

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust
(Registration Number : IT5164/2003)
Annual Financial Statements
for the year ended 31 December 2023

General Information

Trust registration number	IT 5164/2003
Country of incorporation and domicile	South Africa
Nature of business and principal activities	To contribute to the development of exceptional leadership capacity in Africa
Founding person	Late Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela
Chair	Njabulo Ndebele
Prescribed Officers	Chief Executive Officer Judy Sikuza Operations Director Ernst Gerber
Trustees	Mandela Nominees Gugulethu Ncube (Appointed in June 2023) Osmond Mlonyeni Jennifer Yvonne Mokgoro (Retired in December 2023) Njabulo Ndebele (Chair) Rhodes Nominees Janet Kabiru Elizabeth Kiss John McCall MacBain Catherine O'Regan
Registered office	The Mandela Rhodes Building 150 St Georges Mall Cape Town 8001
Business address	The Mandela Rhodes Building 150 St Georges Mall Cape Town 8001
Postal address	P O Box 15897 Vlaeberg 8018 Cape Town South Africa
Bankers	Nedbank Limited Nedbank Private Wealth
Auditors	PricewaterhouseCoopers Inc.
Level of assurance	These annual financial statement have been audited
Preparer As agreed by the Board of Trustees	The annual financial statements were compiled under the supervision of Ernst Gerber

General Information (continued)

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Investments Managers and funds in which the Foundation was invested during the year

- Polygone convertible
- Investec
- Polar Star Fund
- Ranmore Global Equity
- Alpha Global Dynamic
- Morgan Stanley
- McInroy & Wood
- Contrarius Global
- Credo cash
- Nedbank wealth cash
- Fairtree flexible income
- Portland Hill
- Astellon
- Cumulus Fund
- Horseman Global
- Catalyst Alpha Prescient
- Blackrock
- Optis Global
- Orient
- Tangible Segregated Portfolio
- iShares Core FTSE100
- Invesco QQQ Trust
- iShares Core S&P
- SPDR gold shares
- Matrix fixed income
- Arnott Opportunities
- RSA government bonds
- Odey Special Situations
- Taquanta
- Alpha Equity Hedge
- Chrysalis
- Matrix Multi Strategy
- Peregrine
- Peregrine Holdings

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Trustees' Responsibilities and Approval

The Trustees are required to maintain adequate accounting records and are responsible for the content and integrity of the annual financial statements and related financial information included in this report. It is their responsibility to ensure that the annual financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the Trust as at the end of the financial year and the results of its operations and cash flows for the period then ended, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards Accounting Standards. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the annual

The annual financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards Accounting Standards and are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates.

The Trustees acknowledge that they are ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the Trust and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the Trustees to meet these responsibilities, the board of trustees sets standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost effective manner. The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the Trust and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the Trust's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the Trust is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the Trust. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the Trust endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The Trustees are of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management, that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the annual financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The Trustees have reviewed the Trust's cash flow forecast for the year to 31 December 2024 and, in light of this review and the current financial position, they are satisfied that the Trust has or had access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The external auditors are responsible for independently auditing and reporting on the Trust's annual financial statements. The annual financial statements have been examined by the Trust's external auditors and their report is presented on pages 8 to 10.

The annual financial statements set out on pages 11 to 37, which have been prepared on the going concern basis, were approved by the board of trustees on 10 April 2024 and were signed on their behalf by:



Njabulo Ndebele (Chair)



John McCall MacBain

Trustees' Report

The Trustees have pleasure in submitting their report on the annual financial statements of The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust for the year ended 31 December 2023.

1. Nature of business

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust was formalised on 9 June 2003 as a joint initiative between the late Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela and the Rhodes Trustees (hereinafter jointly referred to as 'the Founders'). The Rhodes Trust pledged a benefaction over time of Ten Million Pounds Sterling (£10 000 000.00) for the purposes envisaged by the Trust Deed.

The central purpose of the Foundation is to build exceptional leadership in Africa. This objective is advanced through the implementation of programmes, the flagship programme being the Mandela Rhodes Scholarships, which became operational in 2005. Details of the programme are to be found in the foundation's annual yearbooks and on the website www.mandelarhodes.org. The Board of Trustees reviews strategy and implementation annually.

2. Review of financial results and activities

Full details of the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Trust are set out in these annual financial statements.

3. Going concern

The Trustees believe that the Trust has adequate financial resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and accordingly the annual financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Trustees have satisfied themselves that the Trust is in a sound financial position and that it has sufficient liquid assets and together the cash flow forecast for the next 12 months to meet its foreseeable cash requirements. The Trustees are not aware of any new material changes that may adversely impact the Trust. The Trustees are also not aware of any material non-compliance with statutory or regulatory requirements or of any pending changes to legislation which may affect the Trust.

4. Events after the reporting period

There have been no adjusting events which have occurred after the financial year-end. There has been a change in the chair of the trustees subsequent to year-end which does not impact the financial statements relating to the trust as at the 31 December 2023 year-end.

5. Investment policy and performance

The investment of the Foundation's assets is overseen by the Investment Committee on behalf of the board. The Investment Committee meets at least four times a year. It also receives periodic information and advice from the appointed asset consultants (AlphaWealth) as to the appropriate asset allocation targets and exposures as well as the choice of investment managers and funds to invest in. However the decisions on these matters remain the responsibility of the Investment Committee.

Scholarships are funded from two sources: The Endowment Reserves (which resulted from donors having contributed sufficient capital to fund one or more scholarships each year in perpetuity) and from the Annual Funding Reserves (which holds the aggregate of smaller donations that were sufficient only to fund part or all of one or more scholarships at a time over a limited number of years).

The Investment Portfolio comprises the Endowment Reserves and that portion of the Annual Funding Reserves that are not expected to be used in the short run. The balance of the Annual Funding Reserves is held in bank deposits.

Trustees' Report (continued)

5. Investment policy and performance (continued)

In the case of the Endowment Reserves, the investment objective for these funds is to achieve a real return (i.e.: the nominal return less the inflation rate) of at least 4.5% p.a. over the long run within acceptable degrees of risk. This is in line with the Board's intention to maintain the Foundation's 'spend rate' from these Endowment Reserves (i.e.: the total expenses covered by the Endowment Reserves as a percentage of the Endowment Reserves) at or below 4.5% per year over time, thus ensuring the ability to sustainably support the Foundation's work and the scholarships funded from this source of donations in perpetuity.

