# Novar Dormant Holdings Company Ltd

# Report and accounts 2011



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## **Directors' report**

for the year ended 31 December 2011

The directors of Novar Dormant Holdings Company Ltd present their report and audited accounts of the company for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is to act as the holding company for its trading subsidiaries

#### **Business review and future developments**

The results for the year are in line with the directors' expectations. The directors intend that the company will continue to operate as a holding company for the foreseeable future.

#### Results and dividends

The company's profit for the financial year was £463,000 (2010 £363,000 profit) which will be transferred to reserves. The results for the year are shown on page 4

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2010 £nil)

#### Directors

The directors of the company who held office during the year and up to the date of signing these accounts were

#### David Protheroe

Allan Richards (resigned 21 February 2011) Hicham Khellafi (appointed 21 February 2011)

#### Directors' indemnities

Pursuant to the company's articles of association, the directors were throughout the year to 31 December 2011 and are at the date of this report entitled to a qualifying indemnity provision as defined in section 236 of the Companies Act 2006

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

The company acts as a holding company for its subsidiaries and does not trade. Its business is not exposed to any external risks or uncertainties

#### Financial risk management

In the opinion of the directors information relating to financial instrument policies is not material for the assessment of the entity's assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss

#### Key performance indicators

Given the nature of the business, the company's directors are of the opinion that analysis using KPIs is not appropriate in helping understand the development, performance or position of the business

# **Directors' report (continued)**

for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### Directors responsibilities statement

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the accounts in accordance with the United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom accounting standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the accounts unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period

In preparing these accounts, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting 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 accounts,
- prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company 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 enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### Going concern

The company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development and position, are set out in the business review section of the Directors' report. The ultimate parent company, Honeywell International Inc has indicated it will provide financial support to the company for at least one year from the date of signing these accounts.

The directors, having taken into account the financial support from the ultimate parent company have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the company to continue as a going concern

#### Disclosure of information to auditors

In the case of each of the persons who is a director at the time this report is approved

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

By order of the board

**David Protheroe** 

Director

January 2012

# Independent auditors' report

to the members of Novar Dormant Holdings Company Ltd

We have audited the financial statements of Novar Dormant Holdings Company Ltd for the year ended which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet 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)

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors responsibilities statement set out on page 2 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 Ethical Standards for Auditors

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

#### 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 company'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 and nonfinancial information in the Directors' report to identify 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 company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice,
- 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

#### 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 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

Alison Cashmore (Senior Statutory Auditor) For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors West London 13 JANUARY

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## Profit and loss account

for the year ended 31 December 2011

	Note	2011 £000	2010 £000
Income from fixed asset investments Amounts written off investments Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	5	463	1,844 (1,481) 363
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	-	-
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation	10	463	363

All results derive from continuing operations

There is no material difference between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the profit for the year stated above and their historical cost equivalents

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than the profit for the year, and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented

# **Balance sheet**

as at 31 December 2011

	<u>Note</u>	2011 £000	2010 <u>£000</u>
Fixed assets Investments	7	128,585	128,585
Current liabilities Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(141,923)	(142,386)
Net liabilities		(13,338)	(13,801)
Capital and reserves Called up share capital Profit and loss account	9 10	(13,338)	(13,801)
Total shareholders' deficit	10	(13,338)	(13,801)

The accounts were approved by the board of directors on 11 January 2012 and were signed on its behalf by

**David Protheroe** 

Director

#### Notes to the accounts

for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### 1. Accounting policies

These accounts are prepared on a going concern basis, under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom. The accounting policies which have been applied consistently throughout the year, are set out below.

#### Changes in accounting policies

The accounting policies have been reviewed by the board of directors in accordance with FRS18 "Accounting policies"

During the year amendments to FRS8 "Related Party Disclosures" have been adopted. The amendments to this policy had no impact of the accounts of the company

#### Group accounts

The accounts contain information about the company as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as parent of a group. The company is exempt under section 401 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare consolidated accounts as it and its subsidiary undertakings are included by full consolidation in the consolidated accounts of Honeywell International Inc., a company registered in the USA and whose accounts the directors consider to be drawn up in a manner equivalent to the 7th Directive. The accounts of Honeywell International Inc. are publicly available.

#### Going concern

The company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development and position, are set out in the business review section of the Directors' report. The ultimate parent company, Honeywell International Inc has indicated it will provide financial support to the company for at least one year from the date of signing these accounts.

