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1. CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

In thousands of euros

	Notes	2020	2019
Revenues	5.10.1	457,709	499,479
Other income	5.10.2	1,270	2,491
Purchases consumed	5.10.3	(42,341)	(61,518)
Personnel expenses	5.10.3	(63,684)	(61,693)
External expenses	5.10.3	(54,382)	(58,214)
Taxes and duties	5.10.3	(15,281)	(19,039)
Allowances for amortisation/depreciation & provisions	5.9.2 - 5.9.3	(108,841)	(102,839)
Other current operating income and expenses		(4,266)	(3,518)
Current operating profit/loss		170,184	195,148
Other non-current operating income and expenses		(1,047)	(3,562)
Operating profit/loss		169,137	191,586
Net financial debt cost	5.10.4	(42,054)	(37,031)
Other financial income and expenses	5.10.4	8	(15,200)
Pre-tax profit (loss)		127,091	139,355
Income tax	5.10.5	(55,097)	(62,513)
Net profit (loss) for the period		71,994	76,841
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to:			
- owners of the company		71,994	76,841
- equity interest without control		-	-
Earnings per share		1,47	1,57
Diluted earnings per share		1,47	1,57

In thousands of euros

	Notes	2020	2019
Net profit/loss		71,994	76,841
Other elements of comprehensive income:			
Actuarial gains and losses		4,281	(2,462)
Impact of deferred taxes	5.9.7	(1,106)	636
Elements not to be reclassified in profit (loss) subsequently		3,175	(1,826)
Change in fair value of financial instruments (cash flow hedges)	5.9.11	398	
Elements likely to be subsequently reclassified in profit (loss)		398	
Total other elements of the comprehensive income		3,573	(1,826)
Total comprehensive income		75,567	75,015
Attributable to the owners of the company		75,567	75,015
Attributable to equity interests without control			

2. STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL POSITION

In thousands of euros

	Notes	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Assets			
Goodwill	5.9.2	420,756	420,756
Other intangible assets	5.9.2	92,566	93,730
Tangible assets	5.9.3	2,435,546	2,415,399
Investments in equity-accounted companies	5.9.4	6,272	
Other non-current financial assets		379	379
Other non-current assets		3,644	0
Deferred tax assets		13	23
Non-current assets		2,959,175	2,930,286
Inventory	5.9.4	24,994	25,223
Other current financial assets		161	119
Trade receivables	5.9.5	43,654	60,099
Current payable tax receivables		9,725	5,291
Other current assets		4,770	2,914
Cash and cash equivalents	5.9.7	489,560	38,462
Current assets		572,864	132,108
Total assets		3,532,039	3,062,395
Shareholder equity and liabilities			
Capital	5.9.8	489,474	489,474
Issue premiums		71,053	71,053
Reserves		(267,948)	(118,543)
Convertible bonds		470,000	670,000
Profit (loss) for the year attributable to the owners of the company	1	71,994	76,841
Shareholder equity attributable to the owners of the company		834,573	1,188,825
Total shareholder equity		834,573	1,188,825
Non-current financial debts	5.9.10	1,785,912	1,425,565
Employee benefits	5.10.6	27,171	31,672
Deferred tax liabilities	5.9.6.1	260,636	243,129
Non-current liabilities		2,073,719	1,700,366
Current financial debts	5.9.10	530,193	74,149
Current provisions	5.9.9	204	830
Trade payables	5.9.11	59,805	61,960
Payable tax liabilities		-	-
Other current liabilities	5.9.12	33,545	36,264
Current liabilities		623,747	173,203
Total shareholder equity and liabilities		3,532,039	3,062,395

3. TABLE OF CHANGES TO CONSOLIDATED SHAREHOLDER EQUITY

In thousands of euros

	Capital	Issue premiums	Non-distributed profit (loss)	Actuarial reserves	Convertible bonds ⁽¹⁾	Fair Value Reserves	Other reserves	Consolidated reserves	Total shareholder equity
Shareholder equity at 31 December 2018	489,474	71,053	33,736	(1,456)	670,000		9,958	(106,678)	1,166,087
Profit (loss)			76,841						76,841
Total other elements of the comprehensive income				(1,826)					(1,826)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	76,841	(1,826)	-		-	-	75,015
Interest from convertible bonds								(35,146)	(35,146)
Dividends		-	(17,132)				-	-	(17,132)
Total contributions and distributions from / to owners of the company	-	-	(17,132)	-			-	(35,146)	(52,277)
Shareholder equity at 31 December 2019	489,474	71,053	93,446	(3,282)	670,000		9,958	(141,823)	1,188,826
Shareholder equity at 31 December 2019	489,474	71,053	93,446	(3,282)	670,000		9,958	(141,823)	1,188,826
Profit (loss)			71,994						71,994
Total other elements of the comprehensive income				3,175		398	-	-	3,573
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	71,994	3,175	-	398	-	-	75,567
Issue of ordinary shares					(200,000)				(200,000)
Interest from convertible bonds								(34,392)	(34,392)
Dividends		-	(195,426)						(195,426)
Total contributions and distributions from / to owners of the company	-	-	(195,426)	-	(200,000)	-	-	(34,392)	(429,818)
Equity interests without control during acquisition of the subsidiary							(1)		(1)
Total transactions with owners of the society	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	-	(1)
Shareholder equity at 31 December 2020	489,474	71,053	(29,986)	(107)	470,000	398	9,957	(176,215)	834,573

(1) Convertible bonds issued by the Group are considered as equity instruments according to IAS 32. The nominal sum as well as the interest paid (after tax) are therefore classed as shareholder equity (see note 5.99 Capital and reserves). The interest incurred is entered as other debt.

4. CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

In thousands of euros

	Notes	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Net profit (loss) for the period	1	71,994	76,841
Removal of expenses and income with no cash impact			
Elimination of dividend income		-	-
Amortisation/depreciation and provisions	5.9.2 - 5.9.3	106,239	101,099
Income tax	5.10.5.1	55,097	62,513
Financial result	5.10.4	41,648	52,231
Neutralisation as elements classed as investment flows		17	-
In working capital requirement		7,824	16,283
Tax paid		(26,922)	(35,813)
Net cash flow related to operating activities		255,897	273,156
Acquisition of tangible and intangible assets	5.9.2 - 5.9.3	(126,086)	(140,732)
Change in loans and other financial assets		(42)	704
Impact of changes to scope	5.5.5 - 5.9.4	(6,273)	-
Net cash flow related to investment activities		(132,041)	(140,028)
Dividends paid by the consolidating company		(195,426)	(17,132)
Issue of loans	5.9.11	896,000	246,854
Loan repayments	5.9.11	(76,680)	(244,553)
Interest paid		(96,293)	(98,314)
Net cash flow related to financing activities		327,601	(128,345)
Impact of exchange rate fluctuations		-	-
Change in cash flow		451,097	4,783
Opening cash and cash equivalents		38,462	33,680
Cash and cash equivalents at close	5.9.8	489,560	38,462

At 31/12/2020, the interest on ORA was reclassified from the "loan repayments" line to the "loan issues" line.

5. EXPLANATORY NOTES FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

5.1 ENTITY PRESENTING THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Teréga SAS is a company domiciled in France, with its registered office at 40 avenue de l'Europe, Pau. The consolidated financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2020 are drawn up in relation to the Company and its subsidiaries, with the whole being referred to as «the Group», and each individual company as «the entities of the Group».

The Teréga Group, located in Pau, in the French department of Pyrénées-Atlantiques, has the mission of offering and developing, on the European market, a natural gas transmission and storage service.

5.2 HISTORY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TERÉGA GROUP AND BACKGROUND TO THE PREPARATION OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF TERÉGA SAS

On 30 July 2013, all of the securities of Teréga SA (formerly TIGF SA), held until then by TGEHF (Total Gaz Electricité Holding France), were sold to Teréga SAS (formerly TIGF INVESTISSEMENTS), itself held by Teréga HOLDING (formerly TIGF HOLDING).

5.3 ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

5.3.1 DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE

The accounting principles chosen for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements comply with the IFRS and interpretations as published by the IASB and approved by the European Union at 31 December 2020 and presented in detail on the website of the European Commission.

