

CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Management's Explanatory Notes to Intermediate, Individual and Consolidated Accounting Information

Three-month period ending March 31, 2026

In thousands of reais, unless otherwise indicated

1. OPERATIONAL CONTEXT

Cia de Ferro Ligas da Bahia S.A. - FERBASA ("Ferbasa" or "Company") is a publicly-held company, headquartered in Pojuca - BA, registered with the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission - CVM (**CVM** – in Portuguese, *Comissão de Valores Mobiliários*) and has shares traded on the São Paulo Stock Exchange (B3 S.A. - Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão) and has shares traded on the São Paulo Stock Exchange (B3). Ferbasa began its activities on February 23, 1961 and operates sustainably in the areas of chromite mining, metallurgy in the production of ferroalloys, renewable forest resources and wind power generation, all in the State of Bahia. Its parent company is the José Carvalho Foundation, a non-profit entity with an indefinite term, with the primary objective of providing quality education to needy children and young people.

This intermediate, individual and consolidated accounting information, contained in the Quarterly Information Form - ITR for the quarter ended March 31, 2026, was approved for disclosure by the Company's Board of Directors on May 8, 2026.

1.1 Accounting impacts related to climate change and the ESG (*Environmental, Social and Governance*) agenda

FERBASA has historically prioritized actions that contribute to the evolution of the ESG agenda in its corporate agenda. As a result of the first diagnosis focused on the theme, roadmaps were drawn up that aim to accelerate advances related to sustainability. As one of the developments of this work, we have incorporated into the Management Report a specific topic called "ESG Agenda", which aims to inform and disclose to our stakeholders the main updates related to the matter.

The Company does not have, as of March 31, 2026: (i) loans or financing linked to green goals or commitments; (ii) insurance related to ESG aspects; (iii) carbon credit transactions; (iv) ESG risk linked to inventories or impact on the useful or residual life of its assets; (v) provisions or contingent liabilities constituted related to ESG, in addition to the environmental provision already disclosed by the Company; and (vi) risk of discontinuity of its operations.

The Company understands that there is no significant impact on individual and consolidated interim accounting information resulting from the ESG or climate change topic as of March 31, 2026.

1.2 Tax Reform on consumption

In continuity with the transition process established by Constitutional Amendment ("**EC**", in Portuguese, *Emenda Constitucional*) No. 132/2023, which instituted the Dual VAT (CBS and IBS) and the Selective Tax (IS), the Company informs that, on January 1, 2026, the official period of coexistence between the current tax system and the new model began. With the enactment of Complementary Laws No. 214/2025 and No. 227/2026, the first quarter of 2026 marked the beginning of the mandatory compliance of tax documents (NF-e and CT-e), which began to include the new fields intended for the highlighting of the IBS (Tax on Goods and Services – **IBS**, in Portuguese, *Imposto sobre Bens e Serviços*) and CBS (Contribution on Goods and Services – **CBS**, in Portuguese, *Contribuição sobre Bens e Serviços*) on a merely informative basis, without definitive tax effects.

Although the adequacy schedule provides for the application of penalties only from the first day of the fourth month after the publication of the CBS and IBS regulations, the Company has already implemented the necessary updates in its management systems (ERP) and tax processes, operating in full compliance with the new layouts since the beginning of this fiscal year. Regarding the financial impacts, given that the 2026 period provides test rates and specific compensation mechanisms, management continues to monitor the regulation of the remaining issues.

To date, no material effects have been identified that require adjustments or provisions in the intermediate, individual and consolidated accounting information for the period ended March 31, 2026, and the Reform remains in a phase of gradual transition according to the constitutional rite provided for until 2032.

1.3 Protectionist Actions and Geopolitical Tensions

In 2025, protectionist actions directly impacted the Company's exports. In the USA, ferrosilicon alloys accumulated 69% of surcharge, referring to the sum of 19% of the "Antidumping" tariff (March/25), 10% of the global "Tariff" (April/25) and, in August, another 40% related to the exclusive "Tariff" for Brazil. Ferrochrome alloys, on the other hand, were impacted exclusively by the 40% tariff between August/25 and February/26, when the US Supreme Court declared the "Tarifaço" unconstitutional. In immediate response to this decision, the President of the United States announced a new global tariff of 10% through Section 122. At the end of 1Q26, FERBASA's silicon alloys accumulated a surcharge of 29% – "Antidumping" and "Section 122" – while chromium alloys, included in the list of exempt products, reduced their taxation to zero.

In the case of the European Union, 1Q26 sales have been impacted since 2025 by uncertainties related to the final format of the safeguards, approved in November/25, and to the operation of the "Definitive Phase" of the CBAM (Carbon Adjustment Mechanism), which began in January/26. In general, the safeguards are applied to silicon and manganese alloys, imposing quotas by product and country, in addition to the application of a minimum price, if the quota is met. In the case of the Brazilian FeSi, the quota was stipulated at about 25 thousand tons/year, with a quarterly limit of approximately 6 thousand tons. After reaching this mark, the price is no longer freely negotiated, and the minimum price of 2,408 EUR/t is in force.

At the beginning of 2026, an international environment of high uncertainty remains, with geopolitical tensions and intensification of trade measures, which continues to require Brazilian industries to be flexible to adapt logistics and trade, as well as discipline in risk management.

In this context, FERBASA maintained, in the first quarter of 2026, strategic discipline and focus on the economic sustainability of the business and structuring projects. The period continued to be marked by price volatility, gradual normalization of trade flows and efforts to redirect sales to alternative destinations, in addition to serving the domestic market according to demand dynamics and inventory replenishment.

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1. Preparation base

This interim accounting information must be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements as of December 31, 2025, and was prepared in accordance with the accounting practices adopted in Brazil, which include the standards issued by the Accounting

Pronouncements Committee (CPC) and the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS Accounting Standards). issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

These standards include the interpretations issued by the IFRS Interpretations Committee (IFRIC)[®] or its predecessor body (SIC[®]). The Entity declares that all relevant information in the financial statements, and only the information contained in the financial statements, is being disclosed and corresponds to that used by Management in its management.

As well as for the presentation of this information in a manner consistent with the rules issued by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission, applicable to the preparation of the Quarterly Information – ITR.

(i) Adoption of new and/or revised accounting pronouncements, guidelines and interpretations. As disclosed in Note 7 of the financial statements as of December 31, 2025, the Company analyzed the new pronouncements and found that there were no significant changes to those disclosed for this individual and consolidated interim financial information, due to their adoption.

(ii) Interim financial information

The Company's individual and consolidated interim financial information has been prepared and is being presented in accordance with the technical pronouncement CPC 21 (R1) - Interim Statement and international standard IAS 34 - "Interim Financial Reporting", which aim to establish the minimum content of an interim financial statement.

The preparation of interim accounting information requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates, as well as the exercise of judgment by the Company's Management as to the process of applying its accounting practices. There were no significant changes in the assumptions and judgments adopted by the Company's Management regarding the use of estimates for the preparation of this interim accounting information, in relation to those used in the financial statements as of December 31, 2025.

The material accounting policies applied in the preparation of this quarterly interim accounting information are consistent with those disclosed in Note 6 to the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2025, filed with the CVM on March 6, 2026.

2.1.1. Re-presentation of Comparative Statements

For the purpose of allowing comparability with the intermediate, individual and consolidated accounting information as of March 31, 2026, some reclassifications were made for the period ended March 31, 2025, resulting in no change in Net Income:

(a) Value-added statements

To improve the quality of information and in compliance with CPC 09 – Statement of Value Added, the changes reflect the opening of the Revenue line related to the construction of own assets.

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	Parent Company		Consolidated			
	03/31/2025 (Original)	Reclassified	03/31/2025 (Re-presented)	03/31/2025 (Original)	Reclassified	03/31/2025 (Re-presented)
SALES REVENUE	602,523	-	602,523	624,066	-	624,066
Revenues related to the construction of own assets (a)	-	18,809	18,809	-	17,813	17,813
Other revenues	10,260	-	10,260	10,946	-	10,946
	612,783	18,809	631,592	635,012	17,813	652,825
INPUTS PURCHASED FROM THIRD PARTIES						
COGS (includes raw materials)	(236,713)	-	(236,713)	(238,818)	-	(238,818)
Materials, Services and Other (a)	(158,122)	(17,542)	(175,664)	(169,487)	(16,546)	(186,033)
GROSS VALUE ADDED	217,948	1,267	219,215	226,707	1,267	227,974
Other lines	8,052	-	8,052	10,522	-	10,522
TOTAL VALUE ADDED TO BE DISTRIBUTED	226,000	1,267	227,267	237,229	1,267	238,496
DISTRIBUTION OF VALUE ADDED						
Employees						
Direct remuneration (a)	81,727	1,267	82,994	83,451	1,267	84,718
Benefits	15,834	-	15,834	16,019	-	16,019
FGTS	5,937	-	5,937	5,975	-	5,975
	103,498	1,267	104,765	105,445	1,267	106,712
Other lines	122,502	-	122,502	131,784	-	131,784
DISTRIBUTED VALUE ADDED	226,000	1,267	227,267	237,229	1,267	238,496

(b) Statements of Cash Flows

Segregation of the flows related to the reimbursement of the CCEE (Electric Energy Trading Chamber, in Portuguese, *Câmara de Comercialização de Energia Elétrica*), in the group of Operational Activities, showing in a different way the amounts of provision and the respective payment.

	Consolidated		
	03/31/2025 (Original)	Reclassified	03/31/2025 (Re-presented)
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Net income for the period	24,248	-	24,248
Adjustments to reconcile net income for the period with:			
CCEE Reimbursement Account Provision (b)	-	13,659	13,659
Other lines of adjustment to net income	59,207	-	59,207
Reduction (increase) in asset accounts:	64,537	-	64,537
Increase (reduction) in liability accounts:			
CCEE Reimbursement Account (b)	13,659	(13,659)	-
Other lines of liabilities accounts	(48,318)	-	(48,318)
Net cash generated from operating activities	113,333	-	113,333
Net cash applied in investing activities	(62,087)	-	(62,087)
Net cash applied to financing activities	(68,047)	-	(68,047)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN THE BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(16,801)	-	(16,801)

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3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

3.1. Classification of financial instruments and fair value hierarchy

The following are the main financial instruments, assets and liabilities:

Accounting measurement	Parent Company		Consolidated		
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	
<u>Assets</u>					
Cash and cash equivalents	Amortized cost	209,542	232,565	364,597	372,724
Current financial investments	Fair value through profit or loss	633,338	616,873	633,338	616,873
Non-current financial investments	Fair value through profit or loss	30,028	29,098	94,439	95,753
Accounts receivable from customers	Amortized cost	161,671	186,614	173,265	198,179
Judicial deposits	Amortized cost	9,628	9,463	10,178	10,013
<u>Liabilities</u>					
Suppliers	Amortized cost	142,340	172,857	144,681	175,163
Advance on customers	Amortized cost	14,341	9,923	14,341	9,923
Loans and Current Financing	Amortized cost	1,471	1,359	40,039	32,087
Funding cost	Amortized cost	-	-	(455)	(455)
Loans and Current Financing		1,471	1,359	39,584	31,632
Noncurrent loans and financing	Amortized cost	198,958	198,958	321,348	334,842
Funding cost	Amortized cost	-	-	(2,107)	(2,221)
Noncurrent loans and financing	Amortized cost	198,958	198,958	319,241	332,621
Current CCEE Reimbursement Account	Amortized cost	-	-	75,766	73,392
Non-current CCEE reimbursement account	Amortized cost	-	-	46,552	26,745
Current Leases Payable	Amortized cost	22,539	28,696	22,995	29,186
Non-current payables	Amortized cost	10,916	14,055	14,818	18,235

3.2. Risk management

The Company's activities expose it to various financial risks, such as: (i) foreign exchange risk, (ii) interest rate risk, (iii) credit risk, (iv) liquidity risk, (v) concentration risk, (vi) commodity price risk and (vii) other non-financial risk factors.

Risk management focuses on the unpredictability of the markets and seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the Company's financial performance.

3.2.1. Exchange rate risk

The exchange rate risk arises from the mismatch of the functional currency (Real) and the turnover of ferroalloys, which is linked to the variation of foreign currency (US dollar).

For the purposes of sensitivity analysis, the Company adopted as scenario I (probable) the expectation of the average exchange rate for the year 2026, according to the Focus Report of April 10, 2026.

	03/31/2026		Scenario I	
	US\$	R\$	Fee	Gain / (Loss) R\$
<u>Parent and Consolidated</u>				
Accounts receivable from customers (net PECLD)	6,145	32,070	5.3700	929

The Company values derivative financial instruments at their fair value, with B3 as its main source of data. The fair values of publicly quoted non-derivative financial instruments are based on current purchase prices. If the market for financial assets and securities, not listed on the Stock Exchange, are not active, the Company establishes the fair value through valuation techniques. These techniques include the use of recent transactions contracted with third parties, with

reference to other instruments that are substantially similar.

As of March 31, 2026, the Company had no outstanding derivative or non-derivative financial instruments.

3.2.2. Interest Rate Risk

The interest rate risk arises from the possibility, due to changes in the financial market, of changes in the values of the securities acquired in the portfolio of financial investments arising from their mark-to-market, the choice of indexes and the option for pre-fixed or post-fixed rates, as well as in the present value and cost of loans and financing.

For the balance applied on March 31, 2026, the Company and its subsidiaries consider as scenario I (probable) the basic interest rate for the end of 2026 of 12.50% p.a., according to the Focus Report of April 10, 2026.

Interest Rate Risks	Closing rate 03/31/2026 – p.a.	Scenario 1 Probable
Basic interest rate – (% p.a.)	14.75%	12.50%
<u>Parent Company</u>		
Balance of financial investments (Notes 4 and 5)	870,487	976,158
Net effect		105,671
<u>Consolidated</u>		
Balance of financial investments (Notes 4 and 5)	1,085,664	1,213,703
Net effect		128,039

For the balance of loans and financing on March 31, 2026, the Company and its subsidiaries consider as scenario I (probable) the TJLP for the end of 2026, of 9.13% p.a.

Interest rate risks (Note 16)	Closing fee 03/31/2026 - p.a.	Scenario 1 Probable
Interest rate - TJLP - (% p.a.)	9.19%	9.13%
<u>Consolidated</u>		
Balance of loans and financing	160,958	175,653
Net effect		(14,695)

The other risks are disclosed in Note 8 to the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2025.

4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Cash and banks	2,421	6,950	6,710	11,280
Investments in CBD (i)	30,080	4,228	48,967	20,931
Financial Bill	-	-	482	640
Investment funds (ii)	177,041	221,387	308,438	339,873
	209,542	232,565	364,597	372,724

- (i) Transactions in Bank Deposit Certificates (CDBs, in Portuguese, it stands for *Certificado de Depósito Bancário*), whose weighted average rate of remuneration was 100.0% of the CDI

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on March 31, 2026 (100.0% on December 31, 2025), whose redemption has daily liquidity without material change in the nominal value.

- (ii) Operations in securities through investment funds, whose redemption has liquidity at D+1 without material change in the nominal value. The monthly weighted average return, marked to market, was 100.2% of the CDI (103.7% on December 31, 2025).

5. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:				
Financial bills (i)	168,374	162,877	168,374	162,877
Investment funds (ii)	107,373	103,826	107,373	103,826
CBD (iii)	144,667	139,629	144,667	139,629
Other (iv)	212,924	210,541	212,924	210,541
	<u>633,338</u>	<u>616,873</u>	<u>633,338</u>	<u>616,873</u>
Non-current:				
Financial bills (i)	22,350	21,673	40,896	45,632
Investment funds (ii)	-	-	41,494	42,696
CBD (iii)	-	-	4,371	-
Reinvestment deposit (v)	7,678	7,425	7,678	7,425
	<u>30,028</u>	<u>29,098</u>	<u>94,439</u>	<u>95,753</u>
	<u>663,366</u>	<u>645,971</u>	<u>727,777</u>	<u>712,626</u>

- (i) Financial bills with a marked monthly weighted average remuneration of 107.9% of the CDI (99.9% on December 31, 2025).
- (ii) Securities operations, whose maturities exceed 90 days and the average monthly weighted remuneration, marked to the market, was 100.2% of the CDI (105.3% on December 31, 2025). Although the Company and its subsidiaries select securities with liquidity in the secondary market, uncertainty regarding market conditions and prices at a liquidity event suggests that these investments are not considered cash equivalents.
- (iii) Operations in Bank Deposit Certificates ("CDB"), whose average monthly remuneration rates were 107.5% of the CDI (99.8% on December 31, 2025).
- (iv) Agribusiness Receivables Certificate (**CRA**, in Portuguese, *Certificado de Recebíveis do Agronegócio*), Debentures and Treasury bills with a weighted monthly average remuneration, marked to market, of 114.2% of the CDI (97.5% as of December 31, 2025).
- (v) Referring to the IRPJ reinvestment subsidy, at *Banco do Nordeste do Brasil* (BNB, Bank of Northeast of Brazil), with a yield of 100% of the CDI.

6. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Domestic market	130,429	128,492	142,023	140,057
Foreign market	32,071	58,951	32,071	58,951

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Expected losses on doubtful accounts (PECLD)	(829)	(829)	(829)	(829)
	<u>161,671</u>	<u>186,614</u>	<u>173,265</u>	<u>198,179</u>

Foreign market receivables are in U.S. dollars (US\$), converted to reais on the date of preparation of the interim financial information. On March 31, 2026 and December 31, 2025, the Company did not have any transaction that generated a significant effect of adjustment to present value.

The Company had a provision for expected loss in doubtful loans, in the amount of R\$ 829, on March 31, 2026 and December 31, 2025, and considered sufficient to cover possible losses in accounts receivable, according to an internal analysis carried out by Management.

Accounts receivable by maturity age are shown below:

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
To expire	161,476	184,933	173,070	196,498
Overdue from 0-30 days	195	1,681	195	1,681
Overdue for more than 60 days	829	829	829	829
PECLD	(829)	(829)	(829)	(829)
	<u>161,671</u>	<u>186,614</u>	<u>173,265</u>	<u>198,179</u>

7. INVENTORIES (PARENT AND CONSOLIDATED)

Inventories are shown at the average cost of purchases or production, lower than the replacement cost or the realization value.

