Success Bidco 2 Limited
Annual report (Amended)
for the year ended 31 December 2019

Registered Number 10110298





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Annual report

for the year ended 31 December 2019

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Strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2019

The directors present the strategic report for the group and company for the year ended 31 December 2019. These financial statements consolidate the results of Success Bidco 2 Limited and its subsidiaries for the year ended to 31 December 2019.

Principal activities and review of the business

Success Bidco 2 Limited is a holding company, which indirectly holds 100% of the Mayborn Group of companies. The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Shanghai Jahwa United Co., Ltd, a personal care company, quoted on the Shanghai stock exchange, which is itself controlled by Ping An Insurance (Group) Company of China Limited, a large Chinese insurance company.

The group's principal activities are the design, manufacture and distribution of baby feeding, hygiene, sleep time and accessory products. The principal activity of the company is to carry on the business of a holding company. The directors do not anticipate any changes to this in the future.

The Group has recorded Revenue of £193,376,000 up 4.4% on 2018, demonstrating the continued demand for the Groups product. Net assets of the Group stand at £196,663,000 (2018: £183,024,000).

During 2019 the Group continued to develop its businesses in the UK, China, Europe, Asia, Australia and North America by expanding distribution, developing new innovative products and improving awareness of the brand. In January 2020, the Group acquired the trade of the distributor in Germany and has taken direct control of that market.

Business environment, principal risks and uncertainties

The group operates in the baby accessories sector, with the Tommee Tippee brand of feeding, comfort and hygiene products and the Gro brand of sleep; both are leading brands in a number of markets. Quality and reliability of product and brand reputation is critical in this sector and the group has in place robust processes to mitigate this risk by ensuring high quality standards are maintained.

The market is fragmented but is expected to consolidate over the next few years driven by the cost of developing and launching new products and costs of satisfying the requirements of sophisticated consumers shopping both online and in store.

The retail channels for the baby accessories sector continue to evolve, with consumers continuing to move online. There continues to be challenges for our retail partners on the high street and we are working closely with these partners to mitigate any risks this may present. In response to this, the group has established a multi-channel strategy which will enable it to become one of the few branded baby product suppliers with the range and ability to service all retail channels, regardless of where the consumer decides to shop.

The global Covid-19 pandemic and the associated quarantines put in place by the UK and other governments present significant challenges to the retail sector both in securing supply chains and in store closures and reduced foot fall in those stores which remain open. The group is well placed to adapt to these challenges, having control of its own supply chain and access to a wide range of retail channels, with the digital market in particular continuing to trade strongly. The recent launch of the group's own Direct to Consumer website has provided another route to this market. The strength of the group's balance sheet reserves means that even under severe downside modelling there is no liquidity risk to the group.

The group's overriding strategy is to achieve attractive and sustainable growth and returns through its leadership in established markets and its challenger position in its newer markets.

Strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Business environment, principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

There are three key elements to the group's growth strategy. They are:

- Accelerate growth through increasing depth and breadth of distribution within existing channels and with existing customers;
- Drive innovation through high quality products that deliver unique benefits to mother and baby, supported by creative brand communications;
- Drive supply chain efficiencies through new product development and value engineering.

The group continues to invest in the creation, research, design and development of products to ensure that they remain innovative and functionally superior to those of our competitors and that they deliver our category plan.

Financial risks and their management are discussed in the directors' report. The main risks focus on Liquidity, Foreign Exchange, Credit and Interest Rate risks. These are all managed effectively by the Board and Management Team. The Group look to take mitigating actions and interventions to minimise these risks. All the risks are continually assessed and reviewed.

Section 172(1) statement

The Directors are aware of their duty under s.172 of the Companies Act 2006 to act in the way which they consider, in good faith, would be most likely to promote the success of the group for the benefit of its members as a whole and, in doing so, to have regard (amongst other matters) to:

- The interests of the group's employees;
- The need to foster the group's relationships with suppliers, customers and others;
- The impact of the group's operations on the community and the environment; and
- The desirability of the group maintaining a reputation for high standards of business conduct.

The Directors actively review the strategic direction of the group on an annual basis, and the group operates to a 5 year strategic plan which was originally defined in 2017, and is refined each year to reflect changing circumstances and direction. The board is composed of experienced directors, being the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of the group, and their decision making process is based on monthly meetings of the executive team, supported by comprehensive management information. The involvement of the full executive team means that all stakeholders such as customers and employees are appropriately represented and considered in the decision making process. The Directors are not of the view that any decisions made in the current year represent such a change in strategic direction that they should be considered Principal decisions.

Strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Employees

The directors regularly present all staff with information on group performance and strategic objectives at quarterly Team Briefings. Individual teams are informed and briefed on departmental objectives by their line manager. Team Briefings include an opportunity for employees to provide feedback or questions to the directors, and the group carries out regular employee surveys to ensure that the views of employees can be taken into account. Further information on the group's employee policies is contained within the Directors' report.

Environment

The group is developing a corporate social responsibility strategy that sets the overall aim to be environmentally responsible and a great place to work. During 2019 initiatives have begun to reduce the use of single use plastic products within the group's operations.

Community Engagement

Over the past year the group continued to engage with a number of charities working to make parent's lives better, including our longstanding relationship with the Lullaby Trust, who work to reduce the impact of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

Health and safety at work

Work aimed at further developing and robustly implementing the group's integrated safety management system has continued throughout the year. We continue to have a strong record across our manufacturing facilities, and are committed to maintain and improve standard in this area.

Customer Experience

As a key element of our strategy, the Customer Experience is a fundamental aspect of our aim to be the world's best loved baby company. We continue to invest significantly in the development of innovative new products which are designed to improve the parenting experience.

Key performance indicators ("KPIs")

The directors believe that the key performance indicators are revenue growth and profitability growth.

Revenue reported for the year was £193.4m (2018: £185.3m) and profit after tax was £12.0m (2018: £8.5m).

On behalf of the board

James Taylor

Director

30 April 2020

Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2019

The directors present their report and the audited consolidated financial statements of the group and company for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Results and dividends

The results for the group show profit after tax was £12.0m (2018: £8.5m) for the year to 31 December on sales of £193.4m. Net cash generated from operating activities for the year was £21.6m (2018: £22.1m). As at 31 December 2019 the group had cash on balance sheet of £44.0m (2018: £30.3m). The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

Future developments

Management are confident that the group will continue to grow in line with its plans. Significant revenue and profit growth will be maintained, driven by a robust innovation pipeline, continued global distribution and market share gains, launch of the group's Direct to Consumer website, and productivity improvements. Further detail is contained within the Strategic report.

Employees training and development

We have consistently sought to recruit and retain the best employees in order to provide and exceed the service levels which our customers expect. The Board firmly believes that our employees are the foundation on which the group's success is built.

The group is committed to employment policies which follow best practice, based on equal opportunities for all employees, irrespective of sex, race, colour, disability or marital status and offers appropriate training and career development for disabled staff. If members of staff become disabled, the group continues employment wherever possible.

The group is committed to providing employees with information on matters of concern to them on a regular basis, so that the views of employees can be taken into account when making decisions that are likely to affect their interests. Further information on this is contained within the strategic report.

Research and development

The group continues to invest in the creation, research, design and development of products to ensure that they remain innovative and functionally superior to those of our competitors and that they deliver category enhancing value to the consumer. Costs of research are expensed as incurred and development costs capitalised.

Going concern

The directors are of the opinion that the financial statements should be prepared on a going concern basis. In forming this opinion, the Board has considered forecasts prepared in light of the information currently known about the Covid-19 pandemic, as well as severe downside scenarios. There remains strong demand for the group's products and the majority of the group's routes to markets remain open as key retailers. The group has strong balance sheet reserves, and the Board is satisfied that there is no reason to believe that the group's current funding and liquidity position is not sufficient.

Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Financial risk management

The group's operations expose it to a variety of financial risks that include the effects of changes in currency risk, price risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and interest rate cash flow risk. The group has in place a risk management programme that seeks to limit the adverse effects on the financial performance of the group by closely monitoring levels of debt finance.

Given the size of the group, the directors have not delegated the responsibility of monitoring financial risk management to a sub-committee of the board. The policies set by the board of directors are implemented by the group's finance department.

Currency risk

The group is exposed to foreign exchanges risk as a result of its operations, which include sales and production facilities in various countries. The group actively manages its primary foreign currency exposure through a series of structured forward contracts, reviewed and updated on a quarterly basis.

Commodity price risk

The group is exposed to commodity price risk as a result of its operations. However, given the size of the group's operations, the costs of managing exposure to commodity price risk exceed any potential benefits. The directors will revisit the appropriateness of this policy should the group's operations change in size or nature.

Credit risk

The group has implemented policies that require appropriate credit checks on potential customers before sales are made and credit insurance whenever possible. Where debt finance is utilised, this is subject to pre-approval by the board of directors and such approval is limited to financial institutions with an investment grade rating or better.

Liquidity risk

The group is highly cash generative and forward looking cash flows indicate that the group is well funded with very low liquidity risk.

Interest rate cash flow risk

The group's senior debt interest payable is calculated with reference to LIBOR. The group has taken out interest rate hedging on 75% (2018: 75%) of the senior debt balance to manage the exposure to interest rate movements.

Directors

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements are listed in the Directors and advisors for the year on page 1.

Reappointment of Auditors

It is the intention of the directors to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors for the next financial year.

Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Statement of Directors' Responsibility in respect of the Financial Statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulation.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the group financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union and company financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union. Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the group and company and of the profit or loss of the group and company for that year. In preparing the financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- state whether applicable IFRSs as adopted by the European Union have been followed for the group financial statements and IFRSs as adopted by the European Union have been followed for the company financial statements, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the group and company will continue in business.

The directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the group and company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the group and company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the group and company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006.

In the case of each director in office at the date the Directors' Report is approved:

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the group and company's auditors are unaware; and
- they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the group and company's auditors are aware of that information.

