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Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Financial Statements

With Independent Auditors' Review Report For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2023 and 2022

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Independent Auditors' Review Report

To the Board of Directors of Solid State System Co., Ltd.:

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Solid State System Co., Ltd. ("3S") and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Company") as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Accounting Standard ("IASs") 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the consolidated financial statements based on our reviews.

Scope of Review

We conducted our reviews in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of the consolidated financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our reviews, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying consolidated financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Company as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, and of its consolidated financial performance as well as its consolidated cash flows for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and IASs 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China.

The engagement partners on the reviews resulting in this independent auditors' review report are Chien-Hui Lu and Wan-Yuan Yu.

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Taipei, Taiwan (Republic of China) May 4, 2023

Notes to Readers

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are intended only to present the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with the accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to review such consolidated financial statements are those generally accepted and applied in the Republic of China.

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Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Balance Sheets

March 31, 2023, December 31 and March 31, 2022

(Expressed in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	March 31, 202	23	December 31, 2	2022	March 31, 20	22			March 31, 202	23	December 31, 2	022	March 31, 20	122
Assets Current assets:	Amount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>	Liabilities and Equity Current liabilities:		Amount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>
Cash and cash equivalents (note 6(1))	\$ 89,396	15	65,952	10	149,123	21	Short-term borrowings (notes 6(7))	\$	73,517	12	66,019	10	-	-
Accounts receivable, net (note 6(2))	8,378	1	13,591	2	12,031	2	Accounts payable		179	-	1,936	-	20,186	3
Accounts receivable from related parties, net (notes 6(2) and							Accrued payroll and bonus		10,899	2	17,122	3	12,959	2
7)	16,657	3	40,643	6	25,747	4	Other accrued expenses		11,082	2	19,614	3	21,216	3
Inventories (note 6(3))	375,100	63	390,453	62	344,864	49	Current lease liabilities (note 6(8))		11,005	2	10,033	2	6,213	1
Other current assets (note 8)	5,323	1	8,203	2	8,594	1	Other current liabilities	_	4,561	1	6,324	1	6,813	1
	494,854	83	518,842	82	540,359	_77		_	111,243	19	121,048	19	67,387	10
Non-current assets:							Non-current liabilities:							
Property, plant and equipment (note 6(4))	52,583	9	57,785	9	82,787	12	Deferred tax liabilities		1,718	-	1,718	-	861	-
Right-of-use assets (note 6(5))	21,566	4	23,600	4	19,641	3	Non-current lease liabilities (note 6(8))		6,253	1	8,747	2	7,079	1
Intangible assets (note 6(6))	11,190	2	14,177	2	16,710	2	Guarantee deposits received	_	618		618		618	
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	-	29,860	4		_	8,589	1	11,083	2	8,558	1
Refundable deposits (note 8)	6,756	1	6,779	1	7,000	1	Total liabilities	_	119,832	_20	132,131	21	75,945	11
Net defined benefit asset, non-current (note 6(9))	8,490	1	8,490	2	4,205	1	Equity (notes 6(11)):							
Other non-current assets	67		117		392		Common stock		746,877	126	746,877	119	746,877	107
	100,652	17	110,948	18	160,595	23	Capital surplus		-	-	-	-	176,995	25
							Accumulated deficits	_	(271,203)	<u>(46</u>)	(249,218)	<u>(40</u>)	(298,863)	<u>(43</u>)
							Total equity	_	475,674	80	497,659	79	625,009	89
Total assets	\$ <u>595,506</u>	<u>100</u>	629,790	<u>100</u>	700,954	<u>100</u>	Total liabilities and equity	\$	595,506	<u>100</u>	629,790	<u>100</u>	700,954	100

Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022

(Expressed in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except for Earnings Per Share)

	For the three months ended March 31,				
	2023 2022			2022	
	_ A	mount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>
Operating revenues (notes 6(13) and 7)	\$	89,397	100	116,115	100
Operating costs (notes 6(3), (8) and 12)		52,984	_59	83,375	<u>72</u>
Gross profit	_	36,413	41	32,740	<u>28</u>
Operating expenses (notes 6(8), 7 and 12):					
Selling		14,670	16	17,301	15
General and administrative		10,621	12	8,836	8
Research and development	_	32,018	36	34,914	30
Total operating expenses		57,309	64	61,051	_53
Net operating loss		(20,896)	(23)	(28,311)	<u>(25</u>)
Non-operating income and expenses (note 6(15)):					
Interest income		89	-	100	-
Other gains and losses		(707)	(1)	2,467	2
Finance costs (note 6(8))		<u>(471</u>)	<u>(1</u>)	(53)	
Total non-operating income and expenses		(1,089)	<u>(2</u>)	2,514	2
Loss expenses before tax		(21,985)	(25)	(25,797)	(23)
Income tax Profit expenses (note 6(10))		-			
Net loss for the period	_	(21,985)	<u>(25</u>)	(25,797)	<u>(23</u>)
Other comprehensive income for the period (after tax)					
Total comprehensive income for the period	\$	(21,985)	<u>(25</u>)	(25,797)	<u>(23</u>)
Earnings per share (New Taiwan Dollars) (note 6(12))					
Basic earnings per share	\$_		<u>(0.29</u>)	(<u>(0.35</u>)
Diluted earnings per share	\$ <u></u>		<u>(0.29</u>)		<u>(0.35</u>)

