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AFRICA OIL ANNOUNCES 2020 THIRD QUARTER RESULTS

November 13, 2020 (AOI-TSX, AOI-Nasdaq-Stockholm) – Africa Oil Corp. (“Africa Oil”, “AOC” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce its operating and consolidated financial results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020. The Company is also providing a revision to its 2020 Management Guidance and an organisational update. All dollar amounts are in United States dollars unless otherwise indicated.

Highlights

- The Company has received an additional \$50 million in dividends from Prime¹ subsequent to the previous reporting period. This brings the total dividends amount to \$162.5 million since Africa Oil closed the Prime acquisition on January 14, 2020.
- Significant progress on deleveraging, including a 34% reduction in the corporate term loan from \$250 million to \$164.8 million, and a 29% reduction in the Prime RBL facility from \$1,825 million to \$1,303 million, for the year to date.
- Africa Oil third quarter net income of \$21.2 million and nine-month net income of \$118.1 million, excluding a \$215.6 million non-cash impairment of Kenya exploration assets posted in the first quarter 2020.
- Selected Prime’s third quarter 2020 results net to Africa Oil’s 50% shareholding*:
 - average daily working interest (“W.I.”) production³ of 26.9 thousand barrels of oil equivalent per day (“kboepd”) and economic entitlement production⁴ of 27.8 kboepd with 83% in oil production (nine-month period: W.I. production of 29.5 kboepd and economic entitlement production of 35.3 kboepd with 85% in oil production);
 - sales revenues of \$212.5 million (nine-month period: \$551.2 million);
 - adjusted EBITDA⁵ of \$99.0 million (nine-month period: \$490.3 million); and
 - cash flow from operations of \$107.5 million (nine-month period: \$438.0 million).
- Exploration success continued with the Luiperd discovery on Block 11B/12B, offshore South Africa and the farmout of Transkei/Algoa blocks to Shell.

Africa Oil President and CEO Keith Hill commented: “I am pleased to report another strong quarter with a profit of \$21.2 million. Despite these challenging times, our Nigerian assets continue to perform well, and we continue to deleverage despite the OPEC+ cuts imposed on the Egina field. During 2020 we have repaid 34% of our BTG term loan and Prime has reduced its RBL facility by 29%.

We have also achieved another significant exploration success on Block 11B/12B, offshore South Africa, with the giant Luiperd discovery. I am delighted that the operator believes that together with last year’s Brulpadda discovery, there is sufficient ground to move the project towards development. I am also confident there is substantial follow-on exploration potential on this world-class block, that complements the development opportunity of the two discoveries.

We are also very pleased that Impact Oil and Gas has expanded its portfolio and attracted a high-quality partner in Royal Dutch Shell to its Transkei and Algoa license, offshore South Africa. Through our shareholding in Africa Energy, Impact and Eco Atlantic, we have interests in an industry leading acreage position in an exciting region extending offshore Namibia and South Africa. We are now looking forward to the spud of Venus exploration well on Block 2913B, in Namibia’s Orange Basin in the first half of 2021, which will target one of the largest submarine fans ever tested by the industry.

* Important information: Africa Oil’s interest in Prime is accounted for as an investment in joint venture. Refer to Note 2 on page 4 for further details. Please also refer to notes 1-5 on page 4 for important information on the material presented on this page.

Finally, I would like to announce that Tim Thomas, our Chief Operating Officer, has elected to retire at the end of first quarter 2021. I want to personally thank Tim for his dedicated service to the Company over the past few years. He has diligently performed in his operational leadership role, with significant contribution to our project in Kenya and he played a critical role as we executed the acquisition of our producing assets in Nigeria. I wish him the very best in his retirement.”

2020 Third Quarter Financial Results

(Thousands United States Dollars, except Per Share and Share Amounts)

	September 30, 2020		December 31, 2019	
Cash and cash equivalents	30,396		329,464	
Total assets	886,607		812,305	
Long-term debt	176,892		-	
Total liabilities	205,075		45,602	
Total equity attributable to common shareholders	681,532		766,703	
Working capital	7,346		290,749	
	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Share of profit from investment in joint venture	32,472	-	149,788	-
Share of profit/(loss) from investments in associates	(717)	141	(660)	(10,218)
Total operating income	31,755	141	149,128	(10,218)
Net operating income/(expense)	28,465	(2,684)	(75,518)	(17,314)
Net income/(loss)	21,189	(597)	(97,459)	(10,571)
Net income/(loss) per share - basic and diluted	0.04	(0.00)	(0.21)	(0.02)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding - basic ('000s)	471,950	471,214	471,738	471,030
Weighted average number of shares outstanding - diluted ('000s)	475,150	471,214	471,738	471,030
Number of shares outstanding ('000s)	471,950	471,214	471,950	471,214
Cash flows provided by / (used in) operations	(2,679)	(918)	(3,432)	149
Cash flows provided by / (used in) investing	18,944	(9,928)	(448,690)	(39,267)
Cash flows provided by / (used in) financing	(25,244)	(154)	153,185	(888)
Total change in cash and cash equivalents	(9,032)	(11,022)	(299,068)	(40,028)
Total change in equity	26,839	(9,580)	(85,171)	(9,580)

The financial information in this table was selected from the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements for the three months ended September 30, 2020. The Company's consolidated financial statements, notes to the financial statements, management's discussion and analysis for the three months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019, and the 2019 Annual Information have been filed on SEDAR (www.sedar.com) and are available on the Company's website (www.africaoilcorp.com).

FINANCIAL POSITION AND EARNINGS

The Company recognized a total operating income of \$31.8 million and net income of \$21.2 million during the third quarter of 2020. The operating income primarily relates to the Company's share of profit from its investment in Prime amounting to \$32.5 million. For the nine-month period, the Company recognized a net loss of \$97.5 million with a total operating income of \$149.1 million being offset by \$224.6 million in operating expenses, that primarily relates to the recognition of a \$215.6 million non-cash impairment of intangible exploration assets, relating to the valuation of the Kenyan development project and Kenyan Block 10BA.

The Company ended 2020 third quarter with cash of \$30.4 million and working capital of \$7.3 million in comparison to cash of \$329.5 million and working capital of \$290.7 million at the end of 2019. The reduction in the Company's cash position of \$299.1 million is primarily attributed to its acquisition of a 50% shareholding in Prime for \$519.5 million. This acquisition was funded with a cash payment of \$269.5 million and a term loan facility of \$250.0 million.

During the 2020 third quarter, Prime paid one dividend for a total of \$50.0 million with net payment to Africa Oil of \$25.0 million related to its 50% shareholding interest. The Company applied \$17.7 million of the amount received to reduce its BTG term loan, which at the period end stood at \$176.9 million. For the nine-month period ended September 2020, Africa Oil received four dividend payments from Prime for aggregate amount of \$137.5 million net to its 50% shareholding.

Post third quarter 2020, Africa Oil received its fifth dividend from Prime, taking the total amount received to \$162.5 million net to its 50% shareholding. The Company applied \$12.1 million of the amount received to reduce the BTG loan facility to \$164.8 million.

Africa Oil will apply any future dividends in priority towards the repayment of its BTG loan facility to accelerate the repayment of the loan principal amount, although the BTG term loan is not due for repayment until January 2022.

To finance its future acquisition, exploration, development and operating costs, including the Kenya development project, Africa Oil may require financing from external sources, including issuance of new shares, issuance of debt or executing working interest farmout or disposition arrangements. There can be no assurance that such financing arrangements will be available to the Company or, if available, that it will be offered on terms acceptable to Africa Oil.

PRIME'S THIRD QUARTER 2020 PERFORMANCE

During the third quarter 2020, Prime's Egina production was impacted by the OPEC+ quotas, limiting gross field production from the planned capacity of 200.0 kbopd to an average of 134.3 kbopd for the period.

Prime's third quarter 2020 average daily W.I. production was 26.9 kboepd and economic entitlement production was 27.8 kboepd (83% oil), net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding in Prime. Its nine-month average working interest production was 29.5 kboepd and economic entitlement production was 35.3 kboepd (85% oil), net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding in Prime.

Third quarter 2020 average operating cost of \$4.4 per boe is 10% below nine-month average of \$4.9 per boe, demonstrating significant progress in reducing costs during second and third quarters 2020. No leasing costs are payable for Prime's Floating Production, Storage and Offloading ("FPSO") platforms because they are owned by the joint venture partners and are not leased.

All of Prime's seven planned cargo sales for third quarter 2020 were completed as scheduled. These represent a total sales volume of 6.7 million barrels or 3.4mmbbl net to Africa Oil. In the nine-month period ended September 2020, Prime lifted and sold 17 cargoes representing a sales volume of 16.2 million barrels or 8.1 million barrels net to Africa Oil's shareholding in Prime, at an average price of \$65 per barrel.

Prime has sold forward three cargoes scheduled for the fourth quarter 2020 with two of these cargoes already lifted and sold in October 2020. Prime has also sold forward or hedged 7 cargoes out of a planned 9 cargoes in the first half of 2021. This results in 10 out of 12 cargoes planned for the fourth quarter 2020 and first half of 2021 being hedged at an average price of \$60 per barrel.

Prime achieved third quarter 2020 sales revenues of \$212.5 million (nine-month period: \$551.3 million); Adjusted EBITDA of \$99.0 million (nine-month period: \$490.3 million) and cash flow from operations of \$107.5 million (nine-month period: \$438.0 million), in each case net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding.

Prime's total 2020 capital expenditure is expected to be \$45 million or 50% lower than the initial budget of \$91 million. The reduction includes deferral of infill drilling and activities related to the Preowei field development project due to COVID-19 and the oil price crash. These activities are expected to resume in 2021 as economic conditions improve, subject to partners' consent.

REVISION TO THE 2020 MANAGEMENT GUIDANCE

The 2020 Management Guidance, as it relates to Prime's production and free cash flow have been revised. It is important to note that even in these difficult times, the average guidance miss on all categories is 5% or less and is primarily due to OPEC+ curtailments at the Egina Field, a condition we

hope to have reversed in the coming months. The revisions are as detailed bellow, in all cases net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding in Prime:

- working interest production range of 28.5-29.5 kboepd (previous range: 30.0-33.0 kboepd);
- economic entitlement production range of 33.5-34.5 kboepd (previous range: 35.0-38.0 kboepd);
- capital expenditure of \$20-\$25 million (previous range: \$55-\$60 million); and
- free cash flow (cash flow from operations less capital expenditure) range of \$535-\$565 million (previous range: \$570-\$625 million).

Africa Oil's 2020 corporate budget guidance of \$50 million, that includes the Company's G&A costs, intangible exploration expenditures, Kenya development budget and equity investments in associates, is unchanged.

OTHER POST THIRD QUARTER UPDATES

On October 28, 2020, Africa Oil announced a second significant gas condensate discovery on the Luiperd prospect located on Block 11B/12B, offshore South Africa. The Company holds an indirect interest in the project through its equity interests in Africa Energy Corp. (19.9%) and Impact Oil and Gas Ltd ("Impact", 31.1%).

On November 4, 2020, Africa Oil announced the entry of BG International Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Royal Dutch Shell plc ("Shell") to the Transkei and Algoa exploration right, offshore South Africa. Through a farm-in agreement with Impact, Shell has acquired a 50% operated interest in the Transkei and Algoa Blocks. Africa Oil holds an indirect interest in these blocks through its shareholding in Impact (31.1%)

COVID-19 UPDATE

During July 2020, a number of COVID-19 cases were detected on Egina and Akpo FPSOs; however, with the prompt execution of the contingency plans by the operator, these were managed proactively with no operational impact on facilities or deferment in production. These facilities were declared COVID-19 free in August. Africa Oil employees mostly continue to work from home and there have been no cases of COVID-19.

NOTES

1. Prime does not pay dividends to its shareholders, including Africa Oil, on a fixed pre-determined schedule. Previous number of dividends and their amounts should not be taken as a guide for future dividends to be received by Africa Oil. Any dividends received by Africa Oil from Prime's operating cash flows will be subject to Prime's capital investment and financing cashflows, including payments of Prime's Reserve Based Lending ("RBL") principal amortization, which are subject to semi-annual RBL redeterminations.
2. The 50% shareholding in Prime is accounted for using the equity method and presented as an investment in joint venture in the Consolidated Balance Sheet. Africa Oil's 50% share of Prime's net profit or loss will be shown in the Consolidated Statements of Net Income/Loss and Comprehensive Income/Loss. Any dividends received by Africa Oil from Prime are recorded as Cash flow from Investing Activities. The guidance presented here is for information only.
3. Aggregate liquids and gas production net to Prime's W.I. in Agbami, Akpo and Egina fields. This production rate only includes sold gas volumes and not those volumes used for fuel, reinjected or flared.
4. Net entitlement production is calculated using the economic interest methodology and includes cost recovery oil, tax oil and profit oil and is different from working interest production that is calculated based on project volumes multiplied by Prime's effective working interest in each license.
5. Adjusted Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Impairment, Depreciation and Amortization ("Adjusted EBITDA") is not a generally accepted accounting measure under International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and does not have any standardized meaning prescribed by IFRS and, therefore, may not be comparable with definitions of Adjusted EBITDA that may be

used by other public companies. Non-IFRS measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for measures prepared in accordance with IFRS.

About Africa Oil

Africa Oil Corp. is a Canadian oil and gas company with producing and development assets in deepwater Nigeria; development assets in Kenya; and an exploration/appraisal portfolio in Africa and Guyana. The Company is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange and on Nasdaq Stockholm under the symbol "AOI".

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Additional Information

This information is information that Africa Oil is obliged to make public pursuant to the EU Market Abuse Regulation. The information was submitted for publication, through the agency of the contact persons set out above, at 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time on November 13, 2020.

Advisory Regarding Oil and Gas Information

The terms boe (barrel of oil equivalent) and MMboe (millions of barrels of oil equivalent) are used throughout this press release. Such terms may be misleading, particularly if used in isolation. Year-end 2019 reserves estimates are based on a conversion ratio of five thousand and eight hundred cubic feet per barrel (5.85 Mcf: 1bbl). This conversion ratio is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead. Given that the value ratio based on the current price of crude oil as compared to natural gas is significantly different from the energy equivalency of 5.85:1, utilizing a conversion on a 5.85:1 basis may be misleading as an indication of value.

Forward Looking Information

Certain statements and information contained herein constitute "forward-looking information" (within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities legislation). Such statements and information (together, "forward looking statements") relate to future events or the Company's future performance, business prospects or opportunities.

All statements other than statements of historical fact may be forward-looking statements. Statements concerning proven and probable reserves and resource estimates may also be deemed to constitute forward-looking statements and reflect conclusions that are based on certain assumptions that the reserves and resources can be economically exploited. Any statements that express or involve discussions with respect to predictions, expectations, beliefs, plans, projections, objectives, assumptions or future events or performance (often, but not always, using words or phrases such as "seek", "anticipate", "plan", "continue", "estimate", "expect", "may", "will", "project", "predict", "potential", "targeting", "intend", "could", "might", "should", "believe" and similar expressions) are not statements of historical fact and may be "forward-looking statements". Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, ongoing uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual results or events to differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements, including statements pertaining to the 2020 Management Guidance including production, cashflow from operation and capital investment estimates, performance of commodity hedges, the results and costs of exploratory drilling activity, uninsured risks, regulatory and fiscal changes, availability of materials and equipment, unanticipated environmental impacts on operations, duration of the drilling program, availability of third party service providers and defects in title. No assurance can be given that these expectations will prove to be correct and such forward-looking statements should not be unduly relied upon. The Company does not intend, and does not assume any obligation, to update these forward-looking statements, except as required by applicable laws. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties relating to, among other things, changes in macro-economic conditions and their impact on operations, changes in oil prices, reservoir and production facility performance, hedging counterparty contractual performance, OPEC+ quota impact on production, availability of oil tankers, results of exploration and development activities, cost overruns, uninsured risks, regulatory and fiscal changes, defects in title, claims and legal proceedings, availability of materials and equipment, availability of skilled personnel, timeliness of government or other regulatory approvals, actual performance of facilities, joint venture partner underperformance, availability of financing on reasonable terms, availability of third party service providers, equipment and processes relative to specifications and expectations and unanticipated environmental, health and safety impacts on operations. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements.



