Unilever Pakistan Foods Ltd Financial Statements For nine months ended September 30, 2023

Amir Paracha

Chief Executive

Asima Haq

Director

Aly Yusuf

Director & CFO

Directors' Review

The directors are pleased to present the financial information for the nine months ended September 30, 2023.

The business delivered sales growth of 33.8%, led by pricing. Volumes came under pressure as a result of sustained double-digit inflation and consequential erosion of consumer purchasing power. However, EPS grew by 55.2% mainly on the back of gross margin improvement driven by a combination of pricing and cost efficiency measures.

Financial Highlights

	Nine mont			
	Septemi	oer 30,		
	2023	2022	Increase	
	(Rs in m	illion)		
Net Sales	26,449	19,766	33.8%	
Profit before Taxation	7,958	5,094	56.2%	
Profit after Taxation	7,474	4,814	55.2%	
Earnings per Share (Rs.)	1,173.27	755.80	55.2%	

Future Outlook

Pakistan's economic and operating environment remains challenging, however post IMF standby arrangement and administrative measures taken by the government we have seen relative stability. However, the conditions continue to remain challenging as persistent double-digit inflation is forcing consumers to reduce discretionary expenses. Structural reforms would be required to drive long term stability.

In the light of the above, the company expects the current pressure on demand to continue. Despite these difficult circumstances, our management team remains committed to overcoming the challenges, driving value for our stakeholders and staying connected to consumers by harnessing the strength of our brand, introducing delightful innovations, continuously striving for value-for-money offerings, and driving cost efficiencies throughout the value chain.

Thanking you all.

On behalf of the Board

Amir R. Paracha

Chief Executive Officer

Karachi

October 24, 2023

Sarfaraz Ahmed Rehman

Chairman

Karachi

October 24, 2023

Unilever Pakistan Foods Limited Condensed Interim Statement of Financial Position As at September 30, 2023

As at September 30, 2023	Note	Unaudited September 30, 2023	Audited December 31, 2022
		(Rupees in the	nousand)
ASSETS			
Non-current assets		7 000 575	6 201 600
Property, plant and equipment	4	7,082,575	6,201,699
Right-of-use asset		8,939	25,029
Intangible assets		81,637	81,637
Long term deposits		2,980 7,176,131	2,980 6,311,345
Current assets		7,1.0,1.0.	
Stores and spares		266,715	197,796
Stock in trade		4,371,170	2,918,231
Trade debts - net		1,665,114	1,029,752
Loans and advances		27,275	26,175
Trade deposits and short term prepayments		206,028	477,329
Other receivables		140,816	239,536
Sales tax refundable - net		400,011	775,332
Taxation - net	_	2,599,805	552,969
Short term investments	5	4,422,198	5,771,861
Cash and bank balances	6	9,320,119	2,316,789
		23,419,251	20,617,115
Total assets		30,595,382	20,617,113
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Share capital and reserves			20.000
Share capital		63,699	63,699
Reserves		14,465,384	7,450,332
		14,529,083	7,514,031
LIABILITIES Non-current liabilities			
Non-current liabilities	Γ		50.450
Staff retirement benefits		63,497	53,150
Long term borrowings	7	569,499	491,122
Deferred income - government grant		320,904	223,780
Deferred taxation		479,807	412,719
Current liabilities		1,433,707	1,180,771
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables		11,731,902	9,475,192
Current portion of deferred income - government grant		61,240	38,694
Unpaid dividend		2,594,626	2,205,067
Unclaimed dividend		29,351	29,991
Provisions	8	150,674	123,861
Accrued interest / mark up		7,262	5,888
Current portion of lease liabilities			22,252
Current portion of long term borrowings		57,537 14,632,592	21,368
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Total liabilities		16,066,299	13,103,084
Total equity and liabilities		30,595,382	20,617,115

Contingencies and commitments

The annexed notes 1 to 16 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

Director

Director & Chief Financial Officer

Condensed Interim Statement of Profit or Loss and

Other Comprehensive Income (Un-audited)

