

Major Drilling Group International Inc.
Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations
(in thousands of Canadian dollars, except per share information)
(unaudited)

	Three months ended October 31		Six months ended October 31	
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 201,716	\$ 170,693	\$ 401,551	\$ 321,688
DIRECT COSTS (note 7)	148,713	133,155	297,374	253,790
GROSS PROFIT	<u>53,003</u>	<u>37,538</u>	<u>104,177</u>	<u>67,898</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES				
General and administrative (note 7)	16,068	14,130	32,242	27,738
Other expenses	4,723	3,415	7,743	6,022
(Gain) loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(22)	(85)	(720)	(409)
Foreign exchange (gain) loss	1,056	888	1,771	1,110
Finance costs	26	399	456	871
	<u>21,851</u>	<u>18,747</u>	<u>41,492</u>	<u>35,332</u>
EARNINGS BEFORE INCOME TAX	<u>31,152</u>	<u>18,791</u>	<u>62,685</u>	<u>32,566</u>
INCOME TAX EXPENSE (note 8)				
Current	6,564	2,912	14,265	5,344
Deferred	977	1,589	561	1,872
	<u>7,541</u>	<u>4,501</u>	<u>14,826</u>	<u>7,216</u>
NET EARNINGS	<u>\$ 23,611</u>	<u>\$ 14,290</u>	<u>\$ 47,859</u>	<u>\$ 25,350</u>
EARNINGS PER SHARE (note 9)				
Basic	<u>\$ 0.29</u>	<u>\$ 0.17</u>	<u>\$ 0.58</u>	<u>\$ 0.31</u>
Diluted	<u>\$ 0.28</u>	<u>\$ 0.17</u>	<u>\$ 0.58</u>	<u>\$ 0.31</u>

Major Drilling Group International Inc.
Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Earnings
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	Three months ended October 31		Six months ended October 31	
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
NET EARNINGS	\$ 23,611	\$ 14,290	\$ 47,859	\$ 25,350
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE EARNINGS				
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss				
Unrealized gain (loss) on foreign currency translations	15,079	(2,518)	11,987	(513)
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives (net of tax)	<u>54</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>(1,578)</u>	<u>182</u>
COMPREHENSIVE EARNINGS	<u>\$ 38,744</u>	<u>\$ 11,777</u>	<u>\$ 58,268</u>	<u>\$ 25,019</u>

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Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the six months ended October 31, 2022 and 2021

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	Share capital	Retained earnings (deficit)	Other reserves	Share-based payments reserve	Foreign currency translation reserve	Total
BALANCE AS AT MAY 1, 2021	\$ 243,379	\$ (22,456)	\$ 1,067	\$ 5,559	\$ 52,614	\$ 280,163
Share issue (note 11)	12,911	-	-	-	-	12,911
Exercise of stock options	3,957	-	-	(1,090)	-	2,867
Share-based compensation	-	-	-	175	-	175
Stock options expired/forfeited	-	23	-	(23)	-	-
	<u>260,247</u>	<u>(22,433)</u>	<u>1,067</u>	<u>4,621</u>	<u>52,614</u>	<u>296,116</u>
Comprehensive earnings:						
Net earnings	-	25,350	-	-	-	25,350
Unrealized gain (loss) on foreign currency translations	-	-	-	-	(513)	(513)
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives	-	-	182	-	-	182
Total comprehensive earnings (loss)	<u>-</u>	<u>25,350</u>	<u>182</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(513)</u>	<u>25,019</u>
BALANCE AS AT OCTOBER 31, 2021	<u>\$ 260,247</u>	<u>\$ 2,917</u>	<u>\$ 1,249</u>	<u>\$ 4,621</u>	<u>\$ 52,101</u>	<u>\$ 321,135</u>
BALANCE AS AT MAY 1, 2022	\$ 263,183	\$ 31,022	\$ 1,536	\$ 3,996	\$ 60,021	\$ 359,758
Exercise of stock options	1,467	-	-	(403)	-	1,064
Share-based compensation	-	-	-	243	-	243
	<u>264,650</u>	<u>31,022</u>	<u>1,536</u>	<u>3,836</u>	<u>60,021</u>	<u>361,065</u>
Comprehensive earnings:						
Net earnings	-	47,859	-	-	-	47,859
Unrealized gain (loss) on foreign currency translations	-	-	-	-	11,987	11,987
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives	-	-	(1,578)	-	-	(1,578)
Total comprehensive earnings (loss)	<u>-</u>	<u>47,859</u>	<u>(1,578)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>11,987</u>	<u>58,268</u>
BALANCE AS AT OCTOBER 31, 2022	<u>\$ 264,650</u>	<u>\$ 78,881</u>	<u>\$ (42)</u>	<u>\$ 3,836</u>	<u>\$ 72,008</u>	<u>\$ 419,333</u>