Report to Shareholders

September 30, 2020



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") focuses on significant factors that have affected Africa Oil Corp. and its subsidiaries (the "Company" or "AOC") and such factors that may affect its future performance. In order to better understand the MD&A, it should be read in conjunction with the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019 and also should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018 and related notes thereto.

The financial information in this MD&A is derived from the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements which have been prepared in United States ("U.S.") dollars, in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

The effective date of this MD&A is November 13, 2020.

Additional information about the Company and its business activities is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

PROFILE AND STRATEGY

AOC is a Canadian oil and gas exploration company with producing and development assets in deep-water offshore Nigeria, and development assets in Kenya. The Company also has a portfolio of exploration assets in Guyana, Kenya, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa and in the Senegal Guinea Bissau Joint Development Zone ("AGC"). The Company holds its interests through direct ownership interests in concessions and through its shareholdings in investee companies including Prime Oil & Gas B.V. ("Prime"), Africa Energy Corp., Eco (Atlantic) Oil & Gas Ltd. and Impact Oil and Gas Ltd.

AOC's long-range plan is to increase shareholder value through the acquisition, exploration, development, and production associated with oil and gas assets. On January 14, 2020, the Company closed the acquisition of a 50% ownership interest in Prime (previously known as Petrobras Oil and Gas B.V.). Through its shareholding in Prime, the Company has exposure to some of the best producing assets offshore West Africa. The Company has actively explored on multiple onshore exploration blocks in various under explored geological settings in East Africa and has acquired a participating interest in a block in South Africa (refer to table below). The Company has made numerous oil discoveries in the South Lokichar Basin (Blocks 10BB and 13T) located in the Tertiary Rift trend in Kenya. The Company will continue to consider acquisition and merger opportunities, focusing on Africa.

PRIME SHAREHOLDING AND WORKING INTERESTS

Please see 'Equity Investments' on page 7 for the information on the Company's equity interests in Africa Energy Corp., Eco (Atlantic) Oil & Gas Ltd. and Impact Oil and Gas Ltd. The Company's material interests, and material exploration partnership interests are summarized in the following table:

Africa Oil's Shareholding in Prime Oil & Gas B.V. (50%)			
Country	Concession	Working Interests	
Nigeria	OML 127	Prime Chevron Corporation Famfa Oil	8% 32% 60% (carried)
	OML 130 – PSA ¹	Prime Total SAPETRO	16% 24% 10% (carried)

Africa Oil's Direct Working Interests ²				
Country	Concession	Gross Acreage (km ²)	Working Interests	
Kenya	10BA	11,760	AOI Total Tullow (Operator)	25% 25% 50%
	10BB	8,835	AOI Total Tullow (Operator)	25% 25% 50%
	13T	6,296	AOI Total Tullow (Operator)	25% 25% 50%
South Africa	3B/4B	17,581	AOI (Operator) Azinam Ricocure (Pty) Ltd	20% 20% 60%

- (1) 50% of the production from OML 130 is covered by a PSA, in which Prime owns a 32% Working Interest. Prime's net Working Interest in OML 130 is therefore 16%.
- (2) Net working interests are subject to back-in rights or carried working interests, if any, of the respective governments or national oil companies of the host governments.

COVID-19

We are witnessing unprecedented level of market volatility and oil price weakness due to the impact of COVID-19 pandemic, including substantial reduction in world oil demand. We are also seeing a robust response by international oil producers led by the group of OPEC+ countries to reduce supply and address the challenge of demand destruction. We are cautiously optimistic that the oil producers' response can remove significant supply to address the demand destruction, flatten the curve of inventory builds and set a course to rebalance markets, however, there is no certainty as to the time it will take for oil demand to recover to the pre-pandemic level, in particular if the pandemic was to continue to prevent travels and undermine business activity beyond end 2020.

Since the outbreak of the pandemic, Africa Oil has been actively managing its response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Staff have been working from home and non-essential travel has been suspended. The Company have also been engaged with partners to understand the measures being undertaken to protect the staff and ensure that safe operations are maintained where essential.

Operators (Total and Chevron) of Prime's Nigerian assets have implemented strict mitigation strategies to minimize the risk of COVID-19 impacting both onshore (land office) and offshore platforms (i.e. FPSOs) operations and introduced contingency plans to respond to infection cases. The mitigation measures apply to all personnel, contractors and visitors.

A small number of COVID-19 cases were detected on Egina and Akpo FPSOs; however, with the prompt execution of the contingency plans by the operator these were managed proactively with no operational impact on these facilities.

Nigeria, an OPEC member, has directed producers to curtail oil field production in line with the OPEC+ quota agreement made in April 2020. This has impacted Egina's production as detailed in the next section of this report, but as in the previous quota regimes, Agbami and Akpo fields, which are categorized as condensate fields, have not been affected by the directive.

Prime continues to benefit from a robust oil price hedging program with all of its fourth quarter 2020 oil sales cargoes (three planned cargoes with two having already been lifted and sold) hedged at an average oil price of \$61 per barrel, and 78% of its anticipated H1-2021 sales volumes (nine planned cargoes) hedged at an average price of \$60 per barrel. The third quarter 2020 and first half 2021 hedging program is comprised of a swap and physical forward sales of Prime's oil cargoes to a group of buyers including oil supermajors and commodity trading houses. These counterparties are part of groups with investment grade credit ratings.

In these uncertain times, the Company will continue to prioritize repayment of our long-term debt, utilizing dividends received from Prime, as we have done in the first nine months of 2020. The Company is also reducing discretionary capital expenditure and G&A costs where possible and is expected to have sufficient liquidity to meet its commitments through to end of 2021.

ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE UPDATE

The Company undertakes its business in line with good international practice related to health, safety and environmental management, and engages with its stakeholders in a fair, open and transparent manner. The Company operates in compliance with the laws and regulations of the countries in which it is located and works in accordance with good international practice.

Following the equity investment of the International Finance Corporation ("IFC"), part of the World Bank Group, in the Company in 2015, the Company has been required to comply with the IFC Performance Standards on Environmental and Social Sustainability. An independent review of Company compliance with IFC Performance Standards is undertaken twice per year and review reports are disclosed on the Company website. To date, reviews have focused on Company activities in Kenya, and now also address Company activities and investments elsewhere.

Pursuant to the acquisition of 50% of Prime Oil & Gas B.V. in January 2020, the Company has transitioned to a full cycle oil exploration and production company, and this transformation has been accompanied by a significant development of the Company's management and reporting of environmental, social and governance ("ESG") performance.

To reflect the development of the Company, and also the increased significance of ESG concerns, the Company has updated its governance and management systems to ensure the effective identification and management of ESG issues and risks.

As a consequence, the Company has updated its ESG policies to cover the following:

- Sustainability Policy
- Environmental Policy
- Health & Safety Policy
- Stakeholder Engagement & Community Relations Policy
- GHG Emissions Management Policy

These are supported by:

- Company Code of Business Conduct
- Anti-Corruption Policy
- Disclosure Policy

Policies are implemented through a corporate management system which will lead to the development of corporate level Standards of Operation. Those Standards of Operation will then be adopted and implemented at an asset level, reflecting the nature of the activities and Africa Oil's ownership interests. Where Africa Oil is a non-operator, the focus will be on ensuring that Operator procedures are in alignment with Africa Oil Standards of Operation and that Africa Oil is able to monitor Operator performance and to support Operator improvements in performance where these are required.

Due to the early stage of reporting, the impact of COVID-19 and other commercial challenges, reporting from Operators has been limited to-date during 2020. Data quality and coverage has improved during the course of 2020 and full-year ESG performance data for 2020 will be disclosed by the Company in due course.

OPERATIONS UPDATE

Prime - Nigeria

The main assets of Prime are an indirect 8% interest in Oil Mining Lease ("OML") 127 and an indirect 16% interest in OML 130. OML 127 is operated by affiliates of Chevron Corporation and covers part of the producing Agbami Field. OML 130 is operated by affiliates of Total S.A. and contains the producing Akpo and Egina Fields. The three fields in these two OMLs are located over 100 km offshore Nigeria. The Company accounts for its interest in Prime under the equity method.

All three fields have high quality reservoirs and produce light to medium sweet crude oil through Floating Production, Storage and Offloading ("FPSO") facilities. Akpo and Egina also produce natural gas that is exported onshore for sale.

During the third quarter total production was impacted by the continuation of a production quota on the Egina field, because of compliance requirements brought into effect by the OPEC+ agreement. These quotas limited production from Egina in the quarter from the planned rate of approximately 200,000 barrels of oil per day (bopd) to approximately an average of 134,000 bopd for the quarter.

Third quarter total gross field production averaged approximately 432,000 barrels of oil equivalent per day ("boepd") compared with 452,000 boepd in the second quarter. Year to date total gross field production averaged approximately 470,000 boepd at the end of the third quarter. Third quarter average daily working interest production net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding in Prime was approximately 28,400 boepd compared to 28,300 boepd in the second quarter. Average daily entitlement production net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding in Prime was approximately 27,800 boepd compared to 35,000 in the second quarter, out of which 88% was oil and 12% was gas.

During the third quarter Prime was allocated seven oil liftings with total sales volume of approximately 6.7 million barrels or 3.3 million barrels net to Africa Oil's 50% shareholding.

Tertiary Rift - Kenya

The South Lokichar Development Project (Blocks 10BB and 13T)

On May 15, 2020 Tullow, the operating partner on Blocks 10BB and 13T in Kenya, submitted notices of Force Majeure to the Kenyan Ministry of Petroleum and Mining on behalf of the joint venture partners in these blocks. These declarations are the result of impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the operations, including Kenyan government's restrictions on domestic and international travel, and recently introduced tax changes that adversely impact the project economics. These are exacerbated by the recent unprecedented crash in global crude oil prices.

On May 29, 2020, Tullow informed the Government of Kenya that the Early Oil Production System ("EOPS") operations were to cease. The EOPS had remained suspended due to severe damage to roads caused by adverse weather in the fourth quarter of 2019 and the COVID-19 pandemic in the first quarter of 2020. The EOPS system was first commenced at the end of June 2019 and although it was not intended to be a profitable enterprise, it was a valuable exercise in gathering reservoir performance data, strengthen relationships with local and national stakeholders, secure Kenyan government's investment in local infrastructure including roads and bridges and introduce the South Lokichar crude to international oil markets.

On August 20, 2020, Tullow, submitted withdrawal notices for Force Majeure and fruitful discussions were held with the Government of Kenya on a way forward.

On September 9, 2020, Tullow received notification from the Government of Kenya that the licenses for Blocks 10BB and 13T had been granted a contingent extension. Under the terms of the extension, the Joint Venture partners have the right to extend the second exploration period for the 10BB and 13T license blocks until December 31, 2020, with a further extension until December 31 2021 contingent, amongst other conditions, on an agreed work program and budgets. Africa Oil intends to use this extended time frame to work closely with its Joint Venture partners on submitting an updated Field Development Plan ("FDP") by end of 2021.

Africa Oil Corp. has a 25% working interest, before the government's back-in rights, in Blocks 10BB and 13T with Tullow Oil plc (50% and Operator) and Total S.A. (25%) holding the remaining interests.

Exploration Block 10BA - Kenya

In 2019, the Government of Kenya granted an extension to the 10BA Second Additional Exploration Period. This period will now expire on April 26, 2021. Due to current market challenges and limited activities in the block, a \$77.8 million impairment of previously capitalized intangible exploration assets was recorded in the first quarter 2020 related to the Company's operations in Block 10BA.

Block 3B/4B - South Africa

In July 2019, the Company through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Africa Oil SA Corp., entered into a definitive farmout agreement with Azinam Limited to acquire a 20% participating interest and operatorship in the Exploration Right for Block 3B/4B, offshore South Africa. The farmout was fully completed in February 2020 with Africa Oil SA Corp. becoming the Operator for the block.

The 2D and 3D seismic data previously acquired in the block is being evaluated by the JV partners and will form the basis for the initial period work program along with other regional and technical studies. As part of this effort the joint venture plans to reprocess 3D seismic data in the areas of interest starting in 2021.

Tertiary Rift – Ethiopia

The Company continues the process of exiting Ethiopia and has completed all work commitments.

EQUITY INVESTMENTS

The Company holds equity participations in four oil & gas companies, which provides a portfolio of high-quality producing assets in Nigeria and exposure to numerous high-impact exploration drilling prospects in South Africa, Namibia, and Guyana.

The Company held the following equity investments as of September 30, 2020:

	Africa Oil Ownership	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Equity investment in joint venture:			
Investment in Prime	50.0%	569,560	-
Equity investment in associates:			
Investment in Eco	18.4%	12,991	12,022
Investment in Africa Energy	31.3%	27,291	17,882
Investment in Impact	31.1%	46,355	33,659
		86,637	63,563
Total Investment		656,197	63,563

Prime Oil and Gas B.V. ("Prime")

On January 14, 2020, the Company closed the acquisition (the "Acquisition") of a 50% ownership interest in Prime (previously known as Petrobras Oil and Gas B.V.). BTG Pactual E&P B.V. ("BTG") continues to own the remaining 50% of Prime. The total payment by AOC to close the Acquisition, including the Nigerian Government's consent fee, amounted to \$519.5 million, which included a deferred payment of \$24.8 million which was paid during June 2020. The payment of \$519.5 million had been funded through a loan facility of \$250.0 million with BTG and a cash payment of \$269.5 million. In addition, the Company paid fees amounting to \$25.0 million. The acquisition in Prime is accounted for using the equity method.

The \$250.0 million Loan facility ("Term Loan") with BTG was drawn on January 14, 2020 and has a duration of two years. The Company has provided security in respect of the Term Loan mainly in the form of share pledges, over the shares of Petrovida, Eco, Africa Energy and Impact owned by Africa Oil and a charge over the bank accounts into which the Prime dividends are paid. The loan principal will be repaid by the lesser of 80% of the dividends received from Prime (less interest due for the month in which the dividend was received), and of an amount that ensures the Company hold a minimum projected consolidated cash balance in the six months following the repayment. The loan is subject to a fixed interest rate of 15% and is not subject to any debt covenants.

A deferred payment of \$118.0 million, subject to update, may be due to the seller depending on the date and ultimate OML 127 tract participation in the Agbami field. As the probability of this payment is remote, no provision was recorded at September 30, 2020.

The Company's 50% equity interest in Prime is accounted for as an Investment in Joint Venture under the equity method on the Balance Sheet. The Company will record 50% share of Prime's profit of loss in the period in the Statement of Net Income/Loss, as well as a 50% share of their Other Comprehensive Income/Loss. Dividends received will be disclosed as a cash flow from investing activities in the Cash Flow Statement.

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, Prime generated sales revenue of approximately \$424.9 million and \$1,102.5 million, respectively, or \$212.5 million and \$551.3 million, respectively, net to AOC's shareholding. Production in the third quarter was affected by the imposition of OPEC+ quotas on the Egina field. These quotas are expected to continue for the near term. This production curtailment as well as the lower oil price environment has led to an impairment in the Egina field being recorded by Prime in the second quarter. The impairment was calculated as \$289.5 million which resulted in a reduction in net profit of \$144.7 million (post the effect of 50% Petroleum Profits Tax). Net to AOC's shareholding, the effect on profit from share of joint venture was \$72.4 million. No impairment was required in the Agbami field.

Prime distributed four dividends payments totaling \$275.0 million gross in the period from completion of the Prime acquisition (January 14, 2020) to September 30, 2020, with a net payment to the Company of \$137.5 million related to its 50% interest. Subsequent to end of third quarter 2020, Prime distributed a further dividend for \$50.0 million or \$25.0 million net to the Company's 50% interest and bringing the total dividend amount received since the Prime acquisition to \$162.5 million.