5.3.2 STANDARDS, INTERPRETATIONS AND AMENDMENTS APPLIED

IFRS as well as their interpretations and amendments are presented in the table below. They were applied by the Group in its consolidated financial statements drawn up on 31 December 2020:

IFRS ADOPTED BY THE EU (and related amendments)	IMPACT	SEE EXPLANATORY NOTES
IAS 1 - Presentation of Financial Statements	Yes	Notes 1 - 2
IAS 2 - Inventories	Yes	Note 5.5.6
IAS 7 - Statement of Cash Flows	Yes	Note 4
IAS 8 - Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors	Yes	Note 5.5
IAS 10 - Events after the Reporting Period	Yes	Note 5.13
IAS 11 - Construction Contracts	NA	
IAS 12 - Income Taxes	Yes	Note 5.5.12
IAS 16 - Property, Plant and Equipment	Yes	Note 5.5.4
IAS 18 - Revenue	Yes	Note 5.5.9
IAS 19 - Employee Benefits	Yes	Note 5.5.7
IAS 20 - Government Grants	Yes	Note 5.5.4.4
IAS 21 - The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates	NS	Note 5.9.1

IAS 23 - Borrowing Costs	Yes	Note 5.5.2.7
IAS 24 - Related Party Disclosures	Yes	Note 5.11
IAS 26 - Accounting and Reporting by Retirement Benefit Plans	NA	
IAS 27 - Separate Financial Statements	NA	
IAS 28 - Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures	NA	
IAS 29 - Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies	NA	
IAS 32 - Financial Instruments	Yes	Note 5.5.2.3
IAS 33 - Earnings Per Share	NA	Non-listed company
IAS 34 - Interim Financial Reporting	NA	
IAS 36 - Impairment of Assets	Yes	Note 5.5.2.8
IAS 37 - Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets	Yes	Note 5.5.8
IAS 38 - Intangible Assets	Yes	Note 5.5.3
IAS 39 - Financial Instruments: Recognition & Measurement	Yes	Note 5.5.2.3
IAS 40 - Investment Property	NA	
IAS 41 - Agriculture	NA	
IFRS 1 - First-time Adoption of IFRS	NA	
IFRS 2 - Share-based Payment	NA	Non-listed company
IFRS 3 - Business Combinations	Yes	Note 5.5.2.1
IFRS 4 - Insurance Contracts	NS	
IFRS 5 - Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations	NA	
IFRS 6 - Exploration for & Evaluation of Mineral Resources	NA	
IFRS 7 - Financial Instruments: Disclosures	Yes	Note 5.5.2.3
IFRS 8 - Operating Segments	NA	Non-listed company
IFRS 9 - Financial Instruments	NS	Note 5.5.2.3
IFRS 10 - Consolidated Financial Statements	Yes	Notes 1 - 2
IFRS 11 - Joint Arrangements	NA	
IFRS 12 - Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities	NA	
IFRS 13 - Fair Value Measurement	Yes	Note 5.9.11
IFRS 15 - Revenues from Contracts with Customers	NS	Note 5.5.9
IFRS 16 - Leases	NS	Note 5.5.10

5.3.2.1 New mandatory standards, amendments and interpretations

Mandatory Standards, Amendments and Interpretations as of 1 January 2020

The Group has applied the following standards applicable as of 1 January 2020

Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8: definition of «significant»

By revisiting the definition of «significant», this amendment defines information as important if its omission, inaccuracy or obfuscation could reasonably influence the decisions that users make on the basis of the financial statements.

5.3.2.2 New standards, amendments and interpretations published by the IASB but not yet adopted by the European Union

The standards, amendments and interpretations published by the IASB but not yet adopted by the European Union will only enter into force in a mandatory manner from this adoption and are therefore not applied by the Group.

5.3.3 ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements requires the management to exercise judgement in making estimates and assumptions likely to affect the application of accounting methods. The actual values may be different from the estimated values.

The estimates and the underlying assumptions are constantly reviewed. The impact of the changes of accounting estimates is recorded during the period of the change and all the subsequent periods affected.

The assumptions and estimates mainly concern:

- The measurement of the fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities recovered in the context of business combinations (see note 5.5.1.);
- The period of use of tangible and intangible assets used for the calculation of depreciation: these estimates are presented in notes 5.5.3 and 5.5.4 of the accounting principles;
- The measurement of the recoverable value of the goodwill (assumptions described in note 5.5.1.);
- The measurement of the obligations linked to specified benefit plans (assumptions described in notes 5.5.7 and 5.10.6.3);
- The valuation of the financial instruments (see note 5.5.2.3);
- The measurement of the deferred tax assets (see note 5.9.7).

5.4 CONSOLIDATION METHODS

The acquired subsidiaries are consolidated in the Group's financial statements from the date of their acquisition of control or, for reasons of convenience, if the impact is not material, from the date of establishment of the most recent consolidated balance sheet.

The consolidated financial statements presented in this document cover the period from 1 January to 31 December 2020. All of the Group's companies have a closing date of 31 December.

5.4.1 SUBSIDIARIES

A subsidiary company is an entity controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity if, and only if, all of the conditions below are met:

- It holds power over the entity;
- It is exposed or has the right to variable returns due to its involvement with the entity;
- It has the ability to exercise power over the company so as to influence the amount of the returns it obtains.

The financial statements of the subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date on which control is obtained until the date on which control ceases.

5.4.2 INVESTMENTS CONTROLLED EXCLUSIVELY: FULL CONSOLIDATION

Full consolidation consists of:

- Integrating the accounts of consolidated companies after any restatements into the accounts of the consolidating company
- Distributing equity and income between the interests of the consolidating company and the interests of other non-controlling shareholders
- Eliminating transactions in account between the fully consolidated company and its consolidated subsidiaries

5.4.3 PARTIALLY CONTROLLED INTERESTS: EQUITY-ACCOUNTED COMPANIES

Equity accounting consists in including the consolidating company's share of equity and profit or loss in its financial statements.

5.4.4 TRANSACTIONS ELIMINATED FROM THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The balance sheet balances and transactions and the income and expenses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated during the preparation of the consolidated financial statements.

5.5 ACCOUNTING METHODS AND PRINCIPLES AND VALUATION RULES

5.5.1 ACCOUNTING METHODS AND PRINCIPLES USED ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GROUP

5.5.1.1 Business combination and allocation of goodwill

In accordance with the provisions of IFRS 1 relating to subsidiaries adopting IFRS after their parent company, Teréga SAS chose to assess business combinations based on the values adopted by its parent company: Teréga HOLDING.

Thus, the allocation of goodwill as at 30 July 2013, in accordance with the principles set out in note 5.5.3.4, is broken down as follows (in €M):

Acquisition cost as at 30 July 2013			1,596
Shareholder equity acquired at 30 July 2013			644
Initial consolidation difference			952
	Gross	Deferred tax	Net
Assets re-measured at fair value	835	(288)	548
- Tangible assets	797	(274)	522
- Intangible assets	39	(13)	25
Derecognition of investment subsidies	38	(13)	25
Liability re-measured at fair value - Bond borrowing of €500 million	(63)	22	(41)
Allocation of the acquisition price	810	(279)	531
Goodwill			421

In application of the principles laid down by IFRS 3, as it concerned a business combination, the valuation at fair value of certain tangible and intangible assets acquired respectively led to a re-measurement of €797 million and €39 million (see paragraphs relating to the tangible assets, intangible assets and goodwill).

The bond loan of €500 million was revalued at its fair value with a negative impact of €63 million.

Residual goodwill of €421 million was then recorded for the difference between the cost of acquiring Teréga SA and the net fair value of the assets and liabilities restated as part of the acquisition.

5.5.1.2 Recognition of the tax expense

Teréga SAS belongs to the tax group of which Teréga Holding is the consolidation parent company. The tax consolidation agreement between Teréga Holding, Teréga SAS, Teréga Solutions, LOCA TEREKA and Teréga SA provides that the tax results are definitively acquired by the parent company. The tax expense applied in the accounts of Teréga SAS thus corresponds to the profit (loss) for tax purposes of Teréga SA, Teréga Solutions, LOCA TEREKA, and Teréga SAS as if they were taxed separately.

The reintegration of financial expenses has also been maintained at the Teréga Holding level, with taxation at the group level.

5.5.2 ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND VALUATION RULES

The accounting methods described below were applied systematically by all the entities of the Group.

5.5.2.1 Business combinations

Business combinations are accounted for in accordance with the principles set out by IFRS 3 by applying the purchase method on the purchase date, i.e. the date on which control is transferred to the Group.

The Group measures goodwill on the acquisition date as:

- The fair value of the consideration transferred; plus
- The amount entered for any profit-sharing that does not grant control in the company acquired; plus
- If the business combination is carried out in stages, the fair value of any shares previously held in the company acquired; less
- The fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed.

If the difference is negative, the gain arising from the acquisition made under beneficial conditions is immediately recorded on the income statement.

The consideration transferred excludes the amounts relating to the payment of pre-existing relations. These amounts are generally entered on the income statement.

The costs related to the acquisition, other than those related to the issue of debt or equity securities, that the Group covers due to a business combination, are recorded as expenses when they are incurred.

Goodwill is then measured at the cost, less the accumulation of impairment losses.

5.5.2.2 Shareholder equity

The additional costs directly attributable to the issue of new ordinary shares are recorded as a deduction from the shareholder equity. In addition, the convertible bonds issued by the Group are considered as equity instruments according to IAS 32.