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 (Expressed in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

C	ommon	Capital	Accumulated	
	stock	surplus	deficits	Total equity
\$	746,877	176,995	(273,066)	650,806
	-	-	(25,797)	(25,797)
		-	(25,797)	(25,797)
\$	746,877	176,995	(298,863)	625,009
\$	746,877		(249,218)	497,659
	-	-	(21,985)	(21,985)
	<u> </u>			
	<u> </u>		(21,985)	(21,985)
\$	746,877	-	(271,203)	475,674
	\$ \$	\$ 746,877 	stock surplus \$ 746,877 176,995 - - - - - - \$ 746,877 176,995 \$ 746,877 - - -	stock surplus deficits \$ 746,877 176,995 (273,066) - - (25,797) - - (25,797) \$ 746,877 176,995 (298,863) \$ 746,877 - (249,218) - - (21,985) - - (21,985)

Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022

(Expressed in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	For th	ended March 31,	
	-	2023	2022
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Loss before income tax	\$	(21,985)	(25,797)
Adjustments:			
Adjustments to reconcile profit (loss):			
Depreciation		8,249	8,848
Amortization		2,987	3,577
Expected credit loss (gain)		8	(34)
Interest expense		471	53
Interest income		(89)	(100)
Provision for inventory devaluation loss		8,879	8,061
Others		608	-
Total adjustments to reconcile profit (loss)		21,113	20,405
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		21,110	20,.00
Changes in operating assets:			
Accounts receivable		5,205	9,646
Accounts receivable from related parties		23,986	33,027
Inventories		6,474	(18,077)
Other operating assets		2,933	653
Total changes in operating assets		38,598	25,249
Changes in operating liabilities:		30,370	23,219
Accounts payable		(1,757)	(5,614)
Other operating liabilities		(15,495)	(31,608)
Total changes in operating liabilities		(17,252)	(37,222)
Total changes in operating assets and liabilities		21,346	(11,973)
Total adjustments		42,459	8,432
Cash flows from (used in) operations		20,474	(17,365)
Interest received		86	93
Interest paid		(458)	(53)
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities		20,102	(17,325)
Cash flows from investing activities:		20,102	(17,323)
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment		(1,465)	(2,738)
Decrease in refundable deposits		23	9 <u>5</u>
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(1,442)	(2,643)
Cash flows from financing activities:		(1,442)	(2,043)
Proceeds from borrowings		51,517	
Repayments of borrowings		(44,019)	-
Payment of lease liabilities		(2,714)	(2.690)
•			(2,680)
Net cash flows from (used in) financing activities	-	4,784 23,444	(2,680)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		23, 444 65,952	(22,648)
Cash and each equivalents at beginning of period	•		171,771 140 123
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	89,396	149,123

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

Solid State System Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022

(Expressed in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except for Earnings Per Share Information and Unless Otherwise Specified)

1. Company History

Solid State System Co., Ltd. ("3S") was incorporated on November 26, 1998, as a company limited by shares and registered under the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Republic of China ("R.O.C."). The address of 3S's registered office is 5F-1 No. 22 Tai Yuen Street, Tai Yuen Hi-Tech Industrial Park, Zhubei City, Hsinchu 302, Taiwan, R. O. C. 3S's common stocks have been publicly listed on Taipei Exchange since December 24, 2007.

The main activities of 3S and its subsidiaries (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") are the design, research, development, manufacture and sale of integrated circuits (ICs).

2. Approval Date and Procedures of the Consolidated Financial Statements

The consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on May 4, 2023.

3. New Standards, Amendments and Interpretations Adopted

(1) The impact of the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission, R.O.C. ("FSC") which have already been adopted.

The Company has initially adopted the following new amendments, which do not have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements, from January 1, 2023:

- Amendments to IAS 1 "Disclosure of Accounting Policies"
- Amendments to IAS 8 "Definition of Accounting Estimates"
- Amendments to IAS 12 "Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction"
- (2) The impact of IFRS issued by IASB but not yet endorsed by the FSC

The Company does not expect the following new and amended standards, which have yet to be endorsed by the FSC, to have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements:

- Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 "Sale or Contribution of Assets Between an Investor and Its Associate or Joint Venture"
- IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts" and amendments to IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts"
- Amendments to IAS 1 "Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current"
- Amendments to IAS 1 "Non-current Liabilities with Covenants"

- Amendments to IFRS 17 "Initial Application of IFRS 17 and IFRS 9 Comparative Information"
- Amendments to IFRS16 "Requirements for Sale and Leaseback Transactions"

4. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(1) Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers (hereinafter referred to as the "Regulations") and the guidelines of IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting (hereinafter referred to as IAS 34) which are endorsed and issued into effect by FSC, and do not include all of the information required by the Regulations and by the IFRSs, International Accounting Standards, IFRIC Interpretations and SIC Interpretations endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC (hereinafter referred to as the IFRSs endorsed by the FSC) for a complete set of the annual consolidated financial statements.