On behalf of the board

James Taylor **Director**

30 April 2020

Independent auditors' report to the members of Success Bidco 2 Limited

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion, Success Bidco 2 Limited's group financial statements and company financial statements (the "financial statements"):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2019 and of the group's profit and the group's and the company's cash flows for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union and, as regards the company's financial statements, as applied in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 2006; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual report (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the Consolidated and Company statements of financial position as at 31 December 2019; the Consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the Consolidated and Company statements of cash flows, and the Consolidated and Company statements of changes in equity for the year then ended; the Statement of accounting policies; and the notes to the financial statements.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We remained independent of the group in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the group's and company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this statement is not a guarantee as to the group's and company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Independent auditors' report to the members of Success Bidco 2 Limited (continued)

Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Strategic report and Directors' report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on the responsibilities described above and our work undertaken in the course of the audit, ISAs (UK) require us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

Strategic report and Directors' report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Strategic report and Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2019 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the group and company and their environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Strategic report and Directors' report.

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibility in respect of the Financial Statements, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they determine 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, the directors are responsible for assessing the group's and the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the group or the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Independent auditors' report to the members of Success Bidco 2 Limited (continued)

Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 (UK) 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

Other required reporting

Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the company financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Nicholas Cook (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors Newcastle upon Tyne

30 April 2020

Success Bidco 2 Limited Consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	Note	£,000	£'000
Revenue	1	193,376	185,267
Cost of sales		(92,772)	(90,832)
Gross Profit		100,604	94,435
Admin expenses		(40,530)	(39,035)
Exceptional admin expenses	3	(2,553)	(929)
Total admin expenses		(43,083)	(39,964)
Distribution cost		(38,935)	(34,397)
Other income		15	119
Operating profit	4	18,601	20,193
Finance costs	5	(9,608)	(9,219)
Finance income	5	229	186
Profit before taxation		9,222	11,160
Taxation	6	2,794	(2,628)
Profit for the year		12,016	8,532
Other comprehensive (expense)/income, net of tax			
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Remeasurements on defined benefit pension scheme	7	(448)	224
Tax on items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss		76	(38)
Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations		(2,983)	788
Cash flow hedges		868	833
Tax on items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss		(146)	(142)
Other comprehensive (expense)/ income for the year	·	(2,633)	1,665
Total comprehensive income for the year		9,383	10,197

Success Bidco 2 Limited Consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	Note	£'000	£'000
Assets			
Non-current assets		22.000	
Property, plant and equipment	8	23,908	13,799
Intangible assets and goodwill	9	284,382	286,334
Deferred tax assets	12	2,660	720
Retirement benefit surplus	7	5,762	5,496
Derivative financial instruments	15	-	366
Other non-current assets		337	483
Total non-current assets		317,049	307,198
Current assets			
Inventories	13	23,157	22,538
Trade and other receivables	14	34,760	37,348
Derivative financial instruments	15	1,240	6
Restricted cash	16	-	4,000
Cash and cash equivalents		43,984	30,319
Total current assets		103,141	94,211
Total assets		420,190	401,409
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	17	(57,707)	(53,092)
Derivative financial instruments	15	-	_
Borrowings	18	(31,253)	(31,253)
Total current liabilities		(88,960)	(84,345)
Net current assets		14,181	9,866
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings	18	(124,370)	(123,619)
Deferred tax liabilities	12	(10,197)	(10,421)
Total non-current liabilities		(134,567)	(134,040)
Total liabilities	· · ·	(223,527)	(218,385)
Net Assets		196,663	183,024
Equity			,
Called up share capital	19	160,216	160,216
Capital contribution	20	13,471	9,123
Hedging reserve		1,258	536
Other reserves		(3,708)	(3,708)
Retained earnings		25,426	16,857
Total equity		196,663	183,024

Consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019 (continued)

The notes on pages 28 to 66 form an integral part of these financial statements. These financial statements on pages 11 to 66 were approved by the board of directors on 30 April 2020 and were signed on its behalf by

James Taylor

Director

Success Bidco 2 Limited

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Success Bidco 2 Limited
Consolidated statement of changes in equity for the year ended 31
December 2019

	Called up share capital £'000	Capital Contribution £'000	Hedging reserve £'000	Retained earnings £'000	Other reserve £'000	Total equity £'000
At 1 January 2018	160,216	5,001	(155)	7,350	(3,708)	168,704
Profit for the year Capital contribution	-	-	-	8,532	-	8,532
from parent company Movement on hedging	-	4,122	-	-	-	4,122
reserve Tax on items that may	-	-	833	-	-	833
be subsequently	-	-	(142)	-	-	(142)
Exchange differences on translating foreign curren operations	-	-	-	789	-	789
Remeasurements on defined benefit pension						
Tax on items that will not be reclassified to	-	-	-	224	-	224
profit or loss	•	-	-	(38)	-	(38)
At 31 December 2018	160,216	9,123	536	16,857	(3,708)	183,024
Profit for the year Capital contribution	-	-	-	12,016	-	12,016
from parent company	-	4,348	-	-	-	4,348
Adoption of IFRS 16	-	-	-	(92)	-	(92)
Movement on hedging reserve Tax on items that may subsequently be	-	-	868	-	-	868
reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	(146)	-	-	(146)
Exchange differences on translating foreign curren operations	-	-	-	(2,983)	-	(2,983)
Remeasurements on defined benefit pension scheme	-	-	_	(448)	-	(448)
Tax on items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	_	-	-	76	_	76
At 31 December 2019	160,216	13,471	1,258	25,426	(3,708)	196,663

Success Bidco 2 Limited Consolidated statement of cash flows for the year ended 31 December 2019

Consolidated statement of Cash Hows for th	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Profit before taxation	9,222	11,160
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation	9,821	6,552
Payments into pension scheme in excess of current service cost	535	88
Pension interest less expected return on scheme assets	(79)	(106)
Finance costs	9,608	9,033
Foreign exchange	(1,558)	788
Share based payment	2,230	2,230
(Profit)/loss on disposal of fixed assets	(13)	77
Changes in working capital:		
Decrease/(increase) in inventories	(992)	(1,732)
Decrease/(increase) in trade and other receivables	2,257	6,158
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	15	(3,910)
Cash generated from operating activities	31,046	30,079
Interest paid	(6,281)	(6,580)
Interest received	229	187
Tax paid	(3.405)	(1,557)
Net cash generated from operating activities	21,589	22,129
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(3,400)	(5,111)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	13	-
Purchase of intangible assets	(2,877)	(3,274)
Principal element of finance lease	(1,886)	-
Investment in subsidiary net of cash acquired	-	(2,582)
Decrease/(increase) in restricted cash	4,000	600
Net cash generated from/(used in) investing activities	(4,150)	(10,367)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
Proceeds from issue of share capital	-	-
Capital contribution	-	_
Repayment of borrowings	-	(2,110)
Net cash generated from financing activities	-	(2,110)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	17,439	9,652
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	30,319	,,000
Exchange movements on foreign currencies	(3,774)	(235)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	43,984	30,319
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Success Bidco 2 Limited Company statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	Note	£,000	£'000
Assets			
Non-current assets			
Investments	10	201,929	201,929
Derivative financial instruments	15	-	366
Other non-current assets		337	483
Total non-current assets		202,266	202,778
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables	14	20,126	25,779
Restricted cash	16	-	4,000
Cash and cash equivalents		6,718	2,706
Total current assets		26,844	32,485
Total assets		229,110	235,263
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	17	(5,061)	(4,777)
Borrowings	18	(31,253)	(31,253)
Total current liabilities		(36,314)	(36,030)
Net current liabilities		(9,470)	(3,545)
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings	18	(124,370)	(123,619)
Deferred tax liabilities	12	-	(62)
Total non-current liabilities		(124,370)	(123,681)
Total liabilities		(160,684)	(159,711)
Net assets		68,426	75,552
Equity			
Called up share capital	19	160,216	160,216
Hedging reserve		-	304
Other reserve		(3,708)	(3,708)
Accumulated losses		(81,260)	(74,164)
Loss for the year		(6,822)	(7,096)
Total equity		68,426	75,552

Company statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019 (continued)

The notes on pages 28 to 66 form an integral part of these financial statements. These financial statements on pages 11 to 66 were approved by the board of directors on 30 April 2020 and were signed on its behalf by

James Taylor

Director

Success Bidco 2 Limited

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Success Bidco 2 Limited Company statement of cash flows for the year ended 31 December 2019

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Loss before taxation	(6,822)	(7,096)
Adjustments for:		
Finance costs	6,377	6,464
Changes in working capital:		
Increase in trade and other payables	295	373
Decrease in trade and other receivables	37	408
Decrease in intercompany receivables	6,323	8,463
Increase/ (decrease) in intercompany payables	(11)	(31)
Cash generated from/(used in) operating activities	6,199	8,581
Interest paid	(6,197)	(6,546)
Net cash generated from/ (used in) operating activities	2	2,035
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Interest received	10	2
Net cash generated from investing activities	10	2
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
Movement in restricted cash	4,000	
Net cash generated from financing activities	4,000	-
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents	4,012	2,037
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	2,706	669
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	6,718	2,706

Success Bidco 2 Limited Company statement of changes in equity for the year ended 31 December 2019

Company	Called up share capital £'000	Hedging reserve £'000	Accumulated losses £'000	Other Reserve £'000	Total equity £'000
At 1 January 2018	160,216	395	(74,164)	(3,708)	82,739
Loss for the year	-	-	(7,096)	-	(7,096)
Movement on hedging reserve Tax on items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or	-	(110)	_	-	(110)
loss	-	19	-	-	19
At 31 December 2018	160,216	304	(81,260)	(3,708)	75,552
Loss for the year	-	-	(6,822)	-	(6,822)
Movement on hedging reserve Tax on items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss	-	(304)	-	-	(304)
At 31 December 2019	160,216	_	(88,082)	(3,708)	68,426

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019

Success Bidco 2 Limited is a private company limited by shares which is incorporated and domiciled in England, within the UK. The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below.

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") and International Financial Reporting Standards Interpretation Committee ("IFRS IC") interpretations, as adopted by the European Union, and with those parts of the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies reporting under IFRS. No IFRSs have been adopted before their effective date. The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis and under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities (including derivatives) at fair value through profit or loss. A summary of the more important accounting policies is set out below together with an explanation of where changes have been made to previous policies on the adoption of new accounting standards in the year. All accounting policies have been applied consistently in all years presented with the exception of those standards that are newly adopted in the year.

