FERGYTRUX LIMITED

DIRECTORS' REPORT AND AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

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FERGYTRUX LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

The directors present their report and the group financial statements for the year ended 30th September 2011

Directors

The directors who served during the year are as stated below

- A Ferguson
- E Ferguson
- H Whitaker
- S Whitaker

Directors' responsibilities

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 financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). 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 the affairs of the group and of the profit or loss of the group for that year. In preparing these financial statements the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently,
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the group will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities. The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the group's website.

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information (information needed by the group's auditors in connection with preparing their report) of which the group's auditors are unaware, and
- the directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the group's auditors are aware of that information

FERGYTRUX LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

Principal activity

The principal activity of the group during the year was logistical operations, comprising haulage, handling and storage

The company acts as a holding company and has not traded during the year ended 30th September 2011

The subsidiary undertakings principally affecting the profits or net assets of the group in the year are listed in note 4.1 to the financial statements

Review of the business

Fergytrux Limited's subsidiary Fergusons Transport Limited, remains one of the largest regional haulage and logistics companies in the North East of England

The group's success results from its operation of being one of the largest privately owned haulage and logistic contractors in both the North East and the South West of England

The company increased turnover by 8% in a difficult economic climate and showed a significant increase in trading profit in all operating departments. This was notwithstanding the disruption to trade as a result of problems caused by the severe winter weather in 2010-2011.

This was largely achieved by developing our relationship with existing customers and working closely with them to achieve greater efficiency. The continuing economic situation shows no signs of improving in the foreseeable future which will put more pressure on our customers and ourselves to achieve even greater efficiency over the years ahead.

The principle sources of income derive from haulage, storage and logistics and these are monitored day to day by key performance indicators which enables appropriate action to be taken when circumstances require it

The uncertainties facing the business in the year ahead are the risks which will result from the low national growth being forecast and the impact that will have on our customers. We will endeavour to work closely with them to reflect any changing needs as they are identified and address those needs.

The directors anticipate continued improvements in trading profitability in the year ahead as a result of the ongoing benefits from actions already taken to improve efficiency and flexibility

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 8

The dividend for the year was £13,200 as set out in note 20 (2010 £12,174)

The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend in respect of the ordinary shares

FERGYTRUX LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

Disabled employees

Applications for employment by disabled persons are always fully considered, bearing in mind the aptitudes of the applicant concerned. In the event of members of staff becoming disables every efforts it made to ensure that their employment with the group continues and that appropriate training is arranged. It is the policy of the group that the training, career development and promotion of disables persons should, as far as possible, be identical with that of other employees.

Employee consultation

The group places considerable value on the involvement of its employees and has continues its previous practice of keeping them informed on matters affecting them as employees and on the various factors affecting the performance of the group. This is achieved through formal and informal meetings. Employee representatives are consulted regularly on a wide range of matters affecting their current and future interests.

Auditors

The auditors, Greaves West and Ayre, will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with Section 485 of the Companies Act 2006

This report was approved by the Board on 19th December 2011

Ferguson Director

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF FERGYTRUX LIMITED

We have audited the group and individual financial statements of Fergytrux Limited for the year ended 30th September 2011 which comprise the Consolidated Profit and Loss Account, the Consolidated and Individual Company Balance Sheets, the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement, the Reconciliation of Movements in Group Shareholders' Funds and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

This report is made solely to the group'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 group'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 group and the group'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, 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

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the group's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial information in the Directors' Report to identify all material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and company's affairs as at 30th September 2011 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- 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 FERGYTRUX LIMITED

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, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and return, 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

Roseanne Bennett ACA
Senior Statutory Auditor
For and on behalf of
Greaves West and Ayre
Chartered Accountants and
Statutory Auditors
Berwick upon Tweed