Major Drilling Group International Inc.
Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
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	Three months ended October 31		Six months ended October 31	
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Earnings before income tax	\$ 31,152	\$ 18,791	\$ 62,685	\$ 32,566
Operating items not involving cash				
Depreciation and amortization (note 7)	11,829	11,539	23,370	21,528
(Gain) loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(22)	(85)	(720)	(409)
Share-based compensation	131	97	243	175
Finance costs recognized in earnings before income tax	26	399	456	871
	<u>43,116</u>	<u>30,741</u>	<u>86,034</u>	<u>54,731</u>
Changes in non-cash operating working capital items	13,316	(4,035)	(3,152)	(9,421)
Finance costs paid	(26)	(399)	(456)	(871)
Income taxes paid	(4,321)	(1,139)	(9,671)	(2,439)
Cash flow from (used in) operating activities	<u>52,085</u>	<u>25,168</u>	<u>72,755</u>	<u>42,000</u>
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Repayment of lease liabilities	(392)	(228)	(836)	(670)
Repayment of long-term debt (note 6)	-	(83)	(20,000)	(355)
Issuance of common shares due to exercise of stock options	570	507	1,064	2,867
Proceeds from draw on long-term debt	-	-	-	35,000
Cash flow from (used in) financing activities	<u>178</u>	<u>196</u>	<u>(19,772)</u>	<u>36,842</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Business acquisitions (net of cash acquired) (note 11)	(6,289)	(181)	(6,289)	(38,050)
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment (note 5)	(13,334)	(11,125)	(26,488)	(22,778)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	548	418	2,839	1,781
Cash flow from (used in) investing activities	<u>(19,075)</u>	<u>(10,888)</u>	<u>(29,938)</u>	<u>(59,047)</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes	3,392	727	3,393	519
INCREASE IN CASH	36,580	15,203	26,438	20,314
CASH, BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD	61,118	27,470	71,260	22,359
CASH, END OF THE PERIOD	\$ 97,698	\$ 42,673	\$ 97,698	\$ 42,673

Major Drilling Group International Inc.

Interim Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets

As at October 31, 2022 and April 30, 2022

(in thousands of Canadian dollars)

(unaudited)

	October 31, 2022	April 30, 2022
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 97,698	\$ 71,260
Trade and other receivables (note 12)	139,886	142,621
Income tax receivable	2,270	2,037
Inventories	106,990	96,782
Prepaid expenses	12,769	8,960
	359,613	321,660
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (note 5 and note 11)	203,766	198,196
RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS	4,746	5,479
DEFERRED INCOME TAX ASSETS	3,565	4,351
GOODWILL (note 11)	22,248	22,798
INTANGIBLE ASSETS (note 11)	3,726	4,596
	\$ 597,664	\$ 557,080
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and other payables	\$ 104,229	\$ 102,596
Income tax payable	10,032	5,022
Current portion of lease liabilities	1,564	1,502
Current portion of contingent consideration	9,137	8,619
	124,962	117,739
LEASE LIABILITIES	3,111	3,885
CONTINGENT CONSIDERATION (note 11)	7,609	14,288
LONG-TERM DEBT (note 6)	29,666	50,000
DEFERRED INCOME TAX LIABILITIES	12,983	11,410
	178,331	197,322
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Share capital	264,650	263,183
Retained earnings	78,881	31,022
Other reserves	(42)	1,536
Share-based payments reserve	3,836	3,996
Foreign currency translation reserve	72,008	60,021
	419,333	359,758
	\$ 597,664	\$ 557,080

