



# 2021 Summary Financial Statements



Save the Children

A copy of the full consolidated annual financial report and independent audit report for the year ended 31 December 2021 is available on our website – [www.savethechildren.org.au](http://www.savethechildren.org.au).

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Save the Children Australia

ACN 008 610 035

Consolidated income statement for the year ended 31 December 2021

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2021	2020 Restated*
	\$'000	\$'000
<b>REVENUE</b>		
Donations and gifts - monetary	25,430	22,237
Donations and gifts - non-monetary	605	236
Bequests and legacies	3,701	4,074
Grants		
- Department Foreign Affairs and Trade	17,022	29,279
- Other Australian	67,617	57,163
- Other overseas	41,180	16,679
Revenues from commercial activities	23,221	19,540
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>		
Investment income	85	78
Other income	858	12,503
Discount on acquisition	-	1,592
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>179,719</b>	<b>163,381</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		
<b>International Aid and Development Programs Expenditure</b>		
International programs		
- Funds to international programs	67,488	53,888
- Program support costs	4,202	3,453
<b>Domestic Aid and Development Programs Expenditure</b>		
Domestic programs		
- Funds to domestic programs	44,911	43,843
- Program support costs	3,282	2,413
<b>Community Education</b>	<b>5,056</b>	<b>3,849</b>
<b>Fundraising costs (International and Domestic)</b>		
- Public – monetary	10,492	9,376
- Government, multilateral and private	2,079	1,145
<b>Commercial activities (Domestic)</b>	<b>24,028</b>	<b>22,147</b>
<b>Accountability and Administration (International and Domestic)</b>	<b>12,654</b>	<b>10,497</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>174,192</b>	<b>150,611</b>
<b>Net surplus from continuing operations</b>	<b>5,527</b>	<b>12,770</b>
<b>Total surplus of income is attributable to:</b>		
Owners of Save the Children Australia	5,544	12,567
Non-controlling interests - Impact Investment Fund	(55)	-
Non-controlling interests - other entities	38	203
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,527</b>	<b>12,770</b>

\* Change in accounting policy - Refer to note 1 for details of restatement

The accompanying notes form part of the summary consolidated financial report.

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Consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 31 December 2021

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2021	2020 Restated*
	\$'000	\$'000
<b>Surplus of income over expenditure from continuing operations</b>	<b>5,527</b>	12,770
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>	-	-
<b>TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR</b>	<b>5,527</b>	12,770
<b>Total comprehensive income is attributable to:</b>		
Owners of Save the Children Australia	<b>5,544</b>	12,567
Non-controlling interests - Impact Investment Fund	<b>(55)</b>	-
Non-controlling interests - other entities	<b>38</b>	203
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,527</b>	12,770

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During the financial year, the entity had no transactions in relation to political or religious proselytization programs.

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Consolidated statement of financial position for the year ended 31 December 2021

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2021	2020 Restated*
	\$'000	\$'000
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current assets</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	56,867	46,736
Trade and other receivables	8,343	9,185
Other current assets - partner advances	18,070	8,139
Contract assets	7,410	6,405
Inventories	893	851
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>91,583</b>	71,316
<b>Non-current assets</b>		
Property, plant and equipment	3,055	3,710
Intangible assets	3,851	2,385
Right-of-use assets	13,707	14,113
Financial assets at amortised cost	318	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	1,951	-
<b>Total non-current assets</b>	<b>22,882</b>	20,208
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>114,465</b>	<b>91,524</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Trade and other payables	14,335	9,156
Provisions	5,813	5,158
Contract liabilities	58,122	47,187
Lease liabilities	6,368	6,368
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>84,638</b>	67,869
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>		
Trade and other payables	614	770
Provisions	1,608	1,461
Lease liabilities	8,030	8,603
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>	<b>10,252</b>	10,834
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>94,890</b>	<b>78,703</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>19,575</b>	<b>12,821</b>
<b>EQUITY</b>		
Accumulated surplus attributable to Save the Children Australia*	18,318	12,774
Non-controlling interest	1,257	47
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>	<b>19,575</b>	<b>12,821</b>

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Consolidated statement of changes in equity for the year ended 31 December 2021

	Accumulated Surplus \$'000	Non-controlling interest \$'000	Total Equity \$'000
<b>BALANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 2019</b>	<b>2,906</b>	<b>(156)</b>	<b>2,750</b>
Change in accounting policy*	(2,699)	-	(2,699)
<b>Restated Balance at 31 December 2019</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>(156)</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>			
Surplus over expenditure for the year	12,567	203	12,770
<b>RESTATED BALANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 2020</b>	<b>12,774</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>12,821</b>
<b>Comprehensive income for the year</b>			
Surplus over expenditure for the year	5,544	(17)	5,527
<b>Other movements through equity for the year</b>			
Transactions with external unitholders in the Impact Investment Fund - application of units	-	1,227	1,227
<b>BALANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 2021</b>	<b>18,318</b>	<b>1,257</b>	<b>19,575</b>

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Consolidated statement of cash flows for the year ended 31 December 2021

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2021	2020
	\$'000	\$'000
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
Cash received in the course of operations (inclusive of GST)	<b>194,897</b>	181,490
Cash paid in the course of operations (inclusive of GST)	<b>(172,408)</b>	(138,191)
Interest received	<b>85</b>	78
Interest paid on leases	<b>(102)</b>	(118)
<b>Net cash provided by operating activities</b>	<b>22,472</b>	43,259
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
Proceeds from / (payments for) business acquisitions net of cash acquired	-	1,010
Payments for property, plant and equipment	<b>(236)</b>	(719)
Payments for intangible assets	<b>(2,780)</b>	(1,292)
Payments for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	<b>(1,951)</b>	-
Net proceeds from applications for units - Impact Investment Fund	<b>1,264</b>	-
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(3,703)</b>	(1,001)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
Principal elements of lease payments	<b>(7,731)</b>	(8,697)
Net payments for financial assets at amortised cost	<b>(318)</b>	-
<b>Net cash used in financing activities</b>	<b>(8,049)</b>	(8,697)
<b>Net increase in cash held</b>	<b>10,720</b>	33,561
Exchange difference on cash and cash equivalents	<b>(589)</b>	(1,878)
Cash at the beginning of the financial year	<b>46,736</b>	15,053
<b>CASH AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR</b>	<b>56,867</b>	46,736

The accompanying notes form part of the summary consolidated financial report.

