

Axis Auto Finance Inc.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022



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MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Axis Auto Finance Inc. (the "Company"), the notes thereto, and other financial information enclosed have been prepared by, and are the responsibility of, the Company's management. These consolidated financial statements have been prepared by management in Canadian dollars in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and include certain estimates that reflect management's best judgments.

The Board of Directors is responsible for ensuring that management fulfills its responsibility for financial reporting and internal control. The Board carries out this responsibility through its Audit Committee. The Audit Committee, which comprises three non-management Directors, meets with management as well as the external auditors, Ernst & Young LLP, to satisfy itself that management is properly discharging its financial reporting responsibilities, and to review the consolidated financial statements and the report of the auditors. The auditors have full and unrestricted access to the Audit Committee.

Todd Hudson
Chief Executive Officer

Richard Lloyd
Chief Financial Officer

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of
Axis Auto Finance Inc.

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of **Axis Auto Finance Inc.** [the "Company"], which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at June 30, 2023 and 2022, the consolidated statements of income and comprehensive income, the consolidated statements of changes in shareholders' equity and the consolidated statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements of the Company present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as at June 30, 2023 and 2022, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ["IFRSs"].

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements.



Allowance for credit losses

<i>Key audit matter</i>	<p>As more fully described in Notes 3 and 7 of the consolidated financial statements, Axis has used an expected credit loss ["ECL"] model to recognize \$13.5 million in allowances for credit losses on its consolidated balance sheet. The ECL is an unbiased and probability-weighted estimate of credit losses expected to occur in the future, which is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes incorporating the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information about past events, current conditions and future economic forecasts.</p> <p>Auditing the allowance for credit losses was complex, involved significant auditor judgment, and required the involvement of credit risk specialists due to the inherent complexity of the models, assumptions, judgements, and the interrelationship of these variables in measuring the ECL. Significant assumptions and judgments with respect to the estimation of the allowance for loan losses include the calculation of both 12-month and lifetime expected credit losses, the determination of when a loan has experienced a significant increase in credit risk ["SICR"] since initial recognition and the determination of relevant forward looking multiple economic scenarios and the probability weighting of those scenarios. The allowance for credit losses is a significant estimate for which variations in model methodology, assumptions and judgements can have a material effect on the measurement of expected credit losses.</p>
<i>How our audit addressed the key audit matter</i>	<p>To test the allowance for credit losses, amongst other procedures, we assessed, with the assistance of our credit risk specialists, whether the methodology and assumptions used in models that estimate ECL are consistent with the requirements of IFRS. We independently recalculated the ECL using source data. With the assistance of our credit risk specialists, we evaluated the accuracy of the staging applied to the loans. We evaluated the reasonability of macroeconomic inputs used by comparing the information to third party sources and recalculated the effect of the inputs on the ECL model. We tested the completeness and accuracy of a sample of data used in the measurement of ECL by agreeing back to appropriate source systems or documents.</p>

Impairment of goodwill

<i>Key audit matter</i>	<p>As more fully described in Note 4 of the consolidated financial statements, Axis, has recognized a \$17.8 million impairment charge related to the goodwill within its automotive cash generating unit ("CGU"). Management assesses, at least annually, or when indicators of impairments exist, whether there has been an impairment loss in the carrying value of these assets. When testing goodwill for impairment, management compares the carrying amount of the CGU to its recoverable amount, which is defined as the higher of its estimated fair value less cost to sell and its value-in-use. The impairment testing of the CGU relies on estimates of recoverable amount based on five-year forecasts and a terminal value for the period thereafter.</p> <p>Auditing management's goodwill impairment test was complex, required the application of auditor judgment and involved the use of our valuation specialists due to the significant estimation required to determine the recoverable amount of the CGU. In particular, the recoverable amount is sensitive to significant assumptions, such as forecasted growth rates, discount rates, and terminal growth rates, which are affected by expectations about future market and economic conditions.</p>
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Impairment of goodwill	
<i>How our audit addressed the key audit matter</i>	To test the estimated recoverable amount of the CGU, amongst other procedures, we evaluated, with the assistance of our valuation specialists, the appropriateness and mathematical accuracy of the impairment model. As part of this evaluation, we assessed the selection and application of the significant assumptions described above used to calculate the recoverable amount. We evaluated the reasonability of the forecasted earnings and revenue growth rates by comparing to historical results and our current understanding of the business as well as current economic trends. With the assistance of our valuation specialists, we performed sensitivity analysis on significant assumptions, including revenue growth rates, terminal growth rate and the discount rate, to evaluate changes in the recoverable amount that would result from changes in the assumptions. We also assessed the adequacy of the Company's disclosures in the accompanying consolidated financial statements in relation to this matter.

Other information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises Management's Discussion and Analysis.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information, and in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

We obtained Management's Discussion and Analysis prior to the date of this auditor's report. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the consolidated financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management 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 management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards 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 consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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 management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's 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 auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated 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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Sean Musselman.

Ernst & Young LLP

Toronto, Canada
September 14, 2023

Chartered Professional Accountants
Licensed Public Accountants



AS AT:

	Notes	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
ASSETS			
Cash		2,676,060	1,476,555
Cash held in escrow		5,812,363	2,599,656
Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	5	3,057,346	3,163,302
Finance receivables – net	6,7	191,988,634	149,944,160
Inventory		3,735,635	2,001,957
Property and equipment – net	8	1,263,472	1,625,415
Right-of-use assets	9	573,936	901,591
Deferred tax assets	15	8,773,696	6,649,323
Intangible assets – net	10	667,304	824,470
Goodwill	4	-	17,810,702
		218,548,446	186,997,131
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable and other liabilities	11	7,394,479	7,011,487
Contingent consideration payable	6	1,918,608	-
Credit facilities and loans	12	167,421,746	111,476,008
Convertible debentures	13	17,599,672	19,093,318
		194,334,505	137,580,813
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Common shares	14(a)	48,076,502	49,105,811
Contributed surplus		9,889,167	9,679,261
Conversion option on debentures		5,009,700	3,210,594
Deficit		(38,761,428)	(12,579,348)
		24,213,941	49,416,318
		218,548,446	186,997,131

APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Todd Hudson, Director

Bruce Smith, Director

See accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements

AXIS AUTO FINANCE INC.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME / (LOSS) AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME / (LOSS)
(in Canadian Dollars, except for the number of shares)

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	Notes	Year ended 30-Jun-23	Year ended 30-Jun-22
Financial revenue			
Interest revenue		36,518,754	34,941,571
Fee, servicing and other income		4,076,453	5,221,778
Total financial revenue		40,595,207	40,163,349
Financial expenses			
Interest expense		13,645,459	7,887,073
Fee and servicing expenses		193,913	306,582
Provision for credit losses	7	17,901,553	11,568,562
Total financial expenses		31,740,925	19,762,217
Income before operating expenses		8,854,282	20,401,132
Operating expenses			
General and administrative	22	17,174,918	15,977,241
Impairment of goodwill	4	17,810,702	-
Depreciation	8	817,500	821,140
Amortization	9,10	695,304	735,992
Stock-based compensation	14(b,c)	652,108	402,663
Acquisitions and integration		65,936	94,233
Professional fees		548,932	384,930
Total operating expenses		37,765,400	18,416,199
Income / (loss) before income taxes		(28,911,118)	1,984,933
Income tax (recovery) / expense		(2,729,038)	500,073
Income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss)		(26,182,080)	1,484,860
Income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss) per share (basic and diluted)		(0.215)	0.013
Weighted-average number of shares issued and outstanding		121,796,769	116,124,032

See accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

(in Canadian Dollars, except for the number of shares)

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	Number of shares	Common shares (net of issue costs)	Warrants	Contributed surplus	Conversion options	Retained earnings / (deficit)	Total equity
Balance, June 30, 2021	97,270,423	36,951,932	1,617,352	8,369,966	3,210,594	(14,064,208)	36,085,636
Stock-based compensation	-	-	-	402,663	-	-	402,663
New shares issued	30,000,000	14,931,718	-	-	-	-	14,931,718
Shares purchased under Normal Course Issuer Bid	(5,694,000)	(3,568,359)	-	-	-	-	(3,568,359)
Conversion of vested RSUs into common shares	1,115,957	657,568	-	(683,368)	-	-	(25,800)
Exercise of options and warrants	234,666	132,952	(27,352)	-	-	-	105,600
Expired warrants	-	-	(1,590,000)	1,590,000	-	-	-
Net income and comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	-	-	1,484,860	1,484,860
Balance, June 30, 2022	122,927,046	49,105,811	-	9,679,261	3,210,594	(12,579,348)	49,416,318
Balance, June 30, 2022	122,927,046	49,105,811	-	9,679,261	3,210,594	(12,579,348)	49,416,318
Stock-based compensation	-	-	-	652,108	-	-	652,108
Shares purchased under Normal Course Issuer Bid	(3,087,000)	(1,471,511)	-	-	-	-	(1,471,511)
Conversion of vested RSUs into common shares	1,000,931	442,202	-	(442,202)	-	-	-
Conversion Options attached to convertible instruments	-	-	-	-	1,799,106	-	1,799,106
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(26,182,080)	(26,182,080)
Balance, June 30, 2023	120,840,977	48,076,502	-	9,889,167	5,009,700	(38,761,428)	24,213,941

See accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
CASH FLOWS USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net income / (loss) for the year	(26,182,080)	1,484,860
Adjustments for non-cash items:		
Provision for credit losses	17,901,553	11,568,562
Income taxes	(2,729,038)	516,788
Depreciation and amortization	1,512,804	1,557,132
Non-cash items	17,527,373	(290,071)
Interest expense	13,645,459	7,887,073
Interest paid with cash	(12,426,821)	(6,306,129)
Stock-based compensation	652,108	402,663
	9,901,358	16,820,878
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Decrease / (increase) in accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	105,956	(879,970)
Decrease in inventory	22,703,635	16,336,201
Increase / (decrease) in accounts payable and other liabilities	2,575,965	(1,393,861)
Increase in origination of finance receivables	(158,528,496)	(110,798,142)
Repayment of finance receivables	74,455,632	50,475,040
Cash flows used in operating activities	(48,785,950)	(29,439,854)
CASH FLOWS FROM / (USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Proceeds from credit facilities, loans and convertible debentures	76,469,773	47,832,881
Repayment of credit facilities, loans and convertible debentures	(20,747,931)	(30,634,595)
Issuance of common shares for cash (net of cash issue costs)	-	14,931,718
Repurchase of common shares into treasury stock	(1,471,511)	(3,568,359)
Repayment of principal portion of lease liability	(358,982)	(506,140)
Cash received on exercise of options and warrants	-	105,600
Cash settlement of restricted share units (RSUs)	-	(25,800)
Cash flows from (used in) financing activities	53,891,349	28,135,305
CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Additions to intangible assets	(210,483)	(272,489)
Additions to property and equipment	(482,704)	(993,636)
Cash flows used in investing activities	(693,187)	(1,266,125)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash	4,412,212	(2,570,674)
Cash, beginning of year	4,076,211	6,646,885
Cash, end of year	8,488,423	4,076,211

See accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Axis Auto Finance Inc. (the “Company”) is a financial technology lender, providing alternative used vehicle financing to consumers located in Canada, who do not qualify through traditional sources. Furthermore, through its wholly owned subsidiary, Axis Equipment Finance Inc. (formerly known as Pivotal Capital Corp), the Company provides commercial equipment leasing and financing solutions.

The Company is a TSX listed entity (TSX: AXIS), domiciled in Canada. The Company’s registered office is located at 165 Galaxy Blvd., Toronto, Ontario, M9W 0C8.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

(a) Statement of compliance

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) issued by International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and adopted by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada (“CPA”). These consolidated financial statements were approved and authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on September 14, 2023.

(b) Basis of measurement and presentation of comparative periods

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost basis, except for the revaluation of certain financial instruments that are measured at fair value. Certain comparative amounts may have been revised to conform with the presentation adopted in the current period.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) New accounting standards and interpretations adopted

There were no new standards, interpretations or amendments that had a material impact to the Company's consolidated financial statements during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The Company has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

(b) Critical judgments and estimation uncertainties

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires that management make subjective, complex estimates and assumptions regarding the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses, and disclosures in these consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes that are inherently uncertain. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from the estimates and assumptions made by management. Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(c) Cash and restricted cash

Cash consists of cash on hand and bank balances and cash held in escrow.

(d) Goodwill

Goodwill is initially measured as the excess of the price paid for the acquisition of a consolidated entity over the fair value of the net identifiable tangible and intangible assets acquired. Goodwill is assessed at the cash-generating unit ("CGU") or group of CGUs level, which is the smallest identifiable group of assets that generates cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

Following initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is evaluated for impairment annually or more often if events or circumstances indicate there may be impairment. Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing whether the carrying amount of a CGU, including the allocated goodwill, exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is determined as the greater of the estimated fair value less the costs of disposal or the value in use. Impairment losses recognized in respect of a CGU are first allocated to the carrying amount of goodwill and any excess is allocated pro rata to the carrying amount of other assets in the CGU, on the basis of the carrying amount of each asset in the unit. Goodwill impairment is recorded as non-interest expense in the period in which the impairment is identified. Impairment losses on goodwill are not subsequently reversed.

(e) Finance receivables

The Company recognizes and measures finance receivables in accordance with IFRS 9, *Financial Instruments* ("IFRS 9").

Recognition and measurement

Finance receivables held by the Company under IFRS 9 are initially recognized at fair value, determined based on the following components:

a) Gross lease and loan receivables and unearned finance income

When assets are leased out under a finance lease, or when a loan is granted to finance an asset acquisition from a third party, the present value of the associated minimum payments is recognized as a lease or loan receivable. The difference between the gross receivables and the present value of the receivables is recognized as unearned finance income.

b) Unamortized fees and transaction costs

All initial direct costs that are incurred, including commissions and other costs that are incremental and directly attributable to negotiating and arranging a lease or a loan, are capitalized into the finance receivable, thus reducing the amount of net investment in a finance receivable at initial recognition. The initial direct net fees are amortized over the term on the effective interest rate implicit in each finance receivable.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

c) Security deposits

Security deposits are made at the inception of the lease and are treated as a reduction of the gross lease receivables.

Subsequent to initial recognition, finance receivables are carried at amortized cost.

Impairment

The Company assesses on an ongoing basis whether a finance receivable asset or a group of finance receivable assets is impaired in accordance with IFRS 9.

Under IFRS 9, the Company is required to apply an expected credit loss ("ECL") model, where a provision for credit losses is recorded for losses that are expected to transpire in future years even if no loss event has occurred as at the consolidated statement of financial position date. The Company assesses and segments its finance receivable portfolio into performing (Stage 1), underperforming (Stage 2) and non-performing (Stage 3) categories as at each date of the consolidated statement of financial position.

Stage 1 – For performing finance receivables, the Company is required to record an allowance for credit losses equal to the expected losses on this segment over the future 12 months.

Stage 2 – For underperforming finance receivables, these finance receivables have experienced a significant increase in credit risk as observed through delinquency, specific events, localized economic factors or other identifiable factors. For this segment, the Company is required to record an allowance for credit losses equal to the expected losses over their remaining life.

Stage 3 – For non-performing finance receivables, the Company has determined this to be when the receivables are greater than 90 days delinquent and there is objective evidence that the finance receivables will charge off in the future. For this segment, the Company is required to record an allowance for credit losses equal to the expected losses over their remaining life.

The key inputs in the modelling of ECL allowance are as follows:

- The estimated probability of default over the given time horizon;
- The estimated loss given default in the case where a default occurs;
- The estimate exposure at default at a future default date; and
- Forward-looking indicators used to assess how future losses may differ from those previously experienced. The forward-looking indicator used is the forward-looking unemployment rates in each of the provinces in which the Company operates.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The ECL is calculated based on the probability-weighted expected cash collected shortfall against the carrying value of the finance receivable and considers reasonable and supportable information about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future events and economic conditions that may impact the credit profile of the finance receivables. Forward-looking information is considered when determining significant increase in credit risk and measuring ECLs. Within the Company's portfolio, the most highly correlated variable is unemployment rates.

(f) Leases of premises and equipment

The Company has lease contracts for its office premises and equipment. The Company classifies leases in which it entered as a lessee in accordance with IFRS 16, *Leases*, which requires lessees to recognize a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability.

The lease liability is initially recognized at the commencement day and measured at an amount equal to the present value of the lease payments during the lease term that are not yet paid, discounted using the incremental borrowing rate on leases at the date of initial application.

The right-of-use asset is initially recognized at the commencement day and measured at cost, consisting of the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability, plus any lease payments made to the lessor at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received, the initial estimate of restoration costs and any initial direct costs incurred by the lessee.

The lease liability is measured in subsequent periods using the effective interest rate method. The right-of-use asset is depreciated in accordance with the requirements of IAS 16, *Property, Plant and Equipment*, using a straight-line basis. The Company also applies the requirements of IAS 36, *Impairment of assets* to the right-of-use asset.