At September 30, 2020 the Company has considered whether its equity investment in Prime had any indicators of impairment in accordance with IAS 28. If any impairment indicators are identified, the entire carrying amount of the investment in the associate is compared to recoverable amount, which is the higher of value in use or fair value less costs of disposal. The Company has determined the recoverability of its investment will be in the form of dividends, and therefore has assessed the impact of current conditions on the recoverability of the dividends relative to the investment carrying value.

The impairment of OML 130 within Prime in the second quarter was an indicator of impairment of the Company's investment. The Company ran an impairment test at that date of the expected future dividend stream against the investment carrying value. The Company used the Canadian Reservoir Engineer market consensus forward curve, with a long-term oil price of \$54/bbl and a discount rate of 10% to assess the dividend stream and no impairment was required.

In the third quarter the long-term oil price forecast remained at similar levels to that used in the impairment test.

The Company's 2020 dividend income from its equity investment in Prime continued to benefit from a robust oil price hedging program with 100% of Prime's 2020 sales volume hedged at an average oil price of approximately \$65/bbl and 78% of its H1-2021 oil entitlement production is hedged at an average price of \$60/bbl. The counterparties are part of groups with investment grade credit ratings.

Prime's cash generating assets, OML 127 and OML 130, which result in the dividend stream to Prime's shareholders are both Production Sharing Arrangements ("PSA"). The PSA mechanism is naturally protective at low oil prices because of Prime's entitlement to recover cost oil (primarily historical capex and opex spend, including a carry for the indigenous partner share of costs). If the oil price decreases, the number of barrels allocated to recover the cost oil will increase and the Contractor recovers more cost oil. This mitigates the effects of any decrease in oil price.

The short-term impact of the production quotas may affect forecast repayments under Prime's Reserve Based Lending ("RBL") facility. The September redetermination of the Prime RBL has been approved by the banking syndicate and repayments were in line with the second quarter forecast. Prime is not expected to make any further principal repayment until the results of the next RBL redetermination scheduled to be finished on March 31, 2021. If repayments are larger than forecast, this will reduce the dividend available to the shareholders. The Company has considered various RBL repayment scenarios and the impact on the dividend stream.

Due to these factors we do not foresee a significant and prolonged decline in value as the Company still expects to recover the value of the investment through dividend payments, however the Company recognizes that situation is volatile and will continue to monitor these significant judgements.

The Company has determined that there are no further indicators of impairment at September 30, 2020, and no impairment is required.

Eco (Atlantic) Oil and Gas Ltd. ("Eco")

Eco holds working interests in four exploration blocks offshore Namibia and one exploration block offshore Guyana. Eco will continue their drilling program with plans to drill at least two exploration wells starting in 2021. The Company's ownership interest is approximately 18.4% at September 30, 2020.

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

Africa Energy Corp. ("Africa Energy")

Africa Energy is an international oil and gas exploration company that holds a 90% participating interest in the offshore Exploration Right for Block 2B in the Republic of South Africa ("Block 2B"), an effective 10% participating interest in offshore Petroleum License 37 in the Republic of Namibia ("PEL 37"), and an effective 4.9% participating interest in the Exploration Right for Block 11B/12B offshore the Republic of South Africa ("Block 11B/12B"). On February 5, 2020, Africa Energy completed a private placement, in which the Company participated, investing \$5.0 million, acquiring 20,930,000 shares, of a total of 104,652,174 shares issued. Africa Energy completed an additional private placement on September 30, 2020 in which the Company participated, investing \$6.8 million, acquiring 20,000,000 shares, of a total of 88,667,000 shares issued. The private placements decreased the Company's ownership interest in Africa Energy from approximately 34.5% at December 31, 2019 to approximately 31.3%.

On October 28, 2020, Africa Energy announced a significant gas condensate discovery on the Luiperd prospect located on Block 11B/12B offshore South Africa. This discovery follows the adjacent play-opening Brulpadda discovery in 2019, which proved a significant new petroleum province in the region. The well encountered 73 meters of net gas condensate pay over a mid-Cretaceous high-quality reservoir interval and did not encounter the water contact. Following a comprehensive coring and logging program, the Block 11B/12B joint venture is now testing the well to assess dynamic reservoir characteristics and deliverability.

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

Impact Oil and Gas Limited ("Impact")

Impact is a private UK oil and gas exploration company with assets located offshore South Africa and West Africa. Impact acquired its first asset, the Tugela South Exploration Right, offshore South Africa in 2011 and has subsequently expanded its asset base across the offshore margins of South and West Africa. It has since partnered with ExxonMobil and Statoil (South Africa), CNOOC (AGC - between Senegal and Guinea Bissau) and Total S.A. (Namibia and South Africa). On February 14, 2020, Impact announced a capital raise, in which the Company participated, investing approximately \$12.0 million, acquiring 45,000,000 shares, increasing the Company's ownership interest in Impact from approximately 29.9% at December 31, 2019 to approximately 31.1% at September 30, 2020.

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

Kenya Revenue Authority

The Company's Kenyan Branch, of its wholly owned subsidiary, Africa Oil Kenya B.V., has been assessed for corporate income tax ("CIT") and value added tax ("VAT") by the Kenya Revenue Authority ("KRA") relating to farmout transactions completed during the period 2012 to 2017.

The Kenyan Tax Appeals Tribunal ("TAT") has ruled in favour of the Company with regards to the CIT assessments, which amounts to \$29.5 million. However, the TAT's ruled in favour of the KRA with regards to the VAT assessments which amounts to \$22.0 million. The Company maintains its position that the VAT assessment is without merit and has duly filed an appeal with Kenya's High Court to challenge the position. The KRA appealed the CIT assessment, although after the appeal deadline. Subsequently the court found reason to allow the KRA to appeal with respect to CIT to be included in the substantive process. Management has determined that based on the facts and Kenya tax law that the probability of paying the assessed tax is low.

The company expect the court to issue its next direction in December 2020.

Court Proceedings

The Company has, since 2010, been a party to two separate court proceedings in Kenya. Each of the court proceedings was initiated by Interstate Petroleum Ltd. ("IPL"), and certain parties related to IPL, as Applicants. Both proceedings, Judicial Review Number 30 of 2010 and Judicial Review Number 1 of 2012, involved a dispute concerning the administrative process that led to the issuance of exploration permits in respect of, amongst others, Blocks 10BA, 10BB, 12A and 13T. The primary Respondents in the proceedings included the Minister and the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum, Republic of Kenya. The Company and certain of its affiliates were named as Interested Parties.

To date, the Company has ultimately been successful in defending all of these proceedings, and in appealing unfavorable decisions. Recently, in light of the Company's successful appeal of a High Court decision relating to Judicial Review Number 1 of 2012, the Kenyan High Court in Kitale approved the Company's application for the release of certain funds that had been posted as security for costs in respect of that appeal.

In May 2019, the two most recent pending applications made against the Company by IPL and its related parties were dismissed by the High Court of Kenya in Kitale. At the May 2019 hearings in respect of these applications, the Court also directed IPL to not make any further applications in respect of the winding-up proceedings initiated against IPL by the Company without leave of the Court. IPL subsequently filed a Notice of Appeal dated 27 November 2019 challenging the dismissal. There have been no new developments as at September 30, 2020.

The Company continues to pursue both the awards of costs made in favor of the Company by the Kenyan courts and the winding-up proceedings previously initiated against IPL by the Company.

SELECTED QUARTERLY INFORMATION

Three months ended (thousands, except per share amounts)	30-Sep	30-Jun	31-Mar	31-Dec	30-Sep	30-Jun	31-Mar	31-Dec
	2020	2020	2020	2019	2019	2019	2019	2018
Income from equity investments (\$)	31,755	30,318	87,055	-	-	-	-	-
Net operating income/(expense) (\$)	28,465	27,004	(218,042)	(147,692)	(2,684)	(11,755)	(2,875)	(20,171)
Interest income (\$)	25	95	966	1,556	2,128	2,301	2,393	2,026
Net income/(loss) attributable to common shareholders (\$)	21,189	19,234	(137,882)	(146,198)	(597)	(9,463)	(511)	(18,221)
Weighted average shares - Basic	471,950	471,950	471,311	471,214	471,214	471,214	470,654	470,568
Weighted average shares - Diluted	475,150	475,150	471,311	471,214	471,214	471,214	470,654	470,568
Basic gain/(loss) per share (\$)	0.04	0.04	(0.29)	(0.31)	(0.00)	(0.02)	(0.00)	(0.04)
Diluted gain/(loss) per share (\$)	0.04	0.04	(0.29)	(0.31)	(0.00)	(0.02)	(0.00)	(0.04)
Intangible exploration expenditures (\$)	3,447	5,359	10,191	6,585	10,833	4,801	13,141	14,570

Operating results

The Company recognized income of \$21.2 million during the third quarter of 2020. The operating income primarily relates to the Company's share of profit from its investment in Prime amounting to \$32.5 million.

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The Company recognized a loss of \$137.9 million during the first quarter of 2020. The operating income primarily relates to the Company's share of profit from its investment in Prime amounting to \$85.6 million. Additionally, the Company recorded a net share of profit from its investments in Eco, Impact and Africa Energy amounting to \$1.5 million. The operating income was offset by \$218.0 million in operating expenses which primarily relates to the recognition of a \$215.6 million impairment of intangible exploration assets relating to the valuation of the Kenyan development project.

Equity-based compensation

Three months ended (thousands, except per share amounts)	30-Sep	30-Jun	31-Mar	31-Dec	30-Sep	30-Jun	31-Mar	31-Dec
	2020	2020	2020	2019	2019	2019	2019	2018
Options granted	-	-	-	2,947	280	-	50	1,966
Performance share units granted	-	-	3,144	128	-	-	2,655	-
Restricted share units granted	-	-	1,576	32	-	-	1,231	95
Exercise price per share (\$CAD)	-	-	-	1.16	1.13	-	1.06	1.06
Equity-based compensation expense (\$)	(485)	(1,001)	315	(634)	(433)	(763)	(404)	(50)

During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, the Company recognized \$0.5 million and \$1.2 million in equity-based compensation, respectively, relating to the Long Term Incentive Plan ("LTIP") and Stock Option Plan (\$0.4 million and \$1.6 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively).

During the first quarter of 2020, 848,000 PSUs vested in which half were settled for a cash payment of \$0.08 million and the other half were settled via the issuance of common shares of the Company. During the first quarter of 2019, 881,000 PSUs vested and were via the issuance of an equal number of common shares of the Company.

During the first quarter of 2020, 742,933 RSUs vested in which half were settled for a cash payment of \$0.3 million and the other half were settled via the issuance of common shares of the Company. During the first quarter of 2019, 815,367 RSUs vested and were settled for a cash payment of \$0.7 million. Additionally, during the first quarter of 2020, 235,024 RSU's issued to non-executive directors vested (246,000 in first quarter 2019) and were settled via issuance of an equal number of common shares in both periods.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Share of profit/(loss) from equity investment	31,755	141	149,128	(10,218)
Salaries and benefits	(900)	(506)	(3,464)	(1,384)
Equity-based compensation	(485)	(433)	(1,171)	(1,600)
Office and general	(1,905)	(1,886)	(4,411)	(4,112)
Impairment of intangible exploration assets	-	-	(215,600)	-
Net operating income/(expense)	28,465	(2,684)	(75,518)	(17,314)

The Company recognized operating income amounting to \$28.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020 compared to operating expenses amounting to \$2.7 million during the same period in 2019. The operating income is primarily due to the Company's share of profit from its investment in Prime amounting to \$32.5 million.

The Company recognized operating expense amounting to \$75.5 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2020 compared to \$17.3 million during the same period in 2019. The operating expense is primarily due to the recognition of a \$215.6 million impairment of intangible exploration assets relating to the Kenyan development project and Block 10BA. The operating expense was offset by the recognition of profit from the Company's investment in Prime in which the Company received \$149.8 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2020.

INTANGIBLE EXPLORATION ASSETS

(thousands)	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Intangible exploration assets	195,446	411,669

The following table breaks down the material components of intangible exploration expenditures incurred:

For the nine months ended (thousands)	September 30, 2020			September 30, 2019		
	Kenya	South Africa	Total	Kenya	South Africa	Total
Drilling and completion	1,222	-	1,222	3,363	-	3,363
Development studies	7,978	-	7,978	16,604	-	16,604
Exploration surveys and studies	-	-	-	307	-	307
PSA and G&A related	5,829	3,968	9,797	8,501	-	8,501
Total	15,029	3,968	18,997	28,775	-	28,775

During the nine months ended September 30, 2020, intangible exploration expenditures increased by \$19.0 million. The expenditures relate to the completion of the acquisition of a 20% participating interest in the Block 3B/4B Exploration Right as well as the Company's share of appraisal stage projects in Kenya which are pending the determination of proven and probable petroleum reserves, and include expenditures related to the following activities: development studies (including upstream and midstream FEEDs, land acquisition, ESIA's, water acquisition and subsurface reservoir studies) and general and administrative costs incurred in relation to the Company's Production Sharing Agreements with the respective host governments. PSA and G&A related costs include acquisition costs, personnel and office running costs, local community development expenditures, land surface fees, annual rental fees and other PSA related fees.

Kenya

At December 31, 2019, the Company determined that the Kenyan development project cash generating unit ("CGU") (Blocks 10BB and 13T) would continue, however, due to a change in project and economic assumptions, an impairment test was performed. Due to a reduction in oil price in 2020, the impairment test was reperformed at March 31, 2020.

At December 31, 2019, the Company used estimated 2C resources with a real \$60/bbl Brent price less a discount of \$3/bbl for the quality of the crude oil and a pre-tax discount rate of 15 percent.

The recoverable amount of intangible exploration assets is determined as the fair value less costs of disposal using a discounted cash flow method and is assessed at the CGU level.

The carrying amount exceeded its fair value less costs of disposal and as a result, a total impairment loss of \$139.5 million was recorded.

At March 31, 2020 the Company reperformd the impairment test with a revised oil price forecast reflecting a Canadian Reservoir Engineer market consensus forward curve at March 31, 2020. The pre-tax discount rate increased to 17 percent, reflecting current market challenges and risks. A further impairment loss of \$137.8 million was recorded in the period.

As at March 31, 2020, a one percent increase in the assumed discount rate would result in an additional impairment expense of \$27.5 million (December 31, 2019 \$41.0 million). Using a discount rate of 13 percent at March 31, 2020 (December 31, 2019, 12 percent), no impairment would be required as the recoverable amount would exceed the carrying amount by \$5.0 million (December 31, 2019, \$15.0 million).

The future development of 10BA would likely rely on infrastructure of Blocks 10BB and 13T. The impairment in Block 10BB and 13T is an indicator that Block 10BA may be impaired. The block has considerable exploration potential however the work program is minimal for 2020, and partner support has been affected by the current market challenges. The block's economic feasibility in the current environment is significantly reduced and a total impairment loss of \$77.8 million was recorded in operating expenses in the first quarter of 2020.

On May 15, 2020 Tullow, the operating partner on Blocks 10BB and 13T in Kenya, submitted notices of Force Majeure to the Kenyan Ministry of Petroleum and Mining on behalf of the joint venture partners in these blocks. These declarations were the result of impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the operations, including the Kenyan government's restrictions on domestic and international travel, and proposed tax changes that adversely impact the project economics. These were exacerbated by the unprecedented crash in global crude oil prices in 2020. Declaration of Force Majeure allowed time for an improvement in the operating environment and for the joint venture partners to discuss with the government of Kenya the best way forward for this strategic project. On August 20, 2020, the joint venture partners on Blocks 10BB and 13T in Kenya submitted a letter to the Kenyan Ministry of Petroleum and Mining, to withdraw the notices of Force Majeure. On September 9, 2020, the Company announced a contingent license extension had been granted by the Government of Kenya on Blocks 10BB and 13T. Under the terms of the extension, the Joint Venture partners have the right to extend the second exploration period for the 10BB and 13T license blocks until December 31, 2020, with a further extension until December 31, 2021 contingent upon, amongst other conditions, an agreed work programme and budgets. The Joint Venture partners will submit an updated Field Development Plan ("FDP") by end of 2021.