	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:		
Finished products	192,968	172,788
Raw materials	166,586	195,314
Chromium ore	37,465	33,289
Materials for maintenance (i)	80,732	85,605
	<u>477,751</u>	<u>486,996</u>
Non-Current:		
Materials for maintenance (i)	16,576	16,576
Provision for obsolescence (ii)	(7,589)	(7,589)
	<u>8,987</u>	<u>8,987</u>
	<u>486,738</u>	<u>495,983</u>

(i) Maintenance material inventories are classified into current or non-current assets, considering the consumption history.

(ii) The Company maintains a provision for obsolescence related to items with low turnover, when there is no forecast of use in the coming periods. The Company evaluates this provision in the third quarter of each year.

8. TAXES TO BE RECOVERED

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:				
IRPJ and CSLL	50,329	48,587	65,553	63,814
PIS and COFINS to be recovered	9,381	12,746	9,382	12,747
ICMS to be recovered	5,876	6,312	5,983	6,455
Other	7	2	39	34
	<u>65,593</u>	<u>67,647</u>	<u>80,957</u>	<u>83,050</u>
Non-current:				
ICMS to be recovered	8,566	9,793	8,566	9,793
Other	311	311	311	311
	<u>8,877</u>	<u>10,104</u>	<u>8,877</u>	<u>10,104</u>
	<u>74,470</u>	<u>77,751</u>	<u>89,834</u>	<u>93,154</u>

9. CURRENT AND DEFERRED INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL CONTRIBUTION

Deferred income tax and social contribution are calculated on the temporary differences between the tax calculation bases and the book values of the Assets and Liabilities of the financial statements. The rates for these taxes, for determining deferred taxes, are 25% for IRPJ and 9% for CSLL.

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
<u>Deferred Tax Assets</u>				
Provision for contingencies	(62,253)	(61,263)	(62,253)	(61,263)
Provision for inventory losses (i)	(7,589)	(7,589)	(7,589)	(7,589)
Profit sharing allowance (ii)	(23,370)	(43,624)	(23,370)	(43,624)
Provision for environmental liabilities	(19,986)	(19,604)	(19,986)	(19,604)
Labor and actuarial obligations	(74,940)	(72,409)	(74,940)	(72,409)
Realization of surplus value	(35,345)	(34,240)	(35,345)	(34,240)
PECLD Provision	(829)	(829)	(829)	(829)
Suspended enforceability taxes (PIS/COFINS)	(4,358)	(4,358)	(4,358)	(4,358)
Tax losses	(135,885)	(140,253)	(135,967)	(140,469)
Other temporary provisions	(34,858)	(24,171)	(34,858)	(24,171)
Calculation basis	<u>(399,413)</u>	<u>(408,340)</u>	<u>(399,495)</u>	<u>(408,556)</u>
Deferred IRPJ at the rate of 25%	94,724	96,956	94,744	97,010
Deferred CSLL at the rate of 9%	35,947	36,751	35,955	36,770
Deferred IRPJ/CSLL assets ^(A)	<u>130,671</u>	<u>133,707</u>	<u>130,699</u>	<u>133,780</u>

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- (i) Provision of obsolescence related to maintenance items with low turnover.
- (ii) The profit sharing of the Management in the amount of R\$ 20,517 for March 31, 2026 and for December 31, 2025, is the basis only for the calculation of the deferred CSLL. In the case of IRPJ, it is a permanent difference.

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
<u>Deferred Taxes Liability</u>				
Deemed cost	58,811	58,811	63,385	63,385
Biological assets - fair value	228,962	228,962	228,962	228,962
Advantageous purchase	75,143	75,143	75,143	75,143
IFRS 16 Leases	22,092	22,102	22,092	22,102
Depreciation useful life	23,140	22,595	23,140	22,595
Accelerated depreciation	4,173	4,173	4,173	4,173
Calculation basis	412,321	411,786	416,895	416,360
Deferred IRPJ at the rate of 25%	(103,080)	(102,946)	(104,224)	(104,090)
Deferred CSLL at the rate of 9%	(37,109)	(37,061)	(37,520)	(37,472)
Deferred IRPJ/CSLL liability ^(B)	(140,189)	(140,007)	(141,744)	(141,562)
Net deferred IRPJ/CSLL ^(A+B)	(9,518)	(6,300)	(11,045)	(7,782)

Management, based on the best estimate, on an individual analysis of the provisions, believes that it will realize the tax credits arising from the temporary differences as shown below:

Calendar year	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	IRPJ/CSLL - deferred		IRPJ/CSLL - deferred	
	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities
2026	50,400	21,925	50,400	21,925
2027	14,910	2,068	14,938	2,068
2028	180	12,083	180	12,083
2029	122	12,588	122	12,588
2030	61	273	61	273
2031 onwards	64,998	91,252	64,998	92,807
	130,671	140,189	130,699	141,744

The IRPJ and CSLL amounts that affected the results of the respective fiscal years are shown below:

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
Profit before IRPJ/CSLL	4,156	39,474	4,529	39,742
Combined IRPJ/CSLL rate	34%	34%	34%	34%
IRPJ/CSLL at the rates of the legislation	(1,413)	(13,421)	(1,540)	(13,512)
Equity	(5,081)	(3,268)	-	-
Donations	(34)	(99)	(34)	(103)
Other	(149)	663	(5,403)	(2,713)
SUDENE tax incentive (i)	-	834	-	834

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	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
IRPJ and CSLL Results	(6,677)	(15,291)	(6,977)	(15,494)
SUDENE tax incentive (i)	-	834	-	834
Current	(3,459)	(2,632)	(3,714)	(2,801)
Deferred	(3,218)	(13,493)	(3,263)	(13,527)
IRPJ and CSLL expense	<u>(6,677)</u>	<u>(15,291)</u>	<u>(6,977)</u>	<u>(15,494)</u>

(i) Due to the industrial enterprise installed in the area of operation of the Superintendence of the Development of the Northeast (SUDENE), the Company enjoys the tax benefit of income tax reduction, with a 75% reduction on income tax and non-refundable surcharges, levied on revenues:

- Originating from the manufacture of ferroalloys and their by-products, during the period from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2032, according to the Constitutive Report No. 0018/2023.
- Originating from the exploration and processing of chrome ore and its by-products, in the period from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2025, according to Constitutive Report No. 0131/2016.
- Originating from the generation of electricity, in the period from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2027, according to Constitutive Reports No. 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492 and 428/2018, replaced by Nos. 291, 292, 293, 300, 301, 302, and 303/2019.
- Originating from the manufacture of crushed quicklime and crushed lime, in the period from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2032, according to Constitutive Report No. 0021/2023.

The absence of the SUDENE tax incentive occurred due to the lack of profit from exploration in the tax calculation of the first quarter of 2026.

The portion corresponding to the income tax reduction incentives is recognized in the income statement and at the end of each fiscal year is transferred from retained earnings to a profit reserve (tax incentive), and cannot be distributed to shareholders.

The movement of deferred taxes during the first quarter of 2026 and the previous quarter of 2025 are presented below:

	Parent Company	Consolidated
Balance as of 12/31/2024 – Deferred Taxes Liabilities	(7,157)	(8,498)
Recognized in the result	<u>(13,493)</u>	<u>(13,527)</u>
Balance as of 03/31/2025 – Deferred Taxes Liabilities	<u>(20,650)</u>	<u>(22,025)</u>
Balance as of 12/31/2025 – Deferred Taxes Liabilities	(6,300)	(7,782)
Recognized in the result	<u>(3,218)</u>	<u>(3,263)</u>
Balance as of 03/31/2026 – Deferred Taxes Liabilities	<u>(9,518)</u>	<u>(11,045)</u>

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Result of the period	(14,359)	78	301	110	70	(40)	-	-	(13,840)
Realization of the assessed assets at their fair value.	(1,104)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,104)
Sales March 31, 2026	<u>501,812</u>	<u>1,846</u>	<u>28,755</u>	<u>4,558</u>	<u>3,125</u>	<u>673</u>	<u>37,742</u>	<u>45,369</u>	<u>623,880</u>

- (i) In February 2025, the third capital injection in the amount of R\$ 16,325 took place in the company Bahia Minas Bioenergia (Affiliate), a company signed in partnership with APERAM INOX AMÉRICA DO SUL S.A., aiming at the acquisition of rural properties to be used in the exploitation of eucalyptus and other forest species.

Also in February 2025, FERBASA made a contribution of R\$ 9,000 to the reserve account of the Wind Complex for its regularization, as dictated by the contract with the development bank.

12. FIXED ASSETS, INTANGIBLES AND LEASE RIGHTS OF USE

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Land for planting	124,308	124,308	124,460	124,460
Land plots	33,487	33,487	39,257	39,257
Buildings	240,911	245,843	390,853	396,411
Machinery and equipment	481,663	498,016	891,318	915,719
Vehicles and tractors	15,712	17,096	15,712	17,096
Furniture and fixtures	6,212	6,281	6,354	6,428
Informatics	6,468	7,061	6,813	7,437
Mine development	132,695	126,026	132,695	126,026
Ongoing and others	<u>179,181</u>	<u>160,337</u>	<u>207,152</u>	<u>188,410</u>
Fixed Assets (12.1)	1,220,637	1,218,455	1,814,614	1,821,244
Right of use - lease (12.2)	57,218	66,694	63,145	73,153
Total Assets	<u>1,277,855</u>	<u>1,285,149</u>	<u>1,877,759</u>	<u>1,894,397</u>
Intangible (12.3)	4,632	5,053	12,820	13,355

The table below shows the economic useful life of the assets, and the annual depreciation rates were calculated by the straight-line method (Consolidated):

	Average lifespan (years)
<u>Fixed Assets</u>	
Machinery and equipment	10
Vehicles and tractors	5
Buildings	25
Furniture and fixtures	10
Computers and others	5
<u>Right of use in lease</u>	
Right of use machinery and equipment	4
Right of land use	29
Right of use buildings	5

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12.1. Fixed Assets

	Parent Company									
	Land for planting	Land plots	Buildings	Machinery and equipment	Vehicles and tractors	Furniture and fixtures	Informatics	Mines	Other Fixed Assets	Total
<u>Cost</u>										
Balance on 12/31/2024	124,308	29,764	344,400	970,287	86,222	17,836	24,483	181,229	189,773	1,968,302
Additions	-	-	-	6,773	-	310	392	3,091	18,499	29,065
Transfers	-	-	4,639	33,896	349	8	30	-	(38,982)	(60)
Write-offs	-	-	-	360	81	-	-	-	(44)	397
Reclassifications	-	-	-	500	-	-	-	-	-	500
Balance on 03/31/2025	<u>124,308</u>	<u>29,764</u>	<u>349,039</u>	<u>1,011,816</u>	<u>86,652</u>	<u>18,154</u>	<u>24,905</u>	<u>184,320</u>	<u>169,246</u>	<u>1,998,204</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	124,308	33,487	367,951	1,109,666	91,289	19,679	27,062	206,597	203,875	2,183,914
Additions	-	-	58	853	-	166	42	9,358	18,236	28,713
Transfers	-	-	(1,409)	-	-	-	-	-	1,409	-
Write-offs	-	-	-	(149)	(636)	-	-	-	-	(785)
Reclassifications	-	-	(13)	75	-	-	-	-	-	62
Balance on 03/31/2026	<u>124,308</u>	<u>33,487</u>	<u>366,587</u>	<u>1,110,445</u>	<u>90,653</u>	<u>19,845</u>	<u>27,104</u>	<u>215,955</u>	<u>223,520</u>	<u>2,211,904</u>
<u>Accumulated depreciation and depletion</u>										
Balance on 12/31/2024			(108,375)	(551,630)	(70,037)	(12,540)	(17,583)	(7,2343)	(40,044)	(872,552)
Depreciation and depletion expense			(3394)	(14,366)	(2,012)	(212)	(627)	(1,725)	(919)	(23,255)
Write-offs			-	(360)	(81)	-	-	-	-	(441)
Reclassifications			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance on 03/31/2025			<u>(111,769)</u>	<u>(566,356)</u>	<u>(72,130)</u>	<u>(12,752)</u>	<u>(18,210)</u>	<u>(74,068)</u>	<u>(40,963)</u>	<u>(896,248)</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025			(122,108)	(611,650)	(74,193)	(13,398)	(20,001)	(80,571)	(43,538)	(965,459)
Depreciation and depletion expense			(3,581)	(17,206)	(1,384)	(235)	(635)	(2,689)	(801)	(26,531)
Write-offs				149	636					785
Reclassifications			13	(75)	-	-	-	-	-	(62)
Balance on 03/31/2026			<u>(125,676)</u>	<u>(628,782)</u>	<u>(74,941)</u>	<u>(13,633)</u>	<u>(20,636)</u>	<u>(83,260)</u>	<u>(44,339)</u>	<u>(991,267)</u>
<u>Net balances in</u>										
03/31/2025	<u>124,308</u>	<u>29,764</u>	<u>237,270</u>	<u>445,460</u>	<u>14,522</u>	<u>5,402</u>	<u>6,695</u>	<u>110,252</u>	<u>128,283</u>	<u>1,101,956</u>
03/31/2026	<u>124,308</u>	<u>33,487</u>	<u>240,911</u>	<u>481,663</u>	<u>15,712</u>	<u>6,212</u>	<u>6,468</u>	<u>132,695</u>	<u>179,181</u>	<u>1,220,637</u>

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	Consolidated									
	Land for planting	Land plots	Buildings	Machinery and equipment	Vehicles and tractors	Furniture and fixtures	Informatics	Mines	Other Fixed Assets	Total
<u>Cost</u>										
Balance on 12/31/2024	124,460	35,534	503,689	1,733,988	95,009	18,136	25,079	181,229	219,176	2,936,300
Additions	-	-	-	11,925	-	314	392	3,091	17,503	33,225
Transfers	-	-	4,639	33,896	349	8	30	-	(38,982)	(60)
Write-offs	-	-	-	360	81	-	-	-	(44)	397
Reclassifications	-	-	-	500	-	-	-	-	-	500
Balance on 03/31/2025	<u>124,460</u>	<u>35,534</u>	<u>508,328</u>	<u>1,780,669</u>	<u>95,439</u>	<u>18,458</u>	<u>25,501</u>	<u>184,320</u>	<u>197,653</u>	<u>2,970,362</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	124,460	39,257	527,164	1,882,821	100,076	19,983	27,943	206,597	233,278	3,161,579
Additions	-	-	58	3,913	-	166	42	9358	18,238	31,775
Transfers	-	-	(1,409)	-	-	-	-	-	1,409	-
Reclassifications	-	-	(13)	165	(636)	-	-	-	-	(484)
Balance on 03/31/2026	<u>124,460</u>	<u>39,257</u>	<u>525,800</u>	<u>1,886,899</u>	<u>99,440</u>	<u>20,149</u>	<u>27,985</u>	<u>215,955</u>	<u>252,925</u>	<u>3,192,870</u>
<u>Accumulated depreciation and depletion</u>										
Balance on 12/31/2024	-	-	(114,519)	(862,482)	(78,824)	(12,674)	(17,996)	(72,343)	(40,133)	(1,198,971)
Depreciation and depletion expense	-	-	(4,124)	(24,285)	(2,012)	(218)	(645)	(1,725)	(1,229)	(34,238)
Write-offs and reclassifications	-	-	-	(360)	(81)	-	-	-	-	(441)
Realization of capital gain	-	-	104	(1,208)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,104)
Balance on 03/31/2025	-	-	<u>(118,539)</u>	<u>(888,335)</u>	<u>(80,917)</u>	<u>(12,892)</u>	<u>(18,641)</u>	<u>(74,068)</u>	<u>(41,362)</u>	<u>(1,234,754)</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	-	-	(130,753)	(967,102)	(82,980)	(13,555)	(20,506)	(80,571)	(44,868)	(1,340,335)
Depreciation and depletion expense	-	-	(4,311)	(27,105)	(1,384)	(240)	(666)	(2,689)	(905)	(37,300)
Reclassification	-	-	13	(166)	636	-	-	-	-	483
Realization of capital gain	-	-	104	(1,208)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,104)
Balance on 03/31/2026	-	-	<u>(134,947)</u>	<u>(995,581)</u>	<u>(83,728)</u>	<u>(13,795)</u>	<u>(21,172)</u>	<u>(83,260)</u>	<u>(45,773)</u>	<u>(1,378,256)</u>
<u>Net balances in</u>										
03/31/2025	<u>124,460</u>	<u>35,534</u>	<u>389,789</u>	<u>892,334</u>	<u>14,522</u>	<u>5,566</u>	<u>6,860</u>	<u>110,252</u>	<u>156,291</u>	<u>1,735,608</u>
03/31/2026	<u>124,460</u>	<u>39,257</u>	<u>390,853</u>	<u>891,318</u>	<u>15,712</u>	<u>6,354</u>	<u>6,813</u>	<u>132,695</u>	<u>207,152</u>	<u>1,814,614</u>

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Other Immobilizations

They include fixed assets in progress in the amount of R\$ 174,443, Parent Company (R\$ 155,712 on December 31, 2025), and R\$ 175,230, Consolidated (R\$ 155,712 on December 31, 2025). In addition to other immobilizations corresponding to the demobilization of wind farms, mine closures, road maintenance, among others.

Additions and transfers

They include the acquisitions of fixed assets carried out in the periods and the ongoing projects transferred to operations.

Goods offered as collateral

In the period ended March 31, 2026, the fixed assets that were offered as collateral for loan operations and lawsuits totaled R\$ 480 (R\$ 535 on December 31, 2025).

12.2. Right of use in lease

The movement of the right of use, during the quarter ended March 31, 2025, was as follows:

	Parent Company	Consolidated			
	Machinery and equipment	Machinery and equipment	Land plots	Buildings	Total
<u>Cost</u>					
Cost on 12/31/2024	283,271	283,271	11,577	176	295,024
Additions	3,851	3,851	-	-	3,851
Remeasurement	1	1	(923)	-	(922)
Cost on 03/31/2025	<u>287,123</u>	<u>287,123</u>	<u>10,654</u>	<u>176</u>	<u>297,953</u>
Cost as of 12/31/2025	323,200	323,200	9,625	176	333,001
Additions	1,042	1,042	-	-	1,042
Remeasurement	(395)	(395)	(439)	-	(834)
Cost on 3/31/2026	<u>323,847</u>	<u>323,847</u>	<u>9,186</u>	<u>176</u>	<u>333,209</u>
<u>Depreciation</u>					
Depreciation as of 12/31/2024	(202,097)	(202,097)	(2,778)	(176)	(205,051)
Additions	(14,261)	(14,261)	(107)	-	(14,368)
Depreciation as of 03/31/2025	<u>(216,358)</u>	<u>(216,358)</u>	<u>(2,885)</u>	<u>(176)</u>	<u>(219,419)</u>
Depreciation as of 12/31/2025	(256,506)	(256,506)	(3,166)	(176)	(259,848)
Additions	(10,123)	(10,123)	(93)	-	(10,216)
Depreciation as of 03/31/2026	<u>(266,629)</u>	<u>(266,629)</u>	<u>(3,259)</u>	<u>(176)</u>	<u>(270,064)</u>
Net balance as at 03/31/2025	<u>70,765</u>	<u>70,765</u>	<u>7,769</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>78,534</u>
Net balance as at 03/31/2026	<u>57,218</u>	<u>57,218</u>	<u>5,927</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>63,145</u>

The recognized amounts of additions and remeasurement in the individual amount of R\$647 (R\$3,852 as of March 31, 2025) and consolidated amount of R\$208 (R\$2,929 as of March 31, 2025) did not affect the cash flow statements and part of the depreciation of the lease right of use in the amount of R\$942 (R\$616 as of March 31, 2025) was appropriated to the cost of inventory.

