

**PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND
SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT
MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT TRANSLATED FROM CHINESE

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To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of President Securities Corporation and subsidiaries as at March 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related consolidated statements of comprehensive income, of changes in equity and of cash flows for the three months then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with “Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Firms”, “Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Futures Commission Merchants” and International Accounting Standard 34, “Interim Financial Reporting” that came into effect as endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these consolidated financial statements based on our reviews.

Scope of Review

Except as stated in the following paragraph, we conducted our reviews in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements 2410, “Review of Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity” of the Republic of China. A review of 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 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 such an opinion.

Basis for Qualified Conclusion

As explained in Notes 4(3) and 6(11), the financial statements of certain insignificant consolidated subsidiaries and investments accounted for under the equity method were not reviewed by independent auditors. Those statements reflect total assets of \$1,635,923 thousand and \$2,832,075 thousand, constituting 1.44% and 2.75% of the consolidated total assets, and total liabilities of \$116,218 thousand and \$831,331 thousand, constituting 0.14 % and 1.17 % of the consolidated total liabilities as at March 31, 2023 and 2022, and total comprehensive income (loss) of \$8,055 thousand and (\$26,516) thousand, constituting 1.27% and 18.12% of the consolidated total comprehensive income for the three months then ended. The balance of such investments accounted for under the equity method as at March 31, 2023 and 2022 were \$794,598 thousand and \$ 836,668 thousand, respectively; President Securities Corporation and subsidiaries’

share of comprehensive income of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method, including share of profit or loss of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method and share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method, for the three months then ended were \$46,518 thousand and \$75,881 thousand, constituting 7.33% and (51.85%) of total consolidated comprehensive income, respectively.

Qualified Conclusion

Except for the adjustments to the consolidated financial statements, if any, as might have been determined to be necessary had the financial statements of certain insignificant consolidated subsidiaries and investments accounted for under the equity method been reviewed by independent auditors, that we might have become aware of had it not been for the situation described above, 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 President Securities Corporation and subsidiaries as at March 31, 2023 and 2022, and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the three months then ended in accordance with the “Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Firms”, “Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Futures Commission Merchants” and International Accounting Standard No. 34, “Interim Financial Reporting” that came into effect as endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission.

Lin, Se-Kai

Independent Auditors

Lo, Chiao-Sen

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers, Taiwan

May 4, 2023

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are not intended to present the financial position and finance performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in countries and jurisdictions other than the Republic of China. The standards, procedures and practices in the Republic of China governing the audit of such financial statements may differ from those generally accepted in countries and jurisdictions other than the Republic of China. Accordingly, the accompanying consolidated financial statements and independent auditors’ review report are not intended for use by those who are not informed about the accounting principles or auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of China, and their applications in practice.

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PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
MARCH 31, 2023, DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND MARCH 31, 2022
(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)
(The balance sheets as of March 31, 2023 and 2022 are reviewed, not audited)

Assets	Notes	March 31, 2023		December 31, 2022		March 31, 2022	
		AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%
110000 Current assets							
111100 Cash and cash equivalents	6(1)	\$ 6,465,825	6	\$ 6,194,573	6	\$ 5,838,517	6
112000 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current	6(2)	34,758,788	31	24,395,868	26	23,554,234	23
113200 Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current	6(3)	3,198,523	3	2,497,782	3	398,199	-
114030 Margin loans receivable	6(4)	11,952,731	11	10,533,221	11	16,862,002	16
114040 Refinancing security deposits		2,670	-	94,136	-	7,839	-
114050 Receivables from refinance guaranty		2,170	-	72,399	-	6,523	-
114060 Receivable of securities business money lending		5,589,215	5	4,094,908	4	2,225,134	2
114070 Customer margin account	6(5)	20,512,413	18	20,783,255	22	20,198,033	20
114090 Receivables from security lending		196,914	-	1,159,577	1	206,597	-
114100 Security lending deposits		2,271,290	2	3,377,630	4	2,287,799	2
114110 Notes receivable		476	-	763	-	273	-
114130 Accounts receivable	6(6)	17,488,914	15	10,140,951	11	18,978,138	19
114140 Accounts receivable-related parties	6(6)	1,305	-	1,195	-	952	-
114150 Prepayments		53,993	-	38,289	-	36,653	-
114170 Other receivables	6(7)	58,143	-	60,108	-	26,845	-
114600 Current tax assets		61	-	43	-	2,086	-
119000 Other current assets	6(8)	1,682,599	1	1,950,961	2	2,865,237	3
110000 Total current assets		104,236,030	92	85,395,659	90	93,495,061	91
120000 Non-current assets							
122000 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current	6(2)	123,038	-	99,283	-	97,287	-
123200 Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current	6(3)	1,231,843	1	1,179,907	1	1,418,393	2
124100 Investments accounted for under the equity method	6(11)	3,570,049	3	3,512,098	4	3,184,725	3
125000 Property and equipment, net	6(12)	2,580,968	3	2,609,642	3	2,468,351	3
125800 Right-of-use assets	6(13)	149,929	-	165,557	-	202,376	-
126000 Investment property	6(15)	265,777	-	266,302	-	267,877	-
127000 Intangible assets	6(16)	249,647	-	246,506	-	203,234	-
128000 Deferred tax assets	6(46)	96,875	-	106,146	-	157,434	-
129000 Other assets - non-current	6(17)	1,290,940	1	1,309,762	2	1,365,845	1
120000 Total non-current assets		9,559,066	8	9,495,203	10	9,365,522	9
906001 Total Assets		\$ 113,795,096	100	\$ 94,890,862	100	\$ 102,860,583	100

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Liabilities and Equity	Notes	March 31, 2023		December 31, 2022		March 31, 2022	
		AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%
210000	Current liabilities						
211100	Short-term loans	\$ 1,951,100	2	\$ 275,000	-	\$ 1,151,575	1
211200	Commercial papers payable	13,690,763	12	5,827,431	6	5,898,601	6
212000	Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - current	9,447,280	8	9,157,320	10	7,672,025	7
214010	Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	9,677,565	9	6,965,424	7	4,917,312	5
214040	Deposits on short sales	630,014	1	1,809,356	2	622,163	1
214050	Short sale proceeds payable	712,176	1	1,809,962	2	814,006	1
214070	Guarantee deposit received on borrowed securities	1,822,600	2	1,806,591	2	1,460,927	1
214080	Futures traders' equity	20,446,473	18	20,763,586	22	20,160,818	20
214090	Equity for each customer in the account	310,382	-	265,926	-	163,463	-
214130	Accounts payable	18,437,878	16	10,852,394	12	19,637,679	19
214150	Advance receipts	2,765	-	2,276	-	4,526	-
214160	Collections on behalf of third parties	552,631	-	744,720	1	643,082	1
214170	Other payables	1,362,660	1	1,582,207	2	1,588,048	1
214200	Other financial liabilities - current	3,787,486	3	2,784,086	3	5,436,535	5
214600	Current tax liability	260,739	-	161,117	-	703,966	1
216000	Current lease liabilities	68,019	-	72,740	-	82,185	-
219000	Other current liabilities	88,804	-	83,213	-	94,225	-
210000	Total current liabilities	<u>83,249,335</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>64,963,349</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>71,051,136</u>	<u>69</u>
220000	Non-current liabilities						
225100	Non-current provisions	15,441	-	15,418	-	14,100	-
226000	Non-current lease liabilities	73,439	-	86,061	-	110,632	-
228000	Deferred tax liabilities	7,612	-	11,618	-	3,098	-
229000	Other liabilities-non-current	7,829	-	7,928	-	61,337	-
220000	Total non-current liabilities	<u>104,321</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>121,025</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>189,167</u>	<u>-</u>
906003	Total Liabilities	<u>83,353,656</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>65,084,374</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>71,240,303</u>	<u>69</u>
300000	Equity attributable to owners of the parent company						
301000	Capital						
301010	Common stock	14,558,313	13	14,558,313	15	14,558,313	14
302000	Capital reserve	91,261	-	91,261	-	91,261	-
304000	Retained earnings						
304010	Legal reserve	3,877,849	4	3,877,849	4	3,487,748	4
304020	Special reserve	9,090,989	8	9,090,989	10	8,314,199	8
304040	Unappropriated earnings	1,274,465	1	816,933	1	3,358,817	3
305000	Other equity interest	1,458,437	1	1,283,747	1	1,717,797	2
300000	Total	<u>30,351,314</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>29,719,092</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31,528,135</u>	<u>31</u>
306000	Non-controlling interests	<u>90,126</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>87,396</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>92,145</u>	<u>-</u>
906004	Total Equity	<u>30,441,440</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>29,806,488</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31,620,280</u>	<u>31</u>
906002	Total liabilities and equity	<u>\$ 113,795,096</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 94,890,862</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 102,860,583</u>	<u>100</u>

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

PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022

(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars, except earnings per share amounts)
(Reviewed, not audited)

Items	Notes	Three months ended March 31				
		2023		2022		
		AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%	
400000	Revenues					
401000	Brokerage handling fee revenue	6(29)	\$ 693,980	37	\$ 901,999	103
404000	Revenues from underwriting business	6(30)	14,473	1	20,855	2
406000	Net gain (loss) on wealth management		7,504	-	10,144	1
410000	Net gain (loss) on sale of operating securities	6(31)	811,568	44 (	643,311) (	73)
421100	Revenue from providing agency service for stock affairs		20,437	1	19,820	2
421200	Interest income	6(32)	281,693	15	268,162	31
421300	Dividend income		41,865	2	38,679	4
421500	Net valuation gain (loss) on operating securities at fair value through profit or loss	6(33)	890,256	48 (	715,360) (	81)
421600	Net gain (loss) on covering of borrowed securities and bonds with resale agreements-short sales	6(34)	(144,678) (	8) (	40,604) (	5)
421610	Net valuation gain (loss) on borrowed securities and bonds with resale agreements-short sales at fair value through profit or loss	6(35)	(906,985) (	49)	532,530	61
422000	Net gain (loss) on issuance of ETNs		(151,394) (	8)	296,493	34
422100	Administrative and handling fee revenues from issuance of ETNs		2,396	-	4,278	-
422200	Net gain (loss) from issuance of call (put) warrants	6(36)	(85,724) (	4)	481,785	55
424400	Net gain (loss) from derivatives	6(37)	237,616	13 (	431,082) (	49)
425300	Expected credit impairment loss and reversal of impairment gain	6(38)	(2,879)	-	3,359	-
428000	Other operating income	6(39)	156,278	8	131,451	15
	Total revenues		<u>1,866,406</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>879,198</u>	<u>100</u>
500000	Expenditures and expenses					
501000/						
502000/						
503000	Handling charges	6(40)	(114,522) (	6) (	152,173) (	17)
507000	ETNs administrative expenses		(3,053)	- (	3,155)	-
521200	Financial costs	6(41)	(156,588) (	8) (	15,782) (	2)
524100	Futures commission expense		(22,886) (	1) (	25,571) (	3)
524300	Expense of clearing and settlement		(27,360) (	2) (	35,550) (	4)
528000	Other operating expenditure		-	- (	2)	-
531000	Employee benefits expense	6(42)	(682,837) (	37) (	629,070) (	72)
532000	Depreciation and amortization	6(43)	(77,233) (	4) (	62,063) (	7)
533000	Other operating expenses	6(44)	(409,200) (22) (463,041) (53)
	Total expenditures and expenses		<u>(1,493,679) (</u>	<u>80) (</u>	<u>1,386,407) (</u>	<u>158)</u>

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022

(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars, except earnings per share amounts)
(Reviewed, not audited)

Items	Notes	Three months ended March 31			
		2023		2022	
		AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%
Operating profit (loss)		\$ 372,727	20	(\$ 507,209)	(58)
601000 Share of the profit or loss of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method	6(11)	41,112	2	(48,271)	(5)
602000 Other gains and losses	6(45)	158,759	9	56,183	6
902001 Profit (loss) before tax		572,598	31	(499,297)	(57)
701000 Income tax (expense) benefit	6(46)	(113,155)	(6)	(63,175)	(7)
902005 Net income (loss)		\$ 459,443	25	(\$ 562,472)	(64)
Other comprehensive income					
Components of other comprehensive income that will not be reclassified to profit or loss					
805540 Net unrealized gain (loss) from investments in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income		\$ 108,298	6	\$ 268,630	30
805550 Other comprehensive gain (loss) of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method		2,413	-	23,082	3
Items may be reclassified to profit or loss subsequently					
805610 Translation gain (loss) on the financial statements of foreign operating entities		(4,856)	-	124,410	14
805615 Net unrealized gain (loss) from investments in debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income		69,654	3	-	-
805000 Current other comprehensive income (loss) (post-tax)		\$ 175,509	9	\$ 416,122	47
902006 Total current comprehensive income (loss)		\$ 634,952	34	(\$ 146,350)	(17)
Income (loss) attributable to:					
913100 Parent company		\$ 457,532	25	(\$ 563,745)	(64)
913200 Non-controlling interests		\$ 1,911	-	\$ 1,273	-
Current comprehensive income (loss) attributable to:					
914100 Parent company		\$ 632,222	34	(\$ 155,449)	(18)
914200 Non-controlling interests		\$ 2,730	-	\$ 9,099	1
Earnings per share 6(47)					
975000 Basic earnings per share (in dollars)		\$	0.31	(\$	0.39)
985000 Diluted earnings per share (in dollars)		\$	0.31	(\$	0.39)

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PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022
(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)
(Reviewed, not audited)

	Equity attributable to owners of the parent					Other equity interest		Total	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
	Common stock	Capital reserve	Legal reserve	Special reserve	Unappropriated earnings	Exchange differences on translation of foreign financial statements	Unrealised gains (losses) on financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income			
<u>For the three months ended March 31, 2022</u>										
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$ 14,558,313	\$ 91,261	\$ 3,487,748	\$ 8,314,199	\$ 3,922,562	(\$ 65,809)	\$ 1,375,310	\$ 31,683,584	\$ 83,046	\$ 31,766,630
Net income (loss) for the three months ended March 31, 2022	-	-	-	-	(563,745)	-	-	(563,745)	1,273	(562,472)
Other comprehensive income for the three months ended March 31, 2022	-	-	-	-	-	124,410	283,886	408,296	7,826	416,122
Total comprehensive income (loss)	-	-	-	-	(563,745)	124,410	283,886	(155,449)	9,099	(146,350)
Balance at March 31, 2022	<u>\$ 14,558,313</u>	<u>\$ 91,261</u>	<u>\$ 3,487,748</u>	<u>\$ 8,314,199</u>	<u>\$ 3,358,817</u>	<u>\$ 58,601</u>	<u>\$ 1,659,196</u>	<u>\$ 31,528,135</u>	<u>\$ 92,145</u>	<u>\$ 31,620,280</u>
<u>For the three months ended March 31, 2023</u>										
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$ 14,558,313	\$ 91,261	\$ 3,877,849	\$ 9,090,989	\$ 816,933	\$ 103,010	\$ 1,180,737	\$ 29,719,092	\$ 87,396	\$ 29,806,488
Net income for the three months ended March 31, 2023	-	-	-	-	457,532	-	-	457,532	1,911	459,443
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the three months ended March 31, 2023	-	-	-	-	-	(4,856)	179,546	174,690	819	175,509
Total comprehensive income (loss)	-	-	-	-	457,532	(4,856)	179,546	632,222	2,730	634,952
Balance at March 31, 2023	<u>\$ 14,558,313</u>	<u>\$ 91,261</u>	<u>\$ 3,877,849</u>	<u>\$ 9,090,989</u>	<u>\$ 1,274,465</u>	<u>\$ 98,154</u>	<u>\$ 1,360,283</u>	<u>\$ 30,351,314</u>	<u>\$ 90,126</u>	<u>\$ 30,441,440</u>

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PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022

(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)

(Reviewed, not audited)

	Notes	Three months ended March 31	
		2023	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit (loss) before tax		\$ 572,598	(\$ 499,297)
Adjustments			
Income and expenses having no effect on cash flows			
Net valuation (gain) loss on operating securities at fair value through profit or loss	6(2)(33)	(890,256)	715,360
Net valuation (gain) loss on borrowed securities and bonds with resale agreements-short sales at fair value through profit or loss	6(35)	906,985	(532,530)
Expected credit impairment loss and reversal of impairment gain	6(38)	2,926	(3,008)
Depreciation	6(43)	59,588	49,667
Amortization	6(43)	17,645	12,396
Financial expense	6(41)	156,588	15,782
Interest income (including financial income)	6(32)(45)	(403,100)	(292,891)
Dividend income		(42,100)	(38,679)
Share of the profit of associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method	6(11)	(41,112)	48,271
(Gain) loss on disposal of property and equipment	6(12)	74	3
(Gain) loss on valuation of non-operating financial instruments	6(45)	(2,300)	6,809
Changes in assets/liabilities relating to operating activities			
Net changes in assets relating to operating activities			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		(9,494,027)	9,286,057
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(589,841)	-
Bonds purchased under resale agreements		-	27,401
Margin loans receivable		(1,423,338)	1,484,854
Refinancing security deposits		91,466	22,091
Receivables from refinance guaranty		70,229	18,410
Receivable of securities business money lending		(1,494,307)	(643,141)
Customer margin account		270,842	1,137,499
Receivables from security lending		962,663	194,422
Security lending deposits		1,106,340	(850,504)
Notes receivable		287	546
Accounts receivable		(7,203,320)	(2,210,420)
Accounts receivable-related parties		(110)	195
Prepayments		(15,425)	(11,641)
Other receivables		6,556	5,842
Other current assets		268,362	6,096,809
Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities			
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss		(617,025)	31,953
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements		2,712,141	(4,725,728)
Deposits on short sales		(1,179,342)	(580,424)
Short sale proceeds payable		(1,097,786)	(745,156)
Guarantee deposit received on borrowed securities		16,009	(508,280)
Futures traders' equity		(317,113)	(1,167,356)
Equity for each customer in the account		44,456	65,467
Accounts payable		7,464,148	1,287,696
Advance receipts		489	489
Collections on behalf of third parties		(192,089)	(5,099,018)
Other payables		(227,356)	(1,039,583)
Other financial liabilities - current		1,003,400	453,396
Other current liabilities		5,591	10,377

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(Reviewed, not audited)

	Notes	Three months ended March 31	
		2023	2022
Cash (outflow) inflow generated from operations		(\$ 9,490,564)	\$ 2,024,136
Interest received		373,117	276,553
Dividends received		31,885	34,346
Income tax paid		(8,286)	(3,810)
Net cash flows (used in) from operating activities		(9,093,848)	2,331,225
<u>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</u>			
Acquisition of property and equipment	6(12)	(8,168)	(23,883)
Acquisition of intangible assets	6(16)	(5,752)	(11,550)
(Increase) decrease in other non-current assets		22,307	35,292
(Increase) decrease in prepayment for equipment		(18,798)	(44,342)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(10,411)	(44,483)
<u>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</u>			
Increase (decrease) in short-term loans		1,676,100	561,575
Increase (decrease) in commercial papers payable		7,870,000	(2,750,000)
Increase (decrease) in other non-current liabilities		(99)	(7,948)
Payments of lease liabilities		(24,004)	(25,234)
Interest paid		(144,770)	(22,122)
Net cash flows from (used in) financing activities		9,377,227	(2,243,729)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(1,716)	38,492
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		271,252	81,505
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		6,194,573	5,757,012
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period		\$ 6,465,825	\$ 5,838,517

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

PRESIDENT SECURITIES CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2023 AND 2022

(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars, except as otherwise indicated)

(Reviewed, not audited)

1. HISTORY AND ORGANIZATION

- 1) President Securities Corporation (the “Company”) was incorporated as a company limited by shares under the provisions of the Company Law of the Republic of China (R.O.C.) on December 17, 1988 and was renamed as President Securities Corporation on March 4, 1989. The Company started commercial operations on April 3, 1989. As of March 31, 2023, the Company had 31 operating branches (including the Head Office), and established Offshore Securities Unit in July 2014.
- 2) The Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred herein as the “Group”) are primarily engaged in underwriting of securities, dealing or brokerage business of securities at the securities exchange markets and business premises, registration and transfer agency service for securities, margin loans and short sales business of securities, securities lending and borrowing business, futures introducing brokerage services, futures dealing, issuance of call (put) warrants, new financial instrument transactions, wealth management business, and trust business.
- 3) The Company’s shares are listed on the Taiwan Stock Exchange.
- 4) The number of employees of the Group were 1,699 and 1,713 as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

2. THE DATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUANCE OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR AUTHORIZATION

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

3. APPLICATION OF NEW STANDARDS, AMENDMENTS AND INTERPRETATIONS

- 1) Effect of the adoption of new issuances of or amendments to International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) that came into effect as endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission (“FSC”)

New standards, interpretations and amendments that came into effect as endorsed by FSC and became effective from 2023 are as follows:

<u>New Standards, Interpretations and Amendments</u>	<u>Effective Date by International Accounting Standards Board</u>
Amendments to IAS 1, ‘Disclosure of accounting policies’	January 1, 2023
Amendments to IAS 8, ‘Definition of accounting estimates’	January 1, 2023

<u>New Standards, Interpretations and Amendments</u>	<u>Effective Date by International Accounting Standards Board</u>
Amendments to IAS 12, 'Deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a single transaction'	January 1, 2023

The above standards and interpretations have no significant impact to the Group's financial condition and financial performance based on the Group's assessment.

