2526028 , (England and Wales)

ENTA TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

Directors' Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997



Company Information

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Secretary

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Directors' Report for the year ended 30 April 1997

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 1997.

Principal Activities and Review of the Business

The principal activities of the company have been that of the importation and sale of computers and related products.

The directors consider the trading and the results in the period satisfactory. We continue to consolidate our market position. Margins remained depressed by increasing price competition and short shell life products.

Current trading indicates an increase in market demands. However, our margin and profitability have not improved in the environment of intense price competition and costly post sales services. Cost containment measures would be introduced to enhance our competitiveness.

Overall, the directors are optimistic of the prospect and further growth.

Results and Dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 4.

The directors do not recommend payment of a dividend.

It is proposed that the retained profit of £320,209 is transferred to reserves.

Fixed Assets

The significant changes in fixed assets during the year are explained in notes 6 and 7 to the financial statements.

Market Value of Land and Buildings

The market value of land and buildings is not lower than the book value.

Directors' Responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Directors' Report for the year ended 30 April 1997 (continued)

Directors and their Interests

The directors who served during the year and their interests in the company were as stated below.

stated below.				of shares
		Class of share	1997	1996
Jason Tsai		Ordinary shares	-	259,700
Yueh-Taou Chang	Tsai	Ordinary shares	-	270,300
Yueh-Taou Chang	Tsai has the fo	llowing holding in the parent company:		
			1	Number
			1997	1996
Ordinary shares			51	_

Auditors

In accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution proposing that Simmons Gainsford be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

This report was approved by the Board on 28 November 1997

Secretary

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Auditors' Report to the shareholders of ENTA TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 15 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 8.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 1 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 April 1997 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Simmons Gainsford

Chartered Accountants

Registered Auditor

28 November 1997

7/10 Chandos Street Cavendish Square London W1M 9DE

Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 30 April 1997

	Notes	1997 £	1996 £
Turnover	2	52,339,423	35,186,380
Cost of sales		(48,164,508)	(31,737,329)
Gross profit		4,174,915	3,449,051
Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating income		(780,681) (3,199,662) 141,325	(605,138) (2,615,347) 69,127
Operating profit	3	335,897	297,693
Other interest receivable and similar income	4	106,078	71,336
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		441,975	369,029
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	(121,766)	(56,251)
Profit for the year	15	£ 320,209	£ 312,778

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

Balance Sheet as at 30 April 1997

·		199	77	199	6
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets Investments	6 7		3,622,289 100		3,383,313
			3,622,389		3,383,313
Current Assets		•			
Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	8 9	3,274,382 4,943,862 1,789,939		3,413,204 4,130,060 1,706,502	
		10,008,183		9,249,766	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(9,095,674)		(8,571,305)	
Net Current Assets			912,509		678,461
Total Assets Less Current Liabilities			4,534,898		4,061,774
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	11		(2,967,000)		(2,904,667)
Provision for Liabilities and Charges	12		(72,593)		17,987
			£1,495,305	:	£1,175,094
Capital and Reserves					
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	14 15		530,000 965,305		530,000 645,094
Shareholders' Funds	16		£1,495,305	• •	£1,175,094

The financial statements were approved by the Board on 28 November 1997.

Jason Tsai

Director

Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 30 April 1997

	199		1996	
	£	£	£	£
Net cash in/outflow from operating activities		266,426		1,048,527
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	·			
Interest received	106,078		71,336	
Net cash in/outflow from returns on investments and servicing of finance		106,078		71,336
Taxation				
Corporation tax paid (including advance corporation tax)	(87,574)		(21,287)	
Tax paid		(87,574)		(21,287)
Investing activities				
Payments to acquire tangible assets Payments to acquire investments Receipts from sales of tangible assets	(542,689) (100) 17,835		(680,454)	
Net cash in/outflow from investing activities		(524,954)		(680,454)
Net cash in/outflow before financing		(240,024)	_	418,122
Financing				
Government grant received Other new short term loans	110,000 176,794	_	135,667 820,626	
Net cash in/outflow from financing		286,794		956,293
In/Decrease in cash and cash equivalents		£ 83,436	£	2,140,673