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12.3. Intangible

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	Software	Right of use	Software	Total
<u>Cost</u>				
Balance on 12/31/2024	17,421	13,863	370	31,654
Additions	68	-	-	68
Transfers	60	-	-	60
Balance on 03/31/2025	<u>17,549</u>	<u>13,863</u>	<u>370</u>	<u>31,782</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	18,384	13,863	370	32,617
Additions	4	-	-	4
Balance on 03/31/2026	<u>18388</u>	<u>13,863</u>	<u>370</u>	<u>32,621</u>
<u>Accumulated amortization</u>				
Balance on 12/31/2024	(11,725)	(5,199)	(267)	(17,191)
Amortization expense	(385)	(97)	(21)	(503)
Balance on 03/31/2025	<u>(12,110)</u>	<u>(5,296)</u>	<u>(288)</u>	<u>(17,694)</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	(13,331)	(5,588)	(343)	(19,262)
Amortization expense	(425)	(97)	(17)	(539)
Balance on 03/31/2026	<u>(13,756)</u>	<u>(5,685)</u>	<u>(360)</u>	<u>(19,801)</u>
Net balance as at 03/31/2025	5,439	8,567	82	14,088
Net balance as at 03/31/2026	4,632	8,178	10	12,820

13. BIOLOGICAL ASSET (PARENT AND CONSOLIDATED)

The information regarding the biological asset was presented in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2026, in Note 18.

Biological assets are represented by formed and forming forests, intended to supply wood for the production of bioreducer, which, in turn, is a raw material in the manufacture of silicon ferroalloys. The forests are located in Bahia. The movement of the balance of biological assets and the net effect of the change in fair value on profit or loss are shown below:

	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
At the beginning of the exercise	558,786	425,593
Plantations and maintenance (historical cost)	8,841	68,265
Depletion (i)	(4,984)	(78,397)
Fair value change (ii)	-	(76)
Write-offs (iii)	-	143,401
At the end of the financial year	<u>562,643</u>	<u>558,786</u>

On December 31, 2025, the effect on the result due to the change in fair value was R\$143,401 and the consumption/sale of wood was R\$51,586. Thus, the impact of the calculation of biological assets on the income statement was R\$ 91,815.

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Forests in formation that are less than 2 (two) years old are maintained at historical cost as a result of Management's understanding that during this period the historical cost of forest in formation approaches fair value.

To determine the fair value of the biological assets, the discounted cash flow model was used, whose projections are based on a single projective scenario, with productivity and eucalyptus plantation area for a cutting cycle of approximately 7 (seven) years. The period of cash flows was projected according to the productivity cycle of forestry projects. The volume of production of eucalyptus "standing wood" to be harvested was estimated considering the average productivity per m³ of wood from each garden at the cutting age.

The fair values of biological assets were considered to be level 3 in the fair value hierarchy defined by IFRS 13 / CPC 46 (information for assets or liabilities that is not based on market observable data, i.e. unobservable assumptions).

The Company conducts an assessment of the fair value of biological assets on an annual basis.

14. SUPPLIERS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Electricity	10,382	15,687	10,382	15,687
Raw material and inputs	92,605	124,099	92,605	124,099
Other Suppliers (i)	39,353	33,071	41,694	35,377
	<u>142,340</u>	<u>172,857</u>	<u>144,681</u>	<u>175,163</u>

(i) These are various services (consulting, transportation, research and prospecting, etc.), as well as suppliers not linked to production. There is no balance payable with related parties on December 31, 2025, balance on March 31, 2026 R\$ 8, according to explanatory note No . 23.

The Company did not carry out drawn risk operations on March 31, 2026 and December 31, 2025.

15. ADVANCE PAYMENTS FROM CUSTOMERS (PARENT AND CONSOLIDATED)

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Advance on customers	14,341	9,923	14,341	9,923

The most relevant item refers to the funds received by shipments of products in transit on the base date of March 31, 2026 and December 31, 2025, whose respective revenue recognition occurs at the end of the landing at the place of destination, where the delivery obligation ceases and the control of the products is effectively transferred to the customer.

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16. LOANS AND FINANCING

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:				
Financing (i)	1,471	1,359	1,471	1,359
BNDES BW Guirapá Financing (ii)	-	-	38,568	30,728
Subtotal Financing	1,471	1,359	40,039	32,087
Funding cost	-	-	(455)	(455)
Total Current	1,471	1,359	39,584	31,632
Non-current:				
Financing (i)	198,958	198,958	198,958	198,958
BNDES BW Guirapá Financing (ii)	-	-	122,390	135,884
Subtotal Financing	198,958	198,958	321,348	334,842
Funding cost	-	-	(2,107)	(2,221)
Total non-current	198,958	198,958	319,241	332,621
	200,429	200,317	358,825	364,253

- (i) Funding made by the Parent Company, for working capital, through the Plano Brasil Soberano line, made in a private bank, without the need for guarantees and at the National Bank for Economic and Social Development (BNDES), with guarantee through surety.
- (ii) Financing with the National Bank for Economic and Social Development (BNDES) raised by the subsidiary BW Guirapá and its subsidiaries on October 6, 2015 to finance the construction of wind farms. The guarantees offered for the payment of the debt were: pledge of BW Guirapá's shares, pledge of credit rights (O&M agreement), pledge of emerging rights (authorization of independent producer), pledge of machinery and equipment (wind turbines), fiduciary assignment of credit rights (revenues from the sale of energy and the CER, and constitution of reserve accounts) and bank guarantee.

The table below shows the main characteristics of the debts of the Company and its subsidiaries:

Modality	Wages	Charges (p.a.)	Amortization	Warranties	Parent Company	Consolidated
FINEM	2032	TJLP + 2.65%	Monthly	See (ii) above	-	160.958
				TJLP subtotal (Note 3.2.2)	-	160.958
Sovereign Brazil	2030	3.89%	Monthly	Clean	50,215	50.215
Sovereign Brazil	2030	3.87%	Monthly	Bail	150,214	150.214
				CDI subtotal (note 3.2.2)	200,429	200.429
				Subtotal	200,429	361.387
				(-) Funding cost	-	(2,562)
				Total	200,429	358,825

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Restrictive contractual clauses – covenants

The consolidated interim accounting information contains financing that includes restrictive clauses with the requirement to comply with the performance of annual indexes, in which the anticipation of debt maturity, in case of non-compliance with the covenants, is the maximum condition contemplated therein. These clauses were complied with by the Parent Company and its subsidiaries on March 31, 2026.

The information regarding the covenants was presented in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2025, in Note No. 21.

17. RENT PAYABLE

	Parent Company	Consolidated		
	Machinery and equipment	Machinery and equipment	Land plots	Total
Balance on 12/31/2024	55,743	55,743	7,201	62,944
Additions	3,851	3,851	-	3,851
Remeasurement	1	1	(923)	(922)
Payments	(18,055)	(18,055)	(360)	(18,415)
AVP Realization	3,504	3,504	129	3,633
Balance on 03/31/2025	<u>45,044</u>	<u>45,044</u>	<u>6,047</u>	<u>51,091</u>
Balance on 12/31/2025	42,751	42,751	4,670	47,421
Additions	1,042	1,042	-	1,042
Remeasurement	(395)	(395)	(439)	(834)
Payments	(12,452)	(12,452)	(24)	(12,476)
AVP Realization	2,509	2,509	151	2,660
Balance on 03/31/2026	<u>33,455</u>	<u>33,455</u>	<u>4,358</u>	<u>37,813</u>
Current	22,539	22,539	456	22,995
Non-current	10,916	10,916	3,902	14,818

On March 31, 2026, the Company estimated the discount rates, based on the risk-free interest rates observed in the Brazilian market, for the term of its contracts. The weighted average rate used for the parent company is 18.25% p.a. and for the subsidiary BW it is 11.84% p.a. The subsidiary's lower discount rate reflects the fact that its capital composition has a greater participation of third-party capital and a lower financial cost. The amounts classified in non-current liabilities are broken down as follows, by maturity year:

Expiration year	Parent Company	Consolidated
2027	5,507	6,114
2028 to 2031	5,409	6,569
2032 to 2036	-	1,177
2037 to 2041	-	930
2042 to 2046	-	26
2047 onwards	-	2

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Expiration year	Parent Company	Consolidated
Total	<u>10,916</u>	<u>14,818</u>

The table below shows the estimated value of the potential PIS/COFINS right to be recovered, which is included in the lease consideration for the Parent Company, according to the periods foreseen for payment:

	Parent Company				Consolidated			
	Nominal		Adjusted to present value		Nominal		Adjusted to present value	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Consideration	14,304	54,788	33,455	42,751	26,746	67,583	37,813	47,421
potential PIS/COFINS (9.25%)	1,323	5,068	3,095	3,954	2,474	6,521	3,498	4,386

18. LABOR AND ACTUARIAL OBLIGATIONS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:				
Salaries and charges	12,605	14,836	12,860	15,208
Labor provisions and charges	38,594	34,043	38,811	34,231
Profit sharing (i)	<u>23,370</u>	<u>43,624</u>	<u>23,370</u>	<u>43,624</u>
	<u>74,569</u>	<u>92,503</u>	<u>75,041</u>	<u>93,063</u>
Non-current:				
Labor and actuarial obligations (ii)	<u>74,940</u>	<u>72,409</u>	<u>74,940</u>	<u>72,409</u>
	<u>149,509</u>	<u>164,912</u>	<u>149,981</u>	<u>165,472</u>

(i) The Company's Bylaws establish that up to ten percent (10%) of the profit for the year shall be allocated for distribution to employees and up to ten percent (10%) of the resulting balance for management bonuses. The reduction in the balance refers to the payment of shares to employees made in the first quarter of 2026.

(ii) The Company maintains labor and actuarial obligations as follows:

- Private Pension: The Company maintains a defined contribution plan for supplementary retirement, managed by BRASILPREV Seguros e Previdência S.A. and a health care plan managed by Bradesco Saúde.
- Retirement premium: The Company also stipulates an additional post-employment benefit for employees who receive a salary below the social security ceiling and who have worked at the Company for at least ten (10) uninterrupted years. It is a one-time payment to the employee when their employment relationship ends.
- FGTS fine: The Company has established a provision for a post-employment benefit related to the FGTS fine at the time of retirement for employees exposed to harmful risks (special retirement), opting for the FGTS, terminated at their request, and not remaining at the time of their termination. These special retirees will be entitled to benefit as if they were dismissed, as long as the length of service is greater than 5 (five) or 8 (eight) years, depending on the location in which they work.
- Healthcare: Employees who join the Company as of these changes will not be entitled to

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remain in the plan when retired or terminated, while those who joined the Company before the changes, with more than thirty (30) years of uninterrupted employment, when terminated by retirement and provided that they assume the full cost of the plan, will have the right to remain in the plan. Employees who were active before the changes, when terminated as retired or non-retired, will have the respective time limits (1 (one) year for each year of contribution limited to 9 (nine) years and 1/3 of the contribution time with a minimum of 6 (six) months and a maximum of 2 (two) years, respectively) of permanence in the plan, provided that the legal requirements established for this are met and assuming the full cost of the health care plan.

The information regarding labor and actuarial obligations was presented in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2025, in Note 23.

19. TAXES AND SOCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Current:				
ICMS	16,522	17,984	16,616	17,984
WHT to be collected	3,870	6,157	4,008	6,421
IPI	559	669	559	669
PIS and COFINS	-	-	573	320
IRPJ and CSLL	-	-	86	50
Other	4,092	5,491	4,212	5,556
	<u>25,043</u>	<u>30,301</u>	<u>26,054</u>	<u>31,000</u>
Non-current:				
IRPJ and CSLL	18,241	18,241	18,241	18,241
IRPJ - Reinvestment (i)	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500
PIS and COFINS	-	-	87	87
	<u>21,741</u>	<u>21,741</u>	<u>21,828</u>	<u>21,828</u>
	<u><u>46,784</u></u>	<u><u>52,042</u></u>	<u><u>47,882</u></u>	<u><u>52,828</u></u>

- (i) It refers to 30% of the IRPJ due in the calendar year 2022, maintained until the approval of the projects sent to SUDENE. If approved, this amount will be capitalized, otherwise, the Company will make the payment.

20. PROVISION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITIES

The Company uses judgments and assumptions when measuring its obligations related to the provision for the closure of mines and wind farms, as well as the demobilization of assets linked to its operations. Costs potentially covered by insurance or indemnities are not deducted from the amount provisioned, because their recovery is considered uncertain.

The demobilization costs were measured based on available information for the costs of dismantling equipment and civil works, inflated and discounted at the average capital cost rate of each project. Thus, the Company applied the technical interpretation ICPC 12 – Changes in Liabilities due to Deactivation, Restoration and Other Similar Liabilities, recording the provision calculated from its best estimate of the costs to be incurred in the dismantling of this equipment at the end of the authorization, discounted at present value considering a long-term direct

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treasury rate discounted by inflation measured in accordance with the IPCA.

The movements of these provisions are shown below:

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
<u>Non-current</u>				
Balance as of December 31, 2025	19,604	17,428	45,034	40,809
Write-offs	(349)	(1,086)	(349)	(1,086)
Monetary Update, AVP and others	731	3,262	1,173	5,311
Balance as of March 31, 2026	<u>19,986</u>	<u>19,604</u>	<u>45,858</u>	<u>45,034</u>

21. PROVISION FOR CONTINGENCIES (PARENT AND CONSOLIDATED)

The Management of the Company and its subsidiaries, based on the position of its legal advisors, classified the lawsuits according to the degree of risk of loss, as follows:

	Possible		Probable	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Tax / Administrative	30,059	29,999	50,336	50,174
Labor	496	484	7,579	6,757
Civil	476	475	4,338	4,332
	<u>31,031</u>	<u>30,958</u>	<u>62,253</u>	<u>61,263</u>

The description of the Company's main contingent liabilities, including those that were considered likely to be a possible loss by management and its legal advisors, was presented in the financial statements as of December 31, 2025, in Note 26 and there were no significant changes in their possible contingencies in this period.

22. REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT – CCEE (CONSOLIDATED)

	Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
Balance at beginning of period	100,137	78,835
Reimbursement	18,607	20,254
Penalty	2,267	4,611
Update	1,307	6,868
Write-off	-	(10,431)
Balance at the end of the period	<u>122,318</u>	<u>100,137</u>
Current	75,766	73,392
Non-current	<u>46,552</u>	<u>26,745</u>
	<u>122,318</u>	<u>100,137</u>

Under an authorization regime, the BW Guirapá Wind Complex has all its production contracted for a period of twenty years with the Electric Energy Trading Chamber ("CCEE"), within the scope of the Reserve Auction - 2011 ("LER 2011") in the regulated environment. Reimbursement accounts - CCEE refer to the differences between the contracted amount and the value of electricity effectively generated. The calculation criteria are defined contractually, through a tolerance limit between the energy effectively generated and the contracted energy, as follows:

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- The accepted contractual limit, without the incidence of penalties or bonuses, is equivalent to the supply of 90% to 130% of the contracted energy of a year, calculated at the end of each quadrennium. In these cases, the positive or negative deviation between the energy supplied and the contracted energy is recognized in the asset or liability, respectively, by applying the updated contractual price on the MWh calculated. Any differences between the supply of electricity and the contracted energy will be compensated for each contractual quadrennium, with the first quadrennium ending on June 30, 2018, the second quadrennium ending on June 30, 2022 and the third quadrennium beginning in July 2022.
- If the energy supplied is less than 90% (ninety percent) of the contracted energy, the due reimbursement will occur with the application of 115% of the current contractual price on the amount in MWh that is less than the 90% (ninety percent) contracted. If the energy supplied is greater than 130% of the contracted energy, the Companies will receive 70% (seventy percent) of the contracted price on the amount in MWh that exceeds the 130% (one hundred and thirty percent) contracted. In both cases, the financial settlement occurs from July of the current year to June of the following year.

Through communiqué 971/25, the CCEE announced the suspension of the collection of reimbursements and penalties for Constrained Off until the publication of new regulations on the subject, following the provisions of Law 15,269/2025. So far, there is no forecast for resumption.

23. BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

	Result			Assets	Liabilities	
	Rental costs (i)	Sales revenue (ii)	Other (revenue)/ operating expenses (iii)	Accounts receivable from customers (ii)	Interest on equity	Other suppliers (iii)
Parent:						
José Carvalho Foundation	-	23	3,501	-	71,627	8
Controlled:						
BW Guirapá S.A.	-	-	(150)	-	-	-
Silício de Alta Pureza da Bahia S.A.	210	-	-	-	-	-
Mineração Vale do Jacurici S.A.	381	-	-	-	-	-
Reflorestadora e Agrícola S.A.	15	-	-	-	-	-
Indústria de Minérios Damacal Ltda.	9	-	-	-	-	-
Related Party:						
Marubeni Corporation (iv)	-	94,781	-	82,019	-	-
Total as of March 31, 2026	<u>615</u>	<u>94,804</u>	<u>3,351</u>	<u>82,019</u>	<u>71,627</u>	<u>8</u>
Total as of December 31, 2025	2,460	403,423	15,650	35,404	71,627	2,441
Total as of March 31, 2025	615	97,785	3,117	20,798	-	-

- (i) Lease of the operations of the subsidiaries.
- (ii) Revenues and receivables from the sale of alloys (FeSi75) to the related company abroad and accounts receivable from the sale of wood, quicklime and slag dust to the Parent Company.
- (iii) Refers to: (a) Cooperation and Partnership Agreement for the reservation and guarantee of enrollment in schools of the José Carvalho Foundation for dependents of the Company's

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employees who reside in the municipalities of the school headquarters (Pojuca, Catu and Andorinhas); (b) Agreement for socio-educational-sports training, for children from 8 to 14 years of age, public school students, aiming at the development of learning and sports practice; (c) Cooperation and Partnership Agreement for the implementation of the José Carvalho Memorial, whose objective is to preserve the memory, cultural heritage, existing collection, the founder's residence in life, in addition to hosting the permanent organizational culture program; (d) Infrastructure Sharing Agreement and Administrative Structure of the corporate activities between Ferbasa and BW.