The portion of the Annual Funding Reserves which is held in the Investment Portfolio is also invested under the same mandate as the Endowment Reserves.

The assets in the Investment Portfolio are invested in a suitable mix of equities, property, bonds and cash as well as in hedged or absolute-return funds. These investments are typically made via collective investment vehicles managed by leading asset managers. The array of funds and their respective investment managers is reproduced elsewhere in this document.

The Investment Portfolio continues to outperform the investment objective having achieved an annualised total return (income plus capital gains) of 10.2% compared to the investment target of 9.9% p.a. since the inception of the Portfolio's mandate 15 years ago in 2009 up until end-December 2023. This equates to a real return of 4.8% p.a. which is slightly higher than the real return target of 4.5%. Over the medium term (5 years), the portfolio return was 10.0% p.a. versus the targeted return of 9.8%.

For 2023, the investment returns were very pleasing with the portfolio achieving a total return of 14.3% for the year.

Furthermore, the portfolio has had a very strong start to the year in 2024 and the Investment Committee remains vigilant in its oversight of its mandate and continues to monitor and adjust the investment portfolio to achieve the desired investment returns into the future.

Trustees' Report (continued)

6. Trustees

The Trustees in office during the year and at the date of this report are as follows:

Name	Nominees	
Gugulethu Ncube	Mandela Nominee	Appointed in June 2023
Osmond Mlonyeni	Mandela Nominee	
Jennifer Yvonne Mokgoro	Mandela Nominee	Retired in December 2023
Njabulo Ndebele (Chair)	Mandela Nominee	
Janet Kabiru	Rhodes Nominee	
Elizabeth Kiss	Rhodes Nominee	
John McCall MacBain	Rhodes Nominee	
Catherine O'Regan	Rhodes Nominee	

7. Executive Committee

Elizabeth Kiss
Jennifer Yvonne Mokgoro (Retired in December 2023)
Njabulo Ndebele (Chair)
Osmond Mlonyeni
Janet Kabiru

8. Remuneration Committee

Mustaq Brey
Elizabeth Kiss (Chair)
Njabulo Ndebele

9. Investment Committee

Jacques Conradie
Tim Cumming (Chair)
Osmond Mlonyeni
Judy Sikuza
Muitheri Wahome

10. Finance, Audit and Risk Committee

Mustaq Brey (Chair)
Janet Kabiru
Thobela Mfeti
Nkazi Sokhulu

11. Auditors

PricewaterhouseCoopers Inc. continued in office as auditors for the Trust for the 2023 period.



Independent auditor's report

To the Trustees of The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust

Our opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust (the Trust) as at 31 December 2023, and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards.

What we have audited

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust's financial statements set out on pages 11 to 37 comprise:

- the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023;
- the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the year then ended;
- the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended;
- the statement of cash flows for the year then ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

We 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 Trust in accordance with the Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors' Code of Professional Conduct for Registered Auditors (IRBA Code) and other independence requirements applicable to performing audits of financial statements in South Africa. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IRBA Code and in accordance with other ethical requirements applicable to performing audits in South Africa. The IRBA Code is consistent with the corresponding sections of the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards).

Other information

The trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the document titled "The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust Annual Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2023". The other information does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

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

In connection with our audit of the 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 financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the trustees for the financial statements

The trustees are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the Trust'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 the trustees either intend to liquidate the Trust or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

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

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

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



attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Trust to cease to continue as a going concern. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the trustees 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.

PricewaterhouseCoopers Inc

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Director: A Majola

Registered Auditor

Cape Town, South Africa

Date: 11 April 2024

Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2023

	Notes	2023 R	2022 R
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property and equipment	6	11,945,078	11,981,983
Other financial assets	7	966,966,365	866,715,316
		978,911,443	878,697,299
Current assets			
Other financial assets	7	22,220,799	93,401,158
Donations and other receivables	8	19,144,306	1,559,316
Cash and cash equivalents	9	46,219,939	34,713,436
Related party receivable	21	131,292	63,873
		87,716,335	129,737,783
Total assets		1,066,627,778	1,008,435,082
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Trust Fund	10	6,728,943	6,728,943
Retained Surplus		148,998,389	42,967,446
Investment Reserve	11	237,886,819	329,939,889
Other reserves	11	670,537,939	627,438,435
		1,064,152,091	1,007,074,713
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	12	2,475,687	1,360,369
		2,475,687	1,360,369
Total equity and liabilities		1,066,627,778	1,008,435,082

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	Notes	2023 R	2022 R
Revenue	14	54,894,754	108,726,693
Other operating expenses	15	(43,909,614)	(37,576,285)
Operating surplus	15	10,985,139	71,150,409
Investment income	16	5,740,213	2,886,558
Finance cost	17	(3,702)	(4,023)
Surplus for the year		16,721,650	74,032,944
Other comprehensive income:			
Items that will not be reclassified to surplus or deficit:			
Changes in the fair value of investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	7	40,355,727	8,046,399
Other comprehensive income for the year		40,355,727	8,046,399
Total comprehensive income for the year		57,077,378	82,079,343

Statement of changes in Equity

	Notes	Trust Fund R	Retained income R	Investment R	Other reserves R	Total Equity R
Balance at 01 January 2022		6,728,943	153,036,011	245,670,327	519,560,089	924,995,370
Surplus for the year		-	74,032,944	-	-	74,032,944
Other comprehensive income		-	-	8,046,399	-	8,046,399
Total comprehensive income		-	74,032,944	8,046,399	-	82,079,343
Transfer of gain on disposal of equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	7	-	(76,223,163)	76,223,163	-	-
Transfer between reserves		-	(107,878,346)	-	107,878,346	-
Balance at 01 January 2023		6,728,943	42,967,446	329,939,889	627,438,435	1,007,074,713
Surplus for the year		-	16,721,650	-	-	16,721,650
Other comprehensive income		-	-	40,355,727	-	40,355,727
Total comprehensive income		-	16,721,650	40,355,727	-	57,077,378
Transfer of loss on disposal of equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	7	-	132,408,797	(132,408,797)	-	-
Transfer between reserves		-	(43,099,504)	-	43,099,504	-
Balance at 31 December 2023		6,728,943	148,998,389	237,886,819	670,537,939	1,064,152,091

"Other reserves" comprise of:

	2023 R	2022 R
Property Maintenance Reserve	11,688,544	11,688,544
Other Endowment Reserve	516,493,775	473,394,271
Property Endowment Reserve	12,437,356	12,437,356
Rhodes Endowment Reserve	129,918,264	129,918,264
	670,537,939	627,438,435

Statement of Changes in Equity

Trust Fund

The capital represented by the initial donation stipulated in clause 4.1 of the Notarial Deed of Trust, together with such capital and revenue as may from time to time become vested in the Trustees for the purposes of this Trust, whether by reason of donation bequest, accrual or otherwise. The funds originated from the Rhodes Trust. Any additional funds received were applied to other reserves (refer below).