2) Effect of new issuances of or amendments to IFRSs that came into effect as endorsed by the FSC but not yet adopted by the Group

None.

3) IFRSs issued by IASB but not yet endorsed by the FSC

New standards, interpretations and amendments issued by IASB but not yet included in the IFRSs as endorsed by the FSC are as follows:

<u>New Standards, Interpretations and Amendments</u>	<u>Effective Date by International Accounting Standards Board</u>
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28, 'Sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture'	To be determined by International Accounting Standards Board
Amendments to IFRS 16, 'Lease liability in a sale and leaseback'	January 1, 2024
IFRS 17, 'Insurance contracts'	January 1, 2023
Amendments to IFRS 17, 'Insurance contracts'	January 1, 2023
Amendment to IFRS 17, 'Initial application of IFRS 17 and IFRS 9 - comparative information'	January 1, 2023
Amendments to IAS 1, 'Classification of liabilities as current or non-current'	January 1, 2024
Amendments to IAS 1, 'Non-current liabilities with covenants'	January 1, 2024

The above standards and interpretations have no significant impact to the Group's financial condition and financial performance based on the Group's assessment.

4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

1) Compliance statement

The consolidated financial statements of the Group have been prepared in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Firms, and Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Futures Commission Merchants, and International Accounting Standards No. 34, 'Interim financial reporting' that came into effect as endorsed by the FSC.

2) Basis of preparation

- A. Except for the following items, these consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention:
- (A) Financial assets and financial liabilities (including derivative instruments) at fair value through profit or loss.
 - (B) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income.
 - (C) Defined benefit liabilities recognized based on the net amount of pension fund assets less present value of defined benefit obligations.
- B. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards, IFRIC Interpretations, and SIC Interpretations that came into effect as endorsed by the FSC (collectively referred herein as the “IFRSs”) requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Group’s accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the consolidated financial statements are disclosed in Note 5.

3) Basis of consolidation

- A. Basis for preparation of consolidated financial statements:
- (A) All subsidiaries are included in the Group’s consolidated financial statements. Subsidiaries are all entities (including structured entities) controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. Consolidation of subsidiaries begins from the date the Group obtains control of the subsidiaries and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiaries.
 - (B) Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealized gains or losses on transactions between companies within the Group are eliminated. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been adjusted where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.
 - (C) Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the parent and to the non-controlling interests. Total comprehensive income is attributed to the owners of the parent and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.
 - (D) Changes in a parent’s ownership interest in a subsidiary that do not result in the parent losing control of the subsidiary (transactions with non-controlling interests) are accounted for as equity transactions, i.e. transactions with owners in their capacity as owners. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or

received is recognized directly in equity.

- (E) When the Group loses control of a subsidiary, the Group remeasures any investment retained in the former subsidiary at its fair value. That fair value is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition of a financial asset or the cost on initial recognition of the associate or joint venture. Any difference between fair value and carrying amount is recognized in profit or loss. All amounts previously recognized in other comprehensive income in relation to the subsidiary are reclassified to profit or loss, on the same basis as would be required if the related assets or liabilities were disposed of. That is, when the Group loses control of a subsidiary, all gains or losses previously recognized in other comprehensive income in relation to the subsidiary should be reclassified from equity to profit or loss, if such gains or losses would be reclassified to profit or loss when the related assets or liabilities are disposed of.

B. Subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements:

Name of Investor	Name of Subsidiary	Main Business Activities	Ownership (%)		
			March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
The Company	President Futures Corp. (President Futures)	Futures brokerage and dealer	96.69%	96.69%	96.69%
"	President Capital Management Corp. (President Capital Management)	Securities investment consulting	100%	100%	100%
"	President Securities (HK) Ltd.(President Securities (HK)) (Note 1)	Securities dealer, brokerage, underwriting and consulting	100%	100%	100%
"	President Insurance Agency Corp. (President Insurance Agency)	Insurance Agent	100%	100%	100%
"	PSC Venture Capital Investment Company Limited (President Venture Capital)	Consultation of investment management and venture capital; other unprohibited or unrestricted businesses beyond the permit	100%	100%	100%
"	President Wealth Management(HK) Ltd.(President Wealth Management (HK)) (Note 1)	Wealth management	100%	100%	100%
"	President Securities (Nominee) Ltd. (President Securities (Nominee)) (Note 1)	Nominee Service	100%	100%	100%

Note 1: The dissolution and liquidation of President Securities (HK), President Wealth Management (HK), and President Securities (Nominee) was approved by the Board of Directors in March 2022.

Note 2: Except for President Futures' financial statements for the three months ended

March 31, 2023 and 2022 that were reviewed by independent auditors, the above-listed subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, were not reviewed by independent auditors.

4) Classification of current and non-current items

A. Assets that meet one of the following criteria are classified as current assets; otherwise they are classified as non-current assets:

(A) Assets arising from operating activities that are expected to be realized, or are intended to be sold or consumed within the normal operating cycle;

(B) Assets held mainly for trading purposes;

(C) Assets that are expected to be realized within twelve months from the balance sheet date;

(D) Cash and cash equivalents, excluding restricted cash and cash equivalents and those that are to be exchanged or used to pay off liabilities more than twelve months after the balance sheet date.

B. Liabilities that meet one of the following criteria are classified as current liabilities; otherwise they are classified as non-current liabilities:

(A) Liabilities that are expected to be paid off within the normal operating cycle;

(B) Liabilities arising mainly from trading activities;

(C) Liabilities that are to be paid off within twelve months from the balance sheet date;

(D) Liabilities for which the repayment date cannot be extended unconditionally to more than twelve months after the balance sheet date. Terms of a liability that could, at the option of the counterparty, result in its settlement by the issue of equity instruments do not affect its classification.

5) Translation of foreign currency transactions

A. Foreign currency translation and presentation

Items included in the consolidated financial statements of the Group are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Group operates (the “functional currency”). Functional currency and bookkeeping currency of the Company and its domestic subsidiaries are all New Taiwan Dollars; functional currency and bookkeeping currency of overseas subsidiaries-President Securities (HK), President Wealth Management (HK), and President Securities (Nominee) are Hong Kong Dollars. The consolidated financial statements are presented in New Taiwan Dollars.

B. Foreign currency transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated by the closing exchange rate at balance sheet date. The closing exchange rate is determined by the market exchange rate. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign

currencies which are carried at historical cost are translated by the exchange rates prevailing at the original transaction date. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies held at fair value through profit or loss are re-translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date; their translation differences are recognized in profit or loss. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies held at fair value through other comprehensive income are re-translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date; their translation differences are recognized in other comprehensive income.

C. Translation of foreign operations

The operating results and financial position of all the group entities, associates and joint arrangements that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- (A) Assets and liabilities for each balance sheet presented are translated at the closing exchange rate at the date of that balance sheet;
- (B) Income and expenses for each statement of comprehensive income are translated at average exchange rates of that period; and
- (C) All resulting exchange differences are recognized in other comprehensive income.

6) Cash and cash equivalents

- A. In the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments.
- B. Cash equivalents refer to short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Time deposits that meet the definition above and are held for the purpose of meeting short-term cash commitments in operations are classified as cash equivalents.

7) Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

- A. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are financial assets that are not measured at amortized cost or fair value through other comprehensive income.
- B. On a regular way purchase or sale basis, financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recognized and derecognized using trade date accounting.
- C. At initial recognition, the Group measures the financial assets at fair value and recognizes the transaction costs in profit or loss. The Group subsequently measures the financial assets at fair value, and recognizes the gain or loss in profit or loss.
- D. The Group recognizes the dividend income when the right to receive payment is established, future economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the Group and the amount of the dividend can be measured reliably.

8) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

- A. Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income comprise equity

securities which are not held for trading, and for which the Group has made an irrevocable election at initial recognition to recognize changes in fair value in other comprehensive income and debt instruments which meet all of the following criteria:

- (A) The objective of the Group's business model is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and
 - (B) The assets' contractual cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest.
- B. On a regular way purchase or sale basis, available-for-sale financial assets are recognized and derecognized using trade date accounting.
- C. At initial recognition, the Group measures the financial assets at fair value plus transaction costs. The Group subsequently measures the financial assets at fair value:
- (A) The changes in fair value of equity investments that were recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified to retained earnings and are not reclassified to profit or loss following the derecognition of the investment. Dividends are recognized as revenue when the right to receive payment is established, future economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the Group and the amount of the dividend can be measured reliably.
 - (B) Except for the recognition of impairment loss, interest income and gain or loss on foreign exchange which are recognized in profit or loss, the changes in fair value of debt instruments are taken through other comprehensive income. When the financial asset is derecognized, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognized in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss.
- 9) Notes and accounts receivable, other receivables and margin loans receivable
- A. Accounts and notes receivable and margin loans receivables entitle the Group a legal right to receive consideration in exchange for transferred goods or rendered services.
 - B. The short-term accounts and notes receivable without bearing interest are subsequently measured at initial invoice amount as the effect of discounting is immaterial.
- 10) Bonds sold under repurchase agreements and bonds purchased under resale agreements
- Bond transactions under repurchase or resale agreements are stated at the amount of actual payment or receipt. When transactions of bonds with a condition of resale agreements occur, the actual payment or receipt shall be recognized in 'bonds purchased under resale agreements' under current assets. When transactions of bonds with a condition of repurchase agreements occur, the actual payment or receipt shall be recognized in 'bonds sold under repurchase agreements' under current liabilities. Any difference between the actual payment/receipt and predetermined redemption (repurchase) price is recognized in interest income or interest expense.
- 11) Impairment of financial assets
- For debt instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, at each

reporting date, the Group recognizes the impairment provision for 12 months expected credit losses if there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition or recognizes the impairment provision for the lifetime expected credit losses (ECLs) if such credit risk has increased since initial recognition after taking into consideration all reasonable and verifiable information that includes forecasts. On the other hand, for accounts receivable or contract assets that do not contain a significant financing component, the Group recognizes the impairment provision for lifetime ECLs.

12) Derecognition of financial instruments

A. Derecognition of financial assets

The Group derecognizes a financial asset when one of the following conditions is met:

- (A) The contractual rights to receive cash flows from the financial asset expire.
- (B) The contractual rights to receive cash flows from the financial asset have been transferred and the Group has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset.
- (C) The contractual rights to receive cash flows of the financial asset have been transferred; however, the Group has not retained control of the financial asset.

B. Derecognition of financial liabilities

A financial liability is derecognized when the obligation under the liability specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expires.

13) Offsetting financial instruments-associates

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

14) Investments accounted for under the equity method-associates

- A. Associates are all entities over which the Group has significant influence but not control. In general, it is presumed that the investor has significant influence, if an investor holds, directly or indirectly 20 percent or more of the voting power of the investee. Investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method and are initially recognized at cost.
- B. The Group's share of its associates' post-acquisition profits or losses is recognized in profit or loss, and its share of post-acquisition movements in other comprehensive income is recognized in other comprehensive income. When the Group's share of losses in an associate equals or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any other unsecured receivables, the Group does not recognize further losses, unless it has incurred statutory/constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.
- C. When changes in an associate's equity that are not recognized in profit or loss or other comprehensive income of the associate and such changes not affecting the Group's

ownership percentage of the associate, the Group recognizes its share of change in equity of the associate in 'capital reserve' in proportion to its ownership.

- D. Unrealized gains on transactions between the Group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the associates. Unrealized losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of associates have been adjusted where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.
- E. When there are objective evidences of impairment, at balance sheet date, the Group considers the whole investment carrying amount as single asset, and compares its recoverable amount (value in use or fair value less costs of disposal) with the carrying amount, to test its impairment. Value in use is determined by the present value of the Group's share of the expected future cash flow from the associates. If the recoverable amount is less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss should be recognized. The loss will not be allocated to any of the components (including goodwill), which comprise the carrying amount of the investment. An impairment loss recognized in prior periods shall be reversed if circumstances of impairment no longer exist or have decreased.

15) Property and equipment

- A. Property and equipment are initially recorded at cost. Borrowing costs incurred during the construction period are capitalized.
- B. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the financial period in which they are incurred.
- C. Land is not depreciated. Other property and equipment are subsequently measured using the cost model and depreciated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost over their estimated useful lives.
- D. The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date. If expectations for the assets' residual values and useful lives differ from previous estimates or the patterns of consumption of the assets' future economic benefits embodied in the assets have changed significantly, any change is accounted for as a change in estimate under IAS 8, 'Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors', from the date of the change. The estimated useful lives of property and equipment are as follows:

	<u>Useful lives</u>
Buildings	5~50 years
Equipment	3~10 years
Leasehold improvements	3~5 years

- E. When an asset is sold or retired, the cost and accumulated depreciation are removed from the respective accounts and the resulting gain or loss is included in current operations.

16) Leasing arrangements (lessee) — right-of-use assets/ lease liabilities

- A. Leases are recognized as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the Group. For short-term leases or leases of low value assets, lease payments are recognized as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

- B. Lease liabilities include the net present value of the remaining lease payments at the commencement date, discounted using the incremental borrowing interest rate. Lease payments are mainly comprised of fixed payments.

The Group subsequently measures the lease liability at amortized cost using the interest method and recognizes interest expense over the lease term. The lease liability is remeasured and the amount of remeasurement is recognized as an adjustment to the right-of-use asset when there are changes in the lease term or lease payments and such changes do not arise from contract modifications.

- C. At the commencement date, the right-of-use asset is stated at cost comprising mainly the amount of the initial measurement of lease liability.

The right-of-use asset is measured subsequently using the cost model and is depreciated from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the asset's useful life or the end of the lease term. When the lease liability is remeasured, the amount of remeasurement is recognized as an adjustment to the right-of-use asset.

17) Investment property

- A. Investment property of the Group is the property held either to earn long-term rental income or for capital appreciation or for both.

- B. Part of the property may be held by the Group for self-use purpose and the remaining are used to generate rental income or capital appreciation. If the property held by the Group can be sold individually, then the accounting treatment should be made respectively. If each part of the property cannot be sold individually and the self-use proportion is not material, then the property is deemed as investment property in its entirety.

- C. When the future economic benefit related to the investment property is highly likely to flow into the Group and the costs can be reliably measured, the investment property shall be recognized as assets. When the future economic benefit generated from

subsequent costs is highly likely to flow into the entity and the costs can be reliably measured, the subsequent expenses of the assets shall be capitalized. All maintenance cost are recognized in profit or loss as incurred.

- D. Investment property is subsequently measured using the cost model. Depreciated cost is used to calculate amortization expense after initial measurement. The depreciation method, remaining useful life and residual value should apply the same rules as applicable for property and equipment.

18) Intangible assets

- A. The cost of computer software is amortized using the straight-line method over the useful lives based on acquisition cost, with an amortization period of 4 years.
- B. Membership in a foreign futures exchange is stated at acquisition cost and has an indefinite useful life as it was assessed to generate continuous net cash inflow in the foreseeable future. It is not amortized, but is tested annually for impairment.
- C. In accordance with IFRS 3 'Business combinations' as endorsed by FSC, goodwill arises when the acquisition cost exceeds the fair value of identifiable assets and liabilities of the consolidated subsidiary on the consolidation date. The goodwill arising from the consolidated subsidiary is included in the intangible asset. Goodwill is tested annually for impairment and any impairment loss will be recognized when impairment occurs. Impairment losses on goodwill are not reversed.

19) Impairment of non-financial assets

- A. The Group assesses at each balance sheet date the recoverable amounts of those assets where there is an indication that they are impaired. An impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell or value in use. Except for goodwill, when the circumstances or reasons for recognizing impairment loss for an asset in prior years no longer exist or diminish, the impairment loss is reversed. The increased carrying amount due to reversal should not be more than what the depreciated or amortized historical cost would have been if the impairment had not been recognized.
- B. The recoverable amounts of goodwill, intangible assets with an indefinite useful life and intangible assets that have not yet been available for use are evaluated periodically. An impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment loss of goodwill previously recognized in profit or loss shall not be reversed in the following years.
- C. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is allocated to each of the cash-generating units, or groups of cash-generating units, that is expected to benefit from the synergies of the business combination. Each unit or group of units to which the goodwill is allocated represents the lowest level within the

entity at which the goodwill is monitored for internal management purposes. Goodwill is monitored at the operating segment level.

20) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

- A. Financial liabilities are classified in this category of held for trading if acquired principally for the purpose of repurchasing in the short-term. Derivatives are also categorized as financial liabilities held for trading unless they are designated as hedges.
- B. At initial recognition, the Group measures the financial liabilities at fair value. All related transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss. The Group subsequently measures these financial liabilities at fair value with any gain or loss recognized in profit or loss.

21) Contingent liabilities

Contingent liability is a possible obligation that arises from past event, whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group. Or it could be a present obligation as a result of past event but the payment is not probable or the amount cannot be measured reliably. The Group did not recognize any contingent liabilities but made appropriate disclosure in compliance with relevant regulations.

22) Employee benefits

A. Short-term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are measured at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid in respect of service rendered by employees in a period and should be recognized as expenses in that period when the employees render service.

B. Termination benefits

Termination benefits are employee benefits provided in exchange for the termination of employment as a result from either the Group's decision to terminate an employee's employment before the normal retirement date, or an employee's decision to accept an offer of redundancy benefits in exchange for the termination of employee. The Group recognized expense as it can no longer withdraw an offer of termination benefit or it recognizes relating restructuring costs, whichever is earlier. Benefits that are expected to be due more than 12 months after balance sheet date shall be discounted to their present value.

C. Pensions

(A) Defined contribution plans

Effective July 1, 2005, the Group established the defined contribution plan for employees of R.O.C. nationality. The employees have the option to participate in the New Plan. Under the New Plan, the Company contributes monthly an amount equivalent to 6% of employees' salaries to the employees' personal pension accounts with the "Bureau of Labor Insurance". Benefits accrued under the New

Plan are portable upon termination of employment. Net defined benefit asset can only be recognized when there is a cash refund or elimination in the future accrued pension liabilities.

(B) Defined benefit plans

- a. In a defined benefit plan, the pension paid is determined based on the amount that an employee shall receive upon retirement, which could vary with age, work seniority and salary compensations. The Group recognizes the accrued pension obligations in the consolidated balance sheet based on the net amount of actuarial present value of defined benefit obligation less the fair value of fund, which is adjusted with the net of past service cost recognized as liabilities. Defined benefit obligation is assessed annually using projected unit credit method by the actuary. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined using the market yield of government bonds of a currency and term consistent with the currency and term of the employment benefit obligations.
- b. Remeasurement arising on defined benefit plans are recognized in other comprehensive income in the period in which they arise and are recorded as retained earnings.
- c. Pension cost for the interim period is calculated on a year-to-date basis by using the pension cost rate derived from the actuarial valuation at the end of the prior financial year, adjusted for significant market fluctuations since that time and for significant curtailments, settlements, or other significant one-off events. And, the related information is disclosed accordingly.

D. Employees' remuneration and directors' remuneration

Employees' and directors' remuneration are recognized as expenses and liabilities, provided that such recognition is required under legal or constructive obligation and those amounts can be reliably estimated. Any difference between the resolved amounts and the subsequently actual distributed amounts is accounted for as changes in estimates.

23) Revenues and expenses

The Group's revenues and expenses are recognized as incurred, which mainly include:

- A. Gains (losses) on sale of securities, securities brokerage fees, and commissions on brokerage and trading are recognized on the transaction date.
- B. Underwriting fees and related service charges: application fees are recognized upon collection; underwriting fees and service charges are recognized when the contract is completed.

- C. Gains (losses) on futures contracts: The margin of futures transaction is recognized as cost. Costs and expenses are recognized as incurred.
- D. Operating expenses: operating expenses refer to required expenses invested in the Group's operations, which primarily include employee benefit expense, depreciation and amortization, and other business and administrative expenses.

24) Income tax

A. Current income tax

Income tax payable (refundable) is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted in the countries where a company operates and generates taxable income. Except for the transactions or other matters directly recognized in other comprehensive income or equity, in which cases the related income taxes in the period are recognized in other comprehensive income or directly derecognized from equity, all the others should be recognized as income or expense for the period.

B. Deferred income tax

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured based on the tax rate of the anticipated period that the future assets realization or the liabilities settlement requires, which is based on the effective or existing tax rate at the consolidated balance sheet date. The carrying amounts and temporary differences of assets and liabilities included in the consolidated balance sheet are calculated using the balance sheet method and recognized as deferred income tax. However, the deferred income tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit (loss). Deferred income tax assets are recognized only to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences can be utilized. If the future taxable income is probable to provide unused loss carryforwards or deferred income tax credit which can be realized in the future, the proportion of realization is deemed as deferred income tax asset.

