

JAB Holding Company S.à r.l., Luxembourg

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Luxembourg

2019 Financial Statements
(with the report of the Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé thereon)

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REPORT OF THE REVISEUR D'ENTREPRISES AGREE

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of JAB Holding Company S.à r.l. (the "Company"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the cash flow statement for the year then ended and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 on the audit profession ("Law of 23 July 2016") and with International Standards on Auditing ("ISAs") as adopted for Luxembourg by the "Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier" ("CSSF"). Our responsibilities under the Law of 23 July 2016 and ISAs are further described in the « Responsibilities of "Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé" for the audit of the financial statements » section of our report. We are also independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("IESBA Code") as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities under those ethical requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of the Board of Managers for the financial statements

The Board of Managers is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the European Union, and for such internal control as the Board of Managers determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Board of Managers is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Managers either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Responsibilities of Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé for the audit of the financial statements

The objectives of our audit are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a report of "Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé" that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Managers.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Board of Managers use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our report of "Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé" to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our report of "Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé". However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.



We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Luxembourg, 10 March 2020

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JAB Holding Company S.à r.l., Luxembourg

Statement of Financial Position as of 31 December 2019

		31 December 2019		31 December 2018	
	note	in \$k	in \$k	in \$k	in \$k
<u>Non-current assets</u>					
Investments in subsidiaries	4	<u>24,681,262</u>		<u>20,137,589</u>	
			24,681,262		20,137,589
<u>Current assets</u>					
Other receivables	5	1,335		1,335	
Cash and cash equivalents	6	<u>349</u>		<u>188</u>	
			1,684		1,523
			<u>24,682,946</u>		<u>20,139,112</u>
<u>Shareholder's equity</u>					
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Issued share capital		8,797		8,889	
Share premium		9,637,312		9,899,089	
Retained earnings		<u>11,309,899</u>		<u>7,560,016</u>	
			20,956,008		17,467,994
<u>Non-current liabilities</u>					
Redeemable shares	9	1,586,782		0	
Other liabilities	10, 11	<u>741,603</u>		<u>433,950</u>	
			2,328,385		433,950
<u>Current liabilities</u>					
Redeemable shares	9	1,284,894		2,206,319	
Other liabilities	10, 11	<u>113,659</u>		<u>30,849</u>	
			1,398,553		2,237,168
			<u>24,682,946</u>		<u>20,139,112</u>

The notes on pages 7 to 36 are an integral part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income for the year ended 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	note	in \$k	in \$k
Net gain / (loss) on investments in subsidiaries	12	4,840,870	-1,618,946
Finance income	13	421	0
Finance expenses	13	-531,328	-68,681
Finance result		4,309,963	-1,687,627
General and administrative expenses	14	-500,322	-274,934
Profit / (loss) before income taxes		3,809,641	-1,962,561
Income tax expense	15	-6	-33
Profit / (loss) for the period		3,809,635	-1,962,594
Total comprehensive income / (loss) attributable to equity holder		3,809,635	-1,962,594

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Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 December 2019

	note	Share capital in \$k	Share premium in \$k	Retained earnings in \$k	Total equity in \$k
Balance as of 31 December 2017		8,800	9,836,177	9,522,610	19,367,587
Contributions	8	89	173,582	0	173,671
Repayment of share premium	8	0	-110,670	0	-110,670
Loss for the period		0	0	-1,962,594	-1,962,594
Total comprehensive loss		0	0	-1,962,594	-1,962,594
Balance as of 31 December 2018		8,889	9,899,089	7,560,016	17,467,994
Repayment of share premium	8	0	-101,462	0	-101,462
Reclassification of shares	8	-92	-160,315	-59,752	-220,159
Profit for the period		0	0	3,809,635	3,809,635
Total comprehensive income		0	0	3,809,635	3,809,635
Balance as of 31 December 2019		8,797	9,637,312	11,309,899	20,956,008

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Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	note	in \$k	in \$k
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit / (loss) for the period		3,809,635	-1,962,594
Adjustments for:			
Share-based payment transactions	10	415,746	229,575
Net (gain) / loss from change in fair value of investments in subsidiaries	12	-4,840,870	1,618,946
Income tax expense		6	33
Finance income	13	-421	0
Finance expense	13	531,328	68,681
		-84,576	-45,359
Change in other receivables	5	0	1,875
Change in other current liabilities	11	405	4,271
Net foreign exchange gain / (loss)		118	-46
Income taxes paid		-6	-33
Net cash used in operating activities		-84,059	-39,292
Cash flows from investing activities			
Capital repayments from investments in subsidiaries	4	194,020	114,228
Contribution payments to investments in subsidiaries	4	-5,800	-1,000
Net cash from investing activities		188,220	113,228
Cash flows from financing activities			
Payments from issue of redeemable shares	9	37,319	9,183
Capital repayments on redeemable shares	9	-141,662	-83,053
Interest paid		343	-1
Net cash used in financing activities		-104,000	-73,871
Movement in cash and cash equivalents		161	65
Cash and cash equivalents as of 1 January		188	123
Cash and cash equivalents as of 31 December	6	349	188

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Notes to the financial statements

1. Reporting entity

JAB Holding Company S.à r.l. (the "Company") is a Company domiciled in Luxembourg. The address of the Company's registered office is 4, Rue Jean Monnet, L-2180 Luxembourg. The Company's object is to act as a holding company and therefore the acquisition of participations. The Company is focused on generating superior returns from long-term investments in companies with premium brands and strong growth and margin dynamics.

The Company is formed for an unlimited period.

As of 31 December 2019, the Company's main shareholder is Joh. A. Benckiser B.V., following a contribution of shares in the Company from Agnaten SE to Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. is domiciled in Piet Heinkade 55, 1019 GM Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

In December 2011, the Company entered into a comprehensive agreement with Agnaten SE, Lucrezca SE, an Advisory Committee and further investors. The agreement envisages a long-term support for Agnaten SE and Lucrezca SE by the Advisory Committee to further develop the Group's business. The agreement provides for a service agreement and a long-term incentive plan for the Advisory Committee as well as capital contributions of the Advisory Committee and other investors.

2. Statement of compliance

The separate financial statements ("financial statements") have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union ("IFRS").

These financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Managers on 10 March 2020.

These financial statements represent the statutory annual accounts.

3. Significant accounting policies

The financial statements prepared in conformity with IFRS require management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation of uncertainty at the reporting date relate to the fair value determination of the Company's investments, the determination of the redemption amount of the Company's redeemable shares and the valuation of the share-based payment scheme. Management uses its judgment in selecting appropriate valuation techniques.