DATE: 20th December 2011

FERGYTRUX LIMITED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

	<u>Notes</u>	2011 £	<u>2010</u> £
		L	I.
Fixed Assets			
Tangible assets	3	2,956,816	3,145,438
Current Assets			
Stocks	5	126,490	184,938
Debtors	6	6,118,155	5,117,450
		6,244,645	5,302,388
Creditors : Amounts falling			
due within one year	7	(6,874,086)	(6,506,512)
Net Current Liabilities		(629,441)	(1,204,124)
Total Assets Less Current I	Liabilities	2,327,375	1,941,314
Creditors : Amounts falling	due		
after more than one year	8	(491,537)	(513,742)
Provision for Liabilities			
and Charges	9	(40,626)	-
Deferred income	12	(175,000)	_
Net Assets		1,620,212	1,427,572
Capital and Reserves			
Called up share capital	10	436,150	436,150
Share premium account	11	429,600	429,600
Profit and loss account	11	754,462	561,822
Shareholders' Funds	21	1,620,212	1,427,572

The financial statements were approved by the Board on

19th December 2011

And signed on its behalf by

A. Ferguson, Director

The notes on pages 10 to 26 form an integral part of these financial statements.

FERGYTRUX LIMITED COMPANY BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

•	<u>Notes</u>	2011 £	2010 £
Fixed Assets			
Investments	4	535,750	535,750
Total Assets Less Current	Liabilities	535,750	535,750
Capital and Reserves			
Called up share capital	10	106,150	106,150
Share premium account	11	429,600	429,600
Shareholders' Funds		535,750	535,750
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The financial statements were approved by the Board on

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FERGYTRUX LIMITED CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

!	<u>Notes</u>	2011 £	2010 £
Turnover	2	20,282,562	18,793,755
Cost of sales		(17,729,920)	(16,492,835)
Gross profit		2,552,642	2,300,920
Administrative expenses		(2,240,953)	(2,152,732)
Operating profit	13	311,689	148,188
Investment income	14	50,000	-
Interest receivable and similar income	15	30,130	18,276
Interest payable and similar charges	16	(145,353)	(123,256)
Profit on ordinary activities befor	e taxation	246,466	43,208
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	19	(40,626)	-
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		205,840	43,208

All activities derive from continuing operations

There are no recognised gains or losses in either year, other than the profit or loss for the year as stated in the above profit and loss account, and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented

The notes on pages 10 to 26 form an integral part of these financial statements.

FERGYTRUX LIMITED CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2011

	<u>Notes</u>	2011 £	<u>2010</u> £
Reconciliation of operating profit to cash inflow from operating activities			
Operating profit		311,689	148,188
Depreciation		650,357	638,159
Loss on sale of fixed assets		12,694	16,543
(Increase)/decrease in stocks		58,448	(95,742)
(Increase)/decrease in debtors		(1,000,705)	(1,238,509)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors		328,489	690,400
Increase in deferred income		175,000	-
Net cash inflow from operating activ	vities	535,972	159,039
CASH FLOW STATEMENT			
Net cash inflow from operating activities		535,972	159,039
Returns on investments and servicing of fi	nance 26	(65,223)	•
Capital expenditure	26	43,275	
		514,024	(139,215)
Dividends		(13,200)	, ,
Dividends		(13,200)	
		500,824	(151,389)
Financing	26	(561,557)	(505,062)
Decrease in cash in the year		(60,733)	(656,451) ====
Reconciliation of net cash flow to m	novement in net t	funds (Note 27)	
Decrease in cash in the year		(60,733)	(656,451)
Cash inflow from increase in debts and lea	ase financing	561,557	535,062
Change in net funds resulting from cash fl	ows	500,824	(121,389)
New finance leases and HP Contracts		(517,704)	,
Movement in net funds in the year		(16,880)	(652,614)
Net debt at 1st October 2010		(1,580,646)	
Net debt at 30th September 2011		(1,597,526)	(1,5 <u>80,646)</u>

1. Accounting policies

1.1. Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards. These have all been consistently applied throughout the current year and the preceding year.

1.2. Basis of consolidation

The group financial statements include the results of all subsidiary undertakings. Fergytrux Limited has not presented its own profit and loss account as permitted by Section 408 of the Companies Act 2006. The profit for the financial year of Fergytrux Limited was £Nil (2010 £Nil).