Rhodes Endowment Reserve

The Rhodes endowment reserve is the aggregate amount received from the Rhodes Trust, one of the Founders, and invested in the endowment investment portfolio (refer to note 11). This amount was transferred to other endowments in the prior years. The balance breakdown is as follows:

	2023 R	2022 R
Rhodes Trust	<u>129,918,264</u>	<u>129,918,264</u>

Other Endowment Reserve

The other endowment reserve is the actual amount received from donors other than the Rhodes Trust and invested in the endowment investment portfolio. The balance breakdown is as follows:

	2023 R	Movement	2022 R
OUP (via The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust Two)	88,631,270	-	88,631,270
The Leverhulme Trust	133,257,146	-	133,257,146
McCall MacBain Foundation	106,924,728	-	106,924,728
Friends of the Mandela Rhodes Foundation (USA)	51,119,618	-	51,119,618
ABSA Bank Limited	16,000,000	-	16,000,000
Old Mutual	10,176,000	-	10,176,000
Peter Cundhill Foundation	8,499,500	-	8,499,500
The Hunter Foundation	7,964,200	-	7,964,200
46664	7,136,090	-	7,136,090
David Cohen (via the Friends of Mandela Rhodes Foundation)	6,500,000	-	6,500,000
British American Tobacco	6,000,000	-	6,000,000
The Rupert Group of Companies	6,000,000	-	6,000,000
Sibanye-Stillwater	6,000,000	-	6,000,000
Isaac Shongwe	4,000,000	-	4,000,000
Oxford University Press SA	3,500,000	-	3,500,000
Unilever	3,500,000	-	3,500,000
The making a difference charitable trust	3,285,720	-	3,285,720
Northam Platinum	2,400,000	-	2,400,000
Anglo American Chairman's Fund	1,500,000	-	1,500,000
McCall MacBain Foundation - Cloudless Sunrise Health	18,206,100	18,206,100	-
David Cohen	5,889,694	5,889,694	-
This Day Foundation	19,003,710	19,003,710	-
Friends of the Mandela Rhodes Foundation (EGG Foundation)	1,000,000	-	1,000,000
	<u>516,493,775</u>	<u>43,099,504</u>	<u>473,394,271</u>

There have been several substantial contributions to the operational expenses of the Foundation over the years. These donors included De Beers, Anglo American, the Royal Embassy of Norway, Friends of the Mandela Rhodes Foundation USA, Earthquake South Africa, Louis Vuitton, Mo Ibrahim Foundation, McCall MacBain Foundation, and others.

Statement of Cash Flows

	Notes	2023 R	2022 R
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash (used in)/generated from operations	19	(5,521,599)	49,061,352
Interest received	16	2,099,222	2,886,558
Interest paid	17	(3,702)	(4,023)
Net cash from operating activities		<u>(3,426,079)</u>	<u>51,943,887</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	7	-	(97,175,603)
Proceeds from disposal of financial assets at fair value through other	7	15,000,000	152,897,606
Movement in short-term other financial assets			(78,151,748)
Loan to related parties		(67,419)	
Net cash from investing activities		<u>14,932,582</u>	<u>(22,429,745)</u>
Total cash movement for the year		<u>11,506,503</u>	<u>29,514,142</u>
Cash at the beginning of the year		34,713,436	5,199,294
Total cash at the end of the year	9	<u>46,219,939</u>	<u>34,713,436</u>

Accounting policies

1. Significant accounting policies

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust is a Trust established and domiciled in South Africa. The address of its

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS® Accounting Standards. IFRS Accounting Standards comprise the following authoritative literature:

- IFRS Accounting Standards
- IAS® Standards
- Interpretations developed by the IFRS Interpretations Committee (IFRIC® Interpretations) or its predecessor body, the Standing Interpretations Committee (SIC® Interpretations).

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the following:

- Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these annual financial statements are set out below.

These accounting policies are consistent with the previous period.

1.1 Significant judgements and sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of annual financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management, from time to time, to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. These estimates and associated assumptions are based on experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Critical judgements in applying accounting policies

The critical judgements made by management in applying accounting policies, apart from those involving estimations, that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements, are outlined as follows:

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

Financial assets through other comprehensive income

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income are equity investments which are not held for trading and for which the Trust has made an irrevocable election at initial recognition to recognise changes in fair value in other comprehensive income. These assets are classified as non-current.

Fair value of investments

The fair value of financial instruments traded in an active market is based on unquoted market prices as at balance sheet date.

The fair value of financial instruments which are unlisted are determined through estimates made.

Accounting policies

1.1 Significant judgements and sources of estimation uncertainty (continued)

Provision

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

Critical accounting estimates

Donation Contracts

Judgement was applied in determining when ultimate authority for the use of donation income transfers to the Foundation.

1.2 Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are tangible assets which the Trust holds for its own use or for rental to others and which are expected to be used for more than one year.

An item of property, plant and equipment is recognised as an asset when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Trust, and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Property, plant and equipment is initially measured at cost. Cost includes all of the expenditure which is directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of the asset, including the capitalisation of borrowing costs on qualifying assets and adjustments in respect of hedge accounting, where appropriate.

Expenditure incurred subsequently for major services, additions to or replacements of parts of property, plant and equipment are capitalised if it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the expenditure will flow to the Trust and the cost can be measured reliably. Day to day servicing costs are included in surplus or deficit in the year in which they are incurred.