- (iv) Marubeni Corporation has an interest in Silício de Alta Pureza da Bahia S.A. ("Silbasa") together with Ferbasa and Japan Metals & Chemicals - JMC.

In addition, the Company has, among its staff, close family members of key management personnel, who hold managerial positions and remuneration compatible with their respective functions. Ferbasa made payments as compensation in the amount of R\$ 271 in the first quarter of 2026 (R\$ 637 in the first quarter of 2025).

The Company has no guarantees granted or received to/from related parties.

23.1. Management Compensation

Approved at the Annual General Meeting, the overall compensation of the key management personnel, which includes directors and statutory officers, is shown below:

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
Overall remuneration (i)	5,397	7,635	6,759	8,812
Social security charges	1,142	927	1,412	1,164
	<u>6,539</u>	<u>8,562</u>	<u>8,171</u>	<u>9,976</u>

- (i) Effect of the reduction in the Management's interests due to the drop in profit, as determined by the bylaws, article 26.

The Company and its subsidiaries do not have key personnel other than statutory personnel, and do not have share-based compensation plans or other long-term benefits, other than those disclosed in Note 23 of the 2025 Financial Statements.

24. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

24.1. Share capital

The Company's subscribed and paid-in capital stock on March 31, 2026 and December 31, 2025, totals R\$ 1,470,396, and the subscribed and paid-in capital is represented by 353,175 thousand registered shares with no par value, of which 117,725 thousand are common shares and 235,450 thousand preferred shares, distributed as follows:

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Shareholders	03/31/2026		12/31/2025	
	Common shares	Preferred shares	Common shares	Preferred shares
José Carvalho Foundation	116,347,784	62,341,800	116,347,784	62,298,900
Trígono Capital	12,000	6,727,200	12,000	9,089,800
Black Rock	-	6,640,144	-	6,356,044
Vanguard Group	-	5,293,508	-	4,538,148
Other shareholders	1,240,216	140,264,948	1,240,216	138,984,708
Treasury shares	125,000	14,182,400	125,000	14,182,400
	<u>117,725,000</u>	<u>235,450,000</u>	<u>117,725,000</u>	<u>235,450,000</u>

The limit of the Company's authorized capital stock is R\$ 3,000,000 (three billion reais),

The Company may, by resolution at the Shareholders' Meeting, promote the increase of the various existing types and classes, without keeping proportion with the others or create a class of preferred shares, observing the limit of 2/3 of the total shares issued for preferred shares without voting rights, or subject to restrictions on such rights.

24.2. Treasury shares

The Company has shares acquired through the Buyback Program that remain in treasury, and the decision on their sale and/or cancellation will be made in due course and duly communicated to the market. The volume of treasury shares and their respective market value, considering the closing price of quotation on B3, is as follows:

	03/31/2026		12/31/2025	
	PN	ON	PN	ON
Number of treasury shares (note 24.1)	14,182,400	125,000	14,182,400	125,000
Quotation on B3 - R\$/share	8.21	12.49	6.93	11.18
Average acquisition cost - R\$/share	2.52	0.18	2.52	0.18

Preferred shares: (i) do not have voting rights; (ii) have a statutory guarantee of payment of dividends 10% (ten percent) higher than those paid to holders of common shares; and (iii) have priority in the repayment of capital.

24.3. Profit Reserves

- (i) The legal reserve is constituted with an increase in the capital stock and the allocation of 5% of the profit for the year, up to 20% of the capital stock, and its use is restricted to the compensation of losses, after the balances of retained earnings and other profit reserves have been absorbed.
- (ii) The SUDENE tax incentive profit reserves, related to income tax, refers to the portion of the tax incentive of income tax (operating profit) and ICMS DESENVOLVE related to the gain of the tax incentive of the debit balance of the tax on circulation of goods. These reserves are constituted by transferring the portion of the tax incentive that affected the expense with

income tax and ICMS for the year and cannot be distributed to shareholders. The reserve referring to SUDENE also includes the reinvestment value of income tax.

- (iii) The profits, after the appropriation of the legal reserve, profit reserve (tax incentive) and attribution of dividends to be distributed to shareholders, are transferred to the profit retention reserve account for investments, to be carried out in accordance with the Company's capital budget and strategic planning. In fiscal year 2025, the prescribed dividends, in the amount of R\$ 5,439, were reverted to the profit reserve account according to Law No. 6,404/76.

24.4. Other comprehensive results and equity valuation adjustment

Other comprehensive income comprises income and expense items (including reclassification adjustments), which are not recognized in the income statement as required or permitted by the pronouncements, interpretations and guidance issued by the CPC. Created by Law No. 11,638/07, the group of "Equity valuation adjustments" maintained in the Company's shareholders' equity includes valuation adjustments with increases and decreases in assets and liabilities, when applicable, while not computed in the income for the year, until its effective realization.

24.5. Unrealised profit reserve

In calendar year 2018, the Company constituted a reserve of unrealized profits arising from the gain from the advantageous purchase of the acquisition of the BW Guirapá complex in the amount of R\$ 49,595.

24.6. Dividends and interest on equity

The Company grants its shareholders the right to receive a minimum mandatory dividend of 25% of adjusted annual net income each fiscal year. Interest on equity is considered as a distribution of profits for the purpose of determining the minimum mandatory dividend. The preferred share has dividends 10% (ten percent) higher than that attributed to the common share.

At the Board of Directors' Meeting held on October 29, 2025, the Company resolved on the payment of interest on equity of R\$ 140,000, with the gross amount due to shareholders holding common shares, equivalent to R\$ 0.38781769333 per common share; and due to shareholders holding preferred shares, equivalent to R\$ 0.42659946266 per preferred share, the payment will be made as of June 12, 2026.

25. EARNINGS PER SHARE

As defined by IAS 41 - Earnings per Share, the basic calculation of earnings per share is made by dividing the net income for the three-month period attributable to holders of the Company's common and preferred shares by the weighted average number of common and preferred shares available during the period. In the case of the Company, the diluted earnings per share are equal to the basic earnings per share, as it does not have diluting potential common or preferred shares.

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	<u>03/31/2026</u>	<u>03/31/2025</u>
Profit (loss) from operations attributable to shareholders of the parent company	(2,521)	24,183
Reconciliation of distributable income, by class (numerator):		
Profit (loss) from operations attributable:		
Common shares	(821)	7,842
Preferred shares	(1,700)	16,341
Weighted average of the number of shares, by class (denominator):		
Weighted average number of treasury shares: (note 24.1)		
Common Issued	117,600,00	117,600,000
Preferred Issued	222,267,600	222,786,800
Basic/diluted* result per share (in R\$)		
Common Shares	(0.00698)	0.06668
Preferred stock	(0.00768)	0.07335

(*) The Company does not hold potential dilutable shares outstanding or other instruments that could result in dilution of earnings per share.

26. NET SALES REVENUE

	<u>Parent Company</u>		<u>Consolidated</u>	
	<u>03/31/2026</u>	<u>03/31/2025</u>	<u>03/31/2026</u>	<u>03/31/2025</u>
Gross sales revenue				
Domestic market	341,754	363,417	357,817	384,959
Foreign market	223,230	246,869	223,230	246,869
	<u>564,984</u>	<u>610,286</u>	<u>581,047</u>	<u>631,828</u>
Sales deductions				
Returns and rebates	(2,840)	(7,763)	(2,840)	(7,763)
Sales Taxes	(70,470)	(72,877)	(71,835)	(74,216)
	<u>(73,310)</u>	<u>(80,640)</u>	<u>(74,675)</u>	<u>(81,979)</u>
	<u>491,674</u>	<u>529,646</u>	<u>506,372</u>	<u>549,849</u>

27. COSTS OF GOODS SOLD AND EXPENSES

	<u>Parent Company</u>		<u>Consolidated</u>	
	<u>03/31/2026</u>	<u>03/31/2025</u>	<u>03/31/2026</u>	<u>03/31/2025</u>
Cost of goods sold (i)	(434,178)	(451,297)	(458,646)	(475,566)
Selling expenses	(5,205)	(7,128)	(5,205)	(7,128)
General and administrative expenses	(32,868)	(31,747)	(34,320)	(33,450)
Employee profit sharing	-	(2,975)	-	(2,975)
Management Compensation	(6,539)	(8,562)	(8,171)	(9,976)
Total general and administrative expenses	<u>(39,407)</u>	<u>(43,284)</u>	<u>(42,491)</u>	<u>(46,401)</u>
Other revenue (expenditure)	(12,206)	(19,203)	(13,999)	<u>(19,730)</u>

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<u>(490,996)</u>	<u>(520,912)</u>	<u>(520,341)</u>	<u>(548,825)</u>
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The following is the breakdown of the costs of goods sold and operating expenses, by nature:

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
Variable costs and product overhead spend	(218,684)	(240,394)	(231,357)	(252,429)
Personnel expenses (ii)	(118,412)	(115,767)	(121,276)	(118,632)
Depreciation and depletion expenses	(43,005)	(47,254)	(53,877)	(58,462)
Expenses with the provision of services	(49,977)	(52,212)	(51,093)	(53,426)
Maintenance and repairs expenses	(33,554)	(30,146)	(33,555)	(30,186)
Fuels and lubricants	(9,407)	(9,166)	(9,433)	(9,190)
Cost of idle capacity	(5,751)	(6,770)	(5,751)	(6,770)
Other revenue (expenses) (iii)	(12,206)	(19,203)	(13,999)	(19,730)
	<u>(490,996)</u>	<u>(520,912)</u>	<u>(520,341)</u>	<u>(548,825)</u>

(i) Costs of goods sold include:

- Cost of electricity for consumption in the 14 electric ovens. In addition to electric furnaces, there is energy consumption in the areas of auxiliary and other services, as well as in mining;
- The Company imports reactive metallurgical coke (*met coke*) (a commodity available in the international market) to produce ferrochrome;
- Cost of transportation of chromium ore between the mines (Municipality of Campo Formoso) and the metallurgy (Pojuca - BA), by rail;
- The consolidated includes depreciation, amortization, energy transmission, system use charges, operation and maintenance, etc. for wind power generation in the amount of R\$ 25,030 (R\$ 24,830 as of March 31, 2025).

(ii) It includes personnel expenses, management fees, and profit sharing for employees and managers.

(iii) Below we present the breakdown by nature of other net revenues (expenses):

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
Post-employment benefit	(2,531)	(2,457)	(2,531)	(2,457)
Other taxes and contributions	(3,511)	(3,668)	(4,359)	(4,198)
Social and corporate responsibility	(3,592)	(3,443)	(3,592)	(3,453)
Consulting and research	(4,752)	(5,992)	(4,875)	(5,992)
Realization of capital gain	-	-	(1,104)	(1,104)
Tax credit	-	1,504	-	1,504
Assignment of energy	3,425	(2,229)	3,425	(2,229)
Other expenses	(1,245)	(2,918)	(963)	(1,801)
	<u>(12,206)</u>	<u>(19,203)</u>	<u>(13,999)</u>	<u>(19,730)</u>

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28. FINANCIAL RESULT

	Parent Company		Consolidated	
	03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
<u>Financial revenues</u>				
Income from financial investments	28,197	31,058	34,942	36,130
Exchange rate variation	2,000	28,439	2,000	28,522
Update of tax credits	96	2,323	96	2,323
Other financial income	1,438	3,096	1,606	3,114
	<u>31,731</u>	<u>64,916</u>	<u>38,644</u>	<u>70,089</u>
<u>Financial expenses</u>				
Exchange rate variation	(7,443)	(15,354)	(7,443)	(15,354)
Interest incurred	(2,390)	(4,419)	(7,467)	(9,608)
Other financial expenses	(3,476)	(4,793)	(5,236)	(6,409)
	<u>(13,309)</u>	<u>(24,566)</u>	<u>(20,146)</u>	<u>(31,371)</u>
	<u>18,422</u>	<u>40,350</u>	<u>18,498</u>	<u>38,718</u>

29. OPERATING SEGMENTS

The Company segmented its operational structure considering the way in which Management manages its business. The operating segments defined by Management are shown below:

- Ferroalloys segment: involves the operations of high carbon chromium ferroalloys, low carbon ferroalloys and chromium ferrosilicon, special silicon 75 and silicon 75 "standard";
- Wind Energy Segment: involves the operations of the subsidiary BW Guirapá;
- Other segments include: forestry activity, with the sale of standing timber and mining activities with the sale of chrome ore, chromite sand, quicklime and hydrated lime.

Information about financial results, income tax and social contributions, total assets and liabilities were not disclosed in the information by segment, due to the non-use by the Company's management of such data in a segmented manner, as they are managed and analyzed in a consolidated manner in its operation.

	Consolidated							
	Ferroalloys		Wind energy		Other segments		Total	
	03/31/26	03/31/25	03/31/26	03/31/25	03/31/26	03/31/25	03/31/26	03/31/25
<u>Net Sales</u>								
Domestic market	256,523	275,206	14,754	20,259	14,698	14,320	285,975	309,785
Foreign market	220,397	240,064	-	-	-	-	220,397	240,064
	<u>476,920</u>	<u>515,270</u>	<u>14,754</u>	<u>20,259</u>	<u>14,698</u>	<u>14,320</u>	<u>506,372</u>	<u>549,849</u>
Cost of goods sold	(374,057)	(432,518)	(25,030)	(24,830)	(59,559)	(18,218)	(458,646)	(475,566)
Gross profit (loss)	<u>102,863</u>	<u>82,752</u>	<u>(10,276)</u>	<u>(4,571)</u>	<u>(44,861)</u>	<u>(3,898)</u>	<u>47,726</u>	<u>74,283</u>
Operating Expenses	(56,821)	(69,096)	(3,123)	(2,243)	(1,751)	(1,920)	(61,695)	(73,259)
Operating income before financial result	<u>46,042</u>	<u>13,656</u>	<u>(13,399)</u>	<u>(6,814)</u>	<u>(46,612)</u>	<u>(5,818)</u>	<u>(13,969)</u>	<u>1,024</u>
<u>Product sales (tonnes)</u>								
Domestic market	35,315	38,682						

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Foreign market	<u>28,623</u>	<u>30,851</u>
	<u>63,938</u>	<u>69,533</u>

30. LONG-TERM COMMITMENTS

As of March 31, 2026, the Company has long-term commitments with suppliers in the take-or-pay modality with rail transportation and power reserve and power transmission agreements. The contracts provide for termination and suspension of supply clauses for reasons of non-compliance with essential obligations. There are no liabilities recorded beyond the amount that is recognized monthly. These long-term commitments total R\$117,667 in the parent company and R\$126,018 in the consolidated, per year.

31. INSURANCE COVERAGE

The Company and its subsidiaries have insurance coverage against fire for equipment, explosions, electrical damage, vehicles, international transport for imports, civil liability, business liability, surety bond and operational risks for wind power generation, as of March 31, 2026 in the amount of R\$ 261,164 (R\$ 269,245 on December 31, 2025) in the parent company and R\$ 1,132,967 (R\$ 1,141,020 on December 31, 2025) in the consolidated statement.

32. TRANSACTIONS THAT DID NOT AFFECT CASH

During the first quarter of 2026 and the first quarter of 2025, the Company carried out the following transactions that did not involve cash, so these are not reflected in the cash flow statements.

Description	Note	Parent Company		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
Right of use in leases according to IFRS 16	12.2	(395)	1	(834)	(922)
Depreciation Right of Use appropriated to the cost of inventory	12.2	942	616	942	616
Realization of capital gain	12.1	1,104	1,104	1,104	1,104

33. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

In line with the information disclosed in the financial statements for the year 2025, item 26.2, civil, the Company informs that in the proceedings that were being processed in secrecy of justice, before the civil court of Pojuca, Bahia, whose values attributed to the causes, on December 31, 2025, were R\$ 186,652 (2024, R\$ 188,580) and R\$ 1,771,825, respectively, classified as "possible" risk, judgments were issued that extinguished the merits of the claims, without any obligation or condemnation against the Company.

Accountant:

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Cia de Ferro Ligas da Bahia – FERBASA (B3: FESA3 and FESA4), the main supplier of ferroalloys in Brazil and the only integrated producer of ferrochrome in the Americas, discloses the results regarding the economic and financial performance of the first quarter of 2026. The interim quarterly information, both from the parent company and consolidated, was prepared in accordance with accounting practices adopted in Brazil, based on the Brazilian Corporations Law, the rules and pronouncements of the Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM), the Accounting Pronouncements Committee (CPC), and IAS 34 – Interim Financial Reporting issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB). This document contains forward-looking statements and information regarding FERBASA, based on assumptions and expectations that may or may not materialize, and therefore do not guarantee the Company's future performance. Although FERBASA believes that the assumptions and expectations used are reasonable, we advise investors that the aforementioned information is and will be, as the case may be, subject to risks and other factors relating to the Company's operations and business environments, so that actual results may differ from the projections, expressed or implied, contained in this material. Therefore, FERBASA expressly disclaims any obligation to update the statements, prospects, and expectations contained in this document.

ACTIONS

B3: FESA3 & FESA4
 Shares in circulation: 45%
 Market value: R\$ 3.4 billion

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Results Conference

May 13, 2026

3:00 PM (Brasilia time)

2:00 PM (New York time, USA)

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1. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

The table below presents the highlights of 1Q26 compared to 4Q25 and 1Q25:

Highlights (R\$ millions)	1T26	4T25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
average dollar exchange rate	5.30	5.38	-1.5%	5.91	-10.3%
Net revenue	506.4	602.6	-16.0%	549.8	-7.9%
Cost of goods sold	458.6	540.5	-15.2%	475.6	-3.6%
<i>Cost over revenue</i>	90.6%	89.7%		86.5%	
Adjusted EBITDA	44.1	4.3	925.6%	61.1	-27.8%
<i>EBITDA Margin</i>	8.7%	0.7%		11.1%	
Net Profit (Loss)	(2,4)	99.8	-	24.2	-
<i>Profit margin (loss)</i>	-0.5%	16.6%		4.4%	

PRODUCTION -In 1Q26, 72,600 tons of ferroalloys were produced, a 2.9% reduction compared to 4Q25, resulting from a combination of a 5.3% decrease in chromium alloys and a 3.3% increase in silicon alloys. Year-on-year, compared to 1Q25, ferroalloys production decreased by 4.3%.