The Company has determined that the impact of the Force Majeure during the second quarter did not have a material impact on the future of the development project in Kenya. Given the impact of the withdrawal of the Force Majeure and the improvement in oil price forecasts as at September 30, 2020, no indicators of impairment were noted during the quarter.

The Company's remaining intangible exploration assets have no indicators of impairment.

South Africa

On February 7, 2020, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company acquired a 20% participating interest in the Block 3B/4B Exploration Right from Azinam Limited ("Azinam") for a consideration of approximately \$3.6 million. The Company has assumed operatorship for the joint venture partners; Azinam will retain a 20% participating interest and Ricocure (Pty) Ltd holds the remaining a 60% participating interest.

Additionally, the Company will be obligated to carry 50% of Ricocure (Pty) Ltd's share of all costs associated with the Government Work Program Commitments and Work Program and Budget for the carry period. The carry period is concluded when the partnership commits to drilling an exploratory well.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As at September 30, 2020, the Company had cash of \$30.4 million and working capital of \$7.3 million as compared to cash of \$329.5 million and working capital of \$290.7 million at December 31, 2019.

In January 2020, the Company closed the acquisition of Prime. The total payment by the Company to close the Acquisition, including the Nigerian Government's consent fee, amounted to \$519.5 million. This includes a deferred payment of \$24.8 million which was paid in June 2020. The payment of \$519.5 million had been funded through a loan facility of \$250.0 million with BTG and a cash payment of \$269.5 million. In addition, the Company paid notary fees amounting to \$1.8 million. A deferred payment of \$118.0 million, subject to update, may be due to the seller depending on the date and ultimate OML 127 tract participation in the Agbami field.

There are no plans or proposals for any material changes in the Company's business affairs, or the affairs of the business of Prime, which may have a significant effect on the financial performance and financial position of the Company, including any proposal to liquidate the business of the Company or Prime, to sell, lease or exchange all or a substantial part of its assets, to amalgamate the business or to make any other material changes to the business of the Company or Prime.

There are no financial covenants or other factors relating to the term loan that would have a detrimental effect on the Company's liquidity, and the Company has sufficient financial strength to navigate through these difficult times until a possible recovery next year.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2020, Prime distributed four dividend payments totaling of \$275.0 million to its shareholders, with a net payment to Africa Oil of \$137.5 million related to its 50% interest. The dividends earned during 2020 were applied partly to the repayment of the BTG facility in order to maintain a minimum cash position. Going forward, the company will apply dividends in priority to debt repayment while continuing to maintain this minimum cash balance.

Regarding the South Lokichar Basin development, the Company will continue to assess the sufficiency of its capital resources until a field development and financial plan is approved. The Company's current working capital position may not provide it with sufficient capital resources to complete development activities being considered in the South Lokichar Basin (Kenya).

To finance its future acquisition, exploration, development and operating costs, the Company may require financing from external sources, including issuance of new shares, issuance of debt or executing working interest farmout or disposition arrangements. There can be no assurance that such financing will be available to the Company or, if available, that it will be offered on terms acceptable to the Company.

OUTLOOK

The Company, with the acquisition of 50% of Prime, has now become a full-cycle E&P company with material reserves and production, strong operating netbacks, and free cash flow generation that is supported by an active oil price hedging program at the Prime level.

In addition to the current producing reservoirs offshore Nigeria, there are additional growth opportunities in undeveloped horizons within existing fields; adjacent undeveloped discoveries; and identified exploration targets within the licenses that are under consideration for development and exploration drilling. One advanced opportunity is the Preoweï oil discovery, which is being considered as a satellite tie-back to the Egina FPSO. In the first half of 2019 the Field Development Plan for the Preoweï field within OML 130 was approved by the Government of Nigeria. Preoweï's development is still subject to OML 130 partners taking FID.

The license extensions for Blocks 10BB and 13T granted by the government of Kenya will allow the JV partners to design a field development plan for the South Lokichar development in collaboration with the government of Kenya in 2021 in order to determine the best way forward for this strategic project.

The Company is continuing to review acquisition opportunities in West Africa that would be cash flow accretive.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Transactions with Africa Energy

On February 5, 2020, Africa Energy completed a private placement, in which the Company participated, investing \$5.0 million, acquiring 20,930,000 shares, of a total of 104,652,174 shares issued. Africa Energy completed an additional private placement on September 30, 2020 in which the Company participated, investing \$6.8 million, acquiring 20,000,000 shares, of a total of 88,667,000 shares issued. The private placements decreased the Company's ownership interest in Africa Energy to approximately 31.3%.

Under the terms of a General Management and Service Agreement between Africa Energy and the Company for the provision of management and administrative services, the Company invoiced Africa Energy \$0.02 million and \$0.08 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively (\$0.03 million and \$0.09 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively). At September 30, 2020, the outstanding balance receivable from Africa Energy was \$ nil (at December 31, 2019 – \$ nil). The management fee charged to Africa Energy by the Company is expected to cover the cost of administrative expense and salary costs paid by the Company in respect of services provided to Africa Energy.

Under the terms of the Consulting Services Agreement between Africa Energy and the Company, Africa Energy invoiced the Company \$0.06 million during 2020 until the expiration of the Consulting Services Agreement on June 30, 2020.

On July 1, 2020, Africa Energy entered into a General Technical and Administrative Service Agreement with Africa Oil SA Corp. ("AOSAC"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company. The Africa Energy invoiced AOSAC \$0.1 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020. The consulting fee charged to AOSAC by Africa Energy is intended to cover the costs of its employees who are providing AOSAC with technical and administrative services relating to its 20% operating interest in Block 3B/4B, located offshore South Africa.

COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Please note that the following commitments and contingencies are representative of AOC's net obligations at the effective date of the MD&A.

Prime Oil and Gas B.V.:

A deferred payment of \$118.0 million, subject to update, may be due to the seller depending on the date and ultimate OML 127 tract participation in the Agbami field. As the probability of this payment is remote, no provision is recorded at September 30, 2020.

South Africa:

Block 3B/4B is currently in the Initial Period having a term of three years which will expire in April 2022. The work commitments during the initial period for Block 3B/4B consist of regional subsurface evaluation and mapping, petrophysical analysis of nearby wells, basin modelling, prospect maturation and prospect ranking, leading to recommendations on future investments. The total minimum gross expenditure obligation for the Initial Period is 11.4 million Rand (approximately \$0.7m). At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interest in Block 3B/4B was 20%.

Kenya:

On September 9, 2020, the Company announced a contingent license extension had been granted by the Government of Kenya on Blocks 10BB and 13T to the second additional exploration period which expires on December 31, 2020, with a further extension until December 31, 2021 contingent, amongst other conditions, on an agreed work program and budgets. All commitments for this period have been met. The impact of COVID-19 on the Kenya work program and fiscal framework has led the Joint Venture to call Force Majeure on its licenses from May 2020 until August 2020 which has delayed FID. At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interests in Block 10BB and 13T was 25%.

Under the terms of the Block 10BA PSC, during May 2019, the Company received approval from the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum for the Republic of Kenya for an extension to the second additional exploration period which expires in April 2021. During the second additional exploration period, the Company and its partners are obligated to complete geological and geophysical operations, including either 500 kilometers of 2D seismic or 25 square kilometers of 3D seismic. Additionally, the Company and its partners are obligated to drill one exploration well or to complete 45 square kilometers of 3D seismic. The total minimum gross expenditure obligation for the first additional exploration period is \$19.0 million. Seismic acquisition commitments have been completed; the well commitment is outstanding. At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interest in Block 10BA was 25% and the carrying value was \$nil.

OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA

The following table outlines the maximum potential impact of share dilution upon full execution of outstanding convertible instruments as at the effective date of the MD&A:

Common shares outstanding	471,949,806
Outstanding share purchase options	9,584,667
Outstanding performance share units	7,615,412
Outstanding restricted share units	3,200,135
Full dilution impact on common shares outstanding	492,350,020

OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

The Company does not have any off-balance sheet arrangements.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

The Company's critical accounting estimates are defined as those estimates that have a significant impact on the portrayal of its financial position and operations and that require management to make judgments, assumptions and estimates in the application of IFRS. Judgments, assumptions and estimates are based on historical experience and other factors that management believes to be reasonable under current conditions. As events occur and additional information is obtained, these judgments, assumptions and estimates may be subject to change. The Company believes the following are the critical accounting estimates used in the preparation of its consolidated financial statements. The Company's significant accounting policies can be found in the Company's Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as at the date of the consolidated financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Such estimates related to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, actual results may differ from these estimated amounts as future confirming events occur. Significant estimates used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements include, but are not limited to, recovery of exploration costs capitalized in accordance with IFRS, stock-based compensation, valuation and impairment of equity investments and income taxes.

Intangible Exploration Assets

The Company capitalizes costs related to the acquisition of a license interest, directly attributable general and administrative costs, expenditures incurred in the process of determining oil and gas exploration targets, and exploration drilling costs. All exploration expenditures that related to properties with common geological structures and with shared infrastructure are accumulated together within intangible exploration assets. Costs are held un-depleted until such time as the exploration phases on the license area are complete or commercially viable reserves have been discovered and extraction of those reserves is determined to be technically feasible. The determination that a discovery is commercially viable, and extraction is technically feasible requires judgment.

Where results of exploration drilling indicate the presence of hydrocarbons which are ultimately not considered commercially viable, all related costs are recognized in the statement of operations. If commercial reserves are established and technical feasibility for extraction demonstrated, then the related capitalized intangible exploration costs are transferred into the smallest group of assets that generate cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the “cash-generating unit” or “CGU”) within intangible exploration assets. The allocation of the Company’s assets into CGUs requires judgment.

Intangible exploration assets are assessed for impairment when they are reclassified to property and equipment, as intangible exploration assets, and also if facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

The recoverable amount of an asset or a CGU is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs of disposal. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Value in use is generally computed by reference to the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from production of proven and probable reserves. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account, if available. In the absence of such transactions, an appropriate valuation model is used.

The key assumptions the Company uses for estimating future cash flows are contingent resources, future commodity prices, expected production volumes, future operating and development costs, among others. The estimated useful life of the CGU, the timing of future cash flows and discount rates are also important assumptions made by management.

Equity Based Compensation

The Company uses the fair value method, utilizing the Black-Scholes option pricing model, for valuing stock options granted to directors, officers, consultants and employees. The estimated fair value is recognized over the applicable vesting period as equity-based compensation expense. The recognized costs are subject to the estimation of what the ultimate payout will be using pricing models such as the Black-Scholes model, which is based on significant assumptions such as volatility, dividend yield and expected term.

The estimated fair value of the PSUs is initially determined at the time of grant and is based on non-market performance conditions. The estimated fair value of the PSUs is assessed for revaluation at the end of every reporting period. The estimated fair value is recognized over the applicable vesting period as equity-based compensation expense.

The estimated fair value of the RSUs is initially determined at the time of grant and is revalued on a quarterly basis, recorded as a liability in the balance sheet and expensed evenly throughout the applicable vesting period as equity-based compensation expense.

Equity Method

Investments in joint ventures and investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method. Investments of this nature are recorded at original cost. Investments in joint ventures or associates which arise from a loss in control of a subsidiary are recorded at fair value on the date of the loss of control. The investment is adjusted periodically for the Company's share of the profit or loss of the investment after the date of acquisition. The investor's share of the profit or loss of the investee is also recognized in the Company's profit or loss. Distributions received reduce the carrying amount of the investment.

Additionally, estimates associated with investments in joint ventures include the determination of amounts allocated to non-current assets as well as any negative goodwill associated with the acquisition.

Impairment of Joint Ventures and Associates

The amounts for investments in joint ventures and associates represents the Company's equity interest in other entities, where there is either joint control or significant influence. The Company assesses investments in joint ventures and associates for impairment whenever changes in circumstances or events indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. The process of determining whether there is an indicator for impairment or calculating the recoverable amount requires judgement.

The most material area in which the Company has applied judgement in the period is in relation to the investment in Prime. In assessing whether there are any indicators of impairment the Company has considered any effects of Prime's hedging arrangements, the loan facility, and any operational and contractual implications on the future dividend stream when assessing for impairment indicators. When any impairment indicators are identified, the entire carrying amount of the investment in the associate is compared to recoverable amount, which is the higher of value in use or fair value less costs of disposal. The Company has determined the recoverability of its investment will be in the form of dividends, and therefore has assessed the impact of current conditions on the recoverability of the dividends relative to the investment carrying value. The key assumptions the Company uses for estimating dividends include future commodity prices, operational scenarios provided by Prime, the timing of future cash flows and discount rates.

Income Tax

The Company follows the balance sheet method of accounting for income taxes whereby future income taxes are recognized based on the differences between the carrying values of assets and liabilities reported in the Annual Financial Statements and their respective tax basis. Future income tax assets and liabilities are recognized at the tax rates at which Management expects the temporary differences to reverse. Management bases this expectation on future earnings, which require estimates for reserves, timing of production, crude oil price, operating cost estimates and foreign exchange rates. Management assesses, based on all available evidence, the likelihood that the future income tax assets will be recovered from future taxable income and a valuation allowance is provided to the extent that it is more than likely that future income tax assets will not be realized. As a result, future earnings are subject to significant Management judgment.

Contingencies relating to income tax are subject to measurement uncertainty as the related financial impact will only be confirmed by the outcome of a future event. The assessment of income tax contingencies requires the application of judgements and estimates including the determination of whether a present obligation exists and the reliable estimation of the timing and amount of cash flows required to settle the contingency.

INTERNAL FINANCIAL REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE CONTROLS

Disclosure controls and procedures

Disclosure controls and procedures are designed to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed by the Company in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted by it under securities legislation is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the securities legislation and include controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted under securities legislation is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, has evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures. As of September 30, 2020, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have each concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures, as defined in NI 52-109 - Certification of Disclosure in Issuer's Annual and Interim Filings, are effective to achieve the purpose for which they have been designed.

Internal controls over financial reporting

Internal controls over financial reporting are designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS. Management is also responsible for the design of the Company's internal control over financial reporting in order to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with IFRS.

The Company's internal controls over financial reporting include policies and procedures that: pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and disposition of assets; provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS and that receipts and expenditures are being made only in accordance with authorization of management and directors of the Company; and provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, has evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's internal controls over financial reporting. As of September 30, 2020, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have each concluded that the Company's internal controls over financial reporting, as defined in NI 52-109 - Certification of Disclosure in Issuer's Annual and Interim Filings, are effective to achieve the purpose for which they have been designed. Because of their inherent limitations, internal controls over financial reporting can provide only reasonable assurance and may not prevent or detect misstatements. Furthermore, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

RISK FACTORS

The Company's operations are subject to various risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to, those listed below.

Global Health Emergency

The current novel coronavirus (COVID-19) global health pandemic is significantly impacting the global economy and financial and commodity markets. The full extent and impact of the COVID-19 pandemic is unknown and to date has included extreme volatility in financial markets, a slowdown in economic activity, extreme volatility in commodity prices, extended shutdowns of numerous business activities and supply chain disruptions worldwide and has raised the prospect of an extended global recession. As well, as efforts are undertaken to slow the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic, the operation and development of the assets which the Company acquired an interest in may be impacted. Although the full impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the global economy and its duration remains uncertain, disruptions caused by COVID-19 or any other outbreak or public health emergency may adversely affect the performance of the Company. The degree to which the COVID-19 pandemic impacts our results will depend on future developments, which are highly uncertain and cannot be predicted, including, but not limited to, the duration and spread of the outbreak, its severity, the actions to contain the virus or treat its impact, and how quickly and to what extent normal economic and operating conditions can resume.