(g) Inventory

The Company retains security over the vehicle associated with each finance receivable. Subject to certain conditions, the Company may repossess a vehicle provided a default under the loan or lease agreement has occurred, or upon the customer voluntarily terminating their contract. Vehicles that are repossessed are either disposed of at the wholesale or retail used vehicle market price or re-leased to new customers with the proceeds offsetting any outstanding balance. The customer is liable for any shortfall.

Inventory consists of vehicles that have been repossessed and have not been disposed of or re-leased to new customers. These assets are measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price for repossessed vehicles sold in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs to make the sale. Management uses the most reliable evidence available in determining the net realizable value of inventory. This evidence could include comparable retail sales or dealer auction prices for similar vehicles that have been sold in the last 90 days.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Actual selling prices may differ from estimates, based on market conditions at the time of sale. Any variances between the initially assigned value and the actual selling price are offset against amounts provided for under the allowance for credit losses.

(h) Property and equipment

Property and equipment are stated at acquisition cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided for based on the following annual rates and methods over the estimated useful lives of the property and equipment:

Category	Method
Furniture and fixtures	Declining balance at 20% per year
GPS and “starter interrupt” devices	Straight-line over 4 years
Computer hardware and software	Declining balance at 55% per year
Leasehold improvements	Straight-line over 2 to 5 years, based on lease duration
Auto vehicles	Declining balance at 30% per year

(i) Intangible assets

Intangible assets consist of software development costs, are recorded at cost and amortized over their estimated useful lives using 25% straight-line annual amortization. Amortization commences at the time that the intangible assets are available and ready for use.

The Company assesses, at each reporting period date, whether there is an indication that an intangible asset may be impaired. If any indication of impairment exists, the Company performs an impairment test to determine whether an impairment loss is required to be recognized. In relation to development costs for software that is not yet available for use, the Company performs an impairment test on an annual basis as well as when indications of impairment exist. Such annual impairment tests will continue until the software is available for use.

(j) Development costs

Development costs are recognized as an intangible asset when the Company can demonstrate:

- The technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset to make it available for use or sale;
- Its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset;
- How the asset will generate future economic benefits;
- Sufficient financial, technical and other resources to complete the asset; and
- The ability to reliably and accurately measure the expenditure attributable to the development.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Following initial recognition, the development cost asset is carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Amortization of the asset begins when development is complete and the asset is available for use. Development costs are amortized over the period of the expected future benefit.

(k) Share-based payments

The Company issues share-based awards to certain employees. The Board of Directors determines the timing, amount, and vesting conditions associated with each share-based award. The cost of equity-settled share-based transactions, comprising share options and restricted share units ("RSUs") is determined as the fair value of the award on the grant date using a fair value model. The cost of equity-settled share-based transactions is recognized as each tranche vests and is recorded in contributed surplus as a component of equity.

(l) Income taxes

Income tax expense consists of current and deferred tax expenses. Current and deferred taxes are recognized in profit or loss, except to the extent that they relate to items recognized directly in equity or other comprehensive income.

Current tax is recognized and measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or payable to the taxation authorities based on the income tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period and includes any adjustment to taxes payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is recognized on any temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the consolidated financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable earnings. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the asset is realized and the liability is settled. The effect of a change in the enacted or substantively enacted tax rates is recognized in net income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss) or in equity depending on the item to which the adjustment relates.

Deferred tax assets are recognized to the extent future recovery is probable. At each reporting period end, deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable earnings will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

(m) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognized to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company, and the revenue and associated costs can be measured reliably. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognized:

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Interest revenue

Interest revenue is included in the consolidated statements of net income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss) for all financial assets measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method. The effective interest rate is the rate that discounts estimated future cash flows through the expected life of the financial instrument back to the net carrying amount of the financial asset. The calculation takes into account all contractual terms of the financial instrument, including prepayment options, fee income charged to the customer on the origination of all financial assets, and all purchase premiums or discounts, net of any transaction costs that are directly attributable to the financial instrument, but not future credit losses. The application of the method has the effect of recognizing revenue on the financial instrument evenly in proportion to the amount outstanding over the period to maturity or repayment.

Once the recorded value of a financial asset, or a group of similar financial assets, has been reduced due to an impairment loss, interest revenue continues to be recognized using the rate of interest used to discount the future cash flows for the purpose of measuring the impairment loss. This is offset by a corresponding adjustment to the loan loss provision charge to reflect the fact that this additional revenue may not be collectible.

Fee income that is integral to the effective yield of a financial asset is recognized as an adjustment to the effective interest rate calculation and is included in interest revenue.

Fee, servicing and other income

Fees charged to the customer for providing subsequent servicing of a financial asset are recognized as services are completed.

Servicing income is recognized as services are completed and when it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(n) Compound financial instruments

Compound financial instruments issued by the Company comprise non-repayable convertible debentures and non-redeemable preferred shares that can be converted to share capital at the option of the holder or can be forced into a conversion at the earlier of: a) the maturity date or b) the date of the execution of an Engagement Letter or similar document entered into in respect of a transaction, which would result in the shares of the Company being listed on a recognized stock exchange. The number of shares to be issued is fixed and does not vary with changes in their fair value. The liability component of a compound financial instrument is recognized initially at the fair value of a similar liability that does not have an equity conversion option. The equity component recognized initially is the difference between the fair value of the compound financial instrument as a whole and the fair value of the liability component. Any directly attributable transaction costs are allocated to the liability and equity components in proportion to their initial carrying amounts. Subsequent to initial recognition, the liability component of a compound financial instrument is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method. The equity component of a compound financial instrument is not remeasured subsequent to initial recognition.

Subsequent to initial recognition, the liability component of a compound financial instrument is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method and the fair value of the warrant component is revalued through profit and loss.

4. GOODWILL

Goodwill of \$17,810,702 was originally recognized as part of the 2018 acquisitions of Cars on Credit Financial Inc. ("COCF") (\$3,752,029) and Trend Financial Group ("Trend") (\$14,058,673). At the time of the acquisition, the Company had a single Automotive CGU and therefore, all of the Company's goodwill has been allocated to it accordingly as at June 30, 2022.

The Company performs its annual impairment testing of goodwill and intangible assets during the fourth quarter. Impairment assessments for long lived assets, including goodwill and intangible assets are performed more frequently whenever events or changes in circumstances arise and an indicator of impairment exists. Due to the effect of persistent inflation, the Company has been adversely impacted by ongoing heightened customer delinquencies and resultant credit defaults in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2023 and subjected to significantly higher funding costs, as the Bank of Canada's ongoing monetary policy attempts to tame the level of inflation in Canada. With these adverse changes in the broader Canadian macroeconomic environment expected to persist over the short to medium term, it was determined that the carrying value of the Company's Automotive CGU exceeded its recoverable amount during the annual impairment test as at June 30, 2023.

As a result, an impairment loss of \$17.8 million was recognized for the Automotive CGU, thereby reducing the carrying amount of goodwill to nil for this CGU. The recoverable amount of the Automotive CGU was based on value-in-use calculations. Significant assumptions were utilized to determine the recoverable amounts of the Automotive CGU as at June 30, 2023 including a terminal growth rate of 4.0% and a post tax discount rate of 22.0%. The maintainable discretionary pre-tax cash from operations were based on management's five-year

financial forecasts, and these forecasts factored in past and current experience, the monetary policy setting of the Bank of Canada which impacts the Company's funding costs, the inflationary environment for Canadian consumers, and market and industry trends.

The recoverable amount of the Company's CGUs is considered to be a Level 3 fair value calculation as described in Note 18. The carrying value as at June 30, 2023 was in excess of the recoverable amount calculated.

5. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND PREPAID EXPENSES

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Accounts receivable	75,064	548,129
Other receivables	2,149,381	1,806,277
Prepaid expenses	832,901	808,896
	3,057,346	3,163,302

Accounts receivable consist primarily of servicing and profit-sharing receivables billed and not yet collected. Other receivables consist primarily of customer payments and miscellaneous fees receivable that have not yet cleared and proceeds to be received for pre-funded deals under profit-sharing arrangements, as well as input tax credits on commodity taxes not yet refunded by the government. Prepaid expenses consist primarily of advances related to rent and other services not yet rendered to the Company.