The results of subsidiaries acquired or sold are consolidated from or to the date at which control passed

1.3. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year

1.4. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost, net of depreciation and any provision for impairment Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset over its estimated useful life, as follows

Fixtures, fittings, plant and machinery

Computer Equipment - 20% - 25% per annum, straight line Fixtures and Fittings - 15% per annum, reducing balance

Plant and Machinery - 15% - 25% per annum, reducing balance

Motor vehicles

Vehicles - 25% per annum, reducing balance

Trailers - 15% - 25% per annum, reducing balance

1.5. Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce constant periodic rates of charge on the net obligations outstanding in each period.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term

1.6. Investments

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

1.7. Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost represents the purchase price of materials. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price.

1.8. Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the group during the year

The group operates a defined contribution pension scheme on behalf of the directors and certain employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the group in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the group to the fund and amounted to £27,928 (2010 £31,297). Differences between contributions payable and contributions actually paid in the year are shown as either accruals or prepayments at the year end. At the year end contributions payable amounted to £513 (2010 £513).

1.9. Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the following exceptions

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold,

Provision is made for deferred tax that would arise on remittance of the retained earnings of overseas subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, dividends have been accrued as receivable,

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

2. Turnover

The total turnover of the group for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the UK

3. Tangible fixed assets Group

	Fixtures and Fittings	<u>Motor</u> <u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Total</u>
	£	£	£
Cost			
Brought forward	996,840	6,142,867	7,139,707
Additions	16,257	607,372	623,629
Disposals	-	(611,428)	(611,428)
	1,013,097	6,138,811	7,151,908
Depreciation			
Brought forward	643,739	3,350,530	3,994,269
On disposals	-	(449,534)	(449,534)
Charge for the year	65,014	585,343	650,357
	708,753	3,486,339	4,195,092
Net book values			
At 30th September 2011	304,344	2,652,472	2,956,816
At 30th September 2010	353,101	2,792,337	3,145,438

Included above are assets held under finance leases or hire purchase contracts as follows

	<u>2011</u>		<u>2010</u>	
	<u>Net</u>	Depreciation	<u>Net</u>	<u>Depreciation</u>
Asset description	Book Value	<u>Charge</u>	Book Value	<u>Charge</u>
	£	£	£	£
Motor vehicles	1,202,296	•	1,780,752	318,174
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Company

The company does not own any tangible fixed assets

4. Fixed asset investments

Group

The group has no fixed asset investments

Company	Subsidiary Undertakings Shares £
Cost	
At 1st October 2010 and	
at 30th September 2011	535,750
Net book values At 30th September 2011	535,750
At 30th September 2010	535,750

4.1. Holdings of 20% or more

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies

<u>Company</u>	Country of registration or incorporation	Nature of Business	<u>Class</u> §	Shares held
Subsidiary undertaking Fergusons Transport Limited	England	Logistical operations	Ordinary	100%
Fergusons Transport Limited	England	Logistical operations	A Redeemable Prefe	erence 100%
Redpath of Wooler Limited (1)	England	Dormant	Ordinary	100%

(1) via Fergusons Transport Limited

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows

	Capital and reserves	Profit for the year
	<u>£</u>	£
Fergusons Transport Limited	1,620,212	205,840
Redpath of Wooler Limited (1)	2	-

Redpath of Wooler Limited was dormant during this and previous periods

		Group		<u>Company</u>	
5.	Stocks	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	2010
		£	£	£	£
	Raw materials and consumables	126,490	184,938	-	-
		====			

In the opinion of the directors, there is no material difference between the balance sheet value of stocks and their replacement costs

		Group		<u>Company</u>	
6.	Debtors	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
		£	£	£	£
	Trade debtors	3,927,693	3,625,921	-	-
	Amount owed by related parties	1,529,805	884,129	-	-
	Other debtors	16,622	10,217	_	-
	Prepayments and accrued income	644,035	597,183	-	-
		6,118,155	5,117,450		

Group

Included in prepayments and accrued income is an amount of £2,862 (2010 £9,283) relating to amounts due after more than one year