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The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors, such as planning as well as expectations and forecasts of future events that are deemed to be reasonable. As a consequence of the uncertainty actual results may differ from the estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis.

Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared on the basis of the going concern assumption.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for the valuation of financial assets and financial liabilities (including derivative financial instruments) which are carried at fair value through profit or loss.

The financial statements are presented in thousands of US-Dollars (\$), which is the functional currency of the Company.

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently during the year presented in these separate financial statements.

3.1 Changes in significant accounting policies and disclosures

New and amended standards adopted by the Company

A number of new standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) are effective for the first time for an accounting period that begins on or after 1 January 2019. Their adoption has not had a significant impact on the Company's financial statements but may impact the accounting for future transactions or arrangements.

New standards and interpretations not yet adopted by the Company

A number of new standards are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Company has not early adopted the new or amended standards in preparing these financial statements. None of these are expected to have a significant effect on the financial statements of the Company.

3.2 Consolidation

The Company prepares consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU. The consolidated financial statements which are subject to publication as prescribed by the Luxembourg Law are available at the Companies' Register of Luxembourg.

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3.3 Foreign currency transactions

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated to USD at the exchange rate at that date. Foreign currency differences arising on translation are recognised in profit or loss, except for differences arising on a financial liability designated as a hedge of the net investment in a foreign operation, or qualifying cash flow hedges, which are recognised directly in equity.

In the financial report \$ is used as a symbol for US-Dollar and € is used as a symbol for Euro.

3.4 Determination of fair value

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Purchases and sales are in general accounted for at the settlement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place in the principal or, in its absence, the most advantageous market for the asset or liability. The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible for the Company.

The most reliable evidence of fair value is quoted prices in an active market. A market is regarded as active if transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis. For all other financial instruments not traded in an active market, the fair value is determined by using appropriate valuation techniques, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Valuation techniques include using recent arm's length transactions, reference to the current market value of another instrument that is substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis and option pricing models making as much use of available and supportable market data as possible.

3.5 Investments in subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are those entities controlled by the Company. The Company controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. In assessing control, potential voting rights that presently are exercisable or convertible are taken into account. According to IAS 27, the Company is applying the same accounting policy choice for each category of investments. Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for in accordance with IFRS 9 at FVTPL.

3.6 Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract giving rise to a financial asset of one party and a financial liability or equity instrument of another party. In accordance with IFRS 9, all financial assets and liabilities – which also include derivative financial instruments – have to be recognised in the statement of financial position and measured in accordance with their assigned categories.

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

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Financial assets are derecognised when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the investments have expired or the Company has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership. Financial liabilities are derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position if the Company has a legal right to set off the recognised amounts and it intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Financial assets

In accordance with IFRS 9, the Company classifies its non-derivative financial assets as subsequently measured at FVTPL or at amortised cost based on both the Company's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Financial assets at FVTPL

Financial assets classified at FVTPL are those that are managed with their performance evaluated on a fair value basis. The Company's investments measured at FVTPL include equity instruments and debt instruments. Those investments are initially recognised at the fair value and changes therein recognised in profit or loss. Attributable transaction costs are expensed in profit or loss as incurred.

The Company is focused on long-term investments, which are presented as non-current assets.

Financial assets at FVTPL that the Company acquires or incurs principally for the purpose of selling in the near-term or holds as part of a portfolio that is managed together for short-term profit or position taking are presented in the statement of financial position as short-term financial investments.

Financial assets at amortised cost

Other non-derivative financial assets are classified as measured at amortised cost in accordance with IFRS 9, which includes the requirement to calculate expected credit losses ("ECLs") on initial recognition.

The Company's financial assets at amortised cost include cash and cash equivalents, loans at amortised cost and other receivables. Those assets are recognised initially at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs. Any ECLs are recognised directly in profit or loss, with any subsequent reversals recognised in profit or loss.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term investments in an active market with original maturities of three months and less, bank overdrafts and money market funds with daily liquidity and all highly liquid financial instruments that mature within three months of being purchased.

Cash and cash equivalents are subject to the impairment requirements of IFRS 9. Cash and cash equivalents were placed with quality financial institutions and could be withdrawn on short notice. Therefore, the ECLs on cash and cash equivalents were immaterial, as well as the identified impairment loss for the other financial assets subject to the expected credit loss model.

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Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities are classified at amortised cost and include loans and borrowings, lease liabilities, trade and other payables. The Company did not designate financial liabilities as at FVTPL.

Loans and borrowings

After initial recognition at fair value, net of transactions costs incurred, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the effective interest method amortisation process.

Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables include liabilities for goods and services. After initial recognition, trade and other payables are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. The effective interest amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of profit or loss.

Redeemable shares

Different classes of the Company's shares contain put features. The shares are redeemable under certain conditions that are out of the Company's control. An obligation to purchase its own equity instruments gives rise to a financial liability. As such the shares are recognised as a liability. The redeemable shares are carried at amortised cost which corresponds to the redemption amount that would be payable at the reporting date if the holder would put the shares at this date. Changes in the measurement of that financial liability are recognised in profit or loss.

Derivative financial instruments

As of 31 December 2019, the Company does not hold derivative financial instruments other than put features included in share-based transactions.

3.7 Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets, other than deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit").

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its cash-generating unit exceeds its estimated recoverable amount.

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3.8 Provisions

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability.

3.9 Net gain / (loss) on investments in subsidiaries

Net gain / (loss) on investments in subsidiaries comprises changes in the fair value and gains on the disposal of financial assets at FVTPL.

3.10 Dividend income

Dividend income is recognised in profit or loss on the date that the Company's right to receive payment is established, which in the case of quoted securities is the ex-dividend date.

3.11 Finance income and finance expenses

Finance income comprises interest income on bank deposits and liquidity funds. Interest income is recognised as it accrues in profit or loss, using the effective interest method.

Finance expenses comprise interest expenses on borrowings, dividends on redeemable shares classified as liabilities and changes in the redemption amount of redeemable shares classified as liabilities. All borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

Foreign currency gains and losses are reported on a net basis.

Income and expenses are presented on a net basis only when permitted under IFRS, for example, for gains and losses arising from a group of similar transactions, such as gains and losses from financial instruments at FVTPL.

3.12 Income tax expense

Income tax on the profit or loss for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity, in which case it is recognised in equity.

Current tax liability is calculated in accordance with the tax regulations of the state of residence of the Company and is based on the income or loss reported under local accounting regulations, adjusted for appropriate permanent and temporary differences from taxable income. Income taxes are calculated on an individual Company basis as the tax laws do not permit consolidated tax returns.