Going concern

The groups and company financial statements have been prepared on a going concern because:

- Recognition has been given to the plans that are in place which it is considered will achieve positive returns to enable the group to fully discharge its liabilities; and
- The directors have reviewed cash flow forecasts and are satisfied that the group is expected to generate sufficient cash flow in the next year to enable all liabilities falling due for at least 12 months from the date the financial statements are approved to be met.
- In forming this opinion, the Board has considered forecasts prepared in light of the information currently known about the Covid-19 pandemic, as well as severe downside scenarios. There remains strong demand for the group's products and the majority of the group's routes to markets remain open as key retailers. The group has strong balance sheet reserves, and the Board is satisfied that there is no reason to believe that the group's current funding and liquidity position is not sufficient.

Consolidation

In accordance with s408 of the Companies Act 2006, the parent company does not publish its own statement of comprehensive income. See the statement of financial position for the company result.

All inter-company balances and transactions, including unrealised profits arising from intra-group transactions, have been eliminated in full.

Subsidiary undertakings are accounted for using acquisition accounting from the effective date of the acquisition until the effective date of disposal.

Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the group.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the use of estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported year. Although these estimates are based on management's best knowledge of the amount, event or actions, actual results ultimately may differ from those estimates.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Changes in accounting policy and disclosures

The Group's financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union (IFRS) as they apply to the financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2019 and applied in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies using IFRS and interpretations issued by the IFRS Interpretations Committee (IFRS IC) and under the historic cost convention. The accounting policies which follow set out those policies which apply in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

New and amended standards adopted by the group

The group has applied the following standards and amendments for the first time for their annual reporting period commencing 1 January 2019:

- IFRS 16 Leases
- Prepayment Features with Negative Compensation Amendments to IFRS 9
- Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures Amendments to IAS 28
- Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2015 2017 Cycle
- Plan Amendment, Curtailment or Settlement Amendments to IAS 19
- Interpretation 23 Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments.

The group also elected to adopt the following amendments early:

• Definition of Material – Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8. The group had to change its accounting policies as a result of adopting IFRS 16.

The group elected to adopt the new rules retrospectively but recognised the cumulative effect of initially applying the new standard on 1 January 2019. This is disclosed in note 27. The other amendments listed above did not have any impact on the amounts recognised in prior periods and are not expected to significantly affect the current or future periods.

Standards and interpretations not yet effective

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 31 December 2019 reporting periods and have not been early adopted by the group. These standards are not expected to have a material impact on the entity in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Revenue

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the company and the revenue can be reliably measured. All revenue of the group is from sales of baby feeding, sleep time, hygiene and accessory products at a point in time with the delivery of the product seen as the only performance obligation under the contract. Payment terms provided for the group's receivables are generally 30-60 days from date of invoice.

Revenue is recognised on delivery when control of the goods has passed to the buyer. Revenue is recorded net of value added tax, discounts and rebates. Any rebates or discounts are recognised on sales to the extent that it is deemed highly likely that the revenue will not subsequently reverse and are recognised in line with the sale of the underlying item.

All unused product can be returned to the Group in exchange for a credit or a refund and standard warranties are given across the product range. These costs and allowances are set against Gross Revenue to result in the Revenue recognised in these Statements.

Other operating income

Other operating income primarily represents foreign exchange gains arising from operating activities.

Foreign currency accounting

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

Exchange differences arising from the retranslation of the opening net assets of subsidiaries and joint ventures which have currencies of operation other than sterling are taken to reserves, together with the differences arising when the profit and loss accounts are translated at average rates and compared with rates ruling at the year end. Other exchange differences are taken to the statement of comprehensive income.

Intangible assets

Goodwill arising on consolidation represents the excess of the fair value of the consideration given over the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired. Under IFRS 3 Goodwill impairment reviews are undertaken annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate a potential impairment. The carrying value of goodwill is compared to the recoverable amount, which is the higher of value in use and the fair value less costs of disposal. Any impairment is recognised immediately as an expense and is not subsequently reversed.

Acquired brands are shown at historical cost. They have finite useful economic lives and are carried at cost less accumulated amortisation. Brands are amortised on a straight line basis to allocate the cost of a brand over its estimated useful life of between 10 and 30 years. Patents are amortised on a straight line basis to allocate the cost of a patent over its useful life of 20 years. Software is capitalised on the basis of costs incurred to acquire and bring it into use and amortised on a straight line basis over their useful economic lives of 4 years. Customer lists are capitalised as part of any acquired intangible at cost and amortised over their useful life of between 1 to 5 years.

Investments

The investment in subsidiary undertakings is carried in the statement of financial position at cost, less any impairment in value. The carrying value of investments is reviewed for impairment annually.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Cost of raising finance

The finance costs of raising debt are capitalised and offset against the value of the loan raised. The capitalised cost is then amortised at the effective interest rate over the year of the loan. The cost of the amortisation is charged as an expense in the year.

Research and development costs

Research costs are expensed as incurred. Development costs are capitalised per IAS 38. Development costs are amortised on the launch of the project on a straight-line basis. The costs are amortised over their economic life, which is deemed to be 5 years.

Leases

As explained in note 8 the group has changed its accounting policy for leases where the group is lessee. The new policy is described in note 8.

Until 31 December 2018 leases where the lessor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as operating leases in the comparative financial statements. Operating leases were recognised as an expense in the statement of comprehensive income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is included at cost less accumulated depreciation. Cost includes the original purchase price of the asset and the costs attributable to bringing the asset to the working condition for its intended use. Depreciation is calculated to write each asset to its estimated residual value and is provided on a straight line basis over the expected useful economic life of the asset as follows:

Leasehold property - over 5 to 25 years

Plant and equipment - over 4 to 10 years

Assets under construction are not depreciated.

The carrying values of tangible fixed assets are reviewed for impairment either annually, or when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable (whichever is the earlier). If any such indication exists, and where the carrying values exceed the estimated recoverable amount, the assets or cash generating units are written down to their recoverable amount. Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Where necessary, provision is made for obsolete, slow moving and defective inventory. Cost is on a standard and weighted average basis and includes an addition for overheads where appropriate. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale. Inventory provisions are based on group current stock levels compared with future sales forecast.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. A provision for impairment of trade receivables is established when there is evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables or where it is calculated that there is an expected element of future credit loss. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income within "other operating charges". When a trade receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the

allowance account for trade receivables. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against "other operating charges" in the statement of comprehensive income.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Trade payables

Trade payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Derivative financial instruments

The group uses forward contracts to manage its exposure to foreign exchange rate and interest rate swaps to manage interest rate fluctuations. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at their fair value. The method of recognising the resultant gain or loss depends on whether the derivative is designated as a hedging instrument and, if so, the nature of the item being hedged. The group designates certain derivatives as cash flow hedges, being hedges of a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction.

The group documents at the inception of the transaction the economic relationship between hedging instruments and hedged items, as well as its risk management objectives and strategy for undertaking various hedging transactions. The strategy is to identify material cash flow that are influenced by changes in Foreign Exchange rates. The Group take out hedging instruments against these exposures to Foreign Exchange movements, in order to protect future cash flows with certainty. The group also documents its assessment, both at hedge inception and on an ongoing basis, of whether the derivatives that are used in hedging transactions are highly effective in offsetting changes in cash flows of hedged items.

The effective portion of changes in the fair value of derivatives that are designated and qualify as cash flow hedges are recognised in equity. The gain or loss relating to the ineffective portion is recognised immediately in the statement of comprehensive income within "other gains/losses". Amounts accumulated in equity are recycled in the statement of comprehensive income in the years when the hedged item affects profit or loss. When a hedging instrument expires, or when a hedge no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting, any cumulative gain or loss existing in equity at that time remains in equity and is recognised when the forecast transaction is ultimately recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. When a forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, the cumulative gain or loss that was reported in equity is immediately transferred to the statement of comprehensive income.

Changes in the fair value of those derivative instruments that do not qualify for hedge accounting are recognised immediately in the statement of comprehensive income.

The fair value of the forward currency contracts and interest rate swaps is estimated using a discounted cash flow technique.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and in hand, and short term deposits with a maturity of three months or less. For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as defined above.

Restricted Cash

Restricted cash relates to amounts held on deposit that do not meet the definition of cash and cash equivalents on the basis they are not on available on demand nor readily convertible into on demand deposits for use against the liabilities of the business within 3 months or less.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Pensions

The group operates a defined benefit pension scheme, the Baby & Child Retirement Plan, and a stakeholder plan. Contributions to the stakeholder scheme are charged to employee costs in the year in which they fall due.

The Baby & Child Retirement Benefit Plan is accounted for in full in this group's financial statements as the majority of the scheme participants are employees of the group, and although the scheme also relates to other group companies, the directors believe that these amounts are not material to the individual financial statements of the companies involved.

The group recognises the pension deficit or surplus in the statement of financial position. The surplus is the fair value of the scheme's assets less the present value of the accrued defined benefit obligations. Any surplus arising on the defined benefit pension scheme is restricted to the present value of the amount recoverable through future reductions in employer contributions. The defined benefit obligation is calculated annually by independent actuaries. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined by discounting the estimated future cash flows using interest rates of high quality, long-dated corporate bonds that are denominated in the currency in which the benefits are paid.

The current service costs, past service costs, gains and losses on settlements and curtailments, and the interest cost on plan liabilities net of expected return on plan assets are included in employee costs. Re-measurement gains and losses are recognised as other comprehensive income in the year in which they arise.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds. Preference shares attract a guaranteed dividend at a rate of 8%, have no voting rights and can be redeemed by the company at any time. On this basis they are accounted for as debt rather than equity.

Share Based Payments

The group has cash and equity settled share based payment schemes in issue. The term "cash-settled share-based payment" refers to a transaction of payment of cash or any other asset obligation calculated and determined on the basis of shares or other equity instruments undertaken by the enterprise in return for services.

A cash-settled share-based payment shall be measured in accordance with the fair value of the liability calculated and recognised based on the shares or other equity instruments undertaken by an enterprise.