Property, plant and equipment is subsequently stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses, except for land which is stated at cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation of an asset commences when the asset is available for use as intended by management. Depreciation is charged to write off the asset's carrying amount over its estimated useful life to its estimated residual value, using a method that best reflects the pattern in which the asset's economic benefits are consumed by the Trust. Leased assets are depreciated in a consistent manner over the shorter of their expected useful lives and the lease term. Depreciation is not charged to an asset if its estimated residual value exceeds or is equal to its carrying amount. Depreciation of an asset ceases at the earlier of the date that the asset is classified as held for sale or derecognised.

The useful lives of items of property, plant and equipment have been assessed as follows:

Item	Depreciation method	Average useful life
Buildings	Straight line	50 years
Office equipment	Straight line	6 years
Computer equipment	Straight line	3 years

Accounting policies

1.2 Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The residual value, useful life and depreciation method of each asset are reviewed at the end of each reporting year. If the expectations differ from previous estimates, the change is accounted for prospectively as a change in accounting estimate.

Each part of an item of property, plant and equipment with a cost that is significant in relation to the total cost of the item is depreciated separately.

The depreciation charge for each year is recognised in profit or loss unless it is included in the carrying amount of another asset.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its continued use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising from the derecognition of an item of property, plant and equipment, determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds, if any, and the carrying amount of the item, is included in profit or loss when the item is derecognised.

1.3 Financial instruments

Financial instruments held by the Trust are classified in accordance with the provisions of IFRS 9 Financial Instruments.

Broadly, the classification possibilities, which are adopted by the Trust, as applicable, are as follows:

Financial assets which are equity instruments:

- Designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income.

Financial assets which are debt instruments:

- Amortised cost. (This category applies only when the contractual terms of the instrument give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on principal, and where the instrument is held under a business model whose objective is met by holding the instrument to collect contractual cash flows).

Financial liabilities:

- Amortised cost.

The financial instruments held by the Trust based on their specific classifications are shown in note 4 below.

All regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a trade date basis. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the marketplace.

The specific accounting policies for the classification, recognition and measurement of each type of financial instrument held by the Trust are presented below:

Donations and other receivables

Classification

Donations and other receivables, excluding, when applicable, VAT and prepayments, are classified as financial assets subsequently measured at amortised cost (note 8).

Accounting policies

1.3 Financial instruments (continued)

They have been classified in this manner because their contractual terms give rise, on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding, and the Trust's business model is to collect the contractual cash flows on donations and other receivables.

Recognition and measurement

Donations and other receivables are recognised when the Trust becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the receivables. They are measured, at initial recognition, at fair value plus transaction costs, if any.

They are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

The amortised cost is the amount recognised on the receivable initially, minus principal repayments, plus cumulative amortisation (interest) using the effective interest rate method of any difference between the initial amount and the maturity amount, adjusted for any loss allowance.

Impairment

The Trust recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses on donations and other receivables, excluding VAT and prepayments. The amount of expected credit losses is updated at each reporting date.

The Trust measures the loss allowance for donations and other receivables at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses (lifetime ECL), which represents the expected credit losses that will result from all possible default events over the expected life of the receivable. The Trust applies the simplified approach.

Investments in equity instruments

Classification

Investments are classified as mandatorily at fair value through other comprehensive income. As an exception to this classification, the Trust may make an irrevocable election, on an instrument by instrument basis, and on initial recognition, to designate certain investments in equity instruments as at fair value through other comprehensive income.

The designation as at fair value through other comprehensive income is never made on investments which are either held for trading or contingent consideration in a business combination.

Recognition and measurement

Investments in equity instruments are recognised when the Trust becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. The investments are measured, at initial recognition, at fair value. Transaction costs are added to the initial carrying amount for those investments which have been designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income. All other transaction costs are recognised in surplus or deficit.

Investments in equity instruments are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in other comprehensive income (and accumulated in equity in the reserve for valuation of investments) , depending on their classification. Details of the valuation policies and processes are presented in note 5.

Accounting policies

1.3 Financial instruments (continued)

Dividends received on equity investments are recognised in surplus or deficit when the Trust's right to received the dividends is established, unless the dividends clearly represent a recovery of part of the cost of the investment. Dividends are included in investment income (note 16).

Investments denominated in foreign currencies

When an investment in an equity instrument is denominated in a foreign currency, the fair value of the investment is determined in the foreign currency. The fair value is then translated to the Rand equivalent using the spot rate at the end of each reporting period. Foreign exchange gains or losses arising on investments at fair value through other comprehensive income are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity in the reserve for valuation of investments.

Details of foreign currency risk exposure and the management thereof are provided in the financial instruments and risk management (note 4).

Impairment

Investments in equity instruments are not subject to impairment provisions.

Trade and other payables

Classification

Trade and other payables (note 12), excluding VAT and amounts received in advance, are classified as financial liabilities subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Recognition and measurement

They are recognised when the Trust becomes a party to the contractual provisions, and are measured, at initial recognition, at fair value plus transaction costs, if any.

They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

The effective interest rate method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or (where appropriate) a shorter period, to the amortised cost of a financial liability.

If trade and other payables contain a significant financing component, and the effective interest rate method results in the recognition of interest expense, then it is included in surplus or deficit in finance costs (note 17).

Trade and other payables expose the Trust to liquidity risk and possibly to interest rate risk. Refer to note 4 for details of risk exposure and management thereof.

Accounting policies

1.3 Financial instruments (continued)

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are stated at carrying amount which is deemed to be fair value.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and demand deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of 3 months or less and bank overdrafts that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. These are initially and subsequently recorded at fair value.

1.4 Revenue

The Trust recognises revenue from the following major sources:

- General donations
- Government grants
- Specific purpose donations
- Rental income
- Interest income
- Dividend income

Donations and programme funding

Revenue is recognised when the entity satisfies performance obligations under a contract with donors. Revenue is

Government grant

Government grant is only recognised as income once all contractual obligations relating to the non-depreciable assets have been met.

Rental income

Rental income from operating leases are recognised on a straight line basis in the statement of comprehensive income.

