

FDM Group Limited

**Directors' report and financial
statements**

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Highlights

Financial Highlights

- Revenues increased by 58.1% to £83.7 million (2009: £52.9 million)
- Gross profit increased by 57.3% to £22.9 million (2009: £14.5 million)
- Overall gross margins remained consistent at 27.3% (2009: 27.4%)
- Operating profit increased by 137.4% to £10.8m (2009: £4.5m)
- Operating margin increased to 12.9% (2009: 8.6%)
- Profit before tax of £10.7m million (2009: £4.6 million), representing an increase of 133.2%
- Debtor days decreased to 60 days (2009: 63 days)
- FDM Consultant utilisation rates increased to 98.8% (2009: 96.7%)

Directors, Secretary and Advisers

Directors	Ivan Martin (Non-Executive Chairman) Roderick Neil Flavell (Chief Executive Officer) Sheila Flavell (Chief Operating Officer) Andrew Brown (Sales Director) Mike McLaren (Finance Director) (appointed 11 April 2011)
Company Secretary	David Templeman (resigned 4 November 2010) Richard Swann (appointed 4 November 2010, resigned 11 April 2011) Mike McLaren (appointed 11 April 2011)
Registered office and Directors' Business address	Second Floor Lanchester House Trafalgar Place Brighton East Sussex BN1 4FU
Solicitors to the Company	Dechert LLP 2 Serjeants' Inn London EC4Y 1LT
Auditors	KPMG Audit Plc 1 Forest Gate Brighton Road Crawley West Sussex RH11 9PT

Directors' report

The directors present their directors' report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

Principal activities

The Group's principal activity is that of an international IT services provider. The Group specialises in recruiting and training its own permanent IT consultants.

The Company has overseas subsidiaries based in the USA, Belgium, Switzerland, Luxembourg, Germany and Hong Kong.

Business review

Trading performance throughout the period under review continued the positive trends displayed in previous years and the Group recorded record profits despite tough macro-economic conditions. The Group continued its core strategy of developing into an IT services business and to increase the supply of our in-house resources to the market. In order to maintain our growth programme we invested in additional floor space in our London office, opened an academy in our Frankfurt office, opened a new office in Wall Street, New York and an establishment in Hong Kong, to further facilitate our international offerings.

FDM Group de-listed from AIM on 19 February 2010 and re-registered as a private limited company. Under this new equity structure Inflexion Private Equity Partners LLP, the core management team and other senior officers of the business hold shares in Astra 50 Limited, which is the parent company, formed for the purpose of the take-private transaction.

The principal risk facing the Group remains around general market conditions. We continuously monitor these and necessary steps will be taken to minimise impact on trading if conditions change.

The directors look into 2011 with continued optimism, having had the most successful year in its trading history.

Proposed dividend

The Group is owned by Astra 50 Limited, and to this extent the Group pay dividends to the parent company throughout the year to meet its banking obligations. No dividends to the ultimate shareholders will be made.

Policy and practice on payment of creditors

It is the policy of the Company to settle outstanding accounts with suppliers on normal terms of credit which are agreed before initial transactions are contracted.

At the year end there were 25 days (2009: 34 days) purchases in trade payables.

Directors

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

I Martin (Chairman)
RN Flavell
DG Templeman (resigned 4 November 2010)
A Brown
S Flavell

Directors' report *(continued)*

Political and charitable contributions

During the year the Group made charitable donations of £3,115 (2009 £1,757) No political contributions were made (2009 £nil)

Corporate social responsibility

The Group makes it a policy of informing all employees of matters of concern to them as employees, both in their immediate work situation and in the wider context of the Group's well being. It encourages participation and involvement in matters which affect their interests as employees. Communication with employees is effected through the Group's Intranet portal which is updated on a daily basis and quarterly staff magazines sent out by post. Informal communication is facilitated by emails to all Group companies and encouragement is given to employees to provide feedback in the aim towards achieving a common awareness on all aspects affecting the performance of the Group.

The Group gives full and fair consideration to the employment of disabled persons for suitable jobs. In the event of members of staff becoming disabled every effort is made to ensure that their employment within the Group continues either in the job or in a suitable alternative. The Group would endeavour to make any reasonable adjustments for disabled employees to fulfil job role responsibility. It is the Group's policy to support disabled employees in all aspects of their training, development and promotion where it benefits the employee and the Group.

Disclosure of information to auditors

The directors who held office at the date of approval of this directors' report confirm that, so far as they are each aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information.

Auditors

In accordance with Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, a resolution for the re-appointment of KPMG Audit Plc as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By order of the Board



Mike McLaren
Company Secretary

2nd Floor Lanchester House, Trafalgar Place
Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 4FU

27 July 2011

Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the directors' report and the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare group and parent company financial statements for each financial year. Under that law they have elected to prepare both the group and the parent company financial statements in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU and applicable laws.