SALES VOLUME –63,900 tons of ferroalloys were sold in 1Q26. The 13.5% decrease compared to 4Q25 reflects an 18.8% drop in sales in the foreign market and an 8.6% decrease in the domestic market. Compared to 1Q25, the reduction in sales volume was 8%.

NET RECIPE –Consolidated net revenue totaled R\$ 506.4 million in 1Q26. The 16% decrease compared to 4Q25 was driven by a 13.5% drop in sales volume and a 1.5% decrease in the average dollar exchange rate, combined with stability (+0.9%) in the average price of leagues, in dollars. And between 1Q25 and 1Q26, there was a 7.9% decrease in net revenue.

COST OF GOODS SOLD – Consolidated CPV reached R\$ 458.6 million in 1Q26. The 15.2% reduction compared to 4Q25 reflects the drop in the cost of goods sold (COGS) for ferroalloys fell by 12.5%, justified by a 13.5% decrease in sales volume and higher production costs. In the year-on-year comparison, the COGS for ferroalloys decreased by 3.3% between 1Q25 and 1Q26, due to an 8% decrease in sales volume and increased production costs over the last few months.

SALES AND GENERAL/ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES – In 1Q26, sales expenses totaled R\$ 5.2 million – a 10.3% decrease compared to 4Q25, driven mainly by lower sales volume. General/administrative expenses totaled R\$ 42.5 million, presenting a reduction of 39.5% in the same period analyzed.

OTHER OPERATING REVENUES/EXPENSES – Operating expenses reached R\$ 14 million in 1Q26, a value 70.6% lower than in 4Q25. This variation is justified by the concentration of expenses related to geological research and consulting services that occurred at the end of 2025.

Adjusted EBITDA - Operating cash flow, measured by Adjusted EBITDA, reached R\$ 44.1 million in 1Q26, with an EBITDA margin of 8.7% and a 926% increase compared to 4Q25. Conversely, Adjusted EBITDA fell 27.8% compared to 1Q25, due to the weakening of the dollar and lower sales volume, as well as higher production costs.

CASH GENERATION/CONSUMPTION – In 1Q26, consolidated cash, cash equivalents and financial investments reached R\$ 7.1 million, ending the period with a consolidated financial reserve of R\$ 1.092 billion. Deducting from this amount the consolidated debt of R\$ 361.4 million, the Company's net cash position was R\$ 731 million in 1Q26, R\$ 12.6 million higher than that recorded in 4Q25.

FINANCIAL RESULTS – The Company achieved a positive financial result of R\$ 18.5 million in 1Q26, an amount 52.9% lower than the previous quarter. This performance reflects the combination of a 23.8% reduction in financial revenue and the negative fluctuation in net exchange rate variation. It is worth highlighting that, in 4Q25, financial revenue had been increased by R\$ 11.8 million related to the monetary adjustment of recovered tax credits.

CAPEX – Investments totaled R\$ 40.6 million in 1Q26, representing decreases of 4.5% compared to 1Q25 and 63.7% compared to 4Q25. The most significant investments in the quarter were allocated to the acquisition of machinery and equipment (31.8%), mostly used in metallurgy and mining operations.

NET PROFIT/LOSS – The consolidated result for 1Q26 was a net loss of R\$ 2.4 million (negative margin of 0.5%) compared to a net profit of R\$ 99.8 million (net margin of 16.6%) recorded in 4Q25. It is worth remembering that the result for the last quarter of 2025 was positively impacted by the calculation of the fair value of the biological asset (R\$ 50.1 million) and revenue from the recovery of tax credits (R\$ 37.6 million).

2. PROFILE CORPORATE

FERBASA, with its solid 65-year history, is a national leader in the production of ferroalloys and the only producer of ferrochrome in the Americas. The company has traditionally ranked among the largest companies in Bahia and, in 2025, remained among the top 10 industries in the state, according to the annual Valor 1000 ranking. With an integrated and vertically structured production cycle in the areas of metallurgy, mining, forestry resources, and renewable energy, its operations are supported by a robust Integrated Management System, certified in accordance with ISO 9001, 14001, and 45001 standards.

The company's portfolio, comprised of high-carbon ferrochrome alloys (HC FeCr), low-carbon ferrochrome alloys (LC FeCr), ferrosilicon 75 (FeSi 75), high-purity ferrosilicon 75 (FeSi HP), and ferrosilicon chromium (FeSiCr), is primarily intended for the steel industry and the manufacture of stainless and special steels, aimed at serving the domestic market, the European Union, and countries such as Japan, China, and the United States.

The mining segment comprises two chrome ore extraction units (one underground and one open-pit), two quartz mines, and a quicklime production plant, located in the Central-North and Northeast regions of the state. Almost all ore extraction is directed to the metallurgical unit in Pojuca/BA, where ferroalloys are produced in 14 electric furnaces equipped with bag filters capable of neutralizing the release of particulate matter into the atmosphere. The total forest area comprises 64,000 hectares, of which approximately 25,000 are used for planting renewable eucalyptus forests, subsequently converted into bio-reducing agent – the raw material for ferrosilicon. The remaining extent of the forest asset includes areas of legal reserve, firebreaks, native forests, Private Natural Heritage Reserve (RPPN), among other characteristics.

Guided by sustainability and business verticalization, the Company's strategy was strengthened with the incorporation of the BW Guirapá Wind Complex, located in the municipalities of Caetité and Pindaí/BA. The 7 parks will have their clean and renewable energy available to integrate into FERBASA's supply mix from 2036 onwards, either for its own consumption or for the sale of the energy generated.

FERBASA has a Corporate Office located in Salvador/BA, where it centralizes services for all of the Group's operational units, present in 18 municipalities in Bahia.

3. MARKET ENVIRONMENT

PROTECTIONIST MEASURES Since 2025, protectionist measures have directly impacted the Company's exports. In the US, ferrosilicon alloys accumulated a 69% surcharge, referring to the sum of 19% from the "Antidumping" tariff (March/25), 10% from the global "Tariff hike" (April/25), and, in August, another 40% related to the "Tariff hike" exclusive to Brazil. Ferrochrome alloys were impacted exclusively by the 40% tariff between August/25 and February/26, when the US Supreme Court declared the "Tariff hike" unconstitutional. In immediate response to this decision, the US President announced a new global tariff of 10%, through "Section 122". At the end of 1Q26, FERBASA's silicon alloys accumulated a surcharge of 29% – "Antidumping" and "Section 122" – while chromium alloys, included in the list of exempt products, reduced their taxation to zero.

In the case of the European Union, sales in 1Q26 have been impacted since 2025 by uncertainties related to the final format of the safeguards, approved in November 2025, and also by the operation of the "Definitive Phase" of the CBAM (Carbon Adjustment Mechanism), initiated in January 2026. Generally, the safeguards apply to silicon and manganese alloys, imposing quotas per product and country, in addition to the application of a minimum price if the quota is filled. In the case of Brazilian FeSi, the quota was set at approximately 25,000 tons/year, with a quarterly limit of approximately 6,000 tons. After reaching this mark, the price ceases to be freely negotiable, and the minimum price of EUR 2,408/ton comes into effect.

Regarding CBAM, the European Union seeks to control the import of products with high carbon content. Starting in 1Q26, exporting companies will be subject to audits to certify the emissions of their goods, and tariffs will then be defined based on direct CO₂ emissions (Scope 1). Charges related to volumes delivered in 2026 will be applied in 2027. FERBASA has been reporting its emissions related to FeCrAC production to European Union clients since 2023, in accordance with legislation. Furthermore, the high participation of renewable sources in the Brazilian energy matrix tends to favor the Company's competitiveness as other scopes are considered in the emissions calculation.

RAW STEEL According to data from the World Steel Association (WSA), in 1Q26, global crude steel production, a significant driver of ferrosilicon consumption, increased by 6.8% compared to 4Q25, totaling 459.2 Mt. China accounted for 54% of the total produced during this period (247.6 Mt). Among the world's largest producers, the best performances were from China (+15.4%), Germany (+7%), India (+5.2%), and the USA (+2.2%). The worst performances were recorded by South Korea (+0.1%), Japan (-0.4%), Brazil (-3%), Turkey (-3.2%), and Russia (-4.4%).

South America produced 10.2 Mt in 1Q26, a volume 1.9% lower than in 4Q25. Of this total, 8.1 Mt came from Brazil. According to statistics from the Brazilian Steel Institute (IABr), the 4% contraction in national steelmaking activity

between 4Q25 and 1Q26 can still be attributed to the high influx of imported steel (+32.3%), even though consumption (+3.5%) and exports (+18.2%) increased during the period.

FeSi:In China, which accounts for approximately 70% of the world's supply of silicon alloys, 1.36 Mt of FeSi were produced in 1Q26, a 4.8% decrease compared to 4Q25, according to specialized reports. The largest share of this reduction is attributed to market rebalancing, given that during the same period there was greater demand for Chinese FeSi, both domestically and internationally. Given this favorable scenario, between 4Q25 and 1Q26, FeSi prices in China resumed growth after declining in all quarterly analyses up to 2025. Similarly, Europe and the US also registered price improvements during the analyzed period.

Amid escalating armed conflicts in the Middle East, between 4Q25 and 1Q26, according to the World Bank, prices for all energy commodities – oil, natural gas, and coal – rose between 12% and 33%, with the exception of South African coal, which remained stable (+0.6%), unlike Australian coal (the world's second-largest exporter), which grew by 12%. This scenario generates a global trend of increased expenses for coke and electricity, important components in the formation of production costs and, consequently, the prices of ferroalloys, especially silicon-based ferroalloys.

STAINLESS STEELS:Specialized reports indicate that global production of stainless steels, a benchmark for FeCr consumption, ended 1Q26 at 15.1 million. This represents a decrease of approximately 9% compared to the previous quarter. Of this amount, production in China, responsible for 62% of the world volume, decreased by 12%. In Brazil, the expectation is for stability (-0.3%), reaching 83,000 tons in 1Q26. During the same period, increases of 9.3% were observed in the US and 6.2% in Europe, with estimated annual volumes of 0.5 Mt and 1.5 Mt, respectively.

FeCr:Global FeCrAC production, which tends to remain in line with stainless steel production volumes, totaled 4.0 Mt in 1Q26, declining 3.5% compared to 4Q25, according to estimates from specialized publications. China accounted for 61% of global volume and reduced its domestic production by 9% compared to 4Q25. Regarding South Africa – which represented 20% of global supply in 1Q25 – chromium alloy production in 1Q26 plummeted 76.8% compared to 1Q25, the quarter in which furnace shutdowns began in the country. The Company will continue to monitor developments in the South African energy crisis, considering negotiations between producers and the government for discounts on electricity tariffs.

Between 4Q25 and 1Q26, the average spot price of FeCrAC in China remained unchanged. However, a gradual price increase was observed during 1Q26. Similarly, the average price of American FeCrAC rose 3.7% and European FeCrAC 4.2%. Chromium ore, which represents about 50% of the FeCrAC production cost, increased by 8.5% in China between 4Q25 and 1Q26, driven by strong domestic consumption and increased logistics costs.

It is worth highlighting that the prices charged by FERBASA are based on a "basket" of international prices, including those practiced in the European, American, and especially Asian markets.

4. OPERATIONAL RESULTS

4.1 Ferroalloys production

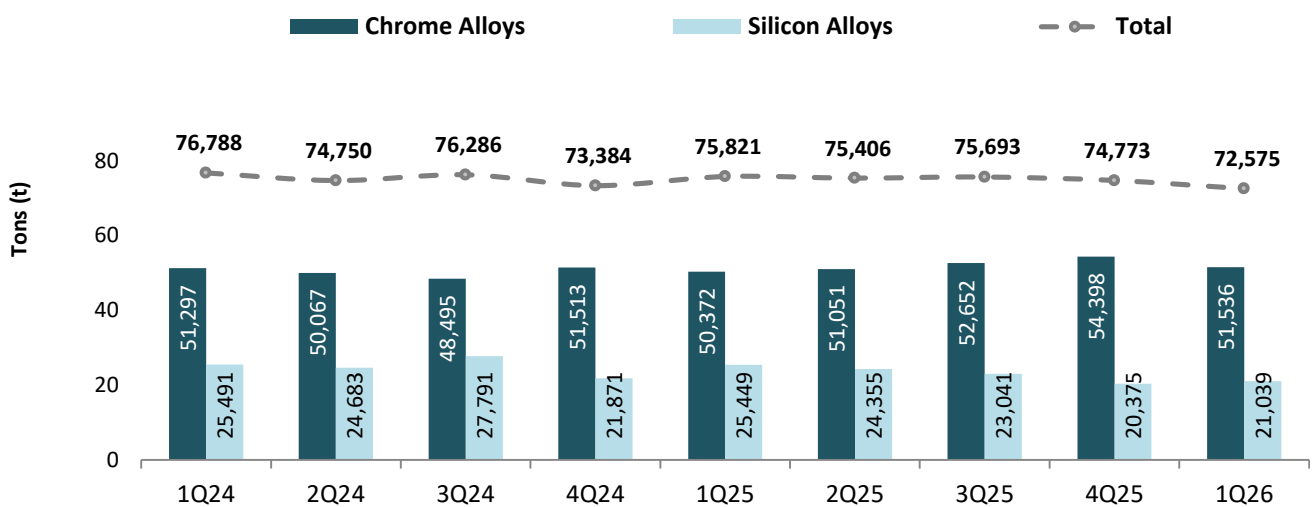
In the first quarter of 2026, 72,600 tons of ferroalloys were produced. The 2.9% decrease compared to the last quarter of 2025 resulted from a combination of a 5.3% decline in chromium alloys and a 3.3% increase in silicon alloys between 1Q25 and 1Q26, ferroalloys production decreased by 4.3%. It is important to note that a portion of the ferroalloys manufactured is consumed domestically as an input in other production chains.

Production (tons)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
Chromium Alloys	51,536	54,398	-5.3%	50,372	2.3%
Silicon Alloys	21,039	20,375	3.3%	25,449	-17.3%

Total	72,575	74,773	-2.9%	75,821	-4.3%
Utilization of installed capacity (MWh) %	77.9%	76.3%		84.1%	

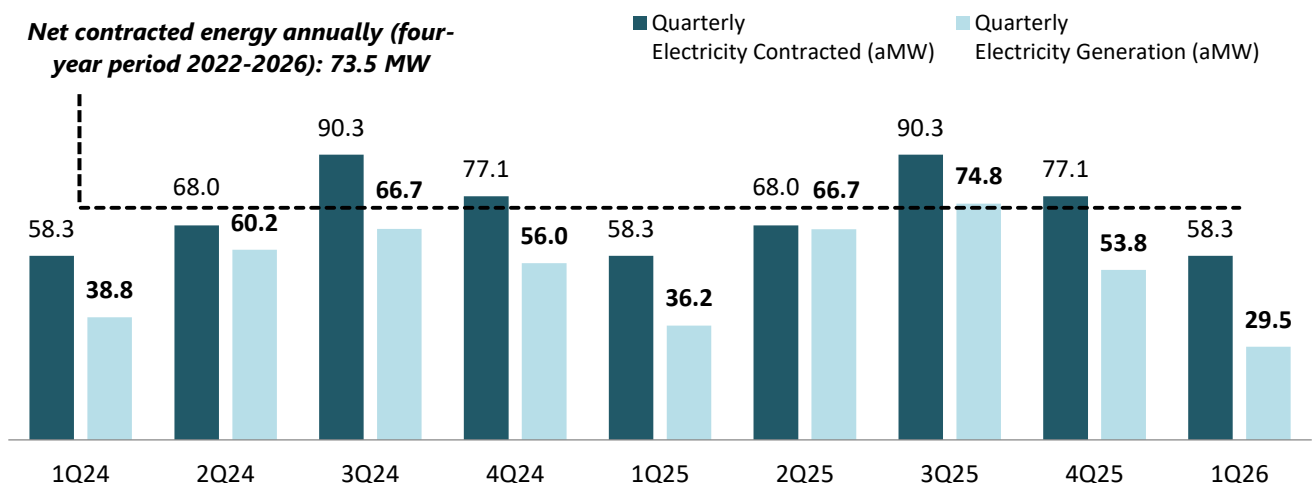
Installed capacity, measured based on the amount of electrical energy that can be consumed in MWh, assumes the daily and uninterrupted operation of furnaces at normal power (without power reduction or shutdowns of any kind) and a product mix that enables furnace operation at maximum power. The utilization of installed capacity, in turn, may be affected by: (i) furnace shutdown or power reduction for maintenance, repair, or operational intervention; (ii) production of alloys that require power reduction.; and (iii) marketing part of the contracted energy in the Free Market.

In 1Q26, FERBASAI utilized 77.9% of the installed capacity of the metallurgical plant, an increase of 1.6 percentage points in compared to 4Q25, this is due to the greater participation of silicon alloys, which are more electron-intensive, in the total production of the quarter.



4.2 Electric Power Generation – BW Guirapá

In the first quarter of 2026, net power generation at the BW Guirapá wind farms averaged 29.5 MW, a volume 18.6% lower than the same quarter of the previous year, periods with similar seasonal characteristics. The most important factors influencing the performance of the wind farm complex during this period were weather conditions and restrictions imposed by the National Electric System Operator (ONS). Most of these restrictions stemmed from the need to balance the transmission system during periods of high power generation compared to grid consumption.



In summary, the main factors influencing the energy generation of BW Guirapá are: (i) the operational availability of the entire wind farm complex, which, in the case of the wind turbine, is related to the available operating time and the time relative to effective generation (availability by energy); (ii) the performance of the wind turbines, measured by the association between actual and expected generation, based on the turbine's theoretical power curve; (iii) atmospheric weather conditions, which reflect wind quality (speed and density) and are determinants of the energy generation level; (iv) systemic restrictions imposed by the ONS; and (v) internal and external electrical losses.

In the quarter, the difference between the contracted generation of 58.3 MW on average and the net generation of 29.5 MW on average can be explained as follows:

1Q26 – Manageable factors (- 1.0 MW average):

- The realized availability of 98.1% caused a decrease of 0.7 MW on average in energy generation, a result predominantly related to damage to wind turbines, especially to wind generators and gearboxes.
- The average performance achieved of 99.3% resulted in a decrease of 0.3 MW on average, due to the calibration of the equipment that guides the wind turbines.