Interest income

Interest income earned is recognised on a time-proportion basis. The entity calculates interest income by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of financial assets other than credit-impaired assets. When a financial asset becomes credit-impaired the entity calculates interest income by applying the effective interest rate to the net amortised cost (gross carrying amount less the allowance for expected credit losses) of the financial asset. If the financial asset is no longer deemed to be credit-impaired, the entity reverts to calculating interest income on a gross basis.

Dividend income

Dividends are recognised in surplus or deficit, when the Trust's right to receive payment has been established.

Accounting policies

1.5 Translation of foreign currencies

Foreign currency transactions

A foreign currency transaction is recorded, on initial recognition in Rands, by applying to the foreign currency amount the spot exchange rate between the functional currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction.

At the end of the reporting period:

- foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate;
- non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction; and
- non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items or on translating monetary items at rates different from those at which they were translated on initial recognition during the period or in previous annual financial statements are recognised in surplus or deficit in the period in which they arise.

When a gain or loss on a non-monetary item is recognised to other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity, any exchange component of that gain or loss is recognised to other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity. When a gain or loss on a non-monetary item is recognised in surplus or deficit, any exchange component of that gain or loss is recognised in surplus or deficit.

Cash flows arising from transactions in a foreign currency are recorded in Rands by applying to the foreign currency amount the exchange rate between the Rand and the foreign currency at the date of the cash flow.

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2. Changes in accounting policy

The annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards Accounting Standards on a basis consistent with the prior year.

3. New Standards and Interpretations

3.1 Standards and interpretations effective and adopted in the current year

In the current year, the trust had not adopted standards and interpretations that are effective for the current financial year as there were none relevant to its operations.

3.2 Standards and interpretations not yet effective and not adopted in the current year

Certain amendments to accounting standards have been published that are not mandatory for 31 December 2023 reporting periods and have not been early adopted by the trust. These amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the entity in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions

4. Financial instruments and risk management

Categories of financial instruments

Categories of financial assets

2023

	Notes	Fair value	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets at FVOCI	8	989,187,163	-	989,187,163
Donations and other receivables	9	-	18,267,741	18,267,741
Cash and cash equivalents	10		46,219,939	46,219,939
		<u>989,187,163</u>	<u>64,487,679</u>	<u>1,053,674,843</u>

2022

	Notes	Fair value	Amortised cost	Total
Financial assets at FVOCI	8	866,715,316	-	866,715,316
Donations and other receivables	9	-	19,144,306	19,144,306
Cash and cash equivalents	10		34,713,436	34,713,436
		<u>866,715,316</u>	<u>53,857,742</u>	<u>920,573,058</u>

Categories of financial liabilities

2023

	Notes	Amortised cost	Total
Trade and other payables	13	2,475,687	2,475,687

2022

	Notes	Amortised cost	Total
Trade and other payables	13	1,360,369	1,360,369

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4. Financial instruments and risk management (continued)

Gains and losses on financial assets

2023

	Notes	Fair value	Amortised cost	Total
Recognised in surplus or deficit:				
Interest income	17	-	2,099,222	2,099,222
Dividend income	17	3,640,991	-	3,640,991
Net gains		<u>3,640,991</u>	<u>2,099,222</u>	<u>5,740,213</u>

2022

	Notes	Fair value	Amortised cost	Total
Recognised in surplus or deficit:				
Interest income	17	-	1,577,547	1,577,547
Investment Income	17	1,309,011	-	1,309,011
Net gains		<u>1,309,011</u>	<u>1,577,547</u>	<u>2,886,558</u>

Gains and losses on financial liabilities

2023

	Notes	Amortised cost	Total
Recognised in surplus or deficit:			
Finance costs	18	3,702	3,702

2022

	Notes	Amortised cost	Total
Recognised in surplus or deficit:			
Finance costs	18	4,023	4,023

Capital risk management

Consistent with others in the sector, the Foundation monitors its current ratio. This ratio is calculated as current assets divided by current liabilities.

The current ratio at 2023 and 2022 respectively were as follows:

	2023	2022
Current ratio	35.43	95.37
	2023	2023
	R	R
Current assets	87,716,335	129,737,783
Current liabilities	2,475,687	1,360,369

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4. Financial instruments and risk management (continued)

Credit risk

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents and deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposure to donors, including outstanding receivables. There is no independent rating of the credit risk for donors, so the Trust assesses the credit quality of the donors by taking into account its financial position, past experience and other factors.

The maximum exposure to credit risk is presented in the table below:

Financial instrument	2023 R		
	Gross carry value	Credit loss allowance	Gross carry value
Credo - offshore cash			
Nedbank	43,287	-	43,287
Donations receivable	68,397,450	-	68,397,450
	18,267,741	-	18,267,741
	<u>86,708,478</u>	-	<u>86,708,478</u>

Financial instrument	2022 R		
	Gross carry value	Credit loss allowance	Gross carry value
Credo - offshore cash			
Nedbank	60,601,015	-	60,601,015
Donations receivable	67,513,578	-	67,513,578
	72,187,170	-	72,187,170
	<u>200,301,763</u>	-	<u>200,301,763</u>

Liquidity risk

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities and the ability to close out market positions.

The foundation does not have any long-term obligations, and has no utilised facilities with financial institutions.

The short-term payable are due within 1 year.

2023	Notes	Less than 1 year
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	13	<u>2,475,687</u>
2022		
Current Liabilities		
Trade and other payables	13	<u>1,360,369</u>

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4. Financial instruments and risk management (continued)

Foreign currency risk

Foreign exchange risk arises when future commercial transactions (mainly donation income, endowment funds and investments) are denominated in a currency that is not the Foundation's functional currency (South African Rand). The Trust invests internationally and is exposed to foreign exchange risk with respect to the US dollar, Euro and the UK pound.

When there are extreme foreign currency fluctuations, the Investment Committee will consider appropriate hedging strategies.

The Trust has certain investments in foreign instruments, whose net assets are exposed to foreign currency translation risk, as highlighted below.