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 parent company and of their profit or loss for that period. In preparing each of the group and parent company financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU, and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the group and the parent company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the parent company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the parent company and enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the group and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the company's website. Legislation in the UK governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

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Independent auditor's report to the members of FDM Group Limited

We have audited the financial statements of FDM Group Limited for the year ended 31 December 2010 set out on pages 9 to 29. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the EU and, as regards the parent company financial statements, as applied in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 2006.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 6, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit, and express an opinion on, the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the APB's website at www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion:

- the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and of the parent company's affairs as at 31 December 2010 and of the group's profit for the year then ended,
- the group financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU,
- the parent company financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU and as applied in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 2006, and
- the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

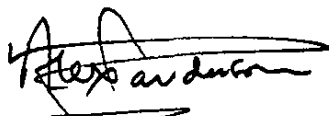
Independent auditor's report to the members of FDM Group Limited

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Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

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



P Alex Sanderson (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of KPMG Audit Plc, Statutory Auditor
Chartered Accountants

2011

28th July 2011

Consolidated Income Statement for year ended 31 December 2010

	Note	2010 £000	2009 £000
Revenue	2	83,661	52,913
Cost of sales		(60,811)	(38,386)
Gross profit		22,850	14,527
Administrative expenses		(12,080)	(9,272)
Take-private transaction fees		-	(719)
Total administrative expenses	3	(12,080)	(9,991)
Operating profit		10,770	4,536
Financial income	6	5	62
Financial expenses	6	(52)	-
Net finance (expense)/income		(47)	62
Profit before tax		10,723	4,598
Taxation	7	(3,190)	(1,570)
Profit for the year attributable to equity holders of the parent company		7,533	3,028

The results above arise from continuing operations

Consolidated and Parent Company Statement of Financial Position at 31 December 2010

	Note	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Non-current assets					
Investments	11	-	-	1	-
Property, plant and equipment	8,9	800	481	687	472
Intangible assets	10	73	114	73	114
Deferred tax assets	12	29	144	29	144
		<u>902</u>	<u>739</u>	<u>790</u>	<u>730</u>
Current assets					
Trade and other receivables	13	17,442	10,532	14,325	7,448
Cash and cash equivalents	14	4,825	11,438	3,207	9,158
		<u>22,267</u>	<u>21,970</u>	<u>17,532</u>	<u>16,606</u>
Total assets		<u>23,169</u>	<u>22,709</u>	<u>18,322</u>	<u>17,336</u>
Current liabilities					
Financing facilities	14	3,970	-	3,970	-
Trade and other payables	15	8,111	5,928	7,418	4,868
Current tax liability		1,572	713	1,183	505
		<u>13,653</u>	<u>6,641</u>	<u>12,571</u>	<u>5,373</u>
Total liabilities		<u>13,653</u>	<u>6,641</u>	<u>12,571</u>	<u>5,373</u>
Net assets		<u>9,516</u>	<u>16,068</u>	<u>5,751</u>	<u>11,963</u>
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent					
Share capital	17	236	232	236	232
Share premium	17	3,494	3,332	3,494	3,332
Translation reserve	17	662	524	-	-
Capital redemption reserve	17	63	63	63	63
Retained earnings		5,061	11,917	1,958	8,336
		<u>9,516</u>	<u>16,068</u>	<u>5,751</u>	<u>11,963</u>
Total equity		<u>9,516</u>	<u>16,068</u>	<u>5,751</u>	<u>11,963</u>

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 27 July 2011 and were signed on its behalf by



M McLaren
Director

Consolidated and Parent Company Statement of Cashflows for year ended 31 December 2010

	<i>Note</i>	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Cash flows from operating activities					
Profit for the year		7,533	3,028	5,344	1,785
<i>Adjustments for</i>					
Depreciation and amortisation	3	268	205	252	200
Financial income	6	(5)	(62)	(5)	(60)
Financial expense	6	52	-	52	-
Loss on disposal of non-current assets		2	1	2	-
Taxation	7	3,190	1,570	2,136	889
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	13	(7,412)	(1,364)	(5,333)	15
Increase in trade and other payables	15	2,847	1,085	1,006	464
Interest paid	6	(52)	-	(52)	-
Tax paid		(2,390)	(1,829)	(1,497)	(1,061)
Net cash from operating activities		4,033	2,634	1,905	2,232
Cash flows from investing activities					
Interest received	6	5	62	5	60
Proceeds from sale of non-current assets		5	-	5	-
Dividends received	18	-	-	2,667	-
Increase in ordinary share capital	17	4	-	4	-
Increase in share premium		162	-	162	-
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	8 9	(544)	(236)	(423)	(235)
Investment in new subsidiary		-	-	(1)	-
Acquisition of other intangible assets	10	(10)	(59)	(10)	(59)
Net cash from investing activities		(378)	(233)	2,409	(234)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Decrease in cash held by Employee Benefit Trust in year		(2)	(65)	(2)	(65)
Dividends paid	18	(14,233)	(812)	(14,233)	(812)
Net cash used in financing activities		(14,235)	(877)	(14,235)	(877)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		(10,580)	1,524	(9,921)	1,121
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		11,438	10,058	9,158	8,037
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash held		(3)	(144)	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	14	855	11,438	(763)	9,158