### Basis of preparation

The Summary Consolidated Financial Report has been prepared in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements set out in the Australian Council for International Development (“ACFID”) Code of Conduct and should be read in conjunction with the Save the Children Australia and Controlled Entities’ financial statements and accompanying notes. For further information on the Code, please refer to the ACFID Code of Conduct Guidance Document available at [www.acfid.asn.au](http://www.acfid.asn.au).

The Summary Consolidated Financial Report is an extract from the Save the Children Australia and Controlled Entities’ full consolidated financial report for the year ended 31 December 2021. The financial statements and specific disclosures included in the Summary Consolidated Financial Report have been derived from the full consolidated financial report.

The Summary Consolidated Financial Report does not and cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of Save the Children Australia and Controlled Entities as the full consolidated financial report.

### Change in accounting policy

In 2021, the Consolidated Entity adopted the IFRS Interpretations Committee agenda decision on Configuration or Customisation Costs in a Cloud Computing Arrangement. The Consolidated Entity has reconsidered its accounting treatment and adopted the treatment set out in the IFRS IC agenda decision, which is to recognise those costs as intangible assets only if the implementation activities create an intangible asset that the Consolidated Entity controls and the intangible asset meets the recognition criteria. The Consolidated Entity has determined that costs totalling \$3.366m relating to the implementation of SaaS arrangements would need to be expensed when they were incurred, as the amounts were paid to third parties who did not create separate intangible assets controlled by the Consolidated Entity or to the suppliers of the SaaS arrangements who did not create separate intangible assets controlled by the Consolidated Entity, or significantly customise the cloud-based software for the Consolidated Entity.

The change in policy has been applied retrospectively and comparative information has been restated. This had the following impact on the amounts recognised in the financial statements:

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2021 \$'000	2020 Restated* \$'000
<b>Consolidated Statement of Financial Position</b>		
Intangible assets - decrease	667	2,699
Accumulated surplus - decrease	667	2,699
<b>Consolidated Income Statement</b>		
Software-as-a-Service expenditure - increase	667	-
Net surplus from continuing operations - decrease	667	-

A full description of the accounting policies adopted by Save the Children Australia and Controlled Entities may be found in the full consolidated financial report.

The Summary Consolidated Financial Report is presented in Australian dollars.



The directors of Save the Children Australia ('Company') declare that the Summary Consolidated Financial Report comprising the Summary consolidated income statement, Summary consolidated statement of comprehensive income, Summary consolidated statement of financial position, Summary consolidated statement of cashflows and Summary consolidated statement of changes in equity as set out on pages 1 to 6, is in accordance with the requirements set out in the ACFID Code of Conduct and has been derived from and is consistent with the full consolidated financial statements of the Company and its controlled entities ('Consolidated Entity') for the year ended 31 December 2021.

In the directors' opinion:

- (a) the full consolidated financial statements and notes of the Consolidated Entity are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC) Act 2012 including:
  - (i) comply with Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements, the ACNC Regulations 2013 and any other mandatory professional reporting requirements, and
  - (ii) give a true and fair view of the Consolidated Entity's financial position as at 31 December 2021 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable, and

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of Directors:



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**Larry Kamener**  
Chairman

Melbourne  
30 March 2022



## *Independent auditor's report*

To the members of Save the Children Australia

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### *Our opinion*

In our opinion, the summary consolidated financial report as derived from the audited financial report of Save the Children Australia for the year ended 31 December 2021:

- a) is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial report of Save the Children Australia for the year ended 31 December 2021, in accordance with the basis of preparation described in Note 1 to the summary consolidated financial report.
- b) comply, in all material respects, with Section 8.3.2 of the *Australian Council for International Development (ACFID) Code of Conduct*.

### ***What we have audited***

The summary consolidated financial report derived from the audited financial report of Save the Children Australia for the year ended 31 December 2021 comprises:

- the summary consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2021
- the summary consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year then ended
- the summary consolidated income statement for the year then ended
- the summary consolidated statement of changes in equity for the year then ended
- the summary consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended
- the notes to the summary consolidated financial report, which include a summary of significant accounting policies
- the directors' declaration.

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### *Summary consolidated financial report*

The summary consolidated financial report does not contain all the disclosures required by *Australian Accounting Standards* to the extent described in Note 1 to the financial report and Division 60 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC) Act 2012* applied in the preparation of the audited financial report of Save the Children Australia for the year ended 31 December 2021. Reading the summary consolidated financial report, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial report of Save the Children Australia.

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### *The audited financial report and our report thereon*

We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on the financial report in our report dated 30 March 2022.

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### *Directors' responsibility for the summary consolidated financial report*

The directors of Save the Children Australia are responsible for the preparation of the summary consolidated financial report in accordance with the basis of preparation described in Note 1.

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### *Auditor's responsibility*

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on whether the summary consolidated financial report is consistent, in all material respects with the audited financial report and complies, in all material respects, with Section 8.3.2 of the *Australian Council for International Development (ACFID) Code of Conduct* based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standard ASA 810 *Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements*.

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Jason Perry  
Partner

Melbourne  
30 March 2022



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