Except as described in the following paragraph, the Company's significant accounting policies are applied consistently with the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. For the related information, please refer to note 4 of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

(2) Basis of consolidation

The principle of preparation of the consolidated financial statements is consistent with those of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. For related information, please refer to note 4(3) of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

A. List of subsidiaries in the consolidated financial statements

			Percentage of ownership (%)				
Name of			March 31,	December 31,	March 31,		
investor	Subsidiary	Main activities	2023	2022	2022		
3S	ViCHIP Corporation Limited (ViCHIP)	Operating electronic components manufacturing, wholesaling, sales and product design business	100 %	100 %	100 %		

Note: 3S liquidated its subsidiary, ViCHIP, on November 3, 2022. As of March 31, 2023, the relate registration procedures have yet to be completed.

B. List of subsidiaries which are not included in the consolidated financial statements: None.

(3) Employee benefits

Pension cost for an interim period is calculated on a year-to-date basis by using the actuarially determined pension cost rate at the reporting date of the prior fiscal year, adjusted for significant market fluctuations since that time and for significant curtailments, settlements, or other significant one-off events.

(4) Income tax

Income tax expense in the financial statements is measured and disclosed in according to paragraph B12 of IAS 34 endorsed by the FSC.

Income tax expenses for the period are best estimated by multiplying pre-tax income for the interim reporting period by the effective annual tax rate as forecasted by the management. This should be recognized fully as income tax expense for the current period.

Temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and their respective tax bases shall be measured based on the tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the time of the asset or liability is recovered or settled, and be recognized directly in equity or other comprehensive income as tax expense.

5. Significant Accounting Assumptions and Judgments, and Major Sources of Estimation Uncertainty

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with the Regulations and IFRSs (in accordance with IAS 34 endorsed by the FSC) requires management to make judgments, estimations and assumptions that affect the application of the accounting policies and the reported amount of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements, the major sources of accounting judgments, estimations and assumptions of uncertainty are applied consistently with note 5 to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

6. Explanation of Significant Accounts

Except for the following disclosures, there is no significant difference as compared with those disclosed in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. Please refer to Note 6 of the 2022 annual consolidated financial statements.

(1) Cash and cash equivalents

		March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Cash on hand and petty cash	\$	53	53	53
Checking and savings accounts		53,343	29,899	54,370
Time deposits	_	36,000	36,000	94,700
	\$_	89,396	65,952	149,123

Please refer to note 6(16) for the disclosure of credit risk and currency risk of the financial assets and liabilities of the Company.

(2) Accounts receivable (including receivables from related parties)

	I	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022	January 1, 2022
Accounts receivable (including receivables					
from related parties)	\$	25,059	54,250	37,798	80,471
Less: loss allowance		(24)	(16)	(20)	(54)
	\$	25,035	54,234	37,778	80,417
Accounts receivable, net	\$	8,378	13,591	12,031	21,643
Accounts receivable from related parties, net	\$	16,657	40,643	25,747	58,774

The Company applies the simplified approach to provide for its expected credit losses (ECL), which permit the use of lifetime expected loss provision for all receivables. To measure the expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on shared credit risk characteristics and the days past due, as well as incorporated forward looking information, including macroeconomic and relevant industry information. The expected loss allowance for accounts receivable (including receivables from related parties) was determined as follows:

		March 31, 2023	
	oss carrying amount	Weighted-average loss rate	Expected loss allowance
Not past due	\$ 25,059	0.096 %	24
		December 31, 2022	
	oss carrying amount	Weighted-average loss rate	Expected loss allowance
Not past due	\$ 53,866	0.030 %	16
Past due 1~89 days	 384	- %	
Total	\$ 54,250		16
		March 31, 2022	
	oss carrying amount	Weighted-average loss rate	Expected loss allowance
Not past due	\$ 37,442	0.048 %	18
Past due 1~89 days	 356	0.562 %	2
Total	\$ 37,798		20

The movements in the allowance for accounts receivable (including receivables from related parties) were as follows:

	For the three months ended March 31,				
	20	023	2022		
Beginning balance	\$	16	54		
Impairment loss (reversed) recognized		8	(34)		
Ending balance	\$	24	20		

The Company's net accounts receivable (including receivables from related parties) mentioned above were not pledged as collateral.