Consolidated and Parent Company Statement of Comprehensive Income
for year ended 31 December 2010

Group	2010	2009
	£000	£000
Foreign exchange translation differences	138	(234)
Deferred tax on share-based payments	154	67
Income and expense recognised directly in equity	292	(167)
Profit for the financial year	7,533	3,028
Total comprehensive income recognised for the year	7,825	2,861

Company	2010	2009
	£000	£000
Foreign exchange translation differences	138	(234)
Deferred tax on share-based payments	154	67
Income and expense recognised directly in equity	292	(167)
Profit for the financial year	5,344	1,785
Total comprehensive income recognised for the year	5,636	1,618

Consolidated and Parent Company Statement of Changes in Equity for year ended 31 December 2010

Group

	Share capital £000	Share premium £000	Capital redemption reserve £000	Translation reserve £000	Retained earnings £000	Total equity £000
Balance at 1 January 2009	232	3,332	63	758	9,699	14,084
Total recognised income and expense	-	-	-	-	3,028	3,028
Exchange adjustments	-	-	-	(234)	-	(234)
Movement in Trust cash balance	-	-	-	-	(65)	(65)
Deferred tax on share options	-	-	-	-	67	67
Dividends	-	-	-	-	(812)	(812)
Balance at 31 December 2009	232	3,332	63	524	11,917	16,068
Balance at 1 January 2010	232	3,332	63	524	11,917	16,068
Total recognised income and expense	-	-	-	-	7,533	7,533
Exchange adjustments	-	-	-	138	-	138
Movement in Trust cash balance	-	-	-	-	(2)	(2)
Increase in ordinary shares	4	-	-	-	-	4
Share premium on ordinary shares	-	162	-	-	-	162
Deferred tax on share options	-	-	-	-	(154)	(154)
Dividends paid	-	-	-	-	(14,233)	(14,233)
Balance at 31 December 2010	236	3,494	63	662	5,061	9,516

The aggregate deferred tax relating to items that are credited or debited to equity is £116,000 liability (2009 £38,000 asset)

Company

	Share capital £000	Share premium £000	Capital redemption reserve £000	Retained earnings £000	Total equity £000
Balance at 1 January 2009	232	3,332	63	7,361	10,988
Total recognised income and expense	-	-	-	1,785	1,785
Movement in Trust cash balance	-	-	-	(65)	(65)
Deferred tax on share options	-	-	-	67	67
Dividends	-	-	-	(812)	(812)
Balance at 31 December 2009	232	3,332	63	8,336	11,963
Balance at 1 January 2010	232	3,332	63	8,336	11,963
Total recognised income and expense	-	-	-	5,344	5,344
Increase in ordinary share capital	4	-	-	-	4
Share premium on ordinary shares	-	162	-	-	162
Movement in Trust cash balance	-	-	-	(2)	(2)
Deferred tax on share options	-	-	-	(154)	(154)
Dividends received	-	-	-	2,667	2,667
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(14,233)	(14,233)
Balance at 31 December 2010	236	3,494	63	1,958	5,751

The aggregate deferred tax relating to items that are credited or debited to equity is £116,000 liability (2009 £38,000 asset)

Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

1 Accounting policies

FDM Group Ltd (the "Company") is a company incorporated in the UK

The group financial statements consolidate those of the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group"). The parent company financial statements present information about the Company as a separate entity and not about its group.

Both the parent company financial statements and the group financial statements have been prepared and approved by the directors in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU ("Adopted IFRSs"). On publishing the parent company financial statements here together with the group financial statements, the Company is taking advantage of the exemption in s230 of the Companies Act 2006 not to present its individual income statement and related notes that form a part of these approved financial statements.

The accounting policies set out below have, unless otherwise stated, been applied consistently to all periods presented in these consolidated financial statements.

Basis of preparation

Going Concern

As noted in the business review within the directors' report, the Group was the subject of the completion of a take-private transaction under which Inflexion Private Equity Partners LLP, the core management team and other senior officers of the business acquired shares in Astra 50 Limited, the parent company, formed for the purpose of the take-private transaction.