Notes to the Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 30 April 1997

1	Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash in/outflow from operating activities		1997 £	1996 £
	Operating profit Depreciation of tangible assets Decrease in stocks Increase in debtors Increase in creditors due within one year Increase in deferred income		138,822	164,348 (941,569) (1,381,737)
	Net cash in/outflow from operating activities		£ 266,426	£1,048,527
2	Analysis of changes in cash and cash equivalents during the year		1997 £	1996 £
	Balance at 1 May 1996 Net cash in/outflow			423,754 1,282,748
	Balance at 30 April 1997		£1,789,939	£1,706,502
3	Analysis of the balances of cash and cash equivalents as shown in the balance sheet	1997 £	1996 £	Change in year £
	Cash at bank and in hand	1,789,939	1,706,502	83,437
		£1,789,939	£1,706,502	£ 83,437
4	Analysis of changes in financing during the year		Share capital £	Loans £
	Balance at 1 May 1996 Cash in/outflow from financing		530,000	3,972,755 198,794
	Balance at 30 April 1997		£ 530,000	£4,171,549

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

1. Accounting Policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and include the results of the company's operations as indicated in the directors' report, all of which are continuing.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents sales to outside customers at invoiced amounts, less Value Added Tax

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Buildings - Straight line over forty years

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment - 20% Straight line
Motor vehicles - 15% Straight line

1.4 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.5 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.6 Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contributions payable by the company during the year in accordance with SSAP 24.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the directors consider that a liability to taxation is unlikely to crystallise.

1.8 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the accounting date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

1.9 Government grants

Grants are credited to deferred revenue. Grants towards capital expenditure are released to the profit and loss account over the expected useful life of the assets. Grants towards revenue expenditure are released to the profit and loss account as the related expenditure is incurred.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

1.10 Group Accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company has not prepared group accounts as it is exempt from the requirement to do so by section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 as it is a subsidiary undertaking of Enta UK Limited, a company incorporated in England, and is included in the consolidated accounts of that company.

2. Turnover and Profit on Ordinary Activities before Taxation

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity mainly undertaken in the U.K.

		Turno	Turnover		Profit	
		1997 £	1996 £	1997 £	1996 £	
	Class of business					
	Sale of computer products	52,339,423	35,186,380	372,034	369,029	
á		£52,339,423	£35,186,380	£372,034	£369,029	
3.	Operating Profit	·		1997	1996	
	-			£	£	
	Operating profit is stated after ch	narging:				
	Depreciation of tangible assets Operating lease rentals			285,877	164,348	
	- Land and buildings Auditors' remuneration			21,900	(4,408) 21,000	
	and after crediting:					
	Government grants			47,667	66,000	
4.	Other Interest Receivable and Signature	milar Income		1997 £	1996 £	
	Bank interest received			£ 106,078	£ 71,336	

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

5.	Taxation			1997 £	1996 £
	U.K. Current year taxation				
,	U.K. Corporation tax at 24% (1996 Transfer to deferred taxation	- 28%)		23,550 90,580	79,940 (17,987)
				114,130	61,953
	Prior years U.K. Corporation tax			7,636	(5,702)
				£ 121,766	£ 56,251
6.	Tangible Assets	Land and Buildings Freehold	Fixtures, fittings & equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Total £
	Cost	L	<i>3.</i>	~	
	At 1 May 1996 Additions Disposals	2,791,403 149,204	829,518 341,035 (25,791)	172,231 52,450	3,793,152 542,689 (25,791)
	At 30 April 1997	2,940,607	1,144,762	224,681	4,310,050
	Depreciation At 1 May 1996 On disposals Charge for year	107,610	(7,956)	82,968 - 31,490	409,839 (7,956) 285,878
	At 30 April 1997	168,583	404,720	114,458	687,761
	Net book values				
	At 30 April 1997	£ 2,772,024	£ 740,042	£ 110,223	£ 3,622,289
	At 30 April 1996	£ 2,683,793	£ 610,257	£ 89,263	£ 3,383,313

