

**Solution:**

(1)

Under U.S. GAAP, the impairment of the long-lived assets is calculated as follows:

- (a) Recoverability test: The value comes out to be \$9 million given already. Book value is \$11 million. Thus, asset is not recoverable and hence impaired.
- (b) The loss will be

$$\text{Impairment Loss} = \text{Book Value} - \text{Fair Value} = \$3.5 \text{ million}$$

(2)

Under IFRS, there is a single step process.

Value recovered = \$7.4 million

Fair value = \$8.9 million (reduce cost to sell)

$$\text{Impairment Loss} = \text{Book Value} - \text{Fair Value} = \$2.1 \text{ million}$$