The directors have reviewed the company's forecasts and are confident that the profile of current trading and the banking facilities in place provide comfort that the business can operate as a going concern.

Uses of estimates and judgements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRSs requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results for which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily available from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates, assumptions and judgements that are likely to contain the greatest degree of uncertainty are summarised below.

Income taxes

In recognising income tax assets and liabilities estimates have to be made of the likely outcome of decisions by tax authorities on transactions and events whose treatment for tax purposes is uncertain and on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of deferred tax assets and liabilities.

Revenue

Non-receipted timesheets are accrued at the estimated contract value within the period and released the following month on receipt of timesheets.

Fair values

IFRSs require assets, liabilities and expenses to be recognised at fair value. This includes the intangible assets and trade receivables. By their nature fair values are estimates and subject to different interpretation.

Useful lives

The useful economic life of property, plant and equipment is reviewed on an annual basis. The period of actual or economic benefit may vary from the estimated life and residual values.

Share-based payments

The calculation of the fair value of share-based payments, is calculated using the binomial option model and requires assumptions and estimates to be made, details are disclosed in note 16.

Notes (continued)

1 Accounting policies (continued)

Basis of consolidation

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. Control exists when the Group has the power, directly or indirectly, to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities. In assessing control, potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are taken into account. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases.

Intragroup balances and unrealised income or expenditure are eliminated in preparing the consolidated financial statements and any gains or losses arising from the translation are recognised in the income statement.

Foreign currency

a) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Pounds Sterling which are rounded to the nearest thousand.

b) Group subsidiaries

The results and financial position of all Group subsidiaries that have a functional currency that differs from the Group's presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- Assets and Liabilities for each balance sheet are translated at the closing rate at the date of balance sheet,
- Income and Expenses for each income statement are translated at the average exchange rate for the period, and
- All resulting exchange differences are recognised as a separate component of equity in accordance with IAS21 - The effects of foreign exchange rates.

Any trading gains or losses arising on receipt and payment of foreign currency are realised within the income statement at the date of transaction.

The group has taken advantage of the relief available in IFRS 1 to deem the cumulative translation differences for all foreign operations to be zero at the date of transition to Adopted IFRSs on 1 January 2006.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less subsequent depreciation.

Depreciation is charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of property, plant and equipment. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Motor Vehicles	4 years
Plant and Equipment	4 years
Fixtures and Fittings	4 years
Leasehold Improvements	Length of Lease

Intangible assets

The Group only holds acquired software and software licences as intangible assets. Acquired software and software licences are capitalised on the basis of cost and amortised over the estimated useful lives of the software which is estimated to be four years or the licence term if shorter.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables are stated at amortised cost, their carrying value being reduced by appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts.

Trade payables

Trade payables are stated at amortised cost.

Notes (continued)

1 Accounting policies (continued)

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances and call deposits. Bank overdrafts that are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Group's cash management are included as a component of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose only of the statement of cash flows.

Operating Segments

The Group's main operating segments, as considered by the chief operating decision maker of the business, remain geographical.

The Group underwent a restructure in the way in which it organises its business on 1st January 2009 and now shows its secondary segment as streams of activity which are Consultancy, Support, Testing, Training and Infrastructure. The Group has operated another stream of activity this year, being Project Management Office (PMO).

Employee benefits

Defined contribution plans

The Group operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the Group in an independently administered fund. The amount charged to the profit and loss account represents the contributions payable to the scheme in respect of the accounting period.

Share-based payment transactions

The share option programme allowed employees to acquire shares of the Company. The fair value of options granted after 7 November 2002 and those not yet vested as at the effective date of adopting IFRS 2 is recognised as an employee expense with a corresponding increase in equity.

The fair value is measured at grant date and spread over the period during which the employees become unconditionally entitled to the options.

All options were exercised and the company issued new shares. The premium received over the nominal value of 1p ordinary shares, net of any directly attributable transaction costs, has been credited to the share premium account.

Employee Benefit Trust

The group operates an Employee Benefit Trust ("the Trust"), which holds shares in the Company for the purpose of incentive plans. The Company's own shares held in the Trust are deducted in arriving at equity attributable to equity holders of the parent. Any proceeds from subsequent disposal of shares by the Trust are required to be added to equity attributable to equity holders of the parent.

Revenue

Revenue represents the amounts (excluding Value Added Tax) derived from the provision of supplying IT staff and consultancy services to third party customers.

Revenue is chargeable on signed timesheets being received, having shown that the service has been provided and is recognised in the period in which the consultant or employee has performed the work.

Operating lease payments

Payments made under operating leases are recognised in the income statement on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. Lease incentives received are recognised in the income statement as an integral part of the total lease expense.

Net financing costs

Net financing costs comprise bank interest payable and receivable which is recognised in profit or loss as it accrues, using the effective interest method.