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Deferred tax is provided using the liability method, providing for temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. The amount of deferred tax provided is based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted in the expected period of settlement of deferred tax.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

3.13 Share-based payment transactions

Share-based payment transactions are recognised over the period in which the performance and for service conditions are fulfilled. Equity-settled transactions are recognised in other capital reserves in equity, while cash-settled transactions are recognised as a liability, including transactions with instruments that contain put features.

The Company runs cash-settled transactions or transactions with shares that contain put features. The cumulative expense recognised for share-based payment transactions at each reporting date until the vesting date reflects the extent to which the vesting period has expired and the Company's best estimate of the number of instruments that will ultimately vest with recognition of a corresponding liability. The liability is re-measured to fair value at each reporting date up to and including the settlement date, with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.

3.14 Preparation of the cash flow statement

The cash flow statement is presented using the indirect method. Net cash flows from operating activities are reconciled from profit for the period.

Changes in statement of financial position items that have not resulted in cash flows such as translation differences, fair value changes, contributions in kind, conversions of debt to equity etc. have been eliminated for the purpose of preparing this statement.

Dividends paid and capital repayments to ordinary shareholders are included in financing activities. Dividends, capital repayments from investees and interest received are classified as investing activities. Interest paid is included in financing activities.

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4. Investments in subsidiaries

At year-end, the Company holds interest in the following investments in subsidiaries:

	2019 %	2018 %
JAB Investments S.à r.l. 4, Rue Jean Monnet, 2180 Luxembourg	100.0	100.0

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
JAB Investments S.à r.l.		
Share capital	25	25
Equity	24,681,262	20,137,589
Profit / (loss) for the period	4,840,870	-1,618,946

The movements in the investments in subsidiaries can be detailed as follows:

	JAB Investments S.à r.l. in \$k
Balance as of 31 December 2017	21,806,980
Contribution	174,671
Capital repayment	-225,116
Change in fair value	-1,618,946
Balance as of 31 December 2018	<u>20,137,589</u>
Contribution	8,100
Capital repayment	-305,297
Change in fair value	4,840,870
Balance as of 31 December 2019	<u>24,681,262</u>

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In 2019, the Company made cash contributions to JAB Investments S.à r.l. in the amount of \$8.1m and received repayments from JAB Investments S.à r.l. in the amount of \$305.3m. Thereof, contributions amounting to \$2.3m were directly made to its indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V., whereas capital repayments amounting to \$101.5m were made directly by JAB Holdings B.V. to shareholders of the Company (see note 8) and an amount of \$10.1m was received in kind.

In 2018, the Company made contributions to JAB Investments S.à r.l. with an amount of \$174.7m and received repayments from JAB Investments S.à r.l. in the amount of \$225.1m. Thereof, contributions amounting to \$173.7m were directly made from the shareholders of the Company to its indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V., whereas capital repayments amounting to \$110.7m were directly made by JAB Holdings B.V. to shareholders of the Company (see note 8).

All contributions were measured at fair value at the time of contribution. After initial measurement the subsidiary is subsequently measured at FVTPL.

5. Other receivables

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Others	1,335	1,335
	1,335	1,335

The other receivables are short-term.

6. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents as of 31 December 2019 in the amount of \$349k (2018: \$188k) only include bank deposits available on demand.

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7. Issued capital

At year-end issued capital comprises:

	Number	Nominal	Number	Nominal
	2019	value	2018	value
	in \$k	in \$k	in \$k	in \$k
Ordinary Class A shares	8,888,582	8,889	8,888,582	8,889
Ordinary Class B shares	780,118	780	767,184	767
Special Class S shares	1,347,563	1,348	1,407,023	1,407
Issued share capital	11,016,263	11,017	11,062,789	11,063

Each share has a nominal value of \$1.00.

Class A shares regularly do not contain put features and are classified as equity unless transferred to shareholders with redemptions rights. Reclassification from equity to a financial liability is recognised upon such transfer of shares. Following the transfer these shares are redesignated to another share class (Class B shares or Class S shares).

Class B shares and Class S shares are redeemable under certain conditions that are out of the Company's control and have been classified as liabilities (see note 9).

8. Shareholder's equity

As of 31 December 2019, the Company's share capital and share premium recognised in equity consists of 8,796,619 (2018: 8,888,582) Class A shares with a total nominal value of \$8.8m (2018: \$8.9m) and a share premium of \$9,637.3m (2018: \$9,899.1m).

In 2019, no Class A shares were issued. In 2018, 88,382 Class A shares were issued with a nominal value of \$0.1m and a share premium in the amount of \$173.6m. Capital payments were made directly from shareholders to JAB Holdings B.V.

In 2019, 91,963 Class A shares with a nominal value of \$0.1m and a share premium in the amount of \$160.3m were transferred to shareholders with redemption rights and reclassified from equity to a financial liability. The redesignation of these shares to Class B shares was formally resolved and completed on 21 January 2020.

In 2019, no dividend was paid to the Class A shareholders (2018: \$0.0m). Capital repayments out of the share premium in the amount of \$101.5m (2018: \$110.7m) were made directly from JAB Holdings B.V. to shareholders of Class A shares.

In respect of the current year, the directors propose no dividend and to carry forward the retained earnings. This proposal is subject to approval by shareholders at the annual general meeting.

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9. Redeemable shares

Different classes of the Company's shares contain put features. The shares are redeemable under certain conditions that are out of the Company's control. As such the shares are recognised as liability.

The redeemable shares are carried at the redemption amount that would be payable as of the reporting date if the holders would put the shares at this date.

The redemption amount is determined based on valuation rules that have been contractually agreed with the shareholders. As of 31 December, the redemption amount is calculated on the basis of the Company's direct and indirect investments.

The redeemable shares are carried at \$2,871.7m (2018: \$2,206.3m), including shares held by the management in the amount of \$2,692.0m (2018: \$2,050.6m).

As of 31 December 2019, all redeemable shares are redeemable in short-term, if specific criteria are met. The payment obligation following the exercise of the put rights can result in long-term obligations for specific shares. The right to put the shares will be suspended if the redemption would lead to a default under the financing agreements of the indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V.

Payment obligations following the exercise of the put rights for certain shares are due to be settled in short-term and for other shares are due to be settled over a period of 10 years after redemption with the Company's right to pre-pay the outstanding amount. Redemption amounts with an earliest possible due date within twelve months after the reporting period are presented as current liabilities (\$1,284.9m; 2018: \$2,206.3m) and the other redemption amounts with an earliest possible due date of at least twelve months after the reporting period are presented as non-current liabilities (\$1,586.8m; 2018: \$0.0m).