Changes in fair value of the hedging instruments are recorded net of tax as "other elements of the comprehensive income" for the effective portion and on the income statement for the period for their ineffective portion. When the hedging instruments are implemented, the gains or losses accumulated in shareholder equity are recategorised on the income statement in the same section as the element covered.

5.5.2.3 Financial instruments

On 24 July 2014, the IASB published IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments", applicable to financial years beginning on or after 1 January 2018.

This standard defines a classification and valuation of financial assets that reflect the business model in which they are managed as well as their contractual cash flows; an impairment methodology based on "expected losses" and a change in the principles of hedge accounting.

As the current accounting practice within the Teréga Group complies with IFRS 9, the application of this standard therefore does not result in a significant change in the Group's consolidated financial statements.

5.5.2.4 Non-derivative financial assets

The Group initially records the loans, receivables and deposits on the date on which they are generated. All the other financial assets are recorded on the transaction date, which is the date on which the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights of the cash flow generated by the asset expire, or when it transfers the right to receive the contractual cash flow of a transaction in which practically all risks and benefits inherent to the ownership of the financial asset are transferred. Any interest created or preserved by the Group in transferred financial assets is entered separately as an asset or liability.

The financial assets and liabilities are offset and recorded for their net balance in the statement of financial position if, and only if, the Group legally has the right to offset the amounts and has the intention to either pay them for a net sum or realise the assets and pay off the liabilities simultaneously.

5.5.2.5 Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are financial assets with fixed or calculable payments which are not listed on an active market. Such assets are recorded initially at the fair value, plus the directly attributable transaction costs. After the initial recording, the loans and receivables are measured at the depreciated cost according to the effective interest rate method, less any impairment losses. Loans and receivables include trade receivables and other debtors.

5.5.2.6 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are immediately available assets or short-term, highly liquid investments that are easily convertible into a known amount of cash and are subject to a negligible risk of value change.

5.5.2.7 Non-derivative financial liabilities

The Group records the debts issued on the date on which they are generated. All the other financial assets are initially recorded on the transaction date, which is the date on which the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

The Group derecognises a financial liability when the contractual rights are extinguished, cancelled or expire.

The financial liabilities are recorded initially at the fair value, adjusted to include any directly attributable transaction costs. After the initial recording, these financial liabilities are measured at the depreciated cost according to the effective interest rate method.

5.5.2.8 Impairment of non-derivative financial assets

A financial asset that is not recorded at its fair value is examined on each closing date in order to determine if there is an objective indication of impairment losses. A financial asset is impaired if there is an objective indication that one or more events took place after the initial recording of the asset and that these events have an impact on the future estimated cash flow of the asset, which can be reliably estimated.

5.5.3 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

5.5.3.1 Other intangible assets (excluding goodwill)

The other intangible assets that have been acquired by the Group and that have finite useful lives are recorded at cost less the accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

They include, in particular, the customer contracts identified during business combinations and software.

5.5.3.2 Subsequent spending

The subsequent spending relating to intangible assets is activated only if it increases the future economic advantages associated with the specific corresponding asset. Other spending, including spending pertaining to goodwill or trademarks generated internally, is recorded as an expense at the time it is incurred.

5.5.3.3 Depreciation

The amortisation of intangible assets is recorded as an expense according to the straight-line method over the estimated useful life for each component, starting from the commissioning thereof.

The estimated useful lives for the current period are the following:

- Patents and trademarks 5 years
- Software 5 years
- Development costs 5 years
- Customer contracts 30 years

The amortisation methods, the useful lives and the residual values are reviewed on each closing date and adjusted if necessary.

5.5.3.4 Depreciation of non-financial assets

The book values of the non-financial assets of the Group, other than the inventory and the deferred tax assets, are examined on each closing date in order to assess whether there is an indication that an asset has suffered impairment. If there is such an indication, the recoverable value of the asset is estimated. The goodwill and intangible assets with undetermined useful life are tested every year. An impairment loss is recorded if the book value of an asset or the cash-generating unit (CGU) to which it belongs is greater than its estimated recoverable value.

The recoverable value of an asset or a CGU is the highest value between useful value and the fair value, less the sales costs. In order to assess the useful value, the estimated future cash flows are updated to the rate, before tax, that reflects the current assessment of the time value of money market and the risks specific to the asset or the CGU. Impairment losses are recorded on the income statement. An impairment loss recorded for the CGUs is first of all allocated to the reduction of the book value of any goodwill allocated to the CGU (of a CGU group), then to the reduction of the book values of the other CGU assets (of the CGU group) in proportion to the book value of each CGU asset (of the CGU group).

In the context of impairment tests, the Teréga Group is considered as a single Cash-Generating Unit, since both the Transmission and Storage activities benefit from synergies and pooling implemented from a decision-making, managerial, operational, commercial and financial perspective - and are interdependent in terms of cash flow. They also meet the same economic and financial constraints since their level of investment and acceptance is regulated by the CRE (Energy Regulatory Commission).

An impairment loss recorded for goodwill cannot be reversed. For the other assets, the book value, increased due to the reversal of impairment, cannot be greater than the book value that would have been calculated, net of depreciation, if no impairment had been recorded.

5.5.4 TANGIBLE ASSETS

5.5.4.1 Recording and measurement

A tangible asset is measured at cost as defined below, less the accumulation of the depreciation and the accumulation of impairment losses. The cost includes the spending directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. When components of tangible assets have different periods of use, they are recorded as distinct tangible assets (major components).

The profit or loss on the transfer of tangible assets (corresponding to the difference between the net income from the sale and the book value of the asset) is recorded on the income statement.

Transportation assets mainly consist of pipes and compressor stations.

Transport structures shall be subject to ministerial authorisation, prefectural authorisation and, where applicable, the authorisation of the other competent bodies. For each project and in accordance with the provisions of Articles L. 134-3 and L. 431-6 of the French Energy Code, Independent Transmission Operators, a category which includes your company, must transmit their annual investment programmes to the Energy Regulation Commission (CRE) and, where applicable, to other competent bodies for approval. Therefore, only approved costs are recorded under fixed assets, and the others are recorded under operating expenses.

Storage investments mainly include cushion gas and compressor stations.

By a decree of the Ministry of Ecological and Solidarity Transition of 12 December 2006, the Izaute gas storage concession was extended for 25 years with effect from 26 October 2005, until 25 October 2030.

By a decree of the Ministry of Ecological and Solidarity Transition of 8 December 2017, the Lussagnet gas storage concession was extended for 25 years with effect from 31 December 2017, until 1 January 2043.

Fixed assets are an essential component of the determination of authorised income for Teréga SA's transport and storage activities, which are regulated activities.

5.5.4.2 Subsequent costs

Subsequent costs are activated only when it is likely that there will be economic advantages for the Group associated to this element. The spending linked to maintenance and repairs is recorded as an expense when it is incurred.

5.5.4.3 Depreciation

Tangible assets are depreciated according to the straight-line method on the income statement, over the estimated useful life for each component. Land is not depreciated.

Tangible assets are depreciated from the time they are installed and ready for use, or for goods produced internally, from the time the asset is completed and ready for use.

The useful lives for tangible assets are as follows:

· Pipework and connections	50 years
· Compression stations	30 years
· Constructions	25 years
· Fittings	10 years
· Equipment and tools	10 years
· Transmission equipment	10 years
· Office and IT equipment	5-10 years
· Furniture	10 years
· Cushion gas	75 years

The cushion gas corresponds to a permanent gas reserve that makes it possible to maintain the level of pressure required for storage and to maintain the delivery speeds requested by customers.

Regarding its depreciation: see note 5.8 on "information on the comparability of accounts".

Storage assets are depreciated by periods independent of the duration of the concession. If the concession is not renewed, the concession capital assets should be subject to accelerated depreciation.

5.5.4.4 Investment subsidies

The European investment subsidies received by the companies of the Group are recorded as a deduction from the assets and are entered on the income statement over the functional lifespan of the assets they contributed to financing.

5.5.5 LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

Equity investments are recognised at their date of entry at acquisition cost and are tested for impairment at the balance sheet date, which results in an impairment loss when the present value of the securities held falls below their net book value.

5.5.6 INVENTORY

Inventory is measured at the lowest value between the cost and the net realisation value. The cost of inventory is calculated using the average weighted cost method. The cost of entry into inventory of items includes actual accessory purchase costs, excluding transport.

The provision for materials and supplies inventory impairment is created on the basis of a detailed analysis of rotations by article.

5.5.7 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

The Group grants certain employees post-employment benefits (retirement schemes) as well as other long-term benefits (long-service awards).

Defined-benefit plan

The net obligation of the Group for defined-benefit plans is measured separately for each plan by estimating the sum of the future benefits acquired by the staff in exchange for services provided during the current and previous periods; this sum is discounted to determine its present value. Post-employment costs not recorded and the fair value of the assets of the plan are then deducted. The discount rate is equal to the interest rate, on the date of closure, of the first category obligations with a due date close to that of the Group's commitments and which are denominated in the currency for payment of the services.