Exposure in Rand

The net carrying amounts, in Rand, of the various exposures, are denominated in the following currencies. The amounts have been presented in Rand by converting the foreign currency amounts at the closing rate at the reporting date:

	2023 (FC)	2023(ZAR)	2022 (FC)	2022(ZAR)
USD exposure:				
Non-current assets	20,964,246	392,039,407	20,747,298	330,919,397
Current assets	1,272,401	23,794,378	710,267	11,328,752
Net USD exposure	22,236,647	415,833,785	21,457,564	342,248,149
GBP exposure:				
Non-current assets	1,121,005	26,246,917	2,177,439	46,814,939
Current assets	1,236,093	28,941,556	-	-
Net GBP exposure	2,357,099	55,188,472	3,676,523	79,302,600
Euro exposure:				
Non-current assets	-	-	-	-
Current assets	71,507	1,455,001	72,246	1,304,768
Net Euro exposure	71,507	1,455,001	71,961	1,306,086

Exchange rates

The following closing exchange rates were applied at reporting date:

	2023	2022
Rand per unit of foreign currency:		
US Dollar	18.70	15.95
GBP	23.41	21.50
Euro	20.35	18.06

Foreign currency sensitivity analysis

The following information presents the sensitivity of the Trust to an increase or decrease in the respective currencies it is exposed to. The sensitivity rate is the rate used when reporting foreign currency risk internally to key management personnel and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in foreign exchange rates. The sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated amounts and adjusts their translation at the reporting date. No changes were made to the methods and assumptions used in the preparation of the sensitivity analysis compared to the previous reporting period.

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4. Financial instruments and risk management (continued)

	2023	2023	2022	2022
Increase or decrease in rate (2%): USD	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Post-tax surplus:	<u>7,840,788</u>	<u>(7,840,788)</u>	<u>6,618,388</u>	<u>(6,618,388)</u>
Increase or decrease in rate (2%): UK Pound				
Post-tax surplus:	<u>524,938</u>	<u>(524,938)</u>	<u>936,299</u>	<u>(936,299)</u>

The surplus is more sensitive to movements in exchange rates in 2023 than 2022 because of the lower exposure to foreign denominated assets in its overall portfolio. Foreign denominated assets comprises 48% (2022: 45%) of the total investment portfolio.

Interest rate risk

The Trust has significant interest bearing assets and its income operating cash flows can be affected by changes in market interest rates. The Trust has no interest bearing payables or borrowings.

Interest rate sensitivity analysis

The following sensitivity analysis has been prepared using a sensitivity rate which is used when reporting interest rate risk internally to key management personnel and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in interest rates. All other variables remain constant. The sensitivity analysis includes only financial instruments exposed to interest rate risk which were recognised at the reporting date. No changes were made to the methods and assumptions used in the preparation of the sensitivity analysis compared to the previous reporting period.

The surplus is more sensitive to movements in exchange rates in 2023 than 2022 because of the higher exposure to foreign denominated assets in its overall portfolio. Foreign denominated assets comprises 48% (2022: 45%) of the total investment portfolio.

Price risk

The Trust is exposed to equity securities price risk because of investments held by the Trust and classified on the statement of financial position either as fair value through other comprehensive income. The Trust is not directly exposed to commodity price risk. To manage its price risk arising from investments in equity securities, the Trust diversifies its portfolio. Diversification of the portfolio is done in accordance with the limits set by the Trust.

Price risk sensitivity analysis

A change in the value of the equity securities of 5% attached to investments, with all other variables held constant, would affect other comprehensive income for the year as follows

	2023	2023	2022	2022
Increase or decrease in rate (5%)	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Investment: R 472,477,260 (2023: R 352, 633, 510)	<u>23,623,863</u>	<u>(23,623,863)</u>	<u>17,631,676</u>	<u>(17,631,676)</u>

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5. Fair value hierarchy

The table below analyses assets and liabilities carried at fair value. The different levels are defined as follows:

Level 1: Quoted unadjusted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Trust can access at measurement date.

Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included in level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly.

Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

**Levels of fair value measurements
Recurring fair value measurements
Assets**

	2023 R	2022 R
Level 1		
Equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income		
Equity securities (local)	169,198,040	169,198,040
Unit trusts (local and foreign)	317,985,202	317,985,202
Total equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	487,183,242	487,183,242
Level 3		
Equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income		
Hedge funds	479,783,122	379,532,074
The following table presents the changes in level 3 instruments for the year ended 31 December 2023 and 2022.		
Opening balance 1 January	379,532,074	617,049,311
Additions	-	72,742,295
Disposals	(15,000,000)	(143,792,665)
(Losses)/Gains recognised in other comprehensive income	115,251,048	(166,466,867)
	479,783,122	379,532,074
Total Level 1 and Level 3 investments	966,966,364	866,715,316

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6. Property, plant and equipment

	2023			2022		
	Cost	Accumulated	Carrying value	Cost	Accumulated	Carrying value
Land	5,200,000	-	5,200,000	5,200,000	-	5,200,000
Buildings	7,380,490	(636,464)	6,744,026	7,380,490	(599,559)	6,780,931
Office equipment	858,391	(857,338)	1,052	858,391	(857,338)	1,052
Computer equipment	121,494	(121,494)	-	121,494	(121,494)	-
Total	13,560,375	(1,615,296)	11,945,078	13,560,375	(1,578,392)	11,981,983

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - 2023

	Opening	Depreciation	Total
Land	5,200,000	-	5,200,000
Buildings	6,780,931	(36,905)	6,744,026
Office equipment	1,052	-	1,052
	11,981,983	(36,905)	11,945,078

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - 2022

	Opening	Depreciation	Total
Land	5,200,000	-	5,200,000
Buildings	6,817,834	(36,903)	6,780,931
Office equipment	6,677	(5,625)	1,052
	12,024,511	(42,528)	11,981,983

Details of properties

The land and buildings relates to two properties. The Mandela Rhodes Building, ERF 3653 Western Cape, was donated to The Mandela Rhodes Foundation by De Beers Consolidated Mines Limited, the official registration of the building took place in March 2005. The Bishopscourt property, ERF 56359 Western Cape was purchased during 2008. Certain items of furniture are on loan from De Beers Consolidated Mines Limited. These assets have not been included, as the ownership vests with the respective owners.