6. FINANCE RECEIVABLES

Finance receivables consist of individual lease or loan agreements with customers, which have terms of 12 to 84 months with fixed rates of interest. Either a passenger vehicle or commercial equipment collateralizes each individual finance agreement. The contractual payments, including principal and interest, and the Company's implicit finance rates are due in the years as follows:

6. FINANCE RECEIVABLES (continued)

Year	30-Jun-23	Yield	30-Jun-22	Yield
2023	-	0.00%	67,060,690	22.99%
2024	79,736,654	20.55%	58,175,688	22.34%
2025	71,881,654	20.22%	49,850,349	21.87%
2026	63,497,116	20.04%	40,340,456	21.56%
2027	49,956,741	20.29%	27,209,288	21.66%
2028	32,110,961	21.15%	13,600,996	21.99%
2029	13,717,431	22.34%	49,961	6.00%
2030	78,334	8.72%	-	0.00%
Gross finance receivables (incl. security deposits)	310,978,891	20.47%	256,287,428	22.20%
Unearned interest income	(105,110,061)		(91,790,592)	
Principal balance	205,868,830		164,496,836	
Security deposits	(2,154,740)		(5,261,238)	
Finance receivables before accrued interest	203,714,090		159,235,598	
Accrued interest	1,793,004		1,755,093	
Gross finance receivables	205,507,094		160,990,691	
Less: allowance for credit losses (Note 7)	(13,518,460)		(11,046,531)	
Net finance receivables	191,988,634		149,944,160	

On January 30, 2023, the Company purchased a portfolio of approximately 1,100 auto loans with a total balance of \$17.2 million from an Ontario-based competitor. In accordance with IFRS 9, this purchased portfolio was accounted for as a financial asset and was initially measured at fair value. This portfolio is being subsequently measured at amortized cost, net of allowances for expected credit losses and, at June 30, 2023 this purchased portfolio represents \$13.5 million of gross finance receivables.

The purchased portfolio contains loan contracts with customers in Ontario, Alberta, British Columbia and throughout Atlantic Canada, whose credit profile is that of a sub-prime consumer and where the underlying assets was a used vehicle. The portfolio was purchased at a discount to the customer loan balance and, at the time of purchase, no loan contract was over 30 days delinquent. Approximately 15% of the purchase price was structured as a holdback, to be released in 4 installments over 36 months following the closing of the transaction, contingent on meeting certain pre-set credit loss thresholds. This present value of the holdback is reflected in the consolidated statements of financial position under Contingent consideration payable.

6. FINANCE RECEIVABLES (continued)

The Company's experience has shown that the actual contractual payment stream will vary depending on a number of variables. These variables include prepayment rates, write-offs and deferrals. Accordingly, the maturities of finance receivables shown in the table above are not to be regarded as a forecast of future cash collections.

An analysis of the aging of gross finance receivables in each of the years presented is as follows:

Age	30-Jun-23		30-Jun-22	
Current	194,893,601	94.83%	155,893,812	96.84%
Contractually past due:				
31-60 days	4,311,094	2.10%	2,690,851	1.67%
Over 60 days	6,302,399	3.07%	2,406,028	1.49%
	205,507,094	100.00%	160,990,691	100.00%

The Company is required to provision for credit losses on an ECL model basis. This model requires that the Company segment its finance receivables into three stages – Stage 1 “performing”, Stage 2 “underperforming” and Stage 3 “non-performing”. An analysis of the changes in the classification of finance receivables for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022 is as follows:

	Finance receivables (before accrued interest)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance, June 30, 2022	154,423,241	3,689,717	1,122,640	159,235,598
Originated	141,376,328	-	-	141,376,328
Portfolio acquisition	16,992,570	-	-	16,992,570
Less payments and other adjustments	(82,026,813)	(236,210)	75,136	(82,187,887)
Transfers to (from):				
Stage 1 performing	(10,018,163)	5,581,391	4,436,772	-
Stage 2 underperforming	514,388	(588,902)	74,514	-
Stage 3 non-performing	28,055	-	(28,055)	-
Less charge-offs	(27,798,344)	(2,796,763)	(1,107,412)	(31,702,519)
Balance, June 30, 2023	193,491,262	5,649,233	4,573,595	203,714,090

6. FINANCE RECEIVABLES (continued)

	Finance receivables (before accrued interest)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance, June 30, 2021	122,094,738	2,344,318	764,133	125,203,189
Originated	111,477,767	-	-	111,477,767
Portfolio acquisition	-	-	-	-
Less payments and other adjustments	(55,772,099)	(179,653)	(51,648)	(56,003,400)
Transfers to (from):				
Stage 1 performing	(4,677,900)	3,640,065	1,037,835	-
Stage 2 underperforming	245,685	(291,836)	46,151	-
Stage 3 non-performing	11,575	1,953	(13,528)	-
Less charge-offs	(18,956,525)	(1,825,130)	(660,303)	(21,441,958)
Balance, June 30, 2022	154,423,241	3,689,717	1,122,640	159,235,598

There is credit risk inherent in finance receivables of the Company. Financial assets that exhibit evidence of non-payment or other objective evidence of deterioration are considered to be impaired. As payments have been received on a timely basis, management considers the credit quality of loans and receivables that are neither past due nor impaired to be satisfactory.

Past due but not impaired balances relate to financial assets that are contractually overdue but are not deemed impaired unless the customer is contractually overdue by greater than 120 days, at which point in time, the expected future cash flows from the financial assets are expected to deteriorate significantly. Coinciding with this is the Company's charge-off policy of 120 days delinquent, at which point the financial asset is considered impaired and the underlying receivable is charged off or reserved as part of the specific allowance. A receivable may also be considered impaired earlier than 120 days delinquent should the debtor experience a deteriorating financial condition, such as entering bankruptcy or the Company being in the process of legal or collateral repossession proceedings.

The Company rarely modifies the terms of loans provided to customers via payment deferrals or contract extensions, but if deemed necessary, will do so with a view toward maximizing the recovery of principal on the loan. Modification practices are governed based on internal portfolio management policies, consultation with the Company's senior lenders and are based on criteria which, in the judgment of management, indicate that payment will most likely continue. These policies are kept under continuous review, and any material changes require the Company's senior lender's consent.

7. ALLOWANCE FOR CREDIT LOSSES

The change in the allowance for credit losses, by operating segment (Note 21), during the periods presented is as follows:

	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total
Allowance, June 30, 2022	10,993,631	52,900	11,046,531
Provision for credit losses	17,808,118	93,435	17,901,553
Write-offs, net of recoveries	(15,439,665)	10,041	(15,429,624)
Allowance, June 30, 2023	13,362,084	156,376	13,518,460

	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total
Allowance, June 30, 2021	9,626,874	-	9,626,874
Provision for credit losses	11,515,662	52,900	11,568,562
Write-offs, net of recoveries	(10,148,905)	-	(10,148,905)
Allowance, June 30, 2022	10,993,631	52,900	11,046,531

IFRS 9 requires that forward-looking indicators be considered when determining the allowance for credit losses. The analysis performed by the Company determined that a forecasted change in the rate of unemployment has historically tended to impact the charge-offs experienced by the Company. For purposes of determining its allowance for loan losses as at each consolidated statement of financial position date, the Company has utilized the forecasted unemployment rates of a compilation of large Canadian banks.

The following table provides the 12-month forward forecasted variable used in models to estimate ECL:

	12 months
National unemployment rate (as reported)	6.10%
National unemployment rate (as pessimistic)	6.50%
National unemployment rate (as optimistic)	5.50%

The impact on the allowance for credit losses as at June 30, 2023 if only the most pessimistic and optimistic forecasts were used would be as follows:

	30-Jun-23
ECL as reported	13,518,460
ECL using only the most pessimistic forecast	13,611,002
ECL using only the most optimistic forecast	13,448,195

7. ALLOWANCE FOR CREDIT LOSSES (continued)

A summary of the changes in the allowance for credit losses, by stage, is as follows:

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Allowance, June 30, 2022	8,376,276	1,790,626	879,629	11,046,531
Allowance on new originations	5,604,172	-	-	5,604,172
Allowance on portfolio purchased	1,227,830	-	-	1,227,830
Changes in allowance during the year	(5,951,192)	260,280	1,330,839	(4,360,073)
Allowance, June 30, 2023	9,257,086	2,050,906	2,210,468	13,518,460

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Allowance, June 30, 2021	7,954,316	1,118,118	554,440	9,626,874
Allowance on new originations	6,245,862	-	-	6,245,862
Allowance on portfolio purchased	-	-	-	-
Changes in allowance during the year	(5,823,902)	672,508	325,189	(4,826,205)
Allowance, June 30, 2022	8,376,276	1,790,626	879,629	11,046,531

The uncertainties inherent in the current inflationary environment, rising interest rates, the elevated used vehicle market values and a prospect of a potential recession have increased the level of judgment applied in respect of the key inputs in the modelling of ECL allowance. The forecasting of forward-looking information considering the aforementioned factors requires a heightened application of judgment as the economic impact is inherently uncertain. For these reasons, the actual credit losses could differ from those reflected in our estimates.

8. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

	Furniture & fixtures	GPS and "starter interrupt" devices	Computer hardware & software	Auto vehicles	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost:						
Balance, June 30, 2022	247,558	2,399,727	1,133,431	366,790	1,036,449	5,183,955
Additions	9,075	162,420	244,070	319,454	7,446	742,465
Disposals	-	(20,256)	-	(314,576)	-	(334,832)
Balance, June 30, 2023	256,633	2,541,891	1,377,501	371,668	1,043,895	5,591,588
Accumulated depreciation:						
Balance, June 30, 2022	104,247	1,666,692	971,044	197,590	618,967	3,558,540
Depreciation	48,197	370,975	168,718	76,434	153,176	817,500
Disposals	-	-	-	(47,924)	-	(47,924)
Balance, June 30, 2023	152,444	2,037,667	1,139,762	226,100	772,143	4,328,116
Net book value, June 30, 2023	104,189	504,224	237,739	145,568	271,752	1,263,472

	Furniture & fixtures	GPS and "starter interrupt" devices	Computer hardware & software	Auto vehicles	Leasehold improvements	Total
Cost:						
Balance, June 30, 2021	208,893	2,060,318	1,006,877	231,772	682,459	4,190,319
Additions	38,665	339,409	126,554	135,018	353,990	993,636
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance, June 30, 2022	247,558	2,399,727	1,133,431	366,790	1,036,449	5,183,955
Accumulated depreciation:						
Balance, June 30, 2021	74,412	1,265,935	816,990	137,191	442,872	2,737,400
Depreciation	29,835	400,757	154,054	60,399	176,095	821,140
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance, June 30, 2022	104,247	1,666,692	971,044	197,590	618,967	3,558,540
Net book value, June 30, 2022	143,311	733,035	162,387	169,200	417,482	1,625,415

9. RIGHT-OF-USE ASSET

The change in the right-of-use asset is shown below:

	Total premises
Balance at June 30, 2022	901,591
Amortization charge for the period	(327,655)
Balance at June 30, 2023	573,936

	Total premises
Balance at June 30, 2021	609,837
Recognition of additional right-of-use asset	758,479
Amortization charge for the period	(466,725)
Balance at June 30, 2022	901,591

10. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Cost:		
Opening balance	1,432,115	1,176,087
Additions	210,483	272,489
Disposals	-	(16,461)
Closing balance	1,642,598	1,432,115
Accumulated depreciation:		
Opening balance	607,645	344,910
Amortization	367,649	269,267
Disposals	-	(6,532)
Closing balance	975,294	607,645
Net book value	667,304	824,470

11. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND OTHER LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and other liabilities are made up of the following balances:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Lease liability	598,875	917,234
Dealer and agent payments not yet cleared	1,741,764	2,680,153
Accrued interest payable	751,197	440,670
Vendor accounts payable and accrued liabilities	4,302,643	2,973,430
	7,394,479	7,011,487

As of June 30, 2023, vendor accounts payable and other liabilities consist primarily of accrued and unpaid payroll and commodity tax liabilities and amounts payable to vendors for services provided and goods purchased. Dealer and agent payments not yet cleared represent differences between the time a contract is originated and the time the associated dealer payable is settled. Most of these liabilities are short term in nature and settle within a period of 90 to 120 days.

As of June 30, 2023, the maturity analysis of the remaining contractual undiscounted cash flows and lease liabilities included in the consolidated statement of financial position were as follows:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Less than one year	277,230	358,982
One to five years	358,146	635,376
Total undiscounted cash flows	635,376	994,358

Lease liabilities included in the consolidated statement of financial position (discounted)

	598,875	917,234
Current	253,556	318,358
Non-current	345,319	598,876

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the Company recognized \$40,624 of interest expense on lease liabilities (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$48,386).

12. CREDIT FACILITIES AND LOANS

(a) Credit facilities

Balance, June 30, 2021 (i)	79,148,517
Fair value of liability at date of draw (i)	27,196,107
Transaction costs	(107,898)
Repaid principal	(19,000,000)
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	309,642
Balance, June 30, 2022 (ii)	87,546,368
Balance, June 30, 2022	87,546,368
Fair value of liability at date of draw (i)	18,993,837
Transaction costs	(42,800)
Repaid principal	(6,876,107)
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	185,764
Balance, June 30, 2023	99,807,062

(i) In March 2019, the Company obtained funding for its automotive lending segment (Note 21) in the form of a new senior secured revolving credit facility, originally authorized for up to \$80,000,000. Following several subsequent renewals and amendments, the authorized commitment under this facility stands at \$120,000,000 as at June 30, 2023. This credit facility currently carries a coupon of prime plus 1.90% per annum, an agency fee of 0.25% per annum and a standby fee of 0.50% per annum on any unused commitment. The facility matures two years following the end of the revolving period, which is currently set to October 31, 2023 and can be further extended if mutually agreed upon between the Company and the lender. As of June 30, 2023, the Company has drawn a total of \$91,477,854 under this revolving credit facility.

Additionally, in May 2020, the Company closed on a term loan ("Term Loan") of up to \$6.25 million with a Canadian Schedule 1 bank ("Bank"). The Term Loan was backed by the Canadian Government under the Business Credit Availability Program, specifically 80% of the principal of the Term Loan was guaranteed by Export Development Canada ("EDC"). The Term Loan had an interest rate of 4.00% per annum above the Bank's Prime Lending Rate and had an annual EDC guarantee fee of 1.8% of the loan amount. The Term Loan had an initial term of 12 months, with an option to extend it for additional 12 months. On May 6, 2021, the Company repaid \$2.0 million of the Term Loan and extended the maturity date for the remaining principal of \$4.0 million by 12 months, in line with original terms and conditions. The Company was charged an annual EDC guarantee fee of 1.8% for this extension of maturity. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, the Company made a full early repayment of all outstanding amounts under the Term Loan.

12. CREDIT FACILITIES AND LOANS (continued)

(a) Credit facilities (continued)

In addition, as of June 30, 2023, the Company has Warehouse loan facilities with a combined limit of \$17.5 million, used to finance the purchase of receivables associated with the Company's commercial equipment financing business. Of the total loan facilities, \$10 million in warehouse loan facilities are available at an interest rate of prime plus 3.00% per annum, while the remaining \$7.5 million are available at an interest rate of Bankers Acceptance ("BA") plus 4.75% per annum. As of June 30, 2023, the Company has drawn a combined total of \$8,343,837 under these facilities.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, total coupon interest of \$8,430,503 was paid on amounts drawn on credit facilities (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$4,272,314).

(ii) During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, total accretion expense of \$185,764 was recorded on credit facilities (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$309,642).

Coupon interest and accretion expenses were both included in the interest expense on the consolidated statement of income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss).

Transaction costs

Total transaction costs of \$542,457 and \$119,250 were incurred originally in closing the senior secured revolving credit facility and the Term Loan, respectively.

Security

Under the terms of the senior secured credit facility, the Company has granted an assignment of all present and future Company's property.

Prepayment option

The Company can repay the senior secured revolving credit facility at any time prior to maturity, subject to a prepayment fee of 0.5% of the repaid principal amount. It was determined by the Company that the exercise price of the prepayment option approximates the amortized cost, so it is considered to be closely related to the host contract and, therefore, the prepayment option does not have to be separated from the host contract.

Covenants

The senior secured credit facility and the warehouse loan facilities are subject to a number of covenants, where the Company is required to meet certain financial ratios. As of June 30, 2023, the Company was in breach of two covenants on the senior secured credit facility, which has \$91.4 million drawn. The syndicate of lenders have since waived both breaches.

12. CREDIT FACILITIES AND LOANS (continued)

(b) Bulk loan facilities

Balance, June 30, 2021 (i)	14,811,970
Fair value of new debt at issuance (i)	20,849,593
Deferred financing costs	(121,450)
Repayment of principal	(11,634,595)
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	24,122
Balance, June 30, 2022 (ii)	23,929,640
Balance, June 30, 2022	23,929,640
Fair value of new debt at draw (i)	60,265,828
Deferred financing costs	(50,986)
Repayment of principal	(16,567,931)
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	38,133
Balance, June 30, 2023	67,614,684

(i) Bulk loan facilities are subject to eligibility criteria and certain conditions, and bear interest between 3.95% and 8.38% per annum. Funds are drawn against the bulk loan facilities in weekly and bi-weekly tranches, with the last tranche maturing in May 2032. The facilities are repayable in blended semi-monthly instalments of principal and interest in accordance with the amortization schedule of the respective tranches. The facilities are secured by assignment of the vehicle loans or equipment lease receivables, a first registered security interest on equipment, a first position general security interest in the Company or affiliates, and the first charge over any segregated funds.