For cash-settled share-based payment instruments, if the right may be exercised immediately after the grant, the fair value of the liability undertaken by the enterprise shall, on the date of the grant, be included in the relevant costs or expenses, and the liabilities shall be increased accordingly. If the right may not be exercised until the vesting year comes to an end or until the specified performance conditions are met, at each balance sheet date within the vesting year, the services obtained in the current year shall, based on the best estimate of the information about the exercisable right, be included in the relevant costs or expenses and the corresponding liabilities at the fair value of the liability undertaken by the enterprise.

If, at the balance sheet date, the subsequent information indicates that the fair value of the current liability undertaken by the enterprise are different from the previous estimates, an adjustment shall be made and on the vesting date the estimate shall be adjusted to equal the actually exercisable right. An enterprise shall, at each balance sheet date and on each account date prior to the settlement of the relevant liabilities, re-measure the fair values of the liabilities and include the changes in the current profits and losses.

The term "equity-settled share-based payment" refers to a transaction in which the Group grants shares or other equity instruments as a consideration in return for services.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Share Based Payments (continued)

The equity-settled share-based payment in return for employee services shall be measured at the fair value of the equity instruments granted to the employees.

During the year that the performance conditions and service life conditions are met, the costs or expenses of equity-settled share-based payments shall be recognised, and the capital reserve is increased correspondingly. Before the vesting date, the accumulating amount recognised in the equity-settled share-based payments at each balance sheet date reflects the expired part within the vesting year and the best estimate for the number of equity instrument of final exercise carried out by the Group.

If an enterprise modifies terms and conditions of equity-settled share-based payments in an unfavourable manner to the employees, the enterprise shall continue to account for the services obtained as if the changes never happen, unless the enterprise cancels all or part of equity instruments granted. In addition, any modification newly added with the fair value of the granted equity instruments or the changes being in favour of workers at the modification date shall be recognised as service addition.

Where an equity-settled award is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognized for the award is recognised immediately. If the workers and other parties can select to meet non-exercise conditions but they do not meet the conditions within the vesting year, the equity-settled share-based payments are cancelled. However, if new equity instruments are granted, and the new instruments are used for replacing the cancelled equity instruments at the granting date, the granted and replaced equity instruments shall be processed in the same method that the provisions of the original equity instruments are processed and the conditions are modified.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided in full on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the consolidated financial statements. However, the deferred tax is not accounted for, if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date and are expected to apply when the related deferred income tax asset is realised or the deferred income tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred tax is provided on temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries and associates, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference is controlled by the group and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of timing differences arising from the unremitted earnings of subsidiaries and joint ventures, except where the entity can control the reversal of the timing difference and it will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Statement of accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Exceptional Items

Exceptional costs incurred by the Group are separately identified on the face of the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, to provide a better understanding of the financial performance of the business. Exceptional items are one off costs / incomes which are material both in size and nature.

Capital management

The Group's manages its capital to ensure its going concern status, maximise returns for shareholders and benefit all other stakeholders by maintaining an optimal capital structure and reduce its subsequent cost of capital.

Critical accounting estimates and judgements

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed reasonable under the circumstances.

Pension assumptions - estimate

Changes in assumptions made in valuing the defined benefit pension deficit could have a significant effect on profit for the year and the financial position. These assumptions are reviewed on an annual basis and the most appropriate assumptions selected based on actuarial advice. The assumptions used at the year-end are disclosed in note 7.

Tax assumptions - judgements

In preparing the group tax computations a number of judgements are made about the relevant and applicable tax treatment of items within the group accounts. These judgements are reviewed annually in line with updated guidance and legislation, and in consultation with the group's tax advisers.

Management Incentive Programme - judgement

The valuation of the liability relating to the Management Incentive Programme requires assumptions to be made about the future business performance of the group. Changes to these assumptions can have a significant impact on the results for the year.

Goodwill Impairment - judgement

The group tests annually whether goodwill has suffered any impairment, in accordance with the accounting policy stated above. The recoverable amounts of cash-generating units have been determined based on value-in-use calculations. These calculations require the use of estimates.

Useful economic lives of Intangible Assets - estimate

The group estimates the expected useful life of intangible assets in order to calculate amortisation.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

1 Revenue

The group's operations relate entirely to the Mayborn Baby and Child business, being one class of business. All revenue is derived from the sale of goods at a point in time.

Geographical analysis

The group's principal operations are located in the UK, North America, Hong Kong, Morocco, France, Australia and China. The following table shows an analysis of the group's sales by geographical market.

	2019	2018
	£'000	£,000
United Kingdom	70,187	68,408
Europe	31,095	31,656
The Americas	56,773	47,416
Far East/Australasia	26,940	29,474
Africa/Middle East	8,381	8,313
	193,376	185,267

No contract assets or liabilities have been recognised in the Balance sheet of the Group or the company. Their impact, if any is immaterial. The right for payment of goods is unconditional, except for the passage of time. Therefore, all rights to payment have been recorded as trade receivables.

No assets related to costs to obtain or fulfil a contract have been recognised. Their impact, if any are not deemed material.

2 Employee benefit costs

	2019	2018
	£'000	£,000
Wages and salaries	29,403	26,581
Social security costs	2,882	2,768
Other pension costs	1,165	1,325
	33,450	30,674

The company had no employees during this year (2018: nil).

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the group during the year was as follows:

2019	2018
Number	Number
964	884
155	142
230	211
1,349	1,237
	Number 964 155 230

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

2 Employee benefit costs (continued)

Directors' emoluments

	2019	2018
	£'000	£,000
Director:		
Aggregate emoluments	781	943

Retirement benefits are accruing to no directors under a defined benefit scheme (2018: one).

The highest paid director received aggregate emoluments of £506,000 (2018 £693,000).

3 Exceptional items

The group has incurred the following exceptional costs in the year:

	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
Product recall costs	(94)	(221)
Strategic review of the business costs	1,730	600
Legal costs	917	550
	2,553	929

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

4 Operating Profit

The group operating profit is stated after (crediting)/charging:

expenses and other income	174,775	165,074
Total cost of sales, distribution costs, exceptional admin expenses, admin		
Other income	(15)	(119)
Other expense	28,745	26,930
Exceptional costs	2,553	929
Operating lease payments	-	1,893
Advertising cost	15,138	14,121
Transportation expense	4,620	4,255
Depreciation and amortisation	9,821	6,552
Employee benefit expense	33,450	30,674
Raw materials and consumables used	80,736	82,980
Changes in inventories of finished goods and WIP	(273)	(3,141)
	£'000	£'000
	2019	2018

Auditors' remuneration is analysed as follows:

	2019		2018	
	Group	Group Company	Company Group	Company
	£'000	£,000	£,000	£,000
Audit services:				
Fees payable to the company's auditors for the audit of the parent company and consolidated financial statements	23	6	23	6
Non audit services:				
Audit of the company's subsidiaries	273	-	284	-
Other assurance services	-	-	-	-
Other non audit	52	-	180	-
Tax compliance	138	-	-	-

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

5 Finance income / (costs)

	2019	2018
	£,000	£'000
Bank interest receivable	229	186
Finance income	229	186
Interest on loans	5,947	6,308
Amortisation of deferred finance costs	751	751
Bank interest payable	84	28
Bank guarantee fees	169	165
Bank commitment fees	80	77
Interest element of leases	460	-
Discount unwind – on management incentive plan	2,117	1,890
Finance costs	9,608	9,219

All interest receivable and payable is calculated using the expected interest rate method.

6 Taxation

(a) Analysis of charge in the year

The analysis of the group taxation (credit)/charge during the year was as follows:

	2019	2018
	£'000	£,000
Current tax:		
UK corporation tax	(758)	1,164
Overseas tax	1,333	925
Adjustment in respect of prior years	(1,133)	326
Total current tax (credit)/charge	(558)	2,415
Deferred tax:	-	
Origination and reversal of timing differences (note 12)	(2,236)	213
Total tax (credit)/charge (note 6(b))	(2,794)	2,628

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

6 Taxation (continued)

(b) Factors affecting tax charge for the year

The tax assessed for the year is lower than (2018: higher than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK: 19% (2018: 19%). The differences are explained below.

	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
Profit before tax	9,222	11,160
Multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK: 19% (2018:		
19%)	1,752	2,120
Effects of:		
Difference in foreign tax rates	452	301
Changes in taxation rates	~	(50)
Deferred tax not recognised	131	-
Capital allowances for the period in excess of depreciation	(4)	-
Adjustment in relation to prior years	(1,133)	513
Utilisation of tax losses	~	(1,093)
Expenses (allowed)/not allowed for tax purposes	(3,992)	837
Total (credit)/charge	(2,794)	2,628

(c) Factors affecting future tax charges

Certain companies within the group have unutilised tax losses brought forward, which may be used in future years to reduce tax charges if taxable profits arise in those companies.

A reduction to the UK corporation tax rate was substantially enacted for accounting purposes on 26 October 2015, such that the main rate will reduce to 19% from 1 April 2018 and remain at this rate for the financial years beginning 1 April 2019 and 1 April 2020. In the 2018 budget it was also announced that the corporation tax rate will be reduced by a further 2% to 17% for the financial year beginning 1 April 2020.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

7 Retirement benefits

The group operates a defined benefit scheme, the Baby & Child Retirement Benefit Plan. Expected contributions to the defined benefit plan for the year ending 31 December 2019 are £535,000 (2018: £535,000).

The assets of the scheme are administered by trustees. The scheme is closed to new employees. There is no liability for post-employment medical benefits recognised in the group on the basis of mortality.

The contribution payable for the year is based upon the pensionable salaries of those employees who are members of the schemes. Contributions at a rate of 0% (2018: 22.4%) of pensionable salaries have been agreed for future years.