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

	for the year	chied 30 April 1991			
7.	Fixed Asset Investments		1997 £	19	96 E
	Subsidiary undertakings		100		-
	Investment in subsidiary undertaki	ings		Sha	res £
	Cost Additions				100
	At 30 April 1997				100
	Net Book Values				
	At 30 April 1997			£	100
	The company holds more than 16 Company Subsidiary undertaking Entanet International Limited	O% of the share capital of Country of registration or incorporation England and Wales	Shares held Class Ordinary	% 100	
8.	Stocks		1997 £	1	996 £
	Finished goods and goods for re	esale	£ 3,274,382	£ 3,4	113,204
	The replacement cost of the stood different from the value stated in	cks held at 30 April 1997 n the accounts.	is not materia	lly	
9.	Debtors		1997 £	•	1996 £

Debtors	£	£
Trade debtors Amounts owed by group undertaking Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	4,778,525 117,996 110 47,231	4,118,145 2,740 9,175
	£ 4,943,862 £	4,130,060

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

10.	Creditors: amounts falling due	1997 1996
	within one year	£
	Trade creditors	6,961,108 6,488,251
	Corporation tax	23,550 79,940
	Other taxes and social security costs	83,084 320,277
	Directors' current accounts	26,492 25,199
	Other creditors	1,404,378 1,203,755
	Accruals and deferred income	597,062 453,883
		£ 9,095,674£ 8,571,305
11.	Creditors: amounts falling due	1997 1996
11.	after more than one year	£
	Loans	2,769,000 2,769,000
	Deferred income	198,000 135,667
		£ 2,967,000 £ 2,904,667
	Not wholly repayable within five years:	
	Other Loans	2,769,000 2,769,000
	Wholly repayable within five years	1,402,549 1,203,755
		4,171,549 3,972,755
	Included in current liabilities	(1,402,549) (1,203,755)
		£ 2,769,000 £ 2,769,000

Other loans are unsecured and interest free. The repayment of the loan is not fixed but not earlier of 1st September 2000.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

12. Provisions for Liabilities and Charges

Deferred tax is provided at 33% (1996 - 33%) analysed over the following timing differences:

	Not provided		Provi	rided		
	1997	1996	1997	1996		
	£	£	£	£		
Accelerated capital allowances	108,400	81,334	46,968	21,066		
Other timing differences			(25,625)	39,053		
	£ 108,400	£ 81,334	£ (72,593)	£ 17,987		
Movements on the provision for d	eferred taxation	on are:		£		
Transferred from profit and loss a	eccount			72,593		
At 30 April 1997				£ 72,593		

13. Pension Costs

The company contributes to a money purchase scheme for its directors and a defined contribution scheme for other staff. The contributions paid in the year is £170,100 (1996:£51,356).

14.	Share Capital		1997 £	1996 £
	Authorised		-	_
	1,000,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	£ =	1,000,000 £	1,000,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid			
	530,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	£ ==	530,000 £	530,000
15.	Profit And Loss Account		1997 £	1996 £
	Retained profits at 1 May 1996		645,096	332,316
	Retained profit for the year		320,209	312,778
	Retained profits at 30 April 1997		£ 965,305	£ 645,094
	•			

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

16. Reconciliation of Movements in Shareholders' Funds

Reconcination of Movements in Shareholders Tunds	1997 £	1996 • £
Profit for the financial year Opening shareholders' funds	320,209 1,175,094	312,778 862,316
Closing shareholders' funds	£ 1,495,305 £	1,175,094

17. Contingent Liabilities

At the balance sheet date the company has contigent liabilities in respect of documentary credits amounting to £ 147,000 (1996: £ 524,488).

18.	Directors' Emoluments	1997 £	1996 £
	Emoluments for qualifying services Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	60,000	60,000
		164,130	50,000
		£ 224,130	£ 110,000

Emoluments disclosed above include the following amounts paid to the highest paid director:

Emoluments for qualifying services £ 32,000 £ 32,000

19. Employees

Number of employees

The average weekly number of employees (including directors) during the year was:

directors) during the year was.	1997 Number	1996 Number
Management and administration Marketing and sales	24 81	22 72
	105	94

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 April 1997

Employment costs

	£	£
Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	1,432,493 6,120 170,100	940,850 82,255 51,356
	£ 1,608,713£	1,074,461

20. Ultimate Parent Company

On 31st March 1997, Enta UK Limited, a company registered in England, acquired the whole of the issued share capital.