The calculations are made every year by a qualified actuary, using the projected unit credit method. For defined-benefit plans, the Group records all the actuarial differences in shareholder equity.

5.5.7.1 Other long-term staff benefits

The Group's net obligation for long-term benefits, other than pension schemes, is equal to the value of the future benefits acquired by the staff in exchange for services rendered during the current period and previous periods. These benefits are primarily composed of long-service awards.

5.5.7.2 Short-term staff benefits

The obligations for short-term benefits are measured on a non-discounted basis and recorded when the corresponding service is provided. A liability is recorded for the amount that the Group expects to pay for profit-sharing and bonus plans paid in cash in the short term if the Group has a current legal or constructive obligation to make these payments in exchange for past services rendered by the staff member and that a reliable estimation may be made of the obligation.

5.5.8 PROVISIONS

A provision is recorded when the Group has a current legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, the obligation may be reliably estimated and it is likely that an outflow of resources representative of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. For provisions whose time frame is greater than 12 months, the amount of the provision is determined by discounting the future expected cash flows at the rate, before tax, reflecting the current assessment by the market of the time value of money and the specific risks in this liability. The effect of the accretion is recorded in the financial charges.

5.5.9 REVENUES

The turnover mainly corresponds to the income from transport and storage capacities but also income from connection and transit contracts.

The Group records sales when:

- A contractual relation is proven;
- The provision of services is completed;
- The price is fixed or determinable.

The recognition of income from contracts with customers is based on the following five steps:

- Identification of the contract with the client;
- Identification of the obligation to execute, represented by the contractual promise to transfer goods and/or services to a client;
- Determination of the transaction price;
- Allocation of the transaction price to the execution obligations identified on the basis of the separate selling price for each property or service;

- The registration of products when the corresponding performance obligation has been fulfilled, or at the time of the transfer to the customer of the promised property or service. The transfer will be considered to be carried out when the customer obtains control of the goods or services, which may take place in time or at a specific time.

As regards the activities carried out by the Teréga Group, revenues are generally recognised when the service is provided. Most of the basic revenues concern regulated activities, whose revenues are governed by the regulatory framework established by the CRE (Energy Regulatory Commission).

Under the neutrality principle defined by applicable law, transactions in the balancing market do not generate costs or revenues, since they are only batches in transit and are redistributed annually to the gas community.

The difference (positive or negative) between the invoice and the forecast is covered in the EIAA (Expenses and Income Adjustment Account).

The current revenue recognition practice is essentially in line with the requirements of IFRS 15. The application of IFRS 15 therefore has no significant impact on how revenues are recognised in the Group's consolidated financial statements.

5.5.10 LEASE AGREEMENTS

Leases are classified as operating leases and are not recorded in the Group's statement of financial status.

Payments under operating leases are recorded on the income statement on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease agreement. The benefits received from the lessor form an integral part of the net total of rental expenses and are recorded, less the expenses, over the term of the lease agreement.

On 13 January 2016, the IASB published IFRS 16 "Leases", which replaced IAS 17 "Leases" and applies to financial years beginning on or after 1 January 2019. IFRS 16 replaces the single lease expense line with depreciation of leased assets and interest expense on lease liabilities. This standard aligns the treatment of lease expenses for all leases.

IFRS 16 eliminates the distinction between simple lease and financial lease in IAS 17 and requires almost all lease agreements on the balance sheet:

- An asset representative of the right of use of the leased asset during the term of the contract;
- Offsetting a liability in respect of the obligation to pay rents.

The application of IFRS 16 has no significant consequences in the Group's consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2020.

5.5.11 INCOME AND FINANCIAL CHARGES

The cost of the net financial debt is mainly composed of the interest charges in connection with the financial debts calculated according to the effective interest rate.

The other financial products and expenses include the income from financial assets and the foreign exchange earnings.

5.5.12 TAXES

Income taxes include tax liabilities and deferred taxes. Payable and deferred taxes are recorded on the income statement unless they relate to a business combination or to items recorded directly as equity or other elements of comprehensive income.

Payable tax is the estimated tax owed (or to be received) on the taxable profit (or loss) for a period, determined using tax rates that have been adopted or practically adopted on the balance sheet date and any adjustment of the amount of the tax payable in respect of previous periods. For financial year 2020, the tax rate applied by the group is 32.02 %.

The deferred tax is recorded on the basis of the time differences between the book value of the assets and liabilities and their tax bases. The following elements do not give rise to any recognition of deferred tax:

- The initial recognition of an asset or a liability in a transaction which is not a business combination and which affects neither the accounting profit nor the taxable profit;
- The time differences relating to investments in subsidiaries and joint ventures insofar as it is unlikely that they will be reversed in a foreseeable future;
- The taxable time differences generated by the initial recognition of goodwill.

The deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates which are expected to be applied over the period during which the asset will be realised and the liability settled, on the basis of the tax rates which have been adopted or practically adopted on the closing date.

To determine the amount of the tax due and deferred, the Group takes into account the impact of the uncertain tax positions and the additional taxes and interest which may be due.

The deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset the current tax assets and liabilities and if they concern taxes on the same income payable to the same tax authority, either on the same taxable entity, or on different taxable entities,

but which are intended to pay the current tax assets and liabilities on the basis of the net amount or to realise the tax assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

A deferred tax asset is recognised for temporary deductible differences and tax losses and unused tax credits only insofar as it is likely that the Group will have sufficient future taxable profits against which the asset can be used. The deferred tax assets are examined at each closing date and are reduced insofar as it is unlikely that sufficient taxable profit will be available.

This standard clarifies the application of the provisions of IAS 12 "Income Taxes" concerning accounting and valuation, where there is uncertainty about the treatment of income tax.

The Group assesses its tax uncertainties in accordance with the principles of IFRIC 23; the application of this standard will therefore not have a significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

5.5.13 FOREIGN CURRENCY

Foreign currency transactions are converted into the functional currency of the Group by applying the exchange rate in force on the transaction date. Monetary assets and liabilities recorded in foreign currencies on the balance sheet date are converted into the functional currency by using the exchange rate on that date.

Foreign exchange rate differences arising from these conversions are recorded on the income statement.

5.6 TYPICAL FACTS OF THE PERIODS PRESENTED

New pricing framework

2020 was marked by the entry into force of the new ATR7 and ATS2 tariffs, for a period of 4 years. These fees were defined by the Energy Regulation Commission (CRE) through deliberations 2020-011 and 2020-012 of 23 January 2020.

COVID-19

In March 2020, Teréga rolled out its business continuity plan to ensure the continuity of the supply of gas, in a sustainable manner, while adapting its operating methods to the government directives that were replaced by a business recovery plan as of May 2020.

Management has determined a limited impact of Covid-19 on its 2020 financial statements, with the main impact being the temporary deferral of certain technical and investment costs. In this context, the consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

The management is not aware of any factors that would jeopardise the entity's ability to continue operating and that would have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2020.

European Commission investigation

In February 2020, the European Commission launched an investigation to determine whether the mechanism for regulating natural gas storage in France complies with EU state aid rules. At this stage, Teréga SA has no visibility over the duration or potential impacts of this survey on the economic model of storage activity in France, and, consequently, no provision has been recognised.

Bond issue

On 27 February 2020, Teréga SAS issued an eight-year fixed-rate bond on the European market listed on Euronext Paris for a nominal amount of €400 million. Bonds bear interest at an annual fixed rate of 0.625% and will mature on 27 February 2028.

On 17 September 2020, Teréga SAS issued a ten-year fixed-rate bond on the European market listed on Euronext Paris for a nominal amount of €500 million. Bonds bear interest at an annual fixed rate of 0.875% and will mature on 17 September 2030.

Domestic energy consumption tax (DECT)

As part of its business, Teréga SA consumes natural gas for its own needs. These consumptions may be subject to an internal consumption tax depending on their use.

In this context, Teréga SA joined the Directorate General for Customs and Direct Rights (DGDDI) on 14 June 2019 in order to obtain a position from the customs administration relating to these natural gas consumptions.

The final adjustment confirmed by the administration amounted to €3,286,092 for the period from November 2017 to December 2019. An expense to be paid had been provisioned in the financial statements at 31 December 2019 for €3,489,471, adjusted accordingly at 31 December 2020.

Control of the Directorate General for Competition, Consumer Affairs and Fraud Control (“DGCCRF”)

On 4 October 2019, Teréga received a notice of control from the DGCCRF on inter-company payment deadlines. The control covers 2018 and began on 14 January 2020. It gave rise to the exchange of documents in the first quarter of 2021.

No conclusions have been received to date.

Equity investments

In May 2020, Teréga Solutions acquired 19.96% of Dualmetha.

In December 2020, Teréga Solutions acquired 40% of the Chadasaygas Group.

EIAA

In accordance with the provisions of Article L. 452-2 of the French Energy Code, the CRE sets the methods for establishing gas network usage rates.