MAJOR DRILLING GROUP INTERNATIONAL INC.
NOTES TO INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2022 AND 2021 (UNAUDITED)

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1. NATURE OF ACTIVITIES

Major Drilling Group International Inc. (the “Company”) is incorporated under the Canada Business Corporations Act and has its head office at 111 St. George Street, Moncton, NB, Canada. The Company’s common shares are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (“TSX”). The principal source of revenue consists of contract drilling for companies primarily involved in mining and mineral exploration. The Company has operations in Canada, the United States, Mexico, South America, Asia, Africa, and Australia.

2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Statement of compliance

These Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting (“IAS 34”) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and using the accounting policies as outlined in the Company’s annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended April 30, 2022.

On December 8, 2022, the Board of Directors authorized the financial statements for issue.

Basis of consolidation

These Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and entities controlled by the Company. Control is achieved when the Company is exposed or has rights to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee.

The results of subsidiaries acquired or disposed of during the period are included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations from the effective date of acquisition or up to the effective date of disposal, as appropriate.

Intra-group transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated on consolidation, where appropriate.

Basis of preparation

These Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared based on the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments that are measured at fair value, using the same accounting policies and methods of computation as presented in the Company’s annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended April 30, 2022.

3. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY AND CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS

The preparation of financial statements, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”), requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that are not readily apparent from other sources, which affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Depending on the severity and duration of disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, results could be impacted in future periods. It is not possible at this time to estimate the magnitude of such potential future impacts.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised, if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods, if the revision affects both current and future periods. Significant areas requiring the use of management estimates relate to the useful lives of property, plant and equipment for depreciation purposes, property, plant and equipment and inventory valuation, determination of income and other taxes, assumptions used in the compilation of fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed in business acquisitions, amounts recorded as accrued liabilities, contingent consideration, allowance for impairment of trade receivables, and impairment testing of goodwill and intangible assets.

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3. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY AND CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS (Continued)

The Company applied judgment in determining the functional currency of the Company and its subsidiaries, the determination of cash-generating units (“CGUs”), the degree of componentization of property, plant and equipment, the recognition of provisions and accrued liabilities, and the determination of the probability that deferred income tax assets will be realized from future taxable earnings.

4. SEASONALITY OF OPERATIONS

The third quarter (November to January) is normally the Company’s weakest quarter due to the shutdown of mining and exploration activities, often for extended periods over the holiday season.

5. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Capital expenditures for the three and six months ended October 31, 2022 were \$13,334 (2021 - \$11,125) and \$26,488 (2021 - \$22,778), respectively. The Company did not obtain direct financing for the three and six months ended October 31, 2022 or 2021.

6. LONG-TERM DEBT

During the first quarter of fiscal 2023, the Company made a discretionary payment of \$20,000 on its revolving term facility.

During the current quarter, the Company renewed its existing credit facility agreement for a five-year term, with the same terms and conditions as the previous agreement.

7. EXPENSES BY NATURE

Direct costs by nature are as follows:

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Depreciation	\$ 11,177	\$ 10,709	\$ 21,591	\$ 20,018
Employee salaries and benefit expenses	68,086	61,465	134,078	117,655
Cost of material	27,795	23,871	58,449	46,624
Other	41,655	37,110	83,256	69,493
	<u>\$ 148,713</u>	<u>\$ 133,155</u>	<u>\$ 297,374</u>	<u>\$ 253,790</u>

General and administrative expenses by nature are as follows:

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Amortization of intangible assets	\$ 358	\$ 369	\$ 720	\$ 648
Depreciation	294	461	1,059	862
Employee salaries and benefit expenses	8,165	7,605	16,830	15,468
Other general and administrative expenses	7,251	5,695	13,633	10,760
	<u>\$ 16,068</u>	<u>\$ 14,130</u>	<u>\$ 32,242</u>	<u>\$ 27,738</u>

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8. INCOME TAXES

The income tax provision for the period can be reconciled to accounting earnings before income tax as follows:

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Earnings before income tax	\$ 31,152	\$ 18,791	\$ 62,685	\$ 32,566
Statutory Canadian corporate income tax rate	27%	27%	27%	27%
Expected income tax provision based on statutory rate	8,411	5,074	16,925	8,793
Non-recognition of tax benefits related to losses	491	158	647	647
Utilization of previously unrecognized losses	(2,903)	(1,909)	(4,848)	(4,243)
Other foreign taxes paid	949	308	1,955	524
Rate variances in foreign jurisdictions	(64)	164	38	251
Derecognition of previously recognized losses	-	-	-	861
Permanent differences and other	657	706	109	383
Income tax provision recognized in net earnings	<u>\$ 7,541</u>	<u>\$ 4,501</u>	<u>\$ 14,826</u>	<u>\$ 7,216</u>

The Company periodically assesses its liabilities and contingencies for all tax years open to audit based upon the latest information available. For those matters where it is probable that an adjustment will be made, the Company records its best estimate of these tax liabilities, including related interest charges. Inherent uncertainties exist in estimates of tax contingencies due to changes in tax laws. While management believes they have adequately provided for the probable outcome of these matters, future results may include favourable or unfavourable adjustments to these estimated tax liabilities in the period the assessments are made, or resolved, or when the statutes of limitations lapse.

9. EARNINGS PER SHARE

All of the Company's earnings are attributable to common shares, therefore, net earnings are used in determining earnings per share.

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Net earnings	\$ 23,611	\$ 14,290	\$ 47,859	\$ 25,350
Weighted average number of shares:				
Basic (000s)	82,847	82,349	82,793	82,040
Diluted (000s)	<u>83,149</u>	<u>82,753</u>	<u>83,150</u>	<u>82,485</u>
Earnings per share				
Basic	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.31
Diluted	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.31

The calculation of diluted earnings per share for the three and six months ended October 31, 2022 excludes the effect of 210,000 and 180,897 options, respectively (2021 - 105,000 and 75,897, respectively) as they were not in-the-money.

The total number of shares outstanding on October 31, 2022 was 82,865,254 (2021 - 82,382,554).

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10. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

The Company's operations are divided into the following three geographic segments, corresponding to its management structure: Canada - U.S.; South and Central America; and Australasia and Africa. The services provided in each of the reportable segments are essentially the same. The accounting policies of the segments are the same as those described in the Company's annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended April 30, 2022. Management evaluates performance based on earnings from operations in these three geographic segments before finance costs, general corporate expenses and income taxes. Data relating to each of the Company's reportable segments is presented as follows:

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Revenue				
Canada - U.S.*	\$ 113,066	\$ 94,390	\$ 225,666	\$ 179,249
South and Central America	41,725	36,784	89,178	71,974
Australasia and Africa	46,925	39,519	86,707	70,465
	<u>\$ 201,716</u>	<u>\$ 170,693</u>	<u>\$ 401,551</u>	<u>\$ 321,688</u>

*Canada - U.S. includes revenue of \$42,389 and \$51,538 for Canadian operations for the three months ended October 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively and \$88,412 and \$98,537 for the six months ended October 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Earnings from operations				
Canada - U.S.	\$ 22,024	\$ 13,546	\$ 45,776	\$ 25,738
South and Central America	5,235	476	14,288	580
Australasia and Africa	7,847	8,212	11,011	13,853
	<u>35,106</u>	<u>22,234</u>	<u>71,075</u>	<u>40,171</u>
Finance costs	26	399	456	871
General corporate expenses**	3,928	3,044	7,934	6,734
Income tax	7,541	4,501	14,826	7,216
	<u>11,495</u>	<u>7,944</u>	<u>23,216</u>	<u>14,821</u>
Net earnings	<u>\$ 23,611</u>	<u>\$ 14,290</u>	<u>\$ 47,859</u>	<u>\$ 25,350</u>

