Net assets acquired</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>39,900</b>
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#### *Beretta Deemed Acquisition*

Effective the Transition Date, Beretta was accounted for as a business acquisition in accordance with IFRS 3, *Business Combinations*. The assets and liabilities of Beretta acquired by the Company are presented as assets and liabilities held for sale and subsequent results of operations as discontinued operations (See Note 6).

The following table summarizes the deemed consideration paid and the fair values of identified assets acquired and liabilities assumed from Beretta on the Transition Date. The deemed consideration paid reflects the fair value of the Company's interest in Beretta as a portfolio investment immediately prior to the Transition Date. Non-controlling interest was measured as the percentage of net assets held by non-controlling parties. The deemed acquisition did not result in either goodwill or a bargain purchase gain.

<b>Consideration</b>	
Purchase price	\$ 7,670
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<b>Total consideration</b>	<b>\$ 7,670</b>
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<b>Fair value of assets acquired:</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,230
Trade and other receivables	4,177
Inventories	1,855
Biological assets	4,218
Property, plant and equipment	5,548
Other	86
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	19,114
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<b>Fair value of liabilities and non-controlling interest acquired:</b>	
Trade and other payables	3,586
Long-term debt	180
Non-controlling interest	7,678
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	11,444
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<b>Net assets acquired</b>	<b>\$ 7,670</b>

The assets and liabilities of Beretta acquired by the Company are presented as assets and liabilities held for sale and subsequent results of operations as discontinued operations (See Note 6).

## 26. Fair Value Estimation

All of the Company's portfolio investments are carried at fair value. SRHI includes portfolio investments in private companies in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy because they trade infrequently and have limited observable inputs. The Company's exchange-traded portfolio investments that are quoted on active markets are measured at fair value using closing prices.

The Company has provided fair market disclosure for its portfolio of investments by industry groups. The mining industry group consists of three mining companies (2018 - three companies), two that are in the producing stage and another that is in care and maintenance. In the prior year, the energy production and services industry group consisted of an oil and gas exploration and production investment. The companies in each of the industry groups share similar risk profiles and have therefore been grouped together.

The following table presents the classification within the levels of the fair value hierarchy.

<b>As at December 31, 2019</b>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	<b>Total</b>
Investments - mining	\$ 4,298	\$ —	\$ 2,308	<b>6,606</b>
Deferred revenue	—	228	—	<b>228</b>
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	\$ 4,298	\$ 228	\$ 2,308	<b>6,834</b>

<b>As at December 31, 2018</b>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	<b>Total</b>
Investments - mining	\$ 9,801	\$ —	\$ 4,586	<b>14,387</b>
Investments - energy production and services	5,098	—	—	<b>5,098</b>
Deferred revenue	—	2,925	—	<b>2,925</b>
	<b>\$ 14,899</b>	<b>\$ 2,925</b>	<b>\$ 4,586</b>	<b>22,410</b>

The Company's policy is to recognize transfers to and from fair value hierarchy levels as of the date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer. There have been no transfers between levels during the year ended December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018.

The fair value measures of the biological assets (\$2.6 million) in the Asset held for sale as at December 31, 2019 (December 31, 2018: \$1.3 million) have been categorized as a Level 2 fair value based on observable quoted prices for breeding herd carrying values and quantities.

The following presents the movement in Level 3 instruments for the year ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2018:

	Dec. 31, 2019	Dec. 31, 2018
Opening balance	\$ 4,586	\$ 53,574
Derecognition of Beretta and MTV as portfolio investments	—	(47,570)
Unrealized loss for the period	(2,436)	(1,143)
Foreign currency translation differences	158	(275)
<b>Ending balance</b>	<b>\$ 2,308</b>	<b>\$ 4,586</b>

### Valuation Methodologies

The Company's management team is responsible for determining fair value measurements included in the Financial Statements, including Level 3 measurements. The valuation processes and results are reviewed and approved by the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer at least once every quarter, in line with the Company's quarterly reporting dates.

