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Momondo A/S

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Annual report 2020

The Annual General Meeting adopted the annual report on 14.07.2021

Daniel Stephen Hafner

Chairman of the General Meeting

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Entity details

Entity

Momondo A/S

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CVR No.: 20181397

Registered office: København

Financial year: 01.01.2020 - 31.12.2020

Statutory reports on the entity's website

Statutory report on corporate social responsibility: https://www.bookingholdings.com/corporate-responsibility/

Board of Directors

Tore Pein Jensen Daniel Stephen Hafner Peer d'Artagnan Büller Susana Alves D'Emic

Executive Board

Tore Pein Jensen

Auditors

Deloitte Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab Weidekampsgade 6 2300 Copenhagen S

Statement by Management

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of Momondo A/S for the financial year 01.01.2020 - 31.12.2020.

The annual report is presented in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2020 and of the results of its operations and cash flows for the financial year 01.01.2020 - 31.12.2020.

We believe that the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Copenhagen, 14.07.2021

Executive Board

Tore Pein Jensen

Board of Directors

Tore Pein Jensen

Daniel Stephen Hafner

Peer d'Artagnan Büller

Susana Alves D'Emic

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Momondo A/S

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Momondo A/S for the financial year 01.01.2020 - 31.12.2020, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2020 and of the results of its operations and cash flows for the financial year 01.01.2020 - 31.12.2020 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of this auditor's report. We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board of Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern, and for using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements, and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Statement on the management commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the management commentary, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the management commentary and, in doing so, consider whether the management commentary is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the management commentary provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Copenhagen, 14.07.2021

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Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR No. 33963556

Christian Sanderhage

State Authorised Public Accountant Identification No (MNE) mne23347

Jacob Medard Frederiksen

State Authorised Public Accountant Identification No (MNE) mne44110

Management commentary

Financial highlights

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000
Key figures					_
Revenue	203,375	703,468	662,034	772,348	603,622
Gross profit/loss	100,491	349,600	261,714	153,698	55,615
Operating profit/loss	(19,297)	208,165	104,588	(1,998)	(43,402)
Net financials	546	192	(584)	(3,706)	(3,185)
Profit/loss for the year	(14,809)	163,380	107,749	(30,134)	(35,954)
Total assets	362,669	384,936	229,080	155,665	138,508
Investments in property,	73	1,086	2,324	2,232	5,973
plant and equipment					
Equity	295,608	310,417	147,037	(103,301)	(73,166)
Average number of	109	159	205	229	177
employees					
Ratios					
Gross margin (%)	49.41	49.70	39.53	19.90	9.21
Net margin (%)	(7.28)	23.22	16.28	(3.90)	(5.96)
Return on equity (%)	N/A	71.48	492.72	N/A	N/A
Equity ratio (%)	81.51	80.64	64.19	(66.36)	(52.82)

Financial highlights are defined and calculated in accordance with the current version of "Recommendations & Ratios" issued by the CFA Society Denmark.

Gross margin (%):

Gross profit/loss * 100

Revenue

Net margin (%):

Profit/loss for the year * 100

Revenue

Return on equity (%):

Profit/loss for the year * 100

Average equity

Equity ratio (%):

Equity * 100

Total assets

Primary activities

The Company's primary activity is to conduct internet business, web solutions for travel search and development in relation thereof.

Development in activities and finances

Booking Holdings Inc. (NASDAQ: BKNG) acquired ownership of Momondo Group Holdings Limited through its wholly owned subsidiary, Priceline.com International Limited, in July 2017. Following the acquisition, Momondo A/S has been managed by KAYAK, a subsidiary of Booking Holdings Inc. Under the leadership of KAYAK, Momondo A/S remained committed to growing its international footprint and expanding on its product portfolio and mobile offerings. Our global travel revenue has declined significantly due to the COVID-19 crisis and consequently Momondo A/S has implemented a number of initiatives in February 2020 to reduce cost, such as a hiring freeze and reducing discretionary spending. Given the state of the business and the expected prolonged impact of the crisis, Momondo A/S has also reduced the size of the team. This decision was made to ensure Momondo A/S will emerge from the crisis with strength and continue to serve travelers globally. Equity end of the year is 296m DKK.