Total coupon expense on bulk loan facilities during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 amounted to \$2,482,068 (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$519,565).

(ii) Total accretion expense recognized in the consolidated statement of income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss) during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 amounted to \$38,133 (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$24,122).

As at June 30, 2023, the Company was in compliance with all covenants.

13. CONVERTIBLE DEBENTURES

Balance, June 30, 2021 (i)	17,877,994
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	1,215,324
Balance, June 30, 2022 (ii)	19,093,318
 Balance, June 30, 2022	 19,093,318
Fair value of reclassified conversion and call options (ii)	(2,544,075)
Accretion included in interest expense (ii)	1,050,429
Balance, June 30, 2023	17,599,672

(i) Convertible debentures issued by the Company in 2018 with a total face value of \$17,550,000 originally had a maturity date of March 31, 2023. These debentures carry a coupon rate of 7.5% and an effective rate of 14.65%.

At issuance, the Company recognized the fair value of the debentures as \$13,486,000 and the residual value of the conversion option as \$2,986,984 (net of tax effect). Directly attributable transaction costs, all of which were paid in cash, in the total amount of \$448,832 were proportionately attributed to debt and equity components of the debentures, resulting in \$344,897 being attributed to the debt component and \$103,935 to the equity component. In August 2022, the maturity date of these debentures was extended to December 31, 2025. This change was accounted for as a modification of the existing carrying value of the debentures, with the adjusted amount determined as the present value of modified cash flows, discounted at original effective interest rate. As a result of this term extension and the associated change in conversion price from \$0.95 to \$0.80 per common share, the value of the debentures decreased by \$2,544,075 and the residual value of the conversion option increased by an additional \$1,799,106 (net of tax effect).

In addition, during the year ended June 30, 2020, the Company issued convertible debentures with the face value of \$2,640,000. The debentures originally had a maturity date of June 30, 2023, coupon rate of 7.5% and an effective rate of 17.45%. The fair value of the debentures at issuance was \$2,155,307. The residual value of an embedded conversion option and a separate embedded call option were \$266,261 (net of tax effect) and \$89,989 (net of tax effect), respectively. As at June 30, 2023, both the conversion option and the call option have been recognized in equity. The Company incurred a total of \$212,691 in directly attributable transaction costs, of which \$27,352 represented the fair value of broker warrants issued in lieu of finders' fees and the rest were paid or are payable in cash. Transaction costs were proportionately attributed to debt and equity components of the debentures, resulting in \$183,987 being attributed to the debt component and \$28,704 to the equity component. Subsequent to June 30, 2023, Axis repaid the outstanding debenture of \$2,640,000 and accrued interest, as outlined in Note 23, *Subsequent Events*.

13. CONVERTIBLE DEBENTURES (continued)

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, total coupon interest paid to debenture holders was \$1,514,250 (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$1,514,250).

(ii) For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, total accretion expense was \$954,117, net of \$96,312 change in carrying value as a result of conversion option modification (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$1,215,323). This accretion expense is included in interest expense in the consolidated statements of income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss).

14. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

(a) Common shares, NCIB and restricted share units

As of June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022, an unlimited number of common shares and an unlimited number of preferred shares were authorized.

	Common shares #	Amount \$
Balance, June 30, 2021	97,270,423	36,951,932
Additional share capital issued	30,000,000	14,931,718
Shares issued on the conversion of RSUs	1,115,957	657,568
Exercise of stock options and warrants	234,666	132,952
Shares repurchased and cancelled under NCIB	(5,694,000)	(3,568,359)
Balance, June 30, 2022	122,927,046	49,105,811
Balance, June 30, 2022	122,927,046	49,105,811
Shares issued on the conversion of RSUs	1,000,931	442,202
Shares repurchased and cancelled under NCIB	(3,087,000)	(1,471,511)
Balance, June 30, 2023	120,840,977	48,076,502

On November 24, 2021, the TSX approved the Company's notice of intention to commence a Normal Course Issuer Bid ("NCIB"). The NCIB allows the Company to repurchase on the open market (or as otherwise permitted), at its discretion during the period commencing on November 26, 2021 and ending on the earlier of November 25, 2022 or the completion of purchases under the NCIB, up to 6,907,562 common shares of the Company, being 10% of the public float of the Company at the time.

14. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

(a) Common shares, NCIB and restricted share units (continued)

Upon successful completion of the original NCIB program in November 2022, the Company renewed its application and obtained approval from the TSX to continue NCIB purchases for the subsequent period commencing on November 26, 2022 and ending on the earlier of November 25, 2023 or the completion of purchases up to 6,105,497 common shares (10% of the public float of the Company at the time of renewal).

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, 3,087,000 common shares have been repurchased for cancellation for \$1,471,511, including commission, at a volume weighted average price of \$0.47 per common share. The Company applies settlement date accounting in determining the date on which the share repurchase is reflected in the consolidated financial statements. The settlement date is the date on which the Company settles with the third party responsible for conducting NCIB purchases.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, 1,000,931 RSUs vested and were converted into common shares (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: 1,115,957 RSUs), and no vested RSUs were paid out in cash (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: 60,000 RSUs). RSUs were converted into common shares at prices between \$ 0.19 and \$ 0.70 per share (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: between \$ 0.29 and \$ 0.71 per share). The total fair value of RSUs converted during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 came to \$442,202 (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$657,568). The total value of RSUs paid out in cash during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 came to \$Nil (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$25,800).

As at June 30, 2023, 1,045,392 RSUs remain unvested and outstanding (June 30, 2022: 1,164,706 RSUs). These outstanding RSUs will vest gradually over the period of 2.9 years.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the Company recognized \$462,074 of expenses related to RSUs (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$318,132).

This expense is part of the total share-based compensation expense and is included in the consolidated statements of income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss).

The amortized fair value of vested RSUs included in the consolidated statement of changes in shareholders' equity as at June 30, 2023 was \$782,291 (June 30, 2022: \$762,418).

(b) Share options

The Company has a Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "LTIP") for the purchase of common shares for its directors, officers, employees, consultants and other service providers in the form of share options and restricted share units. The aggregate number of common shares reserved for issuance under the LTIP shall not exceed 10% of the issued and outstanding common shares at the time of any grant.

14. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

(b) Share options (continued)

A summary of changes in share options is as follows:

	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price \$
Balance, June 30, 2021	7,300,668	0.56
Options granted	450,000	0.67
Options expired or forfeited	(314,667)	0.38
Balance, June 30, 2022	7,436,001	0.58
Balance, June 30, 2022	7,436,001	0.58
Options granted	605,000	0.30
Options expired or forfeited	(545,000)	0.53
Balance, June 30, 2023	7,496,001	0.55

14. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

(b) Share options (continued)

As of June 30, 2023, the Company had the following granted and outstanding share purchase options:

Expiry date	Options granted and outstanding	Options exercisable	Exercise price, \$
16-May-24	75,000	75,000	0.79
01-Jul-24	1,008,000	1,008,000	0.30
01-Jan-25	30,000	30,000	0.30
01-Mar-25	120,000	120,000	0.30
15-May-25	204,000	204,000	0.30
01-Jun-25	174,000	174,000	0.30
08-Jun-25	3,145,000	3,145,000	0.70
05-Mar-26	285,000	285,000	0.55
27-May-26	100,000	100,000	0.50
08-Oct-27	200,000	200,000	0.45
26-May-28	30,000	20,000	0.32
03-Jun-28	60,000	40,000	0.32
27-Aug-28	10,001	5,000	0.53
19-Apr-29	200,000	66,667	0.72
07-Apr-29	200,000	66,667	0.66
13-Jul-23	120,000	120,000	0.50
16-May-30	605,000	-	0.30
02-Sep-23	120,000	60,000	0.32
25-Jul-26	252,000	252,000	0.60
07-Sep-26	558,000	558,000	0.70
Balance, June 30, 2023	7,496,001	6,529,333	0.55

The weighted average exercise price of options exercisable as of June 30, 2023 was \$0.55 (June 30, 2022: \$0.58).

The weighted average contractual life of options outstanding as of June 30, 2023 was 2.30 years (June 30, 2022: 2.67 years).