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The following table illustrates the movements in the redeemable shares in 2019:

	Ordinary Class A shares		Ordinary Class B shares		Special Class S shares		Carrying amount
	Number	Nominal value in \$k	Number	Nominal value in \$k	Number	Nominal value in \$k	in \$k
In issue as of 31 December 2017			596,142	596	1,173,554	1,174	1,790,612
Issued for cash			2,066	2	249,113	249	10,688
Exercise of share options			385,890	386	0	0	816,495
Redeemed to the Company			-216,914	-217	-15,645	-16	-464,872
Capital repayment/distributions							-16,187
Change in redemption amount							69,583
In issue as of 31 December 2018	0	0	767,184	767	1,407,022	1,407	2,206,319
Issued for cash			16,229	16	30,998	31	37,319
Exercise of share options			37,000	37	0	0	81,807
Redeemed to the Company			-40,295	-40	-90,458	-90	-189,704
Reclassification of shares	91,963	92	0	0	0	0	220,159
Capital repayment/distributions							-17,092
Change in redemption amount							532,868
In issue as of 31 December 2019	91,963	92	780,118	780	1,347,563	1,348	2,871,676

16,229 (2018: 2,066) Class B shares and 30,998 (2018: 249,113) Class S shares were issued for cash in 2019. Thereof, 0 (2018: 328) shares relate to new investments following the exercise of options.

In 2019, 91,963 Class A shares were reclassified from equity to a financial liability following a transfer of shares in connection with the granting of redemption rights. The redesignation of these Class A shares to Class B shares was formally resolved and completed in January 2020. No reclassification took place in 2018. Reclassification was measured at the shares' fair value estimated with the potential redemption amount at the date of reclassification. Any difference between the carrying value of the equity instrument and the fair value was recognised in equity.

In 2019, 314,000 special class S shares with a carrying amount of \$375.9m were redeemed to the Company with legal effect in March 2020. Additional 10,000 class B shares will be due for redemption by the Company at an aggregate redemption price of \$25.2m before the end of March 2020. Therefore, those shares continue to be included under redeemable shares as of 31 December 2019.

The average issue price (for one ordinary share or five special shares) was \$2,207 (2018: \$2,115).

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In 2019, no dividend was paid to Class B and special Class S shareholders out of retained earnings (2018: \$0.0). Capital repayments to these shareholders in the amount of \$17.1m were made in 2019 (2018: \$16.2m). No capital repayments and no dividend were made to Class A shareholders after reclassification.

10. Share-based payments

The Company has share purchase agreements with the members of the Advisory Committee as well as with members of its management team and executives and senior managers of the Company and its affiliates. The shares contain put features to sell shares back to the Company for cash. As such the shares are recorded as a liability at the potential redemption amount (see note 9). The expense recognised arising from share-purchase agreements during the year was \$1.2m (2018: \$1.2m).

Further, the Company has share option schemes for the members of the Advisory Committee as well as members of its management team and executives and senior managers of the Company and its affiliates. Options may be exercised at any time from the date of vesting to the date of their expiry. The exercise of an option will be suspended if the redemption would lead to a default under the financing agreements of the indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V.

All options related to share-based compensation plans were granted at the redemption amount of the underlying shares (see note 9).

The options are settled in cash by payment of the net value of the option. The net value is determined by the amount, if any, by which the redemption amount per share at the exercise date exceeds the strike price. Alternatively, the holder of the option – at the grant of the option – may waive the right for cash settlement. In case of such a waiver the option will be settled either by payment of the strike price in cash for the issue of the corresponding new shares or in a cashless way by the issue of new shares with a combined redemption amount which is equal to the net value of the options that have been exercised. The Company's share-based compensation plans are accounted for as liability as they either allow for cash settlement or in case of non-cash-settlement contain put features to sell shares back to the Company for cash. The options are time vesting (5 years) without performance restrictions and have a graded vesting or a cliff vesting with the compensation expense recognised during the vesting period.

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Share options outstanding at the end of the year have the following vesting conditions and contractual lives:

Options granted	Vesting Conditions	Contractual Life of Options	Number of Options 31 December 2019	Number of Options 31 December 2018
2013	Graded vesting over vesting period of 5 service years (annual instalments) from grant date	10 years	0	37,000
2013	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	15,000	15,000
2014	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	0	8,918
2015	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	9,495	9,495
2016	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	2,808	2,808
2017	Graded vesting over vesting period of 5 service years (annual instalments) from grant date	10 years	839,144	839,144
2017	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	97,731	132,731
2018	Graded vesting over vesting period of 5 service years (annual instalments) from grant date	10 years	192,038	192,038
2018	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	83,068	97,740
2019	Graded vesting over vesting period of 5 service years (annual instalments) from grant date	10 years	31,405	0
2019	Vesting after 5 years' service from grant date	10 years	72,687	0
Total number of options			1,343,376	1,334,874

The fair value of each option grant was estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. This model takes into account the characteristics of the plan such as the exercise price and exercise period, and market data at the grant date such as the risk-free rate, share price (redemption amount), volatility, expected dividends and behavioural assumptions regarding beneficiaries. The expected life of the options is based on management's assumptions and is below the contractual life.

The expected volatility is based on a peer group analysis using historical information, which may not necessarily reflect the actual outcome.

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The following table lists the weighted average inputs for the measurement of the fair values at grant date for the share option granted during the year and the inputs used for the measurement of the fair values of the outstanding share options at the end of the year ended 31 December 2019:

	Grant date 2019	Measurement date 31 Dec. 2019	Grant date 2018	Measurement date 31 Dec. 2018
Dividend yield (%)	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%
Expected volatility (%)	30.0%	30.0%	30.0%	30.0%
Risk-free interest rate (%)	2.4%	1.8%	2.8%	2.6%
Expected life of options (years)	7.5 years	4.0 years	7.3 years	4.7 years
Exercise price (USD)	2,205	1,858	2,059	1,819
Share price (redemption amount) (USD)	2,205	2,521	2,059	2,030

The weighted average fair value of options granted during the year was \$762 (2018: \$745).