	2023 R	2022 R
ERF 3653 Western Cape (the Mandela Rhodes Building)		
- cost	4,503,134	4,503,134
ERF 56359 Western Cape (the Bishopscourt Property)		
- cost	8,077,356	8,077,356

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7. Other financial assets	2023 R	2022 R
Opening balance	866,715,316	893,431,264
Total additions	-	97,175,603
Total disposals	(15,000,000)	(152,897,606)
Total fair value gain (including exchange rate differences)	40,355,727	8,046,399
Reinvestment of dividends	74,895,321	18,573,890
Reinvestment of interest	-	2,385,766
	966,966,365	866,715,316

Investment - 2023	Disposal amount	Gains / (Losses) previously recognised in other reserves, transferred within equity
Domestic funds	15,000,000	22,113,926
Foreign Investment hedge fund	-	73,167,411
Foreign equity	-	37,127,460
	15,000,000	132,408,797

Investment - 2022	2023 R	2022 R
Domestic funds	23,301,479	6,366,953
Foreign Investment hedge fund	21,549,622	(1,444,540)
Foreign equity	184,269,668	(81,145,576)
	229,120,769	(76,223,163)

Other Current financial assets	2023 R	2022 R
Credo - offshore cash	43,287	60,601,015
Investments - Nedbank Fixed Capital Fund (Previously: BoE Fixed Capital Fund)	22,177,512	32,800,143
	22,220,799	93,401,158

Non-current assets	966,966,365	866,715,316
Current assets	22,220,799	93,401,158

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7. Other financial assets (continued)

Equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) comprise the following individual investments:

Marketable securities	2023	2022
A) Domestic equity fund	46,429,613	34,648,308
B) Domestic hedge funds	244,190,163	230,229,977
C) Domestic Securities - Preference and equity shares	61,116,147	76,919,443
D) Domestic Securities - Government bonds	164,973,983	134,549,732
E) Foreign Investment equity fund	392,039,407	317,985,202
F) Foreign Investment hedge fund	80,437,851	72,382,654
Total investments	989,187,164	866,715,316

A listed security is a financial instrument that is traded through a public exchange, such as JSE or Nasdaq.

Upon disposal of these equity investments, any balance within the OCI reserve for these equity investments is reclassified within equity and is not reclassified to surplus or deficit.

Disposal of marketable investments

The Trust has sold investments in certain marketable investments as these investments no longer suited the Trust's investment strategy. The shares were sold at their fair values with gains and losses transferred to retained surplus as per the table below.

8. Donations and other receivables

	2023	2022
	R	R
Financial instruments:		
Donations receivable	18,267,741	72,576
Non-financial instruments:		
VAT	127,498	144,483
Prepayments	749,068	1,342,257
Total trade and other receivables	19,144,306	1,559,316

Categorisation of trade and other receivables

Donations and other receivables are categorised as follows in accordance with IFRS 9:

Financial Instruments:		
At amortised cost	18,267,741	72,576
Non-financial instruments	876,565	1,486,740
	19,144,306	1,559,316

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8. Donations and other receivables (continued)

There are no customer receivables. However, receivables arise from the timing of the donation being committed and the donation received in the bank account. The cash flows happen soon after the commitment is made by the donor and there is no significant delay in the expected future cash flows. No loss allowance is considered necessary due to the nature of the receivables and the expected payment to be received from the donors.

Exposure to credit risk

Donations receivable inherently expose the Trust to credit risk, being the risk that the Trust will incur financial loss if donors fail to make payments as they fall due.

The Trust's historical credit loss experience does not show significantly different loss patterns for different donor segments. The provision for credit losses is therefore based on past due status without disaggregating into further risk profiles. The loss allowance provision is determined as follows:

No loss allowance provision has been recognised as the credit risk is not considered significant

Exposure to currency risk

Refer to note 4 for details of currency risk management for donations receivable.

Fair value of donations and other receivables

The fair value of donations and other receivables approximates their carrying amounts.

9. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of:

	2023 R	2022 R
Cash on hand	2,000	2,000
Bank balances	46,217,939	34,711,436
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>46,219,939</u>	<u>34,713,436</u>

Credit quality of cash at bank and short term deposits, excluding cash on hand

The credit quality of cash at bank and short term deposits, excluding cash on hand that are neither past due nor impaired can be assessed by reference to external credit ratings (if available) or historical information about counterparty default rates:

Credit rating - Moody's Investor Services

Nedbank Limited: Ba2	46,217,939	34,711,436
	<u>46,217,939</u>	<u>34,711,436</u>

10. Trust capital

Capital account / Trust capital

Balance at beginning and end of year	<u>6,728,943</u>	<u>6,728,943</u>
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Trust fund

The capital represented by the initial donation stipulated in clause 4.1 of the Notarial Deed of Trust, together with such capital and revenue as may from time to time become vested in the Trustees for the purposes of this trust, whether by reason of donation bequest, accrual or otherwise.

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11. Funds and reserves

Rhodes Endowment Reserve

The Rhodes endowment reserve is the actual amount received from the Rhodes Trust, one of the Founders, and invested in the endowment. In 2006 a donation from Oxford University Press had been disclosed in the Rhodes Endowment reserve as at the time no separate reserve for other endowments had been arranged. This amount was transferred to other endowments in 2007.

Other Endowment Reserve

The other endowment reserve is the actual amount received from donors other than the Rhodes Trust and invested in an endowment.

Property Endowment Reserve

The land and building reserve relates to two properties, the Mandela Rhodes Building ERF 3653 Western Cape and the Bishopscourt property ERF 56359 Western Cape. The Mandela Rhodes Building was donated to the Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust by De Beers Consolidated Mines Limited at the formation of the Trust. The Bishopscourt property was funded by the Western Cape Provincial Government (R4,000,000) and Friends of Mandela Rhodes Foundation (USA) (R4,077,356). Refer to note 6.

Property Maintenance Reserve

Two donations were received in 2008, R6,000,000 from the Western Cape Provincial Government and R5,688,544 from Friends of The Mandela Rhodes Foundation (USA) and will be held to earn interest for the maintenance of the Bishopscourt property.