(3) Inventories

	March 31, 2023		December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022	
Raw materials	\$	37,507	21,248	3,883	
Work in process		145,451	161,552	151,148	
Finished goods		192,142	207,653	189,780	
Merchandise inventory				53	
	\$	375,100	390,453	344,864	

The details of operating costs were as follows:

	F	or the three mon March 31	
		2023	2022
Cost of goods sold	\$	44,090	74,273
Technical service cost		310	-
Provision for inventory devaluation loss		8,879	8,061
Unallocated production overheads		493	1,858
Revenue from sale of scrap		(788)	(817)
	\$	52,984	83,375

The Company's inventories mentioned above were not pledged as collateral.

(4) Property, plant and equipment

		achinery and equipment	Office and other equipment	Total
Cost:				
Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$	117,202	45,291	162,493
Additions		-	429	429
Reclassification	_	(329)	(279)	(608)
Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$_	116,873	45,441	162,314
Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$	131,245	39,819	171,064
Additions	_	3,393	673	4,066
Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$_	134,638	40,492	175,130
Accumulated depreciation and impairment loss:				
Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$	76,920	27,788	104,708
Depreciation for the period	_	2,792	2,231	5,023
Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$_	79,712	30,019	109,731
Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$	65,600	21,072	86,672
Depreciation for the period	_	4,164	1,507	5,671
Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$_	69,764	22,579	92,343
Book value:	_			
Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$_	40,282	17,503	57,785
Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$	37,161	15,422	52,583
Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$	65,645	18,747	84,392
Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$_	64,874	17,913	82,787

The Company's property, plant and equipment mentioned above were not pledged as collateral.

(5) Right-of-use assets

	Buildings
Cost:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$ 40,326
Additions	1,192
Decreases	(971)
Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$ 40,547
Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$ 39,754
Additions	971
Decreases	(942)
Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$39,783

Accumulated Depreciation:

Balance as of January 1, 2023

Buildings

16,726

\$

	Depreciation for the period			3,226
	Decreases			(971)
	Balance as of March 31, 2023			\$ <u>18,981</u>
	Balance as of January 1, 2022			\$ 17,907
	Depreciation for the period			3,177
	Decreases			(942)
	Balance as of March 31, 2022			\$20,142
	Book value:			
	Balance as of January 1, 2023			\$ 23,600
	Balance as of March 31, 2023			\$ 21,566
	Balance as of January 1, 2022			\$ 21,847
	Balance as of March 31, 2022			\$ 19,641
(6)	Intangible assets			
		mputer ftware	Patent and technology license fee	Total
	Cost:	 		
	Balance as of March 31, 2023			
	(Same as January 1, 2023)	\$ 27,664	24,591	52,255
	Balance as of March 31, 2022 (Same as January 1, 2022)	\$ 24,973	34,711	59,684
	Accumulated amortization:	 		
	Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$ 24,267	13,811	38,078
	Amortization for the period	 2,010	977	2,987
	Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$ 26,277	14,788	41,065
	Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$ 19,835	19,562	39,397
	Amortization for the period	 2,254	1,323	3,577
	Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$ 22,089	20,885	42,974
	Book value:			
	Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$ 3,397	10,780	14,177
	Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$ 1,387	9,803	11,190
	Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$ 5,138	15,149	20,287
	Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$ 2,884	13,826	16,710

The Company's intangible assets mentioned above were not pledged as collateral.

(7) Short-term borrowings

	Ma	rch 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Unsecured bank loans	<u>\$</u>	73,517	66,019	_
Unused credit lines	\$	36,483	43,981	110,000
Range of interest rates	2.21	1%~2.95%	2.075%~2.825%	

(8) Lease liabilities

The carry amounts of lease liabilities were as follows:

	Ma	rch 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Current	<u>\$</u>	11,005	10,033	6,213
Non-current	\$	6,253	8,747	7,079

For the maturity analysis, please refer to note 6(16) of the financial instruments.

The amounts recognized in profit or loss were as follows:

	For the three months ended March 31,			
	2	023	2022	
Interest on lease liabilities	\$	72	49	

The amounts recognized in the statement of cash flows by the Company were as follows:

	For the three months ended March 31,		
		2023	2022
Total cash outflow for leases	\$	2,786	2,729

Information of lease

The Company leases buildings, parking space and store house for its office space, staff parking area and store the machine, with the leases terms that typically run for a period of 1 to 5 years.

(9) Employee benefit

Given there was no significant market fluctuations since that time and for significant curtailments, settlements, or other significant one-off event in the prior fiscal year, the pension costs in the financial statements are measured and disclosed according to the actuarial results determined on December 31, 2022 and 2021.

For the information related to the Company's pension costs for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, please refer to note 12.