The following table illustrates the number and weighted average exercise prices of, and movements in, share option schemes during the year:

	Number of options 2019	Weighted average exercise price 2019	Number of options 2018	Weighted average exercise price 2018
Balance at beginning of year (outstanding)	1,334,874	1,819	1,580,842	1,572
Granted during the year	104,092	2,205	289,778	2,059
Lapsed during the year	0	0	134,856	1,738
Exercised during the year	95,590	1,686	400,890	1,049
Expired during the year	0	0	0	0
Balance at end of year (outstanding)	1,343,376	1,858	1,334,874	1,819
Vested and exercisable at end of year	188,135	1,737	52,000	1,491

As of 31 December 2019, the carrying amount of the liability relating to the share option schemes is \$845.6m (2018: \$457.9m). As of 31 December 2019, options amounting to \$107.1m (2018: \$25.9m) are qualified as current and \$738.5m (2018: \$432.0m) as non-current.

188,135 options had vested as of 31 December 2019 (2018: 52,000). The intrinsic value of liabilities for vested options is \$147.5m (2018: \$28.0m).

The weighted-average share price at the date of exercise for share options exercised in 2019 was \$2,274 (2018: \$2,113).

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58,590 (2018: 15,000) options were settled in cash by payment of the net value of the options in the amount of \$29.4m (2018: \$7.9m), of which \$0.0m (2018: \$0.7m) were used for the investment into 0 redeemable shares (Ordinary Class B shares) (2018: 328). 37,000 options (2018: 385,890) were exercised by payment of the strike price in cash for the issue of 37,000 (2018: 385,890) redeemable shares (37,000 Ordinary Class B shares (2018: 385,890)). In 2018, the Company's subsidiary JAB Investments S.à r.l. granted short-term facilities to finance the strike price of 22,890 options, which was paid back on the same day from the proceeds from redemption of shares.

The range of exercise prices for options outstanding at the end of the year was \$1,501 to \$2,333 (2018: \$1,363 to 2,121).

The expense recognised for the period arising from the share-option schemes during the year was \$445.1m (2018: expense \$236.9m).

11. Other liabilities

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Share-based transactions	845,608	457,850
Trade and other payables	9,654	6,948
	855,262	464,798
thereof current	113,659	30,848
thereof non-current	741,603	433,950

Other liabilities in the amount of \$4.9m (2018: \$3.9m) relate to a service agreement with JAB Holding Company LLC.

Accrued service costs, trade and other payables and payables to related parties will be settled in short-term.

12. Net gain / (loss) on investments in subsidiaries

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Net gain / (loss) on investments in subsidiaries at FVTPL		
JAB Investments S.à r.l.	4,840,870	-1,618,946
	4,840,870	-1,618,946

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13. Finance income and finance expenses

Finance income can be detailed as follows:

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Net foreign exchange gain	421	0
	421	0

Finance expenses can be detailed as follows:

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Change in redemption amount of redeemable shares	-531,321	-68,418
Interest expense on financial liabilities	-7	0
Net foreign exchange loss	0	-263
	-531,328	-68,681

Changes in the measurement of redeemable shares (see note 9) are recognised in profit or loss.

14. General and administrative expenses

General and administrative expenses can be detailed as follows:

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Salary and personnel related expenses	-893	-446
Service fees	-498,618	-273,939
Legal, tax, audit and consultancy fees	-777	-541
Others	-34	-8
	-500,322	-274,934

Service and other fees include expenses for share-based payment transactions in the amount of \$445.1m (2018: \$236.9m).

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15. Taxes on income

The Company has a net loss carry-forward amounting to approximately \$254.4m (2018: \$200.3m). Thereof \$122.9m expire between 2034 and 2035. A deferred tax asset has not been recognised, due to the uncertainty of the future taxable income.

The reconciliation of the movement in the loss carry-forward can be detailed as follows:

	2019 in \$k	2018 in \$k
Accounting profit / (loss) for the period	3,809,635	-1,962,594
Income tax expense	6	33
Tax exempt (gain) / loss on investments in subsidiaries	-4,840,870	1,618,946
Non-deductible expenses for tax purposes	977,152	304,690
Adjustments prior year	0	0
Taxable profit / (loss) for the period	-54,077	-38,925

16. Related parties

16.1 Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. (formerly Donata Holdings B.V.)

Following a contribution of shares in JAB Holding Company S.à r.l. from Agnaten SE to Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. (formerly Donata Holdings B.V.), the entity is the majority shareholder of JAB Holding Company S.à r.l.

16.2 Agnaten SE

Agnaten SE, Vienna, is the majority shareholder of Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. Agnaten SE has established the Company and is a party in the comprehensive agreement with Lucrezca SE and the Advisory Committee.

16.3 Lucrezca SE and affiliated companies

Lucrezca SE, Vienna, is a further shareholder of Joh. A. Benckiser B.V. Lucrezca SE is a holding Company controlled closely by members of the family of the shareholders of Agnaten SE. Lucrezca SE is a party in the comprehensive agreement with the Advisory Committee.

16.4 JAB Investments S.à r.l.

The Company holds a 100% share in JAB Investments S.à r.l., Luxembourg.

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16.5 JAB Holdings B.V.

JAB Holdings B.V., Amsterdam, is a 100% subsidiary of JAB Investments S.à r.l. JAB Holdings B.V.'s investments include participations in Acorn Holdings B.V. (through JAB Forest B.V.), Pret Panera Holding Company Group (through Pret Panera I G.P. and Pret Panera III G.P.), Krispy Kreme Group (through KK G.P.), Cottage Holdco B.V. (through JAB Cosmetics B.V.), Compassion-First Group (through Petcare G.P.) and JAB Luxury GmbH (through Labelux Group GmbH in Liqu.).

16.6 JAB Consumer Fund

JAB Consumer Fund was created to share the JAB investment strategy with professional and semi-professional investors.

16.7 Management

The Company and its investments are managed by an Advisory Committee and further management including executives and senior managers of the Company and its affiliates. The Company's agreements with management comprise agreements on base remunerations, share-based payments, loans as well as management's investment in the Company. Expenses for management's compensation amount to \$473.0m (2018: expenses \$259.3m), thereof \$445.1m (2018: expenses \$236.9m) with regard to share-based payment transactions.

In 2019, 91,963 Class A shares with a nominal value of \$0.1m and a share premium in the amount of \$160.3m were transferred to members of the management with redemption rights and reclassified from equity to a financial liability. The redesignation of these shares to Class B shares was formally resolved and completed on 21 January 2020.

In 2019, 53,229 Class B shares (2018: 387,956) and 30,998 special Class S shares (2018: 249,113) with a carrying amount of \$119.1m (2018: \$827.2m) were issued to members of the management (either in cash or exercise of options). 35,295 Class B shares (2018: 216,914) and 90,458 special Class S shares (2018: 15,645) with a carrying amount of \$178.0m (2018: \$464.9m) were redeemed by members of management to the Company.