Climate Change Risk

Governments around the world have become increasingly focused on addressing the impacts of anthropogenic global climate change, particularly in the reduction of gases with the potential to contribute to greenhouse gas levels in the atmosphere. The oil and natural gas industry is subject to stringent environmental regulations. The political climate appears to favour new programs for environmental laws and regulation, particularly in relation to the reduction of emissions or emissions intensity, and there is a risk that any such programs, laws or regulations, if proposed and enacted, will contain emission reduction targets which the Company may not be able to meet, and financial penalties or charges could be incurred as a result of the failure to meet such targets. A breach of applicable legislation within any of the Company's countries of operation may result in the imposition of fines against the Company or the issuance of clean up orders in respect of its oil and gas assets, some of which may be material.

Climate change policy is emerging and quickly evolving at regional, national and international levels, and political and economic events may significantly affect the scope and timing of climate change measures that are ultimately put in place. Implementation of strategies by any level of government within the countries in which the Company operates, and whether to meet international agreed limits, or as otherwise determined, for reducing greenhouse gases could have a material impact on the operations and financial condition of the Company. In addition, concerns about climate change have resulted in a number of environmental activists and members of the public opposing the continued exploitation and development of fossil fuels and in financial institutions reducing their exposure to the Oil & Gas industry. Changes in policies and legislations or in market dynamics are likely to result in a reduction of demand for oil and gas products in the medium or long term and would affect the financial condition of Upstream Oil and Gas companies. Given the evolving nature of the debate related to climate change and the control of greenhouse gases and resulting requirements, it is not possible to predict the impact on the Company and its operations, its access to capital and financial condition. It is also not possible at this time to predict whether any proposed legislations relating to climate change will be adopted, and any such regulations could result in operating restrictions or compliance costs.

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they become due. Liquidity describes a company's ability to access cash. Companies operating in the upstream oil and gas industry during the exploration and appraisal phase require sufficient cash in order to fulfill their work commitments in accordance with contractual obligations and to be able to potentially acquire strategic oil and gas assets.

The Company will potentially issue debt or equity and enter into farmout agreements with joint venture partners to ensure the Company has sufficient available funds to meet current and foreseeable financial requirements. The Company actively monitors its liquidity to ensure that its cash flows and working capital are adequate to support these financial obligations and the Company's capital programs. The Company will also adjust the pace of its activities to manage its liquidity position.

International Operations

The Company participates in oil and gas projects located in emerging markets, which includes Africa. Oil and gas exploration, development and production activities in these emerging markets are subject to significant political and economic uncertainties that may adversely affect the Company's operations. The Company could be adversely affected by changes in applicable laws and policies in the countries where the Company has interests. Additional uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the risk of war, terrorism, expropriation, civil unrest, nationalization, renegotiation or nullification of existing or future concessions and contracts, the imposition of international sanctions, a change in crude oil or natural gas pricing policies, changes to taxation laws and policies, assessments and audits (including income tax) against the Company by regulatory authorities, difficulty or delays in obtaining necessary regulatory approvals, risks associated with potential future legal proceedings, and the imposition of currency controls. These uncertainties, all of which are beyond the Company's control, could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, prospects and results of operations. In addition, if legal disputes arise related to oil and gas concessions acquired by the Company, the Company could be subject to the jurisdiction of courts other than those of Canada. The Company's recourse may be very limited in the event of a breach by a government or government authority of an agreement governing a concession in which the Company acquires an interest. The Company may require licenses or permits from various governmental authorities to carry out future exploration,

development and production activities. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to obtain all necessary licenses and permits when required.

Different Legal System and Litigation

The Company's oil production and exploration activities are located in countries with legal systems that in various degrees differ from that of Canada. Rules, regulations and legal principles may differ in respect of matters of substantive law and of such matters as court procedure and enforcement. Almost all material production and exploration rights and related contracts of the Company are subject to the national or local laws and jurisdiction of the respective countries in which the operations are carried out. This means that the Company's ability to exercise or enforce its rights and obligations may differ between different countries and also from what would have been the case if such rights and obligations were subject to Canadian law and jurisdiction.

The Company's operations are, to a large extent, subject to various complex laws and regulations as well as detailed provisions in concessions, licenses and agreements that often involve several parties. If the Company was to become involved in legal disputes in order to defend or enforce any of its rights or obligations under such concessions, licenses, and agreements or otherwise, such disputes or related litigation could be costly, time consuming and the outcome would be highly uncertain. Even if the Company ultimately prevailed, such disputes and litigation may still have a substantially negative effect on the Company's business, assets, financial conditions, and its operations.

Financial Statements Prepared on a Going Concern Basis

The Company's financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis under which an entity is considered to be able to realize its assets and satisfy its liabilities in the ordinary course of business. The Company's operations to date have been primarily financed by equity financing and the completion of working interest farmout agreements. The Company's future operations may be dependent upon the identification and successful completion of additional equity or debt financing, the achievement of profitable operations or other transactions. There can be no assurances that the Company will be successful in completing additional financings, achieving profitability or completing future transactions. The consolidated financial statements do not give effect to any adjustments relating to the carrying values and classification of assets and liabilities that would be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern.

Shared Ownership and Dependency on Partners

The Company's operations are, to a significant degree, conducted together with one or more partners through contractual arrangements. In such instances, the Company may be dependent on, or affected by, the due performance of its partners. If a partner fails to perform, the Company may, among other things, risk losing rights or revenues or incur additional obligations or costs, or experience delays, in order to itself perform in place of its partners. The Company and its partners may also, from time to time, have different opinions on how to conduct certain operations or on what their respective rights and obligations are under a certain agreement. If a dispute were to arise with one or more partners relating to a project, such dispute may have significant negative effects on the Company's operations relating to such project.

Investments in Joint Ventures and Associates

The Company has invested in other frontier oil and gas exploration companies that are similar to the Company, and that face similar risks and uncertainties faced by the Company, which could have a material adverse effect on their businesses, prospects and results of operations. Such risks include, without exclusion, equity risk, liquidity risk, currency risk, foreign investment risk, and changes in environmental regulations, economic, political or market conditions, or the regulatory environment in the countries in which they operate. The Company's investments are not diversified over different types of investments and industries, rather, they are concentrated in one type of investment. If the companies in which the Company has invested fails, liquidates, or becomes bankrupt, the Company could face the potential risk of loss of some, or all, of its investments, and the Company may be unable to recover its initial investment amount, or any amount, from its various investments in other frontier oil and gas

exploration companies. The Company has minority positions in its investments in associates which does not allow the Company to control these investments or influence all decisions made within these companies.

Uncertainty of Title

Although the Company conducts title reviews prior to acquiring an interest in a concession, such reviews do not guarantee or certify that an unforeseen defect in the chain of title will not arise that may call into question the Company's interest in the concession. Any uncertainty with respect to one or more of the Company's concession interests could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, prospects and results of operations.

Risks Relating to Concessions, Licenses and Contracts

The Company's operations are based on a relatively limited number of concession agreements, licenses and contracts. The rights and obligations under such concessions, licenses and contracts may be subject to interpretation and could also be affected by, among other things, matters outside the control of the Company. In case of a dispute, it cannot be certain that the view of the Company would prevail or that the Company otherwise could effectively enforce its rights which, in turn, could have significantly negative effects on the Company. Also, if the Company or any of its partners were deemed not to have complied with their duties or obligations under a concession, license or contract, the Company's rights under such concessions, licenses or contracts may be relinquished in whole or in part.

Competitive Conditions

The petroleum industry is intensely competitive in all aspects, including the acquisition of oil and gas interests, the marketing of oil and natural gas, and acquiring or gaining access to necessary drilling and other equipment and supplies. The Company competes with numerous other companies in the search for and acquisition of such prospects and in attracting skilled personnel. The Company's competitors include oil companies that have greater financial resources, staff and facilities than those of the Company and its partners. The Company's ability to discover reserves in the future will depend on its ability to successfully explore its present properties, to select and acquire suitable producing properties or prospects on which to conduct future exploration and to respond in a cost-effective manner to economic and competitive factors that affect the distribution and marketing of oil and natural gas. The Company's ability to successfully bid on and acquire additional property rights, to discover reserves, to participate in drilling opportunities and to identify and enter into commercial arrangements with customers will be dependent upon the development and maintenance of close working relationships with its future industry partners and joint operators and its ability to select and evaluate suitable properties and to consummate transactions in a highly competitive environment. The Company strives to be competitive by maintaining a strong financial balance sheet.

Oil and natural gas producers are also facing increased competition from alternative forms of energy, fuel and related products that could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, prospects and results of operations.

Risks Inherent in Oil and Gas Exploration and Development

Oil and gas operations involve many risks, which even a combination of experience, knowledge, and careful evaluation may not be able to overcome. The long-term commercial success of the Company depends on its ability to find, acquire, develop and commercially produce oil and natural gas reserves. No assurance can be given that the Company will be able to locate satisfactory properties for acquisition or participation. Moreover, if such acquisitions or participations are identified, the Company may determine that current markets, terms of acquisition and participation or pricing conditions make such acquisitions or participations uneconomic. There is no assurance that expenditures made on future exploration by the Company will result in discoveries of oil or natural gas in commercial quantities or that commercial quantities of oil and natural gas will be discovered or acquired by the Company. It is difficult to project the costs of implementing an exploratory drilling program due to the inherent uncertainties of drilling in unknown formations, the costs associated with encountering various drilling conditions

such as over pressured zones and tools lost in the hole, and changes in drilling plans and locations as a result of prior exploratory wells or additional seismic data and interpretations thereof.

Future oil and gas exploration may involve unprofitable efforts, not only from dry wells, but from wells that are productive but do not produce sufficient net revenues to return a profit after drilling, operating and other costs. Completion of a well does not assure a profit on the investment or recovery of drilling, completion and operating costs. In addition, drilling hazards or environmental damage could greatly increase the cost of operations, and various field operating conditions may adversely affect the production from successful wells. These conditions include delays in obtaining governmental approvals or consents, shut-ins of connected wells resulting from extreme weather conditions, insufficient storage or transportation capacity or other geological and mechanical conditions. While close well supervision and effective maintenance operations can contribute to maximizing production rates over time, production delays and declines from normal field operating conditions cannot be eliminated and can be expected to adversely affect revenue and cash flow levels to varying degrees.

The Company's business is subject to all of the risks and hazards inherent in businesses involved in the exploration for, and the acquisition, development, production and marketing of, oil and natural gas, many of which cannot be overcome even with a combination of experience and knowledge and careful evaluation. The risks and hazards typically associated with oil and gas operations include fire, explosion, blowouts, sour gas releases, pipeline ruptures and oil spills, each of which could result in substantial damage to oil and natural gas wells, production facilities, other property, the environment or personal injury, and such damages may not be fully insurable.

Well-flow Test Results

Drill stem tests are commonly based on flow periods of 1 to 5 days and build up periods of 1 to 3 days. Pressure transient analysis has not been carried out on all well tests and the results should therefore be considered as preliminary. Well test results are not necessarily indicative of long-term performance or of ultimate recovery.

Capital Requirements

To finance its future acquisition, exploration, development and operating costs, the Company may require financing from external sources, including from the issuance of new shares, issuance of debt or execution of working interest farm-out agreements. There can be no assurance that such financing will be available to the Company or, if available, that it will be offered on terms acceptable to the Company. If additional financing is raised through the issuance of equity or convertible debt securities, control of the Company may change and the interests of shareholders in the net assets of the Company may be diluted. If unable to secure financing on acceptable terms, the Company may have to cancel or postpone certain of its planned exploration and development activities which may ultimately lead to the Company's inability to fulfill the minimum work obligations under the terms of its various PSAs. Availability of capital will also directly impact the Company's ability to take advantage of acquisition opportunities.

Government Regulations and Tax Risk

The Company may be affected by changes in taxes, regulations and other laws or policies affecting the oil and gas industry generally. The Company's host governments may implement new regulations or modify existing regulations regarding taxes affecting the oil and natural gas industry. The Company could experience an increase in existing taxes and may be subject to some tax assessments that could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects of the Company's oil and gas assets. In Nigeria, the fiscal regime Prime is currently subject to might be affected by the Petroleum Industry Bill ("PIB"), which is currently expected to be passed at the latest in Q1 2021.

Environmental Protection

Environmental legislation imposes certain restrictions, obligations, and liabilities on companies in the oil and gas industry. Drilling for and production, handling, transporting and disposing of oil and gas and petroleum by-products are subject to extensive regulation under national and local environmental laws, including those of the countries in which the Company currently operates. Environmental regulations may impose, among other things, restrictions, liabilities and obligations in connection with water and air pollution control and permitting requirements and restrictions on operations in environmentally sensitive areas. Environmental regulations may also impose restrictions on the handling of, storing, transporting, and disposing of waste. In addition, the Company could potentially be liable for contamination on properties acquired and it attempts to mitigate the risk of inheriting environmental liabilities by conducting due diligence on acquisition opportunities. The Company also seeks to ensure that, where it is a non-operating shareholder, activities are undertaken in alignment with the Company policies and standards as far as practicable.

Environmental protection requirements have not, to date, had a significant effect on the capital expenditures, results of operations and competitive position of the Company. However, environmental regulations are expected to become more stringent in the future and costs associated with compliance are expected to increase. In addition, as the Company's exploration and operating activities expand, new and more rigorously enforced environmental regulations may come into play, which could impact those activities and the cost of compliance. Any penalties or other sanctions imposed on the Company (or its joint venture partners) for non-compliance with environmental regulations could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, prospects and results of operations, or could result in restrictions or cessation of operations and the imposition of fines and penalties.

Foreign Currency Exchange Rate Risk

The Company is exposed to changes in foreign exchange rates as expenses in international subsidiaries, oil and gas expenditures, or financial instruments may fluctuate due to changes in rates. The Company's exposure is partially offset by sourcing capital projects and expenditures in US dollars. The Company had no forward exchange contracts in place as at September 30, 2020.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of loss if counterparties do not fulfill their contractual obligations. The majority of the Company's credit exposure relates to amounts due from its joint venture partners. The risk of the Company's joint venture partners defaulting on their obligations per their respective joint operating and farmout agreements is mitigated as there are contractual provisions allowing the Company to default joint venture partners who are non-performing and reacquire any previous farmed out working interests. The maximum exposure for the Company is equal to the sum of its cash, restricted cash, and accounts receivable. A portion of the Company's cash is held by banks in foreign jurisdictions where there could be increased exposure to credit risk.

FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements in this document constitute forward-looking information or forward-looking statements under applicable Canadian securities law (collectively “forward-looking statements”). Forward-looking statements are statements that relate to future events, including the Company’s future performance, opportunities or business prospects. Any statements that express or involve discussions with respect to expectations, beliefs, projections, plans, future events or performance (often, but not always, identified by words such as “believes”, “seeks”, “anticipates”, “expects”, “estimates”, “pending”, “intends”, “plans”, “will”, “would have” or similar words suggesting future outcomes) are not statements of historical fact and may be forward-looking statements.

By their nature, forward-looking statements involve assumptions, inherent risks and uncertainties, many of which are difficult to predict, and are usually beyond the control of management, that could cause actual results to be materially different from those expressed by these forward-looking statements. Risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, risk with respect to general economic conditions, regulations and taxes, civil unrest, corporate restructuring and related costs, capital and operating expenses, pricing and availability of financing and currency exchange rate fluctuations. Readers are cautioned that the assumptions used in the preparation of such information, although considered reasonable at the time of preparation, may prove to be imprecise and, as such, undue reliance should not be placed on forward-looking statements.

Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements concerning:

- Expected closing dates for the completion of proposed transactions;
- Planned exploration, appraisal and development activity including both expected drilling and geological and geophysical related activities;
- Proposed development plans;
- Future development costs and the funding thereof;
- Expected finding and development costs;
- Timing to FID;
- Anticipated future financing requirements;
- Future sources of funding for the Company’s capital program;
- Future capital expenditures and their allocation to exploration and development activities;
- Expected operating costs;
- Future sources of liquidity, cash flows and their uses;
- Availability of potential farmout partners;
- Government or other regulatory consent for exploration, development, farmout, or acquisition activities;
- Future production levels;
- Future crude oil, natural gas or chemical prices;
- Future earnings;
- Future asset acquisitions or dispositions;
- Future debt levels;
- Availability of committed credit facilities;
- Possible commerciality;
- Development plans or capacity expansions;
- Future ability to execute dispositions of assets or businesses;
- Future drilling of new wells;
- Ultimate recoverability of current and long-term assets;
- Ultimate recoverability of reserves or resources;
- Estimates on a per share basis;
- Future foreign currency exchange rates;
- Future market interest rates;
- Future expenditures and future allowances relating to environmental matters;
- Dates by which certain areas will be explored or developed or will come on stream or reach expected operating capacity;
- The Company’s ability to comply with future legislation or regulations;
- Future staffing level requirements; and
- Changes in any of the foregoing.

Statements relating to “reserves” or “resources” are forward-looking statements, as they involve the implied assessment, based on estimates and assumptions, that the reserves and resources described exist in the quantities predicted or estimated, and can be profitably produced in the future.

These forward-looking statements are subject to known and unknown risks and uncertainties and other factors, which may cause actual results, levels of activity and achievements to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such statements. Such factors include, among others:

- Market prices for oil and gas and chemical products;
- The Company’s ability to explore, develop, produce and transport crude oil and natural gas to markets;
- Production and development costs and capital expenditures;
- The imprecise nature of reserve estimates and estimates of recoverable quantities of oil, natural gas and liquids;
- Changes in oil prices;
- Availability of financing;
- Uninsured risks;
- Regulatory changes;
- Changes in the social climate in the regions in which the Company operates;
- Health, safety and environmental risks;
- Climate change legislation and regulation changes;
- Defects in title;
- Availability of materials and equipment;
- Timelines of government or other regulatory approvals;
- Ultimate effectiveness of design or design modification to facilities;
- The results of exploration, appraisal and development drilling and related activities;
- Short term well test results on exploration and appraisal wells do not necessarily indicate the long-term performance or ultimate recovery that may be expected from a well;
- Pipeline or delivery constraints;
- Volatility in energy trading markets;
- Incorrect assessments of value when making acquisitions;
- Foreign-currency exchange rates;
- Economic conditions in the countries and regions in which the Company carries on business;
- Governmental actions including changes to taxes or royalties, and changes in environmental and other laws and regulations;
- The Company’s treatment under governmental regulatory regimes and tax laws;
- Renegotiations of contracts;
- Results of litigation, arbitration or regulatory proceedings;
- Political uncertainty, including actions by terrorists, insurgent or other groups, or other armed conflict; and
- Internal conflicts within states or regions.

The impact of any one risk, uncertainty or factor on a particular forward-looking statement is not determinable with certainty as these factors are interdependent, and management’s future course of action would depend on its assessment of all available information at that time. Although management believes that the expectations conveyed by the forward-looking statements are reasonable based on the information available to it on the date such forward-looking statements were made, no assurances can be given that such expectations will prove to be correct, and such forward-looking statements included in this document should not be unduly relied upon.

The forward looking statements are made as of the date hereof or as of the date specified in this document, as the case may be, and except as required by law, the Company undertakes no obligation to update publicly, re-issue, or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. This cautionary statement expressly qualifies the forward-looking statements contained herein..

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Expressed in United States dollars)
(Unaudited)

		September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
	Note		
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	12	30,396	329,464
Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses		2,213	4,267
		32,609	333,731
Long-term assets			
Equity investment in joint venture	7	569,560	-
Equity investment in associates	7	86,637	63,563
Property and equipment		2,355	3,342
Intangible exploration assets	6	195,446	411,669
		853,998	478,574
Total assets		886,607	812,305
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	5	23,258	40,962
Equity-based compensation liability	10	1,031	787
Lease obligations		974	1,233
		25,263	42,982
Long-term liabilities			
Equity-based compensation liability	10	1,546	587
Lease obligations		1,374	2,033
Long-term debt	8	176,892	-
		179,812	2,620
Total liabilities		205,075	45,602
Equity attributable to common shareholders			
Share capital	9(b)	1,306,468	1,305,953
Contributed surplus		50,512	51,389
Deficit		(688,098)	(590,639)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	7(a)	12,650	-
Total equity attributable to common shareholders		681,532	766,703
Total liabilities and equity attributable to common shareholders		886,607	812,305
Commitments and contingencies	11		
Subsequent events	19		

The notes are an integral part of the consolidated interim financial statements.

Approved on behalf of the Board:

"ANDREW BARTLETT"

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"KEITH HILL"

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF NET INCOME/(LOSS)

(Expressed in thousands of United States dollars)
(Unaudited)

		Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
	Note				
Operating income					
Share of profit from investment in joint venture	7	32,472	-	149,788	-
Share of profit/(loss) from investments in associates	7	(717)	141	(660)	(10,218)
Total operating income/(expenses)		31,755	141	149,128	(10,218)
Operating expenses					
Salaries and benefits		(900)	(506)	(3,464)	(1,384)
Equity-based compensation	10	(485)	(433)	(1,171)	(1,600)
Office and general		(1,905)	(1,886)	(4,411)	(4,112)
Impairment of intangible exploration assets	6	-	-	(215,600)	-
Total operating expenses		(3,290)	(2,825)	(224,646)	(7,096)
Net operating income/(expense)		28,465	(2,684)	(75,518)	(17,314)
Finance income					
Finance income	12	25	2,128	1,086	6,822
Finance expense					
Finance expense	12	(7,301)	(41)	(23,027)	(79)
Net income/(loss) attributable to common shareholders		21,189	(597)	(97,459)	(10,571)
Net income/(loss) attributable to common shareholders per share					
Basic		0.04	(0.00)	(0.21)	(0.02)
Diluted		0.04	(0.00)	(0.21)	(0.02)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding for the purpose of calculating earnings per share					
Basic	14	471,949,806	471,214,419	471,737,778	471,029,619
Diluted		475,149,941	471,214,419	471,737,778	471,029,619

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(LOSS)

(Expressed in thousands of United States dollars)
(Unaudited)

	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Note				
Net income/(loss) attributable to common shareholders	21,189	(597)	(97,459)	(10,571)
Other comprehensive income				
Share of joint venture other comprehensive income	7	5,534	-	12,650
Comprehensive income/(loss)	26,723	(597)	(84,809)	(10,571)

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EQUITY

(Expressed in thousands of United States dollars)
(Unaudited)

	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
Note		
9(b)		
Share capital:		
Balance, beginning of the period	1,305,953	1,305,129
Settlement of Performance Share Units	88	620
Settlement of Restricted Share Units	427	204
Balance, end of the period	1,306,468	1,305,953
Contributed surplus:		
Balance, beginning of the period	51,389	50,821
Equity-based compensation	10	378
Settlement of Performance Share Units	10	-
Reclass of Performance Share Units from Equity Settled to Cash Settled	10	(620)
Balance, end of the period	50,512	50,988
Deficit:		
Balance, beginning of the period	(590,639)	(433,870)
Net loss attributable to common shareholders	(97,459)	(10,571)
Balance, end of the period	(688,098)	(444,441)
Accumulated other comprehensive income:		
Balance, beginning of the period	-	-
Other comprehensive income	7	12,650
Balance, end of the period	12,650	-
Total equity attributable to common shareholders	681,532	912,500

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Expressed in thousands of United States dollars)
(Unaudited)

		Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Cash flows provided by (used in):	Note				
Operations:					
Net income/(loss) for the period		21,189	(597)	(97,459)	(10,571)
Adjustments for:					
Equity-based compensation	10	485	433	1,171	1,600
Depreciation		333	150	1,020	204
Impairment of intangible exploration assets	6	-	-	215,600	-
Interest on lease obligations		25	13	92	31
Share of (profit)/loss from equity investments	7	(31,755)	(141)	(149,128)	10,218
Interest on term loan	8	7,216	-	22,367	-
Unrealized foreign exchange (gain)/loss		53	22	130	22
Changes in non-cash operating working capital	18	(225)	(798)	2,774	(1,355)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		(2,679)	(918)	(3,432)	149
Investing:					
Property and equipment expenditures		(1)	(75)	(34)	(85)
Intangible exploration expenditures	6	(3,447)	(10,833)	(18,997)	(28,775)
Acquisition cost of joint venture	7	(48)	-	(544,622)	-
Equity investment in associates	7	(6,765)	-	(23,734)	(11,293)
Dividends received from joint venture	7	25,000	-	137,500	-
Changes in non-cash investing working capital	18	4,205	980	1,197	886
Net cash provided by/ (used in) investing activities		18,944	(9,928)	(448,690)	(39,267)
Financing:					
Term loan relating to acquisition of joint venture	8	-	-	250,000	-
Repayment of term loan	8	(17,700)	-	(73,108)	-
Repayment of interest	8	(7,216)	-	(22,367)	-
Settlement of Performance and Restricted Share Units	10	-	-	(330)	(676)
Payment of lease obligations		(328)	(154)	(1,010)	(212)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(25,244)	(154)	153,185	(888)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents denominated in foreign currency		(53)	(22)	(130)	(22)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(9,032)	(11,022)	(299,068)	(40,028)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of the period		39,428	341,331	329,464	370,337
Cash and cash equivalents, end of the period		30,396	330,309	30,396	330,309
Supplementary information:					
Income taxes paid		Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

The notes are an integral part of the consolidated interim financial statements.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019
(Expressed in thousands of United States dollars unless otherwise indicated)
(Unaudited)

1. Incorporation and nature of business:

Africa Oil Corp. (collectively with its subsidiaries, "AOC" or the "Company") was incorporated on March 29, 1993 under the laws of British Columbia and is an international oil and gas exploration and production company based in Canada with oil and gas interests in Africa. The Company's registered address is Suite 2000 - 885 West Georgia St. Vancouver, BC, Canada V6C 3E8.

Oil and gas exploration, development and production activities, in these emerging markets, are subject to significant uncertainties which may adversely affect the Company's operations. Uncertainties include, but are not limited to, global pandemics, a change in environmental, social and governance policies, the risk of war, terrorism, civil unrest, expropriation, nationalization or other title disputes, renegotiation or nullification of existing or future concessions and contracts, the imposition of international sanctions, a change in crude oil or natural gas pricing policies, a change in taxation policies, the availability of capital, and the imposition of currency controls, in addition to the risks associated with exploration activities. These uncertainties, all of which are beyond the Company's control, could have a material adverse effect on AOC's business, prospects and results of operations. In addition, if legal disputes arise related to oil and gas concessions acquired by the Company, AOC could be subject to the jurisdiction of courts other than those of Canada. The Company's recourse may be very limited in the event of a breach by a government or government authority of an agreement governing a concession in which AOC has or may acquire an interest. The Company may require licenses or permits from various governmental authorities to carry out future exploration, development and production activities. There can be no assurance that AOC will be able to obtain all necessary licenses and permits when required.

2. COVID-19 and market uncertainty

We are witnessing unprecedented level of market volatility and oil price weakness due to the impact of COVID-19 pandemic, including substantial reduction in world oil demand. We are also seeing a robust response by international oil producers led by the group of OPEC+ countries to reduce supply and address the challenge of demand destruction. The current market uncertainties have also prompted some financial institutions to reduce their exposure to the Oil & Gas industry, which affected the ability of small and medium size oil and gas companies to raise funds for their development. We are cautiously optimistic that the oil producers' response can remove significant supply to address the demand destruction, flatten the curve of inventory builds and set a course to rebalance markets, however, there is no certainty as to the time it will take for oil demand to recover to the pre-pandemic level, in particular if the pandemic was to continue to prevent travels and undermine business activity beyond end 2020.

Operators (Total and Chevron) of Prime Oil and Gas B.V.'s Nigerian assets (see note 7(a)) have implemented strict mitigation strategies to minimize the risk of COVID-19 impacting both the onshore land office and offshore platforms operations and introduced contingency plans to respond to infection cases. The mitigation measures apply to all personnel, contractors and visitors.

A small number of COVID-19 cases were detected on Egina and Akpo FPSOs; however, with the prompt execution of the contingency plans by the operator these were managed proactively with no operational impact on these facilities.

Nigeria, an OPEC member, has directed producers to curtail oil field production in line with the OPEC+ quota agreement made in April 2020. This has impacted Egina's production but, as in the previous quota regimes, Agbami and Akpo fields, which are categorized as condensate fields, have not been affected by the directive.

Prime continues to benefit from a robust oil price hedging program with all of its fourth quarter 2020 oil sales cargoes (three planned cargoes with two having already been lifted and sold) hedged at an average oil price of \$61 per barrel, and 78% of its anticipated H1-2021 sales volumes (nine planned cargoes) hedged at an average price of \$60 per barrel. The third quarter 2020 and first half 2021 hedging program is comprised of a swap and physical forward sales of Prime's oil cargoes to a group of buyers including oil supermajors and commodity trading houses. These counterparties are part of groups with investment grade credit ratings.

The Company continues to reduce discretionary capital expenditure and G&A costs where possible and is expected to have sufficient liquidity to meet its commitments through to the end of 2021.

3. Basis of preparation:

A. Statement of compliance:

The Company prepares these condensed consolidated interim financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for interim periods, specifically International Accounting Standard 34 Interim Financial Reporting as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). They are condensed as they do not include all the information required for full annual financial statements, and they should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

The policies applied in these condensed consolidated financial statements are based on International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued and outstanding as at November 13, 2020, the date the Board of Directors approved the statements.

B. Basis of measurement:

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except as disclosed in the significant accounting policies in Note 3 of the annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

C. Functional and presentation currency:

These consolidated financial statements are presented in United States (US) dollars. The functional currencies of all the Company's individual entities are US dollars which represents the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entities operate.

D. Use of estimates and judgments:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Impairment of Joint Ventures and Associates

The amounts for investments in joint ventures and associates represents the Company's equity interest in other entities, where there is either joint control or significant influence. The Company assesses investments in joint ventures and associates for impairment whenever changes in circumstances or events indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. The process of determining whether there is an indicator for impairment or calculating the recoverable amount requires judgement.

The most material area in which the Company has applied judgement in the period is in relation to the investment in Prime. On acquisition, judgements and estimates were used in determining fair values on acquisition for the purposes of the notional purchase price allocation. Subsequently, in assessing whether there are any indicators of impairment the Company has considered any effects of Prime's hedging arrangements, the loan facility, and any operational and contractual implications on the future dividend stream when assessing for impairment indicators. Details on these judgements can be found in note 7(a).

All other significant estimates and judgment used in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements are described in the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

4. Significant accounting policies:

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all years presented in these consolidated financial statements and have been applied consistently by the Company and its subsidiaries.

A. Equity method:

Investments in joint ventures and investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method. Investments of this nature are recorded at original cost. Investments in joint ventures or associates which arise from a loss in control of a subsidiary are recorded at fair value on the date of the loss of control. The investment is adjusted periodically for the Company's share of the profit or loss of the investment after the date of acquisition. The investor's share of the profit or loss of the investee is also recognized in the Company's profit or loss. Distributions received reduce the carrying amount of the investment.

The Company assesses investments in joint ventures and associates for impairment whenever changes in circumstances or events indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. If such impairment indicators exist, the carrying amount of the investment is compared to its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of the investment's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. The investment is written down to its recoverable amount when its carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

B. Long-term debt

Long-term debt is initially recognized at the amount required to be paid, less, when material, a discount to reduce the debt to fair value. Subsequently, long-term debt is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Long-term debt is classified as non-current liabilities and any amounts due within twelve months is classified as current liabilities.