(10) Income tax

A. The amount income tax expense were as follows:

The amount income tax expense for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 were as follows:

For the three months ende March 31,	
2023	2022
\$ <u> </u>	
	2023

B. 3S 's income tax returns had been assessed by the tax authorities through 2021.

(11) Capital and other equity interest

Except as described in the following paragraph, there were no significant changes in the Company's capital and other equity for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022. For related information about the stockholders' equity, please refer to note 6(11) of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

A. Common stock

According to 3S'articles of incorporation, the authorized capital each amounted to \$1,200,000 thousand as of March 31, 2023, December 31 and March 31, 2022, of which, \$100,000 thousand has been appropriated as employee stock option; and the paid-in capital each amounted to \$746,877 thousand, with par value of \$10 per share.

B. Capital surplus

	_	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Donation from shareholders	\$	-	-	868
Issue of shares		-	-	171,320
Compensation cost of employee stock options at cash capital				
increase	_		-	4,807
	\$_	-		176,995

According to the R.O.C. Company Act, capital surplus can only be used to offset a deficit, and only the realized capital surplus can be used to increase the common stock or be distributed as cash dividends. The aforementioned realized capital surplus includes capital surplus resulting from premium on issuance of capital stock and earnings from donated assets received. According to the Regulations Governing the Offering and Issuance of Securities by Securities Issuers, capital increases by transferring capital surplus in excess of par value should not exceed 10% of the total common stock outstanding.

C. Distribution of earnings/deficit compensation

The deficit compensation for 2022 was presented for a resolution in the Board of Directors' meeting on February 23, 2023, which are then to be approved in annual stockholders' meeting. A resolution was approved during the stockholder' meeting held on June 21, 2022 for 3S to use it's the capital surplus to offset its accumulated deficits in 2021 at the amount of 176,995, was consistent with those of the resolution approved by the Board of Directors.

The information will be available on the Market Observation Post System website.

(12) Earnings per share

	 For the three months ended March 31,		
	2023	2022	
Basic and diluted earnings per share:			
Net loss attributable to 3S's stockholders	\$ (21,985)	(25,797)	
Weighted average common stocks outstanding	 		
(thousand shares)	 74,688	74,688	
Basic and diluted EPS (TWD)	\$ (0.29)	(0.35)	

There were no dilutive potential ordinary shares for the period.

(13) Revenue from contracts with customers

	For the three months ended March 31,			
		2023	2022	
Disaggregation of revenue				
America	\$	64,961	64,679	
China		13,448	16,224	
Taiwan		9,149	7,715	
North-east Asia		1,839	22,323	
Others		<u> </u>	5,174	
	\$	89,397	116,115	
Major products				
Revenue from IC	\$	63,162	112,702	
Technical Service Income		26,235	3,413	
	\$	89,397	116,115	

(14) Compensation of employees and directors

According to 3S's articles of incorporation, 3S's annual net income before tax, after offsetting any accumulated deficit, no less than 10% of the remainder shall be appropriated as employee compensation, and no more than 2% of the remainder shall be appropriated as compensation to directors. The compensation of employee in the form of stock bonuses may also apply to employees of the affiliated companies. The Board of Directors is authorized to set out related terms and conditions. The remuneration to independent directors of 3S are distributed on a monthly fixed term and excluded from the above-mentioned distribution.

Because 3S incurred a net loss for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, compensation to employees and directors were not accrued.

If there are any subsequent adjustments to the actual compensation amounts after the annual stockholders' meeting, the adjustment will be regarded as changes in accounting estimates and will be reflected in profit or loss in the following year.

For related information about the 3S's compensation to employees and directors will be available at the Market Observation Post System website.

(15) Non-operating income and expenses

A. Interest income

	March 31,			
		023	2022	
Interest income from bank deposits	\$	88	96	
Other interest income		<u> </u>	4	
	\$	<u>89</u>	100	

For the three months ended

For the three months ended

B. Other gains and losses

	March 31,			
		2023	2022	
Foreign exchange (losses) gains, net	\$	(1,034)	2,160	
Others		327	307	
	\$	(707)	2,467	

C. Finance costs

	For the three months ended March 31,		
		2023	2022
Interest expense – short-term borrowings and other	\$	399	4
Interest expense—lease liabilities		72	49
-	\$	471	53

(16) Financial instruments

Except as described in the following paragraph, there were no significant changes in the Company's fair value of financial instruments exposed to credit risk and market risk. For related information about the fair value of financial instruments, please refer to note 6(17) of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

A. Credit risk

The carrying amount of financial assets and contract assets represents the maximum amount exposed to credit risk.

The Company's potential credit risk is derived primarily from cash and cash equivalents and receivable (including accounts receivable and receivables from related parties). The Company maintains its cash and cash equivalents in various creditworthy financial institutions. The Company monitors its exposure with these financial institutions; therefore, the Company considers that there is no concentration of credit risk in regard to cash and cash equivalents.

The Company's sales to individual clients constituting over 10% of total sales revenue for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, were 73% and 69%, respectively, of the total sales revenues. To reduce the concentration of credit risk, the Company continuously evaluates the credit status of its customers and the collectability of accounts receivable, and provides for its ECL. It is management's belief that such concentration of credit risk is under control. For the details of aging and ECL, please refer to note 6(2).