In addition, 10,000 Class B shares and 314,000 special Class S shares with a carrying amount of \$401.1m were redeemed to the Company with legal effect in March 2020 (see note 9).

16.8 Employees and remuneration of Directors

In 2019, the Company had two Managing Directors who received salaries of in total \$1.8m (2018: \$0.4m). The Company had on average one employee in 2019 (2018: one employee).

During the financial year, no loans, advances or guarantees were granted to members of the board of managers or other administrative bodies.

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17. Contingent liabilities

As of 31 December 2019, the Company provides a guarantee to banks for credit facilities of its affiliated Company JAB Holdings B.V. amounting to €3,000.0m (2018: €2,600.0m). Furthermore, the Company provides an unconditional and irrevocable guarantee for bond liabilities of its affiliated company JAB Holdings B.V. amounting to €6,863.2m (2018: €6,000.0m).

The Company is a defendant in stockholder class action and derivative lawsuit along with three other JAB Group Companies (JAB Holdings B.V., JAB Cosmetics B.V., Cottage Holdco B.V.), which the complaint alleges all have acted in concert to control Coty Inc. The plaintiffs, stockholders of Coty Inc., allege that controlling stockholders of Coty Inc. breached fiduciary duties to the minority stockholders in connection with a partial tender offer for shares of Coty Inc. Plaintiffs contend that the tender offer injured the stockholders who tendered because it was purportedly coercive and unfairly priced. Plaintiffs also contend that the non-tendering stockholders were injured because the JAB Group gained mathematical control of Coty Inc. as a result of the tender offer, thereby depriving the minority stockholders of a control premium. The case is still at its early stages. It is intended to move to dismiss the complaint.

18. Financial instruments – Fair Value and Risk Management

18.1 Capital Management

The Board's policy is to maintain a strong capital base so as to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence and to sustain future development of the business. The board of managers together with the Advisory Committee monitors the return on capital and the value enhancement of the Company's investments.

The Board seeks to maintain a balance between the higher returns that might be possible with higher levels of borrowings and the advantage and security afforded by a sound capital position. The Company has no direct investments and no material liabilities except for liabilities due to share-based transactions and shares with put-rights. Its only material asset is the participation in JAB Investments S.à r.l., an intermediary holding company.

As of 31 December 2019, equity amounts to \$20,956.0m (2018: \$17,468.0m) and liabilities amount to \$3,726.9m (2018: \$2,671.1m).

The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

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18.2 Financial instruments and fair value hierarchy

The Company classified its financial instruments by category as set out below:

	31 December 2019			31 December 2018		
	Amortised cost in \$k	FVTPL in \$k	Total in \$k	Amortised cost in \$k	FVTPL in \$k	Total in \$k
Assets as per statement of financial position						
Investments in subsidiaries	0	24,681,262	24,681,262	0	20,137,589	20,137,589
Other receivables	1,335	0	1,335	1,335	0	1,335
Cash and cash equivalents	349	0	349	188	0	188
Total	1,684	24,681,262	24,682,946	1,523	20,137,589	20,139,112

	31 December 2019			31 December 2018		
	Amortised cost in \$k	Redeemable shares in \$k	Total in \$k	Amortised cost in \$k	Redeemable shares in \$k	Total in \$k
Liabilities as per statement of financial position						
Redeemable shares	0	2,871,676	2,871,676	0	2,206,319	2,206,319
Other liabilities	9,653	0	9,653	6,948	0	6,948
Total	9,653	2,871,676	2,881,329	6,948	2,206,319	2,213,267

The redeemable shares are carried at amortised cost which corresponds to the redemption amount that would be payable at the reporting date if the holder would put the shares at this date. Since the redemption amount is calculated based on the fair value of the Company's direct and indirect investments the redeemable shares are presented separately from the other financial liabilities at amortised cost.

Cash and cash equivalents as well as other receivables are subject to the impairment requirements of IFRS 9. As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, cash and cash equivalents were placed with quality financial institutions and could be withdrawn on short notice. Therefore, the expected credit loss on cash and cash equivalents and other receivables was immaterial, as well as the identified impairment loss for the other receivables subject to the expected credit loss model.

The Company uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

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Financial instruments in Level 1

The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets is based on quoted market prices at the reporting date. A market is regarded as active if transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Financial instruments in Level 2

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined by using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where it is available and rely as little as possible on entity specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in Level 2.

Financial instruments in Level 3

If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in Level 3. Financial instruments included in Level 3 comprise shares in JAB Investments S.à r.l.

The table below analyses financial instruments carried at fair value by valuation technique. It does not include fair value information of financial assets and liabilities not measured at fair value because their carrying amounts are a reasonable approximate of fair values.

	31 December 2019			
	Level 1 in \$k	Level 2 in \$k	Level 3 in \$k	Total in \$k
Financial assets at FVTPL				
Investments in subsidiaries				
Unlisted equity investments	0	0	24,681,262	24,681,262
Total financial assets	0	0	24,681,262	24,681,262

	31 December 2018			
	Level 1 in \$k	Level 2 in \$k	Level 3 in \$k	Total in \$k
Financial assets at FVTPL				
Investments in subsidiaries				
Unlisted equity investments	0	0	20,137,589	20,137,589
Total financial assets	0	0	20,137,589	20,137,589

There were no transfers between the levels for the years ended 31 December 2019 and 2018.

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The following table shows a reconciliation of all movements in the fair value of financial instruments categorised within Level 3 between the beginning and the end of the reporting period.

	Investments in subsidiaries	
	Unlisted equity investments	
	2019	2018
	in \$k	in \$k
Balance as of 1 January	20,137,589	21,806,980
Contributions	8,100	174,671
Capital repayment	-305,297	-225,116
Change in fair value	4,840,870	-1,618,946
Balance as of 31 December	24,681,262	20,137,589

As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, the unlisted equity investments relate to the 100% participation in JAB Investments S.à r.l. JAB Investments S.à r.l. is a holding company with direct participation in JAB Holdings B.V. As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, the fair value was determined by using valuation techniques. The valuation accounts for JAB Investments S.à r.l.'s objective to act as a holding company. JAB Investments S.à r.l.'s fair value is estimated as its net asset value and is calculated as the total fair value of its assets and liabilities. The main asset of JAB Investments S.à r.l. is its participation in JAB Holdings B.V. which directly and indirectly holds a diversified investment portfolio that includes assets that are traded on a securities exchange (Level 1) as well as assets and liabilities that are valued using valuation techniques (Level 2 and Level 3). The assets are valued by objective criteria on an evaluation by the management.