- C. The current income tax expense is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date in the countries where the Group operates and generates taxable income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in accordance with applicable tax regulations. It establishes provisions for income tax liabilities where appropriate based on the amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities. An additional tax is levied on the unappropriated retained earnings and is recorded as income tax expense in the year the stockholders resolve to retain the earnings.

- D. Current income tax assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realize the asset and settle the liability

simultaneously. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are offset on the balance sheet when the entity has the legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and they are levied by the same taxation authority on either the same entity or different entities that intend to settle on a net basis or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

- E. The interim period income tax expense is recognised based on the estimated average annual effective income tax rate expected for the full financial year applied to the pretax income of the interim period, and the related information is disclosed accordingly.
- F. If a change in tax rate is enacted or substantively enacted in an interim period, the Group recognises the effect of the change immediately in the interim period in which the change occurs. The effect of the change on items recognised outside profit or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income or equity while the effect of the change on items recognised in profit or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

25) Share capital

- A. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of new shares are shown as a deduction, net of tax, from equity. Dividends from common stocks are recognized as equity in the financial period in which they are approved by the Company's shareholders. If the date of dividends declared is later than the consolidated balance sheet date, common stocks are disclosed in the subsequent events.
- B. Where the Company repurchases the Company's equity share capital that has been issued, the consideration paid, including any directly attributable incremental costs (net of income taxes) is deducted from equity attributable to the Company's equity holders. Where such shares are subsequently reissued, the difference between their book value and any consideration received, net of any directly attributable incremental transaction costs and the related income tax effects, is included in equity attributable to the Company's equity holders.

26) Earnings per share

- A. Earnings per share is calculated by dividing net income by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year after taking into consideration the retroactive effect of stock dividends and capital reserve capitalized.
- B. When the Group calculates earnings per share, basic earnings per share and diluted earnings per share for all potential ordinary shares shall all be disclosed in accordance with IAS 33 "Earnings per share".

27) Operating segments

The Group's operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reports provided to the Chief Operating Decision-Maker. The Group's performance of segment profit (loss) is assessed based on the profit (loss) before tax, but not segment income, assets and liabilities. The Chief Operating Decision-Maker is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments.

5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND KEY SOURCES OF ASSUMPTION UNCERTAINTY

1) As the consolidated financial statements of the Group may be affected by the adoption of accounting policy, accounting estimate and assumption, the Group's management shall properly exercise its professional judgement, estimates, and assumptions on the information of the key risks that is obtained from other resources and could affect the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities in the next fiscal year while adopting critical accounting policies as stated in Note 4. Estimates and assumptions of the Group are the best estimates made in compliance with IFRSs as endorsed by the FSC. Estimates and assumptions are made based on past experience and other factors (including the influence of COVID 19) deemed relevant; however, the actual results may differ from the estimates. The Group evaluates the estimates and assumptions on an ongoing basis and recognizes the adjustment of the estimates only in the period which is affected by the adjustment. If the adjustment simultaneously affects both the current and future periods, it should be recognized in both periods.

2) Relevant information on key assumptions to be made in the future, key sources of assumption uncertainty made at balance sheet date, and assumptions and estimates that may cause key risks that could affect the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities are as follows:

A. Fair value of financial instruments

Financial instruments with no active market or quoted price use valuation technique to determine the fair value. Under such condition, fair value is assessed through the observable information or models of similar financial instruments. If there is no observable input available in a market, the fair value of financial instrument is assessed through appropriate assumptions. When valuation models are adopted to determine the fair value, all the models should be calibrated to ensure that the output can actually reflect actual information and market price. Models should try to take only observable information as much as possible.

B. Expected credit losses

For financial assets, the measurement of expected credit losses uses complex models and multiple assumptions. These models and assumptions take into account future macro-economic conditions and credit behaviors of borrowers (e.g. probability of customer default and loss). Please refer to Note 12(2) for detailed information on parameters, assumptions, and estimation methods used in measuring expected credit losses and disclosure of the sensitivity of credit loss to the aforementioned factors.

The measurement of expected credit losses according to applicable accounting rules involves significant judgement in several areas, for example:

(A)The criteria used to judge whether there is significant increase in credit risk.

(B)The selection of appropriate models and assumptions for measuring expected credit losses.

For judgements and estimations of the above expected credit losses, please refer to Note 12(2).

C. Impairment assessment on investment accounted for under the equity method

When there are impairment indicators that show the investments accounted for under equity method are impaired and the carrying amount can no longer be recovered, the Group will assess the impairment of the investment. The Group assesses its share of the recoverable amount which is based on the discounted value of expected cash flow, and assess the reasonableness of relevant assumptions, including revenue growth rate, operating profit margin, net profit margin, financial forecast, and discount rate.

D. Impairment assessment of goodwill

The periodic impairment assessment of goodwill includes allocation of assets, liabilities, and goodwill to brokerage segment, and determines the recoverable amount based on brokerage segment's present value of expected future cash flow. The periodic assessment also analyzes reasonableness of relevant assumptions, including expected future trading volumes, market share, segment's operating profit margin, and discount rates.

6. DETAILS OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTS

1) Cash and cash equivalents

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Petty cash	\$ 1,650	\$ 150	\$ 1,668
Checking deposits	511,055	533,970	981,994
Current deposits:			
Deposits denominated in NTD	608,497	565,586	661,121
Deposits denominated in foreign currencies	1,937,466	1,432,460	1,781,857
Time deposits	<u>3,407,157</u>	<u>3,662,407</u>	<u>2,411,877</u>
Total	<u>\$ 6,465,825</u>	<u>\$ 6,194,573</u>	<u>\$ 5,838,517</u>

As of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, the annual interest rates of time deposits, including foreign time deposits were 0.330%~5.014%, 0.335%~5.150%, and 0.050%~2.700%, respectively.

2) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Current items:			
Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss:			
<u>Security lending</u>			
Security lending	\$ 252,895	\$ 208	\$ -
Adjustment of security lending	(222)	(45)	-
Total	<u>252,673</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Open-ended funds, money market instruments and securities investment by brokers</u>			
Open-ended mutual funds beneficiary	153,622	156,336	94,488
Exchange-traded funds	63,035	36,450	19,535
Subtotal	<u>216,657</u>	<u>192,786</u>	<u>114,023</u>
Adjustment of open-ended funds ,money market instruments and securities investment by brokers	2,052	(2,653)	6,662
Total	<u>218,709</u>	<u>190,133</u>	<u>120,685</u>
<u>Trading securities - dealer</u>			
Listed (TSE and OTC) stocks	5,573,987	2,701,353	2,917,870
Government bonds	899,802	850,036	999,498
Corporate bonds	1,712,237	1,575,767	2,194,032
Convertible corporate bonds	524,767	487,753	444,934
Emerging stocks	174,080	156,736	150,199
Overseas stocks	8,136,461	3,838,545	4,559,537
Exchange-traded funds	2,599,429	2,375,510	1,451,851
Unlisted stocks	138,121	138,121	78,406
Subtotal	<u>19,758,884</u>	<u>12,123,821</u>	<u>12,796,327</u>
Adjustment of trading securities - dealer	282,420	(107,376)	(58,325)
Total	<u>20,041,304</u>	<u>12,016,445</u>	<u>12,738,002</u>
<u>Trading securities - underwriter</u>			
Listed (TSE and OTC) stocks	5,253	2,122	109,520
Convertible corporate bonds	572,539	728,535	532,957
Subtotal	<u>577,792</u>	<u>730,657</u>	<u>642,477</u>
Adjustment of trading securities - underwriter	114,764	58,520	95,785
Total	<u>692,556</u>	<u>789,177</u>	<u>738,262</u>
<u>Trading securities - hedging</u>			
Listed (TSE and OTC) stocks	3,745,898	2,758,422	5,039,442
Convertible corporate bonds	3,852,933	3,371,436	53,929
Warrants	13,820	24,283	36,194
Overseas stocks	174,402	190,309	220,297
Exchange traded funds	10,515	7,320	32,983
Subtotal	<u>7,797,568</u>	<u>6,351,770</u>	<u>5,382,845</u>
Adjustment of trading securities - hedging	145,378	(287,674)	(114,452)
Total	<u>7,942,946</u>	<u>6,064,096</u>	<u>5,268,393</u>
<u>Options bought - futures</u>	<u>17,900</u>	<u>11,935</u>	<u>11,888</u>
<u>Futures Margin - Own Funds</u>	<u>5,588,335</u>	<u>5,318,882</u>	<u>4,663,337</u>
<u>Derivative financial instrument assets - OTC</u>	<u>4,365</u>	<u>5,037</u>	<u>13,667</u>
Total	<u>\$ 34,758,788</u>	<u>\$ 24,395,868</u>	<u>\$ 23,554,234</u>

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Non-current items:			
Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss:			
Trading securities - dealer - government bonds	\$ 49,792	\$ 49,779	\$ 49,979
Unlisted stocks	2,609	2,609	2,609
Others	50,000	35,000	35,000
Subtotal	<u>102,401</u>	<u>87,388</u>	<u>87,588</u>
Adjustment of trading securities	20,637	11,895	9,699
Total	<u>\$ 123,038</u>	<u>\$ 99,283</u>	<u>\$ 97,287</u>

- a. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss amounted to \$653,055 and (\$515,271), respectively.
- b. Details of the Group's financial assets at fair value through profit or loss pledged to others as collateral are provided in Note 8.
- c. Information relating to credit risk is provided in Note 12(2).

3) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Current items:			
Equity instruments			
<u>Trading securities - dealer</u>			
Listed (TSE and OTC) stocks	\$ 189,812	\$ 189,812	\$ 189,812
Adjustment of trading securities - dealer	165,699	109,338	208,387
Subtotal	<u>355,511</u>	<u>299,150</u>	<u>398,199</u>
Debt instruments			
<u>Trading securities - dealer</u>			
Overseas bonds	2,863,145	2,317,088	-
Adjustment of trading securities - dealer	(20,133)	(118,456)	-
Subtotal	<u>2,843,012</u>	<u>2,198,632</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 3,198,523</u>	<u>\$ 2,497,782</u>	<u>\$ 398,199</u>
	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Non-current items:			
Equity instruments			
Unlisted stocks	\$ 37,565	\$ 37,565	\$ 37,565
Adjustment of trading securities	1,194,278	1,142,342	1,380,828
Total	<u>\$ 1,231,843</u>	<u>\$ 1,179,907</u>	<u>\$ 1,418,393</u>

- a. The Group has elected to classify stocks investments that are considered to be strategic investments and receive steady dividend as financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income. The fair value of such investments amounts to \$1,587,354, \$1,479,057 and \$1,816,592 as of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, respectively.

- b. Amounts recognized in profit or loss and other comprehensive income in relation to the financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income are listed below:

Equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Fair value change recognised in other comprehensive income - parent company	\$ 107,479	\$ 260,804
Fair value change recognised in other comprehensive income - non-controlling interest	819	7,826
Total	<u>\$ 108,298</u>	<u>\$ 268,630</u>
Dividend income recognised in profit or loss		
Held at end of period	<u>\$ 1,834</u>	<u>\$ 1,834</u>
Debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Fair value change recognised in other comprehensive income	\$ 69,654	\$ -
Interest income recognised in profit or loss	<u>\$ 22,119</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

- c. Details of the Group's financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income pledged to others as collateral are provided in Note 8.

- d. Information relating to credit risk is provided in Note 12(2).

4) Margin loans receivable

Margin loans receivable were secured by the securities purchased by customers under margin loans. The annual interest rate was 6.4%.

5) Customer margin account

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Bank deposit	\$ 13,846,015	\$ 14,648,460	\$ 14,375,771
Futures clearing house	4,101,411	3,713,648	3,704,642
Other futures commission merchant	2,564,736	2,420,946	2,117,138
Securities	251	201	482
Total	<u>\$ 20,512,413</u>	<u>\$ 20,783,255</u>	<u>\$ 20,198,033</u>

The difference between the customer margin deposits accounts and futures traders' equity as of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022 were outlined below:

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Customer margin deposits accounts	\$ 20,512,413	\$ 20,783,255	\$ 20,198,033
Futures trading margins receivable	-	2	-
Add: Early customer margin deposits	15,361	9,962	11,269
Less: Service fee income pending for transfer	(44,790)	(11,628)	(24,096)
Futures exchange tax pending for transfer	(1,042)	(872)	(1,201)
Net interest income pending for transfer	(20,536)	(6,920)	(1,917)
Temporary receipts	(14,933)	(10,213)	(21,270)
Futures traders' equity	<u>\$ 20,446,473</u>	<u>\$ 20,763,586</u>	<u>\$ 20,160,818</u>

6) Accounts receivable

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Accounts receivable - related parties	\$ 1,305	\$ 1,195	\$ 952
Accounts receivable - non related parties			
Settlement price receivable-brokers	\$ 10,686,913	\$ 8,317,064	\$ 13,269,528
Settlement price receivable-dealer	453,865	87,067	592,233
Settlement price receivable-foreign bonds	4,295,935	757,711	2,591,683
Spot exchange receivable, foreign currencies	158,375	47,624	17,895
Interest receivable	337,913	315,061	353,612
Settlement price	1,328,088	438,735	1,696,763
Others	228,384	178,348	457,302
Subtotal	17,489,473	10,141,610	18,979,016
Less: Allowance for uncollectable accounts	(559)	(659)	(878)
Total	\$ 17,488,914	\$ 10,140,951	\$ 18,978,138

A. The ageing analysis of accounts receivable that were past due but not impaired is as follows:

	March 31, 2023					
	Up to 30 days	31 to 90 days	91 to 180 days	181 days to 12 months	More than 12 months	Total
<u>Accounts receivable</u>						
Accounts receivable - related parties	\$ 1,305	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,305
Accounts receivable - non related parties	17,163,424	43,263	89,745	107,727	85,314	17,489,473
Total	\$ 17,164,729	\$ 43,263	\$ 89,745	\$ 107,727	\$ 85,314	\$ 17,490,778
	December 31, 2022					
	Up to 30 days	31 to 90 days	91 to 180 days	181 days to 12 months	More than 12 months	Total
<u>Accounts receivable</u>						
Accounts receivable - related parties	\$ 1,195	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,195
Accounts receivable - non related parties	9,837,104	46,581	52,096	95,860	109,969	10,141,610
Total	\$ 9,838,299	\$ 46,581	\$ 52,096	\$ 95,860	\$ 109,969	\$ 10,142,805
	March 31, 2022					
	Up to 30 days	31 to 90 days	91 to 180 days	181 days to 12 months	More than 12 months	Total
<u>Accounts receivable</u>						
Accounts receivable - related parties	\$ 952	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 952
Accounts receivable - non related parties	18,635,853	38,139	69,571	156,794	78,659	18,979,016
Total	\$ 18,636,805	\$ 38,139	\$ 69,571	\$ 156,794	\$ 78,659	\$ 18,979,968

Note : The above ageing analysis was based on invoice date.

B. Information relating to credit risk is provided in Note 12(2).

7) Other receivables

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Interest receivable	\$ 35,646	\$ 31,085	\$ 6,349
Others	<u>22,822</u>	<u>29,378</u>	<u>21,341</u>
Subtotal	58,468	60,463	27,690
Less: Allowance for uncollectible accounts	(325)	(355)	(845)
Total	<u>\$ 58,143</u>	<u>\$ 60,108</u>	<u>\$ 26,845</u>

Information relating to credit risk is provided in Note 12(2).

8) Other current assets

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Pending settlements	\$ 343,125	\$ 196,758	\$ 937,267
Pledged time deposits	400,000	400,000	524,670
Deposits-in for foreign currency securities	612,174	808,290	1,110,936
Underwriting share proceeds collected on behalf of customers	15	249,404	111,821
Amounts held for each customer in the account	310,382	265,925	163,463
Others	<u>16,903</u>	<u>30,584</u>	<u>17,080</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,682,599</u>	<u>\$ 1,950,961</u>	<u>\$ 2,865,237</u>

9) Transfer of financial assets

- A. During the Group's activities, the transferred financial assets that do not meet derecognition conditions are mainly debt instruments with purchase agreements or debt instruments lent out in accordance with securities borrowing and lending agreement. The cash flow of the contract has been transferred and related liabilities of transferred financial assets that will be repurchased at a fixed price in the future have been reflected. The Group may not use, sell or pledge the transferred financial assets during the valid period of the transaction. The financial assets were not derecognized as the Group is still exposed to interest rate risk and credit risk.
- B. Financial assets that do not meet the derecognition conditions and related financial liabilities are analysed below:

<u>Financial assets category</u>	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	
	<u>Carrying amount of transferred financial assets</u>	<u>Carrying amount of related financial liabilities</u>
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss		
Repurchase agreement	\$ 6,976,156	\$ 6,879,239
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income		
Repurchase agreement	2,843,012	2,798,326

December 31, 2022		
Financial assets category	Carrying amount of transferred financial assets	Carrying amount of related financial liabilities
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss		
Repurchase agreement	\$ 4,814,535	\$ 4,738,787
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income		
Repurchase agreement	2,198,632	2,226,637
March 31, 2022		
Financial assets category	Carrying amount of transferred financial assets	Carrying amount of related financial liabilities
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss		
Repurchase agreement	\$ 4,946,841	\$ 4,917,312

10) Offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities

- A. The Group has transactions that are or are similar to net settled master netting arrangements but do not meet the offsetting criteria, i.e. derivative financial instruments, resale and repurchase agreements. If one party breaches the contract, the counterparty can choose to use net settlement for the above transactions.
- B. The offsetting of financial assets and financial liabilities are set as follows:

(1) Financial assets

March 31, 2023						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial assets presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	<u>\$ 4,351</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,351</u>	<u>\$ 4,351</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
December 31, 2022						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial assets presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	<u>\$ 5,037</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 5,037</u>	<u>\$ 5,037</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
March 31, 2022						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial assets presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	<u>\$ 13,334</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 13,334</u>	<u>\$ 6,123</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7,211</u>

(2) Financial liabilities

March 31, 2023						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial liabilities presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	\$ 6,605	\$ -	\$ 6,605	\$ 4,350	\$ -	\$ 2,255
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	7,042,930	-	7,042,930	7,042,930	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 7,049,535</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7,049,535</u>	<u>\$ 7,047,280</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,255</u>
December 31, 2022						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial liabilities presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	\$ 8,320	\$ -	\$ 8,320	\$ 5,037	\$ -	\$ 3,283
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	4,718,843	-	4,718,843	4,718,843	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 4,727,163</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,727,163</u>	<u>\$ 4,723,880</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,283</u>
March 31, 2022						
Description	Gross amounts of recognised financial liabilities	Gross amounts of recognised financial assets set off in the balance sheet	Net amounts of financial liabilities presented in the balance sheet	Not set off in the balance sheet		Net amount
				Financial instruments	Cash collateral received	
Derivative financial instruments	\$ 6,123	\$ -	\$ 6,123	\$ 6,123	\$ -	\$ -
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	2,138,312	-	2,138,312	2,138,312	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 2,144,435</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,144,435</u>	<u>\$ 2,144,435</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

11) Investments accounted for under the equity method

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	\$ 794,598	\$ 748,080	\$ 836,668
Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd.	2,775,451	2,764,018	2,348,057
	<u>\$ 3,570,049</u>	<u>\$ 3,512,098</u>	<u>\$ 3,184,725</u>

- A. The Group's share of its associates' profits or losses recognized in long-term equity investment accounted for under the equity method for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 were \$41,112 and (\$48,271), respectively.
- B. The Group holds 42.49% of the equity of Uni-President Asset Management Corp., making it the single largest shareholder of the company, while the other equity is mainly held by the other 17 shareholders. Half of the voting rights of the shareholders attending the shareholders' meeting exceeds the voting rights of the Group, and the Group does not take an active role in the management of the company. This shows that the Group has no actual ability to direct relevant activities. The Group has no control over Uni-President Asset Management Corp., but has significant influence over it.
- C. The financial information of the Group's principal associates is summarized as follows:
- (a) The basic information of the associates that are material to the Group is as follows:

Company name	Princial place of business	Shareholding ratio			Nature of relationship	Methods of measurement
		March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022		
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	Taipei city	42.49%	42.49%	42.49%	Associate	Equity method
Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd. (Note)	Xiamen	49%	49%	49%	Associate	Equity method

Note: The Company participated in the cash capital increase of Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd. in proportion to its shareholdings in the third quarter of 2022.