No impairment loss was recognized for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022. All of these financial assets are considered to have low risk and thus, the impairment provision recognized during the period was limited to 12 months excepted losses. Regarding how the financial instruments are considered to have low credit risk, please refer to note 4(7) of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

B. Liquidity risk

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities (including estimated interest expense):

	Carrying amount		Contractual cash flows	Within 1 years	1~5 years	
March 31, 2023						
Non-derivative financial liabilities						
Short-terms borrowing	\$	73,517	73,986	73,986	-	
Accounts payable		179	179	179	-	
Accrued payroll and bonus		10,899	10,899	10,899	-	
Other accrued expenses		11,082	11,082	11,082	-	
Lease liabilities (included in current and non-						
current)		17,258	17,481	11,190	6,291	
Guarantee deposits received	_	618	618		618	
	\$_	113,553	114,245	107,336	6,909	

	Carrying amount		Contractual cash flows	Within 1 years	1~5 years
December 31, 2022					
Non-derivative financial liabilities					
Short-term borrowings	\$	66,019	66,508	66,508	-
Accounts payable		1,936	1,936	1,936	-
Accrued payroll and bonus		17,122	17,122	17,122	-
Other accrued expenses		19,614	19,614	19,614	-
Lease liabilities (included in current and non- current)		18,780	19,063	10,250	8,813
Guarantee deposits received		618	618	-	618
•	\$_	124,089	124,861	115,430	9,431
March 31, 2022	_				
Non-derivative financial liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$	20,186	20,186	20,186	-
Accrued payroll and bonus		12,959	12,959	12,959	-
Other accrued expenses		21,216	21,216	21,216	-
Lease liabilities (included in current and non- current)		13,292	13,535	6,345	7,190
Guarantee deposits received	_	618	618		618
	\$_	68,271	68,514	60,706	7,808

The Company does not expect that the cash flows included in the maturity analysis could occur significantly earlier or at significantly different amounts.

C. Currency risk

(a) Exposure to currency risk

The Company's financial assets and liabilities exposed to exchange rate risk were as follows:

		M	arch 31, 2023	3	December 31, 2022			March 31, 2022			
		oreign rrency	Exchange rate	TWD	Foreign currency	Exchange rate	TWD	Foreign currency	Exchange rate	TWD	
Financial asset	ts										
Monetary ite	ems										
USD	\$	1,239	30.44	37,715	1,851	30.72	56,863	1,944	28.62	55,637	
Financial liabil	lities										
Monetary ite	ems										
USD	\$	52	30.44	1,583	151	30.72	4,639	678	28.62	19,404	

(b) Sensitivity analysis

The Company's exposure to foreign currency risk arises from the translation of the foreign currency exchange gains and losses on cash and cash equivalents, receivable (including receivables from related parties), accounts payable and other payables accounts that are denominated in foreign currency.

A 1% depreciation or appreciation of the TWD against the USD as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, would have decreased or increased the net loss by \$289 and \$290, respectively. This analysis is based on foreign currency exchange rate variances that the Company considered to be reasonably possible at the reporting date. The analysis assumes that all other variables remain constant.

The Company's realized and unrealized foreign exchange gains (losses) on the foreign currency monetary items using the functional currency were as follows:

	For the three month	For the three months ended March 31,								
	2023	2022								
	Foreign exchange	Foreign exchange								
	gains (losses) Average rate	gains (losses) Average rate								
USD	\$									

D. Fair value of financial instruments

(a) Categories of financial instruments and fair value

The Company's carrying amount and the fair value of financial assets and liabilities (including information for fair value hierarchy, excluding financial instruments whose fair values approximate the carrying amounts and lease liabilities) were as follows:

	March 31, 2023							
		Carrying						
		Amount_	Level 1 Level 2		Level 3	Total		
Financial assets measured at amortized cost								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	89,396	-	-	-	-		
Accounts receivable (including receivables from related								
parties)		25,035	-	-	-	-		
Refundable deposits	_	6,756						
	\$_	121,187						
Financial liabilities measured at								
amortized cost								
Short-term borrowings	\$	73,517	-	-	-	-		
Accounts payable		179	-	-	-	-		
Accrued payroll and bonus		10,899	-	-	-	-		
Other accrued expenses		11,082	-	-	-	-		
Lease libilities (included in								
current and non-current)		17,258	-	-	-	-		
Guarantee deposits received	_	618						
	\$	113,553						