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the Company recognized \$190,034 of the share-based compensation related to stock options (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$84,531). This expense is part of the total stock-based compensation expense and is included in the consolidated statements of income / (loss) and comprehensive income / (loss).

14. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

(b) Share options (continued)

The fair values of stock options granted and currently outstanding were determined using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Risk-free interest rate (% per annum)	Between 0.41% and 3.05%	Between 0.41% and 2.70%
Expected hold period to exercise	Based on actual expiry date	Based on actual expiry date
Volatility in the price of the Company shares	Between 44.21% and 100.00%	Between 44.21% and 100.00%
Dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%

Risk-free interest rate used in the model is assumed to equal the Government of Canada benchmark 7-year bond yield. Volatility in the price of the Company shares is estimated by evaluating several factors including historical volatility of the share price over multi-year periods.

15. INCOME TAXES

The reconciliation of the combined Canadian federal and provincial statutory income tax rate of 26.50% (June 30, 2022: 26.50%) to the effective tax rate is as follows:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Net income / (loss) before income taxes	(28,911,118)	1,984,933
Income taxes at statutory combined federal and provincial income tax rates	(7,651,696)	528,558
Non-deductible stock-based compensation	171,951	23,790
Other permanent differences	4,750,707	(52,275)
Income tax expense	(2,729,038)	500,073

15. INCOME TAXES (continued)

The Company's tax expense / (recovery) is allocated as follows:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Current tax expense / (recovery)	43,992	52,263
Deferred tax expense / (recovery)	(2,773,030)	447,810
	(2,729,038)	500,073

The Company's recognition of the deferred tax asset is supported by forecasted taxable profits which are projected to generate sufficient taxable income to realize the deferred tax asset.

The following table summarizes the components of deferred tax:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Deferred tax assets		
Lease and loan receivables	3,261,543	3,032,475
Share and debt issuance costs	10,453	11,753
Non-capital losses carried forward	5,676,420	5,927,719
Property and Equipment and intangible assets	437,587	315,962
Other	39,348	-
Deferred tax liabilities		
Lease and loan receivables	-	(2,514,794)
Property and Equipment and intangible assets	-	9,953
Convertible debentures	(651,655)	(133,745)
Net deferred tax asset	8,773,696	6,649,323

Deferred tax assets and liabilities have been offset where they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company has the legal right and intention to offset.

Non-capital losses carried forward will expire between 2042 and 2043 if unused.

Reconciliation of deferred tax assets, net:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Balance at the beginning of the year	6,649,323	7,097,133
Tax recovery / (expense) during the year recognized in profit or loss	2,773,030	(447,810)
Tax expense during the year recognized in shareholders' equity	(648,657)	-
Balance at the end of the year	8,773,696	6,649,323

15. INCOME TAXES (continued)

The Company is subject to income tax laws in various jurisdictions where it operates, and the complex tax laws are potentially subject to different interpretations by the Company and the relevant taxation authorities. The determination of the Company's tax provision includes its best estimate of tax positions that are under audit or appeal by relevant taxation authorities. The Company incorporates its best assessment based on information available, but additional liability and income tax expense could result based on decisions made by the relevant tax authorities.

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In accordance with IAS 24, *Related Party Disclosures*, related party transactions include transactions with parties that have control or joint control over the reporting entity, have significant influence over the entity, are members of key management personnel of the Company including the Directors (executive and non-executive), members of the Advisory board, Senior Executives of the Company, and close family members of those individuals. The Senior Executive team includes the Chief Executive Officer, President, Chief Financial Officer, and Managing Director.

Compensation of key management personnel

The remuneration of directors and other members of key management personnel was as follows:

	Fiscal year ended 30-Jun-23	Fiscal year ended 30-Jun-22
Wages and salaries	1,266,219	1,271,000
Employee benefit expenses	123,161	124,352
Stock-based compensation *	464,016	63,229
Total capitalization	1,853,396	1,458,581

** includes vested options and vested RSUs expensed in the period*

Compensation of significant shareholder

The Company has also identified a significant shareholder with a business relationship to the Company as a related party for reporting purposes as this shareholder exerted significant influence over the Company. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 the Company earned fees for services provided to this shareholder in the amount of \$1,115,753 (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$2,883,968) and paid \$198,000 of interest expense (fiscal year ended June 30, 2022: \$198,000 of interest expense) on convertible debentures held, directly and indirectly, by this shareholder.

17. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

In the ordinary course of business, the Company and its subsidiaries are involved in various legal actions. The Company establishes legal provisions when it becomes probable that the Company will incur a loss and the amount can be reliably estimated. In management's opinion, based on its current knowledge and after consultation with counsel, the ultimate disposition of these actions, individually or in the aggregate, will not have a material adverse effect on the consolidated financial position of the Company. However, as there are uncertainties inherent in litigation advice, there is a possibility that the ultimate resolution of these actions may be material to the Company's consolidated results of operations for any particular reporting period.

18. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Hierarchy of fair value measurements

IFRS 13, *Fair Value Measurement*, requires disclosure of a three-level hierarchy for fair value measurements based upon transparency of inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date. The three levels are defined as follows:

Level 1: Fair value is based on quoted market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Fair value is based on observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted market prices for similar, but not identical, assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted market prices for identical assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, and other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.

Level 3: Fair value is based on non-observable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. Financial instruments classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy are initially fair valued at their transaction price, which is considered the best estimate of fair value. After initial measurement, the fair value of Level 3 assets and liabilities is determined using valuation models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques.

18. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

As at June 30, 2023, the Company held various forms of financial instruments that are classified as follows:

Financial instruments	Fair value level	30-Jun-23 Carrying value	30-Jun-22 Carrying value
Assets			
Cash	(1)	2,676,060	1,476,555
Cash held in escrow	(1)	5,812,363	2,599,656
Finance receivables – net	(3)	191,988,634	149,944,160
Accounts receivable	(3)	75,064	548,129
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and other liabilities	(3)	7,394,479	7,011,487
Credit facilities and loans	(3)	167,421,746	111,476,008
Convertible debentures	(3)	17,599,672	19,093,318

The fair value of the financial instruments listed above approximates their carrying value. For certain of these instruments, such as finance receivables, credit facilities and loans and convertible debentures, this assertion requires the use of estimates and significant judgement. For example, the finance receivables securing the borrowings were credit scored based on an internal model that is not used in market transactions. They comprise a large number of transactions and are secured by liens on assets being financed. The fair value of any receivable would be affected by a potential buyer's assessment of the transaction's credit quality, collateral value, guarantees, payment history, yield, term, documents and other legal matters, and other subjective considerations. Value received in a fair market sale transaction would be based on the terms of the sale, the buyer's views of the economic and industry conditions, the Company's and the buyer's tax considerations and other factors.

There were no transfers between the three levels in any of the years.

19. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to ensure sufficient liquidity to support its financial objectives and strategic plans, to ensure its covenants are met, and to maximize and protect shareholder value. The capital structure of the Company consists of equity attributable to common shareholders and debt that includes credit facilities and loans and convertible debt.

The Company has been dependent on external financing to fund its activities. In order to carry out its business plan, the Company will raise additional amounts as needed.

19. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (continued)

To fund the acquisition of receivables and grow the finance receivables portfolio, the Company utilizes its non-securitized credit facilities, securitized debt facilities, and when additional capital is required, it is raised through debenture or share issuances. The Company carries a level of cash on hand, generally in an amount determined for short-term changes in working capital balances and to fund near-term finance receivable acquisitions.

The Company is subject to externally imposed capital requirements pursuant to the covenants of the senior secured credit facility secured by the Company (Note 12(a)) and to the covenants of the securitized debt facilities (Note 12(b)).

Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable. There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023.

The calculation of the Company's capitalization as of June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022 is as follows:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Senior credit facility and other non-convertible loans (Note 12(a))	99,807,062	87,546,368
Securitized debt (Note 12(b))	67,614,684	23,929,640
Convertible debentures (Note 13)	17,599,672	19,093,318
Shareholders' equity	24,213,941	49,416,318
Total capitalization	209,235,359	179,985,644

The Company's indebtedness pursuant to the senior secured credit facility and the Warehouse loan facilities (Note 12(a)) are subject to a number of covenants and restrictions including the requirement to meet certain financial ratios and financial condition tests at an operational level. The Company also holds bulk loan facilities (Note 12(b)) and is subject to certain covenants pertaining to these facilities.

20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company is exposed to a number of financial risks in the normal course of its business operations, including market risks resulting from fluctuations in interest rates, as well as credit and liquidity risks. The following summarizes the types of market price risks to which the Company is exposed and the policies and procedures for measuring and managing risk.