		<u>Group</u>		<u>Company</u>	
7.	Creditors: amounts falling due	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	2011	2010
	within one year	£	£	£	£
	Bank overdraft	567,778	507,045	-	-
	Loans from related parties	67,350	8,750	-	-
	Net obligations under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	470,861	551,109	-	-
	Trade creditors	1,708,781	1,600,129	_	_
	Amounts owed to related parties	-	75,000	_	-
	Other taxes and social security costs	869,598	616,585	_	-
	Other creditors	2,484,174	2,439,575	-	-
	Accruals and deferred income	705,544	708,319	-	-
		6,874,086	6,506,512		-

Group

Other creditors include an amount of £2,421,542 (2010 £2,402,854) secured by a fixed charge over book debts

The bank borrowings are secured by a full mortgage debenture and legal charges over the assets of the group

The hire purchase contracts are secured on the assets to which they relate

		<u>Gro</u>	oup	Com	<u>pany</u>
8.	Creditors: amounts falling due	<u> 2011</u>	<u> 2010</u>	<u> 2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	after more than one year	£	£	£	£
	Loans from related parties	15,313	24,063	-	-
	Net obligations under finance leases				
	and hire purchase contracts	476,224	489,679	-	-
		491,537	513,742		
		====	=====		
	Loans from related parties				
	Repayable in one year or less				
	or on demand (Note 7)	67,350	8,750	-	-
	Repayable between one and two years	8,750	17,500	_	-
	Repayable between two and five years	6,563	6,563	-	-
		82,663	32,813	<u> </u>	

An amount of £24,063 included within loans from related parties relates to an amount owed to Fergusons Blyth Limited Small Self Administered Pension Scheme The loan incurs interest at 3% above UK base rate, and is due to be fully repaid by 2014

Also, included in loans from related parties is an amount of £58,600 which is interest free and repayable on demand

All loans are unsecured

Net obligations under finance leases and hire purchase contracts

Repayable within one year	470,861	551,109	-	-
Repayable between two and five years	476,224	489,679	-	-
	947,085	1,040,788		-

The hire purchase contracts are secured on the assets to which they relate

9. Provisions for liabilities and charges

Deferred tax is analysed over the following timing differences

	<u>Group</u>		<u>Company</u>	
	<u>Prov</u>	<u>Provided</u>		<u>ded</u>
	<u>2011</u>	<u> 2010</u>	<u> 2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	£	£	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	200,358	226,166	-	-
Other timing differences	(133)	(144)	-	-
Tax losses available	(159,599)	(226,022)	-	-
	40,626	-		
	====			
Movements on the provision for deferred	taxation are			
	<u> 2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u> 2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	£	£	£	£
At 1st October 2010	-	-	•	-
Transferred to profit and loss account	40,626	-	-	-
At 30th September 2011	40,626			
	====		====	

10.	Share capital			
	Group		<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
			£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		106150	106150
	106,150 Ordinary shares of £1 each		106,150	106,150
	330,000 'B' Preference shares of £1 each		330,000	330,000
			436,150	436,150
			<u>==</u>	
	The 330,000 'B' preference shares are limited to £1 or shares are redeemable at the issuer's option at some full preferential dividend rate of 4% of nominal value and ar	ture date Th	e shares are	entitled to a
	Company		<u> 2011</u>	2010
	• •		£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid			
	106,150 Ordinary shares of £1 each		106,150	106,150
11.	Reserves			
	Group	<u>Share</u>	<u>Profit</u>	
		<u>Premium</u>	And Loss	
		Account	Account	<u>Total</u>
		£	£	£
	At 1st October 2010	429,600	561,822	991,422
	Profit for the year	-	205,840	205,840
	Dividends	-	(13,200)	(13,200)
	At 30th September 2011	429,600	754,462	1,184,062
	•			
	Company		<u>Share</u> <u>Premium</u>	
			Account £	<u>Total</u> £
			I.	L
	At 1st October 2010		429,600	429,600

At 30th September 2011

429,600

429,600

12.	Deferred income	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
		£	£
	Lease incentive		
	Received in year	175,000	-
	At 30th September 2011	175,000	-

The lease incentive will be released to the profit and loss account over the shorter of the lease term and a period ending on a date from which it is expected the prevailing market rental will be repayable