	December 31, 2022						
	_	Carrying	Fair value				
		Amount	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	
Financial assets measured at amortized cost							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	65,952	-	-	-	-	
Accounts receivable (including receivables from related							
parties)		54,234	-	-	-	-	
Refundable deposits		6,779					
	\$	126,965					
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost							
Short-term borrowings	\$	66,019	-	-	-	-	
Accounts payable		1,936	-	-	-	-	
Accrued payroll and bonus		17,122	-	-	-	-	
Other accrued expenses		19,614	-	-	-	-	
Lease libilities (included in current and non-current)		18,780	-	-	-	-	
Guarantee deposits received		618					
•	\$	124,089	-	_	_	-	
	_		M	arch 31, 2022			
	C	arrying		Fair v			
		<u>Amount</u>	_Level 1_	Level 2	Level 3	<u>Total</u>	
Financial assets measured at amortized cost							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	149,123	-	-	-	-	
Accounts receivable (including receivables from related							
parties)		37,778	-	_	-	-	
Refundable deposits		7,000					
	\$	193,901					
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost							
Accounts payable		20,186	-	-	-	-	
Accrued payroll and bonus		12,959	-	-	-	-	
Other accrued expenses		21,216	-	-	-	-	
Lease liabilities (included in current and non-current)		13,292	_	_	_	_	
Guarantee deposits received		618	-	_	_	-	
	\$	68,271					

(b) Valuation techniques for financial instruments not measured at fair value

Fair value measurement for financial assets and liabilities measured at amortized cost will be based on the latest quoted price and agreed-upon price if these prices are available in the active markets. When market value is unavailable, the fair value of financial liabilities is evaluated based on the discounted cash flow of the financial assets and liabilities.

Due to the refundable deposits and guarantee deposits received that do not have explicit expiration dates, their fair value is evaluated based on their carrying amounts.

(17) Financial risk management

Except as described in the following paragraph, there were no significant changes in the Company's objectives and policies applied in the financial risk management from those in note 6(18) of the consolidated financial statement for the year ended December 31, 2022.

(18) Capital management

The Company's objectives, policies and processes for capital management were consistent with the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. There were no significant changes in quantified factors of capital management from those in the consolidated financial statement for the year ended December 31, 2022. For related information about the capital management, please refer to note 6(19) of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

(19) Financing activities not affecting current cash flow

Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities were as follows:

	ort-term rrowings	Lease liabilities	Guarantee deposits received	Total liabilities from financing activities
Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$ 66,019	18,780	618	85,417
Cash flows:				
Proceeds from borrowings	51,517	-	-	51,517
Repayments of borrowings	(44,019)	-	-	(44,019)
Payment of lease liabilities	-	(2,714)	-	(2,714)
Interest paid	-	(72)	-	(72)
Non-cash flow:				
Increase in lease liabilities	-	1,192	-	1,192
Interest expense	 	72		72
Balance as of March 31, 2023	\$ 73,517	17,258	618	91,393

	 ort-term rowings	Lease liabilities	Guarantee deposits received	Total liabilities from financing activities
Balance as of January 1, 2022	\$ -	15,001	618	15,619
Cash flows:				
Payment of lease liabilities	-	(2,680)	-	(2,680)
Interest paid	-	(49)	-	(49)
Non-cash flow:				
Increase in lease liabilities	-	971	-	971
Interest expense	 	49		49
Balance as of March 31, 2022	\$ 	13,292	618	13,910

7. Related-Party Transactions

(1) Names and relationship with related parties

The followings are entities that have had transactions with related party during the periods covered in the consolidated financial statements.

Name of related parties	Relationship with the Company
Kingston Digital International Ltd (KDIL)	The subsidiary of Kingston Technology Company
KIOXIA Corporation (KIC)	A member of the board of 3S

- (2) Significant transactions with related parties
 - A. Sales and service revenue from related parties

	For the three months ended March 31,				
Related Party Category		2023	2022		
Other related-parties:			_		
KDIL	\$	64,961	64,679		
KIC		592	15,188		
	\$	65,553	79,867		

The collection terms for sales to related parties will be 30 to 45 days or after the month-end; the prices of the products sold to related parties, which were determined by the products' specifications and the situation regarding market supply and demand, and there was no significant differences as compare to those of the other parties.

B. Accounts receivable from related parties

Related Party Category	March 31, 2023		December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022	
Other related-parties:					
KDIL	\$	16,603	40,635	25,747	
KIC	_	54	8		
	\$_	16,657	40,643	25,747	

(3) Transactions with key management personnel

Key management personnel compensation comprised:

	For the three months ended March 31,			
		2023	2022	
Short-term employee benefits	\$	2,648	2,438	
Post-employment benefits		81	81	
	\$	2,729	2,519	

8. Pledged Assets

The carrying values of the Company's pledged assets are as follows:

Assets	Purpose of Pledged]	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Time deposits (recorded in other current financial	Customs duty guarantee				
assets)		\$	900	900	900
Refundable deposits	Warranty guarantee	_	3,976	4,000	4,234
		\$	4,876	4,900	5,134

9. Commitments and Contingencies

3S has obtained licenses to use other companies' technology, which requires a monthly royalty payment based on its sales volume. 3S must also guarantee the minimum production capacity required by some outsourcing factories.