The Company determines the fair values of its portfolio investments categorized in Level 3 using adjusted book value, earnings and revenue multiple methodologies, reference to recent transaction prices, public company comparables or a combination thereof. At least annually, each portfolio investment classified as a Level 3 investment is valued by an independent third-party professionally accredited valuator unless (i) there is sufficient external evidence, such as a recent third-party transaction, that would provide meaningful and supportable evidence to conclude on fair value or (ii) it is both uneconomical to perform and the range of fair values for the portfolio investment would not result in a material difference from any value within the range.

Where a recent investment has been made, either by the Company or by a third party in one of SRHI's portfolio investments, after considering the background of the underlying investment, this price will generally be used as the estimate of fair value, subject to consideration of changes in market conditions and company specific factors. Other methodologies may be used at any time if they are believed to provide a more accurate assessment of the fair value of the portfolio investment. The indicators that the price of a recent portfolio investment may no longer be appropriate include (but are not necessarily limited to) factors such as:

- significant under/over achievement of budgeted earnings;
- milestone achievements;
- concerns with respect to debt covenants or refinancing;
- significant movements in the market sector of the investment;
- lack of significant third party investment;
- regulatory changes in the industry; and,
- the passage of time.

If active business operations in an SRHI portfolio investment have not yet generated meaningful positive cash flows, after considering the background of the underlying portfolio investment, an adjusted book value approach is typically utilized adjusting the reported book value of those assets and liabilities required in operations to their respective fair values, subject to consideration of changes in market conditions and company specific factors.

Financial assets and liabilities that are not measured at fair value in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Position are represented by cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables, accounts payable and accrued liabilities. Due to their short-term nature and low credit risk, the fair values of these financial assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts.

Debt is initially recorded at fair value, less transaction costs. Debt is subsequently measured at amortized cost, calculated using the effective interest rate method.

The Company's Level 3 portfolio investment at December 31, 2019 consists of an investment in the mining sector.

## **27. Financial Risk Management**

The Company's activities expose it to certain financial risks during or at the end of the reporting period as described below.

### **Market Risk**

Market risk is the risk of loss that may arise from changes in market factors such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates and commodity prices. The purpose of market risk management is to manage and control exposures to market risks, within acceptable parameters, while optimizing return. The sensitivities to market risks included below are based on a change in one factor while holding all other factors constant. In practice, this is unlikely to occur, and changes in some of the factors may be correlated - for example, changes in interest rates and changes in foreign currency rates.

#### *Interest Rate Risk*

The Company's interest rate risk arises primarily from the interest received on cash and cash equivalents and any interest paid on floating rate borrowings.

Cash and cash equivalents are invested on a short-term basis to ensure minimal interest rate risk and to adequately provide liquidity for payment of operational and capital expenditures. To date, no interest-rate management products, such as swaps, are used in relation to cash and cash equivalents or the Facility.

The Company has additional exposure to interest rate risk on the Facility, which is subject to a floating interest rate. Floating interest rates are based on USD LIBOR plus a fixed margin. The Company does not enter into derivative contracts to manage this risk. Given the Facility was entered into and fully drawn in December, a 0.1% change in LIBOR rates (10 basis points) would result in a nominal change in the Company's loss before income taxes in 2019.

#### *Foreign Currency Risk*

The individual financial statements of each group entity are presented in the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (its functional currency). The functional currency for results and financial position of Canadian entities is CAD while for Chilean entities is USD. The presentation currency for the Financial Statements is USD.

The Company incurs expenditures in CAD other than through its subsidiary, MTV, whose expenditures are primarily in USD. The Company's exposure to foreign currency risk at December 31, 2019 arises primarily from those transactions carried out at MTV in CLP rather than USD and that have a direct effect on the operating results, such as wages.