13.	Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation	2011 £	<u>2010</u> £
	Operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting)	-	
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		
	- owned	394,257	319,985
	- held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	256,100	318,174
	Operating lease rentals		
	- plant and machinery	615,446	911,185
	- other	674,600	606,500
	Auditors' remuneration		
	- audit fees	16,150	15,700
	- tax advisory and other services	5,555	2,330
	Loss on sale of fixed assets	12,694	16,543
			=====
14.	Income from investments	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
		£	£
	Income from investments	50,000	-
			=======================================
15.	Interest receivable and similar income	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
		£	£
	Other interest	30,130	18,276

16.	Interest payable and similar charges			<u>2011</u> £	2010 £
	On bank loans and overdrafts Leases and hire purchase contracts Other interest			69,274 32,194 43,885 145,353	54,066 36,985 32,205 123,256
17.	Employees				
	Number of employees The average monthly numbers of employees (including the directors) during the year were	<u>2011</u> <u>Number</u>	oup 2010 Number	<u>Con</u> <u>2011</u> <u>Number</u>	npany 2010 Number
	Executive directors Drivers, fitters and workshop staff	$ \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 260 \\ \hline 263 \\ \hline \end{array} $	248 251	- - - -	- - - -
	Employment costs	<u>2011</u> £	2010 £	2011 £	2010 £
	Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	5,962,558 570,046 27,928 6,560,532	5,552,717 529,076 31,297 6,113,090	- - - -	- - - - -
18	Directors' remuneration			<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	Remuneration and other emoluments			£ 120,394 ====	112,962 =====
	Number of directors to whom retirement benefits	efits		Number	Number

are accruing under a money purchase scheme

19. Tax on profit on ordinary activities

Analysis of charge in period	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Total current tax charge	£ 	£
Deferred tax Timing differences, origination and reversal	40,626	-
Total deferred tax	40,626	
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	40,626	

Factors affecting tax charge for period

The tax assessed for the period is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (27%/28%) The differences are explained below

	2011 £	<u>2010</u> £
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	246,466	43,208
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation		
tax in the UK of 27% (2010 28%)	66,546	12,098
Effects of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	1,963	(6,796)
Depreciation in excess of capital allowances	4,624	1,618
Utilisation of trading tax losses	(60,415)	(39,896)
Other tax losses created	782	32,976
Income not subject to corporation tax	(13,500)	· <u>-</u>
Oursell Association of Control of		
Current tax charge for period		

Factors that may affect future tax charges

At 30th September 2011 the group has estimated tax losses to carry forward of approximately £614,000 (2010 £857,000) The group also had estimated rental tax losses to carry forward of approximately £121,000 (2010 £118,000) Of these losses approximately £614,000 (2010 £807,000) has been offset against accelerated capital allowances leaving £Nil (2010 £50,000) of unutilised trading losses to carry forward

20.	Dividends	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	'B' Preference shares - final paid	13,200	12,174 ====================================
21.	Reconciliation of movements in group shareholders' funds	2011 £	2010 £
	Profit for the year Dividends	205,840 (13,200)	43,208 (12,174)
	Proceeds of issue of shares	192,640	31,034 30,000
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	192,640 1,427,572	61,034 1,366,538
	Closing shareholders' funds	1,620,212	1,427,572

22. Financial commitments Group

At 30th September 2011 the group had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

	Land and	Land and buildings		<u>ner</u>
	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	£	£	£	£
Expiry date:				
Within one year	-	-	135,660	8,747
Between one and five years	-	145,000	31,408	222,928
In over five years	204,500	56,000	-	-
	204,500	201,000	167,068	231,675
				====

Company

The company had no such commitments at either balance sheet date

23. Contingent liabilities

The group is party to a multilateral guarantee given by Fergusons Blyth Limited, Fergusons Transport Limited, Fergytrux Limited and Fergyprops Limited to secure the bank borrowings of the Fergusons group of companies

24. Related party transactions

Related party transactions during the year ended 30th September 2011, which were conducted on an arms-length basis, were as follows