Notes *(continued)*

I **Accounting policies** *(continued)*

Taxation

Tax on the profit or loss for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the income statement except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity, in which case it is recognised in equity.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is provided on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax assets are also shown arising from the consideration of employee share options granted but not yet exercised at the end of the period. The tax deductible on these options will not be realised until the options have been exercised. Deferred tax is classified as a non-current asset or liability dependent on its nature to the extent that it is not yet realised.

Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to the temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the reporting date.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised.

Notes (continued)

2 Segmental Reporting

The segmental reporting is based on the geography of a division. The Group operates in four geographic areas, the UK being the predominant area. Asia Pacific opened in September 2010.

Geographical Breakdown 2010

	UK	Europe	America	Asia Pacific	Consolidation Adj.	Total
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
Revenue	61,599	11,254	10,677	131	-	83,661
Profit before tax	7,480	2,240	1,005	(2)	-	10,723
Depreciation and amortisation	(252)	(8)	(8)	-	-	(268)
Purchase of non-current assets	(433)	(26)	(95)	-	-	(554)
Total non-current assets	790	27	85	-	-	902
Total assets	18,197	3,908	2,665	134	(1,735)	23,169
Total liabilities	(12,446)	(918)	(1,889)	(135)	1,735	(13,653)
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	5,751	2,990	776	(1)	-	9,516

The consolidation adjustments are the removal of inter-company balances.

Geographical Breakdown 2009

	UK	Europe	America	Consolidation Adj.	Totals
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
Revenue	37,731	8,718	6,464	-	52,913
Profit before tax	2,674	1,314	610	-	4,598
Depreciation and amortisation	(200)	(4)	(1)	-	(205)
Purchase of non-current assets	(294)	(1)	-	-	(295)
Total non-current assets	730	9	-	-	739
Total assets	17,336	3,776	1,912	(315)	22,709
Total liabilities	(5,373)	(624)	(959)	315	(6,641)
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	11,963	3,152	953	-	16,068

The Group shows its secondary segments by streams of activity which are Consultancy, Support, Testing, Training and Infrastructure. A new stream of activity was introduced on 1 January 2010, Project Management Office (PMO), therefore, there are no comparatives for this stream. The revenue and gross profit for the streams of activity are shown below. It is not possible to segment the administrative expenses and assets of these streams accurately as they are only reportable within the Group's accounts to the extent shown.

Stream	Revenue 2010 £000	Revenue 2009 £000	Gross Profit 2010 £000	Gross Profit 2009 £000
Consultancy	41,080	29,422	8,716	6,427
Support	16,628	14,113	7,054	5,126
Testing	11,279	6,769	3,892	2,310
Training	1,529	1,244	557	484
Infrastructure	2,010	1,365	460	180
PMO	11,135	-	2,171	-
Total	83,661	52,913	22,850	14,527

Notes (continued)

3 Expenses and auditors' remuneration

Included in profit for the year are the following

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Hire of property – operating leases	805	717
Exchange losses	106	44
Depreciation and amortisation	268	205
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
 Auditor's remuneration		
	2010 £000	2009 £000
Audit of these financial statements	40	83
Amounts receivable by auditors and their associates in respect of		
Other services pursuant to legislation	-	22
Other services relating to taxation	39	10
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Amounts paid to the company's auditor in respect of services to the company, other than the audit of the company's financial statements, have not been disclosed as the information is required instead to be disclosed on a consolidated basis

4 Staff numbers and costs

The average number of persons employed by the group (including directors) during the year, analysed by category, was as follows

	Number of employees		Number of employees	
	Group		Company	
	2010	2009	2010	2009
Programmers	533	325	419	258
Sales	42	38	30	27
Technical	2	2	2	2
Administration	73	62	69	57
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	650	427	520	344
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

The aggregate payroll costs of these persons were as follows

	Group		Company	
	2010	2009	2010	2009
	£000	£000	£000	£000
Wages and salaries	22,012	14,228	16,299	10,938
Social security costs	2,218	1,548	1,658	1,058
Other pension costs	74	117	57	103
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	24,304	15,893	18,014	12,099
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Notes (continued)

5 Directors' remuneration

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Directors' emoluments	1,589	1,137
Company contributions to money purchase pension plans	18	64
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

The aggregate of emoluments and amounts receivable under long term incentive schemes of the highest paid director was £455,215 (2009 £378,591)

	Number of directors 2010	2009
Retirement benefits are accruing to the following number of directors under Money purchase schemes	2	3
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Directors' rights to subscribe for shares in or debentures of the company and its subsidiaries are indicated below