As at December 31, 2019, approximately \$6.6 million or 5% (December 31, 2018: \$19.5 million or 13%) of the total assets were invested in portfolio investments priced in CAD, and approximately \$4.5 million or 3% of total assets was held in CAD cash (December 31, 2018: \$11.6 million or 8%). As at December 31, 2019, had the exchange rate between the USD and the Canadian dollar increased or decreased by 10%, with all other variables held constant, the increase or decrease, respectively, in net loss for the year ended December 31, 2019 would have amounted to approximately \$1.1 million (year ended December 31, 2018: \$4.2 million). As at December 31, 2019, had the exchange rate between the USD and CLP increased or decreased by 10%, with all other variables held constant, the increase or decrease, respectively, in net loss for the year ended December 31, 2019 would have amounted to approximately \$3.7 million. (year ended December 31, 2018: \$1.1 million).

### **Commodity Price Risk**

Commodity price risk is the risk that the fair values or cash flows associated with the Company's revenues and portfolio investments will vary due to changes in the prices of a particular commodity, e.g. copper. The Company does not engage in programs to mitigate its copper commodity exposure.

The Company is exposed to commodity price risk in respect of its revenues as nearly all of its revenues are generated from the sale of copper cathodes. In addition, its remaining operating portfolio investment is exposed to commodity price risk since its revenues are dependent on the market price of metallurgical and thermal coal. The price of this commodity is volatile and subject to fluctuations that may have a significant effect on the ability of the portfolio company to meet its obligations, capital spending targets or commitments, and expected operational results which in turn impacts their fair values as recorded by the Company. As at December 31, 2019, had the copper price increased or decreased by 10%, with all other variables held constant, the increase or decrease, respectively, in net loss for the year ended December 31, 2019 would have amounted to approximately \$3.3 million (year ended December 31, 2018: \$2.8 million).

### **Price Risk**

Price risk is the risk that the fair value of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from foreign currency risk, interest rate risk or commodity price risk) whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument, its issuer, or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. The Company is subject to price risk through its public equity portfolio investments.

A 10% increase/decrease in the value of all public equity and private market investments would result in an approximate increase/decrease in the value of public and private market exposure and an unrealized gain/loss in the amount of \$0.7 million (year ended December 31, 2018: \$1.9 million).

### **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk that a third party will fail to meet its contractual obligations, which could result in the Company incurring a loss and arises primarily from the Company's receivables from customers and its cash and cash equivalents deposited with financial institutions.

The Company invests cash and cash equivalents with financial institutions that are financially sound based on their credit rating with the majority of the Company's cash held through large Canadian and US financial institutions with credit ratings of AA or higher. The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with accounts receivable is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. The Company had one customer that represented 94% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2019 and which is considered low risk as it is an independent commodity trading company with operations throughout the world. The Company has not incurred any credit losses during the year ended December 31, 2019 nor does it have an allowance for doubtful accounts.

The carrying value of financial assets recorded in the Financial Statements, net of any allowances for losses, represents the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk.

### **Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk associated with the difficulties that the Company may have meeting the obligations associated with financial liabilities that are settled with cash payments or with another financial asset. The Company manages liquidity risk by utilizing budgets and cash flow forecasts to assist the Company with maintaining sufficient cash to meet operating and capital obligations.

The Company monitors the expected settlement of financial assets and liabilities on an ongoing basis. A maturity analysis was performed for all financial liabilities in Note 21.

The Company invests in securities of public and private companies. In some cases, the Company may be restricted by contract or by applicable securities laws from selling such securities for a period of time. The inability to sell such securities may impair the Company's ability to exit these portfolio investments when the Company considers it appropriate.

The Company may need to raise capital in order to support MTV's operations including development of its mineral properties and general working capital purposes. MTV currently operates in a high-cost environment as it expands production. Working capital stresses exist at MTV and additional sources of capital may be required to execute MTV's planned operations. Such financing, if sought, will depend on a number of unpredictable factors, which are often beyond the control of the Company and MTV. Raising capital may be adversely impacted by: a lack of normally available financing, current volatile market conditions, extended and unforeseen issues resulting from the current Coronavirus pandemic, ongoing and worsening drought conditions in Chile and ongoing geopolitical issues in Chile. To address its financing requirements, the Company may seek financing through joint venture agreements, debt and equity financings, asset sales, rights offerings to existing shareholders or restructuring MTV's debt and payment terms with critical suppliers. The outcome of these matters cannot be predicted at this time and there

can be no assurance that capital will be available to the Company or MTV in the amount required at any particular time or for any particular period, or, if available, that such financing can be obtained on satisfactory terms. The Company and MTV are exposed to liquidity risk.