The directors, having taken into account the financial support from the ultimate parent company have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the company to continue as a going concern

#### Taxation

Taxation is calculated on profits chargeable to UK corporation tax at the current rate applicable

#### Investments

The company's interest in subsidiary undertakings is shown at cost less provision for permanent impairment. The value of investments is reviewed annually by the directors or more frequently if there is a triggering event, and provision made where it is considered that there has been a permanent impairment of value

#### 2. Cash flow statement and related party transactions

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary company of a group headed by Honeywell International Inc , and is included in the consolidated accounts of that company, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption within FRS 1 "Cash flow statements" (revised 1996) from preparing a cash flow statement.

In accordance with the exemptions available under FRS 8 "Related party disclosures", transactions with other wholly owned undertakings within the Honeywell group are not required to be disclosed in these accounts, on the grounds that this company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Honeywell International Inc , whose accounts are publicly available

#### 3. Employees and directors

The directors are remunerated by other group companies for their services to the group as a whole. No charge has been made to the company as in the opinion of the directors it is not possible to determine with reasonable accuracy the split by company. The company has no other employees (2010 none)

# Notes to the accounts (continued)

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4 Profit on ordinary activities before taxation Audit fees of £2,400 (2010 £2,400) were borne by a fellow group company		
5. Income from fixed asset investment	2011	2010
	£000	£000
Distribution from liquidated companies		959
Write back of amounts owed to group undertakings	463	885
	463	1,844
On 10 April 2011 Novar (Garador) Ltd was dissolved, and the intercompany balance of £4 to the profit and loss account	63,000 was written	back
6. Tax on profit on ordinary activities	2011	2010
Current tax	£000	£000
UK corporation tax on profit of the year		
The tax assessed for the year is different to the standard rate of UK corporation tax rate of 26½% (2010 28%) and the differences are explained below		
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	463	363
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of		
corporation tax in the UK of 261/2% (2010 28%)	123	102
Effects of	(- <b></b> )	(100)
Other permanent differences	(123)	(102)
Total current tax charge for the year		<u>-</u> _
There are no provided or unprovided amounts relating to deferred tax		
7. Investments Ordinary share	res in subsidiary und	dertakınas
Cost	ics in substantif un	£000
At 1 January 2011		137,298
Disposals in the year		(8,713)
At 31 December 2011		128,585
Provision for impairment		
At 1 January 2011		8,713
Disposals in the year		(8,713)
At 31 December 2011	_	
Net book value at 31 December 2011		128,585
Net book value at 31 December 2010	<u></u>	128,585
The following subsidiary undertakings in liquidation were dissolved during 2011. The invecompanies were fully provided against, resulting in a disposal in both cost and provision for		713,000
		£000
Novar (Garador) Ltd		463
Leyland Joinery Ltd		8,250
	_	8,713

The directors believe that the book value of the investments is not less than the value of the underlying net assets

# Notes to the accounts (continued)

for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### 7. Investments (continued)

The company's principal subsidiary undertakings, all of which are 100% owned unless indicated, are as follows

Name of company	Principal activ	<u>rities</u>		Country of inc	corporation
Directly held subsidiaries					
La France Vinicole Ltd	Non trading			England	
Novar Nominees Ltd	Non trading			England	
Novar Plumbing Ltd	Non trading			England	
Rallip Holdings Ltd	Non trading			England	
8. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year				2011	2010
				£000	£000
Amounts owed to group undertakings				141,923	142,386
Amounts owed to group undertakings are unsecured, repayable on demand and non interest bearing					
9. Called up share capital Authorised				2011	2010
1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each				1,000 £	1,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid					
2 ordinary shares of £1 each				2	2
10. Reconciliation of shareholders' deficit and movements on reserves Profit					
		Share	and loss	2011	2010
		capıtal	account	Total	Total
		£000	£000	£000	<u>£000</u>
At 1 January		-	(13,801)	(13,801)	(14,164)
Profit for the financial year	_		463	463	363
At 31 December	_	-	(13,338)	(13,338)	(13,801)

#### 11. Ultimate parent undertakings

The immediate parent company is Novar Ltd

The ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Honeywell International Inc., a company incorporated in the USA, which is the smallest and largest group to consolidate these accounts. Copies of these accounts are publicly available and can be obtained from Corporate Publications, PO Box 2245, Morristown, New Jersey 07962-2245, USA or from the Internet at www honeywell com