All other significant accounting policies used in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements are described in the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

5. Accounts payable and accrued liabilities:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Joint venture payables and other provisions	22,060	39,266
Administrative accruals and other payables	1,198	1,696
	23,258	40,962

6. Intangible exploration assets:

	Note	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Net carrying amount, beginning of the period		411,669	515,823
Intangible exploration expenditures	(a)	18,997	35,360
Reversal of oil and gas provisions	(a)	(19,620)	-
Impairment of intangible exploration assets	(b)	(215,600)	(139,514)
Net carrying amount, end of the period		195,446	411,669

A. Intangible exploration expenditures:

As at September 30, 2020, \$195.4 million of expenditures have been capitalized as intangible exploration assets (December 31, 2019 - \$411.7 million). These expenditures relate to the Company's share of exploration and appraisal stage projects which are pending the determination of proven and probable petroleum reserves, and include expenditures related to the following activities: development studies (including upstream and midstream FEEDs, land acquisition, ESIA's, water acquisition and subsurface reservoir studies) and related general and administrative costs incurred in relation to the Company's Production Sharing Agreements with the respective host governments. At September 30, 2020, no intangible exploration assets have been transferred to oil and gas interests as commercial reserves have not been established and technical feasibility for extraction has not been demonstrated.

On February 7, 2020, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company completed the acquisition of a 20% participating interest in the Block 3B/4B Exploration Right from Azinam Limited ("Azinam") for a consideration of approximately \$3.6 million. Africa Oil assumed operatorship for the joint venture partners; Azinam will retain a 20% participating interest and Ricocure (Pty) Ltd holds the remaining 60% participating interest.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2020, the majority of the expenditure related to its activities in Kenya. The Company also reversed previously estimated provisions relating to the Kenyan assets amounting to \$19.6 million.

The Company capitalized \$5.8 million of general and administrative expenses related to intangible exploration assets (nine months ended September 30, 2019 - \$3.8 million).

B. Impairment of intangible exploration assets

At December 31, 2019, the Company determined that the Kenyan development project cash generating unit ("CGU") (Blocks 10BB and 13T) would continue, however, due to a change in project and economic assumptions, an impairment test was performed. Due to a reduction in oil price in the first quarter of 2020, the impairment test was reperformed at March 31, 2020.

At December 31, 2019, the Company used estimated 2C resources with a real \$60/bbl Brent price less a discount of \$3/bbl for the quality of the crude oil and a pre-tax discount rate of 15 percent.

The recoverable amount of intangible exploration assets is determined as the fair value less costs of disposal using a discounted cash flow method and is assessed at the CGU level.

The carrying amount exceeded its fair value less costs of disposal and as a result, a total impairment loss of \$139.5 million was recorded.

At March 31, 2020, the Company reperformed the impairment test with a revised oil price forecast reflecting a Canadian Reservoir Engineer market consensus forward curve at March 31, 2020. The pre-tax discount rate increased to 17 percent, reflecting current market challenges and risks. A further impairment loss of \$137.8 million was recorded in the period.

As at March 31, 2020, a one percent increase in the assumed discount rate would result in an additional impairment expense of \$27.5 million (December 31, 2019 \$41.0 million). Using a discount rate of 13 percent at March 31, 2020 (December 31, 2019, 12 percent), no impairment would be required as the recoverable amount would exceed the carrying amount by \$5.0 million (December 31, 2019, \$15.0 million).

The future development of 10BA would likely rely on infrastructure of Blocks 10BB and 13T. The impairment in Block 10BB and 13T is an indicator that Block 10BA may be impaired. The block has considerable exploration potential however the work program is minimal for 2020, and partner support has been affected by the current market challenges. The block's economic feasibility in the current environment is significantly reduced and a total impairment loss of \$77.8 million was recorded in operating expenses during the first quarter of 2020.

On May 15, 2020 Tullow, the operating partner on Blocks 10BB and 13T in Kenya, submitted notices of Force Majeure to the Kenyan Ministry of Petroleum and Mining on behalf of the joint venture partners in these blocks. These declarations were the result of impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the operations, including the Kenyan government's restrictions on domestic and international travel, and proposed tax changes that adversely impact the project economics. These were exacerbated by the unprecedented crash in global crude oil prices in 2020. Declaration of Force Majeure allowed time for an improvement in the operating environment and for the joint venture partners to discuss with the government of Kenya the best way forward for this strategic project. On August 20, 2020, the joint venture partners on Blocks 10BB and 13T in Kenya submitted a letter to the Kenyan Ministry of Petroleum and Mining, to withdraw the notices of Force Majeure. On September 9, 2020, the Government of Kenya granted a contingent license extension on Blocks 10BB and 13T. Under the terms of the extension, the Joint Venture partners have the right to extend the second exploration period for the 10BB and 13T license blocks until 31 December 2020, with a further extension until 31 Dec 2021 contingent, amongst other conditions, on agreed work programme and budgets. The Joint Venture partners target to submit an updated Field Development Plan ("FDP") by end of 2021.

The Company has determined that the impact of the Force Majeure did not have a material impact on the future of the development project in Kenya. Given the impact of the withdrawal of the Force Majeure and the license extension, no indicators of impairment were noted during the quarter.

The Company's remaining intangible exploration assets have no indicators of impairment.

Although the Company believes that it has title to its oil and natural gas properties, it cannot control or completely protect itself against the risk of title disputes or challenges.

7. Equity investments:

The Company currently holds the following equity investments:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Equity investment in joint venture:		
Investment in Prime	569,560	-
Equity investment in associates:		
Investment in Eco	12,991	12,022
Investment in Africa Energy	27,291	17,882
Investment in Impact	46,355	33,659
	86,637	63,563
Total Investment	656,197	63,563

The Company recognized total income of \$31.8 million and \$149.1 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, relating to its equity investments, respectively (total gain of \$0.1 million during the three months ended September 30, 2019 and a total loss of \$10.2 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2019).

The Company's shareholdings in its equity investment in associates as at September 30, 2020 is as follows:

	Africa Energy	Eco	Impact
Issued and Outstanding	883,940,268	184,697,723	821,945,821
Shares held by AOI	276,982,414	33,952,850	255,629,487
AOI's holding (%)	31.3%	18.4%	31.1%

The Company has determined that these investments are not impaired.

A. Prime Oil and Gas B.V. ("Prime"):

On January 14, 2020, the Company closed the acquisition (the "Acquisition") of a 50% ownership interest in Prime (previously known as Petrobras Oil and Gas B.V.). BTG Pactual E&P B.V. ("BTG") continues to own the remaining 50% of Prime. The Company has accounted for the acquisition as a joint venture as there is joint control. The total payment by the Company to close the Acquisition, including the Nigerian Government's consent fee, amounted to \$519.5 million, which included a deferred payment of \$24.8 million which was paid during 2020. The payment of \$519.5 million had been funded through a loan facility of \$250.0 million with BTG and a cash payment of \$269.5 million. In addition, the Company paid fees amounting to \$25.0 million including legal and professional fees incurred in arranging and closing the transaction.

Prime is incorporated in the Netherlands and its principal place of business is Nigeria. The primary assets of Prime are an indirect 8% interest in Oil Mining Lease ("OML") 127 and an indirect 16% interest in OML 130. OML 127 is operated by affiliates of Chevron Corporation and cover part of the Agbami Field. OML 130 is operated by affiliates of Total S.A. and contains the producing Akpo and Egina Fields.

A deferred payment of \$118.0 million, subject to update, may be due to the seller depending on the date and ultimate OML 127 tract participation in the Agbami field. As the probability of this payment is unlikely, no provision was recorded at September 30, 2020.

Production in the third quarter continued to be affected by the imposition of Opec+ quotas on the Egina field. These quotas are expected to continue for the near term. This production curtailment as well as the lower oil price environment led to an impairment in OML 130 being recorded by Prime in the second quarter. The impairment was calculated as \$289.5 million which resulted in a reduction in net profit of \$144.7 million (post the effect of 50% Petroleum Profits Tax). Net to AOC's shareholding, the effect on profit from share of joint venture was \$72.4 million. No impairment was required in the Agbami field.

The purchase price was allocated based on the fair values as follows:

Net assets	
Other current assets	363,234
Cash and cash equivalents included in current assets	140,419
Non-current assets ⁽¹⁾	4,358,564
Other current liabilities	(15,137)
Loans and borrowings included in current liabilities	(620,973)
Financial liabilities included in current liabilities	(233,551)
Other non-current liabilities	(261,196)
Loans and borrowings included in non-current liabilities	(1,190,845)
Deferred income tax liabilities included in non-current liabilities	(1,451,515)
Net assets acquired	1,089,000
Percentage ownership	50.0%
Proportionate share of Prime's net assets acquired	544,500
Consideration	
Consideration issued	544,500
Total purchase price	544,500

- ⁽¹⁾ The net assets of Prime were \$537.1 million on acquisition (January 14, 2020). The total net assets acquired in the above table includes transaction fees of \$25.0 million as well as a fair value allocation of \$551.9 million.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2020, Prime distributed four dividends payments totaling \$275.0 million gross, with a net payment to Africa Oil of \$137.5 million related to its 50% interest. The timing and payment of the dividends is discretionary. There are no restrictions on the ability of Prime to pay dividends to its shareholders.

	September 30, 2020
Balance, beginning of the period	-
Acquisition of common shares	519,500
Transaction and related fees associated with the acquisition of common shares	25,122
Dividends received from Prime	(137,500)
Share of joint venture other comprehensive income	12,650
Share of joint venture profit	149,788
Balance, end of the period	569,560

The Company recognized income of \$32.5 million and \$149.8 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively, relating to its investment in Prime.

The following tables summarizes Prime's financial information for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020. The information is based on non-audited financial information.

	September 30, 2020
Other current assets	321,520
Cash and cash equivalents included in current assets	88,755
Non-current assets ⁽¹⁾	3,780,323
Other current liabilities	(123,496)
Loans and borrowings included in current liabilities	(394,653)
Financial liabilities included in current liabilities	(25,079)
Other non-current liabilities	(236,722)
Loans and borrowings included in non-current liabilities	(908,154)
Deferred income tax liabilities included in non-current liabilities	(1,363,374)
Net assets of Prime	1,139,119
Percentage ownership	50.0%
Proportionate share of Prime's net assets	569,560

	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2020
Revenue	424,901	1,102,480
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(98,855)	(339,908)
Production and other costs	(30,769)	(109,401)
Overlift	(129,217)	(37,225)
Cost of sales	(258,841)	(486,534)
Gross profit	166,060	615,946
Impairment	-	(289,482)
Interest income	179	1,224
Finance charges	3,174	(15,763)
Profit before tax from continuing operations	77,296	311,620
Tax	(12,353)	13,614
Total profit for the period	64,943	325,234
Other comprehensive income	11,069	27,217
Total comprehensive income	76,012	352,450
Proportionate share of Prime's other comprehensive income ⁽²⁾	5,534	12,650
Proportionate share of Prime's net profit ⁽²⁾	32,472	149,788

(1) At September 30, 2020, the carrying value of non-current assets included a fair value adjustment of \$551.9 million.

(2) The proportionate share of Prime's net income is prorated from January 14, 2020, the date the acquisition was completed.

At September 30, 2020 the Company has considered whether its equity investment in Prime had any indicators of impairment in accordance with IAS 28. If any impairment indicators are identified, the entire carrying amount of the investment in the associate is compared to recoverable amount, which is the higher of value in use or fair value less costs of disposal. The Company has determined the recoverability of its investment will be in the form of dividends, and therefore has assessed the impact of current conditions on the recoverability of the dividends relative to the investment carrying value.

The impairment of OML 130 within Prime in the second quarter was an indicator of impairment of the Company's investment. The Company ran an impairment test at that date of the expected future dividend stream against the investment carrying value. The Company used the Canadian Reservoir Engineer market consensus forward curve, with a long-term oil price of \$54/bbl and a discount rate of 10% to assess the dividend stream and no impairment was required.

In the third quarter the long-term oil price forecast remained at similar levels to that used in the impairment test.

The Company's 2020 dividend income from its equity investment in Prime continued to benefit from a robust oil price hedging program with 100% of Prime's 2020 sales volume hedged at an average oil price of approximately \$65/bbl and 78% of its H1-2021 oil entitlement production is hedged at an average price of \$60/bbl. The counterparties are part of groups with investment grade credit ratings.

Prime's cash generating assets, OML 127 and OML 130, which result in the dividend stream to Prime's shareholders are both Production Sharing Arrangements ("PSA"). The PSA mechanism is naturally protective at low oil prices because of Prime's entitlement to recover cost oil (primarily historical capex and opex spend, including a carry for the indigenous partner share of costs). If the oil price decreases, the number of barrels allocated to recover the cost oil will increase and the Contractor recovers more cost oil. This mitigates the effects of any decrease in oil price.

The short-term impact of the production quotas may affect forecast repayments under Prime's Reserve Based Lending ("RBL") facility. The September redetermination of the Prime RBL has been approved by the banking syndicate and repayments were in line with the second quarter forecast. Prime is not expected to make any further principal repayment until the results of the next RBL redetermination scheduled to be finished on March 31, 2021. If repayments are larger than forecast, this will reduce the dividend available to the shareholders. The Company has considered various RBL repayment scenarios and the impact on the dividend stream.

Due to these factors we do not foresee a significant and prolonged decline in value as the Company still expects to recover the value of the investment through dividend payments, however the Company recognizes that situation is volatile and will continue to monitor these significant judgements.

The Company has determined that there are no further indicators of impairment at September 30, 2020, and no impairment is required.

B. Eco (Atlantic) Oil and Gas Ltd. ("Eco"):

The Company's ownership interest at September 30, 2020 in Eco is approximately 18.4%. Eco is an oil and gas exploration company with interests in Guyana and Namibia.

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Balance, beginning of the period	12,022	10,192
Additional investment through private placements	-	5,000
Share of income/(loss) from equity investments	969	(3,170)
Balance, end of the period	12,991	12,022

The Company recognized a loss of \$0.2 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020 and recognized income of \$1.0 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2020 relating to its investment in Eco (gain of \$0.5 million during the three months ended September 30, 2019 and a loss of \$0.9 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2019).

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

C. Africa Energy:

On February 5, 2020, Africa Energy completed a private placement, in which the Company participated, investing \$5.0 million, acquiring 20,930,000 shares, of a total of 104,652,174 shares issued. Africa Energy completed an additional private placement on September 30, 2020 in which the Company participated, investing \$6.8 million, acquiring 20,000,000 shares, of a total of 88,667,000 shares issued. The private placements decreased the Company's ownership interest in Africa Energy from approximately 34.5% at December 31, 2019 to approximately 31.3%. Africa Energy holds participating interests in exploration blocks located offshore South Africa and offshore Namibia.

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Balance, beginning of the period	17,882	19,518
Additional investment through private placements	11,765	-
Share of loss from equity investments	(2,356)	(1,636)
Balance, end of the period	27,291	17,882

The Company recognized losses of \$0.3 million and \$2.4 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively, related to its investment in Africa Energy (\$0.2 million and \$1.4 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively).

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

D. Impact Oil and Gas Limited ("Impact"):

On February 14, 2020, Impact completed a private placement, in which the Company participated, investing approximately \$12.0 million, acquiring approximately 45,000,000 shares. At September 30, 2020 the Company's ownership interest in Impact is approximately 31.1% compared to 29.9% at December 31, 2019.

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Balance, beginning of the period	33,659	36,224
Additional investment through the Subscription Agreement	11,969	6,293
Share of income/(loss) from equity investments	727	(8,858)
Balance, end of the period	46,355	33,659

The Company recognized a loss of \$0.2 million during the three months ended September 30, 2020 and a gain of \$0.7 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2020, related to its investment in Impact (losses of \$0.2 million and \$7.9 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively).

There were no indicators of impairment on the investment as at September 30, 2020.