10. Losses Due to Major Disasters: None.

11. Subsequent Events: None.

12. Others

(1) 3S incurred a net loss amounting to \$271,203 as of March 31, 2023. 3S intends to adopt the following countermeasures to maintain it's operation:

A. Marketing plans

- (a) Continue optimpzing customer and product portfolios in order to provide higher vlaue-added and profitable services.
- (b) Continue to enhance operation efficiency through improving material cost management and production efficiency to maximize profit.

B. Financial structure improvement plans

- (a) Enforce inventory management, analyze the sales status and adjust inventory levels when necessary, and close out the slow-moving inventory in order to reduce the stock risk and capital lying idle.
- (b) Propose to dispose the assets in order to enrich working capital.
- (c) Plan to issue of new common shares for cash in private placement, in order to have sound financial structure and enrich working capital.
- (d) Control the labor expenditure, as well as review and improve the daily expenses of 3S in order to avoid unnecessary expenses at all costs.
- (2) A summary of current-period employee benefits, depreciation, and amortization, by function, is as follows:

By function	For the three months ended March 31, 2023			For the three months ended March 31, 2022			
By item	Classified as Operating Costs	Classified as Operating Expenses	as perating Total		Classified as Operating Expenses	Total	
Employee benefits							
Salary	1,264	35,217	36,481	836	36,305	37,141	
Labor and health insurance	104	2,955	3,059	88	2,962	3,050	
Pension	55	1,649	1,704	45	1,716	1,761	
Others	76	1,589	1,665	61	1,736	1,797	
Depreciation	2,282	5,967	8,249	3,685	5,163	8,848	
Amortization	-	2,987	2,987	-	3,577	3,577	

13. Other disclosures

(1) Information on Significant Transactions:

The following is the information on significant transactions required by the "Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers" for the 3S:

- A. Loans to other parties: None.
- B. Guarantees and endorsements for other parties: None.
- C. Securities held as of March 31, 2023 (excluding investment in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures): None.
- D. Individual securities acquired or disposed of with accumulated amount exceeding the lower of NT\$300 million or 20% of the capital stock: None.
- E. Acquisition of individual real estate with amount exceeding the lower of NT\$300 million or 20% of the capital stock:
- F. Disposal of individual real estate with amount exceeding the lower of NT\$300 million or 20% of the capital stock: None.
- G. Related-party transactions for purchases and sales with amounts exceeding the lower of NT\$300 million or 20% of the capital stock: None.
- H. Receivables from related parties with amounts exceeding the lower of NT\$100 million or 20% of the capital stock: None.
- I. Trading in derivative instruments: None.
- J. Business relationships and significant intercompany transactions: None.

(2) Information on Investees:

The following is the information on investees for the three months ended March 31, 2023 (excluding information on investees in Mainland China):

				Original Investment Amount		Balance as of March 31, 2023				Share of	
Name of Investor	Name of Investee	Location	Main Businesses and Products	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	Shares	Percentage of Ownership	Carrying Value	Net Income (Losses) of Investee	Profits/ Losses of Investee	Note
3S	ViCHIP		Operating electronic components manufacturing, wholesaling, sales and product design business	52,400	52,400	500	100 %	-	-	-	Note 2

Note1: The intercompany transactions and balances had been eliminated in the consolidated financial report.

Note 2: 3S liquidated its subsidiary, ViCHIP, on November 3, 2022. As of March 31, 2023, the relate registration procedures have yet to be completed.

- (3) Information on Investment in Mainland China:
 - A. The names of investees in Mainland China, the main businesses and products, and other information: None
 - B. Limitation on investment in Mainland China: None
 - C. Significant transactions: None

(4) Major shareholders:

Shareholding Shareholder's Name	Shares	Percentage
Kingston Digital International Ltd	5,231,190	7.00 %
KIOXIA Corporation	5,065,847	6.78 %
TA YU CHEN	4,313,450	5.77 %
CHIH LIANG TSAO	4,007,374	5.36 %

Note:

- 1. The information on major shareholders, which is provided by the Taiwan Depository & Clearing Corporation, summarized the shareholders who held over 5% of the total non physical common stocks and preferred stocks (including treasury stocks) on the last business date of each quarter. The registered non physical stocks may be different from the capital stocks disclosed in the financial statement due to different calculations basis.
- 2. In the case of the above information, if the shareholder delivers the shares to the trust, the shares will be disclosed as a personal account under the trust account of the principal opened by the trustee. As for the shareholders' declaration of more than 10% of the insider's shareholdings under the Securities and Exchange Act, the shareholders' stocks should be included in their own shareholdings, plus, the shares delivered to the trust, wherein the shareholders have the right of decision on using the trust property. For information on insider's equity declaration, please refer to market observation post system.

14. Segment Information

The Company operates predeminantly in one industry segment which includes the in the research, development, manufacture and sale of integrated circuits (ICs). The segment information is found in the consolidated financial statements. For sales to other than the consolidated entities and income before income tax, please see statements of comprehensive income. For assets, please see the consolidated balance sheets.