Purchases of £822,776 (2010 £868,086) from and sales of £102,146 (2010 £82,172) to Fergusons Blyth Limited, a company controlled by certain directors of Fergusons Transport Limited At the year end £96,560 (2010 £51,195) was owed to Fergusons Blyth Limited and £36,606 (2010 £4,168) was owed by Fergusons Blyth Limited

Additionally at the year end £1,529,805 (2010 £868,276) was owed by Fergusons Blyth Limited and £Nil (2010 £75,000) due to Fergusons Blyth Limited in respect of management services provided during the year. The amounts owed by Fergusons Blyth Limited are unsecured, have no fixed terms of repayment and incurs interest at 2% above UK base rate. During the year, interest of £29,805 (2010 £18,276) was receivable on this loan.

Sales of £9,382 (2010 £7,146) to Fergusons Warehousing, a partnership in which certain directors have an interest At the year end £571 (2010 £51) was owed by Fergusons Warehousing

Purchases of £290,062 (2010 £298,725) from and sales of £Nil (2010 £1,083) to Eagle Road Services Limited, a company controlled by certain directors of Fergusons Transport Limited At the year end £117,286 (2010 £55,018) was owed to and £Nil (2010 £61) was owed by Eagle Road Services

A Ferguson with E I Ferguson, directors of Fergusons Transport Limited, rented land to the company in the year for consideration of £20,000 (2010 £15,000) No amount was outstanding at the current year end or prior year end

A Wappat, director of Fergusons Transport Limited, provided consultancy services to the value of £18,000 (2010 £18,000) to Fergusons Blyth Limited No amount was outstanding at the current year end or prior year end

Related party transactions continued

Fergusons Blyth Limited Small Self Administered Pension Scheme, a scheme controlled by certain directors of this company, has provided a loan to the company. At the year end the amount outstanding was £24,063 (2010 £32,813). Interest of £1,034 (2010 £1,130) was paid during the year. Included in rent payable is £192,600 (2010 £204,500) due to the pension scheme in respect of property owned by the scheme. During the year, the company received a £175,000 lease incentive on the signing of a new 10 year lease on a property owned by Fergusons Blyth Limited Small Self Administered Pension Scheme. This will be released to the profit and loss account as detailed in note 12.

Additionally at the year end, £19,024 (2010 £15,853) was owed by Fergusons Blyth Limited Small Self Administered Pension Scheme in respect of expenses borne by Fergusons Transport Limited on behalf of the pension scheme

At the year end £58,600 was due to Mrs L Ferguson (Deceased), the late mother of A Ferguson and H Whitaker, directors of the company This amount is unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand

25. Ultimate controlling party

Mr A Ferguson, a director of the company, and members of his close family, control the entity as a result of controlling directly or indirectly 100% of the issued share capital of the ultimate parent company

26. Gross cash flows

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	£	£
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	30,130	18,276
Interest paid	(113,159)	(86,271)
Interest element of HP contracts & finance lease rental payments	(32,194)	(36,985)
Investment income received	50,000	
	(65,223)	(104,980)
Capital expenditure	***************************************	
Payments to acquire tangible assets	(105,925)	(213,174)
Receipts from sales of tangible assets	149,200	19,900
	43,275	(193,274)
Financing		
Issue of preference share capital	-	30,000
Other new short term loans	60,000	-
Repayment of other short term loans	(10,150)	(8,750)
Capital element of hire purchase contracts	(611,407)	(526,312)
	(561,557)	(505,062)

27. Analysis of changes in net funds

	Opening Balance	<u>Cash</u> Flows	Other Changes	<u>Closing</u> <u>Balance</u>
	£	£	£	£
Overdrafts	(507,045)	(60,733)	-	(567,778)
Debt due within one year	(8,750)	(49,850)	(8,750)	(67,350)
Debt due after one year	(24,063)	-	8,750	(15,313)
Finance leases and HP contracts	(1,040,788)	611,407	(517,704)	(947,085)
	(1,073,601)	561,557	(517,704)	(1,029,748)
Net funds	(1,580,646)	500,824	(517,704)	(1,597,526)