The amounts recognised in the statement of financial position are determined as follows:

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Present value of funded obligations	(30,670)	(26,870)
Fair value of plan assets	36,432	32,366
Pension surplus	5,762	5,496

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

7 Retirement benefits (continued)

			are as follows:

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Current service cost	_	
Past service cost	_	400
Interest income on net surplus	(179)	(142)
Total included in employee benefit costs	(179)	258
Remeasurement (loss)/profit	(448)	224
Deferred tax thereon (note 12)	76	(38)
Net total included within other comprehensive income	(372)	186
Cumulative remeasurement recognised in the statement of other	(6.7-)	
comprehensive income	793	1,165
The movement in the present value of scheme liabilities over the year is as follows:		2018
	2019 £'000	£'000
At 1 January	26,870	29,701
Current service cost	-	-
Past service cost	-	400
Interest cost	817	771
Employee contributions	-	-
Remeasurement loss/(gain) from change in financial		
assumptions	4,614	(1,495)
Remeasurement gain from changes in demographic		
assumptions	(592)	(150)
Experiences gains arising on liabilities	-	-
Benefits paid	(1,039)	(2,357)
At 31 December	30,670	26,870
The movement in the fair value of plan assets over the year is as follows:		
	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
At I January	32,366	34,697
Interest income	996	912
Remeasurement gain/(loss)	3,574	(1,421)
Employer contributions	535	535
Employee contributions	_	-
Benefits paid	(1,039)	(2,357)
At 31 December	36,432	32,366

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

7 Retirement benefits (continued)

The principal actuarial assumptions used were as follows:

	2019	2018
Discount rate	1.98%	3.10%
Inflation – RPI	2.91%	3.30%
Inflation – CPI	2.01%	2.30%
Future salary increases	n/a	n/a
Future pension increases	2.87%	3.15%

Mortality rate

Assumptions regarding future mortality experience are set based on advice in accordance with published statistics and experience in each territory. The average life expectancy in years of a pensioner retiring at age 65 on the balance sheet date is as follows;

	2019	2018
Male	21.3	21.8
Female	23.2	23.7

The average longevity in years of a pensioner retiring at age 65, 20 years after the accounting date is as follows:

	2019	2018
Male	22.3	22.8
Female	24.4	24.9

The sensitivity of the defined benefit obligation to changes in the weighted principal assumptions is:

Change in assumption		Impact on scheme liabilities
Discount rate	Decrease by 0.5%	Increase by £3.1m
Inflation	Increase by 0.5%	Increase by £2.6m
Mortality improvement	Increase life expectancy by 1.25 year	Increase by £0.2m

The above sensitivity analyses are based on a change in an assumption while holding all other assumptions constant. In practice, this is unlikely to occur, and changes in some of the assumptions may be correlated. When calculating the sensitivity of the defined benefit obligation to significant actuarial assumptions the same method (present value of the defined benefit obligation calculated with the projected unit credit method at the end of the reporting year) has been applied consistently with calculating the pension liability recognised within the statement of financial position.

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7 Retirement benefits (continued)

Plan assets are comprised as follows:

		2019		2018
	£'000	%	£'000	%
Corporate bonds	23,106	63.54	20,786	64.23
Inflation & Int bond	8,904	24.44	9,426	29.12
Diversified fund	2,318	6.36	1,788	5.52
Cash	2,057	5.65	366	1.13
Other	47	0.01	-	-
	36,432	100.00	32,366	100.00

The plan assets are invested in pooled investment funds which are not considered to have a quoted market price in an active market as defined in IFRS 13. The underlying investments of these funds are corporate bonds.

The expected return on plan assets is determined by considering the expected returns available on the assets underlying the current investment policy. Expected yields on fixed interest investments are based on gross redemption yields as at the balance sheet date.

The company does not operate a pension scheme.

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8 Property, plant and equipment

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	Short leasehold	Plant and	course of	
•	property	equipment	construction	Total
Group	£'000	£'000	£,000	£'000
Cost			704	
At 1 January 2018	1,901	10,623	704	13,228
Additions	-	-	5,111	5,111
Disposals	-	(319)	-	(319)
Transfers	-	3,240	(3,240)	-
Exchange adjustments	58	445	-	503
At 31 December 2018	1,959	13,989	2,575	18,523
Adoption of IFRS 16	11,556	452	-	12,008
Additions	-	-	3,361	3,361
Disposals	-	(196)	-	(196)
Transfers	25	5,455	(5,480)	-
Exchange adjustments	(78)	(588)	-	(666)
At 31 December 2019	13,462	19,112	456	33,030
Accumulated depreciation				
At 1 January 2018	26	1,616	-	1,642
Charged during the year	297	2,747	-	3,044
Disposals	-	(242)	-	(242)
Exchange adjustments	(97)	377	-	280
At 31 December 2018	226	4,498	-	4,724
Charged during the year	1,828	3,223	-	5,051
Disposals	-	(76)	-	(76)
Exchange adjustments	(67)	(510)	-	(577)
At 31 December 2019	1,987	7,135	-	9,122
Net book value				
At 31 December 2019	11,475	11,977	456	23,908
At 31 December 2018	1,733	9,491	2,575	13,799

The company has no tangible fixed assets.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

Property, plant and equipment (continued) 8

Leased assets

This note provides information for leases where the group is a lessee.

Amounts recognised in the balance sheet

The balance sheet shows the following amounts relating to leases:

Right-of-use assets	31 December 2019	1 January 2019
	£'000	£,000
Short leasehold property	10,112	11,556
Plant and Equipment	285	452
	10,397	12,008
Lease liabilities		
Current	10,004	10,431

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

8 Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Leased assets (continued)

(ii) Amounts recognised in the statement of profit or loss

The statement of profit or loss shows the following amounts relating to leases:

Depreciation charge on right-of-use assets	2019	2018	
	£'000	£'000	
Short leasehold property	1,444	-	
Plant and equipment	167	-	
	1,611	-	
Interest expense	460	-	

The total cash outflow for leases in 2019 was £1,770,000.

(iii) The group's leasing activities and how these are accounted for

The group leases various offices, warehouses, factory premises, equipment and vehicles. Rental contracts are typically made for fixed periods of 6 months to 25 years, but may have extension options as described below.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The group allocates the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on their relative stand-alone prices. However for leases of real estate for which the group is a lessee, it has elected not to separate lease and non-lease components and instead accounts for these as a single lease component.

Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose any covenants other than the security interests in the leased assets that are held by the lessor. Leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes.

Until the 2018 financial year, leases of property, plant and equipment were classified as either finance leases or operating leases. From 1 January 2019, leases are recognised as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the group.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

8 Property, plant and equipment (continued)

(iii) The group's leasing activities and how these are accounted for (continued)

Assets and liabilities arising from a lease are initially measured on a present value basis. Lease liabilities include the net present value of the following lease payments:

- fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable
- variable lease payment that are based on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date
- amounts expected to be payable by the group under residual value guarantees
- the exercise price of a purchase option if the group is reasonably certain to exercise that option, and
- payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the group exercising that option.

Lease payments to be made under reasonable certain extension options are also included in the measurement of the liability.

The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease. If that rate cannot be readily determined, which is generally the case for leases in the group, the lessee's incremental borrowing rate is used, being the rate that the individual lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment with similar terms, security and conditions.

To determine the incremental borrowing rate, the group uses recent third-party financing received by the individual lessee as a starting point, adjusted to reflect changes in financing conditions since third party financing was received.

The group is exposed to potential future increases in variable lease payments based on an index or rate, which are not included in the lease liability until they take effect. When adjustments to lease payments based on an index or rate take effect, the lease liability is reassessed and adjusted against the right-of-use asset.

Lease payments are allocated between principal and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period.

Right-of-use assets are measured at cost comprising the following:

- the amount of the initial measurement of lease liability
- any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received
- any initial direct costs, and
- restoration costs

Right-of-use assets are generally depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis. If the group is reasonably certain to exercise a purchase option, the right-of-use asset is depreciated over the underlying asset's useful life.

Success Bidco 2 Limited Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

9 Intangible assets and goodwill

Group	Brands £'000	Customer Lists £'000s	Software £'000	Research & Development £'000	Goodwill £'000	Total £'000
Cost						
At 1 January 2018	59,283	-	3,350	1,289	224,396	288,318
Recalculation of goodwill	-	-	-	-	24	24
Acquired with subsidiary	-	1,158	-	-	-	1,158
Additions	882	-	919	2,074	-	3,875
Disposal	-	-	(8)	-	-	(8)
Exchange adjustments	-	-	1	-	-	1
At 31 December 2018	60,165	1,158	4,262	3,363	224,420	293,368
Recalculation of goodwill	-	-		-	-	-
Acquired with subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Additions	200	-	2,408	580	-	3,188
Disposal	-	(366)	-	-	-	(366)
Exchange adjustments	-	-	(11)	-		(11)
At 31 December 2019	60,365	792	6,659	3,943	224,420	296,179
Accumulated amortisation an	d impairment					
At 1 January 2018	2,838	-	687	-	-	3,525
Charge for the year	2,366	242	849	51	-	3,508
Exchange adjustments	-	-	1	-	<u>-</u>	1
At 31 December 2018	5,204	242	1,537	51	-	7,034
Charge for the year	2,255	81	1,075	1,360	-	4,771
Exchange adjustments	-	-	(8)		-	(8)
At 31 December 2019	7,459	323	2,604	1,411	-	11,797
Net book value						
At 31 December 2019	52,906	469	4,055	2,532	224,420	284,382
At 31 December 2018	54,961	916	2,725	3,312	224,420	286,334

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

9 Intangible assets and goodwill (continued)

There was no goodwill or other intangible assets arising in the company

All the amortisation charge for the year is included in 'Admin expenses' in the statement of other comprehensive income.

Brands represents the value of brands owned by the group as well as patents the group has on its products. The remaining amortisation periods for these assets are between 10 and 27.5 years and 17.5 years respectively.

Customer lists represent the value of customer data acquired by the group. The remaining amortisation periods for these assets are 3 years.

Goodwill is tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if there are indicators that goodwill might be impaired. Goodwill is tested for impairment by estimating future cash flows from the cash generating units to which goodwill has been allocated and discounting these cash flows to their present value. The key assumptions in these calculations are in respect of discount rates used and the change in cash flows. Management estimates discount rates using pre-tax rates that reflect current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the cash generating units.

Cash flows are estimated using the most recent forecast information for the years 2020 to 2023, based on an estimated growth rate of 2% excluding inflation (2018: 2%). The pre-tax discount rate used to discount the forecast cash flows is 10% (2018: 10%).