- (b) The summarized financial information of the associates that are material to the Group is as follows:

Balance sheet

	Uni-President Asset Management Corp.		
	March 31, 2023 (Note)	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022 (Note)
Current assets	\$ 964,475	\$ 944,707	\$ 1,120,569
Non-current assets	807,998	784,976	839,798
Current liabilities	(286,920)	(334,677)	(351,037)
Non-current liabilities	(38,229)	(57,145)	(63,014)
Total net assets	<u>\$ 1,447,324</u>	<u>\$ 1,337,861</u>	<u>\$ 1,546,316</u>
Share in associate net assets	\$ 615,076	\$ 568,558	\$ 657,146
Goodwill and others	179,522	179,522	179,522
Carrying amount of the associate	<u>\$ 794,598</u>	<u>\$ 748,080</u>	<u>\$ 836,668</u>

Balance sheet

	Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd.		
	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Current assets	\$ 6,931,191	\$ 6,937,077	\$ 8,086,842
Non-current assets	277,263	233,398	295,933
Current liabilities	(1,480,101)	(1,491,521)	(3,531,134)
Non-current liabilities	(64,167)	(38,100)	(59,687)
Total net assets	<u>\$ 5,664,186</u>	<u>\$ 5,640,854</u>	<u>\$ 4,791,954</u>
Share in associate net assets	<u>\$ 2,775,451</u>	<u>\$ 2,764,018</u>	<u>\$ 2,348,057</u>
Carrying amount of the associate	<u>\$ 2,775,451</u>	<u>\$ 2,764,018</u>	<u>\$ 2,348,057</u>

Statement of comprehensive income

	Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	
	Three months ended March 31, 2023 (Note)	Three months ended March 31, 2022 (Note)
Revenue	\$ 317,336	\$ 340,430
Profit for the period from continuing operations	\$ 103,784	\$ 124,237
Other comprehensive income (loss) - net of tax	5,679	54,314
Total comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ 109,463</u>	<u>\$ 178,551</u>

	Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd.	
	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Revenue	\$ 128,139	(\$ 43,397)
Loss for the period from continuing operations	(\$ 16,727)	(\$ 206,263)
Total comprehensive income (loss)	<u>(\$ 16,727)</u>	<u>(\$ 206,263)</u>

Note: The financial statements for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, that were not reviewed by independent auditors, were prepared by the company.

12) Property and equipment

	Three months ended March 31, 2023				
January 1	Land	Buildings	Equipment	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 1,140,158	\$ 500,641	\$ 47,035	\$ 3,367,963
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(520,097)	(206,465)	(31,759)	(758,321)
Total	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 620,061</u>	<u>\$ 294,176</u>	<u>\$ 15,276</u>	<u>\$ 2,609,642</u>
January 1	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 620,061	\$ 294,176	\$ 15,276	\$ 2,609,642
Additions	-	-	8,168	-	8,168
Disposal	-	-	(74)	-	(74)
Reclassifications	-	-	(1)	-	(1)
Depreciation	-	(10,299)	(25,196)	(1,272)	(36,767)
March 31	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 609,762</u>	<u>\$ 277,073</u>	<u>\$ 14,004</u>	<u>\$ 2,580,968</u>

Three months ended March 31, 2023

March 31	Land	Buildings	Equipment	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 1,140,158	\$ 488,856	\$ 32,056	\$ 3,341,199
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(530,396)	(211,783)	(18,052)	(760,231)
Total	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 609,762</u>	<u>\$ 277,073</u>	<u>\$ 14,004</u>	<u>\$ 2,580,968</u>

Three months ended March 31, 2022

January 1	Land	Buildings	Equipment	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 1,110,116	\$ 313,717	\$ 35,121	\$ 3,139,083
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(488,075)	(177,406)	(26,474)	(691,955)
Total	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 622,041</u>	<u>\$ 136,311</u>	<u>\$ 8,647</u>	<u>\$ 2,447,128</u>
January 1	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 622,041	\$ 136,311	\$ 8,647	\$ 2,447,128
Additions	-	1,613	22,270	-	23,883
Disposal	-	-	(3)	-	(3)
Reclassifications	-	15,220	7,562	-	22,782
Depreciation	-	(9,395)	(15,067)	(977)	(25,439)
March 31	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 629,479</u>	<u>\$ 151,073</u>	<u>\$ 7,670</u>	<u>\$ 2,468,351</u>

March 31	Land	Buildings	Equipment	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost	\$ 1,680,129	\$ 1,126,949	\$ 340,625	\$ 35,313	\$ 3,183,016
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(497,470)	(189,552)	(27,643)	(714,665)
Total	<u>\$ 1,680,129</u>	<u>\$ 629,479</u>	<u>\$ 151,073</u>	<u>\$ 7,670</u>	<u>\$ 2,468,351</u>

A. No interest was capitalized for property and equipment for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022.

B. The information on property and equipment pledged or restricted as of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022 is described in Note 8.

13) Leasing arrangements – lessee

A. The Group leases various assets including buildings, machinery and equipment, business vehicles and multifunction printers. Rental contracts are typically made for periods of 1 to 10 years. Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose covenants, but leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes.

B. The carrying amount of right-of-use assets and the depreciation charge are as follows:

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
	Carrying Amount	Carrying Amount	Carrying Amount
Buildings	\$ 126,621	\$ 141,233	\$ 174,895
Transportation equipment (Business vehicles)	16,333	16,576	18,687
Office equipment (Photocopiers)	6,975	7,748	8,794
Total	<u>\$ 149,929</u>	<u>\$ 165,557</u>	<u>\$ 202,376</u>
		Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
		Depreciation charge	Depreciation charge
Buildings		\$ 19,926	\$ 21,374
Transportation equipment (Business vehicles)		1,671	1,656
Office equipment (Photocopiers)		699	673
Total		<u>\$ 22,296</u>	<u>\$ 23,703</u>

C. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, the additions to right-of-use assets amounted to \$6,796 and \$23,633, respectively.

D. The information on income and expense accounts relating to lease contracts is as follows:

Items affecting profit or loss	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Interest expense on lease liabilities	\$ 267	\$ 331
Expense on short-term lease contracts	1,267	284
Expense on variable lease payment	16	14

E. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, the Group's total cash outflow for leases amounted to \$25,554 and \$25,863, respectively.

14) Leasing arrangements – lessor

A. The Group leases various assets including office and parking space. Rental contracts are typically made for periods of 1 and 5 years. Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions.

B. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, the Group recognized rent income in the amounts of \$4,586 and \$4,438, respectively, based on the operating lease agreement, which does not include variable lease payments.

C. The maturity analysis of the lease payments under the operating leases is as follows:

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
2022	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 13,700
2023	13,757	18,299	17,752
2024	4,303	4,850	4,303
Total	<u>\$ 18,060</u>	<u>\$ 23,149</u>	<u>\$ 35,755</u>

15) Investment property

				Three months ended March 31, 2023		
January 1	Land	Buildings	Total			
Cost	\$ 198,099	\$ 107,076	\$ 305,175			
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(38,873)	(38,873)			
Total	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 68,203</u>	<u>\$ 266,302</u>			
January 1	\$ 198,099	\$ 68,203	\$ 266,302			
Depreciation	-	(525)	(525)			
March 31	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 67,678</u>	<u>\$ 265,777</u>			
March 31	Land	Buildings	Total			
Cost	\$ 198,099	\$ 107,076	\$ 305,175			
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(39,398)	(39,398)			
Total	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 67,678</u>	<u>\$ 265,777</u>			
				Three months ended March 31, 2022		
January 1	Land	Buildings	Total			
Cost	\$ 198,099	\$ 107,076	\$ 305,175			
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(36,773)	(36,773)			
Total	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 70,303</u>	<u>\$ 268,402</u>			
January 1	\$ 198,099	\$ 70,303	\$ 268,402			
Depreciation	-	(525)	(525)			
March 31	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 69,778</u>	<u>\$ 267,877</u>			
March 31	Land	Buildings	Total			
Cost	\$ 198,099	\$ 107,076	\$ 305,175			
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	-	(37,298)	(37,298)			
Total	<u>\$ 198,099</u>	<u>\$ 69,778</u>	<u>\$ 267,877</u>			

A. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, rental income from the lease of the investment property were \$4,006 and \$4,279, respectively, and direct operating expenses arising from the investment property were \$922 and \$918, respectively.

B. Details of fair value of investment property are provided in Note 12(5).

16) Intangible assets

Three months ended March 31, 2023				
January 1	Computer software	Goodwill	Customer relationships and others	Total
Cost	\$ 362,033	\$ 42,004	\$ 89,929	\$ 493,966
Accumulated amortization and impairment	(193,242)	-	(54,218)	(247,460)
Total	<u>\$ 168,791</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,711</u>	<u>\$ 246,506</u>
January 1	\$ 168,791	\$ 42,004	\$ 35,711	\$ 246,506
Additions	5,752	-	-	5,752
Reclassifications	14,997	-	-	14,997
Amortization	(17,603)	-	(5)	(17,608)
March 31	<u>\$ 171,937</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,706</u>	<u>\$ 249,647</u>
March 31	Computer software	Goodwill	Customer relationships and others	Total
Cost	\$ 382,142	\$ 42,004	\$ 89,929	\$ 514,075
Accumulated amortization and impairment	(210,205)	-	(54,223)	(264,428)
Total	<u>\$ 171,937</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,706</u>	<u>\$ 249,647</u>
Three months ended March 31, 2022				
January 1	Computer software	Goodwill	Customer relationships and others	Total
Cost	\$ 273,340	\$ 42,004	\$ 89,929	\$ 405,273
Accumulated amortization and impairment	(155,606)	-	(54,199)	(209,805)
Total	<u>\$ 117,734</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,730</u>	<u>\$ 195,468</u>
January 1	\$ 117,734	\$ 42,004	\$ 35,730	\$ 195,468
Additions	11,550	-	-	11,550
Reclassifications	8,490	-	-	8,490
Amortization	(12,269)	-	(5)	(12,274)
March 31	<u>\$ 125,505</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,725</u>	<u>\$ 203,234</u>
March 31	Computer software	Goodwill	Customer relationships and others	Total
Cost	\$ 292,696	\$ 42,004	\$ 89,929	\$ 424,629
Accumulated amortization and impairment	(167,191)	-	(54,204)	(221,395)
Total	<u>\$ 125,505</u>	<u>\$ 42,004</u>	<u>\$ 35,725</u>	<u>\$ 203,234</u>

- A. No interest was capitalized for intangible assets for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022.
- B. Goodwill and customer relationships were acquired through acceptance of transfer of the securities brokerage business of Standard Chartered (Taiwan) Bank's retail banking business, and were all allocated to the Group's brokerage segment.
- C. The recoverable amount of goodwill was periodically determined based on its value in use. Calculations of value in use after-tax cash flow projections are based on financial budgets approved by the management covering a five-year period. Cash flows beyond the five-year period are extrapolated using the estimated growth rates stated below.
- The recoverable amount calculated based on the value in use exceeded the carrying amount, thus the goodwill was not impaired. The key assumptions used for calculation of value in use are as follows:

	<u>Brokerage Segment</u>
	<u>2022</u>
Growth rate	0.00%
Discount rate	13.26%

Management determined the growth rate based on past performance and its expectations of market development. The discount rates were based on the weighted average financing cost rates determined by the Company's capital asset pricing model. The discount rates also reflect specific risks related to relevant operating segments.

17) Other non-current assets

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Operation guaranteed deposits	\$ 655,000	\$ 655,000	\$ 655,000
Clearing and settlement fund	299,980	316,017	321,462
Refundable deposits	185,779	196,823	263,069
Deferred expenses	87	131	14,879
Prepaid pension expenses	81,975	77,193	1,042
Prepayment for equipment	65,619	62,098	107,893
Overdue receivables	7,452	8,224	11,487
Others	2,500	2,500	2,500
	<u>1,298,392</u>	<u>1,317,986</u>	<u>1,377,332</u>
Less: Allowance for uncollectible accounts	(7,452)	(8,224)	(11,487)
Total	<u>\$ 1,290,940</u>	<u>\$ 1,309,762</u>	<u>\$ 1,365,845</u>

18) Short-term loans

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Unsecured loans	\$ 1,766,100	\$ 275,000	\$ 1,151,575
Secured loans	<u>185,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,951,100</u>	<u>\$ 275,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,151,575</u>

As of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, the interest rates of short-term loans, including foreign interest rates were 1.650%~5.360%, 1.700%, and 0.820%~1.030%, respectively.

19) Commercial papers payable

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Face value	\$ 13,700,000	\$ 5,830,000	\$ 5,900,000
Less: discount on commercial papers payable	(9,237)	(2,569)	(1,399)
Total	<u>\$ 13,690,763</u>	<u>\$ 5,827,431</u>	<u>\$ 5,898,601</u>

As of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, the interest rates of commercial papers, including foreign interest rates were 1.240%~1.430%, 1.250%~1.400%, and 0.350%~0.750%, respectively.

20) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - current

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Liabilities on sale of borrowed securities - hedged	\$ 483,468	\$ 1,769,451	\$ 425,038
Valuation adjustment on liabilities on sale of borrowed securities - hedged	(193)	(47,847)	682
Liabilities on sale of borrowed securities - non-hedged	6,748,240	6,668,328	5,330,932
Valuation adjustment on liabilities on sale of borrowed securities - non-hedged	(52,733)	(912,064)	(112,106)
Subtotal	<u>7,178,782</u>	<u>7,477,868</u>	<u>5,644,546</u>
Issuance of call (put) warrants	8,527,311	8,388,823	17,912,245
Loss (Gain) on price fluctuation	(371,140)	(3,700,001)	(6,622,513)
Market value (A)	<u>8,156,171</u>	<u>4,688,822</u>	<u>11,289,732</u>
Warrants redeemed	(7,688,827)	(6,461,030)	(16,097,662)
Loss on price fluctuation	<u>60,660</u>	<u>2,084,404</u>	<u>5,634,100</u>
Market value (B)	(7,628,167)	(4,376,626)	(10,463,562)
Warrants - net (A+B)	<u>528,004</u>	<u>312,196</u>	<u>826,170</u>
Options sold - TAIFEX	<u>16,938</u>	<u>3,970</u>	<u>8,172</u>
Outstanding Liability for Issuance of ETNs	887,099	971,128	962,578
Valuation adjustment on outstanding Liability for Issuance of ETNs	(47,009)	(198,830)	(21,400)
Subtotal	<u>840,090</u>	<u>772,298</u>	<u>941,178</u>
Derivative financial liabilities - OTC	<u>883,466</u>	<u>590,988</u>	<u>251,959</u>
Total	<u>\$ 9,447,280</u>	<u>\$ 9,157,320</u>	<u>\$ 7,672,025</u>

Among the warrants issued by the Group, except for contract-based warrants which are European-style warrants, all other warrants are American-style warrants. Warrants are stated as liabilities for issuance of warrants at issuance price prior to expiration. Upon repurchase of warrants after issuance, the repurchased amounts are recognized as warrants repurchase and charged as a deduction to liabilities for issuance of warrants. The warrants have six to twelve months exercise period from the date of issuance. The issuer has the option to settle either by cash or stock delivery.

21) Bonds sold under repurchase agreements

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Government bonds	\$ 976,097	\$ 919,875	\$ 1,087,483
Corporate bonds	1,194,401	1,001,131	500,331
Bank debentures	100,000	100,408	300,000
International bonds	364,137	225,167	891,186
Foreign bonds	7,042,930	4,718,843	2,138,312
Total	<u>\$ 9,677,565</u>	<u>\$ 6,965,424</u>	<u>\$ 4,917,312</u>

The above bonds sold under repurchase agreements as of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022 were due within one year and were contracted to be repurchased at the agreed-upon price plus interest charge on the specific date after the transaction. The total repurchase amounts were \$9,762,353, \$7,016,989 and \$4,922,516, respectively, and the annual interest rates in every currency were shown as follows:

<u>Currency</u>	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
NTD	0.76%~1.30%	0.72%~1.22%	0.19%~0.47%
Foreign currencies (Note)	1.80%~5.15%	1.40%~4.80%	-0.55%~2.40%

Note : Foreign currencies include AUD, EUR, USD, GBP and RMB.

22) Accounts payable

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Settlement accounts payable			
- brokered trading	\$ 11,452,381	\$ 7,705,822	\$ 15,157,478
Settlement proceeds	542,782	1,252,785	737,617
Settlement accounts payable - operating	377,678	935,022	336,772
Settlement accounts payable - foreign bonds	5,596,352	703,424	2,933,757
Spot exchange payable, foreign currencies	158,274	47,566	17,895
Others	310,411	207,775	454,160
Total	<u>\$ 18,437,878</u>	<u>\$ 10,852,394</u>	<u>\$ 19,637,679</u>

23) Other payables

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Salary and bonus payable	\$ 699,840	\$ 952,907	\$ 762,156
Employees' and directors' remuneration payable	75,900	49,470	198,027
Others	586,920	579,830	627,865
Total	<u>\$ 1,362,660</u>	<u>\$ 1,582,207</u>	<u>\$ 1,588,048</u>

24) Other financial liabilities - current

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Equity-linked notes (ELN) - Options	\$ 2,000	\$ -	\$ 52,000
Principal guaranteed notes (PGN)			
- fixed income	3,785,486	2,784,086	5,384,535
Total	<u>\$ 3,787,486</u>	<u>\$ 2,784,086</u>	<u>\$ 5,436,535</u>

The Group deals in equity-linked products and combines fixed income instruments with call or put options. These products are categorized into ELN (Equity-Linked Notes) and PGN (Principal Guaranteed Notes). On trade date, the contracted amounts are collected in full from the counterparties. The payout amount on maturity will depend on the price fluctuation of the instruments linked to these contracts and be calculated as trading price less option strike price on maturity. All the linked products are financial instruments under the supervision of the SFB (Securities and Futures Bureau).

25) Other liabilities-non-current

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Guarantee deposits received	\$ 7,119	\$ 7,056	\$ 8,028
Net defined benefit obligation	<u>710</u>	<u>872</u>	<u>53,309</u>
Total	<u>\$ 7,829</u>	<u>\$ 7,928</u>	<u>\$ 61,337</u>

26) Pension plan

A. Defined benefit plans

(A) The Group has a defined benefit pension plan in accordance with the Labor Standards Law, covering all regular employees' service years prior to the enforcement of the Labor Pension Act on July 1, 2005 and service years thereafter of employees who chose to continue to be subject to the pension mechanism under the Law. Pension benefits are based on the number of units accrued and the average monthly salaries and wages of the last 6 months prior to retirement. Under the defined benefit pension plan, two units are accrued for each year of service for the first 15 years and one unit for each additional year thereafter, subject to a maximum of 45 units. The Group contributes monthly an amount which ranges between 2.0% and 7.2% of the employees' monthly salaries and wages to the retirement fund deposited with Bank of Taiwan, the trustee, under the name of the supervisory committee of workers' retirement reserve fund, and with Cathay United Bank, under the name of the management committee of employees' retirement fund. Also, the Group would assess the balance in the aforementioned labor pension reserve account by the end of March 31, every year. If the account balance is insufficient to pay the pension calculated by the aforementioned method, to the employees expected to be qualified for retirement next year, the Group will make contributions to cover the deficit by next March.

(B) Under the defined benefit pension plan, the Group recognized the pension costs for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 in the statement of comprehensive income in the amounts of \$55 and \$913, respectively.

(C) Expected contributions to the defined benefit pension plans of the Group for the year ending December 31, 2024 amount to \$24,041.

B. Defined contribution plans:

Effective from July 1, 2005, the Group established a defined contribution plan pursuant to the "Labor Pension Act", which covers employees with R.O.C. nationality and those who chose or are required to apply the "Labor Pension Act". The contributions are made monthly based on not less than 6% of

the employees' monthly salaries and wages to the employees' individual pension accounts at the Bureau of Labor Insurance. The payment of pension benefits is based on the employees' individual pension fund accounts and the cumulative profit in such accounts. The employees can choose to receive such pension benefits monthly or in lump sum. The pension costs under defined contribution pension plans of the Group for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 were \$19,596 and \$21,329, respectively.

- C. President Securities (HK), President Wealth Management (HK), and President Securities (Nominee) have defined benefit pension plans in accordance with local laws, and recognized the current pension expenses by contributing to the accrued pension assets. President Securities (HK) recognized pension expenses of \$1,811 and \$387, respectively, for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022.

27) Equity

A. Common stock

(A) As of March 31, 2023, the Company's authorized capital was \$15,000,000 with a par value of \$10 (in dollars) per share. As of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, the common stocks issued and the outstanding common stocks were all 1,455,831 thousand shares.

B. Capital reserve

	Share premium	Treasury share transactions	Expired stock options	Difference between consideration and carrying amount of subsidiaries acquired or disposed	Total
March 31, 2023	\$ 24,663	\$ 65,675	\$ 483	\$ 440	\$ 91,261
December 31, 2022	\$ 24,663	\$ 65,675	\$ 483	\$ 440	\$ 91,261
March 31, 2022	\$ 24,663	\$ 65,675	\$ 483	\$ 440	\$ 91,261

Pursuant to the R.O.C. Company Law, capital reserve arising from paid-in capital in excess of par value on issuance of common stocks and donations can be used to cover accumulated deficit or to issue new stocks or cash to shareholders in proportion to their share ownership, provided it should not exceed 10% of the paid-in capital each year. Capital reserve should not be used to cover accumulated deficit unless the legal reserve is insufficient.