These rates, which cover all costs incurred by their operators, are established by taking into account:

- Operating expenses necessary for the proper operation and security of networks and installations
- Capital charges (depreciation and remuneration of assets of transporters, distributors, methane terminals and storage operators).

They are calculated based on assumptions of expenses and income established for the entire tariff period. These assumptions present uncertainties when setting tariffs. These tariffs have a CRCP mechanism (adjustment account for expenses and income) to correct the differences between the projected expenses and income and those actually recorded for previously identified items.

In order to ensure better comparability of the accounts of European operators, IFRS 14, published by the IASB in January 2014, is being updated to reflect the functioning of the CRCP mechanism. This analysis could have an impact on the reporting and presentation of the financial statements drawn up in accordance with French standards.

To date, Teréga's position has led to the recognition of adjustments during the year of their observation. This position could be reviewed based on the elements of doctrine to be published in the future.

5.7 INFORMATION RELATING TO THE SCOPE

The scope of consolidation is as follows:

Companies	Consolidation method	31 décembre 2020		31 décembre 2019		
		% control	% stake	Consolidation method	% control	% stake
TEREGA SA	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%
TEREGA SOLUTIONS SAS	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%
LOCATEREGA	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%
TEREGA SAS	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%	Full consolidation	100,00%	100,00%
DUALMETHA SAS	Equity method	19,96%	19,96%		0,00%	0,00%
CHADASAYGAS	Equity method	40,00%	40,00%		0,00%	0,00%

5.8 INFORMATION ON THE COMPARABILITY OF ACCOUNTS

5.8.1 CHANGE IN PRESENTATION

There is no change in the presentation of the accounts between 31 December 2020 and 31 December 2019.

5.8.2 CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING METHOD

There is no change in accounting method as at 31 December 2020.

5.8.3 CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING ESTIMATE

There is no change in accounting estimates as at 31 December 2020.

5.9 NOTES ON THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL STATUS

5.9.1 FUNCTIONAL AND ACCOUNTING CURRENCY

The consolidated financial statements of the Group are presented in euros, the functional currency of the Company. Unless otherwise specified, all the financial information presented in euros is rounded up to the nearest thousand euros.

5.9.2 INTANGIBLE ASSETS AND GOODWILL

5.9.2.1 Changes in financial years 2019 and 2020

Gross values (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2018	Acquisitions	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2019	Acquisitions	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2020
Goodwill	420,761	-	-	420,761	-	-	420,761
Development costs	536	2,979	-	3,515	5,626	-	9,141
Software	98,365	22,075	(10,385)	110,055	17,260	(2,585)	124,730
Customers	38,711	-	-	38,711	-	-	38,711
Current intangible assets	6,609	1,696	-	8,305	(2,985)	-	5,319
Gross values	564,982	26,749	(10,385)	581,347	19,900	(2,585)	598,662

Depreciation and impairment (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2018	Allowances	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2018	Allowances	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2020
Goodwill impairment	(5)	-	-	(5)	-	-	(5)
Depr./Imp. devel. costs	(6)	(133)	-	(138)	(746)	-	(885)
Depr./Imp. software	(53,797)	(15,019)	10,385	(58,431)	(19,028)	2,585	(74,874)
Depr./Imp. customer base	(6,996)	(1,290)	-	(8,287)	(1,290)	-	(9,577)
Depreciation and impairment	(60,804)	(16,442)	10,385	(66,861)	(21,065)	2,585	(85,341)
Net book value	504,179	10,307	-	514,486	1,165	-	513,321

Goodwill:

As at 31 December 2020, the impairment tests carried out did not lead to restatements.

The main work consisted of:

- Determining the asset base to be tested from the consolidated financial statements as at 31 December N;
- Analysing the consistency between the cash flows used for the impairment tests and the tested assets;
- Analysing the differences between the trajectories of Strategic Plan N and N-1 used for asset impairment tests and the consistency of the assumptions used in the Strategic Plan;
- Estimating the weighted average cost of capital ("WACC") applicable to cash flows from transmission and storage activities;
- Estimating the enterprise value of the UGT;
- Performing value sensitivity analyses on key operational and financial assumptions.

The impairment test is based on the parameters published by the CRE in its public consultations referring to ATS2 and ATRT7.

The sensitivity of the impairment test was tested on a change in WACC as well as on a change in the indexation of the value of the BAR (Regulated Asset Base). The analysis did not identify any significant risk in the valuation of the company's value.

Software

Scrapping concerns software that is no longer used by the company. The net book value of this scrapping was zero.

5.9.3 TANGIBLE ASSETS

The change in tangible assets during the year is as follows:

Gross values (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2018	Acquisitions	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2019	Acquisitions	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2020
Land	10,426	606	-	11,031	39	-	11,069
On land development	10,724	331	-	11,057	911	-	11,968
Buildings	88,607	6,295	-	94,902	2,385	-	97,288
Tech installations, material & tools	2,816,668	134,465	(534)	2,950,598	62,124	(419)	3,012,303
Other tangible assets	1,536	301	(83)	1,755	220	-	1,975
Office equipment	1,019	637	(23)	1,633	54	(13)	1,674
Transmission equipment	5	-	-	5	237	-	241
IT equipment	5,548	843	(444)	5,947	486	(17)	6,415
Current tangible assets	60,762	(27,830)	-	32,932	39,730	-	72,662
Advances and deposits on tang. assets	89	-	(5)	85	-	-	85
Gross values	2,995,385	115,647	(1,088)	3,109,944	106,185	(448)	3,215,681

Depreciation and impairment (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2018	Dotatios	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2019	Dotatios	Transfers/ Scrapping	31/12/2020
Depr./Imp. On land development	(5,235)	(954)	-	(6,190)	(968)	-	(7,157)
Depr./Imp. on buildings	(19,544)	(4,590)	-	(24,134)	(4,892)	-	(29,026)
Depr./Imp. on technical installations, material & tools	(581,152)	(79,269)	534	(659,886)	(78,725)	419	(738,193)
Depr./Imp. on other tangible assets	(821)	(102)	83	(841)	(136)	-	(977)
Depr./Imp. Office equipment	(292)	(147)	23	(416)	(165)	13	(568)
Depr./Imp. Transmission equipment	(1)	(0)	-	(2)	(19)	-	(20)
Depr./Imp. IT equipment	(2,349)	(1,172)	444	(3,076)	(1,117)	-	(4,194)
Depreciation and impairment	(609,395)	(86,234)	1,084	(694,545)	(86,021)	431	(780,134)
Net book value	2,385,990	29,413	(5)	2,415,399	20,165	(17)	2,435,546

5.9.3.1 TANGIBLE ASSETS BY ACTIVITY

5.9.3.1.1 Transmission

In K€ Section	Net values 31/12/2019	Changes Gross values	Changes / Depreciation and amortisation	Net values 31/12/2020
Intangible assets	338,946	11,871	(12,039)	338,778
Goodwill	294,529	-	-	294,529
Development costs	2,833	3,155	(622)	5,366
Software	36,496	9,636	(11,417)	34,715
Intangible fixed assets outstanding	5,089	(921)	-	4,168
Tangible assets	1,344,100	76,235	(50,413)	1,369,923
Land	9,477	39	(319)	9,197
Buildings	34,809	(1,707)	(1,656)	31,446
General facilities	15,126	1,409	(1,677)	14,858
Technical Installations, Equipment, Tools	1,250,703	39,646	(45,787)	1,244,562
Transmission equipment	3	237	(19)	221
Office IT equipment + furniture	3,430	514	(955)	2,989
Current tangible assets	30,479	36,098	-	66,577
Advances and down payments	73	-	-	73
Total	1,683,047	88,106	(62,452)	1,708,701

Acquisitions of transmission assets for the financial year amount to €149,577,784.

5.9.3.1.2 Storage

In K€ Section	Net values 31/12/2019	Changes Gross values	Changes / Depreciation and amortisation	Net values 31/12/2020
Intangible assets	175,540	5,395	(6,441)	174,493
Goodwill	126,227	-	-	126,227
Development costs	544	2,420	(124)	2,840
Software	15,128	5,039	(5,027)	15,141
Customers	30,425	-	(1,290)	29,134
Current intangible assets	3,216	(2,065)	-	1,151
Tangible assets	1,071,298	29,552	(35,176)	1,065,674
Land	6,421	911	(648)	6,683
Buildings	14,077	1,731	(839)	14,968
General facilities	6,756	953	(719)	6,990
Technical Installations, Equipment, Tools	1,040,008	22,110	(32,519)	1,029,599
General facilities	13	-	(3)	10
Transmission equipment	-	-	-	-
Office IT equipment + furniture	1,558	216	(446)	1,327
Current tangible assets	2,453	3,632	-	6,085
Advances and down payments	12	-	-	12
Total	1,246,838	39,947	(41,618)	1,240,167

Acquisitions of storage assets for the financial year amount to €65,992,306.