Appropriation of Funds

The entire capital and income of the Trust shall be applied solely towards the promotion of its stated objectives, and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred, directly or indirectly, (whether by way of salary, dividend, bonus or otherwise howsoever) to any of the Trustees or any other person (save in the course of undertaking its public benefit activity), by way of surplus, distribution, or otherwise howsoever, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith to any person (including a Trustee) for:

- remuneration for services actually rendered to the Trust, having regard to what is generally considered reasonable in the sector and in relation to the service rendered;
- reimbursement of actual costs, expenses and commitments incurred on behalf of the Trust,

and provide further that no Donor, Trustee or relative of a Donor or Trustee, shall receive any benefits from the Trust Fund, except to the extent and in the circumstances envisaged by the clauses above, nor shall any of the Trustees have any rights in the property or other assets of the Trust by virtue of their being office bearers of the Trust.

Dissolution

In the event of the dissolution of the Trust, any assets remaining after all its liabilities have been satisfied shall not be paid or distributed to the Trustees but shall be transferred to a non-profit public benefit organisation/ organisations having similar objects and which has/ have been approved by the Commissioner in terms of the Income Tax Act No. 58 of 1962.

Investment reserve

The following table shows a breakdown of the balance sheet line item 'investment reserve' and the movements in these reserves during the year. A description of the nature and purpose of each reserve is provided below the table:

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11. Funds and reserves (continued)

	Investment reserve
At 1 January 2022	245,670,327
Revaluation - gross	8,046,339
Fair value (gains)/losses released to retained earnings upon sale	76,223,163
Net movement in reserve	<u>84,269,502</u>
At 1 January 2023	84,269,502
Revaluation - gross	40,355,727
Fair value (gains)/losses released to retained earnings upon sale	(132,408,797)
At 31 December 2023	<u>(7,783,568)</u>

	2023 R	2022 R
12. Trade and other payables		
Financial instruments:		
Trade payables	13,206	98,383
Accruals and other liabilities	1,583,426	354,741
Accrual for leave pay	879,055	907,244
	<u>2,475,687</u>	<u>1,360,369</u>

Fair value of trade and other payables

The fair value of trade and other payables approximates their carrying amounts.

13. Retirement benefits

As at 31 December 2023, 11 people (2022: 11 people) were employed by the Foundation.

The total contributions to the provident fund was R 1,439,676 (2022: R 1,376,150) for the year. The Foundation has no further obligations to provide retirement benefits to its current employees.

	2023 R	2022 R
14. Revenue		
Revenue from donors		
Donations	54,285,207	108,128,967
Revenue other than from donors		
Other sources	609,547	597,726
	<u>54,894,754</u>	<u>108,726,693</u>

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15. Operating surplus

15.1 Operating surplus for the year is stated after charging the following, amongst others:

Audit fees	475,198	414,000
Portfolio management fees	22,551	20,670
Consulting fees	2,502,071	1,487,947
Employee costs - Admin	5,514,502	5,486,681
Employee costs - Scholarships	7,309,921	7,273,042
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	36,905	42,530
Advertising costs	419,173	158,724
Bank charges	56,292	42,632
Repairs and maintenance	594,348	720,395
Scholarship costs	15,141,598	12,533,817
Travel costs	2,263,342	959,268
Insurance	196,599	186,842
Other expenses	9,377,116	8,249,737
	43,909,614	37,576,285

15.2 Scholarship costs included in the above are made up of the following:

Tuition & registration fees	4,185,831	2,753,755
Scholarships - Stipend	3,757,350	3,101,700
Scholarships - Accommodation	5,255,850	5,368,566
Leadership courses	1,942,567	1,309,795
	15,141,598	12,533,817

15.3 Employee costs included in the above are made up of the following:

Wages and salaries	9,269,027	9,271,396
Provident fund	1,439,676	1,376,150
Bonus	1,647,044	1,675,386
Other employee benefits	468,676	436,790
Total employee costs	12,824,423	12,759,723

16 Investment income

	2023	2022
	R	R
Dividend income		
Equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income:		
Financial assets	3,640,991	1,577,547
Total dividend income	3,640,991	1,577,547
Interest received		
Investments in financial assets:		
Bank and other cash	2,099,222	1,309,011
Total investment income	5,740,213	2,886,558

17 Finance costs

Interest expense	3,702	4,023
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18 Income tax expense

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation is, in terms of S10 (1) (cN) of the Income Tax Act of 1962, exempt from South African normal tax.

19 Cash used in operations

Surplus for the year	16,721,650	74,032,944
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	36,905	42,530
Finance income	(5,740,213)	(2,886,558)
Finance costs	3,702	4,023
Investment income (non-cash flow)	(73,971)	(20,959,656)
Changes in working capital:		
Donations and other receivables	(17,584,990)	(1,232,725)
Trade and other payables	1,115,318	60,794
	<u>(5,521,599)</u>	<u>49,061,352</u>

20 Contingencies

In terms of the contract entered into between the Trust and the Western Cape Provincial Government, a liability of R3,000,000 would arise should the Bishopscourt property be sold. The Foundation has recorded that the property has been purchased to preserve the legacy of Mr Mandela, and it has no intention now or in the future of disposing of the said property.

21 Related parties

The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust and The Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust Two have common Trustees.
In accordance with the Trust deed, the trustees are not remunerated.

Mandela Rhodes Foundation Trust Two

Receivable - current asset	<u>131,292</u>	<u>63,873</u>
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The receivable/(payable) is unsecured, interest free and has no fixed terms of repayment.

Scatterlinks Proprietary Limited - Owned by Investment Committee member

Service fees	<u>405,000</u>	<u>378,000</u>
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Compensation to Prescribed Officers

Salaries	4,863,572	4,506,304
Provident fund	691,612	683,467
Bonuses	995,010	942,180
	<u>6,550,194</u>	<u>6,131,951</u>

Prescribed Officers include, J Sikuza and E Gerber.

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22 Going concern

The Trustees believe that the Trust has adequate financial resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and accordingly the annual financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Trustees have satisfied themselves that the Trust is in a sound financial position and that it has sufficient liquid assets and together the cash flow forecast for the next 12 months to meet its foreseeable cash requirements. The Trustees are not aware of any new material changes that may adversely impact the Trust.

The Trustees are also not aware of any material non-compliance with statutory or regulatory requirements or of any pending changes to legislation which may affect the Trust.

23 Events after the reporting period

The Trustees are not aware of any material event which occurred after the reporting date and up to the date of this report.

There has been a change in the chair of the trustees subsequent to year-end which does not impact the financial statements relating to the trust as at the 31 December 2023 year-end.