C. Legal reserve

Under the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the current year's earnings, if any, shall first be used to pay all taxes and offset prior years' operating losses and then 10% of the remaining amount shall be set aside as legal reserve. Except for covering accumulated deficit or issuing new stocks or cash to shareholders in proportion to their share ownership, the legal reserve shall not be used for any other purpose. The use of legal reserve for the issuance of stocks or cash to shareholders in proportion to their share ownership is permitted, provided that the balance of the reserve exceeds 25% of the Company's paid-in capital.

D. Special reserve

In accordance with the "Rules Governing the Administration of Securities Firms", 20% of the

current year's earnings, after paying all taxes and offsetting prior years' operating losses, and plus the items other than the after-tax net profit for the period, that are included in the unappropriated earnings of the period, if any, shall be set aside as special reserve until the cumulative balance equals the total amount of paid-in capital. The special reserve shall be used exclusively to cover accumulated deficit or to increase capital and shall not be used for any other purpose. Such capitalization shall not be permitted unless the Company had already accumulated a special reserve of at least 25% of its paid-in capital stock and only quarter of such special reserve may be capitalized.

In accordance with the regulations, the Company shall set aside an equivalent amount of special reserve from accumulated unappropriated retained earnings of the current year based on the decreased amount of equity. If there is any subsequent reversal of the decrease in equity, the earnings may be distributed based on the reversal proportion.

In accordance with Jing-Guan-Zheng-Chuan Letter No. 10500278285 dated August 5, 2016, securities firms should set aside 0.5% to 1% of net income after tax as special reserve, upon the distribution of earnings from 2016 to 2018. From fiscal year 2017, special reserve as mentioned above may be reversed based on an amount equal to employees' transformation training expenditure, transfer and arrangement expenditure arising from the development of Fintech. Further, according to Jing-Guan-Zheng-Chuan Letter No. 1080321644 dated July 10, 2019, securities firms are no longer required to set aside special reserve starting from 2019. And the special reserve, within the balance of special reserve set aside in the previous years, could be reversed at the same amount for the aforementioned expenditures.

28) Unappropriated earnings and dividends policy

- A. Under the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the current year's earnings, if any, shall be used to pay all taxes and offset prior years' operating losses first, and then set aside as legal reserve, accounted for as 10% of the remaining amount, and special reserve, accounted for as 20% of the remaining amount. Upon provision or reversal of special reserve in accordance with the law, any remaining amount together with unappropriated earnings at beginning of the period shall be distributed according to the following resolution adopted at the stockholders' meeting: Distribution shall not be made if the balance of distributable earnings is less than 5% of paid-in capital.
- B. In addition, the total amount of dividends declared every year shall be at least 70% of distributable earnings, of which stock dividends shall be at least 50% and cash dividends shall be lower than 50%.
- C. The Company may determine a better proportion of cash and stock dividends distribution based on its actual operating conditions and capital utilization plan for the following year.

D. The earnings distribution for 2022 as resolved by the Board of Directors on March 8, 2023; the appropriation of 2021 earnings was resolved by the shareholders on June 23, 2022. Details are as follows:

	For the year ended December 31, 2022		For the year ended December 31, 2021	
	Amount	Dividends per share (in dollars)	Amount	Dividends per share (in dollars)
Provision of legal reserve	\$ 81,278		\$ 390,101	
Provision of special reserve	162,557		780,203	
Reversal of special reserve (Note)	-		(3,413)	
Cash dividends	<u>567,774</u>	\$ 0.39	<u>2,751,521</u>	\$ 1.89
Total	<u>\$ 811,609</u>		<u>\$ 3,918,412</u>	

Note: Special reserve was provided for employees' transition for financial technology development according to Jing-Guan-Zheng-Chuan Letter No. 1080321644 and can be reversed for employees' transition.

29) Brokerage handling fee revenue

	Three months ended March 31, 2023		Three months ended March 31, 2022	
Revenues from brokered trading - TWSE	\$	354,478	\$	504,379
Revenues from brokered trading - OTC		138,533		151,555
Revenues from brokered trading - Futures		169,887		213,649
Others		31,082		32,416
Total	<u>\$</u>	<u>693,980</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>901,999</u>

30) Revenues from underwriting business

	Three months ended March 31, 2023		Three months ended March 31, 2022	
Revenues from underwriting securities on a firm commitment basis	\$	5,806	\$	17,551
Others		8,667		3,304
Total	<u>\$</u>	<u>14,473</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>20,855</u>

31) Net gain (loss) on sale of operating securities

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Dealers:		
-TAIEX	\$ 345,107	(\$ 172,684)
-OTC	116,694	(32,299)
-Overseas trading	67,394	(235,686)
Subtotal	<u>529,195</u>	<u>(440,669)</u>
Underwriters:		
-TAIEX	2,699	17,706
-OTC	77,510	5,340
Subtotal	<u>80,209</u>	<u>23,046</u>
Hedging:		
-TAIEX	129,812	(157,223)
-OTC	75,074	(70,141)
-Overseas trading	(2,722)	1,676
Subtotal	<u>202,164</u>	<u>(225,688)</u>
Total	<u>\$ 811,568</u>	<u>(\$ 643,311)</u>

32) Interest income

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Interest income from margin loans	\$ 144,698	\$ 228,799
Interest income from bonds	114,393	29,859
Others	22,602	9,504
Total	<u>\$ 281,693</u>	<u>\$ 268,162</u>

33) Net valuation gain (loss) on operating securities at fair value through profit or loss

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Gain (loss) on sale of securities - dealer	\$ 400,962	(\$ 270,698)
Gain (loss) on sale of securities - underwriting	56,245	(25,685)
Gain (loss) on sale of securities - hedging	433,049	(418,977)
Total	<u>\$ 890,256</u>	<u>(\$ 715,360)</u>

34) Net gain (loss) on covering of borrowed securities and bonds with resale agreements - short sales

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Gain (loss) from securities borrowing transactions	(\$ 46,383)	(\$ 59,397)
Gain (loss) from covering	(98,295)	18,793
Total	<u>(\$ 144,678)</u>	<u>(\$ 40,604)</u>

35) Net valuation gain (loss) on borrowed securities and bonds with resale agreements-short sales at fair value through profit or loss

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Valuation gain (loss) from securities borrowing transactions	(\$ 859,127)	\$ 517,303
Valuation gain (loss) from covering	(47,858)	15,227
Total	<u>(\$ 906,985)</u>	<u>\$ 532,530</u>

36) Net gain (loss) from issuance of call (put) warrants

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Net gain (loss) on changes in fair value of call (put) warrant liabilities and redemption	\$ 2,976	\$ 628,373
Net gain (loss) on exercise of call (put) warrants before maturity	(11,245)	(67,150)
Expenses arising out of issuance of call (put) warrants	(77,455)	(79,438)
Total	<u>(\$ 85,724)</u>	<u>\$ 481,785</u>

37) Net gain (loss) from derivatives

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Futures contract gain (loss)	\$ 377,132	(\$ 434,254)
Option trading gain (loss)	5,316	(55,103)
OTC option trading gain (loss)	84,268	50,887
Net gain (loss) on foreign exchange derivatives	14,708	15,493
Asset SWAP	(222,441)	(1,447)
Others	(21,367)	(6,658)
Total	<u>\$ 237,616</u>	<u>(\$ 431,082)</u>

38) Expected credit impairment loss and reversal of impairment gain

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Impairment (loss) and reversal of impairment gain	(\$ 2,926)	\$ 3,008
Recovery of bad debts	47	351
Total	<u>(\$ 2,879)</u>	<u>\$ 3,359</u>

39) Other operating income

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Income from securities lending	\$ 93,221	\$ 95,469
Net currency exchange gain (loss)	522	(15,116)
Handling fee revenues from funds	18,507	15,399
Others	44,028	35,699
Total	<u>\$ 156,278</u>	<u>\$ 131,451</u>

40) Handling charges

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Brokerage handling fee expense	\$ 84,260	\$ 110,634
Dealer handling fee expense	29,771	41,213
Refinancing processing fee expense	491	326
Total	<u>\$ 114,522</u>	<u>\$ 152,173</u>

41) Financial costs

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Interest expense from repurchase agreements	\$ 80,993	\$ 4,729
Loans interest expense	48,786	8,382
Other interest expense	26,809	2,671
Total	<u>\$ 156,588</u>	<u>\$ 15,782</u>

42) Employee benefits expense

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Salaries	\$ 581,193	\$ 528,027
Labor and health insurance	47,584	39,115
Pension	21,462	22,629
Other employee benefits	32,598	39,299
Total	<u>\$ 682,837</u>	<u>\$ 629,070</u>

- A. In accordance with the Company’s Article of Incorporation, the remainder of the year-end income before taxes less income before appropriating employees’ compensation and directors’ remuneration, if any, shall appropriate an employees’ compensation no less than 1.6% and directors’ remuneration no more than 2%. However, when the Company has an accumulated deficit, earnings to cover the deficit shall first be retained before appropriating employees’ compensation and directors’ remuneration.
- B. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, employees’ compensation was accrued at \$11,525 and \$0, respectively; directors’ remuneration was accrued at \$11,525 and \$0, respectively. The aforementioned amounts were recognized in salary expenses.
- C. For the three months ended March 31, 2022, employees’ compensation was estimated at 2% and directors’ remuneration at 2%, based on the period-end income before taxes less income before appropriating employees’ compensation and directors’ remuneration.
- D. The actual distributed amount of employees’ and directors’ remuneration for 2022 as resolved by the Board of Directors was in agreement with the estimates in the 2022 financial statements.
- E. Information on the appropriation of the Company’s earnings as resolved by the Board of Directors would be posted in the “Market Observation Post System” on the Taiwan Stock Exchange official website.

43) Depreciation and amortization

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Depreciation	\$ 59,588	\$ 49,667
Amortization	17,645	12,396
Total	<u>\$ 77,233</u>	<u>\$ 62,063</u>

44) Other operating expenses

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Taxes	\$ 149,951	\$ 226,376
Security lending expenses	62,279	54,546
Computer information expenses	48,875	44,480
TDCC service fee	18,409	23,216
Postage	22,568	22,455
Others	107,118	91,968
Total	<u>\$ 409,200</u>	<u>\$ 463,041</u>

45) Other gains and losses

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Financial income	\$ 121,407	\$ 24,729
Net gain (loss) on disposal of investments	(1,308)	256
Net gain (loss) on valuation of non-operating financial instrument	2,300	(6,809)
Net currency exchange gain (loss)	(1,258)	6,261
Other non-operating revenues	<u>37,618</u>	<u>31,746</u>
Total	<u>\$ 158,759</u>	<u>\$ 56,183</u>

46) Income tax

A. Income tax expense

(a) Components of income tax expense:

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Current tax:		
Current tax on profits for the periods	<u>\$ 107,890</u>	<u>\$ 60,022</u>
Total current tax	<u>107,890</u>	<u>60,022</u>
Deferred taxes:		
Temporary differences	<u>5,265</u>	<u>3,153</u>
Total deferred taxes	<u>5,265</u>	<u>3,153</u>
Income tax expense	<u>\$ 113,155</u>	<u>\$ 63,175</u>

B. As of March 31, 2023, the Company's income tax returns have been approved by the Tax Authority until 2018. The income tax returns through 2021 of all company subsidiaries have been assessed, except for President Futures approval until 2019.

C. With respect to the income tax returns of the Company for 2018, the Tax Authority assessed to increase income tax payable by \$4,581. The Company disagreed with the assessment and had filed for administrative remedy and had recognized the income tax expense based on the assessment.

47) Earnings per share

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>		
	Amount after tax	Weighted-average outstanding common shares (In thousands)	Earnings per share (In dollars)
<u>Basic earnings per share</u>			
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$ 457,532	1,455,831	<u>\$ 0.31</u>
<u>Dilutive effect of common stock equivalents</u>			
Employee bonus	-	716	
	<u>\$ 457,532</u>	<u>1,456,547</u>	<u>\$ 0.31</u>

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>		
	Amount after tax	Weighted-average outstanding common shares (In thousands)	Earnings per share (In dollars)
<u>Basic earnings per share</u>			
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$ 563,745	1,455,831	<u>\$ 0.39</u>
<u>Dilutive effect of common stock equivalents</u>			
Employee bonus	-	-	
	<u>\$ 563,745</u>	<u>1,455,831</u>	<u>\$ 0.39</u>

7. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

1) Names and relationships of related parties

<u>Names of related parties</u>	<u>Relationship with the Company</u>
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	Entity having significant influence on the Company
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	Associate
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	Other related party
President Tokyo Auto Leasing Co., Ltd.	Other related party
ScinoPharm Taiwan, Ltd.	Other related party
Ton Yi Industrial Corp.	Other related party
President Chain Store Corp. (PCSC)	Other related party
Presco Netmarketing Co., Ltd.	Other related party
Q-WARE Systems & Services Corp.	Other related party
Tung Ho Development Co., Ltd.	Other related party
Cayman President Holdings, Ltd.	Other related party
Fund managed by Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	Security investment trust fund raised by the Uni-President Assets Management Corp.

2) Significant related party transactions and balances

A. Accounts receivable

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Entity having significant influence on the company:			
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	\$ 350	\$ 350	\$ 312
Associate:			
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	40	-	10
Other related party:			
ScinoPharm Taiwan, Ltd.	336	336	350
Ton Yi Industrial Corp.	100	-	-
President Chain Store Corp. (PCSC)	406	406	207
Others	73	103	73
Total	<u>\$ 1,305</u>	<u>\$ 1,195</u>	<u>\$ 952</u>

B. Prepayments

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Other related party:			
Q-WARE Systems & Services Corp.	\$ 8,531	\$ 245	\$ -
Tung Ho Development Co., Ltd.	600	-	-
Others	348	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 9,479</u>	<u>\$ 245</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

C. Other receivables

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Other related party:			
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	<u>\$ 13</u>	<u>\$ 14</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

D. Guarantee deposit received

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Associate:			
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	\$ 1,044	\$ 1,044	\$ 1,044
Other related party:			
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	1,418	1,418	1,418
Total	<u>\$ 2,462</u>	<u>\$ 2,462</u>	<u>\$ 2,462</u>

E. Other payables

	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>
Other related party:			
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	<u>\$ 8</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

F. Lease transactions — lessee

(A) The Group leases business vehicles and multifunction printers, etc., from President Tokyo Co., Ltd. Rental contracts periods are typically 1 to 5 years. Rents are paid monthly.

(B) Right-of-use assets:

a. Acquisition of right-of-use assets

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Other related party:		
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	\$ 1,427	\$ 1,331

b. There were no disposal of right-of-use assets with related party for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022.

(C) Lease liabilities

a. Lease liabilities — current

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Other related party:			
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	\$ 7,624	\$ 7,616	\$ 7,457
President Tokyo Auto Leasing Co., Ltd.	743	742	738
Total	\$ 8,367	\$ 8,358	\$ 8,195

b. Lease liabilities — non-current

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Other related party:			
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	\$ 11,771	\$ 12,362	\$ 14,650
President Tokyo Auto Leasing Co., Ltd.	2,006	2,192	2,749
Total	\$ 13,777	\$ 14,554	\$ 17,399

c. Interest expense

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Other related party:		
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	\$ 36	\$ 47
President Tokyo Auto Leasing Co., Ltd.	5	6
Total	\$ 41	\$ 53

G. Handling fee revenue

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Entity having significant influence on the company:		
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	\$ -	\$ 1
Security investment trust fund raised by the Uni-President Asset Management Corp.:		
Fund managed by Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	17,233	19,786
Other related party:		
Others	<u>217</u>	<u>631</u>
Total	<u>\$ 17,450</u>	<u>\$ 20,418</u>

Terms of handling fee revenue mentioned above are similar to those of transactions with third parties.

H. Net gain (loss) on wealth management - trust income from sales of funds

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Associates:		
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	<u>\$ 3,413</u>	<u>\$ 2,218</u>

The revenues were collected on a monthly basis in accordance with contract terms.

I. Other operating revenue - Other

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Associates:		
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	<u>\$ 720</u>	<u>\$ 600</u>

J. Other operating revenue - handling fee revenues from underwriting funds

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Associates:		
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	<u>\$ 17,955</u>	<u>\$ 14,416</u>

The revenues were collected on a monthly basis in accordance with contract terms.

K. Rent income

	<u>Period</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Associates:				
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	2016.01.01~2024.03.31	\$ 1,044	\$ 1,714	\$ 1,566
Other related party:				
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	2019.04.01~2024.03.31	1,418	<u>2,235</u>	<u>2,235</u>
Total			<u>\$ 3,949</u>	<u>\$ 3,801</u>

Rental income mentioned above is derived from leasing part of the Group's office space and business premises to various related parties and calculated as agreed by both parties. Lease payments are collected on schedule in accordance with the terms of the lease contracts.

L. Stock custodian income

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Entity having significant influence on the company:		
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	\$ 1,050	\$ 936
Associate:		
Uni-President Assets Management Corp.	40	39
Other related party:		
ScinoPharm Taiwan, Ltd.	510	530
Ton Yi Industrial Corp.	308	308
President Chain Store Corp. (PCSC)	609	620
Others	<u>166</u>	<u>167</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,683</u>	<u>\$ 2,600</u>

Terms of stock custodian income mentioned above are similar to third parties.

M. Other operating expenses

a. Equipment rental

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Other related party:		
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	<u>\$ 5</u>	<u>\$ 5</u>

b. Copy expense

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Other related party:		
President Tokyo Co., Ltd.	<u>\$ 8</u>	<u>\$ 41</u>

c. Advertising expense

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Other related party:		
Presco Netmarketing Co., Ltd.	\$ 86	\$ 3,268

N. Financial expense

	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022
Other related party:		
Cayman President Holdings, Ltd.	\$ -	\$ 54

O. Purchases of trading securities - dealer

	March 31, 2023		
	Ending Shares (In thousands)	Ending Balance	Gain (loss)
Entity having significant influence on the company:			
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	428	\$ 30,773	\$ 378
Security investment trust fund raised by the Uni-President Asset Management Corp.:			
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	-	488,834	(5,902)
Other related parties:			
President Chain Store Corp.	19	5,121	-
Others	-	-	11
Total		\$ 524,728	(\$ 5,513)
	December 31, 2022		
	Ending Shares (In thousands)	Ending Balance	Gain (loss)
Entity having significant influence on the company:			
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	72	\$ 4,795	(\$ 588)
Security investment trust fund raised by the Uni-President Asset Management Corp.:			
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	-	501,237	(25,384)
Other related parties:			
President Chain Store Corp.	-	-	(275)
Others	21	358	726
Total		\$ 506,390	(\$ 25,521)

	<u>March 31, 2022</u>		
	Ending Shares		
	<u>(In thousands)</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>	<u>Gain (loss)</u>
Entity having significant influence on the company:			
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	56	\$ 3,674	(\$ 263)
Security investment trust fund raised by the Uni-President Asset Management Corp.:			
Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	-	95,605	5,442
Other related parties:			
President Chain Store Corp.	3	789	(49)
Others	212	<u>3,835</u>	<u>31</u>
Total		<u>\$ 103,903</u>	<u>\$ 5,161</u>

P. Compensation of key management personnel

The compensation of key management such as directors, general managers, vice general managers were as follows:

	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2023</u>	<u>Three months ended March 31, 2022</u>
Salary and short-term employee benefits	\$ 20,546	\$ 21,262
Retirement benefits	405	418
Other long-term employee benefits	-	-
Termination benefits	-	-
Share-based payment	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 20,951</u>	<u>\$ 21,680</u>

8. PLEDGED ASSETS

The Company's assets pledged or restricted for use were as follows:

<u>Assets</u>	<u>March 31, 2023</u>	<u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>March 31, 2022</u>	<u>Purposes</u>
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current:				
Trading securities (par value)				
- Corporate bonds	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 500,000	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
- Government bonds	898,300	848,100	997,700	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
- Overseas bonds	4,477,379	2,661,333	2,267,323	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
- International bonds	388,689	237,302	922,486	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
- Bank debentures	100,000	100,000	300,000	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current				
- Overseas bonds (par value)	2,945,600	2,400,355	-	Securities for bonds sold under repurchase agreements
Others current assets:				
- Pledged demand deposits	733	250,167	112,539	Collections on behalf of third parties and reimbursement for wages and stocks
- Pledged time deposits	400,000	400,000	524,670	Securities for short-term loans and guarantees for issuance of commercial papers
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current:				
- Government bonds (par value)	50,000	50,000	50,000	Trust fund deposit-out
Property and equipment				
- Land and buildings (book value)	1,089,709	1,091,048	1,103,138	Securities for short-term loans and guarantees for issuance of commercial papers
Pledged time deposits				
- Operating guarantee deposits	655,000	655,000	655,000	Security deposits
- Refundable deposits	2,000	2,000	2,000	Security deposits

9. SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENTS

None.