	Number of options		Exercise price £
	At start of year	At end of year	
Andrew Brown	50,000	-	0.01
Andrew Brown	23,000	-	0.55
Andrew Brown	10,500	-	0.78
Sheila Flavell	6,750	-	0.78
	<u>90,250</u>	<u>-</u>	

6 Finance income and expense

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Interest income on bank accounts	5	62
Financial income	<u>5</u>	<u>62</u>
Interest payable on financing facility	(52)	-
Financial expenses	<u>(52)</u>	<u>-</u>

Notes (continued)

7 Taxation

Recognised in the income statement

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Current tax expense		
Current year	3,229	1,670
Adjustments for prior years	-	(58)
Total current tax	3,229	1,612
Deferred tax		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	(39)	(42)
Total deferred tax	(39)	(42)
Total tax in income statement	3,190	1,570

The current tax charge for the year is higher (2009 higher) than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK, 28% (2009 28%)

Reconciliation of effective tax

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Profit before tax	10,723	4,598
Tax using the UK corporation tax rate of 28% (2009 28%)	3,002	1,287
Different tax rates on overseas earnings	145	143
Non-deductible expenses	82	240
Adjustment in respect of deferred tax	(39)	(42)
Over provided in prior years	-	(58)
Total tax expense	3,190	1,570

Notes (continued)

8 Property, plant and equipment – Group

2010	Leasehold Improvements £000	Motor Vehicles £000	Plant & Equipment £000	Fixtures & Fittings £000	Total £000
Cost					
Balance at beginning of year	498	27	404	745	1,674
Additions	93	13	176	262	544
Disposals	-	(17)	-	(4)	(21)
Effect of movements in foreign exchange	-	-	(4)	-	(4)
Balance at end of year	591	23	576	1,003	2,193
Depreciation					
Balance at beginning of year	338	16	318	521	1,193
Depreciation charge for the year	30	5	55	127	217
Disposals	-	(10)	-	(4)	(14)
Effect of movements in foreign exchange	-	-	(3)	-	(3)
Balance at end of year	368	11	370	644	1,393
Net book value					
At beginning of year	160	11	86	224	481
At end of year	223	12	206	359	800

9 Property, plant and equipment – Company

2010	Leasehold Improvements £000	Motor Vehicles £000	Plant & Equipment £000	Fixtures & Fittings £000	Total £000
Cost					
Balance at beginning of year	498	27	263	745	1,533
Additions	93	13	55	262	423
Disposals	-	(17)	-	(4)	(21)
Balance at end of year	591	23	318	1,003	1,935
Depreciation and impairment					
Balance at beginning of year	338	17	187	519	1,061
Depreciation charge for the year	30	5	39	127	201
Disposals	-	(10)	-	(4)	(14)
Balance at end of year	368	12	226	642	1,248
Net book value					
Balance at beginning of year	160	10	76	226	472
Balance at end of year	223	11	92	361	687

Notes (continued)

10 Intangible assets

Group and Company	2010 Software & Software Licences £000	2009 Software & Software Licences £000
Cost		
Balance at beginning of year	353	294
Additions	10	59
Balance at end of year	363	353
Amortisation and impairment		
Balance at beginning of year	239	192
Amortisation for the year	51	47
Balance at end of year	290	239
Net book value		
Balance at beginning of year	114	102
Balance at end of year	73	114

Amortisation charge

The amortisation charge is recognised in administrative expenses in the income statement

11 Investments in subsidiaries

The Group and Company have the following investments in subsidiaries

Group and Company	Country of Incorporation	Class of shares held	Ownership 2010	2009
FDM Group Inc	USA	Ordinary	100%	100%
FDM Group NV	Belgium	Ordinary	100%	100%
FDM Group GmbH	Germany	Ordinary	100%	100%
FDM Group GmbH	Switzerland	Ordinary	100%	100%
FDM Group SA	Luxembourg	Ordinary	100%	100%
FDM Group HK Limited	Hong Kong	Ordinary	100%	-
Mountfield Software Limited (Dormant)	Great Britain	Ordinary	100%	100%

The Group's principal activity is that of an international IT services provider. The Group specialises in recruiting and training its own permanent IT consultants. The subsidiaries all carry out similar such activities.