Profit/loss for the year in relation to expected developments

Momondo A/S's operating results were negatively impacted by COVID-19 in 2020 which is in line with the expectations from 2019. Revenues declined by more than 70%. In response marketing costs were significantly reduced. Staff costs also decreased by 20.6mDKK. Depreciation, amortization and impairment losses decreased from 2,5m DKK to 2,1m DKK.

Outlook

The COVID-19 pandemic and the resulting economic conditions and government orders have resulted in an unprecedented decline in travel activities and consumer demand for related services. The Company's financial results and prospects are almost entirely dependent on the sale of such travel services. With the roll out of vaccines and an improvement of the situation in general, we expect 2021 to be better than 2020, although they will not be at the level of 2019. Looking forward, due to the value of our platform, our cost structure and strong liquidity, we expect to emerge from this crisis in a strong position.

Environmental performance

Momondo A/S is part of the Bookings Holding group and its CSR policies, which is why we refer to the 2020 Annual Corporate Responsibility Group CSR Report, which can be found here https://www.bookingholdings.com/corporate-responsibility/

Statutory report on corporate social responsibility

Momondo A/S is part of Bookings Holding and follows its CSR policies, which is why we refer to the 2020 Annual Corporate Responsibility Report, which can be found here https://www.bookingholdings.com/corporate-responsibility/

Statutory report on the underrepresented gender

As part of Booking Holdings, Momondo A/S is committed to continued efforts to create a welcoming and inclusive workplace. During 2020, we continued to participate in the Booking Holdings Women in Leadership program, which aims to evolve women's leadership skills and create a network of other women leaders across Booking Holdings. We also continue to conduct gender pay equity studies every 2 years to ensure that there is no disparity in pay based on gender, and are beginning to conduct race and ethnicity pay equity studies where data is available. Across KAYAK, which Momondo A/S is managed by, as of Q4 2020 our workforce is 58% male and 42% female.* We also added a female director to the board of Momondo A/S during this fiscal year.

* Please note percentages were rounded to maintain consistency and as a result, may not total 100 percent. Due to global privacy laws, the majority of this data is self-reported.

Events after the balance sheet date

In 2021 the company continues to be impacted by the COVID-19 crisis. Momondo A/S already implemented a number of initiatives in early 2020 to reduce cost. This included reducing the size of the team, implementing a hiring freeze and reducing discretionary spending. These difficult decisions were taken during 2020 with a view to emerge from the crisis with strength and continue to serve travelers globally.

In 2021 Momondo have decided to repay all government grants received in relation to COVID-19 and will therefore repay the full amount of 4,142,952 DKK to the Danish government.

No other events have occurred after the balance sheet date to this date, which would influence the evaluation of this annual report.

Income statement for 2020

		2020	2019
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Revenue	2	203,374,735	703,467,597
Other operating income	3	4,230,619	0
Other external expenses	4	(107,114,467)	(353,867,962)
Gross profit/loss		100,490,887	349,599,635
Staff costs	5	(117,664,650)	(138,966,494)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	6	(2,123,385)	(2,468,579)
Operating profit/loss		(19,297,148)	208,164,562
Other financial income	7	580,581	472,874
Other financial expenses	8	(34,158)	(281,001)
Profit/loss before tax		(18,750,725)	208,356,435
Tax on profit/loss for the year	9	3,941,459	(44,976,807)
Profit/loss for the year	10	(14,809,266)	163,379,628