Determination of JAB Investments S.à r.l.'s net asset value can be detailed as follows (including indirect investments through JAB Holdings B.V.):

	2019	2018
	in \$k	in \$k
Equity investments measured using Level 1	0	1,981,171
Derivative instruments measured using Level 2	-14,450	-43,536
Equity investments measured using Level 3	28,313,935	23,617,368
Corporate debt securities using level 3	957,389	975,797
Short-term financial investments using level 2	0	95,153
Loans receivable	212,026	39,216
Loans payable	-7,638,602	-7,718,640
Cash and cash equivalents	2,902,115	1,252,321
Other assets and liabilities	-51,151	-61,262
Net asset value	24,681,262	20,137,589

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Cash and cash equivalents, loans receivable, loans payable and other assets and liabilities were valued at amortised cost which are a reasonable approximate of fair values.

The Company recorded its own shares containing put features as liability at the potential redemption amount (\$2,871.7; 2018: \$2,206.3), which is based on valuation rules that have been contractually agreed with the shareholders.

The following details show the valuation techniques in measuring JAB Holdings B.V.'s material investments:

JAB Forest B.V.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is 100% shareholder of JAB Forest B.V. The entity holds 57.0% of Acorn Holdings B.V. As of 31 December 2018, JAB Forest B.V. held 57.0% of Acorn Holdings B.V. and 0.7% of Reckitt Benckiser Group Plc.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in JAB Forest B.V. were valued at \$18,927.1m (Level 3). The investment's fair value was calculated as the net asset value of JAB Forest B.V.'s different participations.

Acorn Holdings B.V.:

As of 31 December 2019, Acorn Holdings B.V. is the direct shareholder of further interim holding companies and their investments in Keurig Dr Pepper Group (KDP), Jacob Douwe Egberts Group (JDE) and Peet's Coffee Group (Peet's).

On 17 December 2019, JDE announced its intention to combine with Peet's and explore an IPO sometime during 2020.

Acorn Holdings B.V.'s fair value was calculated as the net asset value of the different investments. These investments were valued as follows:

- As of 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, KDP is a listed company (New York Stock Exchange). The shares in KDP were valued based on the quoted market price at the reporting date.
- As of 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, JDE fair value was calculated applying multiples that were derived from selected publicly listed companies with 50% EBITDA and 50% P/E multiple weighting. The current JDE valuation was made as of 30 June 2019 and was not updated in the light of the IPO, though concluded to be relevant and appropriate for JDE fair value as of 31 December 2019. The following LTM (based on 12 months) multiples were used for the valuation of JDE: EBITDA multiple of 16.3x (31 December 2018: 14.0x) and P/E multiple of 23.1x (31 December 2018: 20.9x).
- As of 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, Peet's fair value was calculated applying multiples that were derived from selected publicly listed companies with 40% EBITDA, 40% P/E and 20% Sales multiple weighting. The current Peet's valuation was made as of 30 June 2019 and was not updated in the light of the IPO, though concluded to be relevant and appropriate for Peet's fair value as of 31 December 2019. The following LTM multiples were used for the valuation of Peet's: EBITDA multiple of 18.1x (31 December 2018: 15.7x), P/E multiple of 28.1x (31 December 2018: 24.6x) and

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Sales multiple of 4.2x (31 December 2018: 3.3x).

- The multiples applied to the LTM figures ending June 2019 and December 2018 are the median of the LTM multiples of these comparable publicly listed companies. In addition, adjustments between the enterprise value and the equity value were made for financial debt, and, where relevant, for minorities and financial assets.

Pret Panera I G.P. and Pret Panera III G.P.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is invested in Pret Panera Holding Company Group through a 53.8% investment in Pret Panera I G.P. and 16.3% investment in Pret Panera III G.P. Pret Panera Holding Company Group is the direct shareholder of further interim holding companies and their investments in Pret A Manger Group, Panera Group, Caribou Coffee Group and Espresso House Group.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in Pret Panera I G.P. and Pret Panera III G.P. were valued at \$4,340.5m (Level 3). Pret Panera I G.P.'s and Pret Panera III G.P.'s fair value was calculated as the net asset value of their different investments. These investments were valued as follows:

- The investment in Pret A Manger Group occurred in the second half of 2018. As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, management assessed the original acquisition cost still to be the best estimate of fair value.
- As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, Panera Group's, Caribou Coffee Group's and Espresso House Group's fair value were calculated applying multiples that were derived from selected publicly listed companies with 40% EBITDA, 40% P/E and 20% Sales multiple weighting.
- For Panera Group the following LTM multiples were used for the valuation: EBITDA multiple of 19.5x (2018: 17.3x), P/E multiple of 30.9x (2018: 25.0x) and Sales multiple of 4.3x (2018: 2.9x).
- For Caribou Coffee Group the following LTM multiples were used for the valuation: EBITDA multiple of 18.1x (2018: 16.1x), P/E multiple of 24.7x (2018: 25.0x) and Sales multiple of 1.8x (2018: 1.8x).
- For Espresso House Group the following LTM multiples were used for the valuation: EBITDA multiple of 18.6x (2018: 17.8x), P/E multiple of 24.7x (2018: 25.5x) and Sales multiple of 2.0x (2018: 2.5x).
- The multiples applied to the LTM figures ending December 2019 and 2018 are the median of the LTM multiples of the peer group consisting of comparable publicly listed companies. In addition, adjustments between the enterprise value and the equity value were made for financial debt, and, where relevant, for minorities and financial assets.

KK G.P.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is invested in Krispy Kreme Group through a 49.6% investment in KK G.P.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in KK G.P. were valued at \$997.5m (Level 3). KK G.P.'s investment was valued as follows:

- As of 31 December 2019 and 2018, Krispy Kreme Group's fair value was calculated applying multiples that were derived from selected publicly listed companies with 40% EBITDA, 40% P/E and 20% Sales multiple weighting. The following LTM multiples

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were used for the valuation of Krispy Kreme Group: EBITDA multiple of 18.6x (2018: 16.9x), P/E multiple of 25.5x (2018: 24.4x) and Sales multiple of 4.3x (2018: 3.2x).

- The multiples applied to the LTM figures ending December 2019 and 2018 are the median of the LTM multiples of the peer group consisting of comparable publicly listed companies. In addition, adjustments between the enterprise value and the equity value were made for financial debt, and, where relevant, for minorities and financial assets.