Notes (continued)

12 Deferred tax assets - Group and Company

Recognised deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are attributable to the following

	2010 £000	2009 £000
Property, plant and equipment	29	34
Share-based payments	-	110
	<u>29</u>	<u>144</u>

Movement in deferred tax during the year

	1 January 2010 £000	Recognised in income statement £000	Recognised in equity £000	31 December 2010 £000
Property, plant and equipment	34	(5)	-	29
Share-based payments	110	44	(154)	-
	<u>144</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>(154)</u>	<u>29</u>

Movement in deferred tax during the prior year

	1 January 2009 £000	Recognised in income statement £000	Recognised in equity £000	31 December 2009 £000
Property, plant and equipment	23	11	-	34
Share-based payments	20	23	67	110
	<u>43</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>144</u>

13 Trade and other receivables

	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Receivables due from subsidiaries	-	-	1,389	81
Trade receivables	15,726	9,188	11,530	6,206
Other receivables	55	41	23	29
Prepayments and accrued income	1,661	1,303	1,383	1,132
	<u>17,442</u>	<u>10,532</u>	<u>14,325</u>	<u>7,448</u>

At 31 December 2010, trade receivables are shown net of an allowance for doubtful debts of £14,000 (2009 £91,000)

Trade and other receivables denominated in currencies other than Pounds Sterling comprise £4,860,000 (2009 £3,084,000), denominated in Euros, Swiss Francs, Hong Kong Dollars and US Dollars

Notes (continued)

14 Cash and cash equivalents/ bank overdrafts

	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Cash in hand	4,825	11,438	3,207	9,158
Finance facility	(3,970)	-	(3,970)	-
	<u>855</u>	<u>11,438</u>	<u>(763)</u>	<u>9,158</u>
Cash and cash equivalents per cash flow statements	<u>855</u>	<u>11,438</u>	<u>(763)</u>	<u>9,158</u>

Cash denominated in currencies other than Pounds Sterling comprise £1,618,000 (2009 £2,269,000), denominated in Euros, Swiss Francs, Hong Kong Dollars and US dollars

The Company holds a £5,000,000 financing facility with its Bankers, and is drawn as needed to meet working capital requirements. Interest is paid on any monies owed at an agreed commercial rate of interest.

15 Trade and other payables

	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Payables due to subsidiaries	-	-	719	234
Payables due to parent	147	-	147	-
Trade payables	2,659	2,355	2,068	1,661
Other payables	297	310	281	309
Other taxes and social security	2,173	901	1,779	745
Accruals and deferred income	2,835	2,362	2,424	1,919
	<u>8,111</u>	<u>5,928</u>	<u>7,418</u>	<u>4,868</u>

Trade and other payables denominated in currencies other than Pounds Sterling comprise £818,000 (2009 £1,059,000) denominated in Euros, Swiss Francs, Hong Kong Dollars and US Dollars

16 Employee benefits

Pension plans

Defined contribution plans

The Group operates a number of defined contribution pension plans.

The pension cost charge for the year represents contributions payable by the Group to the scheme and amounted to £74,000 (2009 £117,000). Amounts paid by the Company were £57,000 (2009 £103,000).

There were no (2009 £nil) outstanding or prepaid contributions at the end of the financial year.

Share-based payments – Group

2010

The Employee Benefit Trust granted options to the employees at the market value of the date of grant when it was AIM listed. The trust settled outstanding options to employees and no longer holds any shares on behalf of FDM. The trust did not trade on the market in 2010, due to the company being taken private and at this time, all employee options were satisfied by the company on the issuance of new 1p ordinary shares and the transference of the remaining 20,075 shares that were held by the Trust. At the year end there are no shares under option, and the trust holds no shares.

The weighted average share price at the date of exercise of share options exercised during the period was 150p.

There are no options outstanding at the end of the year and therefore no weighted average contractual life.

Notes (continued)

16 Employee benefits (continued)

Share-based payments – Group (continued)

2009

In 2009, the trust made purchases of 126,707 1p ordinary shares with a nominal value of 1p totalling £143,540 to cover the demand for share options held by employees, this represented 0.62% of the total called up share capital. The maximum number of shares held by the trust during the year was 67,465 shares which represented 0.29% of the total called up share capital.

At the 31 December 2009, 20,075 shares with a market value of £29,611 were held by the Trust.

At the year end there were 406,350 shares under option to employees or have been conditionally gifted to them.

The weighted average share price at the date of exercise of share options exercised during the period was 111p.

There were 406,350 options outstanding at the end of the year and a weighted average contractual life of 5.9 years.

17 Capital and reserves

Share capital

	2010 £000	2009 £000
<i>Authorised</i>		
100,000,000 Ordinary shares of 1p each	1,000	1,000
<i>Allotted, called up and fully paid</i>		
Ordinary shares of 1p each	236	232
Shares classified in shareholders funds	236	232

Ordinary Share Capital

In January 2010, the Group increased its allotted share capital by 380,275 1p ordinary shares to 23,600,275 shares in issue. This increase in share capital was to cover the share options exercised by employees.

Capital redemption reserve

In 2005, the Group repurchased and cancelled 6,280,000 of its own ordinary shares of 1p each. An amount equal to the nominal value of these shares has been transferred to the capital redemption reserve equating to £62,800.