The directors consider the assumptions adopted in calculating the cash flows to be consistent with historical performance and to be reasonable given current market conditions. The directors do not believe that there are any reasonably possible changes to key assumptions which would cause an impairment. If the discount rate was increased to 16% this would result in an impairment charge of £22m.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

10 Investments

	Company
	£'000
Cost and net book value	
At 1 January 2018	201,929
Additions	
At 31 December 2018	201,929
Additions	-
At 31 December 2019	201,929

The company's subsidiary undertakings are all held indirectly with the exception of Jake Holdings Limited and all direct and indirect subsidiaries of the company are listed below.

Companies registered at: Mayborn House, Balliol Business Park, Benton Lane, Newcastle upon Tync, NE12 8EW.

Subsidiary companies	Main activities	% ordinary	Country of
		shares	registration
Jake Holdings Limited	Holding company	100%	England
Jake Investment Limited	Holding company	100%	England
Jake Nominees Limited	Holding company	100%	England
Jake Acquisitions Limited	Holding company	100%	England
Mayborn Group Limited	Holding company	100%	England
Mayborn UK Limited	Design and distribution of baby products	100%	England
Sangenic International	Manufacture and distribution of the	100%	England
Limited	Sangenic nappy disposal system		
Steri-bottle UK Ltd	Sourcing and distribution of baby accessory products	100%	England
Cotton Bottoms Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Kindertec Limited	Sourcing and distribution of baby	100%	England
	accessory products		5
Tommee Tippee Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Ravina Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Mayborn Limited	Dormant	100%	England
G. E Romney (BAMA) Ltd	Dormant	100%	England
Haditos Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Technomould Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Edizol Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Acacia Chemicals Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Lord Shcraton Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Process Improvements	Dormant	100%	England
(1989) Limited			_
Niche Plastics Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Mayborn Florist Sundries	Dormant	100%	England
Limited			•
Brookline Delta Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Gro-Group Holdings Ltd	Holding company	100%	England
Gro-Group Limited	Holding Company	100%	England
Gro-Group Int Limited	Distribution of baby products	100%	England
Bump to 3 Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Grobag Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Gro-Group UK Limited	Dormant	100%	England
Fosse Management Ltd	Dormant	100%	England

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10 Investments (continued)

Companies with other registered offices

Subsidiary companies	Main activities	% ordinary shares	Registered office
Jackel & Co Ireland Limited	Dormant	100%	Nisoft House, Ravenhill Business Park, Ravenhill Road, Belfast, Antrim, BT6 8AW, Northern Ireland
The Maws Group Limited	Dormant	100%	Capella Building (Tenth Floor), 60 York Street, Glasgow, G2 8JX,Scotland
Maws Suncare Limited	Dormant	100%	Capella Building (Tenth Floor), 60 York Street, Glasgow, G2 8JX,Scotland
Jackel International (UK) Limited	Dormant	100%	Capella Building (Tenth Floor), 60 York Street, Glasgow, G2 8JX,Scotland
Mayborn USA Inc	Distribution of baby accessory products	100%	Portion, 11 th Floor 1010 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, Connecticut 06910
Mayborn ANZ PTY Limited	Distribution of baby accessory products	100%	Unit 21, 15 Ricketts Road, Mount Waverley, Victoria 3149, Australia
Mayborn France SARL	Distribution of baby accessory products	100%	24 rue Alfred Kastler, 56000 Vannes, France
Mayborn Morocco SARL	Manufacture of baby accessory products	100%	Lot n° Y, Zone Franche d'Exportation de Tanger, 90100 Tangier, Morocco
Mayborn Japan KK	Non trading	100%	c/o TA Lawyers GKJ, Shiroyama Trust Tower, Toranomon 4-3-1, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan
PMM China Limited	Holding company	100%	14/F, China Aerospace Centre, 143 Hoi Bun Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Jackel International China Limited	Manufacturing of baby accessory products	100%	Shujiu Industrial Park Changping Town Dongguan City, People's republic of China
Product Marketing Mayborn Limited	Sourcing and distribution of baby accessory products	100%	14/F, China Aerospace Centre, 143 Hoi Bun Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Jackel China Limited	Manufacturing of baby accessory products	100%	14/F, China Aerospace Centre, 143 Hoi Bun Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong.
Gro-Global (Shenzhen) Trading Co,.Ltd Gro-Company Australia Pty	Sourcing of baby products Distribution of	100% 100%	31A, Huifu Ge, Block B, Cai Fu Building, Futian District, China Unit 21, 15 Ricketts Road, Mount
Ltd Mayborn Usa Inc	baby products Dormant	100%	Waverley, Victoria 3149, Australia 2121 N California Blvd Ste 290 Walnut Creek, CA, 94596 United States

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10 Investments (continued)

Kunshan Goodbaby	Dormant	49%	Li Ji Road, Kunshan Development
Tommee Tippee Child			Zone, Jiangsu Province, People's
Products Company Limited			Republic of China

The directors believe that the carrying value of the investments is supported by their underlying net assets and expected future earnings.

Jake Nominees Limited, Jake Holdings Limited, Jake Investment Limited, Jake Acquisitions Limited, Kindertec Limited, Gro-Group International Limited and Mayborn Group Limited have not been subject to an audit due to guarantee provided from Success Bidco 2 Limited in accordance with Section 479a of the Companies Act 2006 related to subsidiary companies.

11 Acquisitions

Italy distributor business

On February 13th 2018, the Group acquired certain assets from Danpete SRL, the Group's Italian distributor. It was assessed, under IFRS 3, that these constituted a business combination. The consideration was satisfied by cash.

The fair value of the consideration and the net assets acquired is detailed below.

	Book Value	Adjustments	Fair value
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Customer lists	-	706	706
Inventories	491	145	636
Trade and other receivables	245	-	245
Other current liabilities	(126)	•	(126)
Total identifiable assets	610	851	1,461
Goodwill			-
Total consideration			1,461

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

11 Acquisitions (continued)

Australian Sleep Category

On March 9th 2018, the Group acquired certain assets from Bloom & Grow, who were distributors for the sleep category in Australia that the Group had inherited on its acquisition of Gro in December 2018. It was assessed, under IFRS 3, that these constituted a business combination. The consideration was satisfied by in part by cash and in part by settlement of debt.

The fair value of the consideration and the net assets acquired is detailed below.

	Book Value	Adjustments	Fair value
	£,000	£'000	£'000
Customer lists	-	452	452
Inventories	915	(307)	608
Trade and other receivables	61	-	61
Total identifiable assets	976	145	1,121
Goodwill			-
Total consideration			1,121

IFRS 3 requires fair values of assets and liabilities acquired to be finalised within 12 months of the acquisition date. During 2019, the Group finalised the fair values of the assets and liabilities of the above acquisitions which completed during 2018. There have been no adjustments to the values presented in the prior year subsequent to the finalisation of this assessment.

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12 Deferred tax assets/ (liabilities)

Group	Depreciation in excess of capital allowances £'000	Recognition of assets on business combination £'000	Other short term timing differences £'000	Cash flow hedges £'000	Retire- ment benefits scheme £'000	Total £'000
As at 1 January 2018	687	(9,832)	598	77	(849)	(9,311)
(Charged)/credited to the statement of Comprehensive income	(167)	405	(400)	-	(42)	(213)
Tax on actuarial gain on retirement benefits scheme	-	-	-	-	(38)	(38)
Tax on fair value gain on hedging instruments	-		-	(142)	_	(142)
As at 31 December 2018	520	(9,427)	198	(65)	(929)	(9,703)
Credited/(charged) to income statement	(240)	421	2,182	-	(127)	2,236
Tax on actuarial gain on retirement benefits scheme	-	-	-	-	76	76
Tax on fair value gain on hedging instruments	-	-	-	(146)	-	(146)
As at 31 December 2019	280	(9,006)	2,380	(211)	(980)	(7,537)
		= =				
To be recovered within 12 months	-	(376)	(91)	(211)	-	(678)
To be recovered after more than 12 months	280	(8,630)	2,471	-	(980)	(6,859)
Deferred tax Asset	280	-	2,380	_	-	2,660
Deferred tax Liability	-	(9,006)	-	(211)	(980)	(10,197)
Total	280	(9,006)	2,380	(211)	(980)	(7,537)

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12 Deferred tax assets/ (liabilities) (continued)

The deferred tax asset has been recognised on the basis that management consider it to be fully recoverable against future profits of the business.

At 31 December 2019 the company has a deferred tax liability of £nil (2018: £62,000) arising from the gain in the fair value of cash flow hedges during the year.

13 Inventories

	2019	2018
Group	£'000	£'000
Raw materials	1,575	1,229
Work in progress	80	76
Finished goods	21,502	21,233
	23,157	22,538

There is a provision of £2,020,000 (2018: £1,313,000) against inventories. The cost of inventories recognised as an expense and included in cost of sales during the year is £80,736,000 (2018: £82,980,000).

The company has no inventory.

14 Trade and other receivables

	Group	Company	Group	Company
	2019 £'000	2019	2018	2018
		£'000	£'000	£'000
Trade receivables	37,840	-	36,505	-
Less: provision for impairment of trade receivable	(5,276)	-	(2,650)	-
Net trade receivables	32,564	_	33,855	-
Owed by subsidiary undertakings	294	19,952	1,535	25,713
Owed by parent companies	224	-	12	12
Other debtors	758	12	552	54
Prepayments and accrued income	920	162	1,394	-
	34,760	20,126	37,348	25,779

There is no significant difference between the carrying value and fair value of trade and other receivables. Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings are unsecured, repayable on demand and have interest charged at 3.7%.

Following the implementation of IFRS 9 an assessment of the impact of expected credit loss on the unprovided for balance of trade and intercompany receivables was undertaken. Following this assessment the directors have not identified any material amounts of expected credit loss.