JAB Cosmetics B.V.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is 100% shareholder of JAB Cosmetics B.V. JAB Cosmetics B.V. was direct shareholder of an investment in Coty Inc. as of 31 December 2018. In March 2019, JAB Cosmetics B.V. founded a new subsidiary, Cottage Holdco B.V. and subsequently contributed its investment in Coty Inc. to the newly established 100% owned holding company.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in JAB Cosmetics B.V. were valued at \$3,420.2m (Level 3). JAB Cosmetics B.V.'s investment in Cottage Holdco B.V. was valued as follows:

Cottage Holdco B.V. is the direct shareholder of an investment in Coty Inc. and was valued by adjusting its investment in Coty Inc. for financial debt. In 2019, Coty Inc. is a listed company (New York Stock Exchange). The shares in Coty Inc. were valued based on the quoted market price at the reporting date.

Petcare G.P.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is invested in Compassion-First Group (VSNA LLC) through a 33.1% investment in Petcare G.P.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in Petcare G.P. were valued at \$249.7m (Level 3). Petcare G.P.'s investment in Compassion-First Group was valued as follows:

The investment in Compassion-First Group occurred in March 2019. As of 31 December 2019, management assessed the original acquisition cost still to be the best estimate of fair value.

Labelux Group GmbH in Liqu.:

JAB Holdings B.V. is the sole owner of Labelux Group GmbH in Liqu., Switzerland. JAB Holdings B.V. has the intention to dispose of its investment in Labelux Group GmbH in Liqu. and therefore classified the shares as assets held-for-sale.

As of 31 December 2019, the shares in Labelux Group GmbH in Liqu. were valued at \$336.8m (Level 3).

Corporate debt securities Acorn Holdings B.V.:

JAB Holdings B.V. holds preferred shares in Acorn Holdings B.V. (Level 3).

As of 31 December 2019, the preferred shares were valued at \$957.4m (2018: \$975.8m).

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Sensitivity analysis to unobservable inputs

Changes in the valuation methodologies or assumptions could lead to different measurements of fair value. The most significant unobservable inputs in respect of the valuation techniques in measuring JAB Holdings B.V.'s material investments are the applied multiples. The estimated fair value would increase (decrease) if the adjusted market multiples were higher (lower). A change of the applied multiples by 10% would change the fair value estimate in the amount of \$1,566.8m (increase) / \$-1,530.5m (decrease) (2018: \$1,239.1 increase/decrease). As of 31 December 2019, the sensitivity to unobservable inputs comprises the investments in Acorn Holdings B.V., Pret Panera I G.P., Pret Panera III G.P. and KK G.P. (2018: Acorn Holdings B.V., Pret Panera I G.P., Pret Panera III G.P. and KK G.P.).

18.3 Overview of financial risk factors

The Company has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- credit risk;
- liquidity risk;
- market risk.

Information is presented about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Company's management of capital.

The board of managers has ultimate responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework but has delegated the responsibility for identifying and controlling risks to the Company's operative management.

The Company's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Company, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Company's activities. The risk management system is an ongoing process of identification, measurement, monitoring and controlling risks. The Company, through its management standards and procedures, aims to develop a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and obligations.

18.4 Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises principally from the Company's receivables from counterparties.

Loans and other receivables

The Company's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each counterparty. As all counterparties are related parties the risk is limited.

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Cash and cash equivalents

The Company's cash and cash equivalents are placed with quality rating financial institutions, such that management does not expect these institutions to fail to meet repayments of amounts held in the name of the Company.

Guarantees

The Company's policy generally is to avoid providing financial guarantees to third parties. As of 31 December 2019, the Company provides a guarantee to banks for credit facilities of its affiliated Company JAB Holdings B.V. amounting to €3,000.0m (2018: €2,600.0m). Furthermore, the Company provides an unconditional and irrevocable guarantee for bond liabilities of its affiliated company JAB Holdings B.V. amounting to €6,863.2m (2018: €6,000.0m).

Exposure to credit risk

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date was:

		Carrying amount 2019 in \$k	Carrying amount 2018 in \$k
	note		
Other receivables	5	1,335	1,335
Cash and cash equivalents	6	349	188
		1,684	1,523

In respect of the other receivables, the Company is subject to the impairment requirements of IFRS 9. The expected credit loss on other receivables is immaterial.

18.5 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Company's reputation.

The Company actively manages cash flow requirements. Typically, the Company ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected operational expenses for a period of 60 days, including the servicing of financial obligations; this excludes the potential impact of extreme circumstances that cannot reasonably be predicted, such as natural disasters.

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As of 31 December 2019, all redeemable shares are redeemable in short-term, if specific criteria are met. The right to put the shares will be suspended if the redemption would lead to a default under the financing agreements of the indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V. The table below contains the earliest possible due dates for repayment of the redeemable shares as of 31 December 2019 and 2018 assuming that the shares had been put at the reporting date:

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18.6 Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and equity prices will affect the Company's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising the return.

Summary of risks

The Company is a holding company with its 100% subsidiary JAB Investments S.à r.l. as its only significant asset and indirectly exposed to its credit, liquidity and market risk. JAB Investments S.à r.l. itself only has one significant asset – the participation in the 100% subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V. JAB Holdings B.V. is an investment and financing company with a diversified investment portfolio. JAB Holdings B.V.'s investments include participations in Acorn Holdings B.V. (through JAB Forest B.V.), Pret Panera Holding Company Group (through Pret Panera I G.P. and Pret Panera III G.P.), Krispy Kreme Group (through KK G.P.), Cottage Holdco B.V. (through JAB Cosmetics B.V.), Compassion-First Group (through Petcare G.P.) and JAB Luxury GmbH (through Labelux Group GmbH in Ligu.) and corporate debt securities in Acorn Holdings B.V.

Significant liquidity and market risks regarding the Company's liabilities are relating to the redeemable shares of the Company's minority shareholders. As of 31 December 2019, all redeemable shares are redeemable in short-term, if specific criteria are met. The right to put the shares would be suspended if the redemption would lead to a default under the financing agreements of the indirect subsidiary JAB Holdings B.V.

There are no further significant assets or liabilities that could be exposed to material credit, liquidity or market risks.

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19. Subsequent events

In January 2020, JAB Holding Company S.à r.l. has received \$186m share premium repayments from JAB Investments S.à r.l. and has made \$166m distributions to its shareholders.

The spread of the coronavirus disease, together with other political and economic developments, is currently negatively impacting the international stock-markets and global economic growth expectations. Depending on the further evolvement of the coronavirus disease, the direct and indirect investments' fair values might be affected.

Luxembourg, 10 March 2020

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