MTV has incurred significant operating losses and negative cash flows from operations in recent years, and has a working capital deficiency. Whether and when MTV can attain profitability and positive cash flows has recently been challenged as a result of Chile's social unrest, continuing drought and Coronavirus pandemic impacts, including the copper price. These uncertainties cast significant doubt upon MTV's ability to continue as a going concern.

MTV has a working capital deficiency of \$12.0 million, negative cash flows from operations and negative equity. It has long-term debt of \$43.0 million, the majority of which is the Facility and subordinated debt payable to the Company of \$16.5 million. MTV does not expect to have sufficient liquidity to fund its operations over the next twelve months. The working capital deficiency significantly limits MTV's ability to fund capital expenditures and operations. Although MTV is in compliance with all covenants as at December 31, 2019 and the date hereof, it is not unreasonable that non-compliance under the Facility could happen during 2020.

As a result, there are material uncertainties that cast significant doubt about MTV's ability to continue as a going concern. The continuation of MTV as a going concern is dependent on ongoing discussions with its Lenders, shareholders (including the Company) and its critical suppliers to provide additional financial support through additional capital injections and revised supplier payment terms. This plan is expected to be completed during the second quarter of 2020, and is expected to generate sufficient liquidity and flexibility to finance operations into 2021 when mining operations are expected to generate sufficient cash flow. Management believes that the plan is likely to be completed, however there is no assurance that it will be. Without this plan, MTV may be forced to further curtail its operations.

As a condition of the Facility, the Company has provided the Lenders with a \$10 million guarantee that represents the Company's only obligation to MTV.

## **28. Capital Management**

The Company defines capital as shareholders' equity, being its net assets. The Company's corporate office is responsible for capital management. The objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and to maintain a flexible capital structure that optimizes the costs of capital at an acceptable risk.

The primary capital management objective of the Company is to ensure adequate working capital is available to adequately fund the Board-approved business plans which include those of MTV such as the costs of mining operations, capital commitments and corporate overhead costs.

Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable. Capital management is undertaken to ensure a secure, cost-effective supply of funds to ensure the Company's operating, administrative and capital expenditure requirements are met. To maintain or adjust capital structure, the Company may attempt to issue new shares, repurchase for cancellation outstanding shares, acquire or dispose of assets, incur short-term or long-term debt or adjust the amount of cash and cash equivalents and portfolio investments.

## **29. Subsequent Events**

On February 18, 2020, the Company announced it had reached an agreement to amend the MSA with SCLP whereby SCLP will continue to provide management services, eliminating the management fee and reducing the termination notice period as described in the MSA to three months. In return, the Company will bear some of the direct costs of SCLP-provided management.

Subsequent to year end, the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic began causing significant commodity price and financial market declines and social dislocation. The situation is dynamic with various cities and countries around the world responding in different ways to address the outbreak. On March 18, 2020, Chile declared a state of catastrophe over the COVID-19 outbreak that restricts freedom of movement within the country. On March 21, 2020, officials of Salamanca formally requested MTV to temporarily halt or restrict operations as a measure to slow the advance of the pandemic and on March 23, 2020, the Company announced measures that will be immediately implemented at MTV. The extent of the effect of the COVID-19 pandemic on the Company's business activities is uncertain. The Company's impairment test for the MTV CGU is based on fair value less cost to dispose model which are based on discounted cash flows from operations. In addition, the estimates used to value inventory, specifically work-in-process inventory are based on information available at December 31, 2019. Accordingly, as required by IFRS we have not reflected these subsequent conditions in the recoverable value estimate of the MTV CGU or inventory at December 31, 2019.

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