1Q26 – Unmanageable factors (-27.9 MW average):

- The weather negatively impacted net contracted generation by an average of 14.6 MW.
- The persistence of high levels of restrictions imposed by the ONS (National System Operator) in its management of the National Interconnected System (SIN) frustrated an average of 11.3 MW of generation from the park during the analyzed period.
- Internal and external electrical losses related to equipment and the transmission system (external systemic losses – allocated by the ONS), respectively, reduced contracted generation by an average of 2.0 MW.

The excessive restrictions imposed by the ONS (National System Operator) continue to impact the results of BW Guirapá and are being faced by the entire wind power generation segment, especially projects located in the North and Northeast of the country.

5. SALES

5.1 Sales Volume

In 1Q26, 63,900 tons of ferroalloys were sold, a decrease of 13.5% compared to 4Q25, resulting from declines of 8.6% in the domestic market (MI) and 18.8% in the export market (ME). When comparing 1Q26 with 1Q25, the decrease in sales volume was 8%, with reduced shipments to both markets.

In the ME (Metropolitan Region), the drop in export volume in 1Q26 largely reflects the high comparison base with 4Q25, when volumes were postponed due to protective measures adopted by the US. In February, the US Supreme Court overturned the "Tariff hike" and reinstated Brazilian chromium alloys on the export route to the country. In Europe, sales of silicon alloys have been impacted by restrictions related to high inventories and competition from metallic silicon in some applications. Simultaneously, the escalation of conflicts in the Middle East brings a new scenario of uncertainty, mainly in global logistics and energy commodity prices.

In the MI region, despite steel production continuing at a good pace, the decrease in alloy consumption is related to maintenance shutdowns in steel mills and increased internal competition in the ferroalloy market, including greater consumption of alternative materials. Faced with these challenging scenarios, FERBASA remains flexible in directing its products to meet Brazilian demand and exports, according to the best market conditions.

Sales (tons)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
DOMESTIC MARKET					
Chromium Alloys	31,709	33,237	-4.6%	33,138	-4.3%
Silicon Alloys	3,606	5,386	-33.0%	5,544	-35.0%
Total MI	35,315	38,623	-8.6%	38,682	-8.7%
FOREIGN MARKET					
Chromium Alloys	12,577	21,155	-40.5%	10,855	15.9%
Silicon Alloys	16,046	14,106	13.8%	19,996	-19.8%
Total ME	28,623	35,261	-18.8%	30,851	-7.2%
TOTAL (MI + ME)	63,938	73,884	-13.5%	69,533	-8.0%

5.2 Net Revenue

Consolidated net revenue for 1Q26 totaled R\$ 506.4 million, a decrease of 16% compared to 4Q25, resulting from a 15.2% decline in revenue from global sales of ferroalloys. This variation reflects contractions of 13.5% in sales volume and 1.5% in the average dollar exchange rate, combined with a slight increase of 0.9% in the average price of alloys, in dollars.

Compared to the same period in 2025, consolidated net revenue fell 7.9%, as a consequence of a 7.5% decrease in revenue from ferroalloys. This result reflects declines of 10.3% in the average dollar exchange rate and 8% in sales volume, coupled with a 14% increase in the average dollar price of ferroalloys.

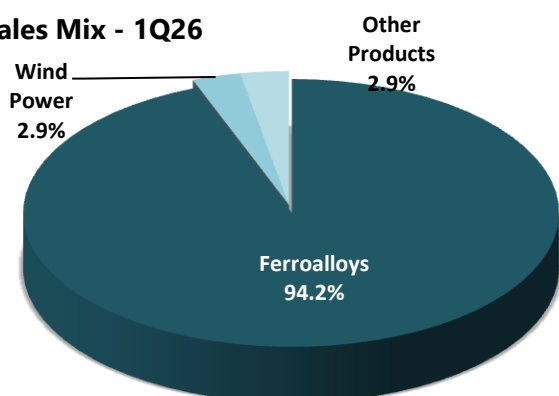
Net Revenue (R\$ millions)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
DOMESTIC MARKET					
Ferroalloys	256.5	284.6	-9.9%	275.2	-6.8%
Wind energy	14.7	25.2	-41.7%	20.3	-27.6%
Other Products (*)	14.8	15.0	-1.3%	14.2	4.2%
Total MI	286.0	324.8	-11.9%	309.7	-7.7%
FOREIGN MARKET					
Ferroalloys	220.4	277.8	-20.7%	240.1	-8.2%
Total ME	220.4	277.8	-20.7%	240.1	-8.2%
TOTAL (MI+ME)	506.4	602.6	-16.0%	549.8	-7.9%
Average exchange rate (BRL/USD)	5.30	5.38	-1.5%	5.91	-10.3%

(*) includes recipe with chromite sand, lime, microsilica, wood and slag.

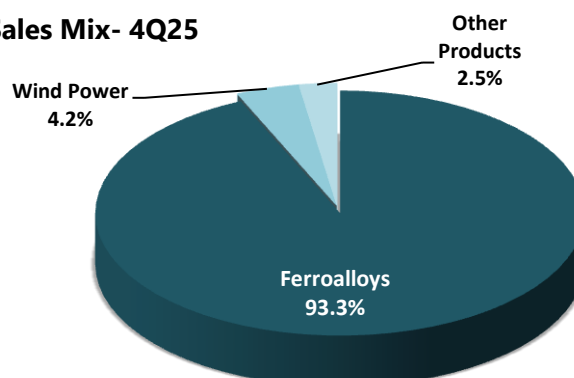
5.3 Net Revenue by Product and Market

Net revenue by product is shown in the chart below:

Sales Mix - 1Q26

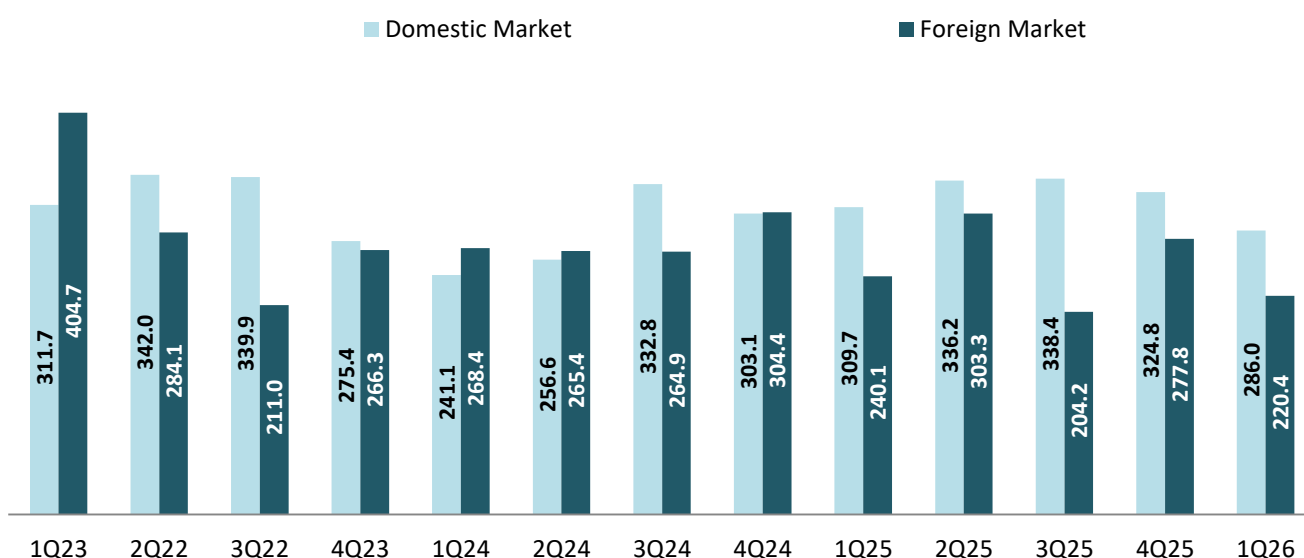


Sales Mix- 4Q25



The performance of the global steel industry remained modest at the beginning of 2026, a market condition similar to that recorded at the end of 2025. South Africa remains under pressure due to high logistical and energy costs, a context that still generates uncertainty in negotiations between producers and the government regarding the future of electricity tariffs. In China, ferrochrome production reached its highest level in March, after a period of decline in January and February. Regarding ferrosilicon, the scenario is one of caution due to the protective measures of the European Union.

Net Revenue Breakdown by Market (R\$ million)



6. COST OF GOODS SOLD

The consolidated cost of goods sold (COGS) totaled R\$ 458.6 million in 1Q26, a decrease of 15.2% compared to 4Q25, mainly justified by the 13.5% reduction in sales volume. In the year-on-year comparison, the consolidated COGS for 1Q26 decreased by 3.6% compared to 1Q25, in line with the 3.3% drop in COGS for ferroalloys. This variation is justified by the 8% reduction in sales volume and higher production costs for chromium ore, SiCr, and quartz, in addition to the effect of the decline in HCFeCr and FeSi production between the periods analyzed. Regarding the cost of electricity consumed in ferroalloy production, we recorded a slight reduction of 0.6% between 1Q25 and 1Q26.

Between the first quarters of 2025 and 2026, the stability in the production costs of high-carbon ferrochrome (HC FeCr) was ensured by lower coke expenses and the effects of reduced production volume. Conversely, low-carbon ferrochrome (LC FeCr) saw an increase due to higher expenditures on quicklime, chromium ore, and reducing agent (FeSiCr). Ferrosilicon (SiCr) also experienced cost increases, reflecting the higher cost of quartz and inputs such as electrode paste, coupled with the effect of decreased production during the period.

When observing the relationship between COGS and net revenue specifically for ferroalloys, an increase of 3.8 percentage points is observed between 1Q25 and 1Q26, mainly due to the rise in their production costs.

Finally, the "Wind Energy" line, presented in the table below, refers to the CPV (Cost Per Sale) of the BW Guirapá wind farm complex and covers the main cost components associated with the operation of the wind turbines, such as equipment maintenance, power transmission, and depreciation.

CPV (R\$ millions)	1Q26	%RL(*)	4Q25	%RL(*)	1Q25	%RL(*)
Ferroalloys	418.5	87.8%	478.1	85.0%	432.6	84.0%
Wind energy	25.0	170.1%	23.5	93.3%	24.8	122.2%
Other products (**)	10.7	72.3%	11.0	73.3%	10.5	73.9%
Subtotal products	454.2		512.6		467.9	
Depletion of the fair value of the biological asset	-		15.9		-	
Idle capacity	5.8		8.0		6.8	
Others	(1,4)		4.0		0.9	
Other subtotal	4.4		27.9		7.7	
Grand total	458.6		540.5		475.6	
%Net revenue	90.6%		89.7%		86.5%	

(*) considers the percentages of COGS by Net Revenue (NR) for each product line.

(**) Costs include the following products: chromite sand, lime, microsilica, wood and slag.

7. EXPENSES

7.1 Sales Expenses

Sales expenses totaled R\$ 5.2 million in 1Q26, a decrease of 10.3% compared to the R\$ 5.8 million recorded in 4Q25. This decrease is mainly due to the lower sales volume recorded during the period. Regarding net revenue, the percentage of sales expenses remained around 1% for both quarters.

7.2 General and Administrative Expenses

General expenses and administrative Consolidated figures include amounts related to salaries, benefits, management fees, social security contributions, consulting services, and the provision for profit sharing.

In 1Q26, these expenses totaled R\$ 42.5 million (R\$ 2.5 million related to BWG), representing a decrease of 39.5% compared to R\$ 70.3 million in 4Q25 (R\$ 3.0 million related to BWG), highlighting the absence of a provision in the profit-sharing line in 1Q26.

7.3 Other Expenses Operating Revenues

Total operating expenses reached R\$ 14.0 million in 1Q26, an amount 70.6% lower than that recorded in 4Q25, a fact explained by the concentration of expenses with geological research and consultancies in the last quarter of 2025. In 1Q26, the main accumulated expenses occurred in the lines related to Corporate Social Responsibility (R\$ 3.6 million), other taxes and fees (R\$ 4.4 million), and lower expenses with geological research, consultancies and other expenses (R\$ 6.0 million).

8. ADJUSTED EBITDA

EBITDA is not a measure defined by Brazilian and international accounting standards, representing the profit for the period before interest, income tax, social contribution, depreciation, amortization, and depletion. FERBASA discloses its adjusted EBITDA in accordance with CVM Resolution 156/22, that is, with the exclusion of the net effect of the fair value

of biological assets, the provision for contingencies, and other non-recurring effects. Adjusted EBITDA reached R\$ 44.1 million in 1Q26, with an EBITDA margin of 8.7%. - onean increase of 925.6% compared to 4Q25.

EBITDA - Consolidated (R\$ millions)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
Net profit	(2.4)	99.8	-	24.2	-
(+/-) Net financial result	(18.5)	(39.3)	-52.9%	(38.7)	-52.2%
(+/-) Corporate Income Tax/Social Contribution on Net Profit	7.0	(56.1)	-	15.5	-54.8%
(+/-) Depreciation, amortization, depletion and capital gains ¹	55.1	54.9	0.4%	59.6	-7.6%
EBITDA	41.2	59.3	-30.5%	60.6	-32.0%
(+/-) Provision for contingencies and other	0.4	(2.7)	-	(0.4)	-
(+/-) Net effect of the fair value of biological assets	-	(50.1)	-	-	-
(+/-) Tax credit recovery ²	-	(1.7)	-	(1.5)	-
(+/-) Other effects ³	2.5	(0.5)	-	2.4	-
Adjusted EBITDA	44.1	4.3	925.6%	61.1	-27.8%
EBITDA Margin	8.7%	0.7%		11.1%	

- 1) The capital gain refers to the effect of realizing the assets valued at their fair value, reflecting the acquisition of BWG.
- 2) Establishment of tax credits for federal taxes (does not include monetary adjustment).
- 3) Includes consolidated actuarial liabilities and other non-recurring effects.

9. FINANCIAL STRUCTURE

9.1 Cash Flow and Cash Consumption

In the first quarter of 2026, according to the Statement of Cash Flows (CFC) (CPC 03-R2), which only considers the variation in cash and cash equivalents accounts, the amount consumed by operating, investing, and financing activities was (-) R\$ 8.1 million, mainly influenced by:

(+) R\$ 46.9 million in operating profit, including changes in working capital, interest payments and taxes.

(-) R\$ 35.7 million from investment activities, influenced by:

- (i) transfer of financial investments to Cash and Cash Equivalents in the amount of (+) R\$ 8.5 million;
- (ii) acquisitions for fixed assets and biological assets that together totaled (-) R\$ 40.6 million;
- (iii) payment of the remaining balance from the acquisition of BWGuirapá in the amount of (-) R\$ 5.0 million; and
- (iv) others, in the amount of (+) R\$ 1.4 million.

(-) R\$ 19.3 million from financing activities, whose impacts were:

- (i) amortization of consolidated loans and financing in the amount of (-) R\$ 6.8 million relating to BWG's debt to BNDES; and
- (ii) Lease/rental payments that totaled (-) R\$ 12.5 million.

Considering Cash, Cash Equivalents and Financial Investments, there was cash generation of R\$ 7.1 million in 1Q26, totaling, at the end of the period, a consolidated financial reserve of R\$ 1.092 billion. Consolidated debt in 1Q26 was R\$ 361.4 million (of which R\$ 161.0 million refers to BWG's debt with BNDES). Thus, FERBASA ended 1Q26 with a net cash position of R\$ 731 million.

Net Cash Flow - Consolidated (R\$ millions)	31/03/2026	31/12/2025	Δ
Cash and cash equivalents	364.6	372.7	(8,1)
Financial investments	727.8	712.6	15.2
Total Financial Reserve	1,092.4	1,085.3	7.1
Loans and financing*	(361.4)	(366.9)	5.5
Cash (Debt) Net (a)	731.0	718.4	12.6

(*) The IOF value on the fundraising is R\$ 2.6 million and R\$ 2.7 million for 03/31/26 and 12/31/25, respectively.

9.2 Net Financial Result

The Company generated R\$ 18.5 million in financial results in 1Q26, an amount 52.9% lower than in 4Q25, mainly due to a 23.8% decrease in financial income. It is worth remembering that, in 4Q25, financial income had been increased by R\$ 11.8 million related to the monetary adjustment of recovered tax credits. Additionally, there was a deduction of R\$ 8.2 million related to the negative fluctuation of the net exchange rate variation between 4Q25 and 1Q26.

Financial result (R\$ millions)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
Financial performance					
Financial revenue	36.6	48.0	-23.8%	41.6	-12.0%
Financial expense	(12.7)	(11.5)	10.4%	(16.0)	-20.6%
Net exchange rate variation	(5.4)	2.8	-	13.1	-
Grand total	18.5	39.3	-52.9%	38.7	-52.2%

10. CAPEX

10.1 Operational

The Company invested R\$ 40.6 million in CAPEX in the first quarter of the year, a decrease of 4.5% compared to 1Q25 and a decrease of 63.7% compared to 4Q25. The values broken down by business unit are presented below:

CAPEX (R\$ millions)	Metallurgy	Mining	Forest	Wind energy	1Q26	4Q25	1Q25
Machinery and equipment	6.4	3.4	-	3.1	12.9	60.2	21.7
Biological asset	-	-	8.8	-	8.8	18.9	9.2
Mines	-	9.4	-	-	9.4	5.0	3.2
Buildings	1.8	1.1	5.6	-	8.5	23.7	6.5
Vehicles and tractors	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-
Furniture and utensils	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.1
Other (i)	0.1	-	0.9	-	1.0	2.2	1.8
Total	8.3	13.9	15.3	3.1	40.6	111.8	42.5

(i) These include: advances, IT, intangible assets, and others.

The most significant investments in 1Q26 were related to the acquisition of machinery and equipment (31.8%), mostly in Metallurgy and Mining, as well as the maintenance of biological assets (21.7%), in Forestry, and buildings (20.9%), in the three units mentioned. Together, these expenditures represented 74.4% of the total CAPEX incurred during the period.