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15 Derivative financial instruments

	2	2018		
	Asset	Liability	Asset	Liability
Group	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Forward foreign exchange contracts – cash flow				
hedges	1,240	-	6	-
Interest rate swaps - cash flow hedges	-	-	366	-
Total	1,240	-	372	-
Less non-current portion:	1			
Interest rate swaps – cash flow hedges	-	-	366	-
Current portion	1,240	_	6	

	2019		2018	
	Asset	Liability	Asset	Liability
Company	£,000	£'000	£'000	£,000
Interest rate swaps – cash flow hedges	-	-	366	-
Total	-	-	366	_
Less non-current portion:				
Interest rate swaps – cash flow hedges	-	-	366	-
Current portion	-	_	-	-

(a) Forward currency contracts

The group enters into forward currency contracts. The purpose of such transactions is to manage the currency risks arising from the group's operations and its sources of finance.

The terms of the forward currency contracts are as follows:

	Maturity	Exchange	
	date	rates	
Sell Euro €	< 1 year	1.1065 to 1.1265	
Buy Hong Kong \$	< 1 year	9.371 to 10.511	
Sell Australian Dollars \$	< 1 year	1.82 to 1.8515	
Sell US Dollars \$	< 1 year	1.258 to 1.3119	

The notional principal amounts of the outstanding forward foreign exchange selling contracts held for trading at 31 December 2019 were Euro €20,160,000 (2018: Euro €63,720,000); the fair value of these contracts at 31 December 2019 was an asset of £638,000 (2018: liability of £363,000).

The notional principal amounts of the outstanding forward foreign exchange buying contracts held for trading at 31 December 2019 were Hong Kong \$90,000,000 (2018: Hong Kong \$126,000,000); the fair value of these contracts at 31 December 2019 was a liability of £279 (2018: asset of £462,000).

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

15 Derivative financial instruments (continued)

(a) Forward currency contracts (continued)

The notional principal amounts of the outstanding forward foreign exchange selling contracts held for trading at 31 December 2019 were Australian \$15,840,000 (2018: Australian \$46,140,000); the fair value of these contracts at 31 December 2019 was an asset of £119,000 (2018: asset of £155,000)

The notional principal amounts of the outstanding forward foreign exchange selling contracts held for trading at 31 December 2019 were American \$28,800,000 (2018: \$16,500,000); the fair value of these contracts at 31 December 2019 was a liability of £763,000 (2018: £249,000)

Trading derivatives are classified as a current asset or liability. The full fair value of a hedging derivative is classified as a non-current asset or liability if the remaining maturity of the hedge item is more than 12 months, and as a current asset or liability if the maturity of the hedge item is less than 12 months. The ineffective portion recognised in profit or loss amounts to £Nil (2018: £nil).

The derivatives' fair value is categorised as Level 2, defined as inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability.

The hedged forecast transactions denominated in foreign currency are expected to occur at various dates during the 12 months of 2020.

(b) Interest rate swaps

The notional principal amounts of the outstanding interest rate swap contracts at 31 December 2019 were £nil (2018: £90,000,000) the swap agreement terminated on 30 September 2019 and was not renewed.

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16 Restricted Cash

	Group	Company	Group	Company
	2019	2019	2018	2018
	£'000	£,000	£,000	£'000
Restricted cash	-	_	4,000	4,000

Under the term loan agreement (note 18) the group was required to maintain a cash overfunding account until December 2018, to be used if the group cash balance drops below a certain level. As this account may only be used for this purpose the balance has been shown as restricted in the analysis above until this date.

17 Trade and other payables

	Group 2019	Company	Group	Company				
		2019	2019	2019	2019	2019 20	2019 2019 2018	2018
	£,000	£,000	£'000	£,000				
Trade payables	16,432	-	13,108	-				
Other taxation and social security	887	-	785	-				
Other creditors	14,058	-	5,381	-				
Amounts owed to parent companies	4,038	4,038	4,048	4,048				
Accruals and deferred income	19,246	1,023	22,895	729				
Corporation tax	3,046		6,875					
	57,707	5,061	53,092	4,777				

Amounts owed to subsidiary and parent undertakings are unsecured, repayable on demand and have interest charged at 3.7%.

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18 Borrowings

	Group Company		Group	Company
	2019	2019	2018	2018
	£'000	£'000	£,000	£,000
Included in current liabilities:				
Preference shares	31,253	31,253	31,253	31,253
Bank overdraft	-	-	-	-
Total current borrowings	31,253	31,253	31,253	31,253
Included in non-current liabilities:				
Loan stock	124,370	124,370	123,619	123,619

The loan stock at 31st December 2019 is analysed as follows:

At 31 December 2019

	Loans outstanding	Capitalised cost of raising finance	Net amount payable
Group and company	£'000	£'000	£,000
Loans due in more than one year			
Bank loan	127,000	(2,630)	124,370

At 31 December 2018

	Loans outstanding	Capitalised cost of raising finance	Net amount payable
Group and company	£,000	£'000	£'000
Loans due in more than one year			
Bank loan	127,000	(3,381)	123,619

On 19th December 2017 the group drew down a £7,000,000 new term loan which carries interest at 4.65% above LIBOR. The loan is repayable in full on 23rd June 2023.

The preference shares were issued on 23rd June 2016 and carried an 8% dividend in 2016. The interest has been waived by the parent company since 2018. They are redeemable by the company at any time.

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19 Called up share capital

	Number of £0.01 ordinary shares	Number of £0.0088 ordinary B shares	Total £'000s
Allotted and fully paid			
At 31 December 2017	13,100,000,001	3,320,000,000	160,216
At 31 December 2018	13,100,000,001	3,320,000,000	160,216
At 31 December 2019	13,100,000,001	3,320,000,000	160,216

The 'B' shares carry equal voting rights to the ordinary shares.

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20 Share Based Payments

(a) Share Appreciation Rights

In June 2016, the board decided to reward managers for their contribution to the performance of the group by granting them 25,680 share appreciation rights (SARs). The rights entitle the employees to a cash payment after six years of service, with interim vesting periods in 2020 and 2021. The amount payable is measured indirectly and will be determined based on the increase of Success Bidco 2 Limited's enterprise value between the grant date (23 June 2016) and the vesting date (31 December 2022). The rights must be exercised within specified vesting periods over the final three years of the scheme and will expire if not exercised by the final date.

The fair value of the SARs was determined based on the expected 'enterprise value' of the group at 2022 based on a fixed EBITDA multiple set out in the agreement, discounted to a present value at a rate of 12%. The valuation also takes into account a hurdle rate and a put option to increase the multiple based on an independent valuation if called by the members. The carrying amount of the liability in relation to this scheme is £13.4m (2018: £9.1m), this has been provided to Success Bidco 2 Limited as a capital contribution from its parent company and is reflected within reserves. Amounts of £4.3m (2018: £4.1m) have been charged to the Consolidated statement of comprehensive income in respect of the scheme for the current year.

The above is accounted for as an equity settled share-based payment under IFRS2.

None of the SARs had vested as at 31 December 2019 (2018: none).

(b) Expenses arising from share-based payment transactions

Total expenses arising from share-based payment transactions recognised during the year as part of employee benefit expense were as follows:

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Share appreciation rights	4,348	4,122

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

21 Financial instruments by category

The accounting policies for financial instruments have been applied to the line items below:

Group At 31 December 2019	Amortised cost	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Trade and other receivables excluding pre-payments	33,840	-	33,840
Derivative financial instruments	-	1,240	1,240
Restricted cash	-	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	43,984	-	43,984
	Other financial liabilities £'000	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Trade payables	(16,432)	-	(16,432)
Other payables	(14,586)	-	(14,586)
Borrowings	(155,623)		(155,623)

Group	Loans and	Derivatives used	Total £'000	
At 31 December 2018	receivables £'000	for hedging £'000		
Trade and other receivables excluding pre-payments	35,954	-	35,954	
Derivative financial instruments	-	372	372	
Restricted cash	4,000	-	4,000	
Cash and cash equivalents	30,319		30,319	

	Other financial liabilities £'000	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Trade payables	(13,108)	-	(13,108)
Other payables	(17,089)	-	(17,089)
Borrowings	(154,872)		(154,872)

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21 Financial instruments by category (continued)

Company At 31 December 2019	Amortised cost	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Trade and other receivables excluding pre-payments	19,964	-	19,964
Derivative financial instruments	-	-	-
Restricted cash	-	-	_
Cash and cash equivalents	6,718	-	6,718
	Other financial liabilities £'000	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Borrowings	(155,623)	-	(155,623)
Other payables	(4,039)	-	(4,039)
Company At 31 December 2018	Loans and receivables	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Trade and other receivables excluding pre-payments	25,779	-	25,779
Derivative financial instruments	•	366	366
Restricted cash	4,000	-	4,000
Cash and cash equivalents	2,706	-	2,706
	Other financial liabilities £'000	Derivatives used for hedging £'000	Total £'000
Borrowings	(154,872)		(154,872)

All derivatives in the Group and Company used for hedging are held at fair value through other comprehensive income.

(4,777)

No assets or liabilities are held at fair value through profit and loss.

Other payables

(4,777)

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21 Financial instruments by category (continued)

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities, including estimated interest payments and excluding the effect of netting arrangements:

		2019				
Group	Carrying Amount £'000	Contractu al cash flows £'000	1 year or less £'000	1 to 2 years £'000	2 to 5 years £'000	5 years and over £'000
Non-derivative financial liabilities						
Borrowings	155,623	158,253	31,253	-	127,000	-
Trade payables	16,432	16,432	16,432	-	-	-
Other payables	14,586	14,586	14,586	-	-	-
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Group	Carrying Amount £'000	Contractua l cash flows £'000	l year or less £'000	1 to 2 years £'000	2 to 5 years £'000	5 years and over £'000
Non-derivative financial liabilities						
Borrowings	154,872	158,253	31,253	-	127,000	-
Trade payables	13,108	13,108	13,108	-	-	-
Other payables	17,089	17,089	17,089	-	-	-

Other payables

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21 Financial instruments by category (continued)

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	2019					
Company	Carrying Amount £'000	Contractu al cash flows £'000	1 year or less £'000	1 to 2 years £'000	2 to 5 years £'000	5 years and over £'000
Non-derivative financial liabilities						<u> </u>
Borrowings	155,623	158,253	31,253	-	127,000	-
Other payables	4,039	4,039	4,039	-	-	-
			2:	018		
Company	Carrying Amount £'000	Contractua I cash flows £'000	l year or less £'000	1 to 2 years £'000	2 to 5 years £'000	5 years and over £'000
Non-derivative financial liabilities						
Borrowings	154,872	158,253	31,253	•	127,000	-

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22 Contingent liabilities and assets

Facilities agreement guarantee

The company and certain of its subsidiaries have jointly and severally agreed to the punctual performance of borrower or guarantors' obligations under the Facilities Agreement dated 20 June 2016, as signed with the Group's lenders. The total sum secured by these guarantees is £137,000,000 (2018: £137,000,000).