For the nine months period and three months period ended September 30, 2023

		Three month period ended		Nine month pe	eriod ended	
	Note	September 30,	September 30, 2022	September 30, 2023	September 30, 2022	
		2023		2023 thousand)	2022	
			(
Sales - net	10	7,711,172	6,807,444	26,448,888	19,766,070	
Cost of sales		(4,523,038)	(4,274,638)	(15,000,498)	(11,586,529)	
Gross profit		3,188,134	2,532,806	11,448,390	8,179,541	
Distribution cost		(1,199,866)	(928,633)	(4,199,455)	(2,799,081)	
Administrative expenses		(188,247)	(171,127)	(602,710)	(433,364)	
Other operating expenses		(157,845)	(108,252)	(525,042)	(350,627)	
Other income		720,915	249,756	1,900,720	551,560	
		2,363,091	1,574,550	8,021,903	5,148,029	
Finance costs		5,025	(25,521)	(63,530)	(53,979)	
Profit before taxation	-	2,368,116	1,549,029	7,958,373	5,094,050	
Taxation	11	(83,838)	(77,898)	(484,685)	(279,616)	
Profit after taxation	-	2,284,278	1,471,131	7,473,688	4,814,434	
Other comprehensive loss			-	-	(4,459)	
Total comprehensive income	=	2,284,278	1,471,131	7,473,688	4,809,975	
		(Rupees)				
Earnings per share - basic and diluted	=	358.60	230.95	1,173.27	755.80	

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Chief Executive

Director

Director & Chief Financial Officer

Condensed Interim Statement of Cash Flows (Un-audited)

For the nine months period ended September 30, 2023			
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		2023	2022
		(Rupees in	thousand)
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before taxation		7,958,373	5,094,050
Adjustment for:			
Depreciation		253,259	232,122
Depreciation on right-of-use asset		16,090	16,120
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		•	(1,569)
Finance cost		17,654	8,966
Provision for staff retirement benefits		10,347	6,210
Return on short term investments held at fair value through profit or loss		(513,813)	(36,974)
Return on savings accounts		(692,089)	(349,238)
		(908,552)	(124,363)
Changes in working capital:			
Stores and spares		(68,919)	(12,367)
Stock in trade		(1,452,939)	(1,255,546)
Trade debts		(635,362)	(708,922)
Loans and advances		(1,100)	(47,844)
Trade deposits and short term prepayments		271,301	(222,086)
Other receivables		98,720	37,117
Sales tax refundable		375,321	(500,906)
Trade and other payables		2,256,710	3,200,949
Provisions		26,813	(11,987)
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Cook generated from energtions		7,920,366	5,448,095
Cash generated from operations		(16,280)	(4,412)
Finance cost paid		(2,464,432)	(226,433)
Income tax paid		5,439,654	5,217,250
Net cash generated from operating activities		0,100,001	,,
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(4.424.425)	(975.267)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(1,134,135)	(875,267) 1,570
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		(000 040)	
Short term investments held at fair value through profit or loss - net		(828,818)	(2,095,125)
Return received on savings accounts		692,089	349,238
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,270,864)	(2,619,584)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from long term borrowings		246,146	561,567
Repayment of long term borrowings		(11,931)	-
Lease liability payments		(22,252)	(387)
Dividend paid		(69,717)	(2,584,710)
Net cash generated / (used) in financing activities		142,246	(2,023,530)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		4,311,036	574,136
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	14	5,009,083	3,297,755
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	14	9,320,119	3,871,891

The annexed notes 1 to 16 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

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Director & Chief Financial Officer

Condensed Interim Statement of Changes in Equity (Un-audited)
For the nine months period ended September 30, 2023

	Share	Reserves			Total		
	Capital	Capit			Revenue	Sub Total	
	Issued, subscribed and paid-up capital	Share premium	Special	General	Unappropriated profit		
				(Rupees in the	nousand)		
Balance as at December 31, 2022 (audited)	63,699	1,296,499	628	138	6,153,067	7,450,332	7,514,031
Transactions with owners of the Company - Distribution							
First Interim dividend for the year ending December 31, 2023 @ Rs. 72 per share			-	-	(458,636)	(458,636)	(458,636)
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	7,473,688	7,473,688	7,473,688
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	-		-	
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	7,473,688	7,473,688	7,473,688
Balance as at September 30, 2023 (unaudited)	63,699	1,296,499	628	138	13,168,119	14,465,384	14,529,083
Balance as at December 31, 2021 (audited)	63,699	1,296,499	628	138	1,608,602	2,905,867	2,969,566
Transactions with owners of the Company - Distribution							
Final dividend for the year ended December 31, 2021 @ Rs. 245 per share	-	-	-	-	(1,560,638)	(1,560,638)	(1,560,638)
First Interim dividend for the year ending December 31, 2022 @ Rs. 287 per share	-			*	(1,828,176)	(1,828,176)	(1,828,176)
Profit for the period	-	-	-	- 1	4,814,434	4,814,434	4,814,434
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	-	(4,459)	(4,459)	(4,459)
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	4,809,975	4,809,975	4,809,975
Balance as at September 30, 2022 (unaudited)	63,699	1,296,499	628	138	3,029,763	4,327,028	4,390,727

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Director & Chief Financial Officer

Unilever Pakistan Foods Limited Notes to and forming part of the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Un-audited)

For the nine months period ended September 30, 2023

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

1.1 Statement of compliance

These condensed interim financial statements of Unilever Pakistan Foods Limited ("the Company") for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 have been prepared in accordance with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting. The accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting comprise of International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017; and provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017. Where the provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 differ with the requirements of IAS 34, the provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 have been followed.