10.2 Obligations related to the acquisition of subsidiaries.

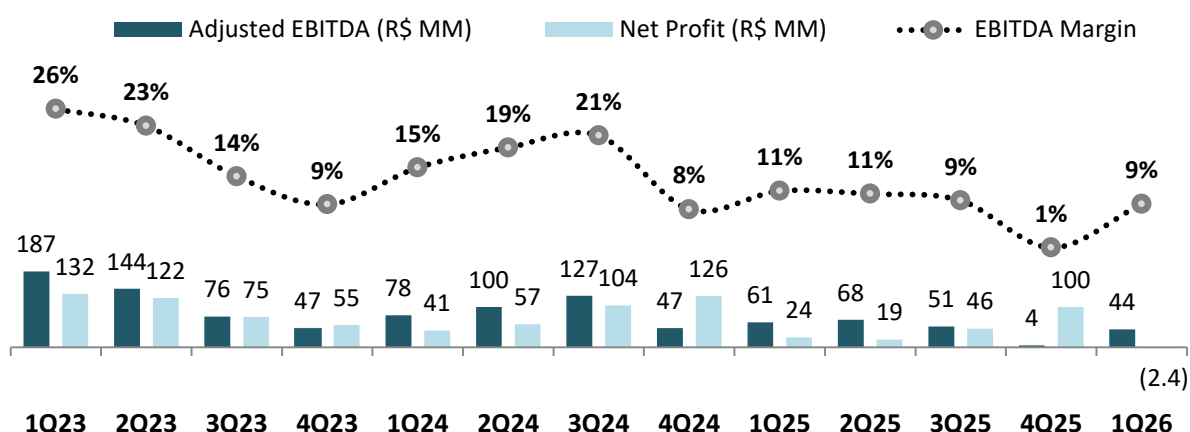
In the first quarter of 2026, the Company completed the payment of R\$ 5.0 million relating to the remaining balance of the acquisition of the BW Guirapá Wind Complex, from Santander and Brazil Wind.

11. NET PROFIT (LOSS)

In the first quarter of 2026, we realized a consolidated net loss of R\$ 2.4 million (negative margin of 0.5%), compared to a net profit of R\$ 99.8 million (net margin of 16.6%) recorded in 4Q25. The main factors influencing the change in results between 4Q25 and 1Q26 were:

- (i) A 0.9% increase in the average price of ferroalloys in dollars;
- (ii) A 1.5% devaluation in the average dollar exchange rate.
- (iii) A 13.5% reduction in the total sales volume of ferroalloys;
- (iv) A 12.5% decrease in the cost of goods sold (COGS) for ferroalloys;
- (v) A 52.9% drop in financial results;
- (vi) BW Guirapá reported a loss of R\$ 14.4 million in 1Q26, compared to a loss of R\$ 3.6 million in 4Q25.
- (vii) The 4Q25 was impacted by a positive effect of R\$ 50.1 million related to the adjustment of the biological asset and by revenue of R\$ 29.6 million from tax credits.

The following chart shows the evolution of EBITDA, EBITDA margin, and net profit since 1Q23.



12. STATEMENT OF ADDED VALUE

The table below demonstrates the wealth generated by the Company and its respective distribution. In 1Q26, R\$ 173.2 million was generated, an amount 23% lower than in 4Q25 and 27.3% lower than in 1Q25:

DVA (R\$ millions)	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%	1Q25	Δ%
Collaborators	108.7	144.4	-24.7%	106.7	1.9%

Government	46.3	(35,3)	-231.2%	66.3	-30.2%
Other (1)	20.6	16.0	28.8%	41.2	-50.0%
Net Profit (2)	(2,4)	99.8	-102.4%	24.2	-109.9%
Total	173.2	224.9	-23.0%	238.4	-27.3%

(1) These refer to interest, rent, leases, financial expenses, passive exchange rate variation, and others..

(2) Shareholders and retained earnings.

13. CAPITAL MARKETS AND INVESTOR RELATIONS

In line with best practices in information disclosure, FERBASA maintains its Investor Relations (IR) website as a central communication channel, holds quarterly earnings conferences, and an annual public meeting. Below is a summary of the main relevant information for investors and the market in general, pertinent to the period.

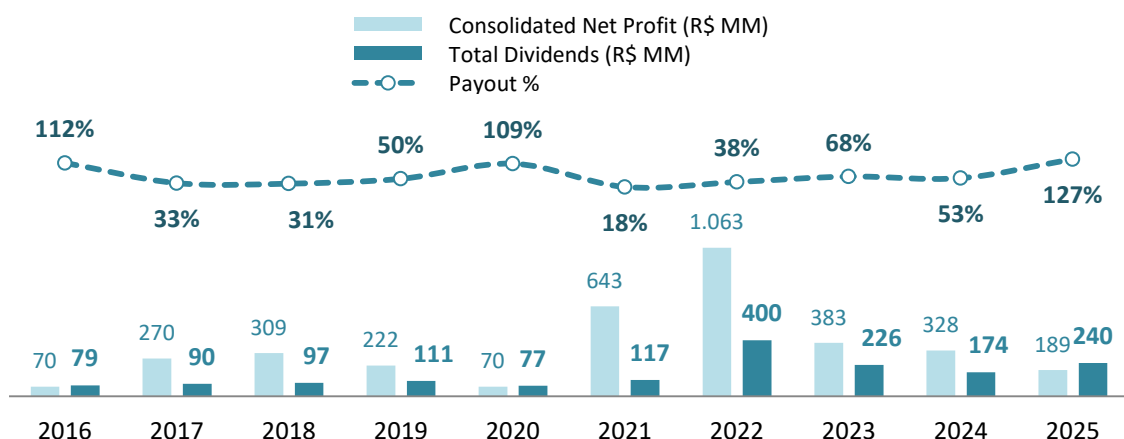
13.1 Share Buyback Program

FERBASA released a Material Fact notice on May 29, 2025, informing of the Board of Directors' decision regarding the "Share Buyback Program," valid until May 31, 2026. The acquisition operations will be carried out on the B3 stock exchange, with the intermediation of the financial institutions ITAÚ CORRETORA DE VALORES S/A and BTG PACTUAL CTVM, and should be limited to 3,200,000 (three million and two hundred thousand) preferred shares – FESA4.

In accordance with the premises established by the Program, the Company acquired, by the end of the first quarter of 2026, 1,519,200 (one million, five hundred and nineteen thousand and two hundred) preferred shares (FESA4).

13.2 Earnings

The chart below shows a historical series of profit distributions that reinforces FERBASA's position as a regular dividend payer. In 2025, R\$ 240 million in dividends were announced in the form of Interest on Equity – JCP, resulting in a payout of 127%.



13.3 FESA4 performance on B3

The following table shows some indicators about the behavior of FERBASA's preferred shares in 1Q26.

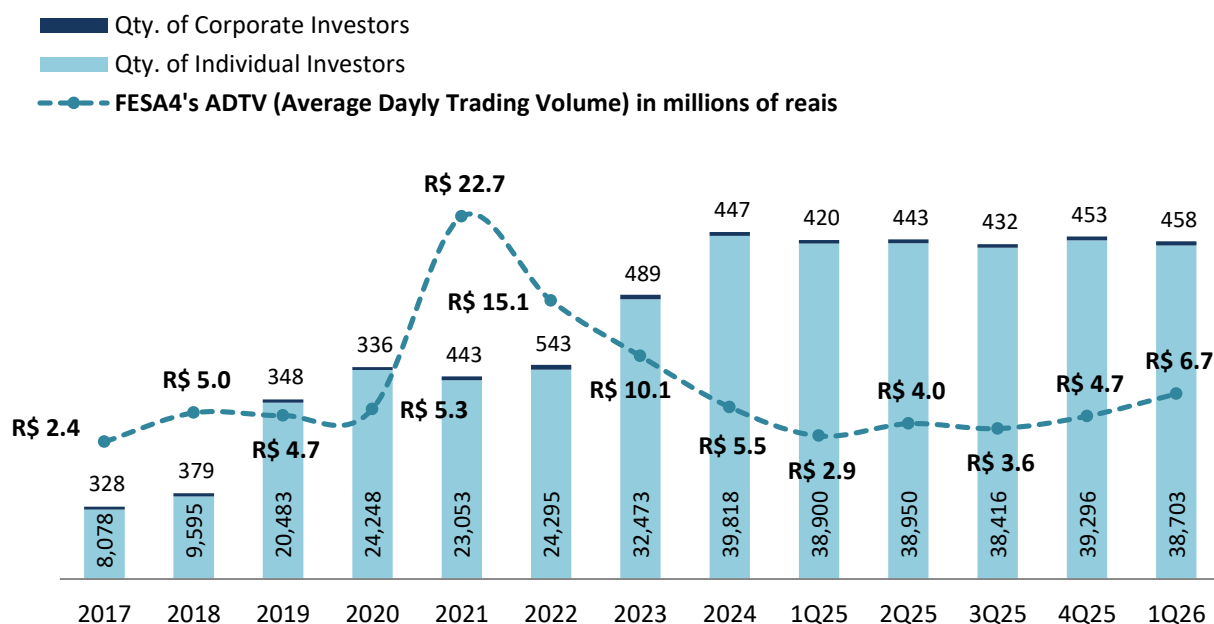
Capital Market Indicators	1Q26	4Q25	Δ%
Volume of shares traded (thousands)	53,432	41,128	29.9%
Transaction value (R\$ thousand)	409,227	290,695	40.8%
Market value (R\$ thousand) ⁽¹⁾	3,403,430	2,947,834	15.5%
Shares in circulation – Free Float (thousands) ⁽²⁾	160,030	160,073	-0.03%
Weighted average of the price during the period (PN R\$)	7.66	7.07	8.4%
Last price quote for the period (R\$ PN)	8.21	6.93	18.5%
Book value per share (R\$)	9.68	9.60	0.8%

Notes:

- (1) Total number of shares (by class ON and PN) multiplied by their respective prices on the dates of 03/31/2026 and 12/31/2025;
 (2) Total number of shares, excluding those in Treasury holdings (ON: 125 thousand; PN: 14,182.4 thousand), Controller (ON: 116,348 thousand; PN: 62,342 thousand) and Administrators (ON: 312; PN: 148 thousand).

In 1Q26, the Brazilian capital market consolidated a historic performance, driven by the significant inflow of foreign capital. Global geopolitical volatility and the interest rate differential between Brazil and the US acted as strategic catalysts, attracting institutional investors and increasing the liquidity of national assets. In this context, there was an improvement in the perceived value of FERBASA's assets, mainly due to the overturning of the "Tariff hike" by the US Supreme Court in February, which reopened the US market to some ferroalloys.

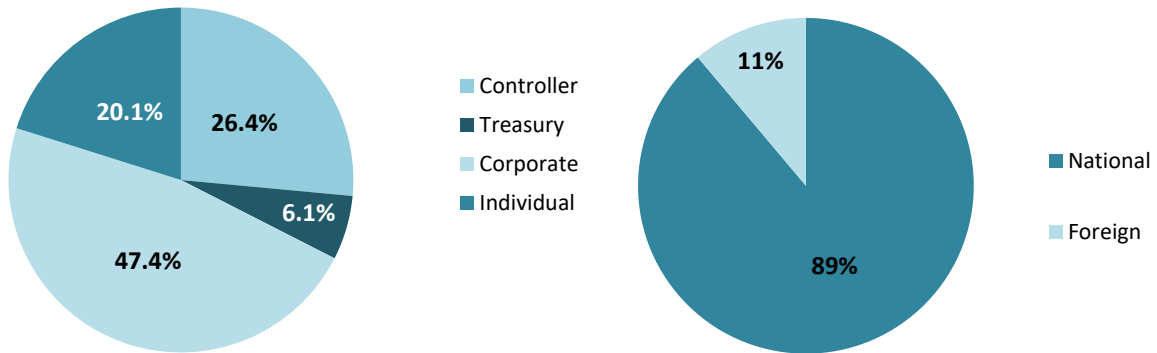
The following graph shows the evolution of the shareholder base, by shareholder type, and liquidity as measured by ADTV.



In 1Q26, the Company's average daily trading volume (ADTV) reached R\$ 6.7 million, representing a 43.1% increase compared to 4Q25. This performance was driven by a 32% growth in the average volume of preferred shares traded and an 8.4% increase in the average share price between the periods. The continued improvement in liquidity in recent quarters essentially reflects: (i) more favorable market prospects for FESA4 from the second half of 2025 onwards; and (ii) the significant inflow of foreign capital into the Brazilian stock exchange throughout 2025 and the first quarter of 2026.

13.4 Investor Profile

The shareholding profile of FERBASA's preferred shares (FESA4), taking as a reference the shareholding base on December 31, 2025, is configured as follows:



14. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

In line with the information disclosed in the 2025 financial statements, item 26.2, civil matters, the Company reports that in the proceedings that were under seal before the civil court of Pojuca, Bahia, whose values attributed to the cases on December 31, 2025, were R\$ 186,652 (2024, R\$ 188,580) and R\$ 1,771,825, respectively, classified as "possible" risk, judgments were issued that dismissed the merits of the claims, without any obligation or judgment against the Company.

GLOSSARY

High Carbon Ferrochrome (HC FeCr)- An iron-chromium alloy containing carbon, also known as "Charge Chrome," is used in the manufacture of stainless steels and special alloys. Stainless steels are used in the food, chemical, pulp and paper, and petroleum industries, as well as in the production of white goods, household appliances, construction, and other industries.

Low Carbon Ferrochrome (LC FeCr)- An iron-chromium alloy with a maximum carbon content of 0.15%, used in steel production to correct chromium levels without causing undesirable variations in carbon content. Industrially, it serves the same purpose as high-carbon ferrochrome, being used in the production of stainless steels with wide application in the consumer goods industry.

Ferrosilicon Chromium (SiCr)- Reducing agent in the manufacture of low-carbon ferrochrome and in steels, for the addition of chromium and silicon.

Ferrosilicon 75 (FeSi75)- In steel production, Ferrosilicon 75 Standard is used as a deoxidizer and alloying element; in the foundry industry it serves as a graphitizing agent. High Purity (HP) Ferrosilicon is used in the manufacture of steels intended for the production of transformers, hydroelectric plants, freezers, hermetic compressors for refrigerators, and others.

Millions of tons (Mt)According to the International System of Units (SI), the prefix designating million (mega) can be represented by the capital letter M. In the case of ton, its SI representation is the lowercase letter t. Therefore, for millions of tons, the abbreviation Mt can be used. (conversion: 1 Mt = 1,000,000 t).

15. MAIN CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (in R\$ thousand)

15.1 Balance Sheet

ACTIVE	1Q26	2025	1Q25
Current	1,758,035	1,785,074	1,671,967
Cash and cash equivalents	364,597	372,724	447,285
Financial investments	633,338	616,873	391,438
Accounts receivable from customers	173,265	198,179	184,173
Stocks	477,751	486,996	562,202
Taxes to be recovered/refunded	80,957	83,050	65,701
Prepaid expenses	4,118	4,001	5,082
Other assets	24,009	23,251	16,086
Non-Current	2,659,860	2,674,406	2,662,595
Financial investments	94,439	95,753	303,161
Stocks	8,987	8,987	3,396
Taxes to be recovered	8,877	10,104	6,819
Judicial deposits	10,178	10,013	9,819
Other credits	1,000	1,000	724
Investments	83,157	82,011	84,411
Fixed and intangible assets	1,827,434	1,834,599	1,749,696
Right of use under lease	63,145	73,153	78,534
Biological asset	562,643	558,786	426,035
Total Assets	4,417,895	4,459,480	4,334,562

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LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	1Q26	2025	1Q25
Current	537,768	582,545	541,904
Suppliers	144,681	175,163	134,121
Customer advances	14,341	9,923	12,484
Loans and financing	40,039	32,087	199,488
Cost of raising financing	(455)	(455)	(455)
Labor and actuarial obligations	75,041	93,063	79,424
Taxes and social security contributions	26,054	31,000	24,849
CCEE reimbursement account	75,766	73,392	50,243
Proposed dividends and interest on equity.	131,060	131,060	62
Rents to be paid	22,995	29,186	28,277
Other liabilities	8,246	8,126	13,411
Non-Current	596,535	590,895	427,637
Loans and financing	321,348	334,842	155,761
Cost of raising financing	(2,107)	(2,221)	(2,563)
Obligations related to the acquisition of a subsidiary	-	4,978	4,978
Labor and actuarial obligations	74,940	72,409	73,341
Taxes and social security contributions	21,828	21,828	3,587
Deferred taxes and social security contributions	11,045	7,782	22,025
CCEE reimbursement account	46,552	26,745	43,441
Provision for contingencies	62,253	61,263	62,688
Provision for environmental liability	45,858	45,034	41,565
Rents to be paid	14,818	18,235	22,814
Total Net Worth	3,283,592	3,286,040	3,365,021
Equity of Controlling Shareholders	3,281,842	3,284,363	3,363,440
Share capital	1,470,396	1,470,396	1,470,396
Profit reserve	1,814,211	1,814,211	1,859,894
Asset valuation adjustments	35,555	35,555	34,573
Treasury shares	(35,799)	(35,799)	(25,606)
Accumulated profits (losses)	(2,521)	-	24,183
Non-controlling interest	1,750	1,677	1,581
Total Liabilities and Equity	4,417,895	4,459,480	4,334,562

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15.2 Demonstration of Results

	1Q26		4Q25		2025		1Q25	
	R\$ thousand	%RL	R\$ thousand	%RL	R\$ thousand	%RL	R\$ thousand	%RL
GROSS REVENUE	578,207	100.0	680,933	100.0	2,644,912	100.0	624,065	100.0
Domestic market	357,811	61.9	403,035	59.2	1,619,368	61.2	384,001	61.5
Foreign market	220,396	38.1	277,898	40.8	1,025,544	38.8	240,064	38.5
Sales taxes	(71,835)	(12.4)	(78,337)	(11.5)	(310,458)	(11.7)	(74,216)	(11,9)
NET RECIPE	506,372	100.0	602,596	100.0	2,334,454	100.0	549,849	100.0
Cost of goods sold	(458,646)	(90.6)	(540,458)	(89.7)	(2,066,709)	(88.5)	(475,566)	(86.5)
Variation in the FV of the biological asset	-	-	65,969	10.9	143,401	6.1	-	-
GROSS PROFIT	47,726	9.4	128,107	21.3	411,146	17.6	74,283	13.5
Operating expenses								
With sales	(5,205)	(1.0)	(5,800)	(1.0)	(26,796)	(1.1)	(7,128)	(1.3)
Administrative	(34,320)	(6.8)	(36,628)	(6.1)	(138,482)	(5.9)	(33,450)	(6.1)
Compensation for Management and Profit Sharing	(8,171)	(1.6)	(33,621)	(5.6)	(80,624)	(3.5)	(12,951)	(2.1)
Other (expenses) operating revenues	(13,999)	(2.8)	(47,673)	(7.9)	(118,155)	(5.1)	(19,730)	(3.6)
Operating profit (loss) before financial results	(13,969)	(2.8)	4,385	0.7	47,089	2.0	1,024	0.2
Financial revenue	36,643	7.2	47,837	7.9	163,936	7.0	41,650	7.6
Financial expense	(12,703)	(2.5)	(11,421)	(1.9)	(64,595)	(2.8)	(16,017)	(2.9)
Net exchange rate variation	(5,442)	(1.1)	2,836	0.5	26,330	1.1	13,085	2.4
Financial Result	18,498	3.7	39,252	6.5	125,671	5.4	38,718	7.0
Profit before Corporate Income Tax/Social Contribution on Net Profit	4,529	0.9	43,637	7.2	172,760	7.4	39,742	7.2
Corporate Income Tax/Social Contribution on Net Profit	(6,977)	(1.4)	56,143	9.3	15,916	0.7	(15,494)	(2.8)
Net profit (loss) for the period	(2,448)	(0.5)	99,780	16.6	188,676	8.1	24,248	4.4