5.9.4 LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

Gross values (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2018	Acquisitions	Sales	31/12/2019	Changes to scope	Acquisitions	Sales	31/12/2020
Equity-accounted securities	-	-	-	-	6,272	-	-	6,272
Equity Securities	379	-	-	379	-	-	-	379
Gross values	379	-	-	379	6,272	-	-	6,651

Equity-accounted investments consist of shares and acquisition costs in the following companies:

- Chadasaygas Group, 40% owned
- Dualmetha, 19.96% owned

After analysis, it was determined that Teréga had a significant influence on these two companies. The consolidation method applied is the equity method.

Given the non-materiality of the amounts and the acquisition dates, no share of earnings was taken in 2020.

5.9.5 INVENTORY

Gross values (In thousands of euros)	31/12/2020			31/12/2019		
	Gross values	Impairment	Net values	Gross values	Impairment	Net values
Raw materials, supplies and other consumables	28,973	(3,979)	24,994	27,447	(2,224)	25,223
Gross values	28,973	(3,979)	24,994	27,447	(2,224)	25,223

The stocks are composed of technical equipment parts as well as gas inventory, mainly for self-consumption.

The provision for materials and supplies inventory impairment is created on the basis of a detailed analysis of rotations by article.

5.9.6 TRADE RECEIVABLES AND OTHER DEBTORS

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Trade receivables	8,219	28,384
Unbilled revenues	35,436	31,716
Customer dep. & related accounts	(0)	(0)
Impairment	(0)	(0)
Trade receivables	43,654	60,099

The level of trade receivables was lower in 2020, mainly due to the application of the new tariff. The level of collection at the end of the year was also higher in 2020.

Unbilled revenues in relation to receivable items mainly concern storage capacity and gas transmission income allocated to December 2020 and invoiced in January 2021.

5.9.7 TAX ASSETS AND DEFERRED TAX LIABILITIES RECORDED

5.9.7.1 Changes in the financial year

The change in deferred taxes during the financial year is analysed as follows:

In thousands of euros	31/12/2019	Profit (loss) for the period	Other elements of comprehensive income	Shareholder equity	Reclassifications	31/12/2020
Deferred tax assets	23	-	-	-	(10)	13
Deferred tax liabilities	(243,129)	(32,610)	(1,106)	16,199	10	(260,636)
Net deferred tax	(243,106)	(32,610)	(1,106)	16,199	-	(260,623)

Deferred taxes recognised in "other comprehensive income" relate to actuarial gains and losses on pension obligations.

Deferred taxes on equity correspond to convertible bonds for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2020.

The deferred tax assets and liabilities must be measured at the tax rates expected to be applied over the period during which the asset will be realised or the liability settled, on the basis of the tax rates adopted on the closing date.

The valuation of deferred tax assets and liabilities must reflect the tax consequences that would result from how the entity expects, at the closing date, to recover or settle the book value of its assets and liabilities.

5.9.7.2 Deferred tax types for the financial year

	31/12/2019	Profit (loss) for the period	Other elements of comprehensive income	Other reserves	Reclassifications	31/12/2020
Deferred tax on the difference between the book profit (loss) and the tax profit (loss)	1,598	(239)	-	-	-	1,359
Deferred tax on revaluation difference on tangible and intangible assets (allocation of the acquisition price)	(188,164)	(3,722)	-	-	-	(191,887)
Deferred tax on expenses from the acquisition of securities	39,942	(9)	-	-	-	39,932
Deferred tax on cancellation of regulated provisions	(112,044)	(8,878)	-	-	-	(120,922)
Deferred tax on social commitments	7,645	(72)	(1,106)	-	-	6,467
Tax deferred according to IFRIC 21 C3S standard	(188)	15	-	-	-	(172)
Deferred tax on adjustment of financial debt (fair value and effective interest rate)	8,105	(19,704)	-	16,199	-	4,600
Net deferred tax	(243,106)	(32,610)	(1,106)	16,199	-	(260,623)
Deferred tax assets	23	-	-	-	(10)	13
Deferred tax liabilities	(243,129)	(32,610)	(1,106)	16,199	10	(260,636)
Net deferred tax	(243,106)	(32,610)	(1,106)	16,199	-	(260,623)

5.9.7.3 Changes and types of deferred taxes for the previous financial year

The changes in the previous financial year are as follows:

In thousands of euros	31/12/2018	Profit (loss) for the period	Other elements of comprehensive income	Shareholder equity	Reclassifications	31/12/2019
Deferred tax assets	5	-	-	-	18	23
Deferred tax liabilities	(233,171)	(29,031)	636	18,454	(18)	(243,129)
Net deferred tax	(233,166)	(29,031)	636	18,454	-	(243,106)

Deferred taxes on equity correspond to convertible bonds for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2019.

	31/12/2018	Profit (loss) for the period	Other elements of comprehensive income	Other reserves	Reclassifications	31/12/2019
Deferred tax on the difference between the book profit(loss) and the tax profit(loss)	2,026	(428)	-	-	-	1,598
Tax on other consolidation adjustments (cancellation of spreading of capital gains)	(0)	-	-	-	-	(0)
Deferred tax on tax deficits	(0)	-	-	-	-	(0)
Deferred tax on revaluation difference for tangible and intangible assets (allocation of the acquisition price)	(184,593)	(3,571)	-	-	-	(188,164)
Deferred tax on expenses from the acquisition of securities	39,942	-	-	-	-	39,942
Deferred tax on cancellation of regulated provisions	(103,403)	(8,641)	-	-	-	(112,044)
Deferred tax on social commitments	6,707	302	636	-	-	7,645
Tax deferred according to IFRIC 21 C3S standard	(184)	(4)	-	-	-	(188)
Deferred tax on adjustment of financial debt (fair value and effective interest rate)	6,340	(16,688)	-	18,454	-	8,106
Deferred tax on the revaluation of cash flow	(0)	-	-	-	-	(0)
Net deferred tax	(233,165)	(29,031)	636	18,454	-	(243,106)
of which deferred tax assets	5	-	-	-	18	23
of which deferred tax liabilities	(233,171)	(29,031)	636	18,454	(18)	(243,129)
Net deferred tax	(233,165)	(29,031)	636	18,454	-	(243,106)

5.9.7.4 Deferred tax assets not recognised

In accordance with the description in note 5.5.1.2, the tax deficits of the Group entities are not returned to the entities that generated them. Each legal company is considered an independent tax entity, with the head of tax consolidation being placed above Teréga SAS.

Thus, deferred tax assets, corresponding to the deficits used by tax consolidation and not recognised because not available in the consolidated financial statements amounted to €12,864 K as at 31 December 2020 and €18,685 K as at 31 December 2019.

5.9.8 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Marketable securities - Cash equivalents	-	-
Cash	489 560	38 462
Total net cash	489 560	38 462

Cash and cash equivalents are immediately available assets or short-term, highly liquid investments that are easily convertible into a known amount of cash and are subject to a negligible risk of value change.

The level of cash at 31 December 2020 takes into account the new €500m bond loan of 17 September 2020. The one expiring in July 2021 will be repaid.

5.9.9 CAPITAL AND RESERVES

At 31 December 2020, the share capital amounted to €489,474 K, consisting of 48,947,355 shares with a nominal value of €10.

The Group set up external funding as well as a bond loan redeemable for shares (ORA) of a nominal value of €790,000 K, initially taken out over 30 years. Convertible bonds issued by the Group are considered as equity instruments according to IAS 39. The interest expenses on the ORA (after tax) are classified as shareholder equity.

On 26 February 2015, €120,000 K of the ORA was repaid, divided by the percentage of ownership of the capital of the four shareholders, reducing its nominal value to €670,000 K.

On 20 October 2020, €200,000 K of the ORA was repaid, divided by the percentage of ownership of the capital of the four shareholders, reducing its nominal value to €470,000 K.

5.9.10 PROVISIONS

In thousands of euros	31/12/2018	Al- lowances	Reversals used	31/12/2019	Al- lowances	Reversals used	31/12/2020
Provisions for disputes - non-current		-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-current provisions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for disputes - current	509	-	(170)	509	-	(440)	69
Provisions for restructuring - current	1,539	-	(1,539)	-	-	-	-
Other provisions for expenses - current	453	-	(132)	321	-	(186)	135
Current provisions	2,501	-	(1,841)	830	-	(626)	204
Total provisions	2,501	-	(1,841)	830	-	(626)	204

A provision is recorded when the Group has a current legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, that the obligation may be reliably estimated and that it is likely that an outflow of resources representative of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation.