10. SIGNIFICANT LOSS FROM NATURAL DISASTER

None.

11. SIGNIFICANT SUBSEQUENT EVENT

None.

12. OTHER

1) Management objective and policy of financial risks

A. Risk management objective

The Group continually strengthens risk culture to every employee and makes sure that the Group can actively develop various businesses under a healthy and effective risk management system. At the same time, by creating value of an entity and continually increasing profit, profit maximization may be achieved within appropriate risk tolerance.

B. Risk management system

In order to ensure the completeness of risk management system, run the balancing mechanism of risk management, and improve the division efficiency of risk management, the Group sets up "Risk Management Policy". Such policy aims to establish internal system compliance and the guiding tools for policies communication within the Group and enable every layer of the Group engaged in different tasks to identify, evaluate, monitor, and control various risks with establishment of consistent compliance rules for risks of each business so that the risks can be controlled within the limits set in advance.

The Group's risk management system covers risks incurred from businesses on and off the balance sheet, such as market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, operating risk, legal risk, model risk, reputation risk and climate risk, which are all included in the risk management.

C. Risk management organization

Risk management organization: Board of Directors, Risk Management Committee, Risk Control Office, Business units and other related segments (such as Office of Auditing, Office of General Manager, Compliance segment, Legal segment, Finance segment, Settlement segment and General Affair segment) are in charge of planning, supervising and execution.

(A) The Board of Directors should ensure the effectiveness of risk management and be responsible for the ultimate result and the following duties:

a. To establish proper risk management system, operating process, and risk management culture in the Group with allocation of necessary resource for better execution and operation.

b. Policy of risk management review

c. Review and approval of business application, transaction authorization and risk limit.

(B) The Risk Management Committee reports to the Board of Directors and is responsible for the following:

a. Review risk management policy

b. Review the highest risk tolerance

c. Submit regular reports to the Board of Directors in relation to the risk management status of the whole Group

(C) The General Manager supervises daily risk management of the entire Group and is responsible for the following:

a. Supervise and monitor daily risk management of the entire Group

b. Approval of management exceptions

(D) Assets and Liabilities Committee reports to the General Manager and is responsible for the following:

a. Set up the ultimate guidelines for assets and liabilities management of the entire Group

b. Analyze and control the entire Group's assets and liabilities portfolio

c. Approval of various businesses' quotas

d. Gather and analyze information on domestic and offshore interest rate, exchange rate, prosperity fluctuation, political and economic environmental changes, and predict the financial trend in the future

- (E) Risk Control Office implements risk management policy and related regulations and reports to the Risk Management Committee. Risk Control Office also reports daily risk management to the General Manager and is responsible for the following:
 - a. Establish Risk Management Policy of the entire Group
 - b. Develop effective method for measurement and risk management in an entity
 - c. Review risk management system of business units
 - d. Generate risk report through information gathering and consolidation
 - e. Analyze various business risks and report to the General Manager
 - f. Report the risk management situation to the Risk Management Committee according to a meeting's nature and needs
 - g. Carry out duties as designated by the Risk Management Committee and control risks of business units
 - (F) Auditing Office is responsible for the following:
 - a. Execute operating risk control
 - b. Include the risk management system into internal audit program and carry out the daily audit schedule.
 - c. Assess the effectiveness of internal control and verify the executed result.
 - (G) Compliance segment and legal segment under the Office of General Manager are responsible for the following:
 - a. Compliance segment should make sure that the business operation and risk management system are in compliance with relevant regulations.
 - b. Legal segment is responsible for legal risk control
 - c. Compliance segment also provides services of Anti-Money Laundering and Counter Terrorism Financing, including designs specification and internal control, establishes transaction monitoring, oversees the effective implementation of business units, conducts the employee training and reports any suspicion of money laundering.
 - (H) Finance segment is responsible for the following:
 - a. Verify the correctness of position information and reasonability of profit and loss calculation.
 - b. Control and analyze self-owned capital adequacy ratio.
 - c. Analyze the appropriateness of structures of the assets and liabilities.
 - (I) Business units are responsible for the following:
 - a. Set up risk management details of various businesses according to the risk management policy and other related regulations.
 - b. Provide sufficient position information and risk control information to the Risk Control Office.
 - (J) Settlement division is responsible for:
 - a. Clearing and settlement; risk control and management of margin purchase and short sale of securities.
 - b. Risk control and management of trading middle office and enforcement of rules governing risk management of business segments.
 - (K) General Affair segment is responsible for the following:
 - a. Verify and manage greenhouse gas.
 - b. Sustainable resources management, responsible procurement and supplier management.
- D. Risk management policy

In order to ensure the completeness of risk management system, run the balancing mechanism of risk management, and improve the division efficiency of risk management, the Group sets up "Risk Management Policy". Such policy aims to establish internal system compliance and the guiding tools for policies communication within the Group and enable every layer of the Group

engaged in different tasks to identify, evaluate, monitor, and control various risks with establishment of consistent compliance rules for risks of each business so that the risks can be controlled within the limits set in advance.

Risk management processes include risk identification, risk evaluation, risk supervision and various risk control. Each kind of risk evaluations and responding strategies are described as follows:

(A) Market risk management

The Group has implemented risk management information system (Risk Manager) in relation to market risk control. All trading positions of the Group have been included in the daily risk control system for the calculation of Value at Risk (VaR). Limit exceeding indicators are mainly the nominal principal, stop-loss, sensitivity (Greeks) and VaR. The risk management report is presented on a daily basis for implementation of regular control and limit exceeding handling procedures.

(B) Credit risk management

In relation to risk control, the quantitative model of default rate adopts KMV model to calculate the default rate of issuers with credit exposure of the issuing company and the trading counterparties, and credit risk of securities disclosed in the report. The credit exposure is mitigated through regular review of credit status.

(C) Fund liquidity risk

Unit in charge of fund procurement regularly predicts future fund demand and supply, and consolidates company guarantee or endorsement and capital lending businesses to monitor the condition of fund procurement on a daily basis.

(D) Operating risks

Settlement segment is responsible for confirming the settlement and clearing, accounts opening and the actual disbursement. Finance segment prepares vouchers based on the actual transaction evidence and compares whether the accounts and cash accounts are matched, and confirms the operating risks of accuracy of the transaction from an accounting perspective. Auditing segment is responsible for internal audit and internal control, and regularly samples and checks the performance of each unit.

(E) Legal risk

Legal segment is responsible for reviewing of the Company's various derivative financial instrument contracts, ISDA and individual account contracts, etc. and handle all legal-related issues.

(F) Climate risks

The potential climate risk on investment position is estimated based on the two main risk indicators of climate risk, the physical risk and the transition risk. The Company complies with the policy guidelines set by the competent authorities and initiatives or guidelines internationally and generally recognised to enhance the quality and transparency of information disclosure.

E. Hedging and risk-offsetting strategy

(A) Policies of hedging and risk mitigating are parts of the Group's risk management policies, and the hedging position and hedged trading position are supposed to be one portfolio, of which the gain and loss and risk information are measured on a consolidated basis.

(B) The overall position (hedging position and trading position) is included in the daily risk management system to calculate Value at Risk and other relevant information. Limit exceeding indicators mainly include nominal principal, stop-loss point, price sensitivity and VaR. With the presentation of daily risk management report, routine control and limit exceeding treatment can be executed.

- (C) The continued effectiveness of hedging and risk-offsetting strategy is measured by the gain and loss of overall position (hedging position and trading position), in order to track reasonableness of the profit or loss of hedging position and the offsetting relationship with the profit or loss of trading position, and to control them within a reasonable range.

2) Credit risk

A. Source and definition of credit risk

The credit risk exposure of the Group as a result of engagement in financial transactions include issuer's credit risk, credit risk of counterparty and credit risk of underlying assets:

- (A) Credit risk of the issuer refers to the issuers of financial debt instruments held by the Group failing to repay its obligation due to the fact that the issuer breaches the contract resulting in the risk of financial loss to the Group.
- (B) Credit risk of counterparty refers to risk of financial loss to the Group arising from default by the counterparty of financial instruments on the settlement or payment obligation.
- (C) Credit risk of the underlying assets happens when the credit rating of the underlying assets linked to the financial instrument is downgraded by the rating agency or when the losses occur as a result of contract default.

The financial assets held by the Group which could result in credit risk include bank deposit, debt securities, derivatives transactions in OTC, bonds purchased/sold under resale/repurchase agreements, refundable deposit of securities lending, futures margins, other refundable deposits and receivables.

B. Maximum credit risk exposure and credit risk concentration

The maximum exposure to credit risk of financial assets in the consolidated balance sheet, without consideration of the collateral or other credit enhancements, is equivalent to the carrying amount. In Taiwan, the sources of credit risk of the Group are primarily resulting from cash deposited with banks or other financial institutions, debt securities issued or guaranteed by a bank, derivative instruments transaction underwritten by the Group, and all counterparties of customer margin deposits accounts being financial institutions. Credit risks of various financial assets are as follows:

(A) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include time deposit, demand deposits and checking deposits. Correspondent institutions are mainly domestic financial institutions.

(B) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss -current

a. Fund

The funds held by the Group are bond funds. As the positions held are not significant, credit risk is deemed low.

b. Commercial papers

The commercial papers held by the Group are under resale agreements. As all the counterparties are financial institutions with good credit, the credit risk from counterparties is extremely low.

c. Debt securities

Debt securities are mainly positions like government bonds, convertible corporate bonds and foreign bonds and the issuers are primarily R.O.C. government, domestic and foreign legal entities. 19% of convertible corporate bond is guaranteed by banks. Details are as follows:

(a) Government bonds

The bonds held by the Group are mostly government bonds (inclusive of central and local government). As a whole, the credit risk of the bonds held by the Group is low.

(b) Corporate bonds

The corporate bonds held by the Group are mainly underlying investment with good

credit rating and those with rating above (S&P BB).

(c) Convertible corporate bond

The convertible corporate bonds held by the Group are mostly issued by the domestic legal entities. The Group mitigates highly risky credit exposure of the issuers by control through Taiwan Corporate Credit Risk Index (TCRI).

(d) Foreign bonds

The foreign bonds held by the Group are mainly underlying investment with good credit rating and those with rating above (S&P BB).

(C) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current

The foreign government bonds held by the Group are classified as debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income. In general, the bonds held by the Group are with lower credit risk.

(D) Derivatives- futures margin

When engaging in futures trades in stock exchange market, the Group needs to deposit margin into a margin deposit account of a financial institution designated by the futures merchants as a guarantee to fulfil contractual obligation in the future. As a result, the credit risk is low.

(E) Derivatives-OTC

The Group signs International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) agreements with each counterparty when engaging in OTC derivatives as an agreement regarding such transactions for both parties. In the agreement, it provides a fundamental contractual model for OTC derivative transactions. If any party breaches the contract or terminates the transactions early, then all the open interest covered in the agreement should be settled by net amount as bound in the contract. When the ISDA agreement is signed, the Credit Support Annex (CSA) is also signed. According to the CSA, collateral will be transferred from a party to the other during transaction process to mitigate the risk of counterparty in open interest. Please refer to Note 6(10).

Types of OTC derivative transactions in which the Group is engaged include structured notes and swap transaction. The counterparties are all from financial service industry and mainly located in Taiwan, United States, and United Kingdom.

(F) Bonds investment under a resale agreement

Bonds sold under a resale agreement are the bonds that the client sold to the Group at a price, interest rate, length of period as agreed by two parties and the client shall repurchase the bonds at the specified price upon maturity. The Group needs to assume credit risk from counterparties when underwriting such business, as the payment being delivered to the other party. With consideration of good collateral obtained, the net of credit risk exposure from counterparties can be effectively reduced. As all the counterparties are financial institutions with good credit rating, the credit risks from counterparties are extremely low. Please refer to Note 6(10).

(G) Margin loans receivable

Margin loans receivable are the loans provided to the client in order to process businesses of margin trading and short sale using the securities purchased through financing as collateral. The Group monitors the clients' margin ratio through information system on a daily basis. As the margin ratio of margin trading is set at 130% according to Regulations Governing the Conduct of Securities Trading Margin Purchase and Short Sale Operations by Securities Firms, the credit risk is extremely low.

(H) Receivables of securities business money lending

Receivables of securities business money lending are the non-restricted purpose loan business and monetary financing business, pursuant to an agreement between a securities

firm and a customer, using customer securities and other commodities as collateral. The Group regularly assesses its customer line of credit and implements appropriate credit control. As the margin ratio of margin trading is set at 130% according to Regulations Governing the Conduct of Securities Trading Margin Purchase and Short Sale Operations by Securities Firms, the credit risk is extremely low.

(I) Guaranteed price for securities lending

Guaranteed price for securities lending is the sale price of the Group's securities sold by other securities firms through margin trading after deduction of securities transactions tax and service fee, which is deposited in other securities firms as collateral. As all the counterparties are financial institutions with good credit rating, the credit risk from counterparties is extremely low.

(J) Refundable deposits for securities lending

Refundable deposits for securities lending are the margins deposited in other securities firm as collateral when the Group's securities are sold. As all the counterparties are financial institutions with good credit, the credit risk from counterparties is extremely low.

(K) Receivables

Receivables are the credit rights arising from the securities business including settlement receivables of consignment trading, settlement receivables of operating securities sold, financing interest receivables of self-operating credit transaction, receivables of consignment trading for securities, and receivables from banks' underwriting on foreign exchange transactions and foreign fund demand. As the majority of the Group's receivables from the consignment businesses and self-operating businesses are settlement of securities from OCT or TWSE, the credit risk is extremely low. As the foreign exchange transactions are simply the receipt or payment of different currencies and the correspondent banks are of good credit rating, the credit risk is extremely low.

(L) Other current assets

Other current assets are mainly the collateral deposited in the bank for application for short-term debt limit and guarantee for application for issuance of commercial papers. As the correspondent banks are all financial institutions with good credit rating, the credit risk is extremely low.

(M) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss – non-current

In order to underwrite trust business, the Group deposits central government bonds in the Central Bank as collateral. Regardless of the bonds themselves or the financial institutions where the bonds are deposited, the credit risk is extremely low.

(N) Other non-current assets

Other non-current assets mainly comprise operating guarantee deposits, settlement funds, and refundable deposits. Operating guarantee deposits are mainly deposited in domestic banks with good credit rating. Settlement funds are deposited in securities exchange. Settlement funds are used as compensation when a party to a marketable securities transaction fails to fulfil the settlement obligation. The credit risks from the institutions where these two assets are deposited are extremely low. The refundable deposits refer to cash or other assets which are deposited externally by the Group and can be used as refundable deposits. Because deposits are placed in various financial institutions and each deposit amount is small, the credit risk is dispersed and the credit exposure of overall refundable deposit is extremely low.

C. Expected credit loss assessment

In the assessment of impairment and calculation of expected credit losses, the Group considers reasonable and supporting information about past events, current conditions and future economic

conditions. The Group determines at the balance sheet date whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition or whether credit impairment has occurred, and recognizes expected credit loss according to which stage the asset belongs: no significant increase in credit risk or low credit risk at balance sheet date (Stage 1), significant increase in credit risk (Stage 2), and credit impaired (Stage 3). 12-month expected credit losses are recognized for assets in Stage 1, and lifetime expected credit losses are recognized for assets in Stage 2 and Stage 3.

The definition of and expected credit losses recognized for each stage are as follows:

Item	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3
Definition	No significant deterioration of credit quality of the financial asset since initial recognition, or the financial asset is considered low-risk at the balance sheet date.	Significant deterioration of credit quality of the financial asset since initial recognition, but the asset is not yet credit impaired.	The financial asset is credit impaired at the financial reporting date.
Expected credit losses recognition	12-month expected credit losses	Lifetime expected credit losses	Lifetime expected credit losses

(A) Judgements of the significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition

Judgements and assumptions used to determine whether the credit risk has a significant increase since initial recognition when the Group calculates expected credit loss under IFRS 9 are as follows:

- a. If contractual payments are over 30 days past due according to the payment terms, the financial asset is considered to have significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition.
- b. There is significant increase in credit risk at the reporting date if the credit rating of the issuer has been downgraded by more than 2 grades and the final external credit rating at the reporting date is non-investment grade, if the interest payments are over 30 days past due, or if there has been a default in the past.

(B) Definition of default and credit-impaired financial assets

According to the definition of credit impairment set by IFRS 9, a financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have occurred and have a significant impact on the expected future cash flows of the financial asset. The criteria used to judge whether a financial asset is credit-impaired since initial recognition includes but is not limited to the following:

- a. Contractual payments or principal or interest payments on bonds are over 3 months (90 days) past due.
- b. Bond investment is rated as “in default” by external credit rating agencies.
- c. Bond issuer has filed for bankruptcy, restructure, or other debt clearance procedures.
- d. Issuer or counterparty has financial difficulties.

(C) Writing-off policy

If any of the following condition applies, the Group will write off the non-recoverable portion of the overdue receivables as bad debt.

- a. Debt cannot be fully or partially recovered due to dissolution of, disappearance of, settlement with, bankruptcy declaration by the debtor, or any other reason.
- b. The collateral and the assets of the primary and secondary debtors could not be auctioned off after multiple attempts and multiple price discounts, and the Company has not received any real benefits in assuming the collateral.
- c. Payments are over two years past due and could not be recovered after attempts to collect.

(D) Measurement of expected credit losses

The Group considers reasonable supporting information which shows significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition when calculating expected credit losses. Main indexes include: internal/external credit rating, information of past due, credit spread, other market information in relation to the borrower, issuer or counterparty, and significant increase in credit risk of other financial instrument of the same borrower.

Investments in bills and bonds

- (a) Probability of default was based on external credit rating, which include forward-looking information.
- (b) Loss given default was based on the average loss given default of external credit rating of investment position and counterparties.
- (c) Exposure at default
Stage 1, Stage 2 and Stage 3: Total carrying amount (including interest receivable).

(E) Consideration of forward-looking information

Historical loss rate (based on the historical experience in the past 3 to 5 years) as obtained and compared with economic environment in the past, nowadays and future (forward-looking factor) to see whether there is any significant change, and then to properly adjust future loss rate standards. If any significant default event occurs, the loss rate in the current year will be included in the calculation of future loss rate standard.

D. Table of movements in loss provision of the Group

- (A) At March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, there were no changes in the loss allowance for investments in debt instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income.
- (B) Except for bond interest receivable which was evaluated along with debt investments, the Group applies the simplified approach to measure the loss allowance at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses for marginal receivables, accounts receivable, other receivable-others and overdue receivables. The movements in loss provision of marginal receivables, accounts receivable, other receivable-others and other non-current assets-overdue receivables of the Group are as follows:

Three months ended March 31, 2023					
	Marginal receivable	Accounts receivable	Other receivables	Other non-current assets-overdue receivables	Total
At January 1	\$ 28,315	\$ 659	\$ 355	\$ 8,224	\$ 37,553
Provision (reversal of provision) for impairment	3,828	(100)	(30)	(772)	2,926
At March 31	<u>\$ 32,143</u>	<u>\$ 559</u>	<u>\$ 325</u>	<u>\$ 7,452</u>	<u>\$ 40,479</u>
Year ended December 31, 2022					
	Marginal receivable	Accounts receivable	Other receivables	Other non-current assets-overdue receivables	Total
At January 1	\$ 47,433	\$ 742	\$ 853	\$ 12,517	\$ 61,545
Provision (reversal of provision) for impairment	(19,118)	(54)	(317)	(1,455)	(20,944)
Derecognized	-	(29)	(181)	(2,838)	(3,048)
At December 31	<u>\$ 28,315</u>	<u>\$ 659</u>	<u>\$ 355</u>	<u>\$ 8,224</u>	<u>\$ 37,553</u>
Three months ended March 31, 2022					
	Marginal receivable	Accounts receivable	Other receivables	Other non-current assets-overdue receivables	Total
At January 1	\$ 47,433	\$ 742	\$ 853	\$ 12,517	\$ 61,545
Provision (reversal of provision) for impairment	(2,106)	136	(8)	(1,030)	(3,008)
At March 31	<u>\$ 45,327</u>	<u>\$ 878</u>	<u>\$ 845</u>	<u>\$ 11,487</u>	<u>\$ 58,537</u>

3) Liquidity risk

A. Definition and source of liquidity risk

Liquidity risk refers to possible financial losses arising from the inability to realize the asset or to obtain sufficient fund to fulfil the financial liabilities soon to be matured. Above situations may weaken the sources of cash from the Group's trading and investment activities.

B. Liquidity risk management procedure and stimulation test

In order to prevent operational crisis as a result of liquidity risk, the Group has established responding crisis process with regular monitoring over liquidity gap of fund.