1.2 These condensed interim financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2022. However, selected explanatory notes are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to understanding of changes in Company's financial position and performance since the last annual financial statements.

1.3 Basis of measurement

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except as disclosed otherwise.

1.4 Functional and presentation currency

These condensed interim financial statements are presented in Pakistani Rupees which is the functional currency of the Company and figures are rounded off to the nearest thousand of rupees, except where stated otherwise.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies and the methods of computation adopted in the preparation of these condensed interim financial statements are the same as those applied in the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022.

3 ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

The preparation of these condensed interim financial statements, in conformity with accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectation of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from the estimates.

During the preparation of these condensed interim financial statements, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Company's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation and assumptions are consistent with those that were applied to the annual audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2022.

4.	PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		Unaudited	Audited
		Note	September 30,	December 31,
			2023	2022
			(Rupees in	thousand)
	Operating assets - at net book value		3,585,885	3,633,459
	Capital work in progress - at cost		3,496,690	2,568,240
			7,082,575	6,201,699
4.1	Additions of operating fixed assets during the period are	as follows:		
4.1	Additions of operating fixed assets during the period are	as follows.	Additions	(at cost)
			Unaud	
			September 30,	September 30,
			2023	2022
			(Rupees in	
	Building on freehold land		87,854	23,021
	Building on freehold land Plant and machinery			274,117
	•		116,180 422	
	Electrical, mechanical and office equipment			2,151 949
	Furniture and fixtures		1,229	300,238
			205,685	300,236
5.	SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS		Unaudited	Audited
			September 30,	December 31,
			2023	2022
			(Rupees in	thousand)
	measured at:			
	 At fair value through profit or loss 	5.1	4,422,198	3,079,567
	- At amortized cost	5.2		2,692,294
			4,422,198	5,771,861
5.1	This represents investment in money market mutual fund	ds.		
5.2	This represents investment in government treasury bills v	with a maturity u	pto three months.	
6.	CASH AND BANK BALANCES		Unaudited	Audited
			September 30,	December 31,
			2023	2022
			(Rupees in	thousand)
	With banks on:			
	- savings accounts		8,605,588	2,091,029
	- current accounts		714,449	225,729
			9,320,037	2,316,758
	- Cash in hand		82	31
			9,320,119	2,316,789

7.	LONG TERM BORROWINGS		Unaudited September 30, 2023 (Rupees in	Audited December 31, 2022 thousand)
	Finance facility - solar Current portion of finance facility - solar	7.1	121,110 (12,111) 108,999	121,110 (12,111) 108,999
	Temporary Economic Refinance Facility (TERF) Current portion of TERF	7.2	888,070 (45,426) 842,644	653,854 (9,257) 644,597
	Deferred income - government grant	7.2	(382,144) 569,499	(262,474) 491,122

- 7.1 During the year 2020, the Company entered into a long term borrowing arrangement with a commercial bank for installation of solar panels under State Bank of Pakistan's Refinancing Scheme for Renewable energy. The total facility is available for twelve years ending in 2032 and amounts to Rs. 149 million. The loan carries mark-up at the rate of 3.65% per annum.
- 7.2 During the year 2021, the Company also entered into a long term borrowing arrangement with commercial banks under State Bank of Pakistan's Temporary Economic Refinance Facility amounting to Rs. 900 million. This loan carries a concessional mark-up rate of 2.3% and is repayable in 32 quarterly installments with a 2 year grace period commencing from first disbursement.

The scheme qualifies for the recognition criteria of a Government Grant as per IAS 20 Accounting for Government Grants and Disclosure of Government Assistance. As a result, the liability has been broken down into two components. First one being recognition of a financial liability in accordance with IFRS 9 Financial Instruments which has been measured at fair value, that is, present value of future cashflows at the prevailing market rate. Second component is the recognition of deferred income as a liability. This is the difference between the fair value of the financing facility and loan proceeds received from the bank.

8.	PROVISIONS	Unaudited	Audited
		September 30,	December 31,
		2023	2022
		(Rupees in	thousand)
	Sindh Infrastructure Cess	150,674	123,861

9. CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

9.1 Contingencies

There were no contingencies as on September 30, 2023.