8. Long-term debt:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Balance, beginning of the period	-	-
Drawdown	250,000	-
Repayment	(73,108)	-
Balance, end of the period	176,892	-

The \$250.0 million loan facility ("Term Loan") with BTG was drawn on January 14, 2020 and has a duration of 2 years. \$176.9 million is outstanding at September 30, 2020. The Company has provided security in respect of the Term Loan mainly in the form of share pledges, over the shares of Petrovida, Eco, Africa Energy and Impact owned by Africa Oil and a charge over the bank accounts into which the Prime dividends are paid.

The loan repayments are calculated to be protective of the Company's liquidity position. The loan principal will be repaid by the lesser of 80% of the dividends received from Prime (less interest due for the month in which the dividend was received), and of an amount that ensures the Company hold a minimum projected consolidated cash balance in the six months following the repayment. The Company's loan repayments reduce commensurately with any reduction in dividends from Prime. \$73.1 million has been repaid during the nine months ended September 30, 2020. The loan is subject to a fixed interest rate of 15% and is not subject to any debt covenants.

9. Share capital:

A. The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares with no par value.

B. Issued:

	Note	September 30, 2020		December 31, 2019	
		Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount
Balance, beginning of the period		471,214,419	1,305,953	470,567,619	1,305,129
Settlement of Performance Share Units	10(b)	128,896	88	400,800	620
Settlement of Restricted Share Units	10(c)	606,491	427	246,000	204
Balance, end of the period		471,949,806	1,306,468	471,214,419	1,305,953

10. Equity-based compensation:

A. Share purchase options

At the 2019 Annual General Meeting, held on April 18, 2019, the Company's shareholders approved the terms of the stock option plan (the "Plan"). The Plan provides that an aggregate number of common shares which may be reserved for issuance as incentive share purchase options shall not exceed 3.5% of the common shares outstanding, and option exercise prices will reflect current trading values of the Company's shares. The term of any option granted under the Plan will be fixed by the Board of Directors and may not exceed five years from the date of grant. Vesting periods are determined by the Board of Directors and no optionee shall be entitled to a grant of more than 5% of the Company's outstanding issued shares.

The Company's share purchase options outstanding are as follows:

	September 30, 2020		December 31, 2019	
	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price (CAD\$)	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price (CAD\$)
Outstanding, beginning of the period	13,640,500	1.75	10,856,667	1.95
Granted	-	-	3,277,000	1.16
Expired	(4,055,833)	2.40	(493,167)	2.35
Exercised	-	-	-	-
Balance, end of the period	9,584,667	1.47	13,640,500	1.75

The fair value of each option granted is estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes options pricing model and the fair value of the options granted is expensed over the vesting period of the options. The fair value of each option granted by the Company during the year ended December 31, 2019 was estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes options pricing model.

All options granted vest over a two-year period, of which one-third vest immediately, and expire three or five years after the grant date. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, the Company recognized \$0.1 million and \$0.4 million in equity-based compensation, respectively (\$0.1 million and \$0.3 million in equity-based compensation during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively), related to share purchase options.

B. Performance share units ("PSUs")

The Company's PSUs outstanding are as follows:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
	Number of PSUs	Number of PSUs
Outstanding, beginning of the period	5,319,112	3,880,500
Granted	3,144,300	2,783,400
Forfeited	-	(463,788)
Vested	(848,000)	(881,000)
Balance, end of the period	7,615,412	5,319,112

During the first quarter of 2020, the Company converted its PSUs from equity settled to cash settled awards whereby the estimated fair value of the grant is expensed evenly throughout the remaining vesting period.

C. Restricted share units ("RSUs")

The Company's RSUs outstanding are as follows:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
	Number of RSUs	Number of RSUs
Outstanding, beginning of the period	2,602,593	2,553,960
Granted	1,575,500	1,263,200
Forfeited	-	(153,200)
Vested	(977,958)	(1,061,367)
Balance, end of the period	3,200,135	2,602,593

11. Commitments and contingencies:

A. Kenya Revenue Authority:

The Company's Kenyan Branch, of its wholly owned subsidiary, Africa Oil Kenya B.V., has been assessed for corporate income tax and value added tax by the Kenya Revenue Authority ("KRA") relating to farmout transactions completed during the period 2012 to 2017.

The Kenyan Tax Appeals Tribunal ("TAT") has ruled in favour of the Company with regards to the CIT assessments, which amounts to \$29.5 million. However, the TAT's ruled in favour of the KRA with regards to the VAT assessments which amounts to \$22.0 million. The Company maintains its position that the VAT assessment is without merit and has duly filed an appeal with Kenya's High Court to challenge the position. The KRA appealed the CIT assessment, although after the appeal deadline. Subsequently the court found reason to allow the KRA to appeal with respect to CIT to be included in the substantive process. Management has determined that based on the facts and Kenya tax law that the probability of paying the assessed tax is low.

The company expect the court to issue its next direction in December 2020.

B. Contractual obligations:

Kenya:

On September 9, 2020, the Company announced a contingent license extension had been granted by the Government of Kenya on Blocks 10BB and 13T to the second additional exploration periods for both PSCs, which expires on December 31, 2020, with a further extension until December 31, 2021 contingent, amongst other conditions, on an agreed work program and budgets. All commitments for this period have been met. At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interest in Blocks 10BB and 13T was 25%.

Under the terms of the Block 10BA PSC, during May 2019, the Company received approval from the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum for the Republic of Kenya for an extension to the second additional exploration period which expires in April 2021. During the second additional exploration period, the Company and its partners are obligated to complete geological and geophysical operations, including either 500 kilometers of 2D seismic or 25 square kilometers of 3D seismic. Additionally, the Company and its partners are obligated to drill one exploration well or to complete 45 square kilometers of 3D seismic. The total minimum gross expenditure obligation for the first additional exploration period is \$19.0 million. At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interest in Block 10BA was 25%.

South Africa:

Block 3B/4B is currently in the Initial Period having a term of three years which will expire in April 2022. The work commitments during the initial period for Block 3B/4B consist of regional subsurface evaluation and mapping, petrophysical analysis of nearby wells, basin modelling, prospect maturation and prospect ranking, leading to recommendations on future investments. The total minimum gross expenditure obligation for the Initial Period is 11.4 million Rand (approximately \$0.7m). At September 30, 2020, the Company's working interest in Block 3B/4B was 20%.

C. Title disputes:

In many of the countries in which the Company operates, land title systems are not developed to the extent found in many industrial countries and there may be no concept of registered title. Although the Company believes that it has title to its oil and gas properties, it cannot control or completely protect itself against the risk of title disputes or challenges. There can be no assurance that claims or challenges by third parties against the Company's properties will not be asserted at a future date.

D. Investment in Prime:

A deferred payment of \$118.0 million, subject to update, may be due to the seller depending on the date and ultimate OML 127 tract participation in the Agbami field. As the probability of this payment is unlikely, no provision was recorded at September 30, 2020.

12. Cash and cash equivalents:

	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019
Cash and cash equivalents	27,563	327,135
Restricted cash	2,833	2,329
	<u>30,396</u>	<u>329,464</u>

Restricted cash consists of the Company's cash balances that are held in joint venture bank accounts maintained by the Operator.

13. Finance income and expense:

Finance income and expense for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019 is comprised of the following:

	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Interest and other income	25	2,128	1,086	6,822
Interest expense and bank charges	(7,248)	(19)	(22,897)	(57)
Foreign exchange gain/(loss)	(53)	(22)	(130)	(22)
Finance income	25	2,128	1,086	6,822
Finance expense	(7,301)	(41)	(23,027)	(79)

14. Related party transactions:

Transactions with Africa Energy Corp. ("Africa Energy")

On February 5, 2020, Africa Energy completed a private placement, in which the Company participated, investing \$5.0 million, acquiring 20,930,000 shares, of a total of 104,652,174 shares issued. Africa Energy completed an additional private placement on September 30, 2020 in which the Company participated, investing \$6.8 million, acquiring 20,000,000 shares, of a total of 88,667,000 shares issued. The private placements decreased the Company's ownership interest in Africa Energy to approximately 31.3%.

Under the terms of a General Management and Service Agreement between Africa Energy and the Company for the provision of management and administrative services, the Company invoiced Africa Energy \$0.02 million and \$0.08 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively (\$0.03 million and \$0.09 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, respectively). At September 30, 2020, the outstanding balance receivable from Africa Energy was \$ nil (at December 31, 2019 – \$ nil). The management fee charged to Africa Energy by the Company is expected to cover the cost of administrative expense and salary costs paid by the Company in respect of services provided to Africa Energy.

Under the terms of the Consulting Services Agreement between Africa Energy and the Company, Africa Energy invoiced the Company \$0.06 million during 2020 until the expiration of the Consulting Services Agreement on June 30, 2020.

On July 1, 2020, Africa Energy entered into a General Technical and Administrative Service Agreement with Africa Oil SA Corp. ("AOSAC"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company. Africa Energy invoiced AOSAC \$0.1 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020. The consulting fee charged to AOSAC by Africa Energy is intended to cover the costs of its employees who are providing AOSAC with technical and administrative services relating to its operating interest in Block 3B/4B, located offshore South Africa.

15. Net income/(loss) per share:

For the three months ended	September 30, 2020			September 30, 2019		
	Net income	Weighted Average		Net loss	Weighted Average	
		Number of shares	Per share amounts		Number of shares	Per share amounts
Basic earnings per share						
Net income/(loss) attributable to common shareholders	21,189	471,949,806	0.04	(597)	471,214,419	(0.00)
Effect of dilutive securities						
RSUs	-	3,200,135	-	-	-	-
Dilutive gain/(loss) per share	21,189	475,149,941	0.04	(597)	471,214,419	(0.00)
For the nine months ended	September 30, 2020			September 30, 2019		
	Net loss	Weighted Average		Net loss	Weighted Average	
		Number of shares	Per share amounts		Number of shares	Per share amounts
Basic earnings per share						
Net loss attributable to common shareholders	(97,459)	471,737,778	(0.21)	(10,571)	471,029,619	(0.02)
Effect of dilutive securities						
Dilutive loss per share	(97,459)	471,737,778	(0.21)	(10,571)	471,029,619	(0.02)

During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2020, the Company used an average market price of CAD\$1.08 and CAD\$1.12 per share, respectively (CAD \$1.19 for both the three and nine months ended September 30, 2019) to calculate the dilutive effect of share purchase options. For the three months ended September 30, 2020, 9,584,667 options and 7,615,412 PSUs were anti-dilutive and were not included in the calculation of dilutive income/(loss) per share and for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, 9,584,667 options, 7,615,412 PSUs and 3,200,135 RSUs were anti-dilutive and were not included in the calculation of dilutive income/(loss) per share (three and nine months ended September 30, 2019, 10,745,500 options, 5,654,900 PSUs and 2,723,793 RSUs).

16. Financial risk management:

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks that arise as a result of its exploration, appraisal and financing activities such as:

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

This note presents information about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Company's management of capital. Further quantitative disclosures are included throughout these consolidated financial statements.

A. Credit risk:

Credit risk is the risk of loss if counterparties do not fulfill their contractual obligations. The majority of our credit exposure relates to amounts due from our joint venture partners. The risk of our joint venture partners defaulting on their obligations per their respective joint operating and farmout agreements is mitigated as there are contractual provisions allowing the Company to default joint venture partners who are non-performing and reacquire any previous farmed out working interests. The maximum exposure for the Company is equal to the sum of its cash and accounts receivable. As at September 30, 2020, the Company held \$3.8 million (December 31, 2019 \$3.1 million) of cash in financial institutions outside of Canada where there could be increased exposure to credit risk.

B. Liquidity risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they become due. Liquidity describes a company's ability to access cash. Companies operating in the upstream oil and gas industry, during the exploration phase, require sufficient cash in order to fulfill their work commitments in accordance with contractual obligations and to be able to potentially acquire strategic oil and gas assets.

The Company will potentially issue equity and enter into farmout agreements with joint venture partners to ensure the Company has sufficient available funds to meet current and foreseeable financial requirements. The Company actively monitors its liquidity to ensure that its cash flows and working capital are adequate to support these financial obligations and the Company's capital programs.

The Company has provided security in respect of the Term Loan mainly in the form of share pledges, over the shares of Petrovida, Eco, Africa Energy and Impact owned by Africa Oil and a charge over the bank accounts into which the Prime dividends are paid. The loan repayments are calculated to be protective of the Company's liquidity position. The loan principal will be repaid by the lesser of 80% of the dividends received from Prime (less interest due for the month in which the dividend was received), and of an amount that ensures the Company hold a minimum projected consolidated cash balance in the six months following the repayment. The Company will also adjust the pace of its exploration and appraisal activities to manage its liquidity position. The Company has the ability to settle financial obligations with working capital.

C. Market risk:

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as commodity prices, foreign exchange rates and interest rates will affect the Company's income or the value of the financial instruments.

i. Foreign currency exchange rate risk:

The Company is exposed to changes in foreign exchange rates as expenses in international subsidiaries, oil and gas expenditures, or financial instruments may fluctuate due to changes in rates. The Company's exposure to foreign currency exchange risk is mitigated by the fact that the Company sources the majority of its capital projects and expenditures in US dollars. The Company has not entered into any instruments to manage foreign exchange risk.

ii. Interest rate risk:

As at September 30, 2020, the Company had \$250.0 million Loan facility ("Term Loan") with BTG in which \$73.1 million was repaid. The loan is subject to a fixed interest rate of 15%.

iii. Commodity price risk:

The Company has an equity holding in Prime (see note 7), which has two producing fields OML127 and OML 130, both with significant levels of production. The Company's future dividend stream from Prime will be dependent in part on the oil price. Prime has a robust hedging program that will significantly mitigate the impact of recent drop in global oil prices on the cash flows from investing activities net to the Company's 50% shareholding in Prime.

Prime's hedging program has resulted in 100% of Prime's 2020 sales volumes hedged at an average oil price of approximately \$65 per barrel and 78% of its H1-2021 oil entitlement production is hedged at an average price of \$60 per barrel. The 2020 hedging program is made of physical forward sales of Prime's oil cargoes to a group of buyers including major oil companies and commodity trading houses. These counter parties are part of groups with investment grade credit ratings.

The Company also has limited exposure to fluctuations in commodity prices from the test oil production in Kenya.

17. Financial instruments:

Assets and liabilities at September 30, 2020 that are measured at fair value are classified into levels reflecting the method used to make the measurements. Fair values of assets and liabilities included in Level 1 are determined by reference to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities. Assets and liabilities in Level 2 include valuations using inputs other than quoted prices for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly. Level 3 valuations are based on inputs that are unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement.

The Company's cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and long-term debt are assessed on the fair value hierarchy described above. The fair value of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and long-term debt approximate their carrying value due to the short term to maturity of these instruments. Assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement requires judgment and may affect the placement within the fair value hierarchy level. There were no transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy in the year.

18. Supplementary information:

The following table reconciles the changes in non-cash working capital as disclosed in the consolidated statement of cash flows:

	Three months ended September 30, 2020	Three months ended September 30, 2019	Nine months ended September 30, 2020	Nine months ended September 30, 2019
Changes in non-cash working capital				
Accounts receivable	379	(26)	(337)	501
Prepaid expenses	(135)	(972)	2,391	(1,437)
Due to related party	-	(18)	-	-
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	3,736	1,198	1,917	467
	3,980	182	3,971	(469)
Relating to:				
Operating activities	(225)	(798)	2,774	(1,355)
Investing activities	4,205	980	1,197	886
Changes in non-cash working capital	3,980	182	3,971	(469)

19. Subsequent events:

On October 26, 2020, the Company received its fifth dividend from Prime. Prime has distributed a \$50.0 million dividend with a net payment to Africa Oil of \$25.0 million related to its 50% interest. The Company has applied \$12.1 million of this dividend to reduce the outstanding balance of the BTG term loan on 30 October 2020 to \$164.8 million.