**General corporate expenses include expenses for corporate offices and stock options.

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Capital expenditures				
Canada - U.S.	\$ 9,440	\$ 5,952	\$ 17,846	\$ 14,367
South and Central America	2,062	1,562	5,393	4,010
Australasia and Africa	1,832	3,611	2,984	4,401
Unallocated and corporate assets	-	-	265	-
Total capital expenditures	<u>\$ 13,334</u>	<u>\$ 11,125</u>	<u>\$ 26,488</u>	<u>\$ 22,778</u>

	<u>Q2 2023</u>	<u>Q2 2022</u>	<u>YTD 2023</u>	<u>YTD 2022</u>
Depreciation and amortization				
Canada - U.S.	\$ 6,126	\$ 5,510	\$ 11,521	\$ 10,021
South and Central America	2,650	2,487	5,163	5,024
Australasia and Africa	2,989	3,423	6,402	6,307
Unallocated and corporate assets	64	119	284	176
Total depreciation and amortization	<u>\$ 11,829</u>	<u>\$ 11,539</u>	<u>\$ 23,370</u>	<u>\$ 21,528</u>

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10. SEGMENTED INFORMATION (Continued)

	<u>October 31, 2022</u>	<u>April 30, 2022</u>
Identifiable assets		
Canada - U.S.*	\$ 270,842	\$ 236,669
South and Central America	141,103	128,791
Australasia and Africa	202,462	203,370
Unallocated and corporate liabilities	(16,743)	(11,750)
Total identifiable assets	<u>\$ 597,664</u>	<u>\$ 557,080</u>

*Canada - U.S. includes property, plant and equipment as at October 31, 2022 of \$63,292 (April 30, 2022 - \$56,469) for Canadian operations.

11. BUSINESS ACQUISITION

McKay Drilling PTY Limited

Effective June 1, 2021, the Company acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of McKay Drilling PTY Limited ("McKay"), a leading specialty drilling contractor based in Western Australia.

The acquisition was accounted for using the acquisition method. The Company acquired 20 drill rigs, support equipment and inventory, existing contracts and receivables, as well as retaining the operation's management team, and other employees, including experienced drillers.

The purchase price for the transaction was \$71,073, consisting of \$38,050 in cash (net of cash acquired), \$12,911 in Major Drilling shares and an additional payout of \$20,112 (discounted) tied to performance. The maximum amount of the contingent consideration is \$25,000 AUD, with a payout period extending over three years from the effective date of June 1, 2021, contingent upon achievement of certain EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) milestones. During the current quarter, the Company made the first payment on the contingent consideration arising out of the McKay Drilling PTY Limited acquisition for \$6,289 (\$7,000 AUD).

Goodwill arising from this acquisition was equal to the excess of the total consideration paid over the fair value of the net assets acquired and represents the benefit of expected synergies, revenue growth, an experienced labour force and future market development.

The valuation of assets and purchase price allocation have been finalized. The net assets acquired at fair value at acquisition were as follows:

Net assets acquired

Trade and other receivables	\$	10,475
Inventories		1,595
Prepaid expenses		1,773
Property, plant and equipment		44,466
Goodwill (not tax deductible)		15,543
Intangible assets		5,558
Trade and other payables		(7,379)
Deferred income tax liabilities		(958)
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	<u>71,073</u>

Consideration

Cash	\$	39,031
Less: cash acquired		(981)
Contingent consideration		20,112
Shares of Major Drilling		12,911
Total consideration	<u>\$</u>	<u>71,073</u>

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11. BUSINESS ACQUISITION (Continued)

Subsequent to the date of acquisition, the trade and other receivables included in the above net assets acquired have been fully collected. Intangible assets acquired are amortized over five years.