9.2 Commitments

The commitments for capital expenditure outstanding as at September 30, 2023 amounted to Rs. 1,072 million (December 31, 2022: Rs. 915.2 million).

10. SALES - net

Unaudited

September 30, 2023

September 30, 2022

(Rupees in thousand)

The Company analyses its net revenue by the following product groups:

Products used by end consumers Products used by entities
 22,180,662
 16,929,270

 4,268,226
 2,836,800

 26,448,888
 19,766,070

11. TAXATION

Unaudited

September 30, 2023

September 30,

2022

(Rupees in thousand)

Current tax:

- Current year

- Prior year

Deferred tax:

- Current year

- Prior year

358,845	199,573
58,751	26,110
417,596	225,683

(9,972)	1,032
77,061	52,901
67,089	53,933
484,685	279,616

12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related party transactions during the period other than those disclosed elsewhere in these condensed interim financial statements are as follows:

Relationship with		Nature of transactions	Unaudi	ited
t	he company		September 30, 2023	September 30, 2022
			(Rupees in t	housand)
i)	Holding company	Royalty	60,476	64,309
		Dividend paid	-	1,400,964
ii)	Associated companies	Royalty and technology fee	1,157,074	750,576
		Purchase of goods & PPE	2,538,134	2,261,639
		Sale of goods	10,710	20,691
		Reimbursement of shared expenses		
		to related parties	1,298,998	777,927
		Fee for providing of services		
		to related parties	8,731	18,379
		Fee for receiving of services from		
		related parties	10,398	149,809
		Contribution to Defined Contribution plan	12,270	10,966
		Settlement on behalf of Defined		
		Contribution plan	33,301	25,824
iii)	Key management	Salaries and other short-term		
	personnel	employee benefits	41,427	25,824

Aggregate amount charged for fee to seven (September 30, 2022: seven) non-executive directors during the period amounted to Rs. 5.3 million (September 30, 2022: Rs. 4.2 million).

13. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company's activities are exposed to a variety of financial risk namely credit risk, foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, liquidity and other pricing risk. The Company has established adequate procedures to manage these risks.

These condensed interim financial statements do not include the financial risk management information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements; they should be read in conjunction with Company's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. There have been no changes in the risk management policies since the year end.

FINANCIAL ASSETS	Carrying amount Unaudited September 30, 2023 (Rupees in	Carrying amount Audited December 31, 2022 thousand)
Financial asset - measured at fair value Short term investments	4,422,198	3,079,567
Financial assets - not measured at fair value Loans and advances Trade debts Long term deposits Trade deposits Other receivables Short term investments Cash and bank balances	1,665,114 2,980 119,842 140,816 - 9,320,119 15,671,069	438 1,029,752 2,980 176,025 203,646 2,692,294 2,316,789 9,501,491
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES		
Financial liabilities - not measured at fair value Long term borrowings Trade and other payables Unpaid dividend Unclaimed dividend Accrued interest / mark up Lease liabilities	627,036 10,910,384 2,594,626 29,351 7,262 - 14,168,659	512,490 9,107,051 2,205,067 29,991 5,888 22,252 11,882,739

The carrying value of financial assets and financial liabilities (not measured at fair value) approximate their fair value. For valuation of derivative (forward foreign exchange contract) at reporting date, the relevant rate has been taken from financial institution and has been classified in to level 2 fair value measurement hierarchy as defined in IFRS 13.

14. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and bank balances	6	9,320,119	2,316,789
Short term investments valued at amortized cost	5		2,692,294
		9,320,119	5,009,083

15. NON ADJUSTING EVENT AFTER REPORTING DATE

The Board of Directors in its meeting held on October 24, 2023 declared a second interim cash dividend for the year ending December 31, 2023 of Rs. 179 per share, amounting to Rs.1 102 Mn. Cumulative interim dividend declared for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 of Rs.251 per share amounting to Rs. ____ (cumulative interim dividend declared for nine months ended September 30, 2022 of Rs. 287 per share amounting to Rs. 1,828 million).

CORRESPONDING FIGURES 15.

Corresponding figures have been re-arranged and reclassified, wherever necessary for purpose of comparison and better presentation. This did not affect profit, net assets or equity.

> Audited As at December 31,2022

Reclassified from

Reclassified to

(Rupee in '000)

Cash and bank balances

Trade deposits and short term prepayments

264,776

Unaudited Sept 30, 2022

Reclassified from

Reclassified to

(Rupee in '000)

Distribution cost

Other income

8,884

Administrative expenses

Other income

17,232

16. DATE OF AUTHORISATION FOR ISSUE

These condensed interim financial statements were authorised for issue on 24th October 2020y the Board of Directors of the Company.

Director & Chief Financial Officer