5.9.11 FINANCIAL DEBT

5.9.11.1 Changes in the 2020 financial year

The change in financial debts during the financial year is analysed as follows:

In thousands of euros	31/12/2019	Increase	Decrease	31/12/2020
Bond borrowing - non-current	1,419,013	887,608	(523,973)	1,782,648
Issue of equity securities and state advances - non-current	-	251,292	(251,292)	-
Other loans and similar debts - non-current	6,552	858	(4,146)	3,265
Total non-current	1,425,565	1,139,758	(779,411)	1,785,912
Loans and debt with credit institutions - current	65,000	-	(65,000)	-
Bond borrowing - current	-	524,390	-	524,390
Accrued interest on loans - current	9,149	47,400	(50,745)	5,803
Total current	74,149	571,789	(115,745)	530,193
Total financial debt	1,499,714	1,711,547	(895,157)	2,316,105

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020					
	Total	N+1	N+2	N+3	N+4	>=N+5
Bond issues	2,307,037	524,390	-	-	-	1,782,648
Loans from credit institutions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other loans and similar debts	3,265	3,265	-	-	-	-
Accrued interest on borrowing	5,803	5,803	-	-	-	-
Total	2,316,105	533,458	-	-	-	1,782,648

The financial structure is composed of:

-Bonds for €1,782,648 K, including:

- Public bond for €550 million, maturing in 2025, fixed rate: 2.200%;
- Private bond for €350 million, maturing 2035, fixed rate: 2.998%;
- Public bond for €400 million, maturing in 2028, fixed rate: 0.625%; This new loan was issued on 27 February 2020;
- Public bond for €500 million, maturing in 2030, fixed rate: 0.875% This new loan was issued on 17 September 2020.

- Current bond borrowing of €524,390K, of which:

- Public bond for €500 million, maturing in 2021, fixed rate: 4.339%. Due to its near maturity, this loan was reclassified as current financial debt at 31 December 2020.

- Reserve Revolving Credit Facility, with a drawdown capacity of €250 million. The RCF was the subject of a €65 million drawdown in December 2019, which was repaid in 2020.

- Other non-current loans and similar debts for €3,265 K (mainly customer guarantees equivalent to deposits and securities received);

- Accrued interest on loans for €5,803 K

The issue costs of bonds issued during the year were included in the EIR (effective interest rate). For the €400m bond loan issued in February 2020, a balance of €3.3 million was paid to hedge interest rate risk. The amount of the balance is recognised in OCI over the term of the loan.

The Group complies with its contractual commitments to banking ratios.

59.11.2 Changes in the 2019 financial year

In thousands of euros	31/12/2018	Increase	Reduction	31/12/2019
Bond borrowing - non-current	1,421,778	(2,764)	-	1,419,013
Issue of equity securities and state advances - non-current	-	-	-	-
Other loans and similar debts - non-current	-	53,600	(53,600)	-
	1,487	5,618	(553)	6,552
Total non-current	1,423,265	56,454	(54,153)	1,425,565
Loans and debt with credit institutions - current	65,000	244,000	(244,000)	65,000
Accrued interest on loans - current	16,832	44,034	(51,717)	9,149
Total current	81,832	288,034	(295,717)	74,149
Total financial debt	1,505,097	344,487	(349,870)	1,499,714

59.11.3 Net financial debt

Net financial debt In thousands of euros	31/12/2018	Change in the period	31/12/2018	Change in the period	31/12/2020
Gross cash	33,680	4,783	38,462	451,097	489,560
Current account balances and bank loans	-	-	-	-	-
Net cash	33,680	4,783	38,462	451,097	489,560
Gross financial debt	1,505,097	(5,382)	1,499,714	816,391	2,316,105
Net financial debt	1,471,417	(10,165)	1,461,252	365,294	1,826,546

59.11.4 Management of risks related to financial assets and liabilities

The Group is exposed to the following risks in connection with the use of financial instruments:

- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- Market risk

The aim of the Group's risk policy and management is to identify and analyse the risks with which the Group is faced, to determine the limits within which the risks must lie and the controls to be implemented, to manage the risks and to ensure compliance with the limits defined. The risk policy and risk management systems are regularly reviewed in order to take into account the developments of the market conditions and the activities of the Group. Through its training and management rules and procedures, the Group aims to develop an environment of rigorous and constructive control, in which all the members of staff have a good understanding of their roles and obligations.

Credit and counterparty risk

The credit and counterparty risk is managed at a Group level. It represents the risk of financial loss for the Group in the event that a customer or a counterparty fails to meet its contractual payment obligations.

The credit and counterparty risk concerns the cash and cash equivalents, the derivatives and the deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as customer credit exposure, including unpaid receivables.

The maximum exposure to the credit and counterparty risk on the closing date is the following:

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020					
	Total	N+1	N+2	N+3	N+4	>=N+5
Trade receivables	43,654	43,654	-	-	-	-
Current payable tax receivables	9,725	9,725	-	-	-	-
Social receivables	134	134	-	-	-	-
Tax receivables	2,719	2,719	-	-	-	-
Other receivables	183	183	-	-	-	-
Total receivables	56,416	56,146	-	-	-	-

In view of the types of customers, which are large European gas producers and the relatively small number of shipping customers (65 at 31 December 2020), the Group considers that it is exposed only to a marginal credit risk.

Liquidity risk

The liquidity risk is the risk that the Group has difficulties in fulfilling its obligations with regard to financial liabilities which will be settled by a delivery of cash or other financial assets. The Group's approach to managing the liquidity risk is to ensure, insofar as possible, that it always has sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities, when they reach maturity, under normal or «strained» conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or harming the reputation of the Group. The contractual cash flow is essentially composed of financial costs relating to the payment of interest and capital repayments.

Market risk

The market risk is the risk that variations in market prices, such as exchange rates, interest rates and prices of share capital instruments, affect the Group's income or the value of the financial instruments held. The purpose of the management of the market risk is to manage and control exposure to market risk within acceptable limits, all the while optimising the profitability / risk ratio.

The Group's financial performance is not substantially influenced by exchange fluctuations since a significant part of the activity is within the euro zone and costs and revenues are generally denominated in the same currency.

The Group was exposed to the variations of market interest rates through variable-rate bank loans. Following the refinancing carried out on 5 August 2015, the Group no longer has any variable-rate bank loans.

59.11.5 Information on the fair value of financial assets and liabilities

• Cash, loans and receivables

The Group considers that the book value of cash, trade receivables, other receivables, trade payables, other debts and various deposits and guarantees reflects the market value given the high level of liquidity of these items and their maturity at less than one year.

• Assets re-measured at fair value

Marketable securities are recognised at their acquisition price, which reflects their fair value (the amounts are non-significant).

• Derivatives and hedging instruments

The group does not hold any trading derivative or fair value derivative instrument.

On 6 February 2020, the Group set up a deferred start-up interest rate swap with a mandatory early termination clause on 6 March 2020 to hedge the risk of interest rate fluctuations prior to the date of issuance of the bond issued by Teréga SAS. This swap was terminated on 20 February 2020.

• Financial liabilities at amortised cost

With regard to trade payables, the Group considers that the book value reflects the market value due to their high level of liquidity.

The market value of long-term and short-term financial debts is determined using the estimated future cash flows discounted using the rates observed by the Group at the end of the period for instruments with similar conditions and maturities.

• Balance sheet of financial instruments

The market values of financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value in the statement of financial position were classified according to the hierarchy below as defined by IFRS 7:

- Level 1: the fair value is based on the listed prices (non-adjusted) observed on active markets, for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: the fair value measured with the help of data ("inputs"), other than the prices in level 1, which may be observed for the assets or the liabilities in question, either directly (in price form) or indirectly (determined on the basis of price).
- Level 3: the fair value measured with the help of data ("inputs") which are not based on observable market data (non-observable "inputs").

5.9.12 TRADE PAYABLES AND OTHER CREDITORS

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Trade payables	8,927	6,624
Invoices not yet received	50,878	55,336
Trade payables	59,805	61,960

The amount of the invoices not yet received at year end corresponds to the normal cycle of work accepted within the scope of the operations carried out by the Group.

5.9.13 OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Employment-related debts - current	22,979	22,381
Tax debts (except corporate tax and company added-value contribution) - current	8,873	11,472
Other debts - current	1,693	2,410
Other current liabilities	33,545	36,264

The decrease in tax debts is mainly due to the level of VAT debt, which is lower than in 2019 in line with activity.

5.9.14 OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

In thousands of euros	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Suppliers - Advances and advances paid	1,274	-
Debtor suppliers (discounts, rebates, reductions and other credit notes)	460	875
Receivables from employees & social security bodies	134	168
Tax receivables - excluding corporate tax - current	2,719	1,765
Other receivables - current	136	45
Prepaid expenses	46	61
Gross values	4,770	2,914

5.10 INFORMATION RELATING TO ITEMS IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

5.10.1 INCOME

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Production of services sold	450,182	476,549
Sales of goods	7,529	22,930
Other rebilling with margin	(3)	-
Turnover	457,709	499,479

The production of services sold mainly corresponds to the receipts from transmission and storage capacities, to which the receipts from connection and transit contracts are added. All turnover is generated in France.