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15.3 Cash Flow Statement (Indirect)

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1Q26	2025	1Q25
Profit (Loss) for the period	(2.448)	188,676	24,248
Adjustments to net profit (loss)			
Interest and net monetary and exchange rate variations	(10.148)	(83.135)	(18.059)
Depreciation, amortization, and depletion	48,997	202.201	49,725
Depletion of biological asset	4,984	75,699	8,737
Fair value variation of biological assets	-	(143.401)	-
Residual value of a written-off fixed asset	-	792	44
Deferred taxes	3.263	(1.221)	13,527
Rent update due	2.070	11,720	(1.511)
Provision for profit sharing	-	-	3,483
Post-employment benefit update	2,531	3.012	2,457
Establishment (reversal) of provision for contingencies	417	(3.685)	(407)
Provision for CCEE reimbursement accounts	20,874	24,865	13,659
Others	1,661	7,886	1.211
	72.201	283,409	97.114
Reduction (increase) in asset accounts:			
Accounts receivable from customers	19,466	(1.288)	6,534
Stocks	8.303	66,551	(6.693)
Taxes to be recovered	4.009	65,809	64,774
Other assets	(1.745)	(6.270)	(78)
Increase (decrease) in liability accounts:			
Suppliers	(30.366)	49.026	7.408
Taxes and social security contributions	(4,760)	10,200	(14.216)
Income tax and social security contributions payable	3,713	1,456	1,968
Labor and actuarial obligations	(18.022)	(8.413)	(25,535)
CCEE reimbursement accounts	-	(10.431)	-
Other liabilities	3,732	(3.814)	(2,497)
Income tax and social security contributions paid.	(4.468)	(16,750)	(8.688)
Interest paid in the fiscal year	(5.161)	(26.299)	(6.758)
Net cash generated from operating activities	46,902	403.186	113,333
Cash flow from investing activities			
Capex	(40.620)	(300.116)	(42,472)
Sale of fixed assets	1.329	1.285	131
Transactions in financial investments	8.535	44.155	(3.421)
Investment in equity stakes	(4,978)	(16.325)	(16.325)
Cash flow applied to investing activities	(35,734)	(271.001)	(62.087)
Cash flow from financing activities			
Loan and financing amortization	(6.819)	(236,983)	(49.632)
Loans and financing (ACC)	-	200,000	-
Rent amortization	(12,476)	(67,732)	(18.415)
Treasury stock buyback	-	(10.193)	-
Dividends and interest on equity paid	-	(108.639)	-
Net cash applied to financing activities	(19.295)	(223,547)	(68.047)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(8.127)	(91.362)	(16.801)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the fiscal year.	372,724	464,086	464,086
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year.	364,597	372,724	447.285
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents balance	(8.127)	(91.362)	(16.801)
Net increase (decrease) in the balance of financial investments	15.151	43.056	25.029
Net increase (decrease) in financial reserves	7.024	(48.306)	8.228

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Balance Sheet
In thousands of reais

ASSETS	Note	Parent		Consolidated		LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	Note	Parent		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025			03/31/2026	12/31/2025	03/31/2026	12/31/2025
CURRENT						CURRENT					
Cash and cash equivalent	4	209,542	232,565	364,597	372,724	Suppliers	14	142,340	172,857	144,681	175,163
Financial Investments	5	633,338	616,873	633,338	616,873	Advances from customers	15	14,341	9,923	14,341	9,923
Accounts receivable from clients	6	161,671	186,614	173,265	198,179	Loans and Financing	16	1,471	1,359	39,584	31,632
Inventories	7	477,751	486,996	477,751	486,996	Labor and actuarial obligations	18	74,569	92,503	75,041	93,063
Taxes to be recovered and refunded	8	65,593	67,647	80,957	83,050	Taxes and social contributions	19	25,043	30,301	26,054	31,000
Prepaid expenses		4,118	4,001	4,118	4,001	CCEE reimbursement account	22	-	-	75,766	73,392
Other assets		19,322	17,596	24,009	23,251	Proposed dividends and interest on equity	24	130,985	130,985	131,060	131,060
Total current assets		1,571,335	1,612,292	1,758,035	1,785,074	Payable Leases	17	22,539	28,696	22,995	29,186
						Other liabilities		7,416	7,308	8,246	8,126
						Total current liabilities		418,704	473,932	537,768	582,545
NON-CURRENT						NON-CURRENT					
Financial Investments	5	30,028	29,098	94,439	95,753	Loans and financing	16	198,958	198,958	319,241	332,621
Inventories	7	8,987	8,987	8,987	8,987	Obligations with acquisition of subsidiaries		-	4,978	-	4,978
Recoverable taxes	8	8,877	10,104	8,877	10,104	Labor and actuarial obligations	18	74,940	72,409	74,940	72,409
Judicial deposits	10	9,628	9,463	10,178	10,013	Taxes and social contributions	19	21,741	21,741	21,828	21,828
Other credits		993	993	1,000	1,000	Taxes and social contributions - deferred	9	9,518	6,300	11,045	7,782
		58,513	58,645	123,481	125,857	CCEE reimbursement account	22	-	-	46,552	26,745
						Provisions for contingencies	21	62,253	61,263	62,253	61,263
						Provision for environmental liabilities	20	19,986	19,604	45,858	45,034
						Payable Leasings	17	10,916	14,055	14,818	18,235
						Total non-current liabilities		398,312	399,308	596,535	590,895
Investments	11	623,880	637,678	83,157	82,011	EQUITY					
Permanent and Intangible Assets	12	1,220,637	1,218,455	1,814,614	1,821,244	Share capital	24	1,470,396	1,470,396	1,470,396	1,470,396
Right of use in leasing	12	57,218	66,694	63,145	73,153	Retained earnings		1,814,211	1,814,211	1,814,211	1,814,211
Intangible	12	4,632	5,053	12,820	13,355	Equity assessment adjustment		35,555	35,555	35,555	35,555
Biological Asset	13	562,643	558,786	562,643	558,786	Treasury shares		(35,799)	(35,799)	(35,799)	(35,799)
						Accumulated loss		(2,521)	-	(2,521)	-
		2,469,010	2,486,666	2,536,379	2,548,549	Equity of controlling shareholders		3,281,842	3,284,363	3,281,842	3,284,363
						Participation of non-controlling shareholders		-	-	1,750	1,677
Total non-current assets		2,527,523	2,545,311	2,659,860	2,674,406	Total Equity		3,281,842	3,284,363	3,283,592	3,286,040
TOTAL ASSETS		4,098,858	4,157,603	4,417,895	4,459,480	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		4,098,858	4,157,603	4,417,895	4,459,480

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Income statements

(In thousands of Reais - R\$, except earnings per share)

	Note	Parent		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
NET SALES REVENUE	26	491,674	529,646	506,372	549,849
Cost of goods sold	27	(434,178)	(451,297)	(458,646)	(475,566)
Change in the fair value of biological assets					
GROSS PROFIT		57,496	78,349	47,726	74,283
OPERATING EXPENSES	27				
Selling expenses		(5,205)	(7,128)	(5,205)	(7,128)
General and administrative expenses		(39,407)	(43,284)	(42,491)	(46,401)
Other operating income (expenses)		(12,206)	(19,203)	(13,999)	(19,730)
		(56,818)	(69,615)	(61,695)	(73,259)
Equity	11	(14,944)	(9,610)	-	-
OPERATING PROFIT (LOSS)		(14,266)	(876)	(13,969)	1,024
FINANCIAL RESULT	28				
Financial income		31,731	64,916	38,644	70,089
Financial costs		(13,309)	(24,566)	(20,146)	(31,371)
		18,422	40,350	18,498	38,718
PROFIT BEFORE PROFIT TAXES		4,156	39,474	4,529	39,742
INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL CONTRIBUTION	9				
Current		(3,459)	(1,798)	(3,714)	(1,967)
Deferred		(3,218)	(13,493)	(3,263)	(13,527)
		(6,677)	(15,291)	(6,977)	(15,494)
NET PROFIT (LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD		(2,521)	24,183	(2,448)	24,248
Profit (loss) attributed to controlling shareholders		<u>(2,521)</u>	<u>24,183</u>	<u>(2,521)</u>	<u>24,183</u>
Profit (loss) attributed to non-controlling shareholders				<u>73</u>	<u>65</u>
BASIC/DILUTED PROFIT (LOSS) PER ON SHARE - BRL	25			(0.00698)	0.06668
BASIC/DILUTED PROFIT (LOSS) PER PN SHARE - BRL	25			(0.00768)	0.07335

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Statements of comprehensive income

In thousands of Reais

	Note	Parent		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
NET PROFIT (LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD		<u>(2,521)</u>	<u>24,183</u>	<u>(2,448)</u>	<u>24,248</u>
Actuarial obligations					
Effect of income tax and social contribution on actuarial obligations					
Cumulative Conversion Adjustment					
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of taxes.		-	-	-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		<u>(2,521)</u>	<u>24,183</u>	<u>(2,448)</u>	<u>24,248</u>
Profit (loss) attributed to controlling shareholders				<u>(2,521)</u>	<u>24,183</u>
Profit (loss) attributed to non-controlling shareholders				<u>73</u>	<u>65</u>

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Statements of changes in equity

In thousands of Reais

	Note	Attributable controlling shareholders									Attributable to non-controlling shareholders	Total consolidated shareholder's equity
		Share capital	Profit reserves			Profits to be realized	Asset valuation adjustments	Treasury shares	Retained earnings	Total equity		
			Legal	Tax incentive	For Investments							
BALANCES ON DECEMBER 31, 2024	24	1,470,396	240,690	604,154	965,455	49,595	34,573	(25,606)	-	3,339,257	1,516	3,340,773
Tax incentive reclassification		-	-	297,232	(297,232)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capitalization of reserves		-	-	-	5,439	-	-	-	(5,439)	-	-	-
Other comprehensive results		-	-	-	-	-	982	-	-	982	-	982
Capital contribution		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adjust asset valuation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prescribed dividends / interest on equity		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,439	5,439	-	5,439
Complementary interest on equity		-	-	-	(62,291)	-	-	-	-	(62,291)	(62)	(62,353)
Repurchase of reasury shares		-	-	-	-	-	-	(10,193)	-	(10,193)	-	(10,193)
Net profit for the year		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188,378	188,378	298	188,676
Profit destination:												
Formation of reserves		-	9,419	1,750	-	-	-	-	(11,169)	-	-	-
Proposed dividends		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(75)	(75)
Interest on equity		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(177,209)	(177,209)	-	(177,209)
BALANCES ON DECEMBER 31, 2025	24	1,470,396	250,109	903,136	611,371	49,595	35,555	(35,799)	-	3,284,363	1,677	3,286,040
Tax incentive reclassification		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capitalization of reserves		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other comprehensive results		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capital contribution		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adjust asset valuation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prescribed dividends / interest on equity	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Complementary interest on equity	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Repurchase of treasury shares	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net profit for the year		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,521)	(2,521)	73	(2,448)
Profit destination:	13											
Formation of reserves		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proposed dividends		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on equity		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BALANCES ON MARCH 31, 2026	24	1,470,396	250,109	903,136	611,371	49,595	35,555	(35,799)	(2,521)	3,281,842	1,750	3,283,592

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Cash flow demonstrations

In thousands of Reals

	Note	Parent		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Net profit (loss) for the period		(2,521)	24,183	(2,448)	24,248
Adjustments to reconcile net profit (loss) for the period with net cash generated by operating activities:					
Interest and net monetary and exchange variations		(14,611)	(23,803)	(10,148)	(18,059)
Depreciations, amortizations and depletions	12	38,021	38,517	48,997	49,725
Depletion of biological assets	13	4,984	8,737	4,984	8,737
Change in fair value of biological assets	18	-	-	-	-
Equity	11	14,944	9,610	-	-
Gain/loss on write-off/disposal		-	44	-	44
Deferred taxes	9	3,218	13,493	3,263	13,527
Provision for profit sharing		-	3,483	-	3,483
Provision (reversal) of Demobilization		-	-	442	-
Provision (reversal) for inventory loss	12	-	-	-	-
Rent update to be paid	17	2,509	(588)	2,070	(1,511)
Update of postemployment benefit plans	18	2,531	2,457	2,531	2,457
Constitution (reversal) of provision for contingencies	21	417	(407)	417	(407)
CCEE reimbursement account provision	22	-	-	20,874	13,659
Others		1	(7)	1,219	1,211
Decrease (increase) in asset accounts:					
Accounts receivable		19,495	7,040	19,466	6,534
Inventories		8,303	(6,693)	8,303	(6,693)
Taxes to be recovered		4,181	65,400	4,009	64,774
Advance to suppliers		-	-	-	-
Judicial Deposits	11	-	-	-	-
Other assets		(3,171)	(160)	(1,745)	(78)
Increase (decrease) in liability accounts:					
Suppliers		(30,390)	7,840	(30,366)	7,408
Taxes and social contributions		(5,258)	(14,347)	(4,760)	(14,216)
Income tax and social contribution		3,459	1,798	3,713	1,968
Labor and actuarial obligations		(17,934)	(25,519)	(18,022)	(25,535)
CCEE reimbursement account		-	-	-	-
Advances from customers		4,418	2,022	4,418	2,022
Other liabilities		(241)	(4,510)	(686)	(4,519)
Income tax and social contribution paid		(4,259)	(8,547)	(4,468)	(8,688)
Interest paid in the period		(1,705)	(2,835)	(5,161)	(6,758)
Net cash generated by operating activities		<u>26,391</u>	<u>97,208</u>	<u>46,902</u>	<u>113,333</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES					
Acquisition of Permanent Assets	12	(28,717)	(29,133)	(31,779)	(33,293)
Cost of planting and maintenance of biological assets	13	(8,841)	(9,179)	(8,841)	(9,179)
Receipt for sale of permanent assets		1,329	131	1,329	131
Dividends Received		-	-	-	-
Financial applications and redemption		4,245	3,307	8,535	(3,421)
Acquisition of subsidiaries supplement		(4,978)	-	(4,978)	-
Contribution to subsidiaries		-	(9,000)	-	-
Equity investment		-	(16,325)	-	(16,325)
Net cash invested in investment activities		<u>(36,962)</u>	<u>(60,199)</u>	<u>(35,734)</u>	<u>(62,087)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Raising funds	16	-	-	-	-
Amortization of financing	16	-	(42,992)	(6,819)	(49,632)
Amortization of leaseings	17	(12,452)	(18,055)	(12,476)	(18,415)
Capital contribution		-	-	-	-
Share buyback		-	-	-	-
Dividends and interest on shareholders' equity paid		-	-	-	-
Net cash invested in financing activities		<u>(12,452)</u>	<u>(61,047)</u>	<u>(19,295)</u>	<u>(68,047)</u>
EXCHANGE VARIATION WITHOUT CASH AND EQUIVALENTS		-	-	-	-
NET INCREASE (REDUCTION) IN THE BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		<u>(23,023)</u>	<u>(24,038)</u>	<u>(8,127)</u>	<u>(16,801)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	4	232,565	344,269	372,724	464,086
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	4	209,542	320,231	364,597	447,285
NET INCREASE (REDUCTION) IN THE BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		<u>(23,023)</u>	<u>(24,038)</u>	<u>(8,127)</u>	<u>(16,801)</u>

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CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S.A. – FERBASA AND SUBSIDIARIES

Statements of added value
In thousands of Reais

	Note	Parent		Consolidated	
		03/31/2026	03/31/2025	03/31/2026	03/31/2025
SALES REVENUE		562,144	602,523	578,207	624,066
Change in the fair value of biological assets		-	-	-	-
Revenues related to the construction of own assets		19,434	18,809	19,434	17,813
Other income		21,818	10,260	22,301	10,946
Provision/Reversal of Doubtful Credits		-	-	-	-
		603,396	631,592	619,942	652,825
INPUTS PURCHASED FROM THIRD PARTIES					
Cost of goods sold (includes raw materials)		(228,438)	(236,713)	(230,902)	(238,818)
Materials, energy, third-party services and others		(186,961)	(175,664)	(199,377)	(186,033)
GROSS VALUE ADDED		187,997	219,215	189,663	227,974
Depreciation, amortisation and depletion	12 e 13	(43,005)	(47,254)	(53,981)	(58,463)
Capital gain	11	-	-	(1,104)	(1,104)
NET VALUE ADDED PRODUCED BY THE COMPANY		144,992	171,961	134,578	168,407
ADDED VALUE RECEIVED IN TRANSFER					
Financial income	28	31,731	64,916	38,644	70,089
Equity	11	(14,944)	(9,610)	-	-
TOTAL ADDED VALUE TO DISTRIBUTE		161,779	227,267	173,222	238,496
DISTRIBUTION OF ADDED VALUE					
Employees:					
Salaries and wages		83,029	82,994	84,819	84,718
Benefits		17,695	15,834	17,887	16,019
FGTS (<i>Service Time Guarantee Fund</i>)		5,960	5,937	5,990	5,975
		106,684	104,765	108,696	106,712
Taxes, fees and contributions:					
Federal		32,849	54,845	34,949	56,782
State		9,863	8,318	9,991	8,495
Municipal		1,144	857	1,368	1,070
		43,856	64,020	46,308	66,347
Third-party capital remuneration		13,760	34,299	20,666	41,189
Return on equity					
Retained earnings and losses for the period		(2,521)	24,183	(2,521)	24,183
Participation of non-controlling		-	-	73	65
Return on equity		(2,521)	24,183	(2,448)	24,248
DISTRIBUTED VALUE ADDED		161,779	227,267	173,222	238,496

The notes are an integral part of these financial statements.