20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

(i) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. For the Company, credit risk arises principally through the Company's finance receivables that are a result of transactions within the consumer finance industry and, as such, contain an element of credit risk in the event that the counterparties are unable to meet the terms of their agreements. Credit risk primarily arises from events and circumstances that are outside the Company's control relating to customer under-performance from factors such as loss of employment, divorce, illness, business failure, adverse economic conditions or fraud. The Company originates transactions in a relatively high-risk segment of the consumer finance industry and, therefore, write-offs are anticipated.

To manage credit risk, the Company performs detailed assessments of the customer's financial condition and ability to service the debt both at contract inception and throughout the term of the contract, in addition to maintaining prudent underwriting methods.

Credit risk associated with the Company's cash holdings is managed by holding its funds with reputable financial institutions.

All of the Company's finance receivables cater to a high-risk segment of the consumer finance market, focusing on individuals unable to obtain financing from traditional lending sources due to limited, poor, or no credit history. The Company's finance receivable portfolio is composed of a large number of homogeneous consumer loans, and as such, no individual customer constitutes a significant portion of the finance receivables portfolio. The Company manages its credit risk by adhering to stringent underwriting guidelines and by limiting the value of each customer's principal amount.

Exposure for credit risk

The Company's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amount for finance receivables, miscellaneous customer and other receivables and cash. The Company secures each individual finance receivable with the registration of a security interest/lien against tangible assets. The Company is exposed to the risk that the security upon which its advances are made may reduce in value, so that the Company may not recover some or all of its advances in the event of a customer default. When a vehicle is liquidated, the Company typically has a credit loss. The wholesale value of the collateral held may vary from contract to contract as vehicles are depreciating assets, and there is no guarantee of the liquidation price that will be received for the asset on sale. This may result in a greater shortfall between the value of the finance receivable remaining and the value of the collateral held as security than anticipated.

An analysis of the age and credit quality of financial assets is outlined in Note 6 – Finance receivables.

20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

(ii) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company may not generate sufficient cash or cash equivalents in a timely and cost-effective manner to satisfy financial liabilities as they come due. The Company manages liquidity risk through management of its capital structure and financial leverage as outlined in Note 19 – Capital Management. The Company also manages liquidity risk by continuously monitoring actual and projected cash flows to ensure that there is enough liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, to continue as a going concern.

The Company has been successful in securing, renewing and expanding the credit facilities in the past; however, if the Company was unable to renew these facilities, or unable to renew these facilities on acceptable terms, there could be a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial position, results of operations and liquidity.

Management believes that internally generated cash flows from operating activities, supplemented by additional senior debt borrowings and the issuance of subordinated debt and/or share capital, if necessary, will be sufficient to cover the Company's normal operating and capital expenditures.

As of June 30, 2023, the Company's financial obligations were due as follows:

	< 1 year	1-2 years	> 2 years	Total
Credit facilities	8,423,837	-	91,477,854	99,901,691
Debentures	2,640,000	-	17,550,000	20,190,000
Bulk loan facilities/securitized debt	17,816,915	15,742,073	34,149,348	67,708,336
Accounts payable and other liabilities	7,394,479			7,394,479
	36,275,231	15,742,073	143,177,202	195,194,506

(iii) Interest rate risks

Interest rate risk relates to the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market rates. Finance receivables and unsecured loans bear interest at a fixed rate and are not subject to interest rate risk, as a result of changes in market interest rates.

Credit facilities bear interest at a floating rate (refer to Note 12(a)). The floating rate debt is subject to interest rate cash flow risk as the required cash flows to service the debt will fluctuate as a result of changes in market rates. Fluctuation in interest rates by +/-25 basis points will impact the annual net income by +/- \$249,754, based on gross amounts drawn of \$99,901,691 as of June 30, 2023.

21. OPERATING SEGMENTS

Operating segments

The Company operates and reports in two separate segments: (a) automotive lending and (b) equipment financing. These segments represent separate strategic business units offering different services. They are managed separately because each segment involves different marketing strategies and technology and carries different underlying credit risks.

The automotive lending segment reflects the Company's activities in originating and servicing loans and leases granted to the Company's customers to help them finance the purchase of motor vehicles. The equipment financing segment reflects the Company's activities in originating and servicing leases, which are granted to its customers to finance the purchase of various industrial and manufacturing machinery, commercial heavy vehicles and other business equipment.

The segments are evaluated on reported measures, such as financial revenue, net financial income before expenses and operating expenses. The accounting policies of the operating segments are the same as those described in the summary of significant accounting policies.

The following tables show limited financial information for each segment with reconciliation to the Company's overall financial information.

21. OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Segmented financial position

	As at June 30, 2023			As at June 30, 2022		
	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total
Reportable segment assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	5,636,745	2,851,678	8,488,423	2,653,332	1,422,879	4,076,211
Net finance receivables	133,178,908	58,809,726	191,988,634	128,909,619	21,034,541	149,944,160
Intangible assets	563,658	103,646	667,304	667,298	157,172	824,470
Goodwill	-	-	-	17,810,702	-	17,810,702
Other assets	18,061,488	849,503	18,910,991	14,794,556	1,115,511	15,910,067
Total segment assets	157,440,799	62,614,553	220,055,352	164,835,507	23,730,103	188,565,610
Elimination of intersegmental assets	(1,506,906)	-	(1,506,906)	(1,568,479)	-	(1,568,479)
Total company assets	155,933,893	62,614,553	218,548,446	163,267,028	23,730,103	186,997,131
Reportable segment liabilities						
Credit facilities and loans	106,287,568	61,134,178	167,421,746	89,288,513	22,187,495	111,476,008
Convertible debentures	17,599,672	-	17,599,672	19,093,318	-	19,093,318
Other liabilities	8,488,644	2,331,349	10,819,993	6,638,418	1,941,548	8,579,966
Total segment liabilities	132,375,884	63,465,527	195,841,411	115,020,249	24,129,043	139,149,292
Elimination of intersegmental liabilities	-	(1,506,906)	(1,506,906)	-	(1,568,479)	(1,568,479)
Total company liabilities	132,375,884	61,958,621	194,334,505	115,020,249	22,560,564	137,580,813

21. OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Segmented operating results

	Year ended June 30, 2023			Year ended June 30, 2022		
	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total	Automotive lending	Equipment financing	Total
Financial revenue						
Interest revenue	33,247,667	3,271,087	36,518,754	34,361,566	580,005	34,941,571
Fee, servicing and other income	2,874,395	1,202,058	4,076,453	3,543,439	1,678,339	5,221,778
Total Financial revenue	36,122,062	4,473,145	40,595,207	37,905,005	2,258,344	40,163,349
Financial expenses						
Interest expense	10,710,279	2,935,180	13,645,459	7,473,797	413,276	7,887,073
Fee and servicing expenses	120,833	73,080	193,913	76,188	230,394	306,582
Provision for credit losses	17,808,118	93,435	17,901,553	11,515,662	52,900	11,568,562
Total financial expenses	28,639,230	3,101,695	31,740,925	19,065,647	696,570	19,762,217
Net financial income before expenses	7,482,832	1,371,450	8,854,282	18,839,358	1,561,774	20,401,132
Segment operating expenses	35,073,664	1,973,692	37,047,356	16,042,910	1,876,393	17,919,303
Net segment income/(loss) before tax	(27,590,832)	(602,242)	(28,193,074)	2,796,448	(314,619)	2,481,829
Stock-based compensation			652,108			402,663
Acquisitions and integration			65,936			94,233
Income tax expense / (recovery)			(2,729,038)			500,073
Net income / (loss) for the year			(26,182,080)			1,484,860

22. GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

The breakdown of the Company's general and administrative expenses for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022 is as follows:

	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
Salaries, wages, and benefits	11,846,913	11,211,642
Cost of originations, servicing and recoveries	2,423,700	2,020,666
Technology costs	1,473,985	1,199,274
Occupancy	556,780	445,827
Advertising and promotion	313,051	435,968
Insurance, public company and office expenses	560,489	663,864
Total General and administrative expenses	17,174,918	15,977,241

23. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

As of September 11, 2023, the Company closed a private placement of unsecured, subordinated debentures in the amount of \$2,670,000. The debenture has a maturity date of September 30, 2025, carries an interest rate of 12.0% per annum, and includes 4.5 warrants per \$1 of principal, entitling the holder to purchase one common share of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.16 per share for a period of three years from the date of issuance.

Concurrent with the proceeds raised from the private placement, Axis used these proceeds to repay the outstanding convertible debenture of \$2,640,000 as described in Note 13 of the financial statements.