The above consideration includes non-cash investing activities, which are not reflected in the Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, including the issuance of 1,318,101 shares of Major Drilling for a total of \$12,911, and contingent consideration of \$20,112 (discounted).

In the previous year, the Company incurred acquisition-related costs of \$454 relating to external legal fees and due diligence costs. These acquisition costs have been included in the other expenses line of the Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations.

The results of the McKay operations are included in the Interim Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations from June 1, 2021.

12. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Fair value

The carrying values of cash, trade and other receivables, demand credit facilities and trade and other payables approximate their fair value due to the relatively short period to maturity of the instruments. The carrying value of contingent consideration and long-term debt approximates their fair value as the interest applicable is reflective of fair market rates.

Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value are classified and disclosed in one of the following categories:

- Level 1 - quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 - inputs other than quoted prices included in level 1 that are observable for the assets or liabilities, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices); and
- Level 3 - inputs for the assets or liabilities that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The Company has entered into certain derivative financial instruments to manage its exposure to interest rate and market risks, including an interest rate swap, with a notional value of \$20,000 maturing in May of 2023, and share-price forward contracts with a combined notional amount of \$5,983, maturing at varying dates through June 2025.

The fair value hierarchy requires the use of observable market inputs whenever such inputs exist. A financial instrument is classified to the lowest level of the hierarchy for which a significant input has been considered in measuring fair value.

The Company's derivatives, with fair values as follows, are classified as level 2 financial instruments. There were no transfers of amounts between level 1, level 2 and level 3 financial instruments for the quarter ended October 31, 2022.

	<u>October 31, 2022</u>	<u>April 30, 2022</u>
Interest rate swap	\$ 334	\$ -
Share-price forward contracts	\$ 614	\$ 5,468

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12. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (Continued)

Credit risk

As at October 31, 2022, 93.5% (April 30, 2022 - 94.0%) of the Company's trade receivables were aged as current and 1.4% (April 30, 2022 - 1.2%) of the trade receivables were impaired.

The movements in the allowance for impairment of trade receivables during the six and twelve-month periods were as follows:

	<u>October 31, 2022</u>	<u>April 30, 2022</u>
Opening balance	\$ 1,517	\$ 1,638
Increase in impairment allowance	1,148	744
Recovery of amounts previously impaired	(25)	(303)
Write-off charged against allowance	(729)	(549)
Foreign exchange translation differences	23	(13)
Ending balance	<u>\$ 1,934</u>	<u>\$ 1,517</u>

Foreign currency risk

As at October 31, 2022, the most significant carrying amounts of net monetary assets and/or liabilities (which may include intercompany balances with other subsidiaries) that: (i) are denominated in currencies other than the functional currency of the respective Company subsidiary; and (ii) cause foreign exchange rate exposure, including the impact on earnings before income taxes ("EBIT"), if the corresponding rate changes by 10%, are as follows (in 000s CAD):

	<u>Rate variance</u>	<u>USD/CAD</u>	<u>MNT/USD</u>	<u>MXN/USD</u>	<u>IDR/USD</u>	<u>USD/AUD</u>	<u>ARS/USD</u>	<u>USD/CLP</u>	<u>Other</u>
Net exposure on monetary assets (liabilities)		22,990	10,463	4,832	4,095	2,961	2,762	(3,739)	1,132
EBIT impact	+/-10%	2,554	1,163	537	455	329	307	415	126

Liquidity risk

The following table details contractual maturities for the Company's financial liabilities:

	<u>1 year</u>	<u>2-3 years</u>	<u>4-5 years</u>	<u>Thereafter</u>	<u>Total</u>
Trade and other payables	\$ 104,229	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 104,229
Lease liabilities (interest included)	1,676	2,026	808	352	4,862
Contingent consideration (undiscounted)	8,617	9,613	-	-	18,230
Long-term debt (interest included)	662	1,992	31,992	-	34,646
	<u>\$ 115,184</u>	<u>\$ 13,631</u>	<u>\$ 32,800</u>	<u>\$ 352</u>	<u>\$ 161,967</u>