Balance sheet at 31.12.2020

Assets

	Notes	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Acquired intangible assets		0	0
Intangible assets	11	0	0
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		754,055	2,092,464
Leasehold improvements		643,765	1,356,381
Property, plant and equipment	12	1,397,820	3,448,845
Other receivables		0	3,842,700
Deferred tax	14	6,434,159	4,362,830
Financial assets	13	6,434,159	8,205,530
Fixed assets		7,831,979	11,654,375
Trade receivables		578,177	30,820,855
Receivables from group enterprises		337,102,308	294,912,425
Other receivables		4,304,122	1,126,566
Tax receivable		1,979,221	0
Prepayments	15	1,107,266	1,694,538
Receivables		345,071,094	328,554,384
Cash		9,766,346	44,727,736
Current assets		354,837,440	373,282,120
Assets		362,669,419	384,936,495

Equity and liabilities

	Notes	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Contributed capital	16	1,672,600	1,672,600
Retained earnings		293,935,252	308,744,518
Equity		295,607,852	310,417,118
Other provisions	17	24,175,380	17,054,440
Provisions		24,175,380	17,054,440
Other payables		0	3,436,368
Non-current liabilities other than provisions		0	3,436,368
Prepayments received from customers		820,513	812,206
Trade payables		3,498,921	17,747,993
Payables to group enterprises		7,897,034	2,559,174
Tax payable		0	8,243,274
Other payables		30,669,719	24,665,922
Current liabilities other than provisions		42,886,187	54,028,569
Liabilities other than provisions		42,886,187	57,464,937
Equity and liabilities		362,669,419	384,936,495
Events after the balance sheet date	1		
Unrecognised rental and lease commitments	19		
Contingent liabilities	20		
Transactions with related parties	21		
Group relations	22		

Statement of changes in equity for 2020

	Contributed capital DKK	Retained earnings DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	1,672,600	308,744,518	310,417,118
Profit/loss for the year	0	(14,809,266)	(14,809,266)
Equity end of year	1,672,600	293,935,252	295,607,852

Cash flow statement for 2020

	Notes	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Operating profit/loss		(19,297,148)	208,164,562
Amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses		2,123,385	2,468,579
Other provisions		7,120,940	8,280,856
Working capital changes	18	19,821,758	3,061,107
Cash flow from ordinary operating activities		9,768,935	221,975,104
Financial income received		580,581	472,874
Financial expenses paid		(34,158)	(281,001)
Taxes refunded/(paid)		(8,352,365)	(35,227,497)
Cash flows from operating activities		1,962,993	186,939,480
Acquisition etc of property, plant and equipment		(73,039)	(1,085,514)
Sale of property, plant and equipment		679	26,812
Acquisition of fixed asset investments		0/3	(53,589)
Cash flows from investing activities		(72,360)	(1,112,291)
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Free cash flows generated from operations and investments before financing		1,890,633	185,827,189
Change in debt to group enterprises		5,337,860	(10,580,181)
Change in receivables from group enterprises		(42,189,883)	(189,102,706)
Cash flows from financing activities		(36,852,023)	(199,682,887)
Increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(34,961,390)	(13,855,698)
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year		44,727,736	58,583,434
Cash and cash equivalents end of year		9,766,346	44,727,736
Cash and cash equivalents at year-end are composed of:			
Cash		9,766,346	44,727,736
Cash and cash equivalents end of year		9,766,346	44,727,736

Notes

1 Events after the balance sheet date

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2 Revenue

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Airline	119,910,274	442,541,951
Hotel	36,005,504	124,579,687
Car	7,880,026	11,092,209
Packages	2,448,354	12,220,231
Other	1,490	0
Advertising	37,129,087	113,033,519
Total revenue by activity	203,374,735	703,467,597

3 Other operating income

The company has in 2020 applied for relief packages related to COVID-19 and has received fixed cost compensation amounting to 4,142,952DKK. As disclosed in note 1, the amount will be repaid to the danish government in 2021.

4 Fees to the auditor appointed by the Annual General Meeting

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Statutory audit services	241,500	239,000
Other services	22,700	22,100
	264,200	261,100

5 Staff costs

Current tax

Change in deferred tax

Adjustment concerning previous years

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Wages and salaries	112,811,791	129,466,232
Pension costs	3,402,319	5,345,888
Other social security costs	524,046	1,264,107
Other staff costs	926,494	2,890,267
	117,664,650	138,966,494
Average number of full-time employees	109	159

Information on remuneration to management has been omitted with reference to the Annual Accounts Act, section 98b, paragraph 3.