The decline in production sold in 2020 is mainly due to the entry into force of the new ATRT7 and ATS2.

Sales of goods correspond to gas sales for network balancing. They are neutralised by a gas purchase account and therefore have no impact on income. Changes are due to the level of annual flows.

The sectoral distribution of revenues is as follows:

In thousands of euros	2020	%	2019	%
Transmission	310,972	68%	338,256	68%
Storage	146,737	32%	161,223	32%
Revenues	457,709		499,479	

5.10.2 OTHER INCOME

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Other income	1,119	2,288
Transfers of operating expenses	151	203
Other income	1,270	2,491

Other income is mainly from re-billing for pipe diversions under work agreements.

5.10.3 PURCHASES AND EXPENSES

5.10.3.1 Purchases of materials, supplies and goods

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Purchases of RM, supps. & other goods	(14,471)	(25,446)
Change in r.m. invent., supps. & other goods	1,527	2,795
Other purchases	3	(12)
Non-inventory purchases of materials and supplies	(29,400)	(38,855)
Purchases consumed	(42,341)	(61,518)

The decrease in consumption is mainly due to the level of gas purchases for the network rebalancing, which follows the associated gas sales. Gas self-consumption also decreased in 2020 (impact of €-8m).

5.10.3.2 Personnel expenses

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Staff remuneration	(36,293)	(34,533)
Social sec. and provident expenses	(18,195)	(17,441)
Other personnel expenses (including incentive schemes)	(6,495)	(6,026)
Employee profit-sharing	(2,920)	(3,600)
Allocations/Provisions for pension obligations	(1,608)	(1,286)
Reversals/Provisions for pension obligations	1,828	1,192
<i>Net reversal / (allocation) for pension obligations</i>	<i>220</i>	<i>(94)</i>
Personnel expenses	(63,684)	(61,693)

The change in personnel expenses of €1,990 K between fiscal years 2019 and 2020 is explained by an increase in the workforce (+19 ETP on average) offset by a decrease in the discount rate in actuarial assumptions according to IAS 19 (see note 5.10.6.3).

5.10.3.3 External expenses

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
General sub-contracting	(21,526)	(19,135)
Rentals and rental expenses	(2,137)	(1,819)
Maintenance and repairs	(19,093)	(19,500)
Insurance premiums	(849)	(697)
Miscellaneous	(1,100)	(1,854)
Remuneration of intermediaries & fees	(1,157)	(2,175)
Advertising	(2,491)	(2,029)
Transmission	(164)	(181)
Travel, assignments	(1,667)	(3,216)
Postage costs	(2,296)	(2,772)
Banking services	(301)	(3,194)
Other external expenses	(1,602)	(1,641)
External expenses	(54,382)	(58,214)

The decrease in external expenses is mainly due to Covid-19, which limited certain services, particularly business travel. In 2019, banking services were mainly made up of bank charges linked to consent, which explains the €3m decrease.

5.10.4 FINANCIAL INCOME AND FINANCIAL EXPENSES

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Interest on bank borrowing	(10,896)	(10,952)
Interest on bonds	(30,384)	(26,080)
Current account interest	(376)	-
Change in fair value of swaps	(398)	-
Net financial debt cost	(42,054)	(37,031)
Foreign exchange gains	8	-
Other financial expenses	-	(15,200)
Other financial income and expenses	8	(15,200)
Financial result	(42,046)	(52,231)

The interest on borrowing is related to the external financing mentioned in the paragraph «financial debt».

The increase in borrowing interest in 2020 is due to new bond issues this year. As a reminder, the financial expense of €15.2m presented in 2019 corresponds to the consent fee granted following the financial renegotiation carried out.

5.10.5 TAXES

5.10.5.1 Taxes recorded in the income statement

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Payable tax (corporate tax at normal rate / additional and exceptional contribution)	(22,487)	(33,483)
Deferred taxes	(32,610)	(29,031)
Income tax	(55,097)	(62,513)

The reduction in current tax is mainly due to the decrease in Teréga SA's taxable income due to the entry into force of the new tariff in 2020. In accordance with the description in Note 5.9.7, tax assets relating to deficits contributed to the "Teréga HOLDING" tax consolidation are not recognised in these consolidated financial statements.

Taking into account this asset, the tax expense would be as follows:

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Payable tax (corporate tax at normal rate / additional and exceptional contribution)	(22,487)	(33,483)
Deferred taxes	(19,746)	(10,345)
Income tax	(42,233)	(43,828)

5.10.5.2 Reconciliation between the actual tax and the theoretical tax

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Tax rate	32,02%	34,43%
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to owners of the company	71,994	76,841
Consolidated profit (loss) after tax of the consolidated companies	71,994	76,841
Payable tax	(22,487)	(33,483)
Deferred tax	(32,610)	(29,031)
Income tax	(55,097)	(62,513)
Consolidated profit (loss) before tax of the consolidated companies	127,091	139,355
Theoretical tax (at the tax rate of the consolidating company)	(40,695)	(47,980)
Differences in tax rates	3,051	3,583
Permanent differences between the book profit (loss) and the tax profit (loss)	(596)	(197)
Non-deductible interest	(4,046)	(4,346)
Tax and corporate tax adjustment	(13,760)	(14,316)
Tax credits	949	741
Effective tax	(55,097)	(62,513)

5.10.6 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

5.10.6.1 Variation in the net obligation

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Opening net obligation	31,672	29,116
Cost of services provided over the period	2,643	1,719
Interest expenses	233	442
Actuarial gains and losses CET and MDT	(12)	41
Actuarial gains and losses	(4,281)	2,462
Benefits paid by the employer	(3,084)	(2,108)
Employee benefits	27,171	31,672

The staff benefits are primarily composed of the following elements:

- MIP (Mutuelle de l'Industries du Pétrole): supplemental health scheme,
- Early retirement right (CAA): pension scheme intended to provide a retirement allowance to employees with sufficient years worked,
- End-of-career compensation: payment of capital owed to the employee by the company at the time of retirement,
- Long-service awards: capital paid to the employee when the employee reaches a certain seniority group,
- PEC (Savings Plan selected): days that the former seconded employees have acquired and which they may use in order to retire earlier,
- Malakoff: company insurance scheme,
- CET (Time Savings Account): the aim is to allow employees who so wish to accumulate paid leave rights.

5.10.6.2 Net expense recognised in profit (loss)

In thousands of euros	2020	2019
Cost of services provided over the period	(2,643)	(1,719)
Interest expenses	(233)	(442)
Actuarial variations time off in lieu account	12	(41)
Cost of services provided over the period and interest expenses	(2,864)	(2,202)
Used during the year	3,084	2,108
Expense recorded in profit (loss)	220	(94)

5.10.6.3 Actuarial assumptions

The actuarial valuation of social security commitments under IAS 19 was carried out by an independent actuary.

		31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Discount rate on the closing date	Gratuities	0,35%	0,75%
	Other schemes		
Inflation rate		1,50%	1,50%
Average salary increase rate		2,60%	3,00%
Employer contribution rate	Gratuities	53,16%	40,00%
	Other schemes		52,00%
Employee turnover rate	Executive/Non-Executive tables with decreasing rates by age and zero over 55 years of age	Executive/Non-Executive tables with decreasing rates by age and zero over 55 years of age	Executive/Non-Executive tables with decreasing rates by age and zero over 55 years of age
Retirement age	Executive: 62 to 66 years	Executive: 62 to 66 years	Executive: 62 to 66 years
	Non-Framework: 60 to 63 years	Non-Framework: 60 to 63 years	Non-Framework: 60 to 63 years
Life table	Employment phase: TH/TF 00-02	Employment phase: TH/TF 00-02	Employment phase: TH/TF 00-02
	Retirement phase: TGH/TGF 05	Retirement phase: TGH/TGF 05	Retirement phase: TGH/TGF 05

5.10.7 STAFF

	31/12/2020	31/12/2019
Staff by category		
- Executives	296	279
- Non-Executive	375	384
Total staff	671	663
Average staff numbers during the financial year		
- Executives	291,00	275,58
- Non-Executive	374,00	370,83
Average total staff	665,00	646,41

5.11 RELATED PARTIES

The related parties are mainly the sole partner, Teréga Holding SAS and the Group Management.

Executive remuneration is not presented in the notes to the consolidated financial statements as this would indirectly lead to showing individual remuneration

5.12 OFF-BALANCE SHEET COMMITMENTS

5.12.1 COMMITMENTS MADE

No commitments were made by the Group at 31 December 2020.

5.12.2 COMMITMENTS RECEIVED

In thousands of euros Nature	Valuation at 31/12/2020	Valuation at 31/12/2019
Customer bank guarantees Teréga SA	71,767	64,120
Supplier bank guarantees Teréga SA	6,589	12,159
Total commitments	78,356	76,279

5.13 EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

None.



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