(A) Procedure

In addition to the operating capital for various business and long-term investment, the Group needs to maintain revolving funds at a certain level for daily operation. The use of remaining fund shall avoid high concentration and should be based on the principle of holding sound earning assets with high liquidity and treated in compliance with policies of the Group.

The responsive unit for fund procurement adjusts the liquidity gap to ensure proper liquidity according to the daily volume and movement in the market.

(B) Stimulation test

- a. The Group reviews fund liquidity risk from a perspective of supply and demand of fund every month with simulation analysis of available fund for emergency including scenario analysis of cash, funding limit of financial institutions, margin loans and short sale, and value of disposal of position in order to compute maximum available fund and fund demand. Finally, safety stock of fund is reviewed to monitor liquidity risk.
- b. Above liquidity risk is generally reviewed monthly. However, if the available limit of increment banking credit risk in financing limit of a financial institution is lower than a certain amount (that is, the amount may be timely adjusted according to the fund liquidity in the market and the actual fund demand and supply in an entity), the safety stock will be reviewed weekly. After the early warning report for fund is submitted, the head of finance segment will call for a fund control meeting.
- c. Other than individual funding liquidity risk of an entity, stress test of minimization funding supply and maximization funding demand in the event of significant crisis is simulated, including:
 - (a) When there is a significant crisis in the market, the financing limit of the financial institutions and the value of disposal of position can be deemed the minimized ratio of fund supply which is then adjusted according to actual condition to compute the total fund supply under maximum stress.
 - (b) Except for the operating expense, the stock concept is adopted for the calculation of total fund demand under maximum stress.
 - (c) The Group should conduct a review to see whether the total minimized fund supply is more than maximized total fund demand. The Group should further review how long (by month) the difference may cover the operating expenses so that the safety stock of fund (by month) under stress test can be computed.
 - (d) The minimum safety stock of fund under stress test (by month) may be adjusted according to the crisis itself and only operating expense for at least 6 months under a normal stimulation can be deemed safe.

C. Maturity analysis for the financial assets and financial liabilities held for liquidity risk management

- (A) The Group holds cash and sound earning assets with high liquidity in order to fulfil the payment obligation and potential emergency fund demand in the market. Financial assets held for liquidity risk management are mainly cash and cash equivalents, among which, all time deposits mature within a year. Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss are mainly listed stocks, convertible bonds and debt securities. As all of them have positions in active market, the liquidity risk is deemed low.

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(B) Maturity analysis for the financial liabilities is as follows:

	March 31, 2023				
	Immediately	Less than 3 months	3-12 months	1-5 years	Total
Short-term loans	\$ -	\$ 1,951,100	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,951,100
Commercial papers payable	-	13,700,000	-	-	13,700,000
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss-current					
Non-derivative financial liabilities	7,178,782	-	-	-	7,178,782
Derivative financial liabilities	2,268,217	-	281	-	2,268,498
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	-	9,762,353	-	-	9,762,353
Deposits on short sales	630,014	-	-	-	630,014
Deposits payable for securities financing	712,176	-	-	-	712,176
Securities lending refundable deposits	-	1,035,685	745,262	41,653	1,822,600
Futures traders' equity	20,446,473	-	-	-	20,446,473
Accounts payable (includes notes payable)	18,357,293	80,585	-	-	18,437,878
Collections on behalf of third parties	455,720	9,172	-	87,739	552,631
Other payables	9,169	247,996	1,105,495	-	1,362,660
Other financial liabilities -current	-	3,297,878	489,608	-	3,787,486
Lease liabilities	-	15,856	52,163	73,439	141,458
Total	\$ 50,057,844	\$ 30,100,625	\$ 2,392,809	\$ 202,831	\$ 82,754,109

December 31, 2022

	Immediately	Less than 3 months	3-12 months	1-5 years	Total
Short-term loans	\$ -	\$ 275,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 275,000
Commercial papers payable	-	5,830,000	-	-	5,830,000
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss-current					
Non-derivative financial liabilities	7,477,868	-	-	-	7,477,868
Derivative financial liabilities	1,679,452	-	-	-	1,679,452
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	-	7,016,989	-	-	7,016,989
Deposits on short sales	1,809,356	-	-	-	1,809,356
Deposits payable for securities financing	1,809,962	-	-	-	1,809,962
Securities lending refundable deposits	-	829,409	943,904	33,278	1,806,591
Futures traders' equity	20,763,586	-	-	-	20,763,586
Accounts payable (includes notes payable)	10,791,302	61,092	-	-	10,852,394
Collections on behalf of third parties	639,497	17,514	-	87,709	744,720
Other payables	9,064	309,281	1,263,862	-	1,582,207
Other financial liabilities -current	-	2,158,151	625,935	-	2,784,086
Lease liabilities	-	23,767	48,973	86,061	158,801
Total	\$ 44,980,087	\$ 16,521,203	\$ 2,882,674	\$ 207,048	\$ 64,591,012

March 31, 2022

	Immediately	Less than 3 months	3-12 months	1-5 years	Total
Short-term loans	\$ 1,151,575	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,151,575
Commercial papers payable	300,000	5,600,000	-	-	5,900,000
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss-current					
Non-derivative financial liabilities	5,644,546	-	-	-	5,644,546
Derivative financial liabilities	2,027,479	-	-	-	2,027,479
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	-	4,922,516	-	-	4,922,516
Deposits on short sales	622,163	-	-	-	622,163
Deposits payable for securities financing	814,006	-	-	-	814,006
Securities lending refundable deposits	-	769,279	628,693	62,955	1,460,927
Futures traders' equity	20,160,818	-	-	-	20,160,818
Accounts payable (includes notes payable)	19,586,170	51,509	-	-	19,637,679
Collections on behalf of third parties	545,472	9,094	-	88,516	643,082
Other payables	6,205	236,600	1,345,243	-	1,588,048
Other financial liabilities -current	-	3,090,747	2,345,788	-	5,436,535
Lease liabilities	-	21,320	60,865	110,632	192,817
Total	\$ 50,858,434	\$ 14,701,065	\$ 4,380,589	\$ 262,103	\$ 70,202,191

4) Market risk

A. Definition of market risk

Market risk refers to the risk of decrease in the Group's revenue or value of investment portfolio as a result of the changes in exchange rate, commodity price, interest rate, and stock price or other market risk factors.

The Group continually exercises risk management tools such as sensitivity analysis, Value at Risk, stress test and so on to completely and effectively measure, monitor and manage market risk.

B. Value at Risk (VaR)

Value at Risk is used to measure the possible maximum potential losses in investment portfolio as a result of movement in market risk factor in a specified period and confidence level. The Group currently uses confidence level of 95% to calculate Value at Risk of one day.

A VaR model must reasonably, completely and accurately measure the maximum potential risks of financial instruments or investment portfolio before being adopted as a risk management model by the Group. The VaR model used in risk management is continually certified and retrospectively tested to demonstrate that the model can reasonably and effectively measure the maximum potential risks of financial instruments or investment portfolios.

Statistical table for one-day VaR of transactions		Statistical table for one-day VaR of transactions	
Three months ended March 31, 2023		Three months ended March 31, 2022	
	Amount		Amount
March 31, 2023	\$ 122,535	March 31, 2022	\$ 43,502
VaR Maximum	143,579	VaR Maximum	167,015
VaR Average	76,218	VaR Average	81,746
VaR Minimum	33,479	VaR Minimum	26,060

Statistical table for VaR of various risk indicators of transactions

Three months ended March 31, 2023			
	Foreign exchange	Interest	Share ownership
March 31, 2023	\$ 10,921	\$ 81,522	\$ 87,575
VaR Maximum	47,965	81,522	114,445
VaR Average	11,164	51,224	51,554
VaR Minimum	2,100	25,359	28,108
Three months ended March 31, 2022			
	Foreign exchange	Interest	Share ownership
March 31, 2022	\$ 3,624	\$ 12,699	\$ 42,455
VaR Maximum	16,205	25,100	167,807
VaR Average	3,160	9,499	81,431
VaR Minimum	857	3,554	24,960

C. Information on gap of foreign exchange risk

The following table summarizes financial instruments of foreign assets or liabilities by currency and the foreign exchange exposure presented by book value as of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022 :

	March 31, 2023						
	USD	EUR	AUD	RMB	HKD	Others	Total
<u>Financial assets in foreign currencies</u>							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,586,743	\$ 4,175	\$ 2,065	\$ 107,017	\$ 1,031,376	\$ 38,080	\$ 2,769,456
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	6,523,610	705,649	780,018	161,415	127,446	746,147	9,044,285
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current	1,470,806	-	1,372,206	-	-	-	2,843,012
Investments accounted for under equity method	-	-	-	2,775,451	-	-	2,775,451
Others	9,821,144	430,290	961,525	4,754	159,998	201,314	11,579,025
<u>Financial liabilities in foreign currencies</u>							
Short-term loans	1,766,100	-	-	-	-	-	1,766,100
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	175,343	1,029	282	940	8	3,963	181,565
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	4,661,578	474,411	1,885,306	82,458	-	303,314	7,407,067
Others	12,946,278	380,729	879,318	209,021	166,752	180,819	14,762,917

Note: As of March 31, 2023, foreign exchange rates of the above currencies to TWD were 1 USD = 30.450 TWD; 1 EUR= 33.150 TWD; 1 AUD= 20.330 TWD; 1 RMB= 4.431 TWD; and 1 HKD= 3.879 TWD, respectively.

	December 31, 2022						
	USD	EUR	AUD	RMB	HKD	Others	Total
<u>Financial assets in foreign currencies</u>							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,086,414	\$ 4,306	\$ 1,854	\$ 66,762	\$ 1,508,479	\$ 44,017	\$ 2,711,833
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	3,696,267	150,892	414,575	105,713	61,214	280,670	4,709,330
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current	1,118,655	-	1,079,977	-	-	-	2,198,632
Investments accounted for under equity method	-	-	-	2,764,018	-	-	2,764,018
Others	7,579,012	18,804	157,024	3,985	169,872	326,549	8,255,247
<u>Financial liabilities in foreign currencies</u>							
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	347,447	57	598	1,347	99	1,821	351,369
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	3,243,659	89,976	1,459,403	81,148	-	69,823	4,944,009
Others	9,408,659	18,296	43,949	206,124	150,830	308,288	10,136,145

Note: As of December 31, 2022, foreign exchange rates of the above currencies to TWD were 1 USD =30.710 TWD; 1 EUR= 32.720 TWD; 1 AUD= 20.830 TWD; 1 RMB= 4.408 TWD; and 1 HKD= 3.938 TWD, respectively.

	March 31, 2022						
	USD	EUR	AUD	RMB	HKD	Others	Total
<u>Financial assets in foreign currencies</u>							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,143,167	\$ 5,290	\$ 2,655	\$ 207,760	\$ 987,185	\$ 90,001	\$ 2,436,058
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5,043,745	616,469	104,021	402,183	44,127	349,425	6,559,970
Investments accounted for under equity method	-	-	-	2,348,057	-	-	2,348,057
Others	7,224,351	1,948	822,872	39,380	1,016,279	6,229	9,111,059
<u>Financial liabilities in foreign currencies</u>							
Short-term loans	841,575	-	-	-	-	-	841,575
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	207,724	4,773	840	1,859	-	64	215,260
Bonds sold under repurchase agreements	2,577,330	43,627	54,672	285,679	-	68,190	3,029,498
Others	11,107,384	347,519	554,570	292,597	838,850	123,473	13,264,393

Note: As of March 31, 2022, foreign exchange rates of the above currencies to TWD were 1 USD = 28.625 TWD; 1 EUR= 31.920 TWD; 1 AUD= 21.420 TWD; 1 RMB= 4.506 TWD; and 1 HKD= 3.656 TWD, respectively.

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D. The total exchange gain (loss), including realized and unrealized, arising from significant foreign exchange variation on the monetary items held by the Group for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, amounted to (\$736) and (\$8,855), respectively.

5) Fair values and hierarchy information

A. Financial instruments and non-financial instruments not measured at fair value.

Except for those listed in the table below, the carrying amounts of the Group's financial instruments not measured at fair value (including cash and cash equivalents, bonds purchased under resale agreements, margin loans receivable, refinancing guaranty deposits, guaranteed proceeds receivable from refinancing, guaranteed price deposits for security borrowing, security borrowing deposits, customer margin deposit account, notes and accounts receivable, other receivables, short-term loans, commercial paper payable, bonds sold under repurchase agreements, guarantee deposit received from short sales, guaranteed price deposits received from securities borrowers, security borrowing deposits, equity of futures traders, accounts payable, collection for others, and other payables) approximate their fair values. The fair value information of financial instruments measured at fair value is provided in Note 12(5)3.

	Total	Quoted prices of the same assets in active markets (level 1)	Other significant observable inputs (level 2)	Significant non-observable inputs (level 3)
<u>Non-financial assets</u>				
<u>March 31, 2023</u>				
Investment property	\$ 698,655	\$ -	\$ 698,655	\$ -
<u>December 31, 2022</u>				
Investment property	743,741	-	743,741	-
<u>March 31, 2022</u>				
Investment property	698,655	-	698,655	-

The fair value of investment property held by the Group was assessed by external valuation experts using comparison approach and income approach, or the fair value can be assessed based on the market price of the area adjacent to the location where the Group's investment property is located.

B. Valuation techniques

(A) For financial instruments held for trading purposes which are classified as non-derivative instruments, their fair values are based on their quoted prices in an active market. If there is no quoted market price for reference, a valuation technique will be adopted to measure the fair value. Estimates and assumptions of valuation technique adopted by the Group are in agreement with the information of estimates and assumptions adopted by market users for financial instrument pricing and the said information shall be accessible to the Group. For those classified as derivative instruments, their fair values are based on their market prices if

their quoted prices are available from an active market. If quoted market prices in an active market are not available, SWAP and IRS are valued at the discounted cash flow method, and options are valued at the Black-Scholes model.

(B) When available-for-sale financial assets have quoted market prices available in an active market, the fair value is determined using the market price.

C. Fair value hierarchy of the financial instruments

(A) Definitions for the hierarchy classifications of financial instruments measured at fair value

a. Level 1

Level 1, are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Group can access at the measurement date. An active market has to satisfy all the following conditions: a market in which transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis. The Group's investments in listed stocks, beneficiary certificates, on-the-run Taiwan central government bonds and derivative instruments with quoted market prices, are deemed as level 1.

b. Level 2

Inputs other than quoted market prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Investments of the Group such as emerging stock without active markets, off-the-run issue of government bonds, corporate bonds, bank debentures, convertible corporate bonds, currency swaps, interest rate swaps, options, asset swaps, and most derivatives are all classified within level 2. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, there was no significant transfer of financial instruments between Level 1 and Level 2.

c. Level 3

Unobservable inputs for the assets or liability. The fair value of the Group's investment in equity investment without active market is included in Level 3. For the three months ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, some of the unlisted stocks became the emerging stocks, therefore these stocks were transferred from Level 3 to Level 2.

(B) Hierarchy of fair value estimation of financial instruments

	March 31, 2023			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<u>Recurring fair value</u>				
<u>Non-derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
Stock investments	\$ 10,970,047	\$ 10,750,037	\$ 76,728	\$ 143,282
Bond investments	15,094,926	4,966,007	10,128,919	-
Others	3,083,215	3,083,215	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income-current				
Stock investments	355,511	355,511	-	-
Bond investments	2,843,012	2,843,012	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current				
Stock investments	14,802	-	-	14,802
Bond investments	49,736	-	49,736	-
Others	58,500	-	-	58,500
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income- non-current				
Stock investments	1,231,843	-	-	1,231,843
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss -current				
	7,178,782	7,178,782	-	-
<u>Derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
	5,610,600	5,606,235	4,365	-
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - current				
	2,268,498	1,385,032	883,466	-

	December 31, 2022			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<u>Recurring fair value</u>				
<u>Non-derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
Stock investments	\$ 5,798,959	\$ 5,568,337	\$ 90,128	\$ 140,494
Bond investments	10,677,908	2,916,006	7,761,902	-
Others	2,583,147	2,583,147	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income- current				
Stock investments	299,150	299,150	-	-
Bond investments	2,198,632	2,198,632	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current				
Stock investments	16,604	-	-	16,604
Bond investments	49,779	-	49,779	-
Others	32,900	-	-	32,900
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income- non-current				
Stock investments	1,179,907	-	-	1,179,907
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss -current				
	7,477,868	7,477,868	-	-
<u>Derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
	5,335,854	5,330,817	5,037	-
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - current				
	1,679,452	1,088,464	590,988	-

	March 31, 2022			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<u>Recurring fair value</u>				
<u>Non-derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
Stock investments	\$ 8,631,412	\$ 8,548,882	\$ 17,802	\$ 64,728
Bond investments	8,573,472	914,076	7,659,396	-
Others	1,660,458	1,660,458	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income- current				
Stock investments	398,199	398,199	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current				
Stock investments	13,633	-	-	13,633
Bond investments	50,054	-	50,054	-
Others	33,600	-	-	33,600
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income- non-current				
Stock investments	1,418,393	-	-	1,418,393
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss -current				
	5,644,546	5,644,546	-	-
<u>Derivative financial instruments</u>				
Assets				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss-current				
	4,688,892	4,675,225	13,667	-
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - current				
	2,027,479	1,775,520	251,959	-

(C) The following table is the movement of financial assets at Level 3:

Three months ended March 31, 2023								
	Valuation amount			Increased		Decreased		
	Recorded in	Recorded in other	Acquired/	Transfers	Sold/	Transfers		
January 1	profit or loss	comprehensive	Issued	into	Diposed or	out from	level 3	March 31
		income (loss)		level 3	Settled	level 3		
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss- current								
Unlisted stocks	\$ 140,494	\$ 2,788	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 143,282
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current								
Venture capital shares	16,604	(1,802)	-	-	-	-	-	14,802
Others	32,900	10,600	-	15,000	-	-	-	58,500
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current								
Unlisted stocks	1,179,907	-	51,936	-	-	-	-	1,231,843
Year ended December 31, 2022								
	Valuation amount			Increased		Decreased		
	Recorded in	Recorded in other	Acquired/	Transfers	Sold/	Transfers		
January 1	profit or loss	comprehensive	Issued	into	Diposed or	out from	level 3	December 31
		income (loss)		level 3	Settled	level 3		
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss- current								
Unlisted stocks	\$ 65,712	(\$ 433)	\$ -	\$ 106,765	\$ -	(\$ 3,750)	(\$ 27,800)	\$ 140,494
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current								
Venture capital shares	12,650	3,954	-	-	-	-	-	16,604
Others	13,950	(1,050)	-	20,000	-	-	-	32,900
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current								
Unlisted stocks	1,137,756	-	42,151	-	-	-	-	1,179,907
Three months ended March 31, 2022								
	Valuation amount			Increased		Decreased		
	Recorded in	Recorded in other	Acquired/	Transfers	Sold/	Transfers		
January 1	profit or loss	comprehensive	Issued	into	Diposed or	out from	level 3	March 31
		income (loss)		level 3	Settled	level 3		
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss- current								
Unlisted stocks	\$ 65,712	(\$ 1,484)	\$ -	\$ 500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 64,728
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current								
Venture capital shares	12,650	983	-	-	-	-	-	13,633
Others	13,950	(350)	-	20,000	-	-	-	33,600
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current								
Unlisted stocks	1,137,756	-	280,637	-	-	-	-	1,418,393

(D) The following is the qualitative information of significant unobservable inputs and sensitivity analysis of changes in significant unobservable inputs to valuation model used in Level 3 fair value measurement:

March 31, 2023	Fair value	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable input	Range (weighted average)	Relationship of inputs to fair value
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current					
			Price to book ratio multiple	1.42~5.19	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	\$ 143,282	Market approach	Discount for lack of marketability	25%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value
			Latest transaction price	Not applicable	Not applicable
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current					
Venture capital shares	14,802	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Others	58,500	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current					
			Market price net profit after tax multiplier	20.3~23.14	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	1,231,843	Market approach	Price to book ratio multiple	3.12~3.44	
			Discount for lack of marketability	33%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value
December 31, 2022	Fair value	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable input	Range (weighted average)	Relationship of inputs to fair value
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current					
			Price to earnings ratio multiple	8.27	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	\$ 140,494	Market approach	Price to book ratio multiple	1.43~5.49	
			Discount for lack of marketability	25%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value
			Latest transaction price	Not applicable	Not applicable
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current					
Venture capital shares	16,604	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Others	32,900	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

December 31, 2022	Fair value	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable input	Range (weighted average)	Relationship of inputs to fair value
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current					
			Market price net profit after tax multiplier	23.03~24.62	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	\$ 1,179,907	Market approach	Price to book ratio multiple	2.93~4.92	
			Discount for lack of marketability	20%~30%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value
March 31, 2022	Fair value	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable input	Range (weighted average)	Relationship of inputs to fair value
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current					
			Price to book ratio multiple	2.71	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	\$ 64,728	Market approach	Discount for lack of marketability	25%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value
			Latest transaction price	Not applicable	Not applicable
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current					
Venture capital shares	13,633	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Others	33,600	Net asset value	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current					
			Price to book ratio multiple	2.11~2.80	The higher the multiple, the higher the fair value
Unlisted stocks	1,418,393	Market approach	Discount for lack of marketability	5.95%~9.19%	The higher the discount for lack of marketability, the lower the fair value

(E) Valuation process for fair value at Level 3

The parent company's risk management department is responsible for the verification of fair value categorized in Level 3. The department assesses the independence, reliability, consistency and representativeness of the source information, regularly verifies the valuation models and calibrates the parameters to ensure the valuation process and results are in compliance with IFRSs.