Share premium reserve

In 2005, the Group on admission to AIM, issued 4,500,000 ordinary 1p shares for cash at 78p per share. The proceeds arising from this transaction were transferred to the share premium account. In January 2010, the Group increased its share capital by a further 380,275 shares to cover the options outstanding to employees. The proceeds arising from this transaction have been placed in the share premium account.

Translation reserve

The translation reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations. The Group has elected to take advantage of the exemption on the adoption of IFRS1 to set the cumulative exchange differences to zero at 1 January 2006.

Notes (continued)

18 Dividends

	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Ordinary Dividends				
Final (AIM)	-	813	-	813
Paid to parent company	14,233	-	14,233	-
Received from subsidiaries	-	-	(2,667)	-
Dividend waived by Employee Benefit Trust in year	-	(1)	-	(1)
	<u>14,233</u>	<u>812</u>	<u>11,566</u>	<u>812</u>

The Group paid dividends to Astra 50 Limited, its parent company totalling £14,233,000

19 Operating leases

Non-cancellable operating lease rentals are payable as follows

	Group 2010 £000	2009 £000	Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Less than one year	1,363	700	1,039	569
Between one and five years	3,941	2,206	2,809	2,034
More than five years	2,327	1,293	1,048	1,293
	<u>7,631</u>	<u>4,199</u>	<u>4,896</u>	<u>3,896</u>

20 Related parties

Group

Directors and key management of the ultimate parent company control 38.5% per cent (2009: 10.5%) of the voting shares of the Group

The compensation of key management personnel (including the directors) is as follows

	Group and Company 2010 £000	2009 £000
Key management emoluments	1,589	1,137
Company contributions to money purchase pension plans	18	64
	<u>1,607</u>	<u>1,201</u>

Included within key management emoluments is an amount of £356,550 (2009: £210,000) which is due to be paid by 30 April 2011

Notes (continued)

20 Related parties (continued)

Company

The company holds inter-company balances with its subsidiary undertakings, as detailed in notes 13 and 15. The transactions which have taken place are all in relation to administrative expenses and inter-company loan repayments/additions which are listed below by subsidiary.

	2010 Administrative Expenses £000	2010 Loan Repayments/(Payments) £000	2010 Total £000
FDM Group Inc	726	238	964
FDM Group SA	15	(17)	(2)
FDM Group Switzerland	10	(247)	(237)
FDM Hong Kong	132	2	134
FDM Group GmbH	34	1	35
Astra 5 0 Ltd	(147)	-	(147)
	770	(23)	747

Notes (continued)

21 Financial risk management

The use of financial instruments is managed under policies and procedures approved by the Board. These are designed to reduce the financial risks faced by the Group and Company, which primarily relate to credit, interest, liquidity and currency risks, which arise in the normal course of the Company's and Group's business.

Credit risk

Financial instruments which potentially expose the Group to credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents and trade receivables. The Group provides credit to customers in the normal course of business and the amount that appears in the balance sheet is net of an allowance of £14,000 (2009: £91,000) for specific doubtful receivables, the allowance being due to age or other issues. The Group does not require collateral in respect of financial assets.

All material trade receivable balances relate to sales transactions with the Group's blue-chip client base. At the balance sheet date, there were no significant concentrations of credit risk. The maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amount of each financial asset.

The trade receivables as at 31 December are aged as follows:

	2010 £'000	2009 £'000
Not due	9,379	5,739
Not more than three months past due	5,319	3,140
More than three months but not more than six months past due	948	273
More than six months but not more than one year past due	80	36
Trade receivables	15,726	9,188

Interest and liquidity risk

HSBC Bank PLC, the Group's bank, have a fixed and floating charge over the assets of the Group.

The Company holds a £5,000,000 financing facility with its Bankers and is drawn as needed to meet working capital requirements. Interest is paid on any monies owed at an agreed rate of interest.

The Group holds cash in the overseas bank accounts, and there are no overdraft facilities on these accounts.

Foreign currency risk

The Group operates internationally and is exposed to foreign currency risk on transactions denominated in a currency other than the functional currency and on the translation of the balance sheet and income statement of foreign operations into Pounds Sterling. The currencies giving rise to this risk are primarily US Dollars, Swiss Francs and Euros. The Group has both cash inflows and outflows in these currencies that create a natural hedge. The Group has not entered into hedging contracts for cash positions denominated in foreign currencies.

Capital management

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns to shareholders, benefits to stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

Fair values

There is no significant difference between the carrying amounts shown in the balance sheet and the fair values of the Group and Company's financial instruments. For current trade and other receivables/payables with a remaining life of less than one year, the amortised cost is deemed to reflect the fair value.

22 Ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling party

Astra 50 Ltd is the immediate parent company of the Group. 61.5% of the ordinary share capital of Astra 50 Ltd is held by Inflexion Private Equity Partners LLP.

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