The Group has secured all monies due under the Facilities Agreement with fixed and floating charges over all property and assets of the company, together with the assets of certain subsidiaries, in favour of Lloyds Bank Plc, also in its capacity as security agent for the beneficiaries of the Facilities Agreement.

23 Operating lease commitments

The future aggregate minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases were as follows:

2018
£'000
1,996
5,417
4,281
11,694

Since the adoption of IFRS 16 the group has no operating leases.

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24 Financial risk management

The group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and capital risk. The group's overall risk management programme seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the company's financial performance. The group uses derivative financial instruments to hedge certain risk exposures.

(a) Market risk

The group operates internationally and is exposed to foreign exchange risk, primarily with respect to the Euro, the US Dollar, the Hong Kong Dollar and the Australian Dollar. Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial transactions and recognised assets and liabilities.

Currency risk is managed in overall terms at a group level. The group has a net inflow of Euros and Australian dollars arising from its trading activities and has established a policy of selling forward up to 12 months' worth of its Euro and AUD revenue.

The group also has a net outflow of Hong Kong dollars arising from its trading activities and has established a policy of purchasing forward up to 15 months' worth of its Hong Kong dollar requirements. Certain forward contracts undertaken by the group under this policy are treated under IFRS 9 as cash flow hedges where they meet the requirements of the standard.

Sensitivities have been performed below based on the movement in currency rates during the year. At 31 December 2019, if the Euro had weakened/strengthened by 1.0% (2018: 1.0%) against the UK pound with all other variables held constant, post-tax loss for the year would have been £208,000 (2018: £5,000) higher/lower, mainly as a result of foreign exchange gains/losses on translation of euro-denominated trade receivables and intercompany payables.

At 31 December 2019, if the Hong Kong/US Dollar had strengthened/weakened by 5% (2018: 5.6%) against the UK pound with all other variables held constant, post-tax loss for the year would have been £448,000 (2018: £375,000) higher/lower, mainly as a result of foreign exchange gains/losses on translation of HK/US dollar-denominated intercompany payables.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

24 Financial risk management (continued)

(a) Market risk (continued)

At 31 December 2019, if the Australian Dollar had weakened/strengthened by 10.0% (2018: 4.6%) against the UK pound with all other variables held constant, post-tax loss for the year would have been £174,000 (2018: £131,000) higher/lower, mainly as a result of foreign exchange gains/losses on translation of Australian Dollar-denominated intercompany payables.

Interest bearing financial assets held by the group are restricted to cash balances which are subject to variable interest rates; income and cash flows are largely independent of the changes in market interest rates.

(b) Credit risk

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, and derivative financial instruments, as well as credit exposures to wholesale and retail customers. For wholesale customers, external credit checks are carried out and credit limits put in place as appropriate. Management monitors impairment through the utilisation of credit limits and payment history regularly. The credit risk to the majority of customers in the UK is deemed sufficiently low to require insurance. Those customers where risk is higher are insured.

Credit risk on all export sales is minimised either through the group's export credit insurance policy, by obtaining letters of credit or requiring payment in advance of the delivery of goods.

At the year end, four customers (2018: three) had a closing balance of more than 5% (2018: more than 5%) of total trade receivables totalling £13,271,000 (2018: £11,217,000). No credit limits were exceeded during the reporting year unless authorised and management does not expect any losses from non-performance by these counterparties.

There has been no material increase in credit risk of any items in the year or since their initial recognition. Amounts of write offs still subject to enforcement activity is not material.

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24 Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Credit risk (continued)

The table below shows the ageing analysis of trade receivables at the year-end:

	Current £'000	0-3 months past due £'000	Over 3 months past due £'000	Impaired £'000	Total £'000
At 31 December 2019	31,618	5,585	637	(5,276)	32,564
	Current £'000	0-3 months past due £'000	Over 3 months past due £'000	Impaired £'000	Total £'000
At 31 December 2018	31,531	3,164	1,810	(2,650)	33,855

All other receivables are considered to be current. Intercompany receivables are repayable on demand and are therefore classified as current until request for payment is made.

There are no trade receivables within the company.

The carrying amounts of the group's trade receivables are denominated in the following currencies:

	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
Pounds	12,742	11,320
Euro	6,905	7,343
US Dollar	9,065	11,792
Other	3,852	3,400
	32,564	33,855

There are no trade receivables within the company.

Movements on the provision for impairment of trade receivables are as follows:

	2019	2018
	£'000	£,000
At 1 January	2,650	732
Provisions credited	2,626	1,918
At 31 December	5,276	2,650

The other classes within trade and other receivables do not contain impaired assets.

No provision for expected credit loss under IFRS9 has been recognised on the grounds that its effect has been calculated to be immaterial.

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24 Financial risk management (continued)

(c) Credit risk (continued)

There are no trade receivables within the company.

The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date is the fair value of each class of receivable mentioned above. The company does not hold any collateral as security.

(d) Liquidity risk

Management aims to manage liquidity risk through regular cash flow forecasting to ensure the company has sufficient available funds for operations and planned expansions.

The table below analyses the group's financial liabilities which will be settled on a net basis into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the accounting reference date to the contractual maturity date. The carrying value of financial liabilities is not considered to differ significantly from the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

At 31 December 2019	Less than 1 year £'000
Trade and other payables	57,707
	Less than 1 year
At 31 December 2018	£,000
Trade and other payables	53,092

There are no trade payables in the company.

The table below analyses the group's foreign currency financial instruments which will be settled on a gross basis into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the balance sheet date to the contractual maturity date.

	Less than 1	Between
At 31 December 2019	year £'000	1-2 years £'000
Forward foreign exchange contracts - cash flow hedges:		
Outflow	6,403	-
Inflow	18,627	-
	Less than 1	Between
	year	1-2 years
At 31 December 2018	£,000	£,000
Forward foreign exchange contracts – cash flow hedges:		
Outflow	11,987	_
Inflow	26,627	-

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

24 Financial risk management (continued)

(e)Capital risk management

The company's ultimate controlling party is Ping An Insurance Company, who determine the capital structure that is appropriate for the Group. The management have control over the working capital requirements of the business in conjunction with the Board.

The business has regular forecasting processes that determine the level of working capital that is required by the business in order to efficiently manage the business. The requirements are reviewed to ensure that the business has the financial capacity to meet them, or has sufficient incremental facilities to create the capacity.

The working capital utilised within the business is regularly monitored and formally reported on every month at Board level, to ensure that the working capital is being used appropriately. This analysis is supported by the monitoring of performance against relevant KPIs

25 Related party transactions

Key management compensation

Key management include members of the group's executive board who are employed by the group's trading subsidiaries. Compensation paid to key management for employee services during the year were.

	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
Salaries and other short-term employee benefits	2,602	2,513

The company is related to all of its direct and indirect subsidiaries a full list of whom is included in note 10 along with details of their registered office.

During the year the company made the following sales to its parent company, is Shanghai Jahwa United Co. Ltd.

	2019	2018 £'000
	£'000	
Sales of product	2,129	4,915
Jahwa service charge	<u>-</u>	(1,095)

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

25 Related party transactions (continued)

At the year end the following balances were owed by / (to) Shanghai Jahwa United Co. Ltd.

	2019	2018
	£'000	£'000
Sales invoices	1,075	1,535
Jahwa service charge	(39)	(1,653)

26 Ultimate parent company

The immediate parent undertaking of the company is Glamour Time Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands. The ultimate parent company is Shanghai Jahwa United Co. Ltd, a company based in China. The ultimate controlling interest is held by Ping An Insurance (Group) Company of China Limited, a company based in China, due to their controlling interest in Shanghai Jahwa United Co. Ltd.

These financial statements are the smallest group of consolidated financial statements. The largest group to consolidate these financial statements are those of Ping An Insurance (Group) Company of China Limited copies of which can be obtained from the company's website.

27 Changes in accounting policies

As indicated in note 8 above, the group has adopted IFRS 16 Leases retrospectively from 1 January 2019, but has not restated comparatives for the 2018 reporting period, as permitted under the specific transition provisions in the standard. The reclassifications and the adjustments arising from the new leasing rules are therefore recognised in the opening balance sheet on 1 January 2019. The new accounting policies are disclosed in note 8.

On adoption of IFRS 16, the group recognised lease liabilities in relation to leases which had previously been classified as 'operating leases' under the principles of IAS 17 *Leases*. These liabilities were measured at the present value of the remaining ease payments, discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate as of 1 January 2019. The weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate applied to the lease liabilities on 1 January 2019 was 5%.

In applying IFRS 16 for the first time, the group has used the following practical expedients permitted by the standard:

- Applying a single discount to a portfolio of leases with reasonably similar characteristics
- Excluding initial direct costs for the measurement of the right-of-use asset at the date of initial
 application, and
- Using hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

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27 Changes in accounting policies (continued)

The group has also elected not to reassess whether a contract is, or contains a lease at the date of initial application. Instead, for contracts entered into before the transition date the group relied on its assessment made applying IAS 17 and Interpretation 4 *Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease*.

	2019
	£,000
Operating lease commitments disclosed as at 31 December 2018	11,694
Discounted using the lessee's incremental borrowing rate at the date of initial application	11,431
Lease liability recognised as at 1 January 2019	11,431

The associated right-of-use assets for leases were measured on a retrospective basis as if the new rules had always been applied.

The change in account policy affected the following items in the balance sheet on 1 January 2019:

- Property, plant and equipment- increase by £12,008,000
- Lease liabilities- increase by £11,431,000

The net impact on retained earnings on 1 January 2019 was a reduction of £92,000.