Statutory financial statements

Cash flow statement

In millions of CHF, excluding balance sheet items held on fiduciary basis	tes 2021	2020
Profit for the year	104.7	71.1
Financial expenses	53.5	26.0
Financial income	-0.9	-1.0
Current income taxes	25.8	17.3
Depreciation and amortisation	180.5	159.4
Other expenses not affecting revenue and expenditure	_	0.1
Change in provisions	-2.4	-1.2
Change in trade accounts receivable	-55.3	-6.5
Change in other receivables	-5.5	-12.5
Change in prepaid expenses and accrued income	-14.2	-18.7
Change in volume- and tariff-related timing differences	-260.0	-109.2
Change in trade accounts payable	112.0	27.2
Change in other current liabilities	-0.5	-2.1
Change in accrued expenses and deferred income	53.5	-3.3
Income taxes paid	-19.0	-8.7
Cash flow from operating activities	172.2	137.9
Gross investments in property, plant and equipment	-190.3	-165.5
Congestion proceeds received for grid investments	3.1	32.3
Net investments in property, plant and equipment	-187.2	-133.2
Divestment in property, plant and equipment	1.1	0.2
Investments in intangible assets	-18.3	-12.6
Dividends received	0.5	0.7
Cash flow from investing activities	-203.9	-144.9
Change in current financial liabilities	-170.9	-169.2
Issuing of bonds	360.0	555.0
Repayment of bonds	_	-350.0
Interest paid	-47.0	-26.3
Dividends paid	-37.9	-31.5
Cash flow from financing activities	104.2	-22.0
Change in cash and cash equivalents	72.5	-29.0

In millions of CHF, excluding balance sheet items held on fiduciary basis Note	s 2021	2020
Composition		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	200.1	229.1
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	272.6	200.1
Change in cash and cash equivalents	72.5	-29.0

Non-cash transactions

Of the final remuneration of CHF 117.4 million paid in 2021 for the grid takeovers undertaken since 2013, 30% came from Swissgrid shares and 70% from loans.