(F) For the fair value measurement of Level 3, the sensitivity analysis of the fair value to the reasonable alternative hypothesis shows that the fair value measurement of the financial assets by the Group is reasonable. However, use of different valuation models or assumptions may result in different measurement. The following is the impact to profit or loss or to other comprehensive income from financial assets and liabilities categorized within Level 3 if the inputs used in valuation models have changed up or down by 1%:

March 31, 2023	Recognised in profit or loss		Recognised in other comprehensive income	
	Favourable change	Unfavourable change	Favourable change	Unfavourable change
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current				
Unlisted stocks	\$ 1,433	(\$ 1,433)	\$ -	\$ -
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss -non-current				
Venture capital shares	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Others	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current				
Unlisted stocks	-	-	12,318	(12,318)
December 31, 2022	Recognised in profit or loss		Recognised in other comprehensive income	
	Favourable change	Unfavourable change	Favourable change	Unfavourable change
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current				
Unlisted stocks	\$ 1,405	(\$ 1,405)	\$ -	\$ -
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss -non-current				
Venture capital shares	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Others	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current				
Unlisted stocks	-	-	11,799	(11,799)
March 31, 2022	Recognised in profit or loss		Recognised in other comprehensive income	
	Favourable change	Unfavourable change	Favourable change	Unfavourable change
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current				
Unlisted stocks	\$ 647	(\$ 647)	\$ -	\$ -
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss -non-current				
Venture capital shares	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Others	Not applicable	Not applicable	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current				
Unlisted stocks	-	-	14,184	(14,184)

6) Capital management

A. Objective of capital management

- (A) The represented capital adequacy ratio basically shall not be lower than 200% in compliance with the warning standard addressed in the “Rules Governing Securities Firms”.
- (B) The Group includes all risks involved in the investment position as a part of risk management, such as market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, operating risk,

legal risk, and model risk and so on. Each risk management responsive unit should identify, evaluate, monitor and control various risks in order to enable the Group to defend impact from financial market, reflect the current operating strategies and make the investment portfolio applied to business planning and development.

B. Capital management policy and procedure

In order to secure the long-term and stable development of various businesses and effectively assume risks, the Group manages capital based on the business development, related regulations and financial market environment. Major capital evaluation processes include:

- (A) Each segment should provide accurate and valid source of information to maintain calculation accuracy of capital adequacy ratio.
- (B) After the reporting at the 10th of each month, capital adequacy ratio should be computed by the end of every month. If the result is close to the legal standard, every unit will be called to attend a meeting for discussion and strategic planning to ensure that the basic objective of capital adequacy ratio is not less than 200%.
- (C) Both the risk limits and economic capital of the Group should be agreed by the Board of Directors. The Group should quarterly report details of risk control with disclosure of investment condition in order to assess whether the risk position exceeds the limit and whether the investment direction is in line with the market trend. Within the authorized risk limits, the Group is actively engaged in development of various businesses and continually increases profit, creates company value, and complies with the capital management objective.

The Group calculates and reports the capital adequacy ratio according to “Rules Governing Securities Firms”. As of March 31, 2023, December 31, 2022 and March 31, 2022, the capital adequacy ratios were 320%, 390% and 412%, respectively, as required by the regulations.

7) Assets and liabilities of trust accounts

Pursuant to Article 17 of Enforcement Rules of the Trust Enterprise Act, balance sheet, income statement, and property list of trust accounts shall be disclosed in the consolidated financial statements on a semiannual basis.

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8) Status of the company in the limitations on financial ratios imposed by futures trading act, and the related implementation

The table below is prepared according to “Regulations Governing Futures Commission Merchants”.

Article	Calculation formula	March 31, 2023		March 31, 2022		Standard	Enforcement
		Calculation	Ratio	Calculation	Ratio		
17	Stockholders' equity	2,320,587	80.67	2,205,334	122.37	≥ 1	Met the requirement
	(Total liability – futures trader's equity)	28,766		18,022			
17	Current assets	6,169,881	214.49	5,035,317	279.39	≥ 1	Met the requirement
	Current liabilities	28,766		18,022			
22	Stockholders' equity	2,320,587	580.15%	2,205,334	551.33%	≥ 60%	Met the requirement
	Minimum paid-in capital	400,000		400,000		≥ 40%	
22	Adjusted net capital	1,629,728	133.17%	1,692,077	186.73%	≥ 20%	Met the requirement
	Total amount of customer margins required for the open positions of futures traders	1,223,838		906,157		≥ 15%	

9) Status of the subsidiary in the limitations on financial ratios imposed by the futures trading act and the related implementation

The table below is prepared according to “Regulations Governing Futures Commission Merchants”.

Article	Calculation formula	March 31, 2023		March 31, 2022		Standard	Enforcement
		Calculation	Ratio	Calculation	Ratio		
17	Stockholders' equity	2,716,942	12.07	2,777,989	13.80	≥ 1	Met the requirement
	(Total liability – futures trader's equity)	225,048		201,347			
17	Current assets	27,143,757	1.05	25,744,018	1.05	≥ 1	Met the requirement
	Current liabilities	25,797,818		24,542,053			
22	Stockholders' equity	2,716,942	421.23%	2,777,989	430.70%	≥ 60%	Met the requirement
	Minimum paid-in capital	645,000		645,000		≥ 40%	
22	Adjusted net capital	2,378,223	58.92%	2,447,750	58.04%	≥ 20%	Met the requirement
	Total amount of customer margins required for the open positions of futures traders	4,036,105		4,217,176		≥ 15%	

10) Prospective risk for futures trading

The main risk for futures merchants engaging in futures trading is credit risk, which could happen if the margin call cannot be made when it should have been made. While being consigned to conduct the futures trading, the Group pays attention to the individual margin account on a daily basis and request additional margin call or reduction in trading volume when necessary according to the condition of individual customer transactions in order to control the credit risk accordingly. The main risk faced by the Group while engaging in self-operating businesses is market price risk- that is risk of changes in market prices of futures or options contracts as a result of fluctuation in underlying investment index. Losses may occur if the market index price and underlying investment move adversely. However, the Group has set up stop-loss point to control such risk for reasons of risk management.

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13. OTHER DISCLOSURE ITEMS

1) Information about significant transactions

- A. Lending to others: Excluding security margin trading and conditional bond trading business, there is no lending of funds to either the shareholders or other parties.
- B. Endorsements and guarantees for others : None.
- C. Acquisitions of real estate exceeding \$300 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.
- D. Disposals of real estate exceeding \$300 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.
- E. Purchases or sales transactions discount on brokers' charges with related parties in excess of \$5 million : None.
- F. Receivables from related parties exceeding \$100 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.
- G. Significant transactions between parent company and subsidiaries

No. (Note1)	Company	Counterparty	Relationship (Note 2)	Details of transactions (Three months ended March 31, 2023)			Percentage (%) of total consolidated net revenues or assets (Note 3)
				Account	Amount	Conditions	
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Futures Margin - Own Funds	5,164,448	Note 4	4.54%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Deposit-out	34,000	Note 4	0.03%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Accounts receivables	3,490	Note 4	0.00%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Deposit-in	16,000	Note 4	0.01%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Other payables	2,272	Note 4	0.00%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Equity for each customer in the account	3,104	Note 4	0.00%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Future commission revenue	7,203	Note 4	0.39%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	1	Clearing charges	4,692	Note 4	0.25%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Capital Management Corp.	1	Expense from investment advisory	12,600	Note 4	0.68%
0	President Securities Corp.	President Insurance Agency Corp.	1	Other receivables	33,497	Note 4	0.03%

Note 1 : The numbers in the No. column are represented as follows:

1. The number zero is for parent company.
2. According to the sequential order, subsidiaries are numbered from 1.

Note 2 : There are three kinds of transactions between related parties and numbered from 1 to 3 were shown as follows (If transactions between parent company and subsidiaries or between subsidiaries refer to the same transaction, it is not required to disclose twice. For example, if the parent company has already disclosed its transaction with a subsidiary, then the subsidiary is not required to disclose the transaction; for transactions

between two subsidiaries, if one of the subsidiaries has disclosed the transaction, then the other is not required to disclose the transaction.)

1. Parent company to subsidiaries.

2. Subsidiaries to parent company.

3. Subsidiaries to subsidiaries.

Note 3 : The calculation basis of the trading amount accounting for the total consolidated net revenues or assets is that the account ending balance is divided by the total consolidated assets if it is attributed to the balance sheet accounts, and the accumulated trading amount of the interim period is divided by the total consolidated net revenues if it is attributed to the profit or loss accounts.

Note 4 : All the prices provided between related parties were traded by contracts.

Note 5 : Based on materiality, only the amounts of the transactions that were above \$1 million would be shown in the table.

2) Related information of investee companies

A. Related information of investee companies

Name of the investor	Name of the investee company	Location	Date of registration	Reference number and the date of approval letter issued by FSC	Major operating activities	Original investment		Ending Balance			Revenue of investee company	Net income (loss) of investee company	Investment income (loss) recognised by the Company	Cash dividends	Notes
						Balance on March 31, 2023	Balance on December 31, 2022	Shares	Percentage	Book value					
President Securities Corp.	President Futures Corp.	Taipei	1994.03.01	1994.03.01 Jing-Tou-Shen (83) Gong-Shang Letter No.1114 (Note 1)	Futures brokerage and dealer	\$ 644,650	\$ 644,650	63,817,303	96.69%	\$ 2,627,106	\$ 179,636	\$ 57,802	\$ 55,889	\$ -	Subsidiary of the Company
President Securities Corp.	President Capital Management Corp.	Taipei	1997.04.15	1997.02.25 (86) Tai-Cai-Zheng (4) Letter No.17769	Securities investment consulting	326,000	326,000	30,000,000	100.00%	304,523	17,118 (	372) (	371)	-	Subsidiary of the Company
President Securities Corp.	President Securities (HK) Ltd.	Hong Kong	1994.07.26	1993.11.4 (82) Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.40913	Securities dealer, underwriting, brokerage and consulting	848,735	848,735	192,600,000	100.00%	802,039	119 (	9,908) (	8,551)	503,620	Subsidiary of the Company
President Securities Corp.	President Wealth Management (HK) Ltd.	Hong Kong	2002.03.31	2001.12.11 (90) Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.166728	Wealth management	92,091	92,091	23,400,000	100.00%	59,758	-	91	91	-	Subsidiary of the Company

Name of the investor	Name of the investee company	Location	Date of registration	Reference number and the date of approval letter issued by FSC	Major operating activities	Original investment		Ending Balance			Revenue of investee company	Net income (loss) of investee company	Investment income (loss) recognised by the Company	Cash dividends	Notes
						Balance on March 31, 2023	Balance on December 31, 2022	Shares	Percentage	Book value					
President Securities Corp.	President Securities (Nominee) Ltd.	Hong Kong	1999.08.06	1997.10.27 (86) Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.04840	Nominee Service	\$ 3,403	\$ 3,403	1,000,000	100.00%	\$ 1,526	\$ -	(\$ 2)	(\$ 2)	\$ -	Subsidiary of the Company
President Securities Corp.	Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	Taipei	1992.09.03	2000.07.19 (89) Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.56407	Investment Trust	667,622	667,622	14,904,630	42.46%	793,954	317,336	103,784	44,070	-	Associates
President Securities Corp.	President Insurance Agency Corp.	Taipei	2008.04.29	(Note2)	Insurance Agent	10,000	10,000	1,000,000	100.00%	37,905	36,565	14,219	14,219	33,497	Subsidiary of the Company
President Securities Corp.	PSC Venture Capital Investment Limited Company	Taipei	2013.10.29	2013.08.08 Jing-Guan-Zheng-Chuan Letter No.1020028529	Consultation of investment management and venture capital; other unprohibited or unrestricted businesses beyond the permit	300,000	300,000	30,000,000	100.00%	281,250	15,458	13,750	13,749	-	Subsidiary of the Company
President Insurance Agency Corp.	Uni-President Asset Management Corp.	Taipei	1992.09.03	2000.07.19 (89) Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.56407	Investment Trust	478	478	12,000	0.03%	644	317,336	103,784	35	-	Associates

Note1 : As FSC was established in July, 2004, President Futures Corp. was approved by the Investment Commission, Ministry of Economic Affairs.

Note 2 : When securities corporations invest in domestic business within FSC's limitation, there is no need to obtain the approval from FSC in advance, according to Tai-Cai-Zheng (2) Letter No.0930000005.

Therefore, there was no reference numbers for President Insurance Agency Corp.

Note 3 : Subsidiary President Securities (HK) Ltd., President Wealth Management (HK) Ltd. and President Securities (Nominee) Ltd. were approved by the board of directors in March 2022 to deal with the dissolution and liquidation matters.

B. Lending to others: Excluding security margin trading and conditional bond trading business, there is no lending of funds to either the shareholders or other parties.

C. Endorsements and guarantees for others : None.

D. Acquisitions of real estate exceeding \$300 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.

E. Disposals of real estate exceeding \$300 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.

F. Purchases or sales transactions discount on brokers' charges with related parties in excess of \$5 million : None.

G. Receivables from related parties exceeding \$100 million or 20 percent of contributed capital : None.

3) Information of overseas branches and representative office: None.

4) Disclosure of investment in Mainland China

a) Information of investment in Mainland China

Investee in Mainland China	Main business activities	Paid-in capital (Note 4)	Investment method (Note 1)	Accumulated amount of remittance from Taiwan to Mainland China as of January 1, 2023	Amount remitted from Taiwan to Mainland China/ Amount remitted back to Taiwan for the three months ended March 31, 2023		Accumulated amount of remittance from Taiwan to Mainland China as of March 31, 2023	Net income of investee as of March 31, 2023	Ownership held by the Company (direct or indirect)	Investment income (loss) recognized by the Company for the three months ended March 31, 2023 (Note 2)	Book value of investments in Mainland China as of March 31, 2023	Accumulated amount of investment income remitted back to Taiwan as of March 31, 2023
					Remitted to Mainland China	Remitted back to Taiwan						
Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd.	Securities brokering, securities dealing, securities underwriting and sponsoring service	\$ 6,646,500	Directly invest in a company in Mainland China	\$ 3,138,169	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,138,169	(\$ 16,727)	49%	(\$ 2,993)	\$ 2,775,451	\$ -
										The financial statements that are reviewed by international accounting firm which has cooperative relationship with accounting firm in R.O.C.		

b) Limitation on investment in Mainland China (expressed in thousands of dollars)

Company name	Accumulated amount of remittance from Taiwan to Mainland China as of March 31, 2023	Investment amount approved by the Investment Commission of the Ministry of Economic Affairs (MOEA)	Ceiling on investments in Mainland China imposed by the Investment Commission of MOEA
Jin Yuan President Securities Co., Ltd.	\$ 3,138,169	\$ 3,138,169	\$ 18,264,864

Note 1: Investment methods are classified into the following three categories; fill in the number of category each case belongs to:

(1) Directly invest in a company in Mainland China.

(2) Through investing in an existing company in the third area, which then invested in the investee in Mainland. (Please indicate investment

company in the third area.)

(3) Others.

Note 2: In the 'Investment income (loss) recognized by the Company for the three months ended March 31, 2023' column:

(1) It should be indicated if the investee was still in the incorporation arrangements and had not yet any profit during this period.

(2) Indicate the basis for investment income (loss) recognition in the number of one of the following three categories:.

a. The financial statements that are reviewed and attested by international accounting firm which has cooperative relationship with accounting firm in R.O.C.

b. The financial statements that are reviewed and attested by R.O.C. parent company's CPA.

c. Others.

Note 3: The numbers in this table are expressed in New Taiwan Dollars.

Note 4: The paid-in capital of Jin Yuan President Securities Co.,Ltd is CNY 1.5 billion.

5) Major shareholder information

Major shareholder	Number of shares held (thousands)	Shareholding ratio
Uni-President Enterprises Corp.	417,516	28.67%

Note 1: The information of major shareholders in this table is based on the last business day of the end of each quarter by Taiwan Depository and Clearing Corp., which determines shareholders holding more than 5% of ordinary shares and special shares of securities firms that have completed unregistered delivery (including treasury shares). As for the share capital recorded in the financial report of the securities firm and the actual number of shares delivered by the securities firm without physical registration, there may be differences due to different calculation bases.

Note 2: In the case of the above information, if a shareholder delivers shares to the trust, it is disclosed in individual accounts by the trustee who opened the trust account by the trustee. As for the shareholders' declaration of insider's shareholding in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Act, their shareholding includes their own shareholding plus the shares delivered to the trust and the right to use the trust property. For information on insider's equity declaration, please refer to the Market Observation Post System.

14. SEGMENTS INFORMATION

1) General information

Financial information by the Group's segments is disclosed in accordance with IFRS 8. Management has determined the reportable operating segments based on the reports reviewed by the Chief Operating Decision-Maker (CODM) that are used to make strategic decisions. The Group's operating segments are classified into Brokerage, Quantitative Trading, Proprietary Trading, Fixed Income and Reinvestment according to the sources of income. The remaining operating results which have not reached the threshold requirements are consolidated in 'other operating segments'. Sources of income from products and services rendered by each segment are as follows:

- A. Brokerage segment: consigned trading of the listed securities, margin trading and short sale, assistance in futures trading and other instruments trading as approved by the regulations.
- B. Quantitative Trading segment: trading of domestic/overseas futures and options, ETF arbitrage, market maker, liquidity provider, hedging, spot/futures arbitrage as approved by Law.
- C. Capital Market segment: assisted companies in applying for public offerings and listings, undertook cash capital increase assessments, assisted in corporate mergers and acquisitions, and provided professional consulting on finance and financial management.
- D. Fixed Income segment: bonds segment is engaged in central government bonds, ordinary corporate bonds, convertible corporate bonds, and bills and bonds under repurchase or resale agreements transactions in OTC.
- E. Reinvestment segment: companies reinvested by the consolidated entities.
- F. Other operating segments include Proprietary Trading segment, Financial Instrument segment and Shareholder Services segment.

2) Segments information

The accounting policies applied to the Group's operating segments and summary of accounting policies disclosed in the notes to the financial statements are consistent and identical. The operating gains and losses are measured by the amount before tax and used as basis for performance appraisal. Income and expense attributable to each operating segment are attributed to the segmental gains and losses. Non-attributable indirect expenses and expenses from logistic support segment are amortized to each operating segment based on reasonable calculation standards and the expense nature. Those that cannot be reasonably amortized are listed under "Others"

3) Profit or loss of segments information

		Three months ended March 31, 2023							
		Brokerage segment	Quantitative Trading segment	Capital Market segment	Fixed Income segment	Reinvestment segment	Other operating segments	Others	Total
Segment revenues		\$ 797,197	\$ 223,903	\$ 173,429	\$ 331,000	\$ 248,896	\$ 124,409	(\$ 32,428)	\$ 1,866,406
Segment profit or loss		\$ 126,460	\$ 99,056	\$ 132,592	\$ 180,891	\$ 94,400	(\$ 57,068)	(\$ 3,733)	\$ 572,598

		Three months ended March 31, 2022							
		Brokerage segment	Quantitative Trading segment	Capital Market segment	Fixed Income segment	Reinvestment segment	Other operating segments	Others	Total
Segment revenues		\$ 1,043,545	\$ 50,697	\$ 17,103	(\$ 145,175)	\$ 281,594	(\$ 410,168)	\$ 41,602	\$ 879,198
Segment profit or loss		\$ 331,065	(\$ 88,364)	(\$ 11,997)	(\$ 169,319)	\$ 33,716	(\$ 634,171)	\$ 39,773	(\$ 499,297)

Note 1: As operating income (loss) in total is consistent with consolidated statement of comprehensive income, there is no need for adjustment.

Note 2: The Company measures the performance of reportable operating segment based on specific performance indicators instead of assets and liabilities. The performance of reportable operating segment is regularly reviewed and assessed by the CODM as a reference for making resources allocation decision.

4) Information on products and services

The Group's segments are based on different products and services, and had disclosed in general information. It disclosed the types of products and services of the Group's segments' source of income. There is no additional disclosure requirement on the income information of products and services.

5) Geographical information

The Group's external customer income from a single foreign country is immaterial, so it would not be disclosed.

6) Major customer information

The Group did not have any significant customers that account for more than 10% of its revenue, so it would not be disclosed.