6 Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	2,005,187	2,495,392
Profit/loss from sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment	118,198	(26,813)
	2,123,385	2,468,579
7 Other financial income		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Other interest income	401,320	4,866
Exchange rate adjustments	179,261	468,008
	580,581	472,874
8 Other financial expenses		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Other interest expenses	31,411	88,483
Exchange rate adjustments	2,747	192,518
	34,158	281,001
9 Tax on profit/loss for the year		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK

968,161

(2,071,329)

(2,838,291)

(3,941,459)

39,382,062 5,594,745

44,976,807

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10 Proposed	distribution of	f profit and loss
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	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Retained earnings	(14,809,266)	163,379,628
	(14,809,266)	163,379,628

11 Intangible assets

	Acquired intangible	
	assets	
	DKK	
Cost beginning of year	150,965	
Cost end of year	150,965	
Amortisation and impairment losses beginning of year	(150,965)	
Amortisation and impairment losses end of year	(150,965)	
Carrying amount end of year	0	

12 Property, plant and equipment

	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment DKK	Leasehold improvements DKK
Cost beginning of year	7,329,430	3,176,907
Additions	16,305	56,734
Disposals	(1,909,160)	0
Cost end of year	5,436,575	3,233,641
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of year	(5,236,966)	(1,820,526)
Depreciation for the year	(1,235,837)	(769,350)
Reversal regarding disposals	1,790,283	0
Depreciation and impairment losses end of year	(4,682,520)	(2,589,876)
Carrying amount end of year	754,055	643,765

13 Financial assets

	Deferred tax
	DKK
Cost beginning of year	4,362,830
Additions	2,071,329
Cost end of year	6,434,159
Carrying amount end of year	6,434,159

14 Deferred tax

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Intangible assets	3,227	7,629
Property, plant and equipment	530,706	456,477
Receivables	154,159	146,747
Provisions	5,318,584	3,751,977
Liabilities other than provisions	427,483	0
Deferred tax	6,434,159	4,362,830
	2020	2019
Changes during the year	DKK	DKK
Beginning of year	4,362,830	9,957,575
Recognised in the income statement	2,071,329	(5,594,745)
End of year	6,434,159	4,362,830

The deferred tax assets is expected to be realized over the next 3-5 years.

15 Prepayments

Prepayments comprise incurred costs relating to subsequent financial years.

16 Share capital

	Par value	Par value	
	Number	DKK	value DKK
Stocks	16,726	100	1,672,600
	16,726		1,672,600

17 Other provisions

Other provisions comprise contractual liabilities regarding restricted stock units in Booking Holdings, Connecticut, US, aquired by employees and executives in Momondo A/S.

18 Changes in working capital

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Increase/decrease in receivables	31,495,094	12,439,686
Increase/decrease in trade payables etc	(11,673,336)	(9,378,579)
	19,821,758	3,061,107

19 Unrecognised rental and lease commitments

2020	2019
DKK	DKK
Liabilities under rental or lease agreements until maturity in total 4,572,813	12,168,550

20 Contingent liabilities

A business partner has in 2017 sued Momondo A/S for breach of licence agreement. The size of any claim for damages against the company has not yet been made more specific for which reason a provision for such claim has not been made in the financial statements apart from a provision for legal expenses related to the lawsuit.

21 Transactions with related parties

Only non-arm's-length transactions with related parties are disclosed in the financial statements. All related party transactions carried out during the financial year have been made in an arm's length basis.

22 Group relations

Name and registered office of the Parent preparing consolidated financial statements for the largest group: Booking Holdings Inc., 800 Connecticut Avenue, Norwalk, CT 06854, United States.

Name and registered office of the Parent preparing consolidated financial statements for the smallest group: Booking Holdings Inc., 800 Connecticut Avenue, Norwalk, CT 06854, United States.

Accounting policies

Reporting class

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class C enterprises (large).

The accounting policies applied to these financial statements are consistent with those applied last year.

Recognition and measurement

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable as a result of a prior event that future economic benefits will flow to the Entity, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when the Entity has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a prior event, and it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Entity, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is effected as described below for each financial statement item.

Anticipated risks and losses that arise before the time of presentation of the annual report and that confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date are considered at recognition and measurement.

Income is recognised in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognised by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, foreign currency transactions are translated applying the exchange rate at the transaction date. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated using the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences that arise between the rate at the transaction date and the rate in effect at the payment date, or the rate at the balance sheet date, are recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses. Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, inventories and other non-monetary assets that have been purchased in foreign currencies are translated using historical rates.

Income statement

Revenue

Revenue from the sale of services is recognised in the income statement when delivery is made to the buyer. Revenue is recognised net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and is measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

Other operating income

Other operating income comprises income of a secondary nature as viewed in relation to the Entity's primary activities.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses relating to the Entity's ordinary activities, including expenses for premises, stationery and office supplies, marketing costs, etc. This item also includes writedowns of receivables recognised in current assets.

Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages, and social security contributions, pension contributions, etc for entity staff.

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses relating to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets comprise depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses for the financial year, and gains and losses from the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

Other financial income

Other financial income comprises interest income, including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, net capital or exchange gains on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets, and tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Other financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, including interest expenses on payables to group enterprises, net capital or exchange losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities, and tax surcharge under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognised directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity.

Balance sheet

Intellectual property rights etc

Intellectual property rights etc comprise development projects completed and in progress with related intellectual property rights, acquired intellectual property rights and prepayments for intangible assets.

Intellectual property rights acquired are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation. Patents are amortised on a straight-line basis over their remaining duration, and licences are amortised over the term of the agreement., but over no more than 5 years.

Intellectual property rights etc are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Property, plant and equipment

Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation.

The basis of depreciation is cost less estimated residual value after the end of useful life. Straight-line depreciation is made on the basis of the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment Leasehold improvements 2-4 years

5 years

For leasehold improvements, the depreciation period cannot exceed the contract period.

Estimated useful lives and residual values are reassessed annually.

Equipment are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, usually equalling nominal value, less writedowns for bad and doubtful debts.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax-based value of assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value is calculated based on the planned use of each asset.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, are recognised in the balance sheet at their estimated realisable value, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

Tax payable or receivable

Current tax payable or receivable is recognised in the balance sheet, stated as tax computed on this year's taxable income, adjusted for prepaid tax.

Prepayments

Prepayments comprise incurred costs relating to subsequent financial years. Prepayments are measured at cost.

Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

Other provisions

Other provisions comprise contractual liabilities.

Other provisions are recognised and measured as the best estimate of the expenses required to settle the liabilities at the balance sheet date. Provisions that are estimated to mature more than one year after the balance sheet date are measured at their discounted value.

Operating leases

Lease payments on operating leases are recognised on a straight-line basis in the income statement over the term of the lease.

Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to nominal value.

Prepayments received from customers

Prepayments received from customers comprise amounts received from customers prior to delivery of the goods agreed or completion of the service agreed.

Cash flow statement

The cash flow statement shows cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities, and cash and cash equivalents at the beginning and the end of the financial year.

Cash flows from operating activities are presented using the indirect method and calculated as the operating profit/loss adjusted for non-cash operating items, working capital changes and income taxes paid.

Cash flows from investing activities comprise payments in connection with fixed asset investments as well as purchase, development, improvement and sale, etc of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment, including acquisition of assets held under finance leases.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the size or composition of the contributed capital and related costs, and the raising of loans, inception of finance leases, repayments of interest-bearing debt, purchase of treasury shares and payment of dividend.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and short-term securities with an insignificant price risk less short-term bank loans.